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**Michigan Gaming Control Board**

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**For Immediate Release:**

**Michigan internet casino gaming and sports betting operators report combined $155.92 million in January gross receipts**

**Detroit, February 16, 2022** - Michigan commercial and tribal internet casino gaming and sports betting operators reported a combined $155.92 million total gross receipts and gross sports betting receipts in January. Receipts fell a fractional 0.4% month-over-month compared with December results.

Combined total adjusted gross receipts and adjusted gross sports betting receipts of $128.35 million were reported for the month, including $109.18 million from internet casino gaming and $19.17 million from internet sports betting. Adjusted gross receipts include deductions for the monetary value of free play incentives provided to and wagered by bettors.

Total handle at $496.8 million was a Michigan monthly record, up 2.5% compared with the previous monthly record of $484.6 million set in December 2021.

The operators made $20.5 million in taxes and payments to the State of Michigan during January including:

* Internet gaming taxes and fees: $19.1 million
* Internet sports betting taxes and fees: $1.4 million

The three Detroit casinos reported paying the City of Detroit $5.9 million in wagering taxes and municipal services fees during January including:

* Internet gaming taxes and fees: $5.3 million
* Internet sports betting taxes and fees: $596,001

Tribal operators reported making $2.2 million in payments to governing bodies.

During January, internet gaming gross receipts were $121.24 million, and internet sports betting gross receipts totaled $34.68 million.

An online gaming and sports betting revenue distribution [table](https://michigan.gov/documents/mgcb/iGaming_Sports_Betting_Fantasy_Sports_tax_revenue_distribution_chart_715611_7.pdf) is available on the agency's website.

During January, [14 operators](https://www.michigan.gov/documents/mgcb/Authorized_Online_Gaming_Sports_Betting_Operators_Providers_719955_7.xlsx) were authorized for both forms of online wagering. Details for each operator's internet gaming and internet sports betting results are available in [tables](https://www.michigan.gov/mgcb/0,4620,7-351-79127_82898-244408--,00.html) published on the MGCB website.

*Gambling in any form is for entertainment purposes only. If someone has a gambling problem, please call the state's 24-hour, toll-free helpline at 1-800-270-7117 or the MGCB's responsible gaming section at 1-888-223-3044. You also may visit the MGCB website at www.michigan.gov/mgcb for information on self-exclusion programs including the Disassociated Persons List and the Internet Gaming and Sports Betting Responsible Gaming Database.*

"The Michigan Gaming Control Board shall ensure the conduct of fair and honest gaming to protect the interests of the citizens of the State of Michigan."

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