

HAWAII CAPTIVE INSURANCE FACT SHEET

269 Hawai'i Captive Companies at 9/30/2025

Captive Owners by Location

U.S.	Western	176
	Central	27
	Eastern	21
	Total U.S.	224
Non-U.S.	Asia / Pacific	44
	Europe	1
	Total at 9/30/2025	269

Captive Owners by Industry Groups

Construction / Real Estate	79
Health Care	32
Telecommunications & Manufacturing	53
Retail & Other Services	29
Financial Services	40
Transportation / Energy	36
Total at 9/30/2025	269

Permitted Coverages

- Property/Casualty
- Workers' Compensation
- Securitization of Insurance Risks
- Other lines as allowed by Commissioner

Organizational Structures

- Stock
- Non-profit
- Mutual
- Reciprocal
- Limited Liability Company

Class	Captive Class Description	Minimum Statutory Requirements
1	Single Owner; Reinsurance only	\$100,000
2	Single Owner; Direct and Reinsurance	\$250,000
3	Multi-Owner; Association or Risk Retention	\$500,000
4	Sponsored Captive	\$500,000
5	Reinsurance or Excess Insurance Only	Determined by Insurance Commissioner

Minimum required capital and surplus determined by Insurance Commissioner based on each captive program.

Tax Rate	State Captive Premium Tax Rate
0.25%	\$0 to \$25 million
0.15%	\$25 million to \$50 million
0.05%	\$50 million to \$250 million
0.00%	\$250 million and up

Fees

Initial Incorporation Fee	\$ 50
Captive Application Fee	\$ 1,000
Annual Business Registration Fee	\$ 15
Annual Captive License Fee	
Class 1 and 2	\$ 300
Class 3	\$ 500
Class 4 and 5	\$ 1,000

Tax on captive's premiums only. No Minimum Premium Tax. Maximum premium tax of \$200,000.

No taxation of captive premiums if premiums were previously subjected to tax in jurisdiction where underlying risk is located or on reinsurance premiums assumed by captive.

Applicable Law: Hawai'i Revised Statutes, Title 24, Chapter 431, Article 19 (Enacted May 1986)

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Links to Related Sites

Hawai'i State Government
Hawai'i Captive Insurance Council

<https://portal.ehawaii.gov>
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