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### \*Deal of the Month\*

### Top-10 scary things you might see in a casino

#### Gaming Statistics

- **2014 US Gambling Revenue: \$102.3 B**, ↑ from \$91.9B (+11 %) in 2012
- **2014 Indian Gaming Revenue: \$54.9 B**, ↑ from \$54.56 B in 2012 (+.07%).
- **2014 US Commercial Gambling Revenue: \$48.28 B**, ↑ from \$37.34 B in 2012 (+22.7%)
- **Aug. '16 Las Vegas Gaming Revenue: \$590.4 M**, down from \$649.3 M in Aug. '15' (-9.1%)
- **Sept. '16 Atlantic City Gaming Revenue: \$210.4 M**, down from \$218.1 M in Sept. '15 (-3.5%)

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### [Atlantic City Casino Revenue Busts in September, Internet Gaming Jumps](#)

Atlantic City casino revenue was down 3.5 percent at the eight remaining land-based gambling venues during September, but another strong performance online lessened the overall blow. Gaming at brick-and-mortar casinos totaled \$210.4 million during the month, some \$7.7 million less than the same period in 2015. That equates to a 3.5 percent reduction in casino win..... [read more](#)

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Virtual reality gambling is set to grow 800 percent over the next five years, reaching \$520 million in gross bets by 2021, according to a new study by Juniper Research. Most of this growth will be concentrated in the casino space, predicts the analyst, as online casinos will increasingly offer fully-immersive, "real-world" VR locations.[read more](#)

### [Groups spend about \\$21M for and against casino expansion](#)

TRENTON, N.J. (AP) – New state documents show spending on a referendum to expand casino gambling to northern New Jersey has reached nearly \$21 million. The Election Law Enforcement Commission on Monday said the spending for and against expansion sets a new record for ballot questions... ..[read more](#)

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