

Table 2.32A Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month and Binge and Heavy Alcohol Use in Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 20, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2018 and 2019

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2018)	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2019)
TOTAL	15,120	15,099	12,819	12,765	7,146	7,046	4,322	4,222	861	825
GENDER										
Male	7,620	7,395	6,368	6,074	3,560	3,344	2,218	2,026	517	403
Female	7,500	7,704	6,451	6,691	3,586	3,702	2,104	2,195	344	423
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	11,542	11,408	9,895	9,756	5,663	5,459	3,439	3,344	729	667
White	8,697	8,689	7,641	7,572	4,590	4,362	2,863	2,739	666	598
Black or African American	1,687	1,578	1,305	1,228	581	602	283	301	26	16
AIAN	72	99	51	73	29	38	18	29	2	13
NHOPI	*	*	*	*	*	10	*	*	*	2
Asian	583	478	493	408	242	234	145	144	19	16
Two or More Races	431	505	352	429	184	213	106	124	13	22
Hispanic or Latino	3,578	3,691	2,924	3,010	1,483	1,588	883	877	131	158
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN										
Male, White, Not Hispanic	4,408	4,239	3,821	3,624	2,292	2,096	1,466	1,325	415	313
Female, White, Not Hispanic	4,289	4,450	3,820	3,947	2,299	2,266	1,397	1,414	251	285
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	844	723	637 ^a	515	294	249	167	129	15	7
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	843	854	668	713	287	353	116 ^a	172	12	9
Male, Hispanic	1,750	1,850	1,406	1,466	723	763	443	406	62	51
Female, Hispanic	1,828	1,841	1,518	1,544	761	825	440	472	69	107

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Table 2.32B Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month and Binge and Heavy Alcohol Use in Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 20, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2018 and 2019

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2018)	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2018)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2019)
TOTAL	39.8	39.7	33.8	33.5	18.8	18.5	11.4	11.1	2.3	2.2
GENDER										
Male	38.9	38.1	32.5	31.3	18.2	17.2	11.3	10.4	2.6	2.1
Female	40.8	41.3	35.1	35.9	19.5	19.9	11.4	11.8	1.9	2.3
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	40.3	39.8	34.5	34.0	19.8	19.0	12.0	11.7	2.5	2.3
White	44.0	44.1	38.7	38.4	23.2	22.1	14.5	13.9	3.4	3.0
Black or African American	32.3	30.3	25.0	23.6	11.1	11.6	5.4	5.8	0.5	0.3
AIAN	30.8	39.8	21.8	29.4	12.4	15.2	7.7	11.8	0.8	5.0
NHOPI	*	*	*	*	*	5.4	*	*	*	1.3
Asian	26.8	23.6	22.6	20.1	11.1	11.5	6.7	7.1	0.9	0.8
Two or More Races	39.9	38.4	32.6	32.6	17.1	16.1	9.9	9.4	1.2	1.7
Hispanic or Latino	38.5	39.3	31.4	32.1	15.9	16.9	9.5	9.4	1.4	1.7
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN										
Male, White, Not Hispanic	43.1	42.1	37.4	36.0	22.4	20.8	14.3	13.2	4.1	3.1
Female, White, Not Hispanic	44.9	46.2	40.0	40.9	24.1	23.5	14.6	14.7	2.6	3.0
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	31.7	27.7	23.9 ^a	19.7	11.0	9.5	6.3	4.9	0.6	0.3
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	33.0	32.9	26.1	27.4	11.2	13.6	4.5 ^a	6.6	0.5	0.4
Male, Hispanic	36.7	38.3	29.5	30.3	15.2	15.8	9.3	8.4	1.3	1.1
Female, Hispanic	40.3	40.5	33.5	33.9	16.8	18.1	9.7	10.4	1.5	2.4

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TOTAL	206,099	205,859	166,459	166,379	132,688	132,681	62,737	61,623	15,708	15,218
GENDER										
Male	102,666	102,652	83,687	83,380	68,824	69,116	35,666	34,406	10,373	9,725
Female	103,433	103,207	82,772	82,998	63,864	63,565	27,071	27,218	5,335	5,494
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	176,185	175,208	142,378	141,564	114,712	113,994	52,136	50,997	13,835	13,287
White	138,890	138,583	112,810	112,303	92,166	91,305	41,016	39,963	11,641	11,177
Black or African American	22,225	22,139	17,576	17,490	13,577	13,628	7,299	7,245	1,379	1,186
AIAN	1,198	*	854	703	569	464	356	298	101	72
NHOPI	676	640	519	511	333	444	231	253	51	43
Asian	9,497	9,209	7,892	7,627	5,899	5,731	2,150	1,989	396	358
Two or More Races	3,699	3,623	2,728	2,929	2,168	2,421	1,084	1,249	267 ^a	451
Hispanic or Latino	29,914	30,650	24,080	24,814	17,977	18,687	10,600	10,627	1,873	1,931
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN										
Male, White, Not Hispanic	68,683	68,399	56,142	55,691	47,391	47,179	23,373	22,445	7,777	7,251
Female, White, Not Hispanic	70,208	70,184	56,668	56,612	44,775	44,126	17,643	17,517	3,864	3,926
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	10,496	10,420	8,350	8,170	6,639	6,591	3,790	3,677	860	665
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	11,729	11,720	9,226	9,320	6,938	7,037	3,508	3,568	519	521
Male, Hispanic	15,896	16,244	12,996	13,398	10,140	10,587	6,402	6,184	1,214	1,239
Female, Hispanic	14,018	14,407	11,084	11,416	7,836	8,100	4,198	4,442	659	692

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TOTAL	87.4	86.8	70.6	70.2	56.3	55.9	26.6	26.0	6.7	6.4
GENDER										
Male	90.7	90.0	73.9	73.1	60.8	60.6	31.5 ^a	30.2	9.2	8.5
Female	84.4	83.9	67.5	67.5	52.1	51.7	22.1	22.1	4.4	4.5
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	88.8 ^a	88.0	71.7	71.1	57.8	57.3	26.3	25.6	7.0	6.7
White	92.0	91.8	74.7	74.4	61.1	60.5	27.2	26.5	7.7	7.4
Black or African American	80.2	78.9	63.4	62.4	49.0	48.6	26.3	25.8	5.0	4.2
AIAN	83.7	*	59.6	53.5	39.7	35.3	24.8	22.7	7.1	5.5
NHOPI	78.3	70.2	60.1	56.1	38.5	48.7	26.8	27.7	5.9	4.7
Asian	70.6	66.5	58.7	55.1	43.9	41.4	16.0	14.4	2.9	2.6
Two or More Races	91.6	90.5	67.6	73.2	53.7	60.5	26.8	31.2	6.6 ^a	11.3
Hispanic or Latino	80.1	80.5	64.5	65.2	48.2	49.1	28.4	27.9	5.0	5.1
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN										
Male, White, Not Hispanic	94.0	93.4	76.8	76.1	64.8	64.4	32.0	30.7	10.6	9.9
Female, White, Not Hispanic	90.2	90.3	72.8	72.9	57.5	56.8	22.7	22.5	5.0	5.1
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	84.3	82.3	67.1	64.6	53.3	52.1	30.5	29.1	6.9	5.3
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	76.8	76.2	60.4	60.6	45.4	45.7	23.0	23.2	3.4	3.4
Male, Hispanic	85.9	86.2	70.3	71.1	54.8	56.2	34.6	32.8	6.6	6.6
Female, Hispanic	74.4	74.9	58.9	59.3	41.6	42.1	22.3	23.1	3.5	3.6

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