

Shopping Patterns at LCBO



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Sales

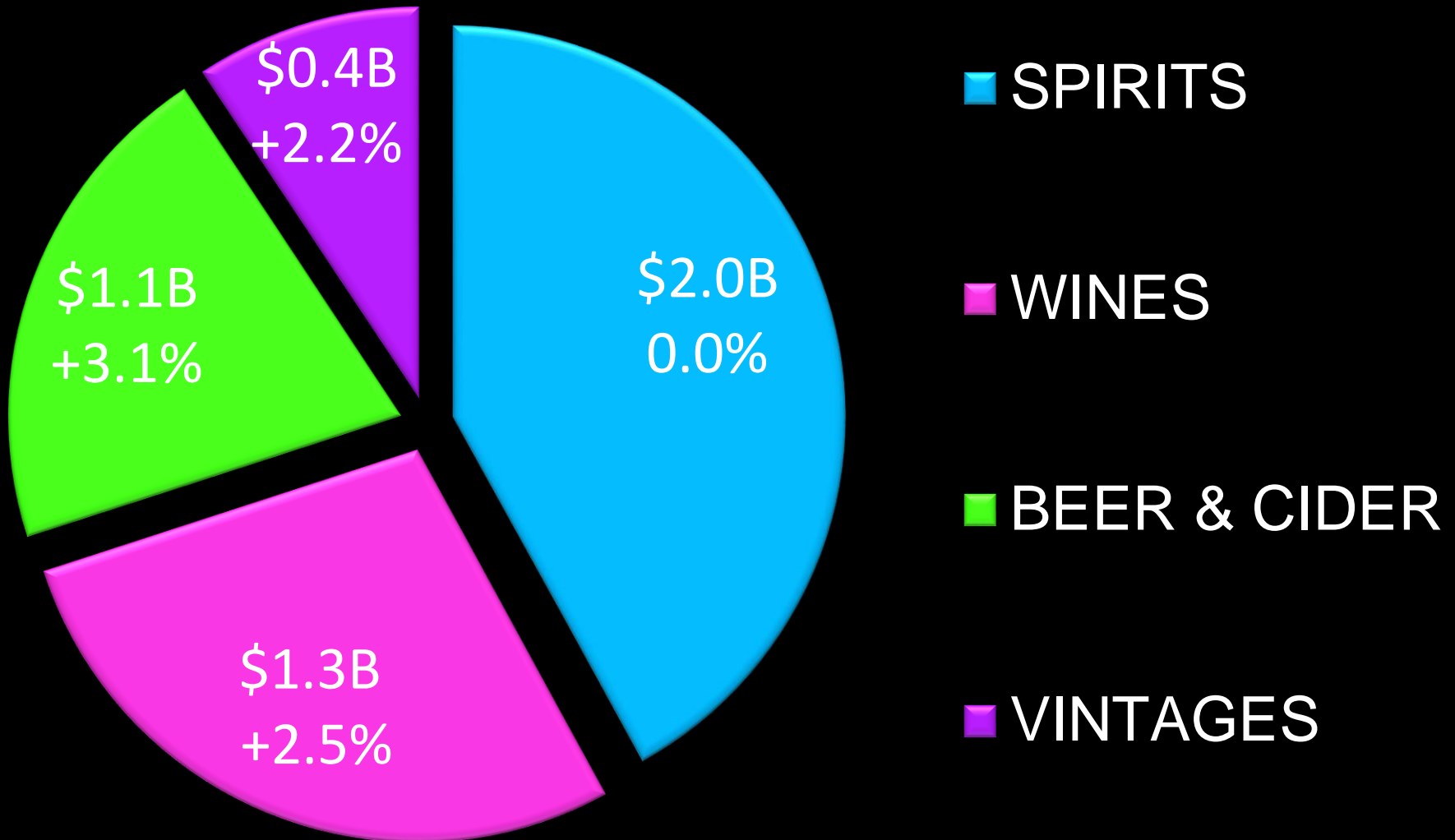
Wine Trends

Consumer
Shopping
Patterns

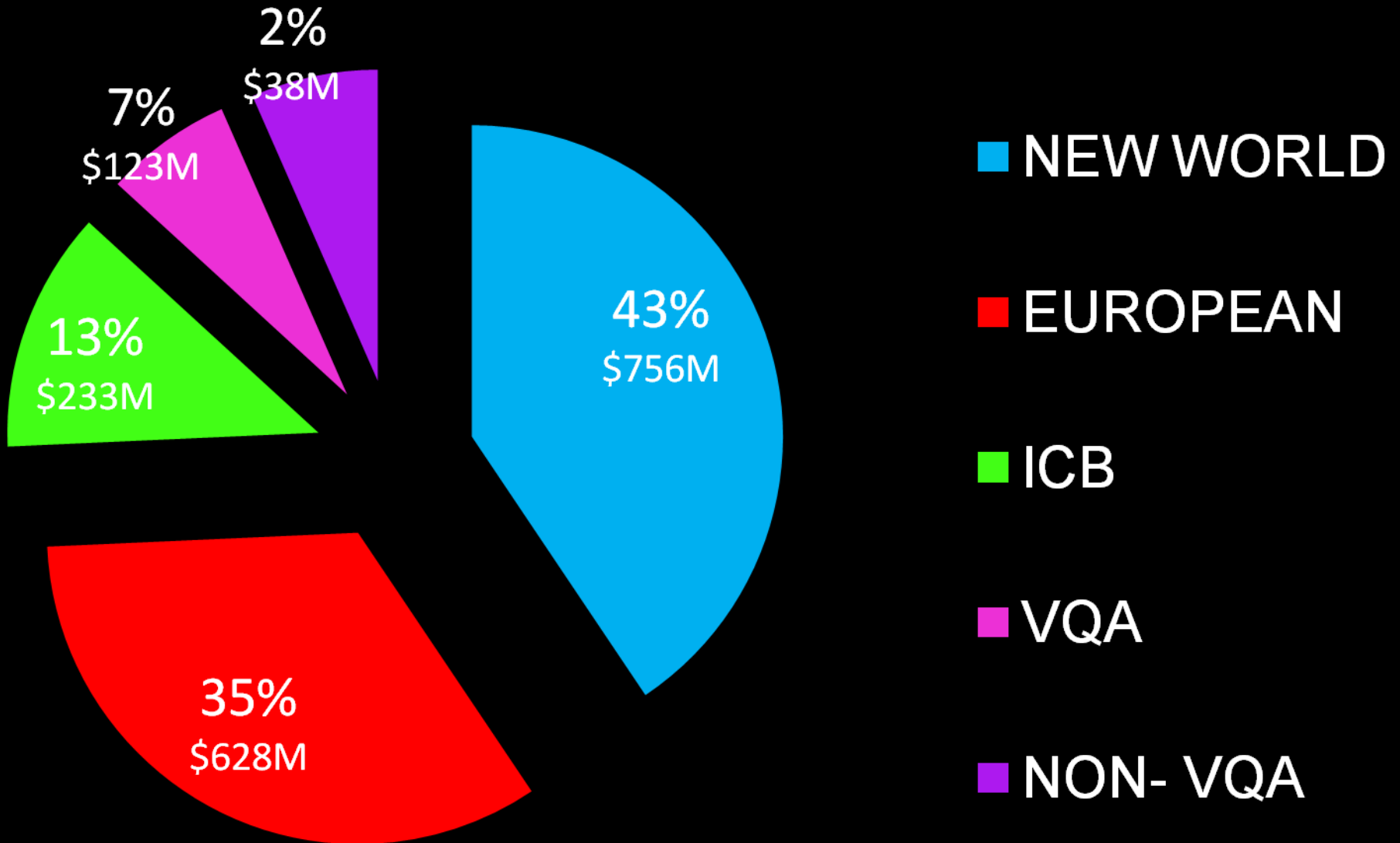
Opportunities at
LCBO



LCBO sales are \$4.8B



Total wine sales



Consumer shopping patterns

LCBO Red Wines are Red hot!

Red Wines is the largest category with 49.4% share of total Wines

Top Varietals:

Red Blends	\$ 90M	+24.6%
Cabernet Sauvignon	\$ 109M	+ 9.3%
Zinfandel	\$ 5M	+51.4%

LCBO Spain and Portugal Wine Sales

Spain	\$47.8M	+10.0%
Portugal	\$23.7M	+4.9%

Red dominant categories have experienced double digit growth over the past year

New products offering great price/value are appealing to customers

California continues to steal share and attract new customers

Sales

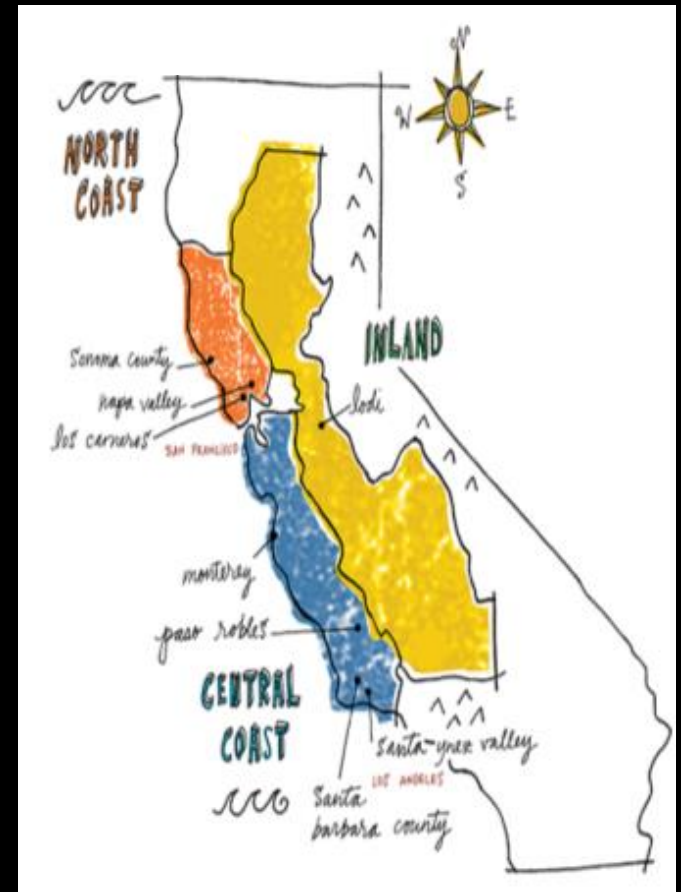
\$238M +19.4%

Growth is driven by:

Value

New products

Appealing taste profile



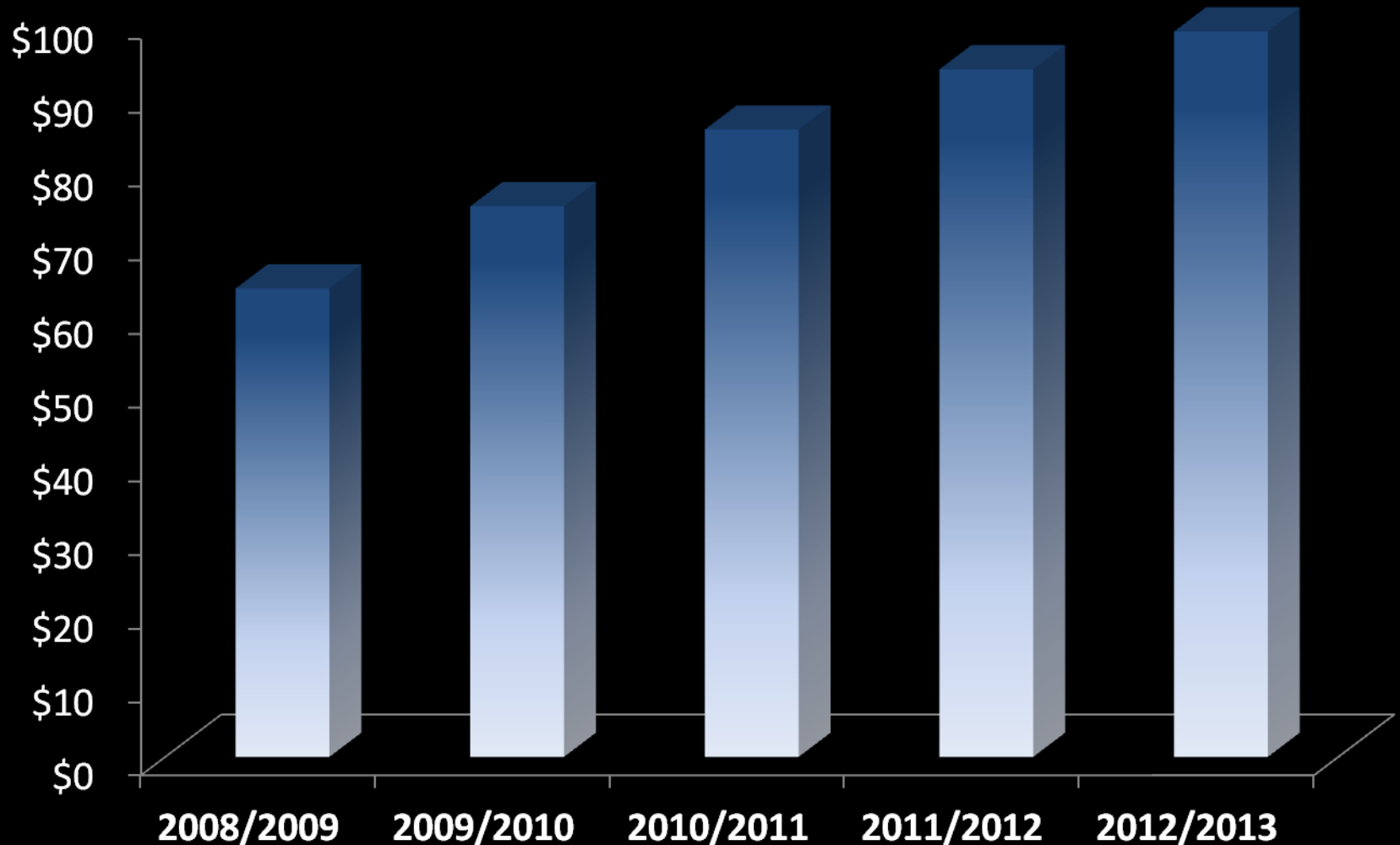


Ontario Wine is the fastest growing wine segment at LCBO

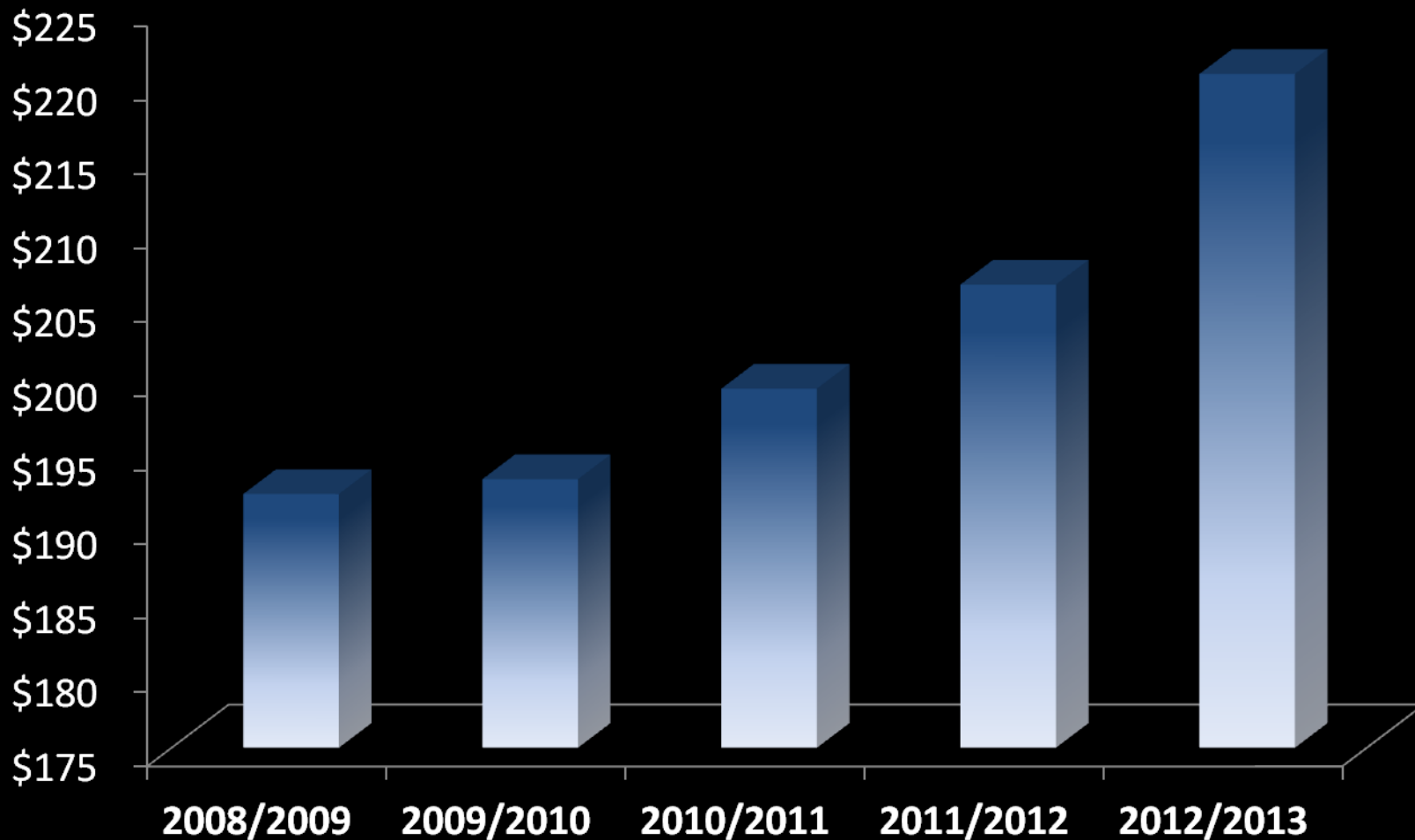
Growth rates by category

European WINES		1.1%
Ontario Wines		3.3%
ICB		5.5%
VQA		1.0%
New World WINES		3.0%

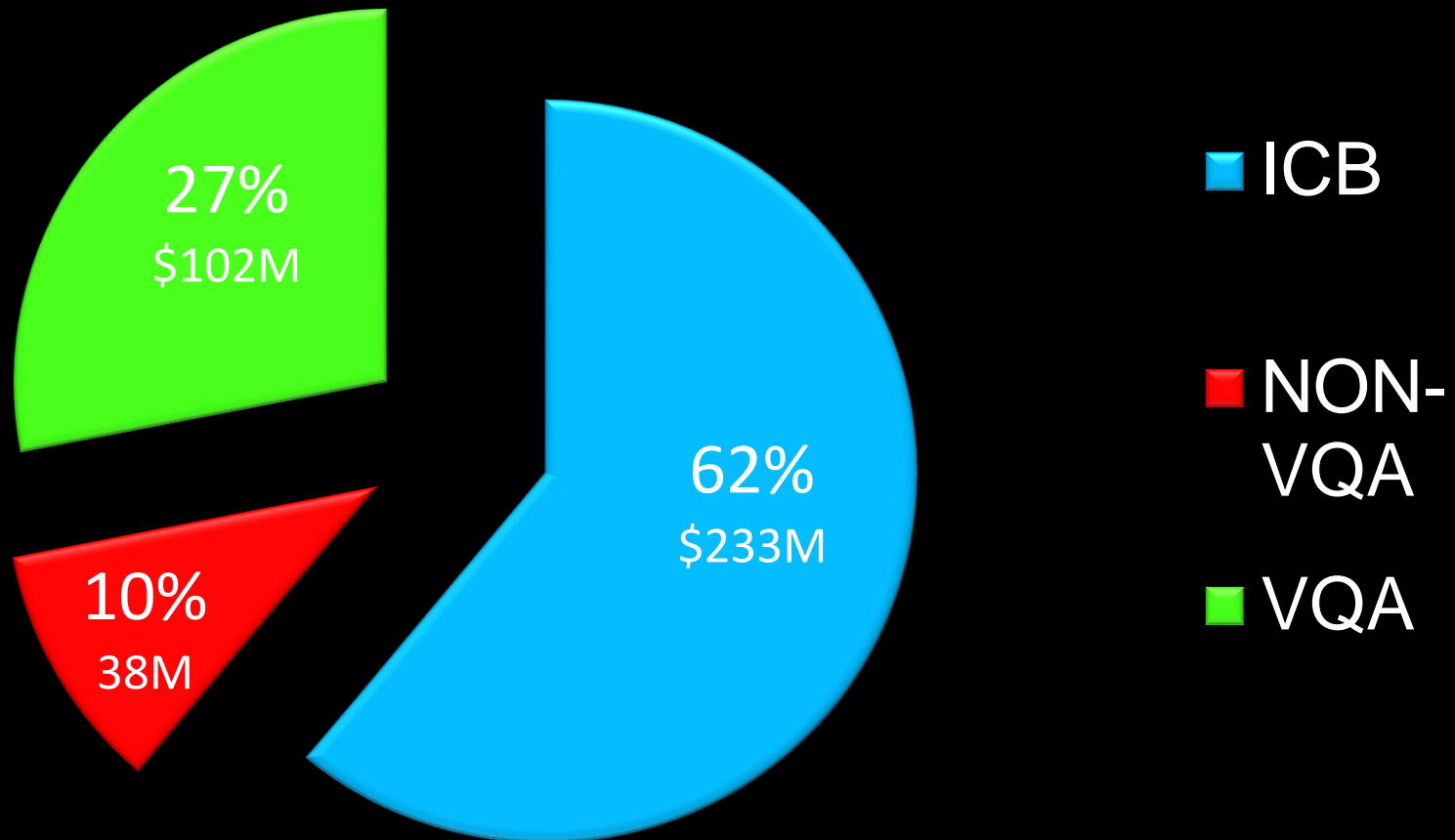
VQA Wines have sustained healthy sales increases over the past five years



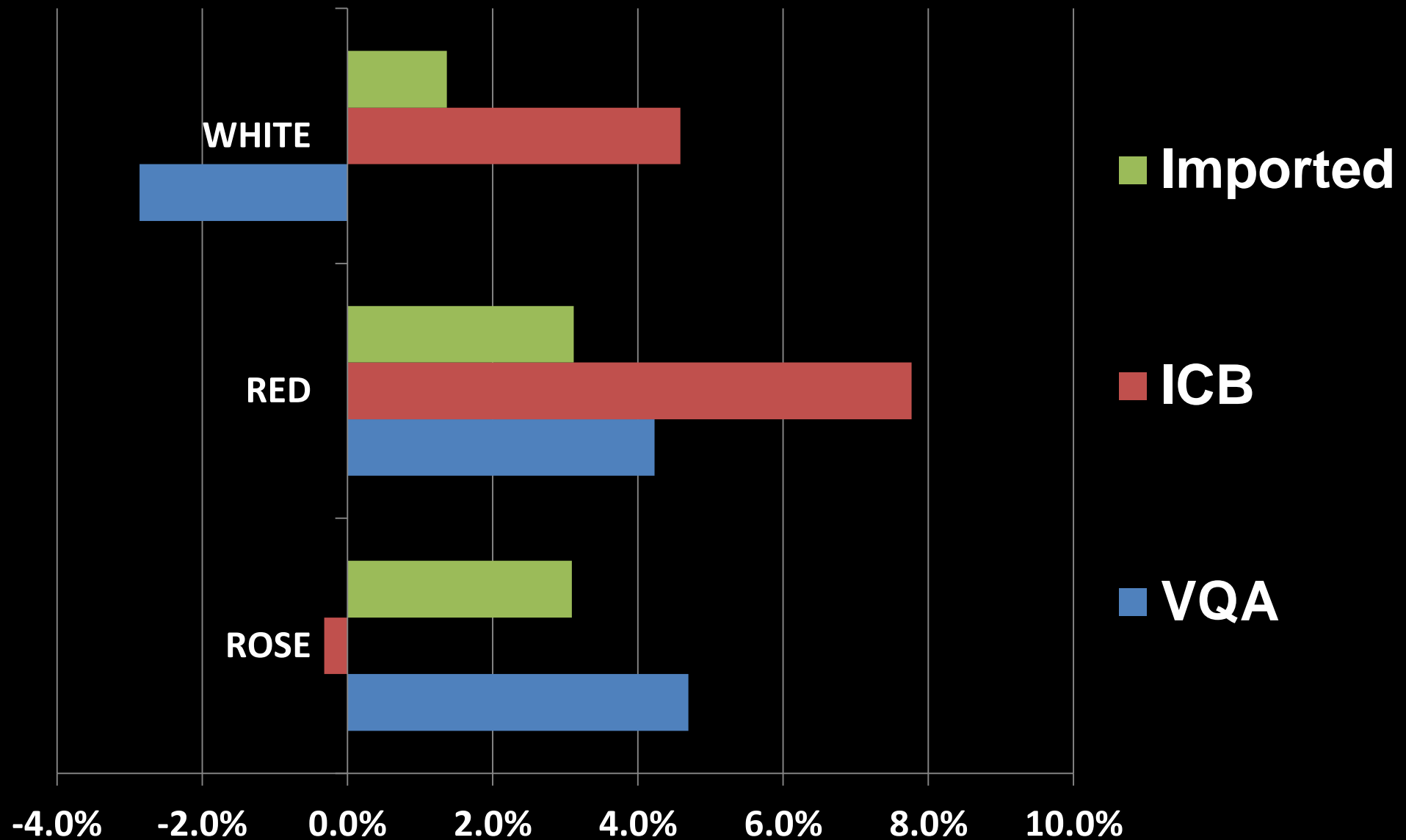
ICB Wines have enjoyed steady growth



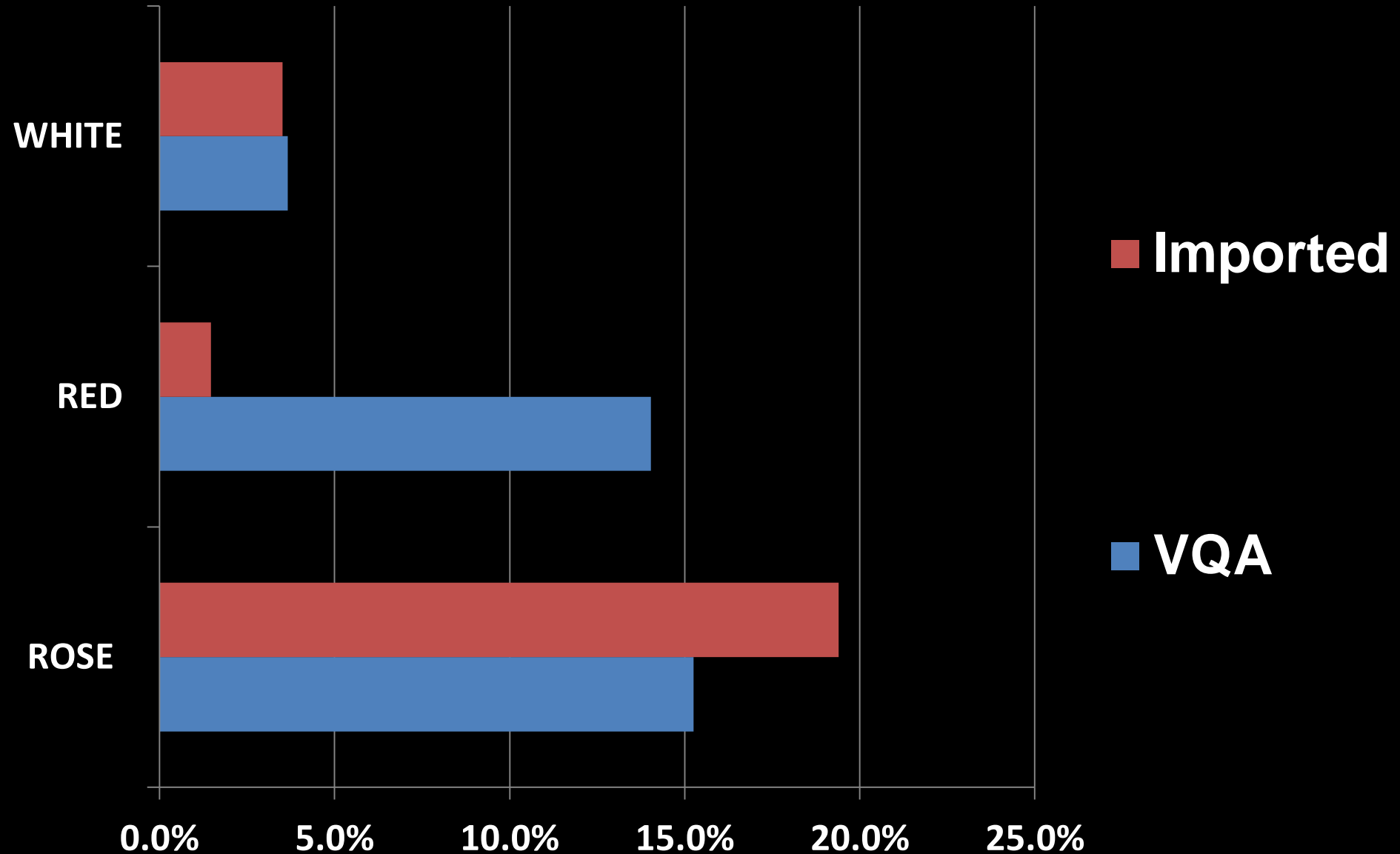
Market Share of ICB, NON-VQA and Ontario VQA Wines



WINES sales trends – by type



VINTAGES sales trends – by type



VQA sales growth has slowed

ICB sales continue to increase

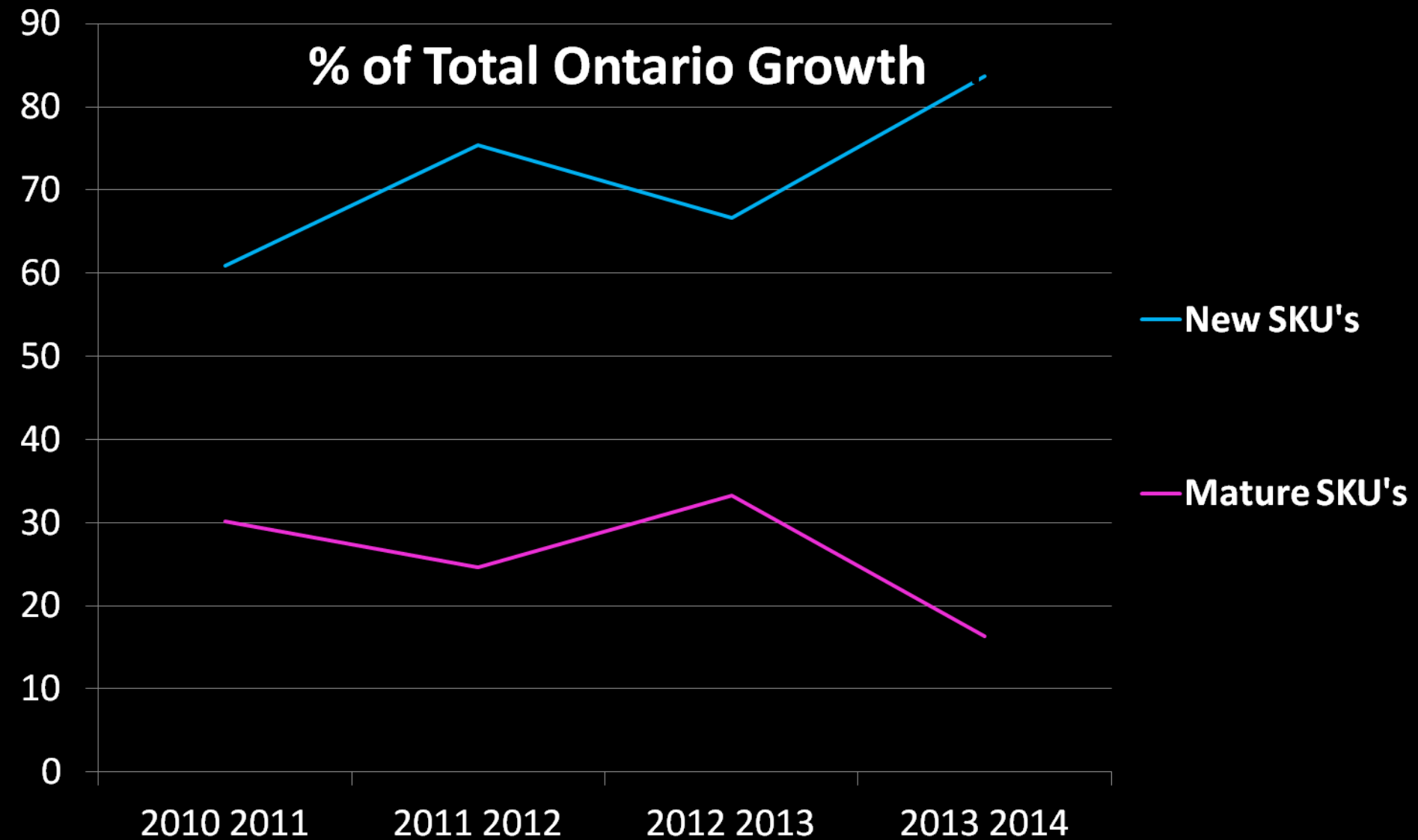
VQA Wines	↑	+0.8%	\$103M
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VQA VINTAGES	↑	+13.0%	\$15M
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ICB	↑	+5.5%	\$233M
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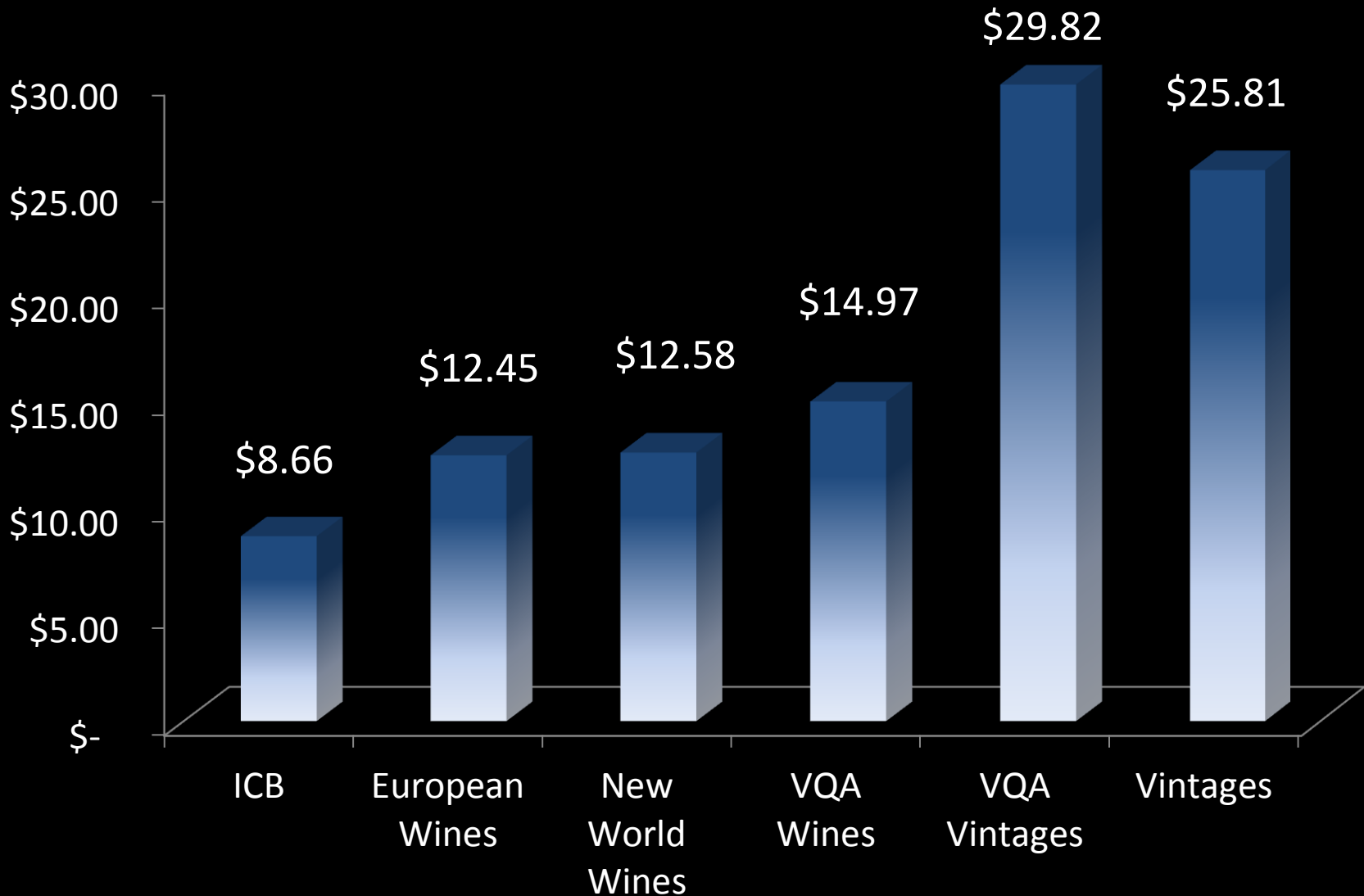
Non-VQA	↓	-3.1%	\$38M
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New brands drive growth



Trends in wine pricing

Average purchase price for wines



Prices for Wines - Imported

-\$8.00 ↓ 4.5%

\$8.00 -\$12.00 ↓ 1.6%

\$12.00 -\$15.00 ↑ 3.5%

+\$15 ↑ 15.3%

Per 750ml bottle

Value-driven ICB customers are trading up – all growth under \$12

< \$8.00 (58.3% of sales)		3.0%
\$8.00 - \$10.00 (38.5% of sales)		7.9%
\$10.00-\$12.00 (3.0% of sales)		32.0%
\$12.00-\$15.00 (0.2% of sales)		-7.0%


Per 750ml bottle


Customers willing to trade up for VQA - when products over-deliver

\$8.00-\$10.00 (5.5% of sales)  -10.9%

\$10.00-\$12.00 (21.8% of sales)  -11.3%

\$12.00-\$15.00 (59.8% of sales)  6.9%

\$15.00-\$18.00 (7.6% of sales)  8.6%

\$18.00-\$20.00 (0.9% of sales)  41.0%


Per 750ml bottle

Prices in VINTAGES - imported wines


<\$15.00	↓	11.3%
\$15.00 - \$20.00	↑	5.7%
\$20.00 - \$25.00	↑	10.7%
>\$25	↓	2.4%

Per 750ml bottle

Confident customers are shopping VINTAGES for premium Ontario wines

\$18.00-\$20.00 (23.1% of sales)  4.0%

\$20.00-\$25.00 (15.8% of sales)  35.6%

\$25.00-\$30.00 (4.4% of sales)  23.6%

Per 750ml bottle

Opportunities at LCBO

New Products are driving customer interest and trade up

New Products

Sales are \$3.8M

100% of VQA wines growth

New brands are more premium on average - Net \$/Litre:

- \$16.26
 - \$14.98 for mature brands



Customer shift toward VQA reds

VQA Red Net Sales +5.1%

43.3% share +1.7%

*white share -2.1%

Top Red Varietals

Merlot	\$ 4.9M	+20.8%
Other Varietals	\$ 1.0M	+15.2%
Baco Noir	\$ 5.5M	+ 9.4%
Cabernet Sauvignon	\$ 1.6M	+ 7.1%
Pinot Noir	\$ 4.4M	+ 6.6%



Customers are choosing wines

Ontario does best

Top VQA subsets

Blends (White and Red)	\$ 26M	-3.1%
Riesling	\$ 13M	-0.2%
Cabernet-Merlot Blend	\$ 13M	+2.2%
Chardonnay	\$ 11M	-3.1%
Baco Noir	\$ 6M	+9.4%



VINTAGES is a trusted destination for VQA wines

Sales +8.4% YTD +8.0%

VQA wine is growing across ALL VINTAGES subsets

White	↑	+ 5.2%
Red	↑	+ 19.5%
Rose	↑	+ 10.5%
Sparkling	↑	+ 59.2%

Re-vamped Wines to Watch program launched in P4

Improved utilization of retail
space

Enhanced assortment

Reinforce quality image

12 Wines/Turn, x3 turns/year



100% ONTARIO

Direct Delivery program has double digit sales increases

Enhanced assortment and new store clusters support growing customer demand for regional wines

Top performing store clusters:

• VQA Enhancement	\$1.1M	+65%
• PEC	\$256,000	+57%
• Icewine	\$235,000	+24%

Total Program Sales: **\$1.9M,** **+66%**



How to be more successful at LCBO



Category objectives for VQA

Elevate the **quality image** of Ontario Wines and build **consumer confidence** by showcasing varietals and styles that Ontario does best.

Successful products drive customer interest and support LCBO programs

Varietals and styles Ontario does best

New products that offer exceptional price/value

Premium price points for all **VINTAGES** channels

Support LCBO programs and new initiatives

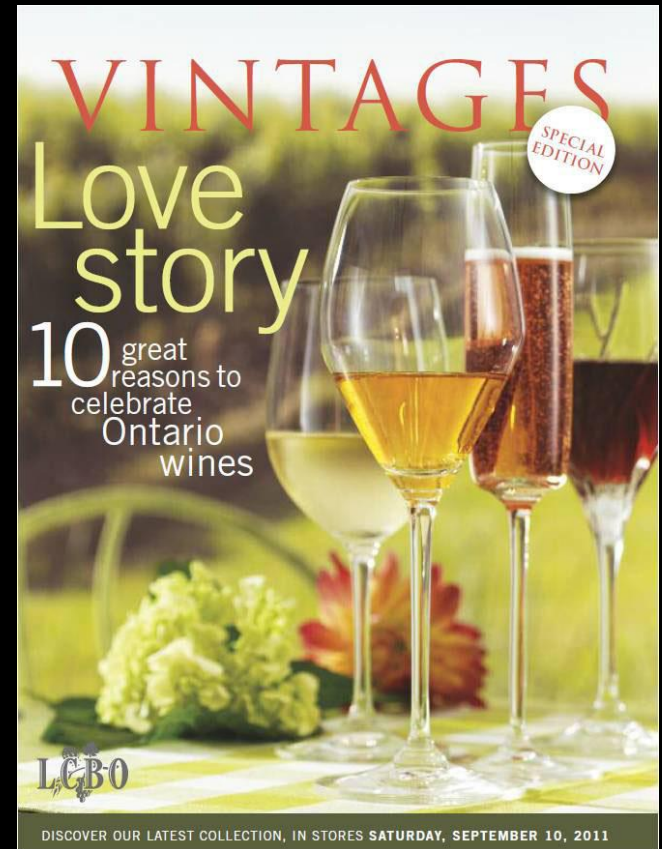
VINTAGES Front Line Release is driving the growth in VQA

Every two weeks VINTAGES releases 8-10 Ontario Wines

Featured in print catalogue

Available to 300 stores

56 – 224 case purchase quantity per SKU



Thank you

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ONTARIO SUPERSTARS

This medium-bodied blend has fresh fruit flavours of peach and citrus. It's balanced acidity is a delicious complement to chicken and shrimp dishes with pesto sauce.

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