

Formulas Online

What's New in Formulas Online 2.7 (Industry Members)

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The following system functionality enhancements and bug fixes are included in the Version 2.7 release of the Formulas Online system:

All Submissions

Improved Handling of Multiple Open Submissions. We have introduced changes in the Formulas Online interface to prevent you from unintentionally updating the wrong submission when you have more than one submission open.

Here is what you can expect when working with multiple submissions in a session:

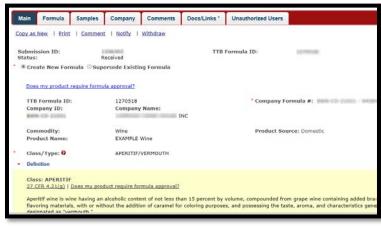
 Submissions open in separate tabs: From the My Submissions view (see screenshot) or Search Results view, any existing submission ID link you select will open in a new tab. This allows you to easily navigate back to the My Submissions view or Search Results view when you have one or more submissions open.

My Submissions View

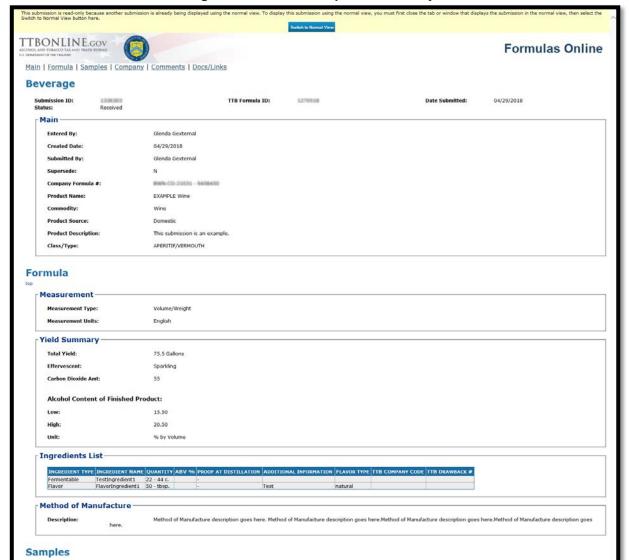


• **Normal view:** The first submission will open and display in its traditional manner. This is referred to as the "normal view."

Beverage Submission Example – Normal View



• **Read-Only view:** When you have one submission open in the *normal* view, THEN open *another* submission (for example, by navigating to the first tab with the **My Submissions** view and clicking on another submission), it will display in a non-editable view. The non-editable view is referred to as the "read-only view."



Beverage Submission Example – Read-Only View

- Read-Only view indicators: This is how you will know that you are in a read-only view:
 - As shown in the screenshot, a yellow notice will appear at the top of the screen with the following text:

"This submission is read-only because another submission is already being displayed using the normal view. To display this submission using the normal view, you must first close the tab or window that displays the submission in the normal view, then select the Switch to Normal View button here."

Read-Only View Notice



The *read-only* view does not display with tabs (e.g., Formula tab, Samples tab) like in the *normal* view. Instead, all sections of the submission appear on *one* Web page. To see the full page, you can scroll up and down. You can also use the section links in the top horizontal menu to "jump" to specific areas of the page.

Read-Only View Section Links



• Change from read-only view to normal view: To switch a submission from the *read-only* view to the *normal* view, click the "Switch to Normal View" button in the yellow notice box at the top of the screen. Upon clicking the button, you will see a pop-up box with a message that reminds you that you must first close the submission currently open in normal view:

"This submission must remain in the read-only view because another submission is already being displayed using the normal view. To display this submission using the normal view, you must first close the tab or window that display submission [submission ID], then select the 'Switch to Normal View' button again."

Read-Only View – Switch to Normal View Button and Pop-Up

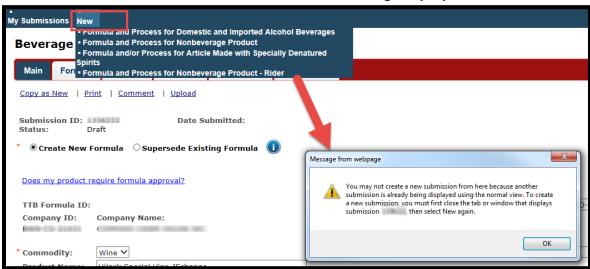


• Create-new-submission error: To create a new submission, you may click on the "New" drop-down in the top blue horizontal menu as always. This menu is visible on the *normal* views including the **My Submisssions** page. If you already have another submission open and you attempt to create a new submission, you will see a pop-up with the following error message:

"You may not create a new submission from here because another submission is already being displayed using the normal view. To create a new submission, you must first close the tab or

window that displays submission [submission ID], the select New again."

As indicated, you will have to close the submission you have open in the *normal* view before proceeding to create a new submission. If that is the only Formulas Online tab you have open, just click on the "Home" link to switch the tab back to **My Submissions**.



Create-New-Submission Error Message Pop-Up

- Other Read-Only view features:
 - Attachments can be opened from the read-only view.
 - Certain references to TTB Formula IDs from within a submission are operable hyperlinks from the *read-only* view, *if* you are authorized to view the formula. These are the TTB Formula IDs entered in Drawback Disapproved Intermediate ingredients and Ineligible Alcohol ingredients. Other references to submissions or formulas are not operable hyperlinks from the *read-only* view at this time.

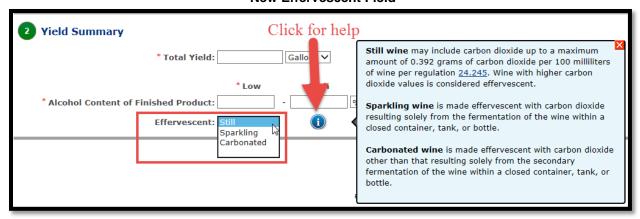
Beverage Submissions Only

Enhancements

• WINE ONLY: New Efferverscent Field in Formula Tab – For Wine submissions, you will now see a new Effervescent field in the Formula tab's Yield Summary section. The field offers three pull-down menu options: Still (default), Sparkling, and Carbonated.

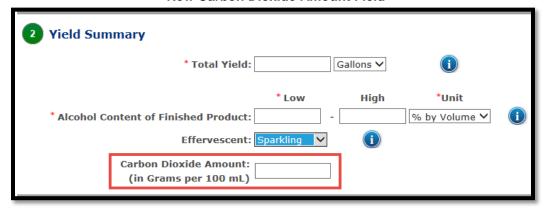
For help on making your selection, click on the blue i-icon next to the field. A pop-up will display guidance on the three menu options.

New Effervescent Field



 WINE ONLY: New Carbon Dioxide Amount Field in Formula Tab — Related to the new Effervescent field, is a the new Carbon Dioxide Amount field. If the Effervescent value selected is Sparkling or Carbonated, the Carbon Dioxide Amount field will display beneath it. Entries are to be in grams per 100 mL as indicated on the screen.

New Carbon Dioxide Amount Field



Bug Fixes

Hyperlink to Superseded Formula Opens Wrong Submission – This fix resolves the issue
where the hyperlink to the formula being superseded (Main tab) was not always opening the
correct version of the formula if there were multiples. The hyperlink now opens the correct
formula version (submission), which is the most recent, approved submission that existed at
the time the supersede action was taken.

Drawback Submissions Only

Bug Fixes

 Rounding issue for Eligible Absolute Alcohol Used and Alcohol Content of Finished Product – This fix resolves a rounding issue whereby the system would round values for Eligible Absolute Alcohol Used (low and high) and Alcohol Content of Finished Product to 1 decimal place, making values < .05 appear to be 0. This rounding no longer occurs.
