

# February 2025 Revenue Update

### Major Taxes

Cash collections from Michigan's major taxes, penalties and interest, and lottery transfers totaled \$1,276.9 million in February 2025, \$73.4 million more than in February 2024. For the fiscal year-to-date, collections in FY 2024-25 were \$351.4 million (or 3.5%) higher than during FY 2023-24.

Net income tax revenue totaled \$13.5 million in February 2025, and for FY 2024-25 collections through February were \$227.2 million more than the same period during FY 2023-24. Year-to-date gross income tax collections in FY 2024-25 were \$387.8 million higher than one year ago primarily due to strong withholding collections.

Net business taxes are composed of the single business tax (SBT), the Michigan business tax (MBT), the corporate income tax (CIT), and insurance company taxes. Because of their inherent volatility, monthly collections of business taxes often display significant fluctuations that diverge from historical trends. On a fiscal year-to-date basis, net business taxes were \$153.0 million lower through February 2025 than a year ago. MBT refunds through February 2025 are \$69.0 million lower (more negative)<sup>1</sup>, while CIT collections and insurance taxes over the same period were \$77.2 million (or 11.6%) and \$6.9 million (or 4.3%), respectively, lower than last year's amount.

Revenue from consumption taxes, which consist of the sales tax, the use tax, beer and wine taxes, liquor taxes, and tobacco taxes, totaled \$973.3 million in February 2025, and were collectively \$98.4 million higher than in FY 2023-24 on a year-to-date basis. Strong sales and use tax collections have more than offset slightly weaker tobacco tax revenues.

Revenues from the state education tax (SET) and the real estate transfer tax (RET) in February 2025 were \$16.8 million and \$28.2 million, respectively. Recreational marijuana revenue was \$4.8 million (or 5.5%) higher than last year and online gaming revenue was \$43.5 million (or 36.4%) higher than last year, on a year-to-date basis.

#### General Fund/General Purpose (GF/GP) Tax Revenue

General Fund/General Purpose revenue from Michigan's major taxes was estimated<sup>2</sup> to be \$47.0 million in February 2025, about \$33.5 million below the projection established at the January 2025 consensus revenue estimating conference (CREC). Higher than anticipated individual income tax (IIT) refunds more than offset higher than anticipated IIT withholding and net business tax revenue.

On a year-to-date basis, GF/GP tax revenue for FY 2024-25 was about \$167.1 million below the projected amount.

## School Aid Fund (SAF) Revenue

School Aid Fund revenue from Michigan's major taxes was estimated<sup>1</sup> to be \$1,073.1 million in February 2025, about \$14.0 million above the amount established at the January 2025 CREC. Above forecast sales tax revenue and online gaming revenue offset weaker than expected individual income tax collections.

Year-to-date SAF revenue for FY 2024-25 was about \$65.7 million above the consensus revenue projections.

MBT refund totals mainly comprise a few large refunds, therefore the timing of those refunds can significantly impact monthly revenue comparisons.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Because of accruals and undistributed revenue, monthly fund splits are estimated.



# FY 2024-25 February Revenue Collections Millions of Dollars

<u>Major Taxes</u>	FY 2024-25 <u>February</u>			Change from FY 2023-24 Year-to-Date		FY 2024-25 Estimates (January 2025 CREC)	
		Year-to-Date Collections					
		<u>FY 2023-24</u>	<u>FY 2024-25</u>	<u>Dollar</u>	<u>% Change</u>	<u>Dollar</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Individual Income Tax							
Withholding	\$1,067.6	\$4,263.7	\$4,613.2	\$349.5	8.2%	\$13,379.5	4.4%
Flow Through Entity Tax	14.5	321.0	316.7	(4.3)	(1.3%)	960.0	0.39
Quarterly Income Tax	11.0	349.8	392.0	42.1	12.0%	1,145.0	3.19
Annual Income Tax	<u>39.8</u>	88.4	<u>88.9</u>	0.5	0.5%	<u>1,318.0</u>	9.79
Gross Income Tax	\$1,132.8	\$5,022.9	\$5,410.8	\$387.8	7.7%	\$16,802.5	4.49
Less: Income Tax Refunds	1,119.3	1,127.5	1,288.2	160.7	14.2%	3,150.0	0.99
Net Income Tax	\$13.5	\$3,895.4	\$4,122.6	\$227.2	5.8%	\$13,652.5	5.39
Business Taxes							
Single Business Tax	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.0)		0.0	
Michigan Business Tax	(2.9)	(349.6)	(418.7)	(69.0)		(496.9)	
Corporate Income Tax	53.6 <sup>´</sup>	665.8 <sup>´</sup>	<b>.</b> 588.6	(77.2)	(11.6%)	2,220.0	2.1
Insurance Company Taxes	<u>32.5</u>	<u>157.9</u>	<u>151.0</u>	<u>(6.9)</u>	(4.3%)	563.5	4.9
Subtotal	\$83.2	\$474.0	\$320.9	(\$153.0)	(32.3%)	\$2,286.6	(2.9%
Consumption Taxes							
Sales Tax	774.3	3,425.6	3,498.7	73.1	2.1%	10,688.8	1.1
Use Tax (excluding LCSA levy)	138.0	726.3	765.6	39.3	5.4%	2,205.0	3.6
Beer and Wine Taxes	0.9	12.1	12.1	0.0	0.0%	45.6	1.6
Liquor Excise Tax	11.6	54.5	53.5	(1.0)	(1.8%)	150.0	4.0
Tobacco Taxes	48.5	218.0	205.0	(12.9)	(5.9%)	650.0	(2.7%
Subtotal	\$973.3	\$4,436.5	\$4,535.0	\$98.4	<b>2.2%</b>	\$13,739.4	<b>`1.3</b>
Other Miscellaneous Taxes							
State Education Tax	16.8	413.9	515.9	102.0	24.6%	2,870.0	3.7
Real Estate Transfer Tax	28.2	119.9	139.3	19.5	16.2%	412.0	1.9
Essential Services Assessment	0.2	(0.6)	1.2	1.8	(316.6%)	157.0	6.6
Industrial & Commercial Facilities Taxes	2.5	8.5	6.2	(2.3)	(27.2%)	50.0	(6.9%
Casino Wagering Tax	7.9	31.6	33.8	2.3	7.2%	102.0	1.5
iGaming, Sports Betting, Fantasy Sports	41.3	119.7	163.2	43.5	36.4%	425.0	6.2
Recreational Marihuana Excise Tax	15.9	86.7	91.4	4.8	5.5%	337.1	1.7
Gas and Oil Severance Tax	1.4	8.8	7.4	(1.3)	(15.4%)	22.0	0.5
Telephone and Telegraph Tax	0.0	13.4	6.0	(7.5)	(55.6%)	42.0	(2.39
Penalties and Interest	8.0	31.5	30.5	(1.0)	(3.2%)	157.0	(8.79
Lottery Transfer to the School Aid Fund	84.8	386.8	403.9	\$17.2	4.4%	1,255.0	0.5
Subtotal	\$206.8	\$1, <mark>220.1</mark>	\$1,399.0	\$178.9	14.7%	\$5,829.1	2.4
TOTAL	\$1,276.9	\$10,026.0	\$10,377.4	\$351.4	3.5%	\$35,507.6	2.7
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