Florida TaxWatch

HOW FLORIDA COMPARES TAXES

STATE AND LOCAL TAX RANKINGS FOR FLORIDA AND THE NATION



ABOUT TAXWATCH

As an independent, nonpartisan, nonprofit taxpayer research institute and government watchdog, it is the mission of Florida TaxWatch to provide the citizens of Florida and public officials with high quality, independent research and analysis of issues related to state and local government taxation, expenditures, policies, and programs.

Florida TaxWatch works to improve the productivity and accountability of Florida government. Its research recommends productivity enhancements and explains the statewide impact of fiscal and economic policies and practices on citizens and businesses.

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DEAR FELLOW TAXPAYERS

Have you ever wondered how Florida's taxes stack up against the taxes in other states? If so, this report is for you.

The annual Florida TaxWatch How Florida
Compares: Taxes report ranks Florida's state and
local taxes against those levied around the nation.
The nearly 40 tables, charts, and graphs in this
report provide comprehensive information on
state and local tax rates, tax collections, and other
government revenues for all 50 states, and historical
information for Florida.

TaxWatch provides this report each year as a reference tool for Florida's taxpayers, policymakers, and elected officials.

This report is part of our larger How Florida Compares series, which is intended to help Floridians better understand their state through data. This report, like each report in this series, provides neutral, nonpartisan information on where Florida ranks compared to our 49 sister states and the national average.

I hope that you will use this guide as a resource to better understand the cost of your state and local governments and how those costs stack up at local and state levels.

Sincerely,

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KEY FACTS

- Florida continues to be a relatively low tax state.
 Floridians' per capita* state and local own source revenue** collections total \$5,679, the 42nd highest amount among the 50 states (see p. 8).
- Florida's state government collects significantly less revenue per capita than the average state. "Per Capita State Own Source Revenue" is 63.8 percent of the U.S. average (Florida per capita is \$2,584 compared to the U.S. average of \$4,049, a difference of \$1,465); "Per Capita State Tax Collections" are 64.2% of the U.S. average (Florida per capita is \$1,839 compared to the U.S. Average of \$2,863, a difference of \$1,024). (See pp. 21-22.)
- While Florida's state tax and revenue burdens are very low compared to the other states, local tax burdens are much higher. Florida's "Per Capita State Own Source Revenue" and "Per Capita State Tax Collections" rank 50th and 49th, respectively (see pp. 21-22), whereas "Per Capita Local Own Source Revenue" and "Per Capita Local Tax Collections" rank 15th and 27th, respectfully (see pp. 40-41).
- Florida relies more heavily on local revenue to fund government than almost all other states.
 Florida local governments account for 53.3 percent of Florida's total state and local revenue, the second highest percentage in the nation (see p. 15).
- Florida's state and local revenue rankings reached their all-time high in 2006 (22nd for both), fueled by skyrocketing local property taxes

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and rapidly increasing sales and documentary stamp tax collections at the state level. As the economy soured, so did revenue collections, as they fell dramatically from their windfall levels. Florida's ranking has dropped 20 spots to 42th in FY 2015 (latest available 50-state data).

- Florida's per capita property tax ranking is right at the median—25th. While state revenue collections began to improve in 2011, it took longer for local property taxes to recover. In 2014, property taxes finally began to reverse a trend of five straight years of declining collections.
- Florida also classifies 38.7 percent of its state and local own-source revenue as non-tax revenue, the 7th largest percentage in the nation (see p. 17). Nearly half (46 percent) of local own-source revenue is classified as non-tax.
- State revenues equal 5.8 percent of Floridians' personal income, and local revenues take out 6.6 percent. This compares to the national average of 8.1 percent and 6.5 percent, respectively.
- Florida relies more heavily on transaction taxes than most states. Transaction taxes (general and selective sales taxes) account for 81.5 percent of all Florida's state tax collections, compared to the national average of 47.2 percent (see p. 24).
- Florida has the highest state and local selective sales (excise) taxes on utilities in the nation.
 Florida also taxes motor fuels and alcoholic

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beverage higher than average, ranking 15th and 19th, respectively (see p. 14).

- Thanks to the 2015 Legislature reducing the communications services tax, Florida's "State & Local Cell Phone Tax Rate" has fallen from 4th highest in 2015 to 8th in 2016 and 10th in 2017. Still, at 14.76 percent, our cell phone tax rate is significantly higher than both the U.S. Average of 12.11 percent and Florida's average state and local general sales tax rate of 6.8 percent. (See p. 19.)
- Florida's housing sector also produces significant revenue for the state. Florida's documentary stamp taxes are rising rapidly again after falling sharply during the recession. Florida collected \$276 of these taxes per capita in 2006, but that amount fell to \$72 in 2009. Housing is improving again, and per capita collections have risen to \$130 in 2016, the nation's second largest burden. (See p. 33.)
- Florida is one of seven states without a personal income tax. The average state relies on personal income taxes for 37.0 percent of its tax revenue. (See p. 28.)
- Businesses pay more than half (51.7 percent) of all state and local taxes in Florida. This is the 12th highest percentage in the nation and higher than the national average of 43.9 percent. (See p. 18.)

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IMPORTANT NOTES

- * Per capita amounts are calculated using state population estimates from the U.S.
 Census Bureau. Fiscal year (FY) population is estimated by averaging the July 1 population for the two years that contain the FY.
 For example, FY2016 is the average between July 1, 2015 and July 1, 2016.
- ** "Own source revenue" is a broader measure of the financial burden citizens incur to pay for their government. It counts all direct revenue, including taxes and non-tax revenue such as charges for services, special assessments, impact fees, and net lottery revenue. It does not include intergovernmental aid, revenue from government-owned utilities and liquor stores, and social insurance funds. The revenue Florida reports to the U.S. Census Bureau as taxes is much lower than official state data.
- *** Fiscal years in this pocket guide refer to the fiscal years of each state, which may vary slightly. Forty-six states, including Florida, have state fiscal years that runs from July 1 June 30. Florida's local governments' fiscal year runs from October 1 to September 30.

SUMMARY OF TAX RANKINGS

Figures are per capita except where noted.

STATE AND LOCAL (FY2015)	FLORIDA	RANK ¹	U.S. AVG.				
Own Source Revenue ²	\$5,679	42	\$7,061				
Total Taxes	\$3,481	46	\$4,887				
Transaction Taxes ³	\$1,796	15	\$1,701				
STATE (FY2016)							
Own Source Revenue⁴	\$2,584	50	\$4,049				
Total Taxes	\$1,839	49	\$2,863				
General Sales Taxes	\$1,089	12	\$899				
Selective Sales Taxes	\$398	33	\$465				
Transaction Taxes	\$1,487	18	\$1,365				
Documentary Stamp Taxes	\$130	2	\$27				
License Taxes	\$110	38	\$162				
Corporate Income Taxes	\$111	29	\$144				
Personal Income Taxes	No Tax	No Tax	\$1,069				
LOCAL (FY2014)							
Own Source Revenue	\$3,029	15	\$3,150				
Taxes	\$1,627	27	\$2,033				
Property Taxes	\$1,244	25	\$1,474				
Transaction Taxes	\$285	26	\$350				
PERCENTAGE OF STATE & LOCAL REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES	53.3%	2	44.6%				
REVENUE PER \$1,000 PERSONAL INCOME							
State and Local	12.4%	46	14.5%				
State	5.8%	49	8.1%				
Local	6.6%	13	6.5%				

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018

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- 1 Rankings out of 50 states, does not include the District of Columbia.
- 2 See definition of "Own Source Revenue" on page 5.
- 3 Transaction taxes are the total of general sales and selective sales (excise) taxes.
- 4 State Own Source Revenue data is for FY2015, all state tax data is FY2016.

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PER CAPITA STATE & LOCAL OWN SOURCE* REVENUE FY2015

1	North Dakota	\$12,319	26	Maine	\$6,515
2	Wyoming	\$11,732	27	Ohio	\$6,499
3	New York	\$11,513	28	New Hampshire	\$6,410
4	Alaska	\$10,042	29	South Carolina	\$6,335
5	Connecticut	\$8,838	30	West Virginia	\$6,311
6	New Jersey	\$8,626	31	Michigan	\$6,243
7	Hawaii	\$8,514	32	Texas	\$6,040
8	California	\$8,379	33	Indiana	\$6,028
9	Massachusetts	\$8,373	34	Utah	\$5,996
10	Minnesota	\$8,178	35	North Carolina	\$5,975
11	Vermont	\$7,719	36	Montana	\$5,881
12	Maryland	\$7,702	37	Mississippi	\$5,878
13	Delaware	\$7,656	38	Oklahoma	\$5,847
14	Colorado	\$7,563	39	Louisiana	\$5,818
15	Iowa	\$7,561	40	South Dakota	\$5,749
16	Rhode Island	\$7,558	41	Nevada	\$5,731
17	Illinois	\$7,354	42	FLORIDA	\$5,679
18	Washington	\$7,346	43	Alabama	\$5,601
19	Nebraska	\$7,327	44	Arkansas	\$5,512
20	Oregon	\$7,125	45	Missouri	\$5,477
	US Average	\$7,061	46	Kentucky	\$5,460
21	Kansas	\$6,982	47	Idaho	\$5,213
22	Pennsylvania	\$6,953	48	Georgia	\$5,177
23	New Mexico	\$6,893	49	Tennessee	\$4,994
24	Virginia	\$6,864	50	Arizona	\$4,924
25	Wisconsin	\$6,684			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	42	\$5,679	80.4%
2014	42	\$5,516	81.2%
2013	38	\$5,579	83.5%
2009	24	\$5,914	95.8%
2006	22	\$5,691	97.2%

^{*}For definition of "Own Source Revenue" see p. 5.

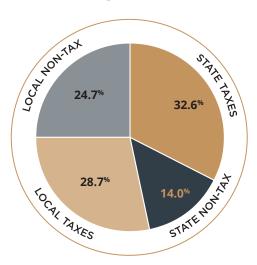
GROWTH IN STATE & LOCAL OWN SOURCE* REVENUE FY2006 TO FY2015

1	North Dakota	152.5%		US Average	29.2%
2	Colorado	49.1%	27	Vermont	28.4%
3	Iowa	45.9%	28	Montana	28.2%
4	Texas	44.5%	29	Pennsylvania	28.1%
5	Hawaii	43.1%	30	New Mexico	27.2%
6	South Dakota	41.9%	31	Rhode Island	26.6%
7	Oregon	40.4%	32	West Virginia	25.5%
8	Washington	40.2%	33	New Jersey	25.1%
9	Minnesota	39.3%	34	Kentucky	24.7%
10	South Carolina	39.1%	35	Idaho	24.1%
11	New York	37.7%	36	Alabama	24.0%
12	Wyoming	37.7%	37	Missouri	23.6%
13	Kansas	36.9%	38	Wisconsin	23.2%
14	Mississippi	36.8%	39	Delaware	20.2%
15	Maryland	36.1%	40	Tennessee	19.7%
16	Nebraska	34.7%	41	Ohio	18.1%
17	California	34.3%	42	Georgia	17.8%
18	Utah	33.9%	43	Nevada	15.4%
19	Massachusetts	33.6%	44	Louisiana	14.8%
20	North Carolina	33.5%	45	Arizona	14.6%
21	Oklahoma	33.5%	46	Michigan	13.6%
22	Illinois	32.8%	47	Maine	13.5%
23	N. Hampshire	32.3%	48	FLORIDA	10.8%
24	Connecticut	30.6%	49	Indiana	5.6%
25	Virginia	29.4%	50	Alaska	-14.1%
26	Arkansas	29.2%			

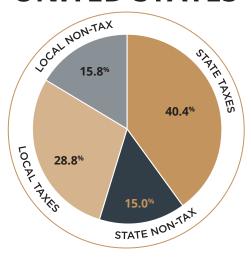
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UNITED STATES*



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^{*} All-state averages include Florida.

STATE & LOCAL GENERAL SALES TAX RATES JANUARY 2018

1	Louisiana	10.02%	26	North Dakota	6.80%
2	Tennessee	9.46%	27	Iowa	6.80%
3	Arkansas	9.41%	28	FLORIDA	6.80%
4	Washington	9.18%	29	Utah	6.77%
5	Alabama	9.10%	30	New Jersey	6.60%
6	Oklahoma	8.91%	31	South Dakota	6.40%
7	Illinois	8.70%	32	West Virginia	6.37%
8	Kansas	8.68%	33	Connecticut	6.35%
9	California	8.54%	34	Pennsylvania	6.34%
10	New York	8.49%	35	Massachusetts	6.25%
11	Arizona	8.33%	36	Vermont	6.18%
12	Texas	8.17%	37	Idaho	6.03%
13	Nevada	8.14%	38	Kentucky	6.00%
14	Missouri	8.03%	38	Maryland	6.00%
15	New Mexico	7.66%	40	Michigan	6.00%
16	Colorado	7.52%	41	Virginia	5.63%
17	Minnesota	7.42%	42	Maine	5.50%
18	South Carolina	7.37%	43	Wyoming	5.46%
	US Average	7.37%	44	Wisconsin	5.42%
19	Ohio	7.15%	45	Hawaii	4.35%
20	Georgia	7.15%	46	Alaska	1.76%
21	Mississippi	7.07%		Delaware	No Tax
22	Indiana	7.00%		Montana	No Tax
22	Rhode Island	7.00%		N. Hampshire	No Tax
24	North Carolina	6.95%		Oregon	No Tax
25	Nebraska	6.89%			

Local rates can vary among jurisdictions. The local rates are population-weighted to get an average local rate. That rate is then added to the state rate to get the total rates above.

Source: Tax Foundation, April 2018. Based on methodology from the Council on State Taxation.

Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

PER CAPITA STATE & LOCAL TAX COLLECTIONS FY2015

1	North Dakota	\$9,307	26	Kansas	\$4,399
2	New York	\$8,721	27	Texas	\$4,161
3	Connecticut	\$7,397	28	New Mexico	\$4,156
4	New Jersey	\$6,668	29	Nevada	\$4,147
5	Wyoming	\$6,409	30	West Virginia	\$4,099
6	Massachusetts	\$6,357	31	Montana	\$4,077
7	Hawaii	\$6,125	32	Michigan	\$4,010
8	Minnesota	\$5,969	33	Louisiana	\$3,959
9	California	\$5,883	34	Arkansas	\$3,878
10	Maryland	\$5,867	35	South Dakota	\$3,866
11	Vermont	\$5,810	36	Indiana	\$3,846
12	Illinois	\$5,736	37	North Carolina	\$3,808
13	Rhode Island	\$5,423	38	Kentucky	\$3,790
14	Maine	\$5,110	39	Oklahoma	\$3,717
15	Nebraska	\$5,075	40	Mississippi	\$3,676
16	Pennsylvania	\$4,954	41	Utah	\$3,664
	US Average	\$4,887	42	Missouri	\$3,655
17	Washington	\$4,813	43	Georgia	\$3,540
18	Delaware	\$4,792	44	Arizona	\$3,518
19	Iowa	\$4,775	45	Alaska	\$3,506
20	Wisconsin	\$4,674	46	FLORIDA	\$3,481
21	N. Hampshire	\$4,651	47	Idaho	\$3,464
22	Colorado	\$4,648	48	South Carolina	\$3,451
23	Virginia	\$4,479	49	Tennessee	\$3,285
24	Ohio	\$4,419	50	Alabama	\$3,150
25	Oregon	\$4,404			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	46	\$3,481	71.2%
2014	46	\$3,351	71.3%
2013	45	\$3,400	73.6%
2009	30	\$3,691	88.4%
2006	22	\$3,850	95.2%

PER CAPITA STATE & LOCAL TRANSACTION TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2015

1	Hawaii	\$3,191	26	Rhode Island	\$1,560
2	Washington	\$2,936	27	Iowa	\$1,557
3	North Dakota	\$2,929	28	Maryland	\$1,555
4	Nevada	\$2,604	29	Pennsylvania	\$1,553
5	Wyoming	\$2,177	30	Alabama	\$1,521
6	New York	\$2,125	31	Maine	\$1,512
7	Louisiana	\$2,109	32	West Virginia	\$1,498
8	Texas	\$2,102	33	Nebraska	\$1,468
9	South Dakota	\$2,074	34	New Jersey	\$1,467
10	New Mexico	\$1,959	35	Wisconsin	\$1,416
11	Arkansas	\$1,923	36	Kentucky	\$1,390
12	Minnesota	\$1,883	37	North Carolina	\$1,379
13	Tennessee	\$1,824	38	Missouri	\$1,354
14	Connecticut	\$1,822	39	Michigan	\$1,352
15	FLORIDA	\$1,796	40	Utah	\$1,298
16	Kansas	\$1,794	41	Massachusetts	\$1,276
17	California	\$1,789	42	Georgia	\$1,250
18	Illinois	\$1,788	43	Idaho	\$1,209
	US Average	\$1,701	44	South Carolina	\$1,172
19	Ohio	\$1,696	45	Virginia	\$1,111
20	Arizona	\$1,680	46	Alaska	\$793
21	Vermont	\$1,675	47	New Hampshire	\$731
22	Mississippi	\$1,669	48	Montana	\$598
23	Colorado	\$1,665	49	Delaware	\$549
24	Oklahoma	\$1,654	50	Oregon	\$497
25	Indiana	\$1,633			

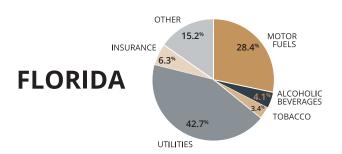
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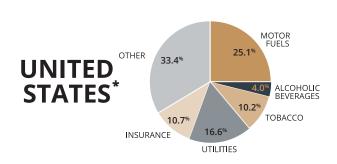
	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	15	\$1,796	105.6%
2014	15	\$1,743	106.9%
2013	11	\$1,780	111.3%
2009	7	\$1,719	121.4%
2006	5	\$1,946	138.8%

PER CAPITA STATE & LOCAL SELECTIVE SALES TAX COLLECTIONS BY SOURCE, FY2015

	FLORIDA	RANK	U.S. AVG
Utilities	\$239	1	\$41
Motor Fuels	\$159	15	\$136
Insurance	\$34	44	\$63
Alcoholic Beverages	\$19	19	\$21
Tobacco	\$59	27	\$56

PERCENTAGE OF STATE & LOCAL SELECTIVE SALES TAX COLLECTIONS BY SOURCE





Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Figures may not add to 100% due to rounding.

^{*} All-state averages include Florida.

PERCENTAGE OF STATE & LOCAL REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES, FY2015

1	New York	54.3%	26	Iowa	41.5%
2	FLORIDA	53.3%	27	Virginia	40.7%
3	N. Hampshire	51.4%	28	Kansas	39.9%
4	Texas	51.2%	29	Mississippi	39.9%
5	Georgia	51.1%	30	Oregon	39.7%
6	Louisiana	50.2%	31	Maine	39.6%
7	Nebraska	49.9%	32	Alaska	39.0%
8	Colorado	48.5%	33	Rhode Island	38.6%
9	Tennessee	48.0%	34	Connecticut	37.9%
10	Missouri	47.9%	35	Idaho	37.6%
11	South Carolina	47.2%	36	Wisconsin	37.5%
12	Illinois	46.9%	37	Montana	36.8%
13	Washington	46.1%	38	Michigan	36.6%
14	Nevada	45.5%	39	Oklahoma	36.2%
15	South Dakota	45.4%	40	Utah	35.5%
16	Ohio	45.1%	41	Massachusetts	35.3%
17	New Jersey	44.8%	42	Minnesota	34.8%
	US Average	44.6%	43	Kentucky	33.3%
18	Arizona	44.5%	44	New Mexico	28.1%
19	Wyoming	44.0%	45	West Virginia	27.6%
20	California	44.0%	46	Hawaii	24.7%
21	North Carolina	43.6%	47	Arkansas	24.4%
22	Maryland	42.6%	48	North Dakota	22.5%
23	Pennsylvania	41.9%	49	Delaware	22.2%
24	Indiana	41.9%	50	Vermont	19.1%
25	Alabama	41.8%			

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	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	2	53.3%	119.5%
2014	2	53.1%	118.5%
2013	3	53.2%	118.2%
2009	1	58.4%	124.3%
2006	3	51.9%	117.2%

PERCENTAGE OF STATE & LOCAL TAX COLLECTIONS FROM LOCAL SOURCES, FY2015

1	Alaska	66.6%	26	Kansas	38.3%
2	New Hampshire	59.8%	27	Utah	38.2%
3	New York	54.7%	28	Iowa	38.2%
4	Texas	51.3%	29	Massachusetts	37.3%
5	South Dakota	49.2%	30	Wyoming	37.1%
6	Colorado	48.9%	31	Wisconsin	36.7%
7	Louisiana	47.4%	32	Nevada	36.4%
8	New Jersey	47.1%	33	Alabama	36.1%
9	Nebraska	46.9%	34	Oklahoma	34.9%
10	FLORIDA	46.8%	35	North Carolina	34.1%
11	Missouri	46.1%	36	California	33.9%
12	Georgia	45.1%	37	Michigan	32.2%
13	Virginia	45.0%	38	Montana	31.9%
14	Ohio	44.8%	39	Indiana	31.5%
15	Illinois	44.7%	40	Kentucky	30.7%
16	Rhode Island	44.1%	41	New Mexico	30.6%
17	Maryland	43.0%	42	Idaho	30.0%
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24	Washington	39.6%	50	Vermont	16.2%
25	Connecticut	39.0%			
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	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	10	46.8%	112.5%
2014	9	46.5%	111.2%
2013	9	46.6%	115.6%
2009	3	53.2%	120.6%
2006	13	42.4%	104.4%

PERCENTAGE OF STATE & LOCAL REVENUE FROM NON-TAX SOURCES, FY2015

1	Alaska	65.1%	27	Georgia	31.6%
2	South Carolina	45.5%	28	Texas	31.1%
3	Wyoming	45.4%		US Average	30.8%
4	Alabama	43.8%	29	Nebraska	30.7%
5	New Mexico	39.7%	30	Montana	30.7%
6	Utah	38.9%	31	Kentucky	30.6%
7	FLORIDA	38.7%	32	Wisconsin	30.1%
8	Colorado	38.5%	33	California	29.8%
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18	West Virginia	35.1%	43	North Dakota	24.5%
19	Virginia	34.7%	44	New York	24.3%
20	Washington	34.5%	45	Massachusetts	24.1%
21	Tennessee	34.2%	46	Maryland	23.8%
22	Idaho	33.5%	47	New Jersey	22.7%
23	Missouri	33.3%	48	Illinois	22.0%
24	South Dakota	32.8%	49	Maine	21.6%
25	Ohio	32.0%	50	Connecticut	16.3%
26	Louisiana	32.0%			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	7	38.7%	125.6%
2014	7	39.3%	127.6%
2013	7	39.1%	126.5%
2009	10	37.6%	116.4%
2006	25	32.4%	104.9%

BUSINESS SHARE OF TOTAL STATE & LOCAL TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2016

1	Myoming	73.3%	27	Vontuclo.	44.6%	
_	Wyoming			Kentucky		
2	North Dakota	69.3%	28	Iowa	44.3%	
3	Alaska	62.6%		US Average	43.9%	
4	Texas	61.5%	29	Georgia	43.1%	
5	South Dakota	59.2%	30	Pennsylvania	42.4%	
6	Delaware	58.4%	31	Indiana	41.8%	
7	Washington	57.6%	32	New Jersey	41.5%	
8	New Mexico	54.8%	33	Utah	41.5%	
9	Tennessee	53.8%	34	New York	41.1%	
10	Nevada	52.3%	35	Rhode Island	41.0%	
11	Vermont	51.8%	36	Idaho	40.7%	
12	FLORIDA	51.7%	37	Virginia	40.6%	
13	Mississippi	51.5%	38	Ohio	40.4%	
14	Arizona	49.6%	39	Arkansas	40.3%	
15	Nebraska	49.6%	40	Wisconsin	40.1%	
16	West Virginia	49.6%	41	Hawaii	39.6%	
17	Oklahoma	48.9%	42	Missouri	39.5%	
18	Montana	48.4%	43	Massachusetts	39.1%	
19	Louisiana	48.0%	44	California	38.9%	
20	Maine	47.5%	45	Minnesota	38.9%	
21	N. Hampshire	47.3%	46	North Carolina	38.2%	
22	South Carolina	47.1%	47	Oregon	37.3%	
23	Kansas	46.6%	48	Michigan	35.0%	
24	Colorado	46.0%	49	Maryland	31.7%	
25	Illinois	45.2%	50	Connecticut	30.0%	
26	Alabama	45.0%				
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Source: Ernst & Young, LLP and the Council on State Taxation, August 2017. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	12	51.7%	117.8%
2015	13	51.6%	117.0%
2014	11	52.6%	116.9%
2013	10	53.3%	118.7%
2012	8	54.0%	119.5%

STATE & LOCAL CELL PHONE TAX RATES JULY 1, 2017

1	Washington	19.24%	26	Georgia	10.74%
2	Nebraska	18.75%	27	Alabama	10.22%
3	New York	18.30%	28	Minnesota	10.11%
4	Illinois	18.25%	29	Louisiana	9.64%
5	Pennsylvania	15.98%	30	Mississippi	9.41%
6	Alaska	15.53%	31	Wisconsin	9.21%
7	Rhode Island	15.04%	32	New Jersey	9.04%
8	Arkansas	14.81%	33	Iowa	8.98%
9	Missouri	14.79%	34	Maine	8.85%
10	FLORIDA	14.76%	35	N. Hampshire	8.81%
11	Kansas	14.33%	36	North Carolina	8.69%
12	South Dakota	13.97%	37	Massachusetts	8.66%
13	Utah	13.75%	38	Vermont	8.50%
14	Maryland	13.35%	39	Ohio	8.48%
15	California	12.82%	40	Michigan	8.09%
16	North Dakota	12.61%	41	West Virginia	8.05%
17	Arizona	12.53%	42	Wyoming	7.90%
18	New Mexico	12.51%	43	Connecticut	7.75%
19	South Carolina	12.30%	44	Hawaii	7.63%
20	Tennessee	12.30%	45	Virginia	6.81%
	U.S. Average	12.11%	46	Delaware	6.45%
21	Colorado	12.06%	47	Montana	6.40%
22	Texas	11.68%	48	Idaho	2.41%
23	Oklahoma	11.61%	49	Nevada	2.35%
24	Indiana	11.46%	50	Oregon	1.98%
25	Kentucky	10.92%			

The local tax rate is calculated as the average of the tax in the largest city and the capital city. Includes E911 fees. Does not include federal tax of 6.64%.

Source: Tax Foundation, November 2017. Based on methodology from the Council on State Taxation.

Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

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PER CAPITA STATE OWN SOURCE* REVENUE FY2016

1	Hawaii	\$6,988		US Average	\$4,049
2	North Dakota	\$6,697	27	Wyoming	\$3,956
3	Alaska	\$6,455	28	Illinois	\$3,781
4	Utah	\$6,383	29	Kentucky	\$3,758
5	Delaware	\$6,043	30	Ohio	\$3,720
6	Massachusetts	\$5,625	31	Nebraska	\$3,666
7	Minnesota	\$5,431	32	Mississippi	\$3,569
8	New York	\$5,426	33	Indiana	\$3,506
9	Connecticut	\$5,250	34	Oklahoma	\$3,495
10	Wisconsin	\$5,034	35	North Carolina	\$3,486
11	California	\$4,815	36	Montana	\$3,456
12	New Jersey	\$4,792	37	Colorado	\$3,432
13	Rhode Island	\$4,648	38	South Carolina	\$3,376
14	Iowa	\$4,618	39	New Hampshire	\$3,293
15	New Mexico	\$4,562	40	Alabama	\$3,269
16	Maryland	\$4,469	41	Idaho	\$3,263
17	Oregon	\$4,463	42	South Dakota	\$3,235
18	West Virginia	\$4,392	43	Nevada	\$3,210
19	Washington	\$4,361	44	Louisiana	\$2,939
20	Kansas	\$4,346	45	Missouri	\$2,937
21	Arkansas	\$4,331	46	Arizona	\$2,926
22	Vermont	\$4,195	47	Texas	\$2,856
23	Pennsylvania	\$4,183	48	Georgia	\$2,701
24	Virginia	\$4,146	49	Tennessee	\$2,681
25	Maine	\$4,088	50	FLORIDA	\$2,584
26	Michigan	\$4,064			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	50	\$2,584	63.8%
2015	48	\$2,650	67.8%
2014	48	\$2,585	69.0%
2009	46	\$2,463	75.3%
2006	41	\$2,736	83.9%

^{*} For definition of "Own Source Revenue" see p. 5.

PER CAPITA STATE TAX COLLECTIONS FY2016

			_			
1	Vermont	\$4,946	26	Nebraska	\$2,692	
2	North Dakota	\$4,911	27	Kentucky	\$2,659	
3	Hawaii	\$4,847	28	Indiana	\$2,656	
4	Minnesota	\$4,576	29	New Mexico	\$2,621	
5	Connecticut	\$4,246	30	North Carolina	\$2,594	
6	New York	\$4,103	31	Mississippi	\$2,566	
7	Massachusetts	\$4,007	32	Montana	\$2,543	
8	California	\$3,964	33	Virginia	\$2,529	
9	Delaware	\$3,714	34	Idaho	\$2,529	
10	New Jersey	\$3,517	35	Ohio	\$2,471	
11	Maryland	\$3,475	36	Utah	\$2,350	
12	Wyoming	\$3,268	37	Colorado	\$2,333	
13	Arkansas	\$3,170	38	Oklahoma	\$2,170	
14	Maine	\$3,108	39	Arizona	\$2,141	
15	Rhode Island	\$3,090	40	Georgia	\$2,092	
16	Washington	\$3,087	41	Alabama	\$2,043	
17	Iowa	\$3,059	42	South Dakota	\$2,037	
18	Wisconsin	\$3,054	43	Tennessee	\$2,022	
19	Pennsylvania	\$2,924	44	Missouri	\$2,013	
	US Average	\$2,863	45	Louisiana	\$1,990	
20	Illinois	\$2,851	46	New Hampshire	\$1,983	
21	West Virginia	\$2,796	47	South Carolina	\$1,939	
22	Kansas	\$2,772	48	Texas	\$1,883	
23	Michigan	\$2,764	49	FLORIDA	\$1,839	
24	Nevada	\$2,757	50	Alaska	\$1,409	
25	Oregon	\$2,726				
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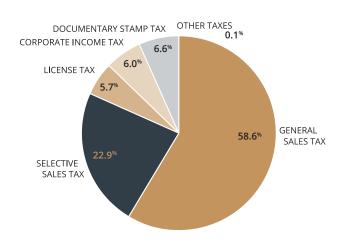
	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	49	\$1,839	64.2%
2015	49	\$1,855	65.1%
2014	49	\$1,792	65.8%
2009	41	\$1,729	74.3%
2006	31	\$2,219	92.3%

GROWTH IN STATE TAX COLLECTIONS FY2006 TO FY2016

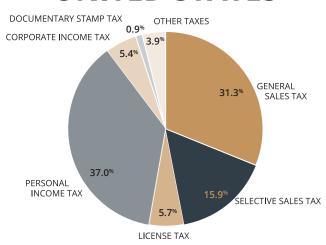
1	North Dakota	128.7%	26	North Carolina	27.2%
2	Iowa	56.2%	27	N. Hampshire	27.0%
3	Colorado	49.9%	28	Georgia	26.0%
4	South Dakota	47.0%	29	Connecticut	25.7%
5	Oregon	45.5%	30	Tennessee	25.6%
6	Minnesota	45.3%	31	Montana	23.6%
7	Maryland	43.6%	32	Delaware	23.1%
8	Texas	42.5%	33	South Carolina	23.1%
9	New York	41.7%	34	Virginia	22.7%
10	Hawaii	40.7%	35	Kentucky	21.3%
11	Massachusetts	40.5%	36	Missouri	20.3%
12	California	39.4%	37	New Jersey	20.1%
13	Washington	35.8%	38	Rhode Island	19.1%
14	Arkansas	34.7%	39	Alabama	16.3%
15	Idaho	33.9%	40	Michigan	15.7%
16	Illinois	30.6%	41	Maine	14.8%
17	Nevada	30.4%	42	Ohio	12.9%
18	Utah	29.7%	43	West Virginia	12.8%
19	Nebraska	29.2%	44	Arizona	9.9%
20	Indiana	29.1%	45	Oklahoma	8.6%
21	Pennsylvania	28.7%	46	New Mexico	6.9%
	US Average	28.6%	47	Louisiana	-4.5%
22	Kansas	28.4%	48	FLORIDA	-6.2%
23	Vermont	28.2%	49	Wyoming	-9.8%
24	Mississippi	27.9%	50	Alaska	-58.1%
25	Wisconsin	27.6%			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

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Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Figures may not add to 100% due to rounding.

^{*} All-state averages include Florida.

PER CAPITA STATE TRANSACTION TAX COLLECTIONS FY2016

			,		
1	Hawaii	\$3,023	26	California	\$1,363
2	Washington	\$2,444	27	Wisconsin	\$1,339
3	Nevada	\$2,181	28	Michigan	\$1,334
4	North Dakota	\$1,982	29	Massachusetts	\$1,275
5	Minnesota	\$1,839	30	Idaho	\$1,274
6	Connecticut	\$1,713	31	Arizona	\$1,266
7	South Dakota	\$1,679	32	Kentucky	\$1,265
8	Texas	\$1,675	33	Illinois	\$1,265
9	Vermont	\$1,653	34	New York	\$1,250
10	Indiana	\$1,602	35	Nebraska	\$1,243
11	Mississippi	\$1,600	36	Louisiana	\$1,144
12	Rhode Island	\$1,576	37	North Carolina	\$1,104
13	Ohio	\$1,570	38	Alabama	\$1,052
14	Maine	\$1,564	39	Utah	\$1,006
15	Arkansas	\$1,539	40	Oklahoma	\$966
16	Pennsylvania	\$1,508	41	South Carolina	\$938
17	Kansas	\$1,488	42	Colorado	\$893
18	FLORIDA	\$1,487	43	Missouri	\$872
19	Maryland	\$1,487	44	Virginia	\$821
20	Iowa	\$1,469	45	Georgia	\$820
21	New Jersey	\$1,469	46	New Hampshire	\$738
22	Tennessee	\$1,466	47	Delaware	\$569
23	New Mexico	\$1,406	48	Montana	\$544
24	Wyoming	\$1,401	49	Oregon	\$378
25	West Virginia	\$1,399	50	Alaska	\$353
	US Average	\$1,365			
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Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	18	\$1,487	108.9%
2015	14	\$1,512	112.3%
2014	14	\$1,471	113.6%
2009	7	\$1,455	130.2%
2006	4	\$1,687	148.8%

PER CAPITA STATE GENERAL SALES TAX COLLECTIONS FY2016

1	Hawaii	\$2,246		US Average	\$899
2	Washington	\$1,879	27	Massachusetts	\$894
3	Nevada	\$1,465	28	Wisconsin	\$877
4	North Dakota	\$1,347	29	Pennsylvania	\$799
5	Texas	\$1,161	30	Kentucky	\$782
6	South Dakota	\$1,129	31	Maryland	\$749
7	Kansas	\$1,115	32	North Carolina	\$712
8	Arkansas	\$1,111	33	Illinois	\$706
9	Mississippi	\$1,105	34	West Virginia	\$702
10	Indiana	\$1,103	35	Utah	\$691
11	Wyoming	\$1,096	36	New York	\$683
12	FLORIDA	\$1,089	37	Louisiana	\$681
13	Tennessee	\$1,058	38	South Carolina	\$663
14	Ohio	\$1,053	39	Oklahoma	\$632
15	Connecticut	\$1,045	40	Vermont	\$595
16	New Jersey	\$1,033	41	Missouri	\$581
17	Maine	\$1,023	42	Alabama	\$535
18	Minnesota	\$1,014	43	Georgia	\$534
19	Iowa	\$1,012	44	Colorado	\$518
20	New Mexico	\$1,001	45	Virginia	\$469
21	California	\$1,001		Alaska	NoTax
22	Arizona	\$972		Delaware	NoTax
23	Nebraska	\$938		Montana	NoTax
24	Idaho	\$937		New Hampshire	NoTax
25	Michigan	\$923		Oregon	NoTax
26	Rhode Island	\$921		-	

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	12	\$1,089	121.1%
2015	11	\$1,086	121.6%
2014	9	\$1,088	127.4%
2009	4	\$1,037	140.1%
2006	4	\$1,261	163.7%

PER CAPITA STATE SELECTIVE SALES TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2016

1	Varmant	¢1 0F0	26	Missonsin	¢462
1	Vermont	\$1,058	26	Wisconsin	\$462
2	Minnesota	\$824	27	Iowa	\$457
3	Hawaii	\$777	28	New Jersey	\$435
4	Maryland	\$738	29	Arkansas	\$428
5	N. Hampshire	\$738	30	Michigan	\$411
6	Nevada	\$715	31	Tennessee	\$408
7	Pennsylvania	\$709	32	New Mexico	\$405
8	West Virginia	\$698	33	FLORIDA	\$398
9	Connecticut	\$668	34	North Carolina	\$392
10	Rhode Island	\$655	35	Massachusetts	\$381
11	North Dakota	\$635	36	Oregon	\$378
12	Delaware	\$569	37	Colorado	\$375
13	New York	\$568	38	Kansas	\$373
14	Washington	\$565	39	California	\$362
15	Illinois	\$559	40	Alaska	\$353
16	South Dakota	\$549	41	Virginia	\$352
17	Montana	\$544	42	Idaho	\$337
18	Maine	\$541	43	Oklahoma	\$334
19	Ohio	\$517	44	Utah	\$315
20	Alabama	\$517	45	Wyoming	\$305
21	Texas	\$514	46	Nebraska	\$305
22	Indiana	\$499	47	Arizona	\$295
23	Mississippi	\$496	48	Missouri	\$290
24	Kentucky	\$483	49	Georgia	\$286
	US Average	\$465	50	South Carolina	\$275
25	Louisiana	\$463			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	33	\$398	85.6%
2015	28	\$425	93.8%
2014	32	\$383	86.8%
2009	22	\$418	110.6%
2006	19	\$426	117.1%

PER CAPITA STATE PERSONAL INCOME TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2016

1	New York	\$2,346	26	Kentucky	\$967
2	Massachusetts	\$2,119	27	Michigan	\$937
3	Connecticut	\$2,105	28	Pennsylvania	\$933
4	California	\$2,062	29	Arkansas	\$933
5	Minnesota	\$1,950	30	Idaho	\$914
6	Oregon	\$1,898	31	Indiana	\$788
7	New Jersey	\$1,489	32	South Carolina	\$785
8	Hawaii	\$1,482	33	Kansas	\$768
9	Virginia	\$1,459	34	Oklahoma	\$766
10	Maryland	\$1,417	35	Alabama	\$719
11	Wisconsin	\$1,298	36	Ohio	\$703
12	North Carolina	\$1,192	37	New Mexico	\$677
13	Colorado	\$1,182	38	Louisiana	\$613
14	Nebraska	\$1,181	39	Mississippi	\$603
15	Delaware	\$1,173	40	Arizona	\$579
16	Vermont	\$1,170	41	North Dakota	\$465
17	Rhode Island	\$1,170	42	N. Hampshire	\$66
18	Maine	\$1,168	43	Tennessee	\$49
19	Montana	\$1,143		Alaska	No Tax
20	Iowa	\$1,137		FLORIDA	NO TAX
21	Utah	\$1,119		Nevada	No Tax
22	Illinois	\$1,075		South Dakota	No Tax
	US Average	\$1,069		Texas	No Tax
23	Georgia	\$1,018		Washington	No Tax
24	West Virginia	\$1,006		Wyoming	No Tax
25	Missouri	\$990			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

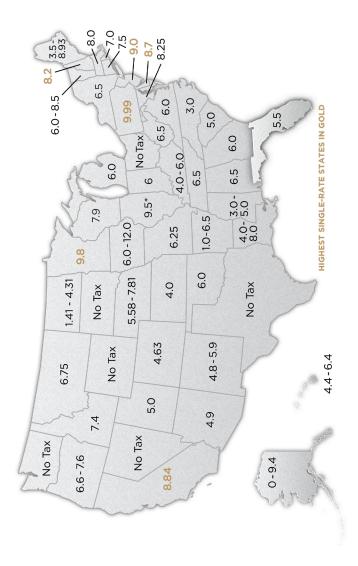
PER CAPITA STATE CORPORATE INCOME TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2016

1	N. Hampshire	\$525	26	Montana	\$115
2	Massachusetts	\$343	27	Colorado	\$114
3	Delaware	\$335	28	Idaho	\$114
4	Alaska	\$287	29	FLORIDA	\$111
5	Minnesota	\$275	30	Utah	\$111
6	Illinois	\$262	31	North Carolina	\$106
7	California	\$253	32	Maine	\$103
8	New Jersey	\$249	33	Georgia	\$96
9	Tennessee	\$232	34	Michigan	\$90
10	New York	\$211	35	Virginia	\$90
11	Connecticut	\$200	36	South Carolina	\$89
12	Pennsylvania	\$192	37	Oklahoma	\$84
13	Maryland	\$188	38	Arizona	\$83
14	Wisconsin	\$171	39	West Virginia	\$79
15	Nebraska	\$162	40	Alabama	\$78
16	Vermont	\$158	41	Hawaii	\$76
17	Indiana	\$156	42	New Mexico	\$55
18	Mississippi	\$155	43	Missouri	\$54
19	Arkansas	\$151	44	South Dakota	\$38
20	Oregon	\$151	45	Louisiana	\$37
	US Average	\$144	46	Ohio	\$3
21	Kentucky	\$137		Nevada	No Tax
22	Rhode Island	\$137		Texas	No Tax
23	North Dakota	\$136		Washington	No Tax
24	Kansas	\$135		Wyoming	No Tax
25	Iowa	\$121			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	34	\$111	77.2%
2015	34	\$112	73.7%
2014	34	\$103	70.5%
2009	28	\$99	77.3%
2006	31	\$133	83.5%

STATE CORPORATE INCOME TAX RATES JANUARY 2018



Source: National Federation of Tax Administrators, Tax Foundation, and Florida TaxWatch, April 2018.

Nevada, Ohio, Texas, and Washington do not levy a coprorate income tax but do levy a gross receipts tax. Delaware and Virginia levy both a corporate income tax and a gross receipts tax.

^{*} Illinois rate will decrease to 5.75% on July 1, 2018.

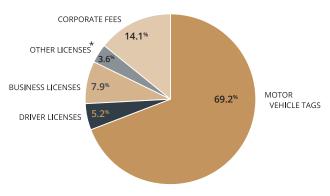
PER CAPITA STATE LICENSE TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2016

1	Delaware	\$1,532	27	Massachusetts	\$165
2	South Dakota	\$313	28	New Mexico	\$164
3	Montana	\$309	29	Alaska	\$163
4	Iowa	\$296		US Average	\$162
5	North Dakota	\$270	30	Maryland	\$147
6	Wyoming	\$268	31	Kansas	\$136
7	Oklahoma	\$266	32	Arkansas	\$133
8	Minnesota	\$259	33	Colorado	\$128
9	Oregon	\$259	34	Connecticut	\$127
10	N. Hampshire	\$247	35	Texas	\$123
11	Tennessee	\$229	36	Rhode Island	\$114
12	Idaho	\$224	37	Kentucky	\$114
13	Nevada	\$224	38	FLORIDA	\$110
14	California	\$218	39	Indiana	\$108
15	Illinois	\$214	40	Alabama	\$105
16	Maine	\$205	41	South Carolina	\$101
17	Washington	\$202	42	Virginia	\$98
18	Wisconsin	\$200	43	Nebraska	\$97
19	Ohio	\$191	44	Utah	\$96
20	Vermont	\$188	45	New York	\$91
21	Mississippi	\$185	46	Missouri	\$90
22	North Carolina	\$185	47	Louisiana	\$86
23	Hawaii	\$184	48	Arizona	\$70
24	Pennsylvania	\$169	49	West Virginia	\$70
25	Michigan	\$167	50	Georgia	\$65
26	New Jersey	\$167			

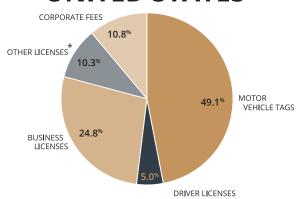
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	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2016	38	\$110	67.9%
2015	39	\$107	65.6%
2014	37	\$108	67.1%
2009	42	\$98	61.3%
2006	37	\$105	69.6%





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^{* &}quot;Other" license category includes hunting & fishing, alcoholic beverage, utilities, and amusement licenses.

^{**} All-state averages include Florida.

PER CAPITA DOCUMENTARY STAMP & STOCK TRANSFER TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2016

1	Washington	\$130.95	26	Iowa	\$6.66	
2	FLORIDA	\$130.10	27	Illinois	\$5.99	
3	N. Hampshire	\$101.28	28	West Virginia	\$5.80	
4	Delaware	\$94.40	29	Oklahoma	\$4.57	
5	New York	\$65.56	30	Arizona	\$2.53	
6	New Jersey	\$57.27	31	Missouri	\$1.99	
7	Vermont	\$57.10	32	Kentucky	\$0.73	
8	Connecticut	\$46.54	33	Oregon	\$0.59	
9	Hawaii	\$46.30	34	South Dakota	\$0.23	
10	Massachusetts	\$45.15	35	Georgia	\$0.01	
11	Pennsylvania	\$43.99		Alaska	No Tax	
12	Virginia	\$43.95		California	No Tax	
13	Minnesota	\$41.15		Colorado	No Tax	
14	Maryland	\$33.41		Idaho	No Tax	
15	Tennessee	\$33.11		Indiana	No Tax	
16	Nevada	\$28.06		Kansas	No Tax	
17	Michigan	\$27.92		Louisiana	No Tax	
	US Average	\$27.02		Mississippi	No Tax	
18	Maine	\$21.31		Montana	No Tax	
19	Rhode Island	\$19.93		New Mexico	No Tax	
20	South Carolina	\$18.00		North Dakota	No Tax	
21	Arkansas	\$13.03		Ohio	No Tax	
22	Wisconsin	\$11.30		Texas	No Tax	
23	Alabama	\$9.01		Utah	No Tax	
24	Nebraska	\$7.52		Wyoming	No Tax	
25	25 North Carolina \$6.68					

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE	
2016	2	\$130	481.5%	
2015	1	\$123	502.7%	
2014	1	\$107	509.5%	
2009	1	\$72	444.4%	
2006	1	\$276	690.3%	

STATE CIGARETTE TAX RATES CENTS PER PACK, JANUARY 2018

1	New York	435	26	South Dakota	153
1	Connecticut	435	27	Texas	141
3	Rhode Island	425	28	Iowa	136
4	Massachusetts	351	29	FLORIDA	133.9
5	Hawaii	320	30	Oregon	133
6	Vermont	308	31	Kansas	129
7	Minnesota ¹	304	32	West Virginia	120
8	Washington	302.5	33	Arkansas	115
9	California	287	34	Louisiana	108
10	New Jersey	270	35	Oklahoma	103
11	Pennsylvania	260	36	Indiana	99.5
12	Wisconsin	252	37	Colorado	84
13	Delaware	210	38	Mississippi	68
14	Alaska	200	39	Alabama	67.5
14	Arizona	200	40	Nebraska	64
14	Maine	200	41	Tennessee	62
14	Maryland	200	42	Kentucky	60
14	Michigan	200	42	Wyoming	60
19	Illinois	198	44	Idaho	57
20	Nevada	180	44	South Carolina	57
21	N. Hampshire	178	46	North Carolina	45
22	Montana	170	47	North Dakota	44
22	Utah	170	48	Georgia	37
24	New Mexico	166	49	Virginia	30
25	Ohio	160	50	Missouri	17
	U. S. Median	153.0			

Alabama, Illinois, Missouri, New York City, Tennessee, and Virginia have some local cigarette taxes

Tax rates based on a standard 20 cigarette pack.

Source: Florida TaxWatch from Federation of Tax Administrators data, February 2017.

⁽¹⁾ also imposes a cigarette sales tax of 57.4 cents

STATE TAX RATES ON BEER DOLLARS PER GALLON, JANUARY 2018

1	Tennessee ²	\$1.29	24	Delaware	\$0.26
2	Alaska	\$1.07	27	Illinois	\$0.23
3	Alabama ⁴	\$1.05	28	Connecticut	\$0.23
4	Georgia ⁴	\$1.01	29	Michigan	\$0.20
5	Hawaii	\$0.93	29	California	\$0.20
6	Kentucky ²	\$0.85	29	Texas	\$0.20
7	South Carolina	\$0.77	32	Iowa	\$0.19
8	North Carolina	\$0.62	33	Kansas	\$0.18
9	Maryland ³	\$0.53	33	Ohio	\$0.18
10	Minnesota ³	\$0.49	33	West Virginia	\$0.18
11	FLORIDA	\$0.48	36	Arizona	\$0.16
12	Mississippi	\$0.43	36	Nevada	\$0.16
13	Utah	\$0.41	38	Idaho	\$0.15
13	New Mexico	\$0.41	39	New York	\$0.14
15	Oklahoma	\$0.40	39	Montana	\$0.14
15	Louisiana	\$0.40	41	New Jersey	\$0.12
17	North Dakota	\$0.39	41	Rhode Island ¹	\$0.12
18	Maine	\$0.35	41	Indiana	\$0.12
19	Arkansas 1,3	\$0.34	44	Massachusetts	\$0.11
20	Nebraska	\$0.31	45	Oregon	\$0.08
21	N. Hampshire	\$0.30	45	Colorado	\$0.08
22	South Dakota	\$0.27	45	Pennsylvania	\$0.08
22	Vermont	\$0.27	48	Wisconsin	\$0.06
24	Washington	\$0.26	48	Missouri	\$0.06
24	Virginia	\$0.26	50	Wyoming	\$0.02
	U.S. Median	\$0.26			

Source: Distilled Spirits Council of the US, Tax Foundation and Florida TaxWatch, March 2017.

Note: Rates are those applicable to off-premises sales of 4.7% alcohol by volume distilled in 12 ounce containers. Does not include the federal tax of 58 cents per gallon.

- 1 Includes case fees and/or bottle fees which may vary with the size of container.
- 2 Includes the wholesale tax rate in Kentucky (10.5%) and Tennessee (17%), converted into a gallonage excise tax rate.
- 3 Includes sales taxes specific to alcohol beverages.
- 4 Includes the statewide local rate in Alabama (\$0.52) and Georgia (\$0.53).

STATE TAX RATES ON SPIRITS DOLLARS PER GALLON, JANUARY 2018

License States

Control States¹

1	Washington 5,6	\$31.48	1	Oregon	\$22.75
2	Alaska ²	\$12.80	2	Virginia	\$19.93
3	Minnesota 3,5	\$8.96	3	Alabama	\$18.27
4	Illinois ²	\$8.55	4	Utah	\$15.38
5	Kentucky ⁴	\$7.86	5	North Carolina	\$14.63
6	Arkansas 3,5	\$7.73	6	Iowa	\$13.07
7	FLORIDA ²	\$6.50	7	Michigan	\$11.99
8	New York ²	\$6.44	8	Idaho	\$10.95
9	New Mexico	\$6.06	9	Ohio	\$9.87
10	Hawaii	\$5.98		Control Median	\$9.90
11	Oklahoma	\$5.56	10	Montana	\$9.78
12	New Jersey	\$5.50	11	Mississippi	\$8.15
13	South Carolina ³	\$5.42	12	Vermont	\$7.72
14	Connecticut ²	\$5.40	13	West Virginia	\$7.67
14	Rhode Island ²	\$5.40	14	Pennsylvania	\$7.24
16	Maryland ^{2,5}	\$5.00	15	Maine	\$5.83
17	South Dakota 2,5	\$4.67	16	N. Hampshire	No Tax
	License Median	\$4.67	16	Wyoming	No Tax
18	North Dakota ^{2,5}	\$4.66	Source: Distilled Spirits Council of the US & the Tax Foundation, April 2018.		
19	Delaware ²	\$4.50		Rates are those applic	'
20	Tennessee ³	\$4.46		premise sales of 40% a volume distilled spirits	
21	Massachusetts ²	\$4.05		tainers.	1 +
22	Georgia ²	\$3.79		not include the federa .50 per gallon.	тах от
23	Nebraska	\$3.75		ontrol states (where go trols sales) products a	
24	Nevada ²	\$3.60	ad v	alorem and excise tax	es.
25	California ²	\$3.30	acc	erent rates also applic ording to alcohol conte	nt, place of
26	Wisconsin	\$3.25		duction, size of contair chased.	ier, place
27	Louisiana ²	\$3.03		udes case fees and/or s which may vary with t	
28	Arizona	\$3.00		tainer.	.110 3120 01
29	Indiana ²	\$2.68		udes the wholesale tax i, converted into a gallo	
29	Kansas	\$2.50		ise tax rate.	
31	Texas ²	\$2.40		udes sales taxes specit pholic beverage.	ric to
32	Colorado	\$2.28		udes the retail (17%) a	
33	Missouri	\$2.00	distributor (5/10%) license fees, converted into a gallonage excise tax rate.		

STATE TAX RATES ON TABLE WINE DOLLARS PER GALLON, JANUARY 2018

1	Kentucky ²	\$3.47	26	Arizona	\$0.84
2	Alaska	\$2.50	27	Louisiana	\$0.76
3	FLORIDA	\$2.25	28	Connecticut	\$0.72
4	Iowa	\$1.75	28	Oklahoma	\$0.72
5	Alabama	\$1.70	30	Nevada	\$0.70
5	New Mexico	\$1.70	31	Oregon	\$0.67
7	Delaware	\$1.63	32	Maine	\$0.60
8	Georgia	\$1.51	33	Massachusetts	\$0.55
8	Virginia	\$1.51	33	Vermont	\$0.55
10	Arkansas 1,3	\$1.44	35	Michigan	\$0.51
11	Rhode Island	\$1.40	36	Indiana	\$0.47
12	Illinois	\$1.39	37	Idaho	\$0.45
13	Hawaii	\$1.38	38	Missouri	\$0.42
14	Maryland ³	\$1.36	39	Ohio	\$0.32
15	South Dakota ³	\$1.31	39	Colorado	\$0.32
16	Tennessee ¹	\$1.27	41	Kansas	\$0.30
17	Minnesota 1,3	\$1.20	41	New York	\$0.30
18	South Carolina	\$1.08	43	Wisconsin	\$0.25
19	North Dakota	\$1.06	44	Texas	\$0.20
19	Montana	\$1.06	44	California	\$0.20
21	West Virginia	\$1.00		Mississippi	N/A
21	North Carolina	\$1.00		New Hampshire	N/A
23	Nebraska	\$0.95		Pennsylvania	N/A
	U.S. Median	\$0.95		Utah	N/A
24	New Jersey	\$0.88		Wyoming	N/A
25	Washington	\$0.87			

Source: Distilled Spirits Council of the US, Tax Foundation and Florida TaxWatch, March 2017.

Note: Rates are those applicable to off-premises sales of 11% alcohol by volume distilled in 750ml containers. Does not include the federal tax of \$1.07 per gallon.

- 1 Includes case fees and/or bottle fees which may vary with the size of container.
- 2 Includes the wholesale tax rate of 11%, converted into a gallonage excise tax rate.
- 3 Includes sales taxes specific to alcohol beverages.
- N/A Control states, where products may be subject to ad valorem markup and excise taxes.

STATE TAXES ON CANDY & SOFT DRINKS JANUARY 2018

Color code:

Not treated as groceries, which are exempt from sales tax in that state

Treated as groceries, which are not exempt from sales tax in that state

Groceries taxed at lower than standard sales tax rate in that state

1	Indiana	7.00%	26	Virginia	2.50%
1	Mississippi	7.00%	27	Utah	1.75%
1	Rhode Island	7.00%	28	Arkansas	1.50%
4	Minnesota	6.875%	29	Missouri	1.225%
4	New Jersey	6.625%	30	California*	ex/7.25%
6	Kansas	6.50%	31	Washington*	ex/6.5%
7	Connecticut	6.35%	32	Pennsylvania*	ex/6.0%
8	Illinois**	6.25%	32	West Virginia*	ex/6.0%
8	Texas	6.25%	34	Ohio*	ex/5.75%
10	Florida	6.00%	35	Arizona	exempt
10	Idaho	6.00%	35	Georgia	exempt
10	lowa	6.00%	35	Louisiana	exempt
10	Kentucky	6.00%	35	Massachusetts	exempt
10	Maryland	6.00%	35	Michigan	exempt
15	Maine	5.50%	35	Nebraska	exempt
16	North Dakota	5.00%	35	Nevada	exempt
16	Tennessee	5.00%	35	New Mexico	exempt
16	Wisconsin	5.00%	35	South Carolina	exempt
19	North Carolina	4.75%	35	Vermont	exempt
20	Oklahoma	4.50%	35	Wyoming	exempt
21	Alabama	4.00%		Alaska	No Sales Tax
21	Hawaii	4.00%		Delaware	No Sales Tax
21	New York	4.00%		Montana	No Sales Tax
21	South Dakota	4.50%		N. Hampshire	No Sales Tax
25	Colorado	2.90%		Oregon	No Sales Tax

Source: Florida TaxWatch from Tax Foundation data, April 2018.

^{*} State treats candy and soft drinks differently; soft drinks are taxed at sales tax rate.

^{**} Illinois taxes groceries at 1%, candy and soft drinks at standard sales tax rate.

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PER CAPITA LOCAL OWN SOURCE* REVENUE FY2015

1	New York	\$6,254	26	North Dakota	\$2,776
2	Wyoming	\$5,164	27	Georgia	\$2,647
3	Alaska	\$3,913	28	Missouri	\$2,624
4	New Jersey	\$3,861	29	South Dakota	\$2,613
5	California	\$3,683	30	Nevada	\$2,608
6	Colorado	\$3,671	31	North Carolina	\$2,605
7	Nebraska	\$3,657	32	Maine	\$2,582
8	Illinois	\$3,449	33	Indiana	\$2,523
9	Washington	\$3,388	34	Wisconsin	\$2,508
10	Connecticut	\$3,351	35	Tennessee	\$2,395
11	N. Hampshire	\$3,296	36	Mississippi	\$2,345
12	Maryland	\$3,282	37	Alabama	\$2,343
	US Average	\$3,150	38	Michigan	\$2,286
13	lowa	\$3,135	39	Arizona	\$2,191
14	Texas	\$3,093	40	Montana	\$2,162
			41	Utah	\$2,126
16	South Carolina	\$2,988	42	Oklahoma	\$2,117
17	Massachusetts	\$2,952	43	Hawaii	\$2,103
18	Ohio	\$2,933	44	Idaho	\$1,960
19	Louisiana	\$2,918	45	New Mexico	\$1,935
20	Rhode Island	\$2,917	46	Kentucky	\$1,820
21	Pennsylvania	\$2,914	47	West Virginia	\$1,743
22	Minnesota	\$2,842	48	Delaware	\$1,697
23	Oregon	\$2,830	49	Vermont	\$1,477
24	Virginia	\$2,796	50	Arkansas	\$1,345
25	Kansas	\$2,788			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

^{*}For definition of "Own Source Revenue" see p. 5.

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	15	\$3,029	96.2%
2014	16	\$2,931	96.2%
2013	14	\$2,968	98.8%
2009	6	\$3,451	119.0%
2006	6	\$2.955	113.9%

PER CAPITA LOCAL TAX COLLECTIONS FY2015

1	New York	\$4,771	26	Kansas	\$1,683
2	New Jersey	\$3,142	7	FLORIDA	\$1,627
3	Connecticut	\$2,886	28	North Dakota	\$1,620
4	N. Hampshire	\$2,780	29	Georgia	\$1,595
5	Illinois	\$2,565	30	Hawaii	\$1,564
6	Maryland	\$2,525	31	Nevada	\$1,511
7	Rhode Island	\$2,394	32	Minnesota	\$1,500
8	Nebraska	\$2,379	3 3	South Carolina	\$1,469
9	Wyoming	\$2,379	34	Arizona	\$1,433
10	Massachusetts	\$2,370	35	Utah	\$1,400
11	Alaska	\$2,334	36	Tennessee	\$1,351
12	Colorado	\$2,272	37	Montana	\$1,300
13	Texas	\$2,136	38	Oklahoma	\$1,299
14	Pennsylvania	\$2,131	39	North Carolina	\$1,297
15	Maine	\$2,050	40	Michigan	\$1,292
	US Average	\$2,033	41	New Mexico	\$1,270
16	Virginia	\$2,017	42	Indiana	\$1,210
17	California	\$1,994	43	Kentucky	\$1,163
18	Ohio	\$1,979	44	Alabama	\$1,137
19	Washington	\$1,905	45	West Virginia	\$1,080
20	South Dakota	\$1,900	46	Delaware	\$1,052
21	Louisiana	\$1,878	47	Idaho	\$1,040
22	lowa	\$1,822	48	Mississippi	\$1,030
23	Oregon	\$1,753	49	Vermont	\$941
24	Wisconsin	\$1,717	50	Arkansas	\$784
25	Missouri	\$1,684			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

IISTORY

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	27	\$1,627	80.0%
2014	27	\$1,558	79.3%
2013	26	\$1,583	82.1%
2009	11	\$1,962	106.6%
2006	16	\$1,631	99.3%

PER CAPITA LOCAL PROPERTY TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2015

1	Now Jorgov	¢2.076	26	North Dakota	¢1 222
1	New Jersey	\$3,076	26		\$1,233
2	Connecticut	\$2,842	27	Kansas	\$1,218
3	N. Hampshire	\$2,753	28	Michigan	\$1,185
4	New York	\$2,697	29	Washington	\$1,138
5	Rhode Island	\$2,339	30	South Carolina	\$1,133
6	Massachusetts	\$2,264	31	Hawaii	\$1,077
7	Illinois	\$2,081	32	Georgia	\$1,048
8	Maine	\$2,029	33	Missouri	\$988
9	Nebraska	\$1,904	34	Utah	\$987
10	Alaska	\$1,831	35	Indiana	\$976
11	Wyoming	\$1,808	36	Idaho	\$973
12	Texas	\$1,748	37	Mississippi	\$965
13	Wisconsin	\$1,591	38	North Carolina	\$957
14	Iowa	\$1,575	39	Arizona	\$917
15	Virginia	\$1,524	40	Vermont	\$889
16	Pennsylvania	\$1,479	41	Nevada	\$886
	US Average	\$1,474	42	West Virginia	\$885
17	Maryland	\$1,438	43	Tennessee	\$867
18	Oregon	\$1,413	44	Delaware	\$861
19	California	\$1,402	45	Louisiana	\$859
20	Colorado	\$1,399	46	New Mexico	\$719
21	South Dakota	\$1,392	47	Oklahoma	\$682
22	Minnesota	\$1,386	48	Kentucky	\$655
23	Ohio	\$1,273	49	Alabama	\$472
24	Montana	\$1,260	50	Arkansas	\$334
25	FLORIDA	\$1,244			

Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

FLORIDA HISTORY

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2015	25	\$1,244	84.4%
2014	26	\$1,195	83.9%
2013	24	\$1,223	87.2%
2009	12	\$1,600	117.3%
2006	13	\$1,269	107.4%

PER CAPITA LOCAL TRANSACTION TAX COLLECTIONS, FY2015

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Source: Florida TaxWatch from U.S. Department of Commerce data, April 2018. Some rankings appear to be equal due to rounding.

FLORIDA HISTORY

	RANK	AMOUNT	% OF US AVERAGE
2014	27	\$271	81.5%
2013	25	\$275	84.6%
2012	24	\$284	90.4%
2009	25	\$263	88.9%
2006	23	\$259	96.6%

FLORIDA COUNTY LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX RATES 2018 TAX RATES

2%	Liberty		
1.50%	Calhoun, DeSoto, Escambia, Gadsden, Highlands, Jackson, Leon, Liberty, Madison, Monroe, Osceola		
1%	Baker, Bay, Bradford, Brevard, Charlotte, Clay, Columbia, Dixie, Duval, Flagler, Franklin, Gilchrist, Glades, Gulf, Hamilton, Hardee, Hendry, Hillsborough, Holmes, Indian River, Jefferson, Lafayette, Lake, Levy, Manatee, Marion, Miami-Dade, Nassau, Okeechobee, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Putnam, Santa Rosa, Sarasota, Seminole, Sumter, Suwannee, Taylor, Union, Walton, Wakulla, Washington		
0.50%	Alachua, Hernando, Orange, St. Lucie, St. Johns, Volusia		
No Tax	Broward, Citrus, Collier, Lee, Martin, Okaloosa		

Source: Florida Department of Revenue and Florida TaxWatch, April 2018.

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