

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	162,897	161,853	70,582	70,371	60,785	60,214
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	146,114	144,766	62,481	61,732	54,244	53,357
White	122,701	121,527	51,029	50,675	44,366	43,871
Black or African American	15,921	15,892	7,898	7,761	6,936	6,786
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,042	938	591	507	501	429
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	424	417	245	237	192	188
Chinese	812	1,028	226	306	164	213
Filipino	947	901	420	344	334	281
Japanese	522	492	146	85	127	72
Asian Indian	774	765	386	284	293	200
Korean	475	348	243	182	216	153
Vietnamese	329	335	175	195	143	169
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	16,783	17,087	8,101	8,639	6,541	6,856
Mexican	10,964	10,829	5,323	5,533	4,284	4,301
Puerto Rican	1,997	1,991	1,060	1,129	910	923
Central or South American	2,278	2,128	1,080	953	816	769
Cuban	752	792	367	384	309	322

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 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, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	68.9 ^b	66.9	29.9 ^a	29.1	25.7 ^a	24.9
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	70.6 ^b	68.8	30.2 ^a	29.4	26.2 ^a	25.4
White	74.0 ^b	72.6	30.8	30.3	26.8	26.2
Black or African American	58.7 ^a	56.2	29.1	27.4	25.6	24.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	76.2	73.2	43.2	39.5	36.6	33.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	65.0	62.0	37.7	35.3	29.5	28.0
Chinese	38.5	42.5	10.7	12.7	7.8	8.8
Filipino	45.1	48.5	20.0	18.5	15.9	15.1
Japanese	61.9	58.8	17.3 ^a	10.1	15.1	8.6
Asian Indian	38.7	31.0	19.3 ^a	11.5	14.6 ^a	8.1
Korean	60.0 ^a	46.1	30.7	24.1	27.3	20.3
Vietnamese	40.2	41.0	21.3	23.8	17.4	20.7
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	56.9 ^b	54.1	27.5	27.4	22.2	21.7
Mexican	56.3 ^a	53.5	27.3	27.3	22.0	21.3
Puerto Rican	62.9	60.7	33.4	34.4	28.7	28.1
Central or South American	56.3 ^a	48.8	26.7 ^a	21.8	20.2	17.6
Cuban	59.4	57.4	29.0	27.8	24.4	23.3

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	7,997 ^b	7,072	4,887 ^b	4,516	3,126 ^b	2,866
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	6,757 ^b	5,921	4,181 ^b	3,800	2,751 ^b	2,472
White	5,399 ^b	4,703	3,485 ^b	3,181	2,361 ^b	2,102
Black or African American	921	849	449	416	248	241
American Indian or Alaska Native	95	71	64	46	47	29
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	9	7	5
Chinese	26	28	15	16	6	8
Filipino	47	*	16	8	8	4
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	32	25	22	14	10	7
Korean	18	18	*	11	2 ^a	11
Vietnamese	25	*	6	*	2	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	1,239	1,151	706	716	375	393
Mexican	880	813	506	505	261	275
Puerto Rican	147	126	86	77	55	44
Central or South American	131	99	72	53	33	30
Cuban	46	30	26	25	17	12

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	32.1 ^b	28.0	19.6 ^b	17.9	12.6 ^b	11.3
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	32.4 ^b	28.2	20.0 ^b	18.1	13.2 ^b	11.8
White	34.7 ^b	30.4	22.4 ^b	20.6	15.2 ^b	13.6
Black or African American	25.0 ^b	22.1	12.2	10.8	6.8	6.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	52.3	43.2	35.2	27.8	25.5 ^a	18.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	12.9	8.9	7.1
Chinese	12.1	14.3	7.2	8.2	2.9	3.9
Filipino	28.6	*	9.9	4.9	4.6	2.2
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	15.3	9.8	10.7	5.6	5.1	2.8
Korean	19.0	15.6	*	9.8	2.0 ^a	9.6
Vietnamese	21.8	*	5.2	*	1.5	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	31.0 ^b	26.7	17.7	16.6	9.4	9.1
Mexican	30.9 ^b	27.2	17.8	16.9	9.2	9.2
Puerto Rican	31.1	26.2	18.1	16.1	11.6	9.1
Central or South American	30.1 ^a	23.2	16.5	12.5	7.5	6.9
Cuban	38.3 ^b	21.2	21.9	17.6	14.4	8.3

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	22,183	21,999	15,163	15,319	12,707	12,699
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	18,577	18,474	12,908	13,010	10,911	10,874
White	14,883	14,812	10,604	10,654	8,995	8,938
Black or African American	2,358	2,411	1,394	1,498	1,175	1,263
American Indian or Alaska Native	163	157	125	109	104	98
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	110	85	79	58	69	49
Chinese	124	145	73	98	57	64
Filipino	162	160	98	103	81	70
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	144	158	93	107	57	78
Korean	137	104	101	73	90	63
Vietnamese	73	46	42	34	28	30
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	3,606	3,525	2,255	2,309	1,796	1,825
Mexican	2,559	2,455	1,564	1,605	1,242	1,259
Puerto Rican	383	330	260	230	224	193
Central or South American	449	406	284	244	218	184
Cuban	91	89	68	63	56	47

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	70.7 ^b	68.0	48.3	47.4	40.5 ^a	39.3
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	72.0 ^b	69.4	50.0 ^a	48.9	42.3 ^b	40.9
White	76.4 ^b	74.0	54.4 ^a	53.2	46.2 ^b	44.6
Black or African American	56.5	54.9	33.4	34.1	28.1	28.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	81.7	80.6	62.6	56.3	52.4	50.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	66.8	66.3	48.2	45.2	41.8	38.0
Chinese	43.0	42.0	25.2	28.4	19.6	18.6
Filipino	58.7	69.3	35.6	44.5	29.5	30.2
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	49.8	44.2	32.0	29.8	19.7	21.7
Korean	74.3 ^a	59.2	54.5	41.7	48.6	35.7
Vietnamese	46.8 ^a	30.4	26.8	22.3	18.0	20.0
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	64.7 ^b	61.5	40.5	40.3	32.2	31.8
Mexican	64.7 ^a	61.8	39.5	40.4	31.4	31.7
Puerto Rican	69.8	65.6	47.5	45.7	41.0	38.2
Central or South American	61.9 ^a	54.8	39.1	33.0	30.1	24.8
Cuban	63.9	62.9	47.4	44.8	39.2	33.5

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	132,717	132,782	50,532	50,536	44,952	44,649
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	120,780	120,371	45,391	44,922	40,582	40,011
White	102,420	102,012	36,941	36,839	33,010	32,830
Black or African American	12,642	12,632	6,056	5,847	5,512	5,282
American Indian or Alaska Native	784	711	403	352	350	302
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	134
Chinese	662	855	138	192	101	141
Filipino	738	714	306	233	245	207
Japanese	474	*	111 ^a	53	97	46
Asian Indian	599	581	272	163	226	115
Korean	*	*	*	98	*	80
Vietnamese	*	273	*	153	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	11,937	12,411	5,141	5,614	4,370	4,638
Mexican	7,524	7,561	3,254	3,422	2,781	2,766
Puerto Rican	1,467	1,535	715	821	630	687
Central or South American	1,698	1,623	724	655	565	556
Cuban	615	673	273	296	236	263

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	73.7 ^b	72.1	28.0	27.4	25.0	24.2
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	75.4 ^b	74.0	28.3	27.6	25.3	24.6
White	78.3 ^a	77.3	28.2	27.9	25.2	24.9
Black or African American	65.6	62.9	31.4	29.1	28.6	26.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	79.5	77.0	40.8	38.1	35.5	32.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	28.5
Chinese	41.2	45.6	8.6	10.2	6.3	7.5
Filipino	44.5	49.2	18.4	16.0	14.8	14.3
Japanese	65.7	*	15.5 ^a	7.3	13.4 ^a	6.3
Asian Indian	39.7	31.4	18.0 ^a	8.8	15.0 ^a	6.2
Korean	*	*	*	20.9	*	17.0
Vietnamese	*	47.7	*	26.8	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	60.0	57.6	25.8	26.1	21.9	21.5
Mexican	59.3	57.0	25.6	25.8	21.9	20.9
Puerto Rican	68.1	66.8	33.2	35.7	29.3	29.9
Central or South American	58.8 ^a	50.8	25.1	20.5	19.6	17.4
Cuban	61.3	61.4	27.2	27.0	23.5	23.9

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Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	154,900	154,780	65,695	65,855	57,659	57,348
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	139,356	138,844	58,300	57,932	51,493	50,885
White	117,302	116,824	47,544	47,494	42,005	41,768
Black or African American	15,000	15,043	7,449	7,345	6,687	6,545
American Indian or Alaska Native	946	868	527	461	454	399
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	398	392	230	228	185	183
Chinese	786	1,000	211	290	158	206
Filipino	899	874	404	336	326	277
Japanese	517	*	143	81	124	70
Asian Indian	742	740	364	270	283	193
Korean	*	331	232	171	214	142
Vietnamese	305	319	169	187	141	166
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	15,543	15,936	7,395	7,923	6,166	6,463
Mexican	10,084	10,016	4,818	5,028	4,023	4,026
Puerto Rican	1,850	1,865	975	1,051	855	879
Central or South American	2,147	2,029	1,008	900	784	739
Cuban	706	762	341	359	292	310

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	73.2 ^b	71.5	31.1	30.4	27.3 ^a	26.5
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	74.9 ^b	73.3	31.3	30.6	27.7 ^a	26.9
White	78.1 ^b	76.9	31.6	31.3	28.0	27.5
Black or African American	64.0	61.5	31.8	30.0	28.5	26.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	79.9	77.7	44.5	41.3	38.4	35.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	69.5	65.3	40.2	38.0	32.3	30.5
Chinese	41.5	45.0	11.1	13.1	8.3	9.3
Filipino	46.5	51.9	20.9	19.9	16.9	16.5
Japanese	65.0	*	17.9 ^a	10.1	15.5	8.7
Asian Indian	41.3	33.4	20.3 ^a	12.2	15.8 ^a	8.7
Korean	*	51.5	33.3	26.6	30.7	22.1
Vietnamese	43.1	44.1	23.9	25.9	19.9	23.0
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	61.0 ^a	58.4	29.0	29.1	24.2	23.7
Mexican	60.6	58.1	28.9	29.2	24.2	23.3
Puerto Rican	68.5	66.6	36.1	37.5	31.7	31.4
Central or South American	59.4 ^a	51.5	27.9	22.9	21.7	18.8
Cuban	61.6	61.5	29.7	29.0	25.5	25.0

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	196,493 ^b	199,943	155,008 ^b	159,156	119,392 ^b	123,481
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	174,326 ^b	176,463	137,620 ^b	140,681	106,976 ^b	110,404
White	143,888 ^b	145,370	115,023 ^b	117,413	90,729 ^b	93,543
Black or African American	20,585	21,017	14,737	15,227	10,549	11,022
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,092	1,043	844	706	594	503
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	485	463	344	376	281	261
Chinese	1,493	1,649	1,196	1,418	836	986
Filipino	1,461	1,218	1,066	957	734	672
Japanese	695	*	512	554	427	486
Asian Indian	1,094	1,277	960	983	729	674
Korean	569	568	503	480	370	352
Vietnamese	460	495	429	416	247	285
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	22,166 ^b	23,480	17,389 ^b	18,476	12,416 ^a	13,077
Mexican	14,440	14,766	11,333	11,538	8,060	8,112
Puerto Rican	2,428	2,479	1,931	2,001	1,303	1,371
Central or South American	3,041	3,223	2,323	2,451	1,678	1,679
Cuban	1,039	1,148	773	943	637	760

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	83.1	82.7	65.6	65.8	50.5	51.1
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	84.2	83.9	66.5	66.9	51.7	52.5
White	86.8	86.8	69.4	70.1	54.7 ^a	55.9
Black or African American	75.9	74.3	54.3	53.8	38.9	38.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	79.9	81.4	61.7	55.1	43.4	39.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	74.4	69.0	52.8	56.0	43.1	38.8
Chinese	70.7	68.3	56.6	58.7	39.6	40.8
Filipino	69.6	65.6	50.8	51.5	35.0	36.2
Japanese	82.4	*	60.7	66.2	50.6	58.1
Asian Indian	54.6	51.7	47.9	39.8	36.4 ^a	27.3
Korean	71.9	75.3	63.6	63.6	46.7	46.7
Vietnamese	56.1	60.7	52.3	51.0	30.1	34.9
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	75.2	74.3	59.0	58.5	42.1	41.4
Mexican	74.1	73.0	58.2	57.0	41.4	40.1
Puerto Rican	76.5	75.5	60.8	61.0	41.0	41.8
Central or South American	75.1	73.9	57.4	56.2	41.5	38.5
Cuban	82.0	83.2	61.0	68.3	50.3	55.1

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	10,730 ^a	10,451	8,564	8,495	4,395	4,314
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	8,932 ^b	8,617	7,182	7,031	3,738 ^a	3,567
White	7,046 ^a	6,737	5,837	5,661	3,159 ^a	2,972
Black or African American	1,326	1,332	905	937	387	410
American Indian or Alaska Native	88	70	71	55	36	25
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	34	*	31	25	12	9
Chinese	44	59	35	48	12	17
Filipino	61 ^a	37	39	27	20	10
Japanese	*	*	*	*	4	*
Asian Indian	41	47	36	41	16	16
Korean	*	34	*	25	10	11
Vietnamese	37	*	*	*	7	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	1,798	1,834	1,382	1,465	657 ^a	747
Mexican	1,287	1,280	980	1,014	469	524
Puerto Rican	212	192	162	149	68	64
Central or South American	187	175	149	140	74	69
Cuban	57	58	47	52	25	28

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 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, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	43.1 ^b	41.3	34.4	33.6	17.7	17.1
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	42.8 ^b	41.1	34.4	33.5	17.9 ^a	17.0
White	45.3 ^b	43.6	37.5	36.6	20.3 ^b	19.2
Black or African American	36.0	34.7	24.6	24.4	10.5	10.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	48.1	42.9	38.8	33.3	19.5	15.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	43.1	*	39.8	34.7	15.6	12.7
Chinese	20.5	30.3	16.5	24.6	5.7	8.6
Filipino	36.9 ^b	21.3	23.6	15.9	12.3	5.9
Japanese	*	*	*	*	7.9	*
Asian Indian	19.9	18.3	17.6	15.9	7.6	6.3
Korean	*	30.2	*	22.0	10.3	9.6
Vietnamese	33.0	*	*	*	6.4	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	45.0 ^a	42.5	34.6	34.0	16.4	17.3
Mexican	45.2	42.8	34.4	33.9	16.5	17.5
Puerto Rican	44.7	40.0	34.1	31.0	14.3	13.4
Central or South American	43.1	41.0	34.2	32.7	17.1	16.1
Cuban	47.9	41.0	39.4	36.6	21.2	19.5

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 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, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	27,255 ^b	27,794	24,465 ^b	25,215	19,113 ^b	19,629
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	22,681 ^b	23,218	20,593 ^b	21,339	16,270 ^b	16,797
White	17,604	18,046	16,212	16,754	13,129	13,575
Black or African American	3,334	3,446	2,859	3,025	1,994	2,119
American Indian or Alaska Native	175	161	147	142	112	98
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	134	110	113	93	91	64
Chinese	232	280	201	257	147	165
Filipino	233	196	186	174	134	117
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	170	205	153	186	111	138
Korean	154	153	147	137	118	100
Vietnamese	125	*	107	*	*	60
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	4,574	4,577	3,872	3,876	2,843	2,831
Mexican	3,222	3,140	2,685	2,645	1,936	1,907
Puerto Rican	478	412	427	357	324	269
Central or South American	563	576	480	470	367	335
Cuban	127	124	118	117	96	90

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 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, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	86.9 ^a	85.9	78.0	78.0	60.9	60.7
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	87.9	87.3	79.8	80.2	63.1	63.1
White	90.4	90.1	83.2	83.7	67.4	67.8
Black or African American	79.9	78.4	68.5	68.8	47.8	48.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	87.9	83.1	73.9	73.3	56.5	50.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	81.4	85.6	69.0	72.6	55.2	50.3
Chinese	80.1	81.2	69.4	74.5	50.7	47.8
Filipino	84.6	84.7	67.6	75.3	48.7	50.7
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	58.8	57.1	52.9	52.0	38.5	38.5
Korean	83.3	87.2	79.1	78.0	63.7	57.0
Vietnamese	80.6	*	68.6	*	*	39.5
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	82.1 ^a	79.8	69.5	67.6	51.0	49.4
Mexican	81.5 ^a	79.0	67.9	66.5	49.0	48.0
Puerto Rican	87.2 ^a	81.8	77.9 ^a	70.9	59.2	53.3
Central or South American	77.7	77.7	66.2	63.5	50.6	45.2
Cuban	89.0	87.6	83.0	82.5	67.2	63.5

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 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, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	158,507 ^b	161,698	121,979 ^b	125,446	95,885 ^b	99,539
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	142,714 ^b	144,629	109,844 ^b	112,311	86,968 ^b	90,039
White	119,239	120,587	92,973	94,999	74,441	76,995
Black or African American	15,926	16,239	10,973	11,265	8,168	8,493
American Indian or Alaska Native	829	812	626	509	446	380
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	187
Chinese	1,217	1,310	960	1,113	677	804
Filipino	1,168	985	841	756	580	545
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	883	1,025	771	755	603	520
Korean	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vietnamese	*	*	*	*	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	15,794 ^b	17,070	12,135 ^b	13,135	8,917	9,500
Mexican	9,931	10,346	7,668	7,879	5,655	5,681
Puerto Rican	1,739	1,875	1,343	1,496	911	1,038
Central or South American	2,290	2,473	1,693	1,842	1,236	1,275
Cuban	854	966	607	774	516	642

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	88.0	87.8	67.7	68.1	53.2	54.0
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	89.1	88.9	68.5	69.0	54.3	55.3
White	91.2	91.4	71.1	72.0	56.9 ^a	58.4
Black or African American	82.6	80.9	56.9	56.1	42.4	42.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	84.1	87.9	63.5	55.1	45.2	41.2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	39.7
Chinese	75.8	69.8	59.7	59.3	42.1	42.9
Filipino	70.4	67.8	50.7	52.0	34.9	37.5
Japanese	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian Indian	58.6	55.3	51.2	40.7	40.0 ^a	28.1
Korean	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vietnamese	*	*	*	*	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	79.3	79.3	61.0	61.0	44.8	44.1
Mexican	78.3	78.0	60.4	59.4	44.6	42.8
Puerto Rican	80.8	81.6	62.4	65.1	42.3	45.1
Central or South American	79.3	77.4	58.7	57.6	42.8	39.9
Cuban	85.1	88.1	60.5	70.6	51.4	58.6

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	185,763 ^b	189,493	146,445 ^b	150,661	114,997 ^b	119,167
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	165,395 ^b	167,846	130,438 ^b	133,650	103,238 ^b	106,837
White	136,842	138,633	109,186	111,752	87,570 ^a	90,570
Black or African American	19,259	19,685	13,832	14,290	10,162	10,612
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,004	973	773	651	558	478
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	451	*	313	352	269	252
Chinese	1,449	1,590	1,161	1,370	824	969
Filipino	1,400	1,181	1,027	930	714	662
Japanese	*	*	500	*	423	*
Asian Indian	1,052	1,230	924	942	714	658
Korean	*	534	*	455	360	342
Vietnamese	*	465	*	396	240	278
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	20,368 ^b	21,646	16,007 ^b	17,011	11,759	12,331
Mexican	13,153	13,486	10,353	10,524	7,591	7,589
Puerto Rican	2,216	2,287	1,770	1,853	1,235	1,306
Central or South American	2,854	3,048	2,174	2,312	1,603	1,610
Cuban	981	1,089	726	891	612	732

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	87.8	87.5	69.2	69.6	54.4	55.0
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	88.9	88.7	70.1	70.6	55.5	56.4
White	91.1	91.2	72.7	73.5	58.3 ^a	59.6
Black or African American	82.1	80.5	59.0	58.4	43.3	43.4
American Indian or Alaska Native	84.8	87.1	65.2	58.3	47.1	42.8
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	78.7	*	54.6	58.6	46.9	41.9
Chinese	76.4	71.6	61.2	61.7	43.4	43.6
Filipino	72.4	70.1	53.1	55.2	36.9	39.3
Japanese	*	*	62.8	*	53.1	*
Asian Indian	58.6	55.6	51.4	42.6	39.8 ^a	29.8
Korean	*	83.2	*	70.9	51.5	53.2
Vietnamese	*	64.4	*	54.8	33.9	38.4
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	79.9	79.4	62.8	62.4	46.1	45.2
Mexican	79.0	78.2	62.2	61.0	45.6	44.0
Puerto Rican	82.1	81.6	65.5	66.1	45.7	46.6
Central or South American	79.0	77.4	60.2	58.7	44.4	40.9
Cuban	85.6	88.0	63.3	72.0	53.4	59.1

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	119,392 ^b	123,481	53,779	54,908	16,002	16,362
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	106,976 ^b	110,404	46,554	47,378	14,355	14,640
White	90,729 ^b	93,543	38,943	39,520	12,557	12,862
Black or African American	10,549	11,022	5,416	5,467	1,208	1,226
American Indian or Alaska Native	594	503	392	375	127	123
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	281	261	176	185	59 ^a	34
Chinese	836	986	146	219	18	58
Filipino	734	672	253	263	50	44
Japanese	427	486	106	110	19	13
Asian Indian	729	674	219	254	47	42
Korean	370	352	156	178	53	34
Vietnamese	247	285	72	102	23	23
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	12,416 ^a	13,077	7,224	7,530	1,647	1,722
Mexican	8,060	8,112	4,983	5,027	1,134	1,156
Puerto Rican	1,303	1,371	765	793	215	193
Central or South American	1,678	1,679	875	851	127	163
Cuban	637	760	280	292	77	67

*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 2004-2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	50.5	51.1	22.7	22.7	6.8	6.8
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	51.7	52.5	22.5	22.5	6.9	7.0
White	54.7 ^a	55.9	23.5	23.6	7.6	7.7
Black or African American	38.9	38.9	20.0	19.3	4.5	4.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	43.4	39.3	28.7	29.3	9.3	9.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	43.1	38.8	26.9	27.5	9.1 ^a	5.1
Chinese	39.6	40.8	6.9	9.1	0.9	2.4
Filipino	35.0	36.2	12.1	14.2	2.4	2.4
Japanese	50.6	58.1	12.6	13.1	2.3	1.5
Asian Indian	36.4 ^a	27.3	10.9	10.3	2.3	1.7
Korean	46.7	46.7	19.7	23.6	6.7	4.5
Vietnamese	30.1	34.9	8.8	12.5	2.9	2.9
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	42.1	41.4	24.5	23.8	5.6	5.5
Mexican	41.4	40.1	25.6	24.8	5.8	5.7
Puerto Rican	41.0	41.8	24.1	24.2	6.8	5.9
Central or South American	41.5	38.5	21.6	19.5	3.1	3.7
Cuban	50.3	55.1	22.1	21.2	6.1	4.8

*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 2.68A 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 2004-2005**

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	4,395	4,314	2,650	2,653	641	641
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	3,738 ^a	3,567	2,253	2,160	564	540
White	3,159 ^a	2,972	1,972 ^a	1,854	522	489
Black or African American	387	410	175	197	21	26
American Indian or Alaska Native	36	25	28	20	4	6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12	9	7	5	*	0
Chinese	12	17	4	11	*	*
Filipino	20	10	8	4	*	0
Japanese	4	*	1	*	0	*
Asian Indian	16	16	7	9	*	*
Korean	10	11	4	4	*	*
Vietnamese	7	*	*	*	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	657 ^a	747	397 ^b	493	77	101
Mexican	469	524	286 ^a	350	65	69
Puerto Rican	68	64	38	38	4	10
Central or South American	74	69	46	50	5	9
Cuban	25	28	*	13	2	3

*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 2.68B 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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	17.7	17.1	10.7	10.5	2.6	2.5
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	17.9 ^a	17.0	10.8	10.3	2.7	2.6
White	20.3 ^b	19.2	12.7 ^a	12.0	3.4	3.2
Black or African American	10.5	10.7	4.8	5.1	0.6	0.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	19.5	15.4	15.4	12.5	2.3	3.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	15.6	12.7	8.7	6.8	*	0.5
Chinese	5.7	8.6	1.9	5.4	*	*
Filipino	12.3	5.9	4.7	2.3	*	0.2
Japanese	7.9	*	2.1	*	1.0	*
Asian Indian	7.6	6.3	3.3	3.5	*	*
Korean	10.3	9.6	4.8	3.8	*	*
Vietnamese	6.4	*	*	*	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	16.4	17.3	9.9 ^a	11.4	1.9	2.3
Mexican	16.5	17.5	10.1	11.7	2.3	2.3
Puerto Rican	14.3	13.4	8.1	8.0	0.8	2.1
Central or South American	17.1	16.1	10.6	11.7	1.1	2.0
Cuban	21.2	19.5	*	9.2	1.8	2.2

*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 2004-2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2004-2005 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, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	19,113 ^b	19,629	12,943 ^b	13,434	4,707	4,907
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	16,270 ^b	16,797	10,956 ^b	11,379	4,152 ^a	4,361
White	13,129	13,575	9,215	9,596	3,697	3,903
Black or African American	1,994	2,119	1,052	1,119	235	255
American Indian or Alaska Native	112	98	86	77	23	26
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	91	64	73 ^a	46	23	18
Chinese	147	165	59	71	9	20
Filipino	134	117	73	65	20	13
Japanese	*	*	*	*	9	3
Asian Indian	111	138	58	80	19	26
Korean	118	100	60	58	*	19
Vietnamese	*	60	33	29	9	8
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	2,843	2,831	1,987	2,055	554	547
Mexican	1,936	1,907	1,401	1,415	390	351
Puerto Rican	324	269	212	191	66	60
Central or South American	367	335	227	232	51	56
Cuban	96	90	68	52	15	26

*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, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	60.9	60.7	41.3	41.5	15.0	15.2
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	63.1	63.1	42.5	42.8	16.1	16.4
White	67.4	67.8	47.3	47.9	19.0	19.5
Black or African American	47.8	48.2	25.2	25.5	5.6	5.8
American Indian or Alaska Native	56.5	50.5	43.0	39.8	11.7	13.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	55.2	50.3	44.1	35.9	14.2	14.3
Chinese	50.7	47.8	20.4	20.7	3.2	5.6
Filipino	48.7	50.7	26.7	28.0	7.2	5.4
Japanese	*	*	*	*	12.4	4.7
Asian Indian	38.5	38.5	20.2	22.3	6.5	7.2
Korean	63.7	57.0	32.2	32.9	*	10.6
Vietnamese	*	39.5	21.1	19.2	6.1	5.3
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	51.0	49.4	35.6	35.8	9.9	9.5
Mexican	49.0	48.0	35.4	35.6	9.9	8.8
Puerto Rican	59.2	53.3	38.7	37.9	12.1	12.0
Central or South American	50.6	45.2	31.3	31.3	7.1	7.6
Cuban	67.2	63.5	47.8	36.7	10.2	18.3

*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 2.70A 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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	95,885 ^b	99,539	38,186	38,820	10,655	10,814
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	86,968 ^b	90,039	33,345	33,838	9,639	9,739
White	74,441	76,995	27,756	28,070	8,338	8,470
Black or African American	8,168	8,493	4,189	4,151	953	944
American Indian or Alaska Native	446	380	278	277	99	91
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	187	96	134	33	16
Chinese	677	804	83	137	*	37
Filipino	580	545	172	195	28	31
Japanese	*	*	76	83	9	9
Asian Indian	603	520	153	165	27	16
Korean	*	*	*	116	*	15
Vietnamese	*	*	*	70	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	8,917	9,500	4,840	4,982	1,016	1,075
Mexican	5,655	5,681	3,295	3,262	680	736
Puerto Rican	911	1,038	515	564	145	122
Central or South American	1,236	1,275	602	569	70	99
Cuban	516	642	196	228	*	38

*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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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	53.2	54.0	21.2	21.1	5.9	5.9
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	54.3	55.3	20.8	20.8	6.0	6.0
White	56.9 ^a	58.4	21.2	21.3	6.4	6.4
Black or African American	42.4	42.3	21.7	20.7	4.9	4.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	45.2	41.2	28.2	30.0	10.1	9.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	39.7	23.5	28.4	8.0 ^a	3.3
Chinese	42.1	42.9	5.1	7.3	*	2.0
Filipino	34.9	37.5	10.4	13.4	1.7	2.2
Japanese	*	*	10.5	11.4	1.3	1.3
Asian Indian	40.0 ^a	28.1	10.2	8.9	1.8	0.9
Korean	*	*	*	24.9	*	3.1
Vietnamese	*	*	*	12.2	*	*
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	44.8	44.1	24.3	23.1	5.1	5.0
Mexican	44.6	42.8	26.0	24.6	5.4	5.5
Puerto Rican	42.3	45.1	23.9	24.5	6.7	5.3
Central or South American	42.8	39.9	20.9	17.8	2.4	3.1
Cuban	51.4	58.6	19.5	20.8	*	3.4

*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.

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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 2004-2005

Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	114,997 ^b	119,167	51,129	52,254	15,361	15,721
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	103,238 ^b	106,837	44,302	45,217	13,791	14,100
White	87,570 ^a	90,570	36,971	37,666	12,035	12,373
Black or African American	10,162	10,612	5,241	5,270	1,187	1,199
American Indian or Alaska Native	558	478	364	355	123	117
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	269	252	169	180	56	34
Chinese	824	969	142	209	18	56
Filipino	714	662	245	259	47	44
Japanese	423	*	105	106	19	13
Asian Indian	714	658	212	245	46	42
Korean	360	342	152	174	52	33
Vietnamese	240	278	70	99	23	23
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	11,759	12,331	6,827	7,037	1,570	1,621
Mexican	7,591	7,589	4,697	4,677	1,070	1,087
Puerto Rican	1,235	1,306	727	755	212	183
Central or South American	1,603	1,610	829	801	122	155
Cuban	612	732	264	279	*	63

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Racial/Ethnic Subgroup	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005	2002-2003	2004-2005
TOTAL¹	54.4	55.0	24.2	24.1	7.3	7.3
NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	55.5	56.4	23.8	23.9	7.4	7.4
White	58.3 ^a	59.6	24.6	24.8	8.0	8.1
Black or African American	43.3	43.4	22.3	21.5	5.1	4.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	47.1	42.8	30.7	31.7	10.4	10.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	46.9	41.9	29.4	30.0	9.8	5.6
Chinese	43.4	43.6	7.5	9.4	0.9	2.5
Filipino	36.9	39.3	12.7	15.4	2.5	2.6
Japanese	53.1	*	13.2	13.3	2.3	1.6
Asian Indian	39.8 ^a	29.8	11.8	11.1	2.5	1.9
Korean	51.5	53.2	21.7	27.1	7.4	5.2
Vietnamese	33.9	38.4	9.9	13.6	3.3	3.3
HISPANIC OR LATINO¹	46.1	45.2	26.8	25.8	6.2	5.9
Mexican	45.6	44.0	28.2	27.1	6.4	6.3
Puerto Rican	45.7	46.6	26.9	26.9	7.8	6.5
Central or South American	44.4	40.9	23.0	20.3	3.4	3.9
Cuban	53.4	59.1	23.0	22.6	*	5.1

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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