

Vending Machines (Coin-Operated)

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NOTE. Data are now published on the new North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) basis and therefore are not always comparable to the old Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) code. For further information on NAICS, see www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS. In 1999, manufacturers' shipments of coin-operated vending machines totaled \$1,038.8 million. Shipments for beverage vending machines totaled \$741.0 million. The amount of vending machines for confections and foods was \$246.2 million in 1999.

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Table 1. Value of Shipments of Automatic Vending Machines by Type of Machine: 1992 to 1999
[Value in thousands of dollars]

Product description	1999	1998 1/	1997 1/	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992
Beverage vending machines.....	741,027	(NA)	(NA)	511,132	464,777	387,192	323,089	320,969
Confections and food vending machines.....	246,236	(NA)	(NA)	222,789	211,602	239,022	199,292	214,865
Other vending machines.....	51,529	(NA)	(NA)	81,134	90,627	72,020	67,866	56,931

NA Not available.

1/Data were not collected in years 1998 and 1997.

Table 2. Quantity and Value of Shipments of Coin-Operated Vending Machines: 1995, 1996, and 1999
[Quantity in number of units. Value in thousands of dollars]

Product code	Product description	No. of cos.	1999		1996		1995	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	Coin-operated vending machines.....	NA	857,222	1,038,792	787,517	815,055	r/ 747,691	767,006
	Beverage vending machines.....	X	503,177	741,027	353,146	511,132	340,463	464,777
	Hot beverage:							
3333111202	Instant, freeze-dried or liquid concentrate coffee....	4 b/	5592	a/ 12,000	4,988	11,045	2,939	6,279
3333111203	Fresh brew or freeze-dried office counter type.....	2 a/	(D)	a/ (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
3333111204	Fresh brew coffee and combinations.....	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	Soft drink:							
3333111108	Canned and bottled beverages (refrigerated).....	10	477,102	686,009	316,362	438,773	298,491	382,774
3333111109	Cup (postmix).....	2 a/	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,706	7,319
3333111219	Other vending machines for beverages.....	2 c/	(D)	c/ (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	Confections and food vending machines.....	X	222,540	246,236	263,445	222,789	232,949	211,602
3333111321	Bulk confections and charms.....	4	(D)	(D)	158,039	8,787	128,097	6,681
3333111422	Bagged snacks and confections.....	10 c/	97,353	c/ 154,370	88,271	146,415	88,436	137,752
3333111524	Frozen foods and ice cream.....	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
3333111525	Multipurpose food and confections.....	7	22,030	81,874	15,681	63,814	14,990	63,872
3333111529	Other vending machines for confections and foods.....	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	Other vending machines.....	X	131,505	51,529	170,926	81,134	174,279	90,627
3333111633	Cigarettes (single packs only).....	1 c/	(D)	c/ (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
3333111632	Water	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
3333111635	Postage stamp.....	2 c/	(D)	a/ (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
3333111649	All other vending machines.....	27 b/	129,177	c/ 48,214	167,621	67,596	170,019	70,762

D Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual companies. NA Not available. r/Revised by 5 percent or more from previously published data. X Not applicable.

Note: Percent of estimation of each item is indicated as follows: a/10 to 25 percent of this item has been estimated. b/26 to 50 percent of this item has been estimated. c/Over 50 percent of this item has been estimated.

Table 3. Shipments, Exports, Imports, and Apparent Consumption of Coin-Operated Vending Machines: 1996 to 1999
[Value in millions of dollars]

Product description	Manufacturers' shipments (value f.o.b. plant)	Exports of domestic merchandise 1/	Imports for consumption 2/ 3/	Apparent consumption 4/
1999				
Coin-operated vending machines.....	1,038.8	186.4	37.9	890.3
1998				
Coin-operated vending machines.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1997				
Coin-operated vending machines.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1996				
Coin-operated vending machines.....	815.1	158.9	36.2	692.4

NA Not available.

1/Source: Census Bureau report EM 545, U.S. Exports. Schedule B export numbers for automatic merchandising machines, coin-operated, new are: 8476.21.0000, 8476.29.0000, 8476.81.0000, and 8476.89.0000.

2/Source: Census Bureau report IM 145, U.S. Imports for Consumption. HTSUSA numbers for automatic merchandising machines, coin-operated, new are: 8476.21.0000, 8476.29.0000, 8476.81.0000, and 8476.89.0000.

3/This dollar value represents the c.i.f. (cost, insurance, and freight) value at the first port of entry in the United States plus import duties.

4/Apparent consumption is derived by subtracting exports from the total of manufacturers' shipments plus imports.