

# STOCKING MY BAR?

You've probably never had to calculate buying alcohol. Buying booze for a small gathering is one thing, but what about for a hundred people? Well, Here is everything you need to know about how to buy alcohol for your wedding or event. With Traditions Events Mobile Bar Service, you will receive excellent service. Our insured bartender will set up, cool down and serve all your booze so you and your guests can enjoy.

**There are three basic types of event bars:** Beer & wine only, Full bar, Modified full bar: *Beer, Wine & Specialty drink (\*Recommended)*

## Full Bar

- **Booze:** Whiskey, Scotch, Gin, Vodka, Rum and Tequila
- **Mixers:** Juice, Soda, Tonic Water, & Club Soda
- **Garnishes:** Limes & Cherries

## Beer and Wine Bar

### Beer:

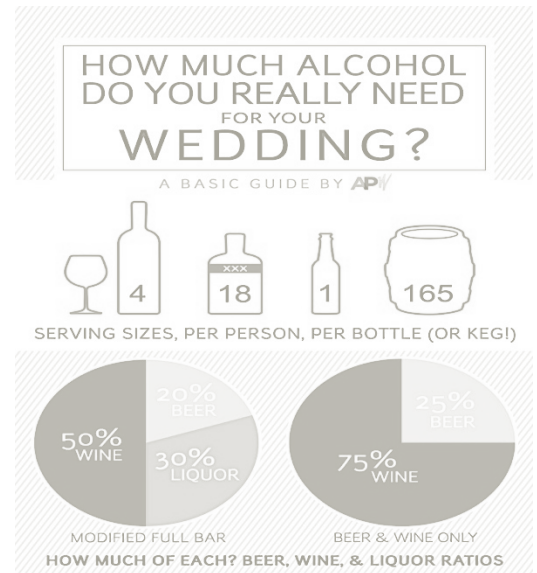
- It's nice to select at least 3 types of beer (Lager, Light and Craft)
- Consider bottles versus a keg: Bottles can be more expensive while keg leftovers don't keep for more than a day or two.

### Wine:

- You'll need at least one red wine, one white and one sweet option

### Bubbles (Optional):

- You don't have to do a champagne toast; people can cheer with anything. However, if you're going to serve champagne as a toasting-only option, you want about 4-5 ounces per person.



## Modified Bar

- If you're offering only a signature cocktail (in addition to wine and beer) consider having two signature drinks: one made with brown liquor and one with clear. Maybe even call them a "His" and "Hers" Drink.

## Sample Shopping list (100 Guests)

- 4 -5 cases of beer (2 light, 2 lager, 1 craft)
- 1.5-liter wine (3 Chardonnay, 3 Cabernet, 2 sweet wine)
- 2- bottle vodka, 2- bottles whiskey, 1- bottle of other liquor
- 6- 2 liters of coke and diet
- 3- 2 liters of ginger ale
- 2- ½ gallons of cranberry

### Other Items:

- 10-12oz Cups for beer, soda & water
- 6-8oz Wine Cups for wine & bar drinks
- Champagne flutes (If catering does not provide)
- Carafe or container for specialty drink
- Bar Napkins & Stirrs
- Tap & Ice Tub for Keg
- Several cases of bottles water
- Garnishes (Must be pre-cut or assembled)
- Liquor, Beer, wine, Champagne
- Variety of Mixers
- Sodas
- 80-100lbs of Ice

## Reminders:

- No alcohol can be self-served during your rental period. If you have special or specific bottles of alcohol you would like to share with your bridal party, the bartender will hold aside and only serve to those in party.
- Confirm with your caterer what drinks they will be providing. (Lemonade, Iced tea, Coffee and Water)
- If they do not provide nonalcoholic drinks, make sure to purchase extra soda and water for guest who don't drink.
- All items will be packed up and ready for you to take home at the end of the night.
- Helpful Tip: ABC and Total Wine will allow you to return any un-opened bottles of alcohol.

