

Table 1.24A Marijuana Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	107,842 ^a	111,239	29,739 ^a	31,513	18,071	18,855
AGE						
12-17	4,378	4,232	3,553	3,363	1,967 ^a	1,800
18-25	17,796	18,052	10,554	10,887	6,526	6,485
26 or Older	85,668 ^a	88,955	15,632 ^a	17,263	9,578	10,571
GENDER						
Male	58,079 ^a	60,056	17,913 ^a	19,193	11,612	12,085
Female	49,762	51,183	11,827	12,320	6,459	6,770
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	95,877	97,803	25,604 ^a	27,026	15,594	16,340
White	78,197	79,911	19,871	20,778	12,009	12,468
Black or African American	12,104	12,549	3,835 ^a	4,413	2,546	2,800
American Indian or Alaska Native	723	710	241	235	122	136
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	177	81	73
Asian	2,342	2,253	675	643	362	318
Two or More Races	2,102	1,978	828	779	473	545
Hispanic or Latino	11,965 ^b	13,435	4,136	4,488	2,477	2,515

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

^a Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2011 and 2012.

Table 1.24B Marijuana Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	41.9	42.8	11.5 ^a	12.1	7.0	7.3
AGE						
12-17	17.5	17.0	14.2	13.5	7.9 ^a	7.2
18-25	51.9	52.2	30.8	31.5	19.0	18.7
26 or Older	43.2	44.4	7.9 ^a	8.6	4.8	5.3
GENDER						
Male	46.6	47.7	14.4	15.2	9.3	9.6
Female	37.4	38.1	8.9	9.2	4.9	5.0
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	43.9	44.5	11.7	12.3	7.1	7.4
White	46.2	47.1	11.7	12.3	7.1	7.4
Black or African American	40.0	40.9	12.7 ^a	14.4	8.4	9.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	50.6	49.2	16.9	16.3	8.6	9.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	16.4	8.7	6.8
Asian	18.9	17.6	5.4	5.0	2.9	2.5
Two or More Races	52.6	47.6	20.7	18.8	11.8	13.1
Hispanic or Latino	30.4 ^a	33.3	10.5	11.1	6.3	6.2

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Table 1.25A Marijuana Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	4,378	4,232	3,553	3,363	1,967 ^a	1,800
GENDER						
Male	2,387	2,266	1,933	1,799	1,151 ^b	951
Female	1,991	1,966	1,620	1,565	816	849
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	3,354	3,202	2,782	2,613	1,548	1,430
White	2,376	2,320	1,986	1,924	1,094	1,036
Black or African American	626	619	501	477	291	264
American Indian or Alaska Native	31	29	26	23	14	13
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	108 ^a	54	80	45	45	21
Two or More Races	193	161	178	133	99	87
Hispanic or Latino	1,023	1,030	771	750	420	370
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	1,311	1,239	1,081	1,028	625	552
Female, White, Not Hispanic	1,065	1,081	905	896	469	484
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	353	328	292	243	182	139
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	273	291	209	234	108	125
Male, Hispanic	552	553	416	408	255	191
Female, Hispanic	472	477	356	342	165	178

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Table 1.25B Marijuana Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	17.5	17.0	14.2	13.5	7.9 ^a	7.2
GENDER						
Male	18.7	17.8	15.1	14.1	9.0 ^b	7.5
Female	16.3	16.1	13.3	12.8	6.7	7.0
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	17.2	16.5	14.2	13.4	7.9	7.4
White	17.1	16.9	14.3	14.0	7.9	7.5
Black or African American	17.7	17.5	14.2	13.5	8.2	7.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	22.4	19.7	18.9	15.2	10.4	8.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	9.0 ^a	4.6	6.6	3.8	3.7	1.8
Two or More Races	26.9	21.9	24.8 ^a	18.2	13.8	11.9
Hispanic or Latino	18.9	18.8	14.2	13.7	7.7	6.7
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN						
Male, White, Not Hispanic	18.3	17.6	15.1	14.6	8.7	7.8
Female, White, Not Hispanic	15.8	16.1	13.4	13.4	7.0	7.2
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	20.0	18.4	16.6	13.6	10.4	7.8
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	15.4	16.7	11.8	13.5	6.1	7.2
Male, Hispanic	19.9	19.7	15.0	14.5	9.2 ^a	6.8
Female, Hispanic	17.8	17.8	13.4	12.8	6.2	6.6

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Table 1.26A Marijuana Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	17,796	18,052	10,554	10,887	6,526	6,485
GENDER						
Male	9,552	9,721	6,113	6,315	3,996	4,045
Female	8,244	8,332	4,441	4,573	2,530	2,440
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	14,569	14,744	8,690	9,027	5,353	5,412
White	11,066	11,019	6,509	6,589	3,980	3,870
Black or African American	2,266	2,465	1,470	1,633	959	1,084
American Indian or Alaska Native	144	171	79	92	46	42
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	622	527	361	337	208	168
Two or More Races	394	482	232 ^a	320	131 ^b	216
Hispanic or Latino	3,227	3,308	1,865	1,860	1,173	1,073
EDUCATION						
< High School	2,875	2,749	1,795	1,794	1,197	1,194
High School Graduate	6,051	5,956	3,572	3,572	2,288	2,253
Some College	6,379	6,667	3,980	4,105	2,402	2,347
College Graduate	2,491	2,679	1,207 ^a	1,417	638	690
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	6,821 ^b	7,423	3,501 ^b	3,951	2,143 ^a	2,392
Part-Time	4,990	5,006	3,201	3,282	1,950	1,945
Unemployed	2,491	2,398	1,694	1,630	1,134	1,026
Other ¹	3,495	3,225	2,158	2,025	1,299 ^a	1,121

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Table 1.26B Marijuana Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	51.9	52.2	30.8	31.5	19.0	18.7
GENDER						
Male	55.6	56.0	35.6	36.4	23.3	23.3
Female	48.1	48.3	25.9	26.5	14.8	14.1
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	53.5	53.7	31.9	32.9	19.6	19.7
White	56.4	56.4	33.2	33.7	20.3	19.8
Black or African American	48.2	50.2	31.3	33.3	20.4	22.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	67.0	64.4	36.8	34.5	21.5	15.8
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	33.1	29.6	19.2	18.9	11.1	9.4
Two or More Races	55.6	63.3	32.7 ^a	42.0	18.4 ^b	28.4
Hispanic or Latino	45.8	46.3	26.5	26.0	16.6	15.0
EDUCATION						
< High School	50.0	51.7	31.3	33.7	20.8	22.4
High School Graduate	51.8	50.5	30.6	30.3	19.6	19.1
Some College	53.3	54.0	33.3	33.2	20.1	19.0
College Graduate	50.8	52.2	24.6	27.6	13.0	13.5
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	54.6	55.1	28.0	29.3	17.2	17.8
Part-Time	53.3	53.3	34.2	34.9	20.8	20.7
Unemployed	55.6	58.4	37.8	39.7	25.3	25.0
Other ¹	43.9	42.3	27.1	26.6	16.3	14.7

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Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	85,668 ^a	88,955	15,632 ^a	17,263	9,578	10,571
GENDER						
Male	46,141 ^a	48,069	9,866 ^a	11,080	6,464	7,089
Female	39,527	40,886	5,765	6,183	3,114	3,482
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	77,954	79,858	14,132 ^a	15,385	8,694	9,498
White	64,755	66,571	11,376	12,265	6,935	7,562
Black or African American	9,213	9,465	1,863 ^a	2,303	1,296	1,452
American Indian or Alaska Native	548	509	135	120	62	81
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	32
Asian	1,611	1,672	235	260	109	130
Two or More Races	1,515	1,335	418	326	244	242
Hispanic or Latino	7,714 ^b	9,097	1,500	1,878	884	1,073
EDUCATION						
< High School	8,360	9,101	2,405	2,838	1,685	1,902
High School Graduate	23,734	24,866	4,245 ^a	4,926	2,718	3,227
Some College	25,086	25,531	4,722	4,512	2,933	2,747
College Graduate	28,487	29,457	4,259	4,987	2,242	2,694
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	52,360	54,093	8,968	9,686	5,247	5,749
Part-Time	10,309	10,812	1,897	2,246	1,237	1,402
Unemployed	4,900 ^a	5,695	1,325	1,569	820	972
Other ¹	18,099	18,355	3,441	3,762	2,273	2,447

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Table 1.27B Marijuana Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	43.2	44.4	7.9 ^a	8.6	4.8	5.3
GENDER						
Male	48.7	50.2	10.4 ^a	11.6	6.8	7.4
Female	38.1	39.0	5.6	5.9	3.0	3.3
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	45.5	46.2	8.2	8.9	5.1	5.5
White	47.7	48.8	8.4	9.0	5.1	5.5
Black or African American	41.8	42.5	8.5	10.3	5.9	6.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	51.0	49.5	12.6	11.7	5.7	7.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	4.0
Asian	17.3	17.0	2.5	2.7	1.2	1.3
Two or More Races	59.0	50.2	16.3	12.3	9.5	9.1
Hispanic or Latino	28.6 ^a	32.9	5.6	6.8	3.3	3.9
EDUCATION						
< High School	30.7	31.5	8.8	9.8	6.2	6.6
High School Graduate	40.9	42.9	7.3 ^a	8.5	4.7	5.6
Some College	50.4	50.8	9.5	9.0	5.9	5.5
College Graduate	45.0	46.4	6.7 ^a	7.9	3.5	4.2
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	50.7	51.9	8.7	9.3	5.1	5.5
Part-Time	44.7	46.3	8.2	9.6	5.4	6.0
Unemployed	53.8 ^a	60.1	14.5	16.6	9.0	10.3
Other ¹	28.8	28.9	5.5	5.9	3.6	3.9

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Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	103,464 ^a	107,007	26,186 ^b	28,150	16,103	17,055
GENDER						
Male	55,692 ^a	57,790	15,980 ^a	17,394	10,460	11,134
Female	47,771	49,217	10,207	10,756	5,643	5,922
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	92,522	94,601	22,822 ^a	24,412	14,047	14,910
White	75,821	77,590	17,885	18,854	10,915	11,431
Black or African American	11,478	11,931	3,333 ^a	3,936	2,255	2,536
American Indian or Alaska Native	693	680	215	212	108	123
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	166	*	65
Asian	2,234	2,199	596	598	318	297
Two or More Races	1,909	1,817	650	646	374	458
Hispanic or Latino	10,941 ^b	12,405	3,364	3,738	2,057	2,145
EDUCATION						
< High School	11,235	11,850	4,200	4,631	2,882	3,096
High School Graduate	29,786	30,823	7,817	8,498	5,006	5,480
Some College	31,465	32,198	8,702	8,616	5,335	5,095
College Graduate	30,978	32,136	5,466 ^a	6,404	2,880	3,384
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	59,181	61,516	12,470 ^a	13,637	7,390	8,141
Part-Time	15,298	15,818	5,098	5,528	3,187	3,347
Unemployed	7,391	8,093	3,019	3,199	1,954	1,998
Other ¹	21,594	21,580	5,599	5,786	3,572	3,569

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Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	44.5	45.5	11.3 ^a	12.0	6.9	7.3
GENDER						
Male	49.8	51.1	14.3 ^a	15.4	9.4	9.8
Female	39.6	40.4	8.5	8.8	4.7	4.9
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	46.6	47.2	11.5 ^a	12.2	7.1	7.4
White	48.8	49.8	11.5	12.1	7.0	7.3
Black or African American	42.9	43.9	12.5 ^a	14.5	8.4	9.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	53.6	52.6	16.6	16.4	8.4	9.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	16.9	*	6.6
Asian	19.9	19.0	5.3	5.2	2.8	2.6
Two or More Races	58.2	53.1	19.8	18.9	11.4	13.4
Hispanic or Latino	32.2 ^a	35.6	9.9	10.7	6.1	6.2
EDUCATION						
< High School	34.0	34.6	12.7	13.5	8.7	9.0
High School Graduate	42.7	44.2	11.2	12.2	7.2	7.9
Some College	51.0	51.5	14.1	13.8	8.6	8.1
College Graduate	45.4	46.9	8.0 ^a	9.3	4.2	4.9
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT						
Full-Time	51.1	52.3	10.8	11.6	6.4	6.9
Part-Time	47.2	48.3	15.7	16.9	9.8	10.2
Unemployed	54.4 ^a	59.6	22.2	23.6	14.4	14.7
Other ¹	30.5	30.3	7.9	8.1	5.0	5.0

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