Coffee Cup Sizes Chart

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Chart page (the live, interactive version):
https://baristabetter.com/guides/coffee-cup-sizes/

Coffee-maker cups vary by maker: read the markings on your carafe.

Coffee cup sizes

Cup	Fluid ounces	Millilitres	Basis
Double espresso shot	1.4 fl oz	40 ml	Double shot drawn as 40 ml in the drinks data (sources give 28 to 40 ml).
Coffee-maker "cup", brewed	4 fl oz	118 ml	Brewed from 5 fl oz of water (Wikipedia Cup).
NCA ratio unit (water)	6 fl oz	177 ml	The NCA drip guideline is 1 to 2 tablespoons per 6 fl oz of water.
US customary cup	8 fl oz	237 ml	Half a US liquid pint: 8 fl oz, about 236.6 ml.
US nutrition-label cup	8.1 fl oz	240 ml	Defined in US law as 240 ml.

Coffee-maker cups

A typical coffee-maker cup is about 5 fl oz of water (Wikipedia Cup); some makers use 6. 12 "cups" is therefore about 60 to 72 fl oz of water (the SCA/Seattle Coffee Gear page describes a 12-cup brewer as about 1.8 L, 60 fl oz).

Sources

Seattle Coffee Gear: Espresso Drinks, A Written and Visual Guide
https://www.seattlecoffeegear.com/blogs/learning-center/espresso-drinks-guide
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Coffee Bros: All Espresso Drinks Explained
https://coffeebros.com/blogs/coffee/all-espresso-drinks-explained-the-difference-between-espresso-drinks
Checked November 4, 2026.

Wikipedia: Cup (unit)
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cup_(unit)
US customary cup 8 fl oz (about 236.6 ml); US legal (nutrition label) cup 240 ml; a US coffee-maker cup is usually 4 fl oz brewed from 5 fl oz of water. Checked November 4, 2026.

National Coffee Association: How to Make Drip Coffee
https://www.aboutcoffee.org/brewing/drip/
1 to 2 tablespoons of ground coffee per 6 ounces of water; about 5 minutes of contact; medium grind (like kosher salt). Checked November 4, 2026.

Figures are starting points taken from the pages above, not medical or maker advice. Check your own equipment and ask a professional about health questions.