

# Pokies by numbers

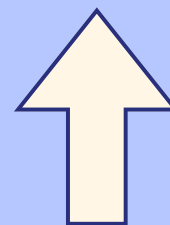
## Waikato District



In 2023...

# \$10.8 million

Was lost on Class 4 pokies - that's more than  
**\$29,600 every day!**



**\$388,617**  
up from 2022

# 17

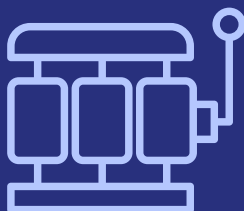
Total # venues  
2023.



**0** change  
from 2022

# 227

Total # machines  
2023.



**1** more than  
2022

# 82%

of venues are in  
areas of medium  
high and very high  
deprivation.



Of the \$10.4 million lost in  
2022...

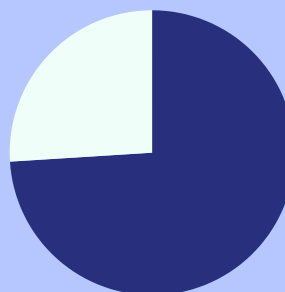
# \$3.4 million

were returned to the  
Waikato community.

This is only about **33%**  
of the amount lost.



In Aotearoa...



# 74%

of the amount lost  
to pokies comes  
from areas of high  
deprivation.

However, they  
receive only **12%** of the  
grants.

Free, professional and confidential support  
for anyone impacted by gambling harm.