

## Lotteries and Gambling market on 2015

There are all together 13 gambling operators and State owned Joint Stock Company „Latvijas Loto” (state scale lotteries).

There have been issued:

13 land-based gaming operation licenses

4 betting point operation licenses

6 on-line gaming operation licenses

1 state lottery license

### Financial results of gaming market in Latvia 2015 (mill. EUR)

		2014	2015	%
1.	<b>Total turnover of market enterprises</b>	210,714	242,696	115,2
2.	<b>GGR from Gambling and Lotteries</b>	194,776	226,441	116,2
2.1.	<b>GGR from Lotteries</b>	21,888	24,686	112,8
2.2.	<b>GGR from gambling, incl,</b>	172,888	201,755	116,7
2.2.1.	<b>Gaming machines</b>	152,502	173,897	114,0
2.2.2.	<b>Gaming tables (roulette, cards)</b>	12,657	14,173	111,9
2.2.3.	<b>Bingo halls</b>	0,374	0,354	94,6
2.2.4.	<b>Betting</b>	1,598	1,875	117,4
2.2.5.	<b>On-line gambling</b>	5,757	11,456	199,0
3.	<b>Other activities (bars, billiard, etc.) 1.-2.</b>	15,938	16,255	101,9

### The biggest gaming companies (GGR in mill.EUR)

	2014	2015	%
<b>SIA ALFOR</b>	53,566	60,439	112,8
<b>SIA OLYMPIC CASINO</b>	43,935	50,541	115,0
<b>SIA JOKER</b>	22,097	26,710	120,8
<b>VAS LATVIJAS LOTO</b>	21,888	24,686	112,8
<b>SIA ADMIRĀĻU KLUBS</b>	18,621	21,688	116,5

### Revenue from on-line gambling

(euro)

	2014	2015	%
<b>GGR total on-line gambling, t.sk.,</b>	<b>5 756 725</b>	<b>11 455 637</b>	199,0
- <b>Casino games (cards, slots, roulette)</b>	1 598 469	5 201 173	325,3
- <b>Betting</b>	4 158 256	6 226 422	149,7
- <b>Card tournaments</b>	-	28 042	-

**Payments to budget from special gaming taxes and duties**  
(mill.EUR)

	<b>2014 (fact)</b>	<b>2015 (est.)</b>	<b>2015 (fact)</b>	<b>% to estimate 2015 -9</b>	<b>% to fact 2014-9</b>
<b>Lottery and Gambling Tax and Duty paid to Government budget</b>	25,973	25,995	26,650	102,5	102,6
<b>Lottery and Gambling Tax paid to Municipalities</b>	7,020	7,117	7,331	103,0	104,4
<b>Other taxes paid to budget</b>	23,508	24,000	25,740	107,3	109,5
<b>Duty on Sales Promotion Lotteries</b>	0,307	0,285	0,358	125,5	116,6

**Number of gaming equipment and gaming venues**  
(on mentioned date)

	<b>2014 January 1st</b>	<b>2015 March 1st</b>	<b>2015 June 1 st</b>	<b>2015 Sept 1-st</b>	<b>2016 January 1st</b>
<b>Gaming machines</b>	8379	8419	8532	8592	8701
<b>Roulette tables</b>	15	16	16	16	16
<b>Card tables</b>	50	50	49	54	54
<b>Gaming Halls</b>	321	321	323	322	320
<b>Bingo Halls</b>	2	2	2	2	2
<b>Casinos</b>	5	5	5	5	5
<b>Betting points</b>	26	31	38	42	42

**Sales promotional lotteries**

On 2015 there were issued by the Inspection:

- 269 lottery permissions (for lotteries prize fund whereof is larger than 720 EUR;
- 646 lottery confirmations (for lotteries prize fund whereof is smaller than 720 EUR).

Total prize fund being subject to a state fee shall be **1 423 744 EUR** and the state fee collected constitutes **357 585 EUR**.