

Ethiopia		Beverage categories		
		Beer	Wine	Spirits
Control of retail sale and production	Monopoly on production of	NO	YES	NO
	Monopoly on sales of	NO	NO	NO
	Licence for production of	NO	NO	NO
	Licence for sale of ¹	NO	NO	NO
Off-premise sales restrictions and level of enforcement	Hours of sale	NO	NO	NO
	Days of sale	NO	NO	NO
	Places of sale	NO	NO	NO
	Density of outlets	NO	NO	NO
	Level of enforcement	N.A.		
Age limit for purchasing alcoholic beverages	On-premise:	18	18	18
	Off-premise:	18	18	18
Taxation of alcoholic beverages	Sales TAX/VAT exists?	YES		
	% sales TAX/VAT	15		
	Tax as % of retail price ²	.	.	.
	Excise stamps exist?	NO		
Restrictions on advertising	National television ³	NO	NO	BAN
	National radio	NO	NO	BAN
	Print media	NO	NO	NO
	Billboards	NO	NO	NO
	Health warning on advertisements	.		
	Enforcement of advertising and sponsorship restrictions	.		
Restrictions on sponsorship of	Sports events	NO	NO	.
	Youth events	NO	NO	.
Restrictions on alcoholic beverage consumption in public domains	Health care establishments	VOLUNTARY		
	Educational buildings	VOLUNTARY		
	Government offices	VOLUNTARY		
	Public transport	NO		
	Parks, streets, etc.	NO		
	Sporting events	NO		
	Leisure events (concerts, etc.)	NO		
	Workplaces	.		
Definition of alcohol, BAC level and RBT	Definition of alcohol (vol. %)	.		
	Maximum Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC) level ⁴	NO		
	Use of Random Breath Testing (RBT)	NO		

¹ No special licence needed for alcohol, only a general trade licence which applies to all merchandise.

² Customs tax 40% and excise tax between 50% and 150%.

³ Advertising in electronic media is prohibited for alcohol over 12% alcohol by volume.

⁴ The law states that driving is prohibited if intoxicated.