

1898.
NEW ZEALAND.

CONSUMPTION OF ARTICLES IN COMMON USE

(TABLE SHOWING RATE OF), PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by Command of His Excellency.

TABLE showing CONSUMPTION, per Head of Population, of ARTICLES IN COMMON USE.

Year.	Adult Male Population (including Maoris).	Spirits.				Tobacco.				Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff.			
		Gallons.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty. †	Duty.	Per Head.	Lb.	Rate of Duty. ‡	Duty.	Per Head.	Lb.	Rate of Duty. §	Duty.
1878	139,354	659,233	4.73	6, 12/	392,108	£ s. d.	1,064,520	7.64	2/6	133,065	0.19	1	21,849
1879	147,313	624,503	4.24	6, 7, 12/	378,754	2 11 5	1,054,730	7.16	2/6, 3/6	135,539	0 18 5	5/	17,535
1880	152,564	553,404	3.63	7, 12/	394,136	2 11 8	1,027,280	6.73	3/6	179,774	1 3 7	6/	20,025
1881	154,073	571,880	3.71	7, 12/	400,284	2 12 0	1,063,651	6.90	3/6	186,137	1 4 2	6/	22,691
1882	157,686	586,322	3.72	7, 12/	410,856	2 12 1	1,080,515	6.85	3/6	189,090	1 4 0	6/	22,693
1883	162,834	576,058	3.54	12/	402,981	2 9 11	1,069,307	6.57	3/6	187,129	1 3 0	6/	27,463
1884	167,938	551,763	3.29	12/	385,735	2 5 6	1,138,774	6.93	3/6, 1/	203,063	1 4 2	6/	27,720
1885	170,206	507,812	2.98	12/	361,692	2 2 6	1,198,410	7.04	3/6, 1/	208,161	1 4 6	6/	29,233
1886	172,180	473,369	2.75	14/6	343,192	1 19 10	1,144,897	6.65	3/6, 1/	197,878	1 2 11	6/	30,455
1887	174,907	463,087	2.65	14/6	335,738	1 18 5	1,138,655	6.51	3/6, 1/	198,152	1 2 8	6/	28,292
1888	174,355	499,084	2.86*	14/6, 15/	377,599	2 3 4*	1,143,734	6.59	3/6, 1/	198,856	1 2 10	6/	28,067
1889	176,988	369,086	2.09	15/	281,835	1 11 10	1,157,340	6.54	3/6, 1/	199,617	1 2 7	6/	30,126
1890	182,310	435,075	2.39	15/	333,848	1 16 7	1,173,831	6.44	3/6, 1/	203,593	1 2 4	6/	34,637
1891	182,280	442,860	2.43	15/	339,758	1 17 3	1,257,082	6.90	3/6, 1/	214,789	1 3 7	6/	38,430
1892	185,070	456,995	2.47	15/	351,154	1 17 11	1,244,089	6.72	3/6, 1/	212,998	1 3 0	6/	41,745
1893	193,176	464,195	2.40	15/	356,602	1 16 11	1,273,754	6.59	3/6, 1/	218,637	1 2 7 1/2	6/	44,491
1894	196,005	439,153	2.24	15/	337,247	1 14 5	1,261,826	6.44	3/6, 1/	215,222	1 1 11 1/2	6/	49,331
1895	197,521	435,431	2.20	15/	339,795	1 14 5	1,343,420	6.80	3/6, 1/	231,521	1 3 5	6/	44,676
1896	208,518	451,679	2.17	16/	361,343	1 14 8	1,378,814	6.61	3/6, 1/	237,135	1 3 2	6/	50,453
1897	212,551	478,136	2.25	16/	382,509	1 16 0	1,418,205	£ 6.7	3/6, 1/	242,291	1 2 9 1/2	6/	59,704

* Includes heavy clearances in view of case spirits being taken at 2, 3, and 4 gallons, instead of actual quantities, on the 1st December, 1888.

† Alterations in 1888: Spirits in bottle, 16/; in bulk, 15/; in 1889: Spirits in bulk and bottle, 16/.

‡ The 1/ and 1/6 rate is for New-Zealand-manufactured tobacco.

§ The 1/ and 1/6 rate is for New-Zealand-manufactured cigars and cigarettes.

¶ Cigars and snuff, 7/ and 1/6 per pound, and from 1st January to 20th September, 7/ per pound, and from 21st September to 31st December, 17/6 per 1,000 of 24lb. and under, and 6d. per ounce for weight over 24lb. per 1,000.

** Cigars and snuff, 7/ and 1/6 per pound, and 17/6 per 1,000 of 24lb. and under, and 6d. per ounce for weight over 24lb. per 1,000.

Year.	Male and Female Population over Fifteen Years (including Maoris).	Wine.				Ale and Beer.				Tea.			
		Gallons.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.*	Duty.	Per Head.	Gallons.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty. †	Duty.	Per Head.	Lb.	Rate of Duty.
1878	278,321	194,892	0.70	4/	39,635	£ s. d.	488,252	1.75	1/3, 1/	29,315	0.08	2,896,720	s. d.
1879	296,110	198,657	0.67	4, 5/	37,748	2 10	492,704	1.66	1/3, 1/	29,852	0 3 0	4,808,100	0 6
1880	308,079	152,002	0.49	4, 5/	37,332	2 5	430,990	1.40	1/6, 1/3, 1/	30,024	0 3 2	3,070,980	0 4
1881	316,439	165,460	0.52	4, 5/	40,521	2 8	437,784	1.38	1/6, 1/3	32,036	0 4 1	3,887,862	0 4
1882	327,387	179,048	0.54	4, 5/	43,780	2 7	422,946	1.29	1/6, 1/3	30,974	0 2 4	3,919,860	0 4
1883	342,113	166,638	0.49	4, 5/	40,345	2 4	422,946	1.16	1/6, 1/3	27,291	0 2 2	3,763,080	0 4
1884	357,104	150,221	0.42	4, 5/	36,353	2 0	390,234	1.09	1/6, 1/3	28,724	0 2 2	4,391,940	0 4
1885	384,959	149,788	0.41	4/6, 5/6, 6/6	37,978	2 1	422,788	1.16	1/6, 1/3	31,210	0 2 5	4,081,920	0 4
1886	374,586	123,355	0.33	4/6, 5/6, 6/6	32,884	1 9	334,158	0.89	1/6, 1/3	24,006	0 2 2	631,214	0 4
1887	382,797	117,991	0.31	4/6, 5/6, 6/6	31,469	1 8	300,093	0.78	1/6, 1/3	22,151	0 2 2	4,045,500	0 4
1888	395,157	101,170	0.26	4/6, 5/6, 6/6	28,497	1 6	268,117	0.70	1/6, 1/3	19,946	0 2 6	4,815,120	0 4
1889	392,735	107,818	0.27	5/	31,643	1 7	274,427	0.70	1/6	20,582	0 2 1	4,036,980	4/6
1890	398,905	115,091	0.29	5/	33,518	1 8	266,147	0.67	1/6	19,961	0 2 9 1/2	3,696,280	0 6
1891	407,930	108,066	0.27	5/	31,513	1 7	248,039	0.61	1/6	18,603	0 2 11 1/2	3,951,480	0 6
1892	417,673	111,704	0.27	5/	32,607	1 6 1/2	261,867	0.62	1/6	19,640	0 3 0 1/2	4,055,193	0 6
1893	430,885	112,116	0.26	5/	32,641	1 6 1/2	229,960	0.53	1/6	17,247	0 3 1 1/2	4,088,360	0 6
1894	439,198	97,984	0.22	5/	28,412	1 3 1/2	212,613	0.45	1/6	15,946	0 2 10 1/2	4,083,840	0 6
1895	444,298	93,138	0.21	5/	27,102	1 2 1/2	201,770	0.48	1/6, 2/	17,120	0 2 6 1/2	4,126,440	0 6
1896	479,015	99,473	0.21	5/	28,846	1 2 1/2	182,080	0.38	2/	18,208	0 1 11 1/2	4,431,480	0 4
1897	488,472	105,060	0.21	5/	30,518	1 2 1/2	190,350	0.39	2/	19,035	0 1 11 1/2	4,564,860	0 4

* Alterations in 1877: Wine (Australian) ... 4/; Sparkling (Other kinds) ... 4/; Ale and Beer (Bottle) ... 1/3; 1888: 1889: 1890: 1891: 1892: 1893: 1894: 1895: 1896: 1897: 1898: 1899: 1900: 1901: 1902: 1903: 1904: 1905: 1906: 1907: 1908: 1909: 1910: 1911: 1912: 1913: 1914: 1915: 1916: 1917: 1918: 1919: 1920: 1921: 1922: 1923: 1924: 1925: 1926: 1927: 1928: 1929: 1930: 1931: 1932: 1933: 1934: 1935: 1936: 1937: 1938: 1939: 1940: 1941: 1942: 1943: 1944: 1945: 1946: 1947: 1948: 1949: 1950: 1951: 1952: 1953: 1954: 1955: 1956: 1957: 1958: 1959: 1960: 1961: 1962: 1963: 1964: 1965: 1966: 1967: 1968: 1969: 1970: 1971: 1972: 1973: 1974: 1975: 1976: 1977: 1978: 1979: 1980: 1981: 1982: 1983: 1984: 1985: 1986: 1987: 1988: 1989: 1990: 1991: 1992: 1993: 1994: 1995: 1996: 1997: 1998: 1999: 2000: 2001: 2002: 2003: 2004: 2005: 2006: 2007: 2008: 2009: 2010: 2011: 2012: 2013: 2014: 2015: 2016: 2017: 2018: 2019: 2020: 2021: 2022: 2023: 2024: 2025: 2026: 2027: 2028: 2029: 2030: 2031: 2032: 2033: 2034: 2035: 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Coffee, Cocoa, and Chicory.					Sugar.				Ad Valorem Goods.			
Year.	Total Population (including Maoris).	Lb.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Per Head.	Duty.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.
1878	476,114	678,736	1.43	/3, /5	8,501	0 4½	0 1	128,203	s. d. 5 5	£ 364,678	£ s. d. 0 15 4	Per cent. 10
1879	507,324	657,232	1.30	/3, /5	8,239	0 4	0 0½	87,025	3 5	325,115	0 12 10	10, 15, 25
1880	528,459	622,016	1.18	/3, /5	7,802	0 3½	0 0½	76,732	3 5	301,704	0 11 5	15, 25
1881	545,007	723,752	1.32	/3, /5	9,062	0 4	0 0½	78,568	2 11	386,728	0 14 2	15, 25
1882	561,763	720,528	1.28	/3, /5	9,133	0 3½	0 0½	83,454	3 0	397,621	0 15 10	15, 25
1883	584,975	571,568	0.98	/3, /5	7,181	0 3	0 0½	91,576	3 2	358,383	0 13 7	15, 25
1884	608,401	684,380	1.13	/3, /5	8,589	0 3½	0 0½	110,447	3 7	388,941	0 11 9	15, 25
1885	626,517	684,400	1.09	/3, /5	8,579	0 3½	0 0½	94,361	3 0	338,374	0 10 9	15, 25
1886	631,214	604,016	0.96	/3, /5	7,539	0 2½	0 0½	107,007	3 3	291,901	0 9 0	15, 25
1887	645,330	622,176	0.96	/3, /5	7,790	0 2½	0 0½	104,797	3 2½	327,203	0 10 1	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1888	649,349	608,176	0.94	/3, /5	7,605	0 2½	0 0½	102,454	3 1	418,969	0 12 7½	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1889	662,248	495,120	0.75	/3, /5	6,207	0 2½	0 0½	113,876	3 4½	427,834	0 12 8½	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1890	672,750	583,792	0.87	/3, /5	7,299	0 2½	0 0½	118,560	3 4½	448,905	0 13 3½	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1891	675,775	567,954	0.84	/3, /5	7,108	0 2½	0 0½	120,963	3 6	499,506	0 14 5½	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1892	692,426	544,800	0.79	/3, /5	6,820	0 2½	0 0½	128,976	3 5½	492,236	0 13 9½	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1893	714,258	561,360	0.79	/3, /5	7,021	0 2½	0 0½	132,323	3 7½	429,594	0 11 9½	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1894	728,121	490,364	0.67	/3, /5	6,145	0 2	0 0½	136,602	3 8½	447,749	0 12 1	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1895	740,699	481,800	0.65	/2, /3, /5	5,677	0 1½	0 0½	140,408	3 8½	562,961	0 14 11	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1896	754,016	524,408	0.70	/2, /3, /5	5,495	0 1½	0 0½	147,498	3 10	634,043	0 16 5½	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
1897	768,910	544,288	0.70	/2, /3, /5	5,722	0 1½	0 0½					25, 40

NOTE.—Total revenue from Customs: 1878, £1,344,944, equal to £2 16s. 6d. per head; 1896, £1,767,832, equal to £2 6s. 10½d. per head. Decrease equal to 17'00 per cent.

NEW-ZEALAND-BREWED BEER.

Year.	Male and Female Population over Fifteen Years (including Maoris).	Total Gallons consumed.	Per Head.	Excise Duty per Gallon.	Duty.	Per Head.
1890	308,079	2,438,000	Gallons. 7.9*	s. d. 0 3	£ 30,475	s. d. 1 11½*
1881	316,439	4,624,160	14.6	0 3	57,802	3 7½
1882	327,387	4,938,240	15.0	0 3	61,728	3 9½
1883	342,113	4,758,000	13.9	0 3	59,475	3 5½
1884	357,104	4,456,240	12.5	0 3	55,703	3 1½
1885	364,959	4,402,720	12.0	0 3	55,034	3 0
1886	374,586	4,248,760	11.3	0 3	53,047	2 10
1887	382,797	4,264,160	11.1	0 3	53,302	2 9½
1888	385,157	4,050,560	10.5	0 3	50,632	2 7½
1889	392,735	4,402,480	11.2	0 3	55,031	2 9½
1890	398,905	4,676,240	11.7	0 3	58,453	2 11
1891	407,590	4,567,955	11.2	0 3	57,099	2 9½
1892	417,673	4,752,720	11.4	0 3	59,409	2 10
1893	430,885	4,873,600	11.3	0 3	60,920	2 10
1894	439,198	4,807,360	10.9	0 3	60,092	2 9
1895	444,298	4,936,400	11.1	0 3	61,705	2 9½
1896	479,015	5,382,960	11.2	0 3	67,287	2 9½
1897	486,472	5,741,200	11.7	0 3	71,765	2 11½

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