

Table 16. Comparison of State Cigarette and Gasoline Taxes

Rates as of January 1, 2015

Cigarette Tax		Gasoline Tax	
State	\$ Per Pack	State	¢ Per Gallon
New York	4.35	Pennsylvania	50.5
Massachusetts	3.51	California	42.5
Rhode Island	3.50	North Carolina	37.75
Connecticut	3.40	Washington	37.5
Hawaii	3.20	West Virginia	34.6
Washington	3.03	Rhode Island	33
Minnesota	2.90	Wisconsin	32.9
Vermont	2.75	Vermont	31.97
New Jersey	2.70	Maryland	30.3
Wisconsin	2.52	Maine	30
Dist. of Columbia	2.50	Oregon	30
Alaska	2.00	Minnesota	28.6
Arizona	2.00	Florida	28.525
Maine	2.00	Ohio	28
Maryland	2.00	Kentucky	27.6
Michigan	2.00	Montana	27
Illinois	1.98	Nebraska	26.5
New Hampshire	1.78	Idaho	26
Montana	1.70	New York	25.8
Utah	1.70	Kansas	25.03
New Mexico	1.66	Connecticut	25
Delaware	1.60	Utah	24.5
Pennsylvania	1.60	Massachusetts	24
South Dakota	1.53	South Dakota	24
Texas	1.41	Wyoming	24
Iowa	1.36	New Hampshire	23.825
Florida	1.34	Nevada	23.805
Oregon	1.31	Dist. of Columbia	23.5
Ohio	1.25	Delaware	23
Arkansas	1.15	North Dakota	23
Oklahoma	1.03	Colorado	22
Indiana	1.00	Iowa	22
California	0.87	Arkansas	21.8
Colorado	0.84	Tennessee	21.4
Nevada	0.80	Louisiana	20.125
Kansas	0.79	Illinois	20.1
Mississippi	0.68	Texas	20
Nebraska	0.64	Georgia	19.3
Tennessee	0.62	Arizona	19
Kentucky	0.60	Michigan	19
Wyoming	0.60	New Mexico	18.875
Idaho	0.57	Mississippi	18.4
South Carolina	0.57	Alabama	18
West Virginia	0.55	Indiana	18
North Carolina	0.45	Missouri	17.3
North Dakota	0.44	Hawaii	17
Alabama	0.43	Oklahoma	17
Georgia	0.37	South Carolina	16.75
Louisiana	0.36	Virginia	16.2
Virginia	0.30	New Jersey	14.5
Missouri	0.17	Alaska	8
U. S. Median	1.36		