

List of glassware



Typical glassware

This **list of glassware**^[1] includes drinking vessels (drinkware) and tableware used to set a table for eating a meal, general glass items such as vases, and glasses used in the catering industry. It does not include laboratory glassware.

1 Drinkware

Drinkware, **beverageware** (colloquially referred to as **cups**) is a general term for a vessel intended to contain beverages or liquid foods for drinking or consumption.^[2]

- Beaker
- Beer glassware
- Coffee cup
- Cup
- Jar

- Mug
- Paper cup
- Pythagorean cup
- Quaich ^[3]
- Sake cup (*ochoko*)
- Stemware
- Teacup
- Trembleuse
- Tumblers

The word *cup* comes from Middle English *cuppe*, from Old English, from Late Latin *cuppa*, drinking vessel, perhaps variant of Latin *cupa*, tub, cask.^[2] The first known use of the word cup is before the 12th century.^[4]

2 Tumblers

Main article: Tumbler (glass)

Tumblers are flat-bottomed drinking glasses.

- Collins glass, for a tall mixed drink^[5]
- Dizzy Cocktail glass, a glass with a wide, shallow bowl, comparable to a normal Cocktail glass but without the stem
- Highball glass, for mixed drinks^[6]
- Iced tea glass
- Juice glass, for fruit juices and vegetable juices.
- Old Fashioned glass, traditionally, for a simple cocktail or liquor "on the rocks". Contemporary American "rocks" glasses may be much larger, and used for a variety of beverages over ice
- Shot glass, a small glass for up to four ounces of liquor. The modern shot glass has a thicker base and sides than the older whiskey glass
- Table-glass or *stakan granyoni*
- Water glass
- Whiskey tumbler, a small, thin-walled glass for a straight shot of liquor



A classic 20-facet Soviet table-glass, produced in the city of Guskhrustalny since 1943.

3 Beer glassware



Whisky tasting glass

Main article: Beer glassware

- Beer stein – large mug traditionally with a hinged lid
- Pilsner glass, for pale lager
- Pint glass, for an Imperial pint of beer or cider
- Pony glass, for a 140ml of beer, a “short” or “small” beer
- Tankard, a large drinking cup, usually with a handle and a hinged cover
- Wheat beer glass, for wheat beer (Weizenbier)
- Yard glass, a very tall, conical beer glass, with a round ball base, usually hung on a wall when empty
- Handle – 425ml New Zealand beer glass
- Jug – 750–1000ml served at pubs in New Zealand
- Middy – 285ml (10 fl. oz.) Australian beer glass (New South Wales)
- Glass – 200ml (7 fl. oz.) Australian beer glass (Queensland and Victoria)
- Pot – 285ml (10 fl. oz.) Australian beer glass (Queensland and Victoria).
- Schooner – 425ml (15 fl. oz.) Australian beer glass, 285 ml (10 fl. oz.) in South Australia

Main article: Australian beer § Beer glasses

4 Stemware

Main article: Stemware

- Absinthe glass
- Chalice (goblet), an ornate stem glass, especially one for ceremonial purposes
- Champagne coupe, a stem glass with a wide, shallow bowl, for champagne (similar to a cocktail glass)
- Champagne flute, a stem glass with a tall, narrow bowl, for champagne
- Cocktail glass, a stem glass with a wide, shallow bowl, for cocktails
- Fountain glass, a tall fluted stem glass common in soda fountains, family restaurants and 24-hour diner-style restaurants for milkshakes and ice cream sodas
- Glencairn whisky glass, a wide bowl with a narrow mouth, similar to a snifter’s, but with a shorter, sturdier base, designed for whisky^[7]



A stem glass

- Hurricane glass (Poco Grande glass)
- Margarita glass (variant of Champagne coupe)
- Sherbet, a stem glass for ice cream or sorbet
- Sherry glass
- Snifter, a liquor glass with a short stem and a wide bowl that narrows at the top, for brandy and liquor
- Wine glass, a stem glass

5 Other



A variety of drinking glasses

- Art glass, glassware that is modern art
- Glass container, container made from glass

- Laboratory glassware, a variety of equipment, traditionally made of glass, used for scientific experiments
- Pitcher, a container, usually with a spout for pouring its contents
- Punch bowl, a bowl that punch is put in, generally used in parties
- Vase, an open container often used to hold flowers
- Bong, a smoking device often made from glass

6 See also

- Beverage coaster, a flat ceramic or wood piece that protects tables
- Bottle (List of bottle types, brands and companies)
- Promotional mug, a branded cup often used for drinking hot beverages

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