## **Excise duties in the EU- July 2023**

## Fermented beverages other than wine and beer

Country	Excise Duty (in Euros/hl)				VAT
Austria			0		20%
Belgium	Still 74.9086	Sparkling	256.3223	23.9119 (<8.5%)	21%
Bulgaria	0				20%
Croatia	0				25%
Cyprus	0				19%
Czechia	Sparkling 95.4051				21%
Denmark	Still 151.4133 (>6 - <15%)		Sparkling 196.4607 (<6 - <15%)		25%
	Still 69.6555 (>1.2 - <6%)		Sparkling 114.703 (>1.2 - <6%)		
Estonia	147.82		63.35 (if ethanol is up to 6% vol)		20%
Finland	421 (>8%)		287 (>5.5 - ≤8%)		24%
	198 (>2.8 - ≤5.5%)		36 (>1.2 - ≤2.8%)		
France	3.98 (>8.5%)		1.39 (>1.2 - ≤8.5%)		20%
Germany	Sparkling 136		Sparkling 51 (<6%)		19%
Greece	20				24%
Hungary	Still 25.6555	Sparkling	Still blend of >50% wine and mineral water 0.00		27%
Ireland	Still Cider & Perry 309.84 (>8.5%)		Sparkling Cider & Perry 619.7 (>8.5%)		
	Other Still Beverages 42	4.84 (>5.5%)	Other Spa. Beverages 849.68 (>5.5%)		
	Still/Spa. Cider & Perry 218.44 (>6 - <8.5%)		Still/Spa. Cider & Perry 94.46 (>2.8 - <6%)		23%
	Still/Spa. Cider & Perry 47.23 (<2.8%) Other Still/Spa Beverages 141.57 (<5.5%)				
Italy	0				22%
Latvia	111*		64 <mark>* (≤6%)</mark>		21%
Lithuania	199 (>8.5%) <mark>(219 from 2024)</mark> 93 (≤8.5%) <mark>(109 from 2024)</mark>				21%
Luxembourg	0				16%
Malta	2				18%
Netherlands	88.30 (>8.5%) <mark>(95.69 from 2024)</mark>		44.24 (≤8.5%) (47.95 from 2024)		21%
Poland	20.0745 (Cider & Perry - <5%)		41.5977* Other fermented beverages		23%
Portugal	<u> </u>			5.48 (≤8.5%)	23%
Romania	Still 102.0776*	Sparkling	g 12.189*	0 (Cider, Perry & Mead)	19%
Slovakia	Sparkling 79.65		Sparkling 54.16 (≤8.5%)		20%
Slovenia	0				22%
Spain	0				21%
Sweden	252.7979 (>8.5%)	180.4254 (	>7 – <8.5%)	131.1349 (>4.5 - <7%)	25%
	88.7413 (>2.25 -	<4.5%)	0 (<2.25%)		

## \* Small (and medium) producers:

- \* Poland 20.7988 excise duty for other fermented beverages made by independent small producers
- \* Romania 51.0378 reduced excise duty rate (50% from standard rate) for still fermented beverages made by independent small producers (yearly production ≤ 1000 hl)
- \* Romania 6.0955 reduced excise duty rate (50% from standard rate) for sparkling fermented beverages made by independent small producers (yearly production ≤ 1000 hl)

<sup>\*</sup> Latvia - 55.5 (>6%) excise duty for independent medium wineries and small alcoholic beverage breweries

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