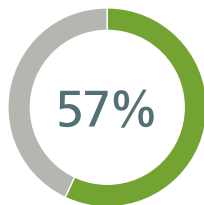
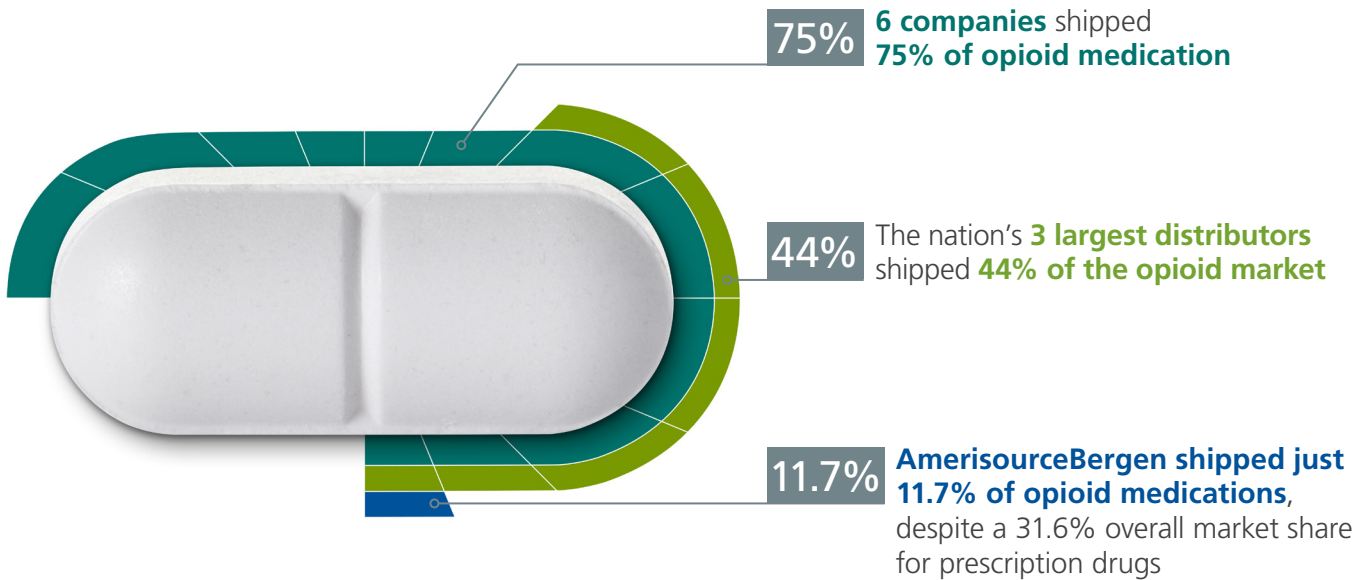
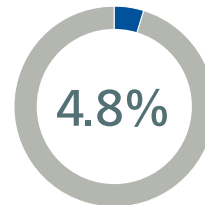


Understanding the ARCOS Data

According to data from the Automated of Reports and Consolidated Ordering System (ARCOS), the majority of opioids sold in the United States between 2006 and 2012 were not shipped by the three biggest distributors in the country. **What does the data really say?**



Distributors shipped only **57% of the opioids the DEA authorized** for manufacture and distribution through its quotas



AmerisourceBergen's opioid shipments amounted to only **4.8% of DEA's opioid quotas**

While AmerisourceBergen and our two largest competitors control 85% of the total market for prescription medicines shipped throughout the United States, the ARCOS data show that the majority of opioids sold were shipped by other companies.

Source: www.washingtonpost.com/investigations/76-billion-opioid-pills-newly-released-federal-data-unmasks-the-epidemic/2019/07/16/5f29fd62-a73e-11e9-86dd-d7f0e60391e9_story.html