

# Sports Betting Fast Facts

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States plus DC have legalized sports betting.

1 in 3

**76 million Americans**, or nearly **1 in 3** adults, can place a legal sports bet in their home states. Illinois, Michigan, Montana, Colorado, and Washington, D.C. have all gone live in 2020.

Americans have legally wagered nearly **\$22.5 billion** on sports nationwide since the Supreme Court overturned PASPA, generating more than **\$200 million** in tax revenue to state and local governments.

\$13B

In 2019, more than **\$13 billion** was legally wagered on sports, almost double the equivalent total from 2018.

\$3.5B

Before the COVID-19 shutdown, 2020 looked set to become another record-breaking year for sports betting with **\$3.5 billion** legally wagered in January and February, up from \$1.9 billion the same time last year.