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MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES

Production of carbonated beverages for October was 7,130,109 gallons, an 8 per cent decrease from the September production of 7,726,781 gallons and a 5 per cent decline from the October 1953 production of 7,488,904 gallons. Production for ten months of 1954 decreased 3 per cent to 84,639,359 gallons from the 87,456,891 gallons produced during the same period in 1953.

TABLE 1 - MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES 1952-1954

	1952 (Gal.)	1953 (1) (Gal.)	1954 (1) (Gal.)
January .....	6,972,888	6,758,093	5,791,929
February .....	5,967,907	5,689,583	6,322,700
March .....	6,307,061	6,840,284	7,137,824
April .....	7,362,384	7,504,544	7,575,194
May .....	8,952,881	9,356,465	9,052,873
June .....	9,916,843	10,407,480	11,234,674
July .....	13,980,270	12,931,159	11,834,456
August .....	10,661,663	10,438,799	10,832,819
September .....	9,074,620	10,041,580	7,726,781
October .....	7,140,347	7,488,904	7,130,109
November .....	6,632,923	7,254,990	
December .....	8,425,704	8,522,777	
	<u>101,395,491</u>	<u>103,234,658</u>	

TABLE 2 - MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES 1952-1954, SHOWING CUMULATIVE TOTALS

	1952 (Gal.)	1953 (1) (Gal.)	1954 (1) (Gal.)
January .....	6,972,888	6,758,093	5,791,929
February .....	12,940,795	12,447,676	12,114,629
March .....	19,247,856	19,287,960	19,252,453
April .....	26,610,240	26,792,504	26,827,647
May .....	35,563,121	36,148,969	35,880,520
June .....	45,479,964	46,556,449	47,115,194
July .....	59,460,234	59,487,608	58,949,650
August .....	70,121,897	69,926,407	69,782,469
September .....	79,196,517	79,967,987	77,509,250
October .....	86,336,864	87,456,891	84,639,359
November .....	92,969,787	94,711,881	
December .....	<u>101,395,491</u>	<u>103,234,658</u>	

(1) Preliminary figures subject to revision.

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