

**Table 8.1A Numbers (in Thousands) of Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Gender and Detailed Age Categories: 2002 and 2003**

Age Category	Total		GENDER			
			Male		Female	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	235,143	237,682	113,602	114,985	121,541	122,697
12	4,099	4,117	2,091	2,132	2,007	1,985
13	4,187	4,334	2,240	2,230	1,947	2,104
14	4,358	4,127	2,135	2,113	2,223	2,014
15	4,112	4,133	2,134	2,113	1,978	2,020
16	4,047	4,192	2,041	2,072	2,007	2,120
17	3,950	4,092	2,005	2,111	1,945	1,981
18	4,363	4,608	2,236	2,476	2,127	2,132
19	4,087	3,886	2,044	1,854	2,042	2,032
20	3,997	4,027	2,058	2,061	1,939	1,967
21	4,048	3,924	2,021	1,920	2,026	2,004
22	3,867	4,016	1,962	2,021	1,906	1,995
23	3,810	4,004	1,944	1,922	1,866	2,082
24	3,523	3,635	1,717	1,857	1,806	1,778
25	3,329	3,629	1,545	1,809	1,784	1,820
26-29	15,271	14,766	7,472	7,584	7,799	7,182
30-34	19,892	20,195	9,942	9,753	9,950	10,442
35-39	21,999	20,927	10,856	10,337	11,143	10,590
40-44	21,939	22,689	10,537	11,155	11,402	11,535
45-49	21,186	21,415	10,519	10,416	10,667	10,999
50-54	18,796	19,993	9,028	9,733	9,767	10,261
55-59	14,696	14,917	6,689	7,359	8,007	7,558
60-64	11,610	11,756	5,820	5,443	5,790	6,312
65 or Older	33,977	34,300	14,564	14,515	19,413	19,785

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

**Table 8.1N Survey Sample Size for All Respondents Aged 12 or Older, by Gender and Detailed Age Categories: 2002 and 2003**

Age Category	Total		GENDER			
			Male		Female	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	68,126	67,784	32,767	32,611	35,359	35,173
12	3,992	3,809	2,015	1,997	1,977	1,812
13	4,027	3,954	2,112	2,036	1,915	1,918
14	4,149	3,797	2,079	1,938	2,070	1,859
15	3,896	3,748	1,989	1,924	1,907	1,824
16	3,812	3,714	1,946	1,864	1,866	1,850
17	3,769	3,643	1,912	1,878	1,857	1,765
18	3,231	3,191	1,601	1,605	1,630	1,586
19	3,069	2,801	1,473	1,304	1,596	1,497
20	2,842	2,818	1,321	1,363	1,521	1,455
21	2,962	2,810	1,373	1,301	1,589	1,509
22	2,823	2,796	1,321	1,318	1,502	1,478
23	2,812	2,941	1,309	1,305	1,503	1,636
24	2,739	2,723	1,248	1,296	1,491	1,427
25	2,588	2,658	1,139	1,262	1,449	1,396
26-29	2,807	2,870	1,299	1,333	1,508	1,537
30-34	3,567	3,700	1,684	1,704	1,883	1,996
35-39	3,182	3,191	1,511	1,471	1,671	1,720
40-44	3,285	3,413	1,529	1,588	1,756	1,825
45-49	3,153	3,227	1,495	1,458	1,658	1,769
50-54	1,327	1,489	600	693	727	796
55-59	1,034	1,176	463	531	571	645
60-64	821	945	371	419	450	526
65 or Older	2,239	2,370	977	1,023	1,262	1,347

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

**Table 8.2A Numbers (in Thousands) of Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Age Group and Demographic Characteristics: 2002 and 2003**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE GROUP (Years)					
			12-17		18-25		26 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	235,143	237,682	24,754	24,995	31,024	31,728	179,365	180,958
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	113,602	114,985	12,647	12,770	15,528	15,920	85,428	86,295
Female	121,541	122,697	12,107	12,225	15,497	15,808	93,938	94,663
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	206,064	207,800	20,823	20,931	25,536	26,069	159,705	160,800
White	165,392	166,257	15,532	15,565	19,307	19,642	130,553	131,050
Black or African American	26,809	27,452	3,618	3,741	4,071	4,278	19,120	19,433
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,479	1,256	189	177	215	183	1,075	896
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	813	490	82	75	170	159	562	256
Asian	9,059	9,769	1,012	971	1,370	1,445	6,677	7,353
Two or More Races	2,512	2,575	392	401	404	362	1,717	1,812
Hispanic or Latino	29,079	29,882	3,930	4,065	5,488	5,659	19,661	20,158
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>								
Male, White, Not Hispanic	80,066	80,551	7,970	7,981	9,629	9,815	62,466	62,756
Female, White, Not Hispanic	85,326	85,706	7,562	7,584	9,678	9,827	68,087	68,295
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	12,048	12,397	1,820	1,886	1,894	2,004	8,334	8,507
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	14,761	15,055	1,798	1,855	2,177	2,274	10,786	10,925
Male, Hispanic	14,862	15,299	2,010	2,075	2,949	3,045	9,904	10,178
Female, Hispanic	14,216	14,584	1,920	1,989	2,539	2,614	9,757	9,980
<b>EDUCATION<sup>1</sup></b>								
< High School	37,226	37,899	N/A	N/A	6,877	6,876	30,349	31,023
High School Graduate	67,985	67,139	N/A	N/A	10,580	10,985	57,405	56,155
Some College	52,574	52,506	N/A	N/A	9,774	9,894	42,800	42,611
College Graduate	52,605	55,143	N/A	N/A	3,793	3,973	48,811	51,170
<b>CURRENT EMPLOYMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Full-Time	116,508	116,965	N/A	N/A	14,494	14,567	102,015	102,397
Part-Time	27,442	28,636	N/A	N/A	7,903	8,184	19,539	20,452
Unemployed	7,585	8,087	N/A	N/A	2,457	2,695	5,129	5,392
Other <sup>2</sup>	58,854	58,999	N/A	N/A	6,171	6,281	52,683	52,718

N/A: Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Data on education and current employment not shown for persons aged 12 to 17. Estimates for both education and current employment are for persons aged 18 or older.<sup>2</sup> Retired person, disabled person, homemaker, student, or other person not in the labor force.

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

**Table 8.2N Survey Sample Size for All Respondents Aged 12 or Older, by Age Group and Demographic Characteristics: 2002 and 2003**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE GROUP (Years)					
			12-17		18-25		26 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	68,126	67,784	23,645	22,665	23,066	22,738	21,415	22,381
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	32,767	32,611	12,053	11,637	10,785	10,754	9,929	10,220
Female	35,359	35,173	11,592	11,028	12,281	11,984	11,486	12,161
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	59,315	58,711	20,381	19,432	19,727	19,339	19,207	19,940
White	46,548	45,870	15,637	14,549	15,211	14,950	15,700	16,371
Black or African American	8,278	8,153	3,154	3,119	2,892	2,771	2,232	2,263
American Indian or Alaska Native	921	845	344	321	316	275	261	249
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	273	252	83	84	108	108	82	60
Asian	1,890	2,048	587	656	689	746	614	646
Two or More Races	1,405	1,543	576	703	511	489	318	351
Hispanic or Latino	8,811	9,073	3,264	3,233	3,339	3,399	2,208	2,441
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>								
Male, White, Not Hispanic	22,679	22,145	8,073	7,486	7,243	7,167	7,363	7,492
Female, White, Not Hispanic	23,869	23,725	7,564	7,063	7,968	7,783	8,337	8,879
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	3,675	3,667	1,567	1,556	1,164	1,197	944	914
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	4,603	4,486	1,587	1,563	1,728	1,574	1,288	1,349
Male, Hispanic	4,265	4,529	1,608	1,680	1,604	1,651	1,053	1,198
Female, Hispanic	4,546	4,544	1,656	1,553	1,735	1,748	1,155	1,243
<b>EDUCATION<sup>1</sup></b>								
< High School	8,012	8,091	N/A	N/A	4,779	4,698	3,233	3,393
High School Graduate	15,053	15,074	N/A	N/A	8,109	7,975	6,944	7,099
Some College	12,688	12,788	N/A	N/A	7,381	7,175	5,307	5,613
College Graduate	8,728	9,166	N/A	N/A	2,797	2,890	5,931	6,276
<b>CURRENT EMPLOYMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Full-Time	24,550	24,535	N/A	N/A	10,933	10,563	13,617	13,972
Part-Time	8,203	8,489	N/A	N/A	5,848	5,867	2,355	2,622
Unemployed	2,407	2,601	N/A	N/A	1,731	1,836	676	765
Other <sup>2</sup>	9,321	9,494	N/A	N/A	4,554	4,472	4,767	5,022

N/A: Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Data on education and current employment not shown for persons aged 12 to 17. Estimates for both education and current employment are for persons aged 18 or older.<sup>2</sup> Retired person, disabled person, homemaker, student, or other person not in the labor force.

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

**Table 8.3A Numbers (in Thousands) of Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Youth and Adult Age Groups and Demographic Characteristics: 2002 and 2003**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		YOUTH AND ADULT AGE GROUPS (Years)			
			12-17		18 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	235,143	237,682	24,754	24,995	210,390	212,687
<b>GENDER</b>						
Male	113,602	114,985	12,647	12,770	100,955	102,215
Female	121,541	122,697	12,107	12,225	109,435	110,472
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>						
Not Hispanic or Latino	206,064	207,800	20,823	20,931	185,241	186,869
White	165,392	166,257	15,532	15,565	149,860	150,692
Black or African American	26,809	27,452	3,618	3,741	23,191	23,711
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,479	1,256	189	177	1,290	1,079
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	813	490	82	75	731	415
Asian	9,059	9,769	1,012	971	8,048	8,798
Two or More Races	2,512	2,575	392	401	2,120	2,174
Hispanic or Latino	29,079	29,882	3,930	4,065	25,149	25,818
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	80,066	80,551	7,970	7,981	72,095	72,571
Female, White, Not Hispanic	85,326	85,706	7,562	7,584	77,765	78,122
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	12,048	12,397	1,820	1,886	10,228	10,511
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	14,761	15,055	1,798	1,855	12,963	13,200
Male, Hispanic	14,862	15,299	2,010	2,075	12,853	13,223
Female, Hispanic	14,216	14,584	1,920	1,989	12,296	12,594
<b>EDUCATION<sup>1</sup></b>						
< High School	37,226	37,899	N/A	N/A	37,226	37,899
High School Graduate	67,985	67,139	N/A	N/A	67,985	67,139
Some College	52,574	52,506	N/A	N/A	52,574	52,506
College Graduate	52,605	55,143	N/A	N/A	52,605	55,143
<b>CURRENT EMPLOYMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Full-Time	116,508	116,965	N/A	N/A	116,508	116,965
Part-Time	27,442	28,636	N/A	N/A	27,442	28,636
Unemployed	7,585	8,087	N/A	N/A	7,585	8,087
Other <sup>2</sup>	58,854	58,999	N/A	N/A	58,854	58,999

N/A: Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Data on education and current employment not shown for persons aged 12 to 17. Estimates for both education and current employment are for persons aged 18 or older.<sup>2</sup> Retired person, disabled person, homemaker, student, or other person not in the labor force.

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**Table 8.3N Survey Sample Size for All Respondents Aged 12 or Older, by Youth and Adult Age Groups and Demographic Characteristics: 2002 and 2003**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		YOUTH AND ADULT AGE GROUPS (Years)			
			12-17		18 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	68,126	67,784	23,645	22,665	44,481	45,119
<b>GENDER</b>						
Male	32,767	32,611	12,053	11,637	20,714	20,974
Female	35,359	35,173	11,592	11,028	23,767	24,145
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>						
Not Hispanic or Latino	59,315	58,711	20,381	19,432	38,934	39,279
White	46,548	45,870	15,637	14,549	30,911	31,321
Black or African American	8,278	8,153	3,154	3,119	5,124	5,034
American Indian or Alaska Native	921	845	344	321	577	524
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	273	252	83	84	190	168
Asian	1,890	2,048	587	656	1,303	1,392
Two or More Races	1,405	1,543	576	703	829	840
Hispanic or Latino	8,811	9,073	3,264	3,233	5,547	5,840
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	22,679	22,145	8,073	7,486	14,606	14,659
Female, White, Not Hispanic	23,869	23,725	7,564	7,063	16,305	16,662
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	3,675	3,667	1,567	1,556	2,108	2,111
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	4,603	4,486	1,587	1,563	3,016	2,923
Male, Hispanic	4,265	4,529	1,608	1,680	2,657	2,849
Female, Hispanic	4,546	4,544	1,656	1,553	2,890	2,991
<b>EDUCATION<sup>1</sup></b>						
< High School	8,012	8,091	N/A	N/A	8,012	8,091
High School Graduate	15,053	15,074	N/A	N/A	15,053	15,074
Some College	12,688	12,788	N/A	N/A	12,688	12,788
College Graduate	8,728	9,166	N/A	N/A	8,728	9,166
<b>CURRENT EMPLOYMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Full-Time	24,550	24,535	N/A	N/A	24,550	24,535
Part-Time	8,203	8,489	N/A	N/A	8,203	8,489
Unemployed	2,407	2,601	N/A	N/A	2,407	2,601
Other <sup>2</sup>	9,321	9,494	N/A	N/A	9,321	9,494

N/A: Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Data on education and current employment not shown for persons aged 12 to 17. Estimates for both education and current employment are for persons aged 18 or older.<sup>2</sup> Retired person, disabled person, homemaker, student, or other person not in the labor force.

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

**Table 8.4A Numbers (in Thousands) of Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Underage and Legal Drinking Age Groups and Demographic Characteristics: 2002 and 2003**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		UNDERAGE AND LEGAL DRINKING AGE GROUPS (Years)			
			12-20		21 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	235,143	237,682	37,201	37,517	197,942	200,165
<b>GENDER</b>						
Male	113,602	114,985	18,986	19,161	94,616	95,824
Female	121,541	122,697	18,215	18,356	103,326	104,341
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>						
Not Hispanic or Latino	206,064	207,800	31,210	31,335	174,854	176,465
White	165,392	166,257	23,447	23,359	141,945	142,898
Black or African American	26,809	27,452	5,295	5,511	21,514	21,941
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,479	1,256	269	251	1,210	1,005
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	813	490	139	145	674	345
Asian	9,059	9,769	1,505	1,530	7,555	8,239
Two or More Races	2,512	2,575	556	538	1,956	2,038
Hispanic or Latino	29,079	29,882	5,991	6,182	23,088	23,700
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	80,066	80,551	11,926	11,912	68,140	68,639
Female, White, Not Hispanic	85,326	85,706	11,521	11,448	73,806	74,258
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	12,048	12,397	2,681	2,783	9,367	9,614
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	14,761	15,055	2,614	2,729	12,147	12,326
Male, Hispanic	14,862	15,299	3,149	3,227	11,714	12,072
Female, Hispanic	14,216	14,584	2,842	2,955	11,374	11,629

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

**Table 8.4N Survey Sample Size for All Respondents Aged 12 or Older, by Underage and Legal Drinking Age Groups and Demographic Characteristics: 2002 and 2003**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		UNDERAGE AND LEGAL DRINKING AGE GROUPS (Years)			
			12-20		21 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
<b>TOTAL</b>	68,126	67,784	32,787	31,475	35,339	36,309
<b>GENDER</b>						
Male	32,767	32,611	16,448	15,909	16,319	16,702
Female	35,359	35,173	16,339	15,566	19,020	19,607
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>						
Not Hispanic or Latino	59,315	58,711	28,234	27,002	31,081	31,709
White	46,548	45,870	21,709	20,365	24,839	25,505
Black or African American	8,278	8,153	4,311	4,239	3,967	3,914
American Indian or Alaska Native	921	845	467	428	454	417
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	273	252	123	134	150	118
Asian	1,890	2,048	833	930	1,057	1,118
Two or More Races	1,405	1,543	791	906	614	637
Hispanic or Latino	8,811	9,073	4,553	4,473	4,258	4,600
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	22,679	22,145	10,993	10,315	11,686	11,830
Female, White, Not Hispanic	23,869	23,725	10,716	10,050	13,153	13,675
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	3,675	3,667	2,084	2,091	1,591	1,576
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	4,603	4,486	2,227	2,148	2,376	2,338
Male, Hispanic	4,265	4,529	2,267	2,295	1,998	2,234
Female, Hispanic	4,546	4,544	2,286	2,178	2,260	2,366

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