

Table 3.13C Ease of Obtaining Marijuana, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Ease of Obtaining Marijuana (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining Marijuana ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	106	108	106	108
AGE				
12-13	50	49	50	49
14-15	60	64	60	64
16-17	56	55	56	55
GENDER				
Male	79	76	79	76
Female	75	76	75	76
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	95	94	95	94
White	81	79	81	79
Black or African American	39	43	39	43
American Indian or Alaska Native	8	9	8	9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	27	29	27	29
Two or More Races	12	13	12	13
Hispanic or Latino	50	49	50	49
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	79	84	79	84
Small Metro	55	55	55	55
Nonmetro	43	47	43	47
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	62	61	27	26
Marijuana	56	53	15	15
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	42	43	25	24
Cigarettes	63	64	28	29
Alcohol	71	69	33	36
Binge Alcohol ³	61	63	22	27
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	75	76	43	42
Marijuana	69	69	24	24
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	65	62	39	37
Cigarettes	76	73	40	39
Alcohol	78	82	54	55
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	83	80	52	53
Marijuana	77	78	29	29
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	79	71	49	48
Cigarettes	88	80	52	53
Alcohol	76	79	60	64

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining Marijuana ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44
AGE				
12-13	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61
14-15	0.74	0.76	0.74	0.76
16-17	0.69	0.68	0.69	0.68
GENDER				
Male	0.64	0.61	0.64	0.61
Female	0.62	0.63	0.62	0.63
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.46
White	0.53	0.52	0.53	0.52
Black or African American	1.08	1.16	1.08	1.16
American Indian or Alaska Native	4.62	5.57	4.62	5.57
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	2.88	2.98	2.88	2.98
Two or More Races	3.18	2.99	3.18	2.99
Hispanic or Latino	1.26	1.18	1.26	1.18
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.61	0.65	0.61	0.65
Small Metro	0.76	0.74	0.76	0.74
Nonmetro	1.02	1.13	1.02	1.13
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.47	0.47	0.24	0.22
Marijuana	0.43	0.41	0.13	0.13
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.32	0.34	0.22	0.20
Cigarettes	0.48	0.50	0.25	0.25
Alcohol	0.54	0.53	0.29	0.31
Binge Alcohol ³	0.47	0.49	0.19	0.23
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.58	0.59	0.38	0.36
Marijuana	0.53	0.54	0.21	0.20
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.50	0.48	0.34	0.32
Cigarettes	0.58	0.57	0.35	0.33
Alcohol	0.59	0.64	0.48	0.47
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.63	0.62	0.46	0.45
Marijuana	0.59	0.60	0.25	0.25
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.60	0.56	0.43	0.41
Cigarettes	0.67	0.62	0.46	0.45
Alcohol	0.58	0.62	0.53	0.55

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining Marijuana ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.0273		0.0273	
AGE				
12-13	0.0013		0.0013	
14-15	0.2830		0.2830	
16-17	0.6160		0.6160	
GENDER				
Male	0.6572		0.6572	
Female	0.0073		0.0073	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.0850		0.0850	
White	0.2427		0.2427	
Black or African American	0.0309		0.0309	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.3727		0.3727	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.4387		0.4387	
Two or More Races	0.7960		0.7960	
Hispanic or Latino	0.1671		0.1671	
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.2472		0.2472	
Small Metro	0.0127		0.0127	
Nonmetro	0.8141		0.8141	
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.2900		0.6994	
Marijuana	0.6743		0.9899	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.2449		0.8173	
Cigarettes	0.9909		0.7568	
Alcohol	0.3657		0.4893	
Binge Alcohol ³	0.1121		0.5631	
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.9594		0.0905	
Marijuana	0.9106		0.1519	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.9069		0.2681	
Cigarettes	0.9528		0.3132	
Alcohol	0.3075		0.3425	
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.6158		0.3941	
Marijuana	0.9809		0.3935	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.3461		0.6733	
Cigarettes	0.0776		0.0962	
Alcohol	0.8982		0.3515	

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining Cocaine ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	90	102	90	102
AGE				
12-13	41	43	41	43
14-15	51	56	51	56
16-17	59	64	59	64
GENDER				
Male	61	64	61	64
Female	64	70	64	70
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	77	86	77	86
White	64	69	64	69
Black or African American	36	40	36	40
American Indian or Alaska Native	5	6	5	6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	17	24	17	24
Two or More Races	11	12	11	12
Hispanic or Latino	44	45	44	45
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	71	77	71	77
Small Metro	45	56	45	56
Nonmetro	33	37	33	37
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	44	42	50	51
Marijuana	40	37	43	42
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	32	32	35	35
Cigarettes	44	45	54	54
Alcohol	49	47	66	63
Binge Alcohol ³	43	44	47	52
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	56	54	70	71
Marijuana	49	46	59	60
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	48	48	58	57
Cigarettes	49	48	71	69
Alcohol	54	56	88	84
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	58	55	79	82
Marijuana	52	50	69	69
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	54	52	71	71
Cigarettes	57	51	88	89
Alcohol	52	53	94	93

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	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.38	0.42	0.38	0.42
AGE				
12-13	0.51	0.54	0.51	0.54
14-15	0.64	0.67	0.64	0.67
16-17	0.74	0.81	0.74	0.81
GENDER				
Male	0.50	0.52	0.50	0.52
Female	0.55	0.59	0.55	0.59
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.38	0.43	0.38	0.43
White	0.43	0.46	0.43	0.46
Black or African American	1.01	1.10	1.01	1.10
American Indian or Alaska Native	3.06	3.52	3.06	3.52
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	1.81	2.56	1.81	2.56
Two or More Races	3.00	2.93	3.00	2.93
Hispanic or Latino	1.11	1.09	1.11	1.09
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.55	0.61	0.55	0.61
Small Metro	0.64	0.76	0.64	0.76
Nonmetro	0.81	0.90	0.81	0.90
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.74	0.71	0.28	0.28
Marijuana	0.66	0.63	0.24	0.23
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.54	0.54	0.19	0.19
Cigarettes	0.73	0.77	0.30	0.29
Alcohol	0.81	0.80	0.37	0.34
Binge Alcohol ³	0.72	0.74	0.26	0.28
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.92	0.90	0.39	0.39
Marijuana	0.81	0.78	0.33	0.33
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.80	0.81	0.32	0.31
Cigarettes	0.82	0.82	0.39	0.37
Alcohol	0.89	0.94	0.49	0.46
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.96	0.92	0.44	0.45
Marijuana	0.87	0.84	0.38	0.37
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.90	0.89	0.39	0.39
Cigarettes	0.95	0.87	0.49	0.48
Alcohol	0.86	0.89	0.52	0.51

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	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.2674		0.2674	
AGE				
12-13	0.0543		0.0543	
14-15	0.7307		0.7307	
16-17	0.9039		0.9039	
GENDER				
Male	0.7753		0.7753	
Female	0.2173		0.2173	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.5817		0.5817	
White	0.2718		0.2718	
Black or African American	0.4477		0.4477	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.8357		0.8357	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.0744		0.0744	
Two or More Races	0.0427		0.0427	
Hispanic or Latino	0.1498		0.1498	
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.2308		0.2308	
Small Metro	0.9177		0.9177	
Nonmetro	0.7349		0.7349	
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.3849		0.1849	
Marijuana	0.4626		0.5622	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.3833		0.3787	
Cigarettes	0.7927		0.2438	
Alcohol	0.4947		0.5304	
Binge Alcohol ³	0.4092		0.4320	
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.7921		0.1689	
Marijuana	0.9458		0.2982	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.6139		0.5660	
Cigarettes	0.6150		0.1070	
Alcohol	0.8982		0.6825	
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.4375		0.6975	
Marijuana	0.3922		0.4892	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.8021		0.7728	
Cigarettes	0.1486		0.0202	
Alcohol	0.7476		0.2222	

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	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	91	100	91	100
AGE				
12-13	44	46	44	46
14-15	51	58	51	58
16-17	58	59	58	59
GENDER				
Male	63	66	63	66
Female	71	69	71	69
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	81	85	81	85
White	66	67	66	67
Black or African American	38	41	38	41
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	7	7	7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	20	24	20	24
Two or More Races	11	13	11	13
Hispanic or Latino	43	42	43	42
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	72	76	72	76
Small Metro	44	54	44	54
Nonmetro	33	35	33	35
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	41	42	54	53
Marijuana	36	34	47	47
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	29	31	39	37
Cigarettes	40	42	58	58
Alcohol	48	48	67	67
Binge Alcohol ³	40	42	51	58
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	52	53	70	72
Marijuana	46	44	60	64
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	43	44	60	59
Cigarettes	48	48	73	73
Alcohol	56	53	88	86
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	58	55	82	84
Marijuana	52	49	72	69
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	53	50	71	74
Cigarettes	55	53	89	88
Alcohol	55	51	93	95

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	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.38	0.41	0.38	0.41
AGE				
12-13	0.54	0.57	0.54	0.57
14-15	0.64	0.69	0.64	0.69
16-17	0.73	0.75	0.73	0.75
GENDER				
Male	0.51	0.53	0.51	0.53
Female	0.60	0.58	0.60	0.58
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.40	0.42	0.40	0.42
White	0.44	0.45	0.44	0.45
Black or African American	1.05	1.14	1.05	1.14
American Indian or Alaska Native	3.88	4.18	3.88	4.18
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	2.15	2.52	2.15	2.52
Two or More Races	2.92	3.06	2.92	3.06
Hispanic or Latino	1.08	1.04	1.08	1.04
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.56	0.59	0.56	0.59
Small Metro	0.62	0.73	0.62	0.73
Nonmetro	0.79	0.87	0.79	0.87
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.65	0.69	0.30	0.29
Marijuana	0.57	0.56	0.26	0.26
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.46	0.50	0.22	0.20
Cigarettes	0.64	0.69	0.33	0.32
Alcohol	0.77	0.79	0.38	0.37
Binge Alcohol ³	0.63	0.69	0.29	0.32
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.83	0.87	0.40	0.40
Marijuana	0.73	0.73	0.34	0.35
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.69	0.72	0.34	0.32
Cigarettes	0.77	0.79	0.41	0.40
Alcohol	0.89	0.87	0.49	0.47
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.93	0.90	0.46	0.46
Marijuana	0.83	0.81	0.41	0.38
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.85	0.82	0.40	0.40
Cigarettes	0.88	0.88	0.50	0.49
Alcohol	0.87	0.84	0.53	0.52

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	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.0457		0.0457	
AGE				
12-13	0.0157		0.0157	
14-15	0.5938		0.5938	
16-17	0.2457		0.2457	
GENDER				
Male	0.5837		0.5837	
Female	0.0275		0.0275	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.2131		0.2131	
White	0.1574		0.1574	
Black or African American	0.3920		0.3920	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.6228		0.6228	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.6320		0.6320	
Two or More Races	0.0610		0.0610	
Hispanic or Latino	0.0319		0.0319	
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.0315		0.0315	
Small Metro	0.6398		0.6398	
Nonmetro	0.7582		0.7582	
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.6786		0.0287	
Marijuana	0.9326		0.3153	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.8115		0.0766	
Cigarettes	0.0660		0.0287	
Alcohol	0.3947		0.4987	
Binge Alcohol ³	0.1555		0.6591	
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.6479		0.0405	
Marijuana	0.7038		0.1635	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.5950		0.1445	
Cigarettes	0.0573		0.0121	
Alcohol	0.4493		0.4142	
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.7523		0.4899	
Marijuana	0.7660		0.2799	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.8463		0.9814	
Cigarettes	0.7396		0.0027	
Alcohol	0.8043		0.1645	

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

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Table 3.16C Ease of Obtaining Heroin, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Ease of Obtaining Heroin (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining Heroin ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	79	80	79	80
AGE				
12-13	36	33	36	33
14-15	45	46	45	46
16-17	48	55	48	55
GENDER				
Male	48	50	48	50
Female	60	58	60	58
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	65	67	65	67
White	53	54	53	54
Black or African American	33	35	33	35
American Indian or Alaska Native	4	5	4	5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	16	21	16	21
Two or More Races	8	11	8	11
Hispanic or Latino	36	37	36	37
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	63	63	63	63
Small Metro	39	41	39	41
Nonmetro	24	28	24	28
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	29	31	58	58
Marijuana	24	26	52	51
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	22	24	43	41
Cigarettes	28	32	64	66
Alcohol	32	35	74	73
Binge Alcohol ³	28	32	58	63
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	38	39	78	76
Marijuana	32	34	67	69
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	31	33	68	63
Cigarettes	34	35	80	80
Alcohol	39	41	92	93
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	43	40	90	88
Marijuana	38	37	77	78
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	38	37	82	77
Cigarettes	41	38	100	96
Alcohol	38	41	101	101

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

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Table 3.16D Ease of Obtaining Heroin, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Ease of Obtaining Heroin (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2003 and 2004

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining Heroin ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33
AGE				
12-13	0.45	0.41	0.45	0.41
14-15	0.57	0.55	0.57	0.55
16-17	0.60	0.70	0.60	0.70
GENDER				
Male	0.39	0.40	0.39	0.40
Female	0.51	0.49	0.51	0.49
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33
White	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36
Black or African American	0.92	0.97	0.92	0.97
American Indian or Alaska Native	2.19	2.94	2.19	2.94
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	1.69	2.18	1.69	2.18
Two or More Races	2.13	2.64	2.13	2.64
Hispanic or Latino	0.93	0.91	0.93	0.91
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.49
Small Metro	0.55	0.56	0.55	0.56
Nonmetro	0.58	0.68	0.58	0.68
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.79	0.93	0.29	0.28
Marijuana	0.67	0.78	0.25	0.25
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.61	0.70	0.21	0.20
Cigarettes	0.77	0.96	0.31	0.32
Alcohol	0.88	1.04	0.36	0.35
Binge Alcohol ³	0.76	0.94	0.28	0.30
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	1.05	1.15	0.38	0.37
Marijuana	0.88	0.99	0.33	0.33
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.84	0.99	0.34	0.30
Cigarettes	0.94	1.04	0.39	0.38
Alcohol	1.06	1.21	0.45	0.45
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	1.18	1.17	0.45	0.42
Marijuana	1.03	1.09	0.38	0.37
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	1.03	1.09	0.40	0.37
Cigarettes	1.11	1.11	0.49	0.46
Alcohol	1.05	1.20	0.50	0.48

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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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Table 3.16P Ease of Obtaining Heroin, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Ease of Obtaining Heroin (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: P Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2004 Versus 2003

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining Heroin ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.0063		0.0063	
AGE				
12-13	0.0082		0.0082	
14-15	0.0255		0.0255	
16-17	0.5682		0.5682	
GENDER				
Male	0.0806		0.0806	
Female	0.0209		0.0209	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.0121		0.0121	
White	0.0242		0.0242	
Black or African American	0.0252		0.0252	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.9803		0.9803	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.2645		0.2645	
Two or More Races	0.2810		0.2810	
Hispanic or Latino	0.1407		0.1407	
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.1116		0.1116	
Small Metro	0.0224		0.0224	
Nonmetro	0.3225		0.3225	
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.5676		0.0498	
Marijuana	0.4711		0.2138	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.2202		0.0458	
Cigarettes	0.0044		0.0546	
Alcohol	0.0860		0.3698	
Binge Alcohol ³	0.0697		0.7055	
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.1145		0.0309	
Marijuana	0.3544		0.1438	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.0957		0.1034	
Cigarettes	0.0091		0.0326	
Alcohol	0.0936		0.2981	
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.5763		0.3858	
Marijuana	0.6633		0.2066	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.4588		0.9311	
Cigarettes	0.1395		0.0006	
Alcohol	0.0521		0.0592	

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¹ Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2003 and 2004.

Table 3.17C Ease of Obtaining LSD, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Ease of Obtaining LSD (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining LSD ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	84	84	84	84
AGE				
12-13	33	33	33	33
14-15	46	50	46	50
16-17	56	55	56	55
GENDER				
Male	53	53	53	53
Female	63	63	63	63
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	70	74	70	74
White	61	60	61	60
Black or African American	28	32	28	32
American Indian or Alaska Native	4	5	4	5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	16	22	16	22
Two or More Races	11	11	11	11
Hispanic or Latino	40	37	40	37
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	63	65	63	65
Small Metro	46	47	46	47
Nonmetro	31	30	31	30
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	34	37	57	54
Marijuana	31	33	50	47
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	24	27	41	40
Cigarettes	36	38	61	60
Alcohol	41	44	70	69
Binge Alcohol ³	34	38	53	58
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	44	45	73	74
Marijuana	40	40	63	63
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	37	39	63	62
Cigarettes	40	40	79	74
Alcohol	44	49	90	89
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	47	45	87	84
Marijuana	43	44	73	71
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	42	43	77	75
Cigarettes	44	43	96	90
Alcohol	42	45	97	95

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Table 3.17D Ease of Obtaining LSD, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Ease of Obtaining LSD (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2003 and 2004

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining LSD ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.36	0.35	0.36	0.35
AGE				
12-13	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42
14-15	0.58	0.61	0.58	0.61
16-17	0.71	0.70	0.71	0.70
GENDER				
Male	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44
Female	0.55	0.54	0.55	0.54
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.36	0.37	0.36	0.37
White	0.42	0.41	0.42	0.41
Black or African American	0.80	0.88	0.80	0.88
American Indian or Alaska Native	2.64	2.99	2.64	2.99
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	1.76	2.40	1.76	2.40
Two or More Races	2.94	2.74	2.94	2.74
Hispanic or Latino	1.03	0.92	1.03	0.92
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.50	0.52	0.50	0.52
Small Metro	0.66	0.65	0.66	0.65
Nonmetro	0.75	0.74	0.75	0.74
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.83	0.92	0.29	0.27
Marijuana	0.74	0.81	0.25	0.24
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.58	0.67	0.21	0.20
Cigarettes	0.86	0.94	0.31	0.30
Alcohol	0.98	1.10	0.36	0.35
Binge Alcohol ³	0.83	0.94	0.27	0.29
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	1.06	1.11	0.37	0.37
Marijuana	0.95	1.00	0.33	0.32
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.89	0.96	0.32	0.31
Cigarettes	0.95	1.00	0.40	0.37
Alcohol	1.06	1.21	0.46	0.45
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	1.12	1.11	0.44	0.43
Marijuana	1.04	1.09	0.37	0.36
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	1.01	1.07	0.40	0.38
Cigarettes	1.07	1.08	0.49	0.45
Alcohol	1.01	1.10	0.50	0.48

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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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Table 3.17P Ease of Obtaining LSD, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Ease of Obtaining LSD (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2004 Versus 2003

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Ease of Obtaining LSD ¹			
	Fairly/Very Easy		Fairly/Very Difficult/Impossible	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
(I) Demographic Characteristic				
TOTAL	0.1927		0.1927	
AGE				
12-13	0.0412		0.0412	
14-15	0.6413		0.6413	
16-17	0.7384		0.7384	
GENDER				
Male	0.9458		0.9458	
Female	0.0943		0.0943	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.3287		0.3287	
White	0.1229		0.1229	
Black or African American	0.8632		0.8632	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.5799		0.5799	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.2782		0.2782	
Two or More Races	0.9644		0.9644	
Hispanic or Latino	0.3204		0.3204	
COUNTY TYPE				
Large Metro	0.2023		0.2023	
Small Metro	0.3932		0.3932	
Nonmetro	0.7193		0.7193	
(II) Substance Use				
PAST MONTH				
Illicit Drug ²	0.4919		0.0267	
Marijuana	0.4683		0.1430	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.4888		0.0657	
Cigarettes	0.1614		0.0788	
Alcohol	0.1659		0.3691	
Binge Alcohol ³	0.2638		0.4447	
PAST YEAR				
Illicit Drug ²	0.4980		0.0388	
Marijuana	0.7432		0.1714	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.4879		0.1575	
Cigarettes	0.0691		0.0285	
Alcohol	0.8998		0.6455	
LIFETIME				
Illicit Drug ²	0.8961		0.3278	
Marijuana	0.8481		0.1505	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	0.6887		0.9131	
Cigarettes	0.8490		0.0020	
Alcohol	0.7313		0.1416	

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