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BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS

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STATISTICAL RELEASE

MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT - BEER

Activity	April		7 Months Ending April	
	1996	1995	1996	1995
(Barrels of 31 gallons)				
MANUFACTURE OF BEER				
Production	17,869,597	17,055,330	110,782,606	109,375,913
Removals:				
Taxable (\$7.00/\$18.00 per barrel):				
In bottles and cans	13,574,354	12,779,931	85,427,091	84,588,747
In barrels and kegs	1,532,379	1,519,580	10,302,030	10,385,685
TOTAL	15,106,733	14,299,511	95,729,121	94,974,432
Tax-free:				
For export	848,766	616,014	4,432,535	4,310,133
For vessels and aircraft	0	0	224	181
Consumed on brewery premises	1,378	968	12,028	8,384
For production of cereal beverage	5,495	2,210	35,614	38,883
TOTAL	855,639	619,192	4,480,401	4,357,581
Removals, TOTAL	15,962,372	14,918,703	100,209,522	99,332,013
Stocks end-of-month	15,439,103	15,356,571		
(Pounds)				
MATERIALS USED AT BREWERIES				
Malt and malt products	444,747,847	413,809,221	2,702,393,439	2,671,687,744
Corn and corn products	91,603,619	90,057,177	544,370,512	595,866,231
Rice and rice products	101,697,976	93,019,948	607,850,926	596,511,886
Barley and barley products	1,118,124	827,270	8,117,286	4,301,884
Wheat and wheat products	328,528	466,141	2,007,717	1,375,486
Sorghum grain and sorghum products	21,570	1,230	141,887	20,050
Grain products, TOTAL	639,517,664	598,180,987	3,864,881,767	3,869,763,281
Soy bean and soy bean products	0	0	5,058	0
Sugar and sirups	42,350,560	41,090,695	245,436,645	262,207,440
Hops (dry)	3,128,053	2,473,188	19,035,278	18,240,264
Hops (used as extracts) 1/	1,094,571	1,034,840	6,747,144	5,816,628
Other 2/	14,019,894	15,223,666	94,420,814	98,113,853
TOTAL used	700,110,742	658,003,376	4,230,526,706	4,254,141,466

1/ 1,094,571 Pounds of hops is equivalent to 371,264 pounds of extracts

2/ Includes various adjuncts which contribute to the production.

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

STATE TOTAL	BOTTLES AND CANS	BARRELS AND KEGS	TOTAL
	(Barrels of 31 gallons)		
California	1,550,909	185,446	1,736,355
Colorado	1,357,468	159,794	1,517,262
Florida	664,457	82,556	747,013
Idaho	169	485	654
Illinois	1,589	2,490	4,079
Massachusetts	685	2,590	3,275
Michigan	1,939	1,298	3,237
Minnesota	208,348	19,264	227,612
New Jersey	500,568	76,929	577,497
New York	740,743	105,867	846,610
North Carolina	755,546	57,407	812,953
Oregon	110,027	20,500	130,527
Pennsylvania	315,164	58,566	373,730
Texas	1,697,469	96,953	1,794,422
Vermont	1,464	1,298	2,762
Virginia	926,039	138,755	1,064,794
Washington	195,455	30,325	225,780
Wisconsin	805,404	147,257	952,661
Others 1/	971,434	139,540	1,110,974
2/	1,250,136	131,812	1,381,948
3/	233,843	32,433	266,276
4/	1,285,498	40,814	1,326,312
Total	13,574,354	1,532,379	15,106,733

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.