

Table 6.8a Ecstasy use in the Netherlands in seven samples: Amsterdam, Rotterdam, and five categories of address density municipalities, 1997 and 2001 (weighted percentages)

Ecstasy Age group Lifetime use	The Netherlands						Highest address density					
	1997		2001		Amsterdam		Rotterdam		Other		Total highest a.d.	
	%	Unw. n	%	Unw. n	1997	2001	1997	2001	1997	2001	1997	2001
12-15 yrs	0.3	9	0.5	11	0.3	1.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.7
16-19 yrs	4.8	156	5.5	102	7.7	6.0	5.2	4.7	7.4	6.6	7.0	6.0
20-24 yrs	6.2	123	13.6	166	13.4	18.4	6.4	11.7	7.7	16.9	8.8	16.2
25-29 yrs	5.5	144	7.1	136	15.8	14.9	4.5	11.0	5.4	10.8	8.1	12.1
30-34 yrs	2.4	96	5.0	150	12.6	18.4	6.8	5.2	3.7	9.9	7.0	11.6
35-39 yrs	1.6	53	2.6	73	8.7	11.6	1.1	6.3	2.6	5.0	4.1	7.2
40-49 yrs	0.8	39	1.0	64	4.5	6.6	0.5	4.5	0.9	2.8	1.8	4.2
50-59 yrs	0.0	4	0.6	16	0.9	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.2	1.0
60-69 yrs	0.1	1	0.0	2	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
70 yrs a.o.	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<i>Last month use</i>												
12-15 yrs	0.0	1	0.2	3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
16-19 yrs	0.8	22	1.6	32	1.6	2.1	0.0	2.1	1.1	2.1	1.0	2.1
20-24 yrs	1.2	28	2.5	31	3.9	3.5	0.0	1.9	1.6	3.3	1.9	3.1
25-29 yrs	0.9	27	0.8	20	2.9	2.2	0.5	1.8	1.2	2.4	1.6	2.2
30-34 yrs	0.1	8	0.7	15	1.5	1.6	0.0	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8
35-39 yrs	0.2	6	0.3	7	0.6	0.3	0.0	1.3	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.7
40-49 yrs	0.0	3	0.1	11	0.4	1.0	0.0	2.0	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.9
50-59 yrs	0.0	0	0.2	4	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.3
60-69 yrs	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
70 yrs a.o.	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<i>Total population</i>												
Lifetime use	1.9	625	2.9	720	7.0	8.7	2.2	4.3	2.6	5.3	3.6	6.0
Last month use	0.3	95	0.5	123	1.1	1.1	0.1	1.0	0.5	0.9	0.6	1.0
Last month continuation	14.0		17.1		15.8	12.8	-	23.1	19.4	17.8	15.4	16.7
Experienced use	25.4		29.8		17.7	24.7	-	37.9	25.6	29.0	22.0	28.6
Mean age of first use	23.4		22.4		26.4	25.9	-	23.9	23.2	23.0	24.8	24.2
Total respondents	21,959		17,655		3,710	3,934	2,320	2,547	6,766	2,330	12,796	8,811

Source: Manja D. Abraham, Hendrien L. Kaal, & Peter D.A. Cohen (2002), *Licit and Illicit Drug Use in the Netherlands, 2001*.
 Amsterdam: CEDRO / Mets & Schilt, p. 191.

Table 6.8b Ecstasy use in the Netherlands in seven samples: Amsterdam, Rotterdam, and five categories of address density municipalities, 1997 and 2001 (weighted percentages) (continued)

<i>Ecstasy</i>										
<i>Age group</i>	<i>Highest a.d.</i>		<i>High a.d.</i>		<i>Moderate a.d.</i>		<i>Low a.d.</i>		<i>Lowest a.d.</i>	
<i>Lifetime use</i>	1997	2001	1997	2001	1997	2001	1997	2001	1997	2001
12-15 yrs	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.7	0.0	1.3
16-19 yrs	7.0	6.0	4.6	7.2	4.6	5.6	4.2	3.8	3.9	4.4
20-24 yrs	8.8	16.2	4.1	16.5	7.6	15.9	4.5	9.6	6.3	3.5
25-29 yrs	8.1	12.1	4.2	8.6	6.5	4.4	5.3	3.8	2.6	3.2
30-34 yrs	7.0	11.6	1.0	5.6	1.8	2.5	0.9	1.3	1.3	2.7
35-39 yrs	4.1	7.2	2.0	1.9	0.0	0.6	1.0	2.9	1.3	0.8
40-49 yrs	1.8	4.2	1.0	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.4	1.1
50-59 yrs	0.2	1.0	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4
60-69 yrs	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0
70 yrs a.o.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<i>Last month use</i>										
12-15 yrs	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.5
16-19 yrs	1.0	2.1	1.3	1.3	0.5	2.2	0.6	1.2	0.6	1.3
20-24 yrs	1.9	3.1	0.0	2.9	2.5	2.5	0.9	2.3	0.8	0.9
25-29 yrs	1.6	2.2	0.0	0.0	1.8	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.6	1.3
30-34 yrs	0.6	0.8	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8
35-39 yrs	0.5	0.7	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.0
40-49 yrs	0.2	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
50-59 yrs	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
60-69 yrs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
70 yrs a.o.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<i>Total population</i>										
Lifetime use	3.6	6.0	1.5	3.4	1.7	2.1	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.4
Last month use	0.6	1.0	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.3
Last month continuation	15.4	16.7	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Experienced use	22.0	28.6	-	30.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mean age of first use	24.8	24.2	-	21.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total respondents	12,796	8,811	2,295	2,640	2,276	2,123	2,288	2,149	2,304	1,932

Source: Manja D. Abraham, Hendrien L. Kaal, & Peter D.A. Cohen (2002), *Licit and Illicit Drug Use in the Netherlands, 2001*.

Amsterdam: CEDRO / Mets & Schilt, p. 192.

Table 6.8c Ecstasy use in the Netherlands in seven samples: Amsterdam, Rotterdam, and five categories of address density municipalities, 2001
 (index figures: 1997 = 100)

<i>Ecstasy</i> <i>Age group</i>	<i>The Netherlands</i>	<i>Highest address density</i>			<i>Total</i>	<i>High a.d.</i>	<i>Moderate a.d.</i>	<i>Low a.d.</i>	<i>Lowest a.d.</i>
<i>Lifetime use</i>		<i>Amsterdam</i>	<i>Rotterdam</i>	<i>Other</i>					
12-15 yrs	148	*	*	132	207	*	*	132	*
16-19 yrs	116	78	90	90	87	156	123	90	112
20-24 yrs	220	136	182	220	184	401	209	213	55
25-29 yrs	130	95	245	200	148	206	67	72	123
30-34 yrs	207	146	77	272	165	550	135	142	215
35-39 yrs	161	133	556	191	176	92	*	303	59
40-49 yrs	119	147	*	296	229	28	54	0	317
50-59 yrs	1,636	*	*	*	428	*	*	*	*
60-69 yrs	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
70 yrs a.o.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<i>Total population</i>									
Lifetime use	157	125	195	205	165	228	124	116	111
Last month use	191	101	1,649	184	176	608	96	152	240
Last month continuation	122	81	-	92	108	-	-	-	-
Experienced use	117	139	-	113	130	-	-	-	-
Mean age of first use	96	98	-	99	98	-	-	-	-
Total respondents	17,655	3,934	2,547	2,330	8,811	2,640	2,123	2,149	1,932

Source: Manja D. Abraham, Hendrien L. Kaal, & Peter D.A. Cohen (2002), *Licit and Illicit Drug Use in the Netherlands, 2001*.
 Amsterdam: CEDRO / Mets & Schilt. p. 193.