CLAIMS:

~~1. A game table reading system comprising:~~

~~a game table having a plurality of read areas, including at least a plurality of betting areas, for positioning game tokens with embedded RFID tags;~~

~~a plurality of reading antennas installed corresponding to each of the plurality of read areas for reading the RFID tags embedded in the game token placed in the corresponding read areas;~~

~~a read-restriction antenna configured to restrict the readings by the reading antenna so that the reading antennas do not read the RFID tag of the game token in the read areas other than the read area corresponding to the reading antenna;~~

~~a reading control device that is connected to the reading antenna and is configured to control the reading antenna to acquire the information stored in the RFID tag from the reading antenna;~~

~~a read-restriction control device configured to control the read-restriction antenna;~~

~~a database configured to store information on the RFID tag and related information in association with each other; and~~

~~a management control device configured to update the database based on a relationship between the information of the RFID tag read by the reading antenna and the read area where the RFID tag was read.~~

~~2. The game table reading system according to claim 1, wherein~~

~~the information on the RFID tag includes chip identification information of the game token,~~

~~the related information includes user identification information of a user in possession of the game token, and~~

~~the management control device is configured to update the database so that the chip identification information of the game token paid out to the user who won the game is associated with the user identification information of the user who won the game.~~

~~3. The game table reading system according to claim 2, wherein~~

~~the plurality of read areas includes a pay area for reading the game token to be paid out, and~~

~~the management control device is configured to update the database so that the chip identification information of the game token read in the pay area is associated with the user identification information.~~

~~4. The game table reading system according to claim 2, wherein~~

~~the plurality of read areas includes a plurality of betting areas corresponding to a plurality of betting targets for each playing position,~~

~~the game table reading system further comprises a user identification device configured to identify the user identification information of the user located at the playing position,~~

~~the management control device is configured to, when the chip identification information of the game token to be paid out is read in the betting area, update the database so that the chip identification information of the game token to be paid out is associated with the user identification information associated with the game token bet in the bet area.~~

~~5. The game table reading system according to claim 4, wherein~~

~~the plurality of read areas includes a plurality of pay areas, one for each play position, for reading the game token to be paid out,~~

~~the management control unit is configured to update the database so as to associate the chip identification information of the game token read at the pay area with the user identification information identified at the play position corresponding to the pay area.~~

~~6. The game table reading system according to claim 4 or 5, wherein~~

~~the management control device is configured to, in the case where the user identification device identifies the user identification information of one of two users simultaneously located in the same play positions and does not identify the user identification information of the other one, and where a plurality of users are betting game tokens in the same betting area, update the database so as to associate the identified user identification information with the chip identification~~

~~information of the game token that is paid out first to the play position.~~

~~7. The game table reading system according to any of claims 4 to 6, wherein~~

~~the plurality of betting areas includes a player area, a banker area, and a side betting area, which are provided in close proximity for each other for each play position.~~

~~8. The game table reading system according to claim 1, wherein~~

~~the information on the RFID tag includes chip identification information of the game token,~~

~~the related information includes location information that can identify a location of the reading antenna,~~

~~the management control device is configured to update the database so as to associate the chip identification information of the RFID tag with the location information that can identify the location of the reading antenna by identifying the reading antenna that has read the RFID tag.~~

~~9. The game table reading system according to claim 8, wherein~~

~~the location information includes information identifying the game table, identifying a chip tray, identifying a gate, and/or identifying a cage.~~

~~10. The game table reading system according to claim 1, wherein~~

~~information on value of the game token is stored in the RFID tag as the information, or information on value of the game token is stored in the database as the related information associated with the information in the RFID tag,~~

~~the related information includes user identification information of a user in possession of the game token,~~

~~the plurality of read areas includes a plurality of betting areas corresponding to a plurality of betting targets for each play position,~~

~~the management system further comprises user identification device configured to identify the user identification information of the user located in the play position,~~

~~the database is configured to store, for each user, the user identification information of the user and the value of the game token possessed by the user in association with the user identification information,~~

~~the management control device is configured to update the database so that value of the game token paid out to the user who wins the game is added to value of the game token in the possession of the user who won the game, and the value of the game token, which is collected from the user who loses the game, is subtracted from the value of the game token in the possession of the user who lost the game.~~

~~11. The game table reading system according to claim 1, wherein~~

~~information on value of the game token is stored in the RFID tag as the information of the RFID tag, or the information on value of the game token is stored in the database as the~~

~~related information associated with the information of the RFID tag,~~

~~the related information includes user identification information of a user who bet the game token,~~

~~the plurality of read areas includes a betting area for each play position,~~

~~the game table reading system further comprises a user identification device configured to identify the user identification information of the user located in the play position,~~

~~the database is configured to store, for each user, the user identification information of the user and value of the game token bet by the user in association with each other,~~

~~the management control device is configured to update the database so as to add the value of the game token read by the reading antenna to the value of the game token bet associated with the user identification information of the user identified for the play position corresponding to the reading antenna.~~

~~12. The game table reading system according to claim 1, wherein~~

~~the information on the RFID tag includes information for determining the authenticity of the game token,~~

~~the game table reading system refers to the database to match the information for determining authenticity read by the reading antenna, and outputs a warning when the matching is unsuccessful.~~

~~13. A game table reading system, comprising:~~

~~a game table having a plurality of read areas, including at least a plurality of betting areas, for positioning game tokens with built-in RFID tags;~~

~~a plurality of reading antennas installed corresponding to each of the plurality of read areas and configured to output electromagnetic waves to read the RFID tags embedded in the game token placed in the corresponding read areas;~~

~~a plurality of reading antennas that are installed to output electromagnetic waves to read RFID tags embedded in the game token placed in the corresponding read area; and~~

~~a read-restricted antenna configured to output electromagnetic waves to restrict reading by the read antennas so that the reading antennas do not read RFID tags of game token in read areas other than the corresponding read area;~~

~~a shield member configured to shape the electromagnetic field so that the electromagnetic field generated by the reading antenna is weakened outside the read area corresponding to the reading antenna.~~

~~14. The game table reading system according to claim 13, wherein the shielding member is a plate, tape, film, coating film, or sheet containing at least one of aluminum, silver, copper, gold, or nickel.~~

~~15. The game table reading system according to claim 13 or 14, wherein the shielding member is provided in the same plane as the reading antenna.~~

~~16. The game table reading system according to claim 13 or 14, wherein the shield member is provided in the same plane as the read-restriction antenna.~~

~~17. The game table reading system according to claim 13, wherein the shielding member shapes the electromagnetic field generated by the reading antenna so that the electromagnetic field flattens outside the read area corresponding to the reading antenna.~~

~~18. The game table reading system according to claim 13, wherein the game table reading system has a plurality of the read-restricted antennas corresponding to one read area to shape electromagnetic fields respectively generated by a plurality of the reading antennas each corresponding to a plurality of other read areas adjacent to the one read area.~~

1. A game table reading system, comprising:

a game table on which one or more areas are laid out;

a plurality of reading antennas installed each corresponding to each of a plurality of sub-areas forming the area and configured to read an RFID tag embedded in a game token placed in each of the plurality of sub-areas;

a read-restriction antenna installed corresponding to at least one certain sub-area of the plurality of sub-areas and configured to restrict reading by the reading antenna so that the reading antenna installed corresponding to the sub-area other than the certain sub-area does not read the RFID tag of the game token in the certain sub-area; and

a management control device configured to, when the RFID tag is read by the reading antenna, identify a position where the game token whose RFID tag is read is placed according to the sub-area to which the reading antenna corresponds.

2. The game table reading system according to claim 1, wherein the game table reading system has a plurality of the read-restriction antennas installed each corresponding to each of the plurality of sub-areas.

3. The game table reading system according to claim 2, wherein the management control device is configured to use in sequence each group of antennas formed of a certain reading antenna and a read-restriction antenna installed corresponding to at least one sub-area other than the sub-area to which the certain reading antenna is installed corresponding to read in sequence the RFID tag of the game token in each sub-area of the plurality of sub-areas.

4. The game table reading system according to any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein the area has the plurality of sub-areas of substantially the same shape.

5. The game table reading system according to any of claims 1 to 4, wherein the area is a betting area for each sitting position, and the plurality of sub-areas are betting target areas.

6. The game table reading system according to any of claims 1 to 5, further comprising:

a database in which the information of the RFID tag and related information are stored in association with each other;

a management control device configured to update the database based on a relationship between information of the RFID tag read by the reading antenna and the sub-area where the RFID tag was read.

7. The game table reading stem according to claim 6, wherein

the information on the RFID tag includes chip identification information of the game token,

the relevant information includes the user identification information of a user in possession of the game token;

the management control device is configured to update the database so that the chip identification information of the game token, which is paid out to the user who wins the game, is associated with the user identification information of the user who won the game.

8. The game table reading system according to claim 7, wherein

the management control device is configured to update the database so that, when the chip identification information of the game token to be paid out is read in the sub-area, the chip identification information of the game token to be paid out is associated with the user identification information associated with the game token bet in the sub-area.

9. The game table reading system according to claim 6, wherein,

the information on the RFID tag includes information for determining authenticity of the game token, and

the game table reading system is configured to refer to the database to match the information for determining authenticity read by the reading antenna, and outputs a warning when the matching is unsuccessful.

10. The game table reading system according to claim 1, further comprising a shielding member configured to shape an electromagnetic field generated by the reading antenna so that the electromagnetic field weakens outside the sub-area corresponding to the reading antenna.

11. The game table reading system according to claim 10, wherein the shielding member is a plate, tape, film, coating film, or sheet containing at least one of aluminum, silver, copper, gold, or nickel.

12. The game table reading system according to claim 10 or 11, wherein the shielding member is provided in the same plane as the reading antenna.

13. The game table reading system according to claim 10 or 11, wherein the shield member is provided in the same plane as the read-restriction antenna.

14. The game table reading system according to claim 10, wherein the shielding member is configured to shape the electromagnetic field generated by the reading antenna so that the electromagnetic field flattens outside the sub-area corresponding to the reading antenna.

15. The game table reading system according to claim 10, the game table comprises a plurality of the read-restriction antennas corresponding to the one sub-area to shape the electromagnetic field generated by a plurality of reading antennas each corresponding to a plurality of other sub-areas adjacent to the one sub-area.