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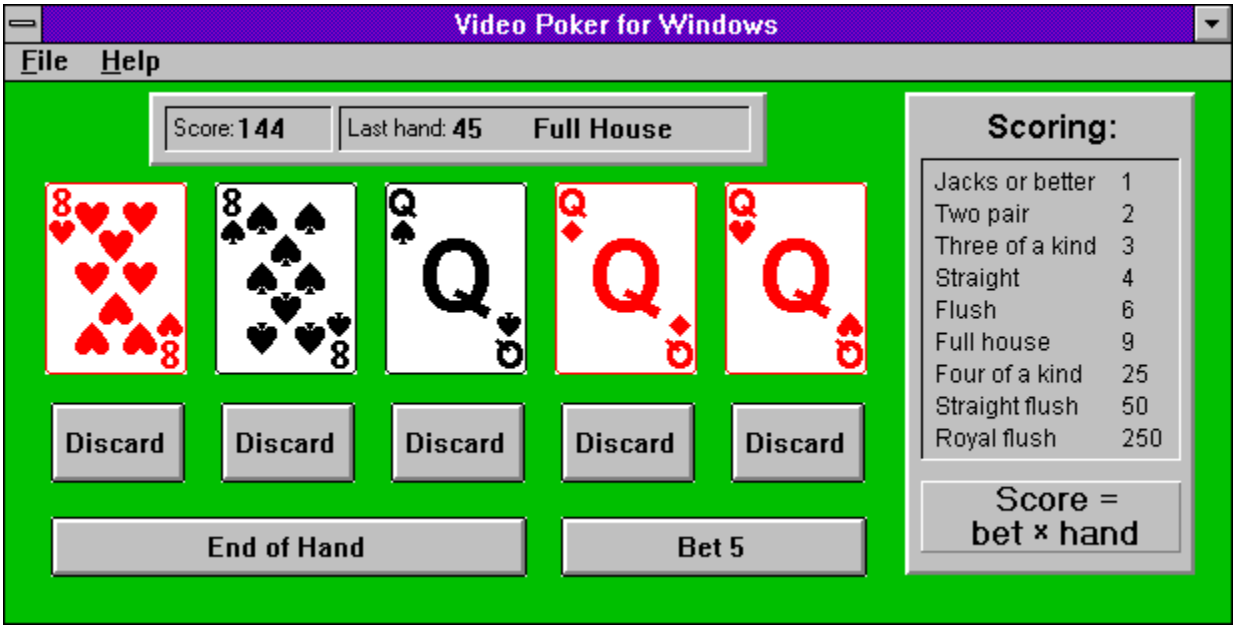
Video Poker for Windows is similar to games found in Las Vegas, and hand-held games found at Radio Shack, etc. I got hooked on this game when I was in Reno at New Year's, and felt that there must be a cheaper alternative. So here's my solution:

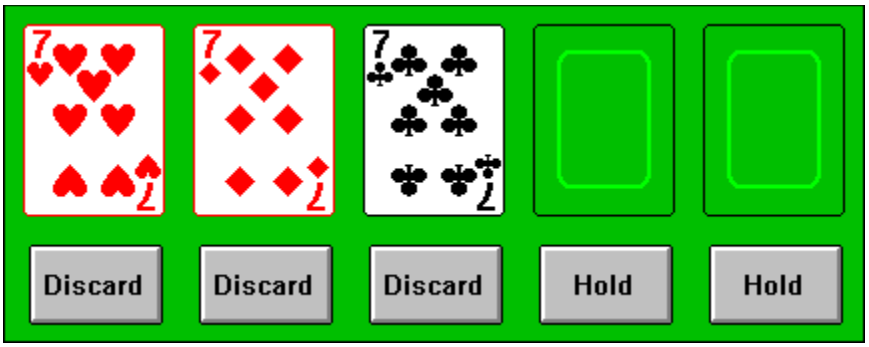


This game is a simple one - try to get the best poker hand possible. The player gets one draw and can discard any number of cards from that hand. At the end of each hand, the cards are scored according to the scoring list, multiplied by the amount that was bet.

The player first chooses how much to bet on the next hand. The "bet" button is pressed to select the bet wanted. The bets can be anything between 1 and 5, inclusive:

The hand begins by pressing the "deal" button:

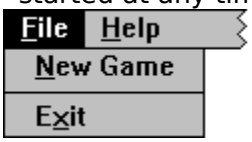
The player then chooses which cards to discard by pressing the "discard" buttons directly beneath the cards. Discarded cards can be brought back by pressing the "hold" buttons.



Once the cards are chosen, the player then presses the "draw" button to draw new cards.

The hand is now over, and the hand has been scored. The player can now press the "End of Hand" button to clear the cards:

The game continues until the player quits, or runs out of points. A new game can be started at any time by choosing "New Game" from the menu:



Pretty simple, eh?

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I would appreciate any feedback you have about this game. This is my first attempt at a Windows program, and it`s still under development. So, I'd love to hear what you think of this program.  Please mail your comments, critisisms, or just "Hey, I'm using your game - it`s cool!" to:

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