TARIFF ITEM	ITEM DESCRIPTION	UNIT	BASIC	EFFECT.	PRE.	ACD	CVD.	CESS	TOTAL	POLICY	REMARKS
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)

# **Chapter 22**

# Beverages, Spirits and Vinegar

#### Notes.

- This Chapter does not cover:
  - (a) Products falling thereunder (other than those of heading 22.09) prepared for culinary purposes and thereby rendered unsuitable for consumption as beverages (generally heading 21.03);
  - (b) Sea water (heading 25.01);
  - (c) Distilled or conductivity water or water of similar purity (heading 2853);
  - (d) Acetic acid of a concentration exceeding 10% by weight of acetic acid (heading 29.15);
  - (e) Medicaments of heading 30.03 or 30.04; or
  - (f) Perfumery or toilet preparations (Chapter 33).
- 2. For the purposes of this Chapter and of Chapters 20 and Chapter 21, the "alcoholic strength by volume" shall be determined at a temperature of 20°C.
- 3. For the purposes of heading 22.02, the term "non-alcoholic beverages" means beverages of an alcoholic strength by volume not exceeding 0.5% vol. Alcoholic beverages are classified in headings 22.03 to 22.06 or heading 22.08 as appropriate.

#### Sub-heading Note.

For the purposes of sub-heading 2204.10, the expression "sparkling wine" means wine which, when kept at a temperature of 20°C in closed containers, has an excess pressure of not less than 3 bars.

### **■** Note on Effective Duty

For exemption in this Chapter please see Appendix-A; Ntfn 21/2002-Cus. dated 01.03.2002; [Sl. No. 7, 48-51, 93, 114, 140, 167, 174, 190, 192, 214-238, 242, 249, 257, 279-287, 320, 347-349, 351, 357-371, 387, 391, 392, 405-407, 409].

### ■ Note on Countervailing Duty

CVD on goods below is as per Ntfn 32/2003-Cus. dated 01.03.2003.

S. No.	Heading	Description of goods	Rate of additional duty
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	2203, 2204, 2205, or 2206	All goods put up in bottles or cans or any other packing, for ultimate sale in retail and having a CIF price,-	
		(a) not exceeding USD 25 per case;	75% ad valorem
		(b) exceeding USD 25 but not exceeding USD 40 per case;	50% <i>ad valorem</i> or USD 37 per case, whichever is higher
		(c) exceeding USD 40 per case	20% <i>ad valorem</i> or USD 40 per case, whichever is higher
2.		All goods put up in bottles or cans or any other packing, for ultimate sale in retail and having a CIF price,-	
		(a) not exceeding USD 10 per case;	150% ad valorem
		(b) exceeding USD 10 but not exceeding USD 20 per case;	100% <i>ad valorem</i> or USD 40 per case, whichever is higher
		(c) exceeding USD 20 but not exceeding USD 40 per case;	50% <i>ad valorem</i> or USD 53.2 per case, whichever is higher
		(d) exceeding USD 40 per case	25% <i>ad valorem</i> or USD 53.2 per case, whichever is higher

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2201	Waters, including natural or artificial mineral waters and aerated waters, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter nor flavoured; ice and snow										CVD: By Ntfn 02/2008-CE dated 01.03.2008; Sl. No.10; MRP based CVD See Ntfn 49/08-CE (N.T.) dated 24.12.2008
2201 10	- Mineral waters and aerated waters:										
2201 10 10	Mineral Water	l	30.00	30.00		4	10	1.30	50.479	Free	
2201 10 20	Aerated Water	1	30.00	30.00		4	10	1.30	50.479	Free	CVD: Aerated waters pre- pared and dispensed by vending machines - Nil by 3/2006-CE dated 01.03.2006
2201 90	- Other:										
2201 90 10	Ice & Snow	l	30.00	30.00		4	0	0.90	36.136	Free	

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2201 90 90	Other	l	30.00			4	0	0.90	36.136		Exemption: ACD by Ntfn 20/06-Cus. dated 01.03.2006; CVD on Water not cleared in sealed con- tainer is - Nil by Ntfn 3/2006-CE dated 01.03.2006
2202	Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured, and other non-alcoholic beverages, not including fruit or vegetable juices of heading 20.09										CVD: By Ntfn 02/2008-CE dated 01.03.2008; Sl. No.10; MRP based CVD See Ntfn 49/08-CE (N.T.) dated 24.12.2008
2202 10	- Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured:										
2202 10 10	Aerated Waters	l	30.00	30.00		4	10	1.30	50.479	Free	CVD: Aerated waters pre- pared and dispensed by vending machines - Nil by 3/2006-CE dated 01.03.2006
2202 10 20	Lemonade	1	30.00			4	10	1.30	50.479		
2202 10 90 2202 90	Other - Other:	1	30.00	30.00		4	10	1.30	50.479	Free	Exemption: Effective Duty on Cranberry products is - 10% by Ntfn 21/02-Cus. dated 01.03.2002; Sl. No. 45A
2202 90 10	Soya Milk Drinks, whether or not sweetened or flavoured	1	30.00	30.00		4	5	1.10	43.308	Free	All goods is 1% without CENVAT Credit by 01/2011-CE dated 01.03.2011. MRP based CVD See Ntfn 49/08-CE (N.T.) dated 24.12.2008.
2202 90 20	Fruit pulp or Fruit juice based drinks	1	30.00	30.00		4	5	1.10	43.308	Free	All goods is 5% by 02/2011- CE dated 01.03.2011 and 1% without CENVAT Credit by 01/2011-CE dated 01.03.2011. MRP based CVD See Ntfn 49/08-CE
2202 90 30	Beverages containing milk	1	30.00	30.00		4	10	1.30	50.479	Free	(N.T.) dated 24.12.2008. Flavoured milk of animal origin is 5% by 02/2011-CE dated 01.03.2011 and 1% without CENVAT Credit by 01/2011-CE dated 01.03.2011. MRP based CVD See Ntfn 49/08-CE
2202 90 90	Other	1	30.00	30.00		4	10	1.30	50.479	Free	(N.T.) dated 24.12.2008. Exemption: CVD on Tender Coconut water is 5% by 02/2011-CE dated 01.03.2011 and 1% without CENVAT Credit by 01/2011-CE dated 01.03.2011. MRP based CVD See Ntfn 49/08-CE (N.T.) dated 24.12.2008.
2203	Beer made from malt	1	100.00	100.00		0		Cus. 1 32/03	Free	(N.T.) a	RP based CVD See Ntfn 49/08-CE dated 24.12.2008; ACD exemption fn 82/2007-Cus. dated 03.07.3007
2204	Wine of fresh grapes, including fortified wines; grape must other than that of heading 20.09									,	BCD by Ntfn 81/2007-Cus. dated 03.07.2007. This duty is increased to 150% from 100%; ACD exemption by 82/2007-Cus. dated 03.07.2007; Exemption to education cess by 69/2004-Cus. dated 09.07.2004, Sl. No. 53; CVD: Flavoured

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	<del>, 7</del>	(~)	\^)	(~)	(~)	(*)	(×)	\*/	(==)	\ <del></del> /	milk of animal origin is - Nil by Ntfn 3/2005-CE dated 24.02.2005
2204 10 00	- Sparkling wine	1	150.00	150.00		0		Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2204 21	<ul> <li>Other wine; grape must with fermentation prevented or arrested by the addition of alcohol</li> <li>In containers holding 2 L or less:</li> </ul>						.,,	o <b>_</b> , oo			
2204 21 10	Port & other red wines	1	150.00	150.00		0		Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2204 21 20	Sherry & other white wines	1	150.00	150.00		0	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2204 21 90	Other	1	150.00	150.00		0	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2204 29	Other:							,			
2204 29 10	Port & other red wines	l	150.00	150.00		0		Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2204 29 20	Sherry & other white wines	l	150.00	150.00		0	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2204 29 90	Other	l	150.00	150.00		0	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2204 30 00	- Other grape must	l	150.00	150.00		0	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2205	Vermouth and other wine of fresh grapes flavoured with plants or aromatic substances										BCD by Ntfn 81/2007-Cus. dated 03.07.2007. This duty is increased to 150% from 100%; ACD exemption by 82/2007-Cus. dated 03.07.2007; Exemption to education cess by 69/2004-Cus. dated 09.07.2004, Sl. No. 53; CVD: Flavoured milk of animal origin is - Nil by Ntfn 3/2005-CE dated 24.02.2005
2205 10 00	- In containers hold 2 L or less	1	150.00	150.00		0		Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2205 90 00	- Other	1	150.00	150.00		0	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2206	Other fermented beverages (for example, cider, perry, mead); mixtures of fermented beverages and non-alcoholic beverages not elsewhere specified or included	1	150.00	150.00		0	See		0.00	Free	BCD by Ntfn 81/2007-Cus. dated 03.07.2007. This duty is increased to 150% from 100%; ACD exemption by 82/2007-Cus. dated 03.07.2007; Exemption to education cess by 69/2004-Cus. dated 09.07.2004, Sl. No. 53; CVD: Flavoured milk of animal origin is - Nil by Ntfn 3/2005-CE dated 24.02.2005
2207	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80% vol. or higher, ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength										
2207 10	- Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an strength alcoholic by volume of 80% vol. or higher Rectified spirit:										Exemption: For Basic and CVD See Ntfn 21/02-Cus. dated 01.03.2002; Sl. No. 49 Cess Exemption: See Ntfn 69/2004-Cus. dated 09.07.2004 Sl. No. 1
2207 10 11 2207 10 19	Concentrates of alcoholic beverages Other	1 1		150.00 150.00		4	0	0.00	160.000 160.000		
2207 10 90	Other	1		150.00		4	0	0.00	160.000		
2207 20 00	- Ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength	1	30.00	7.50		4	10	0.00	23.315		Exemption: See Ntfn 21/02- Cus. dated 01.03.2002; Sl. No. 50; CVD: All spirits (other than denatured ethyl

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(1)	ITEM DESCRIPTION (2)	UNIT (3)	BASIC (4)	EFFECT. (5)	PKE. (6)	(7)	(8)	CESS (9)	TOTAL (10)	POLICY (11)	REMARKS (12)
											alcohol of any strength) - Nil by 3/2005-CE dated 24.02.05; Others - 10% by Ntfn 02/2008-CE dated 01.03.2008; Sl. No.10
2208	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of less than 80% vol.; Spirit, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages										Exemption: See Ntfn 21/02- Cus. dated 01.03.2002; Sl. No. 51; Cess Exemption: See Ntfn 69/2004-Cus. dated 09.07.2004 Sl. No. 1.
2208 20	- Spirits obtained by distilling grape wine or grape marc:										03.07.2004 31.140. 1.
2208 20 11	In containers holding 2 L or less: Brandy	1	150.00	150.00		4	See O		0.00	Free	
2208 20 12	Liquors	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 20 19	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4	See 9	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 20 91	Other Brandy	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 20 92	Liquors	l	150.00	150.00		4	Ntfn 3	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 20 99	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 30	- Whiskies:						Ntfn (	32/03			
2208 30 11	In containers holding 2 L or less: Bourbon whiskey	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O		0.00	Free	
2208 30 12	Scotch	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 30 13	Blended	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 30 19	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 30 91	Other Bourbon whiskey	1	150.00	150.00		4	See 9		0.00	Free	
2208 30 92	Scotch	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O	Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 30 93	Blended	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 30 99	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 40	<ul> <li>Rum and other spirits obtained by distilling fermented sugarcane products</li> <li>In containers holding 2 L or less:</li> </ul>							-,			
2208 40 11	~	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O		0.00	Free	
2208 40 12	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 40 91	Other Rum	l	150.00	150.00		4	See O		0.00	Free	
2208 40 92	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 50	- Gin and Geneva: In containers holding 2 L or less:						1 VIII (	32/ 03			
2208 50 11	~	1	150.00	150.00		4	See O		0.00	Free	
2208 50 12	Geneva	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 50 13	Vodka	1	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
	Other:										

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2208 50 92	Geneva	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2208 60 93	Vodka	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	32/03 Cus. 32/03		Free	
2208 70	- Liquers and cordials: In containers holding 2 L or less:										
2208 70 11	Liquers	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2208 70 12	Cordials	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2208 70 91	Other: Liquers	1	150.00	150.00		4		Cus.	0.00	Free	
2208 70 92	Cordials	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	32/03 Cus. 32/03		Free	
2208 90	- Other In containers holding 2 L or less:							,			
2208 90 11	Tequila	l	150.00	150.00		4		Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2208 90 12	Indenatured ethyl alcohol	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	Cus. 32/03		Free	
2208 90 19	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	Cus. 32/03		Free	
2208 90 91	Other Tequila	l	150.00	150.00		4				Free	
2208 90 92	Indenatured ethyl alcohol	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	32/03 Cus. 32/03		Free	
2208 90 99	Other	l	150.00	150.00		4	See	Cus. 32/03	0.00	Free	
2209	Vinegar and substitutes for vinegar obtained from acetic acid							·			CVD: By Ntfn 02/2008-CE dated 01.03.2008; Sl. No.10
2209 00	<ul> <li>Vinegar and substitutes for vinegar obtained from acetic acid:</li> </ul>										
2209 00 10	Brewed vinegar	l	30.00			4	10	1.30	50.479		
2209 00 20 2209 00 90	Synthetic vinegar Other	l 1	30.00	30.00		4	10 10	1.30 1.30	50.479 50.479	Free	
2209 00 90	Other	ι	30.00	30.00		4	10	1.30	30.479	1.166	

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