

Table 12.3A Numbers (in Thousands) of Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Underage and Legal Drinking Age Groups and Demographic Characteristics: 2017 and 2018

Demographic Characteristic	Aged 12+ (2017)	Aged 12+ (2018)	Aged 12-20 (2017)	Aged 12-20 (2018)	Aged 21+ (2017)	Aged 21+ (2018)
TOTAL	272,103	273,753	37,826	37,959	234,277	235,794
GENDER						
Male	131,992	132,813	19,480	19,577	112,511	113,236
Female	140,111	140,940	18,346	18,383	121,766	122,557
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	226,377	227,121	28,856	28,657	197,521	198,464
White	170,763	170,724	19,912	19,766	150,852	150,958
Black or African American	32,864	32,945	5,294	5,222	27,570	27,722
AIAN	1,455	1,665	220	234	1,235	1,431
NHOPI	1,107	1,040	131	177	976	864
Asian	15,154	15,629	2,079	2,177	13,075	13,451
Two or More Races	5,034	5,118	1,220	1,080	3,813	4,038
Hispanic or Latino	45,726	46,632	8,970	9,303	36,756	37,329
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	83,338	83,323	10,342	10,222	72,995	73,101
Female, White, Not Hispanic	87,426	87,402	9,569	9,545	77,856	77,857
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	15,113	15,112	2,695	2,666	12,417	12,446
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	17,751	17,833	2,599	2,556	15,153	15,276
Male, Hispanic	22,819	23,264	4,608	4,770	18,211	18,495
Female, Hispanic	22,907	23,368	4,362	4,533	18,545	18,834

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Definitions: Measures and terms are defined in Appendix A.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2017 and 2018.

Table 12.3N Survey Sample Size for Respondents Aged 12 or Older, by Underage and Legal Drinking Age Groups and Demographic Characteristics: 2017 and 2018

Demographic Characteristic	Aged 12+ (2017)	Aged 12+ (2018)	Aged 12-20 (2017)	Aged 12-20 (2018)	Aged 21+ (2017)	Aged 21+ (2018)
TOTAL	68,032	67,791	23,037	23,078	44,995	44,713
GENDER						
Male	32,554	32,394	11,734	11,799	20,820	20,595
Female	35,478	35,397	11,303	11,279	24,175	24,118
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	55,955	55,221	17,963	17,801	37,992	37,420
White	40,858	39,925	12,407	12,130	28,451	27,795
Black or African American	8,334	8,541	3,015	3,123	5,319	5,418
AIAN	934	835	309	298	625	537
NHOPI	284	314	94	110	190	204
Asian	3,054	3,126	922	954	2,132	2,172
Two or More Races	2,491	2,480	1,216	1,186	1,275	1,294
Hispanic or Latino	12,077	12,570	5,074	5,277	7,003	7,293
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	19,775	19,203	6,415	6,202	13,360	13,001
Female, White, Not Hispanic	21,083	20,722	5,992	5,928	15,091	14,794
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	3,829	3,831	1,532	1,567	2,297	2,264
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	4,505	4,710	1,483	1,556	3,022	3,154
Male, Hispanic	5,698	6,072	2,533	2,716	3,165	3,356
Female, Hispanic	6,379	6,498	2,541	2,561	3,838	3,937

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