

Table 2.93C Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	705	649	885	917	957	975
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	285	259	379	380	416	432
New England	146	116	147	179	176	197
Middle Atlantic	246	231	349	335	375	386
Midwest	201	210	329	343	362	377
East North Central	166	168	283	286	293	294
West North Central	114	128	168	187	212	226
South	475	426	593	579	623	592
South Atlantic	385	330	456	449	492	470
East South Central	162	159	188	218	189	223
West South Central	223	215	325	286	325	285
West	386	370	424	460	476	505
Mountain	152	141	197	198	214	222
Pacific	355	340	375	414	425	456
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	1,737	1,586	1,491	1,414	1,280	1,239
Small Metro	1,335	1,139	1,079	968	922	818
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	1,069	927	888	806	756	681
< 250K Pop.	838	708	653	556	545	466
Nonmetro	802	915	634	689	540	566
Urbanized	547	590	430	458	366	396
Less Urbanized	641	683	508	506	410	394
Completely Rural	339	426	269	323	242	270

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

Table 2.93D Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.29	0.27	0.37	0.38	0.40	0.40
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.63	0.57	0.83	0.83	0.91	0.95
New England	1.23	0.97	1.23	1.50	1.47	1.64
Middle Atlantic	0.73	0.69	1.04	1.00	1.12	1.15
Midwest	0.37	0.38	0.61	0.63	0.67	0.69
East North Central	0.44	0.44	0.75	0.75	0.77	0.77
West North Central	0.70	0.78	1.03	1.14	1.31	1.37
South	0.55	0.49	0.69	0.66	0.72	0.68
South Atlantic	0.85	0.72	1.01	0.97	1.09	1.02
East South Central	1.12	1.10	1.30	1.50	1.31	1.54
West South Central	0.84	0.80	1.22	1.06	1.23	1.06
West	0.71	0.67	0.78	0.83	0.87	0.91
Mountain	0.95	0.86	1.23	1.21	1.34	1.35
Pacific	0.92	0.87	0.97	1.06	1.10	1.17
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.41	0.38	0.51	0.53	0.54	0.58
Small Metro	0.51	0.47	0.68	0.67	0.74	0.69
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.60	0.58	0.78	0.79	0.84	0.78
< 250K Pop.	0.88	0.81	1.23	1.19	1.31	1.30
Nonmetro	0.78	0.63	0.92	0.82	0.92	0.84
Urbanized	0.90	1.00	1.33	1.38	1.38	1.45
Less Urbanized	1.23	0.86	1.33	1.10	1.26	1.14
Completely Rural	2.09	2.16	2.85	3.38	3.35	3.28

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

Table 2.93P Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.2069		0.0133		0.0067	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.6428		0.7760		0.7078	
New England	0.3480		0.6424		0.2340	
Middle Atlantic	0.2939		0.5895		0.8665	
Midwest	0.3109		0.3590		0.1790	
East North Central	0.9518		0.8329		0.3352	
West North Central	0.1018		0.1625		0.3286	
South	0.2344		0.0427		0.0071	
South Atlantic	0.3236		0.0553		0.0071	
East South Central	0.6903		0.9173		0.2954	
West South Central	0.5970		0.3367		0.6945	
West	0.9881		0.1324		0.1654	
Mountain	0.3688		0.0516		0.0295	
Pacific	0.7107		0.4778		0.6394	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.3965		0.0146		0.0346	
Small Metro	0.6057		0.1230		0.0845	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.2144		0.0494		0.0063	
< 250K Pop.	0.4148		0.9805		0.5520	
Nonmetro	0.4087		0.5688		0.6739	
Urbanized	0.7903		0.5576		0.5017	
Less Urbanized	0.3714		0.7102		0.3468	
Completely Rural	0.7546		0.1281		0.1521	

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

Table 2.94C Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	108	111	103	105	81	81
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	54	46	49	43	36	36
New England	22	22	21	20	21	17
Middle Atlantic	49	40	45	38	30	32
Midwest	41	44	42	43	34	33
East North Central	32	35	33	35	24	26
West North Central	26	26	27	24	24	20
South	62	71	62	66	46	49
South Atlantic	45	52	43	48	32	37
East South Central	25	25	24	24	19	17
West South Central	34	38	38	37	28	27
West	57	63	51	58	44	44
Mountain	26	25	24	23	18	18
Pacific	51	57	45	54	40	41
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	132	132	118	118	76	72
Small Metro	98	86	84	75	55	48
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	83	71	69	64	45	41
< 250K Pop.	60	51	55	42	37	27
Nonmetro	78	74	67	64	42	42
Urbanized	45	45	38	37	22	23
Less Urbanized	64	58	55	49	36	33
Completely Rural	24	26	19	24	14	19

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Table 2.94D Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.43	0.44	0.41	0.41	0.32	0.32
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	1.18	1.02	1.09	0.95	0.80	0.79
New England	1.90	1.89	1.79	1.74	1.76	1.43
Middle Atlantic	1.46	1.20	1.33	1.13	0.88	0.95
Midwest	0.73	0.78	0.74	0.75	0.60	0.58
East North Central	0.81	0.87	0.81	0.86	0.60	0.64
West North Central	1.55	1.55	1.59	1.48	1.44	1.22
South	0.69	0.78	0.69	0.73	0.52	0.54
South Atlantic	0.99	1.12	0.93	1.03	0.70	0.80
East South Central	1.75	1.74	1.67	1.68	1.28	1.17
West South Central	1.16	1.28	1.29	1.23	0.94	0.90
West	0.95	1.03	0.85	0.96	0.73	0.73
Mountain	1.50	1.44	1.37	1.32	1.03	1.01
Pacific	1.19	1.33	1.06	1.25	0.94	0.94
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.65	0.65	0.63	0.61	0.49	0.46
Small Metro	0.77	0.72	0.73	0.68	0.57	0.53
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.89	0.87	0.85	0.85	0.69	0.66
< 250K Pop.	1.38	1.28	1.30	1.16	1.03	0.88
Nonmetro	1.16	1.09	1.11	1.02	0.79	0.78
Urbanized	1.56	1.82	1.55	1.66	1.07	1.18
Less Urbanized	1.76	1.40	1.59	1.31	1.20	1.06
Completely Rural	3.91	3.35	3.43	3.14	2.64	2.98

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Table 2.94P Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.0250		0.3763		0.0190	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.1139		0.2628		0.4989	
New England	0.0082		0.0404		0.1629	
Middle Atlantic	0.6514		0.8190		0.9515	
Midwest	0.0951		0.4415		0.3216	
East North Central	0.0515		0.3491		0.1839	
West North Central	0.8161		0.9670		0.9882	
South	0.6441		0.2047		0.7442	
South Atlantic	0.5659		0.8560		0.6708	
East South Central	0.6774		0.5916		0.4958	
West South Central	0.0551		0.1096		0.1201	
West	0.0376		0.1117		0.0009	
Mountain	0.4956		0.7351		0.1834	
Pacific	0.0486		0.1119		0.0023	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.3511		0.6930		0.2216	
Small Metro	0.0255		0.3675		0.0132	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.0364		0.8035		0.2543	
< 250K Pop.	0.3340		0.2214		0.0065	
Nonmetro	0.4714		0.8209		0.8802	
Urbanized	0.6679		0.9674		0.4722	
Less Urbanized	0.7070		0.9342		0.8945	
Completely Rural	0.5575		0.5134		0.1691	

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Table 2.95C Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	117	114	142	139	164	166
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	43	44	54	55	64	71
New England	21	21	27	24	33	37
Middle Atlantic	37	38	46	48	53	58
Midwest	40	43	49	50	63	66
East North Central	34	35	41	41	48	55
West North Central	20	24	27	28	40	35
South	71	68	87	82	96	98
South Atlantic	42	51	62	59	71	73
East South Central	32	26	35	34	40	35
West South Central	46	35	49	46	51	54
West	71	67	82	80	93	91
Mountain	31	35	33	39	38	44
Pacific	64	57	75	69	85	79
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	283	295	259	281	219	247
Small Metro	276	231	257	220	215	197
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	231	193	216	183	182	170
< 250K Pop.	170	140	157	131	130	108
Nonmetro	146	140	138	132	117	105
Urbanized	121	101	115	99	101	78
Less Urbanized	104	98	97	90	75	72
Completely Rural	39	45	33	39	25	25

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Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.36	0.35	0.44	0.43	0.51	0.51
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.75	0.77	0.95	0.97	1.12	1.24
New England	1.39	1.42	1.81	1.60	2.21	2.50
Middle Atlantic	0.88	0.90	1.09	1.15	1.26	1.37
Midwest	0.53	0.58	0.66	0.68	0.85	0.88
East North Central	0.67	0.69	0.79	0.81	0.94	1.07
West North Central	0.87	1.03	1.17	1.21	1.74	1.52
South	0.61	0.58	0.75	0.70	0.83	0.84
South Atlantic	0.74	0.87	1.08	1.00	1.25	1.26
East South Central	1.65	1.35	1.80	1.75	2.03	1.82
West South Central	1.17	0.89	1.27	1.17	1.30	1.38
West	0.95	0.88	1.09	1.05	1.23	1.20
Mountain	1.34	1.49	1.46	1.67	1.64	1.86
Pacific	1.23	1.09	1.43	1.30	1.61	1.51
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.56	0.51	0.65	0.63	0.73	0.74
Small Metro	0.57	0.59	0.74	0.71	0.88	0.91
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.75	0.77	0.96	0.91	1.06	1.17
< 250K Pop.	0.96	0.88	1.19	1.13	1.56	1.41
Nonmetro	0.75	0.74	1.00	0.85	1.18	1.00
Urbanized	1.04	1.08	1.42	1.27	1.78	1.65
Less Urbanized	1.19	1.12	1.49	1.22	1.68	1.31
Completely Rural	2.10	2.26	2.76	3.04	3.14	2.82

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Table 2.95P Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.3085		0.7943		0.5735	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.2951		0.2949		0.7850	
New England	0.3699		0.5951		0.7342	
Middle Atlantic	0.4772		0.3538		0.9079	
Midwest	0.1223		0.3949		0.5660	
East North Central	0.2995		0.7853		0.8992	
West North Central	0.2037		0.2586		0.4272	
South	0.9923		0.8662		0.6414	
South Atlantic	0.7186		0.9721		0.5638	
East South Central	0.3651		0.3368		0.0788	
West South Central	0.3018		0.7402		0.2397	
West	0.9470		0.3125		0.1737	
Mountain	0.8911		0.7168		0.6421	
Pacific	1.0000		0.3391		0.1965	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.7533		0.6405		0.0531	
Small Metro	0.3492		0.3898		0.3888	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.6775		0.5478		0.5756	
< 250K Pop.	0.3068		0.5438		0.4807	
Nonmetro	0.4393		0.6747		0.2232	
Urbanized	0.3446		0.9697		0.2323	
Less Urbanized	0.8358		0.9761		0.7495	
Completely Rural	0.9822		0.4315		0.1417	

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Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	670	617	863	889	933	936
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	260	251	365	371	405	421
New England	135	104	133	172	152	192
Middle Atlantic	222	227	339	328	372	376
Midwest	198	198	342	334	367	370
East North Central	156	159	290	277	292	285
West North Central	122	119	181	181	220	224
South	451	417	563	576	597	586
South Atlantic	363	325	432	449	473	465
East South Central	160	150	184	213	184	218
West South Central	213	204	307	274	306	275
West	370	334	416	422	462	462
Mountain	153	123	188	181	204	209
Pacific	337	307	371	379	415	415
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	1,594	1,505	1,365	1,341	1,194	1,185
Small Metro	1,192	1,050	955	885	836	760
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	952	854	785	743	682	639
< 250K Pop.	717	644	544	495	472	423
Nonmetro	746	832	583	623	507	528
Urbanized	491	536	381	415	332	367
Less Urbanized	562	610	438	443	362	354
Completely Rural	302	395	240	300	220	260

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Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.37	0.33	0.47	0.48	0.51	0.51
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.74	0.71	1.04	1.05	1.15	1.19
New England	1.45	1.12	1.43	1.85	1.63	2.07
Middle Atlantic	0.86	0.87	1.30	1.26	1.43	1.44
Midwest	0.48	0.48	0.83	0.81	0.89	0.89
East North Central	0.54	0.55	1.01	0.96	1.01	0.98
West North Central	0.99	0.96	1.47	1.46	1.79	1.80
South	0.69	0.62	0.86	0.86	0.91	0.88
South Atlantic	1.04	0.91	1.24	1.26	1.35	1.30
East South Central	1.45	1.35	1.68	1.92	1.67	1.96
West South Central	1.08	1.02	1.56	1.37	1.55	1.37
West	0.90	0.80	1.01	1.01	1.12	1.11
Mountain	1.28	0.99	1.57	1.47	1.71	1.70
Pacific	1.15	1.04	1.27	1.29	1.42	1.41
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.50	0.47	0.64	0.67	0.69	0.73
Small Metro	0.62	0.60	0.87	0.86	0.92	0.88
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.77	0.74	0.99	1.02	1.06	1.00
< 250K Pop.	1.01	1.04	1.53	1.51	1.64	1.63
Nonmetro	0.93	0.77	1.13	1.03	1.15	1.05
Urbanized	1.11	1.19	1.67	1.73	1.71	1.80
Less Urbanized	1.49	1.07	1.62	1.37	1.53	1.44
Completely Rural	2.34	2.76	3.48	4.24	4.03	4.07

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Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.0692		0.0079		0.0041	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.3283		0.5577		0.7757	
New England	0.7003		0.8942		0.2867	
Middle Atlantic	0.1874		0.4776		0.8571	
Midwest	0.0988		0.2694		0.1910	
East North Central	0.4972		0.7206		0.2870	
West North Central	0.0689		0.1329		0.4296	
South	0.2704		0.0524		0.0054	
South Atlantic	0.2608		0.0545		0.0042	
East South Central	0.5333		0.8355		0.1452	
West South Central	0.9712		0.4670		0.9769	
West	0.7072		0.1097		0.1296	
Mountain	0.3044		0.0445		0.0230	
Pacific	0.9676		0.4259		0.5760	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.2436		0.0126		0.0501	
Small Metro	0.3563		0.0705		0.0318	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.1018		0.0299		0.0021	
< 250K Pop.	0.4480		0.8470		0.7226	
Nonmetro	0.2643		0.6095		0.5225	
Urbanized	0.5693		0.5296		0.3764	
Less Urbanized	0.3141		0.6912		0.3558	
Completely Rural	0.6762		0.1508		0.2197	

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Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	685	625	880	908	950	969
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	272	256	379	377	417	427
New England	139	108	144	175	169	194
Middle Atlantic	234	231	350	334	378	382
Midwest	200	203	342	339	372	379
East North Central	156	163	291	281	298	293
West North Central	126	122	180	185	222	229
South	459	416	580	578	615	594
South Atlantic	370	319	446	450	487	471
East South Central	160	157	184	217	191	221
West South Central	217	207	316	280	314	284
West	380	345	421	439	465	487
Mountain	158	126	197	186	214	213
Pacific	346	317	372	396	413	440
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	1,693	1,554	1,449	1,381	1,260	1,225
Small Metro	1,288	1,109	1,046	942	910	807
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	1,030	902	863	785	748	672
< 250K Pop.	803	685	622	537	528	458
Nonmetro	772	880	609	662	529	555
Urbanized	525	566	414	441	359	388
Less Urbanized	606	651	475	479	393	380
Completely Rural	324	414	257	314	234	266

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

Table 2.97D Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.32	0.29	0.41	0.42	0.44	0.44
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.66	0.62	0.93	0.92	1.02	1.04
New England	1.29	1.00	1.33	1.62	1.57	1.80
Middle Atlantic	0.77	0.76	1.16	1.10	1.25	1.26
Midwest	0.41	0.42	0.71	0.69	0.77	0.78
East North Central	0.46	0.48	0.86	0.82	0.88	0.86
West North Central	0.86	0.83	1.24	1.25	1.52	1.55
South	0.60	0.53	0.75	0.74	0.80	0.76
South Atlantic	0.91	0.77	1.10	1.08	1.20	1.14
East South Central	1.24	1.20	1.42	1.66	1.48	1.69
West South Central	0.92	0.87	1.34	1.17	1.33	1.18
West	0.78	0.70	0.87	0.89	0.96	0.99
Mountain	1.11	0.86	1.38	1.27	1.50	1.45
Pacific	1.00	0.91	1.08	1.14	1.20	1.27
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.44	0.41	0.56	0.58	0.59	0.65
Small Metro	0.54	0.51	0.75	0.74	0.81	0.77
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.66	0.63	0.86	0.88	0.93	0.87
< 250K Pop.	0.89	0.88	1.33	1.31	1.43	1.44
Nonmetro	0.82	0.68	1.00	0.90	1.02	0.93
Urbanized	0.94	1.05	1.46	1.50	1.52	1.59
Less Urbanized	1.33	0.94	1.46	1.21	1.39	1.26
Completely Rural	2.16	2.46	3.11	3.80	3.67	3.63

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

Table 2.97P Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004

Geographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD					
	Lifetime		Past Year		Past Month	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.1082		0.0106		0.0039	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.4388		0.6742		0.7480	
New England	0.6004		0.8329		0.2816	
Middle Atlantic	0.2456		0.5722		0.8721	
Midwest	0.1912		0.3358		0.1698	
East North Central	0.6551		0.7583		0.2914	
West North Central	0.1221		0.1896		0.3657	
South	0.2754		0.0604		0.0082	
South Atlantic	0.2837		0.0579		0.0067	
East South Central	0.6584		0.9787		0.2743	
West South Central	0.8708		0.4501		0.8181	
West	0.7238		0.0811		0.0826	
Mountain	0.3326		0.0453		0.0219	
Pacific	0.9693		0.3397		0.4281	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.2833		0.0112		0.0238	
Small Metro	0.4588		0.1176		0.0637	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.1226		0.0490		0.0049	
< 250K Pop.	0.3620		0.9579		0.6248	
Nonmetro	0.3205		0.5826		0.6594	
Urbanized	0.6869		0.5430		0.5222	
Less Urbanized	0.3365		0.7039		0.3400	
Completely Rural	0.6693		0.1447		0.1838	

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

Table 2.98C Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	957	975	698	701	382	379
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	416	432	332	298	175	173
New England	176	197	168	149	93	98
Middle Atlantic	375	386	288	260	149	142
Midwest	362	377	301	300	192	184
East North Central	293	294	260	231	168	138
West North Central	212	226	152	187	92	119
South	623	592	423	416	222	211
South Atlantic	492	470	315	314	145	143
East South Central	189	223	136	168	77	80
West South Central	325	285	247	225	148	140
West	476	505	327	361	169	192
Mountain	214	222	132	171	69	78
Pacific	425	456	299	317	154	174
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	1,280	1,239	648	637	287	294
Small Metro	922	818	496	463	261	227
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	756	681	379	359	201	189
< 250K Pop.	545	466	324	291	162	126
Nonmetro	540	566	334	306	152	149
Urbanized	366	396	223	213	94	85
Less Urbanized	410	394	243	218	116	116
Completely Rural	242	270	109	118	55	56

*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.

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

Table 2.98D Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.40	0.40	0.29	0.29	0.16	0.16
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.91	0.95	0.73	0.65	0.39	0.38
New England	1.47	1.64	1.40	1.24	0.78	0.82
Middle Atlantic	1.12	1.15	0.86	0.77	0.44	0.42
Midwest	0.67	0.69	0.55	0.55	0.35	0.34
East North Central	0.77	0.77	0.69	0.61	0.44	0.36
West North Central	1.31	1.37	0.93	1.14	0.57	0.72
South	0.72	0.68	0.49	0.47	0.26	0.24
South Atlantic	1.09	1.02	0.70	0.68	0.32	0.31
East South Central	1.31	1.54	0.94	1.15	0.53	0.55
West South Central	1.23	1.06	0.93	0.84	0.56	0.52
West	0.87	0.91	0.60	0.65	0.31	0.35
Mountain	1.34	1.35	0.82	1.04	0.43	0.48
Pacific	1.10	1.17	0.77	0.81	0.40	0.45
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.54	0.58	0.40	0.42	0.21	0.22
Small Metro	0.74	0.69	0.56	0.51	0.34	0.29
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.84	0.78	0.65	0.62	0.40	0.37
< 250K Pop.	1.31	1.30	1.01	0.91	0.59	0.48
Nonmetro	0.92	0.84	0.67	0.58	0.34	0.34
Urbanized	1.38	1.45	1.04	1.03	0.50	0.49
Less Urbanized	1.26	1.14	0.93	0.78	0.49	0.53
Completely Rural	3.35	3.28	1.88	1.62	1.44	0.97

*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.

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

Table 2.98P Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.0067		0.8010		0.1202	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.7078		0.1526		0.8884	
New England	0.2340		0.1243		0.9777	
Middle Atlantic	0.8665		0.4484		0.8803	
Midwest	0.1790		0.6335		0.2067	
East North Central	0.3352		0.4870		0.0580	
West North Central	0.3286		0.8735		0.6093	
South	0.0071		0.7502		0.0716	
South Atlantic	0.0071		0.6904		0.0152	
East South Central	0.2954		0.1088		0.6243	
West South Central	0.6945		0.9537		1.0000	
West	0.1654		0.3812		0.9254	
Mountain	0.0295		0.7464		0.9260	
Pacific	0.6394		0.4203		0.9549	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.0346		0.3317		0.3217	
Small Metro	0.0845		0.3448		0.3024	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.0063		0.4333		0.8385	
< 250K Pop.	0.5520		0.5797		0.1320	
Nonmetro	0.6739		0.9516		0.6039	
Urbanized	0.5017		0.9113		0.5753	
Less Urbanized	0.3468		0.4284		0.5964	
Completely Rural	0.1521		0.1289		0.1227	

*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.

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

**Table 2.99C Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics:
Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	81	81	73	65	36	32
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	36	36	28	28	16	15
New England	21	17	13	12	8	5
Middle Atlantic	30	32	25	25	15	14
Midwest	34	33	29	26	13	15
East North Central	24	26	21	21	10	9
West North Central	24	20	21	15	8	11
South	46	49	38	37	21	20
South Atlantic	32	37	26	26	15	13
East South Central	19	17	15	13	6	6
West South Central	28	27	23	23	14	12
West	44	44	48	38	20	16
Mountain	18	18	19	16	8	10
Pacific	40	41	44	34	19	13
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	76	72	57	51	26	26
Small Metro	55	48	48	36	22	17
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	45	41	40	32	18	15
< 250K Pop.	37	27	26	19	13	9
Nonmetro	42	42	35	30	15	14
Urbanized	22	23	18	17	9	7
Less Urbanized	36	33	31	22	9	10
Completely Rural	14	19	11	15	6	7

*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.

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

Table 2.99D Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.32	0.32	0.29	0.26	0.14	0.13
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.80	0.79	0.63	0.61	0.36	0.33
New England	1.76	1.43	1.12	1.05	0.65	0.44
Middle Atlantic	0.88	0.95	0.74	0.74	0.43	0.41
Midwest	0.60	0.58	0.52	0.45	0.23	0.26
East North Central	0.60	0.64	0.52	0.52	0.25	0.23
West North Central	1.44	1.22	1.25	0.92	0.48	0.68
South	0.52	0.54	0.42	0.40	0.24	0.22
South Atlantic	0.70	0.80	0.57	0.56	0.33	0.29
East South Central	1.28	1.17	1.06	0.89	0.44	0.44
West South Central	0.94	0.90	0.78	0.76	0.46	0.42
West	0.73	0.73	0.80	0.62	0.34	0.27
Mountain	1.03	1.01	1.07	0.94	0.45	0.55
Pacific	0.94	0.94	1.04	0.79	0.44	0.30
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.49	0.46	0.41	0.35	0.19	0.18
Small Metro	0.57	0.53	0.54	0.46	0.29	0.23
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.69	0.66	0.67	0.59	0.35	0.28
< 250K Pop.	1.03	0.88	0.92	0.71	0.50	0.38
Nonmetro	0.79	0.78	0.70	0.61	0.33	0.31
Urbanized	1.07	1.18	0.94	0.94	0.53	0.46
Less Urbanized	1.20	1.06	1.11	0.84	0.42	0.42
Completely Rural	2.64	2.98	2.25	2.48	1.47	1.15

*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.

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

**Table 2.99P Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics:
P Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.0190		0.0027		0.1856	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.4989		0.4849		0.4153	
New England	0.1629		0.0307		0.0262	
Middle Atlantic	0.9515		0.7465		0.8990	
Midwest	0.3216		0.1394		0.7475	
East North Central	0.1839		0.1287		0.0253	
West North Central	0.9882		0.6275		0.0774	
South	0.7442		0.7209		0.8302	
South Atlantic	0.6708		0.2088		0.9780	
East South Central	0.4958		0.2669		0.6877	
West South Central	0.1201		0.1241		0.8701	
West	0.0009		0.0019		0.2078	
Mountain	0.1834		0.0955		0.1968	
Pacific	0.0023		0.0078		0.0330	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.2216		0.1680		0.3653	
Small Metro	0.0132		0.0380		0.4884	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.2543		0.1234		0.9515	
< 250K Pop.	0.0065		0.1447		0.1903	
Nonmetro	0.8802		0.0423		0.5602	
Urbanized	0.4722		0.8771		0.4843	
Less Urbanized	0.8945		0.0297		0.8068	
Completely Rural	0.1691		0.1399		0.8559	

*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.

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

**Table 2.100C Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics:
Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	164	166	166	171	120	120
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	64	71	72	77	57	58
New England	33	37	41	46	36	37
Middle Atlantic	53	58	58	59	43	40
Midwest	63	66	71	73	55	50
East North Central	48	55	53	61	41	39
West North Central	40	35	46	39	36	31
South	96	98	97	95	70	66
South Atlantic	71	73	61	70	43	49
East South Central	40	35	44	32	31	24
West South Central	51	54	60	55	45	39
West	93	91	84	88	53	57
Mountain	38	44	30	43	26	28
Pacific	85	79	78	76	46	48
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	219	247	171	198	88	98
Small Metro	215	197	172	161	107	92
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	182	170	135	137	79	80
< 250K Pop.	130	108	108	85	71	43
Nonmetro	117	105	95	82	48	45
Urbanized	101	78	78	61	40	33
Less Urbanized	75	72	62	57	29	29
Completely Rural	25	25	17	21	11	13

*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.

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

**Table 2.100D Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics:
Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005**

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.51	0.51	0.52	0.53	0.37	0.37
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	1.12	1.24	1.27	1.35	1.01	1.01
New England	2.21	2.50	2.74	3.06	2.44	2.48
Middle Atlantic	1.26	1.37	1.39	1.40	1.03	0.95
Midwest	0.85	0.88	0.95	0.98	0.74	0.67
East North Central	0.94	1.07	1.04	1.20	0.80	0.77
West North Central	1.74	1.52	2.00	1.69	1.57	1.34
South	0.83	0.84	0.84	0.81	0.61	0.57
South Atlantic	1.25	1.26	1.07	1.21	0.76	0.84
East South Central	2.03	1.82	2.27	1.63	1.57	1.25
West South Central	1.30	1.38	1.54	1.39	1.16	1.00
West	1.23	1.20	1.12	1.16	0.70	0.74
Mountain	1.64	1.86	1.33	1.83	1.15	1.20
Pacific	1.61	1.51	1.50	1.45	0.87	0.91
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.73	0.74	0.71	0.75	0.47	0.48
Small Metro	0.88	0.91	0.91	0.94	0.76	0.72
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	1.06	1.17	1.10	1.18	0.88	0.93
< 250K Pop.	1.56	1.41	1.63	1.54	1.38	1.01
Nonmetro	1.18	1.00	1.09	0.98	0.79	0.76
Urbanized	1.78	1.65	1.65	1.63	1.27	1.24
Less Urbanized	1.68	1.31	1.57	1.40	1.03	1.06
Completely Rural	3.14	2.82	3.60	2.92	3.15	2.48

*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.

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

**Table 2.100P Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics:
P Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.5735		0.3902		0.6611	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.7850		0.9293		0.5446	
New England	0.7342		0.9918		0.6623	
Middle Atlantic	0.9079		0.9159		0.2226	
Midwest	0.5660		0.7271		0.8970	
East North Central	0.8992		0.8338		0.8425	
West North Central	0.4272		0.7654		0.9788	
South	0.6414		0.9189		0.2978	
South Atlantic	0.5638		0.5732		0.6569	
East South Central	0.0788		0.7934		0.6786	
West South Central	0.2397		0.3255		0.1450	
West	0.1737		0.2069		0.6324	
Mountain	0.6421		0.8840		0.7200	
Pacific	0.1965		0.1854		0.4514	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.0531		0.1008		0.2693	
Small Metro	0.3888		0.8617		0.9369	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.5756		0.6188		0.4664	
< 250K Pop.	0.4807		0.3395		0.2500	
Nonmetro	0.2232		0.4962		0.5711	
Urbanized	0.2323		0.1357		0.3020	
Less Urbanized	0.7495		0.4744		0.5792	
Completely Rural	0.1417		0.7816		0.8060	

*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.

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

Table 2.101C Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	933	936	654	650	356	347
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	405	421	305	281	150	156
New England	152	192	140	136	68	83
Middle Atlantic	372	376	272	247	133	132
Midwest	367	370	282	275	189	173
East North Central	292	285	245	210	169	129
West North Central	220	224	139	171	85	112
South	597	586	394	395	206	191
South Atlantic	473	465	305	299	140	131
East South Central	184	218	118	162	69	74
West South Central	306	275	221	205	134	125
West	462	462	314	336	159	179
Mountain	204	209	121	160	58	66
Pacific	415	415	289	296	149	164
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	1,194	1,185	586	587	268	273
Small Metro	836	760	422	418	224	202
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	682	639	329	328	178	168
< 250K Pop.	472	423	264	256	135	112
Nonmetro	507	528	302	279	141	137
Urbanized	332	367	191	191	82	76
Less Urbanized	362	354	210	194	106	106
Completely Rural	220	260	98	105	52	49

*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 2.101D Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.51	0.51	0.36	0.35	0.19	0.19
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	1.15	1.19	0.87	0.80	0.42	0.44
New England	1.63	2.07	1.51	1.47	0.74	0.89
Middle Atlantic	1.43	1.44	1.05	0.95	0.51	0.51
Midwest	0.89	0.89	0.69	0.66	0.46	0.42
East North Central	1.01	0.98	0.85	0.73	0.59	0.45
West North Central	1.79	1.80	1.13	1.38	0.69	0.90
South	0.91	0.88	0.60	0.59	0.31	0.29
South Atlantic	1.35	1.30	0.87	0.84	0.40	0.37
East South Central	1.67	1.96	1.07	1.45	0.63	0.66
West South Central	1.55	1.37	1.12	1.02	0.68	0.62
West	1.12	1.11	0.76	0.81	0.39	0.43
Mountain	1.71	1.70	1.01	1.29	0.49	0.53
Pacific	1.42	1.41	0.99	1.01	0.51	0.56
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.69	0.73	0.50	0.52	0.26	0.27
Small Metro	0.92	0.88	0.68	0.64	0.41	0.35
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	1.06	1.00	0.80	0.78	0.49	0.44
< 250K Pop.	1.64	1.63	1.20	1.11	0.71	0.58
Nonmetro	1.15	1.05	0.80	0.72	0.41	0.41
Urbanized	1.71	1.80	1.25	1.28	0.60	0.60
Less Urbanized	1.53	1.44	1.09	0.98	0.59	0.64
Completely Rural	4.03	4.07	2.40	1.89	1.80	1.08

*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 2.101P Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.0041		0.8626		0.0895	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.7757		0.1336		0.6412	
New England	0.2867		0.1160		0.9918	
Middle Atlantic	0.8571		0.3907		0.5949	
Midwest	0.1910		0.6517		0.2151	
East North Central	0.2870		0.5173		0.0832	
West North Central	0.4296		0.8889		0.7176	
South	0.0054		0.7340		0.0215	
South Atlantic	0.0042		0.8442		0.0059	
East South Central	0.1452		0.0544		0.7423	
West South Central	0.9769		0.7095		0.6442	
West	0.1296		0.3122		0.9307	
Mountain	0.0230		0.6110		0.9354	
Pacific	0.5760		0.3843		0.9503	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.0501		0.1798		0.1764	
Small Metro	0.0318		0.1666		0.3309	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.0021		0.3362		0.6652	
< 250K Pop.	0.7226		0.2959		0.2815	
Nonmetro	0.5225		0.7565		0.7411	
Urbanized	0.3764		0.8120		0.9027	
Less Urbanized	0.3558		0.3479		0.6682	
Completely Rural	0.2197		0.1412		0.1140	

*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 2.102C Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	950	969	699	701	383	378
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	417	427	332	300	174	172
New England	169	194	170	151	90	98
Middle Atlantic	378	382	286	260	150	141
Midwest	372	379	304	301	193	183
East North Central	298	293	263	232	170	138
West North Central	222	229	155	188	92	118
South	615	594	423	417	222	213
South Atlantic	487	471	318	315	147	144
East South Central	191	221	130	169	77	79
West South Central	314	284	244	222	147	140
West	465	487	326	359	169	192
Mountain	214	213	133	173	67	79
Pacific	413	440	298	315	155	174
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	1,260	1,225	639	636	284	295
Small Metro	910	807	490	459	261	226
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	748	672	377	355	201	187
< 250K Pop.	528	458	314	288	161	125
Nonmetro	529	555	326	301	150	148
Urbanized	359	388	219	208	93	84
Less Urbanized	393	380	234	212	115	114
Completely Rural	234	266	103	114	54	54

*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 2.102D Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.44	0.44	0.32	0.32	0.18	0.17
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	1.02	1.04	0.81	0.73	0.43	0.42
New England	1.57	1.80	1.58	1.40	0.83	0.91
Middle Atlantic	1.25	1.26	0.95	0.86	0.50	0.46
Midwest	0.77	0.78	0.63	0.62	0.40	0.37
East North Central	0.88	0.86	0.77	0.68	0.50	0.40
West North Central	1.52	1.55	1.06	1.27	0.63	0.80
South	0.80	0.76	0.55	0.53	0.29	0.27
South Atlantic	1.20	1.14	0.78	0.76	0.36	0.35
East South Central	1.48	1.69	1.01	1.29	0.60	0.61
West South Central	1.33	1.18	1.04	0.92	0.62	0.59
West	0.96	0.99	0.67	0.73	0.35	0.39
Mountain	1.50	1.45	0.93	1.18	0.47	0.54
Pacific	1.20	1.27	0.86	0.91	0.45	0.50
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.59	0.65	0.45	0.47	0.24	0.24
Small Metro	0.81	0.77	0.63	0.58	0.38	0.32
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.93	0.87	0.73	0.70	0.45	0.41
< 250K Pop.	1.43	1.44	1.11	1.02	0.66	0.53
Nonmetro	1.02	0.93	0.74	0.64	0.37	0.38
Urbanized	1.52	1.59	1.16	1.14	0.56	0.55
Less Urbanized	1.39	1.26	1.02	0.87	0.55	0.59
Completely Rural	3.67	3.63	2.08	1.79	1.64	1.05

*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 2.102P Alcohol Use, Binge Alcohol Use, and Heavy Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF ALCOHOL USE					
	Alcohol Use		Binge Alcohol Use		Heavy Alcohol Use	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.0039		0.9785		0.1477	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	0.7480		0.1722		0.8304	
New England	0.2816		0.1784		0.8546	
Middle Atlantic	0.8721		0.4301		0.8905	
Midwest	0.1698		0.7222		0.2120	
East North Central	0.2914		0.5704		0.0802	
West North Central	0.3657		0.8510		0.7363	
South	0.0082		0.7413		0.0741	
South Atlantic	0.0067		0.7623		0.0156	
East South Central	0.2743		0.0854		0.6447	
West South Central	0.8181		0.9129		0.9969	
West	0.0826		0.2043		0.8249	
Mountain	0.0219		0.6224		0.9410	
Pacific	0.4281		0.2458		0.7864	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.0238		0.4039		0.3653	
Small Metro	0.0637		0.2714		0.3180	
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	0.0049		0.3565		0.8241	
< 250K Pop.	0.6248		0.5293		0.1537	
Nonmetro	0.6594		0.8691		0.6435	
Urbanized	0.5222		0.9071		0.6294	
Less Urbanized	0.3400		0.2891		0.5838	
Completely Rural	0.1838		0.1853		0.1294	

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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