What is a standard drink?

In Australia, a standard drink refers to a drink that contains 10 grams of alcohol. Below are examples of some product types, alcohol volumes and standard drink measurements.



Shot (40%)





RTD can (5.0%)





275mL RTD bottle (4.6%)





150mL Glass of red wine (13.5%)





150mL Glass of white wine (11.5%)





750mL Bottle of red wine (13.5%)





Bottle of white wine (11.5%)





100mL Glass of sparkling wine (13%)





375mL Stubby of light strength beer (2.4%)





375mL Stubby of mid strength beer (3.5%)





375mL Stubby of full strength beer (4.8%)





285mLPot/middy of light strength beer (2.7%)





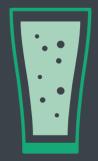
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425mL Schooner of light strength beer (2.7%)





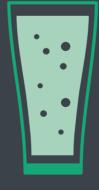
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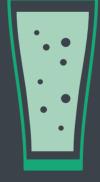
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570mL Pint of light strength beer (2.7%)

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Calculations confirmed by the Australian Wine Research Institute.