

Abstract

Table game system

A table game system is provided capable of identifying shuffled playing cards used at the time of the occurrence of a problem in a card shoe apparatus, thereby enabling an investigation of the cause thereof or the taking of countermeasures therefor.

A card shoe apparatus 2 of the table game system of the present invention includes a barcode reader 100 that reads a barcode 3 provided in a shuffled playing card set 1s, thereby reading a shuffled card ID that uniquely identifies the shuffled playing card set 1s. Also, a lid 2f for enabling the entry/removal of the shuffled playing card set 1s is provided in an upper portion of the card shoe apparatus 2. A sensor S for detecting the opening/closing of the lid 2f is provided under the lid 2f to detect the opening/closing of the lid 2f, thereby detecting replacement of the shuffled playing card set 1s. A control unit 12 further includes a function of storing the following security items in connection with a shuffled card ID: (1) a reading error of a code C of a card 1 in a card reading unit 8 (in the case of a false card, the code C is not present in the card 1 or a false code C is printed on the card 1, and these will be determined as irregular by the card reading unit 8) and (2) replacement of the shuffled playing card set 1s (such replacement is determined by detecting the opening/closing of the lid 2f).

Fig. 1