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# Record Overall Revenue Reached in October for Pennsylvania Gaming

Revenue for retail table games, I-Gaming and fantasy contests reach all-time monthly highs

**HARRISBURG, PA:** Figures released today by the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board show total gaming and fantasy contests revenue generated in the Commonwealth during October 2021 was \$425,916,762 which represents an increase of 33% compared to revenue generated in October 2020. It also eclipsed the all-time monthly revenue high set in July of this year.

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

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

Source	Oct 2021 Total Revenue	Oct 2020 Total Revenue	% Change
Parx Casino	\$57,378,359	\$54,942,916	4.43%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$57,063,431	\$34,968,936	63.18%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$46,269,529	\$39,088,546	18.37%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$46,229,880	\$33,138,847	39.50%
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$42,873,928	\$35,291,784	21.48%
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$32,328,608	\$25,515,888	26.70%
Hollywood Casino at the Meadows	\$24,325,897	\$21,085,216	15.37%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$21,890,619	\$23,253,524	-5.86%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$21,582,463	\$17,521,427	23.18%
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$19,385,800	\$18,452,911	5.06%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$18,754,718	\$278,463	+1000%
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$11,740,331	\$9,078,834	29.32%
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$9,442,970	n/a	n/a
Hollywood Casino York	\$7,366,618	n/a	n/a
Fantasy Contests	\$3,695,341	\$3,203,005	15.37%
Video Gaming Terminals	\$3,373,559	\$2,416,180	39.62%
Lady Luck Casino Nemacolin	\$1,868,213	\$1,981,759	-5.73%
Hollywood Casino Morgantown	\$346,496	n/a	n/a
Statewide Total	\$425,916,762	\$320,218,237	33.01%

Total tax revenue generated collectively through all forms of gaming and fantasy contests was \$172,331,973 during October 2021.

### October Revenue by Game Type

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

Type of Gaming Revenue	Oct 2021	Oct 2020
Retail Slots Revenue	\$203,344,187	\$154,725,850
Retail Tables Revenue	\$89,078,876	\$63,335,846
I-Gaming Slot Revenue	\$70,721,778	\$40,349,548
I-Gaming Tables Revenue	\$29,315,882	\$16,988,378
Sports Wagering Revenue	\$23,532,816	\$36,776,926
Fantasy Contests Revenue	\$3,695,341	\$3,203,005
Video Gaming Terminals Revenue	\$3,373,559	\$2,416,180
I-Gaming Poker Revenue	\$2,854,323	\$2,422,505
Total Gaming Revenue	\$425,916,762	\$320,218,237

#### **Slot Machine Revenue**

October's gross revenue from slot machines at the casinos was \$203,344,187, a 31% increase in revenue when compared to the \$154,725,850 generated in October 2020.

The number of slot machines in operation for October 2021 was 25,717 compared to 16,611 machines in October 2020.

Slot machine revenue for each of the casinos, with the percentage change reflected over the previous year, is as follows:

Casino	Oct 2021 Slots	Oct 2020 Slots	%
Casillo	Revenue	Revenue	Change
Parx Casino	\$33,687,915	\$31,054,025	8.48%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$23,318,754	\$18,218,472	28.00%
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$22,886,825	\$17,104,803	33.80%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$16,152,263	\$12,512,002	29.09%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$15,125,145	\$13,639,901	10.89%
Hollywood Casino at the Meadows	\$14,195,536	\$12,159,572	16.74%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$12,484,118	\$11,672,950	6.95%
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$11,789,300	\$12,460,266	-5.38%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$10,445,363	\$10,635,613	-1.79%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$10,076,201	n/a	n/a
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$9,111,871	\$6,903,158	32.00%
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$8,895,024	\$6,575,790	35.27%
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$7,915,470	n/a	n/a
Hollywood Casino York	\$5,614,676	n/a	n/a
Lady Luck Casino Nemacolin	\$1,645,726	\$1,789,298	-8.02%
Statewide Total	\$203,344,187	\$154,725,850	31.42%

Tax revenue from the play of slots machines in October of this year was \$103,855,959\*.

#### **Table Games Revenue**

Table games revenue for October 2021 was \$89,078,876, an increase of 41% over October of last year when revenue was \$63,335,846. It was the single highest month for table games revenue which had been set in July 2021 at \$86,921,038.

Table games revenue for each of the casinos, with the percentage change reflected over the previous year, is as follows:

Casino	Oct 2021 Table Games Revenue	Oct 2020 Table Games Revenue	% Change
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$21,602,212	\$14,324,442	50.81%
Parx Casino	\$18,469,184	\$14,214,035	29.94%
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$8,491,865	\$5,946,131	42.81%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$8,176,934	\$9,393,842	-12.95%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$7,420,751	n/a	n/a
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$4,965,114	\$4,861,334	2.13%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$3,741,880	\$3,482,392	7.45%
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$3,379,278	\$2,719,831	24.25%
Hollywood Casino at the Meadows	\$3,010,493	\$2,077,935	44.88%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$2,922,014	\$2,339,912	24.88%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$2,455,400	\$2,364,404	3.85%
Hollywood Casino York	\$1,553,906	n/a	n/a
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$1,348,861	\$1,419,128	-4.95%
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$1,318,497	n/a	n/a
Lady Luck Casino Nemacolin	\$222,488	\$192,462	15.60%
Statewide Total	\$89,078,876	\$63,335,846	40.65%

Total tax revenue from table games play during October was \$14,393,353\*.

## **Internet Casino-Type Gaming Revenue**

Casino games offered online generated gross revenue of \$102,891,983 during October 2021 an increase of 72% compared to October 2020 when revenue was \$59,760,431. The revenue amount for this month also set a new high over the \$101,251,771 amount in May 2021.

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

Casino Operator	Total Internet Games Revenue	Internet Slots Revenue	Internet Table Games Revenue	Internet Poker Revenue
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$40,590,641	\$26,534,279	\$13,753,252	\$303,110
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$26,302,497	\$22,786,649	\$3,407,780	\$108,068
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$18,772,697	\$10,643,340	\$8,129,357	
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$5,381,253	\$2,009,662	\$1,515,758	\$1,855,834
Parx Casino	\$3,858,179	\$3,118,146	\$740,033	
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$2,694,791	\$1,565,232	\$542,248	\$587,311
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$2,047,734	\$1,592,700	\$455,034	
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$1,224,252	\$852,025	\$372,228	
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$1,167,573	\$975,591	\$191,982	
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$852,366	\$644,155	\$208,211	
Statewide Total	\$102,891,983	\$70,721,778	\$29,315,882	\$2,854,323

Tax revenue generated from internet gaming play during October was \$43,302,294\*.

Internet Gaming revenue for each of the casinos during October of this year and October of last year, if applicable, is as follows:

Operator	Oct 2021 I-Gaming Revenue	Oct 2020 I-Gaming Revenue	% Change
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$40,590,641	\$15,540,834	161.19%
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$26,302,497	\$16,604,301	58.41%

Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$18,772,697	\$10,026,771	87.23%
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$5,381,253	\$6,929,292	-22.34%
Parx Casino	\$3,858,179	\$5,929,793	-34.94%
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$2,694,791	\$774,230	248.06%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$2,047,734	\$2,595,861	-21.12%
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$1,224,252	\$484,952	152.45%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$1,167,573	\$595,934	95.92%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$852,366	\$278,463	206.10%
Statewide Total	\$102,891,983	\$59,760,431	72.17%

### **Sports Wagering Revenue**

Sports wagering handle during October 2021 was \$776,277,954 compared to October 2020 when handle was \$525,802,524. The handle for this month was the single highest to date eclipsing the total in January 2021 of \$615,294,827.

At the same time, the taxable sports wagering revenue figure for October 2021 was \$23,532,816 or 36% lower than October 2020 taxable revenue of \$36,776,926.

October sports wagering total handle and a breakout ranked by revenue is as follows:

Casino Operator	Total Handle <sup>3</sup>	Retail Revenue	Online Revenue	Total Revenue
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$275,438,320	\$565,767	\$11,044,314	\$11,610,081
Hollywood Casino at the Meadows	\$204,099,136	\$246,540	\$6,873,328	\$7,119,868
Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$25,773,120	\$609,356	\$735,380	\$1,344,736
Parx Casino	\$28,039,118	\$453,140	\$627,871	\$1,081,011
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$37,584,632	\$419,121	\$530,796	\$949,917
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$6,667,220	\$497,725	-\$92,324	\$405,401
Hollywood Casino Morgantown	\$65,914,524	\$0	\$346,496	\$346,496
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$20,987,387	\$75,585	\$207,782	\$283,367
South Philly Race & Sportsbook <sup>1</sup>	\$2,918,611	\$282,069	\$0	\$282,069
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$11,005,837	\$198,607	\$81,614	\$280,221
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$8,682,985	\$431,962	-\$159,767	\$272,195
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$1,400,031	\$209,004	\$0	\$209,004
Hollywood Casino York	\$2,298,330	\$198,037	\$0	\$198,037
Mohegan Sun Lehigh Valley²	\$1,747,045	\$180,231	\$0	\$180,231
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$2,698,641	\$157,953	-\$16,611	\$141,342
Harrah's Philadelphia	\$7,453,213	\$397,467	-\$460,872	-\$63,405
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	\$73,569,805	\$126,315	-\$1,234,070	-\$1,107,755
Total	\$776,277,954	\$5,048,879	\$18,483,937	\$23,532,816

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Operated by Parx Casino

Sports wagering revenue for each of the casinos for this year and for last year if applicable, is as follows:

Operator	Oct 2021 Sports Wagering Revenue	Oct 2020 Sports Wagering Revenue	% Change
Valley Forge Casino Resort	\$11,610,081	\$15,642,025	-25.78%
Hollywood Casino at the Meadows	\$7,119,868	\$6,847,709	3.97%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Operated by Mohegan Sun Pocono

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> A breakout of the handle between retail and online sportsbooks can be found on the website report.

Rivers Casino Philadelphia	\$1,344,736	\$2,454,790	-45.22%
Parx Casino	\$1,081,011	\$3,268,017	-66.92%
Rivers Casino Pittsburgh	\$949,917	\$2,464,954	-61.46%
Live! Casino Philadelphia	\$405,401	n/a	n/a
Hollywood Casino Morgantown	\$346,496	n/a	n/a
Mount Airy Casino Resort	\$283,367	\$1,168,890	-75.76%
South Philly Race & Sportsbook <sup>1</sup>	\$282,069	\$477,047	-40.87%
Mohegan Sun Pocono	\$280,221	\$391,487	-28.42%
Presque Isle Downs and Casino	\$272,195	\$598,964	-54.56%
Live! Casino Pittsburgh	\$209,004	n/a	n/a
Hollywood Casino York	\$198,037	n/a	n/a
Mohegan Sun Lehigh Valley <sup>2</sup>	\$180,231	-\$317,835	-156.71%
Wind Creek Bethlehem	\$141,342	n/a	n/a
Harrah's Philadelphia	-\$63,405	\$357,081	-117.76%
Hollywood Casino at Penn National	-\$1,107,755	\$3,423,797	-132.35%
Total	\$23,532,816	\$36,776,926	-36.01%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Operated by Parx Casino

Tax revenue generated from sports wagering during October was \$8,471,814\*.

# **Video Gaming Terminals**

Total adjusted revenue for October for video gaming terminals (VGTs) was \$3,373,559 or 40% higher than October 2020. By the close of October four VGT Terminal Operators were operating five machines at each of 59 truck stop establishments.

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

VGT Terminal Operator	Oct 2021 VGT Revenue	Oct 2020 VGT Revenue	% Change
Marquee by Penn <sup>1</sup>	\$2,165,947	\$1,816,086	19.26%
Commonwealth Gaming <sup>2</sup>	\$438,643	\$383,238	14.46%
Second State Gaming <sup>3</sup>	\$432,918	\$149,879	188.84%
Jango⁴	\$336,051	\$66,976	401.75%
Statewide Total	\$3,373,559	\$2,416,180	39.62%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> operated VGTs in 25 establishments during October

Tax revenue collected from the play of VGTs in October was \$1,754,251\*.

#### **Fantasy Contests**

Fantasy Contests revenue was \$3,695,341 in October 2021, an increase of 15% over October of last year when revenue was \$3,203,005. The October revenue figure was also the highest to date eclipsing the December 2019 total of \$3,435,621.

Fantasy Contests adjusted revenue for each of the operators which had revenue for October 2021 and October 2020 are displayed in the following table:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Operated by Mohegan Sun Pocono

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Retail sportsbook no longer in operation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> operated VGTs in 12 establishments during October

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> operates VGTs in 12 establishments during October

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> operates VGTs in 10 establishments during October

Fantasy Contests Operator	Oct 2021 Fantasy Revenue	Oct 2020 Fantasy Revenue	% Change
DraftKings	\$2,142,458	\$1,759,643	21.76%
FanDuel	\$1,509,520	\$1,425,869	5.87%
Sportshub Technologies	\$27,536	\$2,716	913.90%
UnderDog Sports	\$26,881	n/a	n/a
Fantasy Sports Gaming, LLC	\$8,543	n/a	n/a
No House Advantage	-\$482	n/a	n/a
Yahoo Fantasy Sports	-\$19,114	\$14,777	-229.35%
Statewide Total	\$3,695,341	\$3,203,005	15.37%

Tax revenue collected from the play of Fantasy Contests in October of this year was \$554,301\*.

### **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 is expected to generate over \$1.8 billion in tax revenue during the 2021/2022 State Fiscal Year.

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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<sup>\*</sup>All tax revenue figures reflect amount generated prior to any adjustments by the PA Department of Revenue