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BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS

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STATISTICAL RELEASE

MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT - BEER

Activity	September		12 Months Ending September	
	1996	1995	1996	1995
(Barrels of 31 gallons)				
MANUFACTURE OF BEER				
Production	15,465,058	15,714,375	198,964,816	200,302,148
Removals:				
Taxable (\$7.00/\$18.00 per barrel):				
In bottles and cans	12,508,280	13,376,773	158,593,357	158,172,909
In barrels and kegs	1,662,933	1,677,729	18,878,365	19,043,774
TOTAL	14,171,213	15,054,502	177,471,722	177,216,683
Tax-free:				
For export	478,361	708,713	7,867,909	8,490,875
For vessels and aircraft	3	0	227	181
Consumed on brewery premises	2,908	2,277	24,597	18,411
For production of cereal beverage	5,360	7,496	54,674	79,306
TOTAL	486,632	718,486	7,947,407	8,588,773
Removals, TOTAL	14,657,845	15,772,988	185,419,129	185,805,456
Stocks end-of-month	13,305,345	13,536,056		
(Pounds)				
MATERIALS USED AT BREWERIES				
Malt and malt products	395,549,724	375,179,009	4,855,763,196	4,827,306,891
Corn and corn products	57,056,001	78,395,750	874,571,851	1,062,955,243
Rice and rice products	95,317,240	90,327,598	1,116,429,713	1,072,737,094
Barley and barley products	1,628,240	1,208,634	14,803,895	9,139,244
Wheat and wheat products	489,172	357,536	4,490,748	3,930,420
Sorghum grain and sorghum products	58,446	42,712	386,978	86,188
Grain products, TOTAL	550,098,823	545,511,239	6,866,446,381	6,976,155,080
Soy bean and soy bean products	0	0	5,165	0
Sugar and sirups	39,342,648	35,997,268	465,802,975	473,486,039
Hops (dry)	3,146,069	2,756,802	34,951,258	33,652,221
Hops (used as extracts) 1/	922,872	991,846	12,259,743	11,199,605
Other 2/	35,326,051	14,445,132	255,920,204	179,229,161
TOTAL used	628,836,463	599,702,287	7,635,385,726	7,673,722,106

1/ 922,872 Pounds of hops is equivalent to 208,810 pounds of extracts

2/ Includes various adjuncts which contribute to the production.

**Monthly Statistical Release - Beer
Taxable Removal By States - September 1996**

STATE TOTAL	BOTTLES AND CANS	BARRELS AND KEGS	TOTAL
(Barrels of 31 gallons)			
California	1,486,634	190,731	1,677,365
Colorado	1,178,118	161,154	1,339,272
Florida	602,827	86,867	689,694
Idaho	317	770	1,087
Illinois	2,145	3,587	5,732
Massachusetts	1,152	5,951	7,103
Michigan	796	2,482	3,278
Minnesota	179,368	17,578	196,946
New Jersey	553,632	82,787	636,419
New York	604,244	111,566	715,810
North Carolina	692,718	71,169	763,887
Oregon	120,818	47,722	168,540
Pennsylvania	313,534	65,571	379,105
Texas	1,534,823	92,127	1,626,950
Vermont	2,390	2,031	4,421
Virginia	901,689	151,451	1,053,140
Washington	181,441	32,898	214,339
Wisconsin	631,322	133,607	764,929
Others 1/	975,361	148,985	1,124,346
2/	1,117,457	155,960	1,273,417
3/	207,160	51,077	258,237
4/	1,220,334	46,862	1,267,196
Total	12,508,280	1,662,933	14,171,213

1/ Includes Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Hawaii, Iowa, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming.

2/ Includes Indiana, Kansas, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota, and West Virginia.

3/ Includes Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maine, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island.

4/ Includes Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, South Carolina, and Tennessee.