North Dakota



Table 1: Other Tobacco Product Taxation

OTP Taxed?

If yes, which products are taxed as of January 1, 2014?					✓ Yes Blank No Not Applicable/Addressed		
Product	Taxed?	Type of Tax Ad Valorem Specific		How Defined?	How Taxed?	Rate Change Since 2005?	
Cigars	✓	✓		Stand-alone	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Cigarillos	✓	✓		Stand-alone	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Little Cigars	✓	✓		Stand-alone	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Pipe Tobacco	✓	✓		Stand-alone	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Roll-Your-Own Tobacco	No					Not applicable	
Dry Snuff	✓		✓	With OTPs	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Moist Snuff	✓		✓	With OTPs	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Snus	✓		✓	With OTPs	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Smokeless Tobacco Generally	✓		✓	With OTPs	Stand-alone	\leftrightarrow	
Dissolvables	No					Not applicable	
E-cigarettes	No					Not applicable	

◆ Rate Decreased ↑ Rate Increased ← No Change

Table 2: Summary of OTP Tax Rates, Selected Years, 2005-2014

Product	2005	2008	2011	2014
Cigarettes	\$0.44/20 §	\$0.44/20 §	\$0.44/20 §	\$0.44/20 §
Cigars	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP Δ	28% WPP Δ	28% WPP ∆
Cigarillos	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP <u>∆</u>
Little Cigars	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP ∆
Pipe Tobacco	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP ∆	28% WPP <u>∆</u>
Roll-Your-Own Tobacco				
Dry Snuff	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §
Moist Snuff	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §
Snus	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §	\$0.60/oz §
Smokeless Tobacco Generally	\$0.16/oz §	\$0.16/oz §	\$0.16/oz §	\$0.16/oz §
Dissolvables				
E-cigarettes				

△ Ad Valorem; § Specific; -- Not taxed; WPP=Wholesale Purchase Price; oz=ounce.



Wholesale Purchase Price

"... the established price for which a manufacturer sells cigars or pipe tobacco to a distributor exclusive of any discount or other reduction." (N.D. CENT. CODE § 57-36-26)