

Chinese aerosol market remains on the upswing

Strong growth continues with 5.7% increase over last year



The future remains bright for the Chinese aerosol market, with trends suggesting continued, stable long-term growth, according to the Aerosol Committee of China Packaging Federation (ACCPF). Overall aerosol product output in China totaled over two billion units in 2016, an increase of 5.7% over 2015's 1.9 billion.

All categories showed steady growth, with the exception of Insect Control, which dipped almost 2.9% in 2016 to 340 million filled.

The aerosol Food category, which was new to the Chinese survey in 2015, has remained steady at one million. According to the ACCPF, consumption of aerosol foods in China is greater than production, with the former at five million and the latter 0.8 to one million. This indicates an area of potential future growth. SPRAY

2016 China Aerosol Production (in millions of units)

Categories	2015	2016	% change
Food	1	1	n/a
Household (Excluding insect control products)	170	180	5.8%
Industrial, Technical & Automotive (Including polyurethane foam products)	610	620	1.64%
Insect Control (Insecticides & Pesticides/ Plant Protection products)	350	340	-2.86%
Paints & Coatings (Including Automotive products)	310	320	3.22%
Personal Care	220	300	36.4%
Pharmaceutical, Veterinary & Animal Care	150	160	6.67%
Other (Including Sports products)	100	100	n/a
TOTAL:	1,911	2,021	5.75%



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