Brew Montana

BREWERIES ARE A GROWING PART OF THE MONTANA ECONOMY

How Many Breweries?

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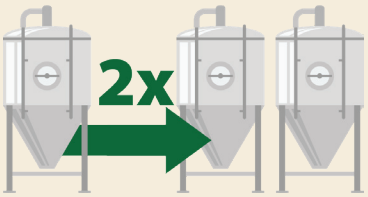
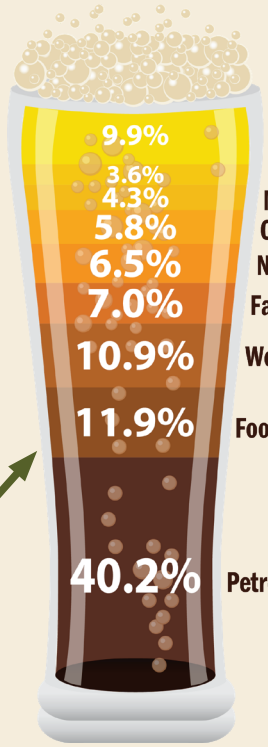
Montana has the 2nd most breweries per capita in the nation, with 9.6 breweries per 100,000 Montanans over 21 years old in 2017.[1]



Montana's breweries have more than doubled in the last five years, growing from 29 in 2012 to almost 80 in 2017.[2]



Brewery Employment

Brewery employment makes up 60% of all Beverage & Tobacco Product Manufacturing in the state.

Food & Beverage Manufacturing

Food & Beverage manufacturing, which includes breweries, made up the 2nd largest portion of Montana manufacturing GDP in 2016.[3]

Brewery employment has grown by 21% annually over the last five years, significantly out-pacing manufacturing employment growth overall.

In addition to these tangible benefits, breweries can also foster a culture that attracts tourists and new residents, which promotes economic growth across all industries in Montana.

1 Montana Brewers Association
2 Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages
3 US Bureau of Economic Analysis