

✓ DRUG ABUSE HISTORY, AND CRIMINALITY
OF INMATES OF LOCAL JAILS:
Results of the 1978 LEAA Survey
of Inmates of Local Jails in the U.S.

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Synopsis

In February 1978, the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA), in conjunction with the National Prisoner Statistics Branch, U.S. Bureau of the Census, conducted a survey of inmates of local jails in the U.S. Around 6,300 inmates were selected for personal interviews using a questionnaire to represent around 158,400 inmates in local jails in the U.S. The final count of inmates actually interviewed was 5,300 since some inmates had been released prior to the day of sample selection, there were some refusals, or there were other reasons.

Around seven out of 10 inmates (68%) stated they had ever used drugs such as heroin, methadone, cocaine, marijuana, amphetamines, barbiturates, LSD, PCP, or other drugs, outside a treatment program, and without a doctor's prescription.

Around one out of every four inmates in local jails stated they had ever used heroin. The percentage of inmates having ever used other drugs was: methadone (7%), cocaine (29%), marijuana (66%), amphetamines (31%), barbiturates (30%), LSD (21%), and PCP (16%).

Offenses with a relatively large proportion of inmates who stated they had ever used drugs included robbery, burglary, auto theft, larceny, and drug offenses. Offenses with relatively smaller proportions of inmates who stated they had ever used drugs included murder/manslaughter, sex assault, and public order crimes, including traffic offenses, drunkenness, vagrancy, and vice.

During the month prior to admission to jail, 44% of all inmates stated they had used at least one of the drugs above. Around one in ten of all inmates stated they had used heroin in the month prior to admission to jail. Thirty-eight percent of all inmates stated they had used marijuana during this time. Primary source for marijuana was street buy (66% of users obtained it primarily from street buy), with over one-fourth obtaining marijuana as a gift, or reward, from friends or acquaintances.

Of convicted inmates who had ever used drugs, 31% stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted. Fifteen percent of these inmates stated they were under the influence of marijuana, and 9% stated they were under the influence of heroin.

Over four in ten convicted, drug-using inmates in jail for robbery stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted. Over one-third (37%) of convicted, drug-using inmates in jail for burglary stated they were under the influence of drugs at this time.

Only 6% of inmates who had ever used drugs stated they were in drug abuse treatment at the time when first admitted to jail, although 21% stated they had a prior treatment enrollment.



Methodology

The sample of inmates for this survey was selected from a universe of about 3,700 institutions containing about 154,000 males and 11,000 females. Approximately 4,000 males and 2,000 females were to be designated for interview from a sample of about 400 institutions. The study design called for an oversampling of female inmates relative to actual proportion in population in order for some statistically valid estimates to be arrived at.

As a first step, all institutions were sorted by size of their inmate population. The 132 institutions of size 225+ were designated to be included in the sample with certainty. In each of these institutions, males were sampled at the rate of 1 in 35 and females were sampled at the rate of 1 in 4. These institutions contained almost half of the male and female inmate population. Secondly, a stratum of all female institutions with less than 225 inmates was developed. One half of these institutions were systematically selected, and the females were sampled at the rate of 1 in 2. A third stratum was developed which contained male/female facilities with 224 or less inmates, and at least 20 females. One-half of these institutions were selected, and only females were eligible for selection and were sampled at the rate of 1 in 2. The male inmates in these facilities were not eligible for selection in this stratum, but were eligible for selection in either the fourth or the fifth stratum. A fourth stratum contained male/female facilities with at least 21 male inmates. This stratum also contained all but one of the facilities in the previous stratum, i.e. facilities with at least 20 females. These facilities were sampled at the rate of 1 in 5, and the male inmates at a sampled institution were selected at the rate of 1 in 7. Females in this stratum, which had a probability of selection in stratum three, were ineligible for selection. All other females in the stratum were eligible for selection, and all such females at a sampled institution were selected for interview. The last stratum contained male/female facilities with 20 males or less. This stratum also contained one of the institutions in stratum three. These institutions were sampled at the rate of 1 in 35; and all inmates, i.e., males and females at a sampled facility were selected for interview.

The differing sampling procedure assured: (1) an estimated sample of about 400 facilities, (2) a self-weighting sample for males, and (3) a sample of sufficient size for females to meet the reliability requirement imposed by LEAA.

About 6,300 inmates were selected for interview. Of these, roughly 100 were ineligible because they had been released prior to the day of sample selection. Of the remaining 6,200 inmates, interviews were not obtained from about 900 because the inmates had been released after sampling day (350), had refused (400), or for other reasons (150). The noninterview rate was about 15%.

Estimation procedure

The estimation procedure for this survey consisted of a basic weight, an institution noninterview adjustment, an inmate noninterview adjustment, a first-stage ratio adjustment, and a second-stage ratio adjustment to the census count of inmates.

A. Basic weight. Each inmate data record was weighted by the reciprocal of the inmate's probability of selection. For males, the basic weight was 35. For females, the basic weights were 4, 5, and 35.

B. Institution Noninterview Adjustment. This factor was applied to inmate data records to account for the inmate population in institutions for which there were no interviews or demographic information.

C. Inmate Noninterview Adjustment. This factor was applied to adjust the weights of all interviewed inmate data records to account for the noninterviewed inmates for which there was only basic demographic data from inmate records. The adjustment was made within 18 different classes and was done separately for men and women. The classes (noninterview cells) were defined by race, age, and size of facility. The noninterview adjustment for any cell was defined as the ratio of the weighted number of interviewed plus noninterviewed inmates in a cell to the weighted number of interviewed inmates in the cell.

D. First Stage Ratio Adjustment. In the 1978 inmate survey, about 400 jails were selected for the sample. One hundred thirty-two of these jails were chosen to represent themselves only; the remainder of the jails were chosen to represent other jails not in the survey. The first-stage ratio adjustment procedure was designed to reduce the contribution to the variance resulting from requiring sample jails to represent nonsample jails. Therefore, the adjustment was not applied to inmate records from sample jails which represented only themselves. The adjustment was applied only to inmate records from the remainder of the sample and was done separately for males and females. The procedure takes into account the difference that existed between the precensus counts of inmates from the sample of these jails and the precensus counts of inmates for that portion of the universe represented by the sample of these jails. (Note: the precensus counts were estimates of the inmate population for all jails, obtained before the census was conducted, and used in assigning probabilities of selection to the jails).

E. Second Stage Ratio Adjustment. The final step in the weighting procedure was a ratio adjustment to the counts of male and female inmates obtained from the 1978 Jail Census. A ratio adjustment was developed for each of three categories based on the size of the institution (less than 21 inmates, 21-224, 225+) for males and on two categories (less than 225, 225+) for females. The adjustment is defined as the ratio of the total number of inmates from the census to the weighted estimate of inmates from the survey for any category.

Reliability of the estimates.

Since the estimates in this paper are based on a sample, they may differ somewhat from the figures that would have been obtained if a complete census had been taken using the same questionnaire, instructions, and enumerators. There are two types of errors possible in an estimate based on a sample survey - sampling and nonsampling. The standard errors provided for this report primarily indicate the magnitude of the sampling error. They also partially measure the effect of some nonsampling errors in response and enumeration, but do not measure any systematic biases in the data. The full extent of nonsampling error is unknown. Consequently, particular care should be exercised in the interpretation of figures based on a relatively small number of cases or on small differences between estimates.

The standard error is a measure of the sampling variation that occurs by chance because only a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that the estimate from the sample differs from the value for the entire population by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference is less than twice the standard error, and about 99 out of 100 that the difference is less than three times the standard error. In this paper, comparisons are made between different proportions. The differences are calculated on unrounded proportions, rather than the rounded proportions shown in the tables. In this paper, when the term "statistically significant" is used, it means that there is at least a 95% probability that the difference between two proportions represents a true difference rather than one which results from the sample design of the survey.

To illustrate the use of standard errors, let us assume that a data table shows that 18,700 male inmates had burglary as their most serious offense. Through linear interpolation, Appendix Table 1 shows the standard error on an estimate of this size to be about 900. The 68% confidence interval is from 19,600 - 17,800. Therefore, a conclusion that the average estimate derived from all possible samples lies within a range computed in this way would be correct for roughly 68% of all possible samples. Similarly, we could conclude with 95% confidence that the average estimate derived from all possible samples lies within the interval from 20,500 - 16,900, i.e., $(18,700 \pm 2 \times 900)$.

To illustrate the computation of the standard error of a difference between estimated percentages, assume that a data table shows that 27% of all female inmates (9,600) had 12+ years of education, and the corresponding percentage for male inmates (148,800) was 23%. The formula below is used to develop the standard error for a difference between two sample estimates:

$$S(x-y) = \sqrt{S_x^2 + S_y^2}$$

where S_x and S_y are the standard errors of the estimates x and y .

The standard errors for the above percentages are 1.2 and .8, respectively. The standard error of the difference (of 4%) is 1.4%. The difference of 4% divided by 1.4% is equivalent to 2.86 which, at the least, is significant at the 95% level of confidence.*

As the standard error increases relative to the estimate less importance is attached to the point estimate (or percent) itself, and more attention should be directed at the confidence interval around the estimate. If a 20% estimate has a 2% standard error, the relative standard error of the estimate is 10%. A fair degree of confidence can be had in the percent estimate; however, if a 2% estimate has a 2% standard error - which means a 100% relative standard error, then attention should be directed at the confidence interval around the 2% estimate rather than the 2% estimate itself.

*The 5% level of significance for a two-tailed test is 1.96. For a 95% probability that the difference between percentages is a true difference rather than one which results from sample design of survey, difference in percentages divided by standard error of difference must exceed 1.96.

In this paper, it will be observed that each inmate is classified according to "the most-serious current offense." This is defined to mean the offense for which the inmate is currently in jail. The method by which current offenses are determined can be seen from review of items at the beginning of the survey instrument. In addition, when an inmate is currently in jail for more than one offense, a seriousness ranking is applied to select the "most serious" of these offenses. The seriousness ranking used for the 1978 Jail Survey is somewhat different from that used in the 1974 survey of inmates of State Correctional Facilities. The seriousness ranking used in the 1978 Jail Survey was developed jointly by LEAA and the National Prisoner Statistics Branch, U. S. Bureau of the Census. Thus, classification of inmates in jails by a certain "most serious current offense" is determined by application of this particular methodology. Had a different method been used, it is possible that this population of jail inmates would have been distributed differently by offenses.

A test was run using the computer to determine how many drug offenses were classified in the second and third of three possible positions in which offenses for an inmate could be recorded. (Note: the first position was to record the most serious current offense, using the seriousness ranking). In this test, 2,789 inmates had drug offenses listed in positions other than that reserved for most serious current offense. Added to the 13,587 inmates with a drug offense listed as the most serious for which they were currently in jail, this would mean that 16,376 inmates had a drug offense for which they were currently in jail, and which was listed among the first three offenses for which currently in jail. This would result in 10% of the 158,400 inmates in the survey having a drug offense of some sort for which currently in jail, although 9% are shown in the distributions for the following tables because the distributions record inmates according to most serious current offense only. It is possible to determine what offenses the 2,789 inmates were classified by (though not classified by drug offenses). The primary offense by which these inmates were classified was burglary (28% of the 2,789 inmates), followed by larceny (12%), and robbery (11%), and some public order crimes (11%). Smaller proportions of these inmates were classified to other offenses (i.e., forgery, fraud, embezzlement - 7%; auto theft - 6%; etc.).

It is noted that different types of drug offenses (e.g., traffic in heroin, or possession of heroin) have different ranks in the seriousness ranking which was applied.

Characteristics of the Population

Table A shows that 94% of the 158,400 inmates of local jails were male. Fifty-seven percent of all inmates were white, 41% were black, and 2% were of other races. The median age of all inmates was 25.3 years. The median amount of education was 10.2 years of school completed.

Over one-half of all inmates had never been married. At the time of the survey, 21% of the inmates were married, with 14% being divorced, and another 9% being separated.

Around three-fourths of all inmates had no military service.

The term "detention status" refers to whether an inmate was convicted, or had not yet been convicted, of the offenses for which they were currently in jail. Around three out of every five inmates (58%) were convicted at the time of the survey.

Data were available on employment at the time of admission to jail. The data showed that 56% of all inmates stated they were employed, primarily full time. Nonetheless, slightly more than four out of every ten inmates stated they were not employed. Around 16% of the inmates stated they were neither employed, nor looking for work.

In terms of prior criminality, as determined in this survey by being sentenced to an institution prior to admission to jail, either for offenses such as drunkenness, vagrancy, or traffic offenses; or else for offenses other than these, 23% of the inmates had a prior juvenile record for offenses other than drunkenness, vagrancy, or traffic. Some 45% of all inmates had been previously sentenced to an institution for offenses other than drunkenness, vagrancy, or traffic, as an adult.

Table B shows inmates of local jails by most serious current offense. Around four out of every ten inmates were in jail for an offense against property, three out of ten were in jail for an offense against persons, around two out of every ten were in jail for a public order offense, and around one out of every ten were in jail for a drug offense. It is noted that 18% of the inmates were in jail for burglary, 12% were in jail for robbery, and 5% were in jail for murder or attempted murder.

This table subclassifies these data by race, and by sex. For example, proportionately more "black and other" inmates were in jail for offenses against persons (39%) than white inmates (23%). Proportionately more white inmates were in jail for offenses against property, drug offenses, and particularly, public order offenses (23% of white inmates; 14% of black and other inmates). It is noted that one out of every five white inmates was currently in jail for burglary, and 17% of black and other inmates were so classified. Whereas 8% of white inmates were currently in jail for robbery, some 17% of black and other inmates were classified by this offense.

Although the female population of local jails is small relative to that of males, it appeared that in this offense classification the major types of offenses for females were: larceny (19% of females); forgery, fraud, and embezzlement (18% of females); possession/use of drugs (8% of females); and drunkenness,

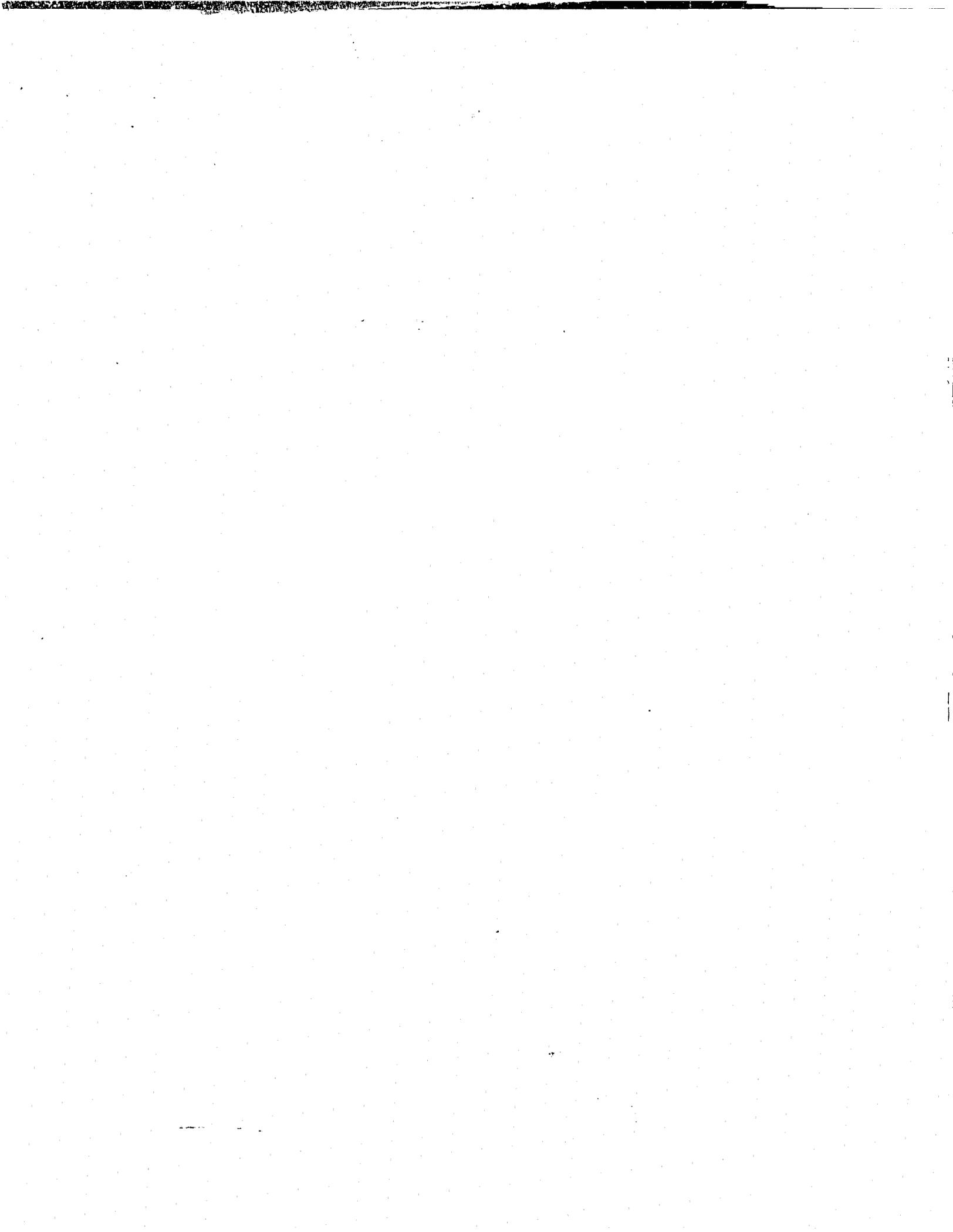


Table A.

Characteristics of the Population
All States of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Number	Percent
<u>Sex</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Male	148,800	94
Female	9,600	6
 <u>Race</u>	 <u>158,400</u>	 <u>100 %</u>
White	89,400	57
<u>Black and Other</u>	<u>69,000</u>	<u>44</u>
Black	65,100	41
Other	3,900	2
 <u>Age</u>	 <u>158,400</u>	 <u>100 %</u>
Under 15	100	*
15 - 19	24,800	16
20 - 24	53,300	33
25 - 29	33,000	21
30 - 34	18,800	12
35 - 39	9,500	6
40 and over	19,900	13
Median: 25.3 years		
 <u>Education</u>	 <u>158,400</u>	 <u>100 %</u>
None	1,400	1
Elementary (1-8 years)	28,500	18
Some high school (9-11)	66,300	42
High school	46,700	30
Some college	12,300	8
College graduate or above	2,900	2
Blank	200	*
Median: 10.2		

	Number	Percent
<u>Marital Status</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Married	33,600	21
Widowed	2,600	2
Divorced	22,600	14
Separated	14,300	9
Never Married	85,100	54
Not available	100	*
<u>Military Service</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Served	39,900	25
Never served	118,500	75
Not available	*	*
<u>Detention Status</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Unconvicted	66,900	42
Convicted	91,400	58
<u>Pre-arrest Employment Status</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Employed</u>	<u>89,500</u>	<u>56</u>
Full Time	70,600	45
Part Time	19,000	12
Not Employed	68,100	43
Looking for Work	42,400	27
Not Looking for Work	25,500	16
Other	200	*
Not Available	800	*
<u>Prior Juvenile Record - Other than Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Traffic</u>		
None	121,700	77
<u>Some Sentences</u>	<u>36,600</u>	<u>23</u>
One sentence	18,100	11
Two sentences	8,300	5
Three or more	7,800	5
Not available	2,400	2

	Number	Percent
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Prior Adult Sentence - Other than Drunkenness,
Vagrancy, Traffic

None	87,700	55
<u>Some Sentences</u>	<u>70,600</u>	<u>45</u>
One sentence	35,400	22
Two sentences	16,200	10
Three or more	18,400	12
Not available	700	*

vagrancy, vice (8% of females). Although the number of male inmates classified to these offenses was greater, proportionally less males were classified to these offenses than were females.

Table B shows some 13,600 inmates whose most serious current offense was a drug offense. Some 7,000 inmates were classified by the offense of "possession/use of drugs," and some 6,500 inmates were classified by the offense of "trafficking and unspecified drug offenses." Since this classification did not provide much detail, an additional table was prepared showing specific drugs involved. Thus, Table C shows drug offenses, by type of drug, by race.

This table shows that 17% of the 13,600 inmates were currently in jail for possession/use of drugs other than heroin, other narcotics, or marijuana; 15% of these inmates were in jail for possession/use of heroin; and 14% were in jail for possession/use of marijuana. Some 14% of the 13,600 inmates were also in jail for trafficking in marijuana.

A greater proportion of black and other inmates were in jail for trafficking in heroin whereas a greater proportion of white inmates were in jail for trafficking in marijuana.

Although this table shows that proportionally more white inmates were in jail for possession/use of heroin than black and other inmates, this difference was not statistically significant.



Table B.

Most Serious Current Offense for which in Jail
By Race and By Sex
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>Race</u>		<u>Sex</u>	
	Number	Percent	White	Black and Other	Male	Female
<u>Total</u>	158,400	100 %	89,400	69,000	148,900	9,600
	xx	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Offenses Against Persons</u>	46,900	30	23	39	30	20
Murder/Attempted Murder	7,300	5	3	6	5	5
Manslaughter	1,900	1	1	2	1	1
Sexual Assault	4,600	3	3	3	3	*
Robbery	18,600	12	8	17	12	7
Non-sexual Assault	13,000	8	7	10	8	6
Other	1,500	1	1	1	1	1
<u>Offenses Against Property</u>	65,400	41	43	39	41	45
Burglary	29,000	18	20	17	19	5
Auto Theft	4,300	3	3	2	3	2
Forgery, fraud, embezzlement.	9,000	6	6	5	5	18
Larceny	16,800	11	10	12	10	19
Other	6,300	4	4	4	4	2
<u>Drug Offenses</u>	13,600	9	10	7	8	13
Trafficking and						
Unspecified	6,500	4	5	4	4	5
Possession/Use	7,000	4	5	4	4	8
<u>Public Order Offense</u>	30,100	19	23	14	19	18
Weapons offense	3,200	2	2	2	2	2
Obstruction of Justice or						
Government	5,800	4	4	3	4	4
Traffic Offense	11,400	7	10	4	7	4
Drunkenness, Vagrancy						
or Vice	7,400	5	5	4	4	8
Other	2,300	1	1	2	2	*
<u>Unspecified Juvenile Offense</u> ...	1,400	1	1	1	1	2
<u>Other and N.A.</u>	900	1	1	1	1	2

Table C.

Most Serious Current Offense (Drug Offense)
 By Type of Drug Offense, According to Race
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Number	Percent	White		Black and Other	
			Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Drug Offenses</u>	<u>13,600</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>8,700</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>4,900</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Trafficking</u>	<u>5,700</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>3,700</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>41</u>
Heroin	1,300	10	600	6	800	16
Other Narcotics	1,200	9	600	7	600	12
Marijuana	1,900	14	1,500	18	400	7
Other Drugs	1,300	10	1,100	12	200	5
<u>Possession</u>	<u>7,100</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>4,600</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>50</u>
Heroin	2,000	15	1,400	17	600	12
Other Narcotics ...	800	6	400	4	500	9
Marijuana	1,900	14	1,300	15	500	11
Other Drugs	2,300	17	1,500	17	900	18
<u>Other</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Other Narcotics	*	*	*	1	-	-
Marijuana	*	*	*	*	-	-
<u>Unspecified</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>9</u>

Findings

Ever used drugs. Table 1 shows that 68% of the 158,400 inmates had ever used drugs such as heroin, methadone, cocaine, marijuana, amphetamines, barbiturates, or other drugs without a doctor's prescription, and outside a treatment program. Forty-one percent of all inmates stated they had used these drugs often, and 40% stated they had used these drugs daily, or almost daily. It is possible for an inmate to state that he used a drug regularly (that is, once a week or more, for at least a month), but that he does not do this often. Only 3% of the inmates stated they used drugs with this extent and intensity. On the other hand, some 36% of the inmates stated they had used drugs such as those above on a daily basis and that this activity occurred often.

A slightly higher proportion of white inmates (70%) stated they had ever used drugs than black and other inmates (66%). A larger proportion of white inmates (44%) stated they had ever used drugs often compared with black and other inmates (36%).

Table 2 shows that 77% of the 18,500 inmates whose most serious current offense was robbery had ever used drugs. This is compared to the 68% of all inmates who had ever used drugs. Other offenses with relatively high proportions of inmates who had ever used drugs were: burglary (79%), auto theft (83%), and drug offenses (91%). While there are other offenses where a relatively high proportion of inmates had ever used drugs, for many of these offenses there were only a relatively small number of inmates so classified which may mean that statistical significance for the difference could not be achieved. This should not necessarily be interpreted, however, as meaning that inmates classified to these offenses do not have higher rates of drug usage. More research needs to be done on this. These data may nonetheless provide an indication.

It is noted that only 57% of inmates in jail for murder/manslaughter, or attempted murder, had ever used drugs. This was lower than the overall rate of 68% of inmates who had ever used drugs.

Table 3 shows that around one-fourth of the 158,400 inmates in jail had ever used heroin. Fourteen percent of all inmates stated they had ever used heroin often, and 15% stated they had used heroin daily, or almost daily, at some point in their lives. Some 8% of all inmates stated they had used heroin once, or a few times.

Combining extent of use with intensity of use finds that 13% of inmates had used heroin often, and when using it often, had used it daily, or almost daily.

By race, about the same proportion of white inmates as black and other inmates stated they had ever used heroin. The proportions, by race, remained closely the same when use of heroin was subclassified by extent of use, and intensity of use.

Although around one in four of all inmates stated they had ever used heroin, Table 4 shows that over one-third of all inmates in jail for robbery stated they had ever used heroin. Around one-third of inmates in jail for larceny stated they had ever used heroin, and around one-half of all inmates in jail for drug offenses.



Table 1 Use of Drugs, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use, According to Race
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total.....	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>89,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>69,000</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>48,500</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>26,200</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>22,300</u>	<u>32</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>108,100</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>62,400</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>45,700</u>	<u>66</u>
Once	3,300	2	1,700	2	1,600	2
A few times	15,900	10	8,700	10	7,200	10
Occasionally	24,100	15	12,500	14	11,600	17
Often	64,700	41	39,500	44	25,200	36
N.A.	200	*	100	*	*	*
Infrequently ...	32,000	20	17,100	19	15,000	22
Regularly	12,300	8	6,100	7	6,200	9
Daily	63,200	40	39,000	44	24,200	35
N.A.	700	*	300	*	300	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>19,200</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10,300</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>8,900</u>	<u>13</u>
Infrequently ...	19,200	12	10,300	12	8,900	13
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>24,100</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12,500</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>11,600</u>	<u>17</u>
Infrequently ...	10,100	6	5,400	6	4,600	7
Regularly	7,300	5	3,500	4	3,800	6
Daily	6,500	4	3,500	4	3,000	4
N.A.	300	*	100	*	200	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>64,700</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>39,500</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>25,200</u>	<u>36</u>
Infrequently ...	2,700	2	1,300	1	1,400	2
Regularly	5,000	3	2,600	3	2,300	3
Daily	56,700	36	35,400	40	21,300	31
N.A.	300	*	100	*	100	*
Not available	200	*	100	*	*	*
Refuse	500	*	200	*	300	*
Not available	1,300	1	500	1	700	1

Table 2

Use of Drugs, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use
 According to Most Serious Current Offense
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		Violent	Murder/man-	Sex	Nonsex	Property		
	Number	Percent	Crime	slau hter	Assault	Assault	Crime		
				Robber		Other			
Total									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Never used	<u>48,500</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>26</u>
Ever used	<u>108,100</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>74</u>
Once	3,300	2	3	1	3	2	4	-	2
A few times ...	15,900	10	10	11	12	10	10	12	10
Occasionally ..	24,100	15	15	13	15	16	15	18	16
Often	64,700	41	38	31	31	48	31	49	45
N.A.	200	*	*	-	-	-	*	-	*
Infrequently.	32,000	20	21	21	19	20	24	20	20
Regularly ...	12,300	8	8	7	11	10	6	5	8
Daily	63,200	40	37	29	31	47	29	53	45
N.A.	700	*	*	*	-	-	1	-	*
Once, a few times	<u>19,200</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>
Infrequently .	<u>19,200</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>
Occasionally	<u>24,100</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>16</u>
Infrequently..	10,100	6	7	6	4	7	7	8	7
Regularly	7,300	5	5	4	5	6	5	3	5
Daily	6,500	4	3	3	6	3	2	6	5
N.A.	300	*	*	-	-	-	1	-	*
Often	<u>64,700</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>45</u>
Infrequently..	2,700	2	2	3	1	1	2	-	2
Regularly	5,000	3	3	3	5	4	1	2	3
Daily	56,700	36	34	25	24	43	27	47	40
N.A.	300	*	*	*	-	-	*	-	-
Not available ..	200	*	-	-	-	-	*	-	*
Refuse	500	*	*	*	1	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,300	1	1	1	-	1	3	*	1

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
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Total

Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	<u>100 %</u>							

<u>Never used</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>91</u>

Once	2	4	3	2	1	*	-	*
A few times ..	11	14	8	8	11	7	5	8
Occasionally .	17	22	13	14	18	18	21	15
Often	49	43	35	49	35	66	64	67
N.A.	-	-	-	*	-	*	*	-

Infrequently	21	31	17	16	25	16	17	14
Regularly ..	8	11	7	10	5	11	10	12
Daily	49	42	35	47	36	63	63	64
N.A.	*	-	-	*	-	1	1	1

<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>
Infrequently	13	18	11	10	12	7	5	8

<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>15</u>
Infrequently	6	10	7	5	10	5	7	2
Regularly ..	4	4	4	5	4	7	6	8
Daily	6	8	2	4	5	6	7	4
N.A.	*	-	-	*	-	*	-	1

<u>Often</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>67</u>
Infrequently	3	2	*	1	3	4	4	4
Regularly ..	3	7	2	5	1	4	3	4
Daily	44	34	33	43	31	58	55	60
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-

Not available.	-	-	-	*	-	*	*	-
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Refuse	*	-	1	1	*	*	*	*
Not available ...	*	-	*	1	1	2	-	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
Total								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>44</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>46</u>
Once	2	-	4	2	1	2	6	-
A few times	12	18	9	10	13	12	4	8
Occasionally ...	12	17	14	12	7	11	21	19
Often	24	38	27	21	19	22	44	19
N.A.	*	-	-	-	*	-	-	-
Infrequently .	20	26	17	20	19	25	20	21
Regularly	5	11	3	5	4	2	6	5
Daily	24	36	33	20	16	20	50	20
N.A.	*	*	1	-	1	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>19</u>
Infrequently .	6	8	4	8	4	9	9	13
Regularly	3	4	2	3	2	2	6	1
Daily	3	4	7	2	1	*	6	6
N.A.	*	*	1	-	*	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>19</u>
Infrequently .	1	-	*	1	1	2	1	-
Regularly	2	6	1	2	3	-	-	5
Daily	21	32	26	19	15	20	43	14
N.A.	*	-	*	-	1	-	-	-
Not available ..	*	-	-	-	*	-	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	5

Use of Heroin, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use, According to Race
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

Table 3

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Total....	158,400	100 %	89,400	100 %	69,000	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	115,400	73	65,700	74	49,700	72
<u>Ever used</u>	41,300	26	22,900	26	18,400	27
Once	3,200	2	2,200	2	1,000	1
A few times	9,000	6	5,200	6	3,800	5
Occasionally	7,100	4	3,900	4	3,200	5
Often	21,900	14	11,500	13	10,400	15
N.A.	100	*	*	*	*	*
Infrequently ...	15,300	10	9,100	10	6,200	9
Regularly	2,600	2	1,400	2	1,200	2
Daily	23,200	15	12,300	14	10,900	16
N.A.	100	*	100	*	*	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	12,200	8	7,400	8	4,700	7
Infrequently ...	12,200	8	7,400	8	4,700	7
<u>Occasionally</u>	7,100	4	3,900	4	3,200	5
Infrequently ...	2,600	2	1,500	2	1,100	2
Regularly	1,600	1	700	1	900	1
Daily	2,900	2	1,700	2	1,300	2
N.A.	*	*	*	*	-	-
<u>Often</u>	21,900	14	11,500	13	10,400	15
Infrequently ...	600	*	200	*	400	1
Regularly	1,000	1	700	1	300	*
Daily	20,300	13	10,600	12	9,700	14
N.A.	*	*	*	*	-	-
Not available	100	*	*	*	*	*
Refuse	500	*	200	*	300	*
Not available	1,200	1	500	1	600	1

*Means number is less than 50, or less than 0.5 %

Use of Heroin, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use, According to Current Offense:
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

Table 4

	<u>Total</u>		<u>Violent</u>	<u>Murder/man-</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Nonsex</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Property</u>	
	Number	Percent	Crime	slaughter	Assault	Assault		Crime	
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>115,400</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>71</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>41,300</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>28</u>
Once	3,200	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	2
A few times ...	9,000	6	6	5	3	8	7	6	5
Occasionally ..	7,100	4	5	5	5	7	4	1	4
Often	21,900	14	12	5	5	19	9	18	16
N.A.	100	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	-
<u>Infrequently.</u>	<u>15,300</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>10</u>
Regularly ...	2,600	2	2	2	1	3	2	1	2
Daily	23,200	15	13	6	5	19	11	17	16
N.A.	100	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>12,200</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>12,200</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>7,100</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>
Infrequently..	2,600	2	2	1	3	3	1	-	2
Regularly	1,600	1	2	2	1	2	2	*	1
Daily	2,900	2	2	1	1	2	2	*	1
N.A.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>21,900</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>
Infrequently..	600	*	*	*	-	*	*	-	*
Regularly	1,000	1	1	-	-	2	*	-	1
Daily	20,300	13	11	5	5	17	9	17	15
N.A.	*	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	*
Not available ..	100	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	-
Refuse	500	*	*	*	1	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,200	1	1	*	-	*	2	*	1

	Bur lary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
Total								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>46</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>50</u>
Once	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	3
A few times ..	5	13	2	8	3	8	10	6
Occasionally .	6	2	3	3	2	10	12	7
Often	16	6	14	20	17	29	23	35
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Infrequently	10	18	5	12	8	13	15	12
Regularly ..	2	1	3	1	1	2	1	3
Daily	17	5	14	20	15	33	30	36
N.A.	*	-	*	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>Infrequently</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>7</u>
<u>Infrequently</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>Regularly ..</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Daily</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>N.A.</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Often</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>34</u>
<u>Infrequently</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Regularly ..</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Daily</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>33</u>
<u>N.A.</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Not available.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refuse	*	-	1	1	-	*	*	*
Not available ...	*	-	*	*	1	2	1	4

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>80</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>11</u>
Once	1	1	3	*	1	-	3	5
A few times	4	7	5	3	4	4	3	6
Occasionally ...	3	5	5	1	2	2	-	-
Often	5	12	6	4	5	4	11	1
N.A.	*	-	-	*	*	-	-	-
Infrequently .	6	12	8	3	7	5	6	10
Regularly	1	1	-	*	1	*	*	-
Daily	6	11	10	4	5	4	10	1
N.A.	*	-	-	*	*	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Regularly	*	-	-	*	1	*	-	-
Daily	1	1	4	1	*	2	-	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Regularly	*	1	-	*	*	-	*	-
Daily	5	10	6	3	5	2	10	1
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available ..	*	-	-	*	*	-	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	5

Only 17% of inmates in jail for murder/manslaughter, or attempted murder, and only 14% of inmates in jail for sex assault stated they had ever used heroin.

As might be expected, only a relatively small proportion (8%) of inmates currently in jail for traffic offenses stated they had ever used heroin.

Tables 5 - 14 show drug use, by various types of drugs, according to race, and most serious current offense. Drugs for which tables have been prepared include: methadone (outside a treatment program), cocaine, marijuana, amphetamines (without a doctor's prescription), and barbiturates (without a doctor's prescription). These tables can be found in the Appendix of this paper.

Some basic findings from these tables are:

Ever used drugs for the drugs listed above are: methadone, outside a treatment program (7%), cocaine (29%), marijuana (66%), amphetamines (uppers) without a doctor's prescription (31%), and barbiturates (downers) without a doctor's prescription (30%). Although tables have not been prepared for this paper on LSD and PCP, results from this survey were that 21% of all inmates stated they had ever used LSD, and that 16% of all inmates stated they had ever used PCP.

Although about the same proportion of white inmates as black and other inmates stated they had ever used methadone, this was not the case with cocaine. Around one in three white inmates stated they had ever used cocaine compared to one in four black and other inmates. Use, however, appeared to be of an experimental nature since the greatest difference, by race, occurred for those inmates who stated they ever used cocaine once, or a few times. About 6% of both groups stated they had used cocaine often.

A slightly larger proportion of white inmates (68%) than black and other inmates (63%) stated they had ever used marijuana; however, among inmates who stated they had ever used marijuana often, the proportional difference between the two groups increased with 36% of all white inmates stating they had ever used marijuana often compared to 29% of black and other inmates.

Both amphetamines (uppers) and barbiturates (downers) appeared to be more widely used by white inmates. Forty percent of white inmates, compared to 19% of black and other inmates, stated they had ever used amphetamines; 13% of the white inmates stated they had used amphetamines often, compared to 4% of black and other inmates. Thirty-seven percent of white inmates, compared to 20% of black and other inmates, stated they had ever used barbiturates.

Although not shown in this report, 30% of white inmates stated they had ever used LSD, compared to 9% of black and other inmates; and 22% of white inmates stated they had ever used PCP, compared to 8% of black and other inmates.

By offense, these tables show that among inmates in jail for robbery there were higher rates of ever used cocaine and marijuana than for the general population of inmates, but these inmates had about the same rate of ever used amphetamines and barbiturates as the rates for the general population. Among inmates whose most serious current offense was burglary, there were higher rates of ever used cocaine, marijuana, amphetamines, and barbiturates than the rates for the general population.

Among inmates in jail for murder/manslaughter, and attempted murder, there were lower rates of ever used all of these drugs than those for the general population of inmates.

Among inmates in jail for traffic offenses, there were lower rates of ever used all of these drugs than those for the general population.

Around one-half of inmates whose most serious current offense was a drug offense stated they had ever used cocaine compared to 29% for the general population of inmates; 87% stated they had ever used marijuana compared to 66% for the general population; 47% stated they had ever used amphetamines, and 46% stated they had ever used barbiturates, compared to 31%, and 30%, respectively, for the general population of inmates.

Below are shown the rates of ever used these drugs for inmates whose most serious current offense was a sex assault, and inmates whose most serious current offense was a nonsexual assault:

	General Population (n 158,400)	Sex Assault (n=4,600)	Nonsexual Assault (n=13,000)
Ever used drugs ...	68%	61%	60%
Ever used heroin ..	26	14	22
Ever used methadone	7	4	8
Ever used cocaine .	29	14	24
Ever used marijuana	66	58	58
Ever used amphetamines	31	23	24
Ever used barbiturates	30	20	24

It is noted that the rate of ever used drugs for the general population of inmates was derived by including all categories of offenses, including categories against which comparisons are being made (e.g., sex assault). It is possible to make comparisons more exact by subtracting inmates in jail for sex assault from the general population and then compare the rates of ever used (drugs) for the two groups. This should not change the rate of ever used for the general population dramatically, however, since the largest group of inmates, by offense, are those currently in jail for burglary, and this accounts for only 18% of inmates in the general population. It is noted that while this can be done to make comparisons more exact, all figures in this report are rounded to the nearest 100. Additionally, most tables show percentages derived from a base which is rounded, and actual numbers do not accompany the percentages which themselves are rounded. (Note: percentages were derived for the tables from this report from using original numbers which were not rounded).

While most of the tables in this report show use of drugs according to race, and current offense (i.e., what proportion of white inmates ever used drugs; or what proportion of inmates in jail for burglary ever used drugs), it is also possible to prepare statistical tables comparing types of offenses committed by inmates who had ever used drugs with types of offenses committed by inmates who had never used drugs, or who had used drugs, but not a particular drug under study. Table D does this with "use of drugs," and Table E does this with "use of heroin."

Table D shows that while there was slightly lower proportion (5%) of inmates who had ever used drugs in jail for murder/manslaughter than inmates who had never used drugs (8%), among inmates who had ever used drugs often, or daily, the proportion of inmates in jail for these offenses (4%) was half that of inmates who had never used drugs. On the other hand, while only 8% of inmates who had never used drugs were in jail for robbery, 13% of inmates who had ever used drugs were in jail for this offense. Extent of use, and intensity of use, had little bearing on the proportion of inmates in jail for robbery.

The distinction between inmates who had never used drugs, and those who had ever used drugs, was large when considering the crime of burglary. Whereas only 12% of inmates who had never used drugs were in jail for burglary, around one in five (21%) of inmates who had ever used drugs had this offense as their most serious current offense. Among inmates who had ever used drugs often, or daily, the proportion in jail for burglary was greater than among inmates who had ever used drugs once, or infrequently; nonetheless, even among inmates who had ever used drugs once, or infrequently, the proportion in jail for burglary was greater than among inmates who had never used drugs.

One out of every ten inmates who had ever used drugs was currently in jail for a drug offense whereas only 2% of inmates who had never used drugs were in jail for this.

While 31% of inmates who had never used drugs had a public order crime as their most serious current offense in jail, only 14% of inmates who had ever used drugs were in jail for these types of offenses. (Of inmates in jail for public order crimes, 38% were in jail for a traffic offense, and 24% were in jail for drunkenness, vagrancy, vice). Thirteen percent of inmates who had never used drugs had a traffic offense as their most serious current offense compared to only 5% of inmates who had ever used drugs.

Thus, in summary, among inmates who had ever used drugs, a greater proportion were in jail for robbery, burglary, and drug offenses whereas among inmates who had never used drugs, a greater proportion were in jail for murder/manslaughter, nonsexual assault, traffic offenses, and drunkenness, vagrancy, vice.

Table E shows that among inmates who had ever used heroin the proportion in jail for murder/manslaughter (4%) was about one-half that of inmates who had never used drugs (8%), but that the proportion in jail for robbery (16%) was about twice that of inmates who had never used drugs (8%). The proportion of inmates who had used drugs, but not heroin, who were currently in jail for robbery (11%) was between the latter two groups.



Table D.

Most Serious Current Offense According to Use of Drugs
By Extent of Use, By Intensity of Use
All Inmates of Local Jails -- Februar 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>Violent</u> <u>Crime</u>	<u>Murder/man-</u> <u>slaughter</u>	<u>Sex</u> <u>Assault</u>	<u>Robbery</u>	<u>Nonsex</u> <u>Assault</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Property</u> <u>Crime</u>
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>							
<u>Total</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>41</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>48,500</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>34</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>108,100</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>45</u>
Once	3,300	100 %	39	3	4	13	19	-	42
A few times ...	15,900	100 %	31	6	3	12	8	1	41
Occasionally ..	24,100	100 %	30	5	3	13	8	1	44
Often	64,700	100 %	28	4	2	14	6	1	46
N.A.	200	100 %	27	-	-	-	27	-	44
Infrequently.	32,000	100 %	31	6	3	12	10	1	42
Regularly ...	12,300	100 %	32	5	4	16	6	1	43
Daily	63,200	100 %	27	4	2	14	6	1	46
N.A.	700	100 %	31	6	-	-	25	-	24
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>19,200</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>41</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>19,200</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>41</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>24,100</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>44</u>
<u>Infrequently..</u>	<u>10,100</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>42</u>
<u>Regularly</u>	<u>7,300</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>41</u>
<u>Daily</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>48</u>
<u>N.A.</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>34</u>
<u>Often</u>	<u>64,700</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>46</u>
<u>Infrequently..</u>	<u>2,700</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>47</u>
<u>Regularly</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>46</u>
<u>Daily</u>	<u>56,700</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>46</u>
<u>N.A.</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Not available ..	200	-	27	-	-	-	27	-	44
Refuse	500	100 %	11	1	8	2	-	-	43
Not available	1,300	100 %	42	4	-	13	26	*	26

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Uns ecified	Possession
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<u>Total</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>
Once	15	5	8	12	1	*	-	*
A few times ..	20	4	4	8	4	6	2	4
Occasionally .	20	4	5	10	5	10	6	4
Often	22	3	5	13	3	14	6	7
N.A.	-	-	-	44	-	26	26	-
Infrequently	19	4	5	9	5	7	3	3
Regularly ..	18	4	5	14	3	12	5	7
Daily	23	3	5	12	4	14	6	7
N.A.	12	-	-	11	-	25	18	6
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>
Infrequently	19	4	5	9	4	5	2	3
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>
Infrequently	17	5	6	8	6	7	5	2
Regularly ..	18	2	6	13	3	14	6	8
Daily	26	5	3	10	5	12	7	4
N.A.	32	-	-	2	-	16	-	16
<u>Often</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>
Infrequently	29	3	*	8	8	20	10	10
Regularly ..	19	6	4	16	2	10	4	6
Daily	22	3	5	13	3	14	6	7
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	33	33	-
Not available.	-	-	-	44	-	26	26	-
Refuse	9	-	10	23	-	3	1	2
Not available ...	10	-	3	5	7	14	-	14

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Never used</u>	31	2	5	13	9	3	*	1
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>
Once	16	-	6	7	2	1	3	-
A few times	22	4	3	7	6	2	*	*
Occasionally ...	15	2	3	6	2	1	1	1
Often	11	2	2	4	2	1	1	*
N.A.	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Infrequently .	19	3	3	7	4	2	1	1
Regularly	12	3	2	4	3	*	1	*
Daily	11	2	3	4	2	1	1	*
N.A.	21	1	13	-	7	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>
Infrequently .	21	3	4	7	5	2	1	*
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Infrequently .	18	3	2	9	3	2	1	1
Regularly	11	2	2	5	2	1	1	*
Daily	13	2	6	3	2	*	1	1
N.A.	20	2	16	-	2	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>
Infrequently .	7	-	*	3	2	2	*	-
Regularly	13	4	1	4	4	-	-	1
Daily	11	2	3	4	2	1	1	*
N.A.	34	-	17	-	17	-	-	-
Not available ..	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Refuse	33	8	8	16	1	-	-	9
Not available	13	-	8	-	5	-	-	3

Table E.

Most Serious Current Offense According to Use of Heroin
By Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use
All Inmates of Local Jails -- Februar 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>Violent</u>	<u>Murder/man-</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Nonsex</u>			<u>Property</u>
	Number	Percent	Crime	slaughter	Assault	Assault	Robbery	Other	Crime
<u>Total</u>	158,400	100 %	30	6	3	8	12	1	41
<u>Never used drugs</u>	48,500	100 %	31	8	4	10	8	*	34
<u>Used drugs, not heroin.</u>	67,000	100 %	29	5	3	8	11	1	45
<u>Ever used heroin</u>	41,300	100 %	30	4	2	7	16	1	44
Once	3,200	100 %	32	5	3	6	16	1	47
A few times ...	9,000	100 %	34	6	1	10	16	1	40
Occasionally ..	7,100	100 %	34	6	3	7	18	*	37
Often	21,900	100 %	26	2	1	6	16	1	48
N.A.	100	100 %	81	-	-	-	81	-	-
<u>Infrequently.</u>	15,300	100 %	33	5	2	8	17	1	42
<u>Regularly</u> ...	2,600	100 %	44	8	2	10	24	*	39
<u>Daily</u>	23,200	100 %	26	2	1	6	15	1	46
<u>N.A.</u>	100	100 %	44	-	-	-	44	-	25
<u>Once, a few times</u>	12,200	100 %	33	6	2	9	16	1	42
<u>Infrequently</u> .	12,200	100 %	33	6	2	9	16	1	42
<u>Occasionally</u>	7,100	100 %	34	6	3	7	18	*	37
<u>Infrequently</u> ..	2,600	100 %	32	5	5	4	19	-	41
<u>Regularly</u>	1,600	100 %	50	13	3	13	21	*	37
<u>Daily</u>	2,900	100 %	27	3	1	7	15	*	32
<u>N.A.</u>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Often</u>	21,900	100 %	26	2	1	6	16	1	48
<u>Infrequently</u> ..	600	100 %	29	6	-	8	16	-	53
<u>Regularly</u>	1,000	100 %	34	-	-	4	30	-	41
<u>Daily</u>	20,300	100 %	25	2	1	6	15	1	48
<u>N.A.</u>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Not available</u> ..	100	100 %	81	-	-	-	81	-	-
<u>Refuse</u>	500	100 %	11	1	8	-	2	-	44
<u>Not available</u>	1,200	100 %	35	3	-	24	7	*	28

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
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<u>Total</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Never used drugs...</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Used drugs, not heroin.....</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Ever used heroin ..</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>
Once	21	4	7	10	7	10	4	6
A few times ..	16	6	2	14	2	11	7	4
Occasionally .	23	1	4	7	2	18	11	7
Often	21	1	6	15	5	18	7	11
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Infrequently	18	5	3	13	3	12	6	5
Regularly ..	21	1	9	4	3	11	3	8
Daily	21	1	5	14	4	19	9	11
N.A.	22	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>5</u>
Infrequently	17	6	3	13	3	11	6	5
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>7</u>
Infrequently	23	3	2	11	2	16	6	9
Regularly ..	23	-	9	1	5	9	3	6
Daily	21	-	2	8	*	26	19	6
N.A.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>11</u>
Infrequently	22	-	-	15	15	8	8	-
Regularly ..	17	4	9	11	*	15	4	10
Daily	22	1	6	15	5	18	7	11
N.A.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not available.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refuse	9	-	11	23	*	3	1	2
Not available	11	-	3	6	7	26	4	22

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkennness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Never used drugs</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Used drugs, not heroin</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>
<u>Ever used heroin</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>
Once	9	1	5	*	2	-	1	1
A few times	14	2	3	3	4	1	1	1
Occasionally ...	11	2	4	2	3	1	-	-
Often	7	2	1	2	2	*	1	*
N.A.	19	-	-	10	10	-	-	-
Infrequently .	12	3	3	2	3	1	1	1
Regularly	6	2	-	2	2	*	*	-
Daily	8	2	2	2	2	*	1	*
N.A.	5	-	-	3	3	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Infrequently .	12	2	4	3	3	1	1	1
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Infrequently .	12	5	1	2	5	-	-	-
Regularly	3	-	-	*	3	*	-	-
Daily	15	1	9	3	1	1	-	-
N.A.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>
Infrequently .	10	-	1	-	1	8	-	-
Regularly	10	5	-	4	1	-	*	-
Daily	7	2	2	2	2	*	1	*
N.A.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not available ..	19	-	-	10	10	-	-	-
Refuse	33	8	8	17	1	-	-	9
Not available	7	-	6	-	1	-	-	4

While the proportion of inmates who had ever used heroin currently in jail for murder/manslaughter was only 2% among inmates who had ever used heroin often, or daily, among inmates who had ever used heroin currently in jail for robbery about the same proportion was in jail for this offense who had ever used heroin once, or a few times (or infrequently) as had ever used heroin often (or daily). Thus, on the surface, extent of use and intensity of use, of heroin did not appear to be associated with an increase in the proportion of inmates in jail for robbery. This statement, however, implies nothing about the rate that these offenses may be committed - by extent of use, and intensity of use.

One out of every five inmates (21%) who had ever used heroin had burglary as their most serious current offense compared to 12% of inmates who had never used drugs. The proportion among inmates who had used drugs, but not heroin (22%) currently in jail for burglary was about the same as that for inmates who had ever used heroin. While the proportion of inmates who had ever used heroin daily and who were in jail for burglary (21%) appeared to be slightly higher than that among inmates who had used heroin infrequently (18%), this difference was not statistically significant. (Note; only a small proportion of inmates stated they had ever used heroin regularly - that is, once a week or more for at least a month).

While 9% of inmates who had never used drugs had larceny as their most serious current offense, 13% of inmates who had ever used heroin were in jail for this offense. It is noted that 15% of inmates who had ever used heroin often, and about the same proportion of inmates who had ever used heroin daily, had larceny as their most serious current offense. Among inmates who had ever used drugs, but not heroin, one in ten (10%) were in jail for this offense - about the same proportion as inmates who had never used drugs.

While only 2% of inmates who had never used drugs had as their most serious current offense a drug offense, 8% of inmates who had ever used drugs, but not heroin, had this as their most serious current offense. Among inmates who had ever used heroin 16% had a drug offense as their most serious current offense. As might be expected, there was a difference in the proportion of inmates in jail for a drug offense who had ever used heroin, depending on extent of use, and intensity of use. Thus, whereas only 10% of inmates who had ever used heroin once (11% of inmates who had ever used it a few times) were currently in jail for a drug offense, 18% of inmates who had ever used heroin often were in jail for a drug offense. About the same proportion of inmates who had ever used it daily were in jail for a drug offense. This is to be expected, however, since 93% of inmates who had used heroin daily had used it often.

While 31% of inmates who had never used heroin had a public order crime as their most serious current jail offense, 16% of inmates who had ever used drugs, but not heroin, were in jail for a public order crime. These proportions are compared to the 9% of inmates who had ever used heroin who had a public order crime as their most serious current offense. Only 2% of inmates who had ever used heroin were in jail for a traffic offense, and only 2% were in jail for drunkenness, vagrancy, or vice compared to 13% of inmates who had never used drugs in jail for a traffic offense, and 9% of inmates who had never used drugs in jail for drunkenness, vagrancy, vice.



Thus, in summary, compared to inmates who had never used drugs, there was a lower proportion of inmates who had ever used heroin in jail for murder/manslaughter, a slightly lower proportion for nonsexual assault, and a decidedly lower proportion in jail for public order crimes. On the other hand, among inmates who had ever used heroin, there was a larger proportion in jail for robbery, burglary, larceny, and drug offenses.

Use of drugs in month prior to admission to jail. Table 15 shows use of drugs in the month prior to admission to jail, by intensity of use, according to race. As shown in this table 44% of all inmates stated they had used drugs in the month prior to admission to jail. (Note: this would be 64% of all inmates who stated they had ever used drugs). Among inmates who stated they had used drugs in the month prior to admission to jail 62% stated they had used drugs daily, or almost daily, 23% stated they had used drugs regularly, and 11% stated they used drugs less than once a week.

A slightly larger proportion (46%) of white inmates compared to black and other inmates (41%) stated they used drugs in the month prior to admission to jail. It is noted, however, that a slightly larger proportion of white inmates compared to black and other inmates stated they had ever used drugs.

Thirty percent of all white inmates, compared to 24% of all black and other inmates, stated that in the month prior to admission to jail they were using drugs daily, or almost daily. Among inmates of both groups who stated they were using drugs in the month prior to jail, the majority of these inmates stated they were using drugs daily, or almost daily.

Table 16 shows use of drugs in the month prior to admission to jail, by intensity of use, according to most serious current offense. This table shows that over one-half (53%) of all inmates whose most serious current offense was robbery, and over one-half (54%) of all inmates whose most serious current offense was burglary, stated they were using drugs in the month prior to admission to jail. It is noted that one-half (50%) of all inmates whose most serious current offense was "juvenile offenses and unspecified" stated they were using drugs in the month prior to admission to jail, and one-half (50%) of all inmates whose most serious current offense was larceny stated they were using drugs in the month prior to admission to jail.

Among inmates whose most serious current offense was a drug offense, around three in four stated they were using drugs in the month prior to admission to jail.

By intensity of use, one in three inmates in jail for robbery, and over one-third (36%) of all inmates in jail for burglary stated they were using drugs daily, or almost daily, in the month prior to admission to jail.

These higher rates of drug usage in the month prior to admission to jail for these offenses are contrasted with the lower rates seen for the offenses of murder/manslaughter (33%), sex assault (34%), nonsexual assault (33%), forgery/fraud/embezzlement (34%), and particularly, public order offenses (24%). One in five of all inmates in jail for traffic offenses were using drugs in the month prior to admission to jail, and only 16% of the 7,300 inmates in jail for drunkenness, vagrancy, vice.



Table 15 Use of Drugs in Month Prior to Admission to Jail, by Intensity of Use, According to Race: All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Total</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>89,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>69,000</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>48,500</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>26,200</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>22,300</u>	<u>32</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>108,100</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>62,400</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>45,700</u>	<u>66</u>
Not in month prior to jail	35,500	22	19,900	22	15,600	23
Used in month prior to jail	<u>69,500</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>41,300</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>28,300</u>	<u>41</u>
Less than once a week	7,500	5	4,700	5	2,800	4
At least once a week	16,200	10	8,700	10	7,500	11
Daily, or almost daily	43,300	27	26,900	30	16,400	24
Not available ...	2,500	2	900	1	1,600	2
Not available	3,100	2	1,300	1	1,800	3
Refuse	500	*	200	*	300	*
Not available	1,300	1	500	1	700	1

Table 16 Use of Drugs in Month Prior to Admission to Jail
 By Intensity of Use, According to Most Serious Current Offense
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		Violent	Murder/man-	Sex	Robbery	Nonsex	Other	Property
	Number	Percent	Crime	slaughter	Assault		Assault		Crime
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>48,500</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>26</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>108,100</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>74</u>
Not in month prior to jail	35,500	22	24	22	25	21	26	36	22
<u>Used in month prior to jail</u>	<u>69,500</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>49</u>
Less than once a week	7,500	5	4	3	4	5	2	6	6
At least once a week	16,200	10	9	6	10	11	9	9	11
Daily, or almost daily	43,300	27	26	21	18	33	20	28	32
Not available	2,500	2	2	3	2	3	1	-	1
Not available	3,100	2	2	2	2	3	1	-	2
Refuse	500	*	*	*	1	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,300	1	1	1	*	1	3	*	1

	Bur lar	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larcen	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>91</u>
Not in month prior to jail	22	29	22	21	22	15	14	15
<u>Used in month prior to jail</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>73</u>
Less than once a week	5	11	4	6	5	7	7	6
At least once a week	11	12	8	12	6	20	16	23
Daily, or almost daily	36	28	22	31	30	45	50	41
Not available	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	2
Not available	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	3
Refuse	*	-	1	1	-	*	*	*
Not available	*	-	*	1	1	2	1	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkness, Vagrancy, Vice	other	Juvenile offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>44</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>46</u>
Not in month prior to jail	24	29	23	24	22	23	24	26
<u>Used in month prior to jail</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>20</u>
Less than once a week	3	3	5	3	2	4	12	-
At least once a week	6	9	4	6	6	5	16	10
Daily, or almost daily	14	26	20	11	8	15	19	9
Not available ...	1	1	1	*	1	-	3	-
Not available	2	5	1	1	2	-	*	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	5

As shown by Table 17, one in ten of all inmates in local jails stated they were using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail. (Note: this would be 38% of all inmates who stated they had ever used heroin). Seven percent of all inmates stated they were using heroin daily, or almost daily, in this period of time. About the same proportion of white inmates as black and other inmates stated they were using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail. (Note: the slight difference shown was not statistically significant).

About the same proportion of white inmates (6%) stated they were using heroin daily, or almost daily, in the month prior to admission to jail as black and other inmates (8%). This slight difference was not statistically significant.

Table 18 shows use of heroin in the month prior to admission to jail, by intensity of use, and most serious current offense. As shown by this table, 15% of the 18,600 inmates whose most serious current offense was robbery were using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail (with one in ten of these inmates using heroin daily, or almost daily, during this period of time). Some 13% of the 29,000 inmates in jail for burglary were using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail (with around one in ten (9%) using it daily, or almost daily, during this time). Fourteen percent of the 16,800 inmates whose most serious current offense was larceny were using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail (with one in ten of these inmates using it daily, or almost daily, during this period of time). Close to one in four inmates (23%) whose most serious current offense was a drug offense stated they had used heroin in the month prior to admission to jail (with 15% stating they were using it daily, or almost daily, at this time).

Offenses with relatively low rates of heroin use in the month prior to jail included murder/manslaughter (5%), sexual assault (3%), nonsexual assault (5%), auto theft (2%), and public order offenses (3%). Only 1% of the 11,400 inmates whose most serious current offense was a traffic offense was using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail, and only 3% of the 7,300 inmates whose most serious current offense was drunkenness, vagrancy, or vice.

Table 19 shows use of marijuana in the month prior to admission to jail, by intensity of use, according to race. As this table shows, over one-third (38%) of all 158,400 inmates had used marijuana in the month prior to admission to jail. (Note: around 58% of all inmates who stated they had ever used marijuana stated they were using it in the month prior to admission to jail). Close to one in four (25%) had used marijuana daily, or almost daily, in the month prior to admission to jail.

A slightly larger proportion (40%) of white inmates, compared to black and other inmates (36%) stated they had used marijuana in the month prior to admission to jail. This difference held in regard to daily, or almost daily, use during this period of time with around one in four white inmates stating they had used marijuana daily, or almost daily, during the month prior to admission to jail whereas around one in five (21%) black and other inmates stated this.

Table 20 shows that 48% of inmates whose most serious current offense was robbery had used marijuana in the month prior to admission to jail, with 29% of these inmates stating they had used it daily, or almost daily during

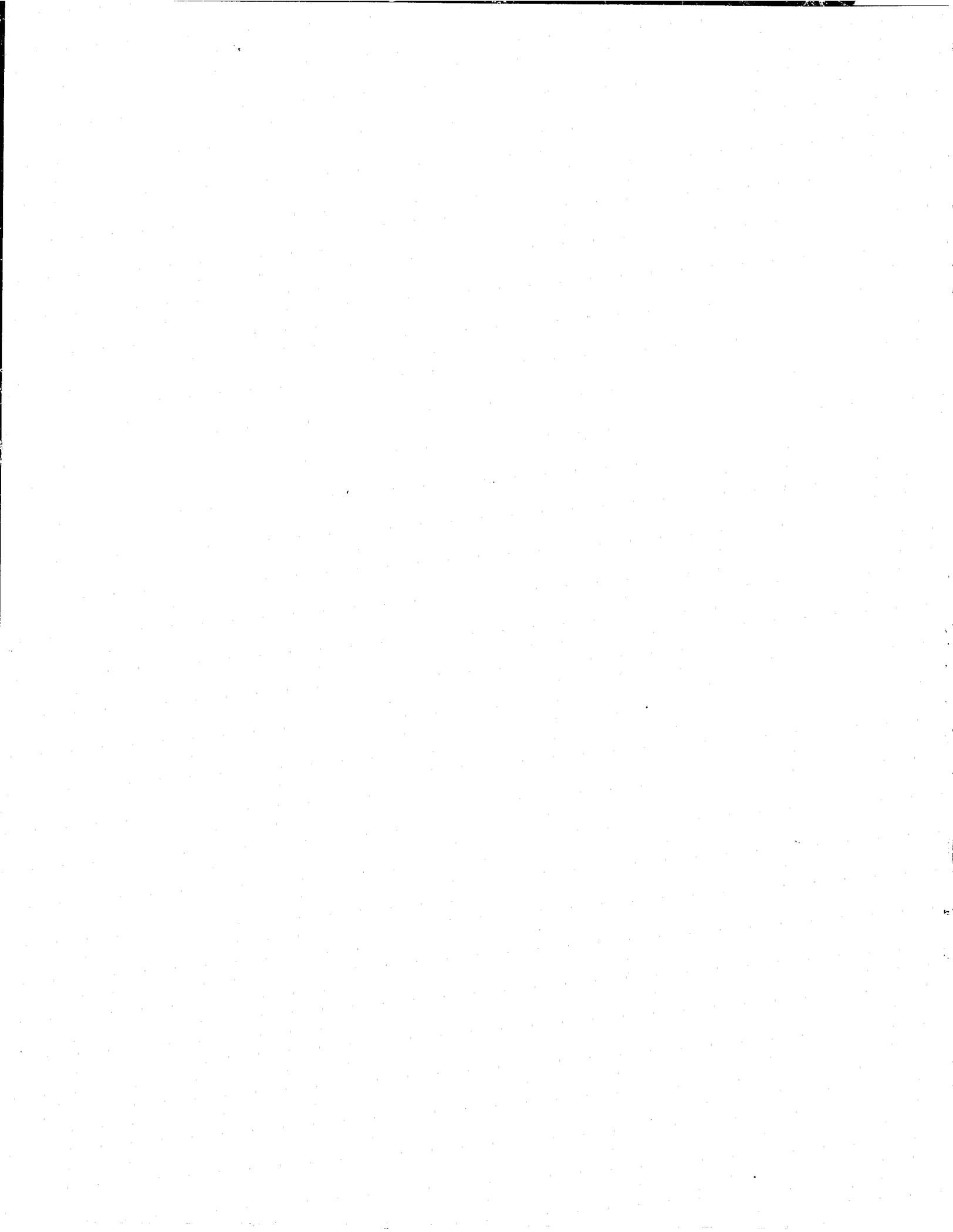


Table 17 Use of Heroin in Month Prior to Admission to Jail
 By Intensity of Use, According to Race
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Total</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>89,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>69,000</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>115,400</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>65,700</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>49,700</u>	<u>72</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>41,300</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>22,900</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>18,400</u>	<u>27</u>
Not in month prior to jail	24,700	16	14,100	16	10,600	15
Used in month prior to jail	<u>15,800</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7,400</u>	<u>11</u>
Less than once a week	1,800	1	1,100	1	700	1
At least once a week	3,000	2	1,600	2	1,410	2
Daily, or almost daily	10,800	7	5,600	6	5,200	8
Not available ...	300	*	200	*	100	*
Not available	700	*	300	*	400	1
Refuse	600	*	300	*	300	*
Not available	1,200	1	500	1	600	1

*Means number is less than 50, or less than 0.5%

Table 18 Use of Heroin in Month Prior to Admission to Jail
 By Intensity of Use, According to Most Serious Current Offense.
 All Inmates of Local Jails - February 1978

	Total Number	Total Percent	Violent Crime	Murder/man- slaughter	Sex Assault	Robbery	Nonsex Assault	Other	Property Crime
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>115,400</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>71</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>41,300</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>28</u>
Not in month prior to jail	24,700	16	17	12	11	21	16	19	16
<u>Used in month prior to jail</u>	<u>15,800</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>12</u>
Less than once a week	1,800	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1
At least once a week	3,000	2	2	2	1	3	2	-	2
Daily, or almost daily	10,800	7	5	2	1	10	2	7	9
Not available	300	*	*	-	-	-	*	-	*
Not available	700	*	*	-	-	1	*	-	*
Refuse	600	*	*	*	1	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,200	1	1	*	-	*	2	*	1

*Means number is less than 50, or less than 0.5%

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>46</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>50</u>
Not in month prior to jail	16	21	12	18	12	25	30	20
Used in month prior to jail	<u>13</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>28</u>
Less than once a week	1	*	1	2	1	2	1	3
At least once a week	2	-	1	2	1	5	2	7
Daily, or almost daily	9	2	7	10	11	15	13	17
Not available	*	-	-	*	-	*	*	1
Not available	*	-	*	*	1	1	-	2
Refuse	*	-	1	1	-	*	*	*
Not available	*	-	*	*	1	2	1	4

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	other	Juvenile offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	86	74	80	91	87	90	83	80
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>11</u>
Not in month prior to jail	10	17	14	7	10	4	15	11
<u>Used in month prior to jail</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>
Less than once a week	*	-	*	-	1	-	*	-
At least once a week	1	1	*	*	1	2	-	-
Daily, or almost daily	2	3	4	1	1	2	2	-
Not available ...	*	1	-	-	*	-	-	-
Not available	*	3	-	-	*	2	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	5

Table 19

Use of Marijuana in Month Prior to Admission to Jail
 By Intensity of Use, According to Race
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>158,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>89,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>69,000</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>52,300</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>27,800</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>24,600</u>	<u>36</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>104,400</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>61,000</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>43,400</u>	<u>63</u>
Not in month prior to jail	41,900	26	24,300	27	17,600	25
Used in month prior to jail	<u>60,900</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>36,000</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>24,900</u>	<u>36</u>
Less than once a week	7,600	5	4,500	5	3,100	5
At least once a week	16,500	10	9,100	10	7,400	11
Daily, or almost daily	36,200	23	22,000	25	14,200	21
Not available ...	600	*	400	*	200	*
Not available	1,600	1	700	1	1,000	1
Refuse	600	*	300	*	400	1
Not available	1,000	1	500	1	600	1

*Means number is less than 50, or less than 0.5%

Table 20 Use of Marijuana in Month prior to Admission to Jail
 By Intensity of Use, According to Most Serious Current Offense
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>Violent</u>	<u>Murder/man-</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Robbery</u>	<u>Nonsex</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Property</u>
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Crime</u>	<u>slaughter</u>	<u>Assault</u>		<u>Assault</u>		<u>Crime</u>
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>52,300</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>27</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>104,400</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>72</u>
Not in month prior to jail	41,900	26	26	22	24	27	28	56	28
<u>Used in month prior to jail</u>	<u>60,900</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>43</u>
Less than once a week	7,600	5	4	2	5	5	2	6	5
At least once a week	16,500	10	9	7	9	11	9	9	11
Daily, or almost daily	36,500	23	23	21	18	29	19	19	26
Not available	600	*	*	1	-	1	-	-	*
Not available	1,600	1	1	1	2	2	*	3	1
Refuse	600	*	*	*	3	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,000	1	1	*	-	*	2	*	1

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>86</u>
Not in month prior to jail	29	30	28	27	23	23	20	27
<u>Used in month prior to jail</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>58</u>
Less than once a week	5	9	4	5	6	10	10	10
At least once a week	13	11	8	12	7	20	16	23
Daily, or almost daily	29	29	16	25	25	34	43	25
Not available	*	-	1	1	-	*	*	1
Not available	*	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
Refuse	*	-	1	1	*	*	*	*
Not available	*	-	*	*	1	1	-	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy Vice	other	Juvenile offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>49</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>42</u>
Not in month prior to jail	25	32	25	26	21	24	25	22
Used in month prior to jail	<u>21</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>20</u>
Less than once a week	2	2	3	3	1	2	12	10
At least once a week	6	12	4	6	6	6	17	9
Daily, or almost daily	12	22	18	10	8	7	18	-
Not available ...	*	1	*	*	*	-	3	-
Not available	1	1	2	*	1	-	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	*	1	-	*	-	-	5

this period of time. About the same proportion (47%) of inmates in jail for burglary stated they were using marijuana during the month prior to admission to jail, with 29% of these inmates stating they had used it daily, or almost daily, during this time.

Almost one-half (49%) of the 4,300 inmates in jail for auto theft were using marijuana during the month prior to admission to jail, with 29% of these inmates using it daily, or almost daily, during this period of time.

Among the 13,600 inmates in jail for a drug offense, 63% were using marijuana in the month prior to admission to jail, with close to one in three using it daily, or almost daily, during this month.

Offenses with relatively lower rates of marijuana usage during this period of time were murder/manslaughter (31%), nonsexual assault (30%), forgery/fraud/embezzlement (28%), and public order offenses (21%). It is noted that around one in five (19%) inmates whose most serious current offense was a traffic offense stated they had used marijuana in the month prior to admission to jail, with around one in ten of these inmates stating they had used it daily, or almost daily, during this month. A still smaller proportion (15%) of inmates whose most serious current offense was drunkenness, vagrancy, or vice stated they were using marijuana in the month prior to admission to jail.

Although not shown in this report the following percentages of inmates stated they were using these drugs in the month prior to admission to jail:

	<u>Total</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Black and other</u>
Methadone, outside a treatment program	1%	1%	1%
Cocaine	8	8	7
Amphetamines, without a doctor's prescription	7	9	5
Barbiturates, without a doctor's prescription	8	11	5
LSD	3	4	1
PCP	4	5	2

Source of drugs. Tables 21-16 show the primary source of drugs used in the month prior to admission to jail. For the most part, drugs were obtained as "street buys" with the following percentages shown as "street buys", by drug: heroin (82%), methadone, outside a treatment program (67%), cocaine (64%), marijuana (66%), amphetamines (62%), and barbiturates (54%). It is noted, however, that around one in four inmates who used cocaine during this period of time obtained their cocaine as a gift, or reward, from a friend or acquaintance, and that 28% of inmates who used marijuana during this period of time also obtained their marijuana primarily from a friend or acquaintance. These percentages may reflect the setting in which these drugs are obtained and/or consumed. Around one in five inmates who used amphetamines, or barbiturates, during this time obtained them primarily free - as a gift or reward from a friend or acquaintance.

Although not shown in this report, 62% of the 4,200 inmates who used LSD in the month prior to admission to jail obtained their drug as a street buy, with one in five (20%) obtained it primarily as a gift or reward from a friend or acquaintance. Some 72% of the 6,000 inmates who used PCP in the month prior to admission to jail obtained their drug as a "street buy", with 22% primarily obtaining it free - as a gift or reward from a friend or acquaintance.

Under the influence of drugs at the time of the offenses for which convicted. Only inmates who had been convicted, and who stated they had ever used drugs, were asked whether they had been under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted. Of the 108,100 inmates who had ever used drugs, 62,200 (57%) had been convicted. Of this number, 65% were not under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted. However, 31% of these inmates stated they were under the influence of drugs at this time. (Note: for 4% of the inmates information on whether under the influence of drugs was not available).

A slightly larger proportion of white inmates (33%) compared to black and other inmates (28%) appeared to be under the influence of drugs - although it is noted that the relative standard errors for these percentages (or the confidence intervals of these two percentages) could mean that close to the same proportion of white inmates as black and other inmates were under the influence of drugs at this time. More inmates of both groups stated they were under the influence of marijuana than any other drug (15% of white inmates, and 16% of black and other inmates). Heroin followed next - with 9% of white inmates, and 10% of black and other inmates stating they were under the influence of heroin at the time of the offense for which convicted.

Table 28 shows inmates who were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted, according to most serious current offense for which convicted. As this table shows, among inmates who were convicted, and who had ever used drugs, and who were in jail for robbery 44% stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted. Over one-third (37%) of the inmates whose most serious current offense was burglary and who were convicted, along with being drug users, stated they were under the influence of drugs at this time. Around four in ten (41%) of inmates who were in jail for a drug offense, who were convicted, and who were drug users, stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which

Table 21 Main Source of Heroin used in Month Prior to Admission to Jail:
 Inmates who Used Heroin in Month prior to Admission to Jail
 February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Total</u>	15,800	100 %	8,400	100 %	7,400	100 %
Legal prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Forged prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Street buy	12,900	82	6,700	79	6,200	85
Stolen	300	2	300	3	100	1
Gifts or rewards from friends/acquaintances..	1,600	10	900	10	700	10
Other	400	3	300	3	100	2
Not available	600	4	300	4	200	3

na means not available, or category not on form

Table 22 Main Source of Methadone Used in Month prior to Admission to Jail:
 Inmates who used Methadone in Month prior to Admission to Jail
 February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>1,800</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Legal prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Forged prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Street buy	1,200	67	700	67	500	68
Stolen	200	12	100	12	100	11
Gifts or rewards from friends/acquaintances..	100	3	*	4	*	2
Other	200	10	100	8	100	12
Not available	100	8	100	9	*	6

na means not available, or category not on form

Table 23 Main Source of Cocaine Used in Month prior to Admission to Jail:
 Inmates who Used Cocaine in Month prior to Admission to Jail
 February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>12,100</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>7,500</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>4,600</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Legal prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Forged prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Street buy	7,800	64	4,500	60	3,300	71
Stolen	100	1	100	1	-	-
Gifts or rewards from friends/acquaintances..	3,100	25	2,200	30	900	18
Other	200	1	100	2	*	1
Not available	600	5	300	4	300	6
Grew or made	400	3	200	3	100	3

na means not available, or category not on form

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Table 24 Main Source of Marijuana Used in Month Prior to Admission to Jail:
 Inmates who Used Marijuana in Month prior to Admission to Jail
 February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Total</u>	<u>60,900</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>36,000</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>24,900</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Legal prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Forged prescription.....	na	na	na	na	na	na
Street buy	40,100	66	23,000	64	17,100	69
Stolen	100	*	100	*	-	-
Gifts or rewards from friends/acquaintances..	16,800	28	10,200	28	6,500	26
Other	2,400	4	1,700	5	700	3
Not available	1,400	2	900	3	500	2
Grew own or made	100	*	*	*	*	*

na means not available, or category not on form

Table 25

Main Source of Amphetamines Used in Month Prior to Admission to Jail:
 Inmates who Used Amphetamines in Month prior to Admission to Jail
 February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>11,600</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>3,100</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Legal prescription.....	1,200	10	700	8	500	15
Forged prescription.....	500	4	400	5	100	4
Street buy	7,100	62	5,200	62	2,000	62
Stolen	300	2	300	3	-	-
Gifts or rewards from friends/acquaintances..	2,300	20	1,700	20	600	19
Other	*	*	*	*	-	-
Not available	200	1	200	2	*	*

Table 26 Main Source of Barbiturates Used in Month Prior to Admission to Jail:
 Inmates who Used Barbiturates in Month Prior to Admission to Jail,
 February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Total</u>	<u>12,800</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>9,700</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>3,100</u>	<u>100 %</u>
Legal prescription.....	1,800	14	1,200	12	600	18
Forged prescription.....	600	5	600	6	*	1
Street buy	6,900	54	5,200	53	1,800	57
Stolen	600	5	400	5	100	4
Gifts or rewards from friends/acquaintances..	2,500	20	2,000	20	600	18
Other	100	*	100	1	-	-
Not available	300	2	200	2	100	3

Table 27

Under the Influence of Drugs, By Type of Drug

According to Race

All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Total</u>	158,400	100 %	89,400	100 %	69,000	100 %
Not Convicted	66,900	42	36,700	41	30,300	44
Convicted	91,400	58	52,700	59	38,700	56
Not Available	*	*	*	*	-	-
<u>Never Used Drugs</u>	48,500	31	26,200	29	22,300	32
Not Convicted	19,800	13	11,000	12	8,800	13
Convicted	28,700	18	15,100	17	13,500	20
<u>Ever Used Drugs</u>	108,100	68	62,400	70	45,700	66
Not Convicted	46,000	29	25,200	28	20,700	30
Convicted	62,200	39	37,300	42	24,900	36
<u>Total</u>	xx	100 %	xx	100 %	xx	100 %
Not Under Influence	40,300	65	23,600	63	16,700	67
<u>Under Influence</u>	19,300	31	12,300	33	7,000	28
Heroin	5,700	9	3,300	9	2,500	10
Methadone	800	1	300	1	500	2
Cocaine	1,400	2	800	2	600	2
Marijuana	9,500	15	5,600	15	3,900	16
Amphetamines	2,700	4	1,900	5	800	3
Barbiturates	3,300	5	2,500	7	100	3
LSD	800	1	700	2	300	6
PCP	1,200	2	900	2	300	1
Other Drugs	600	1	300	1	1,300	1
Not available	3,000	5	1,700	4	1,200	5
Not Available	2,500	4	1,400	4	1,200	5
<u>Refuse</u>	500	*	200	*	300	*
Not Convicted	300	*	200	*	200	*
Convicted	200	*	100	*	100	*
<u>Not Available</u>	1,300	1	500	1	700	1
Not Convicted	800	1	200	*	600	1
Convicted	400	*	300	*	100	*
Not Available	*	*	*	*	-	-

Note: Drug Categories
are not mutually
exclusive.

Table 28 Under the Influence of Drugs at the Time of any of the Offenses
for which Convicted

All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		Violent	Murder/Man-	Sex	Robbery	Nonsexual	Other	Property
	Number	Percent	Crime	slaughter	Assault		Assault		Crime
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	62,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Not convicted	66,900	42	53	56	60	59	40	67	43
Convicted	91,400	58	47	44	40	41	60	33	57
Not available	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Never used drugs</u>	48,500	31	32	43	39	22	37	21	26
Not convicted	19,800	13	16	21	24	14	14	13	11
Convicted	28,700	18	16	22	15	8	23	8	15
<u>Ever used drugs</u>	108,100	68	67	56	61	77	60	79	74
Not convicted	46,000	29	36	35	36	44	24	54	32
Convicted	62,200	39	31	21	25	33	36	24	42
<u>Total</u>	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Not under influence.	40,300	65	65	67	71	54	76	57	64
Under influence.....	19,200	31	33	31	18	44	22	32	32
Not available	2,500	4	3	2	11	2	2	11	5
<u>Refuse</u>	500	*	*	*	-	*	-	-	*
Not convicted	300	*	*	*	-	*	-	-	*
Convicted	200	*	*	*	-	*	-	-	*
<u>Not Available</u>	1,300	1	1	1	-	1	3	*	1
Not convicted	800	1	1	*	-	1	1	*	*
Convicted	400	*	*	*	-	*	1	-	*
Not available	*	*	*	-	-	-	*	-	-

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking & Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Not convicted	47	40	49	36	37	30	27	32
Convicted	53	60	51	64	63	70	73	68
Not available	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Never used drugs</u>	21	17	40	25	33	8	9	7
Not convicted	11	7	19	8	10	3	3	4
Convicted	10	10	22	17	23	4	6	3
<u>Ever used drugs</u>	79	83	58	73	66	91	90	91
Not convicted	36	33	30	27	25	25	24	27
Convicted	43	50	29	46	40	65	67	64
<u>Total</u>	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Not under influence .	59	81	62	69	60	55	67	43
Under influence	37	15	34	26	34	41	29	52
Not available	4	4	4	5	7	4	4	5
<u>Refuse</u>	*	-	1	1	-	*	*	*
Not convicted	*	-	*	*	-	*	*	*
Convicted	*	-	*	*	-	*	-	*
<u>Not Available</u>	*	-	*	1	1	2	1	3
Not convicted	*	-	-	*	1	1	1	1
Convicted	*	-	*	*	-	1	-	1
Not available	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses & Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Not convicted	28	46	41	19	27	22	42	61
Convicted	72	54	59	81	73	78	58	39
Not available	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Never used drugs</u>	50	25	43	54	58	53	25	44
Not convicted	14	14	16	12	16	12	12	16
Convicted	36	11	27	43	42	42	13	28
<u>Ever used drugs</u>	49	73	54	45	41	47	75	46
Not convicted	14	30	25	6	10	10	30	35
Convicted	35	43	30	39	30	36	45	11
<u>Total</u>	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Not under influence.	76	64	78	77	78	80	84	66
Under influence.....	20	33	20	19	22	15	16	34
Not available.....	4	3	3	4	6	5	-	-
<u>Refuse</u>	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not convicted.....	*	1	-	1	*	-	-	5
Convicted	*	*	1	-	-	-	-	1
<u>Not Available</u>	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	5
Not convicted.....	*	-	*	-	1	-	-	5
Convicted	*	-	2	-	*	-	-	-
Not available	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

convicted. Offenses for which relatively smaller proportions of inmates were under the influence of drugs were: sexual assault (18%), nonsexual assault (22%), auto theft (15%), and public order crimes (20%). Around one in five (19%) inmates who were in jail for a traffic offense (and who were convicted) stated they were under the influence of drugs at this time. It is noted that close to one in three (31%) inmates whose most serious current offense was murder/manslaughter, and who were convicted, stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense. This is the same percentage as all convicted, drug-using inmates who stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted (31%).

Table F takes convicted, drug-using inmates who stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted, and compares them with convicted, drug-using inmates who stated they were not under the influence of drugs at this time. As shown in this table, a greater proportion of inmates under the influence were in jail for robbery (14%) compared to inmates not under the influence (8%); were in jail for burglary (24%) compared to inmates not under the influence (18%); and were in jail for drug offenses (19%) compared to inmates who were not under the influence (12%).

Offenses for which there were relatively smaller proportions of inmates under the influence of drugs compared to inmates not under the influence of drugs were: nonsexual assault (5% of inmates under the influence compared to 9% of inmates not under the influence); and public order crimes (11% of inmates under the influence compared to 20% of inmates not under the influence). While only 4% of inmates under the influence of drugs had a traffic offense as their most serious current offense for which convicted, 9% of inmates not under the influence of drugs were convicted of a traffic offense.

Enrollment in drug abuse treatment programs. Table 29 shows that only 6% of the 108,100 inmates who had ever used drugs were enrolled in a drug abuse treatment program when first admitted to jail for one of the offenses for which currently in jail. Slightly under one-half of these inmates who were in a drug abuse treatment program at this time stated they had a prior enrollment in a drug abuse treatment program. For most of these inmates with a prior enrollment, they had been enrolled in only one prior program.

For the 108,100 inmates who had ever used drugs, close to one in five (21%) stated they had a prior enrollment in a drug abuse treatment program. For the majority of these inmates this had been only one prior enrollment.

By race, about the same proportion of white inmates as black and other inmates stated they were in a drug abuse treatment program when first admitted to jail for one of the offenses for which currently in jail. Around 45% of white inmates, and black and other inmates, who were enrolled in a drug abuse treatment program at this time had a prior enrollment.

About the same proportion (22%) of white inmates who had ever used drugs, as black and other inmates who had ever used drugs (20%), stated they had a prior enrollment in a drug abuse treatment program. For both groups this primarily meant one prior enrollment in a drug abuse program.



Table F.

Most Serious Current Offense According to Under the Influence of Drugs
at the Time of any of the Offenses for which Convicted

All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		Violent Crime	Murder/Man- slaughter	Sex Assault	Robbery	Nonsexual Assault	Other	Property Crime -
	Number	Percent							
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	62,500
Percent	xx	100 %	30	6	3	12	8	1	41
Not convicted	66,900	100 %	37	8	4	16	8	2	42
Convicted	91,400	100 %	24	4	2	8	9	1	41
Not available	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Never used drugs</u>	48,500	100 %	31	8	4	8	10	1	34
Not convicted	19,800	100 %	39	10	6	13	9	1	36
Convicted	28,700	100 %	25	7	2	5	10	*	33
<u>Ever used drugs</u>	108,100	100 %	29	5	3	13	7	1	45
Not convicted	45,900	100 %	37	7	4	18	7	2	45
Convicted	62,000	100%	23	3	2	10	8	1	44
<u>Total</u>	xx	xx							
Not under influence .	40,300	100 %	23	3	2	8	9	1	44
Under influence	19,200	100 %	24	3	1	14	5	1	45
Not available	2,500	100 %	15	2	5	4	3	2	50
<u>Refuse</u>	500	100 %	11	9	-	2	-	-	43
Not convicted	300	100 %	3	2	-	2	-	-	37
Convicted	200	100 %	23	20	-	2	-	-	51
<u>Not Available</u>	1,400	100 %	42	3	-	12	26	*	28
Not convicted	900	100 %	41	5	-	15	20	1	32
Convicted	500	100 %	39	1	-	8	29	-	23
Not available	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking & Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	<u>29,000</u>	<u>4,300</u>	<u>9,000</u>	<u>16,800</u>	<u>6,300</u>	<u>13,600</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>7,100</u>
Percent	<u>18</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
Not convicted	<u>20</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
Convicted	17	3	5	12	4	10	5	5
Not available	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Never used drugs</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Not convicted	<u>16</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Convicted	10	1	7	10	5	2	1	1
<u>Ever used drugs</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>
Not convicted	<u>23</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>
Convicted	<u>20</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>
Not under influence .	18	4	4	13	4	12	7	5
Under influence	24	2	5	11	4	19	7	12
Not available	21	3	4	15	7	16	6	10
<u>Refuse</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
Not convicted	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Convicted	21	-	5	25	-	2	-	2
<u>Not Available</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>12</u>
Not convicted	<u>15</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>
Convicted	1	-	8	14	-	18	-	18
Not available	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses & Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>19</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Not convicted	13	2	3	3	3	1	1	1
Convicted	24	2	4	10	6	2	1	*
Not available	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<u>Never used drugs</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Not convicted	21	2	5	7	6	1	1	1
Convicted	38	1	6	17	11	3	1	1
<u>Ever used drugs</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>
Not convicted	9	2	3	2	2	1	1	1
Convicted	17	2	3	7	4	1	1	*
Not under influence.	20	2	3	9	4	2	1	*
Under influence.....	11	2	2	4	2	1	1	*
Not available.....	18	2	2	8	6	2	-	-
<u>Refuse</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9</u>
Not convicted.....	42	13	-	27	2	-	-	14
Convicted	21	-	21	-	-	-	-	2
<u>Not Available</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>
Not convicted.....	8	-	2	-	6	-	-	5
Convicted	21	-	17	-	4	-	-	-
Not available	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Table 29 Enrollment in Drug Abuse Treatment Programs
 At Time of Admission to Jail and Prior Times Enrolled
 According to Race
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		% of "Used Drugs"	White		% of "Used Drugs"	Black & Other		% of "Used Drugs"
	Number	Percent		Number	Percent		Number	Percent	
<u>Total</u>	158,400	100 %		89,400	100 %		69,000	100 %	
<u>Never Used Drugs</u>	48,500	31		26,200	29		22,300	32	
<u>Ever Used Drugs</u>	108,100	68	100 %	62,400	70	100 %	45,700	66	100 %
<u>Prior Enrollments</u>									
None	83,300	52	77	47,100	53	75	36,100	52	79
<u>Total</u>	22,900	14	21	13,800	15	22	9,100	13	20
One	15,200	10	14	9,000	10	14	6,200	9	14
Two	4,700	3	3	2,700	3	4	2,100	3	5
Three	2,300	1	2	1,500	2	3	700	1	2
At least four	700	*	1	600	1	1	100	*	*
Not available	1,600	1	1	1,400	2	2	200	*	*
<u>Not Enrolled at time of</u>									
<u>Admission to Jail</u>	101,200	64	94	58,100	65	93	43,000	62	94
<u>No Prior Enrollments</u>	79,800	50	74	44,900	50	72	34,900	51	76
<u>Prior Enrollments</u>	19,900	13	18	11,900	13	19	8,000	12	17
One	13,500	9	13	7,900	9	13	5,600	8	12
Two	3,800	2	4	2,200	2	3	1,600	2	4
Three	2,000	1	2	1,300	2	2	600	1	1
At least four	500	*	1	500	1	1	100	*	*
Not available	1,500	1	1	1,300	1	2	200	*	*
<u>Enrolled at time of</u>									
<u>Admission to Jail</u>	6,600	4	6	4,200	5	7	2,400	3	5
<u>No Prior Enrollments</u>	3,500	2	3	2,200	2	4	1,300	2	3
<u>Prior Enrollments</u>	3,100	2	3	1,900	2	3	1,100	2	2
One	1,600	1	2	1,100	1	2	600	1	1
Two	900	1	1	500	1	1	400	1	1
Three	300	*	*	200	*	*	100	*	*
At least four	200	*	*	200	*	*	*	*	*
Not available	100	*	*	100	*	*	-	-	-

Enrollment in Drug Abuse Treatment Programs
 At Time of Admission to Jail and Prior Times Enrolled
 According to Race
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>% of</u>	<u>White</u>		<u>% of</u>	<u>Black & Other</u>		<u>% of</u>
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>"Used</u> <u>Drugs"</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>"Used</u> <u>Drugs"</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>"Used</u> <u>Drugs"</u>
Not Available	400	*	*	100	*	*	300	*	1
Refuse	500	*	*	200	*	*	300	*	1
Not available	1,300	1	1	500	1	1	700	1	2

	<u>Population</u>	<u>Ever</u> <u>Used</u> <u>Drugs</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Ever</u> <u>Used</u> <u>Drugs</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Ever</u> <u>Used</u> <u>Drugs</u>
Ever Enrolled.....	17%	24%	17%	23%	16%	24%

Summary and Conclusions

This research shows that around seven out of every ten inmates (68%) of local jails in the U.S. in February 1978 stated they had used drugs such as heroin, methadone, cocaine, marijuana, amphetamines, barbiturates, LSD, PCP, or other such drugs without a doctor's prescription, and outside a treatment program. At least four out of every ten inmates had used at least one of these drugs often, and at least four out of every ten inmates had used at least one of these drugs daily, or almost daily.

Offenses for which there appeared to be relatively higher proportions of inmates who stated they had ever used drugs included: robbery, burglary, auto theft, and drug offenses. Offenses for which there were relatively lower proportions of inmates who stated they had ever used drugs included: murder/manslaughter, or attempted murder; sex assault; forgery/fraud/embezzlement; and public order crimes. Among public order crimes, this would include traffic offenses, and drunkenness, vagrancy, vice.

Around one of every four inmates of local jails in the U.S. in February 1978 stated they had ever used heroin. Fourteen percent of all inmates stated they had used heroin often, and 15% stated they had used heroin daily, or almost daily.

Over one of every three inmates whose most serious current offense in jail was robbery, and around one of every three inmates whose most serious current offense was larceny, stated they had ever used heroin. About one-half of all inmates in jail for drug offenses stated they had ever used heroin.

Offenses for which relatively smaller proportions of inmates stated they had ever used heroin were: murder/manslaughter (or attempted murder); sex assault, and public order crimes. Only 8% of inmates whose most serious current offense was a traffic offense stated they had ever used heroin, and only 13% of inmates whose most serious current offense was drunkenness, vagrancy, vice.

Inmates were asked about drug use in the month prior to admission to jail. Forty-four percent of all 158,400 inmates had used drugs such as those above in the month prior to admission to jail. Among these inmates who had used drugs in the month prior to jail, the majority stated they had used drugs during this time on a daily, or almost daily basis.

Over one-half of all inmates whose most serious current offense was robbery, over one-half of all inmates whose most serious current offense was burglary, and around one-half of all inmates whose most serious current offense was larceny, stated they were using drugs in the month prior to admission to jail.

For each of these offenses, among inmates who stated they were using drugs in the month prior to admission to jail, the majority were using these drugs daily, or almost daily.

There were relatively lower rates of drug usage in the month prior to jail for the offenses of murder/manslaughter, sex assault, nonsexual assault, forgery/fraud/embezzlement, and particularly, public order crimes.

Around one in ten inmates of local jails in the U.S. in February 1978 stated they were using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail. Among these inmates, the majority were using heroin daily, or almost daily, during this time.

Offenses for which there were relatively larger proportions of inmates using heroin in the month prior to jail included robbery, burglary, larceny, and drug offenses. Offenses for which there were relatively smaller proportions of inmates using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail included: murder/manslaughter, sex assault, nonsexual assault, auto theft, and public order crimes. Only 1% of the 11,400 inmates whose most serious current offense was a traffic offense were using heroin in the month prior to admission to jail, and only 3% of the 7,300 inmates whose most serious current offense was drunkenness, vagrancy, vice were using heroin at this time.

Only inmates who were convicted, and who stated they had ever used drugs, were asked about being under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted. Of these 62,000 inmates, close to one in three stated they were under the influence of drugs at this time. The primary drug used by inmates who were under the influence of drugs was marijuana, with heroin following.

Among convicted, drug-using inmates who were in jail for robbery, over four out of ten stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted. Thirty-seven percent of convicted, drug-using inmates in jail for burglary stated they were under the influence of drugs at the time of the offense for which convicted.

Offenses for which relatively smaller proportions of convicted, drug-using inmates were under the influence were: sexual assault, nonsexual assault, auto theft and public order crimes. Around one in five convicted inmates (who used drugs) who were in jail for a traffic offense stated they were under the influence of drugs, and around 16% of convicted inmates (who used drugs) who were in jail for drunkenness, vagrancy, vice.

While only 6% of the 108,100 inmates who had ever used drugs were in drug abuse treatment programs when first admitted to jail for one of the offenses for which currently in jail, close to one in five had a prior enrollment in a drug abuse treatment program. In the majority of cases, this was only one prior enrollment.

In conclusion, this paper shows that while inmates in local jails in the U.S. in February 1978 could be considered a drug-using population, the type of drug used, the extent, and the intensity of use, varied by race, and by type of offense.

Thus, a slightly larger proportion of white inmates compared to black and other inmates stated they had ever used drugs. In general, about the same proportion of white inmates, as black and other inmates, stated they had ever used heroin and methadone; however, a larger proportion of white inmates, compared to black and other inmates, stated they had ever used cocaine, marijuana, amphetamines, barbiturates, LSD, and PCP.

In general, robbery, burglary, larceny, and drug offenses were the offenses for which there were relatively higher percentages of inmates who used drugs whereas relatively lower percentages of inmates using drugs were shown for the offenses of murder/manslaughter, sex assault, nonsexual assault, and public order crimes, such as traffic, and drunkenness, vagrancy, vice.

APPENDIX

PART I - Use of Drugs by Race, and Most Serious
Offense:

Methadone
Cocaine
Marijuana
Amphetamines
Barbiturates

PART II - Standard Error Tables

Drug Questions on Survey Instrument

PART I - Use of Drugs by Race, and Most Serious
Current Offense:

Methadone
Cocaine
Marijuana
Amphetamines
Barbiturates

Table 5

Use of Methadone, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use
According to Race
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Total	158,400	100 %	89,400	100 %	69,000	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	145,300	92	81,200	91	64,100	93
<u>Ever used</u>	11,400	7	7,500	8	3,900	6
Once	1,900	1	1,300	1	700	1
A few times	4,800	3	3,200	4	1,600	2
Occasionally	2,500	2	1,600	2	900	1
Often	2,200	1	1,400	2	800	1
N.A.	*	*	*	*	*	*
Infrequently ...	8,500	5	5,600	6	2,900	4
Regularly	700	*	400	*	200	*
Daily	2,100	1	1,300	1	800	1
N.A.	100	*	100	*	*	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	6,700	4	4,400	5	2,300	3
Infrequently ...	6,700	4	4,400	5	2,300	3
<u>Occasionally</u>	2,500	2	1,600	2	900	1
Infrequently ...	1,400	1	1,000	1	500	1
Regularly	400	*	300	*	100	*
Daily	600	*	300	*	300	*
N.A.	*	*	*	*	-	-
<u>Often</u>	2,200	1	1,400	2	800	1
Infrequently ...	300	*	200	*	100	*
Regularly	300	*	200	*	100	*
Daily	1,500	1	1,000	1	500	1
N.A.	*	*	*	*	-	-
Not available	*	*	*	*	*	*
Refuse	600	*	200	*	300	*
Not available	1,100	1	500	1	600	1

Table 6

Use of Methadone, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use
 According to Most Serious Current Offense
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February, 1978

	Total		Violent	Murder/man-	Sex	Robbery	Nonsex	Other	Property
	Number	Percent	Crime	slaughter	Assault		Assault		Crime
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	145,300	73	91	96	95	89	90	94	91
<u>Ever used</u>	11,400	7	7	4	4	10	8	5	8
Once	1,900	1	1	*	-	2	2	-	1
A few times ...	4,800	3	3	2	3	4	2	2	3
Occasionally ..	2,500	2	2	1	1	3	2	3	2
Often	2,200	1	1	*	-	2	2	*	2
N.A.	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
Infrequently.	8,500	5	6	3	3	8	6	5	6
Regularly ...	700	*	1	*	1	*	1	-	*
Daily	2,200	1	1	*	-	2	1	-	2
N.A.	100	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	6,700	4	4	3	3	6	4	2	5
Infrequently .	6,700	4	4	3	3	6	4	2	5
<u>Occasionally</u>	2,500	2	2	1	1	3	2	3	2
Infrequently..	11,400	1	1	1	-	2	1	3	1
Regularly	400	*	*	*	1	*	1	-	*
Daily	600	*	*	-	-	1	*	-	1
N.A.	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
<u>Often</u>	2,200	1	1	*	-	2	2	*	2
Infrequently..	300	*	*	-	-	*	*	-	*
Regularly	300	*	*	-	-	*	*	-	*
Daily	1,500	1	1	*	-	1	1	*	1
N.A.	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
Not available ..	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
Refuse	600	*	*	*	2	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,100	1	1	*	-	*	2	*	1

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>92</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>92</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>86</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>11</u>
Once	2	1	*	3	-	1	1	2
A few times ..	4	4	5	2	3	5	4	6
Occasionally ..	2	1	1	1	3	2	2	2
Often	1	2	1	3	1	2	2	1
N.A.	-	1	-	*	-	-	-	-
Infrequently	7	6	6	6	5	8	6	9
Regularly ..	1	-	*	-	1	1	2	1
Daily	2	2	1	3	1	2	2	1
N.A.	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>
Infrequently	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Infrequently	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Regularly ..	*	-	*	-	-	1	1	1
Daily	1	-	-	1	1	*	1	*
N.A.	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>
Infrequently	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>
Regularly ..	*	-	-	-	1	*	1	*
Daily	1	2	1	2	*	1	1	1
N.A.	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-
Not available.	-	1	-	*	-	-	-	-
Refuse	*	-	1	1	-	*	*	*
Not available ...	*	1	*	*	1	2	-	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>92</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>90</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>-</u>
Once	1	1	-	-	1	2	*	-
A few times	1	2	1	1	1	2	*	-
Occasionally ...	1	1	1	1	*	-	3	-
Often	1	3	*	1	*	1	-	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Infrequently .	2	4	2	1	2	4	4	-
Regularly	*	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Daily	1	1	*	1	*	1	*	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>-</u>
Infrequently .	*	1	1	-	*	-	3	-
Regularly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Daily	*	-	-	1	-	-	*	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Infrequently .	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regularly	*	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Daily	1	1	*	1	*	1	-	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	5

Table 7

Use of Cocaine, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use
According to Race
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		White		Black and other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	158,400	100 %	89,400	100 %	69,000	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>110,700</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>60,000</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>50,700</u>	<u>74</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>46,000</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>28,700</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>17,300</u>	<u>25</u>
Once	3,800	2	2,800	3	1,000	2
A few times	19,300	12	12,600	14	6,700	10
Occasionally	13,200	8	7,800	9	5,400	8
Often	9,500	6	5,400	6	4,100	6
N.A.	100	*	*	*	100	*
Infrequently ...	32,200	20	20,600	23	11,600	17
Regularly	4,500	3	3,000	3	1,600	2
Daily	8,800	6	4,900	6	3,900	6
N.A.	300	*	100	*	200	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>23,100</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15,400</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>7,700</u>	<u>11</u>
Infrequently ...	23,100	15	15,400	17	7,700	11
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>13,200</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7,800</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5,400</u>	<u>8</u>
Infrequently ...	8,200	5	4,700	5	3,500	5
Regularly	3,100	2	2,200	2	900	1
Daily	1,800	1	900	1	900	1
N.A.	200	*	100	*	100	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>9,500</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>5,400</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4,100</u>	<u>6</u>
Infrequently ...	1,000	1	600	1	400	1
Regularly	1,500	1	800	1	700	1
Daily	7,000	4	4,000	5	3,000	4
N.A.	*	*	-	-	*	*
Not available	100	*	*	*	100	*
Refuse	600	*	300	*	300	*
Not available	1,100	1	500	1	600	1

Table 8

Use of Cocaine, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use
According to most Serious Present Offense
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		Violent	Murder/man-	Sex	Nonsex	Property		
	Number	Percent	Crime	slaughter	Assault	Assault	Other	Crime	
Total									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>110,700</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>67</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>46,000</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>32</u>
Once	3,800	2	2	2	1	2	2	-	3
A few times ...	19,300	12	12	10	8	14	10	26	13
Occasionally ..	13,200	8	8	5	4	13	5	3	9
Often	9,500	6	5	5	1	6	6	8	7
N.A.	100	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	-
Infrequently.	32,200	20	19	14	12	25	16	28	22
Regularly ...	4,500	3	3	3	1	4	3	*	3
Daily	8,800	6	5	4	1	6	5	8	7
N.A.	300	*	*	*	-	*	*	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>23,100</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>16</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>23,100</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>16</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>13,200</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>
Infrequently..	8,200	5	5	2	3	8	3	3	5
Regularly	3,100	2	2	2	1	3	2	*	2
Daily	1,800	1	1	*	-	2	*	*	1
N.A.	200	*	*	*	-	*	*	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>9,500</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>
Infrequently..	1,000	1	1	*	-	1	1	-	1
Regularly	1,500	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1
Daily	7,000	4	4	4	1	4	4	8	5
N.A.	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available ..	100	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	-
Refuse	600	*	*	*	2	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,100	1	*	*	-	1	2	*	*

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	70	66	73	67	69	47	46	48
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>49</u>
Once	3	4	2	5	3	5	6	4
A few times ..	17	14	9	13	9	20	19	22
Occasionally .	10	11	8	7	10	14	13	16
Often	7	6	7	7	7	11	16	7
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	*	1	*
Infrequently	26	25	16	23	20	35	32	37
Regularly ..	4	2	3	2	1	4	4	4
Daily	7	6	6	6	9	12	17	7
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
<u>Once, a few times</u>	19	17	11	18	12	25	24	26
Infrequently	<u>19</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>26</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>16</u>
Infrequently	5	8	5	5	7	9	7	11
Regularly ..	3	2	2	1	1	3	3	3
Daily	2	1	1	1	2	2	3	2
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7</u>
Infrequently	1	-	*	1	1	1	1	1
Regularly ..	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Daily	5	6	5	5	7	9	14	5
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	*	-	1
Not available.	-	-	-	-	-	*	1	*
Refuse	*	-	1	1	-	*	*	*
Not available ...	*	-	*	*	1	2	*	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	82	65	78	86	86	87	79	86
<u>Ever used</u>	17	34	20	14	13	13	21	5
Once	1	-	*	2	1	-	-	5
A few times	7	16	10	5	5	5	8	-
Occasionally ...	5	11	8	4	4	2	10	-
Often	3	8	2	2	3	4	3	-
N.A.	*	-	*	-	-	1	-	-
Infrequently .	12	22	14	10	10	11	15	5
Regularly	2	7	4	2	1	-	-	-
Daily	2	5	2	2	3	*	3	-
N.A.	*	-	*	-	-	1	3	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	8	16	10	7	6	5	7	5
Infrequently .	8	16	10	7	6	5	7	5
<u>Occasionally</u>	5	11	8	4	4	2	10	-
Infrequently .	3	7	4	3	3	2	7	-
Regularly	1	4	3	1	*	-	-	-
Daily	1	-	1	*	1	*	-	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
<u>Often</u>	3	8	2	2	3	4	3	-
Infrequently .	*	-	*	-	1	4	*	-
Regularly	1	3	1	1	1	-	-	-
Daily	2	5	1	1	2	-	3	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available ..	*	-	*	-	-	1	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	5

Table 9

Use of Marijuana, By Extent of Use, By Intensity of Use
According to Race
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	<u>158,400</u>	100 %	<u>89,400</u>	100 %	<u>69,000</u>	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>52,300</u>	33	<u>27,800</u>	31	<u>24,600</u>	36
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>104,400</u>	66	<u>61,600</u>	68	<u>43,400</u>	63
Once	3,600	2	2,000	2	1,700	2
A few times	19,500	12	10,900	12	8,600	13
Occasionally	28,300	18	15,000	17	13,300	19
Often	52,400	33	32,600	36	19,800	29
N.A.	600	*	500	1	100	*
Infrequently ...	39,200	25	21,500	24	17,700	26
Regularly	13,300	8	6,700	8	6,600	10
Daily	50,600	32	31,900	36	18,600	27
N.A.	1,300	1	800	1	500	1
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>23,200</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12,900</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10,300</u>	<u>15</u>
Infrequently ...	23,200	15	12,900	14	10,300	15
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>28,300</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>15,000</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>13,300</u>	<u>19</u>
Infrequently ...	13,100	8	7,100	8	6,000	9
Regularly	8,000	5	3,800	4	4,100	6
Daily	6,900	4	4,000	4	2,900	4
N.A.	300	*	100	*	200	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>52,400</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>32,600</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>19,800</u>	<u>29</u>
Infrequently ...	3,000	2	1,500	2	1,500	2
Regularly	5,400	3	2,900	3	2,500	4
Daily	43,600	28	27,900	31	15,700	23
N.A.	400	*	200	*	100	*
Not available	600	*	500	1	100	*
Refuse	600	*	300	*	400	1
Not available	1,000	1	500	1	600	1

Table 10 Use of Marijuana, By Extent of Use, By Intensity of Use
 According to Most Serious Current Offense
 All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total Number	Total Percent	Violent Crime	Murder/man- slaughter	Sex Assault	Robbery	Nonsex Assault	Other	Property Crime
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>52,300</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>27</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>104,400</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>72</u>
Once	3,600	2	3	1	2	2	5	-	2
A few times ...	19,500	12	12	11	13	13	10	21	13
Occasionally ..	28,300	18	17	13	14	20	16	18	20
Often	52,400	33	32	28	29	38	27	40	37
N.A.	600	*	*	*	-	*	*	-	1
<u>Infrequently.</u>	<u>39,200</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>25</u>
Regularly ...	13,300	8	8	7	9	11	7	5	9
Daily	50,600	32	30	25	27	37	24	42	36
N.A.	1,300	1	1	*	-	*	1	-	1
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>23,200</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>23,200</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>28,300</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>20</u>
Infrequently..	13,100	8	8	6	6	9	9	11	9
Regularly	8,000	5	5	4	4	7	4	3	5
Daily	6,900	4	3	3	4	4	2	3	6
N.A.	300	*	*	-	-	-	1	-	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>52,400</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>37</u>
Infrequently..	3,000	2	2	3	2	1	3	-	2
Regularly	5,400	3	3	3	5	4	2	2	4
Daily	43,600	28	27	22	23	33	22	38	31
N.A.	400	*	*	*	-	*	*	-	*
Not available ..	600	*	*	-	-	*	*	-	1
Refuse	600	*	*	*	3	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,000	1	1	*	-	*	2	*	1

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	22	20	42	27	36	11	10	12
<u>Ever used</u>	77	80	57	72	62	87	90	86
Once	2	4	3	2	1	*	*	1
A few times ..	13	15	11	11	15	11	9	14
Occasionally .	21	24	16	19	16	24	25	24
Often	41	37	26	38	28	51	56	47
N.A.	*	-	-	1	2	1	1	1
Infrequently	26	32	24	22	26	27	27	27
Regularly ..	9	10	7	12	5	12	10	13
Daily	41	37	25	36	29	47	51	44
N.A.	1	-	*	1	2	2	2	1
<u>Once, a few times</u>	14	19	14	14	16	12	9	15
Infrequently	14	19	14	14	16	12	9	15
<u>Occasionally</u>	21	24	16	19	16	24	25	24
Infrequently	9	12	9	7	8	11	14	9
Regularly ..	5	4	5	7	3	8	7	9
Daily	7	8	2	5	5	5	3	6
N.A.	*	-	*	*	-	*	-	1
<u>Often</u>	41	37	26	38	28	51	56	47
Infrequently	3	2	1	1	2	4	4	4
Regularly ..	4	6	2	5	3	4	3	5
Daily	34	29	23	31	24	43	47	38
N.A.	*	-	-	*	-	1	1	-
Not available.	*	-	-	1	2	1	1	1
Refuse	*	-	1	1	*	*	*	*
Not available ...	*	-	*	*	1	1	-	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>49</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>41</u>
Once	2	1	5	2	1	2	6	4
A few times	13	20	14	11	12	17	4	4
Occasionally ...	12	17	14	13	9	9	25	19
Often	19	32	20	18	14	11	40	18
N.A.	*	-	*	-	-	-	-	-
Infrequently .	22	29	23	22	18	24	24	17
Regularly	5	12	3	4	5	4	9	5
Daily	19	29	24	18	14	11	42	19
N.A.	1	*	3	-	1	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>19</u>
Infrequently .	6	8	4	8	4	5	9	13
Regularly	3	6	2	3	2	2	9	1
Daily	3	3	7	2	3	2	7	6
N.A.	*	*	1	-	*	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>18</u>
Infrequently .	*	-	*	1	1	-	4	1
Regularly	2	6	1	2	3	2	-	5
Daily	15	26	17	16	10	9	35	13
N.A.	*	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Not available ..	*	-	*	*	-	-	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	5

Table 11 Use of Amphetamines, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use,
According to Race: All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		White		Black and other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total.....	158,400	100 %	89,400	100 %	69,000	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>108,000</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>53,000</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>55,000</u>	<u>80</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>48,700</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>35,600</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>13,100</u>	<u>19</u>
Once	2,200	1	1,400	2	800	1
A few times	17,800	11	12,300	14	5,600	8
Occasionally	14,700	9	10,700	12	4,000	6
Often	14,000	9	11,200	13	2,700	4
N.A.	100	*	*	*	*	*
Infrequently ...	28,900	18	20,200	23	8,800	13
Regularly	3,700	2	2,500	3	1,200	2
Daily	16,000	10	12,900	14	3,100	4
N.A.	100	*	100	*	*	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13,700</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6,300</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>Infrequently ...</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13,700</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6,300</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>14,700</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10,700</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>4,000</u>	<u>6</u>
<u>Infrequently ...</u>	<u>8,000</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5,800</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2,200</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>Regularly</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Daily</u>	<u>4,500</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3,400</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>N.A.</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>
<u>Often</u>	<u>14,000</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>11,200</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>2,700</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Infrequently ...</u>	<u>900</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>*</u>
<u>Regularly</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Daily</u>	<u>11,500</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9,500</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>N.A.</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Not available	100	*	*	*	*	*
Refuse	600	*	300	*	300	*
Not available	1,100	1	500	1	600	1

Table 12

Use of Amphetamines, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use
According to Most Serious Present Offense
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total		Violent	Murder/man-	Sex	Nonsex	Property		
	Number	Percent	Crime	slaughter	Assault	Assault	Other	Crime	
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>108,000</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>65</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>48,700</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>34</u>
Once	2,200	1	2	2	2	1	2	-	1
A few times ...	17,800	11	8	10	5	10	8	6	12
Occasionally ..	14,700	9	9	5	7	10	9	23	11
Often	14,000	9	9	7	9	12	6	16	10
N.A.	100	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
<u>Infrequently.</u>	<u>28,900</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>20</u>
Regularly ...	3,700	2	3	3	2	3	2	5	2
Daily	16,000	10	11	6	9	13	9	24	11
N.A.	100	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>13</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>13</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>14,700</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>11</u>
Infrequently..	8,000	5	5	3	5	5	4	9	6
Regularly	2,100	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	1
Daily	4,500	3	3	1	1	3	4	11	3
N.A.	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>14,000</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>10</u>
Infrequently..	900	1	*	-	-	1	*	-	1
Regularly	1,500	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	1
Daily	16,500	7	8	5	8	10	6	13	8
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available ..	100	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
Refuse	600	*	*	*	2	*	*	-	*
Not available	1,100	1	1	*	-	1	2	*	1

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
Total								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>46</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>51</u>
Once	1	5	*	2	1	2	3	2
A few times ..	14	9	10	11	13	20	19	22
Occasionally .	11	16	6	10	14	14	16	13
Often	11	14	10	10	3	10	6	15
N.A.	-	-	-	*	-	*	*	-
Infrequently	22	24	15	20	21	31	32	30
Regularly ..	3	5	2	1	3	4	4	4
Daily	11	14	10	11	7	12	7	17
N.A.	*	-	-	*	-	*	-	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>24</u>
Infrequently	15	14	11	13	14	23	22	24
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>13</u>
Infrequently	6	9	3	6	6	8	10	6
Regularly ..	1	3	1	*	3	3	3	3
Daily	3	4	2	3	5	3	3	3
N.A.	*	-	-	-	-	*	-	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>15</u>
Infrequently	1	2	1	1	1	1	*	1
Regularly ..	2	2	1	1	-	1	1	*
Daily	8	10	8	8	2	9	4	14
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available.	-	-	-	*	-	*	*	-
Refuse	*	-	1	1	*	*	*	*
Not available ...	*	-	*	*	2	1	-	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	78	76	74	77	83	79	67	76
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>14</u>
Once	1	3	-	*	1	3	-	4
A few times	10	8	8	12	9	8	10	6
Occasionally ...	5	3	9	5	4	4	16	1
Often	5	8	7	5	3	6	7	4
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Infrequently .	14	11	14	15	13	12	26	10
Regularly	1	*	2	1	1	-	3	-
Daily	7	11	8	6	3	10	13	4
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>9</u>
Infrequently .	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1</u>
Infrequently .	<u>3</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>
Regularly	1	*	1	*	1	-	4	-
Daily	2	3	2	1	*	4	6	1
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>4</u>
Infrequently .	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>-</u>
Regularly	*	-	1	*	-	-	-	-
Daily	5	8	6	5	3	6	6	4
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	5

Table 13 Use of Barbiturates, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use,
According to Race: All inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	<u>Total</u>		<u>White</u>		<u>Black and other</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Total	158,400	100 %	89,400	100 %	69,000	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>109,800</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>55,500</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>54,400</u>	<u>79</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>46,900</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>33,300</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>13,700</u>	<u>20</u>
Once	2,700	2	1,600	2	1,000	1
A few times	17,900	11	11,900	13	6,100	9
Occasionally	14,500	9	10,400	12	4,100	6
Often	11,600	7	9,200	10	2,400	3
N.A.	300	*	100	*	100	1
Infrequently ...	30,300	19	20,600	23	9,700	14
Regularly	3,600	2	2,700	3	900	1
Daily	12,400	8	9,600	11	2,700	4
N.A.	600	*	300	*	300	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>20,600</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13,500</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>7,100</u>	<u>10</u>
Infrequently ...	20,600	13	13,500	15	7,100	10
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>14,500</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10,400</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>4,100</u>	<u>6</u>
Infrequently ...	8,500	5	6,100	7	2,400	3
Regularly	2,000	1	1,600	2	500	1
Daily	3,700	2	2,600	3	1,100	2
N.A.	300	*	100	*	100	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>11,600</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9,200</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>3</u>
Infrequently ...	1,200	1	900	1	200	*
Regularly	1,600	1	1,200	1	400	1
Daily	8,700	6	7,000	8	1,700	2
N.A.	100	*	*	*	*	*
Not available	300	*	100	*	100	*
Refuse	600	*	300	*	300	*
Not available	1,100	1	500	1	600	1

Table 14

Use of Barbiturates, by Extent of Use, by Intensity of Use,
According to Most Serious Current Offense
All Inmates of Local Jails -- February 1978

	Total Number	Total Percent	Violent Crime	Murder/man- slaughter	Sex Assault	Robbery	Nonsex Assault	Other	Property Crime
<u>Total</u>									
Number	158,400	xx	46,900	9,200	4,600	18,600	13,000	1,500	65,500
Percent	xx	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>109,800</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>66</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>46,900</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>33</u>
Once	2,700	2	2	2	-	2	2	3	2
A few times ...	17,900	11	10	7	5	11	10	22	12
Occasionally ..	14,500	9	8	5	5	11	8	6	10
Often	11,600	7	7	7	9	9	4	8	9
N.A.	300	*	*	-	1	*	*	-	*
<u>Infrequently.</u>	<u>30,300</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>21</u>
Regularly ...	3,600	2	2	1	4	3	2	-	3
Daily	12,400	8	7	6	6	9	5	5	10
N.A.	600	*	*	-	1	*	*	3	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>20,600</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>14</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>20,600</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>14</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>14,500</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>
Infrequently..	8,500	5	5	3	4	7	5	6	6
Regularly	2,000	1	1	1	1	2	1	-	1
Daily	3,700	2	2	1	-	2	3	-	3
N.A.	300	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
<u>Often</u>	<u>11,600</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>
Infrequently..	1,200	1	*	1	1	1	*	-	1
Regularly	1,600	1	1	*	3	2	1	-	1
Daily	8,700	6	5	5	6	6	3	5	7
N.A.	100	*	*	-	-	-	-	3	*
Not available ..	300	*	*	-	1	*	*	-	*
Refuse	600	*	*	*	2	*	-	-	*
Not available	1,100	1	1	*	-	*	2	*	1

	Burglary	Auto Theft	Forgery, fraud Embezzlement	Larceny	Other	Drug Offenses	Trafficking and Unspecified	Possession
<u>Total</u>								
Number	29,000	4,300	9,000	16,800	6,300	13,600	6,500	7,100
Percent	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>	<u>100 %</u>
<u>Never used</u>	63	59	72	69	70	52	56	49
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>48</u>
Once	2	4	1	2	2	2	1	3
A few times ..	13	16	9	12	10	17	19	15
Occasionally .	11	9	8	10	9	19	17	20
Often	10	11	9	7	7	8	7	10
N.A.	-	1	-	-	-	*	1	-
Infrequently	23	27	15	19	18	30	32	29
Regularly ..	3	3	3	2	1	4	4	3
Daily	11	10	8	8	10	12	8	15
N.A.	*	1	1	*	-	1	1	*
<u>Once, a few times</u>	15	20	10	14	12	19	20	18
Infrequently	<u>15</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>18</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	11	9	8	10	9	19	17	20
Infrequently	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>
Regularly ..	2	1	1	2	1	3	3	3
Daily	3	2	2	3	3	5	2	7
N.A.	*	-	*	*	-	*	-	1
<u>Often</u>	10	11	9	7	7	8	7	10
Infrequently	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>1</u>
Regularly ..	1	2	2	1	-	*	1	1
Daily	8	8	6	5	7	7	6	8
N.A.	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	-
Not available.	-	1	-	-	-	*	1	-
Refuse	*	-	1	1	*	*	*	-
Not available ...	*	-	*	*	2	1	-	3

	Public Order Offenses	Weapons	Obstructing Justice	Traffic	Drunkenness, Vagrancy, Vice	Other	Juvenile Offenses and Unspecified	Other
<u>Total</u>								
Number	30,100	3,200	5,800	11,400	7,300	2,300	1,400	900
Percent	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<u>Never used</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>84</u>
<u>Ever used</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>6</u>
Once	1	2	1	1	1	2	-	-
A few times	9	11	11	8	9	8	22	2
Occasionally ...	5	6	4	5	4	4	12	-
Often	4	7	5	3	3	*	7	4
N.A.	*	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Infrequently .	14	16	16	12	14	14	30	2
Regularly	1	3	2	1	*	-	*	-
Daily	4	7	5	19	3	*	7	4
N.A.	*	-	-	-	1	-	3	-
<u>Once, a few times</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>Infrequently .</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>Occasionally</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>-</u>
Infrequently .	3	3	3	3	3	4	9	-
Regularly	*	3	1	-	-	-	-	-
Daily	1	-	1	2	1	-	*	-
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
<u>Often</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>4</u>
Infrequently .	*	-	-	*	-	-	-	-
Regularly	*	*	1	1	*	-	*	-
Daily	3	7	4	2	3	*	6	4
N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not available ..	*	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Refuse	1	1	1	1	*	-	-	5
Not available	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	5

PART II - Standard Error Tables



TABLE 1.

STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED TOTALS
(1978 Survey of Inmates of Local Jails)

Size of Estimate	Standard Error = 1σ		
	Males	Females	Total Inmates
100	—	30	—
300	120	50	120
500	160	60	150
1000	220	80	220
1500	270	90	270
2000	320	100	310
2500	350	110	340
3000	400	120	380
5000	490	130	480
7000	580	120	570
9555	670	0	650
10000	690		670
20000	930		900
25000	1,020		1,000
50000	1,290		1,280
75000	1,370		1,370
100000	1,290		1,330
115000	1,150		1,230
125000	1,000		1,120
148839	0		650
158394			0

TABLE 2. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED PERCENTAGES
 FOR TOTAL INMATES
 (1978 Survey of Inmates of Local Jails)

(1 Standard Error)

Base of the Estimate	Estimated Percentages						
	98 or 2	95 or 5	90 or 10	85 or 15	80 or 20	75 or 25	50
300	5.6	8.7	12.0	14.2	15.9	17.3	19.9
500	4.3	6.7	9.3	11.0	12.3	13.4	15.4
1,000	3.1	4.8	6.5	7.8	8.7	9.5	10.9
1,500	2.5	3.9	5.3	6.4	7.1	7.7	8.9
2,000	2.2	3.4	4.6	5.5	6.2	6.7	7.7
3,000	1.8	2.7	3.8	4.5	5.0	5.5	6.3
5,000	1.4	2.1	2.9	3.5	3.9	4.2	4.9
7,500	1.1	1.7	2.4	2.8	3.2	3.5	4.0
10,000	1.0	1.5	2.1	2.5	2.8	3.0	3.5
20,000	0.7	1.1	1.5	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.4
25,000	0.6	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.2
50,000	0.4	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.5
75,000	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.3
100,000	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.1
115,000	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0
125,000	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.0
158,394	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9

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48. Now I am going to ask you some questions about your use of drugs. Your responses will not be shown to anyone in the jail or to anyone else except persons who will use the responses for statistical purposes. Ask item 48a for ALL drugs on pages 18 through 21 before completing items b through m.		HEROIN	
INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION	If respondent answered "No" or "Refused" to all drugs in 48a, skip to 52.	290	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse } Skip to next drug
	a. Have you ever used (Name of drug)?	291	<input type="checkbox"/> Once <input type="checkbox"/> A few times <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally <input type="checkbox"/> Often } Skip to 48i
	b. How often have you ever used (name of drug)? Read categories	292	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i
	c. Have you ever used (name of drug) on a regular basis, that is once a week or more for at least a month?	293	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i
	d. At what age did you first use (name of drug) on a regular basis?	294	_____ Age
	e. About how long did you use heroin on a regular basis, that is once a week or more, over the course of your life?	295	x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
	f. Have you ever used (name of drug) on a daily or almost daily basis?	296	<input type="checkbox"/> Months <input type="checkbox"/> Years
	g. At what age did you first use (name of drug) on a daily or almost daily basis?	297	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i
	h. About how long did you use heroin on a daily or almost daily basis over the course of your life?	298	_____ Age
	i. During the month before (Read date in Interviewer Reference Item, page 2) when you were first admitted to jail for (Read offence(s) in Interviewer Reference Item, page 2), were you using (name of drug)?	299	x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
	j. How often did you use (name of drug) during that month? Read categories	300	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item C
	k. At that time, what was the main source of the (name of drug) you were using, that is, where were you getting it? Read categories, if necessary	301	<input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily
	l. Around the time of the first offense(s) for which you were sentenced to serve time, that is, when you served time for (Read offence(s) in 27a, first time, page 10), were you using (name of drug)?	302	<input type="checkbox"/> Street buy <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
CHECK ITEM C	If entry in 27a, first time, page 10, ask 48l If 27a is blank, skip to next drug		
	m. How frequently were you using (name of drug) at that time? Read categories	303	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug
		304	<input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily

METHADONE OUTSIDE A TREATMENT PROGRAM	COCAINE	MARIJUANA OR HASHISH
(305) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse } Skip to next drug	(316) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse } Skip to next drug	(327) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse } Skip to next drug
(306) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often } Skip to 48i	(317) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often } Skip to 48i	(328) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often } Skip to 48i
(307) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i	(318) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i	(329) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i
(308) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(319) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(330) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
(309) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i	(320) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i	(331) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48i
(310) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(321) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(332) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
(311) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item C	(322) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item C	(333) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item C
(312) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(323) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(334) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily
(313) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	(324) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	(335) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
(314) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug	(325) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug	(336) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug
(315) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(326) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(337) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily

48. Continued		AMPHETAMINES (UPPERS) WITHOUT A DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION
a. Have you ever used (name of drug)?		(338) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse } Skip to next drug
b. How often have you ever used (name of drug)? Read categories		(339) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often } Skip to 48g
c. Have you ever used (name of drug) on a regular basis, that is once a week or more for at least a month?		(340) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g
d. At what age did you first use (name of drug) on a regular basis?		(341) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
e. Have you ever used (name of drug) on a daily or almost daily basis?		(342) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g
f. At what age did you first use (name of drug) on a daily or almost daily basis?		(343) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
g. During the month before (Read date in Interviewer Reference Item, page 2) when you were first admitted to jail for (Read offense(s) in Interviewer Reference Item, page 2), were you using (name of drug)?		(344) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item D
h. How often did you use (name of drug) during that month? Read categories		(345) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily
i. At that time, what was the main source of the (name of drug) you were using, that is, where were you getting it? Read categories, if necessary		(346) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Legal prescription 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Forged/illegal prescription 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
CHECK ITEM D	If entry in 27a, first time, page 10, ask 48; If 27a is blank, skip to next drug	
j. Around the time of the first offense(s) for which you were sentenced to serve time, that is, when you served time for (Read offense(s) in 27a, first time, page 10), were you using (name of drug)?		(347) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug
k. How frequently were you using (name of drug) at that time? Read categories		(348) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily

BARBITURATES (DOWNERS) WITHOUT A DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION	LSJ	PCP	OTHER DRUG WITHOUT A DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION
(349) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes } Skip to 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No } next drug 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse }	(360) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes } Skip to 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No } next drug 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse }	(371) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes } Skip to 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No } next drug 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse }	(382) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - What } drug? } Re- (383) 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No } turn 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Refuse } to 18
(350) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once } Skip 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times } to 48g 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally } 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often }	(361) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once } Skip 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times } to 48g 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally } 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often }	(372) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once } Skip 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times } to 48g 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally } 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often }	(384) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Once } Skip 2 <input type="checkbox"/> A few times } to 48g 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally } 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Often }
(351) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g	(362) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g	(373) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g	(385) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g
(352) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(363) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(374) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(386) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
(353) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g	(364) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g	(375) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g	(387) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 48g
(354) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(365) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(376) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember	(388) _____ Age x <input type="checkbox"/> Can't remember
(355) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item D	(366) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item D	(377) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item D	(389) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to Check Item D
(356) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(367) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(378) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(390) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week during that month 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily
(357) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Legal prescription 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Forged/illegal prescription 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	(368) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	(379) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Made it 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	(391) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Legal prescription 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Forged/illegal prescription 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Street buy 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Over the counter 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Stolen 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Gifts or rewards from friends or acquaintances 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
(358) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug	(369) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug	(380) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to next drug	(392) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 49a
(359) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(370) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(381) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily	(393) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than once a week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> At least once a week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Daily or almost daily

<p>49a. Were you in any drug abuse treatment program when you were first admitted to jail for (Read offenses) from Interviewer Reference Item, page 2) on (Read date from Interviewer Reference Item, page 2)?</p>	<p>394 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 50a</p>
<p>b. Were you given drugs as part of the program?</p>	<p>395 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 49d 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Describe _____ _____</p> <p>} Skip to 50a</p>
<p>c. Was this program a methadone maintenance program, another type of drug maintenance program, or a medical withdrawal program?</p>	<p>396 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Methadone maintenance 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Other drug maintenance 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Medical withdrawal 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Describe _____ _____</p>
<p>d. Did you live at the treatment center?</p>	<p>397 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>

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<p>(Add phrase in brackets for those enrolled at the time of their current arrest.)</p> <p>50a. Have you ever been enrolled in a drug abuse treatment program [other than any program you were in at the time of your first arrest for (Read offenses) from Interviewer Reference Item, page 2]]?</p>		<p>► Yes - How many?</p> <p>(398) _____ - Ask 50b-f for each program up to 4 programs</p> <p>o <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 51a</p>			
<p>b. Was the (1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th) program in a correctional institution?</p>		<p>c. Were you given drugs as part of the program?</p>	<p>d. Was this program a methadone maintenance program, another type of drug maintenance program, or a medical withdrawal program?</p>	<p>e. Did you live at the treatment center?</p>	<p>f. When you left this program, had you completed treatment, or did you transfer to another drug program, or did you leave without completing treatment?</p>
1st Program	<p>(399) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(403) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 50e 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain and skip to next program</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(407) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Methadone maintenance 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Other drug maintenance 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Medical withdrawal 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(411) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(415) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Completed treatment 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Transferred 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Left without completion 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
2nd Program	<p>(400) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(404) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 50e 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain and skip to next program</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(408) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Methadone maintenance 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Other drug maintenance 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Medical withdrawal 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(412) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(416) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Completed treatment 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Transferred 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Left without completion 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
3rd Program	<p>(401) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(405) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 50e 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain and skip to next program</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(409) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Methadone maintenance 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Other drug maintenance 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Medical withdrawal 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(413) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(417) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Completed treatment 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Transferred 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Left without completion 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
4th Program	<p>(402) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(406) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 50e 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain and skip to next program</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(410) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Methadone maintenance 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Other drug maintenance 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Medical withdrawal 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know - Explain</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(414) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>(418) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Completed treatment 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Transferred 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Left without completion 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>

CHECK ITEM E	<p>(See item 14a, page 6)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Not answered } Ask 51 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes } <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 52</p>
<p>51a. At the time of the (Read offense(s) from Interviewer Reference Item, page 2) for which you have been convicted, were you under the influence of drugs?</p>	<p>(419) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Skip to 52</p>
<p>b. What drugs were you under the influence of? Read categories, if necessary, and mark all that apply.</p>	<p>(420) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Heroin * 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Methadone 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Cocaine 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Marijuana or hashish</p> <p>(421) 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Amphetamines (uppers) * 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Barbiturates (downers) 3 <input type="checkbox"/> LSD 4 <input type="checkbox"/> PCP 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify ✓</p>
<p>Notes</p>	

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