The global online gambling market reached $79.8 billion in 2022 and is poised to reach $133.9 billion by 2028 due to the rising acceptance of online betting. Protecting your brand and players from fraudsters is paramount.

In 2022, the owner of Ladbrokes was handed the biggest fine in UK gambling history—a record £17 million ($20.6 million)—for AML and responsible gambling failures.

As of August 2023, gambling industry penalties £306,993,959.

Source: Bloomberg, Technology of Future of British Business, August 17, 2022
Source: gamblingindsutryfines.com

Fraudulent activities impacting online gambling platforms
- Multi-accounting – fraudsters creating numerous accounts using fake credentials to increase their odds, abuse bonus offers, or otherwise cheat the system to move the favor of results to one player.

In Q1 2022, there was an 85% increase in fake account registrations compared to Q4 2021.

Source: Arkose Labs Q2 State of Fraud & Account Security Report Q2 2022

The gaming industry experiences a chargeback rate of 0.83% from unauthorized transactions, fraudulent activity, or disputes related to virtual goods or game performance.

Source: Clearly Payments

Chargebacks – fraudsters use stolen credit cards (carding) to top off their accounts and when legitimate cardholders realize their credit card was used – operators must issue a refund.

Using multi-modal biometrics to match players’ faces and voices to their personal and unique biometric templates provides the ultimate in protection against financial crimes and fraud losses.

Where multimodal biometric authentication, leveraging artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML), can make online gambling experiences more secure and convenient for players.

Verify the age and identity of digital players across the lifecycle of their gaming journeys.

Build trust and confidence with your customers through a frictionless onboarding experience, expedited KYC and AML compliance, and assured fraud prevention.

5 REASONS TO BET ON BIOMETRICS
- Onboarding – capture players’ face and voice biometrics as part of the initial verification workflow to reduce future account takeover attacks and friction for players.
- Recurring verification – use a biometric check as an annual process to reverify lapsed or inactive accounts on an annual basis throughout the lifecycle of the relationship.
- Complement compliance processes – match customer information provided during registration as an alternative or supplemental part of EDD (enhanced due diligence).
- Password resets – allow users to reaccess their accounts more securely when they forget their passwords, without going through the hassle of one-time passcodes and password resets.
- Reduce chargebacks – mitigate chargebacks associated with stolen cards and bad bets using biometric matching with passive liveness.

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