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# Minor increase in gambling spend in Q3 2022

Data from the Danish Gambling Authority's quarterly statistics shows that the total gross gaming revenue (GGR) for betting, online casino, gaming machines and land-based casinos in Q3 2022 amounted to DKK 1,694 million. This is a year-on-year increase of DKK 29 million, which corresponds to 1.7 percent.

The total increase is driven by a rise in the spend on online casino, which accounted for DKK 721 million in Q3 2022. This is a year-on-year increase of 9.7 percent. The spending on betting fell by 0.1 percent in the same period.

Figure 1. GGR for the gambling market in Q3 2022 and change in percent from Q3 2021



Source: Data on duties submitted by licence holders to the Danish Tax Agency

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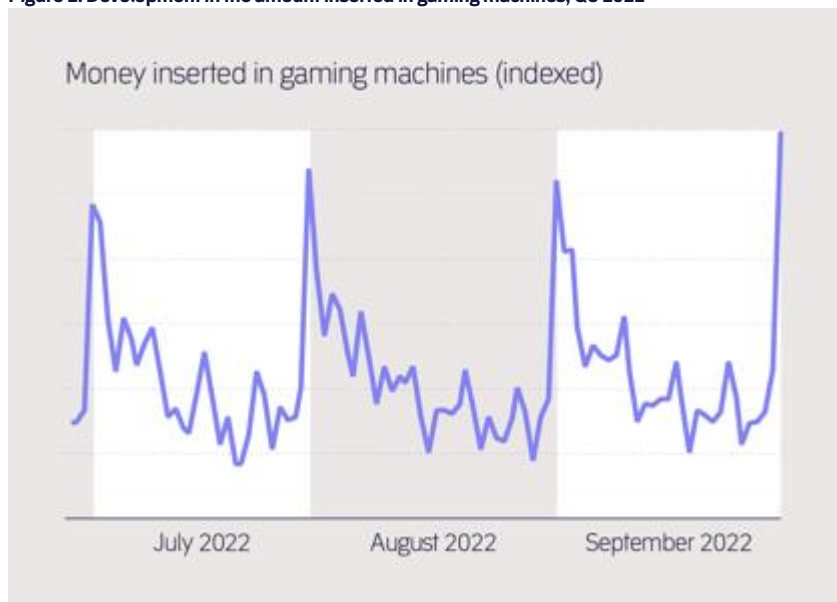
### Fall in spending on physical gaming machines

Since 2012 physical gaming machines have seen a fall in the gambling spend. The trend was also visible in Q3 2022, when the spending fell by DKK 34 million compared to Q3 2021, corresponding to 10.4 percent. In the same period, the spending on land-based casinos fell by 0.1 percent.

### Danes spend more on physical gaming machines on paydays

It is characteristic for the Danes' gambling activity on physical gaming machines that more money is put in the gaming machines on pay days. The peaks in figure 2 consistently appear on the last working day of the month, where most Danes' salaries are paid. During a week, the trend is that Danes insert more money in the gaming machines on Fridays.

Figure 2. Development in the amount inserted in gaming machines, Q3 2022



Source: The Danish Gambling Authority

### Find more statistics on Spillemyndigheden.dk

On the Danish Gambling Authority's website, you can find more statistics describing all gambling sectors in the quarterly statistics. It is a core task for the Danish Gambling Authority to monitor the development in the gambling market. This helps ensure an effective compliance check of the gambling operators, which ensures that gambling in Denmark is fair and responsible.