

Table B: Commercial Casino/Racino Legalization and Opening Dates, Distribution and Format

<i>State</i>	<i>Casino legalization date</i>	<i>First casino opening date</i>	<i>Racino legalization date</i>	<i>First racino opening date</i>	<i>Number of operating casinos/racinos, FY 2015</i>	<i>Casino/racino format</i>
Colorado.....	1990	1991			36	Land-based
Delaware			1994	1995	3	VLTs / Table games
Florida			2006	2006	7	Slot machines
Illinois.....	1990	1991			10	Riverboat
Indiana.....	1993	1995	2007	2008	13	Riverboat (10), Land-based (1), Racino (2)
Iowa	1989	1991	1994	1995	18	Riverboat (4), Land-based (11), Racino (3)
Kansas	2007	2009			3	Land-based
Louisiana.....	1991	1993	1997	2002	20	Riverboat (15), Land-based (1), Racino (4)
Maine (a).....	2010	2012	2004	2005	2	Land-based
Maryland.....	2008	2010	2008	2011	5	Land-based (4), Racino (1)
Massachusetts (b).....	2011	2015			0	Land-based
Michigan.....	1996	1999			3	Land-based
Mississippi.....	1990	1992			28	Dockside, Land-based
Missouri.....	1993	1994			13	Riverboat
Nevada.....	1931	1931			271	Land-based
New Jersey.....	1976	1978			8	Land-based
New Mexico			1997	1999	5	Slot machines
New York (c).....	2014		2001	2004	9	VLTs
Ohio.....	2009	2012	2009	2012	11	Land-based (4), Racino (7)
Oklahoma.....			2004	2005	2	Slot machines
Pennsylvania	2004	2007	2004	2006	12	Land-based (6), Racino (6)
Rhode Island (c).....			1992	1992	2	VLTs / Table games
South Dakota.....	1989	1989			17	Land-based
West Virginia.....	2009	2010	1994	1994	5	Land-based (1), Racino (4)

Source: Rockefeller Institute review of state gaming regulatory agency information.

Note: Shaded rows indicate casino legalization dates during or after the Great Recession period.

Key:

- (a) Maine converted its only racino into a casino in March 2012.
- (b) Massachusetts legalized casino operations in 2011 and opened the first casino on June 24, 2015.
- (c) In addition to racino operations, New York also legalized casino operations in 2014 and expects to open four destination casinos.