

Class	General Class Definition	Type	General Type Definition
Brandy	Spirits distilled from the fermented juice, mash or wine of fruit or from its residue at less than 95% alcohol by volume (190 proof) having the taste, aroma and characteristics generally attributed to brandy and bottled at not less than 40% alcohol by volume (80 proof)	Fruit Brandy	Brandy distilled solely from the fermented juice or mash of whole, sound, ripe fruit or from standard fruit wine, with or without the addition of not more than 20 percent by weight of the pomace of such juice or wine or 30 percent by volume of the lees of such wine or both. Such brandy may include up to 30% on a proof gallon basis of lees brandy · “Brandy” is grape brandy. Other types of fruit brandy must be further identified, e.g., “Peach Brandy” · Grape brandy must be stored in oak containers for a minimum of 2 years
	<i>New proposed</i>	<i>American Brandy or alt. Straight American Brandy</i>	<i>Brandy distilled in the United States solely from the fermented juice or mash of whole, sound, ripe fruit or from standard fruit wine, with or without the addition of not more than 20 percent by weight of the pomace of such juice or wine or 30 percent by volume of the lees of such wine or both. Such brandy may include up to 30% on a proof gallon basis of lees brandy · “Brandy” is grape brandy. Other types of fruit brandy must be further identified, e.g., “Peach Brandy” · “(Straight) American brandy” must be stored in oak containers for a minimum of 2 years. It may include mixtures of two or more “(Straight) American Brandy” provided all of the brandies are produced in the same state (no artificial flavors, colors, enhancers, or neutral grain spirit may be added)</i>
Rum	Spirits distilled from the fermented juice of sugar cane, sugar cane syrup, sugar cane molasses or other sugar cane by-products at less than 95% alcohol by volume (190 proof) having the taste, aroma and characteristics generally attributed to rum and bottled at not less than 40% alcohol by volume (80 proof)	NO TYPE UNDER THIS CLASS	
	<i>New proposed</i>	<i>American Rum</i>	<i>Rum distilled in the United States from the fermented juice of sugarcane, sugarcane syrup, sugarcane molasses, or other sugarcane by-products, at less than 190° proof, possessing the taste, aroma, and characteristics of rum. (no artificial flavors, colors, enhancers, or neutral grain spirit may be added)</i>
	<i>New proposed</i>	<i>Straight American Rum</i>	<i>American Rum stored in charred new oak containers for 2 years or more. “Straight American Rum” may include mixtures of two or more American Rum provided all of the rum are produced in the same state</i>

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