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Voodoo Magic: Slot Overview

Developer Pragmatic Play is no stranger to the spookier side of life, having released slots based on zombies in Wild Walker, ghouls in Mysterious, and skeletons in Cowboys Gold. On the whole, when the studio explores darker subject matter, they generally do it quite well. Now the team turns to one of the most exotic ways to scare players, the mysterious practice of Voodoo. The resulting slot, Voodoo Magic, has some nice cosmetics, yet is let down by its potential, despite having more features than a voodoo doll has pins.

Voodoo might have originated in Africa, then flourished in the Caribbean, but it's New Orleans Voodoo that usually finds its way onto TV, in books or theming games. This form blended traditional Voodoo with Catholicism, ending up in Louisiana after many Haitians fled there following a slave revolt in 1791. What we get now is that dank, swampy, paganistic, a little scary, a little sexy version, which Pragmatic Play has recreated quite well in their game.

In Voodoo Magic we find a 5-reel, 40-payline grid mid a Mambo's hut (voodoo priestess), as she stands to one side brewing magic in a green misted cauldron. Littered about the place are things like snakes in jars, eyeballs, and dolls. A sultry tune saunters away amongst crickets and sounds of the night, shifting to full-on New Orleans Mardi Gras during the bonus games. The music is pretty good, as are the visuals, so it's a shame the rest of the game doesn't reach the same standard.

Voodoo Magic is available on any device, where stakes from 20 p/c to \$/ <100 per spin may be set. Mathematically, the game shows promise for those who appreciate highly volatile gaming. To be precise, Pragmatic Play has rated volatility 4.5 out of 5, which feels severely out of odds with the low potential. Pragmatic Play makes use of flexible RTP, so the numbers may vary depending on where you play. The default value, however, is 96.50