

**Colorado Department of Revenue  
Liquor Excise Tax Report <sup>1</sup>  
January 2016 to Date**

Month	Year	Hard Cider <sup>2</sup> Excise Tax	Hard Cider <sup>2</sup> Volume in Gallons	Malt Liquor <sup>3</sup> Excise Tax	Malt Liquor <sup>3</sup> Volume in Gallons	Spirits Excise Tax	Spirits Volume in Liters	Wine <sup>4</sup> (Manufacturer or Wholesaler) Excise Tax	Wine <sup>4</sup> (Manufacturer or Wholesaler) Volume in Liters	Wine <sup>4</sup> (Winery-Direct Shipper) Excise Tax	Wine <sup>4</sup> (Winery-Direct Shipper) Volume in Liters	Colorado Grape/Produce <sup>5</sup> Excise Tax	3.2% Beer Excise Tax	3.2% Beer Volume in Gallons
1	2016	\$5,990	74,879	\$589,251	7,365,643	\$1,551,365	2,574,453	\$294,869	4,022,770	\$6,176	84,259	\$19	\$23,308	291,350
2	2016	\$6,404	80,045	\$651,642	8,145,530	\$2,223,528	3,689,890	\$389,499	5,313,760	\$9,042	123,357	\$7	\$23,483	293,540
3	2016	\$7,671	95,885	\$729,597	9,119,961	\$2,402,958	3,987,651	\$437,383	5,967,022	\$11,267	153,701	\$70	\$27,674	345,921
4	2016	\$7,881	98,514	\$708,266	8,853,321	\$2,092,328	3,472,167	\$374,920	5,114,869	\$10,693	145,872	\$16	\$24,743	309,285
5	2016	\$9,558	119,475	\$758,707	9,483,835	\$2,479,824	4,115,207	\$401,218	5,473,636	\$9,789	133,546	\$17	\$29,665	370,816
6	2016	\$10,979	137,243	\$947,352	11,841,905	\$3,175,843	5,270,234	\$486,888	6,642,405	\$8,099	110,493	\$0	\$37,141	464,258
7	2016	\$9,311	116,391	\$794,724	9,934,050	\$2,061,617	3,421,203	\$354,363	4,834,423	\$6,648	90,699	\$36	\$36,033	450,417
8	2016	\$9,505	118,816	\$899,292	11,241,152	\$2,528,326	4,195,696	\$438,817	5,986,589	\$8,308	113,338	\$411	\$36,800	459,996
9	2016	\$7,619	95,240	\$736,497	9,206,213	\$2,380,950	3,951,128	\$393,742	5,371,651	\$10,801	147,352	\$5,512	\$26,398	329,971
10	2016	\$7,356	91,945	\$708,247	8,853,090	\$2,242,212	3,720,896	\$413,142	5,636,319	\$14,087	192,175	\$10,532	\$25,771	322,142
11	2016	\$8,715	108,943	\$709,596	8,869,950	\$2,654,451	4,404,996	\$480,375	6,553,548	\$14,307	195,180	\$693	\$27,901	348,757
12	2016	\$7,710	96,374	\$678,290	8,478,627	\$3,542,113	5,878,050	\$574,334	7,835,389	\$16,281	222,107	\$1,401	\$27,903	348,782
1	2017	\$6,232	77,896	\$628,103	7,851,281	\$1,673,945	2,777,871	\$318,246	4,341,691	\$8,210	112,006	\$205	\$26,379	329,733
2	2017	\$7,502	93,776	\$613,317	7,666,468	\$2,120,203	3,518,425	\$411,398	5,612,531	\$10,414	142,066	\$175	\$24,250	303,130
3	2017	\$8,458	105,726	\$761,847	9,523,081	\$2,633,277	4,369,860	\$420,736	5,739,913	\$11,903	162,377	\$76	\$26,009	325,117
4	2017	\$7,623	95,287	\$696,207	8,702,594	\$2,156,749	3,579,072	\$381,809	5,208,847	\$11,604	158,309	\$76	\$19,776	247,202
5	2017	\$8,012	105,012	\$823,404	10,292,546	\$2,683,642	4,453,439	\$423,999	5,784,438	\$11,934	162,807	\$4	\$31,393	392,409
6	2017	\$10,370	129,625	\$959,076	11,988,455	\$3,281,456	5,445,496	\$474,110	6,468,080	\$9,067	123,688	\$0	\$38,980	487,252
7	2017	\$9,573	119,660	\$793,836	9,922,952	\$2,130,047	3,534,762	\$370,703	5,057,338	\$8,115	110,711	\$18	\$33,976	424,697
8	2017	\$8,808	110,101	\$921,250	11,515,626	\$2,744,660	4,554,697	\$469,995	6,411,940	\$8,795	119,980	\$253	\$35,127	439,092
9	2017	\$7,355	91,939	\$765,781	9,572,260	\$2,406,606	3,993,704	\$378,614	5,165,266	\$11,894	162,263	\$7,002	\$29,648	370,601
10	2017	\$7,716	96,452	\$690,383	8,629,786	\$2,420,240	4,016,329	\$443,678	6,052,904	\$15,521	211,742	\$5,792	\$27,401	342,514
11	2017	\$7,675	95,934	\$719,886	8,998,576	\$2,734,223	4,537,376	\$485,294	6,620,650	\$19,240	262,469	\$1,196	\$25,279	315,984
12	2017	\$6,363	79,539	\$686,949	8,586,866	\$3,586,005	5,950,888	\$550,253	7,506,863	\$17,588	239,940	\$499	\$28,293	353,666
1	2018	\$6,577	82,212	\$632,750	7,909,373	\$1,865,479	3,095,717	\$335,685	4,579,611	\$8,685	118,476	\$350	\$25,006	312,575
2	2018	\$4,422	55,277	\$590,176	7,377,200	\$2,157,745	3,580,725	\$412,916	5,633,232	\$10,940	149,250	NR	\$20,832	260,402
3	2018	\$7,747	96,834	\$702,510	8,781,379	\$2,572,757	4,269,427	\$405,702	5,534,820	\$13,722	187,196	NR	\$23,632	295,401
4	2018	\$8,039	100,490	\$716,915	8,961,434	\$2,243,575	3,723,158	\$379,278	5,174,328	\$13,555	184,916	NR	\$25,797	322,467
5	2018	\$10,248	128,097	\$878,114	10,976,429	\$2,920,307	4,846,178	\$449,440	6,131,509	\$13,698	186,873	\$0	\$33,212	415,156
6	2018	\$11,153	139,409	\$933,866	11,673,326	\$3,291,795	5,462,654	\$457,298	6,238,712	\$9,638	131,488	NR	\$37,427	467,840
7	2018	\$10,914	136,425	\$866,853	10,835,661	\$2,467,466	4,094,700	\$404,312	5,515,851	\$8,314	113,425	\$19	\$37,188	464,848
8	2018	\$10,331	129,143	\$957,184	11,964,801	\$2,886,650	4,790,326	\$505,272	6,893,199	\$9,707	132,419	\$372	\$36,415	455,192
9	2018	\$8,775	109,686	\$763,393	9,542,417	\$2,393,926	3,972,662	\$374,101	5,103,696	\$11,709	159,742	\$8,156	\$28,603	357,540
10	2018	\$8,500	106,255	\$723,056	9,038,194	\$2,748,290	4,560,719	\$461,416	6,294,892	\$17,292	235,897	\$6,187	\$28,576	357,198
11	2018	\$9,057	113,217	\$717,906	8,973,828	\$2,852,408	4,733,502	\$501,332	6,839,452	\$16,741	228,384	\$1,652	\$25,099	313,736
12	2018	\$8,334	104,178	\$729,396	9,117,447	\$3,699,854	6,139,818	\$551,804	7,528,027	\$17,345	236,619	\$912	\$7,626	95,325
1	2019	\$6,596	82,453	\$789,616	9,870,205	\$2,029,108	3,367,255	\$351,013	4,788,720	\$8,652	118,036	NR		
2	2019	\$7,196	89,950	\$629,581	7,869,756	\$2,268,463	3,764,459	\$418,918	5,715,121	\$11,565	157,769	\$0		
3	2019	\$6,618	82,729	\$731,539	9,144,233	\$2,690,154	4,464,245	\$404,435	5,517,529	\$14,098	192,330	NR		
4	2019	\$8,040	100,500	\$825,929	10,324,115	\$2,463,673	4,088,405	\$393,899	5,373,790	\$15,170	206,958	\$15		
5	2019	\$10,302	128,776	\$898,971	11,237,133	\$1,580,371	2,622,588	\$314,247	4,287,128	\$12,623	172,198	\$0		
6	2019	\$9,376	117,202	\$934,577	11,682,211	\$3,328,607	5,523,742	\$426,484	5,818,341	\$10,663	145,467	\$0		
7	2019	\$9,684	121,055	\$959,125	11,989,065	\$2,608,728	4,329,121	\$435,307	5,938,705	\$9,125	124,489	NR		
8	2019	\$9,332	116,654	\$1,006,520	12,581,505	\$2,872,354	4,766,602	\$427,069	5,826,323	\$9,511	129,751	NR		
9	2019	\$7,878	98,471	\$845,974	10,574,673	\$2,522,210	4,185,546	\$368,869	5,032,317	\$12,288	167,633	\$3,581		
10	2019	\$8,872	110,902	\$829,009	10,362,612	\$2,887,506	4,791,745	\$478,275	6,524,902	\$17,442	237,945	\$8,389		
11	2019	\$6,764	84,556	\$746,129	9,326,609	\$2,432,054	4,035,934	\$442,020	6,030,290	\$17,748	242,118	\$2,436		
12	2019	\$8,859	110,740	\$760,271	9,503,383	\$2,686,816	4,458,706	\$415,408	5,667,224	\$18,908	257,945	\$145		
1	2020	\$5,915	73,940	\$713,144	8,914,302	\$2,045,416	3,394,318	\$350,816	4,786,033	\$9,333	127,317	\$0		
2	2020	\$6,764	84,554	\$627,446	7,843,071	\$2,321,428	3,852,353	\$399,103	5,444,787	\$11,769	160,556	\$0		
3	2020	\$6,656	83,194	\$824,413	10,305,160	\$3,125,219	5,186,225	\$478,846	6,532,681	\$21,119	288,112	\$0		
4	2020	\$5,396	67,456	\$730,784	9,134,803	\$2,707,568	4,493,144	\$398,283	5,433,597	\$23,033	314,213	\$0		
5	2020	\$8,605	107,565	\$898,111	11,226,394	\$2,891,434	4,798,263	\$399,860	5,455,116	\$22,773	310,676	NR		
6	2020	\$8,413	105,166	\$922,723	11,534,043	\$3,548,205	5,888,160	\$480,205	6,551,223	\$20,230	275,983	NR		
7	2020	\$11,143	139,283	\$1,002,806	12,535,079	\$3,150,455	5,228,104	\$433,046	5,907,858	\$17,621	240,391	NR		
8	2020	\$8,434	105,430	\$967,265	12,090,815	\$3,037,412	5,040,512	\$442,878	6,041,996	\$16,110	219,771	\$1,091		
9	2020	\$8,639	107,991	\$917,368	11,467,097	\$3,186,705	5,288,260	\$447,450	6,104,363	\$20,035	273,324	\$4,414		

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10	2020	\$7,686	96,078	\$830,289	10,378,608	\$2,865,995	4,756,048	\$460,632	6,284,206	\$25,645	349,847	\$1,874		
11	2020	\$6,434	80,428	\$707,749	8,846,867	\$2,913,603	4,835,052	\$456,952	6,233,994	\$25,763	351,467	\$1,388		
12	2020	\$6,925	86,568	\$625,630	7,820,377	\$3,896,904	6,466,817	\$562,321	7,671,497	\$26,191	357,305	\$669		
1	2021	\$6,493	81,166	\$686,101	8,576,265	\$2,220,677	3,685,160	\$327,632	4,469,747	\$14,927	203,639	\$0		
2	2021	\$6,551	81,889	\$676,622	8,457,777	\$2,689,657	4,463,420	\$408,170	5,568,485	\$17,648	240,767	NR		
3	2021	\$7,813	97,662	\$821,150	10,264,370	\$3,417,507	5,671,270	\$479,761	6,545,175	\$22,107	301,600	NR		
4	2021	\$9,139	114,236	\$836,591	10,457,369	\$2,963,651	4,918,103	\$418,017	5,702,821	\$23,121	315,433	NR		
5	2021	\$7,394	92,422	\$922,872	11,535,895	\$2,097,904	3,481,417	\$335,502	4,577,102	\$21,161	288,702	NR		
6	2021	\$10,960	136,998	\$1,013,560	12,669,491	\$3,891,148	6,457,262	\$474,324	6,470,990	\$19,080	260,311	NR		
7	2021	\$9,786	122,328	\$939,551	11,744,382	\$3,193,351	5,299,284	\$402,798	5,495,188	\$15,401	210,122	\$37		
8	2021	\$7,583	94,783	\$982,165	12,277,049	\$3,532,348	5,861,842	\$460,819	6,286,745	\$17,926	244,565	\$110		
9	2021	\$7,709	96,363	\$871,653	10,895,653	\$3,192,366	5,297,651	\$431,531	5,887,184	\$19,387	264,491	\$1,275		
10	2021	\$7,392	92,402	\$789,556	9,869,441	\$2,972,811	4,933,306	\$387,530	5,286,903	\$25,329	345,561	\$794		
11	2021	\$6,974	87,172	\$778,336	9,729,192	\$3,329,228	5,524,770	\$488,347	6,662,301	\$27,327	372,821	\$687		
12	2021	\$7,696	96,198	\$835,977	10,449,707	\$4,131,583	6,856,259	\$528,129	7,205,023	\$27,275	372,121	\$786		
1	2022	\$4,999	62,490	\$650,352	8,129,392	\$2,385,915	3,959,366	\$328,782	4,485,429	\$15,538	211,993	\$43		

Source: Liquor Excise Tax Return (DR 0442) and Colorado Monthly Report of Excise Tax (DR 0448)

Note: This table represents a snapshot of the tax returns at the time the data was retrieved.

NR - Not releasable due to taxpayer confidentiality requirements.

<sup>1</sup> Liquor Excise Tax is the amount of tax reported by liquor manufacturers and wholesalers on monthly liquor excise tax returns (DR 0442 and DR 0448). The liquor excise taxes reported on the Personal Excise Tax Return for Alcohol Beverages (DR 0449) are not retrievable so they cannot be summarized.

<sup>2</sup> Starting April 2021, hard cider excise tax includes values from the Colorado Monthly Report of Excise Tax (DR 0448) in addition to the Liquor Excise Tax Return (DR 0442). Prior to April 2021, only the DR 0442 was summarized.

<sup>3</sup> Starting January 2019, malt liquor includes all fermented malt beverages (malt liquor, beer, and 3.2% beer).

<sup>4</sup> The amount of wine excise tax reported does not include additional surcharges or fees.

<sup>5</sup> Starting September 2019, cider grapes are exempt from the Colorado Grape/Produce excise tax. Prior to this date, the excise tax summarized vinous grapes only.

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