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## The Minnesota Gambling Survey

- Begun in 1993
- Telephone survey taken by St. Cloud State University
- Sample size 2,000 to 2,400
- Cell phone component added in 2010

## Content: What's stayed the same?

- Participation in 12 forms of gambling
- Attitudinal questions added in 1995

## Content: What's changed?

- Internet, raffles added
- Dog racing deleted
- Other topics added
  - Problem gambling attitudes and beliefs
  - Public image of lottery
  - Knowledge of lottery beneficiaries
  - Specific card games (blackjack, poker)
- Expenditure data deleted

## Gambling in Minnesota

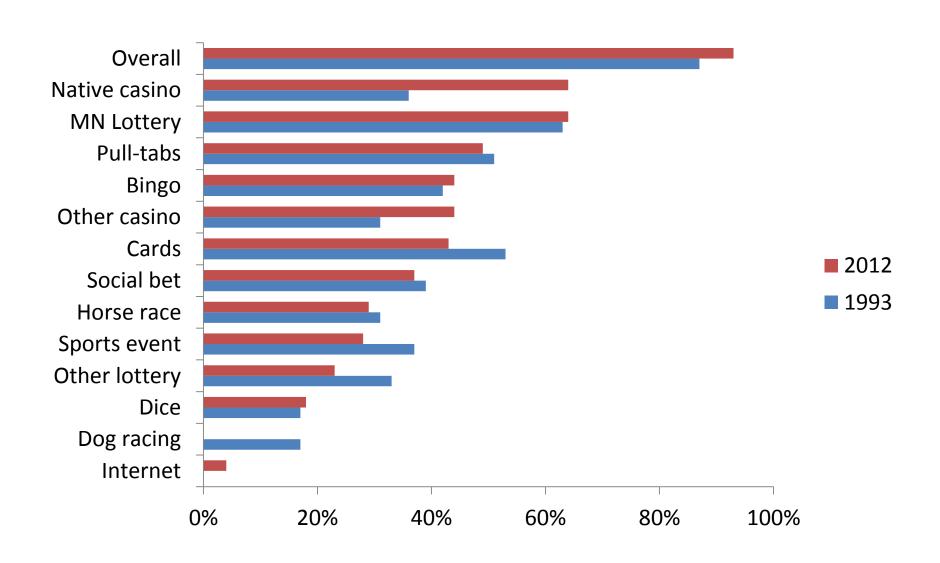
#### 1993

- Lottery
  - \$329 million
- Charitable Gambling
  - \$1.3 billion gross receipts
- Tribal casinos
  - 14 casinos
  - 9,200 machines
- Racing
  - 1 horse track, 1 nearby dog track
  - Handle \$54 million

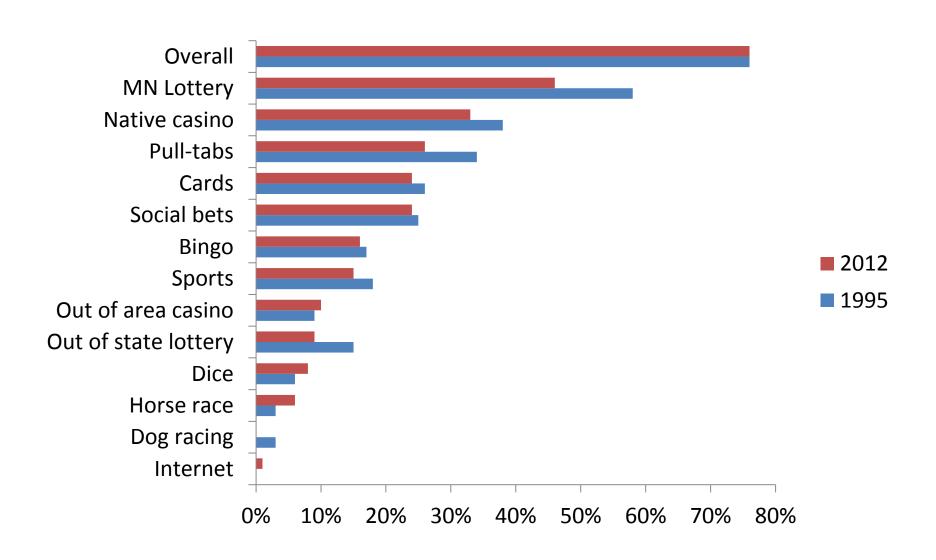
#### 2012

- Lottery
  - \$520 million
- Charitable Gambling
  - \$1.1 billion gross receipts
- Tribal casinos
  - 18 casinos
  - 22,500 machines
- Racing
  - 2 horse tracks
  - Handle \$54 million
  - 2 card rooms

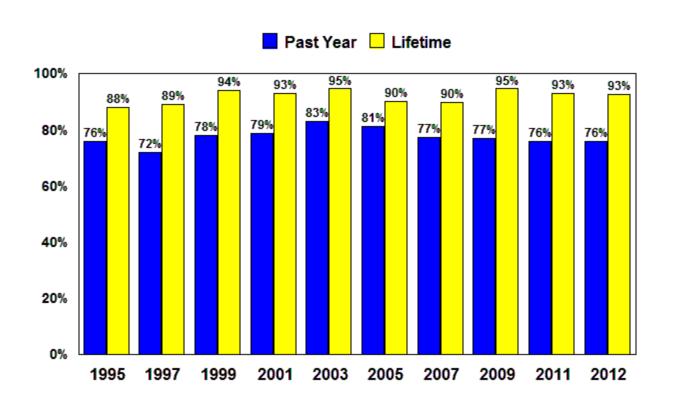
## Lifetime gambling participation



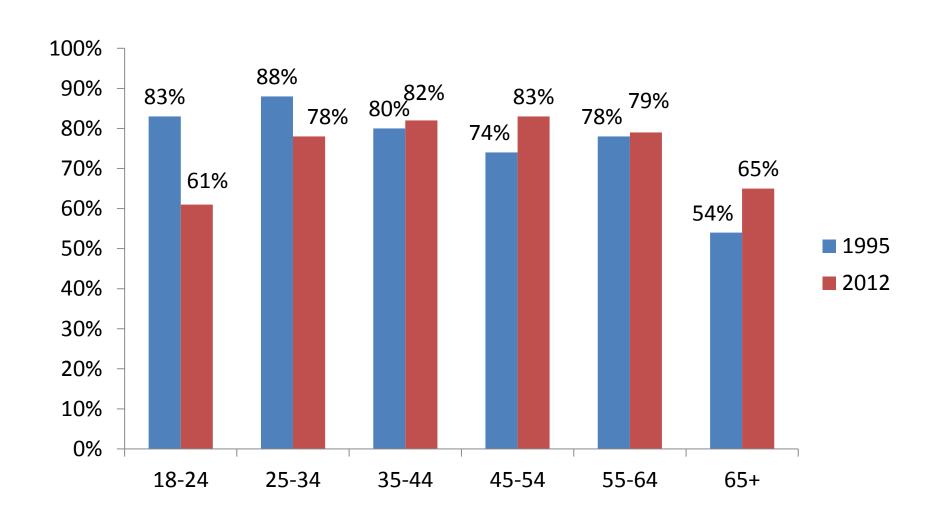
## Past year gambling participation



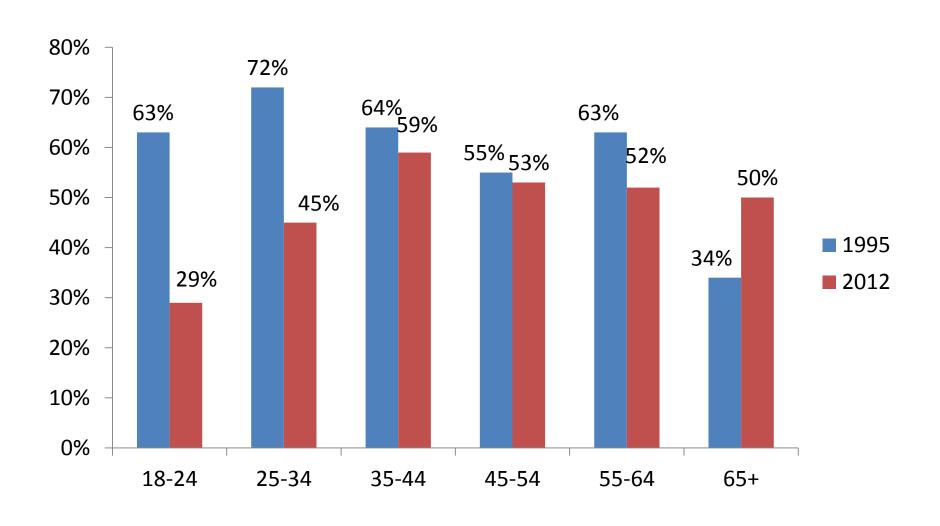
## Overall Minnesota Adult Gambling Participation



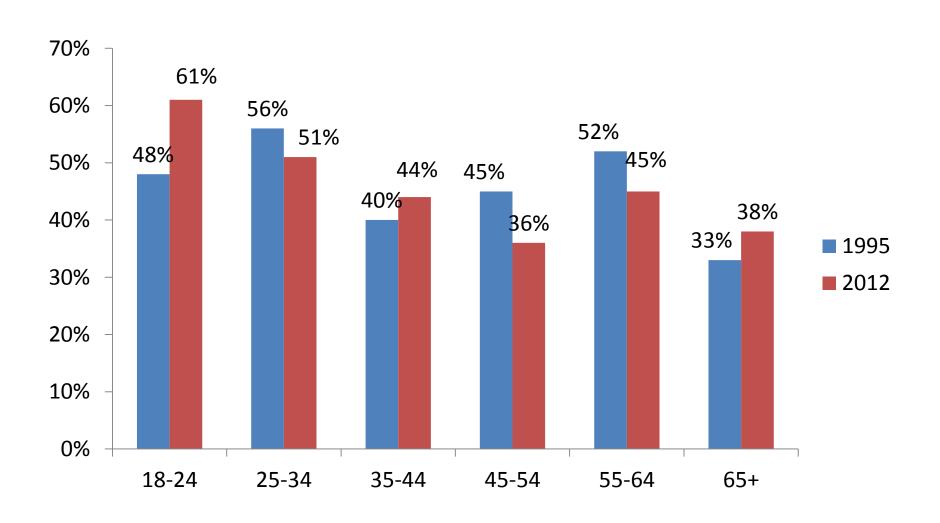
## Past year gambling by age



## Past year lottery play by age

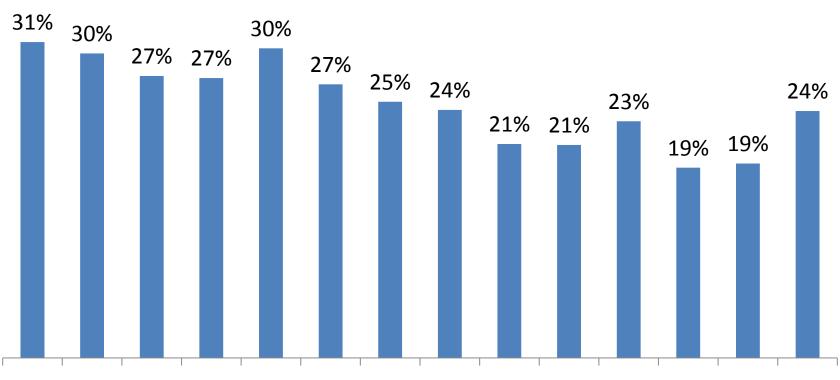


## Past year local casino play by age



## Playing cards for money

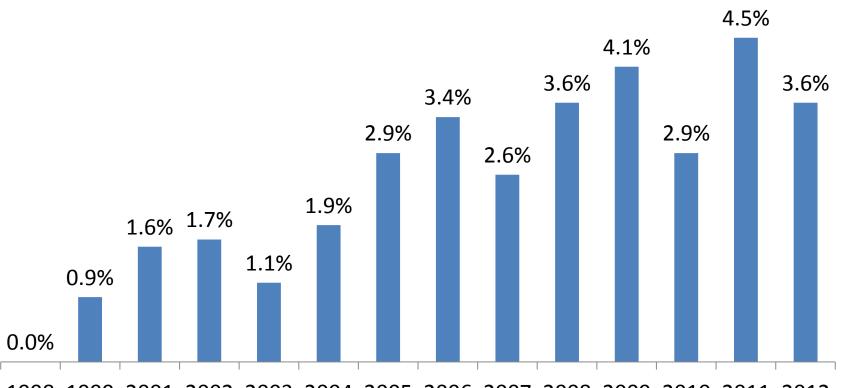
#### Past year



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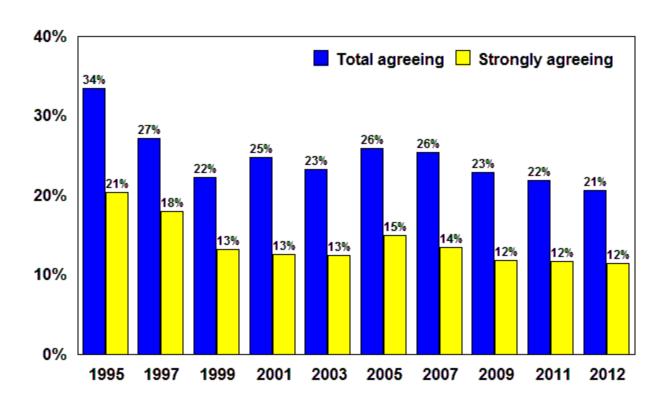
### **Internet Gamblers**

#### **Lifetime Participation**

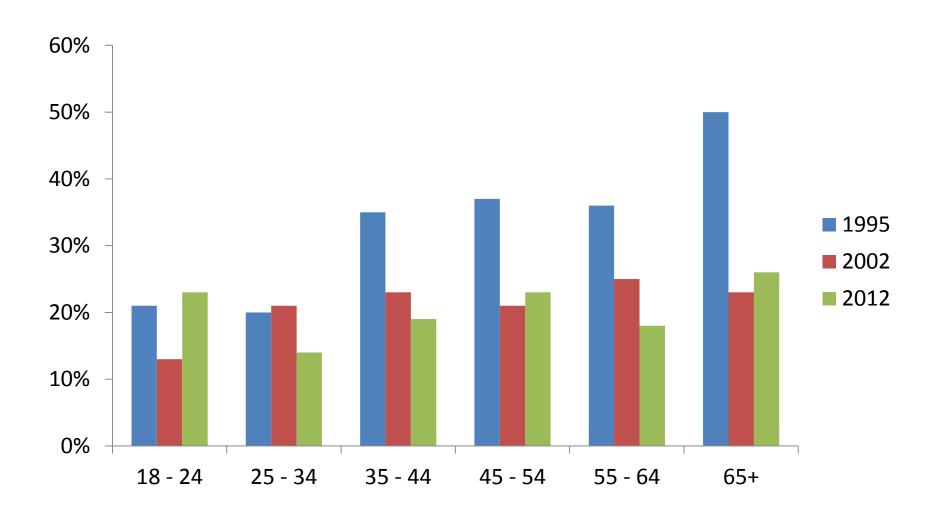


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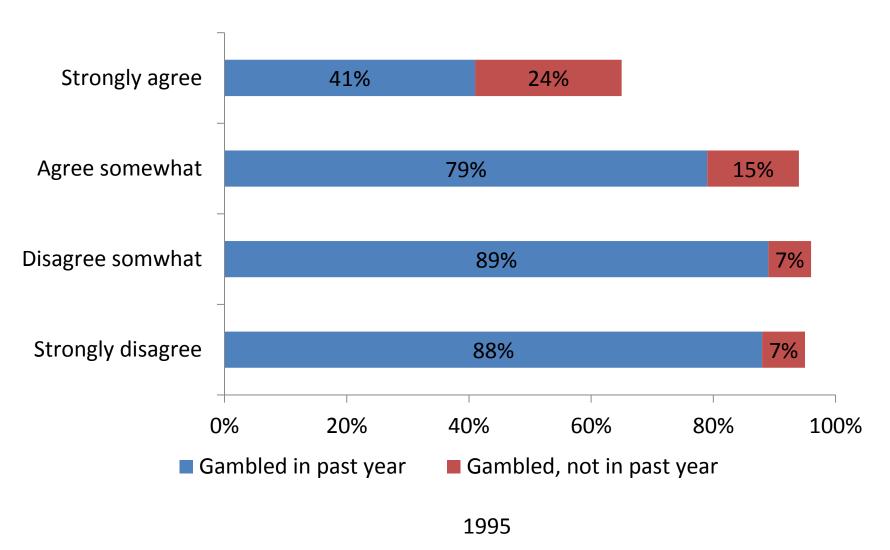
# "I am opposed to gambling for moral or religious reasons"



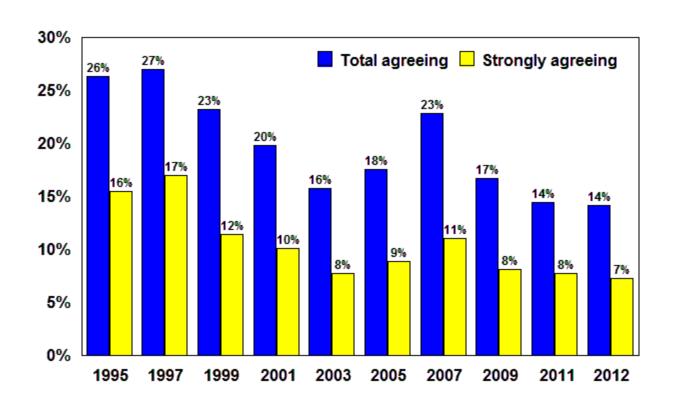
## Moral opposition by age



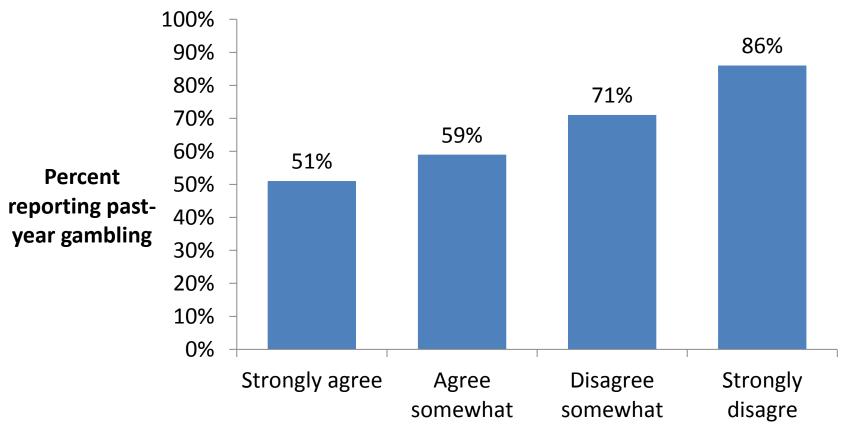
# Agreement with moral opposition by gambling activity



## "All gambling in Minnesota should be outlawed"

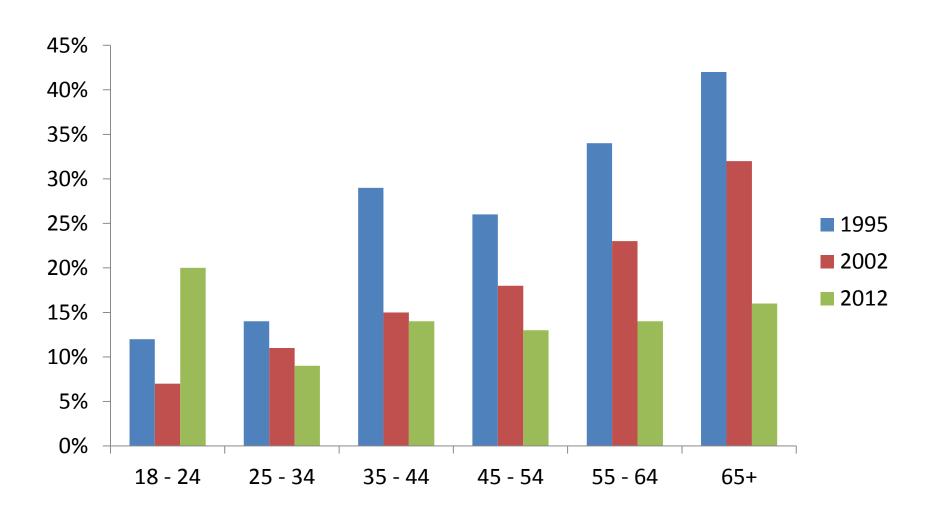


# Belief in outlawing gambling by gambling behavior



"I believe all gambling should be outlawed"

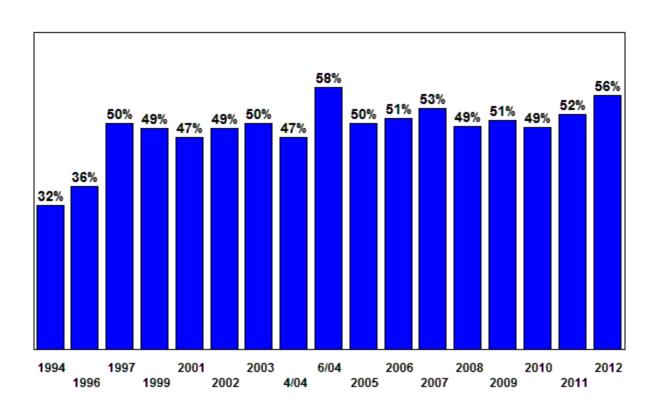
### "Gambling should be outlawed" by age



"I will make an end to my dinner. There's pippins and cheese to come."

-William Shakespeare The Merry Wives of Windsor

## "I believe lottery proceeds go to a worthy cause."



# "How do you usually check if you have a winning Powerball ticket?"

