

Table 1. Sales and Service Restrictions related to each type of Alcohol Beverage Establishment License

Type of Alcohol Beverage License	Type of Alcohol Beverages Permitted	Consumption on Premises, Restrictions	Sale for Off-Premise Consumption, Restrictions	Permitted Hours of Operation [1]
Class “A” Malt	Beer, Fermented Malt Beverages	Not permitted [6]	Quantities of no more than 4.5 gallons at any one time [2]	8 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Class “A” Liquor	Wine, Intoxicating Liquors	Not permitted [6]	No restriction on quantity sold	8 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Class “B” Beer [4]	Beer, Fermented Malt Beverages	By the glass or in an opened original container	Sales for off-premises between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m. only. No restriction on quantity sold	Sun. – Thurs.: 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. Fri. – Sat.: 6 a.m. to 2:30 a.m. [3]
Class “B” Tavern [4]	Beer, Fermented Malt Beverages, Wine, Intoxicating Liquors	Intoxicating Liquor: By the glass only; bottle service not permitted All Other Alcohol: By the glass or in an opened original container	Sales for off-premises between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m. only. Intoxicating Liquor: Restricted quantities of no more than 4 liters at any one time. Wine and beer in unlimited quantities.	Sun. – Thurs.: 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. Fri. – Sat.: 6 a.m. to 2:30 a.m. [3]
Class “C” Wine [5]	Wine only Wine shall mean products obtained from the normal alcohol fermentation of the juice or must of sound, ripe grapes, other fruits or other agricultural products, imitation wine, compounds sold as wine, vermouth, cider, perry, mead and sake , if such products contain 2 of 1% or more of alcohol by volume.	By the glass or in an opened original container. Restricted quantities of no more than 1 bottle at any one time	Sales for off-premises between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m. only. No restriction on quantity sold	Sun. – Thurs.: 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. Fri. – Sat.: 6 a.m. to 2:30 a.m.

[1] Unless more restrictive hours are established under the plan of operation approved by the Common Council as part of the license.

[2] Limitation of 4.5 gallons does not apply if a Class “A” Liquor license is also held for the same premises by the same entity.

[3] On January 1, premises holding Class “B” licenses are not required to close.

[4] “Service Bar Only” Designation: Provides same privileges as Class “B” Beer/Tavern, except all alcohol beverages shall be served only to patrons seated at tables.

[5] Eligibility: Food must account for 50% or more of gross receipts. See s. 90-4-9-c and d, MCO.

[6] Class A establishments may provide up to 2 free taste samples of wine or fermented malt beverages per day to any one person for consumption on the premises between the hours of 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Sample size must be no more than 3 fluid ounces each. See s. 90-3-5 and s. 90-3-6, MCO.