

Table 2.57A Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 162,897 | 162,541 | 70,582 | 69,881 | 60,785 | 60,165 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 146,114 | 145,857 | 62,481 | 61,767 | 54,244 | 53,665 |
| White | 122,701 | 122,509 | 51,029 | 50,798 | 44,366 | 44,220 |
| Black or African American | 15,921 | 15,979 | 7,898 | 7,797 | 6,936 | 6,838 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 1,042 | 952 | 591 | 499 | 501 | 428 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 424 | 324 | 245 | 208 | 192 | 168 |
| Chinese | 812 | 871 | 226 | 234 | 164 | 164 |
| Filipino | 947 | 991 | 420 ^a | 295 | 334 | 244 |
| Japanese | 522 | 552 | 146 | 124 | 127 | 103 |
| Asian Indian | 774 | 821 | 386 | 320 | 293 | 241 |
| Korean | 475 | 360 | 243 ^a | 169 | 216 ^a | 147 |
| Vietnamese | 329 | 291 | 175 | 152 | 143 | 120 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 16,783 | 16,684 | 8,101 | 8,114 | 6,541 | 6,500 |
| Mexican | 10,964 | 10,793 | 5,323 | 5,297 | 4,284 | 4,187 |
| Puerto Rican | 1,997 | 1,865 | 1,060 | 1,016 | 910 | 858 |
| Central or South American | 2,278 | 2,298 | 1,080 | 1,013 | 816 | 775 |
| Cuban | 752 | 769 | 367 | 366 | 309 | 310 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.57B Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 68.9 ^b | 68.0 | 29.9 ^b | 29.2 | 25.7 ^a | 25.2 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 70.6 ^b | 69.9 | 30.2 ^a | 29.6 | 26.2 | 25.7 |
| White | 74.0 | 73.5 | 30.8 | 30.5 | 26.8 | 26.5 |
| Black or African American | 58.7 | 57.6 | 29.1 | 28.1 | 25.6 | 24.7 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 76.2 | 74.6 | 43.2 | 39.1 | 36.6 | 33.5 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 65.0 | 57.5 | 37.7 | 36.9 | 29.5 | 29.8 |
| Chinese | 38.5 | 37.9 | 10.7 | 10.2 | 7.8 | 7.1 |
| Filipino | 45.1 | 45.1 | 20.0 ^b | 13.4 | 15.9 ^a | 11.1 |
| Japanese | 61.9 | 64.0 | 17.3 | 14.4 | 15.1 | 11.9 |
| Asian Indian | 38.7 | 36.4 | 19.3 | 14.2 | 14.6 | 10.7 |
| Korean | 60.0 ^a | 48.9 | 30.7 | 23.0 | 27.3 | 19.9 |
| Vietnamese | 40.2 | 40.5 | 21.3 | 21.1 | 17.4 | 16.6 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 56.9 ^b | 54.8 | 27.5 | 26.6 | 22.2 | 21.3 |
| Mexican | 56.3 ^b | 54.1 | 27.3 | 26.6 | 22.0 | 21.0 |
| Puerto Rican | 62.9 | 60.4 | 33.4 | 32.9 | 28.7 | 27.8 |
| Central or South American | 56.3 | 52.3 | 26.7 ^a | 23.0 | 20.2 | 17.6 |
| Cuban | 59.4 | 57.7 | 29.0 | 27.4 | 24.4 | 23.2 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.58A Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 7,997 ^b | 7,558 | 4,887 ^b | 4,691 | 3,126 | 3,021 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 6,757 ^b | 6,355 | 4,181 ^b | 3,990 | 2,751 | 2,651 |
| White | 5,399 ^b | 5,075 | 3,485 ^a | 3,338 | 2,361 | 2,266 |
| Black or African American | 921 | 884 | 449 | 433 | 248 | 243 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 95 | 79 | 64 | 52 | 47 | 35 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | * | 9 | 7 | 6 |
| Chinese | 26 | 29 | 15 | 15 | 6 | 8 |
| Filipino | 47 | * | 16 | 13 | 8 | 8 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 32 | 25 | 22 | 13 | 10 | 8 |
| Korean | 18 | * | * | * | 2 | * |
| Vietnamese | 25 | * | 6 | 6 | 2 | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 1,239 | 1,202 | 706 | 701 | 375 | 370 |
| Mexican | 880 | 848 | 506 | 500 | 261 | 258 |
| Puerto Rican | 147 | 128 | 86 | 76 | 55 | 48 |
| Central or South American | 131 | 120 | 72 | 59 | 33 | 26 |
| Cuban | 46 | 37 | 26 | 23 | 17 | 12 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.58B Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 32.1 ^b | 30.1 | 19.6 ^b | 18.7 | 12.6 ^a | 12.0 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 32.4 ^b | 30.3 | 20.0 ^b | 19.0 | 13.2 ^a | 12.6 |
| White | 34.7 ^b | 32.7 | 22.4 ^b | 21.5 | 15.2 ^a | 14.6 |
| Black or African American | 25.0 ^a | 23.4 | 12.2 | 11.5 | 6.8 | 6.4 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 52.3 | 46.0 | 35.2 | 30.7 | 25.5 | 20.6 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | * | 12.5 | 8.9 | 8.1 |
| Chinese | 12.1 | 14.1 | 7.2 | 7.4 | 2.9 | 3.8 |
| Filipino | 28.6 | * | 9.9 | 7.9 | 4.6 | 5.0 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 15.3 | 10.8 | 10.7 | 5.5 | 5.1 | 3.4 |
| Korean | 19.0 | * | * | * | 2.0 | * |
| Vietnamese | 21.8 | * | 5.2 | 6.1 | 1.5 | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 31.0 ^a | 29.0 | 17.7 | 16.9 | 9.4 | 8.9 |
| Mexican | 30.9 | 29.3 | 17.8 | 17.3 | 9.2 | 8.9 |
| Puerto Rican | 31.1 ^a | 26.7 | 18.1 | 15.8 | 11.6 | 10.0 |
| Central or South American | 30.1 | 27.2 | 16.5 | 13.3 | 7.5 | 5.8 |
| Cuban | 38.3 ^b | 26.7 | 21.9 | 16.9 | 14.4 | 8.3 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.59A Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 22,183 | 22,193 | 15,163 | 15,201 | 12,707 | 12,748 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 18,577 | 18,549 | 12,908 | 12,874 | 10,911 | 10,881 |
| White | 14,883 | 14,872 | 10,604 | 10,542 | 8,995 | 8,950 |
| Black or African American | 2,358 | 2,400 | 1,394 | 1,462 | 1,175 | 1,238 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 163 | 146 | 125 | 108 | 104 | 96 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 110 | 90 | 79 | 65 | 69 | 54 |
| Chinese | 124 | 162 | 73 | 102 | 57 | 72 |
| Filipino | 162 | 160 | 98 | 103 | 81 | 83 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 144 | 150 | 93 | 96 | 57 | 61 |
| Korean | 137 | 111 | 101 | 80 | 90 | 70 |
| Vietnamese | 73 | 72 | 42 | 41 | 28 | 32 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 3,606 | 3,644 | 2,255 | 2,327 | 1,796 | 1,866 |
| Mexican | 2,559 | 2,590 | 1,564 | 1,628 | 1,242 | 1,287 |
| Puerto Rican | 383 | 353 | 260 | 252 | 224 | 214 |
| Central or South American | 449 | 442 | 284 | 268 | 218 | 211 |
| Cuban | 91 | 89 | 68 | 68 | 56 | 59 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.59B Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 70.7 ^b | 69.4 | 48.3 ^a | 47.6 | 40.5 | 39.9 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 72.0 ^b | 70.6 | 50.0 ^b | 49.0 | 42.3 ^a | 41.4 |
| White | 76.4 ^b | 75.1 | 54.4 ^b | 53.3 | 46.2 ^a | 45.2 |
| Black or African American | 56.5 | 55.6 | 33.4 | 33.9 | 28.1 | 28.7 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 81.7 | 82.1 | 62.6 | 60.9 | 52.4 | 54.0 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 66.8 | 64.9 | 48.2 | 46.6 | 41.8 | 38.7 |
| Chinese | 43.0 | 46.2 | 25.2 | 29.2 | 19.6 | 20.6 |
| Filipino | 58.7 | 61.3 | 35.6 | 39.6 | 29.5 | 31.7 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 49.8 | 47.0 | 32.0 | 30.2 | 19.7 | 19.2 |
| Korean | 74.3 | 65.4 | 54.5 | 47.1 | 48.6 | 41.1 |
| Vietnamese | 46.8 | 43.6 | 26.8 | 24.7 | 18.0 | 19.7 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 64.7 | 64.0 | 40.5 | 40.9 | 32.2 | 32.8 |
| Mexican | 64.7 | 64.5 | 39.5 | 40.5 | 31.4 | 32.0 |
| Puerto Rican | 69.8 | 68.3 | 47.5 | 48.8 | 41.0 | 41.4 |
| Central or South American | 61.9 | 59.4 | 39.1 | 35.9 | 30.1 | 28.4 |
| Cuban | 63.9 | 64.2 | 47.4 | 49.0 | 39.2 | 42.7 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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Table 2.60A Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 132,717 | 132,791 | 50,532 | 49,989 | 44,952 | 44,396 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 120,780 | 120,953 | 45,391 | 44,903 | 40,582 | 40,133 |
| White | 102,420 | 102,562 | 36,941 | 36,918 | 33,010 | 33,004 |
| Black or African American | 12,642 | 12,694 | 6,056 | 5,903 | 5,512 | 5,357 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 784 | 728 | 403 | 338 | 350 | 297 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Chinese | 662 | 680 | 138 | 116 | 101 | 84 |
| Filipino | 738 | 800 | 306 ^b | 179 | 245 ^a | 154 |
| Japanese | 474 | 511 | 111 | 93 | 97 | 74 |
| Asian Indian | 599 | 646 | 272 | 211 | 226 | 172 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 11,937 | 11,838 | 5,141 | 5,086 | 4,370 | 4,264 |
| Mexican | 7,524 | 7,356 | 3,254 | 3,168 | 2,781 | 2,643 |
| Puerto Rican | 1,467 | 1,383 | 715 | 688 | 630 | 595 |
| Central or South American | 1,698 | 1,736 | 724 | 687 | 565 | 538 |
| Cuban | 615 | 643 | 273 | 274 | 236 | 239 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Table 2.60B Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 73.7 ^a | 72.9 | 28.0 | 27.5 | 25.0 | 24.4 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 75.4 | 74.9 | 28.3 | 27.8 | 25.3 | 24.9 |
| White | 78.3 | 78.1 | 28.2 | 28.1 | 25.2 | 25.1 |
| Black or African American | 65.6 | 64.6 | 31.4 | 30.1 | 28.6 | 27.3 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 79.5 | 78.4 | 40.8 | 36.4 | 35.5 | 32.0 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Chinese | 41.2 | 39.1 | 8.6 | 6.7 | 6.3 | 4.8 |
| Filipino | 44.5 | 45.1 | 18.4 ^b | 10.1 | 14.8 ^a | 8.7 |
| Japanese | 65.7 | 67.1 | 15.5 | 12.2 | 13.4 | 9.8 |
| Asian Indian | 39.7 | 37.9 | 18.0 | 12.4 | 15.0 | 10.1 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 60.0 ^b | 57.4 | 25.8 | 24.7 | 21.9 | 20.7 |
| Mexican | 59.3 ^a | 56.4 | 25.6 | 24.3 | 21.9 | 20.3 |
| Puerto Rican | 68.1 | 66.2 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 29.3 | 28.5 |
| Central or South American | 58.8 | 54.1 | 25.1 | 21.4 | 19.6 | 16.8 |
| Cuban | 61.3 | 60.9 | 27.2 | 26.0 | 23.5 | 22.6 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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Table 2.61A Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 154,900 | 154,983 | 65,695 | 65,190 | 57,659 | 57,144 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 139,356 | 139,501 | 58,300 | 57,777 | 51,493 | 51,014 |
| White | 117,302 | 117,435 | 47,544 | 47,461 | 42,005 | 41,953 |
| Black or African American | 15,000 | 15,095 | 7,449 | 7,364 | 6,687 | 6,595 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 946 | 874 | 527 | 446 | 454 | 393 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 398 | 300 | 230 | 199 | 185 | 162 |
| Chinese | 786 | 842 | 211 | 218 | 158 | 156 |
| Filipino | 899 | 960 | 404 ^a | 282 | 326 | 236 |
| Japanese | 517 | 548 | 143 | 121 | 124 | 101 |
| Asian Indian | 742 | 796 | 364 | 307 | 283 | 233 |
| Korean | * | 345 | 232 ^a | 159 | 214 ^a | 138 |
| Vietnamese | 305 | 273 | 169 | 145 | 141 | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 15,543 | 15,482 | 7,395 | 7,413 | 6,166 | 6,130 |
| Mexican | 10,084 | 9,946 | 4,818 | 4,796 | 4,023 | 3,929 |
| Puerto Rican | 1,850 | 1,736 | 975 | 940 | 855 | 809 |
| Central or South American | 2,147 | 2,178 | 1,008 | 954 | 784 | 749 |
| Cuban | 706 | 732 | 341 | 342 | 292 | 298 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

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Table 2.61B Cigarette Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 73.2 ^b | 72.4 | 31.1 ^a | 30.5 | 27.3 ^a | 26.7 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 74.9 ^a | 74.3 | 31.3 | 30.8 | 27.7 | 27.2 |
| White | 78.1 | 77.7 | 31.6 | 31.4 | 28.0 | 27.8 |
| Black or African American | 64.0 | 63.0 | 31.8 | 30.7 | 28.5 | 27.5 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 79.9 | 79.0 | 44.5 | 40.3 | 38.4 | 35.5 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 69.5 | 60.8 | 40.2 | 40.4 | 32.3 | 32.8 |
| Chinese | 41.5 | 40.3 | 11.1 | 10.4 | 8.3 | 7.5 |
| Filipino | 46.5 | 47.2 | 20.9 ^b | 13.9 | 16.9 ^a | 11.6 |
| Japanese | 65.0 | 66.5 | 17.9 | 14.6 | 15.5 | 12.3 |
| Asian Indian | 41.3 | 39.3 | 20.3 | 15.2 | 15.8 | 11.5 |
| Korean | * | 52.7 | 33.3 ^a | 24.2 | 30.7 ^a | 21.1 |
| Vietnamese | 43.1 | 44.2 | 23.9 | 23.6 | 19.9 | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 61.0 ^b | 58.9 | 29.0 | 28.2 | 24.2 | 23.3 |
| Mexican | 60.6 ^a | 58.3 | 28.9 | 28.1 | 24.2 | 23.0 |
| Puerto Rican | 68.5 | 66.6 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 31.7 | 31.0 |
| Central or South American | 59.4 | 55.1 | 27.9 | 24.1 | 21.7 | 19.0 |
| Cuban | 61.6 | 61.3 | 29.7 | 28.6 | 25.5 | 24.9 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

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Table 2.62A Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 196,493 | 197,876 | 155,008 | 155,613 | 119,392 | 119,949 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 174,326 | 175,385 | 137,620 | 138,202 | 106,976 | 107,517 |
| White | 143,888 | 144,531 | 115,023 | 115,595 | 90,729 | 91,348 |
| Black or African American | 20,585 | 20,750 | 14,737 | 14,676 | 10,549 | 10,390 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 1,092 | 1,025 | 844 | 719 | 594 | 499 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 485 | 382 | 344 | 311 | 281 | 235 |
| Chinese | 1,493 | 1,599 | 1,196 | 1,278 | 836 | 836 |
| Filipino | 1,461 | 1,587 | 1,066 | 1,105 | 734 | 837 |
| Japanese | 695 | 729 | 512 | 577 | 427 | 505 |
| Asian Indian | 1,094 | 1,209 | 960 | 1,023 | 729 | 792 |
| Korean | 569 | 515 | 503 | 438 | 370 | 318 |
| Vietnamese | 460 | 441 | 429 | 389 | 247 | 207 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 22,166 | 22,492 | 17,389 | 17,411 | 12,416 | 12,432 |
| Mexican | 14,440 | 14,595 | 11,333 | 11,192 | 8,060 | 7,908 |
| Puerto Rican | 2,428 | 2,253 | 1,931 | 1,860 | 1,303 | 1,263 |
| Central or South American | 3,041 | 3,247 | 2,323 | 2,442 | 1,678 | 1,725 |
| Cuban | 1,039 | 1,051 | 773 | 821 | 637 | 694 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

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Table 2.62B Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 83.1 | 82.8 | 65.6 | 65.1 | 50.5 | 50.2 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 84.2 | 84.1 | 66.5 | 66.2 | 51.7 | 51.5 |
| White | 86.8 | 86.7 | 69.4 | 69.4 | 54.7 | 54.8 |
| Black or African American | 75.9 | 74.8 | 54.3 | 52.9 | 38.9 | 37.5 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 79.9 | 80.2 | 61.7 | 56.3 | 43.4 | 39.1 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 74.4 | 67.9 | 52.8 | 55.3 | 43.1 | 41.7 |
| Chinese | 70.7 | 69.6 | 56.6 | 55.7 | 39.6 | 36.4 |
| Filipino | 69.6 | 72.2 | 50.8 | 50.3 | 35.0 | 38.1 |
| Japanese | 82.4 | 84.6 | 60.7 | 66.9 | 50.6 | 58.6 |
| Asian Indian | 54.6 | 53.6 | 47.9 | 45.3 | 36.4 | 35.1 |
| Korean | 71.9 | 69.8 | 63.6 | 59.4 | 46.7 | 43.2 |
| Vietnamese | 56.1 | 61.3 | 52.3 | 54.1 | 30.1 | 28.8 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 75.2 ^a | 73.9 | 59.0 ^a | 57.2 | 42.1 | 40.8 |
| Mexican | 74.1 | 73.2 | 58.2 ^a | 56.1 | 41.4 | 39.6 |
| Puerto Rican | 76.5 | 73.0 | 60.8 | 60.2 | 41.0 | 40.9 |
| Central or South American | 75.1 | 73.9 | 57.4 | 55.6 | 41.5 | 39.3 |
| Cuban | 82.0 | 78.8 | 61.0 | 61.6 | 50.3 | 52.0 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.63A Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 10,730 | 10,654 | 8,564 | 8,550 | 4,395 | 4,431 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 8,932 | 8,829 | 7,182 | 7,130 | 3,738 | 3,720 |
| White | 7,046 | 6,950 | 5,837 | 5,782 | 3,159 | 3,142 |
| Black or African American | 1,326 | 1,318 | 905 | 907 | 387 | 375 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 88 | 75 | 71 | 61 | 36 | 30 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 34 | 29 | 31 | 23 | 12 | * |
| Chinese | 44 | 57 | 35 | 43 | 12 | 21 |
| Filipino | 61 | 43 | 39 | 32 | 20 | 17 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | 4 | * |
| Asian Indian | 41 | 48 | 36 | 43 | 16 | 19 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | 10 | 9 |
| Vietnamese | 37 | * | * | * | 7 | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 1,798 | 1,825 | 1,382 | 1,420 | 657 | 711 |
| Mexican | 1,287 | 1,290 | 980 | 992 | 469 | 502 |
| Puerto Rican | 212 | 198 | 162 | 147 | 68 | 60 |
| Central or South American | 187 | 183 | 149 | 148 | 74 | 78 |
| Cuban | 57 | 55 | 47 | 47 | 25 | 23 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.63B Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 43.1 ^a | 42.4 | 34.4 | 34.1 | 17.7 | 17.6 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 42.8 ^a | 42.1 | 34.4 | 34.0 | 17.9 | 17.8 |
| White | 45.3 | 44.7 | 37.5 | 37.2 | 20.3 | 20.2 |
| Black or African American | 36.0 | 34.9 | 24.6 | 24.0 | 10.5 | 9.9 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 48.1 | 43.8 | 38.8 | 35.5 | 19.5 | 17.4 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 43.1 | 41.0 | 39.8 | 33.1 | 15.6 | * |
| Chinese | 20.5 | 27.5 | 16.5 | 20.6 | 5.7 | 10.0 |
| Filipino | 36.9 ^a | 26.6 | 23.6 | 19.7 | 12.3 | 10.2 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | 7.9 | * |
| Asian Indian | 19.9 | 20.7 | 17.6 | 18.5 | 7.6 | 8.2 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | 10.3 | 11.4 |
| Vietnamese | 33.0 | * | * | * | 6.4 | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 45.0 | 44.0 | 34.6 | 34.2 | 16.4 | 17.1 |
| Mexican | 45.2 | 44.6 | 34.4 | 34.2 | 16.5 | 17.3 |
| Puerto Rican | 44.7 | 41.2 | 34.1 | 30.6 | 14.3 | 12.4 |
| Central or South American | 43.1 | 41.3 | 34.2 | 33.5 | 17.1 | 17.6 |
| Cuban | 47.9 | 40.0 | 39.4 | 34.0 | 21.2 | 16.8 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.64A Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 27,255 | 27,687 | 24,465 | 24,952 | 19,113 | 19,470 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 22,681 | 23,046 | 20,593 | 21,055 | 16,270 | 16,616 |
| White | 17,604 | 17,920 | 16,212 | 16,558 | 13,129 | 13,433 |
| Black or African American | 3,334 | 3,384 | 2,859 | 2,952 | 1,994 | 2,067 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 175 | 155 | 147 | 134 | 112 | 96 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 134 | 113 | 113 | 97 | 91 ^a | 71 |
| Chinese | 232 ^b | 299 | 201 ^a | 260 | 147 | 182 |
| Filipino | 233 | 226 | 186 | 180 | 134 | 122 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 170 | 187 | 153 | 169 | 111 | 115 |
| Korean | 154 | 146 | 147 | 136 | 118 | 99 |
| Vietnamese | 125 | 119 | 107 | 110 | * | 68 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 4,574 | 4,641 | 3,872 | 3,898 | 2,843 | 2,854 |
| Mexican | 3,222 | 3,258 | 2,685 | 2,702 | 1,936 | 1,932 |
| Puerto Rican | 478 | 435 | 427 | 393 | 324 | 298 |
| Central or South American | 563 | 594 | 480 | 491 | 367 | 371 |
| Cuban | 127 | 120 | 118 | 113 | 96 | 92 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.64B Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 86.9 | 86.6 | 78.0 | 78.1 | 60.9 | 60.9 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 87.9 | 87.7 | 79.8 | 80.1 | 63.1 | 63.2 |
| White | 90.4 | 90.5 | 83.2 | 83.6 | 67.4 | 67.9 |
| Black or African American | 79.9 ^a | 78.4 | 68.5 | 68.4 | 47.8 | 47.9 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 87.9 | 87.4 | 73.9 | 75.7 | 56.5 | 54.0 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 81.4 | 81.2 | 69.0 | 69.6 | 55.2 | 50.7 |
| Chinese | 80.1 | 85.3 | 69.4 | 74.1 | 50.7 | 52.0 |
| Filipino | 84.6 | 86.7 | 67.6 | 68.9 | 48.7 | 46.9 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 58.8 | 58.7 | 52.9 | 52.9 | 38.5 | 36.1 |
| Korean | 83.3 | 86.4 | 79.1 | 80.1 | 63.7 | 58.7 |
| Vietnamese | 80.6 | 72.0 | 68.6 | 66.9 | * | 41.3 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 82.1 | 81.6 | 69.5 | 68.5 | 51.0 | 50.2 |
| Mexican | 81.5 | 81.1 | 67.9 | 67.2 | 49.0 | 48.1 |
| Puerto Rican | 87.2 | 84.1 | 77.9 | 76.0 | 59.2 | 57.5 |
| Central or South American | 77.7 | 79.9 | 66.2 | 65.9 | 50.6 | 49.8 |
| Cuban | 89.0 | 86.6 | 83.0 | 81.7 | 67.2 | 66.8 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.65A Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 158,507 | 159,535 | 121,979 | 122,111 | 95,885 | 96,048 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 142,714 | 143,509 | 109,844 | 110,018 | 86,968 | 87,181 |
| White | 119,239 | 119,660 | 92,973 | 93,254 | 74,441 | 74,773 |
| Black or African American | 15,926 | 16,047 | 10,973 | 10,817 | 8,168 | 7,948 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 829 | 795 | 626 | 524 | 446 | 373 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Chinese | 1,217 | 1,243 | 960 | 976 | 677 | 634 |
| Filipino | 1,168 | 1,317 | 841 | 894 | 580 | 698 |
| Japanese | * | 664 | * | 517 | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 883 | 974 | 771 | 811 | 603 | 658 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 15,794 | 16,026 | 12,135 | 12,093 | 8,917 | 8,867 |
| Mexican | 9,931 | 10,047 | 7,668 | 7,499 | 5,655 | 5,474 |
| Puerto Rican | 1,739 | 1,620 | 1,343 | 1,319 | 911 | 906 |
| Central or South American | 2,290 | 2,469 | 1,693 | 1,804 | 1,236 | 1,276 |
| Cuban | 854 | 876 | 607 | 661 | 516 | 578 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.65B Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 88.0 | 87.6 | 67.7 | 67.1 | 53.2 | 52.8 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 89.1 | 88.9 | 68.5 | 68.2 | 54.3 | 54.0 |
| White | 91.2 | 91.1 | 71.1 | 71.0 | 56.9 | 56.9 |
| Black or African American | 82.6 | 81.7 | 56.9 | 55.1 | 42.4 | 40.5 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 84.1 | 85.6 | 63.5 | 56.4 | 45.2 | 40.2 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Chinese | 75.8 | 71.5 | 59.7 | 56.1 | 42.1 | 36.4 |
| Filipino | 70.4 | 74.3 | 50.7 | 50.4 | 34.9 | 39.4 |
| Japanese | * | 87.2 | * | 68.0 | * | * |
| Asian Indian | 58.6 | 57.1 | 51.2 | 47.5 | 40.0 | 38.6 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 79.3 | 77.7 | 61.0 ^a | 58.7 | 44.8 | 43.0 |
| Mexican | 78.3 | 77.1 | 60.4 ^a | 57.5 | 44.6 | 42.0 |
| Puerto Rican | 80.8 | 77.5 | 62.4 | 63.1 | 42.3 | 43.3 |
| Central or South American | 79.3 | 77.0 | 58.7 | 56.2 | 42.8 | 39.8 |
| Cuban | 85.1 | 82.9 | 60.5 | 62.6 | 51.4 | 54.7 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.66A Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 185,763 | 187,222 | 146,445 | 147,064 | 114,997 | 115,519 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 165,395 | 166,555 | 130,438 | 131,072 | 103,238 | 103,797 |
| White | 136,842 | 137,581 | 109,186 | 109,813 | 87,570 | 88,206 |
| Black or African American | 19,259 | 19,432 | 13,832 | 13,769 | 10,162 | 10,015 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 1,004 | 950 | 773 | 658 | 558 | 469 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 451 | * | 313 | 288 | 269 | 225 |
| Chinese | 1,449 | 1,542 | 1,161 | 1,236 | 824 | 816 |
| Filipino | 1,400 | 1,544 | 1,027 | 1,073 | 714 | 820 |
| Japanese | * | 717 | 500 | 567 | 423 | 502 |
| Asian Indian | 1,052 | 1,161 | 924 | 980 | 714 | 773 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | 360 | 309 |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | 359 | 240 | 200 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 20,368 | 20,667 | 16,007 | 15,991 | 11,759 | 11,722 |
| Mexican | 13,153 | 13,305 | 10,353 | 10,201 | 7,591 | 7,406 |
| Puerto Rican | 2,216 | 2,055 | 1,770 | 1,713 | 1,235 | 1,203 |
| Central or South American | 2,854 | 3,064 | 2,174 | 2,294 | 1,603 | 1,647 |
| Cuban | 981 | 995 | 726 | 774 | 612 | 671 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.66B Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TIME PERIOD | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Lifetime | | Past Year | | Past Month | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 87.8 | 87.5 | 69.2 | 68.7 | 54.4 | 54.0 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 88.9 | 88.7 | 70.1 | 69.8 | 55.5 | 55.3 |
| White | 91.1 | 91.0 | 72.7 | 72.7 | 58.3 | 58.4 |
| Black or African American | 82.1 | 81.1 | 59.0 | 57.5 | 43.3 | 41.8 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 84.8 | 85.9 | 65.2 | 59.5 | 47.1 | 42.4 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 78.7 | * | 54.6 | 58.5 | 46.9 | 45.7 |
| Chinese | 76.4 | 73.8 | 61.2 | 59.1 | 43.4 | 39.0 |
| Filipino | 72.4 | 75.9 | 53.1 | 52.8 | 36.9 | 40.3 |
| Japanese | * | 87.0 | 62.8 | 68.8 | 53.1 | 60.9 |
| Asian Indian | 58.6 | 57.3 | 51.4 | 48.4 | 39.8 | 38.2 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | 51.5 | 47.2 |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | 58.2 | 33.9 | 32.5 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 79.9 | 78.6 | 62.8 ^a | 60.8 | 46.1 | 44.6 |
| Mexican | 79.0 | 78.0 | 62.2 ^a | 59.8 | 45.6 ^a | 43.4 |
| Puerto Rican | 82.1 | 78.8 | 65.5 | 65.7 | 45.7 | 46.2 |
| Central or South American | 79.0 | 77.5 | 60.2 | 58.0 | 44.4 | 41.7 |
| Cuban | 85.6 | 83.3 | 63.3 | 64.8 | 53.4 | 56.1 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.67A Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 119,392 | 119,949 | 53,779 | 54,248 | 16,002 | 16,417 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 106,976 | 107,517 | 46,554 | 46,904 | 14,355 | 14,812 |
| White | 90,729 | 91,348 | 38,943 | 39,480 | 12,557 | 13,006 |
| Black or African American | 10,549 | 10,390 | 5,416 | 5,168 | 1,208 | 1,241 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 594 | 499 | 392 | 353 | 127 | 113 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 281 | 235 | 176 | 167 | 59 ^a | 41 |
| Chinese | 836 | 836 | 146 | 212 | 18 | 53 |
| Filipino | 734 | 837 | 253 | 264 | 50 | 63 |
| Japanese | 427 | 505 | 106 | 113 | 19 | 16 |
| Asian Indian | 729 | 792 | 219 | 233 | 47 | 42 |
| Korean | 370 | 318 | 156 | 138 | 53 | 33 |
| Vietnamese | 247 | 207 | 72 | 60 | 23 | 17 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 12,416 | 12,432 | 7,224 | 7,344 | 1,647 | 1,604 |
| Mexican | 8,060 | 7,908 | 4,983 | 4,904 | 1,134 | 1,104 |
| Puerto Rican | 1,303 | 1,263 | 765 | 813 | 215 | 210 |
| Central or South American | 1,678 | 1,725 | 875 | 907 | 127 | 122 |
| Cuban | 637 | 694 | 280 | 293 | 77 | 59 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.67B Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 50.5 | 50.2 | 22.7 | 22.7 | 6.8 | 6.9 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 51.7 | 51.5 | 22.5 | 22.5 | 6.9 | 7.1 |
| White | 54.7 | 54.8 | 23.5 | 23.7 | 7.6 | 7.8 |
| Black or African American | 38.9 | 37.5 | 20.0 ^a | 18.6 | 4.5 | 4.5 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 43.4 | 39.1 | 28.7 | 27.7 | 9.3 | 8.9 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 43.1 | 41.7 | 26.9 | 29.7 | 9.1 | 7.3 |
| Chinese | 39.6 | 36.4 | 6.9 | 9.2 | 0.9 | 2.3 |
| Filipino | 35.0 | 38.1 | 12.1 | 12.0 | 2.4 | 2.9 |
| Japanese | 50.6 | 58.6 | 12.6 | 13.1 | 2.3 | 1.8 |
| Asian Indian | 36.4 | 35.1 | 10.9 | 10.3 | 2.3 | 1.9 |
| Korean | 46.7 | 43.2 | 19.7 | 18.8 | 6.7 | 4.5 |
| Vietnamese | 30.1 | 28.8 | 8.8 | 8.3 | 2.9 | 2.3 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 42.1 | 40.8 | 24.5 | 24.1 | 5.6 | 5.3 |
| Mexican | 41.4 | 39.6 | 25.6 | 24.6 | 5.8 | 5.5 |
| Puerto Rican | 41.0 | 40.9 | 24.1 | 26.3 | 6.8 | 6.8 |
| Central or South American | 41.5 | 39.3 | 21.6 | 20.6 | 3.1 | 2.8 |
| Cuban | 50.3 | 52.0 | 22.1 | 22.0 | 6.1 | 4.4 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.68A Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 4,395 | 4,431 | 2,650 | 2,726 | 641 | 662 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 3,738 | 3,720 | 2,253 | 2,275 | 564 | 570 |
| White | 3,159 | 3,142 | 1,972 | 1,978 | 522 | 525 |
| Black or African American | 387 | 375 | 175 | 179 | 21 | 21 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 36 | 30 | 28 | 23 | 4 | 5 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 12 | * | 7 | * | * | * |
| Chinese | 12 | 21 | 4 | 10 | * | * |
| Filipino | 20 | 17 | 8 | 9 | * | * |
| Japanese | 4 | * | 1 | * | 0 | * |
| Asian Indian | 16 | 19 | 7 | 11 | * | * |
| Korean | 10 | 9 | 4 | 3 | * | * |
| Vietnamese | 7 | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 657 | 711 | 397 ^a | 451 | 77 | 92 |
| Mexican | 469 | 502 | 286 | 319 | 65 | 70 |
| Puerto Rican | 68 | 60 | 38 | 30 | 4 | 7 |
| Central or South American | 74 | 78 | 46 | 57 | 5 | 5 |
| Cuban | 25 | 23 | * | 10 | 2 | 1 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.68B Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 17.7 | 17.6 | 10.7 | 10.9 | 2.6 | 2.6 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 17.9 | 17.8 | 10.8 | 10.9 | 2.7 | 2.7 |
| White | 20.3 | 20.2 | 12.7 | 12.7 | 3.4 | 3.4 |
| Black or African American | 10.5 | 9.9 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 19.5 | 17.4 | 15.4 | 13.7 | 2.3 | 2.9 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 15.6 | * | 8.7 | * | * | * |
| Chinese | 5.7 | 10.0 | 1.9 | 4.7 | * | * |
| Filipino | 12.3 | 10.2 | 4.7 | 5.5 | * | * |
| Japanese | 7.9 | * | 2.1 | * | 1.0 | * |
| Asian Indian | 7.6 | 8.2 | 3.3 | 4.6 | * | * |
| Korean | 10.3 | 11.4 | 4.8 | 3.7 | * | * |
| Vietnamese | 6.4 | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 16.4 | 17.1 | 9.9 | 10.9 | 1.9 | 2.2 |
| Mexican | 16.5 | 17.3 | 10.1 | 11.0 | 2.3 | 2.4 |
| Puerto Rican | 14.3 | 12.4 | 8.1 | 6.2 | 0.8 | 1.4 |
| Central or South American | 17.1 | 17.6 | 10.6 | 12.8 | 1.1 | 1.1 |
| Cuban | 21.2 | 16.8 | * | 7.4 | 1.8 | 0.6 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.69A Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 19,113 | 19,470 | 12,943 | 13,229 | 4,707 | 4,818 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 16,270 | 16,616 | 10,956 | 11,197 | 4,152 | 4,255 |
| White | 13,129 | 13,433 | 9,215 | 9,459 | 3,697 | 3,801 |
| Black or African American | 1,994 | 2,067 | 1,052 | 1,078 | 235 | 243 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 112 | 96 | 86 | 74 | 23 | 23 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 91 ^a | 71 | 73 ^a | 53 | 23 | 18 |
| Chinese | 147 | 182 | 59 | 81 | 9 | 18 |
| Filipino | 134 | 122 | 73 | 66 | 20 | 19 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | 9 | 8 |
| Asian Indian | 111 | 115 | 58 | 60 | 19 | 18 |
| Korean | 118 | 99 | 60 | 49 | * | 17 |
| Vietnamese | * | 68 | 33 | 33 | 9 | 10 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 2,843 | 2,854 | 1,987 | 2,032 | 554 | 563 |
| Mexican | 1,936 | 1,932 | 1,401 | 1,418 | 390 | 387 |
| Puerto Rican | 324 | 298 | 212 | 210 | 66 | 67 |
| Central or South American | 367 | 371 | 227 | 247 | 51 | 54 |
| Cuban | 96 | 92 | 68 | 58 | 15 | 17 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.69B Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 60.9 | 60.9 | 41.3 | 41.4 | 15.0 | 15.1 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 63.1 | 63.2 | 42.5 | 42.6 | 16.1 | 16.2 |
| White | 67.4 | 67.9 | 47.3 | 47.8 | 19.0 | 19.2 |
| Black or African American | 47.8 | 47.9 | 25.2 | 25.0 | 5.6 | 5.6 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 56.5 | 54.0 | 43.0 | 41.9 | 11.7 | 13.0 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 55.2 | 50.7 | 44.1 | 38.2 | 14.2 | 12.9 |
| Chinese | 50.7 | 52.0 | 20.4 | 23.0 | 3.2 | 5.1 |
| Filipino | 48.7 | 46.9 | 26.7 | 25.2 | 7.2 | 7.4 |
| Japanese | * | * | * | * | 12.4 | 12.9 |
| Asian Indian | 38.5 | 36.1 | 20.2 | 18.9 | 6.5 | 5.5 |
| Korean | 63.7 | 58.7 | 32.2 | 28.9 | * | 10.1 |
| Vietnamese | * | 41.3 | 21.1 | 20.0 | 6.1 | 6.1 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 51.0 | 50.2 | 35.6 | 35.7 | 9.9 | 9.9 |
| Mexican | 49.0 | 48.1 | 35.4 | 35.3 | 9.9 | 9.6 |
| Puerto Rican | 59.2 | 57.5 | 38.7 | 40.5 | 12.1 | 12.9 |
| Central or South American | 50.6 | 49.8 | 31.3 | 33.2 | 7.1 | 7.3 |
| Cuban | 67.2 | 66.8 | 47.8 | 42.3 | 10.2 | 12.5 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

^a Difference between estimate and 2003-2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.70A Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 95,885 | 96,048 | 38,186 | 38,292 | 10,655 | 10,937 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 86,968 | 87,181 | 33,345 | 33,431 | 9,639 | 9,987 |
| White | 74,441 | 74,773 | 27,756 | 28,043 | 8,338 | 8,681 |
| Black or African American | 8,168 | 7,948 | 4,189 | 3,911 | 953 | 977 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 446 | 373 | 278 | 255 | 99 | 85 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | 96 | * | 33 ^a | 21 |
| Chinese | 677 | 634 | 83 | 122 | * | 33 |
| Filipino | 580 | 698 | 172 | 189 | 28 | 41 |
| Japanese | * | * | 76 | 83 | 9 | 7 |
| Asian Indian | 603 | 658 | 153 | 162 | 27 | 23 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 8,917 | 8,867 | 4,840 | 4,861 | 1,016 | 950 |
| Mexican | 5,655 | 5,474 | 3,295 | 3,166 | 680 | 646 |
| Puerto Rican | 911 | 906 | 515 | 574 | 145 | 136 |
| Central or South American | 1,236 | 1,276 | 602 | 603 | 70 | 63 |
| Cuban | 516 | 578 | 196 | 225 | * | 41 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

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¹ Totals include data from respondents reporting racial/ethnic subgroups not shown, as well as respondents reporting more than one subgroup.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, and 2004.

Table 2.70B Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 53.2 | 52.8 | 21.2 | 21.0 | 5.9 | 6.0 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 54.3 | 54.0 | 20.8 | 20.7 | 6.0 | 6.2 |
| White | 56.9 | 56.9 | 21.2 | 21.4 | 6.4 | 6.6 |
| Black or African American | 42.4 | 40.5 | 21.7 ^a | 19.9 | 4.9 | 5.0 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 45.2 | 40.2 | 28.2 | 27.5 | 10.1 | 9.1 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | * | * | 23.5 | * | 8.0 | 5.8 |
| Chinese | 42.1 | 36.4 | 5.1 | 7.0 | * | 1.9 |
| Filipino | 34.9 | 39.4 | 10.4 | 10.7 | 1.7 | 2.3 |
| Japanese | * | * | 10.5 | 10.9 | 1.3 | 1.0 |
| Asian Indian | 40.0 | 38.6 | 10.2 | 9.5 | 1.8 | 1.4 |
| Korean | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Vietnamese | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 44.8 | 43.0 | 24.3 | 23.6 | 5.1 | 4.6 |
| Mexican | 44.6 | 42.0 | 26.0 | 24.3 | 5.4 | 5.0 |
| Puerto Rican | 42.3 | 43.3 | 23.9 | 27.5 | 6.7 | 6.5 |
| Central or South American | 42.8 | 39.8 | 20.9 | 18.8 | 2.4 | 2.0 |
| Cuban | 51.4 | 54.7 | 19.5 | 21.3 | * | 3.9 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

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Table 2.71A Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Numbers in Thousands, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 114,997 | 115,519 | 51,129 | 51,522 | 15,361 | 15,755 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 103,238 | 103,797 | 44,302 | 44,628 | 13,791 | 14,242 |
| White | 87,570 | 88,206 | 36,971 | 37,502 | 12,035 | 12,482 |
| Black or African American | 10,162 | 10,015 | 5,241 | 4,989 | 1,187 | 1,220 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 558 | 469 | 364 | 330 | 123 | 108 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 269 | 225 | 169 | 160 | 56 ^a | 38 |
| Chinese | 824 | 816 | 142 | 202 | 18 | 51 |
| Filipino | 714 | 820 | 245 | 255 | 47 | 61 |
| Japanese | 423 | 502 | 105 | 112 | 19 | 15 |
| Asian Indian | 714 | 773 | 212 | 223 | 46 | 41 |
| Korean | 360 | 309 | 152 | 135 | 52 | 32 |
| Vietnamese | 240 | 200 | 70 | 60 | 23 | 17 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 11,759 | 11,722 | 6,827 | 6,893 | 1,570 | 1,513 |
| Mexican | 7,591 | 7,406 | 4,697 | 4,585 | 1,070 | 1,033 |
| Puerto Rican | 1,235 | 1,203 | 727 | 784 | 212 | 203 |
| Central or South American | 1,603 | 1,647 | 829 | 850 | 122 | 117 |
| Cuban | 612 | 671 | 264 | 283 | * | 58 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days. Heavy Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion on each of 5 or more days in the past 30 days; all heavy alcohol users are also binge alcohol users.

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Table 2.71B Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Racial/Ethnic Subgroups: Percentages, Annual Averages Based on 2002-2003 and 2003-2004

| Racial/Ethnic Subgroup | TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| | Alcohol Use | | Binge Alcohol Use | | Heavy Alcohol Use | |
| | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 | 2002-2003 | 2003-2004 |
| TOTAL¹ | 54.4 | 54.0 | 24.2 | 24.1 | 7.3 | 7.4 |
| NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 55.5 | 55.3 | 23.8 | 23.8 | 7.4 | 7.6 |
| White | 58.3 | 58.4 | 24.6 | 24.8 | 8.0 | 8.3 |
| Black or African American | 43.3 | 41.8 | 22.3 ^a | 20.8 | 5.1 | 5.1 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 47.1 | 42.4 | 30.7 | 29.8 | 10.4 | 9.8 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 46.9 | 45.7 | 29.4 | 32.5 | 9.8 | 7.8 |
| Chinese | 43.4 | 39.0 | 7.5 | 9.7 | 0.9 | 2.4 |
| Filipino | 36.9 | 40.3 | 12.7 | 12.5 | 2.5 | 3.0 |
| Japanese | 53.1 | 60.9 | 13.2 | 13.6 | 2.3 | 1.9 |
| Asian Indian | 39.8 | 38.2 | 11.8 | 11.0 | 2.5 | 2.0 |
| Korean | 51.5 | 47.2 | 21.7 | 20.7 | 7.4 | 5.0 |
| Vietnamese | 33.9 | 32.5 | 9.9 | 9.7 | 3.3 | 2.7 |
| HISPANIC OR LATINO¹ | 46.1 | 44.6 | 26.8 | 26.2 | 6.2 | 5.8 |
| Mexican | 45.6 ^a | 43.4 | 28.2 | 26.9 | 6.4 | 6.1 |
| Puerto Rican | 45.7 | 46.2 | 26.9 | 30.1 | 7.8 | 7.8 |
| Central or South American | 44.4 | 41.7 | 23.0 | 21.5 | 3.4 | 3.0 |
| Cuban | 53.4 | 56.1 | 23.0 | 23.7 | * | 4.9 |

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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