Table 2.57A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	46,269	45,936	11,746	12,040	8,243	9,036
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	5,905	5,914	1,424	1,410	880	949
New England	1,648	1,645	410	313	234	179
Middle Atlantic	4,257	4,269	1,014	1,097	646	770
Midwest	11,526	11,948	3,386	3,275	2,416	2,491
East North Central	7,284	7,581	2,161	2,044	1,498	1,516
West North Central	4,242	4,367	1,225	1,231	918	975
South	18,807	18,280	4,763	5,059	3,497	3,984
South Atlantic	8,936	8,758	2,034	2,016	1,517	1,565
East South Central	3,661	3,570	1,108	1,210	843	991
West South Central	6,210	5,952	1,621	1,833	1,137 ^a	1,429
West	10,032	9,794	2,173	2,297	1,449	1,612
Mountain	3,588	3,759	901	1,019	658	778
Pacific	6,443	6,035	1,272	1,278	791	834
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	20,188	19,333	4,330	4,307	2,773	2,994
Small Metro	16,182	15,385	4,398	4,067	3,195	3,052
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	10,280	9,550	2,707	2,370	1,920	1,741
< 250K Pop.	5,902	5,835	1,691	1,697	1,275	1,311
Nonmetro	9,899 ^a	11,218	3,018 ^b	3,666	2,276 ^b	2,990
Urbanized	3,585 ^a	4,190	1,137 ^a	1,439	737 ^b	1,147
Less Urbanized	5,131	5,460	1,488	1,675	1,197	1,371
Completely Rural	1,183	1,568	393	553	342	472

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.57B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	18.0	17.7	4.6	4.6	3.2	3.5
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	12.6	12.5	3.0	3.0	1.9	2.0
New England	13.4	13.3	3.3	2.5	1.9	1.4
Middle Atlantic	12.3	12.3	2.9	3.2	1.9	2.2
Midwest	20.7	21.4	6.1	5.9	4.3	4.5
East North Central	18.8	19.5	5.6	5.3	3.9	3.9
West North Central	25.0	25.5	7.2	7.2	5.4	5.7
South	19.8	19.0	5.0	5.2	3.7	4.1
South Atlantic	17.8	17.2	4.1	4.0	3.0	3.1
East South Central	23.9	23.2	7.2	7.9	5.5	6.4
West South Central	20.9	19.8	5.5	6.1	3.8	4.7
West	16.8	16.2	3.6	3.8	2.4	2.7
Mountain	19.8	20.4	5.0	5.5	3.6	4.2
Pacific	15.5	14.3	3.1	3.0	1.9	2.0
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	14.8	13.9	3.2	3.1	2.0	2.1
Small Metro	20.1	19.6	5.5	5.2	4.0	3.9
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	18.9	18.1	5.0	4.5	3.5	3.3
< 250K Pop.	22.6	22.8	6.5	6.6	4.9	5.1
Nonmetro	24.6	26.6	7.5 ^a	8.7	5.7 ^b	7.1
Urbanized	21.3	22.7	6.8	7.8	4.4 ^b	6.2
Less Urbanized	26.8	28.7	7.8	8.8	6.2	7.2
Completely Rural	28.2	32.9	9.4	11.6	8.1	9.9

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.58A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	1,688	1,586	1,125 ^a	971	517	515
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	269 ^b	185	198 ^b	129	84	61
New England	71	49	51	35	19	15
Middle Atlantic	199 ^a	136	147 ^a	94	66	46
Midwest	440	407	301	256	144	144
East North Central	280	251	183	157	92	92
West North Central	160	157	118	99	52	52
South	703	709	429	413	207	232
South Atlantic	317	306	189	183	87	106
East South Central	177	177	108	97	61	58
West South Central	209	226	132	133	59	68
West	275	285	197	173	81	79
Mountain	121	106	82	73	30	42
Pacific	154	179	116	100	51	37
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	619	548	409	340	170	166
Small Metro	569	523	406 ^a	323	181	176
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	350	309	254	201	99	113
< 250K Pop.	219	214	153	122	82	63
Nonmetro	500	515	310	308	166	174
Urbanized	172	172	104	99	52	56
Less Urbanized	268	265	168	165	91	94
Completely Rural	60	78	38	43	23	25

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.58B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	6.8	6.4	4.5 ^a	3.9	2.1	2.1
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	6.3 ^b	4.4	4.6 ^b	3.1	2.0	1.4
New England	6.4	4.4	4.6	3.2	1.7	1.4
Middle Atlantic	6.3 ^a	4.4	4.6 ^a	3.0	2.1	1.5
Midwest	8.1	7.5	5.5	4.7	2.7	2.7
East North Central	7.4	6.6	4.8	4.2	2.4	2.4
West North Central	9.8	9.6	7.2	6.0	3.2	3.2
South	7.6	7.6	4.6	4.4	2.2	2.5
South Atlantic	6.9	6.6	4.1	3.9	1.9	2.3
East South Central	12.0	12.0	7.3	6.6	4.1	3.9
West South Central	6.6	7.1	4.2	4.2	1.9	2.1
West	4.6	4.8	3.3	2.9	1.4	1.3
Mountain	6.6	5.7	4.4	3.9	1.6	2.3
Pacific	3.7	4.3	2.8	2.4	1.2	0.9
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	4.6	4.0	3.1 ^a	2.5	1.3	1.2
Small Metro	7.3	7.1	5.2	4.4	2.3	2.4
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	6.5	6.0	4.7	3.9	1.8	2.2
< 250K Pop.	8.9	9.3	6.2	5.3	3.3	2.7
Nonmetro	13.1	13.1	8.1	7.9	4.3	4.4
Urbanized	10.2	9.5	6.2	5.5	3.1	3.1
Less Urbanized	15.2	15.6	9.5	9.7	5.1	5.5
Completely Rural	16.7	18.9	10.6	10.5	6.5	5.9

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.59A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	7,002	6,891	3,219	3,109	1,867	1,911
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	1,022	1,057	427	463	214	253
New England	304	276	141	138	65	66
Middle Atlantic	718	781	286	325	149	187
Midwest	1,901	1,833	926	878	542	560
East North Central	1,193	1,145	579	555	328	344
West North Central	708	688	347	322	214	216
South	2,563	2,603	1,200	1,189	761	790
South Atlantic	1,174	1,251	557	545	356	352
East South Central	529	490	249	242	176	187
West South Central	860	862	394	403	228	251
West	1,515	1,398	666	579	350	308
Mountain	563	574	244	247	135	142
Pacific	952	824	422	333	215	166
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	2,971	2,957	1,348	1,195	698	679
Small Metro	2,589	2,436	1,136	1,152	665	697
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	1,597 ^a	1,395	678	673	412	412
< 250K Pop.	992	1,040	458	479	253	285
Nonmetro	1,442	1,499	735	762	505	535
Urbanized	621	635	310	321	207	225
Less Urbanized	661	688	326	354	224	256
Completely Rural	160	177	99	87	74	55

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.59B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	20.4	19.9	9.4	9.0	5.4	5.5
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	16.7	17.2	7.0	7.5	3.5	4.1
New England	19.0	17.1	8.8	8.5	4.1	4.1
Middle Atlantic	15.9	17.2	6.3	7.2	3.3	4.1
Midwest	25.9	24.9	12.6	11.9	7.4	7.6
East North Central	23.6	22.6	11.4	10.9	6.5	6.8
West North Central	31.1	30.1	15.2	14.1	9.4	9.4
South	20.3	20.4	9.5	9.3	6.0	6.2
South Atlantic	18.2	19.2	8.6	8.3	5.5	5.4
East South Central	26.3	24.2	12.4	12.0	8.8	9.3
West South Central	20.7	20.5	9.5	9.6	5.5	6.0
West	18.4	16.8	8.1	7.0	4.3	3.7
Mountain	22.8	23.0	9.9	9.9	5.5	5.7
Pacific	16.5	14.2	7.3	5.7	3.7	2.9
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	16.1	15.6	7.3 ^a	6.3	3.8	3.6
Small Metro	23.2	22.5	10.2	10.7	6.0	6.4
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	22.5 ^a	20.2	9.6	9.8	5.8	6.0
< 250K Pop.	24.4	26.5	11.3	12.2	6.2	7.3
Nonmetro	30.4	30.9	15.5	15.7	10.6	11.0
Urbanized	28.1	28.6	14.0	14.5	9.4	10.1
Less Urbanized	31.6	31.5	15.6	16.2	10.7	11.7
Completely Rural	36.0	39.5	22.3	19.4	16.6	12.4

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.60A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	37,580	37,459	7,402	7,960	5,859	6,609
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	4,613	4,671	799	817	582	635
New England	1,273	1,320	218	140	150	98
Middle Atlantic	3,340	3,351	581	677	432	538
Midwest	9,184	9,708	2,159	2,141	1,730	1,787
East North Central	5,811	6,186	1,399	1,332	1,078	1,080
West North Central	3,373	3,522	760	810	652	707
South	15,540	14,969	3,134	3,456	2,529	2,962
South Atlantic	7,445	7,201	1,288	1,288	1,073	1,107
East South Central	2,955	2,903	751	871	606	746
West South Central	5,141	4,865	1,095	1,297	849	1,109
West	8,242	8,111	1,309	1,545	1,018	1,225
Mountain	2,904	3,079	575	700	492	595
Pacific	5,337	5,032	734	845	526	631
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	16,598	15,829	2,573	2,771	1,905	2,149
Small Metro	13,024	12,426	2,855	2,592	2,349	2,180
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	8,333	7,846	1,776	1,496	1,409	1,216
< 250K Pop.	4,691	4,580	1,080	1,096	940	964
Nonmetro	7,957 ^a	9,204	1,973 ^b	2,596	1,606 ^b	2,280
Urbanized	2,793 ^a	3,383	723 ^a	1,018	478 ^b	867
Less Urbanized	4,201	4,508	994	1,156	883	1,022
Completely Rural	964	1,313	256	422	245	392

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.60B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	18.9	18.7	3.7	4.0	3.0	3.3
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	12.6	12.7	2.2	2.2	1.6	1.7
New England	13.3	13.6	2.3	1.4	1.6	1.0
Middle Atlantic	12.4	12.4	2.2	2.5	1.6	2.0
Midwest	21.4	22.5	5.0	5.0	4.0	4.1
East North Central	19.5	20.6	4.7	4.4	3.6	3.6
West North Central	25.8	26.7	5.8	6.1	5.0	5.4
South	21.2	20.1	4.3	4.7	3.4	4.0
South Atlantic	19.0	18.1	3.3	3.2	2.7	2.8
East South Central	25.0	24.4	6.4	7.3	5.1	6.3
West South Central	23.0	21.4	4.9	5.7	3.8	4.9
West	18.1	17.5	2.9	3.3	2.2	2.6
Mountain	21.0	21.9	4.2	5.0	3.6	4.2
Pacific	16.8	15.6	2.3	2.6	1.7	2.0
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	15.8	14.8	2.4	2.6	1.8	2.0
Small Metro	21.1	20.6	4.6	4.3	3.8	3.6
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	19.8	19.2	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.0
< 250K Pop.	24.0	23.6	5.5	5.7	4.8	5.0
Nonmetro	25.2	27.5	6.2 ^a	7.8	5.1 ^b	6.8
Urbanized	21.7	23.4	5.6	7.0	3.7 ^b	6.0
Less Urbanized	27.4	29.8	6.5	7.6	5.8	6.8
Completely Rural	28.3	33.6	7.5	10.8	7.2	10.0

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.61A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	44,581	44,350	10,621	11,069	7,726 ^a	8,521
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	5,636	5,728	1,227	1,280	796	888
New England	1,577	1,596	359	278	215	164
Middle Atlantic	4,058	4,132	867	1,003	581	724
Midwest	11,085	11,541	3,085	3,019	2,272	2,347
East North Central	7,004	7,331	1,978	1,887	1,406	1,424
West North Central	4,081	4,210	1,107	1,132	866	923
South	18,103	17,571	4,333	4,646	3,290	3,752
South Atlantic	8,619	8,452	1,844	1,833	1,430	1,459
East South Central	3,484	3,393	1,000	1,113	782	933
West South Central	6,001	5,726	1,489	1,700	1,078	1,361
West	9,757	9,509	1,976	2,124	1,368	1,533
Mountain	3,467	3,653	819	946	628	736
Pacific	6,290	5,856	1,156	1,177	741	797
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	19,569	18,785	3,921	3,967	2,603	2,828
Small Metro	15,613	14,862	3,991	3,744	3,013	2,877
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	9,930	9,241	2,453	2,169	1,821	1,628
< 250K Pop.	5,683	5,621	1,538	1,575	1,193	1,249
Nonmetro	9,399 ^a	10,703	2,708 ^b	3,358	2,110 ^b	2,816
Urbanized	3,413 ^a	4,018	1,033 ^a	1,339	685 ^b	1,091
Less Urbanized	4,862	5,196	1,320	1,510	1,107	1,277
Completely Rural	1,124	1,489	355	509	319	447

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Table 2.61B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2011 and 2012

Geographic Characteristic	Lifetime (2011)	Lifetime (2012)	Past Year (2011)	Past Year (2012)	Past Month (2011)	Past Month (2012)
TOTAL	19.2	18.9	4.6	4.7	3.3	3.6
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION						
Northeast	13.2	13.3	2.9	3.0	1.9	2.1
New England	14.1	14.1	3.2	2.5	1.9	1.5
Middle Atlantic	12.9	13.1	2.8	3.2	1.8	2.3
Midwest	22.1	22.8	6.1	6.0	4.5	4.6
East North Central	20.1	20.9	5.7	5.4	4.0	4.1
West North Central	26.6	27.2	7.2	7.3	5.6	6.0
South	21.1	20.2	5.0	5.3	3.8	4.3
South Atlantic	18.9	18.3	4.0	4.0	3.1	3.2
East South Central	25.2	24.4	7.2	8.0	5.7	6.7
West South Central	22.6	21.3	5.6	6.3	4.1	5.1
West	18.1	17.4	3.7	3.9	2.5	2.8
Mountain	21.2	22.1	5.0	5.7	3.8	4.4
Pacific	16.8	15.4	3.1	3.1	2.0	2.1
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	15.8	14.9	3.2	3.2	2.1	2.2
Small Metro	21.5	20.9	5.5	5.3	4.1	4.0
250K – 1 Mil. Pop.	20.2	19.3	5.0	4.5	3.7	3.4
< 250K Pop.	24.1	24.1	6.5	6.8	5.0	5.4
Nonmetro	25.9	27.9	7.4 ^a	8.8	5.8 ^b	7.3
Urbanized	22.6	24.1	6.8	8.0	4.5 ^b	6.5
Less Urbanized	27.9	30.0	7.6	8.7	6.4	7.4
Completely Rural	29.2	34.2	9.2	11.7	8.3	10.3

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

^b Difference between estimate and 2012 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.