



Specified revenue of the Government of Canada from alcoholic beverages comprising excise duties, excise taxes, customs duties and certain fees and licences in that connection are shown in Table 7. Federal Government revenues from the general sales tax on alcoholic beverages are not available.

**7.—Specified Revenue of the Federal Government from Alcoholic Beverages,
Years Ended Mar. 31, 1953-56**

NOTE.—Figures exclude revenue from the 10-p.c. general sales tax which is not available by commodities.

Nature of Levy	1953	1954	1955	1956
	\$	\$	\$	\$
On Spirits	94,186,963	97,255,877	99,578,038	104,546,463
Excise duty ¹	41,058,349	49,503,239	56,281,510	61,170,329
Validation fees.....	746,877	6,500
Licences.....	7,750	7,500	8,000	...
Import duty.....	52,373,987	47,745,138	43,288,528	43,369,634
On Malt and Malt Products	85,996,795	83,656,336	73,948,851	80,880,028
Excise duty on—				
Beer.....	5,294,283 ²	4,799,823 ²	72,676,282 ³	80,742,806
Malt.....	80,584,283	78,733,288	1,151,032 ³	...
Beer licence.....	3,600	3,350	3,450	3,500
Import duty on beer.....	114,629	119,875	118,088	133,722
On Wine	3,095,441	3,216,033	3,435,853	3,643,584
Excise taxes.....	2,215,540	2,230,673	2,354,267	2,485,760
Import duty.....	879,901	985,360	1,081,586	1,157,824
Totals	183,279,199	184,128,246	176,962,742	189,070,075

¹ Collections on liquor imported for blending purposes are included with import duty.
malt beer.

² Excise duty on malt abolished Apr. 7, 1954.

³ Other than