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Less Expansive,  
More Expensive Pie;  
**Many More Mouths**

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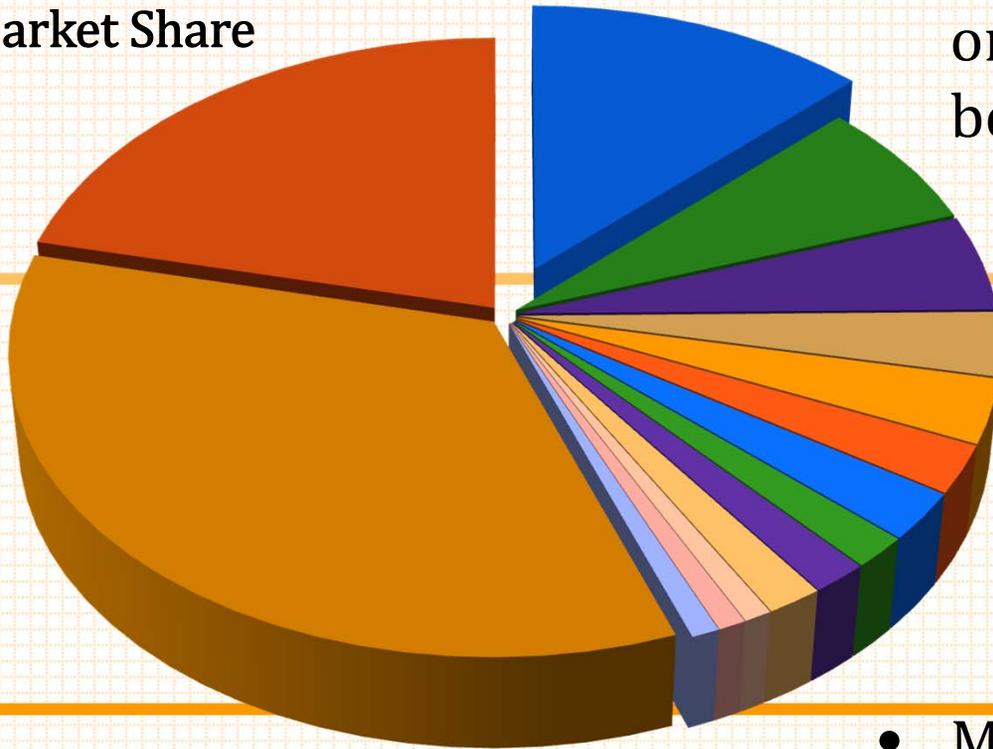
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# The U.S. beer pie ain't growin'...

Market Share



- Less expansive: shrinking or stabilized overall U.S. beer volume
- More expensive: major shift to high-end and above-premium segments
- Many more mouths: massive increase in brewers and brands

## ...but the table's getting crowded

# Beer vs Wine & Spirits: losing share of per capita consumption

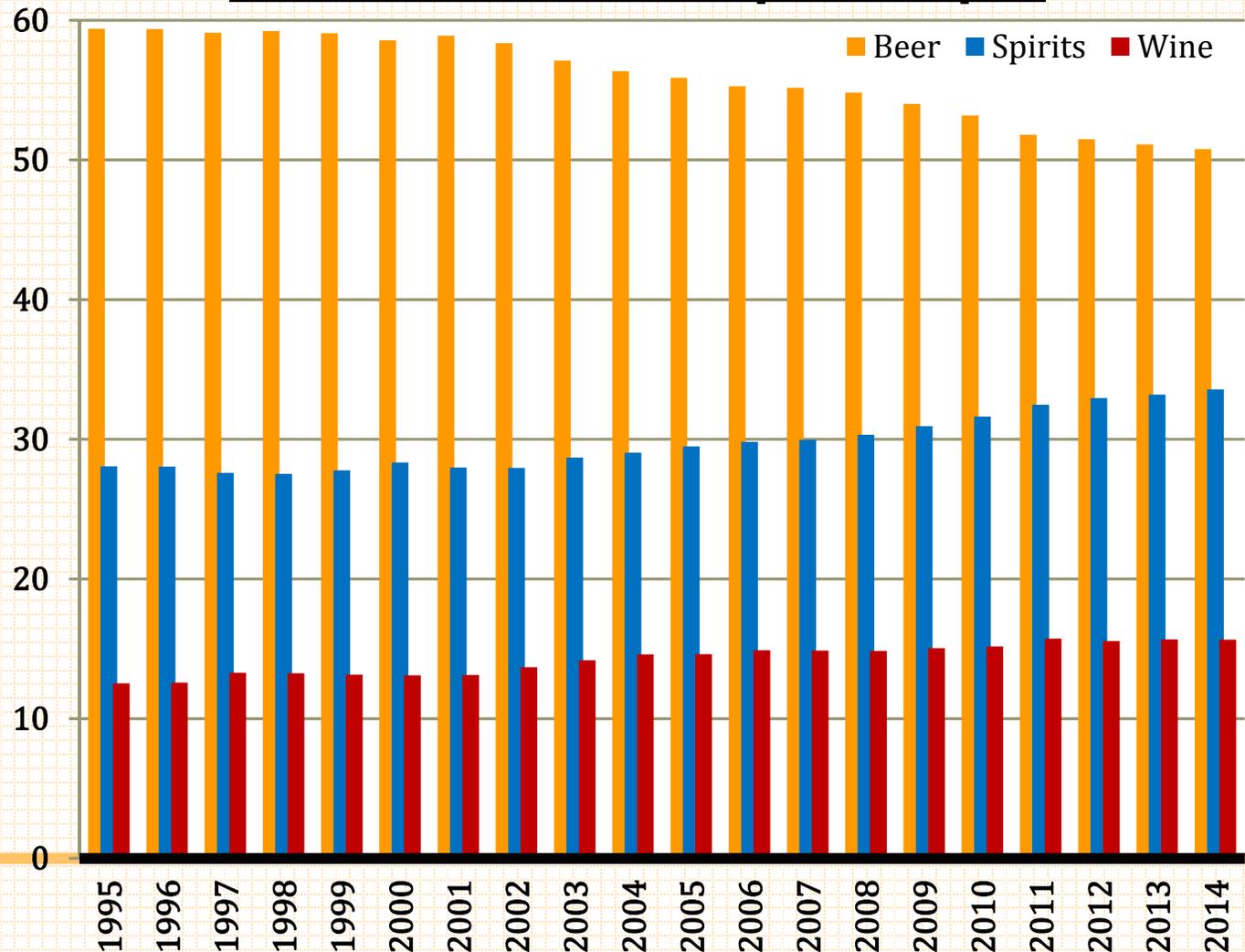
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Per Capita Consumption

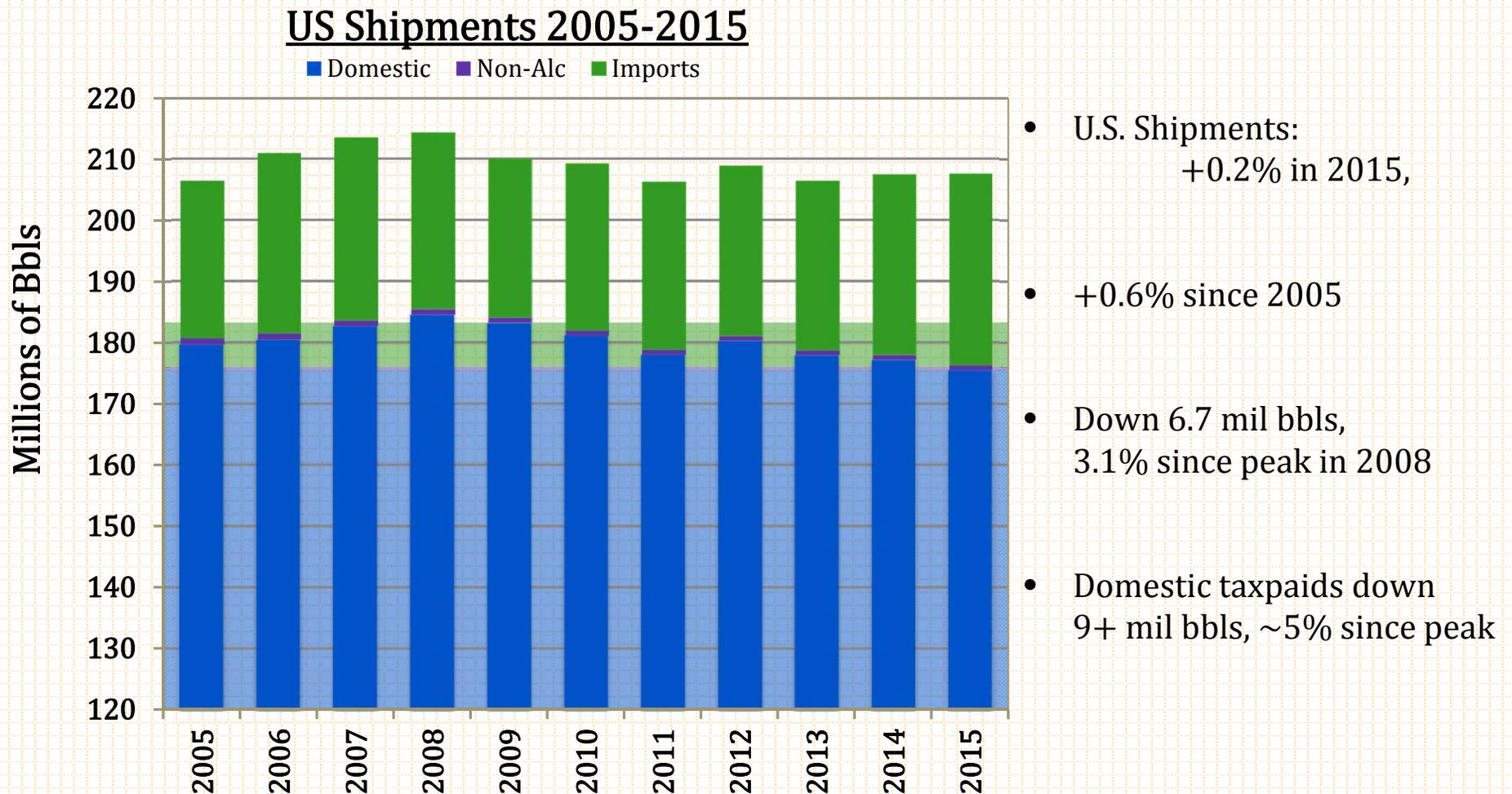
1980: 259 12-oz servings  
2014: 213 12-oz servings  
(-18.1%)

Share of Absolute Alcohol Per Capita Consumption

1995: 59.4%  
2014: 50.8%  
(-8.6 pts)



# Overall volume: stable, down from peak

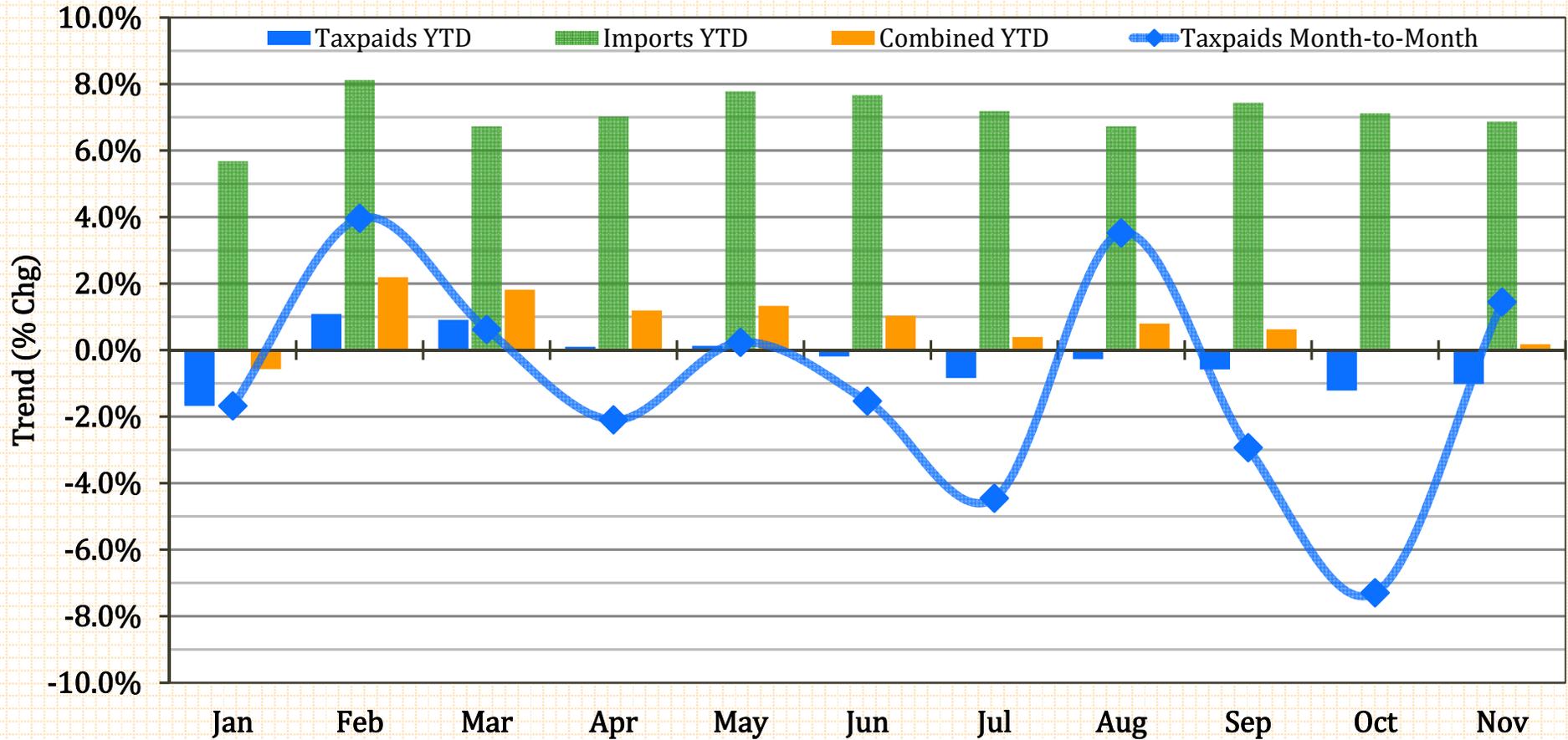


At 175.5 mil bbls, domestic shipments in 2015 were about the same size as in 1984, and smaller than they were in 1981.

# 2016: More of the same

## YTD Trends, 2016

### Domestic Taxpays & Imports



### Year-to-Date thru November:

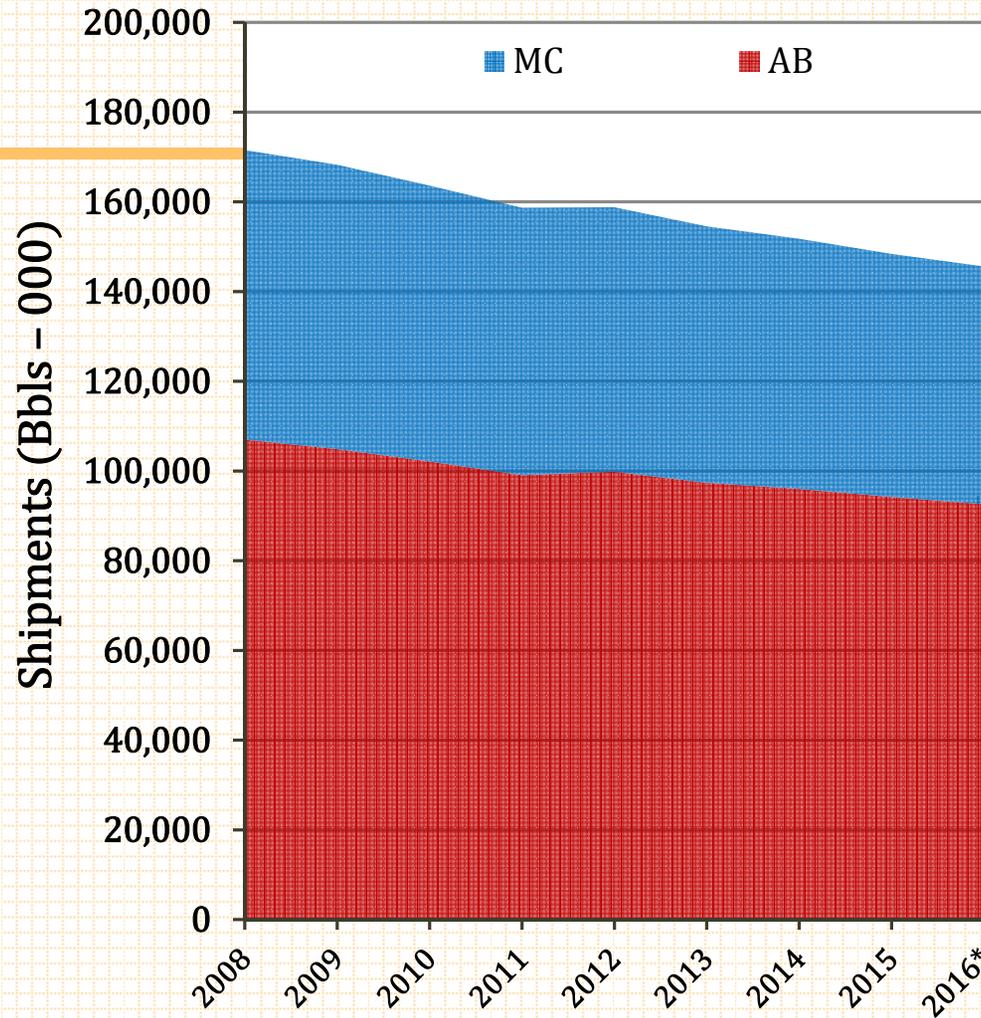
Domestic Taxpaid Shipments: -1.0%

Imports: +6.9%

Known Shipments: +0.2%

# AB + MC lost ~26 mil bbls, 11 share, 2008-2016

AB & MC Shipments, 2008-2015



2008: 171.5 mil bbls combined, 78.3 share

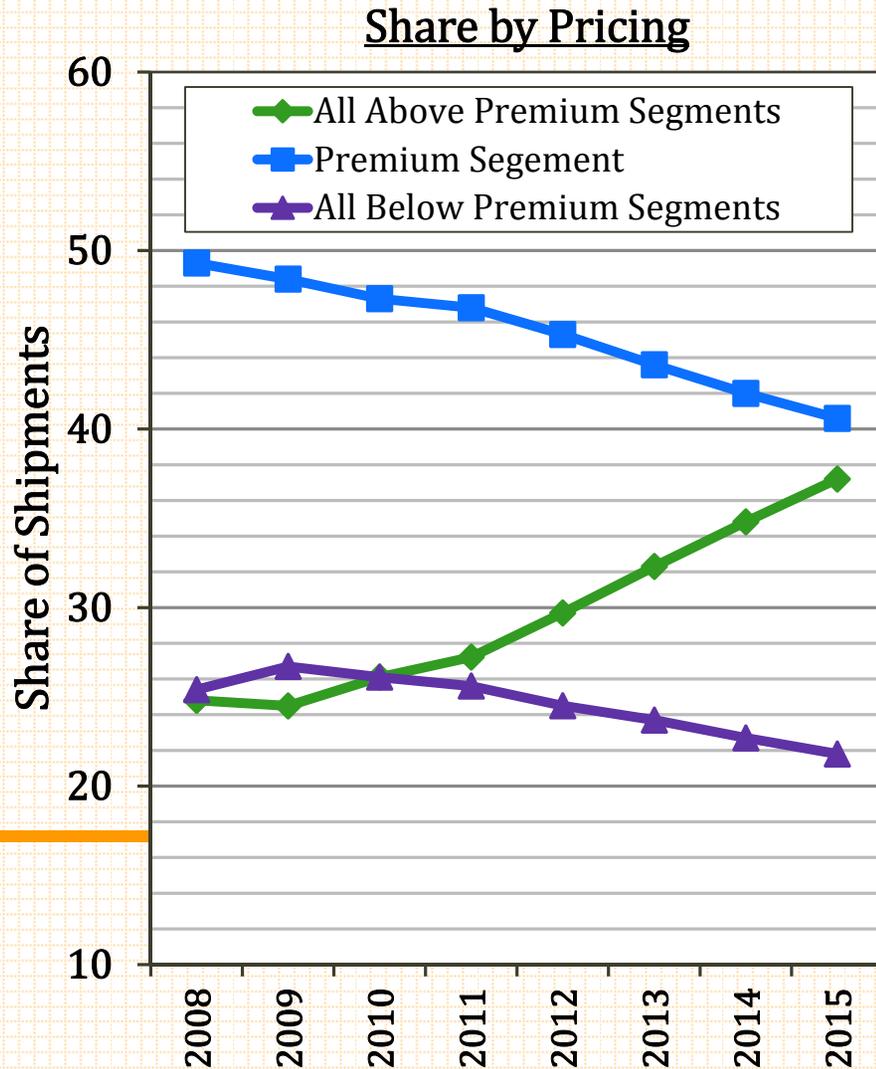
2016\*: 145.6 mil bbls combined, 67.3 share  
\*BMI estimate

## Recent Retail Outlook:

	2015		2016	
	Trend	Share Chg	Trend	Share Chg
<b>AB</b>	-1.1%	-1.0	-1.0%	-0.7
<b>MC</b>	-1.2%	-0.6	-1.7%	-0.5

Nielsen, off-premise, all outlet data, volume

# Above Premium takes over: +12.4 share 2008-2015



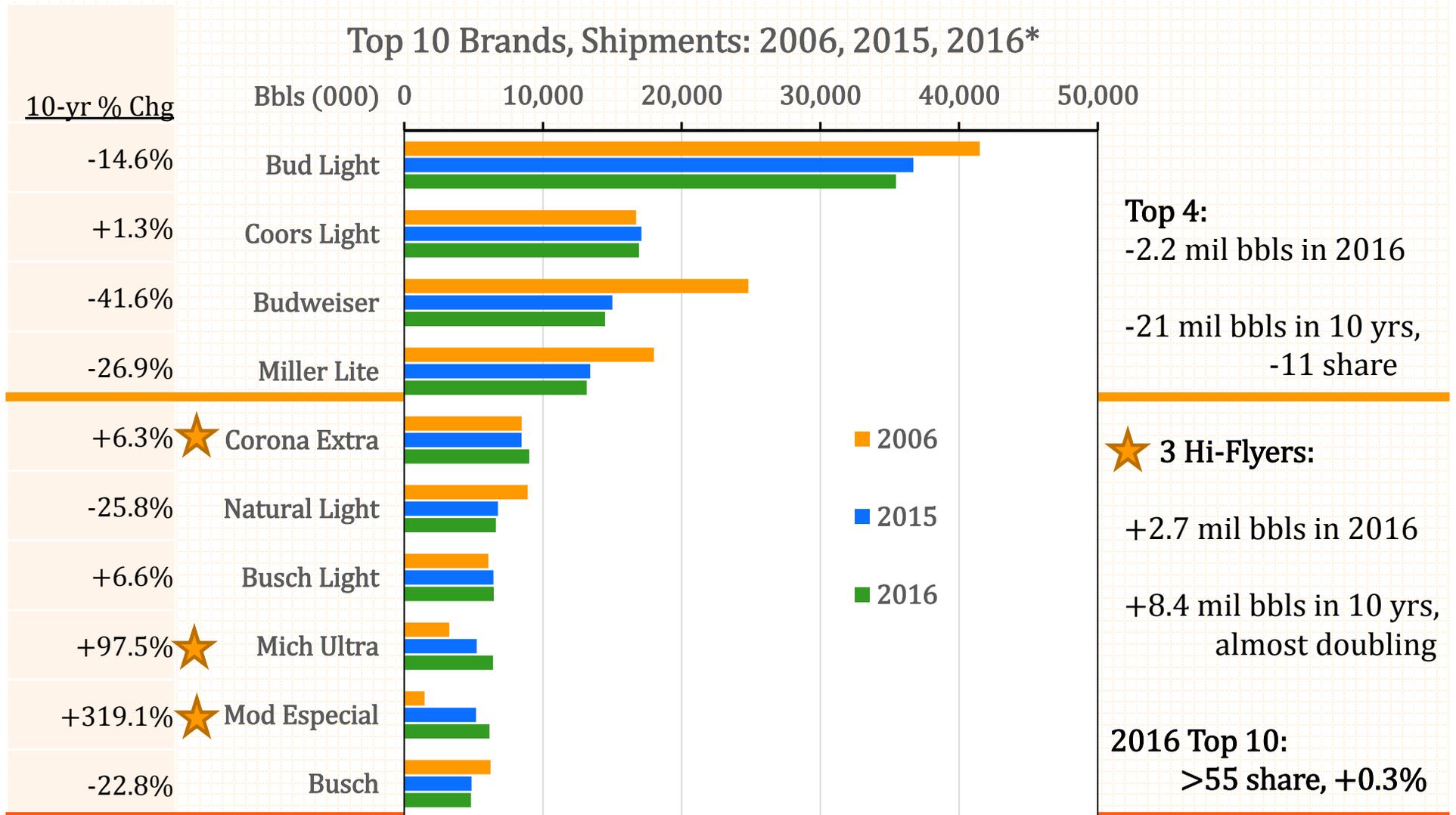
## Recent Retail Outlook:

	2015		2016	
	Trend	Share Chg	Trend	Share Chg
Imports	+10.2%	+1.0	+10.1%	+1.2
Craft	+14.7%	+1.2	+5.7%	+0.3
Super Prem	+5.2%	+0.1	+9.2%	+0.4
FMBs	+4.2%	+0.0	+6.2%	+0.3
Cider	+10.8%	+0.1	-10.3%	-0.2
Prem Reg	-0.2%	-0.3	-0.4%	-0.2
Prem Lt	-0.2%	-1.2	-0.9%	-1.1
Budget	-2.2%	-1.0	-3.7%	-0.4

Nielsen, off-premise, all outlet data, dollar sales

**Premiumization continues:**  
Above premium segments likely gained another 2 share volume in 2016.

# Top 10 brands record modest gain, due to 3 hi-flyers\*

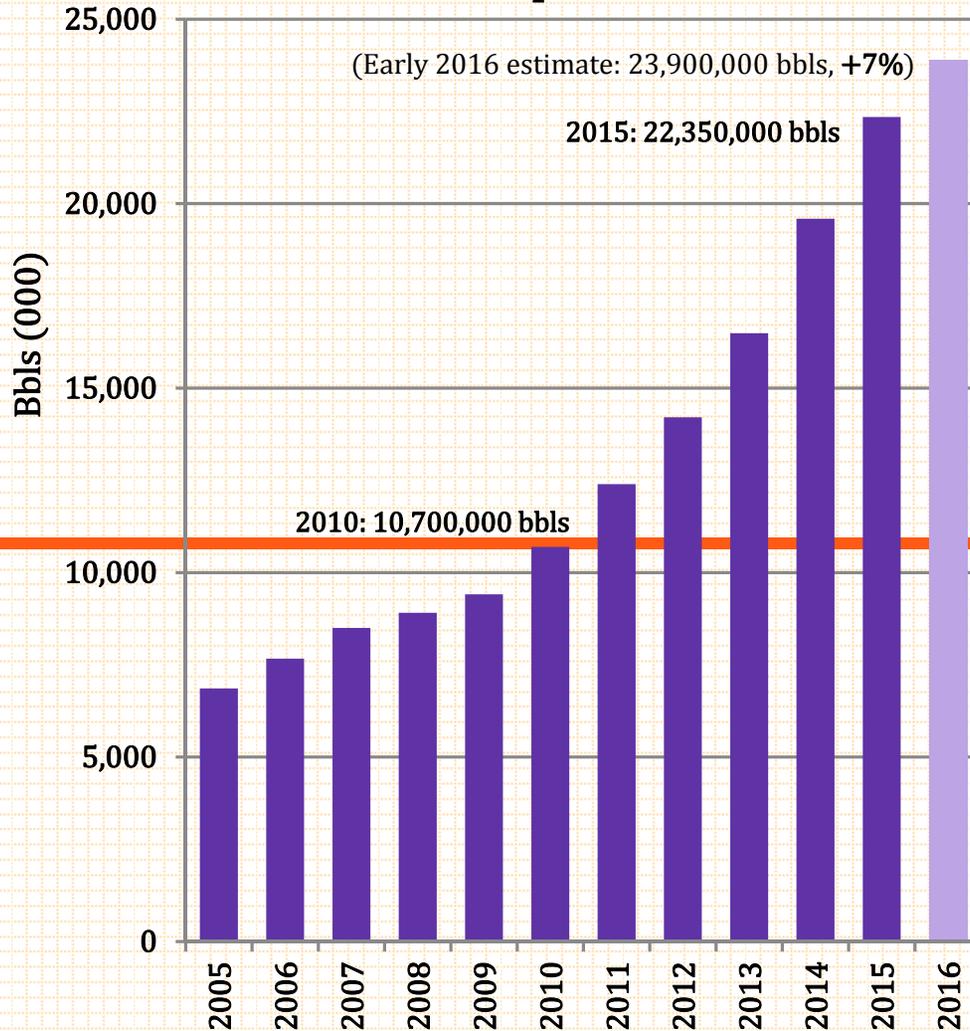


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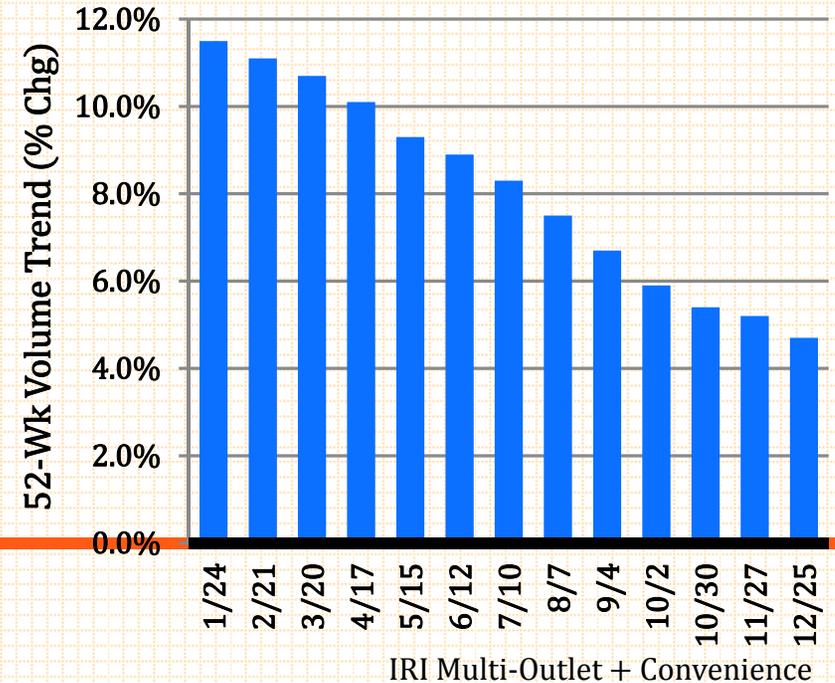
2006 Top 10: ~66 share

# Craft growth slows to single-digits

## Craft Shipments



## Recent Retail Outlook



Craft volume thru Dec 25:  
 +2.6% for 12 wks  
 +0.1% for 4 wks

# Recent INSIGHTS Headlines:

**Craft Teeters at Top As Long Tail, Taprooms and Global Brewer Craft Plays Pick Up Pace**  
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**Bottom Line: Consolidation within fragmentation, creating constant flux and shift**

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# thank you!

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