

Appendix A
El Paso Soft Drink Bottlers and Distributors
2010

Numbers in brackets = number of years in operation

T.L. Reber & Co. – 1880-1881 [1]
Houck & Dieter – 1881-1912 [31]
Coffin & Co. – 1881 (only) [1]
H.D. Zachry – 1882-1885?
G. Edward Angerstein – 1884 (only) [1]
R.F. Johnson (El Paso Bottling Company) – 1891-1898 [7]
Henry Pfaff – 1898-1907 [9]
El Paso Bottling Works – 1901 [1]
M. Ainsa & Sons – 1901-1919
Crombie & Co. – 1904-1959
M.R. Sweeney Bottling Works – 1905-1908 [2]
James A. Dick Company – 1905-present
Purity Bottling & Manufacturing Co. – 1906-1912 [6]
Magnolia Bottling Co. – 1908-1914 [6]
Southwestern Liquor Co. – 1907-1914 [6]
Woodlawn Bottling Co. – 1909-1955 [46]
W.C. White & Co. – 1910
Crystal Bottling Works – 1911-1915 [4]
Empire Bottling Works – 1912-1924 [12]
Magnolia Coca-Cola Bottling Co. – 1915-present [81]
Gallegos Bros. Bottling Works 1915 – (only) [1]
National Bottling Works – 1915-1917 [2]
Francisco Dominguez & Co. – 1915 [1]
Crown Bottling Works 1916-1921 – [5]
Carlos Gallegos Medina & Co. 1916 – (only) [1]
Union Bottling Works – 1916-1935 [19]
International Bottling Works – 1917 (only) [1]
Loretz, Pegram & Co. – 1917

La Mexicana (Mexican Bottling Works) – 1917 (only) [1]
Zork-Smith Fruit Co. – 1917-1918
Blatz Co. – 1918
E.M. McCoy – 1918
Lone Star Bottling Works – 1918-1929 [11]
Texas Bottling Works – 1918-1934 [16]
Tri-State Beverage Co. – 1919-1923 [4]
Border Beverage Co. – 1920-1922 [2]
Tickle Beverage & Mfg. Co. – 1920 (only) [1]
Victory Bottling Works – 1920-1931 [11]
Whistle Company of El Paso – 1920 (only) [1]
Antonio Patino – 1922 [1]
Empire Products Corp. – 1925-1956 [31]
Nicholson Bottling Works – 1925-1979 [54]
Lone Star Bottling & Fuel Co. – 1930-1934 [4]
Mackin Brokerage Co. – 1931-1932 [1]
Nehi Bottling Co. – 1931-1941 [10]
El Paso Beverage Co. – 1935 (only) [1]
El Paso Real Juice – 1935-1942 [7]
T.R. Fye Products Co. – 1936 (only) [1]
Seven Up Bottling Co. of El Paso – 1937-1969 [32]
Barq's Bottling Co. – 1939-1956 [17]
Nehi-Royal Crown Bottling Co. – 1941-1965 [24]
Grapette Bottling Co. – 1941-1969 [28]
Wonder Beverage Co. – 1946-1954 [8] (incl. Flores Bros. Bottling Co 1950-1954)
Canada Dry Bottling Co. – 1948-1974 [26]
Nesbitt's Orange Bottling Co. – 1948-1955 [7]
Sun Spot Bottling Co. – 1948 (only) [1]
Trone Bottling Co. – 1950-51 [2]
Flores Bros. Bottling Co. – 1950-1954 [4]
Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. – 1952-1956 [4]
Duffy's Draft Beverage Co. – (1952-1995) [43]
Double Cola Bottling Co. – 1955-1956 [1]
Jones & Pfafflin Mfg. Co. – 1955-1958 [3]

Lone Star Sparkling Beverages – 1955 (only) [1]
Pepsi Cola Bottling Co. of El Paso – 1955-present [45]
Empire Bottling Co. – 1956-1969 [13]
Barq's Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. (was Barq's & Dr. Ppper) – 1957-1976 [19]
Vess Distributing Co. (Olaque Bottling Corp.) – 1962 [1]
Vess & Three V Cola – 1963-1971 [8]
Royal Crown Bottling Co. – 1965-1969 [4]
Seven Up Royal Crown Bottling Co. – 1969-1986 [17]
Shasta Beverages Division of Consolidated Foods Corp. 1972-1975 [3]
Sky Vess and 3-V Cola Beverage, Inc. – 1972 [1]
Vess Beverage Co. – 1973-1974 [1]
Wes-Tex Custom Bottlers, Inc. – 1974-1978 [5]
Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. – 1977-1980 [3]
Kalil Bottling Co. – 1984-present [11]

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R.F. Johnson → Henry Pfaff → Southwestern Liquor 1896-1914 [18]
Houck & Dieter & Purity → Empire 1881-1969 [88]
M.R. Sweeney → Woodlawn → Pepsi Cola 1906-1999 [89]
Mexican Bottling Works → Lone Star Bottling Works 1915-1929 [14]
Union Bottling Works → Nicholson Bottling Works 1916-1979 [63]
National Bottling Works → Texas Bottling Works 1915-1934 [19]
Dr. Pepper → Barq's Dr. Pepper → Dr. Pepper 1952-1980 [28]
Nehi → Nehi - RC → Royal Crown (1931-1969) [38]
Seven Up → Seven Up-Royal Crown (1937-1986) [49]
Canada Dry → Wes-Tex (1948-1978) [30]

