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## **\*\*\*JACKPOT ALERT\*\*\***

### **WEDNESDAY'S POWERBALL® JACKPOT STANDS AT \$1.2 BILLION**

**Second largest Grand Prize in Powerball history; fourth largest lottery jackpot in U.S. history**

**AUSTIN** – It continues to climb! After no one won Monday night's Powerball drawing, the jackpot now stands at an **estimated annuitized \$1.2 billion** for the [Wednesday, Nov. 2 drawing](#). Already the largest Grand Prize of 2022 and second largest in Powerball game history, tonight's jackpot prize is now the fourth largest in U.S. lottery history. Tonight's drawing offers a cash value worth an estimated \$596.7 million. If there is no jackpot winner for tonight's Powerball drawing, the Grand Prize for the Saturday, Nov. 5 drawing will rise to an estimated annuitized \$1.5 billion.

"The current Powerball jackpot is quickly moving into record territory and Texas Lottery players are chomping at the bit for a chance to become Texas' next billionaire," said Gary Grief, executive director of the Texas Lottery. "Their excitement for tonight's drawing is leading to strong Powerball sales for the Texas Lottery over the last few days, which generates much-needed revenue for public education in our state. We want to wish all of our players good luck and we want to remind them to play responsibly. If it appears that you have the jackpot-winning ticket, we encourage you to sign the ticket, put it in a safe place, seek financial and legal advice and call the Texas Lottery to schedule an appointment to claim the prize."

Wednesday's drawing will be the 39<sup>th</sup> in the current Powerball jackpot run since starting as an estimated annuitized \$20 million for the Aug. 6 drawing. In addition to being the largest Grand Prize up for grabs in 2022, this Powerball jackpot is also the largest since the world record estimated annuitized \$1.586 billion Grand Prize for the drawing held on Jan. 13, 2016.

Texas joined the multijurisdictional Powerball game in 2010 and had its first Powerball Grand Prize winner in 2013 when Paul McDowell of Bells claimed the \$40 million jackpot from the May 29, 2013 drawing. Texas had its most recent Grand Prize winner in February 2015 when TL Management Trust, Andrew Weber, Trustee of Austin, claimed a share of the \$564.1 million Grand Prize with two other winners.

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So far in 2022, 19 second-tier Powerball prizes of \$1 million or larger have been sold to Texas Lottery players, including eight during the current jackpot run, with three of those occurring over the last two drawings (one on Oct. 29 and two on Oct. 31).

<b>Second-Tier Powerball Prizes Won in Texas</b> (Since current roll started on Aug. 6, 2022)			
<b>Draw Date</b>	<b>Prize Amount</b>	<b>Retailer City</b>	<b>Claimant City</b>
Oct. 31, 2022	\$1 million	Cedar Park	Cedar Park
Oct. 31, 2022	\$1 million	Houston	(Unclaimed)
Oct. 29, 2022	\$1 million	Humble	(Unclaimed)
Oct. 24, 2022	\$1 million	Richardson	Richardson
Oct. 22, 2022	\$1 million	Paris	(Unclaimed)
Oct. 15, 2022	\$1 million	Harrold	Fort Worth
Sept. 12, 2022	\$1 million	New Braunfels	New Braunfels
Aug. 27, 2022	\$1 million	Pearland	Manvel

Powerball Grand Prizes currently start at \$20 million and roll until the jackpot is won. Players win the Grand Prize by matching five numbers from a field of 69 numbers and one Powerball number from a field of 26 numbers. By choosing Power Play® for \$1 more per Play, players can multiply their non-Grand Prize winnings by two, three, four, five or 10 times\*. A Power Play Match Five (5+0) prize is set at \$2,000,000 regardless of the Power Play number selected. All other non-Grand Prizes will be multiplied by the Power Play number selected. \*The 10X Power Play multiplier is available for drawings in which the initially advertised annuitized Grand Prize amount is \$150 million or less.

Drawings are broadcast each Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 10:12 p.m. CT. Texas Lottery players can purchase Powerball tickets at more than 20,000 Texas Lottery retailers across the state. Ticket sales for the next Powerball drawing will close at 9 p.m. CT on Wednesday, Nov. 2. The retailer that sells a jackpot-winning Powerball ticket is eligible to receive up to a \$1 million retailer bonus.

<b>Top 10 Powerball Jackpots</b>			
<b>Rank</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Prize Amount</b>	<b>Draw Date</b>
1	CA, FL, TN	\$1.586 billion	Jan. 13, 2016
2		\$1.2 billion	Nov. 2, 2022
3	WI	\$768.4 million	March 27, 2019
4	MA	\$758.7 million	Aug. 23, 2017
5	MD	\$731.1 million	Jan. 20, 2021
6	CA	\$699.8 million	Oct. 4, 2021
7	IA, NY	\$687.8 million	Oct. 27, 2018
8	CA, WI	\$632.6 million	Jan. 5, 2022
9	FL	\$590.5 million	May 18, 2013
10	AZ, MO	\$587.5 million	Nov. 28, 2012

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### Top 10 U.S. Lottery Jackpots

Rank	Prize Amount	Game	Draw Date	State
1	\$1.586 billion	Powerball	Jan. 13, 2016	CA, FL, TN
2	\$1.537 billion	Mega Millions	Oct. 23, 2018	SC
3	\$1.337 billion	Mega Millions	July 29, 2022	IL
4	\$1.2 billion	Powerball	Nov. 2, 2022	
5	\$1.05 billion	Mega Millions	Jan. 22, 2021	MI
6	\$768.4 million	Mega Millions	March 27, 2019	WI
7	\$758.7 million	Powerball	Aug. 23, 2017	MA
8	\$731.1 million	Powerball	Jan. 20, 2021	MD
9	\$699.8 million	Powerball	Oct. 4, 2021	CA
10	\$687.8 million	Powerball	Oct. 27, 2018	IA, NY

### Texas Powerball & Mega Millions Jackpot Winners

Game	Draw Date	Advertised Jackpot	Claimant	Claimant City	Retailer	Retailer City
PB	2/11/2015	\$500M*	TL MANAGEMENT TRUST	Austin	Appletree Food Mart	Princeton
MM	8/31/2007	\$330M*	SB ALCHEMY HOLDINGS, LTD.	Dallas	Kroger #318 SST	Humble
MM	9/24/2019	\$227M	(Anonymous)	Leander	Lakeline Express Mart	Cedar Park
MM	1/29/2010	\$144M	WILLIAM R KIEFER	Katy	Short Stop Market	Katy
MM	7/6/2007	\$126M	H & H TRUST	Dallas	Central Gas & More	Dallas
MM	1/9/2007	\$122M	CRUMP, ALLEN & LEWIS GENERAL PARTNERSHIP	Amarillo	Taylor Petro Co Inc #80	Amarillo
MM	3/1/2005	\$112M	MAL HOLDINGS, LP	Rowlett	Dalrock Grocery	Rowlett
MM	10/1/2004	\$101M	UT VAN NGUYEN	Carrollton	Sack N Save #204	Carrollton
MM	5/16/2006	\$94M	MARTHA L. CUELLAR	El Paso	Good Time Store #12	El Paso
MM	10/11/2016	\$49M	IT WILL BUY ME A BOAT REVOCABLE TRUST DATED NOVEMBER 16, 2016	Rockwall	QuikTrip #982	Balch Springs
PB	5/29/2013	\$40M	PAUL MCDOWELL	Bells	Lone Star Food Store #48	Bells
MM	5/27/2011	\$35M	MAIM REVOCABLE TRUST	Arlington	Tommy's #10	Granbury
MM	1/1/2008	\$33M	JOHN A. JONES	Fort Worth	C-Store Sub Express	Fort Worth
MM	6/27/2014	\$33M	THE 6-27-14 REVOCABLE TRUST	Houston	Moulton Grocery & Market	Moulton
MM	7/16/2013	\$20M	THE LUCKY ONES PARTNERSHIP	Houston	Rosslyn Food Mart	Houston

\*- indicates jackpot prize was shared with one or more out-of-state winner.

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About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$35.7 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$77.5 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$29.8 billion to the Foundation School Fund, which supports public education in Texas. As authorized by the Texas Legislature, certain Texas Lottery revenues benefit state programs including the Fund for Veterans' Assistance. Since the first veterans' themed scratch ticket game was launched in 2009, the Texas Lottery has contributed more than \$194 million for programs supporting Texas veterans.

The Texas Lottery provides several entertaining games for lottery players including Powerball®, Mega Millions®, Lotto Texas®, All or Nothing™, Texas Two Step®, Pick 3™, Daily 4™, Cash Five® and scratch ticket games. For more information visit us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube or at [texaslottery.com](https://www.texaslottery.com). PLAY RESPONSIBLY.

**Editors/News Directors, note:** A high-res image of the Powerball logo can be downloaded [here](#) and an image of the Powerball prize chart can be downloaded [here](#). (Right-click on the image for saving options.)

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