

2015 Study on the prevalence, behaviour and characteristics of gamblers in Spain.

PREVALENCE

0,9% / 0,3%

OF THE POPULATION ARE PATHOLOGICAL GAMBLERS*

1,0% / 0,6%

OF THE POPULATION ARE PROBLEM GAMBLERS*

WHY DO THEY GAMBLE?

90%

ESCAPE FROM THEIR OWN PROBLEMS

88%

COMPULSIVE RECOVERY

93,7%

THINK ABOUT GAMBLING CONTINUOUSLY

4,4% / 2,6%

OF THE POPULATION ARE AT-RISK GAMBLERS*

24,3% NON-GAMBLERS

69,4% NOT AT RISK GAMBLERS

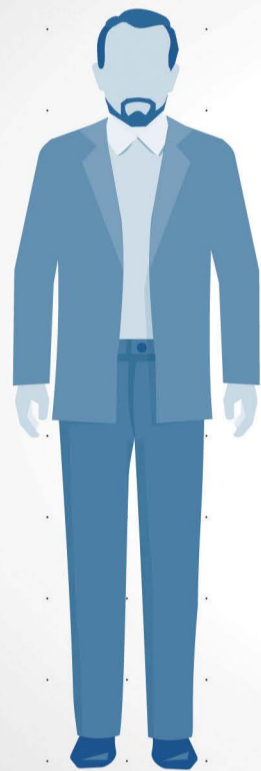
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1,0% PROBLEM GAMBLERS

4,4% AT-RISK GAMBLERS

*Lifetime/last year pursuant to the criteria established by the NODS system (National Opinion Research Center DSM Screen for Gambling Problems)

PROFILE OF PATHOLOGICAL GAMBLERS



25-34 YEARS
55-64 OF AGE

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ARE AWARE OF THEIR SITUATION

SINGLE

EMPLOYED

LONE GAMBLER

MONTHLY INCOME
601-1.500€

30,4%
FEMALE

69,6%
MALE

19 YEARS OLD
STARTING GAMBLING AGE

SLOT MACHINES
Initiating game and main source of gambling problems

GAMBLING



LOTTERIES AND SPORTS BETTING
Initiating games through which most of the population starts gambling

LAND-BASED GAMBLING
Gamblers are mainly involved in land-based gambling



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HAVE GAMBLED
at least once in a lifetime



WINNING MONEY
is the main motivation to gamble

23 YEARS OLD

AVERAGE STARTING GAMBLING AGE

PERCEPTIONS OF GAMBLING

79,1%

SUPPORT THE RIGHT TO GAMBLING

40,8%

CONSIDER IT AS A LEISURE ACTIVITY

24,8%

CAN PREDICT WHEN THEY WILL WIN

58,1%

BELIEVE IT POSES A RISK

46,7%

THINK THEY CAN WIN MONEY

29,5%

BELIEVE THAT LUCK DOES NOT EXIST

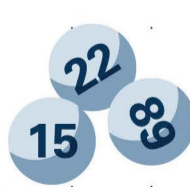


GAMBLING TYPES PERCEIVED AS ADDICTIVE



76,8%

SLOT MACHINES



49,3%

BINGO



47,1%

CASINO



22,7%

ONLINE POKER