



Missouri Laws & Penalties

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Offense	Penalty	Incarceration	Max. Fine
Possession			
Less than 35 g	misdemeanor	1 year	\$ 1,000
35 g - 30 kg	felony	1 year	\$ 5,000
30 - 100 kg	felony	5 - 15 years	\$ 20,000
More than 100 kg	felony	10 years - life	\$ 20,000
Possession of more than 100 kilograms is considered trafficking.			
Sale, Trafficking, or Distribution			
Less than 5 g	felony	7 years	\$ 5,000
5 g - 30 kg	felony	5 - 15 years	\$ 20,000
30 - 100 kg	felony	10 years - life	\$ 20,000
More than 100 kg	felony	10 years - life*	\$ 20,000

Within 2000 feet of a school or 1000 feet of public housing	N/A	10 years - life	\$ 20,000
* No probation or parole			
Cultivation			
See Possession and Sale sections for details.			
Hash & Concentrates			
Penalties for hashish are the same as for marijuana. Please see the marijuana penalties section for further details.			
Paraphernalia			
Possession of paraphernalia	misdemeanor	1 year	\$ 1,000
Sale of paraphernalia	felony	5 years	\$ 5,000
Miscellaneous (license suspensions, civil damages, etc...)			
Possession or use of marijuana results in a driver's license suspension if under the age of 21.			

Penalty Details

Possession

Possession of less than 35 grams is a Class A misdemeanor which is punishable by a maximum sentence of 1 year imprisonment and a maximum fine of \$1,000.

Possession of 35 grams- 30 kilograms is a Class C felony which is punishable by a maximum sentence of 1 year imprisonment and a maximum fine of \$5,000.

Possession of 30-100 kilograms is considered trafficking and is a Class B felony punishable by a sentence of 5-15 years and a fine of \$5,000-\$20,000.

Possession of more than 100 kilograms is considered trafficking and is a Class A felony punishable by 10 years-life imprisonment and fine of \$5,000-\$20,000.

See:

- Section 195.202.1 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)
- Section 195.222 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)
- Section 195.223 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)

Sale, Trafficking, or Distribution

The sale or manufacture of 5 grams or less is a Class C felony which is punishable by up to 7 years imprisonment and a maximum fine of \$5,000.

The sale or manufacture of 5 grams-30 kilograms is a Class B felony which is punishable by a sentence of 5-15 years imprisonment and a fine of \$5,000-\$20,000.

The sale of 30-100 kilograms is a Class A felony which is punishable by a sentence of 10 years-life imprisonment and a fine of \$5,000-\$20,000.

The sale of 100 kilograms or more is a Class A felony which is punishable by a sentence of 10 years-life imprisonment with no probation or parole and a fine of \$5,000-\$20,000.

Sale within 2,000 feet of a school or 1,000 feet of public housing is punishable by a sentence of 10 years-life imprisonment and a fine of \$5,000-\$20,000.

See:

- Section 195.211 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)
- Section 195.212 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)
- Section 195.222 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)
- Section 195.223 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)

Cultivation

Cultivation in Missouri will be punished based upon the aggregate weight of the plants found. See the "Possession" and "Sale, Trafficking, or Distribution" sections for further penalty details.

Hash & Concentrates

The penalties for hashish and concentrates are exactly the same as for marijuana in Missouri.

See:

- Section 195.010(24) of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)
- *State v. Randall*, 540 S.W.2d 156, 159 [Web Search](#)
- *State v. Evans*, 637 S.W.2d 62 (Mo App. 1982) [Web Search](#)
(Mo.App.1976) ("Although 'hashish' is not specifically listed in the schedules, it is clearly included within the statutory definition of marihuana.")

Paraphernalia

The possession of paraphernalia is a misdemeanor which is punishable by a maximum sentence of 1 year imprisonment and a maximum fine of \$1,000.

The sale of paraphernalia is a felony which is punishable by a maximum sentence of 5 years imprisonment and a maximum fine of \$5,000.

See:

- Section 195.233 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)
- Section 195.235 of the Missouri Criminal Code [Web Search](#)

Miscellaneous

Possession or use of marijuana results in a driver's license suspension if the offender is under the age of 21 at the time the offense was committed.

HEMP

This state has an active [hemp industry or has authorized research](#). Hemp is a distinct variety of the plant species *cannabis sativa* L. that contains minimal (less than 1%) amounts of tetrahydrocannabinol (THC), the primary

psychoactive ingredient in marijuana. Various parts of the plant can be utilized in the making of textiles, paper, paints, clothing, plastics, cosmetics, foodstuffs, insulation, animal feed, and other products. For more information see NORML's Industrial Use section.

MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCE

When someone is convicted of an offense punishable by a mandatory minimum sentence, the judge must sentence the defendant to the mandatory minimum sentence or to a higher sentence. The judge has no power to sentence the defendant to less time than the mandatory minimum. A prisoner serving an MMS for a federal offense and for most state offenses will not be eligible for parole. Even peaceful marijuana smokers sentenced to "life MMS" must serve a life sentence with no chance of parole.

MEDICAL CBD

This state has passed a [medical CBD](#) law allowing for the use of cannabis extracts that are high in CBD and low in THC to treat severe, debilitating epileptic conditions.

Missouri CBD-Specific Marijuana Law

Status

2014

QUALIFYING CONDITIONS

- Intractable epilepsy

PATIENT POSSESSION LIMITS

Twenty ounces of cannabis extracts containing five percent or more of CBD and no more than three-tenths of one percent of THC

HOME CULTIVATION

No

STATE-LICENSED DISPENSARIES

Yes

STATE-LICENSED DISPENSARIES OPERATIONAL

Not yet

CAREGIVERS

No

RECIPROCITY

No

CONTACT INFORMATION

N/A