

FaChai Slot **Payout** **Structure Cheatsheet**

That line on the rules page — 243 ways, Megaways, cluster — labels a settlement method, not a difficulty level.

The ways count is the single most misread line on a FaChai slot's rules page. Plenty of players treat it as a difficulty rating: more ways, easier hits. This cheatsheet separates the three settlement systems — how each decides a win, how the 63 FC slots we cover are distributed across them, and why a higher ways count usually comes with a thinner stake per way rather than a better return. Every figure is taken from our recorded coverage data; nothing is inferred or invented.

01 Three systems, one question

Paylines care about the route: symbols must land on pre-drawn paths. Ways care about which reels: no path required, only whether each consecutive reel from the left carries the symbol. Cluster pays care about how many: enough matching symbols anywhere pay, then clear and tumble. The maths behind each is designed separately, so lining them up as a difficulty ladder does not hold.

02 How the 63 slots we cover split

Ways formats 37 titles (243 ways 15, Megaways 8, 1024&2000 ways 4, 4096 ways 3, 3600 ways 2, 1024 ways 2, 2000 ways 1, 243&7776 ways 1, 27 ways 1); fixed paylines 19 titles (5 lines 6, 1 line 5, 50 lines 2, and one each from 9 to 88 lines); cluster 6 titles; one title with no line label. Ways take almost 60% of the shelf, and paylines are far from dead.

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243-ways titles: Cyber God of Fortune Plus, Sword of King, Night Market, Fortune Money Boom

03 Megaways and the high-ways branch

A Megaways grid randomises the symbol count on each reel every spin, so the ways count floats rather than sitting fixed; 3600 and 4096 ways are fixed high-count layouts instead (4096 = 4 to the sixth, six reels of four). The common misread — going from 243 to 4096 ways multiplies your chances — does not hold: as the count rises, the stake behind each way thins and the payable adjusts, so hit frequency may rise while hit size falls.

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Megaways: Open Vault, Chinese New Year Moreways; 4096 ways: Muscle Fortune Cat, Golden Idol, Poker Win 2

04 Why cluster ceilings run so high

Cluster games stack payouts through chain reactions, which suits a high ceiling structurally. The six cluster titles we cover range from 1000X to 50000X, and Hot Pot Party's 50000X is the highest ceiling among all 63 slots in our library. A high ceiling is not a common outcome, though: the higher it goes, the more extreme the chain needed, and the emptier an ordinary session tends to feel.

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Egypt Bonanza, Hot Pot Party, Poker Win, Happy Duo Bao, Merge Magic, Revolver Hare

05 Structure shapes variance, not return

Both on 5 lines: Treasure Raiders is low-medium volatility with a 600X ceiling, while Bad Rich Wolf is high volatility with a 22500X ceiling — and both carry a 96.5% figure. Across the 63 slots we cover, that same figure recurs on 1-line, 243-ways, Megaways and cluster titles alike. The workable order is to pick a volatility band that fits your budget first, then choose structure and theme inside it.

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1 line, low volatility: The Golden Panther (88X ceiling); 5 lines, high volatility: Bad Rich Wolf (22500X)

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