

Table 3.1A Perceived Risk and Availability of Substances, by Age Group: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

Risk/Availability ¹	Total		AGE GROUP					
			12-17		18-25		26 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
PERCEPTIONS OF GREAT RISK								
Cigarettes								
Smoke One or More Packs Per Day	177,663 ^a	179,990	16,871	17,158	22,378	22,595	138,413	140,236
Marijuana								
Smoke Once a Month	94,048	91,661	8,699	8,487	8,169	7,874	77,180	75,300
Smoke Once or Twice a Week	124,258	123,054	13,637	13,777	12,177	11,920	98,443	97,357
Cocaine								
Use Once a Month	167,920 ^a	170,419	12,320	12,151	19,928	20,060	135,672 ^a	138,207
Use Once or Twice a Week	211,346 ^b	214,452	19,842	19,894	27,354	27,639	164,149 ^b	166,919
Heroin								
Try Once or Twice	192,541 ^b	196,045	14,077	13,994	24,466	24,676	153,998 ^b	157,375
Use Once or Twice a Week	222,286 ^b	224,922	20,150	20,276	29,700 ^b	30,105	172,436 ^b	174,541
LSD								
Try Once or Twice	169,691 ^b	172,935	12,692	12,445	19,790	19,821	137,209 ^b	140,669
Use Once or Twice a Week	209,139 ^b	211,266	18,470	18,361	27,118	27,298	163,552 ^b	165,607
Alcohol								
Have Four or Five Drinks Nearly Every Day	163,535 ^b	166,577	15,468 ^b	16,028	19,795	20,005	128,272 ^a	130,544
Have Five or More Drinks Once or Twice a Week	97,537 ^a	100,148	9,514	9,636	10,086 ^a	10,566	77,936	79,945
PERCEIVED AVAILABILITY								
Fairly or Very Easy to Obtain								
Marijuana	132,553	133,697	12,843	12,601	24,122 ^a	24,524	95,589	96,571
Cocaine	71,128	70,672	5,917	6,073	12,753 ^a	13,199	52,457	51,401
Crack	66,302	66,430	6,069	6,149	9,960	10,263	50,272	50,019
Heroin	40,518	40,101	3,373	3,384	5,914	5,964	31,232	30,753
LSD	41,970	40,919	4,035 ^b	3,732	7,308	7,075	30,627	30,111
Approached in the Past Month by Someone Selling Drugs	18,635	18,309	4,103	3,926	6,063	6,134	8,469	8,249

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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

Table 3.1B Perceived Risk and Availability of Substances, by Age Group: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

Risk/Availability ¹	Total		AGE GROUP					
			12-17		18-25		26 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
PERCEPTIONS OF GREAT RISK								
Cigarettes								
Smoke One or More Packs Per Day	74.3	74.4	67.5	68.3	69.8	69.8	75.9	76.1
Marijuana								
Smoke Once a Month	39.7 ^b	38.3	35.0	34.0	25.6	24.4	42.9 ^a	41.3
Smoke Once or Twice a Week	52.4	51.5	54.7	55.0	38.1	37.0	54.7	53.6
Cocaine								
Use Once a Month	70.8	71.1	49.6	48.8	62.6	62.4	75.2	75.7
Use Once or Twice a Week	89.0	89.4	79.8	79.9	85.9	85.8	90.8	91.3
Heroin								
Try Once or Twice	81.3	81.8	57.0	56.5	76.9	76.9	85.3	86.1
Use Once or Twice a Week	93.7	93.8	81.4	81.8	93.3	93.7	95.5	95.5
LSD								
Try Once or Twice	72.1	72.8	52.6	51.7	62.6	62.1	76.4	77.5
Use Once or Twice a Week	88.8	88.8	76.4	76.1	85.7	85.5	91.0	91.1
Alcohol								
Have Four or Five Drinks Nearly Every Day	68.5	69.0	61.8 ^b	63.8	61.7	61.8	70.6	71.0
Have Five or More Drinks Once or Twice a Week	40.9	41.5	38.1	38.4	31.5	32.7	42.9	43.5
PERCEIVED AVAILABILITY								
Fairly or Very Easy to Obtain								
Marijuana	57.5	57.3	52.2 ^a	51.0	76.1	76.5	54.9	54.7
Cocaine	31.4	30.8	24.4	24.9	41.0	42.0	30.6	29.6
Crack	29.3	29.0	25.0	25.3	32.2	32.8	29.4	28.8
Heroin	18.0	17.6	14.0	14.0	19.2	19.1	18.3	17.8
LSD	18.7	18.0	16.9 ^a	15.7	23.7	22.7	18.0	17.4
Approached in the Past Month by Someone Selling Drugs	7.8	7.5	16.3	15.5	18.9	18.9	4.6	4.5

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

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

Table 3.2A Risk Perceptions of Smoking One or More Packs of Cigarettes Per Day, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Smoking One or More Packs of Cigarettes Per Day (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Smoke One or More Packs of Cigarettes Per Day ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	16,871	17,158	8,107	7,953
AGE				
12-13	5,504	5,522	2,718	2,586
14-15	5,830	5,902	2,780	2,732
16-17	5,537	5,734	2,608	2,635
GENDER				
Male	8,017 ^a	8,278	4,722	4,549
Female	8,853	8,881	3,385	3,405
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	14,151	14,293	6,647	6,494
White	10,411	10,447	5,006	4,873
Black or African American	2,587	2,708	1,158	1,088
American Indian or Alaska Native	108	91	57	70
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	720	707	257	327
Two or More Races	289	284	142	113
Hispanic or Latino	2,720	2,865	1,459	1,459
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	9,049	9,356	4,177	4,159
Small Metro	5,032	5,075	2,527	2,326
Nonmetro	2,789	2,727	1,403	1,468
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,543	1,403	1,121	1,098
Marijuana	1,089 ^a	946	818	777
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	750	684	571	565
Cigarettes	1,528	1,393	1,462	1,334
Alcohol	2,750	2,603	1,670	1,574
Binge Alcohol ³	1,642 ^a	1,440	1,139	1,060
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	3,221	2,993	2,061	2,025
Marijuana	2,181 ^b	1,930	1,472	1,442
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,934	1,847	1,319	1,269
Cigarettes	2,590 ^a	2,378	2,040	1,990
Alcohol	5,491	5,425	3,017	2,988
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	4,714 ^b	4,275	2,818	2,704
Marijuana	2,929 ^b	2,586	1,849	1,797
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	3,290 ^b	2,985	2,039	1,929
Cigarettes	4,452 ^b	3,985	2,884	2,766
Alcohol	6,862	6,673	3,690	3,584

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.2B Risk Perceptions of Smoking One or More Packs of Cigarettes Per Day, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Smoking One or More Packs of Cigarettes Per Day (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Smoke One or More Packs of Cigarettes Per Day ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	67.5	68.3	32.5	31.7
AGE				
12-13	66.9	68.1	33.1	31.9
14-15	67.7	68.4	32.3	31.6
16-17	68.0	68.5	32.0	31.5
GENDER				
Male	62.9	64.5	37.1	35.5
Female	72.3	72.3	27.7	27.7
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	68.0	68.8	32.0	31.2
White	67.5	68.2	32.5	31.8
Black or African American	69.1	71.3	30.9	28.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	65.5	56.6	34.5	43.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	73.7	68.4	26.3	31.6
Two or More Races	67.1	71.6	32.9	28.4
Hispanic or Latino	65.1	66.3	34.9	33.7
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	68.4	69.2	31.6	30.8
Small Metro	66.6 ^a	68.6	33.4 ^a	31.4
Nonmetro	66.5	65.0	33.5	35.0
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	9.1 ^a	8.2	13.8	13.8
Marijuana	6.5 ^b	5.5	10.1	9.8
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	4.4	4.0	7.0	7.1
Cigarettes	9.1 ^a	8.1	18.0	16.8
Alcohol	16.3 ^a	15.2	20.6	19.8
Binge Alcohol ³	9.7 ^b	8.4	14.0	13.3
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	19.1 ^b	17.4	25.4	25.5
Marijuana	12.9 ^b	11.2	18.2	18.1
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	11.5	10.8	16.3	16.0
Cigarettes	15.4 ^b	13.9	25.2	25.0
Alcohol	32.5	31.6	37.2	37.6
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	27.9 ^b	24.9	34.8	34.0
Marijuana	17.4 ^b	15.1	22.8	22.6
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	19.5 ^b	17.4	25.1	24.3
Cigarettes	26.4 ^b	23.2	35.6	34.8
Alcohol	40.7 ^a	38.9	45.5	45.1

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

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² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.3A Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once a Month, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once a Month (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Smoke Marijuana Once a Month ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	8,699	8,487	16,191 ^a	16,511
AGE				
12-13	3,641	3,431	4,544	4,615
14-15	2,926	2,822	5,646	5,765
16-17	2,132	2,233	6,001	6,130
GENDER				
Male	4,130	3,975	8,538 ^b	8,806
Female	4,569	4,511	7,653	7,705
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	7,146	6,942	13,578	13,748
White	5,233	5,078	10,110	10,146
Black or African American	1,329	1,299	2,421	2,505
American Indian or Alaska Native	53	38	110	119
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	372	394	596	639
Two or More Races	138 ^a	102	295	291
Hispanic or Latino	1,553	1,545	2,613	2,763
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	4,540	4,370	8,612	9,089
Small Metro	2,503	2,572	5,051	4,788
Nonmetro	1,657	1,545	2,528	2,634
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	317	318	2,348	2,183
Marijuana	125	123	1,780 ^a	1,604
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	216	214	1,106	1,029
Cigarettes	487 ^a	405	2,489	2,322
Alcohol	784	766	3,634	3,413
Binge Alcohol ³	421	390	2,359 ^a	2,117
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	820	783	4,465	4,233
Marijuana	362	309	3,285	3,068
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	557	564	2,701	2,544
Cigarettes	847	755	3,768	3,616
Alcohol	1,786	1,736	6,705	6,683
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,475 ^a	1,322	6,059 ^a	5,645
Marijuana	572	520	4,199 ^a	3,867
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,165 ^a	1,027	4,162 ^a	3,874
Cigarettes	1,592 ^b	1,390	5,734 ^a	5,361
Alcohol	2,446	2,325	8,090	7,927

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.3B Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once a Month, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once a Month (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Smoke Marijuana Once a Month ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	35.0	34.0	65.0	66.0
AGE				
12-13	44.5	42.6	55.5	57.4
14-15	34.1	32.9	65.9	67.1
16-17	26.2	26.7	73.8	73.3
GENDER				
Male	32.6	31.1	67.4	68.9
Female	37.4	36.9	62.6	63.1
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	34.5	33.6	65.5	66.4
White	34.1	33.4	65.9	66.6
Black or African American	35.4	34.1	64.6	65.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	32.6	24.0	67.4	76.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	38.4	38.2	61.6	61.8
Two or More Races	32.0	26.1	68.0	73.9
Hispanic or Latino	37.3	35.9	62.7	64.1
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	34.5 ^a	32.5	65.5 ^a	67.5
Small Metro	33.1	34.9	66.9	65.1
Nonmetro	39.6 ^a	37.0	60.4 ^a	63.0
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	3.6	3.7	14.5 ^a	13.2
Marijuana	1.4	1.5	11.0 ^b	9.7
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2.5	2.5	6.8	6.2
Cigarettes	5.6	4.8	15.4 ^a	14.1
Alcohol	9.0	9.0	22.4 ^b	20.7
Binge Alcohol ³	4.8	4.6	14.6 ^b	12.8
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	9.4	9.2	27.6 ^b	25.6
Marijuana	4.2	3.6	20.3 ^b	18.6
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	6.4	6.6	16.7 ^a	15.4
Cigarettes	9.7	8.9	23.3 ^a	21.9
Alcohol	20.5	20.5	41.4	40.5
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	17.0	15.6	37.4 ^b	34.2
Marijuana	6.6	6.1	25.9 ^b	23.4
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	13.4	12.1	25.7 ^b	23.5
Cigarettes	18.3 ^a	16.4	35.4 ^b	32.5
Alcohol	28.1	27.4	50.0 ^a	48.0

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

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

Table 3.4A Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Smoke Marijuana Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	13,637	13,777	11,284	11,264
AGE				
12-13	5,439	5,314	2,774	2,761
14-15	4,631	4,735	3,945	3,860
16-17	3,568	3,729	4,565	4,643
GENDER				
Male	6,489	6,641	6,201	6,154
Female	7,148	7,137	5,083	5,110
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	11,495	11,483	9,259	9,231
White	8,800	8,860	6,575	6,385
Black or African American	1,791	1,674	1,956	2,130
American Indian or Alaska Native	81	68	84	89
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	574	638	395	397
Two or More Races	218	197	216	197
Hispanic or Latino	2,142	2,295	2,025	2,034
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	7,167	7,244	6,011	6,256
Small Metro	4,041	4,119	3,518 ^a	3,237
Nonmetro	2,429	2,414	1,756	1,771
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	497	468	2,162	2,026
Marijuana	192	181	1,711 ^a	1,541
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	345	312	973	929
Cigarettes	737 ^b	563	2,241	2,159
Alcohol	1,312	1,260	3,106	2,917
Binge Alcohol ³	672	620	2,107 ^a	1,889
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,345	1,301	3,934	3,710
Marijuana	613	537	3,034	2,834
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	921	919	2,333	2,188
Cigarettes	1,326 ^a	1,156	3,291	3,215
Alcohol	3,193	3,100	5,293	5,328
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	2,392 ^a	2,160	5,135 ^a	4,798
Marijuana	1,012 ^b	837	3,759	3,542
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,810	1,674	3,512 ^a	3,222
Cigarettes	2,524 ^b	2,202	4,799	4,550
Alcohol	4,180	4,003	6,352	6,261

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.4B Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Smoking Marijuana Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Smoke Marijuana Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	54.7	55.0	45.3	45.0
AGE				
12-13	66.2	65.8	33.8	34.2
14-15	54.0	55.1	46.0	44.9
16-17	43.9	44.5	56.1	55.5
GENDER				
Male	51.1	51.9	48.9	48.1
Female	58.4	58.3	41.6	41.7
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	55.4	55.4	44.6	44.6
White	57.2	58.1	42.8	41.9
Black or African American	47.8 ^a	44.0	52.2 ^a	56.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	48.8	43.3	51.2	56.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	59.2	61.6	40.8	38.4
Two or More Races	50.1	50.0	49.9	50.0
Hispanic or Latino	51.4	53.0	48.6	47.0
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	54.4	53.7	45.6	46.3
Small Metro	53.5 ^a	56.0	46.5 ^a	44.0
Nonmetro	58.0	57.7	42.0	42.3
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	3.6	3.4	19.2	18.0
Marijuana	1.4	1.3	15.2 ^a	13.7
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2.5	2.3	8.6	8.2
Cigarettes	5.4 ^b	4.1	19.9	19.2
Alcohol	9.6	9.1	27.5 ^a	25.9
Binge Alcohol ³	4.9	4.5	18.7 ^b	16.8
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	9.9	9.4	34.9 ^a	32.9
Marijuana	4.5	3.9	26.9 ^a	25.2
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	6.8	6.7	20.7	19.4
Cigarettes	9.7 ^b	8.4	29.2	28.5
Alcohol	23.4	22.5	46.9	47.3
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	17.5 ^b	15.7	45.5 ^b	42.6
Marijuana	7.4 ^b	6.1	33.3 ^a	31.4
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	13.3 ^a	12.2	31.1 ^b	28.6
Cigarettes	18.5 ^b	16.0	42.5 ^a	40.4
Alcohol	30.7 ^a	29.1	56.3	55.6

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.5A Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once a Month, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once a Month (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use Cocaine Once a Month ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	12,320	12,151	12,505	12,733
AGE				
12-13	3,518	3,393	4,662	4,625
14-15	4,149	4,063	4,391	4,494
16-17	4,653	4,695	3,452	3,613
GENDER				
Male	6,337	6,248	6,319	6,442
Female	5,984	5,902	6,186	6,291
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	10,446 ^a	10,126	10,229	10,469
White	7,640	7,301	7,650	7,842
Black or African American	2,043	2,076	1,705	1,715
American Indian or Alaska Native	87	72	76	87
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	422	449	557	588
Two or More Races	217	184	214	206
Hispanic or Latino	1,874 ^a	2,024	2,276	2,264
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	6,520	6,429	6,609	6,975
Small Metro	3,588	3,662	3,944	3,669
Nonmetro	2,211	2,059	1,952	2,089
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,280 ^a	1,135	1,372	1,328
Marijuana	949 ^a	810	947	883
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	538	494	777	738
Cigarettes	1,531 ^a	1,366	1,425	1,303
Alcohol	2,304 ^b	2,049	2,091	2,091
Binge Alcohol ³	1,469 ^b	1,238	1,295	1,242
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	2,607 ^a	2,359	2,632	2,587
Marijuana	1,905 ^a	1,699	1,709	1,621
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,364	1,268	1,870	1,804
Cigarettes	2,356	2,183	2,226	2,117
Alcohol	4,432	4,278	4,018	4,068
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	3,770 ^b	3,302	3,710	3,592
Marijuana	2,590 ^b	2,261	2,142	2,071
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2,397 ^b	2,108	2,900	2,747
Cigarettes	3,827 ^b	3,422	3,454	3,244
Alcohol	5,515	5,266	4,966	4,912

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.5B Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once a Month, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once a Month (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use Cocaine Once a Month ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	49.6	48.8	50.4	51.2
AGE				
12-13	43.0	42.3	57.0	57.7
14-15	48.6	47.5	51.4	52.5
16-17	57.4	56.5	42.6	43.5
GENDER				
Male	50.1	49.2	49.9	50.8
Female	49.2	48.4	50.8	51.6
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	50.5 ^a	49.2	49.5 ^a	50.8
White	50.0 ^a	48.2	50.0 ^a	51.8
Black or African American	54.5	54.8	45.5	45.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	53.5	45.2	46.5	54.8
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	43.1	43.3	56.9	56.7
Two or More Races	50.4	47.1	49.6	52.9
Hispanic or Latino	45.2	47.2	54.8	52.8
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	49.7	48.0	50.3	52.0
Small Metro	47.6 ^a	50.0	52.4 ^a	50.0
Nonmetro	53.1 ^b	49.6	46.9 ^b	50.4
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	10.4 ^a	9.3	11.0	10.4
Marijuana	7.7 ^a	6.7	7.6	6.9
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	4.4	4.1	6.2	5.8
Cigarettes	12.4 ^a	11.2	11.4 ^a	10.2
Alcohol	18.7 ^b	16.9	16.7	16.4
Binge Alcohol ³	11.9 ^b	10.2	10.4	9.8
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	21.2 ^a	19.4	21.0	20.3
Marijuana	15.5 ^a	14.0	13.7	12.7
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	11.1	10.4	15.0	14.2
Cigarettes	19.1	18.0	17.8	16.6
Alcohol	36.0	35.2	32.1	31.9
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	30.6 ^b	27.2	29.7	28.2
Marijuana	21.0 ^b	18.6	17.1	16.3
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	19.5 ^b	17.3	23.2 ^a	21.6
Cigarettes	31.1 ^b	28.2	27.6 ^b	25.5
Alcohol	44.8	43.3	39.7	38.6

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.6A Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use Cocaine Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	19,842	19,894	5,028	5,014
AGE				
12-13	6,096	5,943	2,097	2,084
14-15	6,887	6,878	1,681	1,686
16-17	6,860	7,073	1,250	1,244
GENDER				
Male	10,095	10,191	2,561	2,511
Female	9,747	9,703	2,467	2,503
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	16,827	16,700	3,877	3,925
White	12,744	12,591	2,577	2,581
Black or African American	2,814	2,832	933	959
American Indian or Alaska Native	125	105	40	54
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	748	810	228	227
Two or More Races	349	304	82	86
Hispanic or Latino	3,015 ^b	3,194	1,152	1,089
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	10,562	10,640	2,605	2,767
Small Metro	5,920	5,896	1,614	1,456
Nonmetro	3,360	3,358	810	791
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,917	1,771	736	693
Marijuana	1,399	1,265	500	429
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	855	797	461	435
Cigarettes	2,263 ^a	2,056	696	617
Alcohol	3,493	3,308	906	837
Binge Alcohol ³	2,139 ^a	1,912	625	570
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	4,003 ^a	3,740	1,239	1,216
Marijuana	2,828 ^a	2,608	789	716
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2,282	2,164	954	915
Cigarettes	3,547	3,344	1,034	963
Alcohol	6,927	6,750	1,534	1,609
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	5,807 ^b	5,236	1,684	1,672
Marijuana	3,766 ^b	3,437	970	901
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	3,939 ^b	3,519	1,365	1,347
Cigarettes	5,761 ^b	5,263	1,525	1,410
Alcohol	8,558	8,237	1,935	1,955

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.6B Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using Cocaine Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use Cocaine Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	79.8	79.9	20.2	20.1
AGE				
12-13	74.4	74.0	25.6	26.0
14-15	80.4	80.3	19.6	19.7
16-17	84.6	85.0	15.4	15.0
GENDER				
Male	79.8	80.2	20.2	19.8
Female	79.8	79.5	20.2	20.5
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	81.3	81.0	18.7	19.0
White	83.2	83.0	16.8	17.0
Black or African American	75.1	74.7	24.9	25.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	75.8	65.8	24.2	34.2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	76.6	78.1	23.4	21.9
Two or More Races	81.0	77.9	19.0	22.1
Hispanic or Latino	72.4	74.6	27.6	25.4
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	80.2	79.4	19.8	20.6
Small Metro	78.6	80.2	21.4	19.8
Nonmetro	80.6	80.9	19.4	19.1
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	9.7	8.9	14.6	13.8
Marijuana	7.0 ^a	6.4	9.9	8.5
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	4.3	4.0	9.2	8.7
Cigarettes	11.4 ^a	10.3	13.8	12.3
Alcohol	17.6	16.6	18.0	16.7
Binge Alcohol ³	10.8 ^b	9.6	12.4	11.4
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	20.2 ^a	18.8	24.6	24.3
Marijuana	14.3 ^a	13.1	15.7	14.3
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	11.5	10.9	19.0	18.2
Cigarettes	17.9	16.8	20.6	19.2
Alcohol	34.9	33.9	30.5	32.1
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	29.3 ^b	26.3	33.5	33.4
Marijuana	19.0 ^b	17.3	19.3	18.0
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	19.8 ^b	17.7	27.2	26.9
Cigarettes	29.0 ^b	26.5	30.3	28.1
Alcohol	43.1 ^a	41.4	38.5	39.0

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.7A Risk Perceptions of Trying Heroin Once or Twice, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Trying Heroin Once or Twice (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Try Heroin Once or Twice ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	14,077	13,994	10,620	10,791
AGE				
12-13	3,789	3,615	4,304	4,314
14-15	4,778	4,763	3,720	3,790
16-17	5,511	5,616	2,597	2,687
GENDER				
Male	7,223	7,260	5,346	5,392
Female	6,854	6,734	5,274	5,399
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	11,717	11,509	8,844	8,996
White	8,626	8,324	6,603	6,760
Black or African American	2,250	2,301	1,477	1,471
American Indian or Alaska Native	96	87	68	70
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	462	516	486	507
Two or More Races	241	230	189	164
Hispanic or Latino	2,360	2,485	1,775	1,795
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	7,530	7,502	5,541	5,846
Small Metro	4,133	4,162	3,363	3,144
Nonmetro	2,415	2,330	1,715	1,801
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,737	1,617	901	843
Marijuana	1,317	1,188	572	506
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	779	743	528	486
Cigarettes	2,037	1,871	914 ^a	802
Alcohol	2,943	2,735	1,440	1,398
Binge Alcohol ³	1,894 ^a	1,700	857	779
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	3,368	3,166	1,856	1,775
Marijuana	2,525	2,350	1,083 ^a	960
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,915	1,813	1,311	1,262
Cigarettes	3,072	2,922	1,503	1,379
Alcohol	5,443	5,331	2,992	2,994
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	4,706 ^b	4,320	2,743	2,564
Marijuana	3,325 ^a	3,072	1,389 ^a	1,245
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	3,149 ^b	2,843	2,137	2,012
Cigarettes	4,750 ^a	4,392	2,506 ^a	2,264
Alcohol	6,689	6,466	3,772	3,690

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.7B Risk Perceptions of Trying Heroin Once or Twice, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Trying Heroin Once or Twice (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Try Heroin Once or Twice ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	57.0	56.5	43.0	43.5
AGE				
12-13	46.8	45.6	53.2	54.4
14-15	56.2	55.7	43.8	44.3
16-17	68.0	67.6	32.0	32.4
GENDER				
Male	57.5	57.4	42.5	42.6
Female	56.5	55.5	43.5	44.5
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	57.0	56.1	43.0	43.9
White	56.6 ^a	55.2	43.4 ^a	44.8
Black or African American	60.4	61.0	39.6	39.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	58.6	55.5	41.4	44.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	48.7	50.5	51.3	49.5
Two or More Races	56.1	58.4	43.9	41.6
Hispanic or Latino	57.1	58.1	42.9	41.9
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	57.6	56.2	42.4	43.8
Small Metro	55.1	57.0	44.9	43.0
Nonmetro	58.5	56.4	41.5	43.6
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	12.3	11.6	8.5	7.8
Marijuana	9.4	8.5	5.4	4.7
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	5.5	5.3	5.0	4.5
Cigarettes	14.5	13.4	8.6 ^a	7.4
Alcohol	20.9 ^a	19.5	13.6	13.0
Binge Alcohol ³	13.5 ^a	12.1	8.1	7.2
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	23.9	22.6	17.5	16.4
Marijuana	17.9	16.8	10.2 ^a	8.9
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	13.6	13.0	12.3	11.7
Cigarettes	21.8	20.9	14.2 ^a	12.8
Alcohol	38.7	38.1	28.2	27.7
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	33.4 ^b	30.9	25.8 ^b	23.8
Marijuana	23.6 ^a	22.0	13.1 ^b	11.5
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	22.4 ^b	20.3	20.1 ^a	18.6
Cigarettes	33.7 ^b	31.4	23.6 ^b	21.0
Alcohol	47.5	46.2	35.5	34.2

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

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

Table 3.8A Risk Perceptions of Using Heroin Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using Heroin Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use Heroin Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	20,150	20,276	4,592	4,522
AGE				
12-13	5,966	5,795	2,161	2,140
14-15	6,941	7,053	1,566	1,509
16-17	7,243	7,427	865	874
GENDER				
Male	10,208	10,349	2,384	2,299
Female	9,942	9,928	2,209	2,224
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	16,984	16,989	3,610	3,544
White	12,917	12,807	2,326	2,308
Black or African American	2,781	2,879	951	890
American Indian or Alaska Native	125	121	38	38
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	750	808	210	216
Two or More Races	353	313	78	78
Hispanic or Latino	3,166	3,287	982	979
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	10,760	10,926	2,354	2,441
Small Metro	6,006	5,941	1,485	1,363
Nonmetro	3,384	3,409	754	718
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	2,198	2,019	447	443
Marijuana	1,648 ^a	1,466	245	232
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,016	935	294	293
Cigarettes	2,560 ^a	2,308	395	364
Alcohol	3,809	3,585	578	547
Binge Alcohol ³	2,391 ^a	2,146	363	335
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	4,384 ^a	4,103	848	838
Marijuana	3,190 ^a	2,917	419	400
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2,594	2,443	639	629
Cigarettes	3,915	3,683	661	621
Alcohol	7,326	7,216	1,116	1,117
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	6,198 ^b	5,688	1,261	1,202
Marijuana	4,161 ^b	3,799	557	527
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	4,275 ^b	3,883	1,017	977
Cigarettes	6,192 ^b	5,662	1,069	994
Alcohol	9,017	8,727	1,450	1,436

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

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³ 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.

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

Table 3.8B Risk Perceptions of Using Heroin Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using Heroin Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use Heroin Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	81.4	81.8	18.6	18.2
AGE				
12-13	73.4	73.0	26.6	27.0
14-15	81.6	82.4	18.4	17.6
16-17	89.3	89.5	10.7	10.5
GENDER				
Male	81.1	81.8	18.9	18.2
Female	81.8	81.7	18.2	18.3
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	82.5	82.7	17.5	17.3
White	84.7	84.7	15.3	15.3
Black or African American	74.5	76.4	25.5	23.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	76.6	75.9	23.4	24.1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	78.1	78.9	21.9	21.1
Two or More Races	81.8	80.0	18.2	20.0
Hispanic or Latino	76.3	77.1	23.7	22.9
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	82.1	81.7	17.9	18.3
Small Metro	80.2	81.3	19.8	18.7
Nonmetro	81.8	82.6	18.2	17.4
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	10.9 ^a	10.0	9.7	9.8
Marijuana	8.2 ^b	7.2	5.3	5.1
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	5.0	4.6	6.4	6.5
Cigarettes	12.7 ^b	11.4	8.6	8.0
Alcohol	18.9 ^a	17.7	12.6	12.1
Binge Alcohol ³	11.9 ^b	10.6	7.9	7.4
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	21.8 ^b	20.2	18.5	18.5
Marijuana	15.8 ^b	14.4	9.1	8.9
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	12.9	12.0	13.9	13.9
Cigarettes	19.4 ^a	18.2	14.4	13.7
Alcohol	36.4	35.6	24.3	24.7
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	30.8 ^b	28.1	27.5	26.6
Marijuana	20.7 ^b	18.7	12.1	11.6
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	21.2 ^b	19.2	22.1	21.6
Cigarettes	30.7 ^b	27.9	23.3	22.0
Alcohol	44.7 ^a	43.0	31.6	31.8

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.9A Risk Perceptions of Trying LSD Once or Twice, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Trying LSD Once or Twice (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Try LSD Once or Twice ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	12,692	12,445	11,434	11,644
AGE				
12-13	3,547	3,348	4,264	4,236
14-15	4,318	4,282	3,972	4,056
16-17	4,827	4,815	3,198	3,352
GENDER				
Male	6,433	6,355	5,830	5,920
Female	6,259	6,090	5,604	5,724
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	10,528 ^a	10,218	9,558	9,715
White	7,635	7,364	7,258	7,316
Black or African American	2,094	2,061	1,532	1,606
American Indian or Alaska Native	89	77	73	81
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	451	477	468	496
Two or More Races	225	190	198	190
Hispanic or Latino	2,164	2,227	1,876	1,929
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	6,740	6,585	5,962	6,333
Small Metro	3,746	3,770	3,604	3,375
Nonmetro	2,206	2,089	1,868	1,936
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,336 ^a	1,172	1,266	1,222
Marijuana	992 ^b	825	884	822
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	579	518	706	684
Cigarettes	1,576 ^a	1,390	1,330	1,241
Alcohol	2,344 ^a	2,130	1,976	1,939
Binge Alcohol ³	1,462 ^a	1,289	1,253	1,154
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	2,691 ^a	2,468	2,437	2,361
Marijuana	1,956 ^a	1,767	1,605	1,478
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,504	1,365	1,663	1,642
Cigarettes	2,456	2,269	2,045	1,943
Alcohol	4,547	4,352	3,756	3,828
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	3,867 ^b	3,407	3,442	3,269
Marijuana	2,649 ^b	2,322	2,002	1,895
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2,554 ^b	2,241	2,628	2,469
Cigarettes	3,990 ^b	3,581	3,154 ^a	2,912
Alcohol	5,686 ^a	5,347	4,594	4,616

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.9B Risk Perceptions of Trying LSD Once or Twice, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Trying LSD Once or Twice (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Try LSD Once or Twice ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	52.6	51.7	47.4	48.3
AGE				
12-13	45.4	44.1	54.6	55.9
14-15	52.1	51.4	47.9	48.6
16-17	60.2	59.0	39.8	41.0
GENDER				
Male	52.5	51.8	47.5	48.2
Female	52.8	51.5	47.2	48.5
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	52.4	51.3	47.6	48.7
White	51.3	50.2	48.7	49.8
Black or African American	57.7	56.2	42.3	43.8
American Indian or Alaska Native	54.8	48.9	45.2	51.1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	49.1	49.0	50.9	51.0
Two or More Races	53.2	50.0	46.8	50.0
Hispanic or Latino	53.6	53.6	46.4	46.4
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	53.1 ^a	51.0	46.9 ^a	49.0
Small Metro	51.0	52.8	49.0	47.2
Nonmetro	54.1	51.9	45.9	48.1
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	10.5 ^a	9.4	11.1	10.5
Marijuana	7.8 ^b	6.6	7.7	7.1
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	4.6	4.2	6.2	5.9
Cigarettes	12.4 ^a	11.2	11.6	10.7
Alcohol	18.5 ^a	17.1	17.3	16.7
Binge Alcohol ³	11.5 ^a	10.4	11.0	9.9
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	21.2	19.8	21.3	20.3
Marijuana	15.4	14.2	14.0 ^a	12.7
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	11.9	11.0	14.5	14.1
Cigarettes	19.4	18.2	17.9	16.7
Alcohol	35.8	35.0	32.8	32.9
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	30.5 ^b	27.4	30.1 ^a	28.1
Marijuana	20.9 ^b	18.7	17.5	16.3
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	20.1 ^b	18.0	23.0 ^a	21.2
Cigarettes	31.4 ^b	28.8	27.6 ^b	25.0
Alcohol	44.8 ^a	43.0	40.2	39.6

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.10A Risk Perceptions of Using LSD Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using LSD Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use LSD Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	18,470	18,361	5,711	5,782
AGE				
12-13	5,404	5,184	2,442	2,419
14-15	6,410	6,419	1,902	1,927
16-17	6,656	6,758	1,367	1,436
GENDER				
Male	9,299	9,349	2,986	2,950
Female	9,171	9,012	2,725	2,832
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	15,593	15,415	4,550	4,567
White	11,844	11,680	3,077	3,044
Black or African American	2,592	2,531	1,043	1,140
American Indian or Alaska Native	110	103	53	51
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	678	746	259	231
Two or More Races	324	293	101	89
Hispanic or Latino	2,877	2,946	1,161	1,215
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	9,729	9,819	3,016	3,126
Small Metro	5,587	5,460	1,766	1,706
Nonmetro	3,154	3,082	928	950
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,894 ^a	1,678	718	720
Marijuana	1,410 ^b	1,181	468	471
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	869	773	424	428
Cigarettes	2,209 ^b	1,958	698	681
Alcohol	3,368 ^a	3,138	952	933
Binge Alcohol ³	2,075 ^b	1,844	637	602
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	3,863 ^a	3,557	1,270	1,282
Marijuana	2,802 ^b	2,485	762	764
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2,238	2,097	931	916
Cigarettes	3,455 ^a	3,171	1,051	1,049
Alcohol	6,602	6,397	1,709	1,790
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	5,498 ^b	4,923	1,808	1,774
Marijuana	3,670 ^b	3,256	979	974
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	3,744 ^b	3,369	1,428	1,358
Cigarettes	5,552 ^b	4,976	1,595	1,526
Alcohol	8,113	7,771	2,174	2,203

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.10B Risk Perceptions of Using LSD Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Using LSD Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Use LSD Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	76.4	76.1	23.6	23.9
AGE				
12-13	68.9	68.2	31.1	31.8
14-15	77.1	76.9	22.9	23.1
16-17	83.0	82.5	17.0	17.5
GENDER				
Male	75.7	76.0	24.3	24.0
Female	77.1	76.1	22.9	23.9
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	77.4	77.1	22.6	22.9
White	79.4	79.3	20.6	20.7
Black or African American	71.3	69.0	28.7	31.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	67.3	66.7	32.7	33.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	72.3	76.4	27.7	23.6
Two or More Races	76.3	76.6	23.7	23.4
Hispanic or Latino	71.3	70.8	28.7	29.2
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	76.3	75.9	23.7	24.1
Small Metro	76.0	76.2	24.0	23.8
Nonmetro	77.3	76.4	22.7	23.6
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	10.3 ^a	9.1	12.6	12.5
Marijuana	7.6 ^b	6.4	8.2	8.1
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	4.7	4.2	7.4	7.4
Cigarettes	12.0 ^b	10.7	12.2	11.8
Alcohol	18.2 ^a	17.1	16.7	16.1
Binge Alcohol ³	11.2 ^b	10.0	11.2	10.4
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	20.9 ^b	19.4	22.2	22.2
Marijuana	15.2 ^b	13.5	13.3	13.2
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	12.1	11.4	16.3	15.8
Cigarettes	18.7 ^a	17.3	18.4	18.1
Alcohol	35.7	34.8	29.9	31.0
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	29.8 ^b	26.8	31.7	30.7
Marijuana	19.9 ^b	17.7	17.1	16.9
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	20.3 ^b	18.3	25.0	23.5
Cigarettes	30.1 ^b	27.1	27.9	26.4
Alcohol	43.9 ^a	42.3	38.1	38.1

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.11A Risk Perceptions of Having Four or Five Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Nearly Every Day, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Having Four or Five Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Nearly Every Day (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Have Four or Five Drinks of Alcoholic Beverage Nearly Every Day ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	15,468 ^b	16,028	9,567 ^b	9,094
AGE				
12-13	5,421	5,380	2,853	2,749
14-15	5,218	5,488	3,399 ^a	3,132
16-17	4,829 ^a	5,160	3,315	3,214
GENDER				
Male	7,196 ^b	7,595	5,562 ^b	5,229
Female	8,272	8,433	4,005	3,865
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	12,943 ^b	13,367	7,895 ^b	7,429
White	9,348	9,641	6,070 ^a	5,676
Black or African American	2,472	2,510	1,297	1,291
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	88	*	74
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	701	805	286	236
Two or More Races	280	274	156	123
Hispanic or Latino	2,525	2,661	1,672	1,666
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	8,525	8,925	4,730	4,600
Small Metro	4,552	4,654	3,031 ^a	2,743
Nonmetro	2,391	2,449	1,807	1,752
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,163	1,157	1,498 ^a	1,338
Marijuana	792	768	1,109 ^a	948
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	585	560	738	685
Cigarettes	1,257	1,209	1,725 ^b	1,507
Alcohol	2,000	2,043	2,418 ^b	2,133
Binge Alcohol ³	1,124	1,025	1,655 ^a	1,484
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	2,493	2,523	2,780 ^b	2,483
Marijuana	1,625	1,631	2,015 ^b	1,730
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,506	1,508	1,749	1,598
Cigarettes	2,155	2,020	2,461	2,341
Alcohol	4,309	4,438	4,202	3,974
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	3,727	3,647	3,802 ^b	3,323
Marijuana	2,210	2,146	2,558 ^b	2,231
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	2,596	2,522	2,734 ^b	2,384
Cigarettes	3,598	3,380	3,733 ^b	3,367
Alcohol	5,514	5,519	5,037 ^a	4,737

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.11B Risk Perceptions of Having Four or Five Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Nearly Every Day, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Having Four or Five Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Nearly Every Day (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Have Four or Five Drinks of Alcoholic Beverage Nearly Every Day ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	61.8 ^b	63.8	38.2 ^b	36.2
AGE				
12-13	65.5	66.2	34.5	33.8
14-15	60.6 ^b	63.7	39.4 ^b	36.3
16-17	59.3 ^a	61.6	40.7 ^a	38.4
GENDER				
Male	56.4 ^b	59.2	43.6 ^b	40.8
Female	67.4	68.6	32.6	31.4
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	62.1 ^b	64.3	37.9 ^b	35.7
White	60.6 ^b	62.9	39.4 ^b	37.1
Black or African American	65.6	66.0	34.4	34.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	54.4	*	45.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	71.0	77.3	29.0	22.7
Two or More Races	64.3	69.0	35.7	31.0
Hispanic or Latino	60.2	61.5	39.8	38.5
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	64.3	66.0	35.7	34.0
Small Metro	60.0 ^b	62.9	40.0 ^b	37.1
Nonmetro	57.0	58.3	43.0	41.7
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	7.5	7.2	15.7	14.7
Marijuana	5.1	4.8	11.6	10.4
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	3.8	3.5	7.7	7.5
Cigarettes	8.1	7.5	18.0	16.6
Alcohol	12.9	12.7	25.3 ^a	23.5
Binge Alcohol ³	7.3 ^a	6.4	17.3	16.3
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	16.1	15.7	29.1	27.3
Marijuana	10.5	10.2	21.1 ^b	19.0
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	9.7	9.4	18.3	17.6
Cigarettes	13.9 ^a	12.6	25.7	25.7
Alcohol	27.9	27.7	43.9	43.7
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	24.1 ^a	22.8	39.7 ^b	36.5
Marijuana	14.3	13.4	26.7 ^a	24.5
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	16.8	15.7	28.6 ^b	26.2
Cigarettes	23.3 ^b	21.1	39.0 ^a	37.0
Alcohol	35.6	34.4	52.6	52.1

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.12A Risk Perceptions of Having Five or More Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Having Five or More Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Have Five or More Drinks of Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	9,514	9,636	15,482	15,463
AGE				
12-13	3,491	3,394	4,754	4,717
14-15	3,179	3,241	5,432	5,379
16-17	2,844	3,001	5,296	5,368
GENDER				
Male	4,336	4,475	8,411	8,337
Female	5,178	5,161	7,071	7,126
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	7,868	7,942	12,936	12,832
White	5,284	5,284	10,107	10,018
Black or African American	1,850	1,863	1,915	1,933
American Indian or Alaska Native	71	64	92	96
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	473	535	514	507
Two or More Races	162	152	272	245
Hispanic or Latino	1,647	1,694	2,545	2,631
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	5,216	5,225	8,003	8,283
Small Metro	2,751	2,890	4,829	4,507
Nonmetro	1,547	1,521	2,650	2,674
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	687	636	1,978	1,857
Marijuana	434	386	1,469	1,329
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	372	336	952	907
Cigarettes	790 ^a	666	2,195	2,047
Alcohol	1,109 ^a	980	3,311	3,198
Binge Alcohol ³	639 ^b	497	2,142	2,012
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	1,454	1,411	3,820	3,592
Marijuana	928	887	2,715 ^a	2,471
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	865	828	2,390	2,279
Cigarettes	1,270	1,145	3,352	3,217
Alcohol	2,359	2,323	6,151	6,098
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	2,240 ^a	2,047	5,288 ^a	4,912
Marijuana	1,322 ^a	1,163	3,452 ^a	3,211
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	1,523	1,410	3,806 ^b	3,489
Cigarettes	2,245 ^b	1,938	5,091	4,809
Alcohol	3,159	3,051	7,390	7,213

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2005 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ 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.

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

Table 3.12B Risk Perceptions of Having Five or More Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Risk Perceptions of Having Five or More Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2004 and 2005

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Have Five or More Drinks of Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week ¹			
	Great Risk		Moderate/Slight/No Risk	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	38.1	38.4	61.9	61.6
AGE				
12-13	42.3	41.8	57.7	58.2
14-15	36.9	37.6	63.1	62.4
16-17	34.9	35.9	65.1	64.1
GENDER				
Male	34.0	34.9	66.0	65.1
Female	42.3	42.0	57.7	58.0
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	37.8	38.2	62.2	61.8
White	34.3	34.5	65.7	65.5
Black or African American	49.1	49.1	50.9	50.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	43.6	40.0	56.4	60.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	47.9	51.3	52.1	48.7
Two or More Races	37.3	38.3	62.7	61.7
Hispanic or Latino	39.3	39.2	60.7	60.8
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	39.5	38.7	60.5	61.3
Small Metro	36.3 ^b	39.1	63.7 ^b	60.9
Nonmetro	36.9	36.3	63.1	63.7
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drugs ²	7.2	6.6	12.8	12.0
Marijuana	4.6	4.0	9.5	8.6
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	3.9	3.5	6.2	5.9
Cigarettes	8.3 ^a	6.9	14.2	13.2
Alcohol	11.7 ^a	10.2	21.4	20.7
Binge Alcohol ³	6.7 ^b	5.2	13.8	13.0
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drugs ²	15.3	14.6	24.7 ^a	23.2
Marijuana	9.8	9.2	17.5 ^b	16.0
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	9.1	8.6	15.4	14.7
Cigarettes	13.3 ^a	11.9	21.7	20.8
Alcohol	24.8	24.1	39.7	39.4
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drugs ²	23.5 ^b	21.2	34.2 ^b	31.8
Marijuana	13.9 ^b	12.1	22.3 ^a	20.8
Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana ²	16.0	14.6	24.6 ^b	22.6
Cigarettes	23.6 ^b	20.1	32.9 ^a	31.1
Alcohol	33.2	31.7	47.7	46.6

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

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