



**BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO, AND FIREARMS  
MONTHLY STATISTICAL RELEASE - BEER**

**REPORTING PERIOD: August 1999**

Activity	August		8 Months Ending August 31	
	1999	1998	1999	1998
<b>MANUFACTURE OF BEER</b>				
		<b>(Barrels of 31 gallons)</b>		
<b>Production</b>	17,135,196	17,096,425	137,582,559	137,873,592
<b>Removals:</b>				
Taxable (\$7.00/\$18.00 per barrel):				
In bottles and cans	14,202,790	14,144,800	112,184,886	110,358,692
In barrels and kegs	1,532,775	1,533,305	11,521,072	11,839,811
<b>TOTAL</b>	15,735,565	15,678,105	123,705,958	122,198,503
<b>Tax-free:</b>				
For export	431,117	474,277	3,467,309	3,949,694
For vessels and aircraft	0	0	31	5
Consumed on brewery premises	1,775	1,914	24,313	37,031
For production of cereal beverage	1	2,300	6,858	19,824
<b>TOTAL</b>	432,893	478,491	3,498,511	4,006,554
<b>Removals, TOTAL</b>	16,168,458	16,156,596	127,204,469	126,205,057
<b>Stocks end-of-month</b>	12,886,303	13,064,879		
<b>MATERIALS USED AT BREWERIES</b>				
		<b>(Pounds)</b>		
Malt and malt products	405,439,572	404,380,986	3,238,330,741	3,276,464,252
Corn and corn products	59,826,879	67,013,454	498,796,710	454,666,720
Rice and rice products	100,028,476	106,018,028	768,933,620	743,589,380
Barley and barley products	1,470,308	1,459,221	9,589,575	10,175,804
Wheat and wheat products	605,908	491,911	5,158,428	4,439,443
Sorghum grain and sorghum products	1,389	0	7,681	517
<b>Grain products, TOTAL</b>	567,372,532	579,363,600	4,520,816,755	4,489,336,116
Soy bean and soy bean products	0	0	0	0
Sugar and sirups	38,318,602	33,889,431	347,978,573	330,852,994
Hops (dry)	2,028,288	2,191,289	20,150,879	17,539,923
Hops (used as extracts) 1/	549,026	420,167	4,648,253	4,480,522
Other 2/	32,868,379	25,059,785	262,654,458	229,962,407
<b>TOTAL used</b>	641,136,827	640,924,272	5,156,248,918	5,072,171,962

1/ 549,026 Pounds of hops is equivalent to 157,810 pounds of extract

2/ Includes various adjuncts which contribute to the production.

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Taxable Removal By States - August 1999**

STATE	BOTTLES AND CANS	BARRELS AND KEGS	TOTAL
(Barrels of 31 gallons)			
Alabama	0	0	0
Alaska	3,552	3,591	7,143
Arizona	191	303	494
Arkansas	0	0	0
California	1,826,264	180,837	2,007,101
Colorado	1,524,323	184,129	1,708,452
Connecticut	123	503	626
Delaware	0	0	0
District of Columbia	0	0	0
Florida	626,097	81,297	707,394
Hawaii	37	335	372
Idaho	81	120	201
Illinois	2,474	1,972	4,446
Indiana	3,094	231	3,325
Iowa	90	67	157
Kansas	0	0	0
Kentucky	72	111	183
Louisiana	1,282	1,147	2,429
Maine	2,576	1,331	3,907
Maryland	1,623	1,513	3,136
Massachusetts	4,439	3,122	7,561
Michigan	1,186	1,309	2,495
Minnesota	17,586	3,698	21,284
Montana	414	1,365	1,779
Nebraska	3	123	126
Nevada	0	0	0
New Mexico	108	167	275
New York	668,938	119,692	788,630
North Dakota	0	0	0
Ohio	1,236,613	151,129	1,387,742
Oklahoma	0	0	0
Oregon	119,257	20,547	139,804
Pennsylvania	357,553	57,209	414,762
Rhode Island	0	66	66
South Carolina	0	42	42
South Dakota	0	65	65
Texas	1,743,134	81,036	1,824,170
Utah	0	0	0
Vermont	4,736	2,145	6,881
Virginia	1,149,529	154,162	1,303,691
Washington	134,632	16,859	151,491
West Virginia	0	0	0
Wisconsin	693,383	124,381	817,764
Wyoming	0	0	0
Others 1/	4,079,400	338,171	4,417,571
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,202,790</b>	<b>1,532,775</b>	<b>15,735,565</b>

1/ Includes Georgia, Missouri, New Jersey, New Hampshire, North Carolina, and Tennessee.