

**Table 3.5A Perceived That Obtaining Specific Illicit Drugs Would Be Fairly or Very Easy among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic and Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2010 and 2011**

Demographic/ Geographic Characteristic	Marijuana (2010)	Marijuana (2011)	Cocaine (2010)	Cocaine (2011)	Crack (2010)	Crack (2011)	Heroin (2010)	Heroin (2011)	LSD (2010)	LSD (2011)
<b>TOTAL</b>	11,516	11,544	4,420 <sup>a</sup>	4,178	4,653 <sup>b</sup>	4,331	2,679	2,542	2,925	2,851
<b>AGE</b>										
12-13	1,540	1,443	836	763	1,028 <sup>b</sup>	864	571	510	376	370
14-15	4,140	4,126	1,555	1,442	1,722	1,584	973	902	1,057	955
16-17	5,837	5,975	2,030	1,973	1,903	1,884	1,135	1,130	1,492	1,527
<b>GENDER</b>										
Male	5,844	5,760	1,881 <sup>b</sup>	1,677	1,871 <sup>a</sup>	1,676	1,112	1,029	1,256	1,210
Female	5,673	5,784	2,539	2,501	2,782	2,655	1,567	1,513	1,669	1,641
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>										
Not Hispanic or Latino	9,142	9,040	3,352 <sup>a</sup>	3,138	3,661 <sup>b</sup>	3,309	2,100	1,941	2,240	2,243
White	6,788	6,638	2,355	2,234	2,527 <sup>a</sup>	2,313	1,421	1,373	1,723	1,739
Black or African American	1,673	1,587	730	628	823 <sup>a</sup>	701	494 <sup>b</sup>	385	348	303
American Indian or Alaska Native	61	62	21	18	17	19	10	13	9	15
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	306	357	125	122	145	145	83	84	73	101
Two or More Races	288 <sup>a</sup>	361	114	126	142	118	87	75	82	78
Hispanic or Latino	2,374	2,504	1,068	1,040	992	1,022	579	601	685	608
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>										
Large Metro	6,285	6,290	2,448	2,282	2,521 <sup>a</sup>	2,307	1,467	1,389	1,614	1,615
Small Metro	3,508	3,645	1,339	1,339	1,427	1,393	810	796	924	873
Nonmetro	1,724	1,609	632	557	705	631	402	356	387	363

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Some 2010 estimates may differ from previously published estimates due to updates (see Section B.3 in Appendix B of the *Results from the 2011 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: National Findings*).

NOTE: Response categories for the Perceived Availability questions include "Probably impossible," "Very difficult," "Fairly difficult," "Fairly easy," and "Very easy." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "Fairly easy" or "Very easy." Respondents with unknown Perceived Availability data were excluded.

<sup>a</sup> Difference between estimate and 2011 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

<sup>b</sup> Difference between estimate and 2011 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2010 and 2011.

**Table 3.5B Perceived That Obtaining Specific Illicit Drugs Would Be Fairly or Very Easy among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic and Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2010 and 2011**

Demographic/ Geographic Characteristic	Marijuana (2010)	Marijuana (2011)	Cocaine (2010)	Cocaine (2011)	Crack (2010)	Crack (2011)	Heroin (2010)	Heroin (2011)	LSD (2010)	LSD (2011)
<b>TOTAL</b>	48.9	47.7	19.1 <sup>b</sup>	17.5	20.1 <sup>b</sup>	18.2	11.6 <sup>a</sup>	10.7	13.0	12.2
<b>AGE</b>										
12-13	20.6	19.3	11.3	10.3	13.9 <sup>b</sup>	11.7	7.8	7.0	5.3	5.2
14-15	53.0 <sup>b</sup>	50.0	20.3 <sup>b</sup>	17.7	22.4 <sup>b</sup>	19.4	12.8 <sup>a</sup>	11.1	14.1 <sup>b</sup>	12.0
16-17	70.5	70.7	25.0	23.8	23.5	22.7	14.1	13.7	18.7	18.6
<b>GENDER</b>										
Male	48.4 <sup>a</sup>	46.5	15.8 <sup>b</sup>	13.7	15.8 <sup>b</sup>	13.7	9.4	8.5	10.8	10.1
Female	49.4	49.0	22.5	21.5	24.7 <sup>a</sup>	22.8	14.0	13.1	15.3	14.5
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>										
Not Hispanic or Latino	48.6	47.7	18.1 <sup>a</sup>	16.8	19.8 <sup>b</sup>	17.7	11.4 <sup>a</sup>	10.5	12.4	12.3
White	49.6	49.2	17.5	16.8	18.8 <sup>a</sup>	17.4	10.6	10.4	13.2	13.4
Black or African American	48.6	46.4	21.7 <sup>a</sup>	18.6	24.4 <sup>a</sup>	20.8	14.7 <sup>b</sup>	11.5	10.6	9.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	47.2	48.4	16.6	13.9	13.2	14.9	7.7	10.1	7.1	11.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	30.7	30.6	12.7	10.6	14.8	12.7	8.5	7.4	7.7	9.0
Two or More Races	56.1	52.0	22.6	18.6	28.0 <sup>b</sup>	17.4	17.3 <sup>a</sup>	11.1	16.6	11.9
Hispanic or Latino	50.2	47.9	22.9 <sup>a</sup>	20.1	21.3	19.7	12.5	11.7	15.1 <sup>b</sup>	12.0
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>										
Large Metro	49.9	48.7	19.7 <sup>a</sup>	17.9	20.3 <sup>b</sup>	18.1	11.9	11.0	13.4	13.0
Small Metro	48.2	48.1	18.7	18.0	19.9	18.7	11.4	10.7	13.2	12.0
Nonmetro	47.0 <sup>a</sup>	43.4	17.6 <sup>a</sup>	15.3	19.6 <sup>a</sup>	17.2	11.2	9.8	11.0	10.2

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