

# Kombucha Trends & Market Insights

Specially Prepared for KombuchaKon 2022

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For 20 years, our mission has been to increase the accessibility of better-for-you products that help consumers live healthier lives.

We carry out our mission by providing information, insight, and a common language for the industry with which to understand and analyze consumer, retail, and broad marketplace dynamics.

# SPINS is Unique in Three Key Ways



#### **Retail Coverage**

SPINS securely aggregates POS data into channels that offer an encompassing view of sales while not exposing stores.



#### **Product Intelligence**

SPINS gathers key data on individual items by UPC and overlays our exclusive attributes to identify underlying trends and shopper motivations.



#### **Applications & Insights**

SPINS delivers on-demand insights through intuitive applications and deep industry acumen.

Available in SPINS

Conventional Package & Product

Solutions / Tools

#### **Exclusive to SPINS**

**Neighborhood Pet** 

**Regional & Independent Grocery** 

**Natural Enhanced** 



Certification

Label Claim Nutrition Panel

Positioning

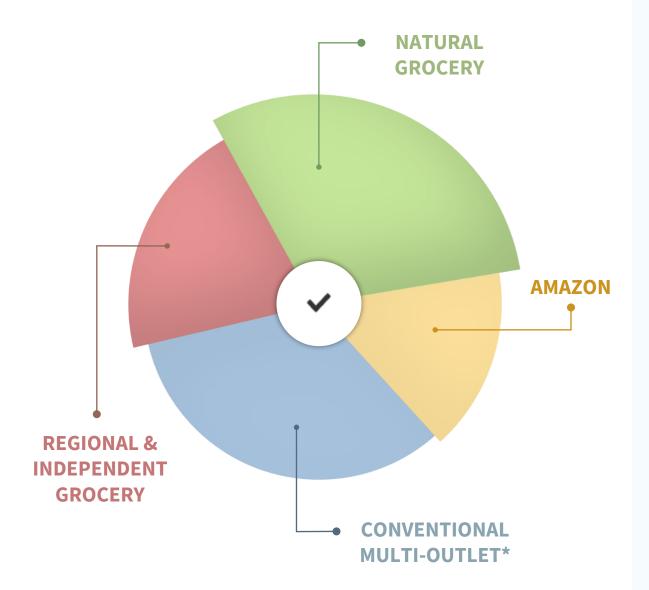
Ingredient

**Business Intelligence Tools** 

**Category Management Tools** 

**Growth Consulting** 







Align natural, conventional, and Amazon sales and market share data into an omnichannel view to identify growth drivers, eliminate blind spots, and benchmark against known, emerging, or digitally native competitors.





### Omnichannel, the SPINS Way.

SPINS Omni-Intelligence Channel Data

#### **Natural Grocery**

- Proprietary to SPINS
- Represents over \$30B in total ACV
- Encompasses 50+ key accounts with over 1,900 stores
- Incubator for innovation and high product standards that define the industry

#### KEY ACCOUNTS INCLUDE



#### **Regional & Independent Grocery**

- Proprietary to SPINS
- Represents over \$160B in total ACV
- Encompasses 60+ key accounts with over 11,000 stores
- Community-minded retailers with focus on key marketplace trends and differentiated product assortment

#### KEY ACCOUNTS INCLUDE









#### Conventional Multi-Outlet\*

- Partnership with IRI Worldwide
- Represents over \$65B in UPC-coded Natural Sales Volume (AVC)
- Encompasses 80+ retail accounts spanning Grocery, Drug, Mass, Dollar, Military, and Club retailers with over 108,000 stores

#### **KEY PARTNERS INCLUDE**



#### **Amazon**

Market insights powered by ClearCut Analytics technologies

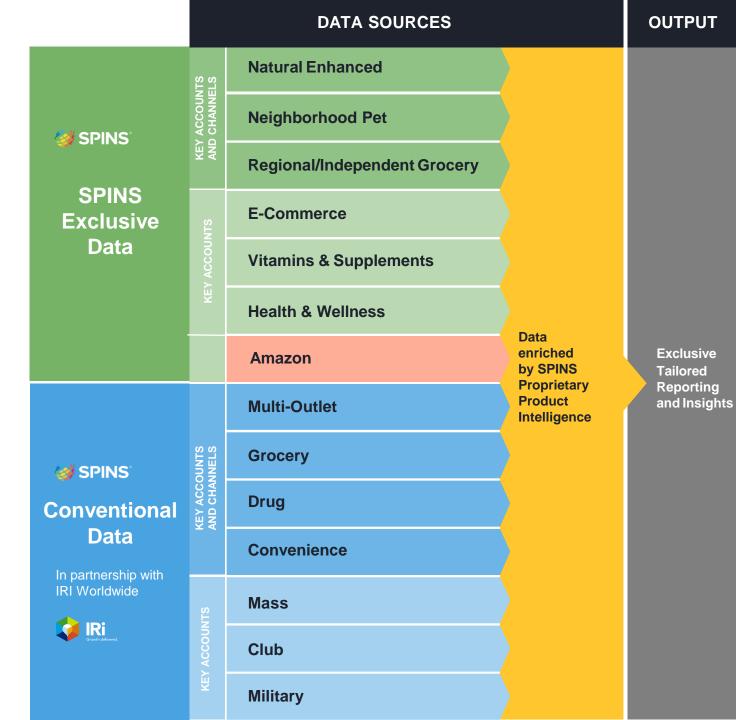


Real-time Amazon sales data and product attribute insights for an infinite shelfsize of products spanning Vitamins & Supplements, Beverages, Personal Care, Beauty/Body Care, and Snacks

#### SPINS RETAIL LANDSCAPE

# SPINS' View of the Omnichannel Marketplace

All SPINS channels are enhanced through the overlay of our proprietary Product Intelligence that creates an exclusive output of reporting and insights tailored to each customer.







# SPINS Product Intelligence Converts Label Information Into **Shopper Insights**

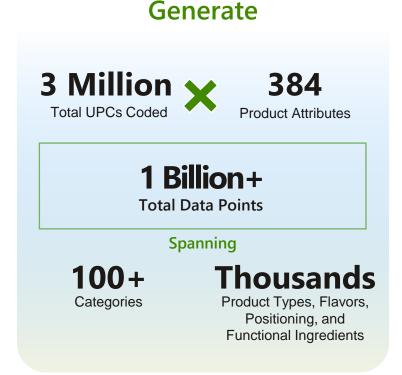
We combine nutritional and industry expertise with data science to create actionable attributes that identify shopper motivations, target new opportunities, and enable more impactful communication with shoppers.



**BRAND POSITIONING** 

SHOPPER CENTRIC DIETS

**CERTIFICATIONS** 







# UNLOCKING INSIGHTS WITH PRODUCT INTELLIGENCE

## The product landscape has changed;

# Legacy brands are being unseated by new entrants











# SPINS BRAND POSITIONING HIGHLIGHTS THE STRENGTH OF NATURAL PRODUCTS

#### 1.4% Total Industry Growth **Natural Positioned Products Specialty Positioned Products Conventional Positioned Products** +3.9% +3.6% +0.6% **Dollar Growth Dollar Growth Dollar Growth** Brands that are often known for their dedication Brands that feature unique taste profiles, are Brands that are longtime stalwarts of common international or imported, are marketed as to clean ingredient profiles and holistic social and Food, Drug, & Mass retail outlets and geared to environmental ideals of the Natural Products premium or artisanal, and often designed for the the average, mainstream consumer 'foodie' consumer **Industry**

# Top Line Channel Sales and Positioning Group

#### **Natural Enhanced**

**-3 2%** Total Channel Sales

**-3.3%** Natural Products

+0.5% Specialty & Wellness Products

# Regional & Independent Grocery

**-3.3%** Total Channel Sales

-1.4% Natural Products

+1.6% Specialty & Wellness Products

#### Conventional Multi Outlet (MULO)

+1.2% Total Channel Sales

**+4.3%** Natural Products

+7.1% Specialty & Wellness Products

#### PRODUCT INTELLIGENCE

### **Certification Overview**



7% share of food categories (Grocery, Refrigerated, Frozen, Produce)

17%

Bread & Baked Goods

**114%** 

Refrigerated Creams & Creamers





3% share of food categories (Grocery, Refrigerated, Frozen, Produce)

114%

Baby & Toddler Food

**11%** 

RF Juice & **Functional Beverages** 





0.1% share of food categories (Grocery, Refrigerated, Frozen, Produce)

139%

Meat/Poultry/Seafood

121%

Condiments, Dressings, and Marinades

#### PRODUCT INTELLIGENCE

# Using NFP to Find Trending Ingredients

#### **MUSHROOMS**

Total: \$22.2M +49% vs. LY

Coffee: +50%

Juice/Functional Bev: +30%

Jerky/Meat Snacks: +204%

RF Creamer: +312%







#### MCT

Total: \$156M +35% vs. LY

RTD Coffee/Tea: +43%

Frozen Desserts: +195%

Wellness Bars: +78%

Juice/Functional Bev: +50%







#### COLLAGEN

Total: \$19.4M +26% vs. LY

Wellness Bars -38% (Bulletproof, Primal Kitchen declines)

RTD Coffee/Tea: +171%

Hot Cereals: +35%

Cookies/Snack Bars: +174%











#### STATE OF THE NATURAL INDUSTRY

# **Top \$ Growth Categories Across Channels**

#### NATURAL CHANNEL

#### % \$ \$ Growth **Top Growth Categories** (\$MM) Change **PRODUCE** \$134.7 8.8% \$58.2 17.2% REFRIGERATED ENTREES \$25.6 6.8% OTHER MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS SHELF STABLE CANDY \$25.0 6.7% \$20.3 SHELF STABLE WATER 6.2% SHELF STABLE COOKIES & SNACK BARS \$17.6 7.9% REFRIGERATED JUICES & FUNCTIONAL \$15.1 3.9% **BEVERAGES** SHELF STABLE FUNCTIONAL \$13.6 25.1% **BEVERAGES** SHELF STABLE SODA & CARBONATED \$13.3 8.2% **BEVERAGES** SHELF STABLE TEA & COFFEE RTD \$9.6 10.6% \$6.8 WELLNESS BARS & GELS 4.1% \$6.3 SHELF STABLE JERKY & MEAT SNACKS 12.5% \$4.8 **BABY & TODDLER FOOD** 15.7% \$4.6 PERFORMANCE NUTRITION 14.7% SHELF STABLE NUTS & TRAIL MIX & \$4.5 1.6% DRIED FRUIT

#### REGIONAL GROCERY CHANNEL

Top Growth Categories	\$ Growth (\$MM)	% \$ Change
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS	\$479.1	11.1%
REFRIGERATED ENTREES	\$255.9	17.8%
PRODUCE	\$189.0	3.7%
SHELF STABLE SODA & CARBONATED BEVERAGES	\$133.3	4.7%
SHELF STABLE CANDY	\$127.2	8.2%
SHELF STABLE FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$113.3	14.3%
PET FOOD	\$35.8	4.1%
FROZEN APPETIZERS & SNACKS	\$32.1	3.9%
REFRIGERATED TEA & COFFEE RTD	\$31.0	12.4%
PROTEIN SUPPLEMENTS & MEAL REPLACEMENTS	\$30.5	14.2%
SHELF STABLE JERKY & MEAT SNACKS	\$26.2	19.2%
PET TREATS	\$24.0	8.0%
SHELF STABLE WATER	\$22.6	1.4%
INTERNAL MEDICINES	\$21.3	3.1%
SHELF STABLE JUICES	\$20.4	2.3%

#### **MULO CHANNEL**

Top Growth Categories	\$ Growth (\$MM)	% \$ Change
SHELF STABLE CANDY	\$2,093.4	9.6%
SHELF STABLE SODA & CARBONATED BEVERAGES	\$1,950.6	8.3%
PRODUCE	\$1,924.8	5.6%
REFRIGERATED ENTREES	\$1,782.6	18.0%
INTERNAL MEDICINES	\$1,668.1	9.2%
SHELF STABLE FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$1,660.8	19.0%
SHELF STABLE WATER	\$1,477.2	9.5%
SHELF STABLE CHIPS & PRETZELS & SNACKS	\$1,208.7	4.8%
PET FOOD	\$926.5	6.7%
PERSONAL HEALTH SUPPLIES & ACCESSORIES	\$848.8	12.6%
COSMETICS & BEAUTY PRODUCTS	\$787.7	10.5%
PROTEIN SUPPLEMENTS & MEAL REPLACEMENTS	\$603.9	15.2%
SHELF STABLE COOKIES & SNACK BARS	\$531.4	4.1%
BREAD & BAKED GOODS	\$510.4	1.6%
PET TREATS	\$446.7	9.3%

#### STATE OF THE NATURAL INDUSTRY

# Top \$ Growth Categories Across Channels, within HWI

#### NATURAL CHANNEL

Top HWI Growth Categories	\$ Growth (\$MM)	% \$ Change
REFRIGERATED ENTREES	\$56.9	22.9%
SHELF STABLE WATER	\$25.8	10.6%
REFRIGERATED JUICES & FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$21.3	6.7%
SHELF STABLE CANDY	\$20.2	7.1%
SHELF STABLE COOKIES & SNACK BARS	\$17.8	10.3%
SHELF STABLE FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$13.6	25.1%
SHELF STABLE SODA & CARBONATED BEVERAGES	\$12.0	11.4%
SHELF STABLE TEA & COFFEE RTD	\$11.5	14.2%
BREAD & BAKED GOODS	\$9.3	1.7%
PRODUCE	\$8.9	1.4%
SHELF STABLE NUTS & TRAIL MIX & DRIED FRUIT	\$8.7	5.0%
WELLNESS BARS & GELS	\$6.8	4.1%
SHELF STABLE JERKY & MEAT SNACKS	\$5.8	13.2%
BABY & TODDLER FOOD	\$4.9	16.5%
SHELF STABLE CHIPS & PRETZELS & SNACKS	\$4.8	1.1%

#### REGIONAL GROCERY CHANNEL

Top HWI Growth Categories	\$ Growth (\$MM)	% \$ Change
REFRIGERATED ENTREES	\$177.5	31.0%
SHELF STABLE FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$113.2	14.3%
PRODUCE	\$48.8	5.1%
SHELF STABLE CANDY	\$36.7	13.1%
SHELF STABLE WATER	\$34.8	5.6%
PROTEIN SUPPLEMENTS & MEAL REPLACEMENTS	\$30.5	14.2%
REFRIGERATED JUICES & FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$26.7	8.9%
WELLNESS BARS & GELS	\$19.5	10.1%
REFRIGERATED TEA & COFFEE RTD	\$18.8	27.9%
REFRIGERATED CREAMS & CREAMERS	\$18.8	13.6%
REFRIGERATED YOGURT & PLANT BASED YOGURT	\$17.0	2.7%
SHELF STABLE TEA & COFFEE RTD	\$14.6	6.1%
BREAD & BAKED GOODS	\$13.4	2.0%
PET FOOD	\$13.0	6.2%
PET TREATS	\$11.6	15.5%

#### **MULO CHANNEL**

Top HWI Growth Categories	\$ Growth (\$MM)	% \$ Change
SHELF STABLE FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$1,660.0	19.0%
REFRIGERATED ENTREES	\$937.4	32.4%
SHELF STABLE WATER	\$718.4	15.3%
PROTEIN SUPPLEMENTS & MEAL REPLACEMENTS	\$603.9	15.2%
SHELF STABLE CANDY	\$511.9	19.1%
SHELF STABLE CHIPS & PRETZELS & SNACKS	\$454.9	9.0%
CONDITION SPECIFIC SUPPLEMENT FORMULAS	\$368.4	10.6%
WELLNESS BARS & GELS	\$309.3	11.7%
REFRIGERATED JUICES & FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGES	\$256.3	12.2%
REFRIGERATED YOGURT & PLANT BASED YOGURT	\$247.6	6.0%
PET FOOD	\$232.2	10.6%
FROZEN DESSERTS	\$201.0	5.4%
SHELF STABLE COOKIES & SNACK BARS	\$200.0	11.0%
BREAD & BAKED GOODS	\$186.6	4.7%
PERFORMANCE NUTRITION	\$184.0	40.5%

#### STATE OF THE NATURAL INDUSTRY

# **Top 15 REFRIGERATED Product Subcategories Across Channels**

NATURAL CHANNEL: -1.9%

Top Subcategories	\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change
RF MILK	\$269.9	-7.0%
RF EGGS	\$260.5	-11.0%
RF YOGURT	\$254.8	-5.2%
RF CHEESE	\$222.6	1.0%
RF SUSHI	\$194.8	20.9%
RF JUICE & JUICE DRINKS & OTHER FUNCTIONAL BEV	\$169.3	17.6%
RF KOMBUCHA & FERMENTED BEVERAGES	\$144.2	-5.5%
RF BUTTER	\$109.6	-17.1%
RF CHEESE SHREDDED & GRATED	\$108.3	-8.9%
RF CHEESE SLICED & SNACK	\$106.3	-4.0%
RF DAIRY CREAMS & CREAMERS	\$104.2	-5.8%
RF ENTREES	\$99.9	7.2%
RF PLANT BASED YOGURT	\$73.2	6.8%
RF HUMMUS	\$70.9	-5.2%
RF JUICE ORANGE	\$70.6	-6.9%

**REGIONAL GROCERY CHANNEL: -2.9** 

Top Subcategories	\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change
RF MILK	\$1,628.9	-7.1%
RF CHEESE SHREDDED & GRATED	\$958.1	-9.5%
RF YOGURT	\$942.7	-2.0%
RF CHEESE SLICED & SNACK	\$829.7	-4.7%
RF CHEESE	\$780.3	-4.8%
RF EGGS	\$745.6	-11.8%
RF ENTREES	\$522.0	7.0%
RF JUICE & JUICE DRINKS & OTHER FUNCTIONAL BEV	\$519.8	7.8%
RF BUTTER	\$493.9	-19.2%
RF SUSHI	\$445.7	40.3%
RF JUICE ORANGE	\$434.5	-10.9%
RF DAIRY CREAMS & CREAMERS	\$417.0	-3.8%
RF CREAM CHEESE & OTHER CHEESE SPREAD	\$411.3	-2.0%
RF NON DAIRY CREAMS & CREAMERS	\$347.4	-5.1%
RF SANDWICHES & WRAPS & SNACK KITS	\$333.2	12.2%

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Top Subcategories	\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change
RF MILK	\$13,003.6	-1.9%
RF CHEESE SHREDDED & GRATED	\$7,287.2	-5.3%
RF YOGURT	\$6,672.8	1.8%
RF CHEESE SLICED & SNACK	\$6,220.5	-0.9%
RF EGGS	\$6,193.6	-3.7%
RF CHEESE	\$4,817.4	-4.2%
RF JUICE & JUICE DRINKS & OTHER FUNCTIONAL BEV	\$3,876.4	10.5%
RF ENTREES	\$3,583.7	5.5%
RF SANDWICHES & WRAPS & SNACK KITS	\$3,386.0	19.2%
RF BUTTER	\$3,381.9	-12.5%
RF JUICE ORANGE	\$3,217.1	-4.7%
RF DAIRY CREAMS & CREAMERS	\$2,968.8	-0.8%
RF CREAM CHEESE & OTHER CHEESE SPREAD	\$2,751.6	-1.0%
RF NON DAIRY CREAMS & CREAMERS	\$2,237.1	-0.6%
RF SUSHI	\$2,164.7	40.7%

**Fermented Product** 

**Fermented Product** 

**Product Types** 

+3.5%

Categories

All Food/Beverage Growth

+2.1%

Natural Food/Beverage Growth (NPI)

+3.3%

Fermented Products Growth

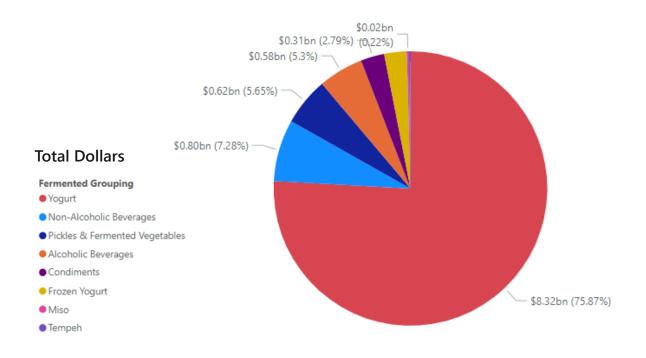
# The Opportunity for Growth in Fermented Foods

As differentiated taste and the perceived benefits of fermented foods continue to build momentum, there is a massive opportunity for high growth segments to scale.

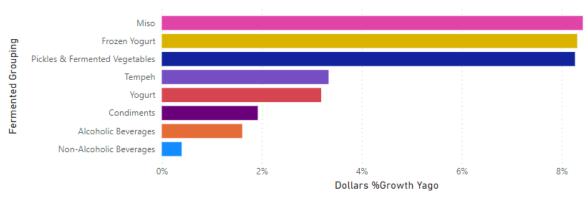


# Market is led by **Yogurt Products**.

Many emerging segments are driving strong growth.

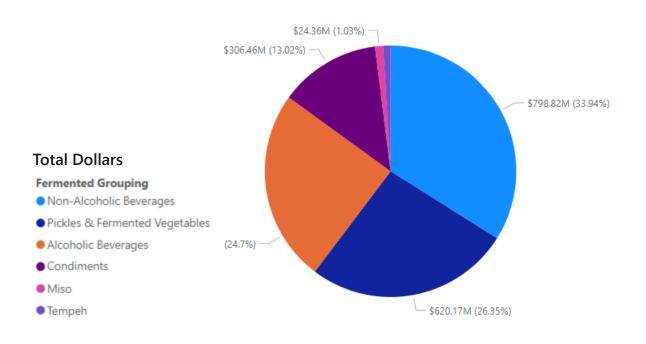


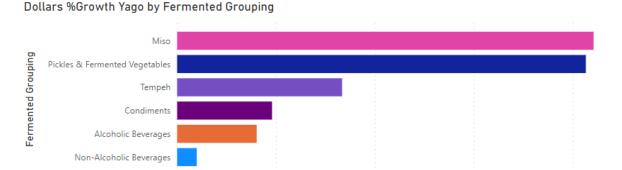
#### Dollars %Growth Yago by Fermented Grouping





Excluding Yogurt, the landscape is led by Non-Alcoholic Beverages, Alcoholic Beverages, and Pickles & Fermented Vegetables.





2%



Dollars %Growth Yago

8%

#### RF KOMBUCHA & FERMENTED BEVERAGES

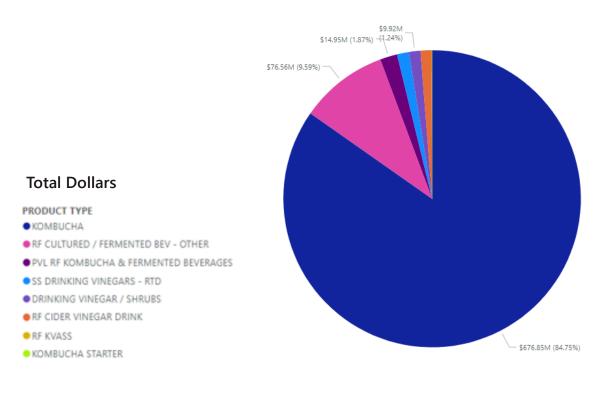
NATURAL I	ENHANCED	REGI	ONAL	MU	LO	CONVE	NIENCE
\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change						
\$144.2	-4.1%	\$91.5	-0.4%	\$619.2	+3.4%	\$34.0	+4.0%

Over the last 52 weeks, we continue to see growth in Kombucha & Fermented Beverages in Conventional and Convenience Retail Outlets

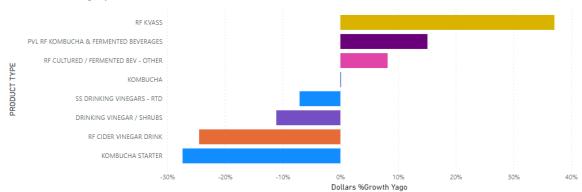
#### PRODUCT TYPE - KOMBUCHA

NATURAL ENHANCED	REGIONAL	MULO	CONVENIENCE
% \$ Change	% \$ Change	% \$ Change	% \$ Change
-5%	-2%	+3%	+2%

Kombucha the is largest and one of few growth segments in Non-Alcoholic Beverages









#### RF KOMBUCHA & FERMENTED BEVERAGES | +2%

# **Top % Growth Brands**

#### NATURAL CHANNEL

Top Growth Categories	% \$ Change
gt kombucha	-10.6%
HEALTH ADE	1.2%
KEVITA	-11.6%
BREW DR KOMBUCHA	0.0%
WILD TONIC	14.8%
нимм комвисна	36.5%
ROWDY MERMAID	18.4%
LIVE KOMBUCHA	3.8%
BETTER BOOCH	108.3%
PRIVATE LABEL ORGANIC	-26.4%

#### **MULO CHANNEL**

Top Growth Categories	% \$ Change
GT KOMBUCHA	-1.1%
KEVITA	-4.1%
HEALTH ADE	24.1%
BREW DR KOMBUCHA	3.4%
НИММ КОМВИСНА	16.2%
PRIVATE LABEL ORGANIC	24.0%
CHOBANI	264.7%
LIVE KOMBUCHA	22.1%
aqua vitea	23.4%
BIG EASY BUCHA	-14.0%



#### REFRIGERATED KOMBUCHA & FERMENTED BEVERAGES | +2%

### **Attribute Trends**



#### **Flavors**

Pineapple:+61% Root Beer: +28%

Mint: +11% Mango: +20%

Apple: -5% Ginger: -16%

Pomegranate: -3% Cranberry: -10%



Organic



#### Sugars

LABELED ORGANIC 1-69%: -4%

LABELED ORGANIC 70-94%: +20%

**LABELED ORGANIC 95-99%: +1%** 

LABELED ORGANIC 100%: +25%

<1g sugar: +26%

2g – 9g sugar: +25%

10g – 15g sugar: -2%

15g+: -2%

#### **BRAND SPOTLIGHT**

### Biotic & De La Calle!

#### **Biotic Highlights**

- Probiotic
- Cold Pressed
- Raw & Fermented
- Organic Ingredients
- No Added Sugar

#### De La Calle! Highlights

- Probiotic & Fermented
- Organic Ingredients
- Heritage Inspired introducing new flavor profiles to the Beverage aisle





#### FLAVORED MALT BEVERAGES - HARD KOMBUCHA

NATURAL ENHANCED		REGIONAL		MU	JLO	CONVENIENCE		
\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change	\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change	\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change	\$ Sales (\$MM)	% \$ Change	
\$18.7	+16.6%	\$18.1	+31.4%	\$33.2	+31.6	\$7.7	+24%	

6 out of the top 10 brands in the Flavored Malt Beverages Category in Natural Retail are Hard Kombucha

# PRODUCT TYPE – HARD KOMBUCHA LAST 24 WEEKS

	SALES GROWTH	GROWING ITEMS (Sales)	GROWING ITEMS (Distribution)	GROWING ITEMS (Velocity)
	Dollars % Change vs YAGO	% Products Selling - Dollars	% Products Selling – Max % ACV	% Products Selling – Dollars SPM
NATURAL ENHANCED	+2.1%	+46%	+53.6%	+42.9%
MULO	+9.8%	+45.5%	+39.7%	+42.4%



# **Top % Growth Brands**

#### NATURAL CHANNEL

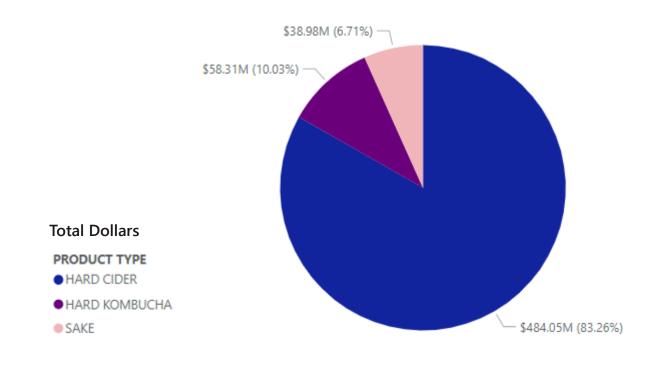
Top Growth Categories	% \$ Change
WHITE CLAW	-28.9%
TRULY SPIKED & SPARKLING	-19.0%
BOOCHCRAFT FLYING EMBERS JUNE SHINE	8.6% 55.8% 32.1%
TOPO CHICO	-
KYLA HARD KOMBUCHA STRAINGE BEAST NOVA EASY KOMBUCHA	20.8% 138.3% 5.3%
SAN JUAN SELTZER	-1.7%

#### **MULO CHANNEL**

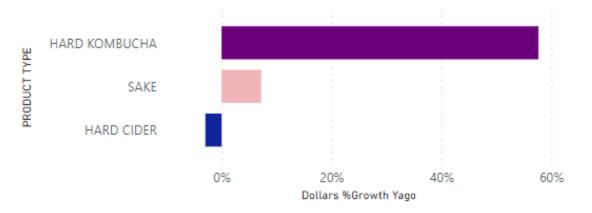
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WHITE CLAW	-15.6%
TRULY SPIKED & SPARKLING	8.1%
MIKES HARD	-4.5%
SMIRNOFF ICE	-3.5%
BUD LIGHT	-5.5%
SEAGRAMS ESCAPES	2.7%
TWISTED TEA	26.2%
VIZZY	63.8%
CORONA HARD SELTZER	-24.5%
MICHELOB ULTRA	681.7%



Hard Cider has the largest share of Alcoholic Beverages, but Hard Kombucha is driving growth



#### Dollars %Growth Yago by PRODUCT TYPE





#### **BRAND SPOTLIGHT**

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#### **Brand Highlights**

- Hard Kombucha
- Probiotic Ingredients
- Green Tea Based
- Organic Content

#### **Probiotic Ingredients:**

• Total Growth: +3.0%

Growth in Fermented Alcoholic Bev: +16.0%



















#### What's next in product innovation

# **New Innovation Entering the Market**













**HEALTH-FOCUS LABEL CLAIMS** 

NEW PRODUCT FORMS & PORTABLE PRODUCT TYPES

# Looking for more insights?

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# SPINS Brand Positioning Highlights Strong Performance for Natural and **Specialty Positioned Products within Conventional Retailers**

	Natural Enhanced Retail Channel		Conventional MULO Retail Channel		Regional Independent Grocery Channel		Combined Retail Channels (SNE + MULO)	
	\$ Sales (in B)	\$ % Chg	\$ Sales (in B)	\$ % Chg	\$ Sales (in B)	\$ % Chg	\$ Sales (in B)	\$ % Chg
Natural Positioned Products	\$9.9	-2.9%	\$69.9	5.1%	\$8.7	-1.1%	\$79.8	3.5%
Specialty Positioned Products	\$3.5	-1.6%	\$113.4	3.7%	\$15.5	-1.9%	\$116.9	2.9%
Conventional Positioned Products	\$2.9	-3.0%	\$592.6	0.6%	\$58.2	-3.6%	\$595.5	0.2%
TOTAL UNIVERSE	\$16.3	-2.6%	\$775.9	1.4%	\$82.4	-3.0%	\$792.2	0.9%

