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Mega Millions Jackpot Rolls To \$314,000,000

Thousands of New Jersey Players Win Prizes

TRENTON (Dec. 9, 2019) – The Mega Millions jackpot has rolled to \$314 million! James Carey, New Jersey Lottery acting executive director, announced that in the Friday, Dec. 6, drawing, **16** players matched four of the five white balls drawn making each ticket worth **\$500**. **Two** of those tickets were purchased with the Megaplier option, multiplying the prize to **\$2,500**. Moreover, 40,224 other New Jersey players took home \$192,858 in prizes ranging from \$2 to \$1,000, according to Carey. The **winning numbers** for the **Friday, Dec. 6**, drawing were: **20, 31, 40, 46, and 61**. The **Gold Mega Ball** was **20**, and the **Megaplier Multiplier** was **05**.

The next drawing will be held Tuesday, Dec. 10, at 11:00 pm. All New Jersey Lottery Mega Millions tickets must be purchased before 10:45 pm to participate in the drawing. Mega Millions tickets cost just two dollars; by adding the Megaplier option for an extra dollar per play, players can increase their non-jackpot winnings up to five times. Mega Millions tickets are sold in 46 participating jurisdictions. Drawings are held on Tuesdays and Fridays.

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View all New Jersey Lottery game winning numbers and drawings for the Pick-3, Pick-4, Jersey Cash 5, Pick-6, CASH4LIFE and 5 Card Cash games on the Lottery website (www.NJLottery.com) or on the official Lottery Facebook Page. Evening draws, with the exception of CASH4LIFE and 5 Card Cash, can be seen on WPIX-TV (PIX11) in New York and WPHL-TV (PHL17) in Philadelphia. Powerball and Mega Millions drawings can be seen on WABC-TV or WTXF stations.



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