

December 2009  
Preliminary Report

**APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF DISTILLED SPIRITS BY STATE, IN WINE GALLONS**

	January - December		Percent	12 Months Ending December		Percent
	2009	2008	Change	2009	2008	Change
<b>LICENSE STATES</b>						
Alaska	1,525,838	1,432,658	6.5%	1,525,838	1,432,658	6.5%
Arizona	9,062,331	9,307,604	-2.6%	9,062,331	9,307,604	-2.6%
Arkansas	3,756,644	3,588,171	4.7%	3,756,644	3,588,171	4.7%
California	51,467,312	50,615,107	1.7%	51,467,312	50,615,107	1.7%
Colorado	9,849,857	9,849,648	0.0%	9,849,857	9,849,648	0.0%
Connecticut	6,099,754	6,064,584	0.6%	6,099,754	6,064,584	0.6%
Delaware	2,391,373	2,240,520	6.7%	2,391,373	2,240,520	6.7%
Dist. Columbia	1,882,138	1,868,004	0.8%	1,882,138	1,868,004	0.8%
Florida	35,073,557	33,686,860	4.1%	35,073,557	33,686,860	4.1%
? Georgia **	12,493,117	12,517,661	-0.2%	12,493,117	12,517,661	-0.2%
? Hawaii	1,603,145	1,689,332	-5.1%	1,603,145	1,689,332	-5.1%
Illinois	19,449,167	18,433,759	5.5%	19,449,167	18,433,759	5.5%
Indiana @	9,158,767	9,231,727	-0.8%	9,158,767	9,231,727	-0.8%
Kansas	3,649,729	3,576,395	2.1%	3,649,729	3,576,395	2.1%
Kentucky	5,582,919	5,515,173	1.2%	5,582,919	5,515,173	1.2%
Louisiana	7,509,218	7,206,667	4.2%	7,509,218	7,206,667	4.2%
Maryland	9,863,177	9,563,193	3.1%	9,863,177	9,563,193	3.1%
Massachusetts	11,188,827	11,028,074	1.5%	11,188,827	11,028,074	1.5%
Minnesota	9,765,694	10,627,775	-8.1%	9,765,694	10,627,775	-8.1%
Missouri	9,817,395	9,439,694	4.0%	9,817,395	9,439,694	4.0%
Nebraska	2,761,747	2,766,559	-0.2%	2,761,747	2,766,559	-0.2%
Nevada @	5,922,224	6,695,616	-11.6%	5,922,224	6,695,616	-11.6%
New Jersey	15,036,259	14,951,063	0.6%	15,036,259	14,951,063	0.6%
New Mexico	2,884,692	3,238,894	-10.9%	2,884,692	3,238,894	-10.9%
New York	27,545,986	26,294,887	4.8%	27,545,986	26,294,887	4.8%
North Dakota	1,514,344	1,474,522	2.7%	1,514,344	1,474,522	2.7%
? Oklahoma	3,962,288	3,955,977	0.2%	3,962,288	3,955,977	0.2%
Rhode Island	1,823,562	1,811,024	0.7%	1,823,562	1,811,024	0.7%
? South Carolina *	6,660,146	6,673,218	-0.2%	6,660,146	6,673,218	-0.2%
South Dakota	1,407,496	1,359,289	3.5%	1,407,496	1,359,289	3.5%
Tennessee	7,666,802	7,396,448	3.7%	7,666,802	7,396,448	3.7%
Texas	27,617,944	27,091,414	1.9%	27,617,944	27,091,414	1.9%
Wisconsin	13,107,646	11,986,786	9.4%	13,107,646	11,986,786	9.4%
<b>LICENSE TOTAL</b>	<b>339,101,097</b>	<b>333,178,304</b>	<b>1.8%</b>	<b>339,101,097</b>	<b>333,178,304</b>	<b>1.8%</b>
<b>CONROL STATES</b>						
Alabama	5,427,669	5,324,049	1.9%	5,427,669	5,324,049	1.9%
Idaho	2,084,474	2,018,212	3.3%	2,084,474	2,018,212	3.3%
Iowa **	4,307,850	4,203,046	2.5%	4,307,850	4,203,046	2.5%
Maine @	2,280,350	2,268,599	0.5%	2,280,350	2,268,599	0.5%
Michigan @	16,134,061	15,167,332	6.4%	16,134,061	15,167,332	6.4%
Mississippi	4,063,949	4,011,790	1.3%	4,063,949	4,011,790	1.3%
Montana	1,728,827	1,702,744	1.5%	1,728,827	1,702,744	1.5%
? New Hampshire @	4,919,240	4,769,811	3.1%	4,919,240	4,769,811	3.1%
North Carolina	10,653,734	10,469,003	1.8%	10,653,734	10,469,003	1.8%
Ohio @	13,580,873	13,296,122	2.1%	13,580,873	13,296,122	2.1%
Oregon	6,286,376	6,254,838	0.5%	6,286,376	6,254,838	0.5%
Pennsylvania	15,202,579	15,225,710	-0.2%	15,202,579	15,225,710	-0.2%
Utah	2,330,308	2,276,457	2.4%	2,330,308	2,276,457	2.4%
Vermont	904,801	909,101	-0.5%	904,801	909,101	-0.5%
Virginia	9,252,143	9,073,656	2.0%	9,252,143	9,073,656	2.0%
Washington	9,844,881	9,872,130	-0.3%	9,844,881	9,872,130	-0.3%
West Virginia **	1,678,643	1,628,718	3.1%	1,678,643	1,628,718	3.1%
Wyoming **	1,178,128	1,183,927	-0.5%	1,178,128	1,183,927	-0.5%
<b>CONROL TOTAL</b>	<b>111,858,885</b>	<b>109,655,244</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>111,858,885</b>	<b>109,655,244</b>	<b>2.0%</b>
<b>U.S. TOTAL</b>	<b>450,959,983</b>	<b>442,833,548</b>	<b>1.8%</b>	<b>450,959,983</b>	<b>442,833,548</b>	<b>1.8%</b>

SOURCE: License state statistics based on state treasury tax collections except where noted.

Control state statistics come from NABCA, based on retail sales by state liquor stores except where noted.

NOTE:

\* Based on shipments from distillers to wholesalers. Georgia and South Carolina unable to provide

\*\* Based on shipments from state liquor boards to private retailers and other

# Georgia consumption includes supplier shipments to AAFES.

@ Figure includes low proof

? Value estimated as data is presently not available from the state.