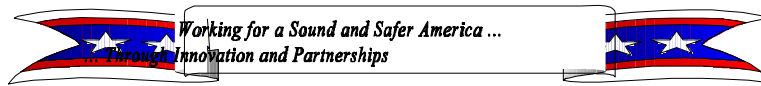




# BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS



## Monthly Statistical Release - Tobacco Products

Reporting Period: September 1998

(Numbers of Cigarettes and Cigars-Pounds of Pipe, Chewing Tobacco and Snuff)

	September 1998	August 1998	September 1997	CURRENT YEAR-TO-DATE	PREVIOUS YEAR-TO-DATE
<b>Manufactured or received from Puerto Rico</b>					
Cigarettes - Small	54,204,566,001	62,285,417,790	65,095,892,974	559,861,498,24	560,425,464,11
Cigarettes - Large	0	0	0	0	0
Cigars - Small	156,036,960	153,580,880	131,263,039	1,300,668,649	1,097,603,239
Cigars - Large	232,583,995	209,981,030	209,485,891	2,085,091,354	1,620,213,288
Snuff	5,661,532	5,753,846	5,534,115	48,190,380	47,756,911
Chewing Tobacco	4,389,524	4,902,873	5,351,505	41,584,190	45,456,584
Pipe Tobacco	401,639	530,897	595,121	4,614,357	5,353,233
<b>Removed Taxable including from Puerto Rico</b>					
Cigarettes - Small	38,371,004,232	41,452,699,889	43,215,825,185	361,627,657,14	363,838,226,95
Cigarettes - Large	0	0	0	0	0
Cigars - Small	151,641,400	142,164,760	151,668,585	1,252,456,645	1,242,245,142
Cigars - Large, Class A	75,652	121,524	127,504	860,598	695,907
Class B	332,820	375,697	3,790,565	18,962,897	30,021,447
Class C	2,434,386	3,070,054	661,523	12,089,995	4,749,150
Class D	19,314,590	12,300,172	10,379,498	111,278,450	117,736,622
Class E	8,547,235	9,735,405	5,643,560	85,654,167	45,929,800
Class F	59,594,521	70,735,055	84,968,781	570,538,314	795,934,243
Class G	154,703,681	158,906,089	148,778,966	1,431,363,051	1,075,512,639
Class H	17,117,644	18,855,641	13,167,596	155,014,623	130,757,271
Total Large	262,120,529	274,099,637	267,517,993	2,396,762,095	2,201,337,079
Snuff	5,556,631	5,284,797	5,356,617	46,874,190	46,682,283
Chewing Tobacco	4,847,328	4,675,213	5,357,673	41,278,817	44,747,747
Pipe Tobacco	348,731	509,032	526,270	4,225,608	4,566,447
<b>Removed Tax Exempt - Cigarettes</b>					
Small - Export	18,263,995,040	18,225,299,500	21,829,832,480	181,130,420,67	169,811,908,90
Transfer to Export Warehouses	159,721,000	273,957,800	275,056,100	3,070,082,300	3,559,748,200
Use of the U.S.	1,320,000	900,000	12,000	11,904,000	360,000
Personal Consumption/Experimental	14,935,984	14,826,601	15,344,677	121,179,287	116,844,922
Total Small	18,439,972,024	18,514,983,901	22,120,245,257	184,333,586,25	173,488,862,03
Large	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Removed Tax Exempt - Cigars</b>					
Small - Export	10,876,000	19,638,200	4,461,800	114,739,895	43,299,800
Transfer to Export Warehouses	0	312,000	0	828,000	1,956,000
Use of the U.S.	0	0	0	200	18,000
Personal Consumption/Experimental	13,750	10,800	17,600	111,475	144,756
Total Small	10,889,750	19,961,000	4,479,400	115,679,570	45,418,556
Large-Export	9,414,161	11,517,997	9,117,140	92,989,153	74,992,720
Transfer to Export Warehouses	2,016,360	693,220	2,099,325	10,238,160	6,757,153
Use of the U.S.	0	0	0	19,070	166,000
Personal Consumption/Experimental	64,779	33,807	63,059	381,439	453,624
Total Large	11,495,300	12,245,024	11,279,524	103,627,822	82,369,497
<b>Removed Tax Exempt - Smokeless Tobacco</b>					
Snuff-Export and To Export Warehouses	57,449	54,569	66,515	515,403	617,250
Other	2,195	2,279	2,905	23,482	32,099
Chewing Tobacco-Export & to Export	17,380	17,528	7,667	109,374	158,839
Other	1,270	685	577	5,682	4,856
<b>Removed Tax-Exempt - Pipe Tobacco</b>					
Export and To Export Warehouses	27,458	61,312	36,747	362,729	398,947

	September 1998	August 1998	September 1997	CURRENT	PREVIOUS
				YEAR-TO-DATE	YEAR-TO-DATE
<b>Manufactured or received from Puerto Rico</b>					
<b>Other</b>	61	0	0	127	0

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ON HAND / CLOSE OF BUSINESS	September 1998	August 1998	September 1997
	38,968,994,835	41,892,845,103	36,629,966,747
Cigarettes - Small	0	0	0
Cigars - Small	102,578,869	109,834,594	158,591,925
Cigars - Large	182,490,125	196,739,383	148,213,395
Snuff	2,480,116	2,453,343	2,233,657
Chewing Tobacco	1,757,035	2,242,097	1,918,845
Pipe Tobacco	181,800	204,028	257,433

	September 1998	August 1998	September 1997	CURRENT	PREVIOUS
				YEAR-TO-DATE	YEAR-TO-DATE
<b>IMPORTED FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES</b>					
Entered/Withdrawn for Consumption (As reported by the Bureau of the Census)					
Cigarettes - TOTAL	308,760,000	385,106,000	303,469,000	2,949,078,000	2,402,028,000
Cigars - Small	2,418,000	979,000	2,347,000	14,261,000	26,977,000
Cigars - Large, Class A-G	4,184,000	7,146,000	6,082,000	45,841,000	38,772,000
Cigars - Large, Class H	29,992,000	40,016,000	48,939,000	344,962,000	367,900,000
Total Large Cigars	34,176,000	47,162,000	55,021,000	390,803,000	406,672,000
Snuff	1,345	0	2,357	11,164	7,754
Chewing Tobacco	9,524	12,280	10,487	78,531	66,548
Pipe Tobacco	85,790	25,509	39,390	525,166	413,050
<b>Released to Domestic Factories Without (Included in above category)</b>					
Cigarettes - Small	4,604,380	13,372,800	0	490,256,915	455,925,560
Cigarettes - Large	0	0	0	0	0
Cigars - Small	0	0	0	0	0
Cigars - Large	0	0	0	0	24,000
Snuff	0	0	0	0	635,002
Chewing Tobacco	0	0	0	0	0
Pipe Tobacco	0	0	0	0	0