

<b>2026 Big E Northeast Gold Cider &amp; Perry Competition Classes</b>	
<b>Class</b>	<b>Standard</b>
1101	Modern Cider - Dry
1102	Modern Cider - Sweet
1103	Heritage Cider - Dry
1104	Heritage Cider - Sweet
1105	Traditional Cider - Dry
1106	Traditional Cider - Sweet
1107	Natural Cider
1108	Rosé Cider
1109	Modern Perry
1110	Traditional Perry
	<b>Specialty</b>
1201	Fruit Cider
1202	Hopped Cider
1203	Botanical Cider
1204	Wood Aged Cider
1205	Wood Aged Specialty Cider
1206	Specialty Cider and Perry
1207	Unlimited Cider and Perry
	<b>Intensified and Distilled Styles</b>
1301	Ice Cider
1302	Fortified Cider
1303	Eau de vie
1304	Brandy
	<b>Mead</b>
1351	Traditional Mead
1352	Fruit Mead
1353	Spiced Mead
1354	Specialty Mead
	Notes:
	For classifications, we follow the BJCP Style Guidelines. If you are unsure where to place your entry, visit <a href="http://www.bjcp.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/2025_Guidelines_Cider.pdf">www.bjcp.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/2025_Guidelines_Cider.pdf</a> for ciders or <a href="http://www.bjcp.org/style/2015/mead/">www.bjcp.org/style/2015/mead/</a> for meads.