



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

**REPORTING PERIOD: April 2000**

Activity	April		4 Months Ending April 30	
	2000	1999	2000	1999
<b>MANUFACTURE OF BEER</b>				
		<b>(Barrels of 31 gallons)</b>		
<b>Production</b>	17,518,456	17,057,042	65,999,321	66,016,658
<b>Removals:</b>				
Taxable (\$7.00/\$18.00 per barrel):				
In bottles and cans	13,975,942	13,907,212	52,850,540	52,902,091
In barrels and kegs	1,344,216	1,410,624	5,300,668	5,292,163
<b>TOTAL</b>	15,320,158	15,317,836	58,151,208	58,194,254
<b>Tax-free:</b>				
For export	345,054	392,280	1,363,242	1,588,117
For vessels and aircraft	0	4	0	3
Consumed on brewery premises	1,541	2,690	7,580	8,000
For production of cereal beverage	0	1,301	493	2,288
<b>TOTAL</b>	346,595	396,275	1,371,315	1,598,408
<b>Removals, TOTAL</b>	15,666,753	15,714,111	59,522,523	59,792,662
<b>Stocks end-of-month</b>	13,564,810	13,527,440		
<b>MATERIALS USED AT BREWERIES</b>				
		<b>(Pounds)</b>		
Malt and malt products	399,454,292	402,519,906	1,557,069,676	1,571,684,763
Corn and corn products	56,258,724	60,795,546	217,967,070	256,622,191
Rice and rice products	101,100,091	93,172,623	387,932,698	364,941,810
Barley and barley products	1,857,767	983,390	5,157,072	5,519,192
Wheat and wheat products	574,113	636,930	2,302,541	2,357,022
Sorghum grain and sorghum products	0	788	3,742	4,798
<b>Grain products, TOTAL</b>	559,244,987	558,109,183	2,170,432,799	2,201,129,776
Soy bean and soy bean products	0	0	0	0
Sugar and sirups	47,948,983	47,108,564	170,411,092	170,826,151
Hops (dry)	2,171,267	3,848,121	8,879,571	10,215,354
Hops (used as extracts) 1/	483,163	530,139	1,905,326	2,460,526
Other 2/	33,243,939	31,692,484	126,118,580	127,616,901
<b>TOTAL used</b>	643,092,339	641,288,491	2,477,747,368	2,512,248,708

1/ 483,163 Pounds of hops is equivalent to 184,218 pounds of extract

2/ Includes various adjuncts which contribute to the production.

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Taxable Removal By States - April 2000**

STATE	BOTTLES AND CANS	BARRELS AND KEGS	TOTAL
(Barrels of 31 gallons)			
Alabama	0	0	0
Alaska	3,268	4,080	7,348
Arizona	171	266	437
Arkansas	0	0	0
California	1,775,382	166,464	1,941,846
Colorado	1,651,672	165,025	1,816,697
Connecticut	45	289	334
Delaware	127	123	250
District of Columbia	0	0	0
Florida	631,762	74,747	706,509
Hawaii	0	383	383
Idaho	115	86	201
Illinois	2,055	1,376	3,431
Indiana	40,215	233	40,448
Iowa	30	35	65
Kansas	0	0	0
Kentucky	0	326	326
Louisiana	1,827	1,852	3,679
Maine	1,745	772	2,517
Maryland	1,084	1,362	2,446
Massachusetts	4,653	2,663	7,316
Michigan	1,285	1,617	2,902
Minnesota	36,014	3,577	39,591
Montana	318	1,112	1,430
Nebraska	1	20	21
Nevada	0	62	62
New Mexico	128	162	290
New York	640,651	102,680	743,331
North Dakota	0	0	0
Ohio	1,277,083	116,661	1,393,744
Oklahoma	0	0	0
Oregon	19,540	14,529	34,069
Pennsylvania	350,249	48,677	398,926
Rhode Island	0	140	140
South Carolina	40	191	231
South Dakota	0	33	33
Texas	1,608,230	77,841	1,686,071
Utah	0	0	0
Vermont	4,341	2,122	6,463
Virginia	994,665	135,019	1,129,684
Washington	129,982	22,242	152,224
West Virginia	0	0	0
Wisconsin	701,023	112,718	813,741
Wyoming	0	0	0
Others 1/	4,098,241	284,731	4,382,972
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,975,942</b>	<b>1,344,216</b>	<b>15,320,158</b>

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