

## PS 142: How to Cheaply Evaluate Slot Machines | New Hampshire Slots in 2021

### Opening

Hello! Today's episode #142 of the Professor Slots podcast discusses how to cheaply evaluate if the slot machine you're playing is a winner. Plus, in this episode, I'll be covering the current state of slot machine casino gambling in the great U.S. state of New Hampshire.

Thank you for joining me for the Professor Slots podcast show. I'm Jon Friedl and this is the podcast about slot machine casino gambling. It is where I provide knowledge, insights, and tools for helping you improve your slot machine gambling performance.

### On Last Week's Episode...

In case you missed it, on my last episode I briefly went over my nine winning slots strategies from my weekly live stream Q&A session on YouTube.

Further, I reviewed Nevada slot machine casino gambling in 2021.

I hope you enjoyed listening to my last episode as much as I enjoyed making it for you.

### Call to Action (add sound effect afterward)

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### YouTube Q&A Session from Saturday, July 17, 2021

Here's the audio recording of my latest live stream Q&A session.

#### OPENING

How do you decide if a slot machine is worth playing? Your favorite casino has so many slot machines. How do you decide which one is a winner? There's two ways. First, figure out which of my nine winning slots strategies work at your casino. I summarized each of those approaches to winning on last week's live stream. The only other way to learn if your chosen slot machine is a winner is to play it. But how?

Do you need to lose your shirt, metaphorically speaking, to learn it's a losing machine? Spending all your bankroll trying to win is what most people do and, even then, they're not sure. Earlier this year from my annual survey, with "If only I had a bigger bankroll, I might have won!" when I asked, "What is the ONE thing you think is holding you back from having more successful slots play?"

"Need more bankroll" was the number one answer. The second most common answer was knowledge. And the third most common answer was picking winning slots. So, I'm here today to help you address the most common reasons slots enthusiasts think they're held back from more successful slots play. Sound good? Good!

But first, we have a few donations already...!

BODY

Hello, slots enthusiasts! I'm Jon Friedl and this is the Professor Slots live stream and podcast episode. Today, we'll be going over how to evaluate slots machines.

As I cover early on in my online course, 30 Days to Play Slots Smarter and Win, first you need to know what your gambling goals are. Otherwise, how will you know if you've reached them? The most common in order of popularity are entertainment or having fun, comps, and making a profit. I've gone to casinos with fans who have told me their goal was to make a profit, and it was obvious to me watching them play slots that it was instead entertainment. They wouldn't mind winning, but they were there to have fun.

And that's okay! As many of you have been discussing lately on my community sites, now that you're learning how to win at slots using my strategies at your favorite casinos, only now do you realize how limited your experiences have been at winning. Why? Because of your difficulties with leaving with your winnings. Call it a lack of practice or discipline issues but being able to leave after winning isn't easy. When asked how they did it, some who were successful say they won and ran, literally ran, from the casino. I'll have an upcoming live stream, likely next weekend, which will be all about leaving with your winnings. It'll be about more than wearing running shoes during your next casino visit.

But beforehand, let's get you some winnings, shall we?

Most slots enthusiasts randomly pick which slot machine they'd like to play. When they do that, here's an example of the returns they get in New Jersey. You can also see that, on average, slots have a better return than table games. That's worth thinking about.

Also, here's Nevada's return where each return is separated by machine denomination as well as table game. Again, notice how all table games returns are double digits while all slot machine denominations are only single digit meaning slots have player returns over 90% while all table games are under 90%. Some are under 70%. Excluding sports

poll, of course. I don't consider that a table game, do you? But they had to put that statistics somewhere, right?

Now I can just hear the objections. Some of you say table games have better odds of winning than slots. But this data shows they don't, on average. Table games such as poker are skill-based games. You can win, even become a profitable professional gambling, by being skillful at poker.

And that's my point. There's average players at gambling, and then there's non-average players.

So I'll say it again. Most slots enthusiasts randomly pick which slot machine they'd like to play. And so they lose, on average. But maybe you've learned enough so far from my videos, website, book, and online course to no longer be an average player.

I tried to do that to you on last weekend's live stream when I summarized my nine winning slots strategies. But maybe that was too advanced too fast. my strategies are certainly not the first thing I talk about in my online course. There's lots that come first.

But, if you haven't taken my course or you're just new to my content, let's move on now with turning you from being average into more of a skilled slots enthusiast.

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#### INTERLUDE

Let's check in with the Live Chat to briefly say hello...

You may be wondering how my new co-hosts are doing. Well, did you see the little white circle on the thumbnail for this video. Let's take a closer look now. That's Emil, co-host in training. Hedy, my other new co-host as well as Curie are separated in other parts of the house for the time being. It's been a long week of helping them get to know one another. By next weekend, all three should be roaming freely in the house. Wish us luck making that go smoothly. Or as smoothly as possible. Thanks.

That was excellent!

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#### ADVERTISEMENT

In May, I launched my first online course, 30 Days to Play Slots Smarter and Win. Feedback from participants has shown it to be wildly successful.

My online course isn't difficult. Your great aunt Grace can take my course with no difficulties. But some concepts may require time to consider before moving on to the next lesson. Until now, we've all been self-taught at playing slots. We've done the best we could without any help learning to play slots and this online course fixes that unfortunate, long-occurring circumstance.

However, my slots course is currently 50% for only a little while longer. The link for registering for it is in this video's description and, for those here live, I'll insert it now into the live chat: <https://courses.professorslots.com/courses/30-days/>. Be careful clicking on the link now as you could end up suddenly leaving the live stream.

Along with the course are bonuses such as getting lifetime access to the course, a pdf version of my book *Learning to Win*, and spreadsheet templates for keeping gambling records. Also, purchasing now saves you \$100 off and full access to all future updated, non-beta, improved versions of the course. In only a few more weeks, that \$100 savings will be gone.

Here's what the course sign-up page looks like, now with an extended course curriculum. So, sign-up now. I wouldn't want you to miss that 50% discount!

## CLOSING

Let's switch over to the Live Chat again and see what questions they might have...

Thanks for a great show. Have fun, be safe, and make good choices!

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## Introduction

This is the next segment of the show on slot machine casino gambling. Here, I provide a brief overview of the current state of gambling in a U.S. state, territory, or the federal district emphasizing, by far, anything of interest to slot machine casino gamblers.

Up next is New Hampshire slot machine casino gambling in 2021. Here goes!

New Hampshire slot machine casinos gambling does not exist. However, there are 27 locations offering keno, bingo, and table games licensed through charitable gaming regulations.

## Relevant Legal Statutes on Gambling in New Hampshire

The minimum legal gambling age in New Hampshire depends upon the gambling activity:

- Land-Based Casinos: 21
- Poker Rooms: 18
- Bingo: 18
- Lottery: 18
- Pari-Mutuel Wagering: 18

New Hampshire has banned commercial casinos, although the state allows licensed commercial bingo halls. Simulcast betting exists, but there's been no live racing since 2009. Tribal gaming is nonexistent as New Hampshire has no federally-recognized American Indian tribes.

From New Hampshire gaming regulation Chapter 287-D, "any game involving the use of a slot machine or any other device in the nature of a slot machine" is prohibited per state gaming regulation."

However, the charitable gaming industry has spread across the state over the last 40 years. Nearly 400 charitable organizations receive funds through 27 small scale venues such as malls and pubs. Larger sites include defunct former pari-mutuel racetracks.

However, these state gaming regulations require fundraisers offering table games of chance to provide a significant portion of their revenue to the charities they are sponsoring.

## Slot Machine Private Ownership in New Hampshire

Next up is a usually short statement about slot machine private ownership, which I have included in case you live in this U.S. state and are considering owning a slot machine. Here it is:

It is legal to own a slot machine in New Hampshire privately if it is 25 years old or older.

## Gaming Control Board in New Hampshire

New Hampshire's gaming control board is the New Hampshire Gaming Regulatory Oversight Authority (GROA), providing oversight to the New Hampshire Lottery Commission and the lottery's Racing and Charitable Gaming Commission.

The New Hampshire Lottery, established in 1964, is the oldest state lottery and the second-oldest U.S. lottery. The oldest lottery in the U.S., established in 1934, is the Puerto Rico Lottery.

## Casinos in New Hampshire

In this section, I'll discuss New Hampshire gambling establishments.

There are 27 large and small sites offering charitable keno, bingo, or table games in New Hampshire. The largest charitable gaming site in New Hampshire is Cheers Poker Room & Casino in Salem. The second-largest charitable site is The River Casino & Sports Bar in Nashua.

## Non-Tribal Casinos in New Hampshire

New Hampshire currently has thirteen licensed commercial bingo halls. It also has sixteen licensed games-of-chance facilities.

## American Indian Casinos in New Hampshire

There is no tribal gaming in New Hampshire due to this state having no federally recognized American Indian tribes.

## Other Gambling Establishments

As an alternative to enjoying New Hampshire slot machine casino gambling, consider exploring casino options in a nearby state. Bordering New Hampshire is:

- North: Canadian Province of Quebec
- East: Maine and 18 miles of shoreline with the Atlantic Ocean, the shortest ocean coastline of any U.S. coastal state
- South: Massachusetts
- West: Vermont

To visit any of my articles on these U.S. states, simply visit [ProfessorSlots.com](http://ProfessorSlots.com) followed by its two-letter postal designation. For example, my Maine slots article is available at [ProfessorSlots.com/ME](http://ProfessorSlots.com/ME).

## Our New Hampshire Slots Community Facebook Group

Are you interested in sharing and learning with other slots enthusiasts in New Hampshire? If so, join our New Hampshire slots community on Facebook at [professorslots.com/FBNH](https://professorslots.com/FBNH). All you'll need is a Facebook profile to join this private Facebook Group freely.

There, you'll be able to privately share your slots experiences as well as chat with players about slots gambling in or near New Hampshire. Again, use this convenient link I've created to go directly to our Group on Facebook: [professorslots.com/FBNH](https://professorslots.com/FBNH). Join us!

## Payout Returns in New Hampshire

Under a charity provision in state laws, poker rooms and casino clubs can partner with charities to donate a portion of their revenue from table games-of-chance.

Nearly 400 charities attach themselves to these 27 licensed rooms and clubs. However, these state gaming regulations require fundraisers to provide 35% of their revenue to the charities they are sponsoring.

## Summary of New Hampshire Slots in 2021

In summary, New Hampshire slot machine casino gambling prohibits casinos along with slot machines as well as other electronic gaming machines of a similar nature. However, keno, bingo, and table games of chance are available at licensed charitable events. New Hampshire has neither tribal gaming nor cruise ships to international destinations.

## Annual Progress in New Hampshire Slot Machine Casino Gambling

Over the last year, there has been little change to the slots gaming industry in New Hampshire.

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## On the Next Episode of Professor Slots

Part I of the next episode of the Professor Slots podcast will include a live stream Q&A session on YouTube.

Remember, my weekly Q&A session on YouTube is on Saturdays from Noon until 1 p.m. Eastern Time. Bring whatever slots questions you have, and I'll do my best to answer them.

An easy-to-remember link to my YouTube channel is [YouTube.com/ProfessorSlots](https://www.youtube.com/ProfessorSlots). Feel free to stop by anytime during my hour-long live Q&A session.

Part II of the next episode of the Professor Slots podcast is another brief overview of the current state of gambling in a U.S. state, territory, or the federal district. Next time, I'll be talking to you about the great U.S. state of New Jersey.

## Closing (closing music)

That's the end of another great episode of the Professor Slots podcast. Thanks so much for listening!

Show notes for this episode are on my website at <https://professorslots.com/episode142>.

I plan to have the next episode come out very soon for you, where I'll have more amazing content for the show.

Until the next episode: Have fun, be safe, and make good choices! Bye!