

1903.
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.	Gallons.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Lb.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Per Head.
1882	157,686	586,322	3.72	7/12, 14/14	410,856	2 12 1	1,080,515	6.85	3/6	189,090	1 4 0	91,543	0.58	£ s. d. 27,463
1883	162,824	576,058	3.54	12/14, 14/14	402,981	2 9 6	1,069,307	6.57	3/6	187,129	1 3 0	92,400	0.57	27,720
1884	167,338	551,763	3.29	12/14, 14/14	385,755	2 5 11	1,163,774	7.04	3/6	203,063	1 4 2	99,777	0.59	29,233
1885	170,206	507,812	2.98	12/14, 14/14	361,692	2 2 6	1,198,410	7.04	3/6	208,161	1 4 6	106,266	0.62	30,455
1886	172,180	473,369	2.75	14/6	343,192	1 19 10	1,144,897	6.65	3/6	197,378	1 2 11	94,305	0.55	28,292
1887	174,907	463,087	2.65	14/6	335,738	1 18 5	1,138,655	6.51	3/6	198,152	1 2 8	99,290	0.57	28,067
1888	174,355	439,084	2.86*	14/6, 15/16	377,339	2 3 4	1,149,734	6.59	3/6	198,856	1 2 10	100,785	0.58	28,007
1889	176,988	369,086	2.09	15/16	281,835	1 11 10	1,137,340	6.54	3/6	199,617	1 2 7	103,258	0.58	34,637
1890	182,310	435,075	2.39	15/16	333,848*	1 16 7	1,173,831	6.44	3/6	203,593	1 2 4	112,640	0.62	38,430
1891	182,280	442,360	2.43	15/16	339,758	1 17 3	1,237,082	6.90	3/6	214,789	1 3 7	127,438	0.70	41,745
1892	185,070	456,995	2.47	15/16	351,154	1 17 11	1,244,089	6.72	3/6	212,998	1 3 0	134,070	0.73	44,491
1893	193,176	464,195	2.40	15/16	356,602	1 16 11	1,273,754	6.59	3/6	218,637	1 2 7 1/2	161,133	0.83	49,531
1894	196,005	439,153	2.24	15/16	337,247	1 14 5	1,261,826	6.44	3/6	215,292	1 2 11 1/2	143,830	0.73	44,576
1895	197,521	435,431	2.20	15/16	339,795	1 14 5	1,343,420	6.80	3/6	231,521	1 3 5	143,830	0.73	50,453
1896	208,518	451,679	2.17	16/16	361,343	1 14 8	1,378,814	6.61	3/6	237,135	1 2 9	143,830	0.73	59,704
1897	212,551	478,136	2.25	16/16	382,509	1 16 0	1,418,205	6.67	3/6	242,291	1 2 9 1/2	143,830	0.73	63,538
1898	216,431	491,846	2.27	16/16	393,478	1 16 4	1,491,543	6.89	3/6	259,798	1 4 0	143,830	0.73	71,582
1899	219,858	515,384	2.34	16/16	412,304	1 17 6	1,526,505	6.94	3/6	265,380	1 4 2	143,830	0.73	77,810
1900	223,454	549,932	2.46	16/16	439,946	1 19 5	1,617,920	7.28	3/6	277,196	1 4 2	143,830	0.73	82,357
1901	241,078	536,073	2.47	16/16	476,888	1 19 7	1,713,590	7.11	3/6	293,389	1 4 4 1/2	143,830	0.73	90,664
1902	247,526	602,021	2.43	16/16	481,617	1 18 11	1,639,143	6.86	3/6	292,110	1 3 7 1/2	143,830	0.73	95,181

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 1895—Spirits in bulk and bottle, 16.
 † Alterations in 1895—Spirits in bottle, 16; in bulk, 15; in 1895—Spirits in bulk and bottle, 16.
 ‡ Alterations in 1895—Cigars and snuff, 7 per pound, and from 1st January to 26th September, 7 per pound, and from 21st September to 31st December, 17 per pound, and 6d. per ounce for weight over 2 1/2 lb. per 1,000.
 § Alterations in 1895—Cigars and snuff, 7 and 1 1/2 per pound; and from 1st January to 26th September, 7 per pound, and from 21st September to 31st December, 17 per pound, and 6d. per ounce for weight over 2 1/2 lb. 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.	Gallons.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Total Population (including Maoris).	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.		
1882	327,387	179,048	0.54	4/5, 6/6	43,780	2 8	1.6, 1/3	30,974	1 11	1882	561,763	3,919,860	6.98	0 4	65,381
1883	342,113	166,638	0.49	4/5, 6/6	40,345	2 4	1.6, 1/3	27,291	1 7	1883	584,975	3,763,080	6.43	0 4	62,718
1884	357,104	150,221	0.42	4/5, 6/6	36,353	2 0	1.6, 1/3	28,724	1 7	1884	608,401	4,391,940	7.22	0 4	73,199
1885	364,959	149,788	0.41	4/5, 6/6	37,978	2 1	1.6, 1/3	31,210	1 9	1885	626,517	4,081,920	6.51	0 4	68,092
1886	374,586	123,355	0.33	4/5, 6/6	32,884	1 9	1.6, 1/3	24,606	1 4	1886	631,214	4,045,500	6.40	0 4	67,425
1887	382,797	117,991	0.31	4/5, 6/6	31,469	1 8	1.6, 1/3	22,151	1 2	1887	645,330	4,815,120	7.40	0 4	80,252
1888	385,157	101,170	0.26	4/5, 6/6	28,497	1 6	1.6, 1/3	19,946	1 0	1888	649,849	4,036,980	6.22	1/4, 1/6	78,125
1889	392,735	107,818	0.27	5/6, 9/9	31,643	1 7	1/6	20,582	1 1	1889	662,248	3,696,280	5.58	0 6	92,407
1890	398,905	115,091	0.29	5/6, 9/9	33,518	1 8	1/6	19,961	1 0	1890	672,750	3,951,480	5.87	0 6	98,787
1891	407,590	108,066	0.27	5/6, 9/9	31,513	1 7	1/6	18,603	0 11	1891	675,775	4,055,193	6.00	0 6	101,380
1892	417,673	111,704	0.27	5/6, 9/9	32,607	1 6 1/2	1/6	19,640	0 11 1/2	1892	692,426	4,088,360	5.90	0 6	102,209
1893	430,885	112,116	0.26	5/6, 9/9	32,641	1 6 1/2	1/6	17,247	0 9 1/2	1893	714,258	4,083,840	5.72	0 6	102,096
1894	439,198	97,934	0.22	5/6, 9/9	28,412	1 3 1/2	1/6	15,946	0 8 1/2	1894	728,121	4,126,440	5.67	0 6	103,161
1895	444,298	93,138	0.21	5/6, 9/9	27,102	1 2 1/2	1/6, 2/	17,120	0 9 1/2	1895	740,699	4,472,528	6.04	1/6, 1/3, 1/4, and 1/3	94,716
1896	479,015	99,473	0.21	5/6, 9/9	28,846	1 2 1/2	2/	18,208	0 9	1896	754,016	4,431,480	5.88	0 4	73,858
1897	488,472	105,060	0.21	5/6, 9/9	30,518	1 2 1/2	2/	19,035	0 9 1/2	1897	768,910	4,564,860	5.93	0 4	76,081
1898	497,619	107,595	0.22	5/6, 9/9	31,138	1 3	2/	19,158	0 9 1/2	1898	783,317	4,720,500	6.03	0 4	78,676
1899	505,899	111,049	0.22	5/6, 9/9	32,045	1 3 1/2	2/	17,594	0 8 1/2	1899	796,359	4,798,500	6.03	0 4	79,975
1900	514,999	116,188	0.22	5/6, 9/9	33,614	1 3 1/2	2/	17,562	0 8 1/2	1900	810,536	5,174,640	6.38	1/4 and 1/2	68,960
1901	522,028	123,591	0.22	5/6, 9/9	35,864	1 3 1/2	2/	18,849	0 8	1901	830,800	5,508,600	6.63	0 2	45,905
1902	565,533	126,447	0.22	5/6, 9/9	36,744	1 3 1/2	2/	20,152	0 8 1/2	1902	851,072	5,068,581	5.98	0 2	42,405

Alterations—1877. 4/7. 1880. 4/7. 1886. 4/7. 1896. 4/7. 1898. 4/7. 1900. 4/7. 1901. 4/7. 1902. 4/7.
 † Alterations—1886. 1/3. 1888. 1/3. 1890. 1/3. 1891. 1/3. 1892. 1/3. 1893. 1/3. 1894. 1/3. 1895. 1/3. 1896. 1/3. 1897. 1/3. 1898. 1/3. 1899. 1/3. 1900. 1/3. 1901. 1/3. 1902. 1/3.
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Year.	Coffee, Cocoa, and Chicory.				Sugar.				Ad Valorem Goods.				
	Total Population (including Maoris).	Lb.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.	Duty.	Per Head.	Rate of Duty.
1882	561,763	720,528	1.28	/3, /5	9,133	0 33	0 0	83,484	3 0	0 15	445,612	0 15	15, 25
1883	584,975	571,568	0.98	/3, /5	7,181	0 3	0 0	91,576	3 2	0 13	397,621	0 13	15, 25
1884	608,401	684,880	1.13	/3, /5	8,589	0 34	0 0	110,447	3 7	0 11	358,383	0 11	15, 25
1885	626,517	684,400	1.09	/3, /5	8,579	0 34	0 0	94,361	3 0	0 12	388,941	0 12	15, 25
1886	631,214	604,016	0.96	/3, /5	7,559	0 24	0 0	94,287	3 0	0 10	388,374	0 10	15, 25
1887	645,830	632,176	0.96	/3, /5	7,700	0 24	0 0	107,007	3 3	0 9	329,190	0 9	15, 25
1888	649,349	608,176	0.94	/3, /5	7,605	0 24	0 0	104,797	3 2	0 10	327,203	0 10	15, 25
1889	662,248	495,120	0.75	/3, /5	6,207	0 21	0 0	102,454	3 1	0 12	418,969	0 12	15, 20, 25
1890	672,750	583,792	0.87	/3, /5	7,299	0 24	0 0	113,876	3 4	0 12	427,834	0 12	15, 20, 25
1891	675,775	567,994	0.84	/3, /5	7,108	0 24	0 0	113,560	3 4	0 13	448,905	0 13	15, 20, 25
1892	692,426	544,800	0.79	/3, /5	6,820	0 24	0 0	120,963	3 6	0 14	499,506	0 14	15, 20, 25
1893	714,258	561,360	0.79	/3, /5	7,021	0 24	0 0	123,976	3 5	0 13	492,236	0 13	15, 20, 25
1894	728,121	490,864	0.67	/3, /5	6,145	0 2	0 0	132,323	3 7	0 11	429,591	0 11	15, 20, 25
1895	740,699	481,800	0.65	/2, /3, /5	5,677	0 1	0 0	136,602	3 8	0 12	447,749	0 12	15, 20, 22
1896	754,016	524,408	0.70	/2, /3, /5	5,495	0 1	0 0	140,408	3 6	0 11	562,961	0 11	15, 20, 22
1897	768,910	544,288	0.70	/2, /3, /5	5,722	0 1	0 0	147,498	3 10	0 16	634,043	0 16	15, 20, 22
1898	783,317	523,392	0.67	/2, /3, /5	5,463	0 1	0 0	152,702	3 10	0 16	637,506	0 16	15, 20, 22
1899	796,359	640,152	0.80	/2, /3, /5	6,968	0 2	0 0	160,948	4 0	0 17	682,722	0 17	15, 20, 22
1900	810,536	467,008*	0.57	/2, /3, /5	5,285	0 1	0 0	166,915	4 1	0 19	775,649	0 19	15, 20, 22
1901	830,800	371,760	0.44	/3	4,647	0 1	0 0	170,589	4 1	0 19	808,532	0 19	15, 20, 22
1902	851,072	422,362	0.49	/3	5,267	0 1	0 0	182,308	4 3	1 0	867,209	1 0	15, 20, 22

NOTE.—Total revenue from Customs: 1882, £1,515,917, equal to £2 13s. 11½d. per head; 1902, £2,289,782, equal to £2 13s. 9½d. per head. Decrease equal to 0.31 per cent. * This does not include coffee, raw, admitted free under 1900 tariff, and coffee, roasted, and cocoa, entered free between passing of first and second resolutions, from 18th to 28th August, inclusive.

NEW ZEALAND-BREWFD BEER.

Year.	Male and Female Population over Fifteen Years (including Maoris).		Total Gallons consumed.		Excise Duty per Gallon.	
	Year.	Population	Per Head.	Duty.	Per Head.	Duty.
1892	327,387	4,938,240	15.0	£ 61,728	3 9	3 9
1893	342,113	4,758,000	13.9	59,475	3 5	3 5
1894	357,104	4,456,240	12.5	55,703	3 1	3 1
1895	364,959	4,402,720	12.0	55,084	3 0	3 0
1896	374,586	4,243,760	11.3	53,047	2 10	2 10
1897	382,797	4,264,160	11.1	53,302	2 9	2 9
1898	385,157	4,050,560	10.5	50,632	2 7	2 7
1899	392,735	4,402,480	11.2	55,031	2 9	2 9
1899	398,905	4,676,240	11.7	58,453	2 11	2 11
1891	407,590	4,567,955	11.2	57,099	2 9	2 9
1892	417,673	4,752,720	11.4	59,409	2 10	2 10
1893	430,885	4,873,670	11.3	60,920	2 10	2 10
1894	439,198	4,807,360	10.9	60,092	2 9	2 9
1895	444,298	4,936,400	11.1	61,705	2 9	2 9
1896	479,015	5,382,960	11.2	67,287	2 9	2 9
1897	488,472	5,741,200	11.7	71,765	2 11	2 11
1898	497,619	6,013,120	12.1	75,164	3 0	3 0
1899	505,819	6,261,200	12.3	78,265	3 1	3 1
1900	514,900	6,811,280	13.2	85,141	3 3	3 3
1901	552,028	7,134,800	12.9	89,185	3 3	3 3
1902	565,533	7,179,860	12.7	89,742	3 2	3 2

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