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## MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES

Production of Carbonated Beverages in May 1956, was 10,880,395 gallons a 0.9% increase over the production for the same month in 1955. The cumulative production for the first 5 months of 1956 was 43,315,446 gallons which is 7.3% larger than the 40,361,521 gallons produced in the same period last year.

TABLE 1 - MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES 1954-1956

	1954	1955 (1)	1956 (1)
	(Gal.)	(Gal.)	(Gal.)
January .....	5,966,955	6,797,143	7,970,675
February .....	6,513,765	6,370,521	6,953,159
March .....	7,353,521	7,771,597	8,385,992
April .....	7,804,108	8,638,565	9,125,225
May .....	9,326,441	10,783,695	10,880,395
June .....	11,574,173	12,214,470	
July .....	12,192,080	15,667,829	
August .....	11,160,175	15,340,789	
September .....	7,960,276	9,986,415	
October .....	7,345,572	8,049,284	
November .....	7,965,732	8,134,855	
December .....	8,653,186	9,067,841	
	103,815,984	118,823,004	

TABLE 2 - MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES 1954-1956, SHOWING CUMULATIVE TOTALS

	1954	1955 (1)	1956 (1)
	(Gal.)	(Gal.)	(Gal.)
January .....	5,966,955	6,797,143	7,970,675
February .....	12,480,720	13,167,664	14,923,834
March .....	19,834,241	20,939,261	23,309,826
April .....	27,638,349	29,577,826	32,435,051
May .....	36,964,790	40,361,521	43,315,446
June .....	48,538,963	52,575,991	
July .....	60,731,043	68,243,820	
August .....	71,891,218	83,584,609	
September .....	79,851,494	93,571,024	
October .....	87,197,066	101,620,308	
November .....	95,162,798	109,755,163	
December .....	103,815,984	118,823,004	

(1) Preliminary figures subject to revision.

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