

Lion Gems: Hold and Win

Video slot game

95.55 RTP %

Overview

Far away from any civilization, deep in African continent lay vast territories of savannah. This is where the new 5x4 game of Playson, Lion Gems: Hold and Win, takes place. The world is exciting and full of adventures with animals being the main heroes on 30 pay lines. At the top of the hierarchy sits a wise and righteous lion who also is a Wild symbol. He shares all resources among his servants fairly through Free Spins mode and Bonus Game with Hold and Win mechanic. During the first, Wild gets x2 multiplier and during the second four types of in-game Jackpots lead players to great victories. There are various ways to win these Jackpots, three of them can land on the reels as Mini, Minor and Major symbols or as Mystery symbols, and Grand Jackpot is given when all empty spaces on the reels are filled with symbols. This land is full of ancient magic that is unpredictable as the lion's temper. Whenever a diamond symbol appears on the screen there will be a chance to trigger Bonus Game by activating the Diamond Peak feature. It gives an additional thrill to the gaming process.

Desktop Version



Mobile Version



General information	
Game Type:	Slot Game
Reel Type:	Spinning Reels
Reels, Lines:	5 reels, 4 rows, 30 pay lines
Default Coin Values (€): Total Bet = Coin Value * 10	0.02 - 0.03 - 0.04 - 0.05 - 0.06 - 0.08 - 0.10 - 0.15 - 0.20 - 0.30 - 0.40 - 0.50 - 0.75 - 1.00 - 2.00 - 3.00 - 5.00 - 7.50 - 10.00
Default Min / Max Bet (€):	0.20 / 100.00
Default Free Round Values:	Free Spins rounds are played with the last bet set. Bonus Game rounds are played with the last bet set.
Game features	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Wild symbol ● Wild x2 symbol ● Scatter symbol ● Free Spins 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bonus symbol ● Hold and Win Bonus Game ● Bonus Game prizes ● Mystery symbols ● Diamond Peak feature
Payout information	
Return to Player (%):	95.55%
Max payout for times bet observed in 50 billion spins:	3504
Hit Frequency (%):	16 %
Volatility:	7.91 – Medium-High
Limitations	
Player Limits:	Regulated by the Playson back-end administrative system PlayBack.
Other:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Play for Fun ● Variable bet values
Technical information	
Game ID:	
Desktop	lion_gems
Mobile	lion_gems_mob
Screen Footprint	1280x720 for desktop and 1280x720 for mobile

Game Theme and Graphics

In the shadow of African acacia king of the jungle summoned his loyal court to discuss pressing matters of his kingdom. The heat is immense which can be sensed by just looking at different colors of orange in the background. All animals will have their say: rhinos, jaguar, zebra, warthog, and flamingo who are represented as symbols with highest payout. These animals were never used in Playson games previously. Lion is Wild symbol and African acacia is Scatter symbol.

Design of this slot wins greatly because of smart play on the contrast. Alongside yellow, red and orange palette there are shiny blue diamonds as Bonus symbols that attract the eyes of a player. Playson put great attention to Bonus Game Jackpots and Mystery symbols that are also drawn as diamonds of a different color. As a package on the giftbox, this game is wrapped in a beautiful and meditational soundtrack.



Game screen

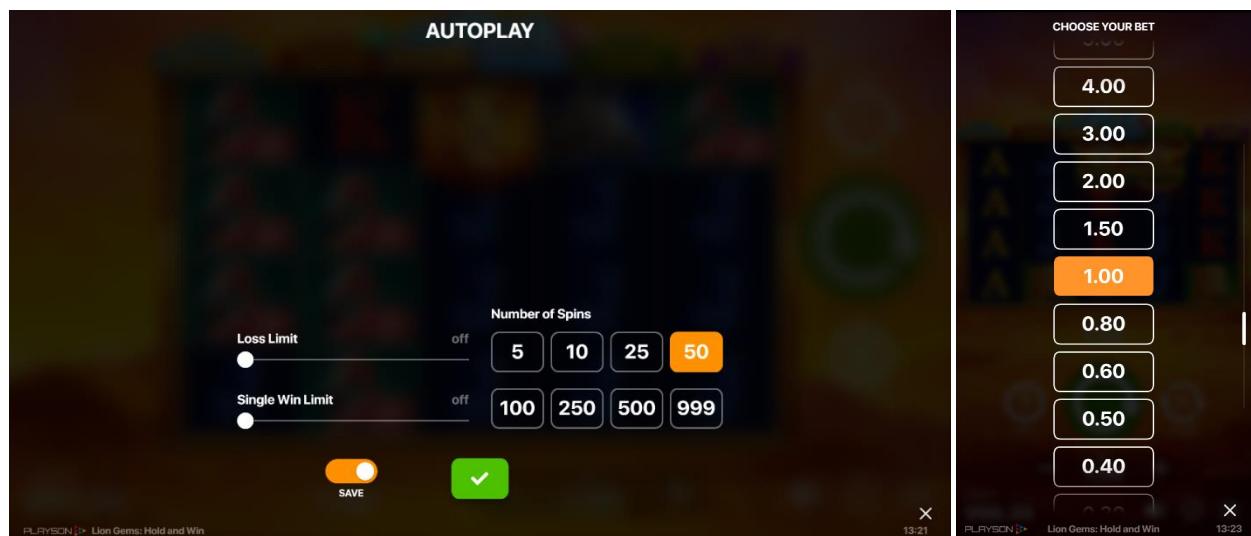
The screen footprint of the game display is 1280x720 pixels and comprises of two main elements – video display area and game panel.

Video display area

The reels are displayed in this area.



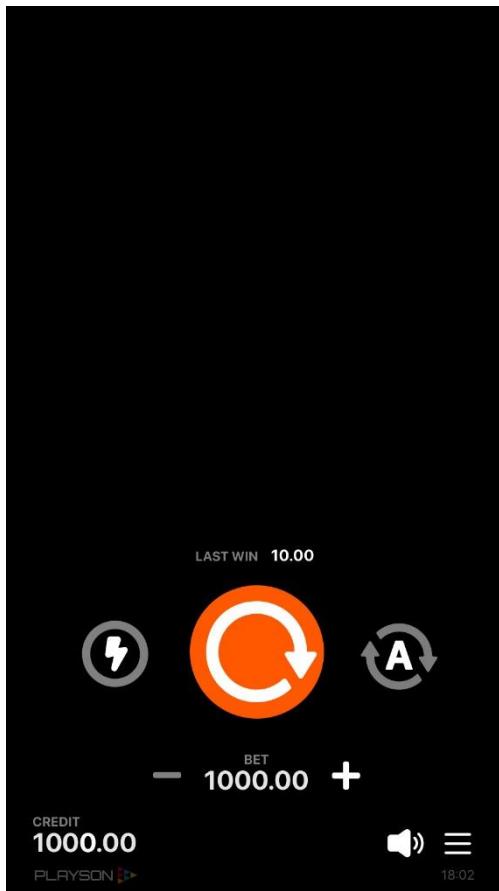
When the “Bet Menu” (≡), “Autoplay settings” (⟳), “Game Menu” (☰) are opened, the video display area is fully replaced. By clicking “X” (✖) button the player can come back to the reel display.



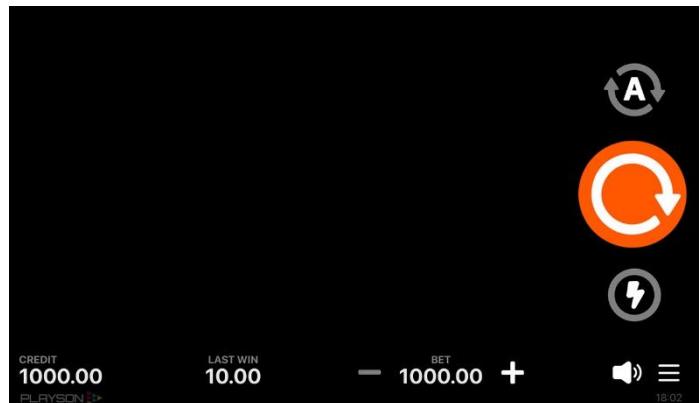
Game panel

The game panel is located at the bottom of the reels for desktop version and for mobile version [portrait]. For the mobile version [landscape] the game panel is located at the right and the bottom side of the reels. It displays the available amount of credits on the player's account as well as bet and winning information.

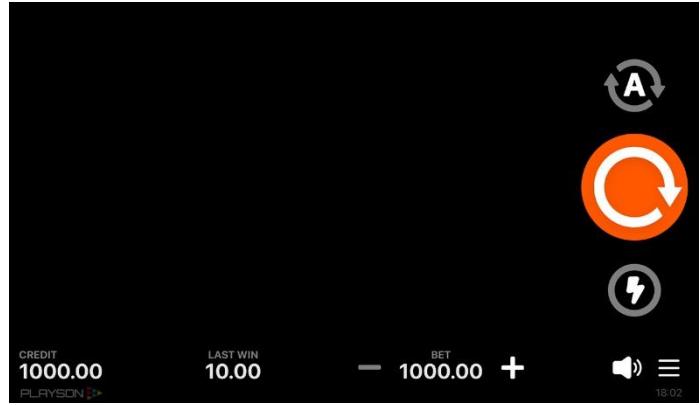
Mobile version [portrait]



Mobile version [landscape]



Desktop version



Game panel also includes game controls where the player can do the following:

- change the Bet (by clicking/tapping “Bet Menu” button );
- spin the reels (by clicking/tapping “Spin” button );
- set Autoplay advanced settings (by clicking/tapping “Autoplay” button );
- change the game settings (by clicking/tapping “Game Menu” button );
- see the Pay Table (by clicking/tapping “Game Menu” then “Information” button );
- change the sound settings (by clicking/tapping “Sound” button );
- turn on and off the quick spin mode (by clicking/tapping “Quick Spin” button ).

Main Game

Desktop Version

Players can select the bet amount before starting the game round. Clicking the Spin button triggers the game round.



Mobile Version

Players can select the bet amount before starting the game round. Tapping the Spin button triggers the game round.



Game Features

Wild symbol

Substitutes all symbols except Bonus and Scatter. Appears in main game only. There are payouts for this symbol according to the Pay Table.



Wild X2

Doubles the win of each payline that is part of. Appears in Free Spins only.



Scatter symbol

3 or more Scatter symbols trigger 8 Free Spins. There are payouts for this symbol according to the Pay Table.



Bonus symbol

6 or more trigger the Bonus Game. Payment is indicated on the symbol in currency: from x1 to x16 bets. Bonus symbols pay only during the Bonus Game.



Bonus Game

6 or more Bonus symbols trigger the Bonus Game. All Bonus symbols stick on the reels during the Bonus Game. Only Bonus symbols land on the reels during the Bonus Game. 3 re-spins are granted at the beginning of the Bonus Game. Each new Bonus symbol resets the number of re-spins to 3. The Bonus Game continues until re-spins are finished, or all cells on the reels are filled with Bonus symbols. When the Bonus Game ends the values of all Bonus symbols are summed up, and Total Win is paid.



Diamond Peak feature

Any Bonus Symbol landing on the reels during Main or Free Game grants a chance to win additional Bonus Game.



Bonus Game Jackpots

The random appearance of the following Bonus symbols during the Bonus Game triggers the corresponding Jackpots:

- Mini Jackpot = 20 bets
- Minor Jackpot = 50 bets
- Major Jackpot = 150 bets



Filling of all 20 cells with Bonus symbols results in getting Grand Jackpot of 3000 bets.

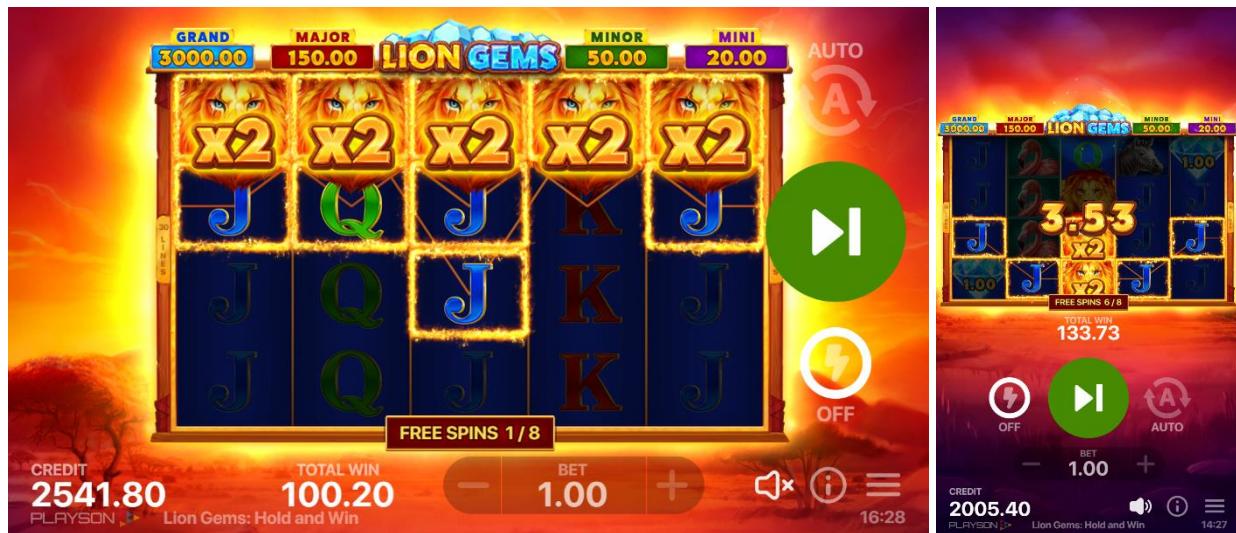
Mystery symbol

Mystery symbol appears only during the Bonus Game and transforms randomly to Mini, Minor or Major Jackpot symbols. During the Bonus Game several Mystery symbols may land on the reels. Mystery symbols uncover one-by-one at the end of the Bonus Game.

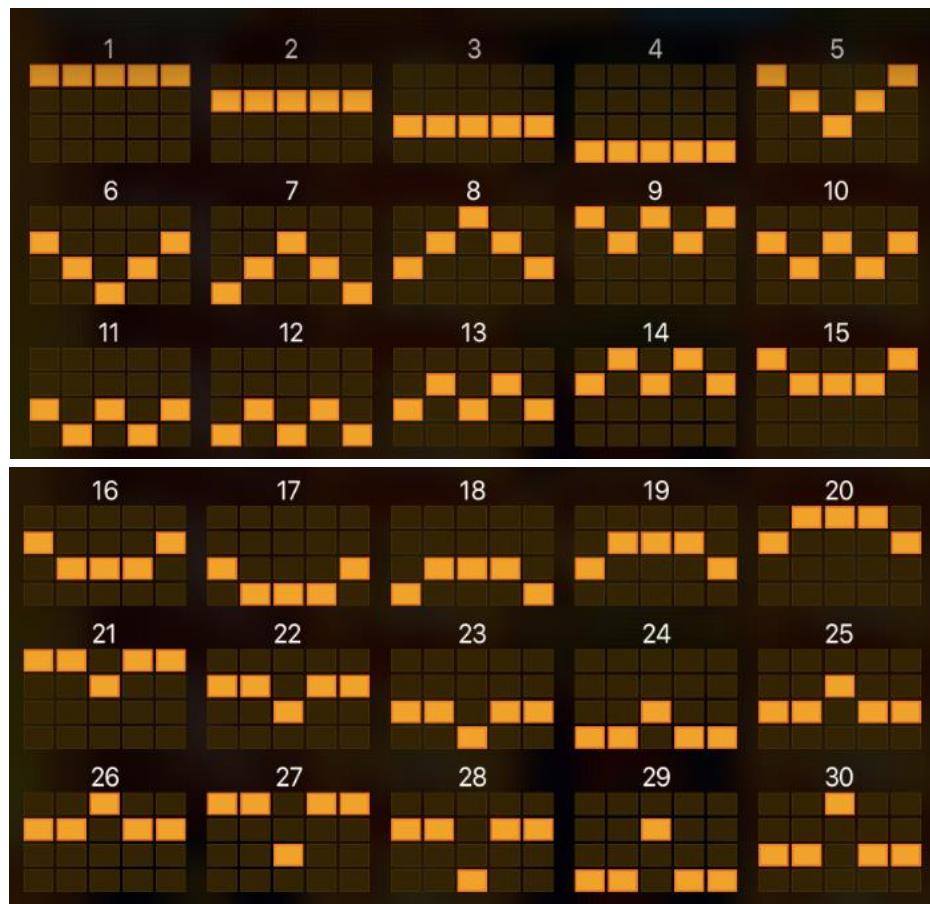


Free Spins

3 or more Scatter symbols in Main Game trigger 8 Free Spins. 3 or more Scatter symbols during Free Spins trigger additional 8 Free Spins. During the Free Spins mode Wild symbol transforms to Wild X2 and doubles the win of each payline that it is a part of.



Formation of Pays



Pay Lines

- Pay Lines: 30 fixed lines.
- Bet lines pay if in succession from leftmost to rightmost.
- Only the highest win per pay line is paid.
- Simultaneous wins are summed up.
- Winning combinations and payouts are made according to the Pay Table.

Pay Table

Symbol	Combination	Coefficient in Line Bets	Winning amount if the bet = 1€
	x1	20*Total Bet	20.00
Pays only during Bonus Game			
	x1	50*Total Bet	50.00
Pays only during Bonus Game			
	x1	150*Total Bet	150.00
Pays only during Bonus Game			
	x1	16*Total Bet 14*Total Bet 12*Total Bet 10*Total Bet 8*Total Bet 7*Total Bet 6*Total Bet 5*Total Bet 4*Total Bet 3*Total Bet 2*Total Bet 1*Total Bet	16.00 14.00 12.00 10.00 8.00 7.00 6.00 5.00 4.00 3.00 2.00 1.00
Pays only during Bonus Game			
	X5 X4 X3	100*Total Bet 10*Total Bet 2*Total Bet	100.00 10.00 2.00

	x5 x4 x3	80 20 6	8.00 2.00 0.60
	x5 x4 x3	80 20 6	8.00 2.00 0.60
	x5 x4 x3	64 16 4	6.40 1.60 0.40
	x5 x4 x3	56 12 4	5.60 1.20 0.40
	x5 x4 x3	48 10 4	4.80 1.00 0.40
	x5 x4 x3	40 8 4	4.00 0.80 0.40
	x5 x4 x3	16 4 2	1.60 0.40 0.20

Payout information in Pay Table is already displayed in the exact money value according to the player's bet.

Randomization

Random Number Generator (RNG)

The algorithm used for random number generation (RNG) is Quantis, physical random number generator exploiting an elementary quantum optics process. Quantis has been evaluated and certified by the Swiss Federal Office of Metrology (also known as METAS), the Swiss national organization in charge of measurement science, testing and compliance. It confirmed that the quality of its random output complies with the highest requirements. See the Certificate of Conformity and read the Test Report on <http://www.idquantique.com>.

Quantis has also been evaluated by Compliance Testing Laboratory (Bangor, UK), which confirmed that it is "suitably unpredictable and fit for purpose". Download certificate in PDF format <http://marketing.idquantique.com/acton/attachment/11868/f-0117/1/-/-/-/Quantis%20Certifications%20Collection.pdf>.

Quantis has also been approved by national authorities and can be used for gaming applications.

Malfunction Management

If a player attempts to access a game using an invalidated session, (for example, due to inactivity or system restart) an error message is displayed in the game. The player can then log on again and resume game play. The game state is always stored so the player can resume game play exactly where he or she left off.

In case of an HTTP error, network timeout or server error a "technical error" message will be displayed to the player.

Information to the Player

Players have access to game rules from within the game at all times.

Game Simulation

A demo version of the game is available at playson.com