

Table 5.1A Substance Dependence for Specific Substances in the Past Year, by Age Group: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Past Year Dependence	Total		AGE GROUP (Years)					
			12-17		18-25		26 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
ANY ILLICIT DRUG¹	4,636	4,374	781	694	1,711	1,654	2,143	2,025
Marijuana and Hashish	2,614	2,520	608 ^a	502	1,199	1,260	806	757
Cocaine	1,025	961	49	52	242	228	733	681
Heroin	198	169	7	8	42	37	149	124
Hallucinogens	136	135	38	44	88	61	11	29
Inhalants	47	37	35	29	6	8	*	*
Nonmedical Use of Any Psychotherapeutic ²	1,242	1,275	189	222	358	310	695	743
Pain Relievers	936	943	133	164	257	210	546	569
Tranquilizers	251	196	31	36	51	47	169	113
Stimulants	259	260	52	57	90	107	117	96
Sedatives	131	112	14	30	17	13	100	69
ALCOHOL	8,222	7,563	527	512	2,171	2,139	5,524	4,912
ANY ILLICIT DRUG OR ALCOHOL¹	11,524	10,871	1,099	1,038	3,424	3,362	7,000	6,470
BOTH ANY ILLICIT DRUG AND ALCOHOL¹	1,334 ^a	1,066	210	168	458	432	667	467

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^bDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

² Nonmedical use of any prescription-type pain reliever, tranquilizer, stimulant, or sedative; does not include over-the-counter drugs.

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

Table 5.1B Substance Dependence for Specific Substances in the Past Year, by Age Group: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Past Year Dependence	Total		AGE GROUP (Years)					
			12-17		18-25		26 or Older	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
ANY ILLICIT DRUG¹	2.0	1.8	3.2	2.8	5.5	5.2	1.2	1.1
Marijuana and Hashish	1.1	1.1	2.5 ^b	2.0	3.9	4.0	0.4	0.4
Cocaine	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.4
Heroin	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Hallucinogens	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0
Inhalants	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	*	*
Nonmedical Use of Any Psychotherapeutic ²	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.0	0.4	0.4
Pain Relievers	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.3
Tranquilizers	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Stimulants	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
Sedatives	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
ALCOHOL	3.5	3.2	2.1	2.0	7.0	6.7	3.1	2.7
ANY ILLICIT DRUG OR ALCOHOL¹	4.9	4.6	4.4	4.2	11.0	10.6	3.9	3.6
BOTH ANY ILLICIT DRUG AND ALCOHOL¹	0.6 ^a	0.4	0.8	0.7	1.5	1.4	0.4	0.3

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

Table 5.2A Substance Dependence in the Past Year, by Detailed Age Categories: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Age Category	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	4,636	4,374	8,222	7,563	11,524	10,871
12	8	15	9	9	15	22
13	31	35	21	31	45	60
14	107	74	69	59	143	108
15	161	124	102	110	213	196
16	203	201	147	144	302	294
17	271	245	179	160	381	359
18	234	290	194 ^a	263	375	455
19	257	275	283	249	476	467
20	262	248	292	284	494	471
21	269 ^a	193	400 ^a	315	588 ^a	458
22	193	210	318	321	454	489
23	202	152	269	267	407	380
24	177	166	219	227	359	339
25	117	121	195	214	271	303
26-29	450	549	871	878	1,194	1,286
30-34	329	360	912	869	1,169	1,093
35-39	376	387	976 ^a	700	1,229	996
40-44	343	376	784	741	1,015	1,061
45-49	380	213	780	663	1,033	858
50-54	234	117	584	551	735	648
55-59	23	24	261	184	263	203
60-64	*	*	177	91	177	91
65 or Older	8	*	178	234	186	234

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 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, 2002 and 2003.

Table 5.2B Substance Dependence in the Past Year, by Detailed Age Categories: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Age Category	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	2.0	1.8	3.5	3.2	4.9	4.6
12	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5
13	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.4
14	2.5	1.8	1.6	1.4	3.3	2.6
15	3.9	3.0	2.5	2.7	5.2	4.7
16	5.0	4.8	3.6	3.4	7.5	7.0
17	6.9	6.0	4.5	3.9	9.6	8.8
18	5.4	6.3	4.4 ^a	5.7	8.6	9.9
19	6.3	7.1	6.9	6.4	11.6	12.0
20	6.5	6.1	7.3	7.0	12.4	11.7
21	6.6 ^a	4.9	9.9	8.0	14.5 ^a	11.7
22	5.0	5.2	8.2	8.0	11.7	12.2
23	5.3 ^a	3.8	7.1	6.7	10.7	9.5
24	5.0	4.6	6.2	6.2	10.2	9.3
25	3.5	3.3	5.8	5.9	8.1	8.4
26-29	2.9	3.7	5.7	5.9	7.8	8.7
30-34	1.7	1.8	4.6	4.3	5.9	5.4
35-39	1.7	1.9	4.4	3.3	5.6	4.8
40-44	1.6	1.7	3.6	3.3	4.6	4.7
45-49	1.8 ^a	1.0	3.7	3.1	4.9	4.0
50-54	1.2	0.6	3.1	2.8	3.9	3.2
55-59	0.2	0.2	1.8	1.2	1.8	1.4
60-64	*	*	1.5	0.8	1.5	0.8
65 or Older	0.0	*	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.7

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

Table 5.3A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	4,636	4,374	8,222	7,563	11,524	10,871
AGE						
12-17	781	694	527	512	1,099	1,038
18-25	1,711	1,654	2,171	2,139	3,424	3,362
26 or Older	2,143	2,025	5,524	4,912	7,000	6,470
GENDER						
Male	2,876	2,573	5,382	4,900	7,292	6,798
Female	1,760	1,801	2,840	2,663	4,232	4,073
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	4,049	3,809	7,145	6,479	10,026	9,422
White	3,004	3,016	5,573	5,237	7,760	7,549
Black or African American	869 ^a	590	1,160 ^a	827	1,717 ^a	1,311
American Indian or Alaska Native	28	37	103	104	122	130
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	20	20	34	25	50	40
Asian	49	79	138	195	177	253
Two or More Races	78	67	137	91	201	139
Hispanic or Latino	587	565	1,077	1,085	1,497	1,449

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

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

Table 5.3B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	2.0	1.8	3.5	3.2	4.9	4.6
AGE						
12-17	3.2	2.8	2.1	2.0	4.4	4.2
18-25	5.5	5.2	7.0	6.7	11.0	10.6
26 or Older	1.2	1.1	3.1	2.7	3.9	3.6
GENDER						
Male	2.5	2.2	4.7	4.3	6.4	5.9
Female	1.4	1.5	2.3	2.2	3.5	3.3
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	2.0	1.8	3.5 ^a	3.1	4.9	4.5
White	1.8	1.8	3.4	3.1	4.7	4.5
Black or African American	3.2 ^b	2.1	4.3 ^a	3.0	6.4 ^a	4.8
American Indian or Alaska Native	1.9	2.9	7.0	8.3	8.2	10.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2.5	4.1	4.2	5.1	6.1	8.1
Asian	0.5	0.8	1.5	2.0	2.0	2.6
Two or More Races	3.1	2.6	5.5	3.5	8.0	5.4
Hispanic or Latino	2.0	1.9	3.7	3.6	5.1	4.8

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

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

Table 5.4A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	781	694	527	512	1,099	1,038
GENDER						
Male	437	374	265	251	591	537
Female	344	320	263	261	508	501
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	639	604	433	424	908	889
White	518	488	377	355	754	734
Black or African American	85	77	29	25	102	92
American Indian or Alaska Native	13	6	*	12	*	14
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	4	18	3	13	7 ^a	24
Two or More Races	14	12	10	14	19	21
Hispanic or Latino	143 ^a	90	94	88	191	150
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	277	257	197	179	398	374
Female, White, Not Hispanic	241	232	179	176	356	360
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	53	41	9	10	57	45
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	33	36	20	15	45	47
Male, Hispanic	89	54	47	48	112	90
Female, Hispanic	53	36	48	39	78	60

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

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

Table 5.4B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	3.2	2.8	2.1	2.0	4.4	4.2
GENDER						
Male	3.5	2.9	2.1	2.0	4.7	4.2
Female	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.1	4.2	4.1
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	3.1	2.9	2.1	2.0	4.4	4.2
White	3.3	3.1	2.4	2.3	4.9	4.7
Black or African American	2.4	2.0	0.8	0.7	2.8	2.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	7.1	3.6	*	7.0	*	8.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	0.4	1.8	0.3	1.3	0.6 ^a	2.5
Two or More Races	3.5	3.0	2.6	3.6	4.9	5.2
Hispanic or Latino	3.6 ^a	2.2	2.4	2.2	4.9	3.7
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	3.5	3.2	2.5	2.2	5.0	4.7
Female, White, Not Hispanic	3.2	3.1	2.4	2.3	4.7	4.7
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	2.9	2.2	0.5	0.5	3.1	2.4
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	1.8	1.9	1.1	0.8	2.5	2.5
Male, Hispanic	4.4 ^a	2.6	2.3	2.3	5.6	4.3
Female, Hispanic	2.8	1.8	2.5	2.0	4.1	3.0

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^bDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

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

Table 5.5A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	1,711	1,654	2,171	2,139	3,424	3,362
GENDER						
Male	1,045	993	1,365	1,304	2,119	2,038
Female	666	662	806	835	1,305	1,324
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,511	1,398	1,820	1,768	2,932	2,825
White	1,224	1,140	1,497	1,466	2,390	2,314
Black or African American	212	187	194	184	362	331
American Indian or Alaska Native	9	13	*	14	*	27
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	7	*	*	*	*
Asian	34	24	30	54	54	74
Two or More Races	27	27	55	30	75	54
Hispanic or Latino	200	256	351	371	493	537
EDUCATION						
< High School	473	459	448	497	785	832
High School Graduate	564	624	670	687	1,108	1,135
Some College	551 ^a	460	827	723	1,211	1,080
College Graduate	124	112	226	232	320	316
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	740	703	1,059	960	1,608	1,493
Part-Time	425	423	517 ^a	622	836	915
Unemployed	216	237	225	206	370	391
Other ¹	331	291	371	351	610	563

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

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^bDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ 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 5.5B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	5.5	5.2	7.0	6.7	11.0	10.6
GENDER						
Male	6.7	6.2	8.8	8.2	13.6	12.8
Female	4.3	4.2	5.2	5.3	8.4	8.4
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	5.9 ^a	5.4	7.1	6.8	11.5	10.8
White	6.3	5.8	7.8	7.5	12.4	11.8
Black or African American	5.2	4.4	4.8	4.3	8.9	7.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	4.2	7.2	*	7.9	*	14.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	4.2	*	*	*	*
Asian	2.5	1.6	2.2	3.7	3.9	5.1
Two or More Races	6.7	7.5	13.6	8.2	18.5	14.9
Hispanic or Latino	3.7	4.5	6.4	6.6	9.0	9.5
EDUCATION						
< High School	6.9	6.7	6.5	7.2	11.4	12.1
High School Graduate	5.3	5.7	6.3	6.3	10.5	10.3
Some College	5.6 ^a	4.6	8.5 ^a	7.3	12.4 ^a	10.9
College Graduate	3.3	2.8	6.0	5.8	8.4	7.9
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	5.1	4.8	7.3	6.6	11.1	10.2
Part-Time	5.4	5.2	6.5	7.6	10.6	11.2
Unemployed	8.8	8.8	9.1	7.6	15.1	14.5
Other ¹	5.4	4.6	6.0	5.6	9.9	9.0

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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¹ 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 5.6A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	2,143	2,025	5,524	4,912	7,000	6,470
GENDER						
Male	1,393	1,206	3,752	3,345	4,582	4,222
Female	750	820	1,771	1,567	2,418	2,248
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,899	1,807	4,892	4,286	6,186	5,708
White	1,262	1,388	3,699	3,415	4,616	4,501
Black or African American	572 ^a	326	937	618	1,252	888
American Indian or Alaska Native	6	17	68	77	73	89
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	11	38	106	128	117	155
Two or More Races	37	28	72	47	107	64
Hispanic or Latino	244	218	632	625	814	762
EDUCATION						
< High School	678	531	1,300	1,155	1,690	1,535
High School Graduate	680	661	1,846	1,669	2,332	2,175
Some College	531	593	1,258	1,176	1,644	1,657
College Graduate	254	240	1,119	912	1,334	1,103
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	1,277	1,191	3,553	3,225	4,487	4,114
Part-Time	176	246	463	517	596	705
Unemployed	215	149	460	327	539	437
Other ¹	476	440	1,048	843	1,378	1,214

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Table 5.6B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	1.2	1.1	3.1	2.7	3.9	3.6
GENDER						
Male	1.6	1.4	4.4	3.9	5.4	4.9
Female	0.8	0.9	1.9	1.7	2.6	2.4
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	1.2	1.1	3.1	2.7	3.9	3.5
White	1.0	1.1	2.8	2.6	3.5	3.4
Black or African American	3.0 ^a	1.7	4.9 ^a	3.2	6.5 ^a	4.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.5	1.9	6.3	8.6	6.8	9.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	0.2	0.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	2.1
Two or More Races	2.2	1.5	4.2	2.6	6.2	3.5
Hispanic or Latino	1.2	1.1	3.2	3.1	4.1	3.8
EDUCATION						
< High School	2.2	1.7	4.3	3.7	5.6	4.9
High School Graduate	1.2	1.2	3.2	3.0	4.1	3.9
Some College	1.2	1.4	2.9	2.8	3.8	3.9
College Graduate	0.5	0.5	2.3	1.8	2.7	2.2
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	1.3	1.2	3.5	3.1	4.4	4.0
Part-Time	0.9	1.2	2.4	2.5	3.0	3.4
Unemployed	4.2	2.8	9.0	6.1	10.5	8.1
Other ¹	0.9	0.8	2.0	1.6	2.6	2.3

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^bDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ 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 5.7A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	3,855	3,680	7,695	7,051	10,425	9,832
GENDER						
Male	2,438	2,198	5,118	4,649	6,701	6,260
Female	1,416	1,481	2,577	2,402	3,724	3,572
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	3,410	3,205	6,712	6,054	9,118	8,533
White	2,486	2,528	5,196	4,881	7,006	6,815
Black or African American	784 ^a	513	1,131	801	1,614 ^a	1,219
American Indian or Alaska Native	15	30	89	91	99	116
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	16	*	34	21	46	36
Asian	45	61	135	183	171	229
Two or More Races	64	55	127	77	182	118
Hispanic or Latino	445	475	983	997	1,307	1,299
EDUCATION						
< High School	1,151	990	1,748	1,652	2,475	2,367
High School Graduate	1,244	1,286	2,517	2,356	3,440	3,310
Some College	1,081	1,052	2,085	1,899	2,855	2,737
College Graduate	378	351	1,345	1,144	1,654	1,418
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	2,017	1,894	4,612	4,185	6,096	5,606
Part-Time	600	669	979	1,139	1,432	1,620
Unemployed	431	386	684	533	910	828
Other ¹	806	730	1,419	1,194	1,988	1,777

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM-IV)*.

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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¹ 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 5.7B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Demographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	1.8	1.7	3.7	3.3	5.0	4.6
GENDER						
Male	2.4	2.2	5.1	4.5	6.6	6.1
Female	1.3	1.3	2.4	2.2	3.4	3.2
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	1.8	1.7	3.6 ^a	3.2	4.9	4.6
White	1.7	1.7	3.5	3.2	4.7	4.5
Black or African American	3.4 ^a	2.2	4.9 ^a	3.4	7.0 ^a	5.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	1.1	2.8	6.9	8.5	7.7	10.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2.2	*	4.6	5.1	6.2	8.7
Asian	0.6	0.7	1.7	2.1	2.1	2.6
Two or More Races	3.0	2.5	6.0	3.5	8.6	5.4
Hispanic or Latino	1.8	1.8	3.9	3.9	5.2	5.0
EDUCATION						
< High School	3.1	2.6	4.7	4.4	6.6	6.2
High School Graduate	1.8	1.9	3.7	3.5	5.1	4.9
Some College	2.1	2.0	4.0	3.6	5.4	5.2
College Graduate	0.7	0.6	2.6	2.1	3.1	2.6
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	1.7	1.6	4.0	3.6	5.2	4.8
Part-Time	2.2	2.3	3.6	4.0	5.2	5.7
Unemployed	5.7	4.8	9.0	6.6	12.0	10.2
Other ¹	1.4	1.2	2.4	2.0	3.4	3.0

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^bDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ 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 5.8A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	4,636	4,374	8,222	7,563	11,524	10,871
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	935	864	1,517	1,422	2,151	2,091
New England	274	317	431	468	601	695
Middle Atlantic	661	547	1,087	954	1,550	1,396
Midwest	1,026	895	1,916	1,867	2,614	2,555
East North Central	772	639	1,427	1,291	1,947	1,765
West North Central	253	256	489	576	666	789
South	1,627	1,596	2,911 ^a	2,371	4,129 ^a	3,548
South Atlantic	950	872	1,638 ^a	1,273	2,361 ^a	1,927
East South Central	301	225	401	328	620	494
West South Central	376	498	872	769	1,149	1,127
West	1,049	1,018	1,877	1,904	2,629	2,676
Mountain	268	309	634	631	805	822
Pacific	781	710	1,243	1,273	1,825	1,854
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	2,613	2,360	4,445	4,012	6,286	5,822
Small Metro	1,404	1,445	2,507	2,387	3,475	3,469
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	939	884	1,633	1,548	2,315	2,228
< 250K Pop.	465	561	874	839	1,160	1,241
Nonmetro	619	569	1,270	1,164	1,763	1,580
Urbanized	229	302	468	556	659	780
Less Urbanized	326	243	707	520	961 ^a	701
Completely Rural	64	25	96	89	143	99

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^bDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Estimates for 2002 and 2003 are based on a revised definition of county type and are not comparable with estimates by county type published in prior NSDUH reports.

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

Table 5.8B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	2.0	1.8	3.5	3.2	4.9	4.6
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	2.1	1.9	3.4	3.1	4.8	4.6
New England	2.3	2.7	3.6	3.9	5.1	5.8
Middle Atlantic	2.0	1.6	3.3	2.9	4.7	4.2
Midwest	1.9	1.7	3.6	3.5	4.9	4.8
East North Central	2.1	1.7	3.8	3.4	5.2	4.7
West North Central	1.6	1.6	3.1	3.6	4.2	4.9
South	1.9	1.9	3.5 ^b	2.8	4.9 ^a	4.2
South Atlantic	2.2	2.0	3.7 ^a	2.9	5.4 ^a	4.3
East South Central	2.1	1.6	2.8	2.3	4.4	3.5
West South Central	1.5	1.9	3.4	2.9	4.4	4.3
West	2.0	1.9	3.5	3.5	5.0	5.0
Mountain	1.7	2.0	4.1	4.0	5.3	5.3
Pacific	2.1	1.9	3.3	3.3	4.9	4.9
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	2.1	1.9	3.5	3.2	5.0	4.6
Small Metro	2.0	2.0	3.6	3.3	5.0	4.9
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	2.1	1.9	3.6	3.3	5.1	4.7
< 250K Pop.	2.0	2.3	3.7	3.4	4.9	5.1
Nonmetro	1.5	1.4	3.2	2.9	4.4	3.9
Urbanized	1.4	1.7	2.9	3.1	4.1	4.4
Less Urbanized	1.7	1.3	3.6	2.9	4.9	3.8
Completely Rural	1.4	0.6	2.2	2.2	3.2	2.4

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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¹ Estimates for 2002 and 2003 are based on a revised definition of county type and are not comparable with estimates by county type published in prior NSDUH reports.

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

Table 5.9A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	781	694	527	512	1,099	1,038
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	178 ^b	101	104	80	241 ^b	166
New England	48	31	23	32	63	55
Middle Atlantic	130 ^b	70	80 ^a	48	178 ^b	111
Midwest	165	178	124	128	247	262
East North Central	114	127	88	79	172	174
West North Central	50	51	36	49	75	88
South	285	242	190	150	399	331
South Atlantic	178 ^b	108	103	71	225 ^a	147
East South Central	33	46	20	13	49	51
West South Central	74	89	66	66	125	132
West	154	173	109 ^a	154	212 ^a	279
Mountain	54	68	48	58	78	101
Pacific	100	105	62	96	134	178
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	407	361	261	242	552	518
Small Metro	242	211	156	159	335	320
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	182	136	100	93	233	208
< 250K Pop.	60	75	56	66	103	111
Nonmetro	132	123	111	111	211	201
Urbanized	47	49	38	47	78	82
Less Urbanized	64	65	54	54	98	101
Completely Rural	21	8	18	11	35	18

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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¹ Estimates for 2002 and 2003 are based on a revised definition of county type and are not comparable with estimates by county type published in prior NSDUH reports.

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

Table 5.9B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	3.2	2.8	2.1	2.0	4.4	4.2
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	4.0 ^b	2.2	2.3	1.8	5.4 ^b	3.7
New England	4.1	2.6	2.0	2.7	5.4	4.7
Middle Atlantic	3.9 ^b	2.1	2.4 ^a	1.5	5.4 ^b	3.4
Midwest	2.9	3.1	2.2	2.2	4.3	4.6
East North Central	2.9	3.2	2.2	2.0	4.3	4.4
West North Central	3.0	3.0	2.1	2.9	4.4	5.2
South	3.2	2.7	2.2	1.7	4.6	3.7
South Atlantic	4.1 ^b	2.4	2.4	1.6	5.1 ^b	3.3
East South Central	2.3	3.2	1.4	0.9	3.5	3.5
West South Central	2.5	3.0	2.2	2.2	4.2	4.5
West	2.6	2.9	1.9 ^a	2.6	3.6 ^a	4.7
Mountain	3.2	3.9	2.8	3.3	4.5	5.8
Pacific	2.4	2.5	1.5	2.3	3.3	4.3
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	3.1	2.7	2.0	1.8	4.2	3.9
Small Metro	3.3	2.8	2.2	2.2	4.6	4.3
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	3.7 ^a	2.7	2.0	1.9	4.8	4.2
< 250K Pop.	2.5	3.1	2.4	2.7	4.4	4.6
Nonmetro	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.6	4.9	4.7
Urbanized	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.5	4.5	4.4
Less Urbanized	3.0	3.3	2.6	2.7	4.7	5.1
Completely Rural	4.4	1.9	3.9	2.5	7.4	4.0

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 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, 2002 and 2003.

Table 5.10A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	1,711	1,654	2,171	2,139	3,424	3,362
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	358	348	384	369	651	626
New England	115	124	114	109	199	207
Middle Atlantic	243	224	271	259	453	419
Midwest	369	346	584	560	826	820
East North Central	270	241	416	391	591	567
West North Central	98	104	168	169	236	253
South	591	508	721	668	1,178	1,054
South Atlantic	311 ^a	230	359	328	600	506
East South Central	100	74	99	85	179	150
West South Central	180	204	262	256	398	398
West	393	453	482	542	769	862
Mountain	132	125	180	173	265	240
Pacific	261	328	301	369	504	622
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	935	930	1,036	1,074	1,736	1,777
Small Metro	554	492	809	761	1,194	1,109
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	337	333	485	493	717	727
< 250K Pop.	217 ^a	159	324	268	478 ^a	382
Nonmetro	222	233	326	304	494	476
Urbanized	94 ^a	131	157	166	227	253
Less Urbanized	104	95	141	122	222	204
Completely Rural	24 ^a	7	27	16	45 ^a	20

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 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, 2002 and 2003.

Table 5.10B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	5.5	5.2	7.0	6.7	11.0	10.6
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	6.5	6.2	7.0	6.5	11.8	11.1
New England	8.0	8.4	7.9	7.4	13.8	14.1
Middle Atlantic	6.0	5.4	6.7	6.2	11.1	10.1
Midwest	5.1	4.7	8.1	7.6	11.5	11.1
East North Central	5.4	4.7	8.4	7.7	11.9	11.1
West North Central	4.4	4.6	7.5	7.4	10.6	11.1
South	5.4 ^a	4.5	6.5	5.9	10.7 ^a	9.3
South Atlantic	5.8 ^b	4.1	6.7	5.9	11.1 ^a	9.1
East South Central	5.2	3.8	5.2	4.4	9.4	7.8
West South Central	4.8	5.4	7.1	6.7	10.7	10.4
West	5.4	6.1	6.6	7.3	10.5	11.6
Mountain	6.1	5.6	8.3	7.8	12.1	10.7
Pacific	5.1	6.3	5.9	7.1	9.9 ^a	12.0
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	5.9	5.6	6.5	6.5	10.9	10.7
Small Metro	5.4	4.8	8.0	7.5	11.7	10.9
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	5.2	5.0	7.5	7.4	11.1	10.9
< 250K Pop.	5.8	4.5	8.7	7.6	12.8	10.7
Nonmetro	4.5	4.7	6.5	6.2	9.9	9.7
Urbanized	4.2	5.6	7.0	7.0	10.1	10.7
Less Urbanized	4.6	4.3	6.2	5.6	9.8	9.3
Completely Rural	5.3 ^a	1.8	5.8	4.5	9.7 ^a	5.4

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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¹ Estimates for 2002 and 2003 are based on a revised definition of county type and are not comparable with estimates by county type published in prior NSDUH reports.

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

Table 5.11A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	2,143	2,025	5,524	4,912	7,000	6,470
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	399	416	1,029	973	1,259	1,299
New England	111	163	294	327	340	433
Middle Atlantic	288	253	736	646	920	866
Midwest	492	371	1,208	1,179	1,540	1,473
East North Central	388	270	922	820	1,184	1,024
West North Central	104	101	286	359	356	449
South	751	846	2,000 ^a	1,552	2,552	2,164
South Atlantic	460	535	1,175	875	1,536	1,274
East South Central	169	106	281	230	391	293
West South Central	122	206	544	448	625	597
West	501	392	1,286	1,208	1,649	1,535
Mountain	81	115	406	400	462	481
Pacific	420	277	880	807	1,187	1,054
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	1,270	1,069	3,148	2,697	3,998	3,527
Small Metro	608	743	1,542	1,467	1,945	2,040
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	419	415	1,047	962	1,365	1,292
< 250K Pop.	189	328	494	505	579	748
Nonmetro	265	214	834	748	1,058	903
Urbanized	88	122	272	343	354	445
Less Urbanized	159 ^a	82	512	344	641 ^a	397
Completely Rural	18	10	50	61	63	62

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 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, 2002 and 2003.

Table 5.11B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	1.2	1.1	3.1	2.7	3.9	3.6
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	1.1	1.2	2.9	2.8	3.6	3.7
New England	1.2	1.8	3.2	3.5	3.7	4.7
Middle Atlantic	1.1	1.0	2.8	2.5	3.6	3.3
Midwest	1.2	0.9	3.0	2.9	3.8	3.6
East North Central	1.4	0.9	3.2	2.9	4.2	3.6
West North Central	0.9	0.8	2.4	3.0	2.9	3.7
South	1.2	1.3	3.1 ^a	2.4	4.0	3.4
South Atlantic	1.4	1.6	3.5	2.5	4.5	3.7
East South Central	1.6	1.0	2.6	2.1	3.6	2.7
West South Central	0.6	1.1	2.8	2.3	3.3	3.1
West	1.3	1.0	3.2	3.0	4.1	3.8
Mountain	0.7	1.0	3.6	3.4	4.0	4.1
Pacific	1.5	1.0	3.1	2.8	4.2	3.6
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	1.3	1.1	3.3	2.8	4.1	3.7
Small Metro	1.2	1.4	3.0	2.7	3.7	3.8
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	1.2	1.2	3.1	2.7	4.0	3.7
< 250K Pop.	1.1	1.8	2.8	2.7	3.3	4.0
Nonmetro	0.9	0.7	2.7	2.4	3.4	2.9
Urbanized	0.7	0.9	2.3	2.5	2.9	3.3
Less Urbanized	1.0	0.6	3.4	2.5	4.2 ^a	2.8
Completely Rural	0.5	0.3	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.9

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^bDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Estimates for 2002 and 2003 are based on a revised definition of county type and are not comparable with estimates by county type published in prior NSDUH reports.

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

Table 5.12A Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	3,855	3,680	7,695	7,051	10,425	9,832
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	757	763	1,414	1,341	1,911	1,925
New England	226	286	407	436	538	640
Middle Atlantic	531	477	1,006	905	1,372	1,285
Midwest	861	717	1,792	1,739	2,367	2,292
East North Central	658 ^a	512	1,339	1,212	1,775	1,591
West North Central	203	205	453	528	592	702
South	1,342	1,354	2,721 ^a	2,221	3,730 ^a	3,218
South Atlantic	771	765	1,534 ^a	1,202	2,136	1,780
East South Central	268	180	381	315	570	443
West South Central	302	410	806	704	1,023	995
West	895	846	1,768	1,750	2,417	2,397
Mountain	214	241	586	574	727	721
Pacific	681	605	1,181	1,176	1,690	1,676
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	2,206	1,999	4,184	3,771	5,734	5,304
Small Metro	1,162	1,234	2,351	2,228	3,139	3,149
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	756	747	1,532	1,455	2,082	2,019
< 250K Pop.	406	487	818	773	1,057	1,130
Nonmetro	487	447	1,160	1,053	1,552	1,380
Urbanized	182	253	429	509	581	697
Less Urbanized	263	177	653	466	863 ^a	600
Completely Rural	43	16	78	78	108	82

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

^aDifference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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¹ Estimates for 2002 and 2003 are based on a revised definition of county type and are not comparable with estimates by county type published in prior NSDUH reports.

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

Table 5.12B Substance Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002 and 2003

Geographic Characteristic	TYPE OF PAST YEAR DEPENDENCE					
	Any Illicit Drug		Alcohol		Any Illicit Drug or Alcohol	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
TOTAL	1.8	1.7	3.7	3.3	5.0	4.6
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	1.9	1.9	3.5	3.3	4.7	4.7
New England	2.1	2.7	3.8	4.1	5.1	6.0
Middle Atlantic	1.8	1.6	3.4	3.0	4.6	4.3
Midwest	1.8	1.5	3.8	3.6	5.0	4.8
East North Central	2.0 ^a	1.5	4.0	3.6	5.3	4.7
West North Central	1.4	1.4	3.2	3.7	4.1	4.9
South	1.8	1.8	3.6 ^a	2.9	5.0 ^a	4.2
South Atlantic	2.0	1.9	3.9 ^a	3.0	5.4	4.5
East South Central	2.1	1.4	3.0	2.5	4.5	3.5
West South Central	1.3	1.8	3.5	3.0	4.5	4.3
West	1.9	1.8	3.8	3.7	5.1	5.0
Mountain	1.6	1.7	4.3	4.1	5.3	5.2
Pacific	2.0	1.8	3.5	3.5	5.1	4.9
COUNTY TYPE¹						
Large Metro	2.0	1.8	3.7	3.3	5.1	4.7
Small Metro	1.9	1.9	3.8	3.5	5.1	4.9
250K - 1 Mil. Pop.	1.9	1.8	3.8	3.5	5.1	4.8
< 250K Pop.	1.9	2.2	3.8	3.5	4.9	5.1
Nonmetro	1.4	1.2	3.2	2.9	4.3	3.8
Urbanized	1.3	1.6	3.0	3.2	4.1	4.4
Less Urbanized	1.5	1.1	3.7	2.9	4.9 ^a	3.7
Completely Rural	1.1	0.4	2.0	2.1	2.7	2.2

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Any Illicit Drug includes marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or any prescription-type psychotherapeutic used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

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