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STATISTICAL RELEASE

MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT - WINES

ITEM	March		6 Months through end of March	
	1996	1995	1996	1995
	(Wine Gallons)			
STILL WINES (BULK)				
Production:				
Removed from fermenters 1/	4,406,834	5,811,991	280,161,052	224,050,317
Increases after fermentation:				
By sweetening	492,965	1,155,116	11,141,795	8,929,728
By addition of wine spirits	537,039	439,871	4,503,021	3,968,355
By amelioration	754,946	554,906	3,695,969	2,965,613
Production, total	6,191,784	7,961,884	299,501,837	239,914,013
Withdrawals:				
Taxable:				
Not over 14% alcohol (\$1.07 per gallon)	354,908	81,366	568,622	894,314
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol (\$1.57)	4,354	17,756	144,537	140,631
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol (\$3.15)	0	1	97,598	927
Taxable, total	359,262	99,123	810,757	1,035,872
Tax-free:				
Production of effervescent wines	1,490,756	1,265,931	9,499,381	10,999,978
Production of vinegar	10,323	111,682	574,204	611,980
Production of non-beverage wine:				
Not over 14% alcohol	209,051	169,960	1,040,114	836,141
Over 14% alcohol	326,746	249,983	2,043,779	1,564,992
For use as distilling material 2/	365,565	1,196,221	5,992,364	8,467,205
Exports	580,312	681,252	3,805,050	3,501,146
Tax-free, total	2,982,753	3,675,029	22,954,892	25,981,442
Stocks end-of-month total:				
Not over 14% alcohol	339,648,500	380,214,273		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	27,271,145	25,565,579		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	2,188,552	3,003,156		
Stocks end-of-month, total	369,108,197	408,783,008		
STILL WINES (BOTTLED)				
Bottled 3/	35,925,765	35,730,810	194,076,379	183,841,022
Taxable withdrawals:				
Not over 14% alcohol	32,514,428	28,389,625	177,597,647	166,978,316
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	2,448,040	2,548,927	13,603,245	14,241,078
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	24,357	0	45,705	254
Taxable withdrawals, total	34,986,825	30,938,552	191,246,597	181,219,648
Tax-free, export	1,903,076	1,827,056	10,761,577	8,996,672
Withdrawals, total	36,889,901	32,765,608	202,008,174	190,216,320
Stocks end-of-month:				
Not over 14% alcohol	55,119,586	62,339,854		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	3,073,595	3,735,182		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	32,868	722		
Stocks end-of-month, total	58,226,049	66,075,758		
EFFERVESCENT WINES (BULK AND BOTTLED)				
Produced	1,640,401	1,565,597	10,678,630	11,957,323
Bottled	831,953	1,710,538	11,700,372	12,929,470
Taxable withdrawals:				
Artificially carbonated	6,754	19,520	124,045	155,595
Naturally carbonated	1,038,432	938,408	13,006,552	13,204,754
Taxable withdrawals, total	1,045,186	957,928	13,130,597	13,360,349
Tax-free, export	113,449	99,577	867,615	755,532
Withdrawals, total	1,158,635	1,057,505	13,998,212	14,115,881
Stocks end-of-month	13,498,832	15,497,410		

NOTE: Vermouth and other special natural still wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in still wines. Other special natural carbonated wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in effervescent wines.

1/ Excludes substandard wines produced as distilling material for the production of brandy.

2/ Additional wine expressly produced as distilling material.

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ITEM	March		6 Months through end of March	
	1996	1995	1996	1995
	(Wine Gallons)			
SPECIAL NATURAL WINES				
VERMOUTH:				
Production	12,481	23,994	873,015	1,122,940
Taxable withdrawals	91,682	197,117	1,130,623	1,250,406
Stocks end-of-month	593,239	2,356,623		
OTHER SPECIAL NATURAL WINE				
Production:				
Not over 14% alcohol	712,413	2,128,769	10,260,198	9,978,138
Over 14% alcohol	906,375	1,238,357	2,661,122	3,286,541
Artificially carbonated	0	10,706	74,974	87,571
Naturally carbonated	2,147	2,007	541,397	38,865
Total	1,620,935	3,379,839	13,537,691	13,391,115
Taxable withdrawals:				
Not over 14% alcohol	1,229,426	1,281,064	8,690,053	8,147,262
Over 14% alcohol	692,542	601,738	3,252,525	3,266,905
Artificially carbonated	5,486	11,815	55,012	79,308
Naturally carbonated	15,820	5,894	454,095	66,849
Total	1,943,274	1,900,511	12,451,685	11,560,324
Stocks end-of-month:				
Not over 14% alcohol	1,912,652	3,318,828		
Over 14% alcohol	2,197,292	1,293,434		
Artificially carbonated	41,266	51,059		
Naturally carbonated	266,624	30,007		
Total	4,417,834	4,693,328		
27 CFR 24.218 Wines (Wine Coolers)				
Production	4,395,035	2,663,160	30,692,978	12,948,403
Taxable withdrawals	2,329,577	1,660,559	10,254,037	7,267,421
Stocks end-of-month	6,300,981	3,289,519		
DISTILLING MATERIAL				
Production: California	4,467,596	5,396,017	62,190,783	51,115,333
Florida	0	0	0	4,505
Others	0	0	0	0
Removed to distilled spirits plants	5,970,426	10,689,181	72,920,182	60,782,055
VINEGAR STOCKS				
Removed to vinegar plants	42,989	0	42,989	0

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Bulk Wine Gallons By State	Still Wines					Special Natural Wines		
	Production 1/	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month		Production	Vermouth	
		Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol		Taxable Withdrawals	Stocks End-of-month
Arizona	59	0	0	18,588	105	0	0	0
Arkansas	1,295	0	0	181,201	64,556	0	0	0
California	1,836,593	347,206	2,879	319,819,331	26,285,877	0	84,818	574,191
Colorado	0	0	0	83,053	0	0	0	0
Connecticut	2,095	0	0	37,762	483	0	0	0
Florida	60,982	0	0	51,242	18,317	0	0	0
Georgia	102,695	956	389	228,682	209,337	385	385	111
Idaho	840	0	0	212,371	0	0	0	0
Illinois	1,009	0	0	54,056	5,429	0	0	0
Indiana	4,705	0	0	57,742	656	0	0	0
Iowa	2,383	0	0	7,978	504	0	0	0
Kansas	1,220	0	0	3,839	0	0	0	0
Kentucky	44,680	0	0	9,402	170,146	0	0	0
Maryland	1,360	0	0	38,427	0	0	0	0
Massachusetts	996	0	0	36,751	121	0	0	0
Michigan	24,417	0	0	267,715	36,556	0	178	918
Minnesota	300	0	0	14,317	600	0	0	0
Mississippi	0	0	0	17,385	0	0	0	0
Missouri	935	0	0	339,202	28,412	0	0	0
New Jersey	3,189	0	0	71,272	0	0	0	0
New Mexico	109	0	0	173,748	701	0	0	0
New York	1,986,321	110	0	4,513,901	2,329,421	12,096	4,551	15,696
North Carolina	20,422	0	220	28,626	13,026	0	0	0
Ohio	85,542	4,636	866	582,880	199,683	0	1,750	2,323
Oregon	21,174	0	0	1,313,755	8,174	0	0	0
Pennsylvania	13,507	0	0	446,318	0	0	0	0
Rhode Island	0	0	0	19,020	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	320	0	0	24,015	0	0	0	0
Texas	0	0	0	871,328	3,636	0	0	0
Vermont	95,058	0	0	65,566	0	0	0	0
Virginia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	75,105	2,000	0	9,937,339	83,902	0	0	0
West Virginia	0	0	0	15,429	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	7,488	0	0	28,616	55	0	0	0
Others 2/	12,035	0	0	77,643	0	0	0	0
Total	4,406,834	354,908	4,354	339,648,500	29,459,697	12,481	91,682	593,239

Bulk Wine Gallons By State	Special Natural Wines			Effervescent Wine			Stocks end-of- month
	Production	Other		Production	Taxable withdrawals		
		Taxable With- drawals	Stocks end-of- month		Artificially Carbonated wines	Naturally Carbonated wines	
Arkansas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
California	1,466,119	1,715,628	4,283,031	1,462,737	0	0	9,957,475
Michigan	4,807	1,341	7,756	6,538	0	0	24,349
Missouri	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,486
New Jersey	0	0	0	373	0	0	6,009
New Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	0	43,690
New York	149,504	225,686	123,754	168,253	0	0	262,085
Ohio	0	285	1,826	0	0	0	28,841
Oregon	0	0	0	0	0	0	79,111
Pennsylvania	0	0	0	288	0	0	1,422
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	292,603
Wisconsin	0	0	0	0	0	0	168
Others 2/	505	334	1,467	2,212	0	0	50,892
Total	1,620,935	1,943,274	4,417,834	1,640,401	0	0	10,753,131

1/ Removed from fermenter exclusive of distilling materials.

2/ Excludes Alaska, Delaware, District of Columbia, Nebraska, North Dakota, and Wyoming.

Bottled Wine Gallons By State	Still Wines					Effervescent Wines			
	Bottled	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month		Bottled	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of- month
		Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol		Artificially carbonated wines	Naturally carbonated wines	
Arizona	1,244	2,618	0	28,071	0	186	0	77	231
Arkansas	18,097	11,440	2,764	67,098	10,693	0	0	0	0
California	31,399,149	28,958,973	1,359,241	46,772,529	2,394,353	688,703	0	910,521	2,332,138
Colorado	7,564	3,484	299	23,600	2,462	0	0	5	33
Connecticut	2,819	2,082	16	30,667	644	0	0	5	77
Florida	26,302	48,852	1,680	153,759	1,718	0	0	0	0
Georgia	13,913	905	13,288	2,807	1,892	0	0	0	0
Idaho	62,565	23,020	0	201,571	0	0	0	1,545	6,399
Illinois	0	12,433	7	10,909	30	0	0	0	0
Indiana	201,137	118,871	0	323,132	0	0	0	0	156
Iowa	1,844	1,814	0	906	0	0	0	0	0
Kansas	904	869	0	1,847	0	0	0	0	0
Kentucky	13,233	0	9,239	0	15,177	0	0	0	0
Maryland	7,067	7,441	0	14,562	0	0	0	0	0
Massachusetts	3,398	1,655	0	33,060	216	732	0	65	1,061
Michigan	64,695	48,229	207	137,049	695	3,174	59	1,319	7,938
Minnesota	2,692	766	1	14,825	111	0	0	0	61
Mississippi	1,559	708	0	6,375	0	0	0	0	0
Missouri	38,652	21,989	179	144,183	4,671	1,056	1,210	76	8,942
New Jersey	11,202	160,347	8,735	139,047	25,169	424	0	4,036	22,554
New Mexico	6,968	4,623	97	21,747	69	3,504	0	3,114	10,517
New York	2,911,978	1,669,890	1,060,152	1,661,429	556,353	130,802	5,070	100,092	184,106
North Carolina	17,631	12,494	0	39,344	14,059	252	0	121	510
Ohio	78,785	43,229	7,918	164,817	24,387	0	0	741	8,950
Oregon	84,614	108,217	1,294	1,116,466	14,035	1,312	306	1,082	9,979
Pennsylvania	29,271	15,628	0	117,183	0	470	109	30	1,710
Rhode Island	1,199	617	0	2,750	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	611	1,247	0	9,388	0	16	0	16	0
Texas	81,087	100,599	267	145,218	3,437	79	0	12	473
Vermont	158,691	159,494	0	16,696	597	0	0	0	0
Virginia	0	433	0	7,981	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	657,403	574,788	4,385	2,880,888	29,531	1,226	0	15,364	147,543
West Virginia	304	464	0	19,062	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	10,007	7,333	112	38,443	418	15	0	1	130
Others 1/	9,180	388,876	2,516	772,177	5,746	2	0	210	2,193
Total	35,925,765	32,514,428	2,472,397	55,119,586	3,106,463	831,953	6,754	1,038,432	2,745,701

1/ Excludes Alaska, Delaware, District of Columbia, Nebraska, North Dakota, Puerto Rico, South Dakota, and Wyoming.