

Spirits in Canada

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2024 DEVELOPMENTS

Spirits face the brunt of alcohol-free trend, while opportunities remain for non-alcoholic and premium variants Diageo maintains lead thanks to well-established and premium brands, while non-alcoholic variants rise Distribution landscape for spirits follows the same dynamics as alcoholic drinks

PROSPECTS AND OPPORTUNITIES

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