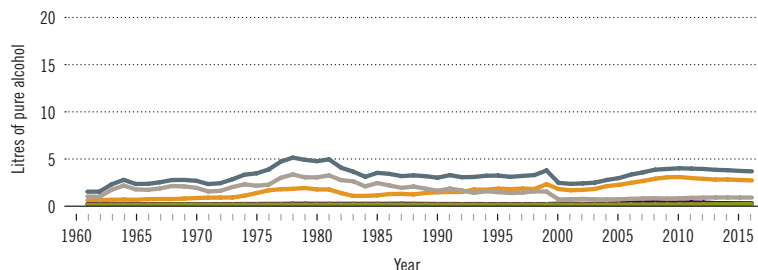


Bolivia (Plurinational State of)

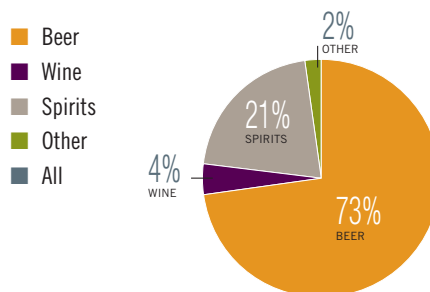
Total population (2016): 10 888 402 ▶ Population aged 15 years and older (15+): 68% ▶ Population in urban areas: 69% ▶ Income group (World Bank): Lower-middle income

ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION: LEVELS AND PATTERNS

Recorded alcohol per capita (15+) consumption, 1961–2016



Recorded alcohol per capita (15+) consumption (in litres of pure alcohol) by type of alcoholic beverage, 2016 or latest year available



Alcohol per capita (15+) consumption (in litres of pure alcohol)

	2010*		2016*	
Recorded	3.9		3.6	
Unrecorded	2.1		1.2	
Total**	5.9		4.8	
Total males / females	9.8	2.1	8.0	1.6
WHO Region of the Americas	8.2		8.0	

* Three-year averages of recorded and unrecorded for 2009–2011 and 2015–2017; **adjusted for tourist consumption.

Total alcohol per capita (15+) consumption, drinkers only (in litres of pure alcohol), 2016

	Litres
Males (15+)	13.5
Females (15+)	4.9
Both sexes (15+)	10.5

Prevalence of heavy episodic drinking* (%), 2016

	Population (15+ years)	Drinkers only (15+ years)	Population (15–19 years)	Drinkers only (15–19 years)
Males	34.7	58.6	27.6	64.1
Females	7.7	24.2	5.3	27.7
Both sexes	21.1	46.5	16.6	53.1

* Consumed at least 60 grams or more of pure alcohol on at least one occasion in the past 30 days.

Abstainers (%), 2016

	Males	Females	Both sexes
Lifetime abstainers (15+)	5.9	17.9	12.0
Former drinkers* (15+)	34.9	50.2	42.6
Abstainers (15+), past 12 months	40.9	68.1	54.6

* Persons who used to drink alcoholic beverages but have not done so in the past 12 months.

HEALTH CONSEQUENCES: MORTALITY AND MORBIDITY

Age-standardized death rates (ASDR) and alcohol-attributable fractions (AAF), 2016

	ASDR*		AAF (%)		AAD** (Number)
Liver cirrhosis, males / females	52.9	31.0	52.5	34.2	1 216
Road traffic injuries, males / females	47.4	14.7	35.2	22.2	808
Cancer, males / females	107.3	130.9	2.7	0.9	133

* Per 100 000 population (15+); **alcohol-attributable deaths, both sexes.

Years of life lost (YLL) score*, 2016

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* Based on alcohol-attributable years of life lost.

Prevalence of alcohol use disorders and alcohol dependence (%), 2016*

	Alcohol use disorders**	Alcohol dependence
Males	9.8	3.9
Females	3.7	1.8
Both sexes	6.7	2.9
WHO Region of the Americas	8.2	4.1

* 12-month prevalence estimates (15+); **including alcohol dependence and harmful use of alcohol.

POLICIES AND INTERVENTIONS

Written national policy (adopted/revised) / National action plan	— / —
Excise tax on beer / wine / spirits	— / — / —
National legal minimum age for off-premise sales of alcoholic beverages (beer / wine / spirits)	— / — / —
National legal minimum age for on-premise sales of alcoholic beverages (beer / wine / spirits)	— / — / —
Restrictions on on-/off-premise sales of alcoholic beverages (any):	
Hours, days / places, density	— / — / —
Specific events / intoxicated persons / petrol stations	— / — / —

National maximum legal blood alcohol concentration (BAC) when driving a vehicle (general / young / professional), in %	0.05 / 0.05 / 0.05
Legally binding regulations on alcohol advertising / product placement (any)	— / —
Legally binding regulations on alcohol sponsorship / sales promotion (any)	— / —
Legally required health warning labels on alcohol advertisements / containers (any)	— / —
National government support for community action (any)	—
National monitoring system(s) (any)	—