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Monthly Statistical Report — Wines

ITEM	March		6 Months Ending March 31	
	1988	1987	1988	1987
(Wine gallons)				
STILL WINES (BULK)				
Production:				
Removed from fermenters ^{1/}	5,145,120	5,028,842	146,375,172	180,823,750
Increases after fermentation:				
By sweetening.....	272,625	1,540,829	8,092,118	11,107,094
By addition of wine spirits.....	1,113,007	514,189	4,180,282	4,914,186
By amelioration.....	549,376	457,385	2,213,037	2,519,995
Production, total.....	7,080,128	7,541,245	160,860,609	199,365,025
Withdrawals:				
Taxable:				
Not over 14% alcohol (\$.17 per gallon).....	279,066	106,518	704,377	915,909
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol (\$.67).....	48,553	53,252	281,214	335,606
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol (\$2.25).....	6,270	2	6,383	4,251
Taxable, total.....	333,889	159,772	991,974	1,255,766
Tax-free:				
Production of effervescent wines.....	1,751,965	1,663,869	14,523,410	14,970,685
Production of vinegar.....	131,320	117,891	1,370,991	1,661,120
Production of non-beverage wine:				
Not over 14% alcohol.....	96,692	123,054	767,735	680,972
Over 14% alcohol.....	87,933	124,584	582,352	452,074
For use as distilling material ^{2/}	1,141,138	996,057	7,488,017	7,492,062
Exports.....	525,891	406,847	2,374,564	1,817,464
Tax-free, total.....	3,734,939	3,432,302	27,107,069	27,074,377
Stocks end-of-month total:				
Not over 14% alcohol.....	396,369,454	414,798,294		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol.....	35,000,433	36,472,706		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol.....	3,098,792	3,698,015		
Stocks end-of-month, total.....	434,468,679	454,969,015		
STILL WINES (BOTTLED)				
Bottled.....	41,849,247	47,076,008	212,553,796	216,336,136
Taxable withdrawals:				
Not over 14% alcohol.....	34,726,321	39,601,511	186,594,343	188,603,670
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol.....	3,411,366	4,530,797	24,334,449	26,105,603
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol.....	-	-	1,670	883
Taxable withdrawals, total.....	38,137,687	44,132,308	210,930,462	214,710,156
Tax-free, export.....	953,376	598,805	4,337,770	3,272,311
Withdrawals, total.....	39,091,063	44,731,113	215,268,232	217,982,467
Stocks end-of-month:				
Not over 14% alcohol.....	62,835,441	65,342,813		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol.....	3,882,694	4,955,951		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol.....	-	449		
Stocks end-of-month, total.....	66,718,135	70,299,213		
EFFERVESCENT WINES (BULK AND BOTTLED)				
Produced.....	1,660,845	2,012,769	14,330,080	16,365,020
Bottled.....	1,810,276	2,609,806	15,782,123	17,522,493
Taxable withdrawals:				
Artificially carbonated.....	17,735	20,638	196,392	318,239
Naturally carbonated.....	1,490,086	1,759,198	16,794,056	17,342,271
Taxable withdrawals, total.....	1,507,821	1,779,836	16,990,448	17,660,510
Tax-free, export.....	42,763	83,882	331,671	311,895
Withdrawals, total.....	1,550,584	1,863,718	17,322,119	17,972,405
Stocks end-of-month.....	16,463,117	17,045,431		

NOTE: Vermouth and other special natural still wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in still wines. Other special natural carbonated wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in effervescent wines.

^{1/} Excludes substandard wines produced as distilling material for the production of brandy.
^{2/} Additional wine expressly produced as distilling material.

MONTHLY STATISTICAL RELEASE (WINES Continued) - March 1988

Bulk Wine Gallons By States	Production ^{1/}	Still wines				Special natural wines		
		Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month		Production	Vermouth Taxable withdrawals	Stocks end-of-month
		Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol			
Arkansas	1,339	102	-	365,637	86,208	-	-	-
California	3,172,204	258,697	31,742	365,545,569	33,861,902	620,704	118,140	2,417,797
Florida	38,828	-	-	46,809	143,160	-	-	-
Illinois	22	-	-	24,969	-	-	-	-
Indiana	3,339	-	-	59,441	-	-	-	-
Iowa	3,520	-	-	20,413	1,745	-	-	-
Maryland	-	-	-	67,268	7,331	-	-	-
Michigan	9,778	-	-	291,990	42,247	-	-	67
Missouri	6,315	-	-	235,401	28,092	-	1,034	1,471
New Jersey	75	-	-	136,364	13,610	-	-	-
New Mexico	-	-	-	577,083	262	-	-	-
New York	992,485	2,056	1,335	17,681,861	2,773,051	1,686	17,570	69,486
Ohio	43,329	5,800	4,274	567,080	197,678	827	1,374	-
Oregon	36,357	2,766	-	968,452	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	19,736	-	-	356,516	52,367	-	-	-
Virginia	181,657	115	-	653,653	163,173	-	-	-
Washington	13,959	8,641	-	6,229,295	24,924	-	-	-
Wisconsin	4,735	-	-	29,990	-	-	-	-
Others ^{2/}	617,442	889	17,472	2,511,663	703,475	4,077	3,408	1,862
Total	5,145,120	279,066	54,823	396,369,454	38,099,225	627,294	141,526	2,490,683

Bulk Wine Gallons By States	Production	Special natural wines			Effervescent wines		
		Other			Taxable withdrawals		
		Taxable withdrawals	Stocks end-of-month	Production	Artificially Carbonated wines	Naturally Carbonated wines	Stocks end-of-month
Arkansas	-	-	-	2,231	-	-	2,825
California	2,019,029	1,869,458	3,707,663	1,640,161	-	12	9,394,306
Florida	6,178	-	3,113	-	-	-	415
Illinois	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	760	18,757	13,191	-	-	-	209
Maryland	1,535	67	1,849	-	-	-	-
Michigan	-	827	11,777	1,501	-	-	10,030
Missouri	166	55	625	-	-	-	1,290
New Jersey	625	572	1,362	404	-	-	7,022
New Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-	30,640
New York	58,546	52,066	91,910	-	-	-	2,226,977
Ohio	-	102	6,193	858	-	-	15,451
Oregon	-	-	-	3,030	-	-	12,244
Pennsylvania	-	2	12	-	-	-	4,724
Virginia	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,390
Washington	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,453
Wisconsin	-	12	427	-	-	-	-
Others ^{2/}	34,711	13,546	33,002	12,660	-	-	67,336
Total	2,121,550	1,955,464	3,871,124	1,660,845	-	12	11,795,312

^{1/} Removed from fermenters exclusive of distilling materials.
^{2/} Excludes: Alaska, Kansas, Nevada, and Vermont.

MONTHLY STATISTICAL RELEASE - WINES (Continued) - March 1988

Bottled Wine Gallons By States	Still wines					Effervescent wines			
	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month			Taxable withdrawals			
	Bottled	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Bottled	Artificially carbonated wines	Naturally carbonated wines	Stocks end-of-month
Arkansas	33,251	9,440	13,928	39,243	21,082	-	-	250	1,420
California	35,299,582	30,218,923	2,419,911	54,997,890	3,011,723	1,767,148	14,519	1,419,904	4,196,699
Florida	20,563	5,802	-	152,602	8,690	-	-	-	579
Illinois	1,684	884	15,327	19,077	54	-	-	-	581
Indiana	673,334	516,228	17,286	430,119	33,171	-	2,209	4	31,280
Iowa	2,466	2,101	113	3,794	216	-	-	-	-
Maryland	458,500	455,523	67	23,928	1,740	-	-	-	354
Michigan	14,110	15,830	275	101,766	1,724	1,277	245	660	6,532
Missouri	52,250	31,877	6,187	154,783	43,419	1,010	257	529	4,699
New Jersey	13,514	9,077	-	41,795	-	504	292	551	1,887
New Mexico	5,848	2,838	-	59,077	199	-	10	-	1,843
New York	2,991,987	1,988,122	449,042	2,710,085	531,341	31,317	17	44,541	271,149
Ohio	54,824	50,551	7,151	137,525	24,478	215	-	5,261	16,490
Oregon	85,567	42,798	-	598,985	111	90	40	140	2,567
Pennsylvania	183,016	111,224	37,122	195,579	81,342	278	96	1,382	11,718
Virginia	283,436	43,648	236,673	147,564	49,855	42	-	2,502	4,602
Washington	275,878	273,639	1,042	2,207,732	14,289	686	-	896	85,329
Wisconsin	5,101	73,254	-	26,084	-	-	10	94	828
Others 1/	1,394,336	874,562	207,242	787,813	59,260	7,709	40	13,360	29,248
Total	41,849,247	34,726,321	3,411,366	62,835,441	3,882,694	1,810,276	17,735	1,490,074	4,667,805

ITEM	March		6 Months Ending March 30	
	1988	1987	1988	1987
(Wine gallons)				
SPECIAL NATURAL WINES				
...MOUTH:				
Production.....	627,294	695,502	2,464,222	2,430,230
Taxable withdrawals.....	141,526	194,273	1,861,304	1,840,078
Stocks end-of-month.....	2,490,683	2,939,416		
OTHER SPECIAL NATURAL WINE				
Production:				
Not over 14% alcohol.....	760,734	1,337,647	4,729,330	6,134,006
Over 14% alcohol.....	1,360,816	1,027,208	7,167,550	6,844,583
Artificially carbonated.....	-	1,991	29,136	13,831
Naturally carbonated.....	-	2,339	18,076	23,620
Total.....	2,121,550	2,369,185	11,944,092	13,016,040
Taxable withdrawals:				
Not over 14% alcohol.....	719,636	905,709	4,153,226	5,711,519
Over 14% alcohol.....	1,216,105	1,295,767	6,923,113	7,863,949
Artificially carbonated.....	19,542	1,777	61,730	104,121
Naturally carbonated.....	181	2,070	21,567	23,922
Total.....	1,955,464	2,205,323	11,159,636	13,703,511
Stocks end-of-month:				
Not over 14% alcohol.....	1,791,101	2,248,113		
Over 14% alcohol.....	2,059,601	1,562,243		
Artificially carbonated.....	20,243	51,435		
Naturally carbonated.....	179	15,420		
Total.....	3,871,124	3,877,211		
27 CFR 240.488 Wines (Wine Coolers)				
Production.....	16,132,241	16,704,727	49,439,966	47,575,501
Taxable withdrawals.....	10,774,484	11,612,827	39,079,952	35,304,167
Stocks end-of-month.....	18,441,022	8,579,036		
DISTILLING MATERIAL				
Production:				
California.....	2,200,375	3,000,660	56,699,820	67,852,830
Florida.....	8,195	-	47,553	35,863
Others.....	-	6,382	78	24,326
Removed to distilled spirits plants...	5,721,581	2,427,175	68,173,728	93,441,036
VINEGAR STOCKS				
Removed to vinegar plants.....	4,792	-	4,792	1,011,815

Excludes: Alaska, Kansas, Nevada, and Vermont.