

Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board

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Gaming Control Board Reports Record Monthly Revenue in July

Table games revenue in casinos hits all-time high as patrons come back to casinos

HARRISBURG, **PA**: The Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board posted reports today on its website that show that the combined total revenue in July 2021 generated from all forms of gaming regulated by the Board along with fantasy contests was \$423,657,956. That represents the highest monthly revenue total to date for games regulated by the Board.

Sources of gaming revenue regulated by the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board include slot machines, table games, internet casino-type gaming (iGaming), sports wagering, fantasy contests and video gaming terminals (VGTs). The Board has posted separate reports for these types of gaming on its website, https://gamingcontrolboard.pa.gov/.

The Board notes that revenue from land-based casino games was particularly strong with monthly table games achieving a record for revenue and slot machine revenue placing 4th all time for a month.

In releasing the July figures, the Board again noted that due to Covid-19 restrictions casinos were operating last year with reduced slot and table games capacity and occupancy limits with two facilities were closed for a portion July 2020:

- Rivers Casino Pittsburgh was closed from July 3 to July 9
- Rivers Casino Philadelphia was closed from July 1 to 16.

Therefore, while revenue comparisons are made in this release against the previous year, to provide a fairer comparison of this month's revenue figures the Board is once again providing, where appropriate, a comparison of this year's revenue against that of July 2019 when Covid-19 restrictions were not in place and all casinos operated for the entirety of the month. Using that comparison, this month's total revenue was 51% above that of July 2019 when the total revenue was \$281,482,227.

The following chart compiles all revenue generated in July 2021 by casinos along with fantasy contests and video gaming terminals operated by other vendors and includes a comparison to total revenue generated last July.

Source	July 2021 Total Revenue	July 2020 Total Revenue	% Change
Parx Casino	\$64,057,877	\$59,850,558	7.03%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$53,620,190	\$27,890,918	92.25%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$50,204,676	\$25,036,892	100.52%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$43,944,110	\$28,040,019	56.72%
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$35,333,418	\$18,998,731	85.98%
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$34,181,877	\$16,868,287	102.64%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$25,759,845	\$27,790,085	-7.31%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$23,138,219	\$19,500,985	18.65%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$22,906,425	n/a	n/a
The Meadows Casino	\$20,671,781	\$18,114,929	14.11%

Statewide Total	\$423,657,956	\$283,051,763	49.68%
Hollywood Casino Morgantown	\$570,794	n/a	n/a
Fantasy Contests	\$1,570,073	\$925,738	69.60%
Lady Luck Casino Nemacolin	\$2,490,903	\$2,608,648	-4.51%
Video Gaming Terminals	\$3,754,668	\$2,069,180	81.46%
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$9,850,627	n/a	n/a
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$13,299,693	\$9,493,880	40.09%
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$18,302,779	\$25,862,914	-29.23%

Additionally, total tax revenue before any adjustments was \$174,655,135.

Revenue by Game Type

The Board is also providing a synopsis of revenue year-over-year by types of games:

Type of Gaming Revenue	July 2021	July 2020	% Change
Retail Slots Revenue	\$222,874,389	\$165,044,767	35.04%
Retail Tables Revenue	\$86,921,038	\$52,512,448	65.52%
iGaming Slots Revenue	\$63,226,079	\$39,445,751	60.29%
iGaming Tables Revenue	\$22,859,110	\$11,919,900	91.77%
Sports Wagering Revenue	\$19,856,180	\$8,147,480	143.71%
Video Gaming Terminals Revenue	\$3,754,668	\$2,069,180	81.46%
iGaming Poker Revenue	\$2,596,418	\$2,986,498	-13.06%
Fantasy Contests Revenue	\$1,570,073	\$925,738	69.60%
Total Gaming Revenue	\$423,657,956	\$283,051,763	49.68%

Slot Machine Revenue

July's gross revenue from slot machines was \$222,874,389 an increase of 35% when compared to July 2020.

When comparing slot revenue from July 2019 (pre-Covid-19 revenue) to July 2021 there was a 12% increase with \$199,607,005 in July 2019 compared \$222,874,389 in July 2021.

The number of slot machines in operation in July 2021 was 25,710.

Slot machine revenue for each of the casinos is as follows.

Casino	July 2021 Slots	July 2020 Slots	% Change
Casillo	Revenue	Revenue	
Parx Casino	\$38,517,384	\$36,179,662	6.46%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$25,882,236	\$19,187,607	34.89%
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh ²	\$25,326,991	\$11,979,900	111.41%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$17,793,725	\$14,483,675	22.85%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$16,787,788	\$14,195,047	18.27%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$15,377,300	\$15,138,176	1.58%
The Meadows Casino	\$14,503,836	\$13,336,472	8.75%
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$13,445,569	\$18,186,401	-26.07%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia ¹	\$13,030,950	\$5,385,385	141.97%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$12,038,016	n/a	n/a
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$10,457,387	\$7,762,761	34.71%
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$9,046,311	\$6,905,973	30.99%
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$8,401,949	n/a	n/a
Lady Luck Casino Nemacolin	\$2,264,947	\$2,303,710	-1.68%
Statewide Total	\$222,874,389	\$165,044,767	35.04%

¹ Closed July 1-16, 2020 due to Covid-19 restrictions.

Tax revenue from the play of slots machines in July 2021 was \$113,137,754*.

Table Games Revenue

Table games revenue for July 2021 was \$86,921,038 a 66% increase over July 2020 when table games revenue was \$52,512,448.

When comparing table games revenue from July 2019 (pre-Covid-19 revenue) to July 2021 there was a 13% increase with \$76,965,914 in July 2019 compared \$86,921,038 in July 2021.

Table games revenue for each of the casinos is as follows.

Casino	July 2021 Table Games Revenue	July 2020 Table Games Revenue	% Change
Parx Casino	\$19,975,098	\$15,180,262	31.59%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$16,646,493	\$8,817,998	88.78%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia ¹	\$10,550,024	\$2,991,802	252.63%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$9,863,874	n/a	n/a
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh ²	\$7,630,741	\$3,889,730	96.18%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$4,563,945	\$3,414,901	33.65%
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$3,411,958	\$6,739,195	-49.37%
The Meadows Casino	\$3,249,637	\$2,871,067	13.19%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$2,853,065	\$2,845,069	0.28%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$2,575,979	\$1,898,026	35.72%
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$2,471,190	\$2,309,792	6.99%
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$1,550,105	\$1,249,670	24.04%
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$1,352,974	n/a	n/a
Lady Luck Casino Nemacolin	\$225,956	\$304,938	-25.90%
Statewide Total	\$86,921,038	\$52,512,448	65.52%

¹ Did not reopen July 17, 2020 due to Covid-19 restrictions.

Total tax revenue from table games play during July 2021 was \$13,990,599*.

Internet Casino-Type Gaming (iGaming) Revenue

Casino-type games offered online generated gross revenue of \$88,681,608 during July 2021 an increase of 63% when compared to \$54,352,149 in July 2020.

A breakdown of revenue of casino games offered online in July 2021 is as follows:

Casino Operator	Total iGaming Revenue	iGaming Slots Revenue	iGaming Table Games Revenue	iGaming Poker Revenue
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$32,112,943	\$23,108,970	\$8,713,391	\$290,583
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$25,805,335	\$21,559,877	\$4,160,848	\$84,611
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$14,201,254	\$7,206,824	\$6,994,430	
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$5,237,546	\$1,989,313	\$1,268,700	\$1,979,533
Parx Casino	\$4,221,293	\$3,840,434	\$380,859	
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$2,464,656	\$2,010,630	\$454,027	
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$1,407,407	\$1,206,287	\$201,120	
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$1,379,163	\$839,075	\$298,397	\$241,691
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$1,097,659	\$970,946	\$126,713	
Live! Philadelphia	\$754,351	\$493,723	\$260,627	
Statewide Total	\$88,681,608	\$63,226,079	\$22,859,110	\$2,596,418

² Closed July 3-9, 2020 due to Covid-19 restrictions.

Tax revenue generated from iGaming play during July 2021 was \$38,190,620*.

Total iGaming revenue for each of the casino operators during July 2021 and July 2020, if applicable, is as follows:

Operator	July 2021 iGaming Revenue	July 2020 iGaming Revenue	% Change
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$32,112,943	\$10,752,504	198.66%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$25,805,335	\$15,459,938	66.92%
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$14,201,254	\$8,405,186	68.96%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$5,237,546	\$8,255,585	-36.56%
Parx Casino	\$4,221,293	\$7,428,752	-43.18%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$2,464,656	\$2,856,028	-13.70%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$1,407,407	\$34,414	3989.58%
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$1,379,163	\$831,865	65.79%
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$1,097,659	\$327,875	234.78%
Live! Philadelphia	\$754,351	n/a	n/a
Statewide Total	\$88,681,608	\$54,352,149	63.16%

Sports Wagering Revenue

Taxable revenue during July 2021 for sports wagering was \$19,856,180, compared to \$8,147,480 in July of last year, an increase of 144%.

July 2021 sports wagering total handle and revenue is as follows:

Casino Operator	Total	Retail	Online	Total Handle ³
Valley Forge Casino Resort	Revenue \$9,614,663	Revenue \$93,838	Revenue \$9,520,825	\$108,483,759
The Meadows Casino	\$2,918,308	\$163,339	\$2,754,969	\$67,206,392
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Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$1,866,394	\$133,804	\$1,732,590	\$24,452,000
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$1,224,145	\$279,294	\$944,851	\$17,903,344
Parx Casino	\$1,179,095	\$476,905	\$702,189	\$11,864,283
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$818,366	\$264,494	\$553,872	\$14,919,667
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$581,054	\$69,739	\$511,314	\$10,435,080
Hollywood Morgantown	\$570,794	\$0	\$570,794	\$29,042,453
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$250,186	\$282,424	-\$32,239	\$4,039,789
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$242,664	\$128,651	\$114,013	\$5,305,144
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$194,542	\$236,434	-\$41,892	\$4,066,940
South Philly Race & Sportsbook ¹	\$165,009	\$165,009	\$0	\$1,502,528
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$95,703	\$95,703	\$0	\$1,068,594
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$66,089	\$194,971	-\$128,882	\$2,454,034
Mohegan Sun Lehigh Valley ²	\$61,195	\$61,195	\$0	\$712,545
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$7,974	\$47,769	-\$39,796	\$958,952
Statewide Total	\$19,856,180	\$2,693,570	\$17,162,609	\$304,415,503

¹ Operated by Parx Casino

Sports wagering revenue for each of the casinos for July 2021 and July 2020, if applicable, is as follows:

² Operated by Mohegan Sun Pocono

³ A breakout of the handle between retail and online sportsbooks can be found on the website report.

Operator	July 2021 Sports Wagering Revenue	July 2020 Sports Wagering Revenue	% Change
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$9,614,663	\$1,377,780	597.84%
The Meadows Casino	\$2,918,308	\$1,907,390	53.00%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$1,866,394	\$98,298	1798.70%
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$1,224,145	\$998,658	22.58%
Parx Casino	\$1,179,095	\$1,061,881	11.04%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$818,366	\$1,199,767	-31.79%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$581,054	\$981,422	-40.79%
Hollywood Morgantown	\$570,794	n/a	n/a
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$250,186	n/a	n/a
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$242,664	\$240,834	0.76%
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$194,542	\$153,574	26.68%
South Philly Race & Sportsbook ¹	\$165,009	\$0	n/a
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$95,703	n/a	n/a
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$66,089	\$105,454	-37.33%
Mohegan Sun Lehigh Valley²	\$61,195	\$22,421	172.93%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$7,974	n/a	n/a
Statewide Total	\$19,856,180	\$8,147,480	143.71%

¹Operated by Parx Casino

Tax revenue generated from sports wagering during July 2021 was \$7,148,225*.

Video Gaming Terminals

Total adjusted revenue for July 2021 for video gaming terminals (VGTs) was \$3,754,668 an 81% increase when compared to July 2020 when revenue was \$2,069,180. By the close of July 2021, four VGT Terminal Operators were operating the maximum permitted five machines at 51 truck stop establishments.

Truck Stop VGT adjusted revenue for each of the terminal operators during July 2021 is as follows:

VGTs Terminal Operator	July VGTs Wagers	July VGTs Payouts	July VGTs Gross Revenue
Marquee by Penn ¹	\$27,668,880	\$25,100,677	\$2,568,203
Commonwealth Gaming ²	\$6,098,959	\$5,599,268	\$499,690
Jango Entertainment³	\$5,131,008	\$4,706,489	\$424,519
Second State Gaming ⁴	\$2,851,667	\$2,589,410	\$262,257
Statewide Total	\$41,750,513	\$37,995,845	\$3,754,668

¹ operated VGTs in 24 establishments during July

Tax revenue collected from the play of VGTs in July 2021 was \$1,952,428.

Fantasy Contests

Fantasy Contests revenue was \$1,570,073 in July 2021, an increase of 70% over July 2020, when revenue was \$925,738.

² Operated by Mohegan Sun Pocono

² operated VGTs in 11 establishments during July

³ operates VGTs in 9 establishments during July

⁴ operates VGTs in 7 establishments during July

Fantasy Contests Operators which reported revenue in July 2021 or in July 2020 are displayed in the following table:

Fantasy Contests Operator	July 2021 Fantasy Revenue	July 2020 Fantasy Revenue	% Change
DraftKings	\$831,907	\$673,337	23.55%
FanDuel	\$729,606	\$250,069	191.76%
Yahoo Fantasy Sports	\$5,046	\$2,263	122.95%
UnderDog Sports	\$2,807	n/a	n/a
Sportshub Technologies	\$360	\$266	35.73%
Fantasy Sports Games LLC	\$346	n/a	n/a
Fantasy Draft	\$0	-\$197	n/a
Statewide Total	\$1,570,073	\$925,738	69.60%

Tax revenue collected from the play of Fantasy Contests in July 2021 was \$235,511*.

About the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board

The Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board is tasked to oversee all aspects of gambling at 15 land-based casinos, online casino games, retail and online sports wagering, and Video Gaming Terminals (VGTs) at qualified truck stops, along with the regulation of online fantasy sports contests.

The land-based casino industry in Pennsylvania consists of six racetrack (Category 1) casinos, five stand-alone (Category 2) casinos, two resort (Category 3) casinos and two mini-casinos (Category 4). Casino expansion will continue over the next couple of years with the anticipated openings of up to three additional Category 4 casinos. A significant job generator in the Commonwealth, casinos and the other types of Board-regulated gaming annually generate over \$1.5 billion in tax revenue.

Additional information about both the PGCB's gaming regulatory efforts and Pennsylvania's gaming industry can be found at https://gamingcontrolboard.pa.gov/. You can also follow the agency on Twitter by choosing @PAGamingControl.

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^{*}All tax revenue figures reflect amount generated prior to any adjustments by the PA Department of Revenue