

**Table 2.45A Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month and Binge Alcohol and Heavy Alcohol Use in Past Month: Among People Aged 21 or Older; by Demographic Characteristics, Numbers in Thousands, 2019 and 2020**

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2019)	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2020)
<b>TOTAL</b>	205,859	207,264	166,379	166,604	132,681	132,489	61,623	58,136	15,218	17,063
<b>GENDER</b>										
Male	102,652	102,125	83,380	82,765	69,116	67,734	34,406	31,804	9,725	10,757
Female	103,207	105,139	82,998	83,838	63,565	64,754	27,218	26,332	5,494	6,306
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>										
Not Hispanic or Latino	175,208	175,918	141,564	141,149	113,994	113,209	50,997	47,419	13,287	14,615
White	138,583	139,003	112,303	111,232	91,305	90,663	39,963	37,307	11,177	11,968
Black or African American	22,139	22,545	17,490	18,265	13,628	14,454	7,245	6,720	1,186	1,815
AIAN	*	1,172	703	842	464	*	298	*	72	*
NHOPI	640	*	511	*	444	*	253	*	43	24
Asian	9,209	8,662	7,627	7,324	5,731	5,225	1,989	1,849	358	344
Two or More Races	3,623	3,851	2,929	2,998	2,421	2,069	1,249	1,008	451	343
Hispanic or Latino	30,650	31,346	24,814	25,455	18,687	19,280	10,627	10,717	1,931	2,449
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>										
Male, White, Not Hispanic	68,399	67,820	55,691	54,558	47,179	45,734	22,445	20,674	7,251	7,667
Female, White, Not Hispanic	70,184	71,183	56,612	56,675	44,126	44,930	17,517	16,633	3,926	4,301
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	10,420	10,073	8,170	8,175	6,591	6,714	3,677	2,974	665	887
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	11,720	12,472	9,320	10,091	7,037	7,741	3,568	3,745	521	928
Male, Hispanic	16,244	16,748	13,398	13,899	10,587	10,836	6,184	6,365	1,239	1,779
Female, Hispanic	14,407	14,597	11,416	11,556	8,100	8,443	4,442	4,351	692	670

\* = low precision; -- = not available; da = does not apply; nc = not comparable due to methodological changes; nr = not reported due to measurement issues.

NOTE: Estimates in the 2020 column are italicized to indicate caution should be used when comparing estimates between 2020 and prior years because of methodological changes for 2020. Due to these changes, significance testing between 2020 and prior years was not performed. See the *2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions* for details.

NOTE: Estimates of binge alcohol use include use by those who were heavy alcohol users.

Definitions: Measures and terms are defined in Appendix A.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2019 and Quarters 1 and 4, 2020.

**Table 2.45B Alcohol Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month and Binge Alcohol and Heavy Alcohol Use in Past Month: Among People Aged 21 or Older; by Demographic Characteristics, Percentages, 2019 and 2020**

Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2019)	Lifetime Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Year Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Binge Alcohol Use (2020)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2019)	Past Month Heavy Alcohol Use (2020)
<b>TOTAL</b>	86.8	86.5	70.2	69.6	55.9	55.3	26.0	24.3	6.4	7.1
<b>GENDER</b>										
Male	90.0	88.7	73.1	71.9	60.6	58.8	30.2	27.6	8.5	9.3
Female	83.9	84.6	67.5	67.4	51.7	52.1	22.1	21.2	4.5	5.1
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>										
Not Hispanic or Latino	88.0	87.8	71.1	70.4	57.3	56.5	25.6	23.7	6.7	7.3
White	91.8	91.4	74.4	73.1	60.5	59.6	26.5	24.5	7.4	7.9
Black or African American	78.9	78.9	62.4	63.9	48.6	50.6	25.8	23.5	4.2	6.4
AIAN	*	86.8	53.5	62.4	35.3	*	22.7	*	5.5	*
NHOPI	70.2	*	56.1	*	48.7	*	27.7	*	4.7	2.6
Asian	66.5	65.1	55.1	55.1	41.4	39.3	14.4	13.9	2.6	2.6
Two or More Races	90.5	91.5	73.2	71.3	60.5	49.2	31.2	24.0	11.3	8.2
Hispanic or Latino	80.5	80.3	65.2	65.2	49.1	49.4	27.9	27.4	5.1	6.3
<b>GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>										
Male, White, Not Hispanic	93.4	92.0	76.1	74.0	64.4	62.0	30.7	28.0	9.9	10.4
Female, White, Not Hispanic	90.3	90.9	72.9	72.3	56.8	57.3	22.5	21.2	5.1	5.5
Male, Black, Not Hispanic	82.3	79.4	64.6	64.4	52.1	52.9	29.1	23.4	5.3	7.0
Female, Black, Not Hispanic	76.2	78.6	60.6	63.6	45.7	48.8	23.2	23.6	3.4	5.8
Male, Hispanic	86.2	86.6	71.1	71.9	56.2	56.1	32.8	32.9	6.6	9.2
Female, Hispanic	74.9	74.1	59.3	58.6	42.1	42.8	23.1	22.1	3.6	3.4

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