How to play

Tiger Baccarat



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Baccarat is a worldwide casino game that's fun to play.

There are two types of Baccarat available at SkyCity:

- Mini Baccarat, where the Dealer flips the cards, and;
- Midi Baccarat, where the players flip the cards. Standing players may also be permitted.

Getting started

To join the action, simply place your cash on the table and the Dealer will exchange it for gaming chips – then you're ready to go!

After playing, go to the cashier to change any chips back to cash or take them to another table to continue the fun.

What is the aim of the game?

The aim of the game is to bet on which side gets closest to 9. Betting options are 'Player', 'Banker' or 'Tie'.

Tens and picture cards (Jacks, Queens and Kings) count as zero, and all other cards count as their face value. For any total over 10, only count the last digit.

For example: 7 + 3 = 0
10 + 4 = 4
10 + K = 0
8 + A = 9

The hand closest to 9 wins.

After announcing ‘no more bets’ the Dealer shall deal four cards. The first and third cards shall form the Player’s Hand and the second and fourth card shall form the Banker’s Hand.

After the Dealer has announced the total of each hand, they may deal a third card to each hand as required by the Tableau (as explained next page).

If the Player’s and/or Banker’s initial two cards total eight or nine, it is considered a ‘Natural’ and no more cards are dealt.

There are no optional draws.

If the hands result in a Tie, then no Player/Banker bets win or lose for that round.

You may alter your bets prior to the next round of play commencing.

Bets and Odds

Non Commission Baccarat

Player - Winning bets on Player are paid 1 to 1.

Banker - Winning bets on Banker are paid 1 to 1, except in the case of the Banker winning with a total of 6, then winning Banker bets are paid 1 to 2.

Commission Baccarat

Player - Winning bets on Player are paid 1 to 1.

Banker - Winning bets on Banker are paid 19 to 20.

Commission & Non Commission Baccarat

Tie - Bets on the Tie win when the Player and Banker totals are the same. Pays 8 to 1 (or as specified on the table layout).

How to play

The rules of Baccarat may appear complicated. This guide is a summary of the set table of play and main elements of the game. For a fuller explanation of the rules and how to play, just ask any of our friendly Baccarat Dealers.

The Tableau

The table shown below applies after the first four cards (two to the Player, two to the Banker) have been dealt.

Guide to card draw for players hand

Player's Hand (Total of first two cards):

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 0	Draws a card
6-7	Stands (Player not dealt another card)
8-9	Natural/No further cards drawn to either hand

Guide to card draw for bankers hand

When the first two cards total 0, 1 or 2, the Banker's hand draws a card. When the total of the Banker's first two cards is three or more, the outcome depends on the third card drawn to the Player's hand, as detailed below.

Banker's Hand (total of first two cards):	Draws a card when Player's third card is:	Stands when Player's third card is:
3	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 0	8
4	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	1, 8, 9, 0
5	4, 5, 6, 7	1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 0
6	6, 7	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 0
7	Stands	
8, 9	Natural/no further cards drawn to either hand	

Tiger Baccarat

TIGER WAGERS

Players can elect to place a wager in the Tiger betting area. If the Banker wins with a total of 6 the Tiger wager wins and the pay out odds depends on how many cards are used in the winning hand of 6:

Winning Wager		Pays
	"Tiger" when "Banker" wins with two cards totalling six points	12 to 1
	"Tiger" when "Banker" wins with three cards totalling six points	20 to 1
	"Small Tiger" wins when "Banker" has a winning two-card total of six	22 to 1
	"Big Tiger" wins when "Banker" has a winning three-card total of six	50 to 1
	"Tiger Tie" wins when "Banker" and "Player" tie on a point total of six	35 to 1

TIGER PAIRS WAGERS

"Tiger Pairs" has three different payout options, any wager placed on "Tiger Pairs" betting area is eligible for all three payouts:

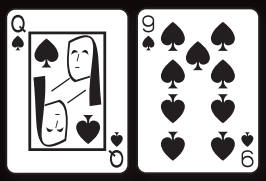
Winning Wager (applicable to the first two cards of each hand only)		Pays
	"Single Tiger" Pair wins when either "Player" or "Banker" forms a "Pair"	4 to 1
	"Double Tiger" Pair wins when both "Player" and "Banker" form a "Pair"	20 to 1
	"Twin Tiger" Pair wins when both "Player" and "Banker" have the same "Pair" (e.g. 2 pairs of 10s)	100 to 1

How it works

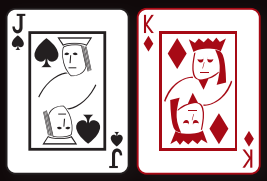
'Player', 'Banker', and 'Tie', are the three primary bets to wager. The Tiger bets are optional and may be wagered on in conjunction with your primary wager. Just place your chips in the corresponding marked area and enjoy the excitement as the Dealer draws the cards according to a set table of play (the Tableau) to determine a winner.

When the Dealer has paid the winning bets you may place a new bet for the next hand.

Player Wins

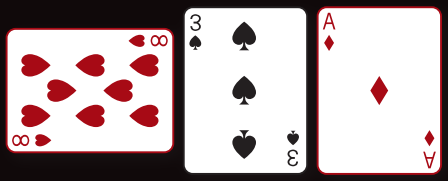


Player
Value of hand: 9
Natural

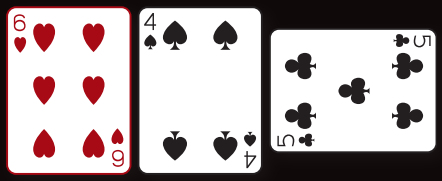


Banker
Value of hand: 0

Banker Wins

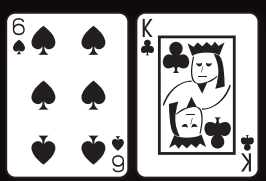


Player
Value of hand: 2

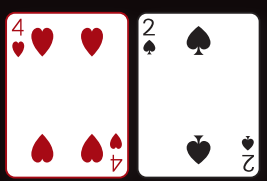


Banker
Value of hand: 5

Tie Wins

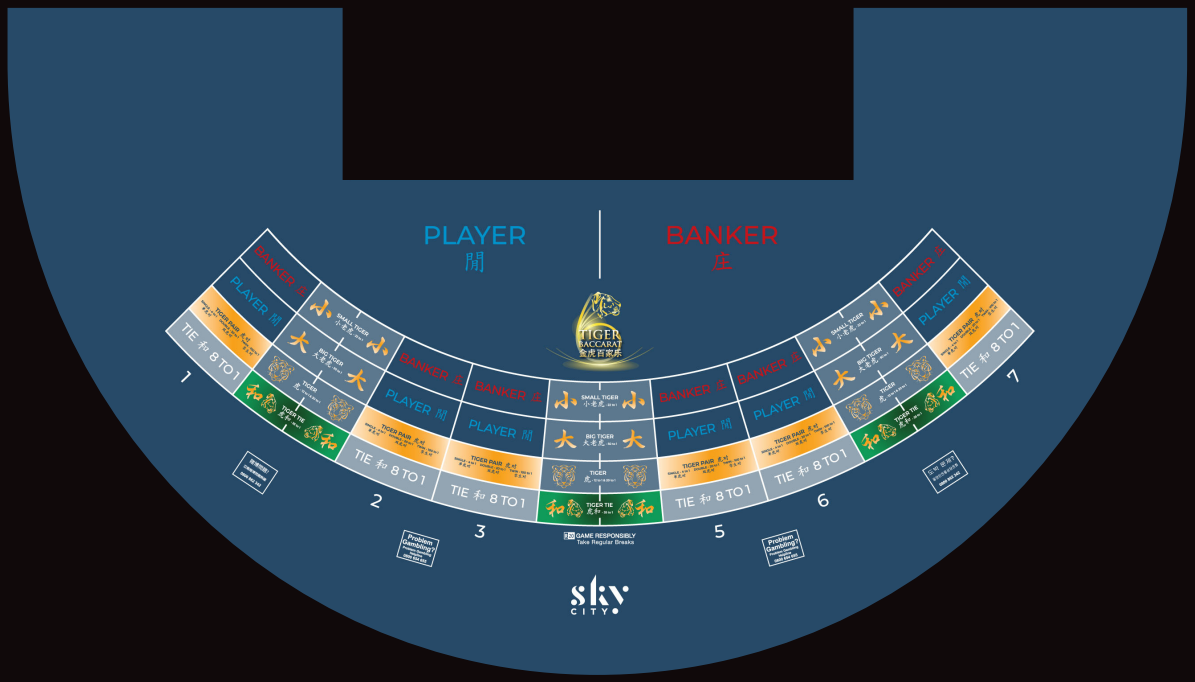


Player
Value of hand: 6

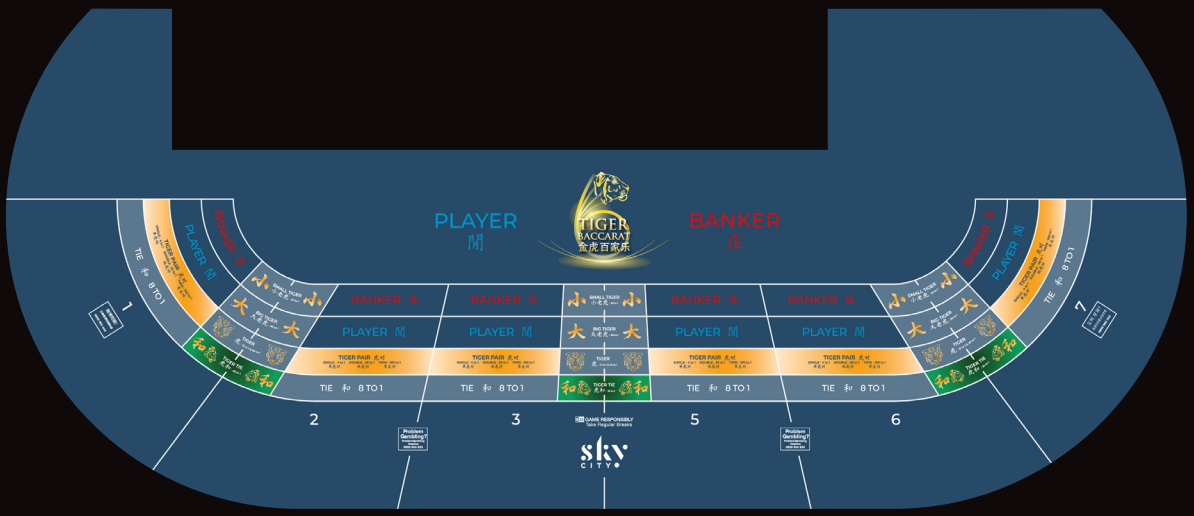


Banker
Value of hand: 6

The Mini Baccarat Table



The Midi Baccarat Table



Good luck... and remember

As with all Table Games, if you are not sure about a bet or the rules of the game, just ask one of our Dealers for assistance. They will be happy to explain anything about the game that you may not understand, or provide you with further information in relation to the rules.

Table limits

Table Games have varying minimum and maximum bets. Before you sit down, please check the sign displaying the betting range at the table.

Play responsibly and be in to win

SkyCity prides itself on being a responsible host. As such, we encourage you to play only at levels you can afford. If you wish to discuss your Gaming, please talk to a SkyCity staff member or call the Gambling Helpline on 0800 654 655. Remember – you must be aged 20 years or older to enter the gaming areas of SkyCity.

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