



Questionnaire Report for Grades 6 to 12
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Chapter 1

Introduction

This report contains the data collected in your school(s) using the ***Pride Surveys Questionnaire***. The report is organized as follows:

1. A Summary that provides you with the fundamental findings in an abbreviated and easy to read fashion.
2. Color Graphs that provide more expansive results from the survey in pictorial fashion.
3. A List of Tables which contains the complete findings of the survey. This section itemizes student responses by each grade level and each item scale (for example: never, seldom, sometimes, often and a lot).
4. A Narrative Report which includes both text and graphic images. This section also includes a sample news release.

Additionally, the report contains a special section entitled *Drug Free Communities Support Program*. This section was developed to provide the data needed to satisfy core measures required by the Drug Free Communities Support Program, administered by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.

1.1 How To Use Your Data

- Meet the accountability requirements of federal and state agencies that your programs be evidence-based.
- Establish a needs assessment to design and secure funding for new programs.
- Conduct periodic performance evaluations for continuing programs.
- Encourage community-wide support for your programs.
- Determine why negative student behaviors occur by examining risk and protective factors.

Table 1.1: Number of Students Surveyed

Grade	Grade Total	Male	Female
6	46471	21424	21269
7	45748	20292	20299
8	44297	18952	19464
9	39623	16495	17670
10	33818	13843	15554
11	29628	11926	13799
12	22319	8939	10115
6-8	136516	60668	61032
9-12	125388	51203	57138
Total	261904	111871	118170

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We recommend that you share the findings of your survey with staff/faculty, administration, boards of education, elected officials, parents, community organizations and the news media.

While the findings are likely to show that certain problems exist within your student population, the overriding message will be that you are taking a fact-based approach to understand and solve these problems

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Chapter 2

Summary

Many federal agencies have identified certain data that are most important in measuring drug use and perceptions among youth. These data are often referred to as the *Core Measures* and consist of:

- **Reported 30-day Use** - the percentage of students who have reported use in the last 30 days,
- **Perception of Risk** - the percentage of students who reported that a drug was *harmful* or *very harmful*,
- **Perception of Parental Disapproval of Use** - the percentage of students who reported that their parents would feel it was *Wrong* or *Very Wrong* to use,
- **Perception of friend's Disapproval of Use** - the percentage of students who reported that their friends would feel it was *Wrong* or *Very Wrong* to use,
- **Age of Onset of Use** - average age of first use

for the drug categories of tobacco, alcohol and marijuana. The chapter entitled *Drug Free Communities Support Program Core Measures* will delve into these measures in detail. This section will briefly summarize these data.

2.1 Core Measures

Table 2.1: Core Measures for All Students

Measure	Tobacco	Alcohol	Marijuana
30-Day Use	17.4	21.3	9.7
Perceived Risk	86.8	77.2	81.6
Parental Disapproval	87.0	83.2	91.8
Friend's Disapproval	62.6	56.6	72.5
Avg. Age of First Use	12.2	12.5	13.3

2.2 Annual and Monthly Use

Table 2.2: Percentage of Students Who Report Using Drugs

DRUG	ANNUAL	MONTHLY
Any Tobacco	27.5	17.4
Cigarettes	22.5	13.9
Smokeless Tobacco	12.0	7.7
Cigars	13.1	7.0
Any Alcohol	42.3	21.3
Beer	32.6	17.1
Coolers, etc.	32.1	15.8
Liquor	28.3	15.3
Any Illicit Drug	19.1	12.1
Marijuana	15.3	9.7
Cocaine	4.6	3.2
Uppers	5.8	4.0
Downers	5.9	4.0
Inhalants	6.1	3.7
Hallucinogens	4.2	3.0
Heroin	3.6	2.7
Steroids	3.9	2.8
Ecstasy	4.7	3.2
OxyContin	4.7	3.2
Meth	3.8	2.9

2.3 Where Students Use

Table 2.3: Where Do Students Report Using

DRUG	AT HOME	AT SCHOOL	IN A CAR	FRIENDS' HOUSE	OTHER
Tobacco	12.7	4.6	9.4	13.2	11.4
Alcohol	19.0	2.7	5.1	19.9	14.9
Marijuana	4.4	1.9	4.2	7.9	5.7

2.4 When Students Use

Table 2.4: When Do Students Report Using

DRUG	BEFORE SCHOOL	DURING SCHOOL	AFTER SCHOOL	WEEK NIGHT	WEEK END
Tobacco	6.6	4.2	11.1	8.4	17.6
Alcohol	2.4	2.2	5.6	6.2	31.0
Marijuana	2.5	1.7	4.0	3.8	9.5

2.5 Risk Factors

Table 2.5: Percentage Of Students At Risk

FACTOR	PCT AT RISK
Guns NOT at School	12.9
Guns AT School	5.0
Gang Activity	5.3
Contemplate Suicide	6.8
Trouble With Police	25.3
Threaten A Student With a Gun, Knife or Club	6.4
Threaten To Hurt A Student By Hitting, Slapping or Kicking	36.6
Hurt A Student With A Gun, Knife or Club	4.3
Hurt A Student By Hitting, Slapping or Kicking	30.3
Been Threatened With a Gun, Knife or Club	10.3
Had A Student Threaten To Hit, Slap or Kick	36.6
Been Afraid A Student May Hurt You	20.6
Been Hurt By A Student With A Gun, Knife or Club	4.0
Been Hurt By A Student By Hitting, Slapping or Kicking	18.6

2.6 Protective Factors

Table 2.6: Percentage Of Students Protected

FACTOR	PCT PROTECTED
Make Good Grades	67.3
Attend Church or Synagogue	62.2
Take Part in Community Activities	26.8
Take Part in School Activities	37.5
Teachers Talk About the Dangers of Drugs	32.0
Parents Talk About the Dangers of Drugs	42.7

Chapter 3

Graphics

The following graphs will assist you in understanding the relationship of student behavior to alcohol and other drug usage. You are encouraged to make overheads or slides from the graphs for presentations to school faculty, parents, media, and other audiences in the community.

The *Location* and *Time* of drug use graphs will be helpful in understanding the need for a commitment to drug abuse prevention by parents and the larger community - not just by schools. Student alcohol and other drug use occurs most often outside the school and at times when school is not in session.

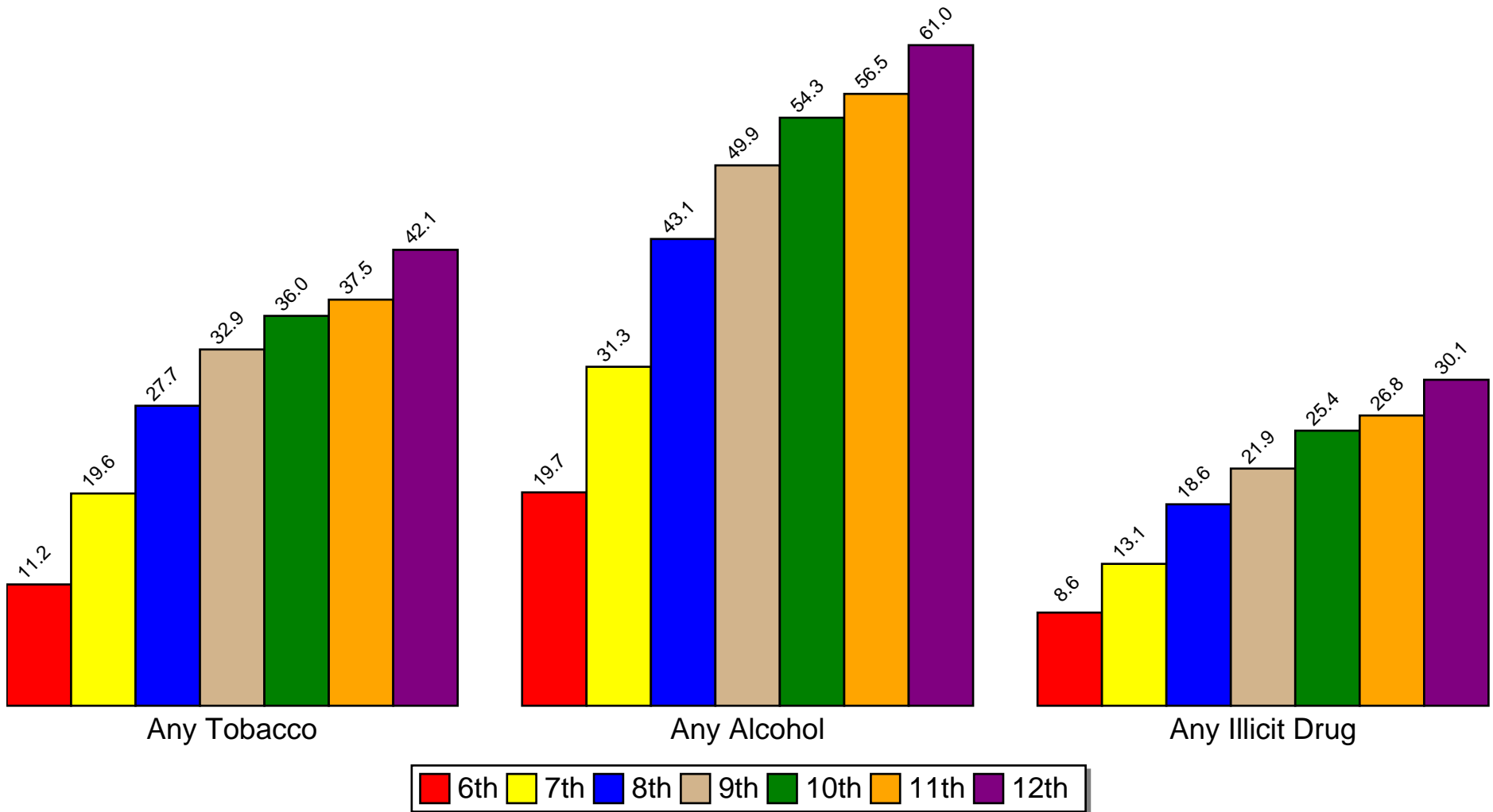
The *Perceived Harm* of alcohol and other drugs will assist with understanding how the false assumptions concerning harm are related to drug use. When drugs are perceived as harmless, the probability of use increases.

Research indicates that easy access, *Availability*, to drugs increases the probability of use. Availability of alcohol and other drugs normally increases at higher grade levels.

3.1 Frequency of Use

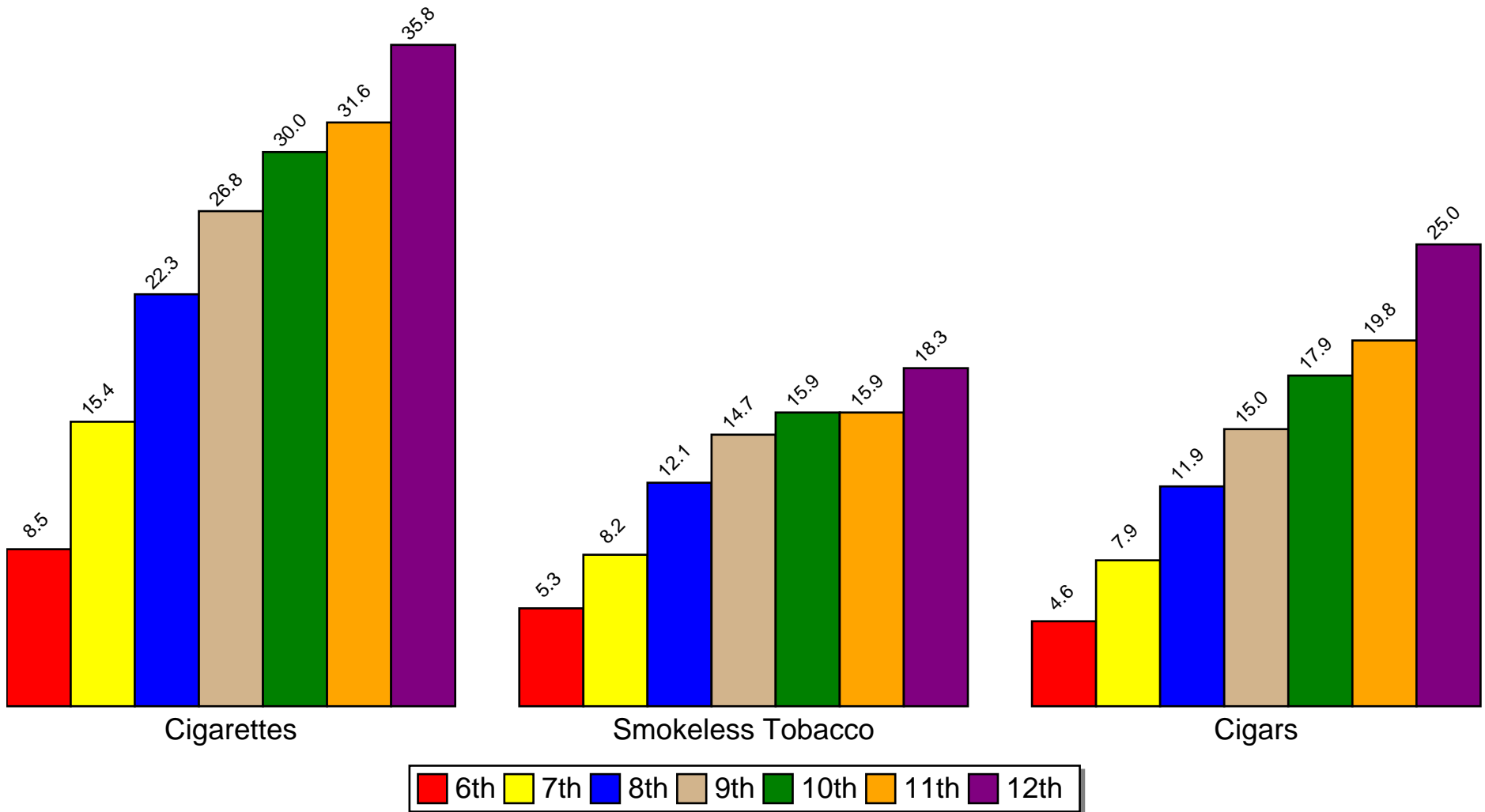
3.1.1 Annual Use

Annual Use of Any Tobacco, Any Alcohol and Any Illicit Drug



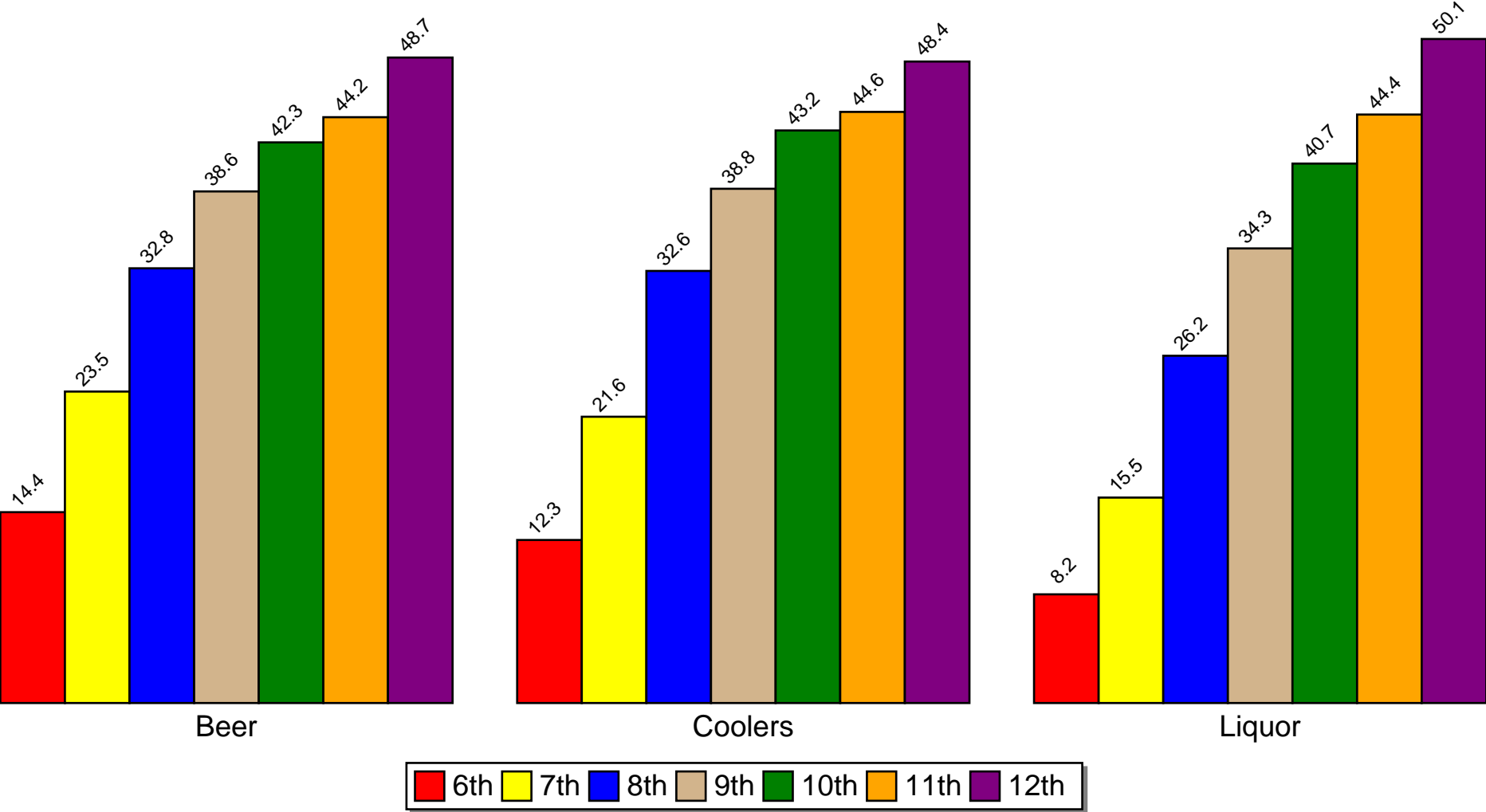
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Annual Use of Cigarettes, Smokeless Tobacco and Cigars



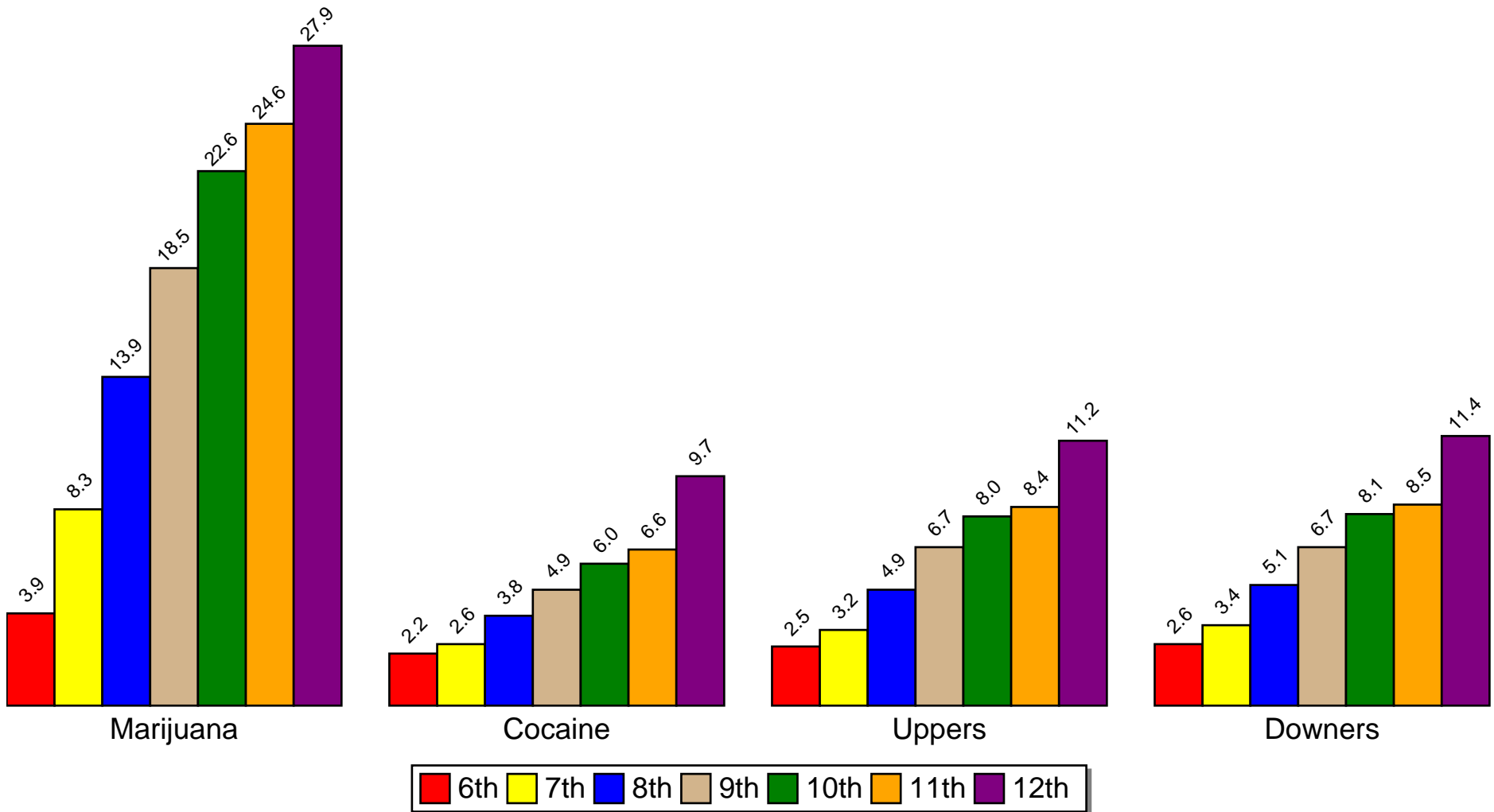
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Annual Use of Beer, Coolers and Liquor



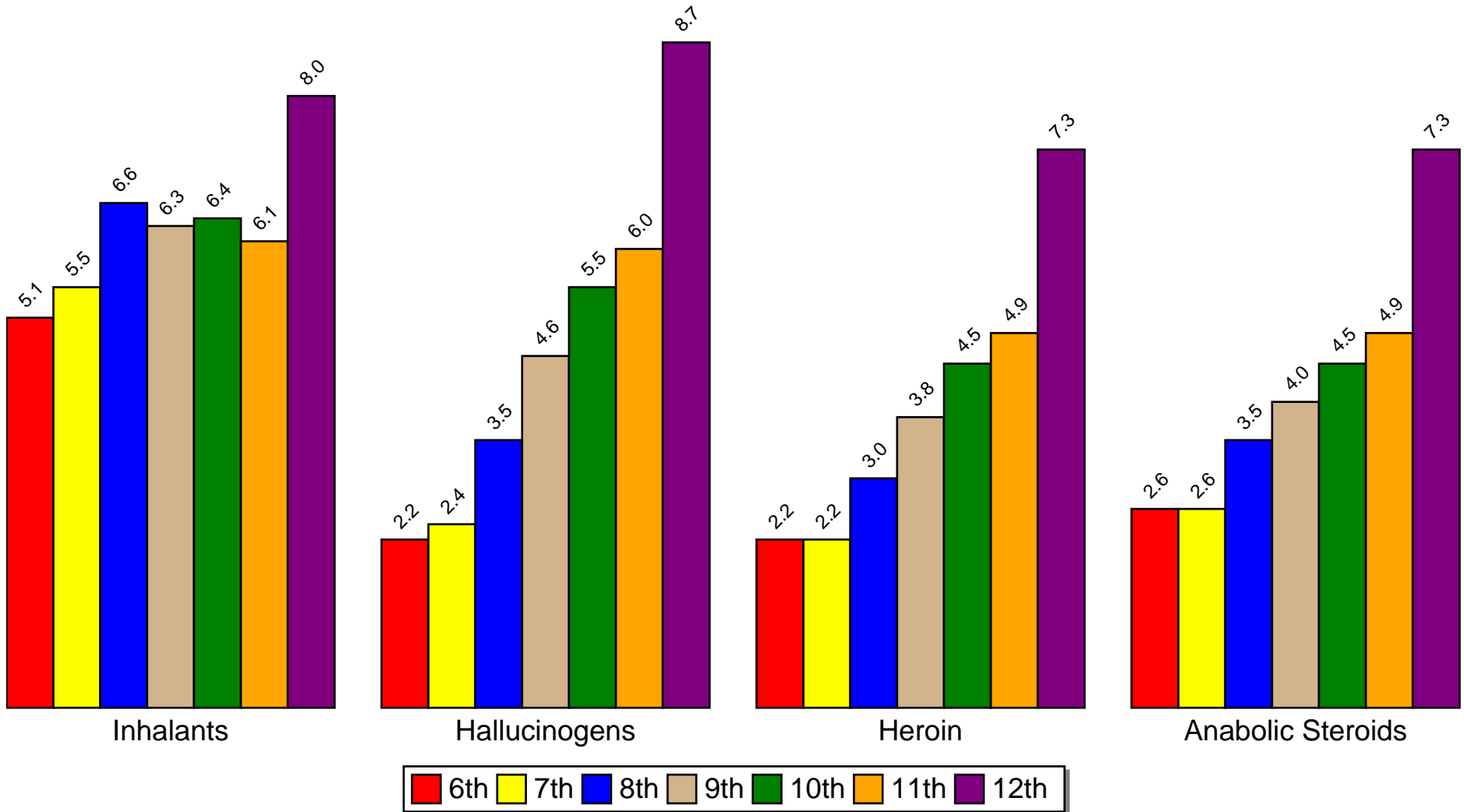
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Annual Use of Marijuana, Cocaine, Uppers and Downers



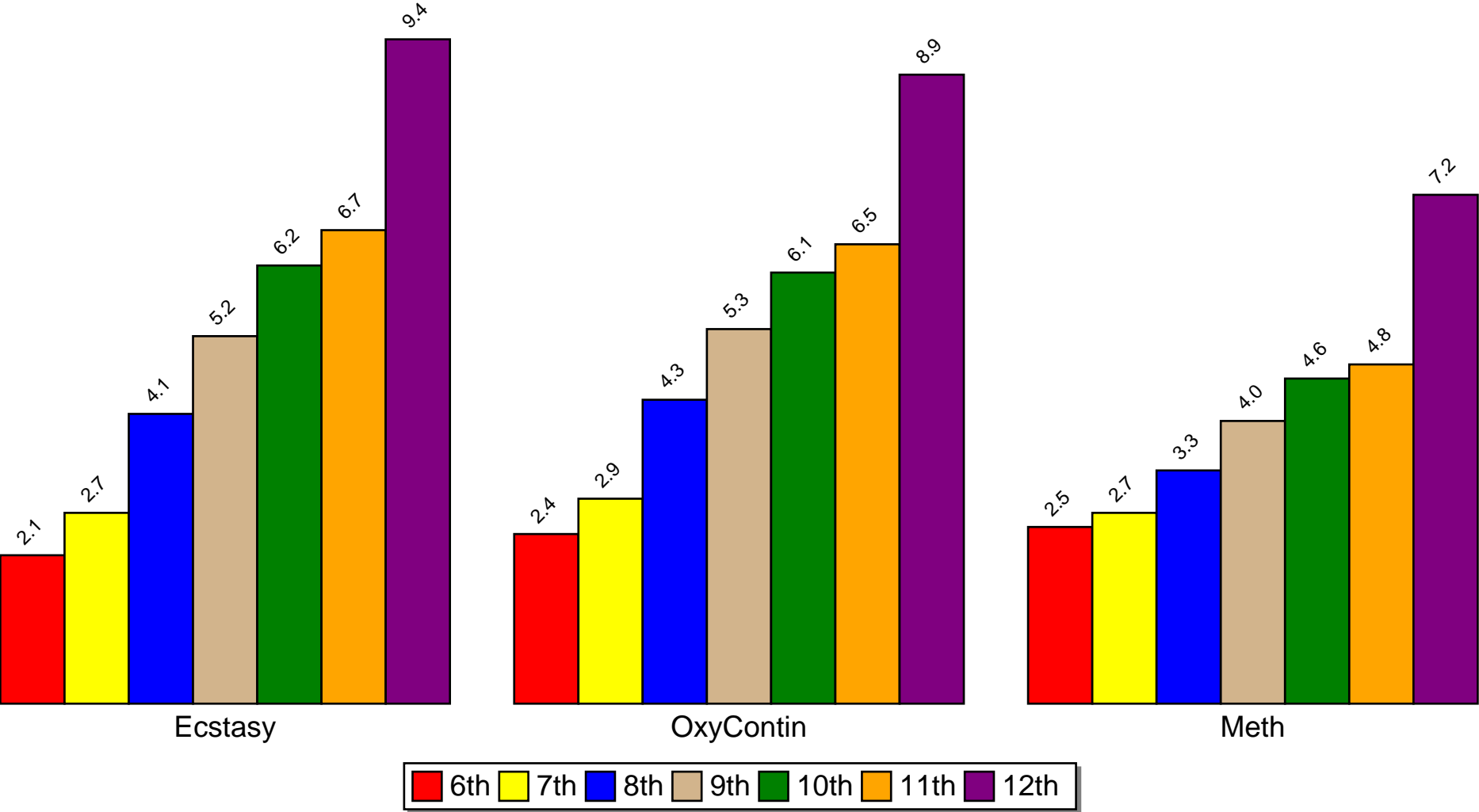
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Annual Use of Inhalants, Hallucinogens, Heroin and Anabolic Steroids



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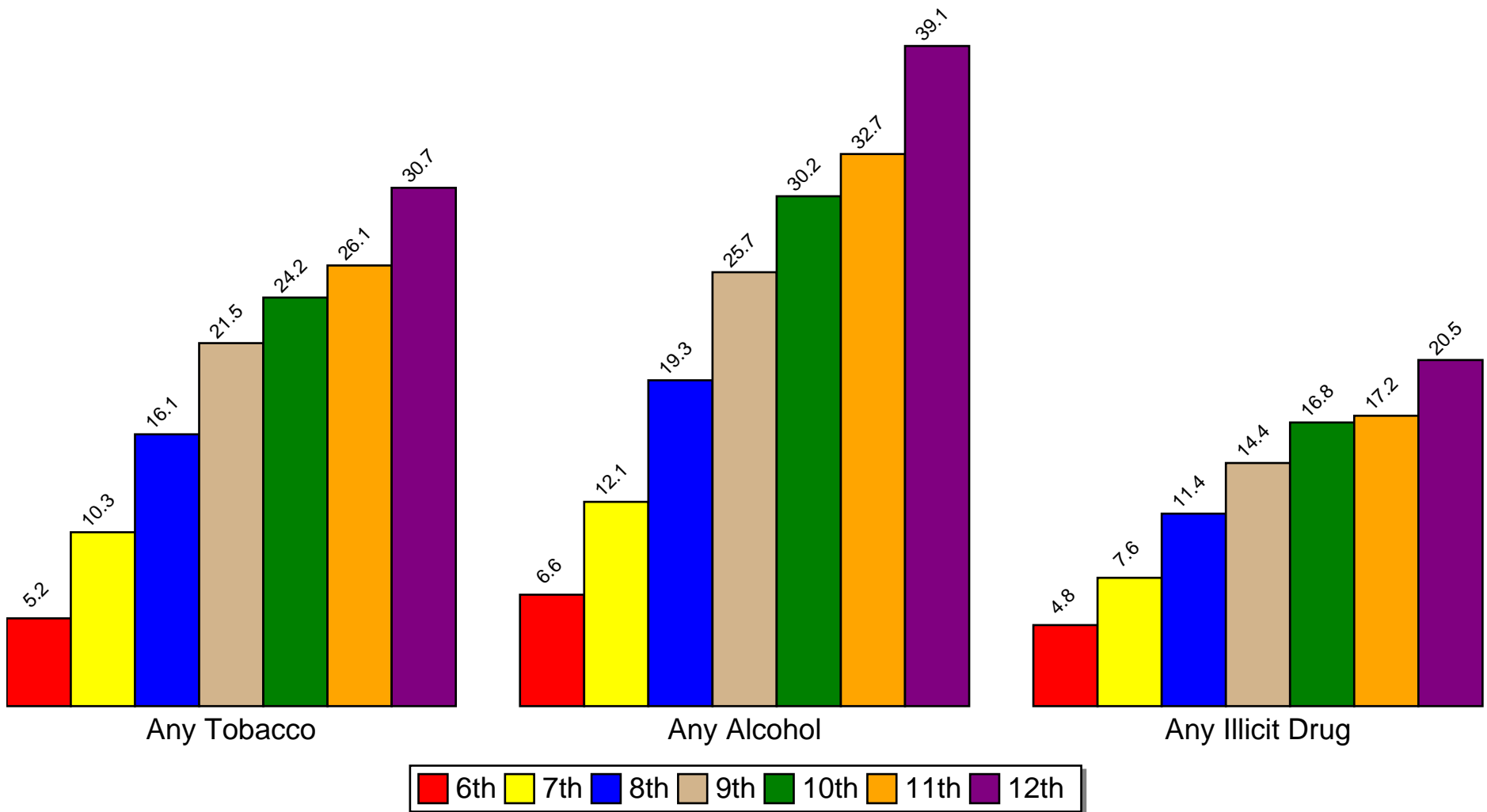
Annual Use of Ecstasy, OxyContin and Meth



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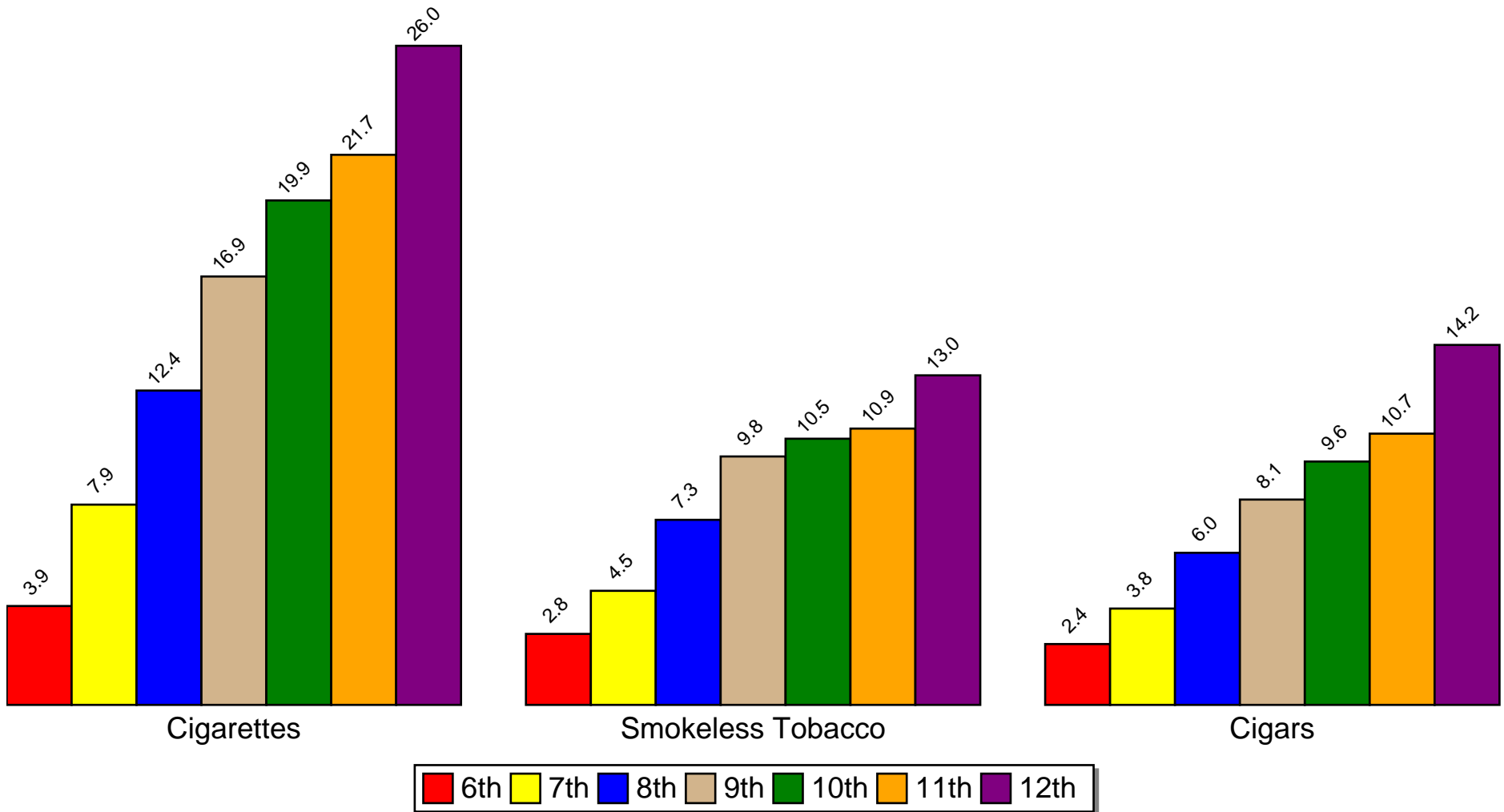
3.1.2 30-Day Use

30-Day Use of Any Tobacco, Any Alcohol and Any Illicit Drug



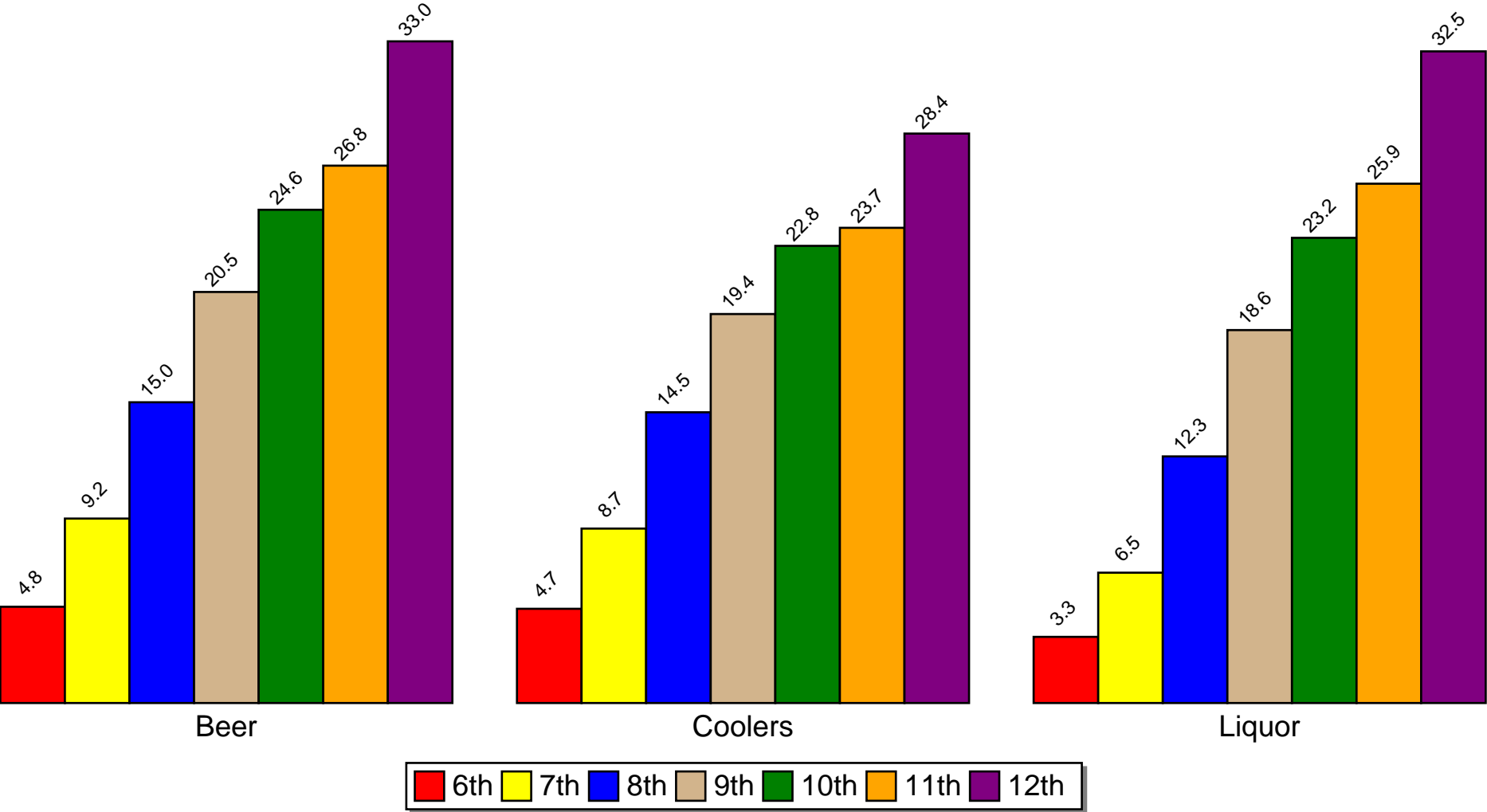
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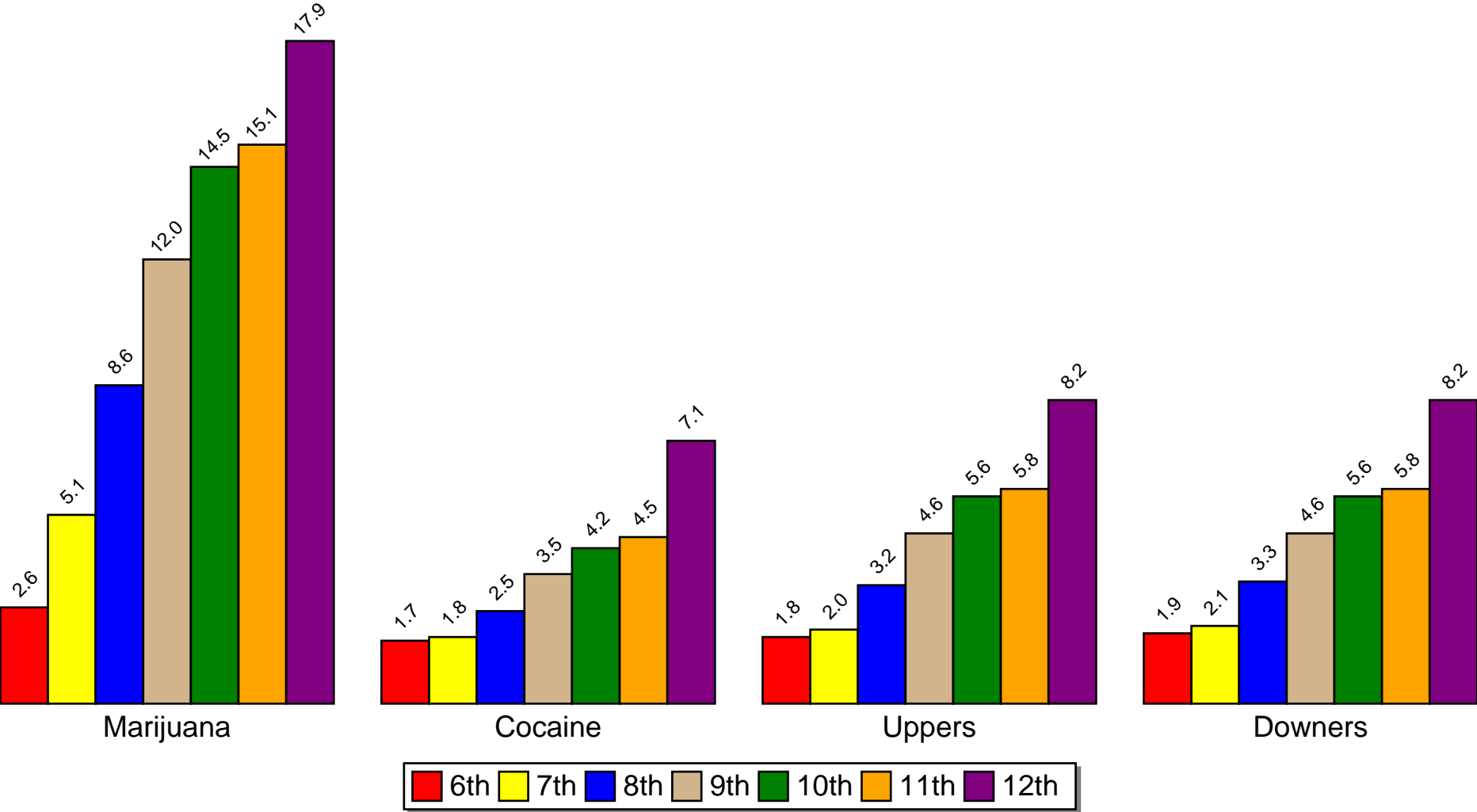
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30-Day Use of Beer, Coolers and Liquor



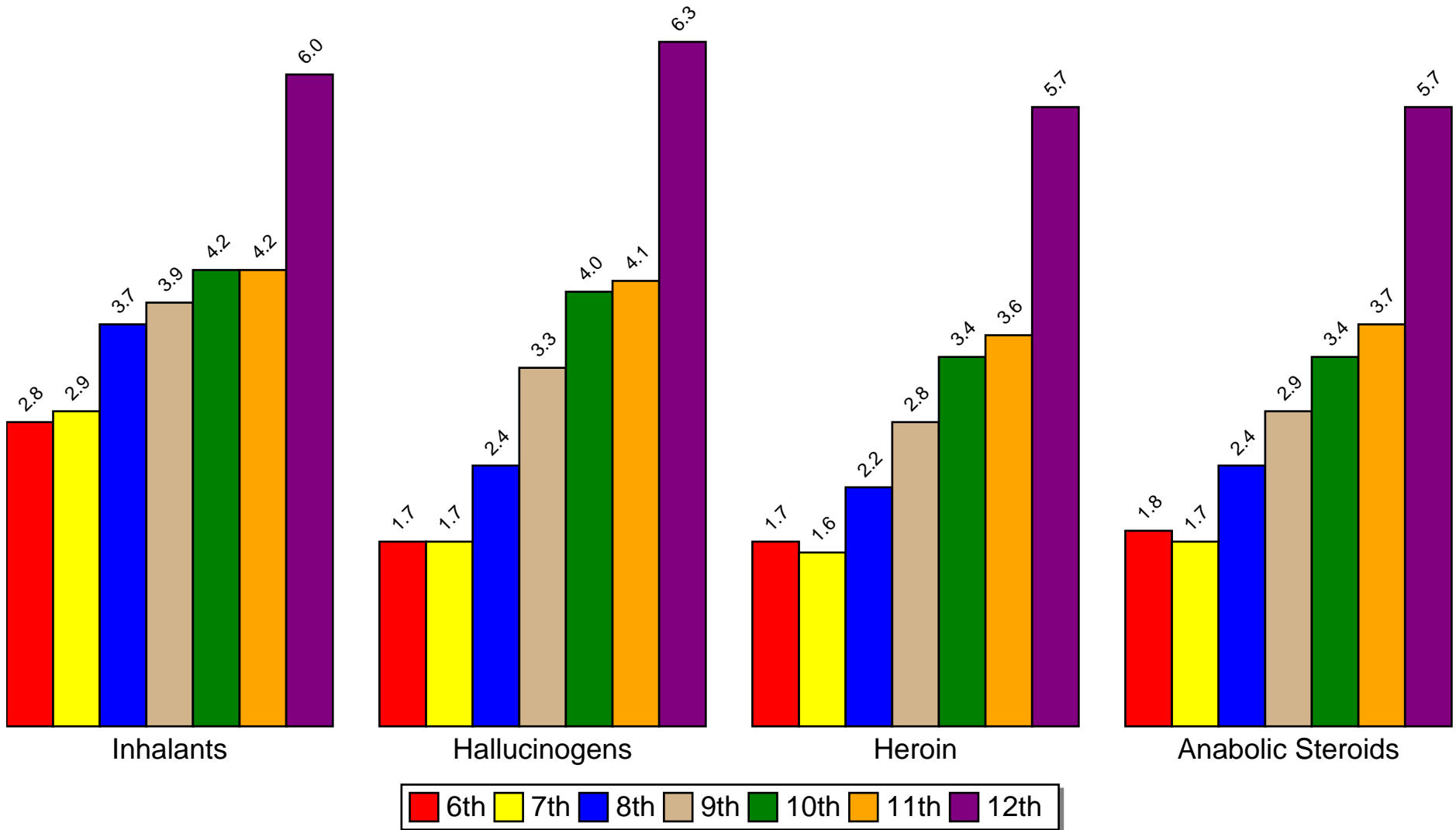
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30-Day Use of Marijuana, Cocaine, Uppers and Downers



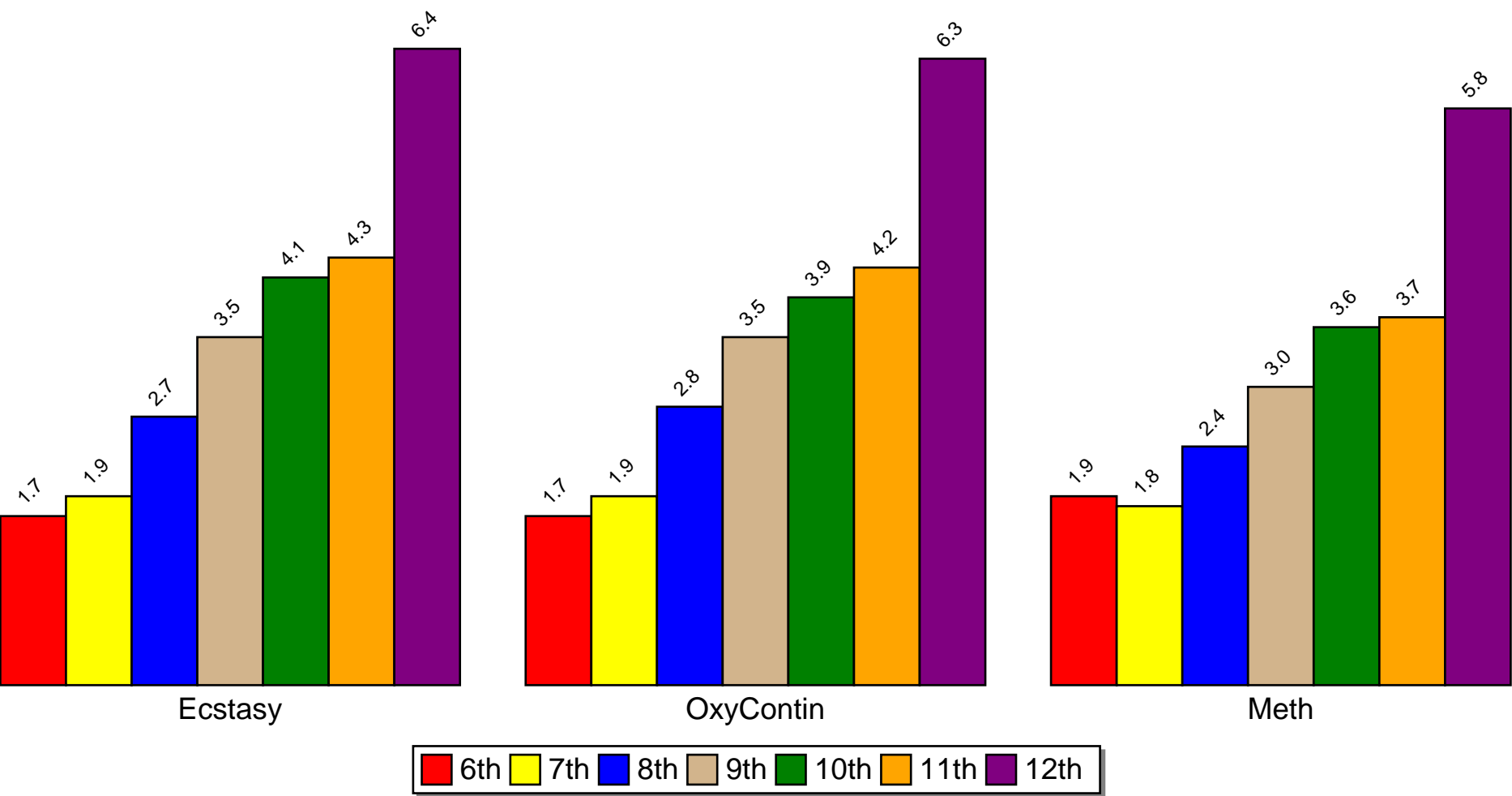
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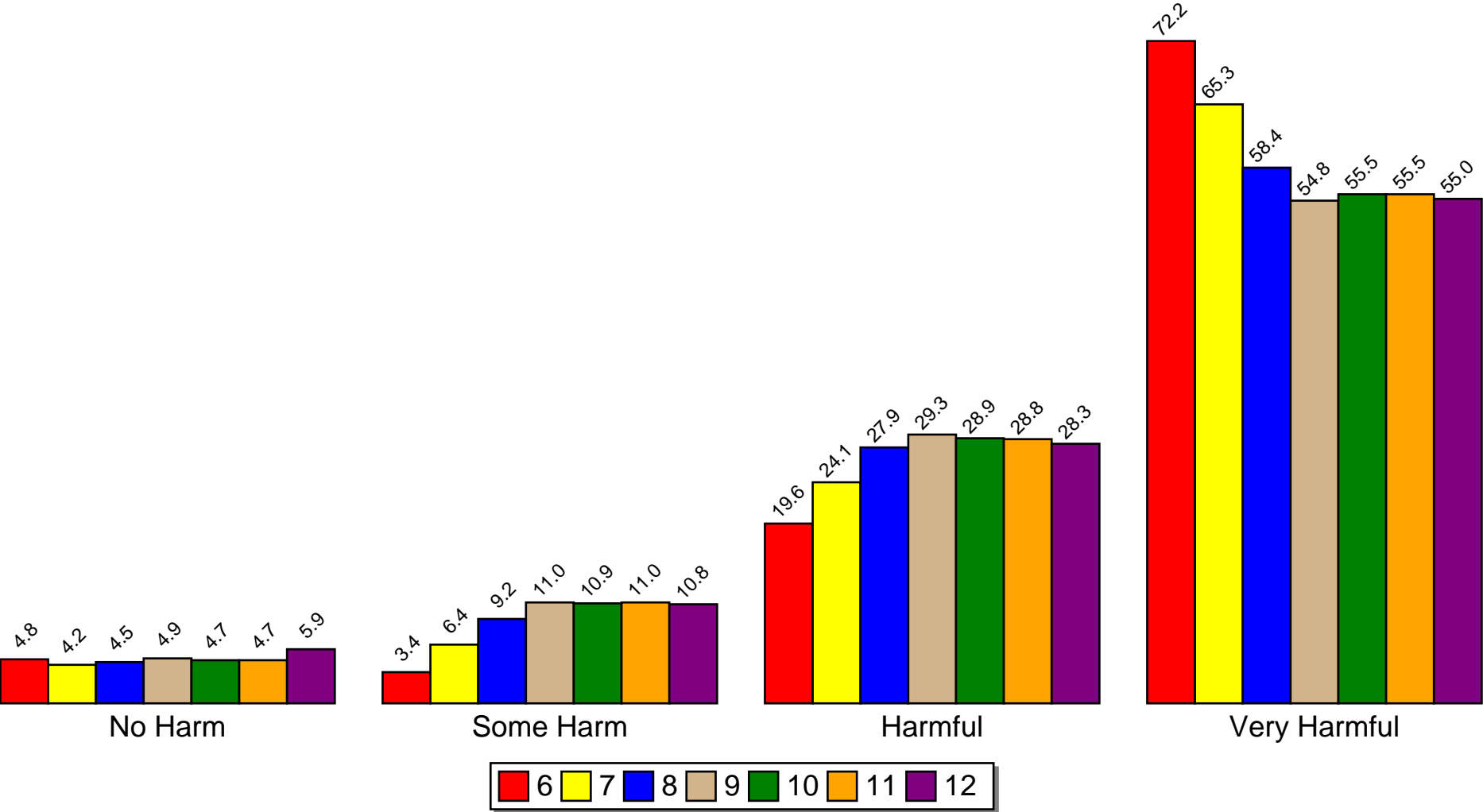
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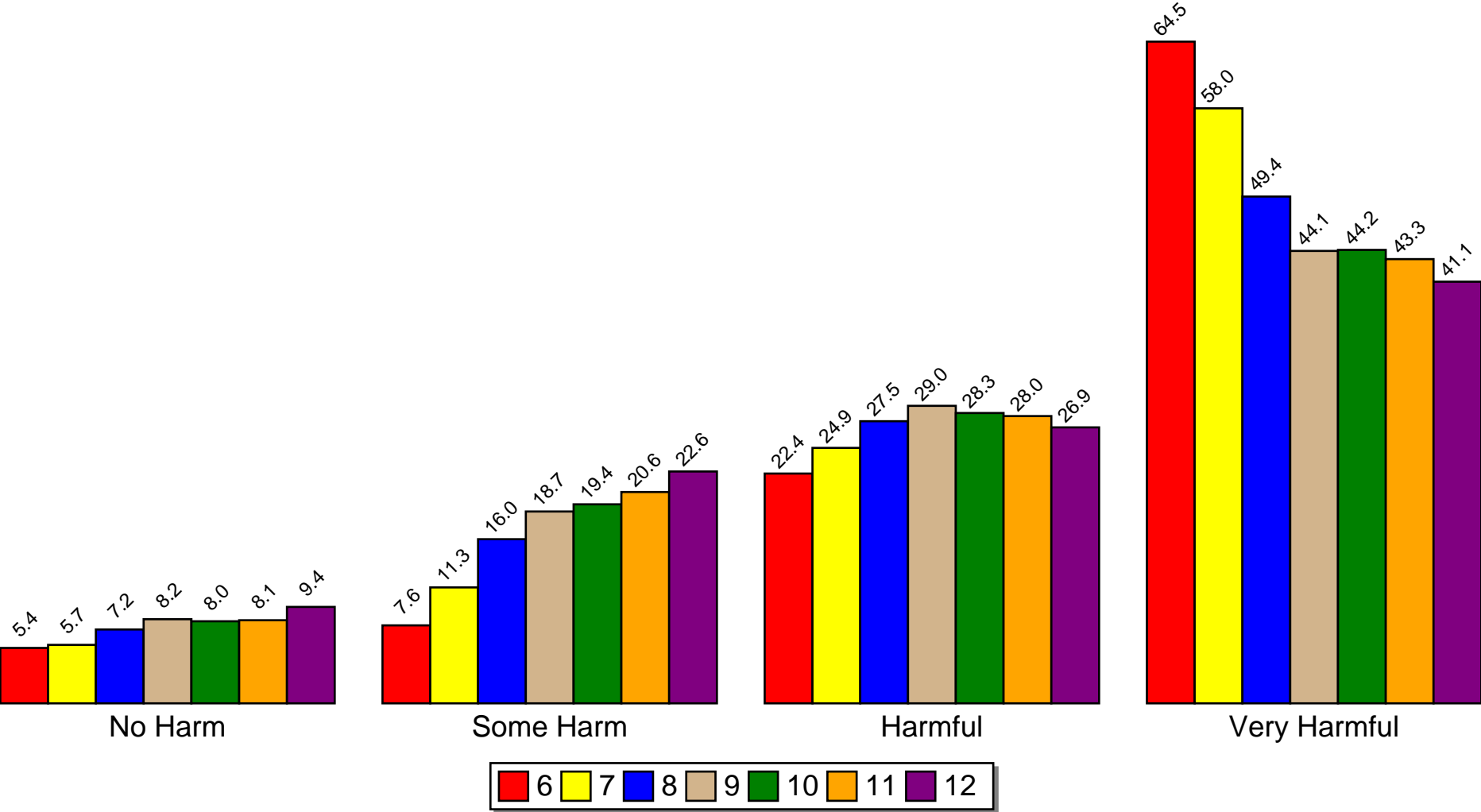
3.2 Perception of Risk

Perception of Risk -- Any Tobacco



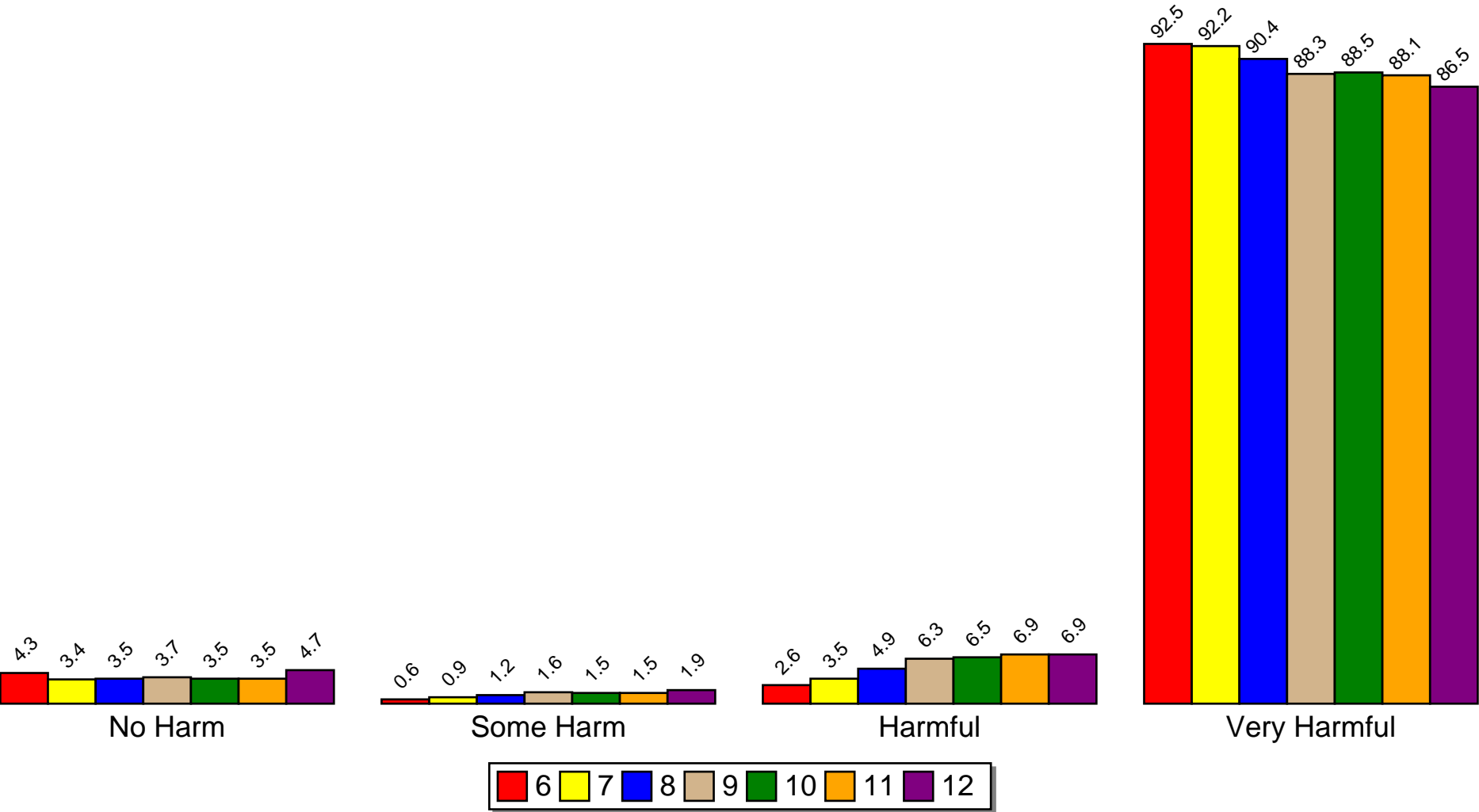
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Perception of Risk -- Any Alcohol



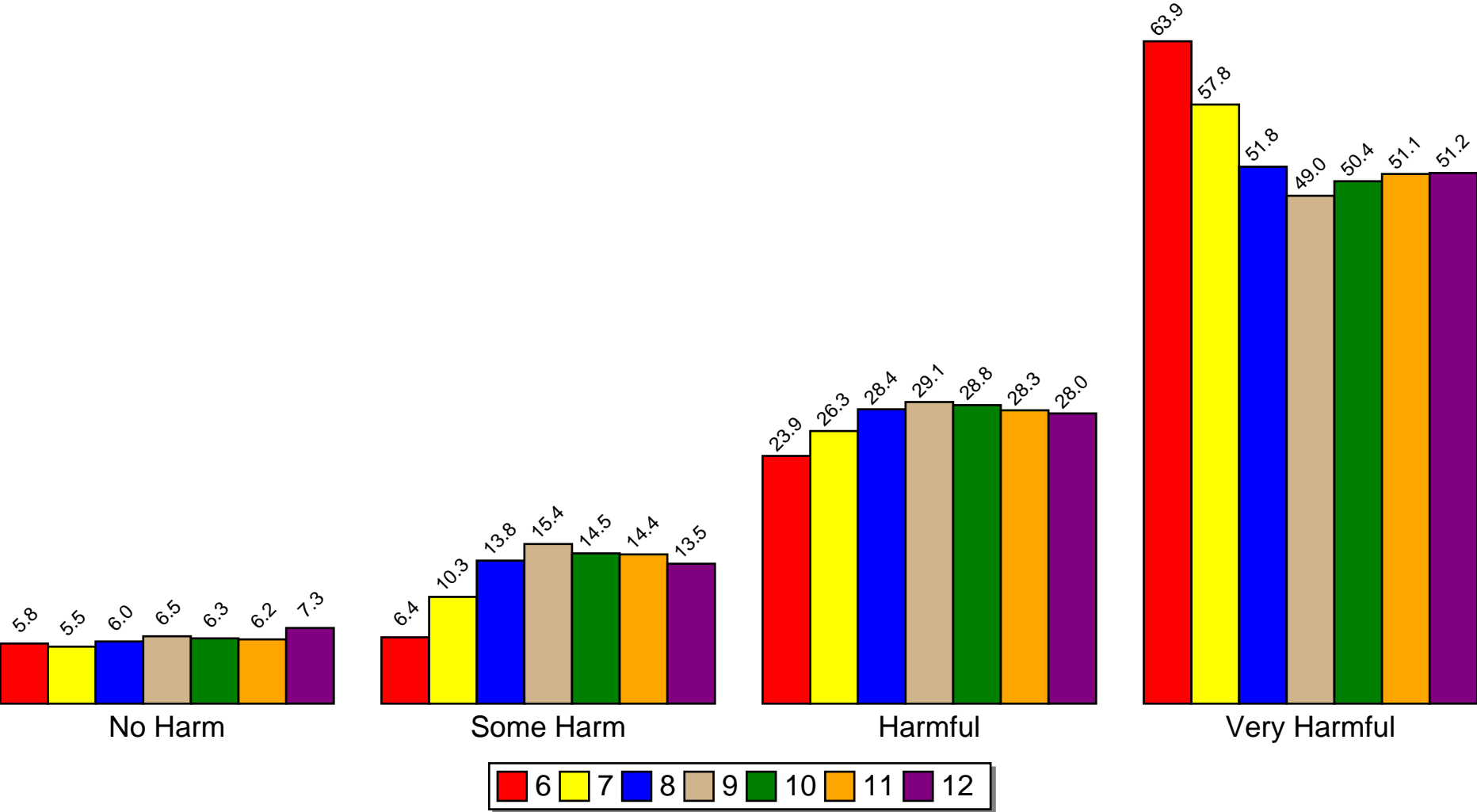
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Perception of Risk -- Any Illicit Drug



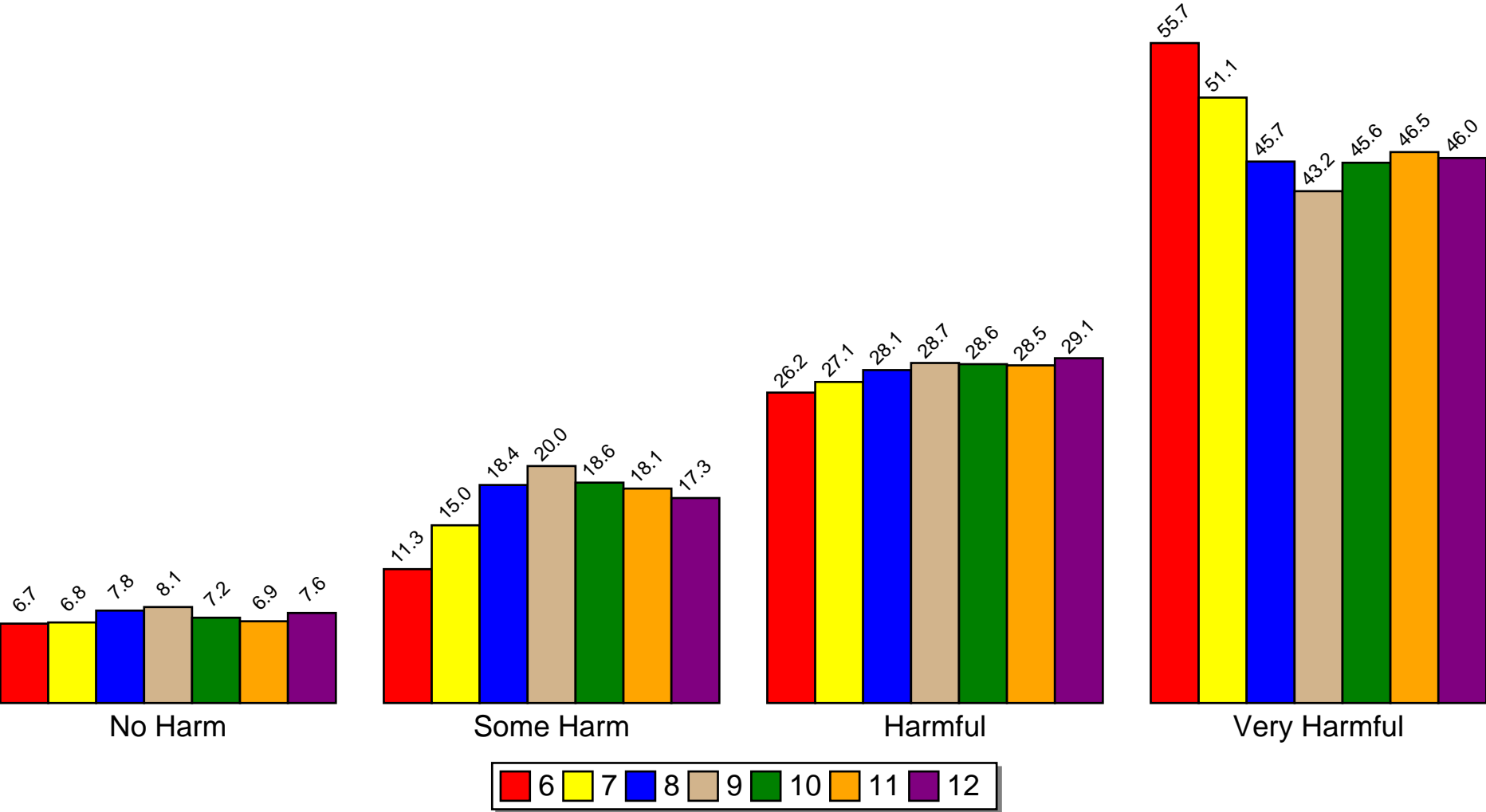
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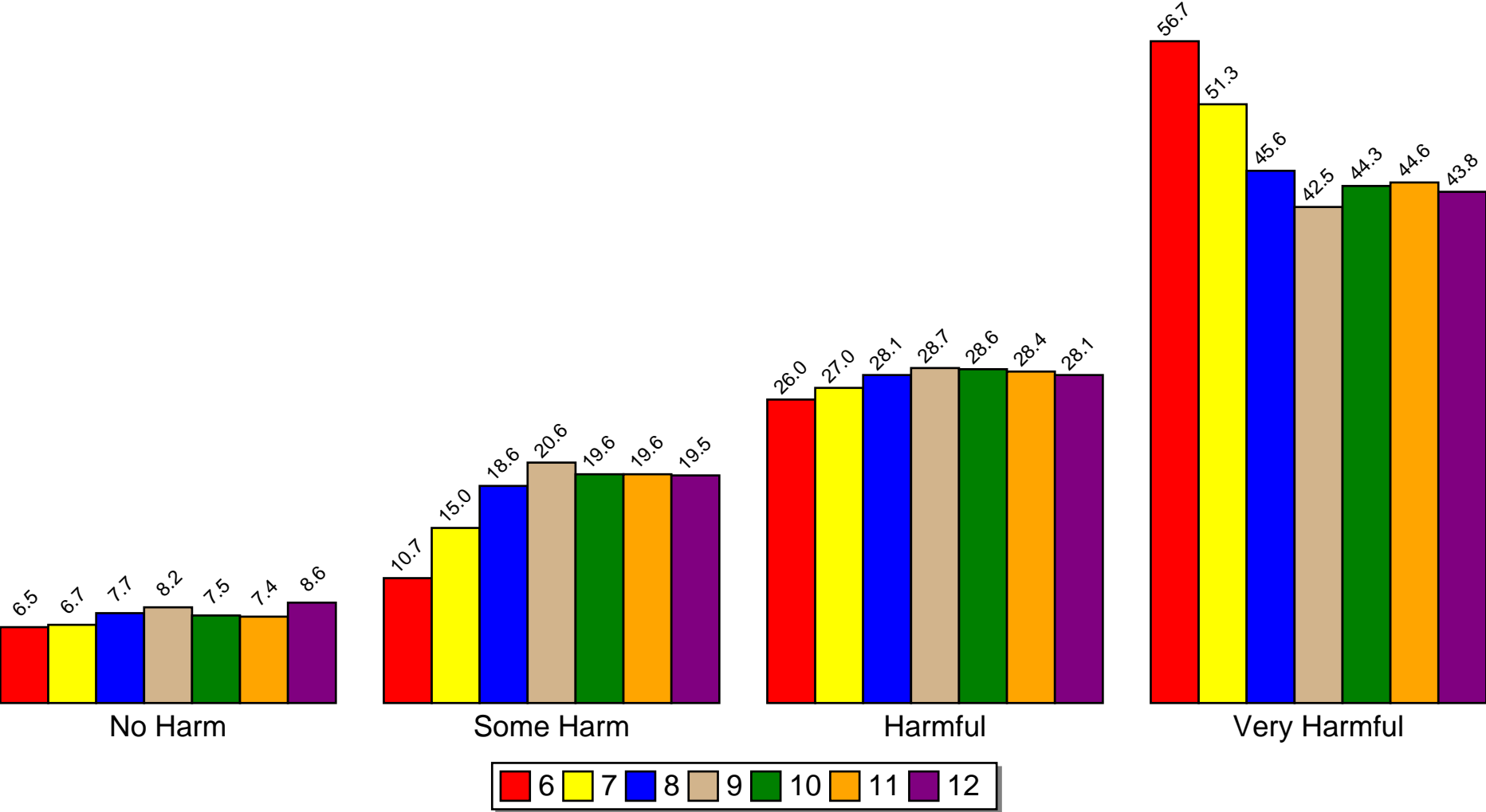
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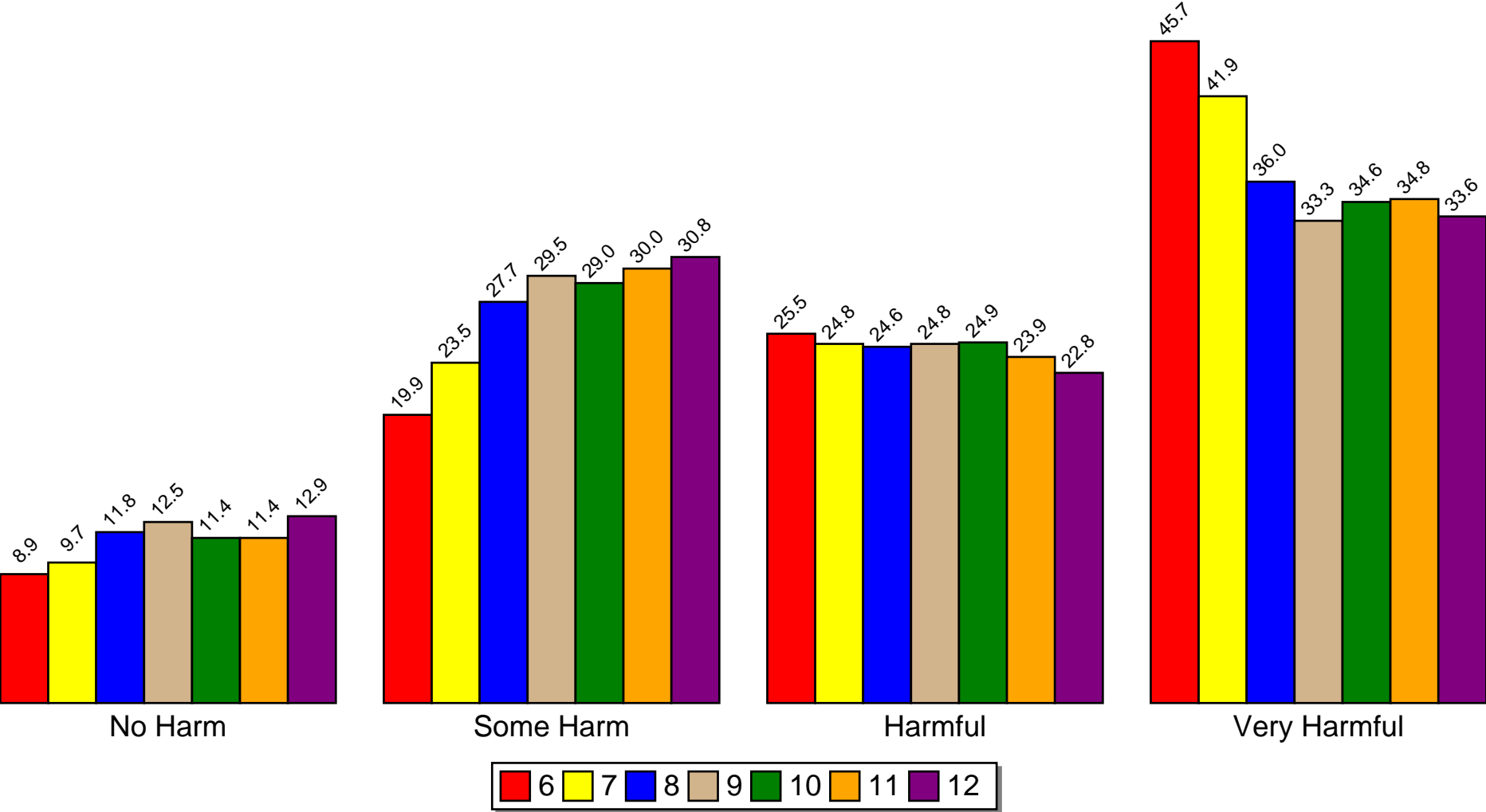
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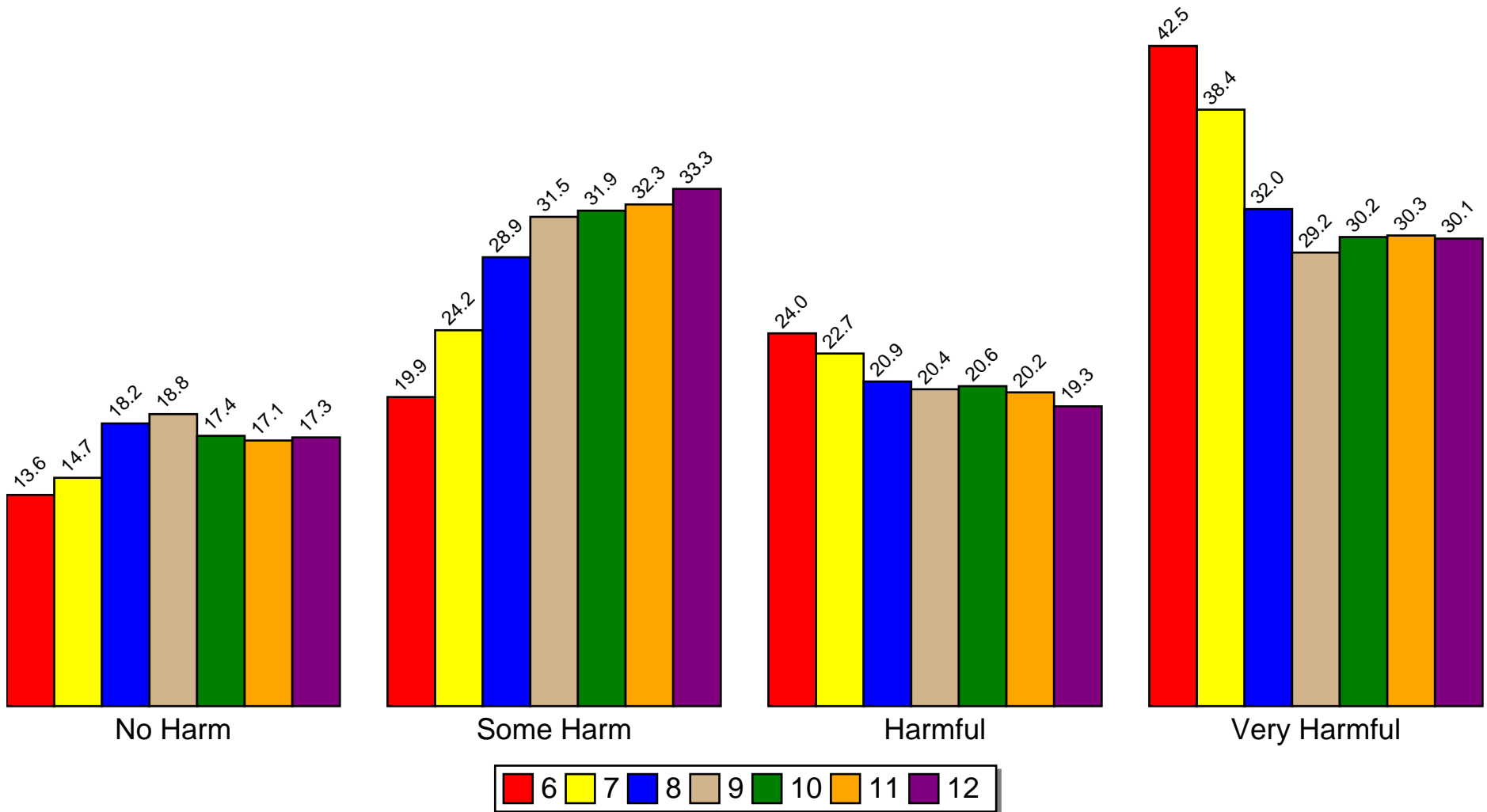
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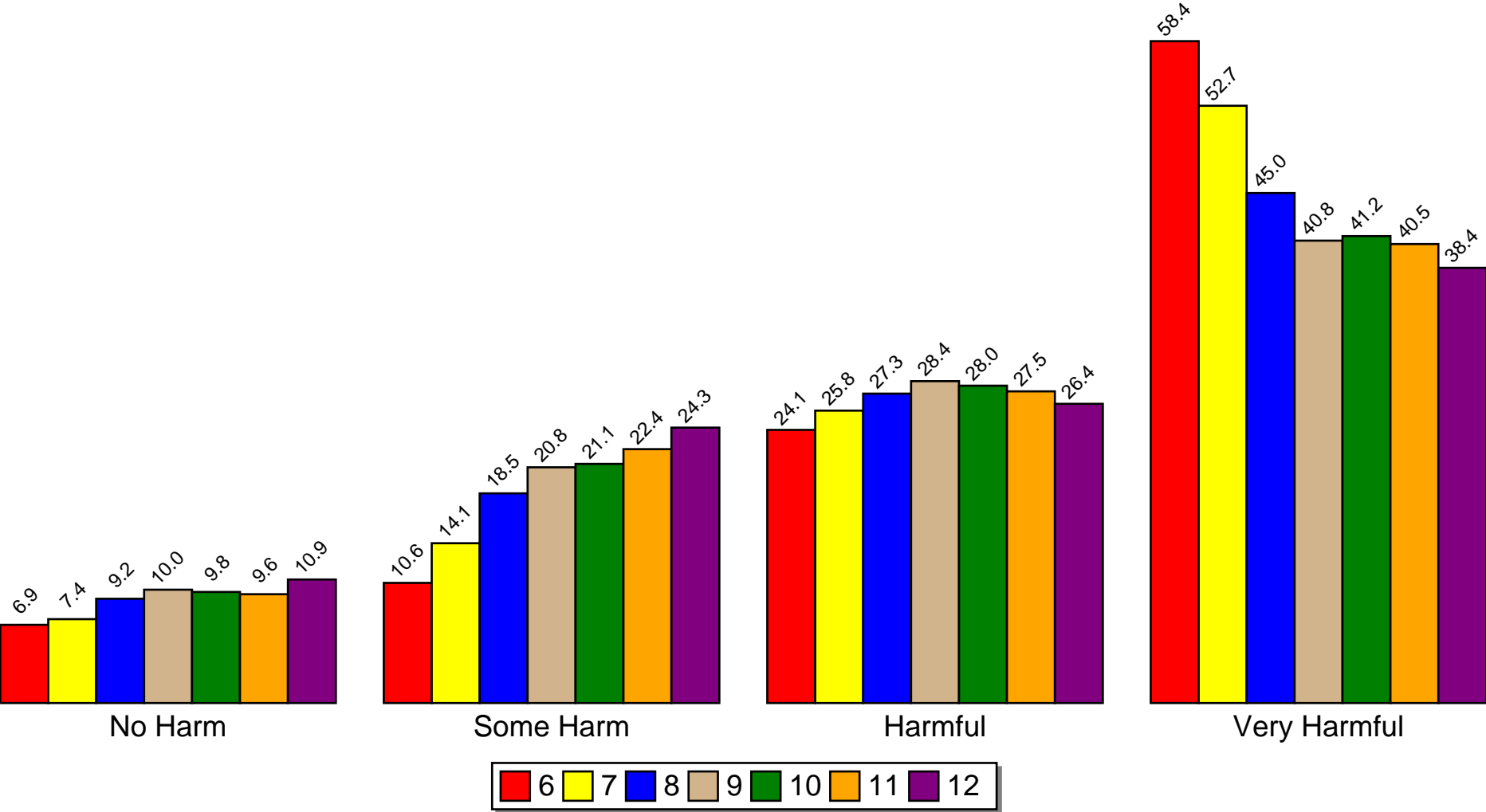
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Perception of Risk -- Coolers, Breezers, etc.



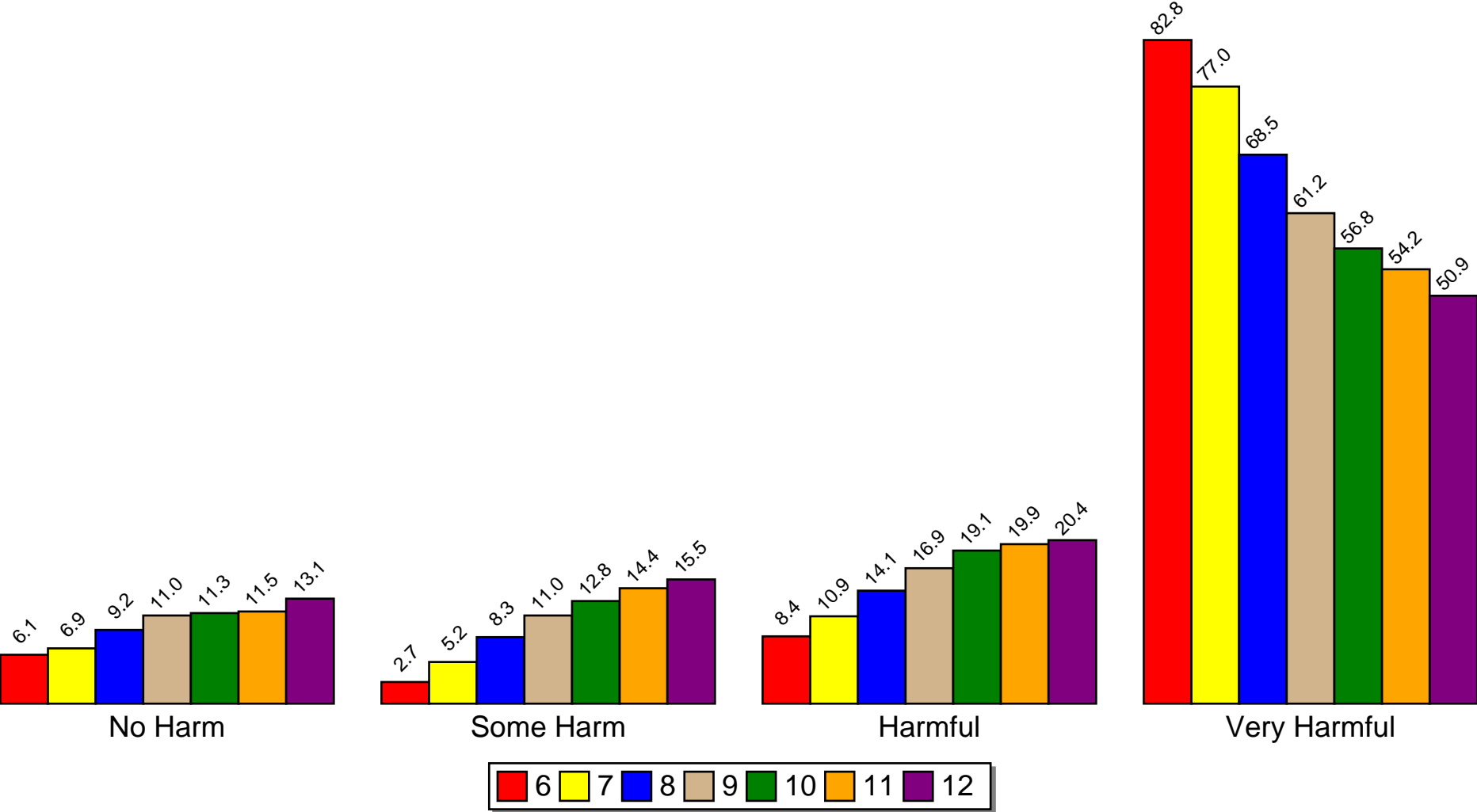
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Perception of Risk -- Liquor



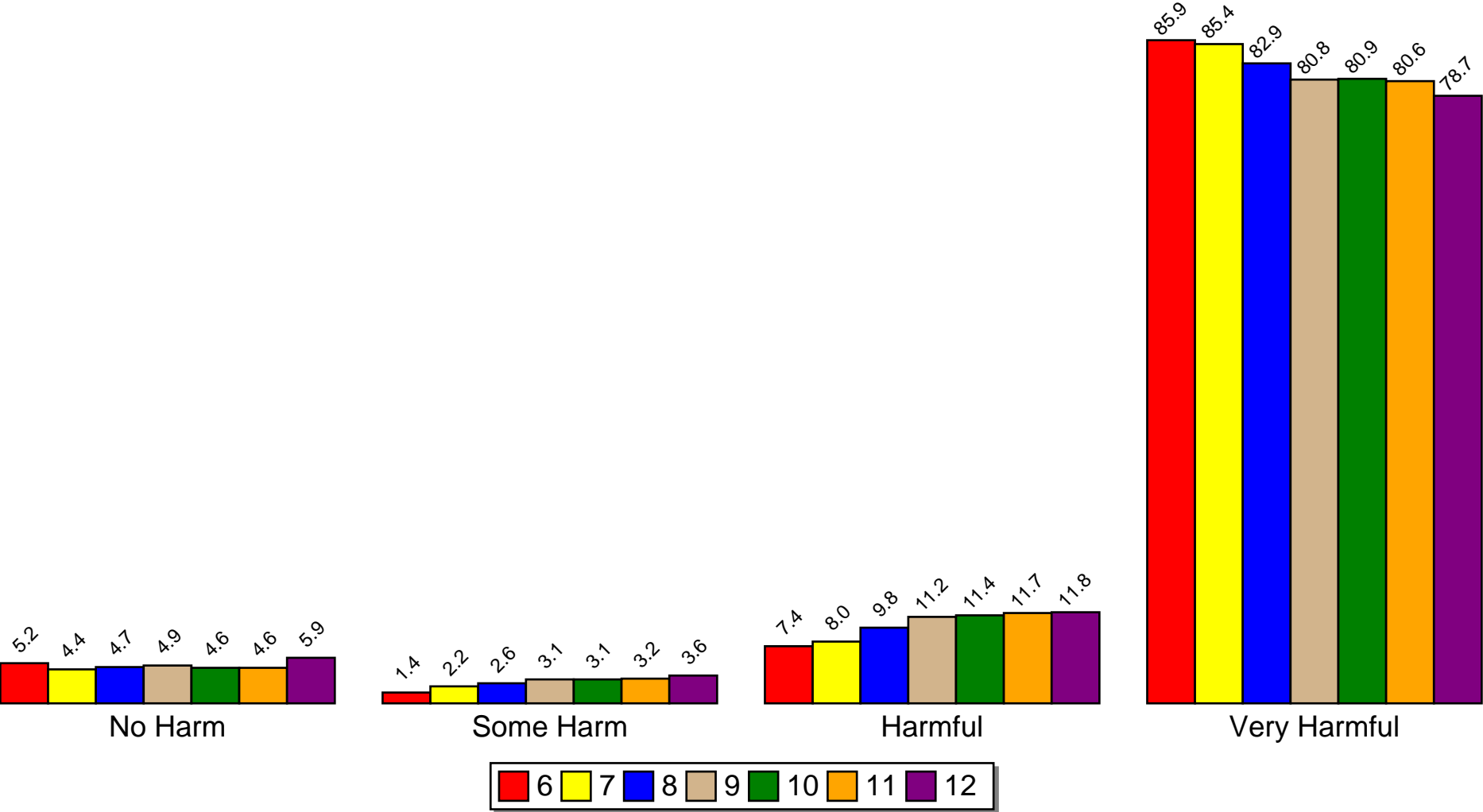
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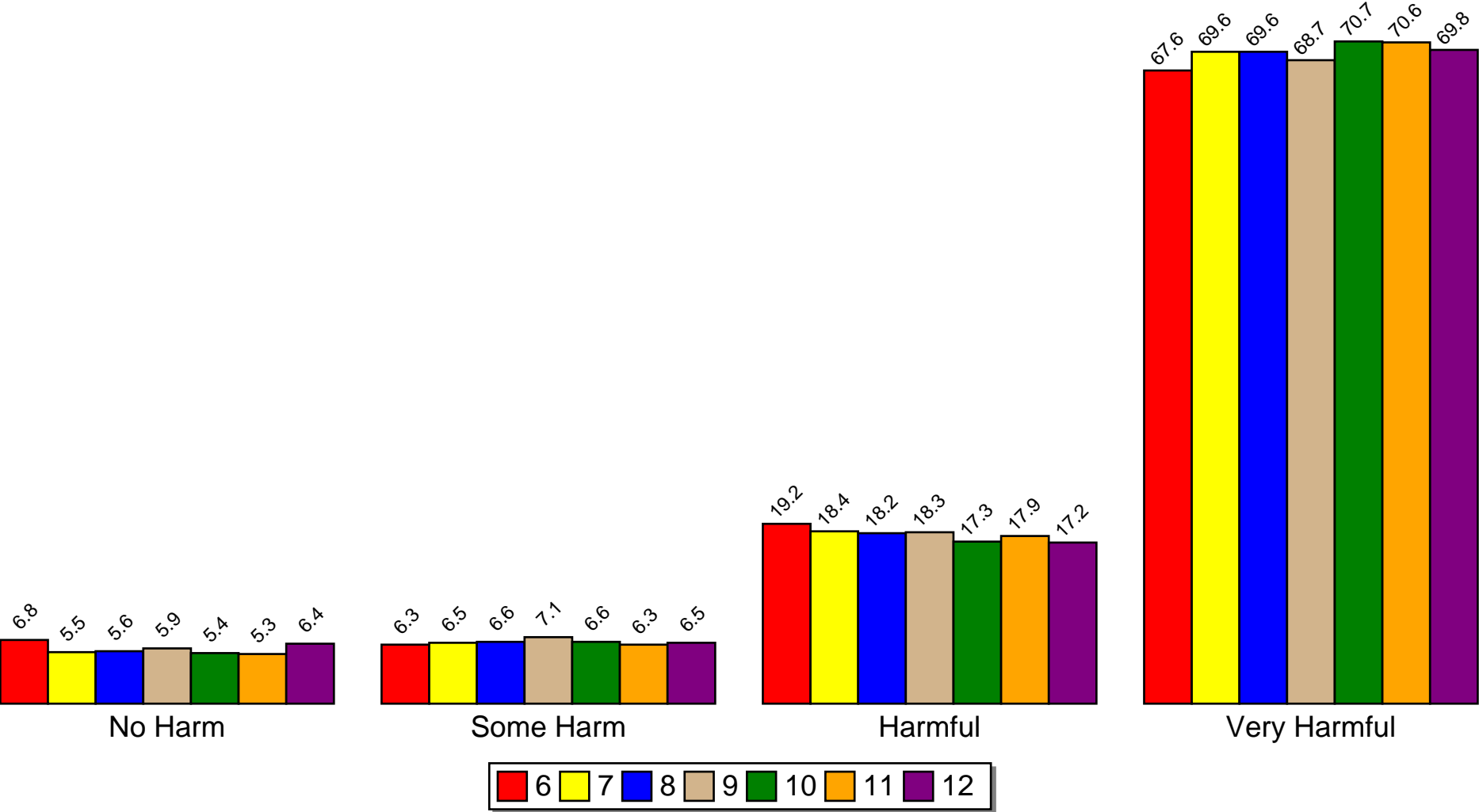
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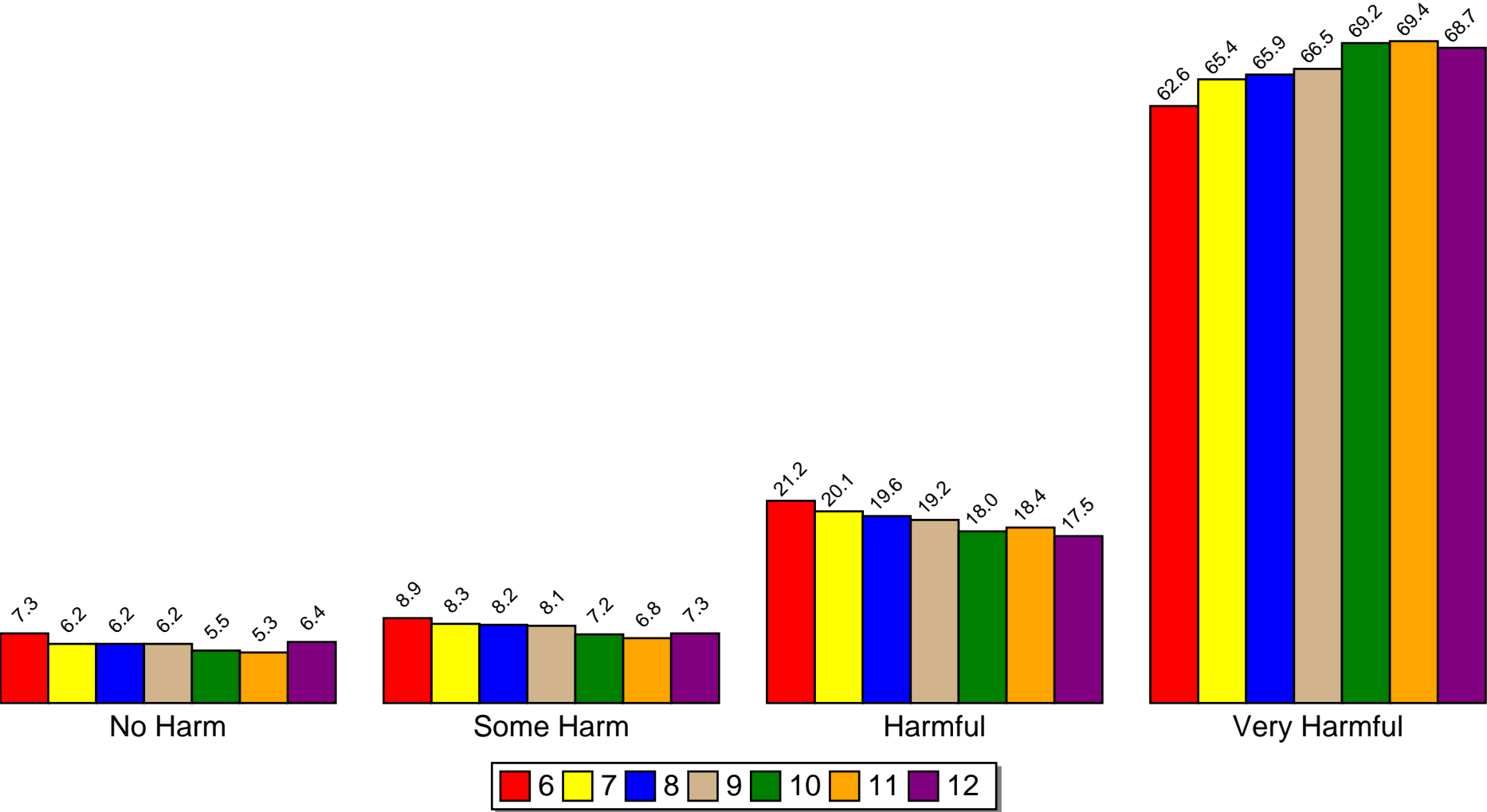
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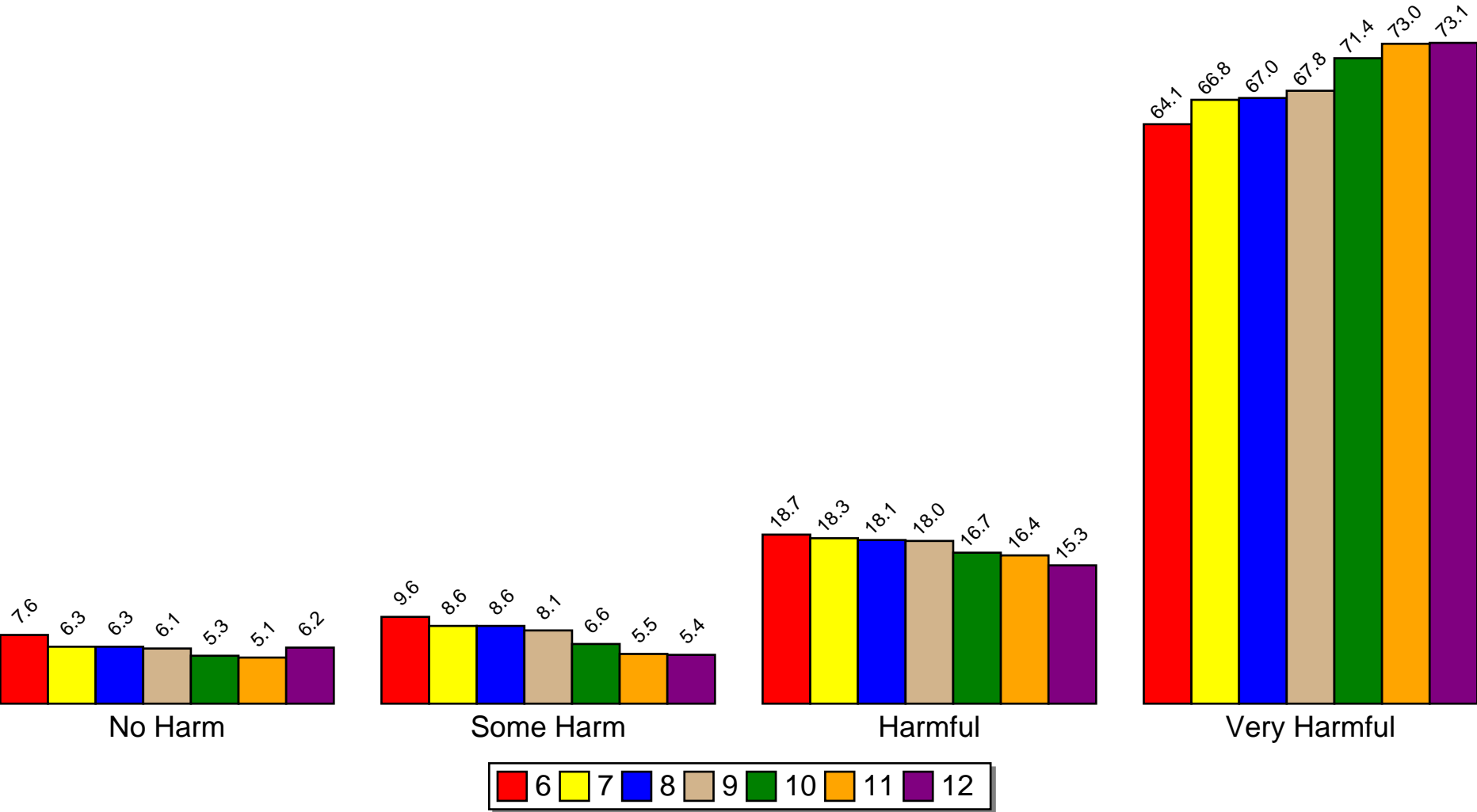
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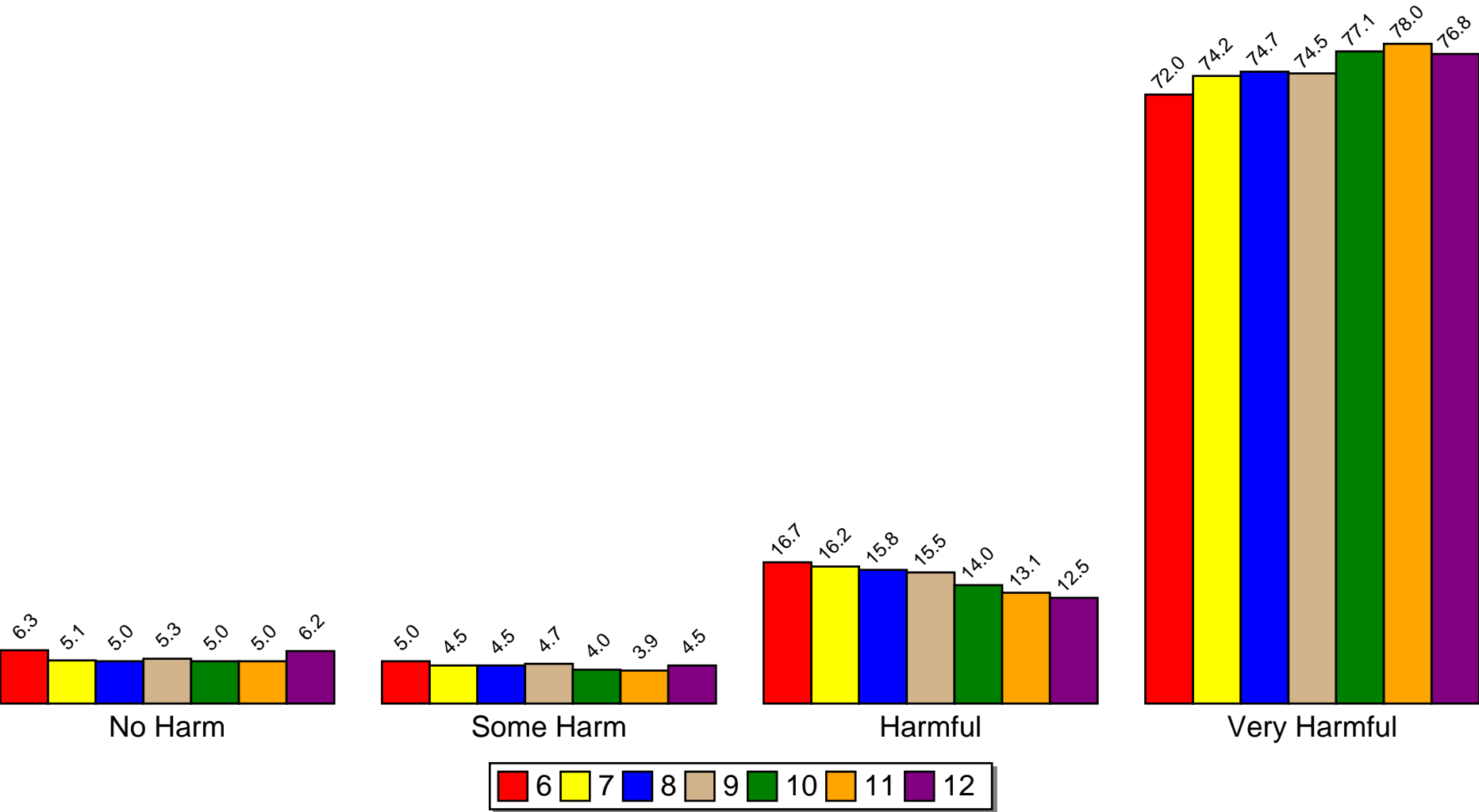
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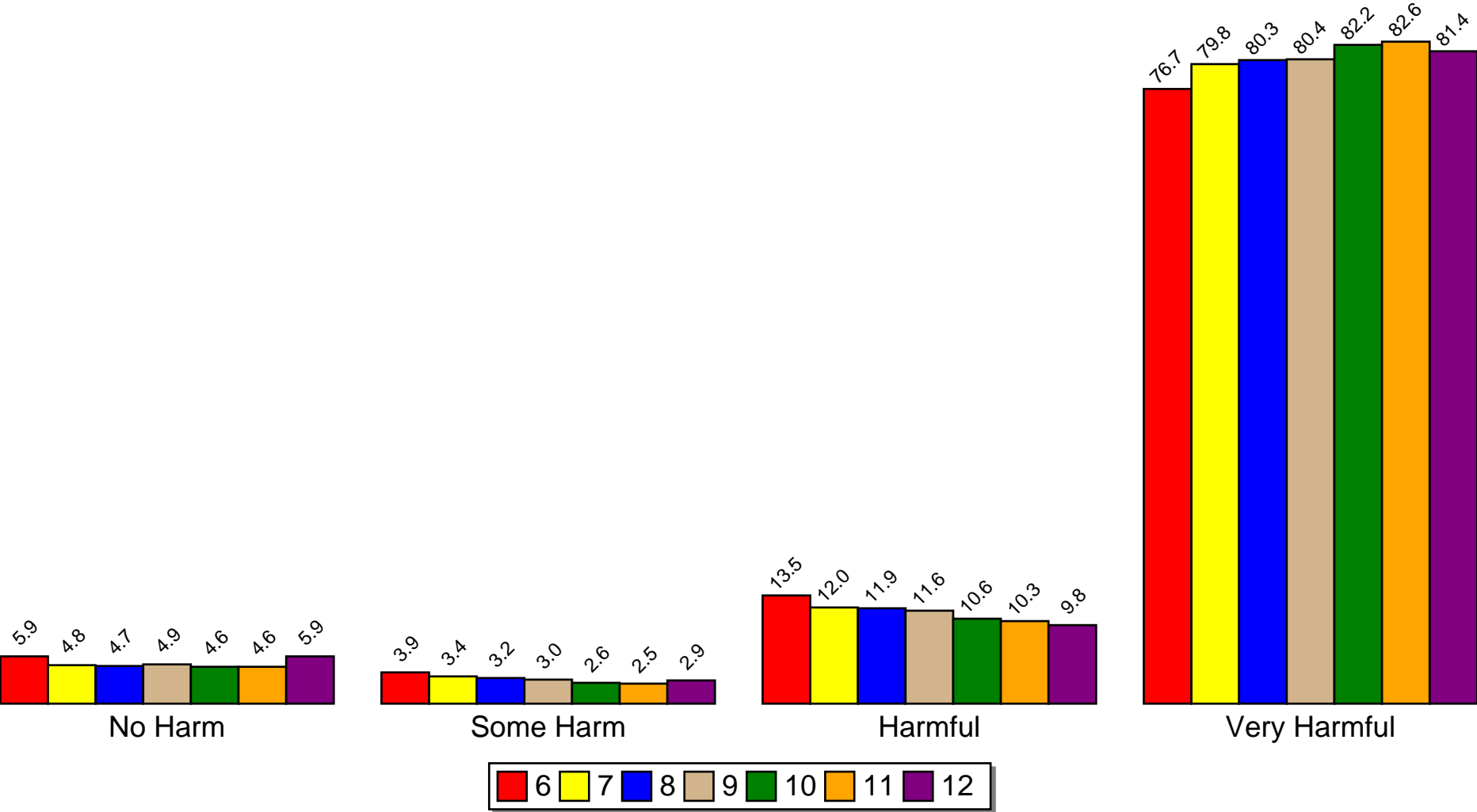
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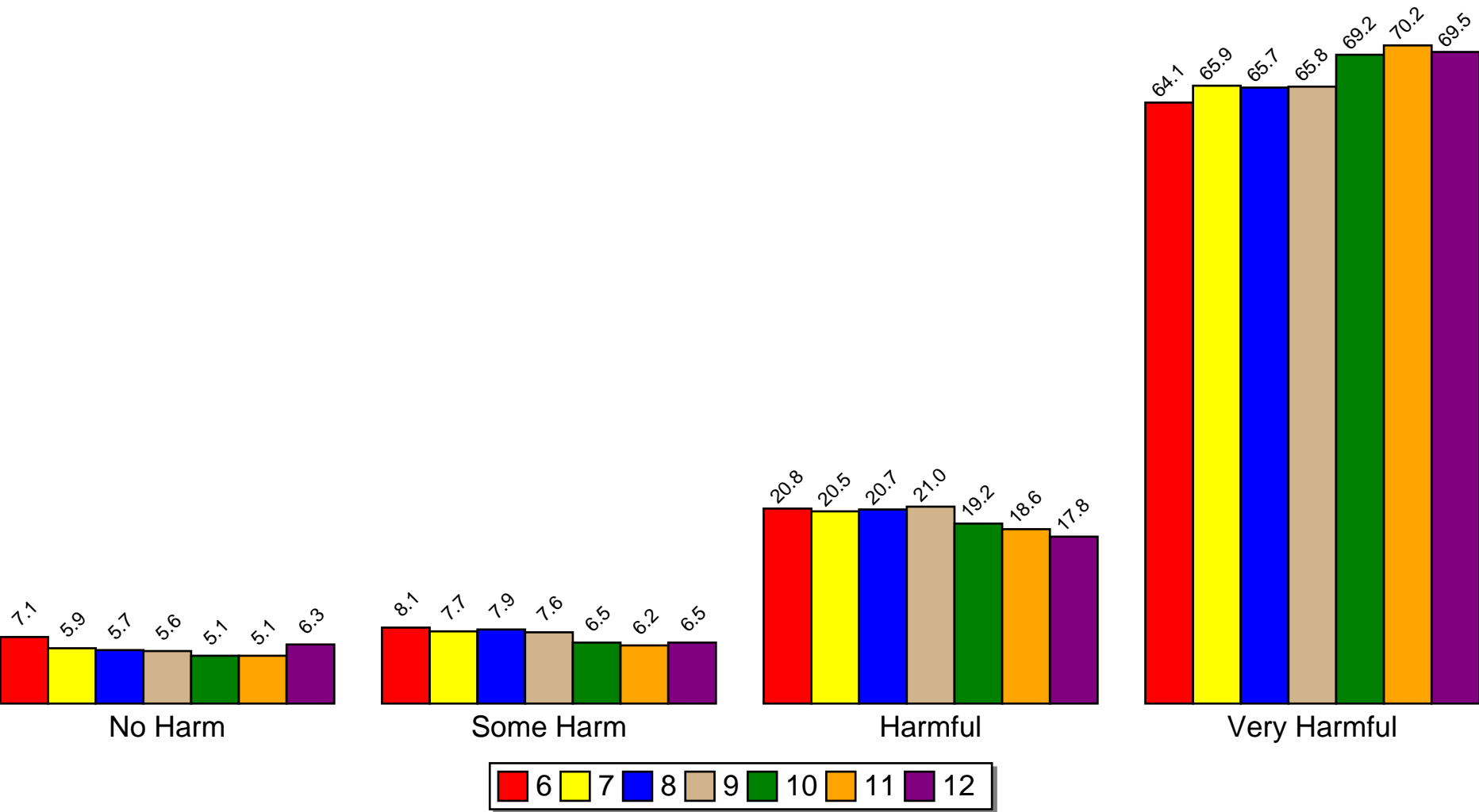
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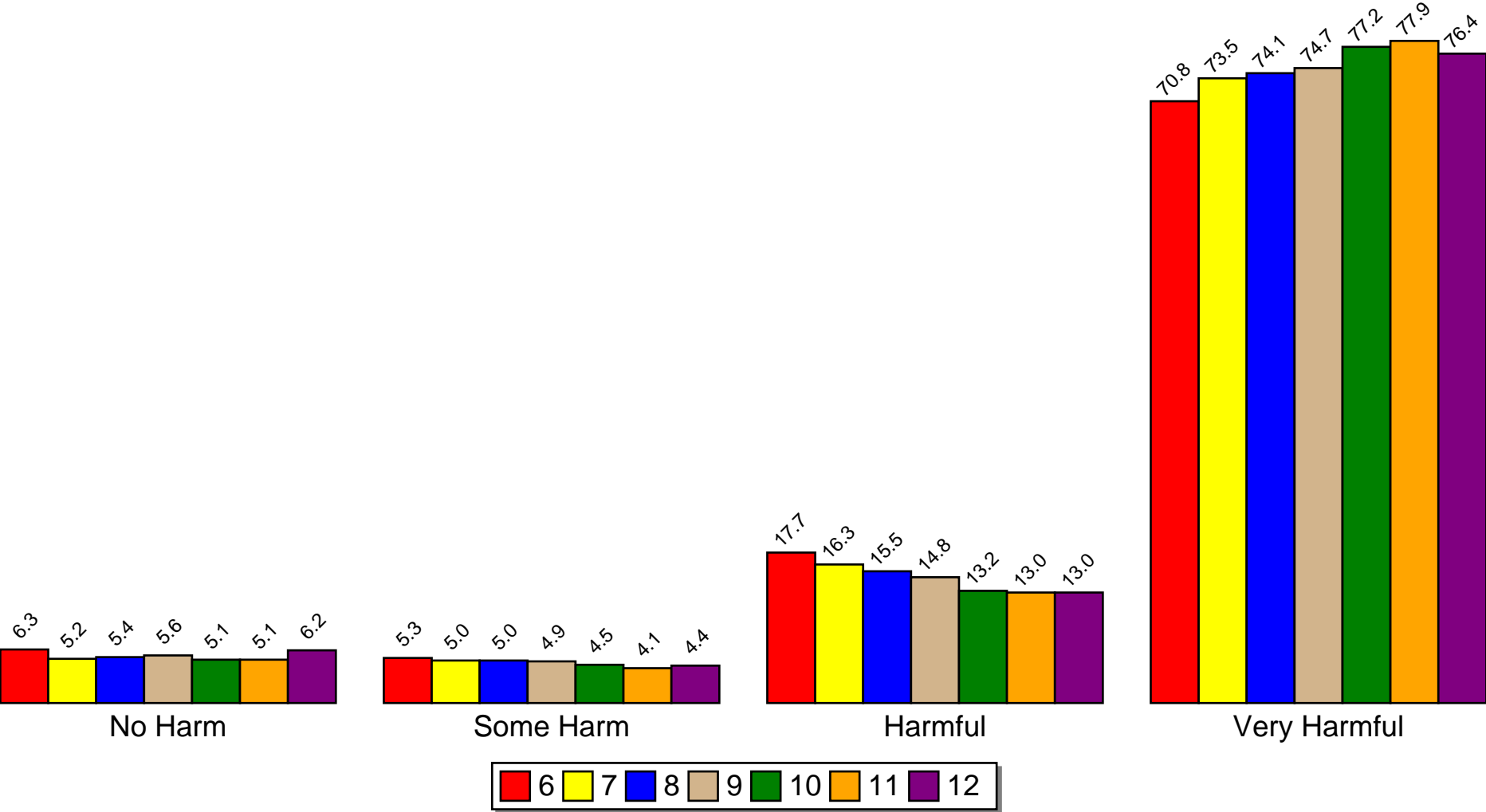
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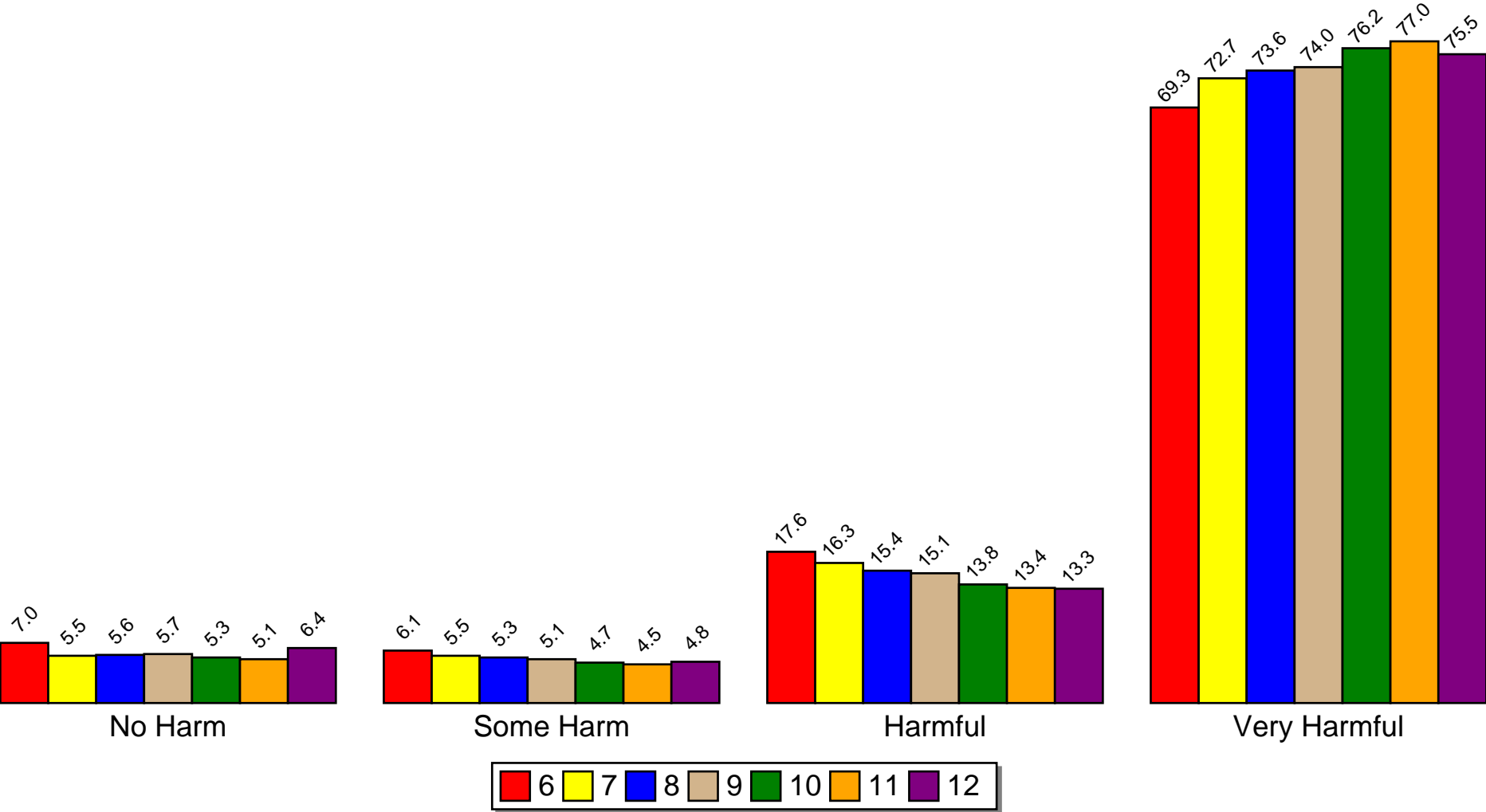
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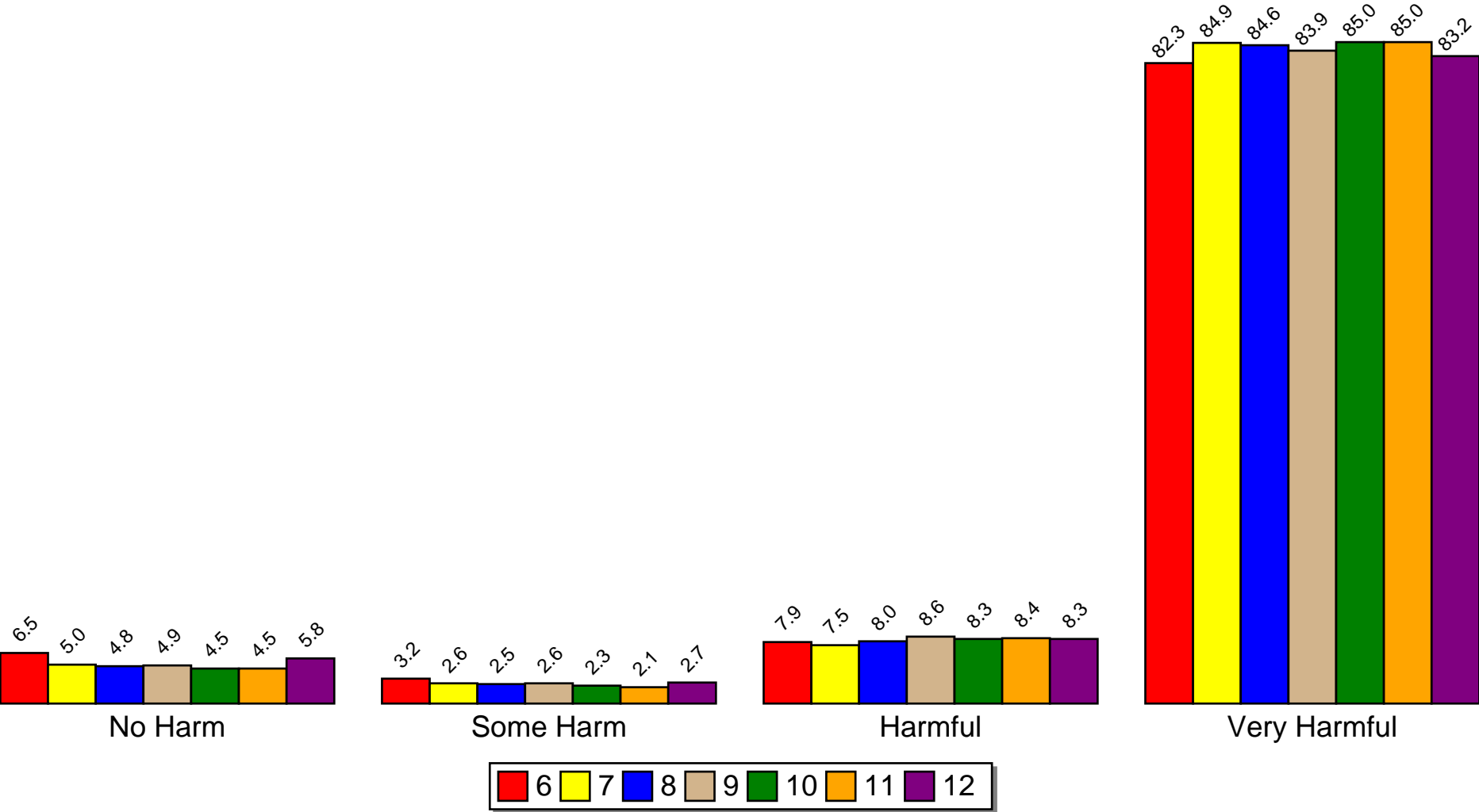
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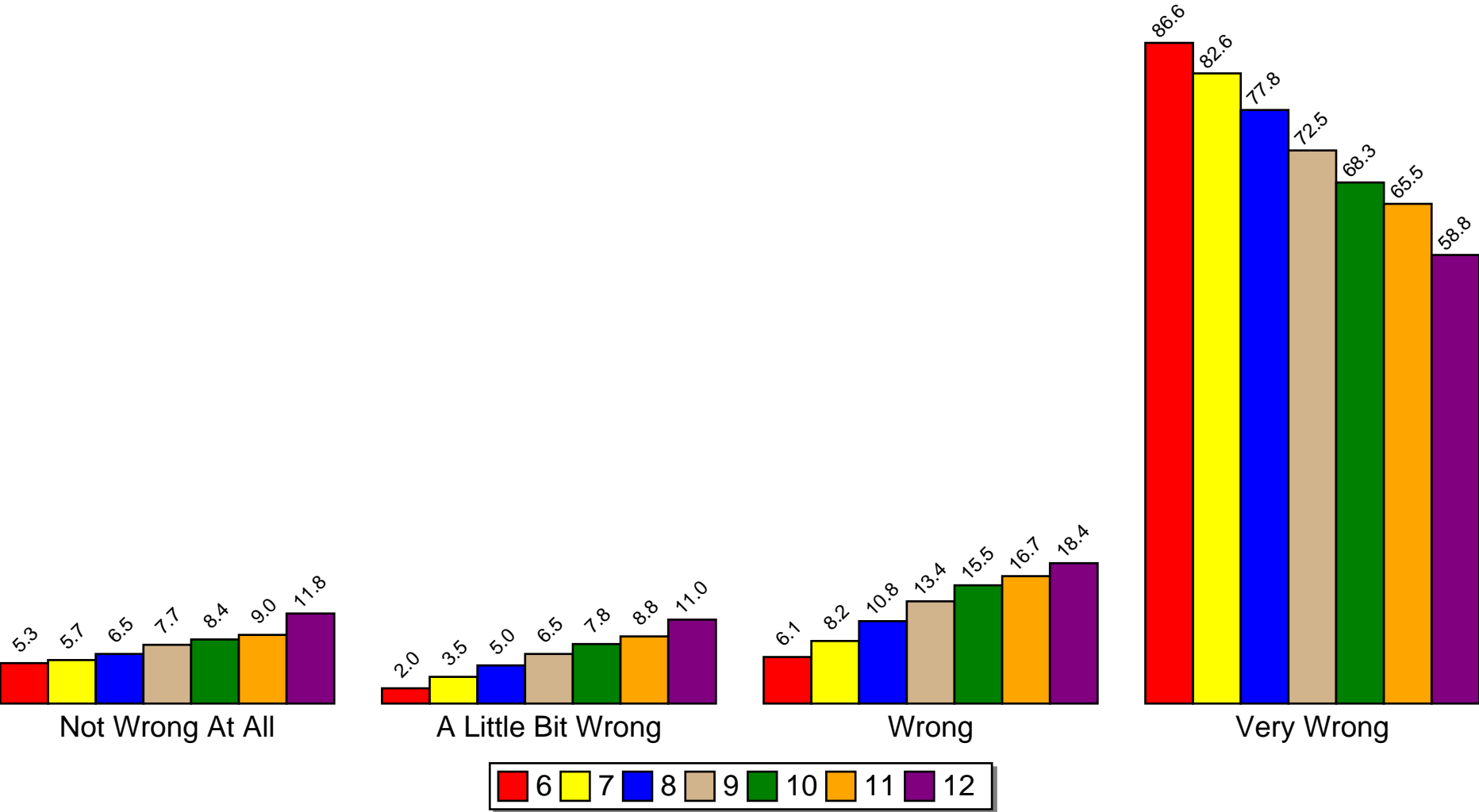
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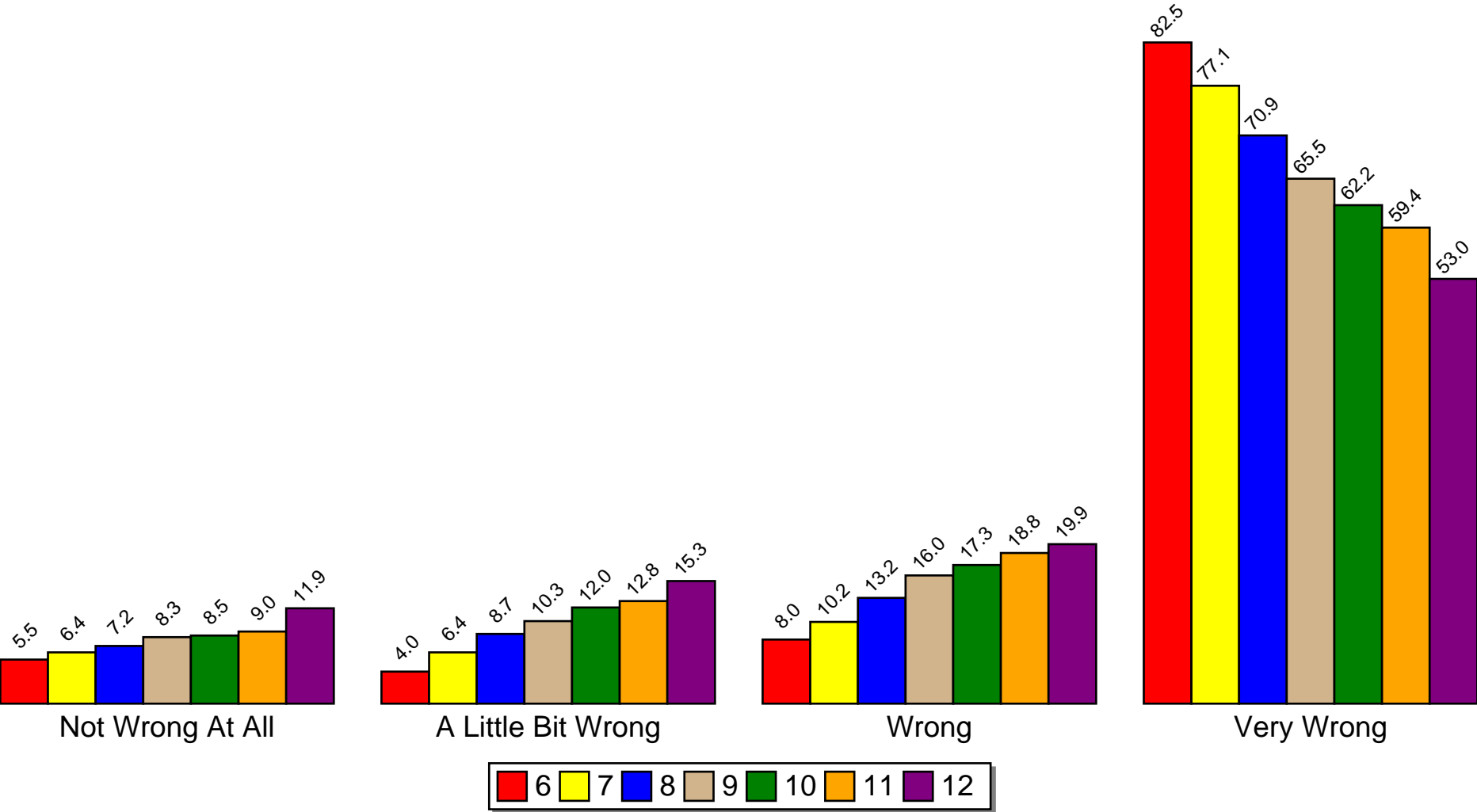
3.3 Perception of Parental Disapproval

Perception of Parental Disapproval -- Use Tobacco



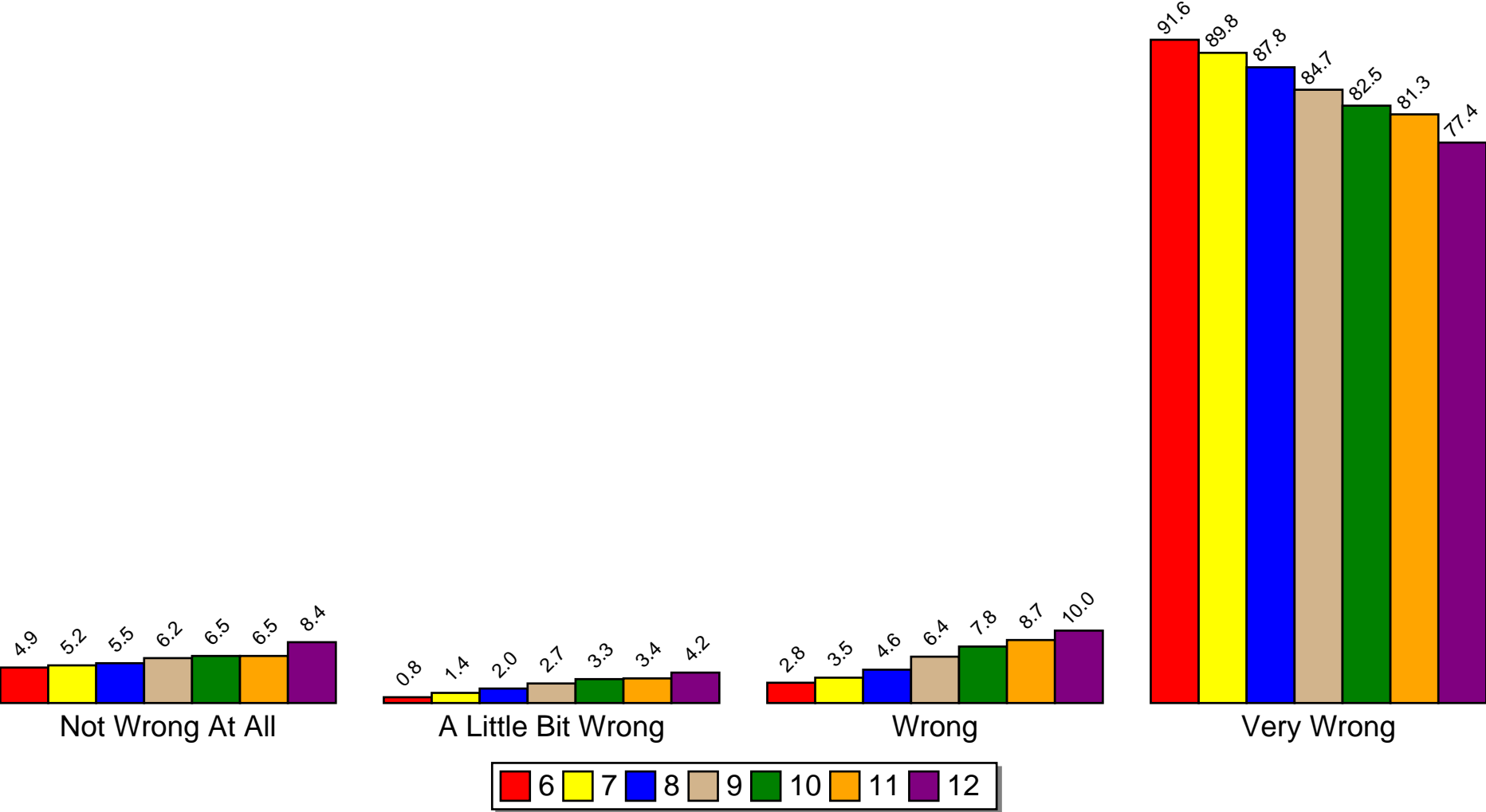
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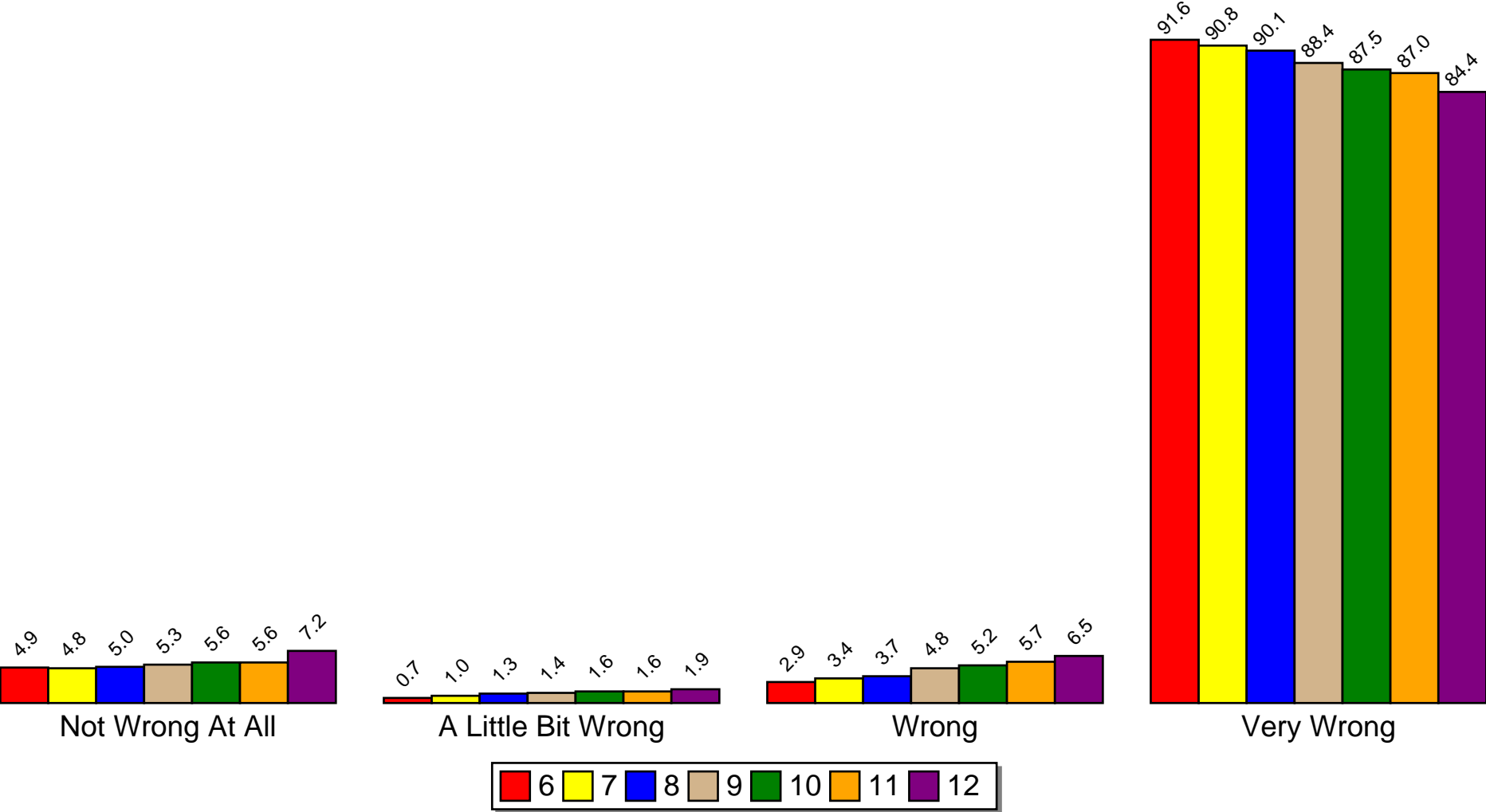
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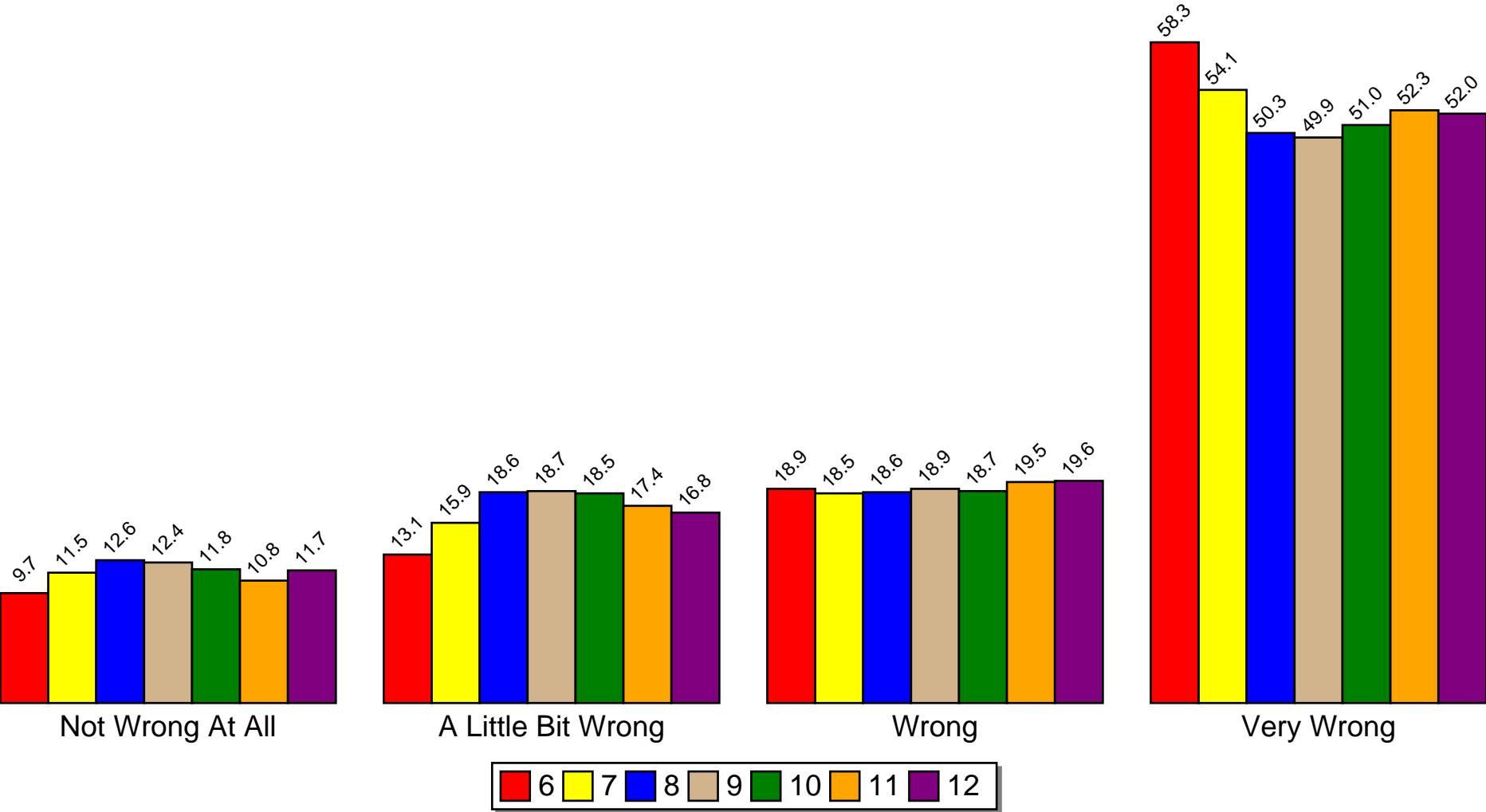
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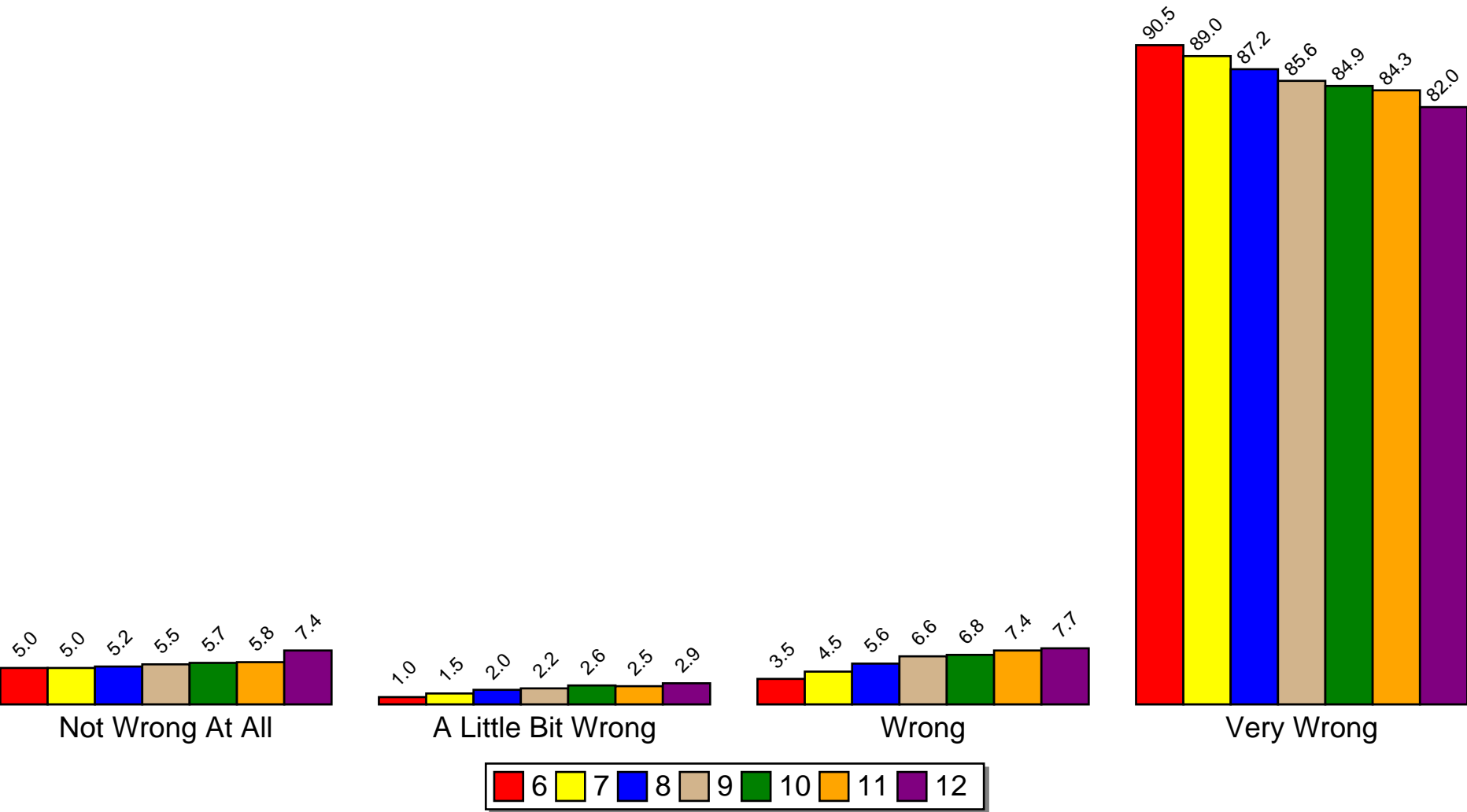
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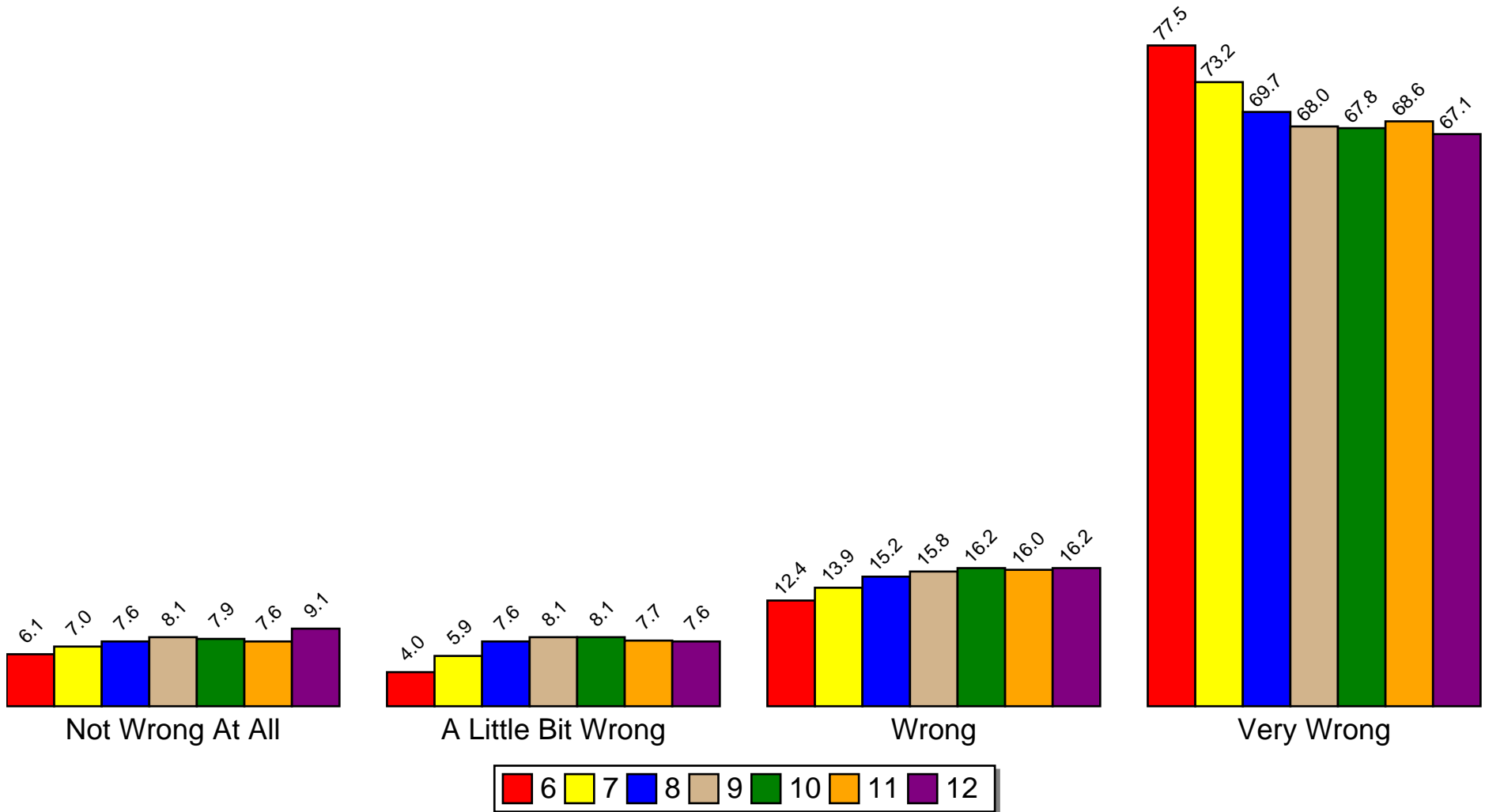
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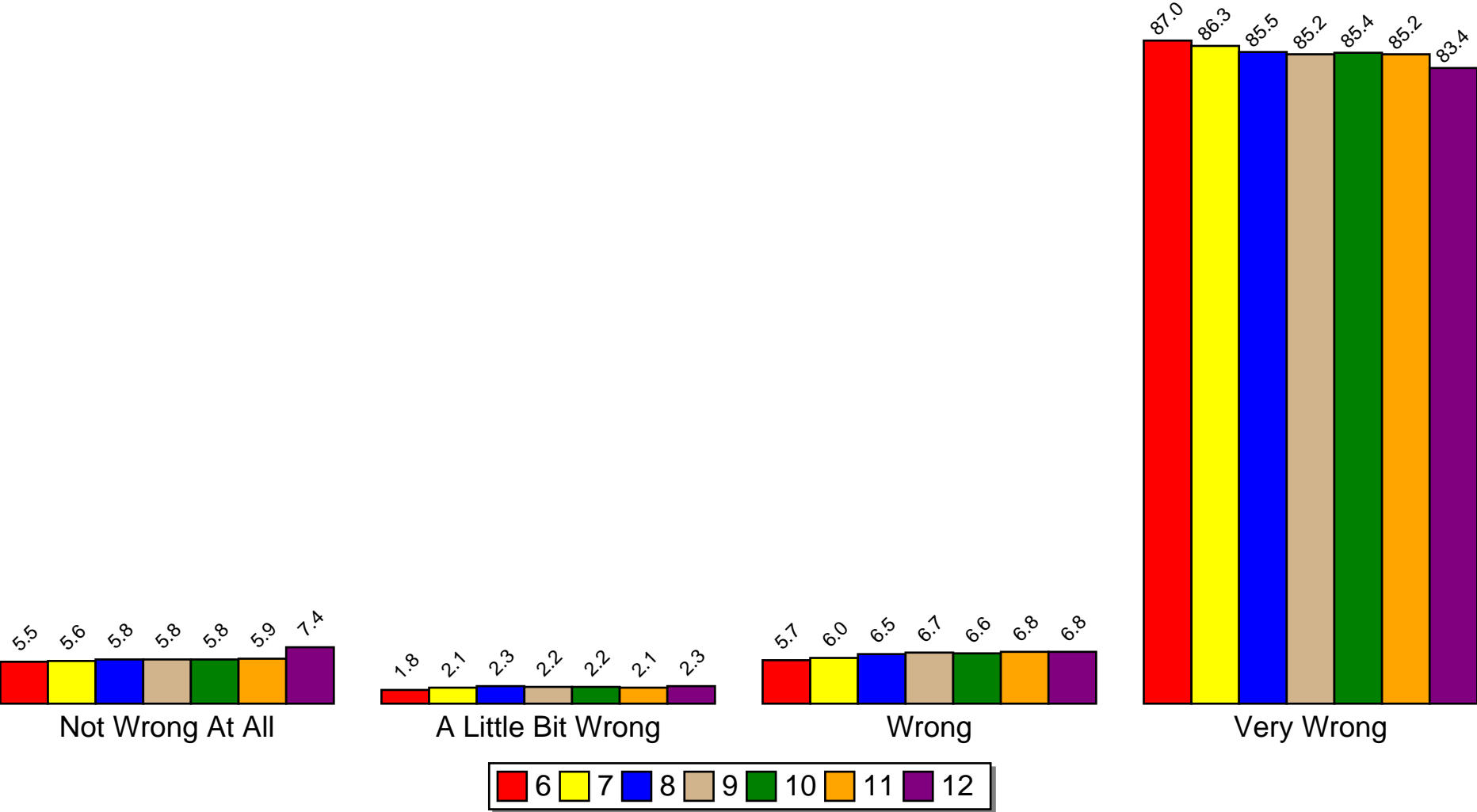
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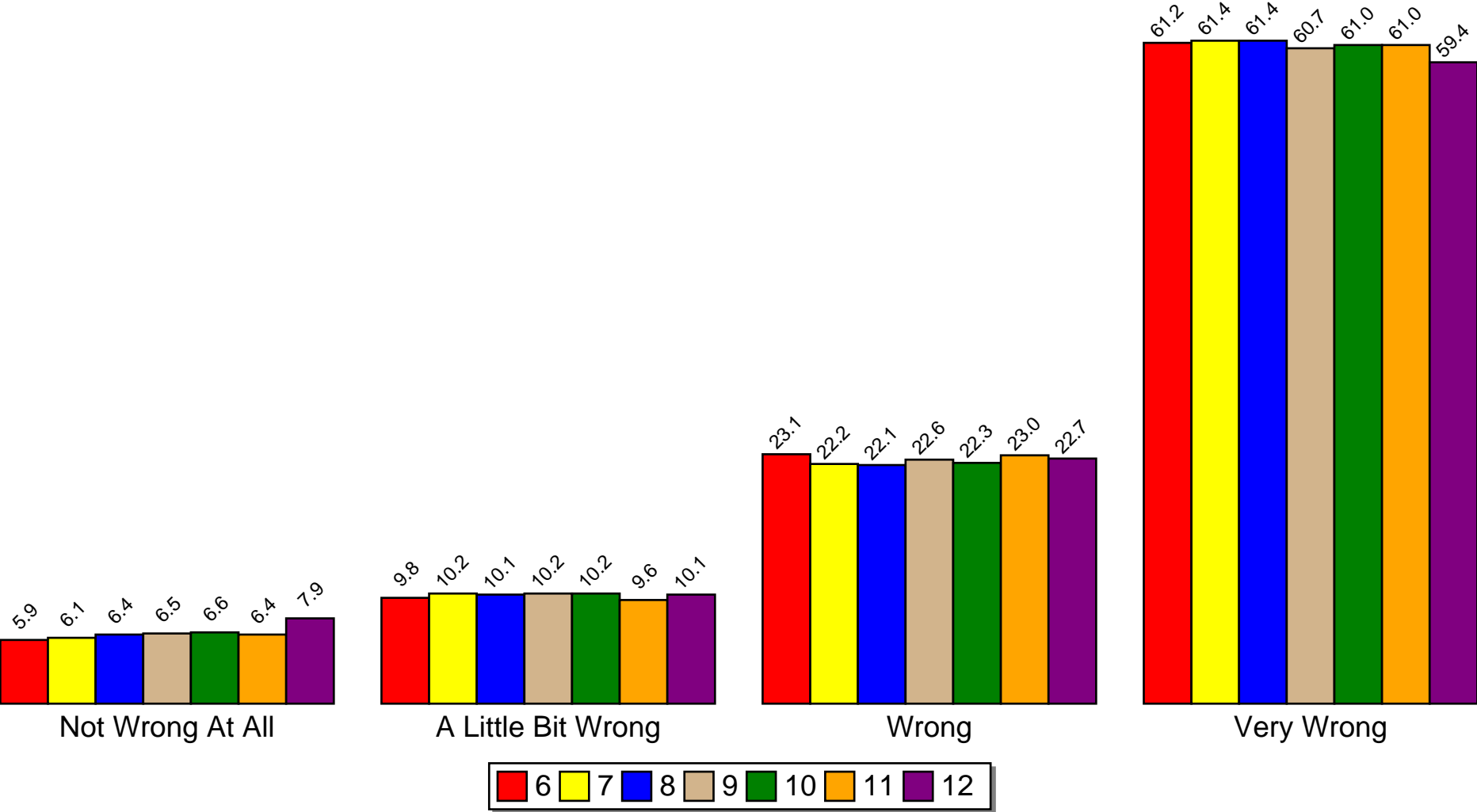
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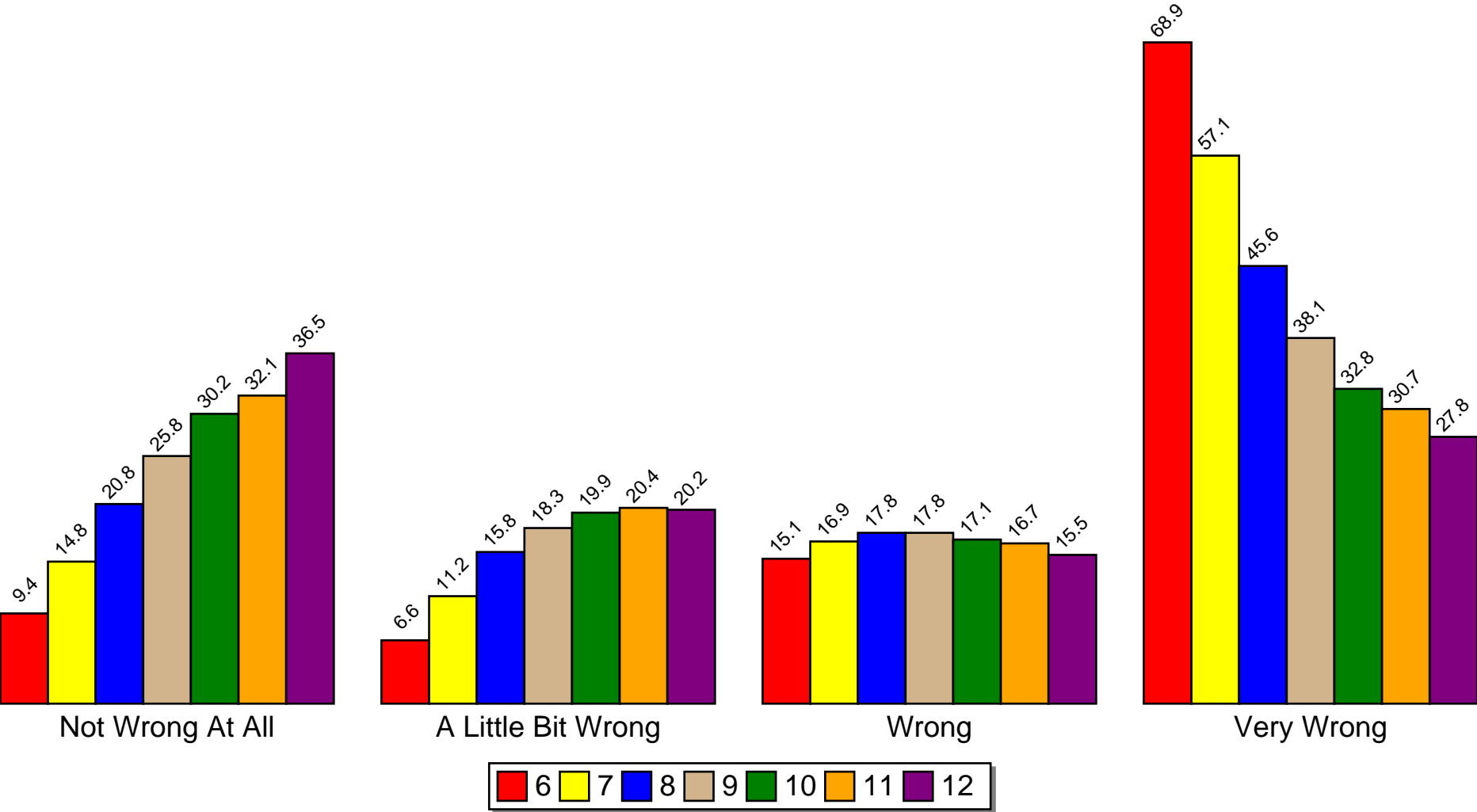
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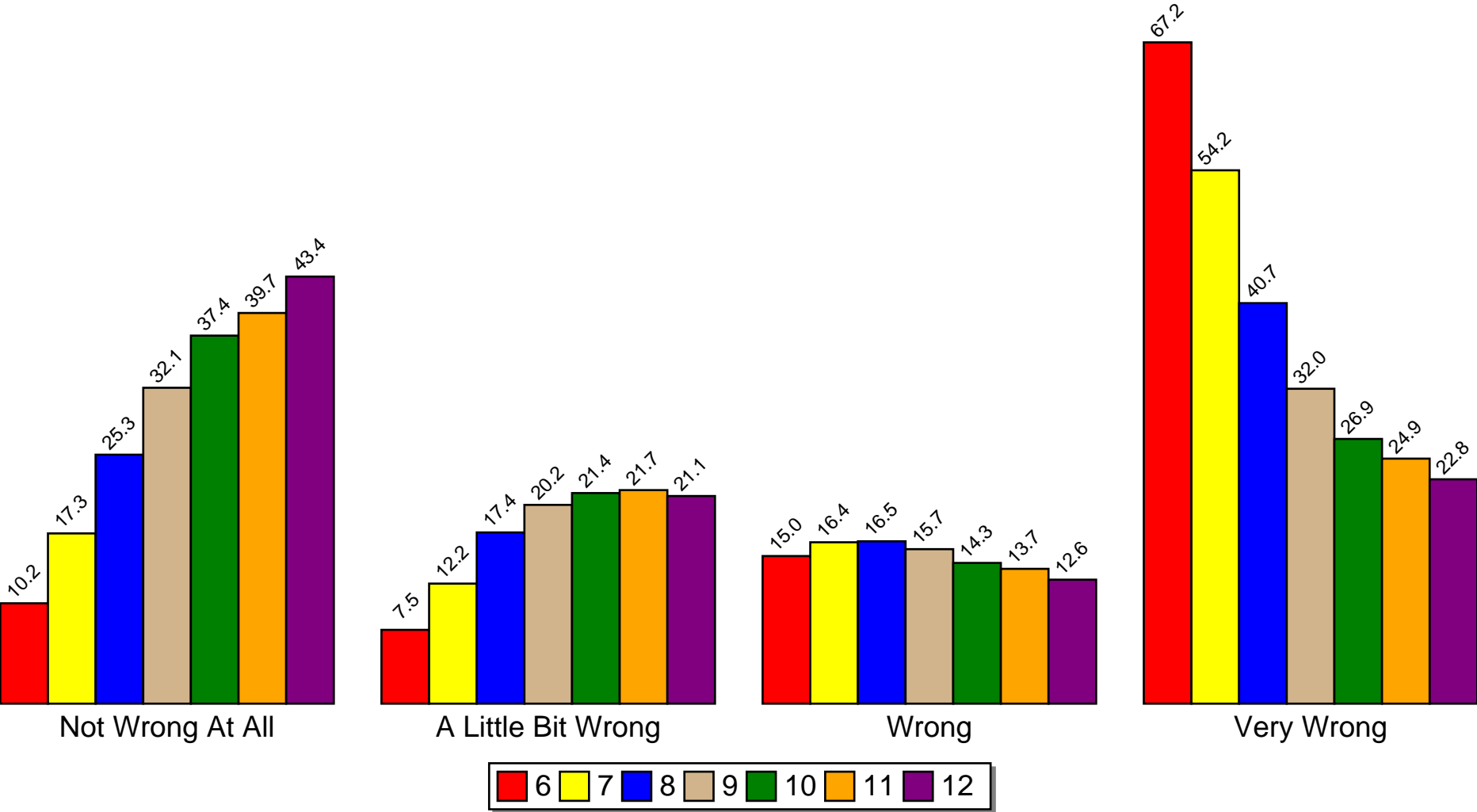
3.4 Perception of Friends’ Disapproval

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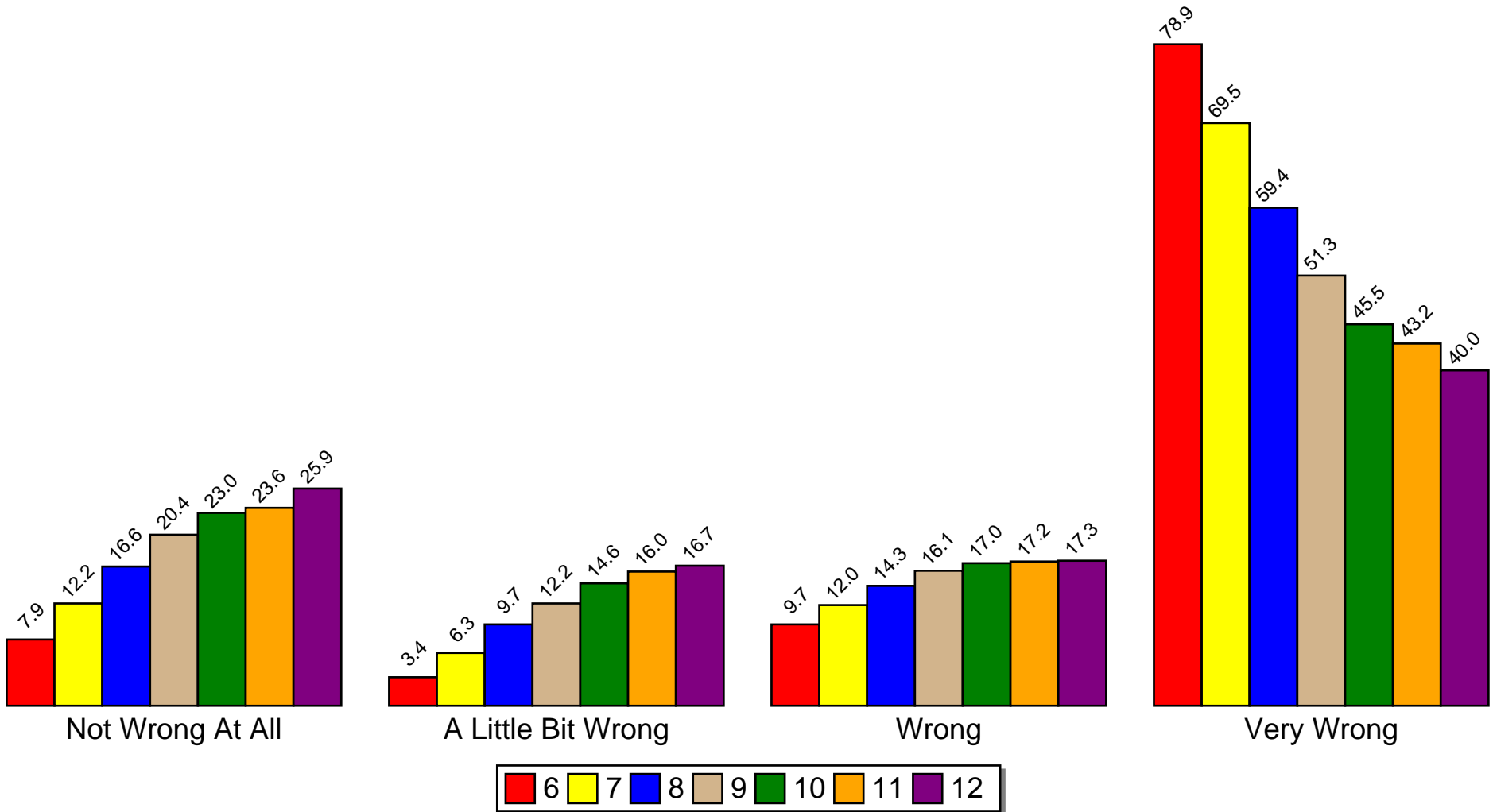
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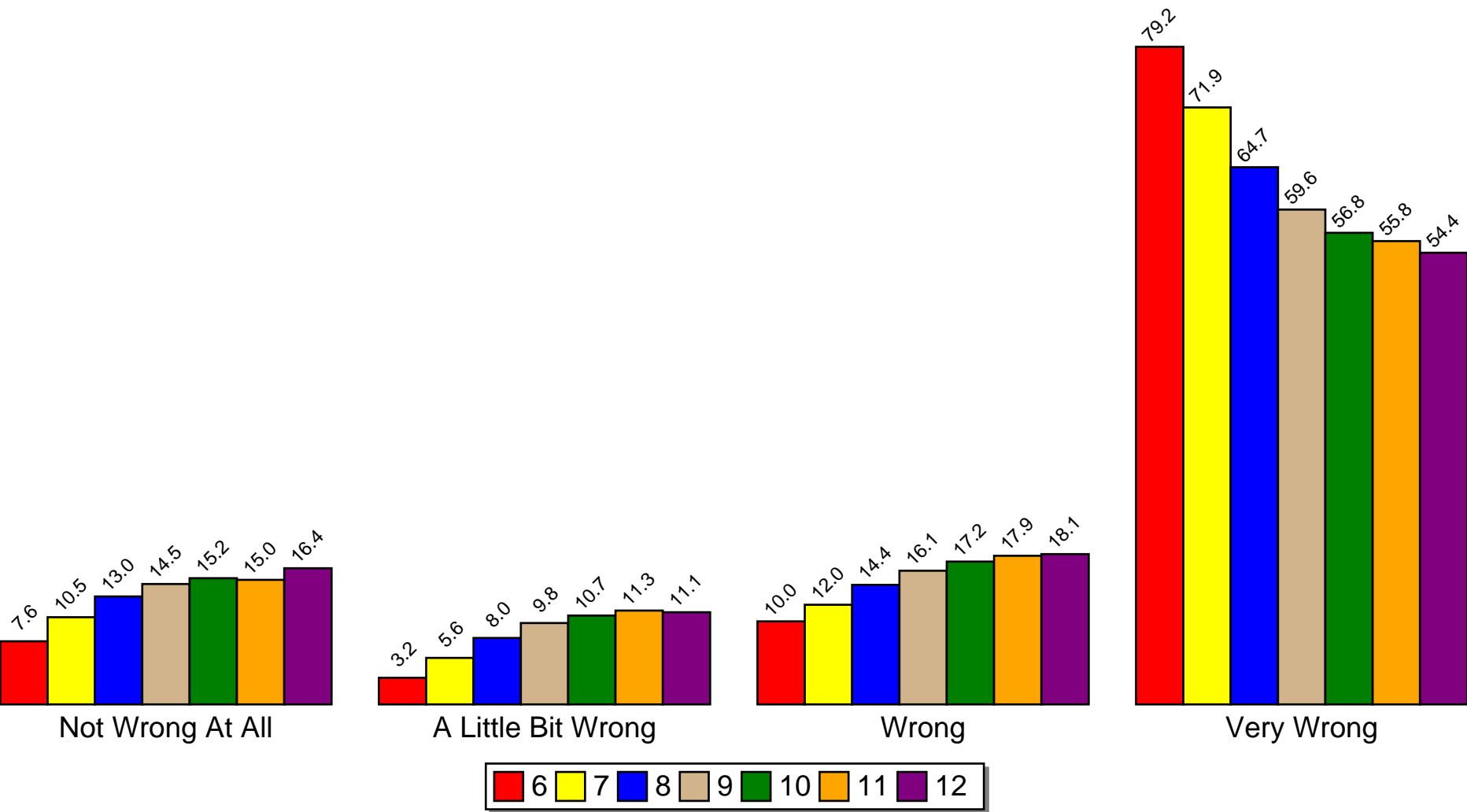
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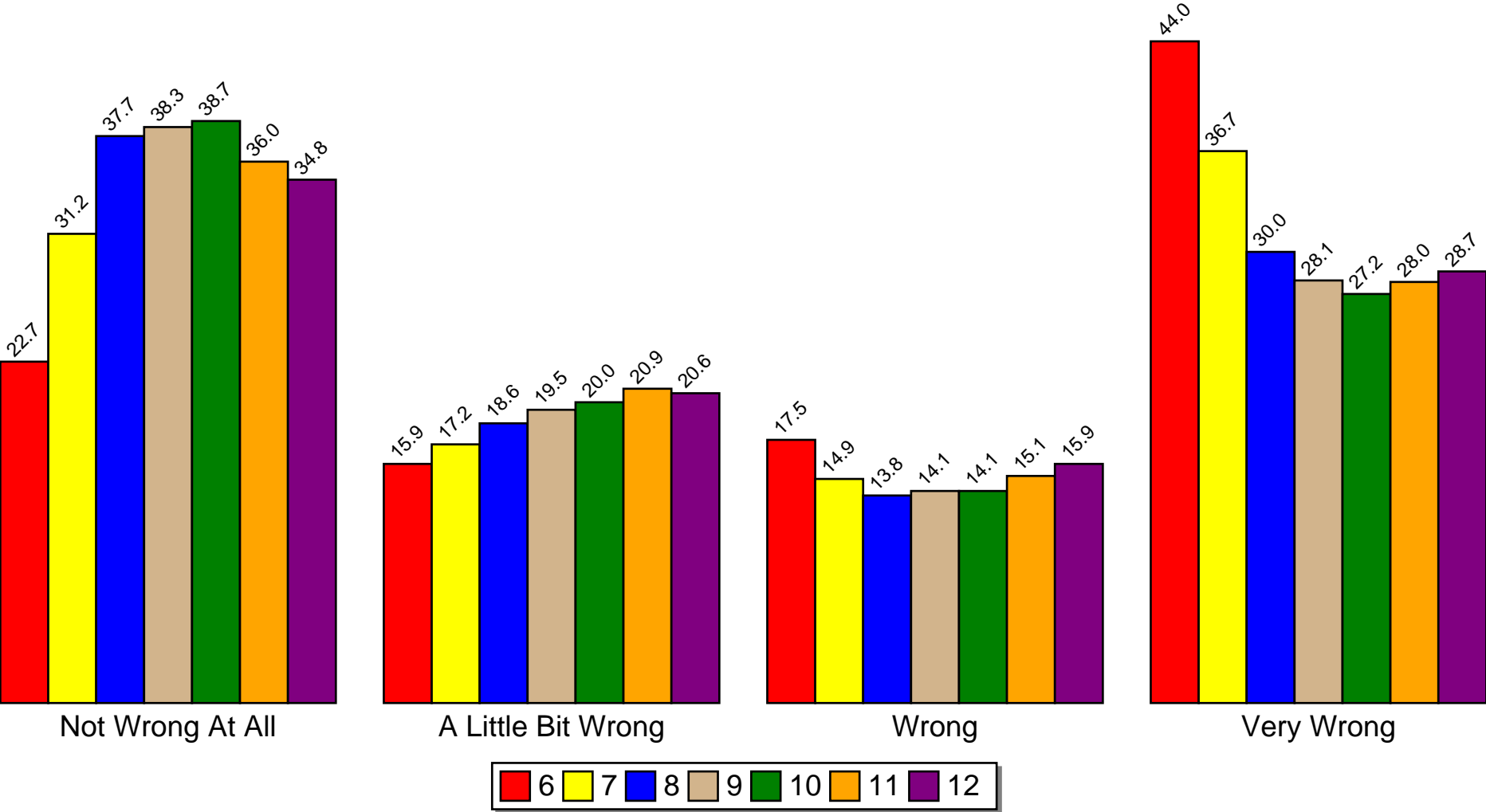
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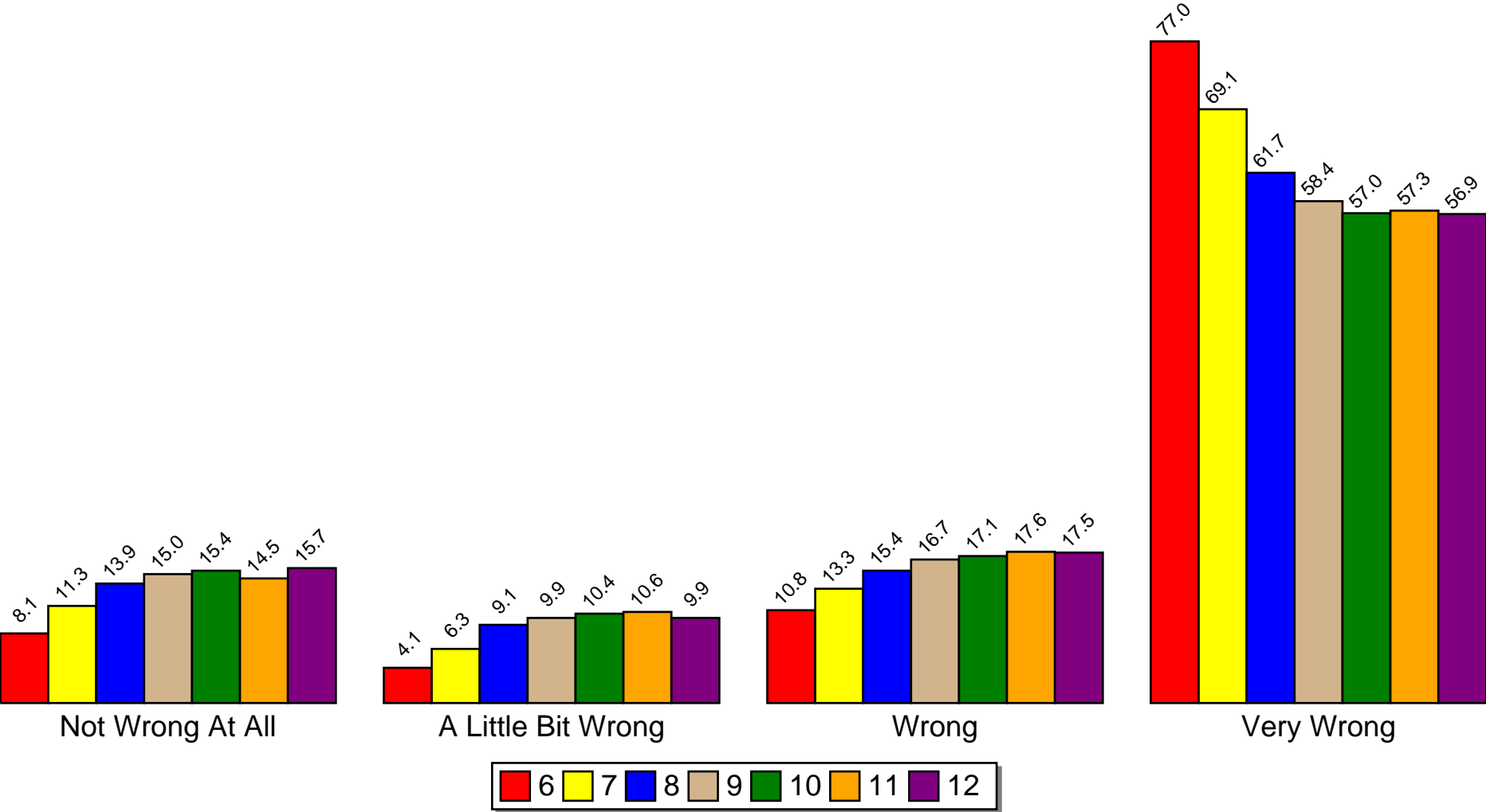
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Perception of Friends' Disapproval -- Fight With A Student



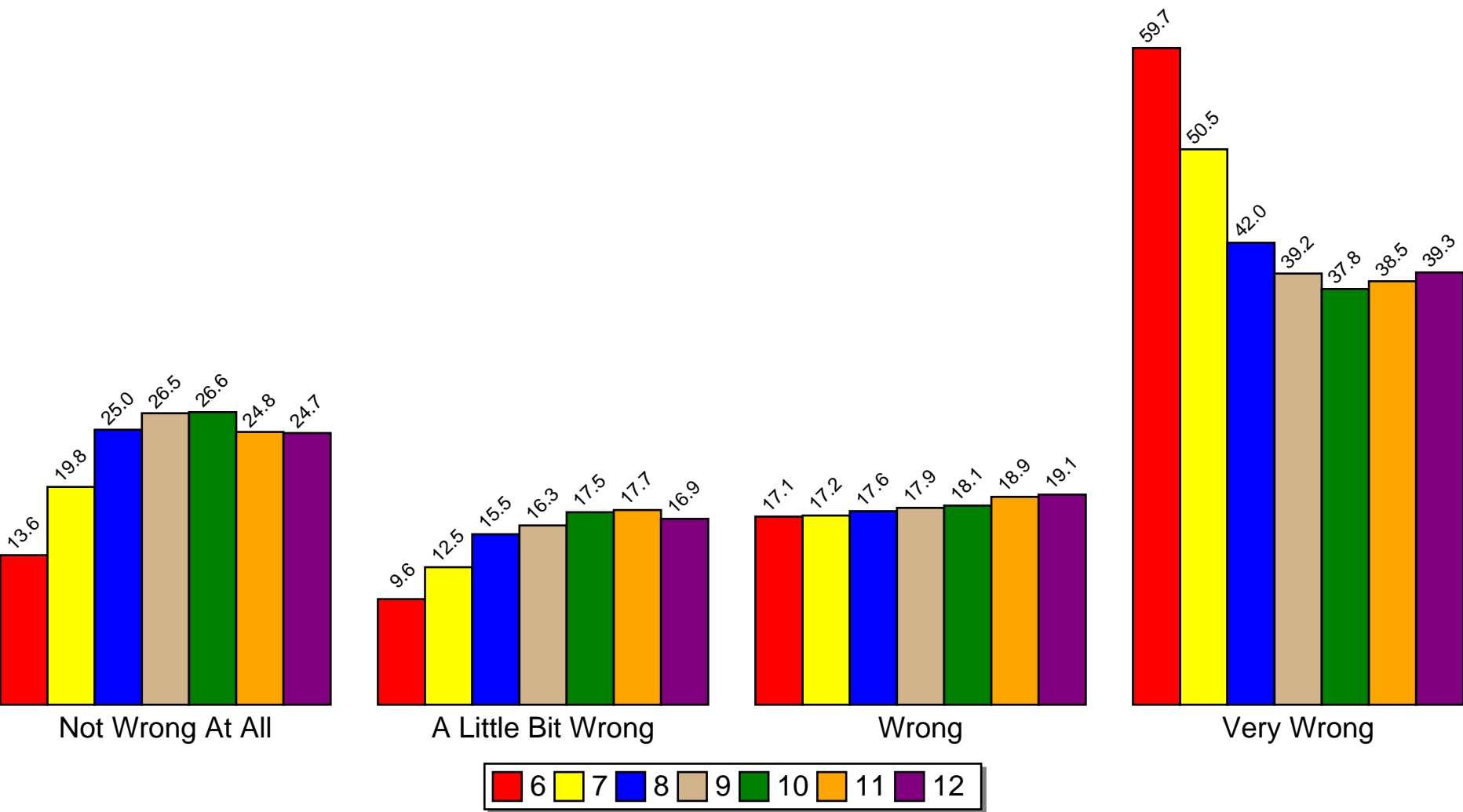
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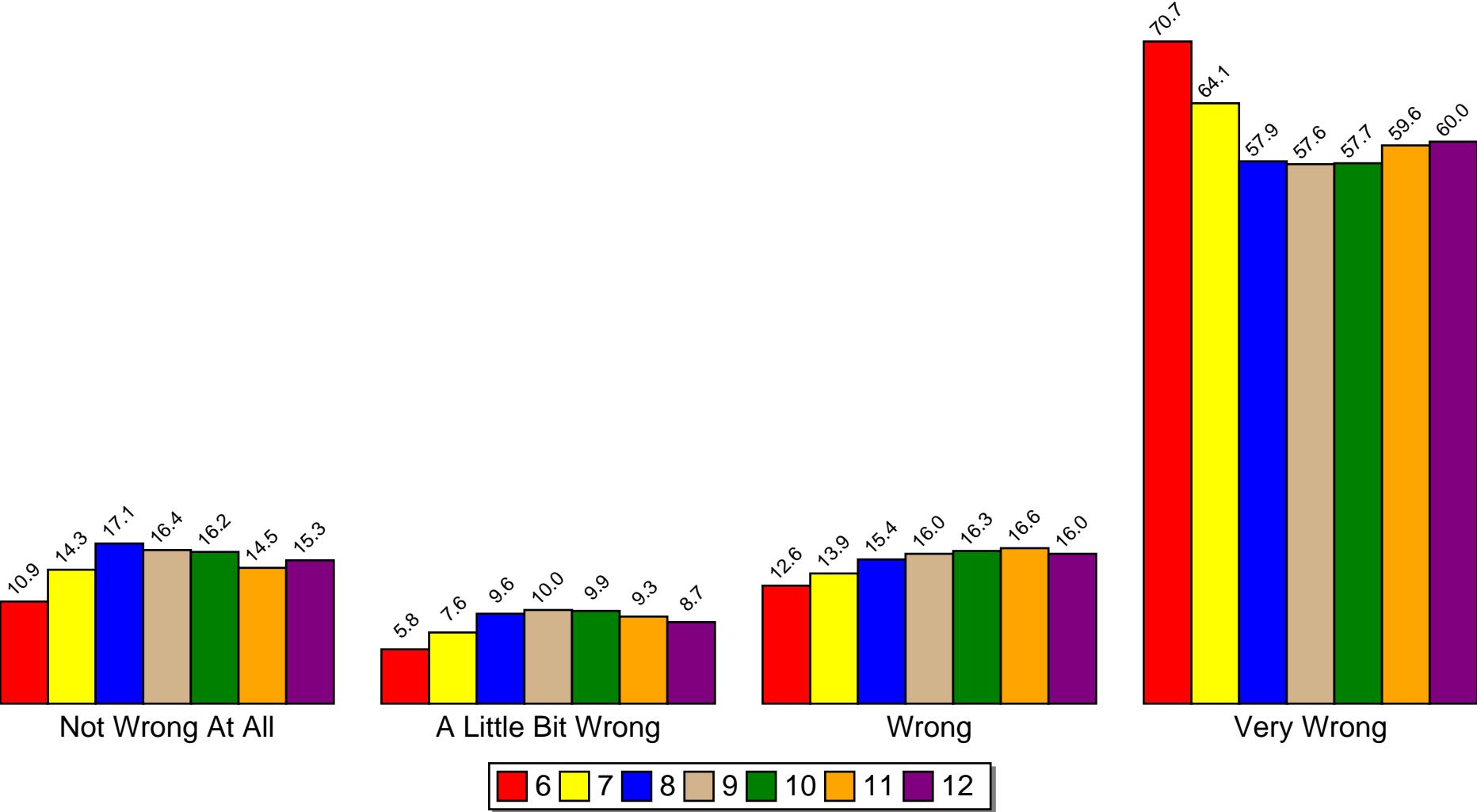
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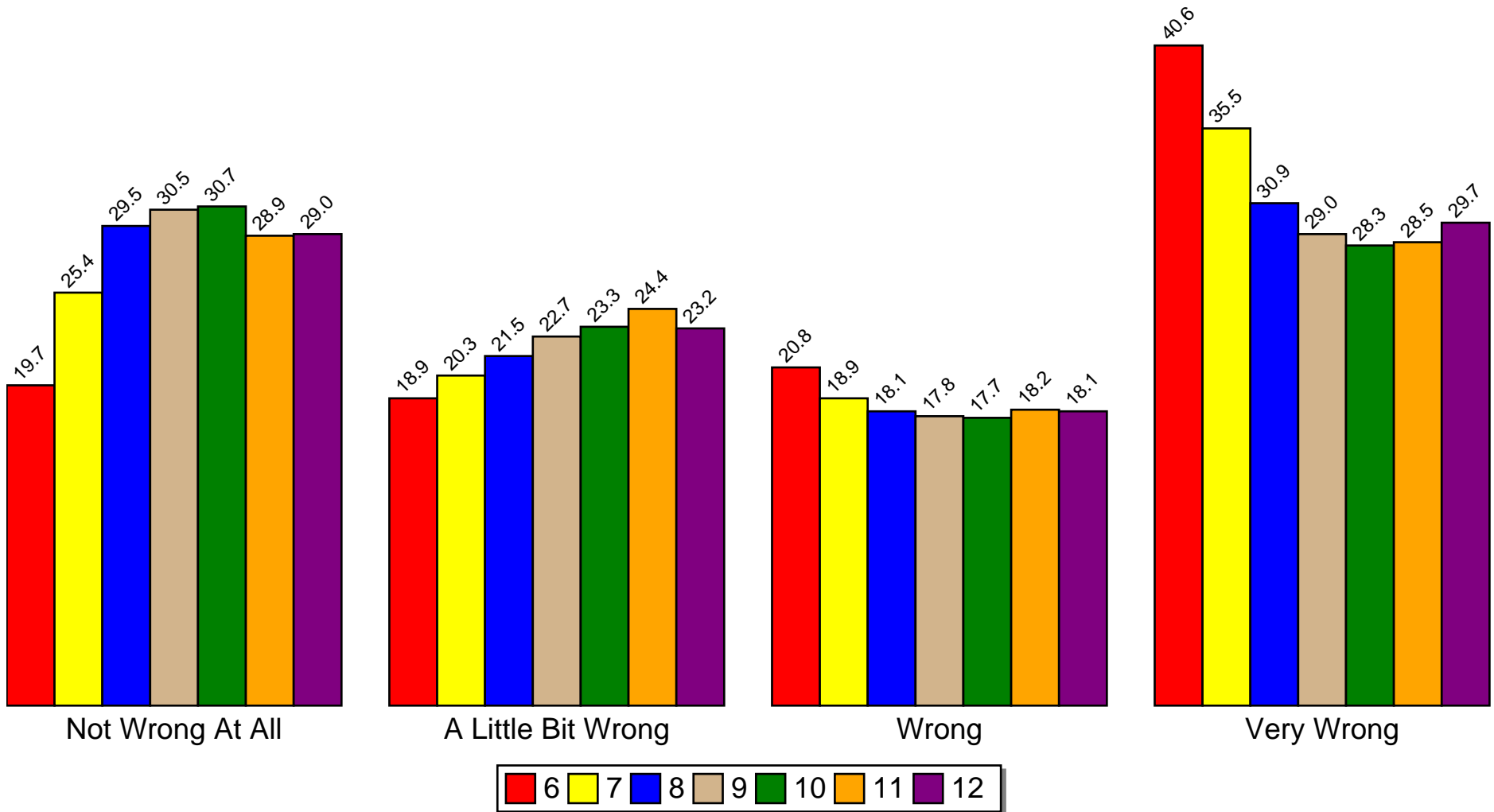
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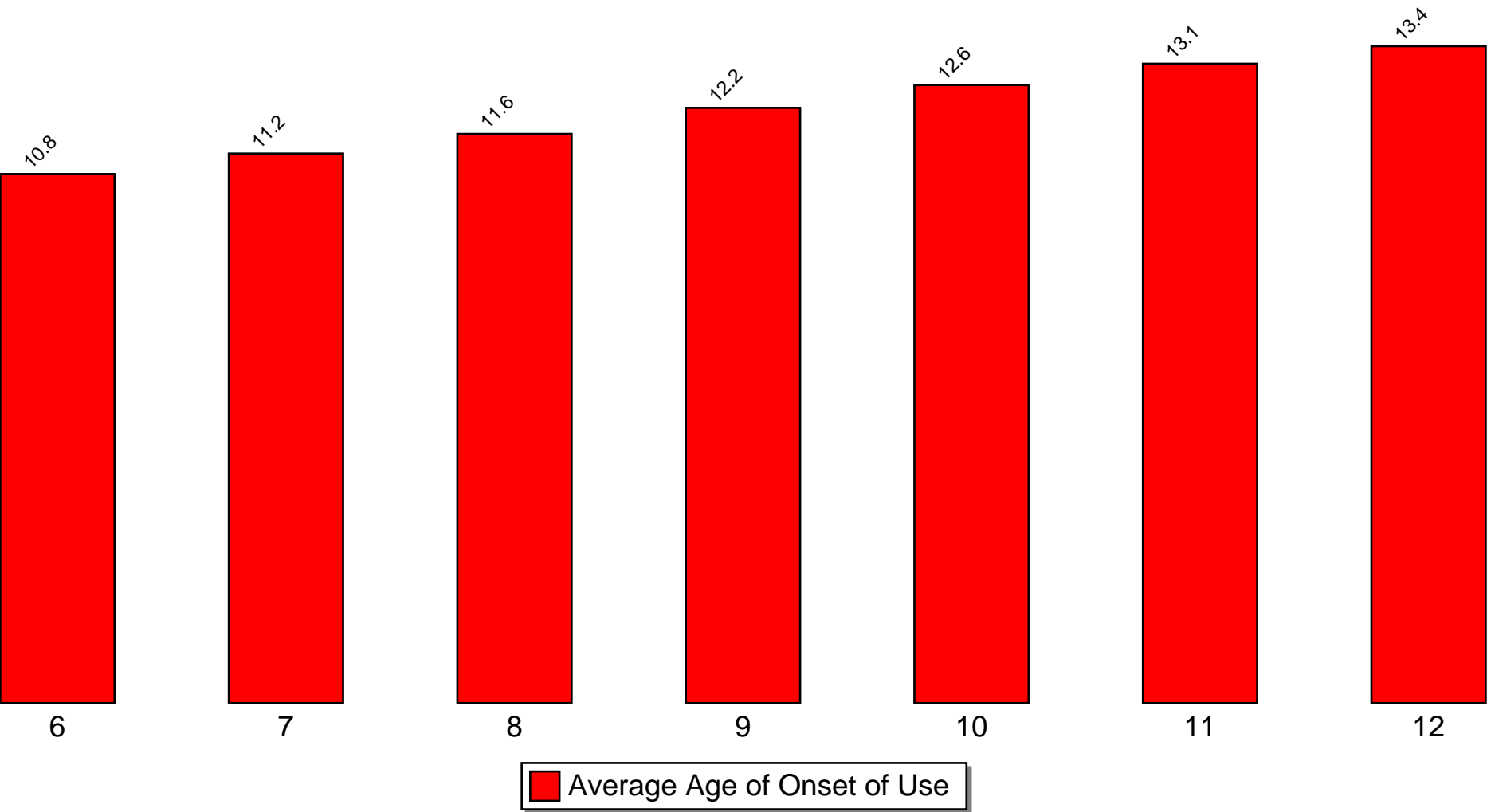
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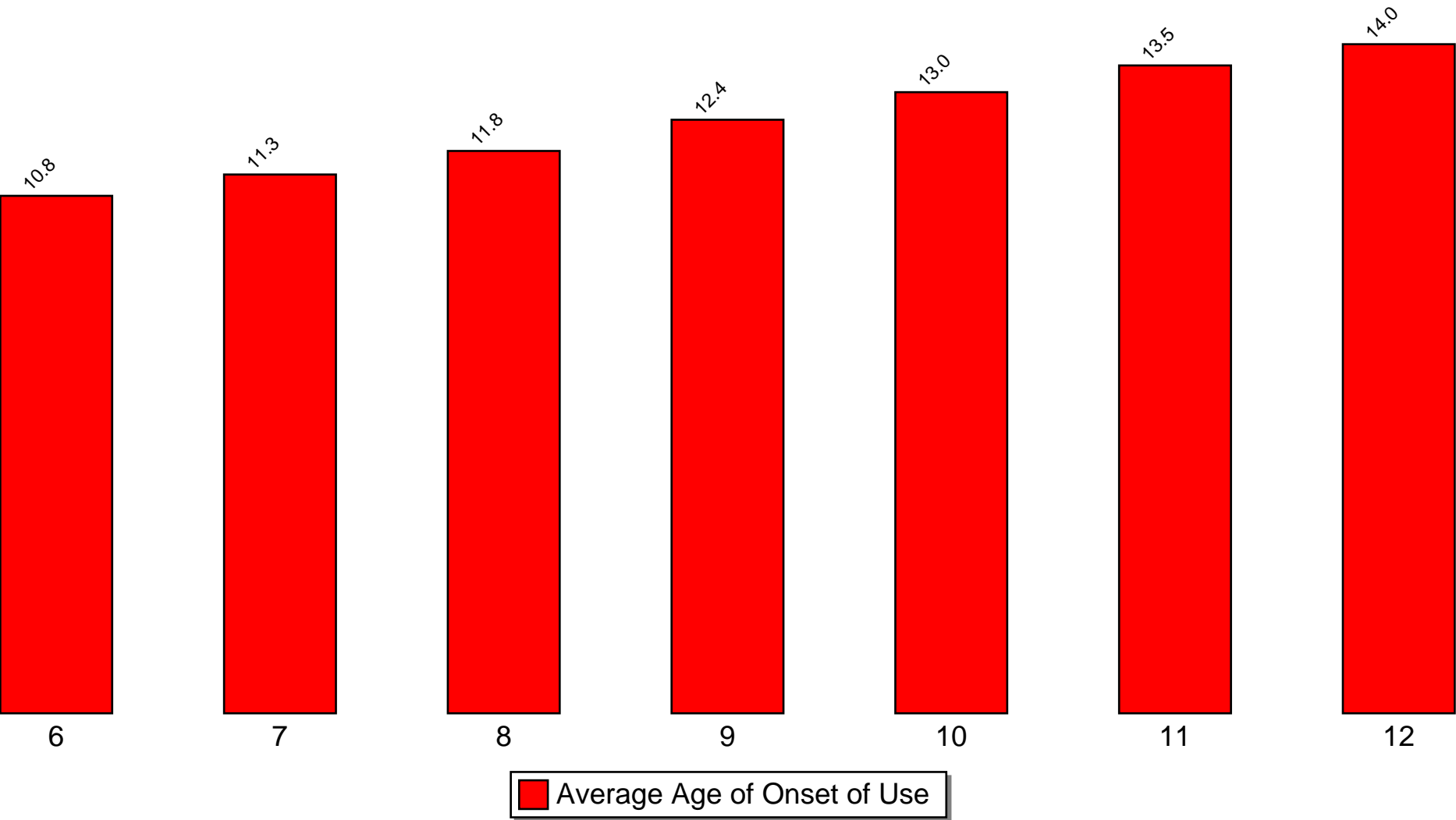
3.5 Average Age of Onset of Use

Average Age of Onset of Use of Any Tobacco



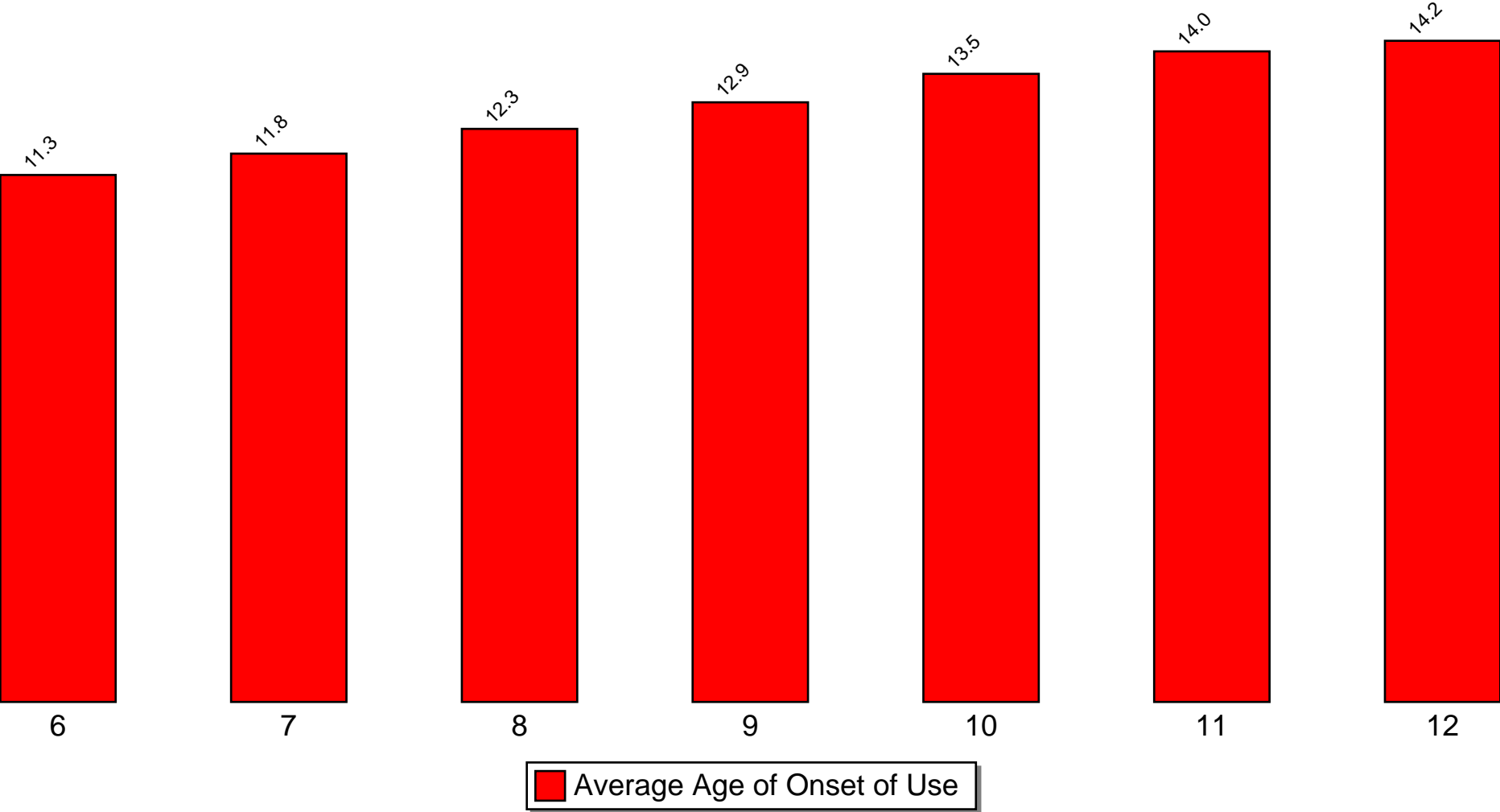
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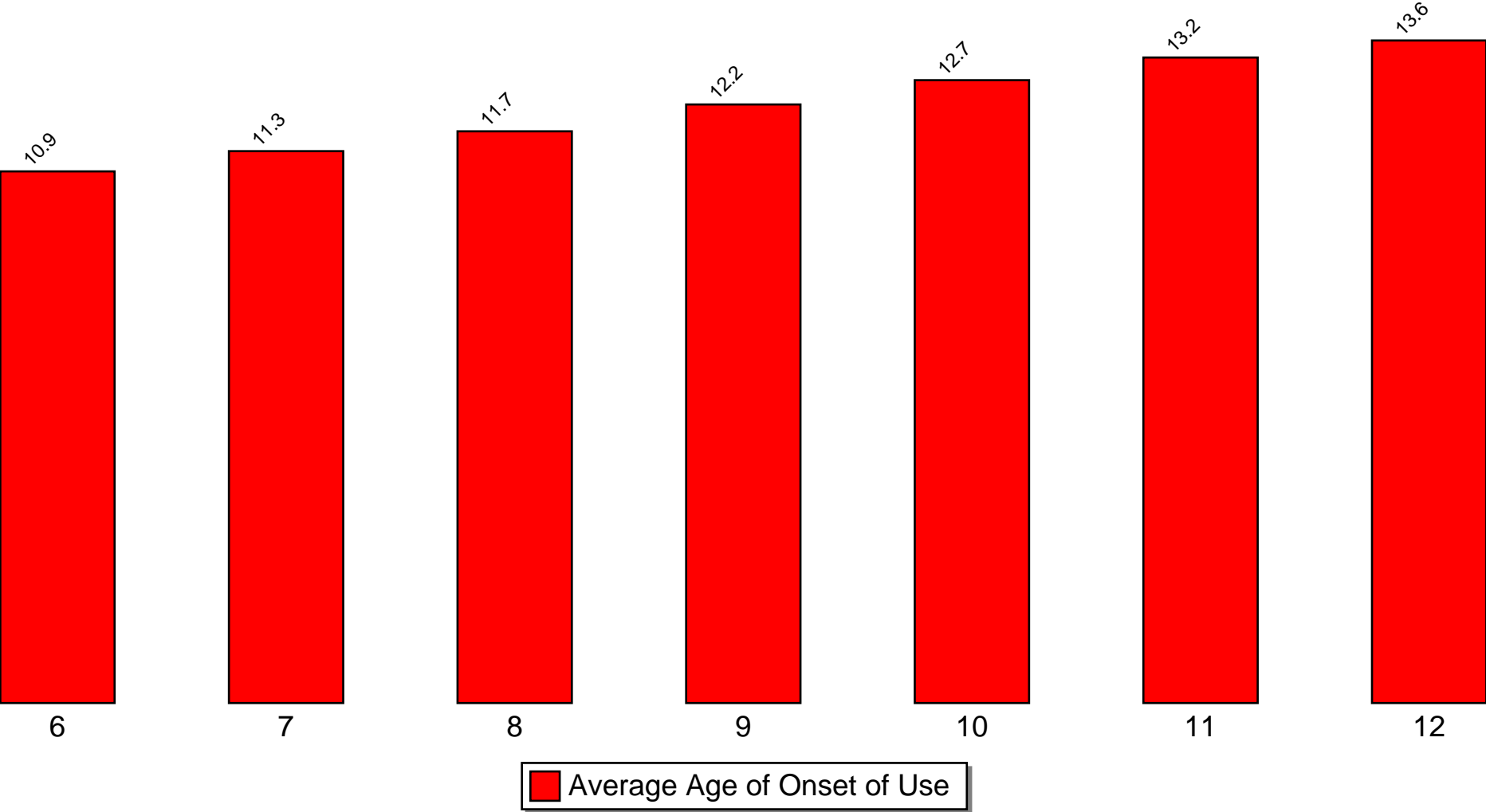
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Average Age of Onset of Use of Any Illicit Drug



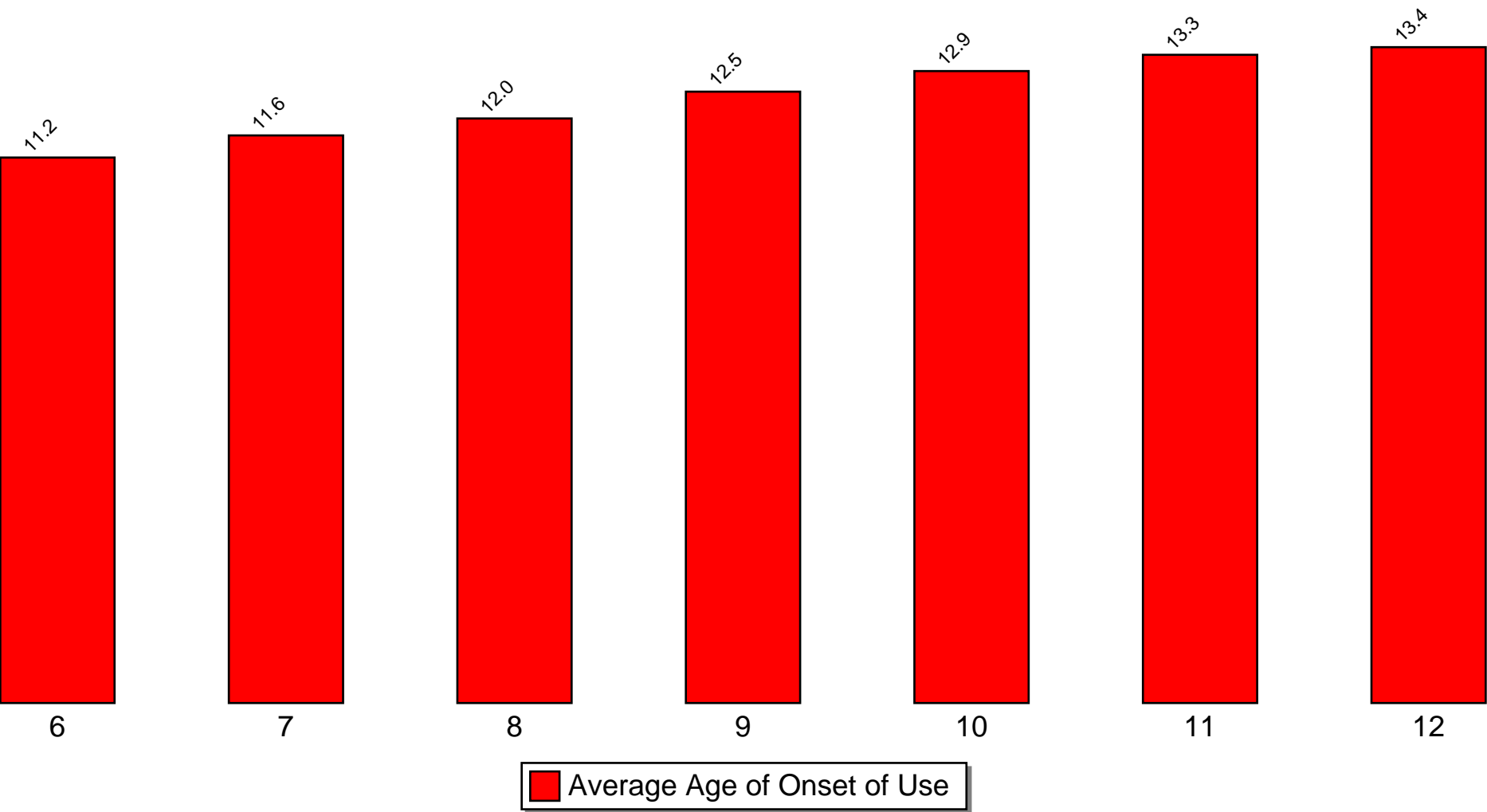
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Average Age of Onset of Use of Cigarettes



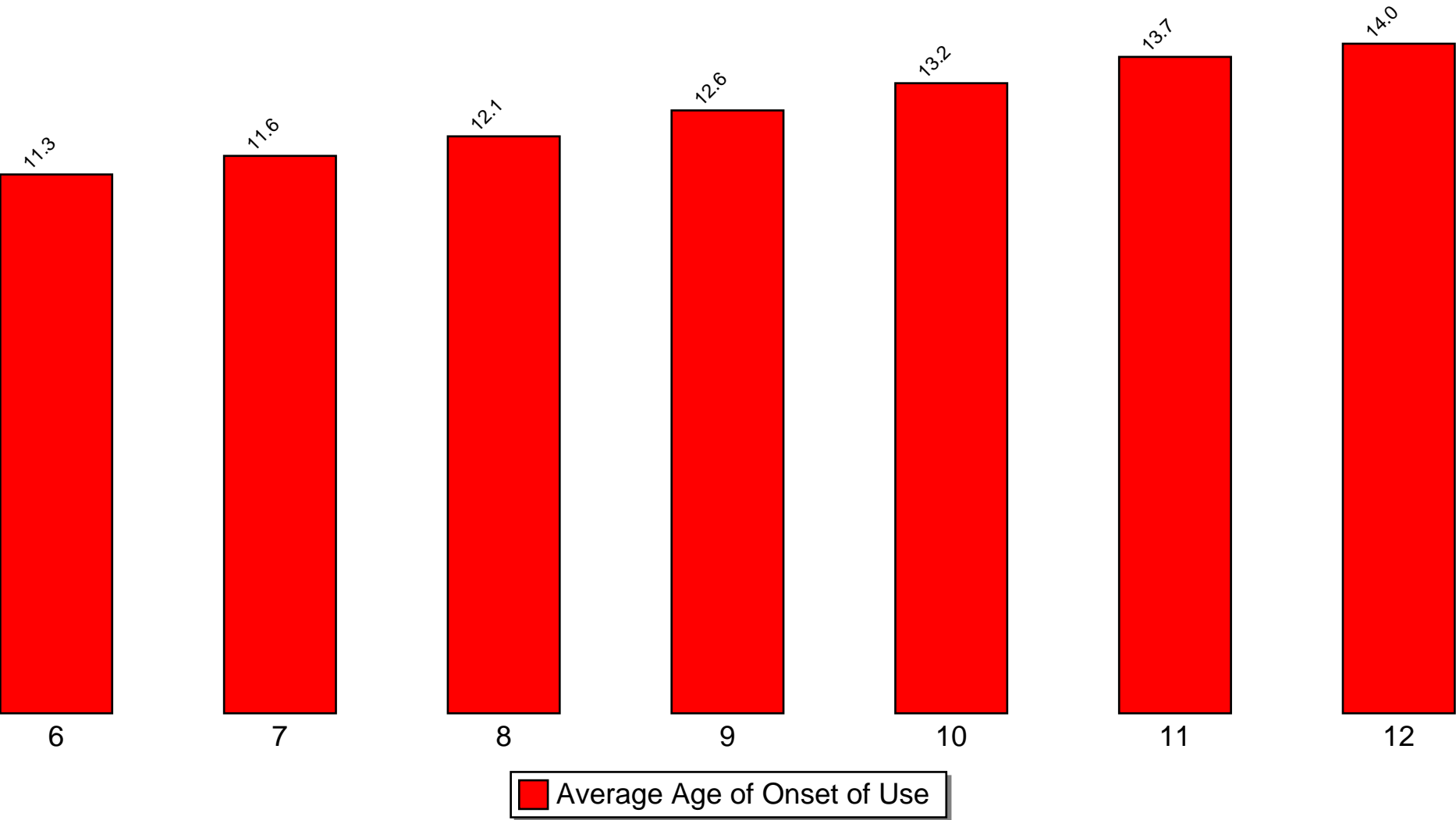
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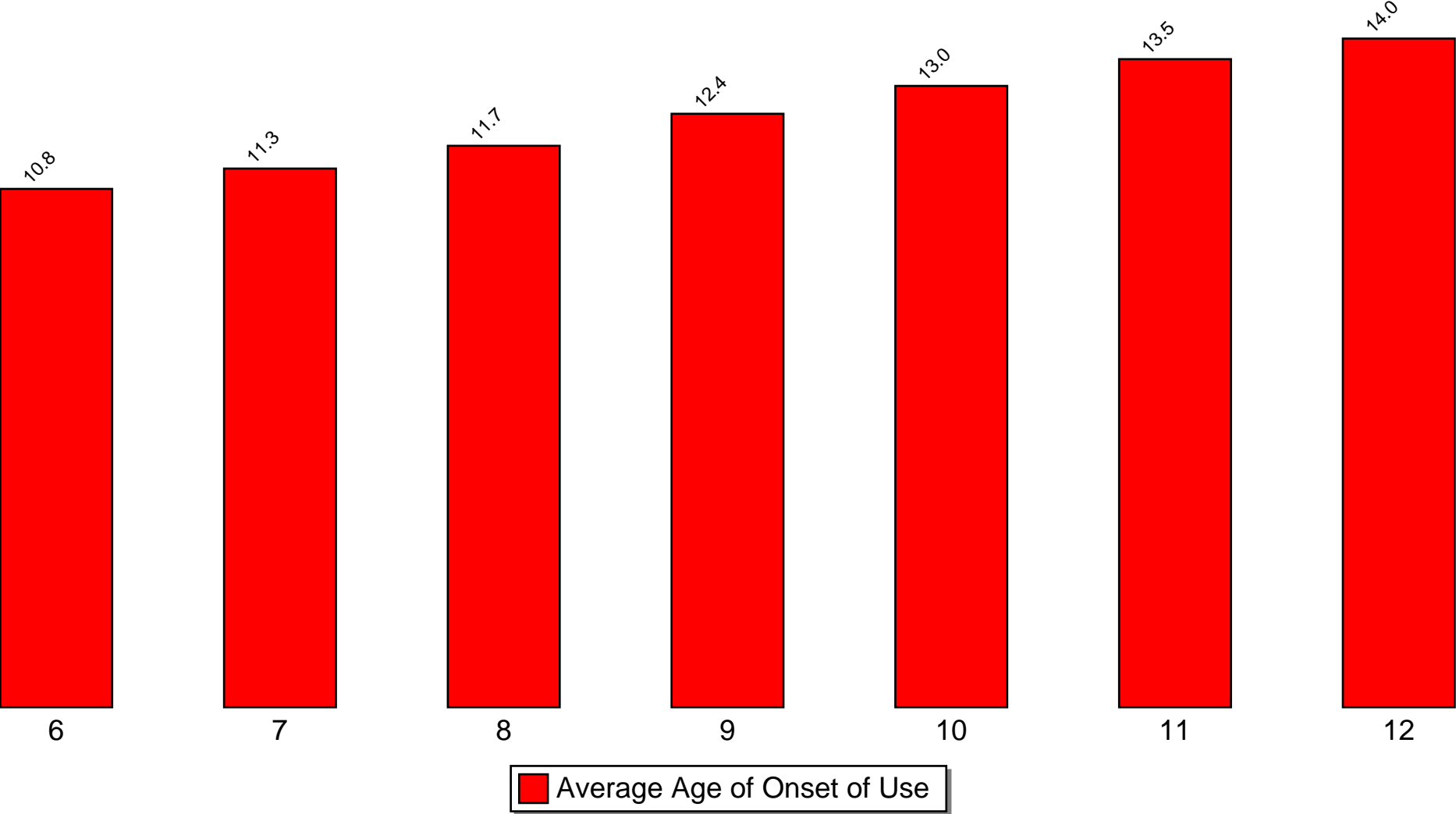
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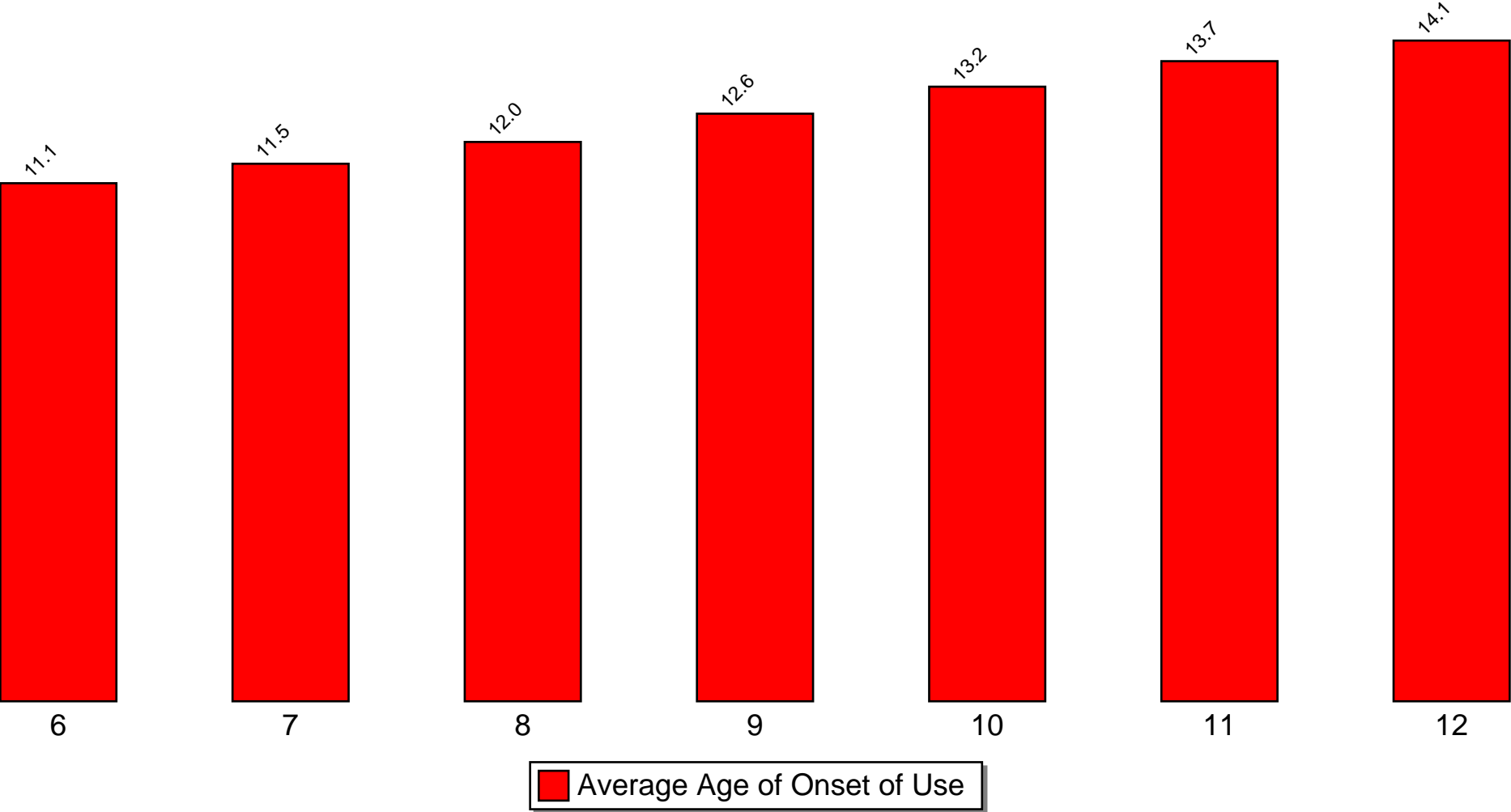
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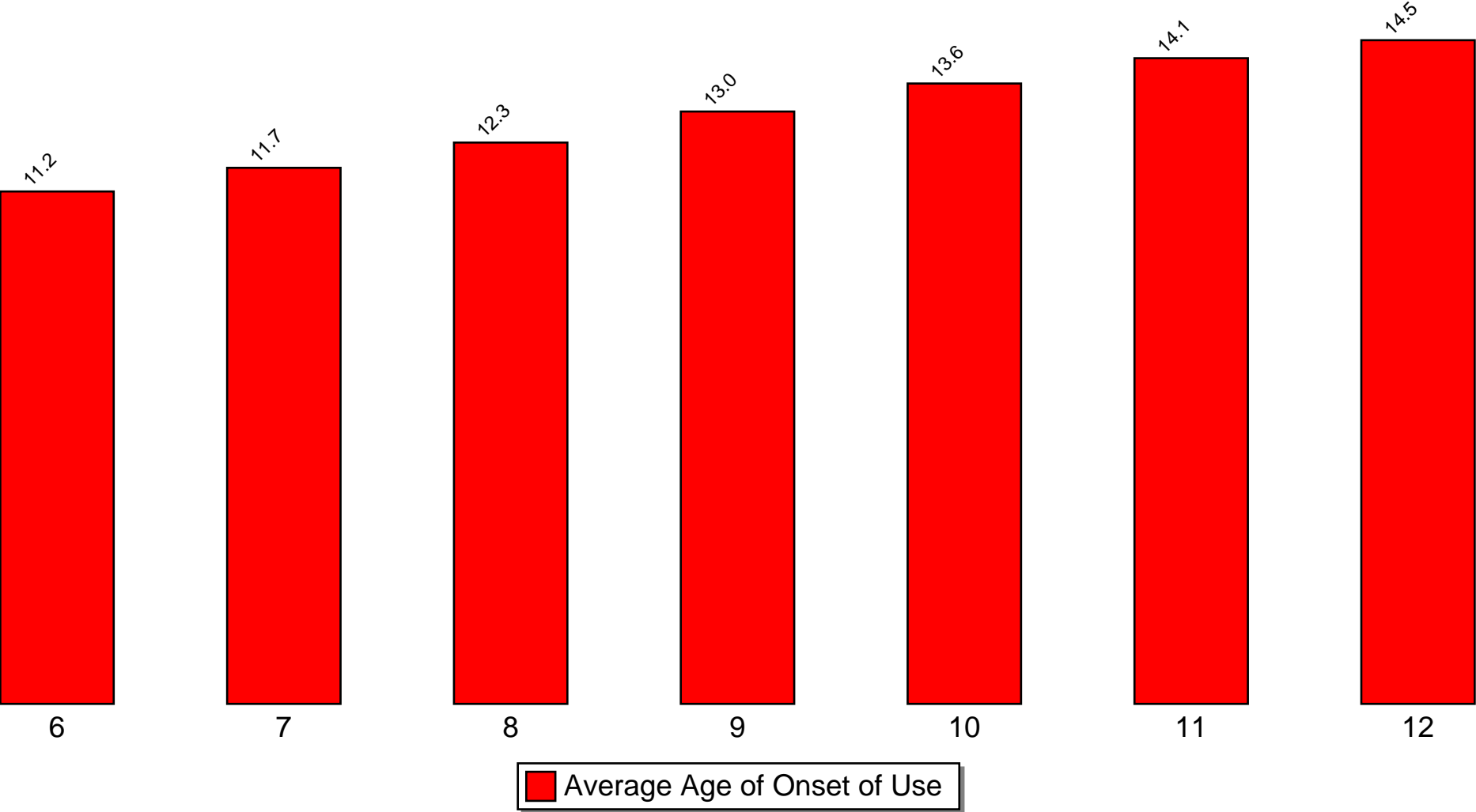
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Average Age of Onset of Use of Coolers, Breezers, etc.



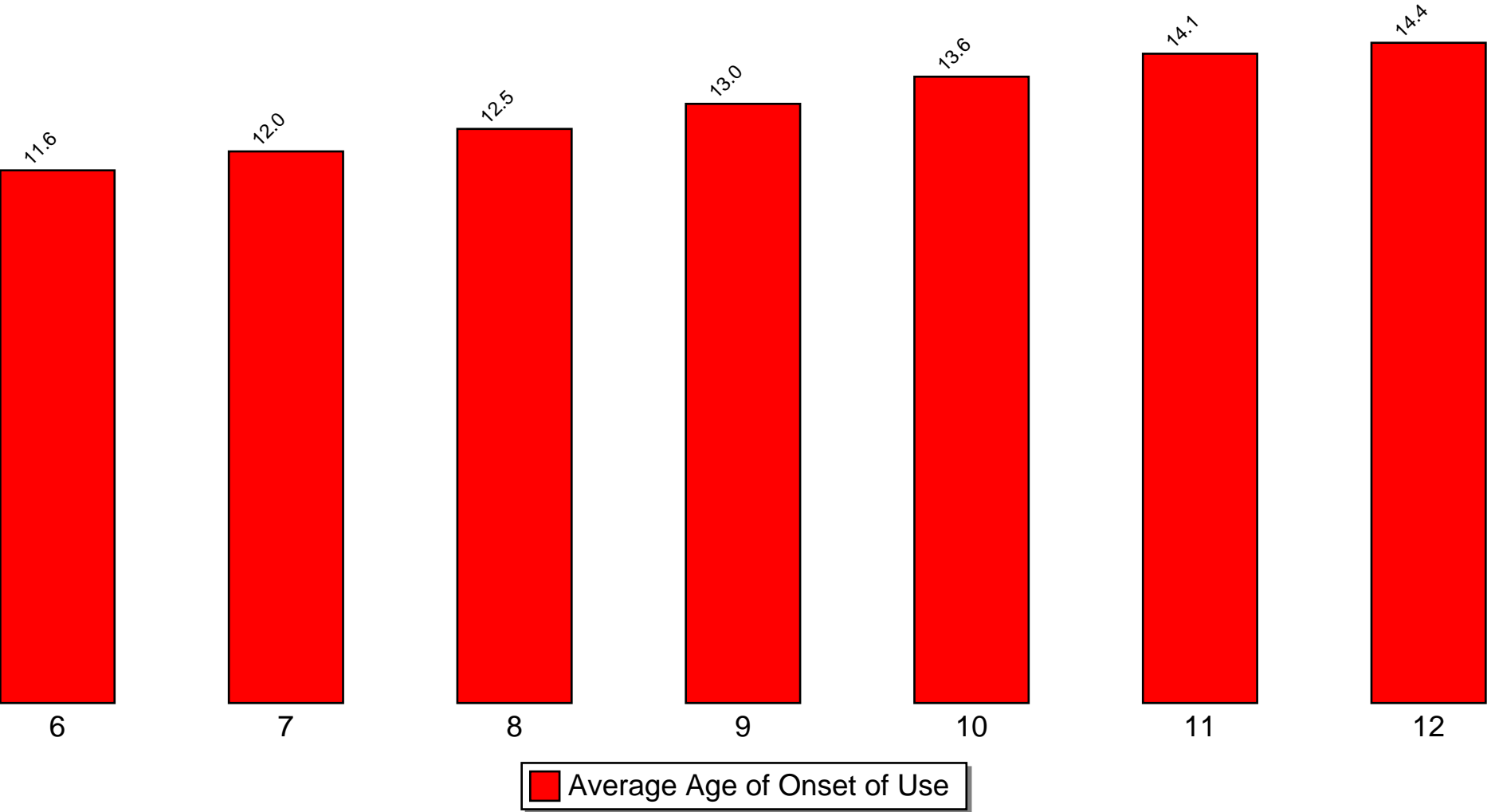
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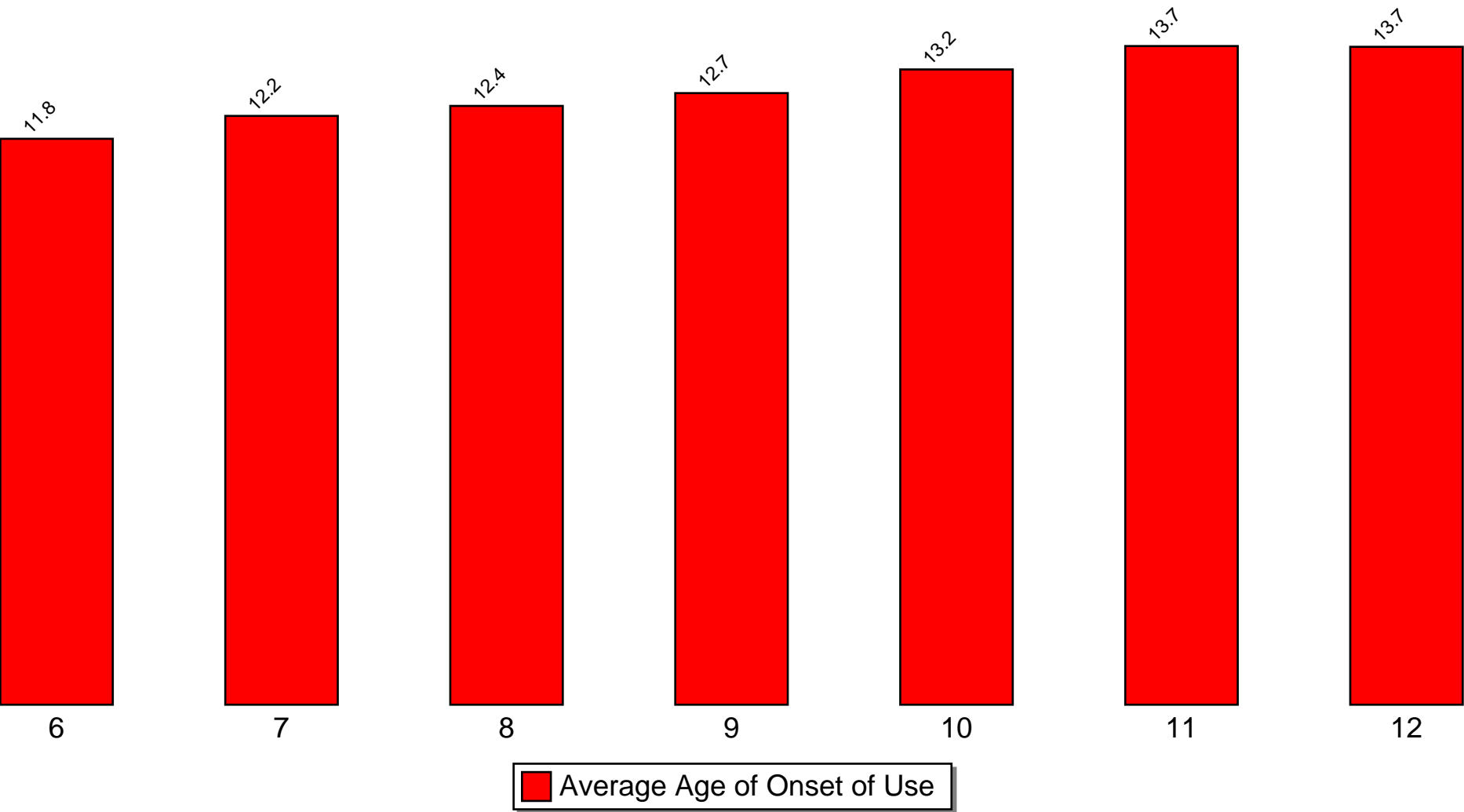
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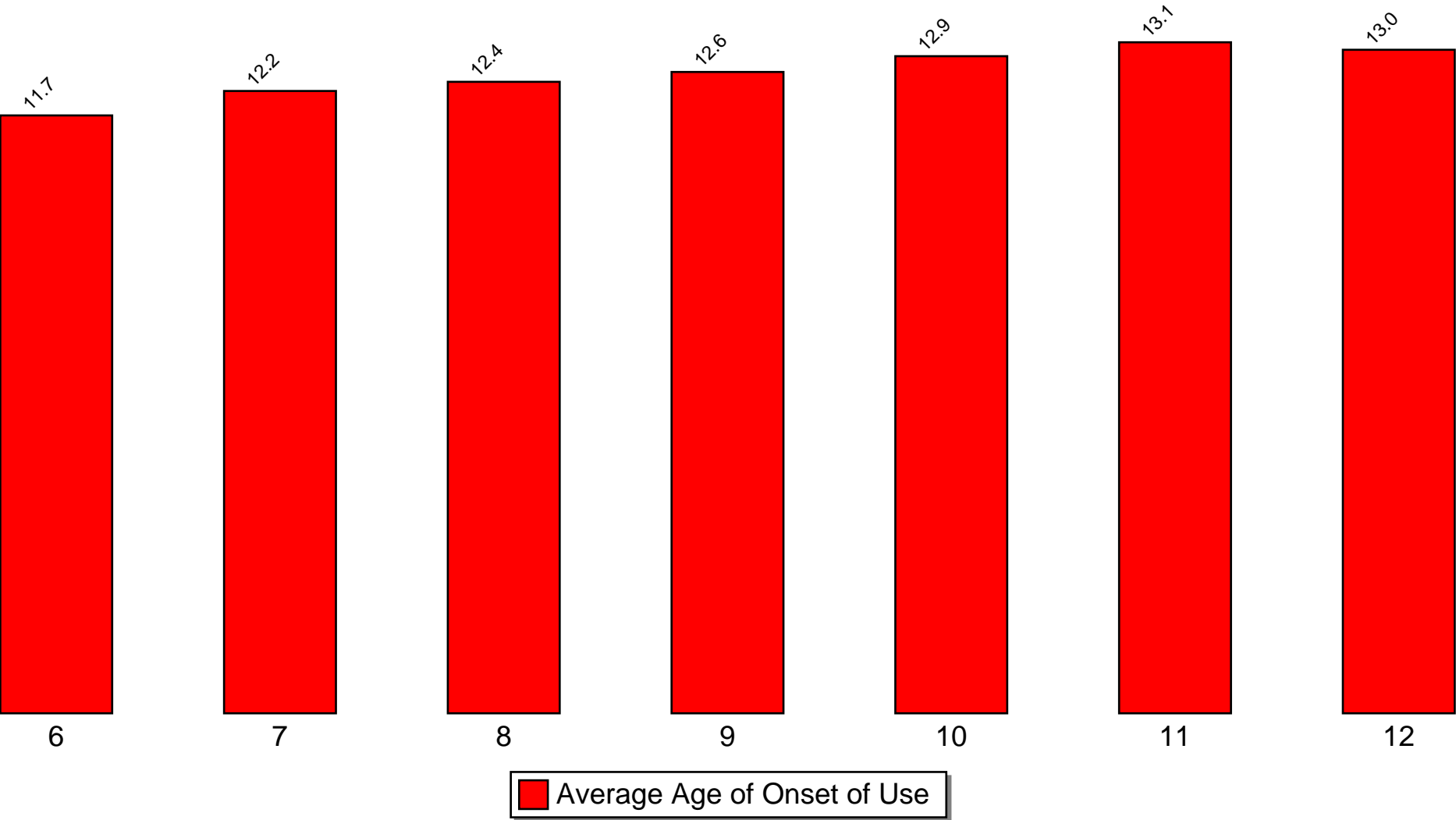
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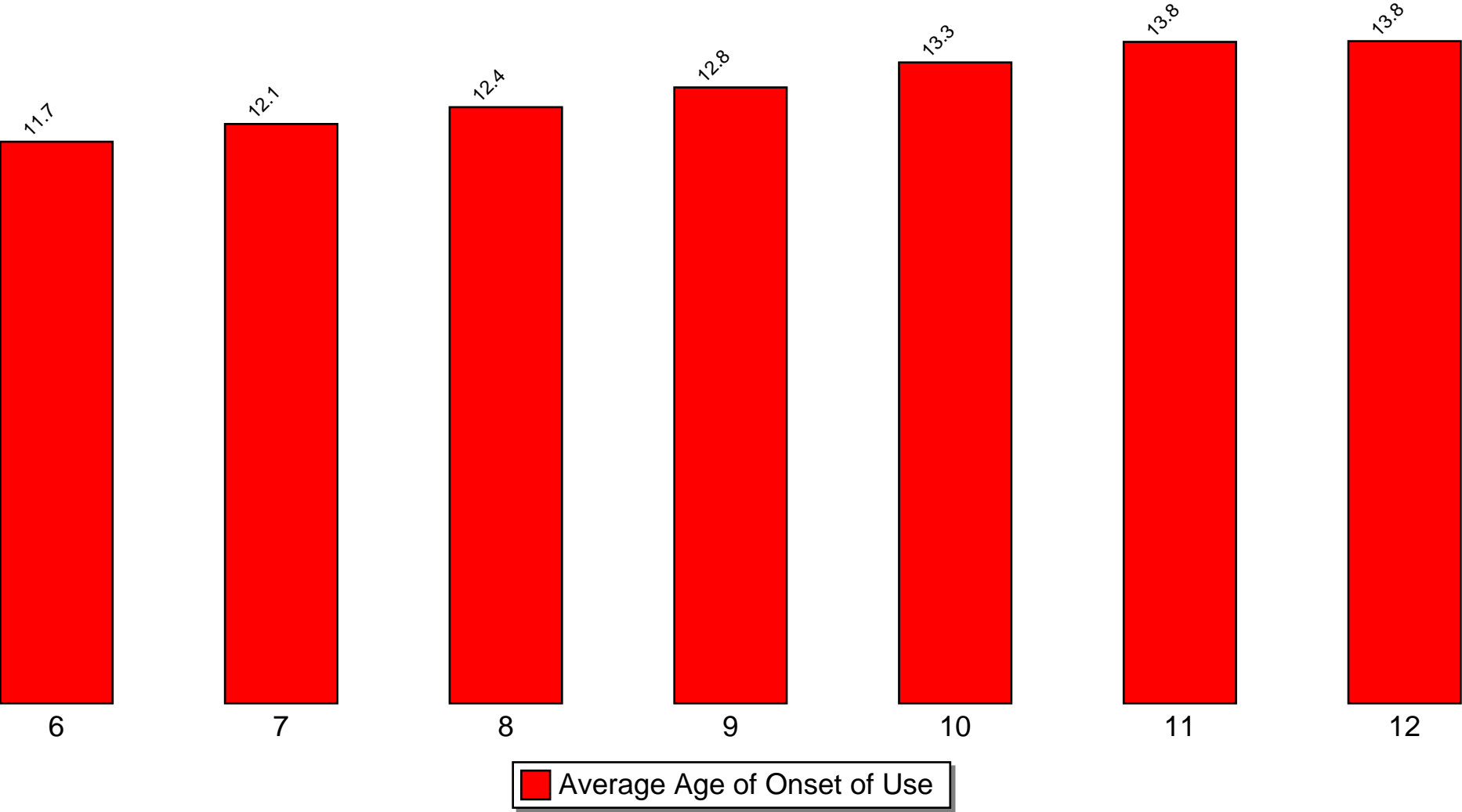
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Average Age of Onset of Use of Meth



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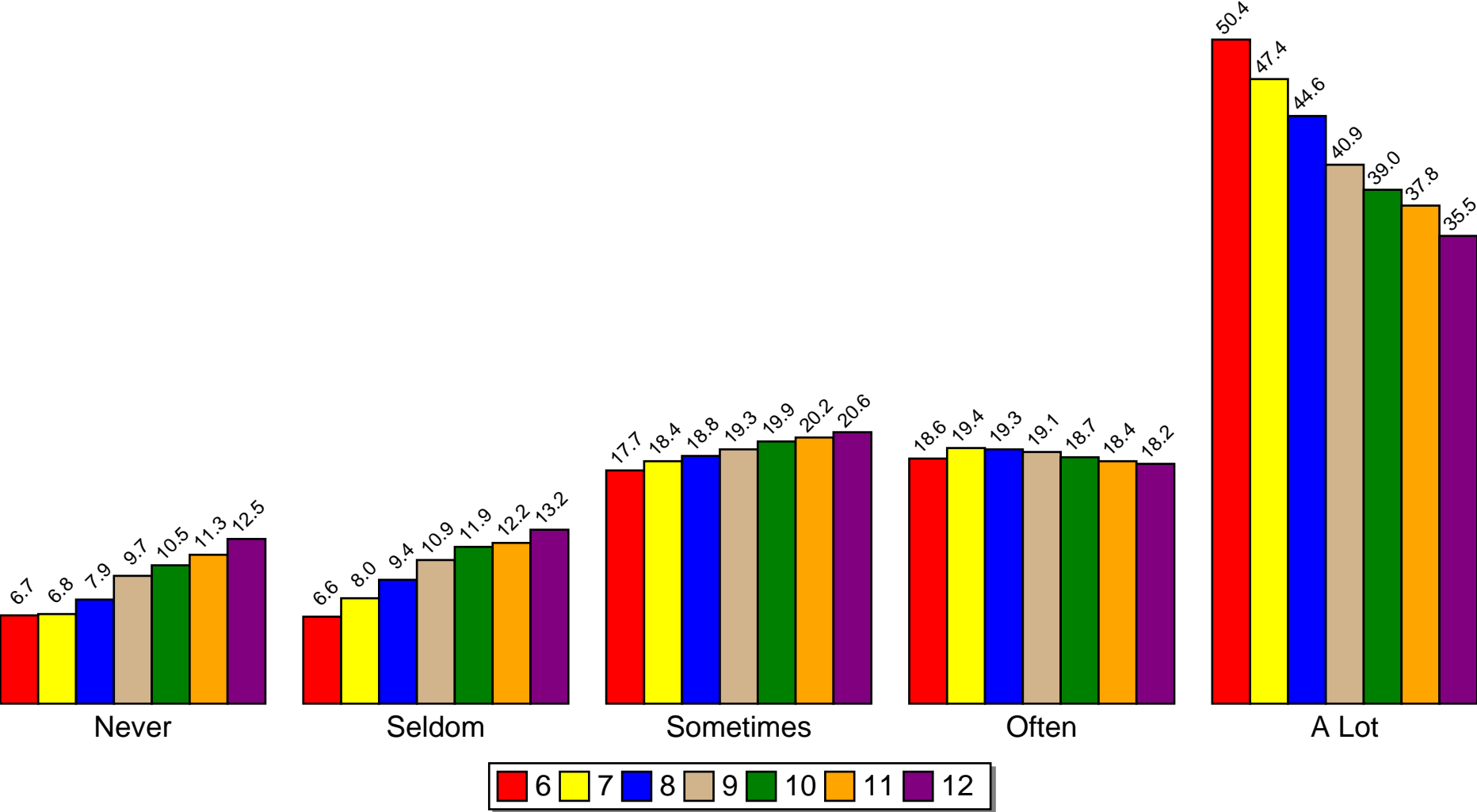
Average Age of Onset of Use of Other Illegal Drugs



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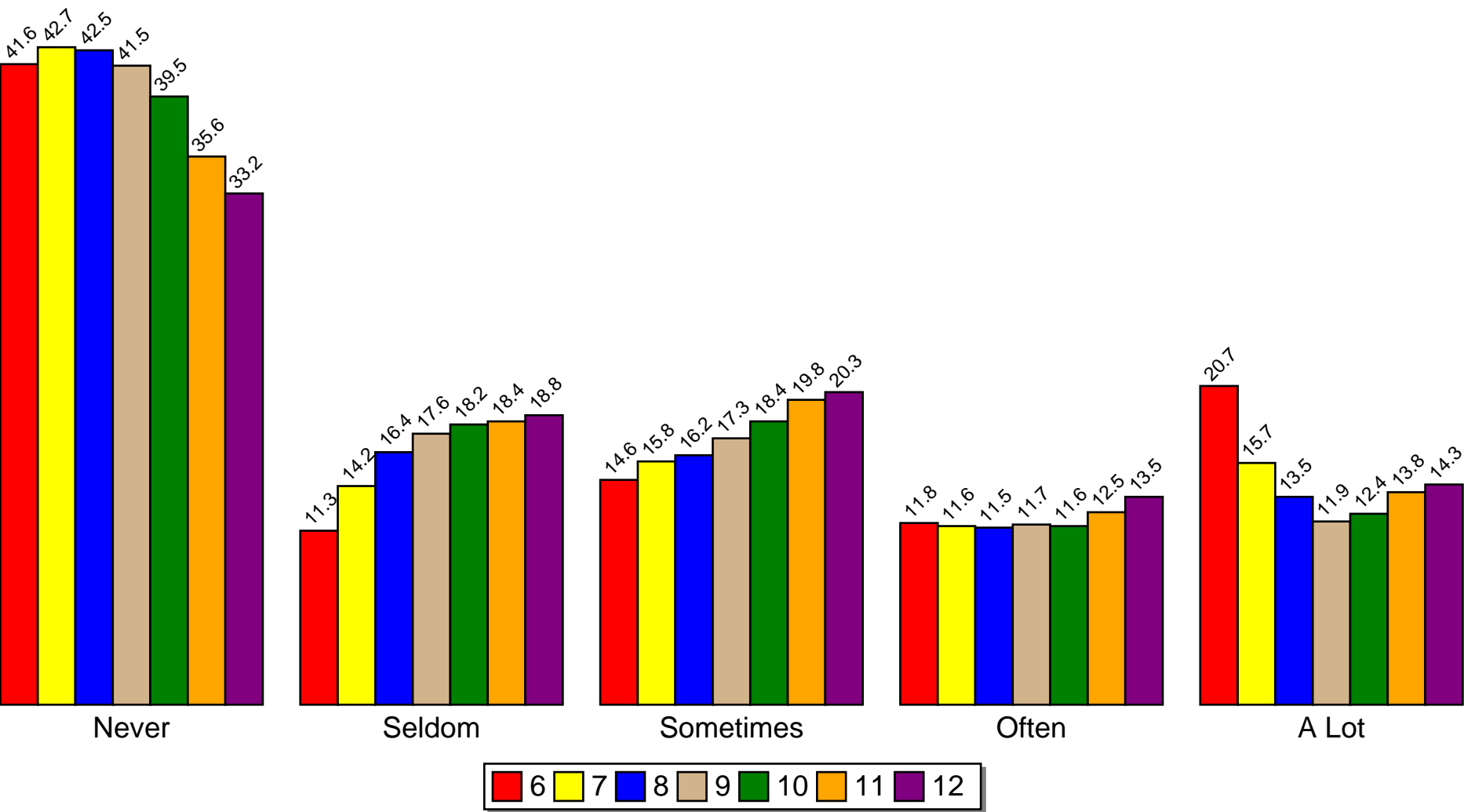
3.6 Student Information

Attend Church or Synagogue



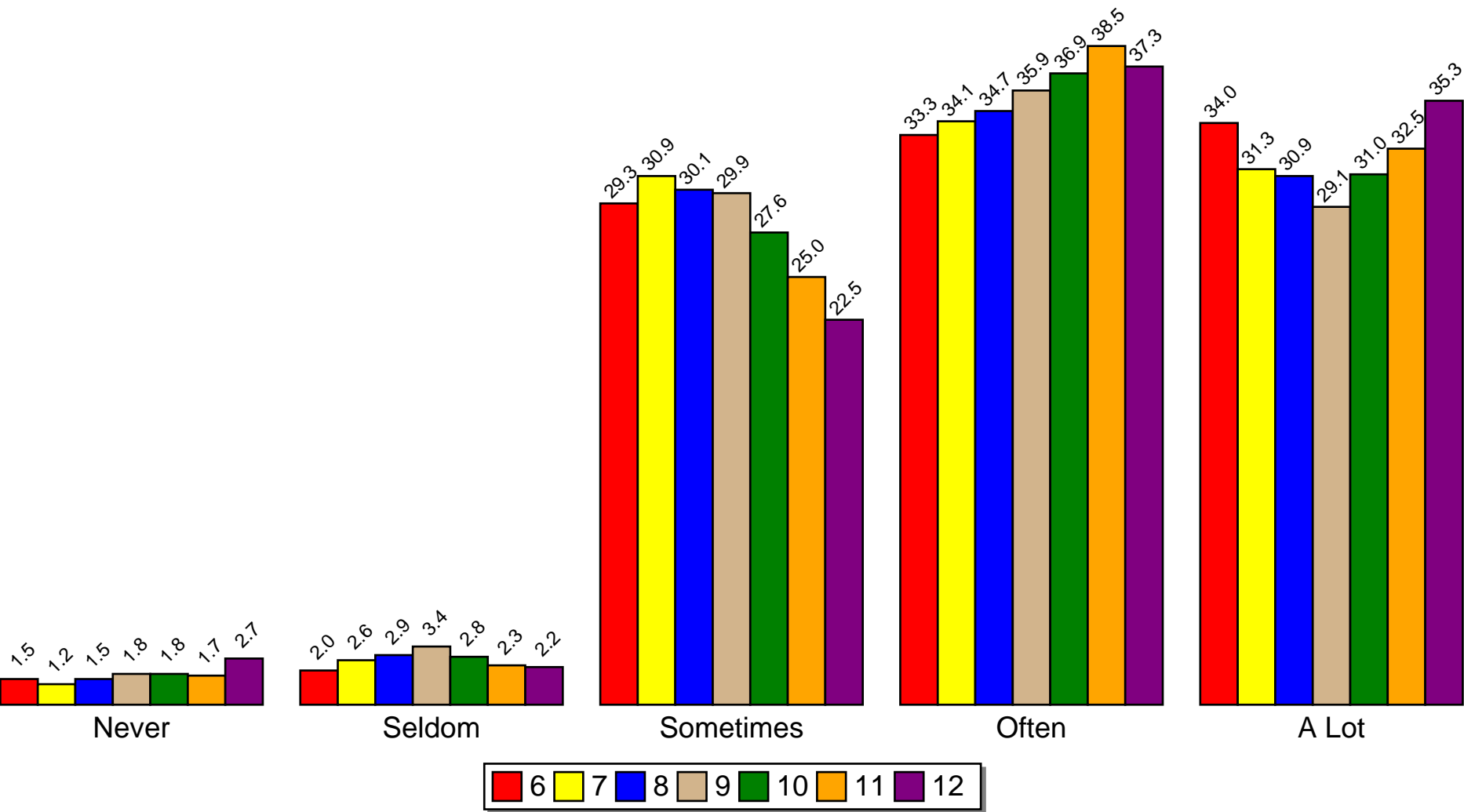
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Take Part in Community Activities



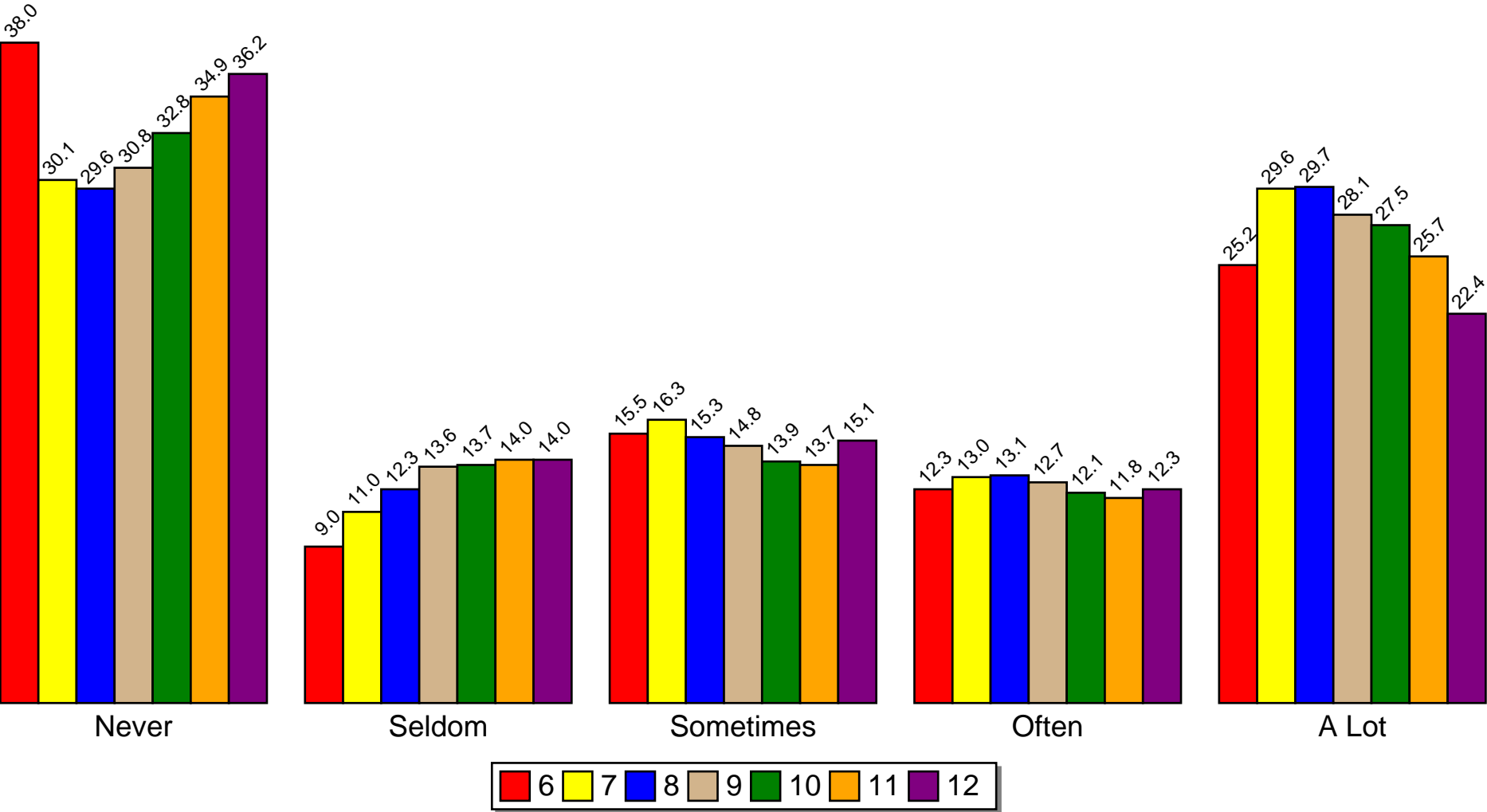
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Make Good Grades



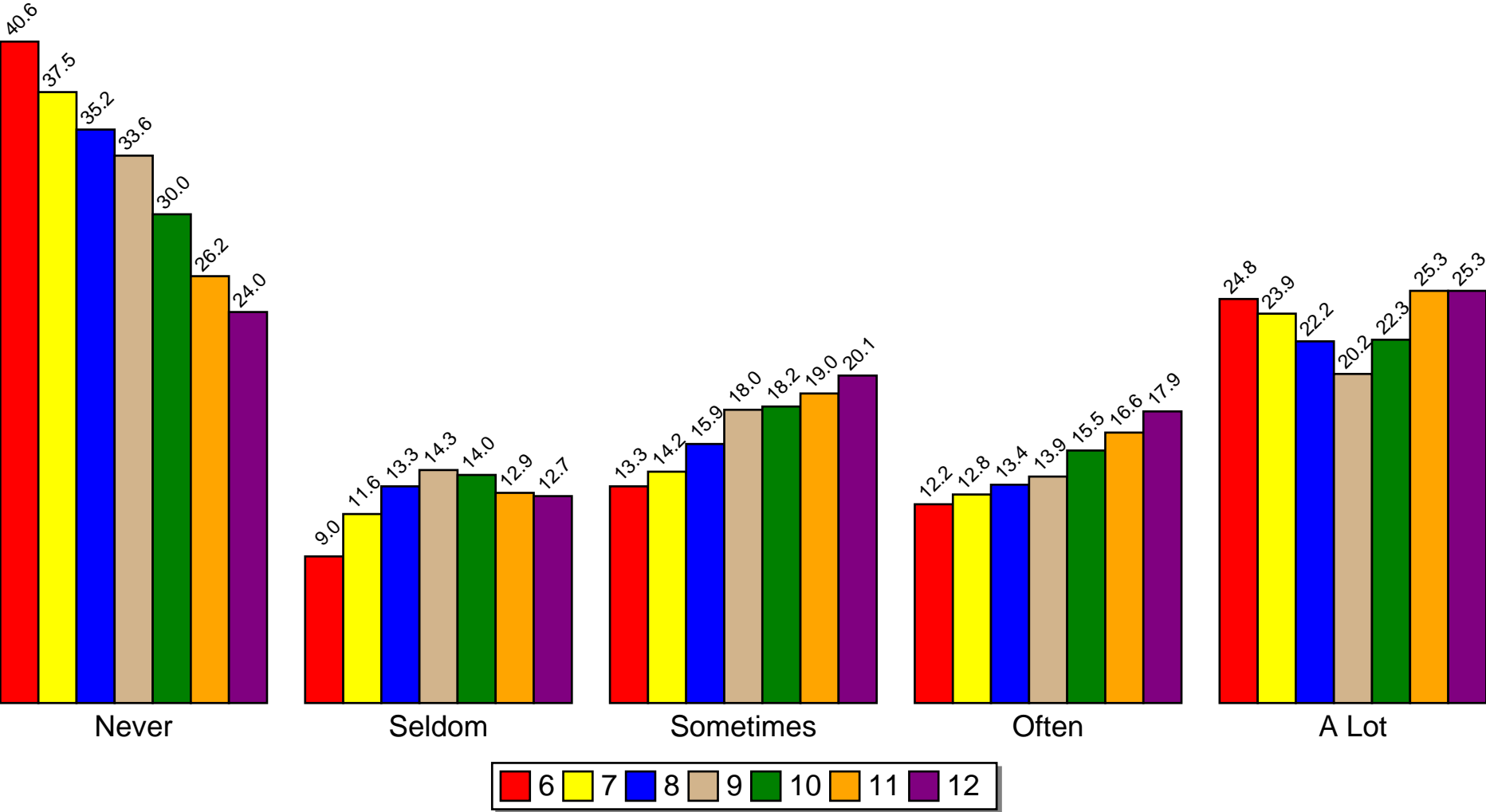
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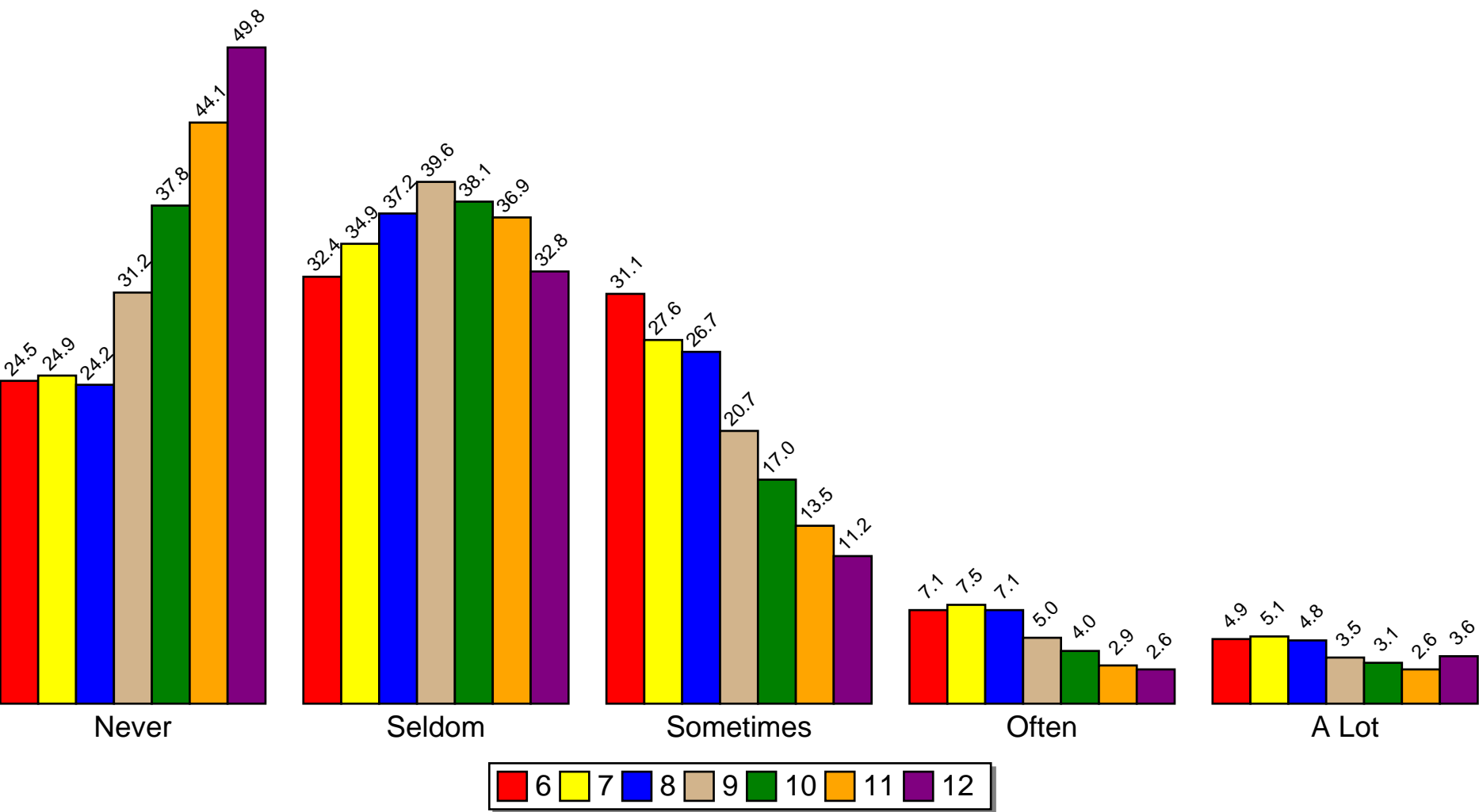
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Take Part in School Activities



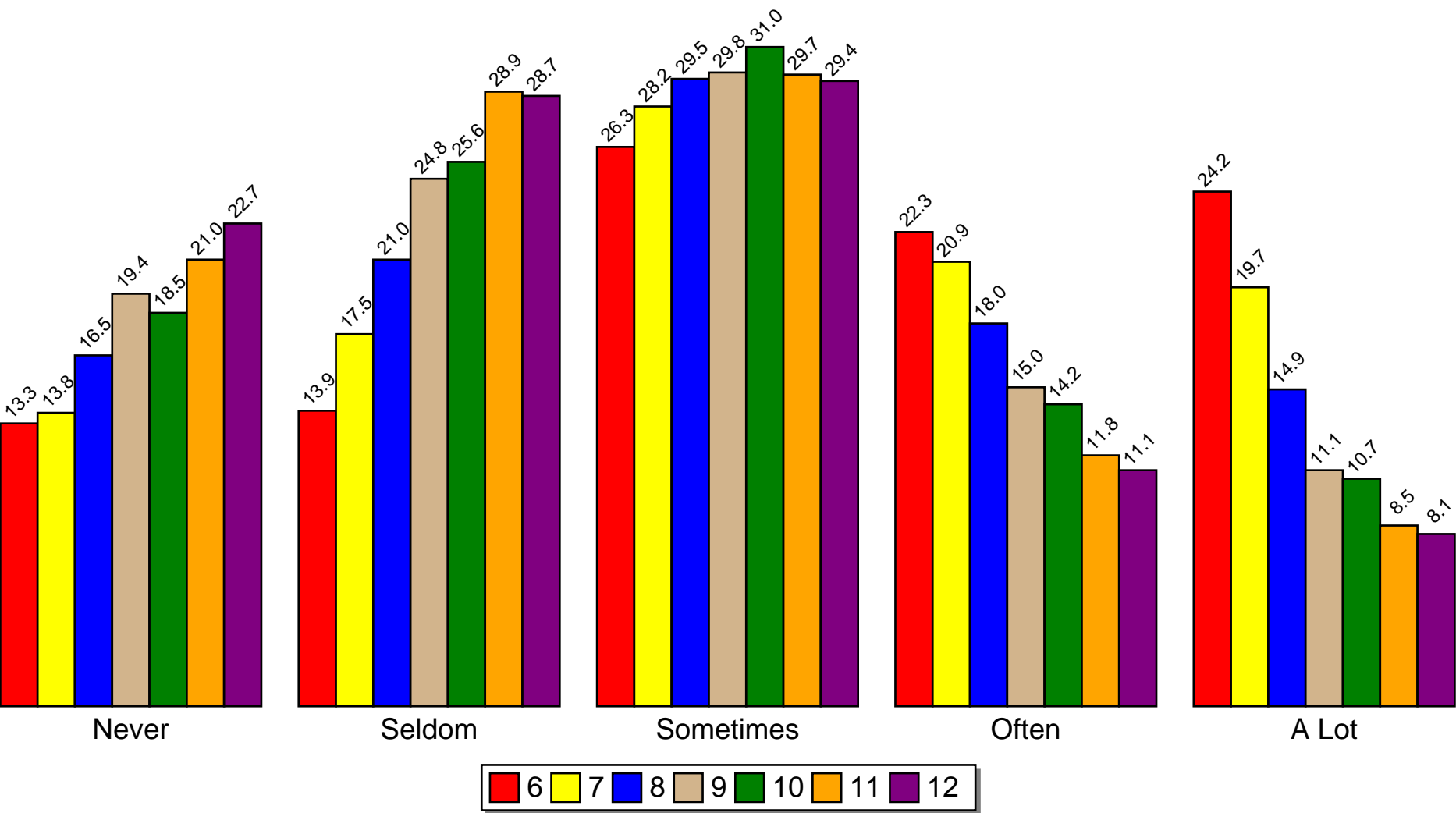
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Get in Trouble at School



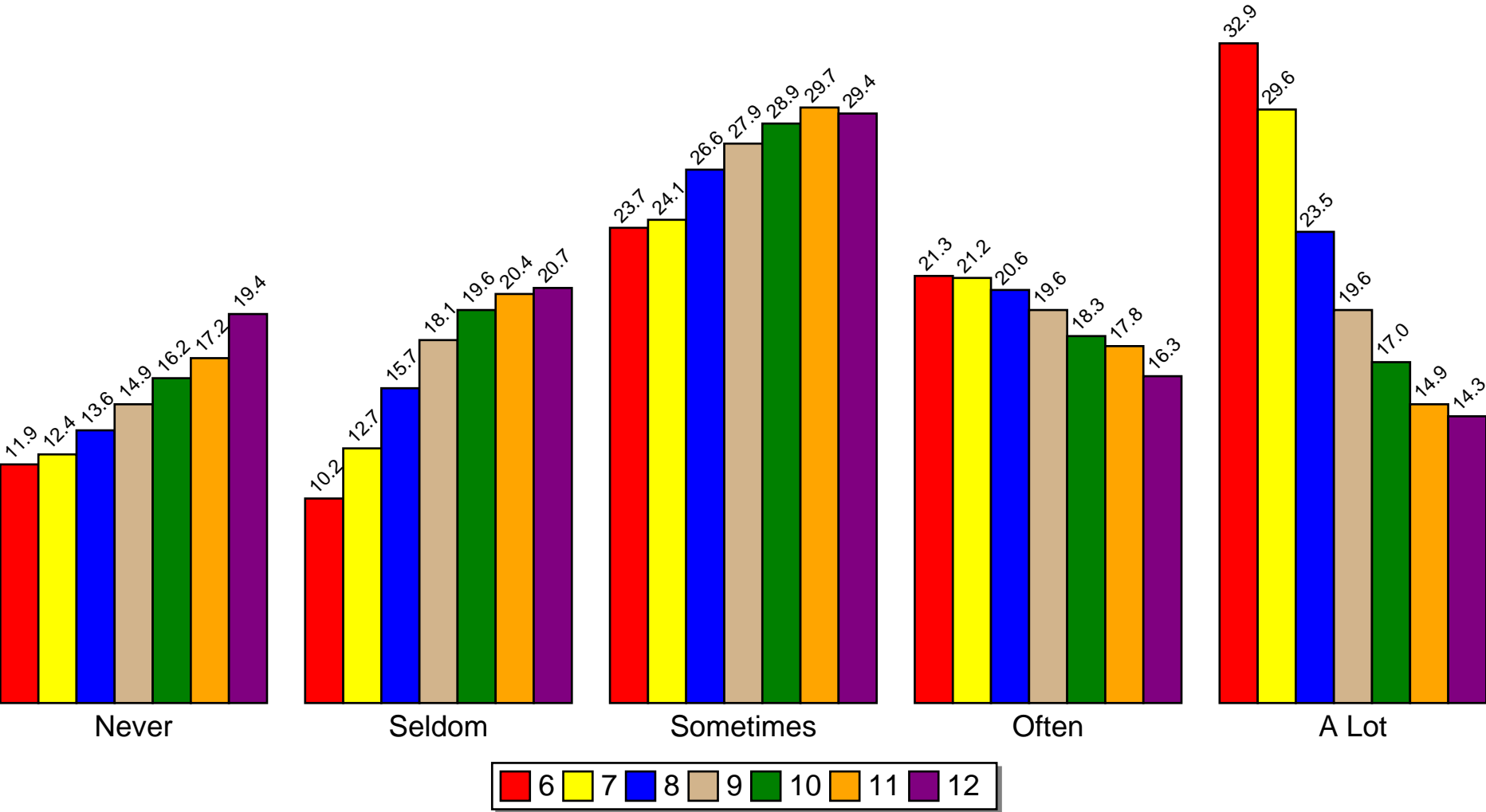
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Teachers Talk About the Dangers of Drugs



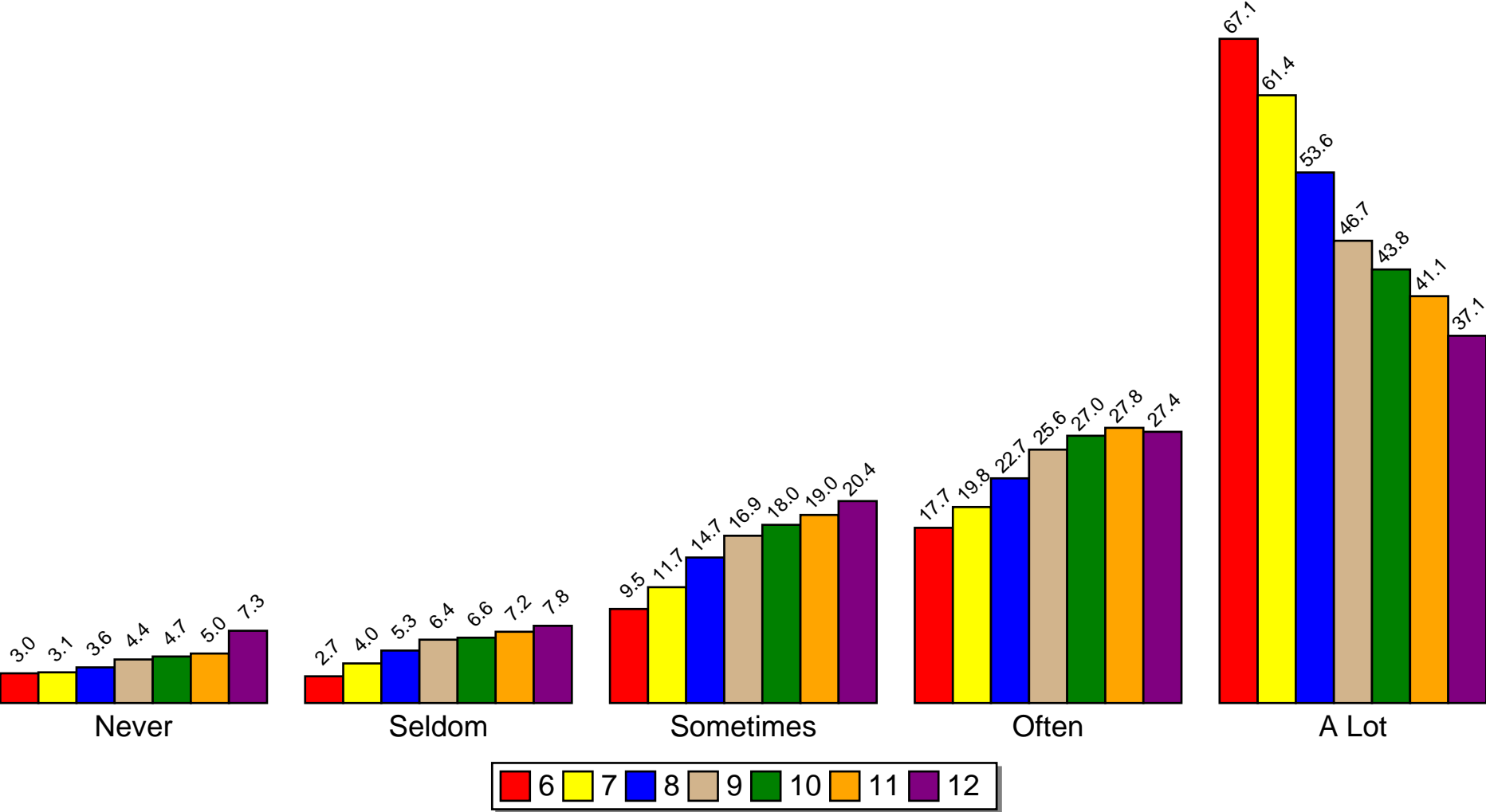
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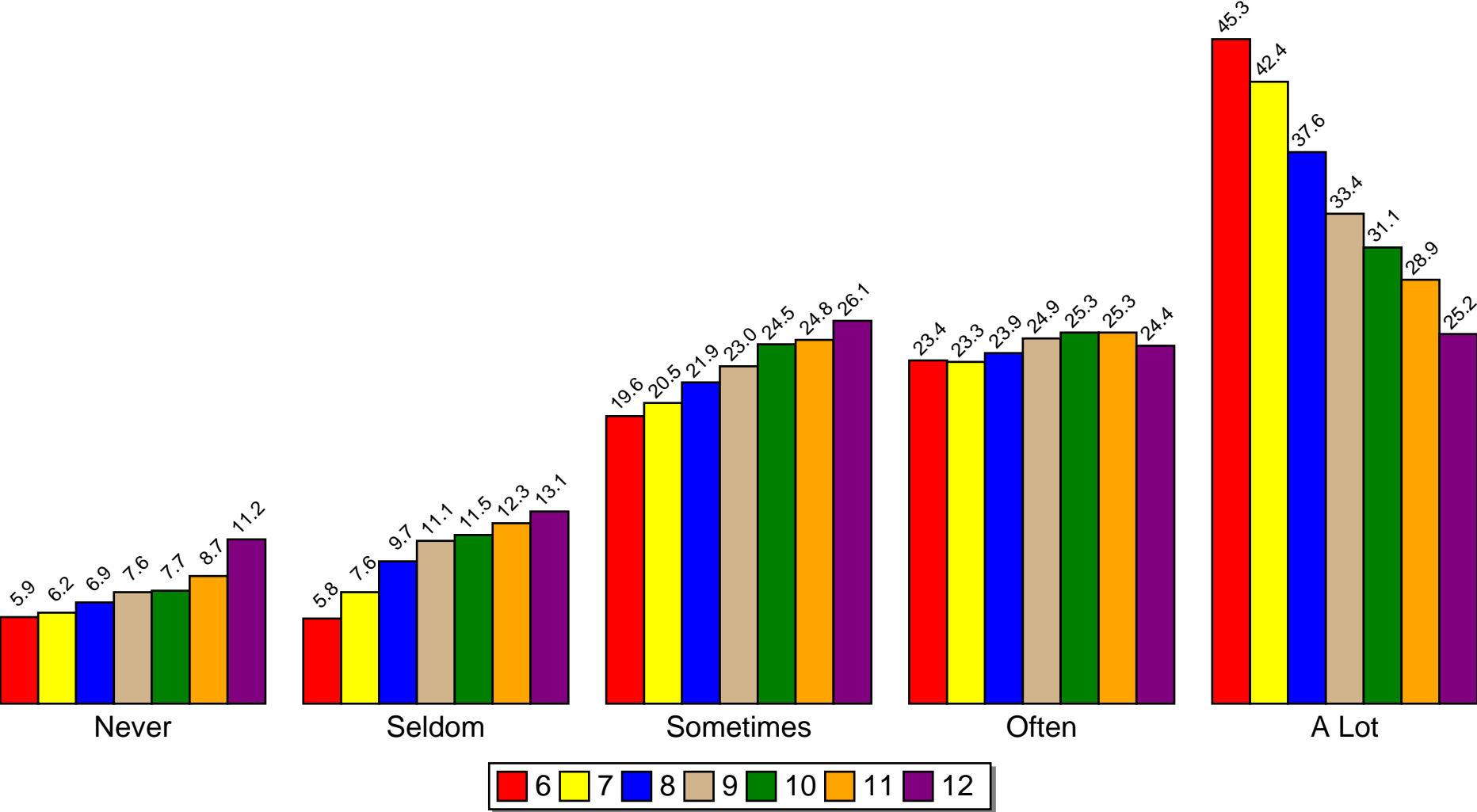
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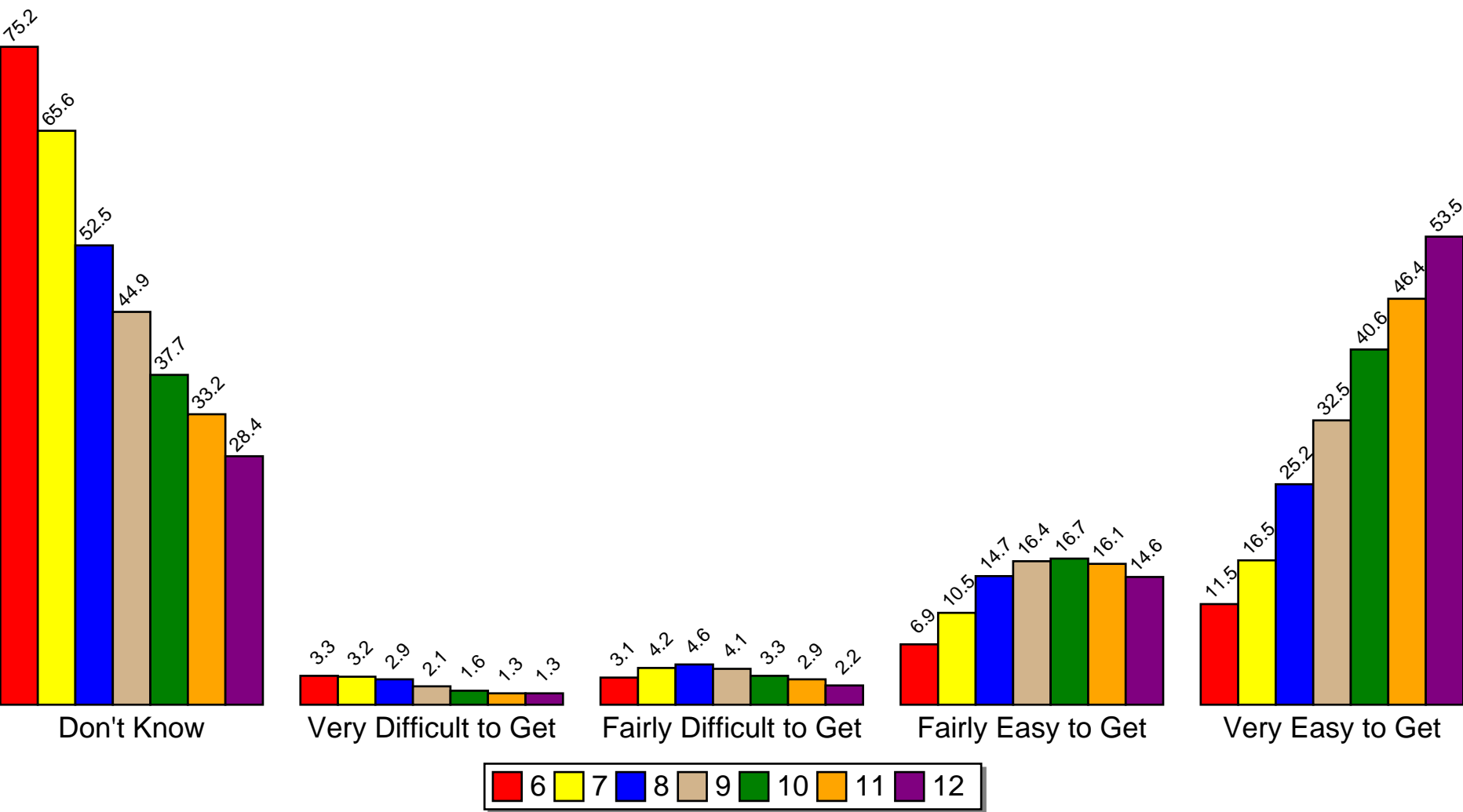
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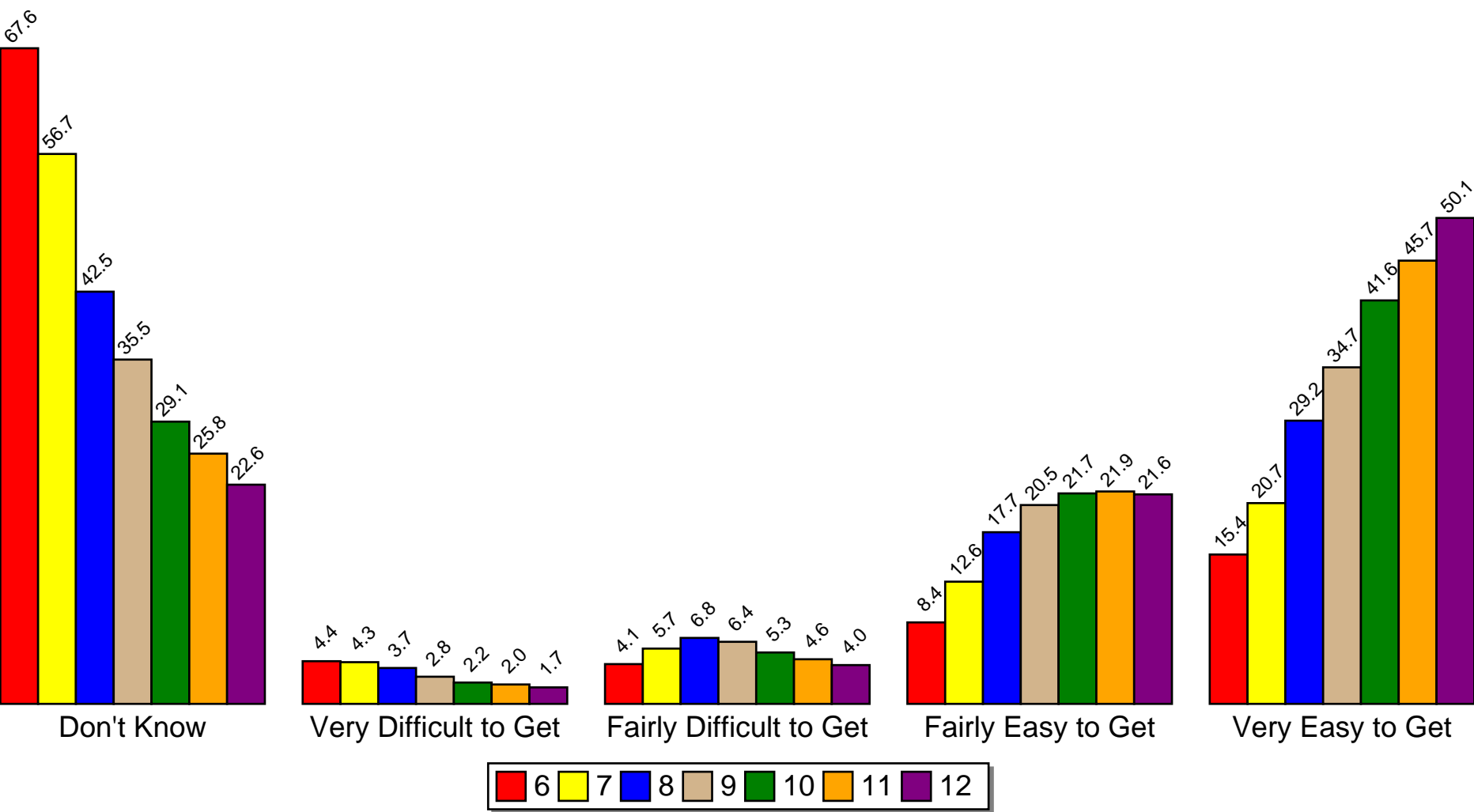
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Availability -- Any Tobacco



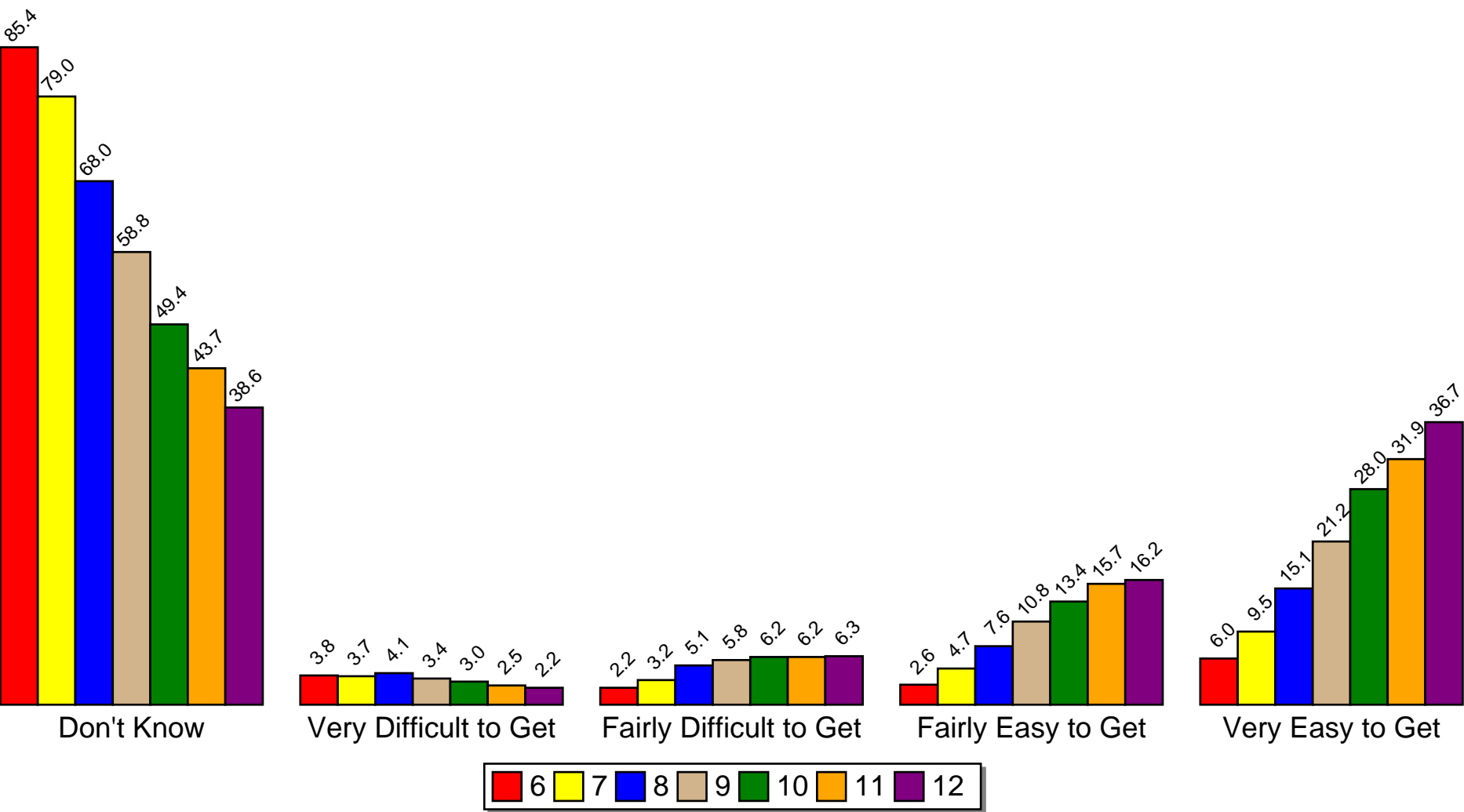
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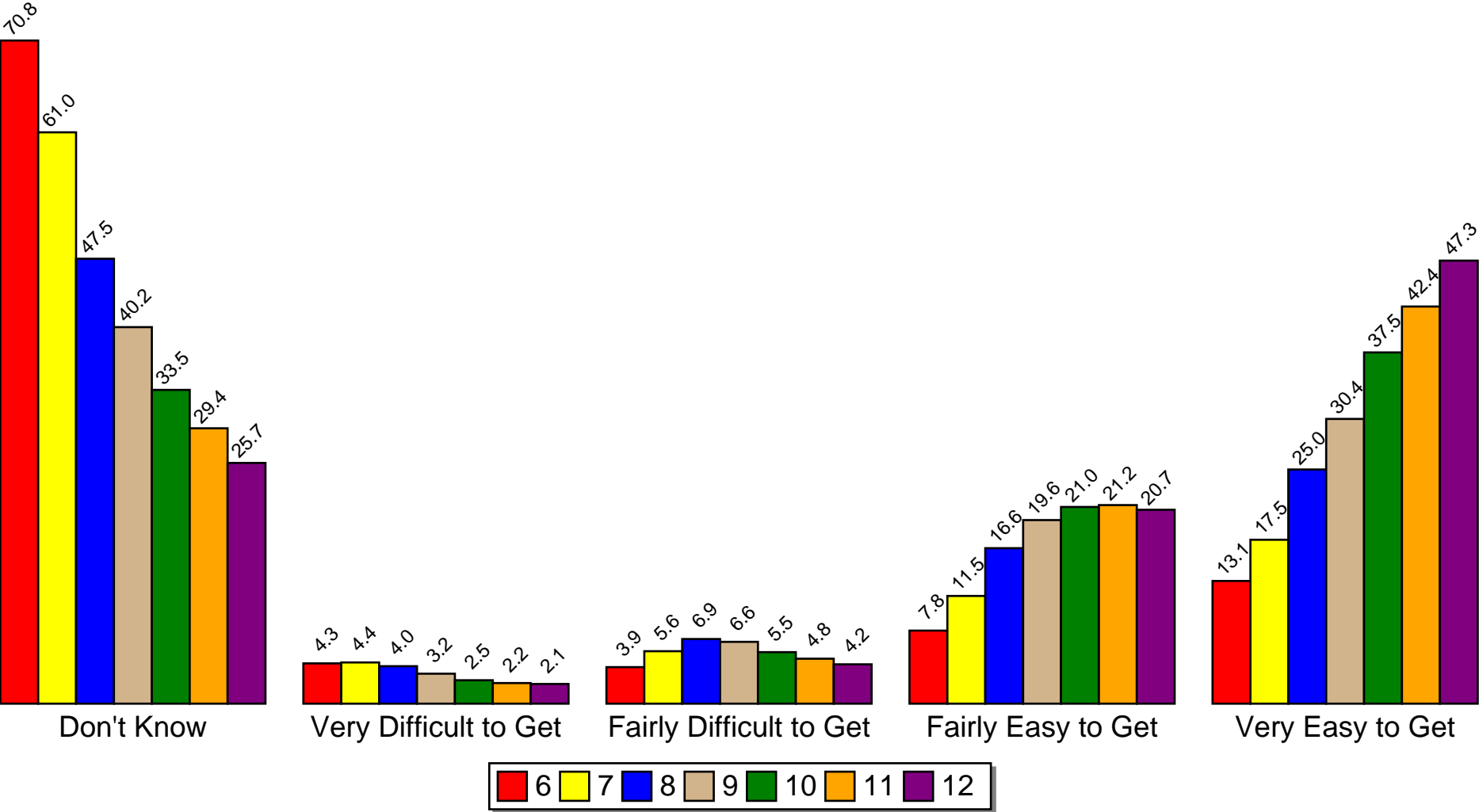
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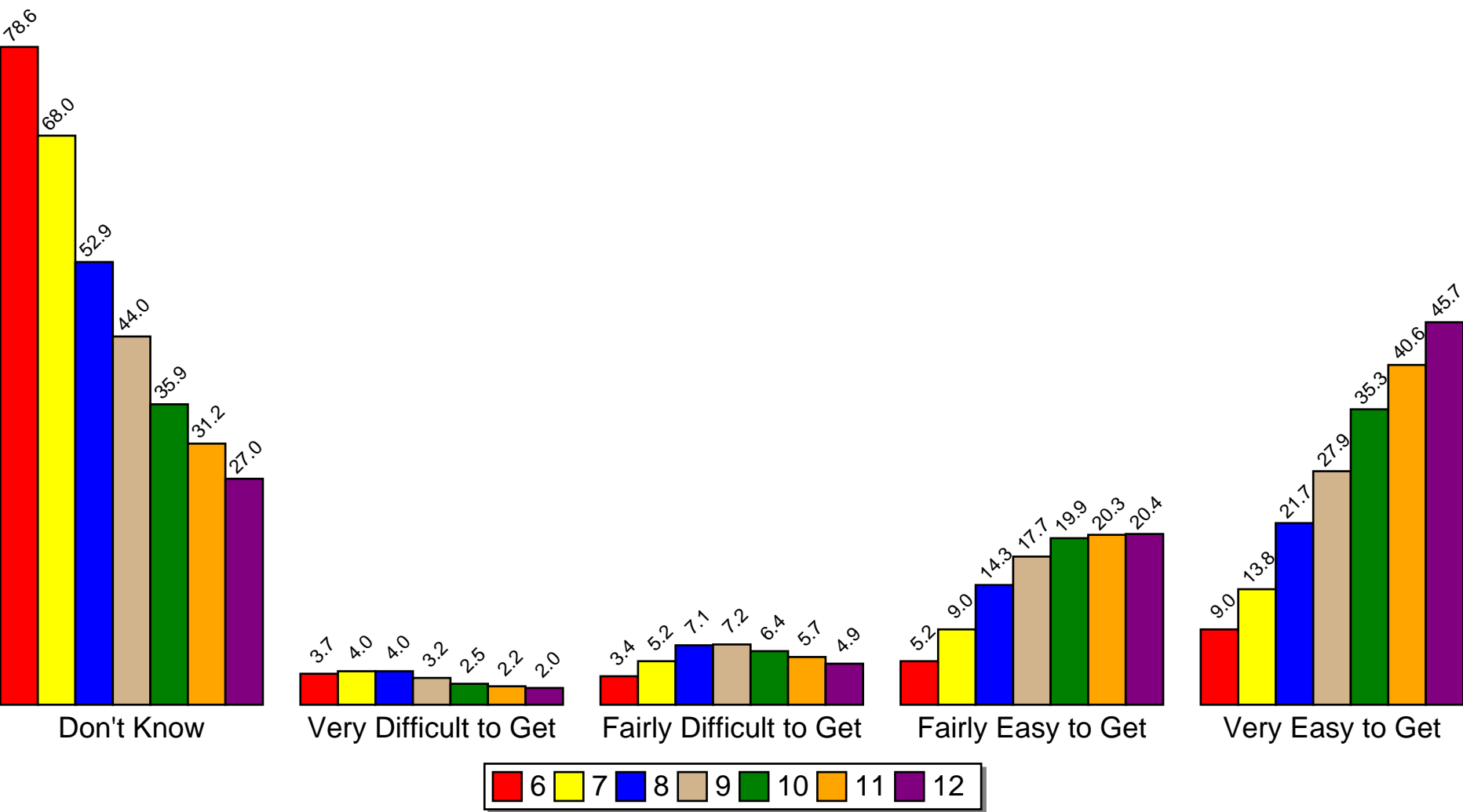
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Availability -- Beer



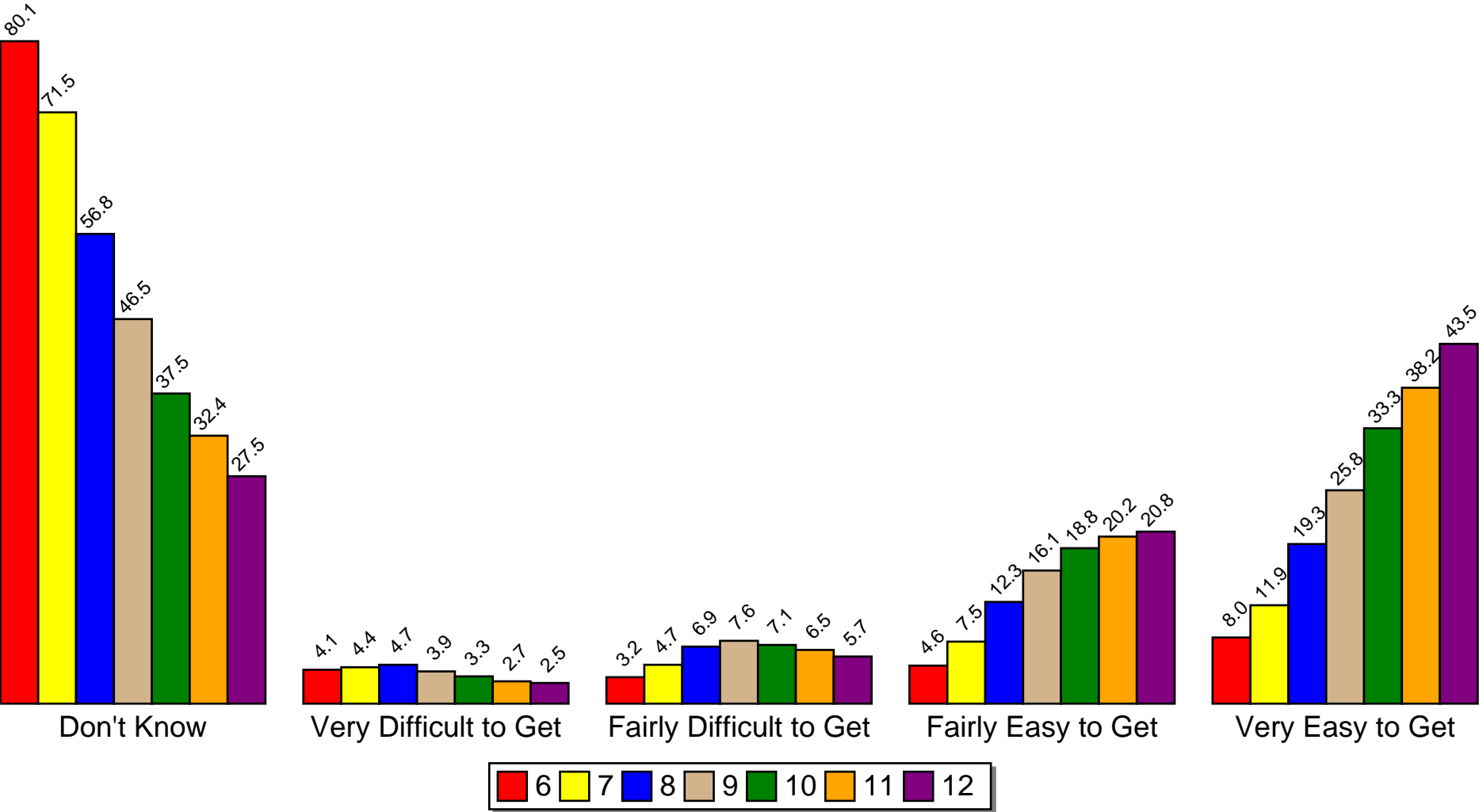
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Availability -- Coolers, Breezers, etc.



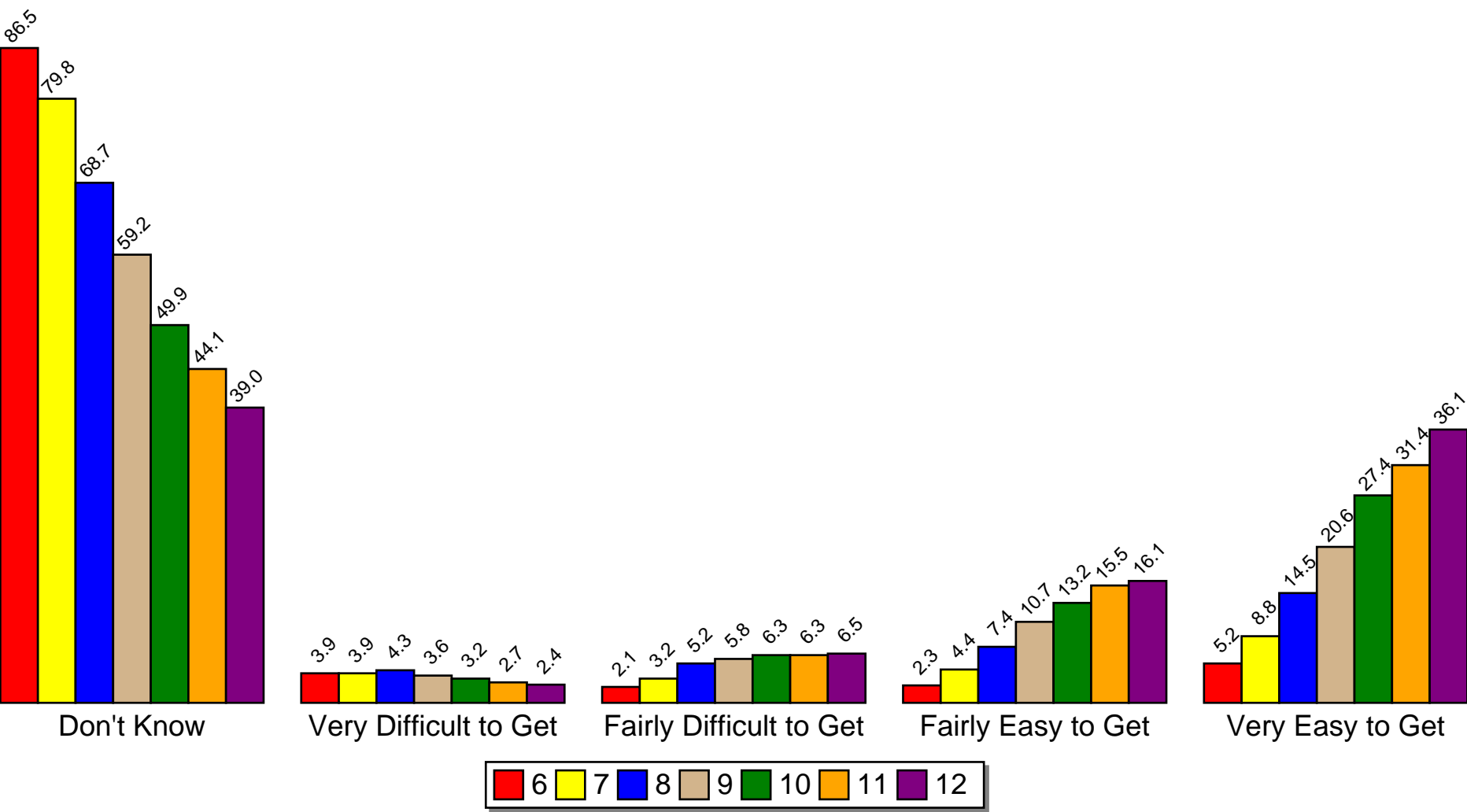
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Availability -- Liquor



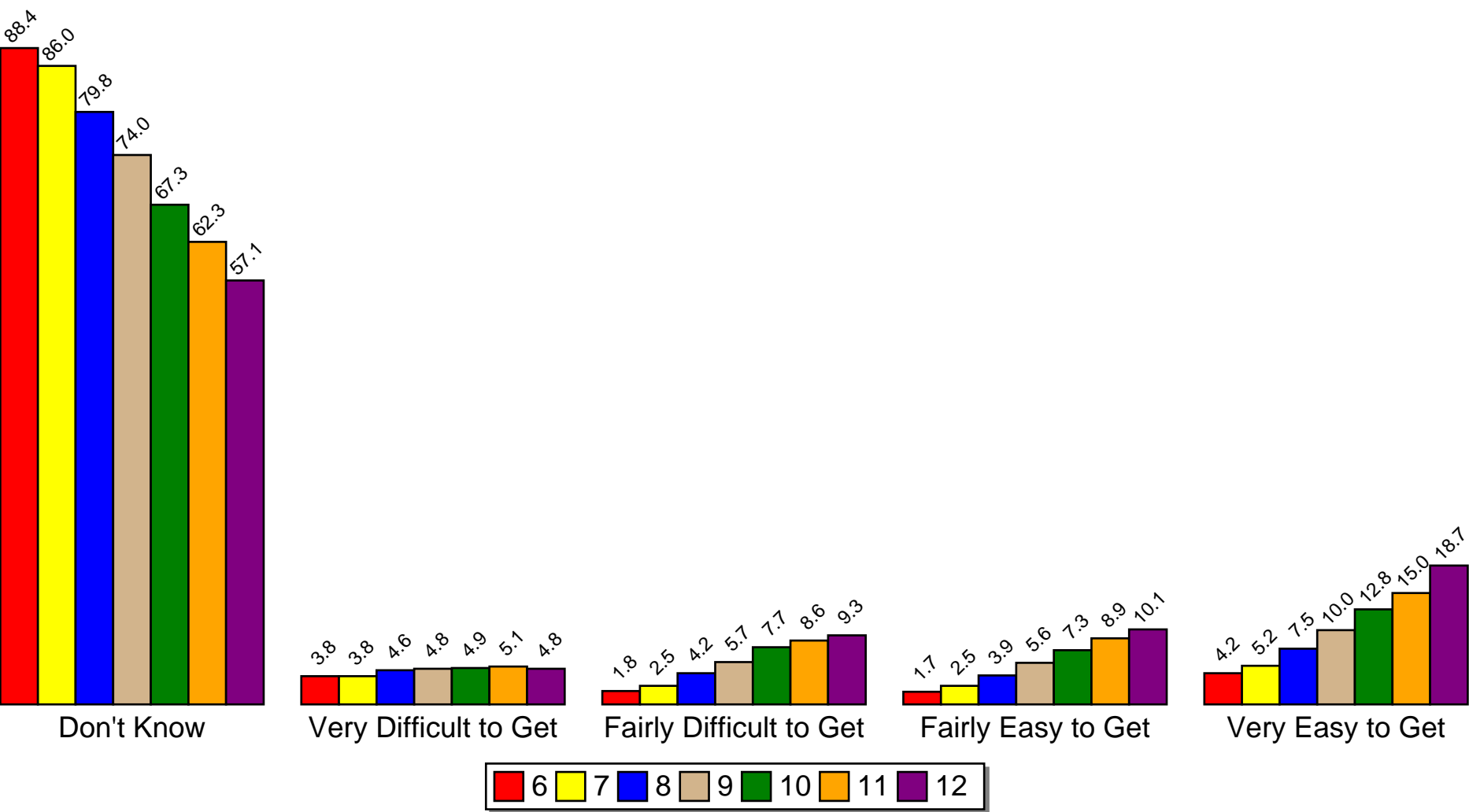
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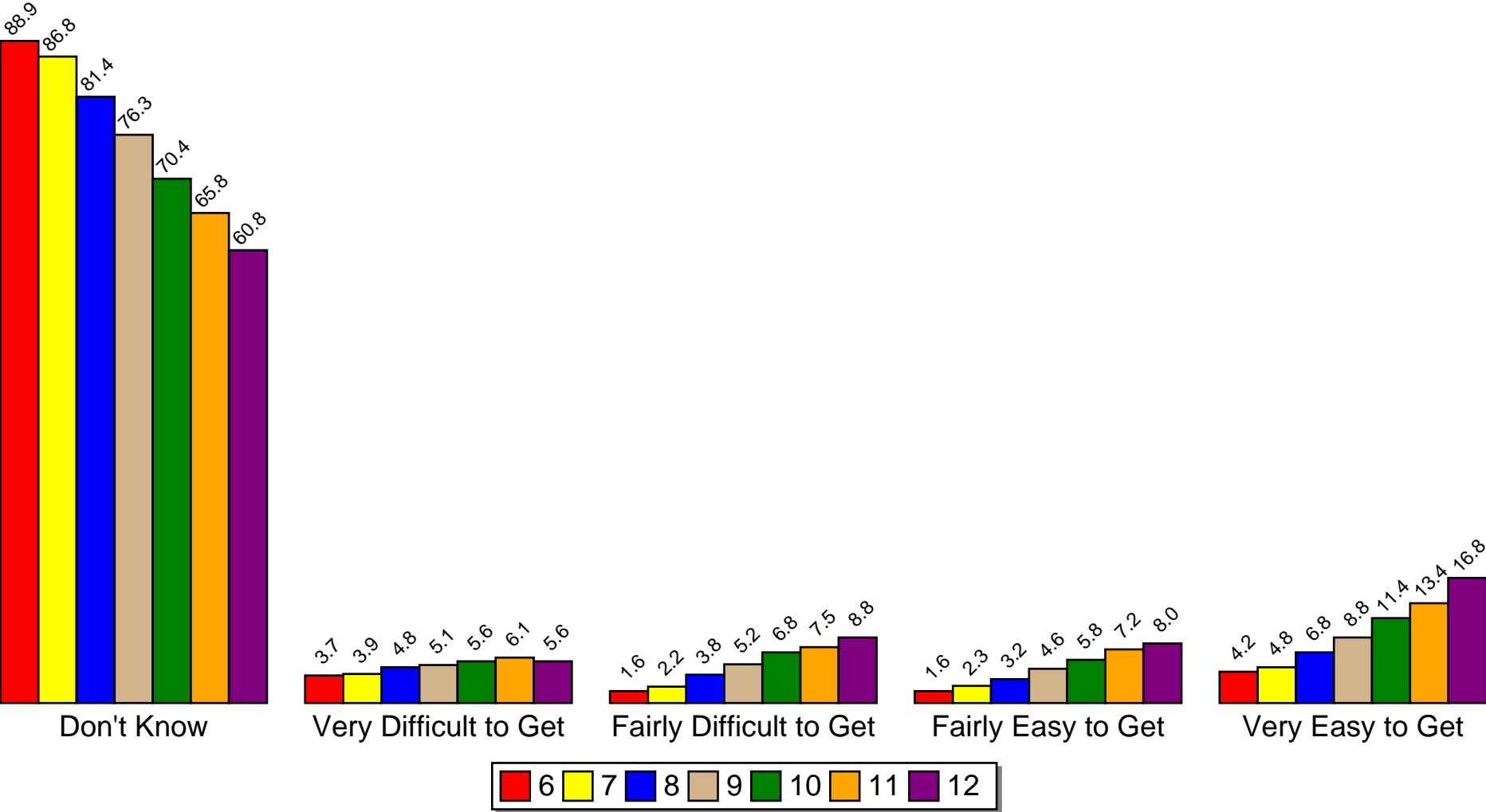
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Availability -- Cocaine



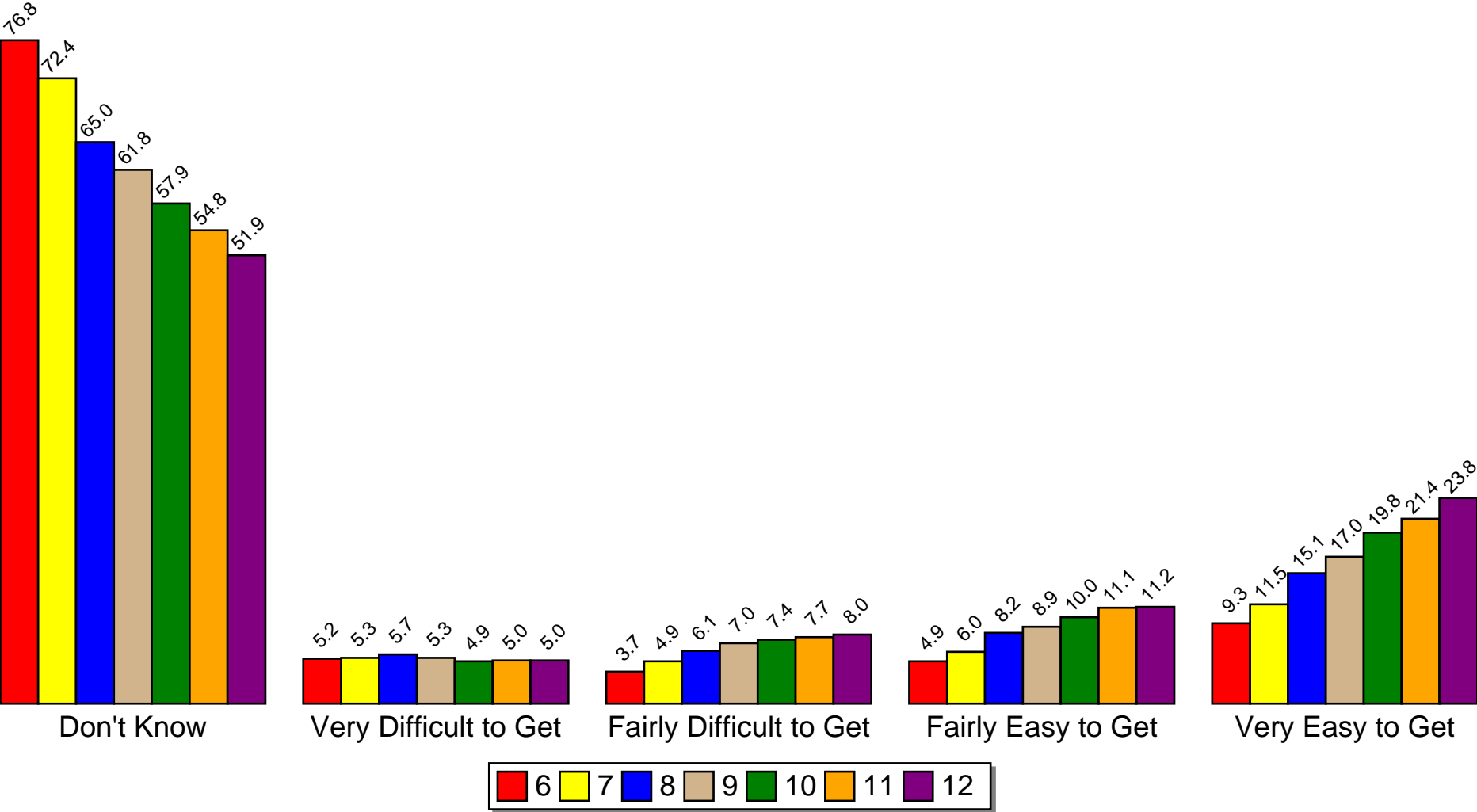
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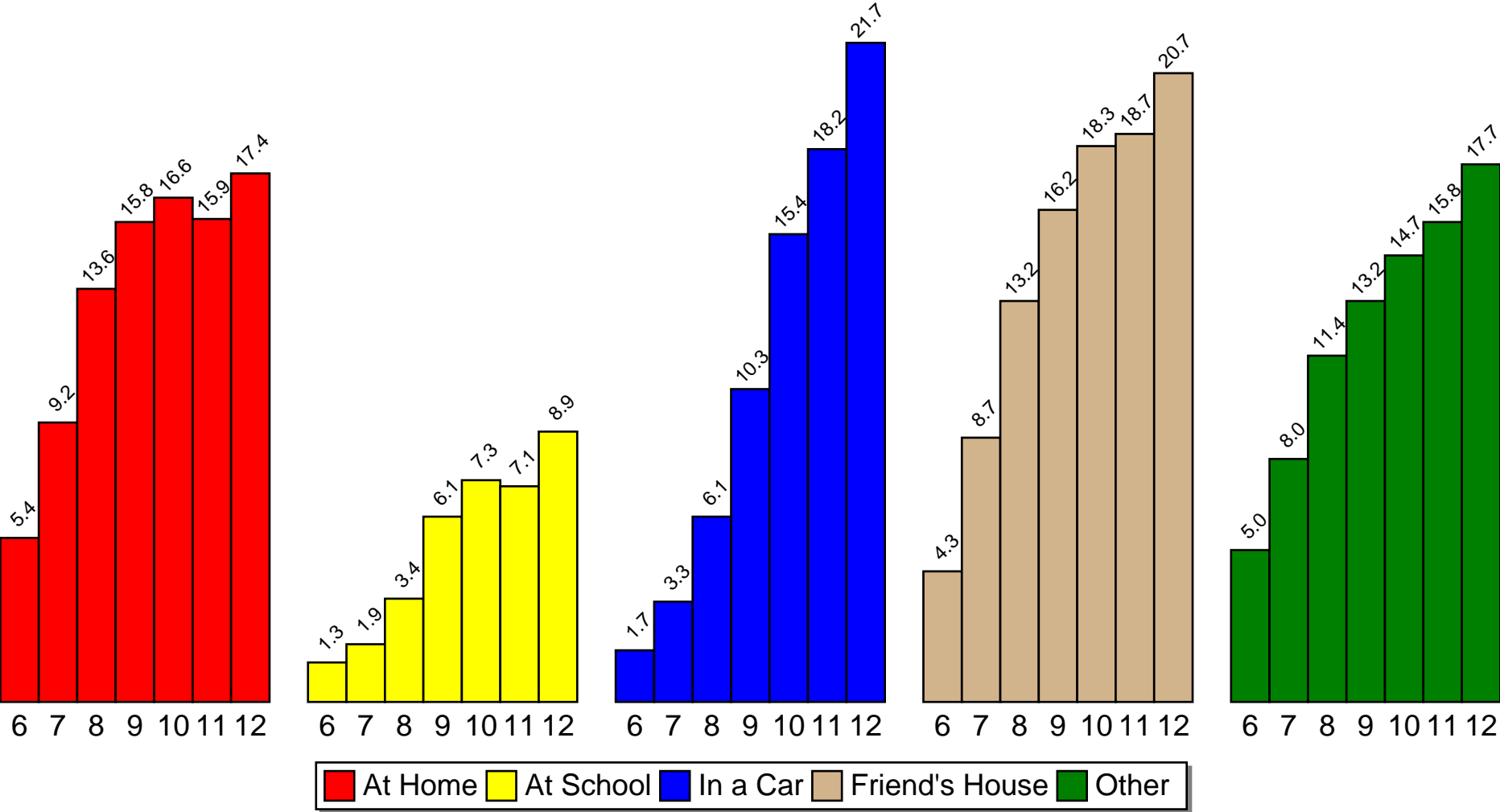
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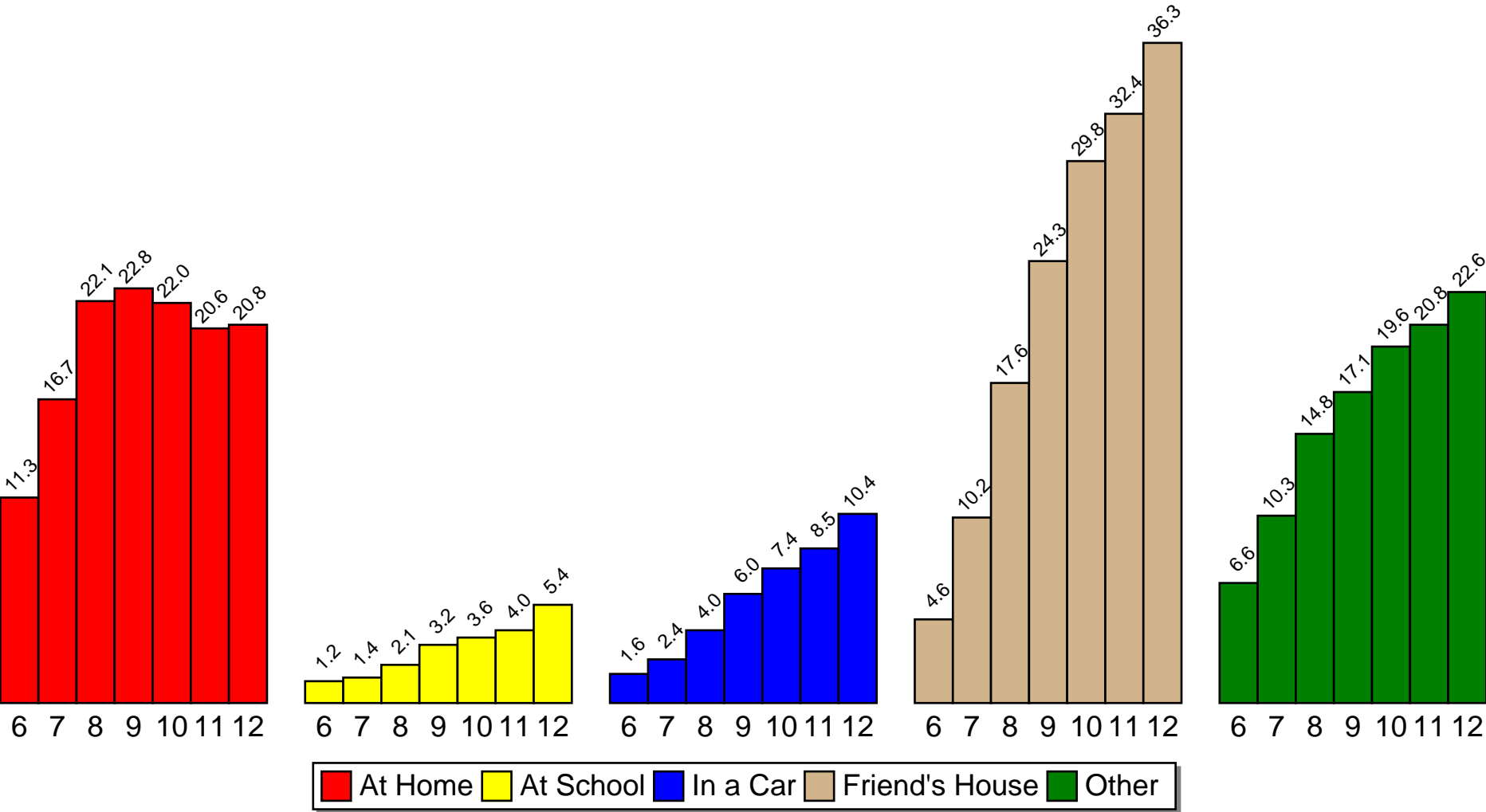
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Where Do You Use Any Tobacco



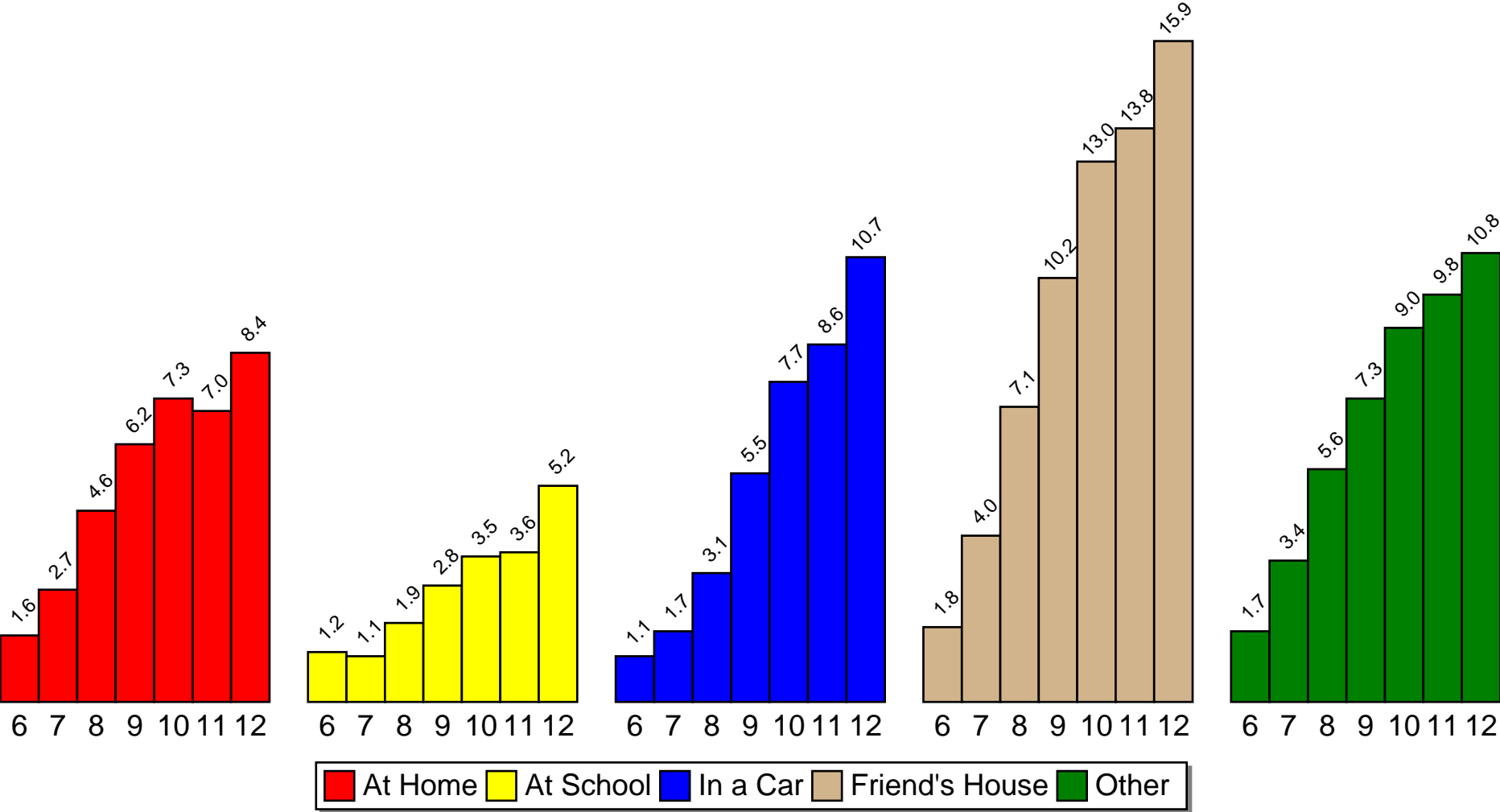
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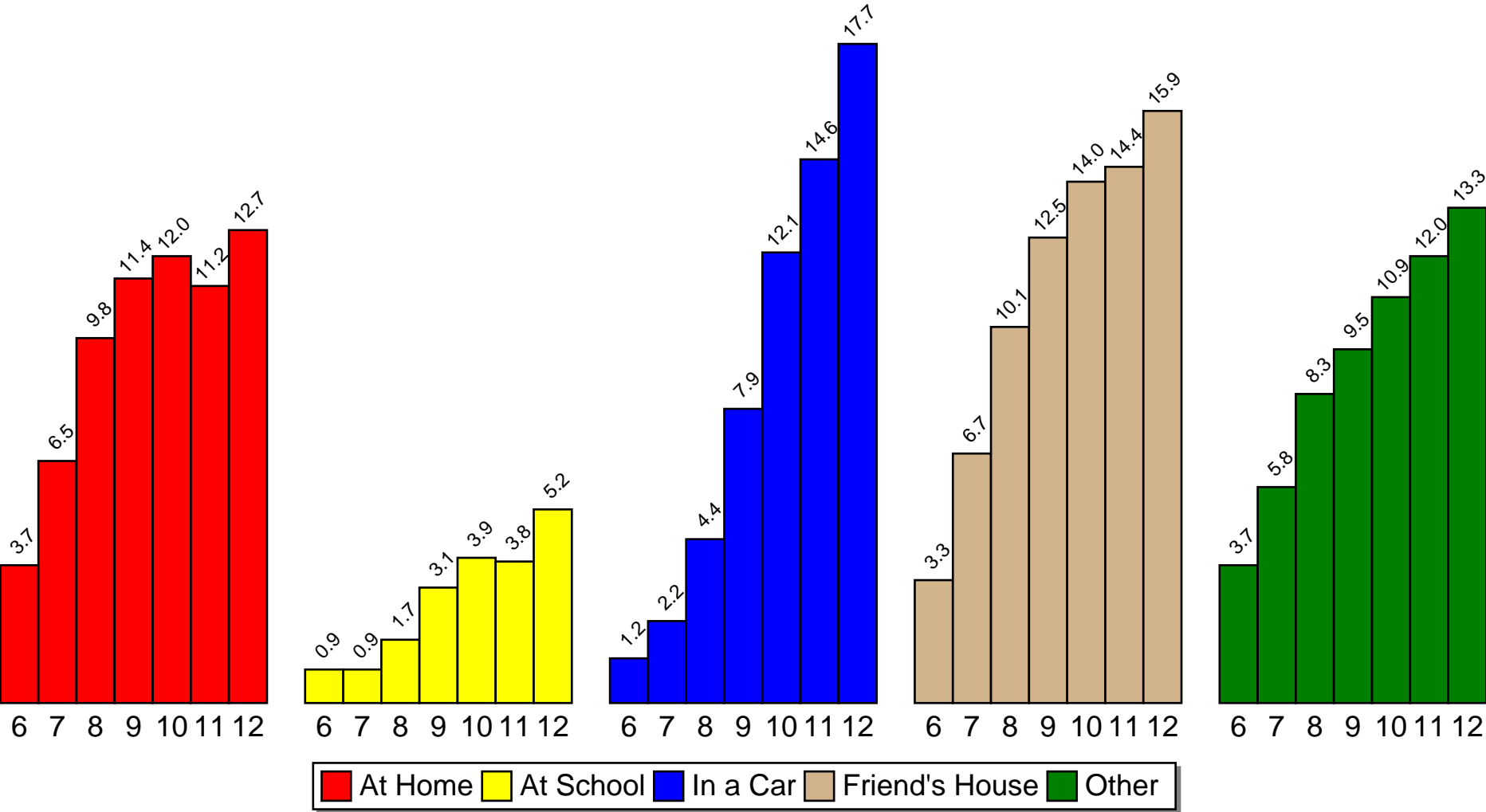
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Where Do You Use Any Illicit Drug



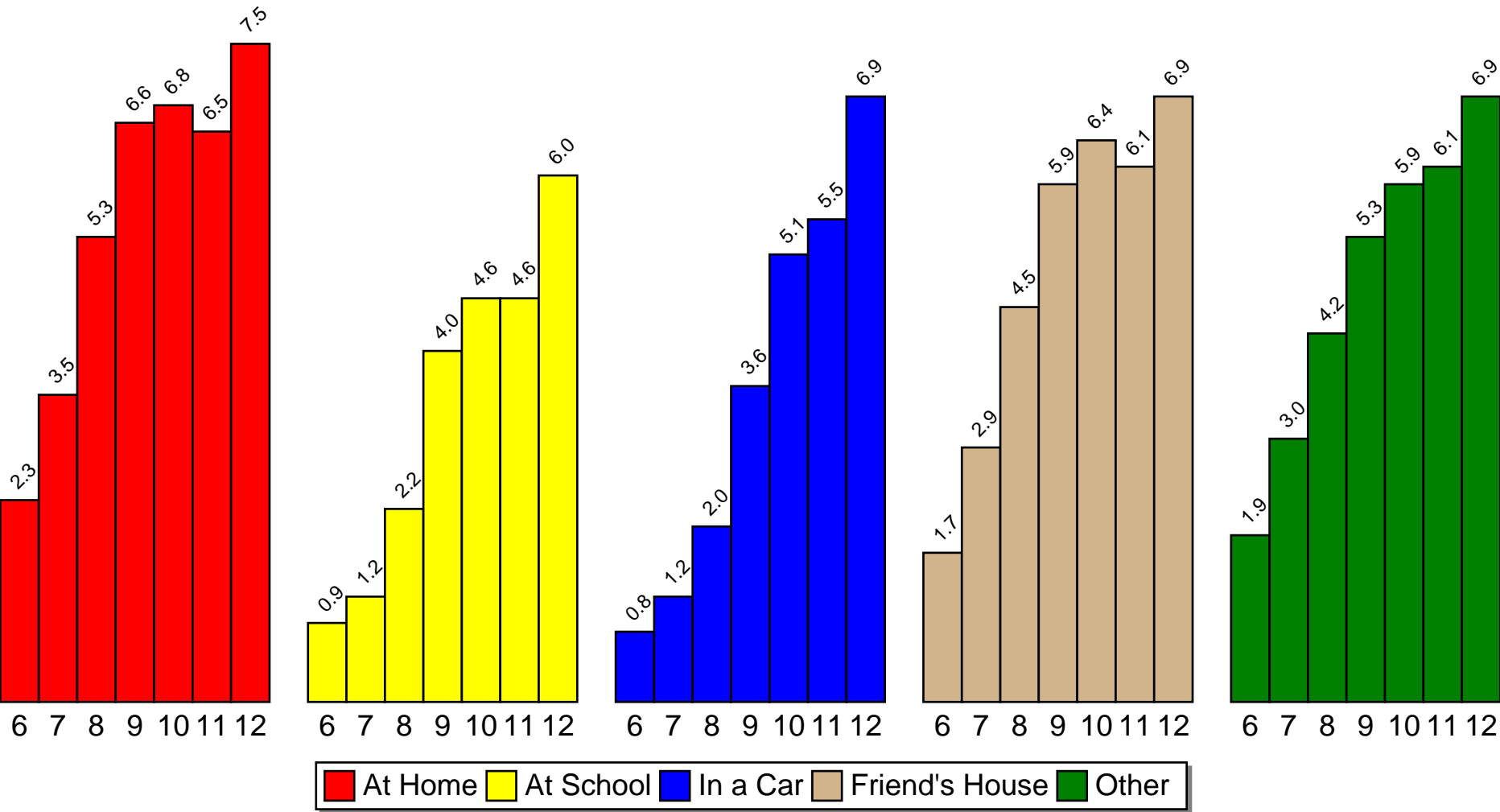
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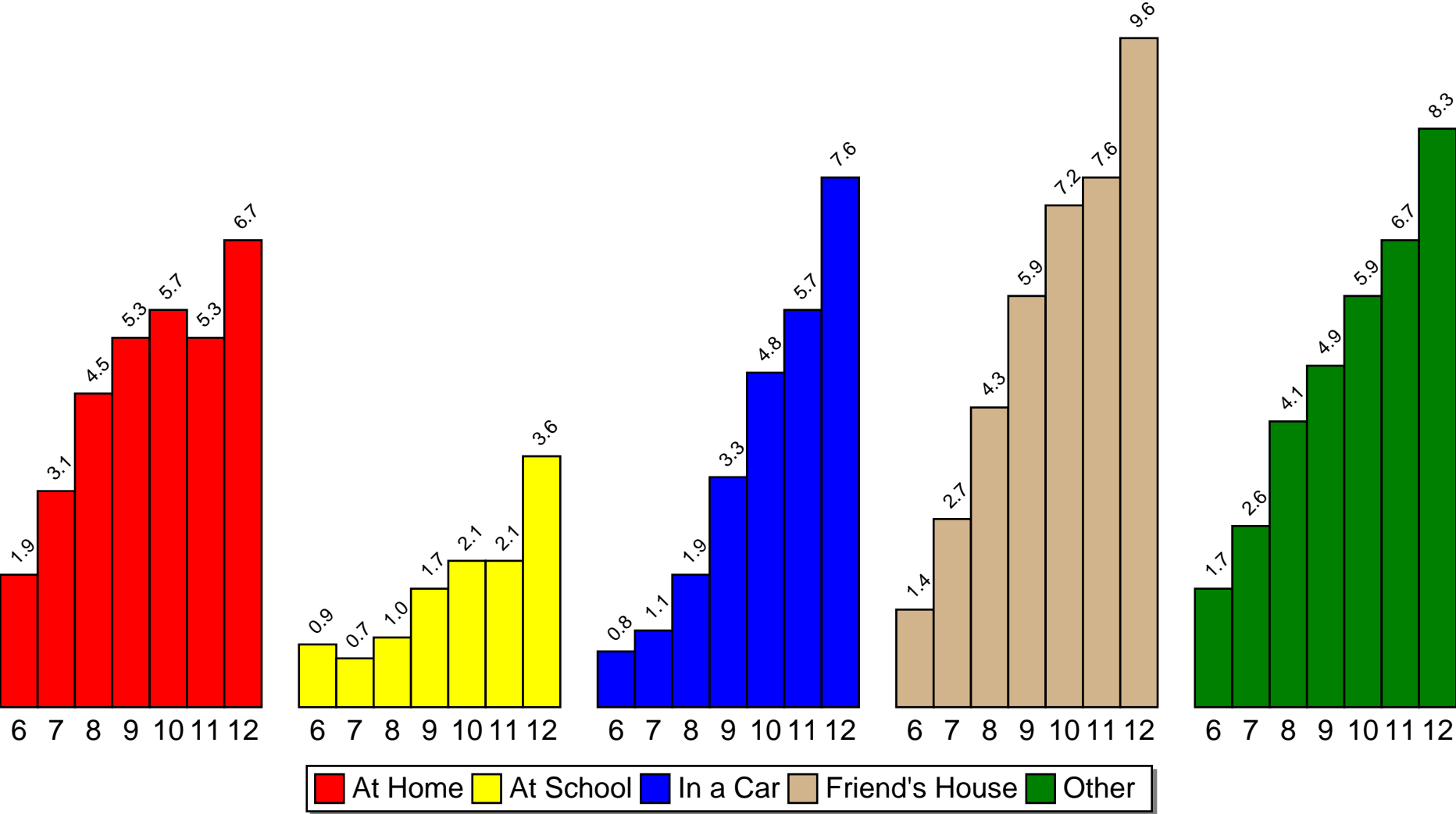
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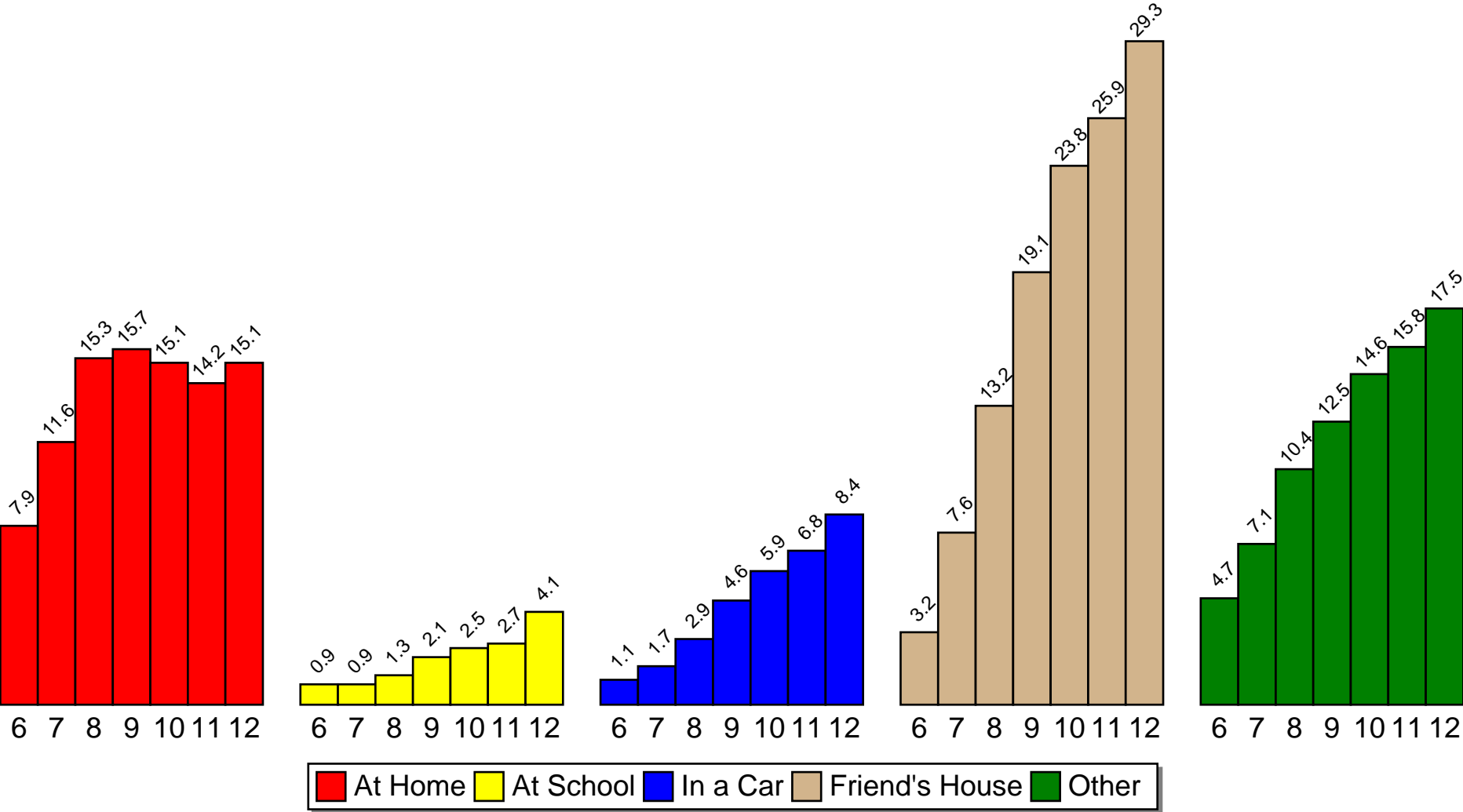
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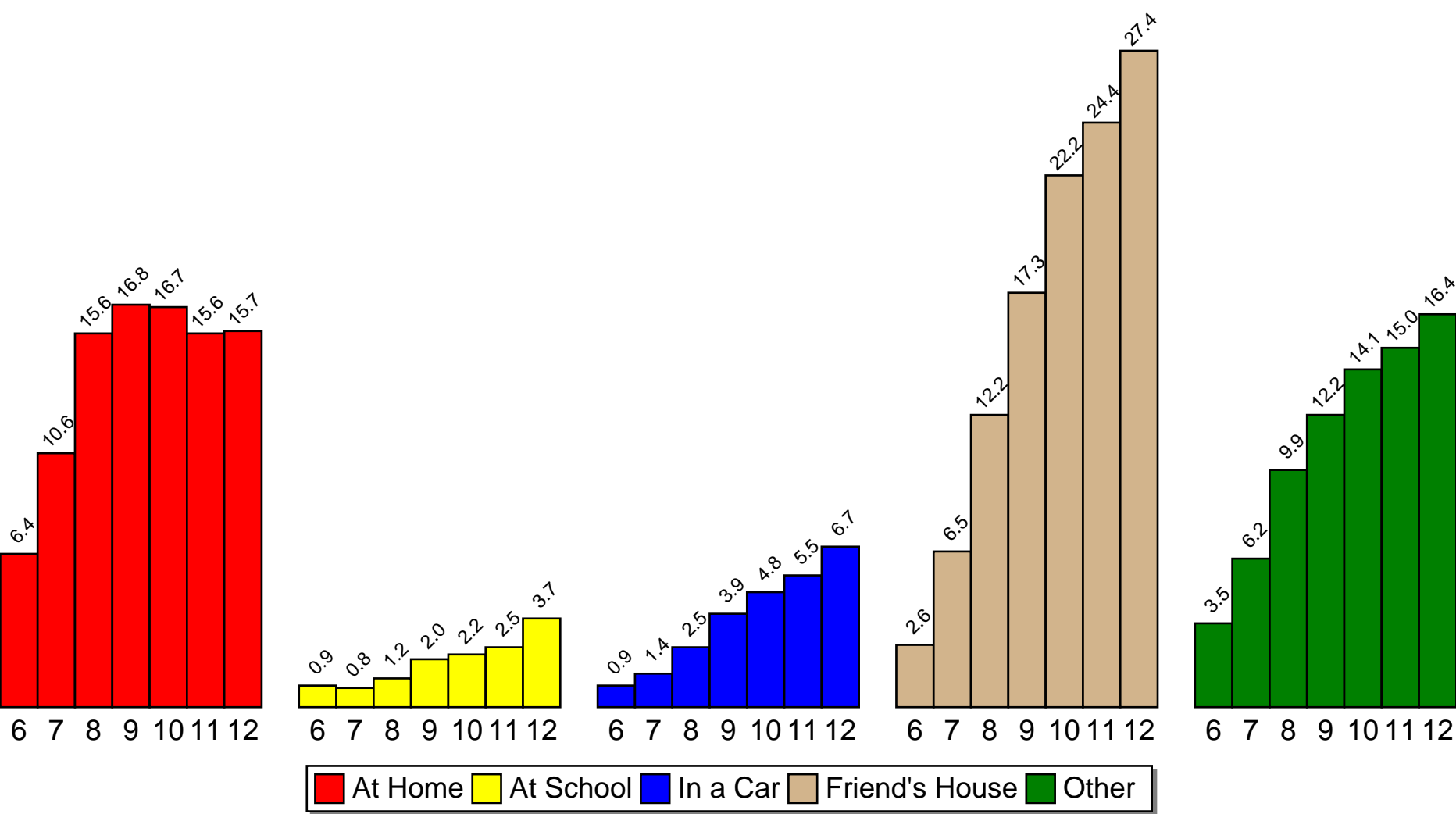
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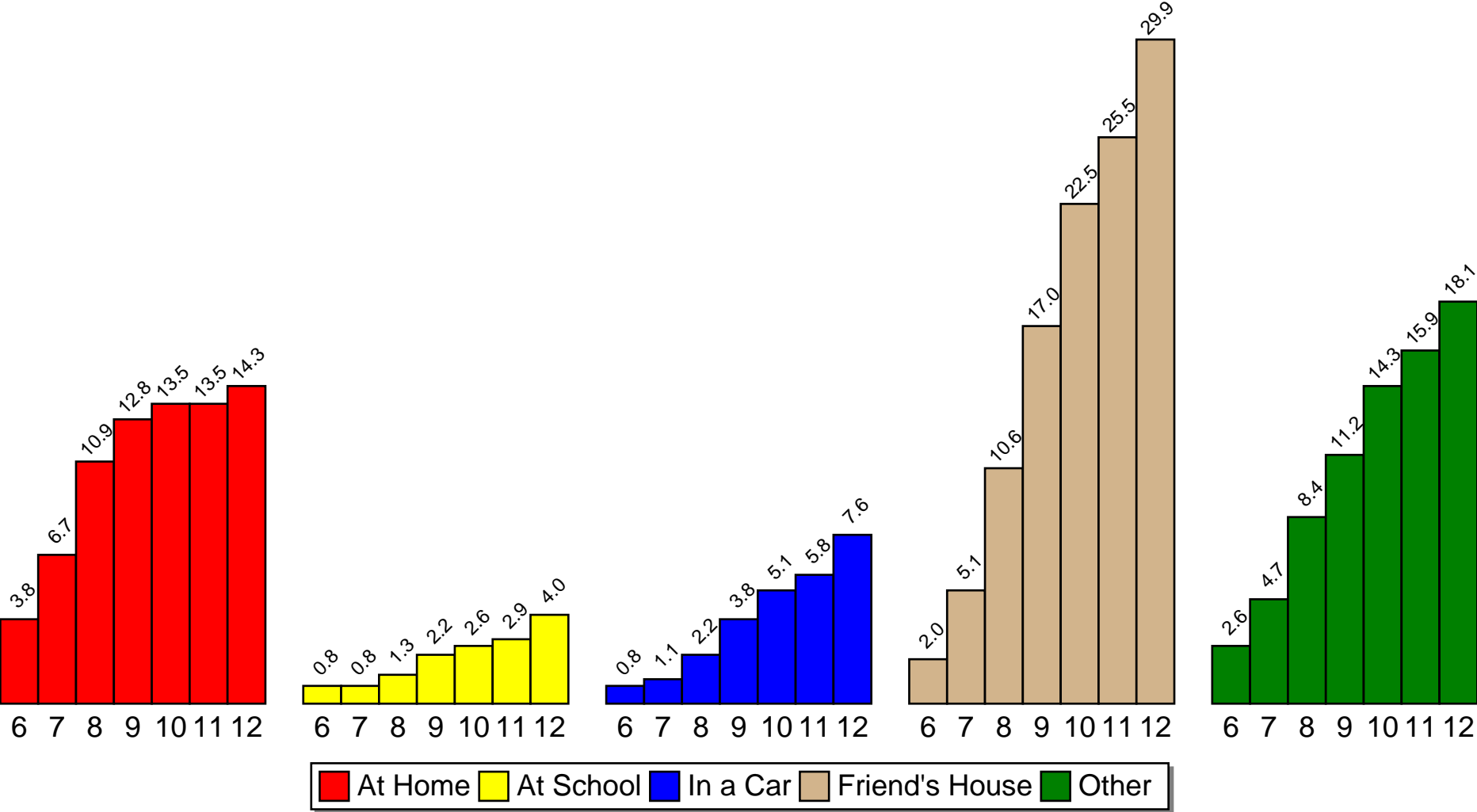
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Where Do You Use Coolers, Breezers, etc.



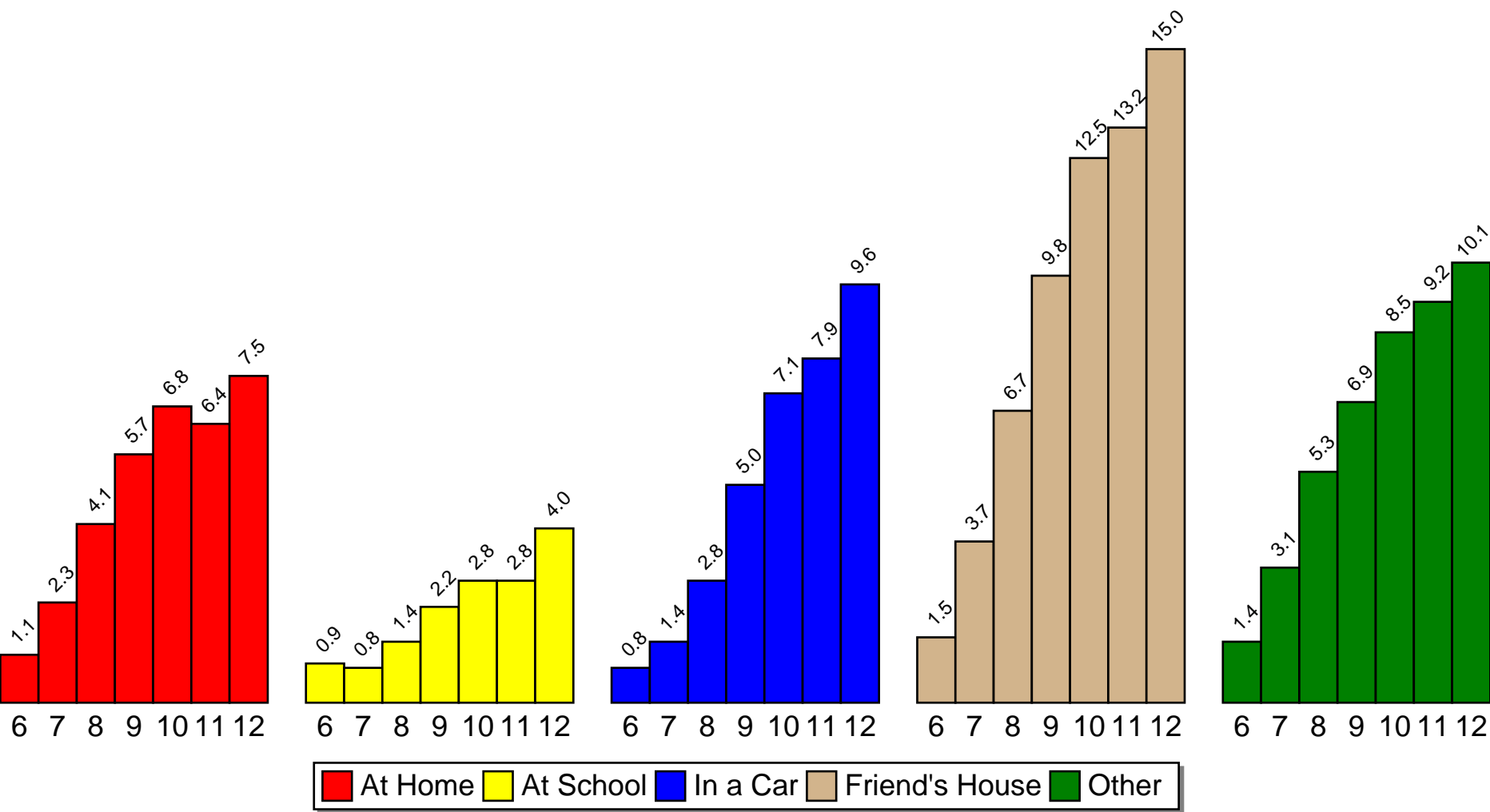
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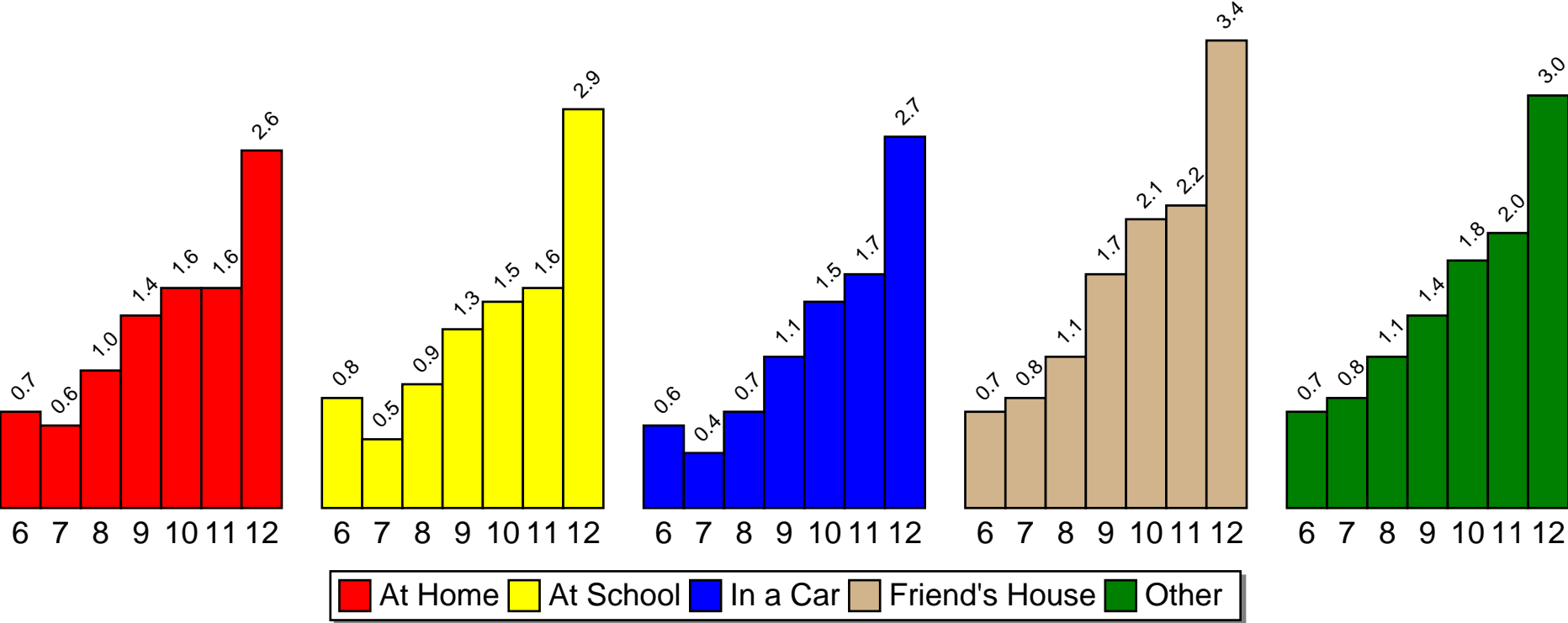
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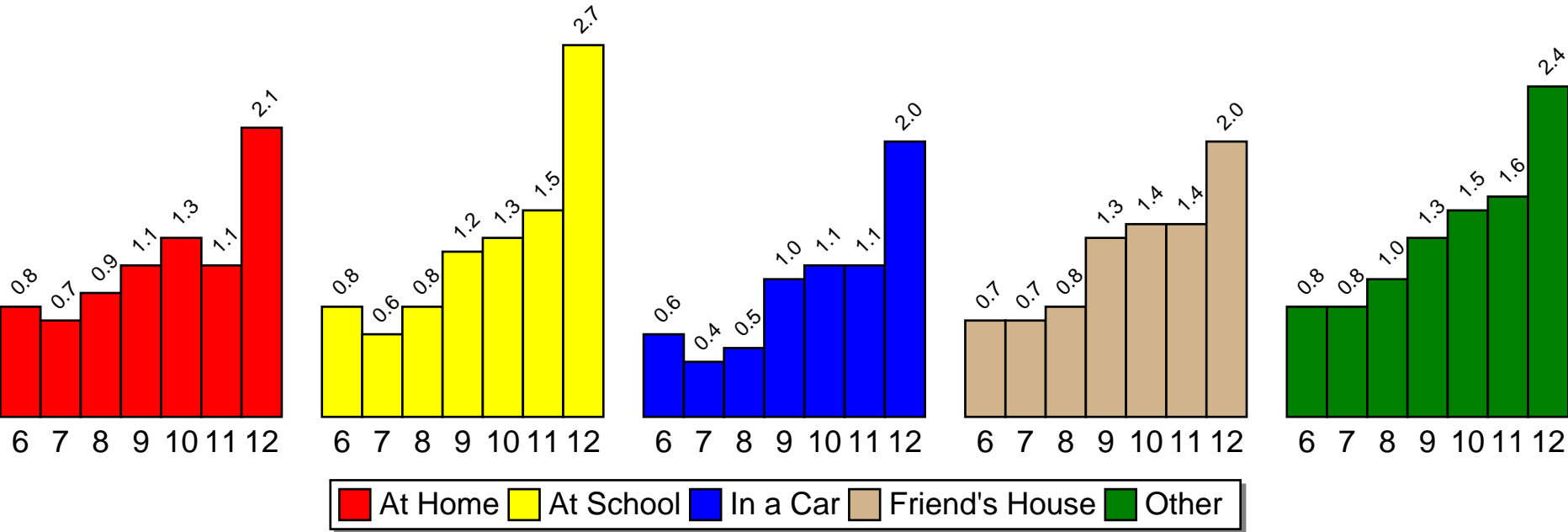
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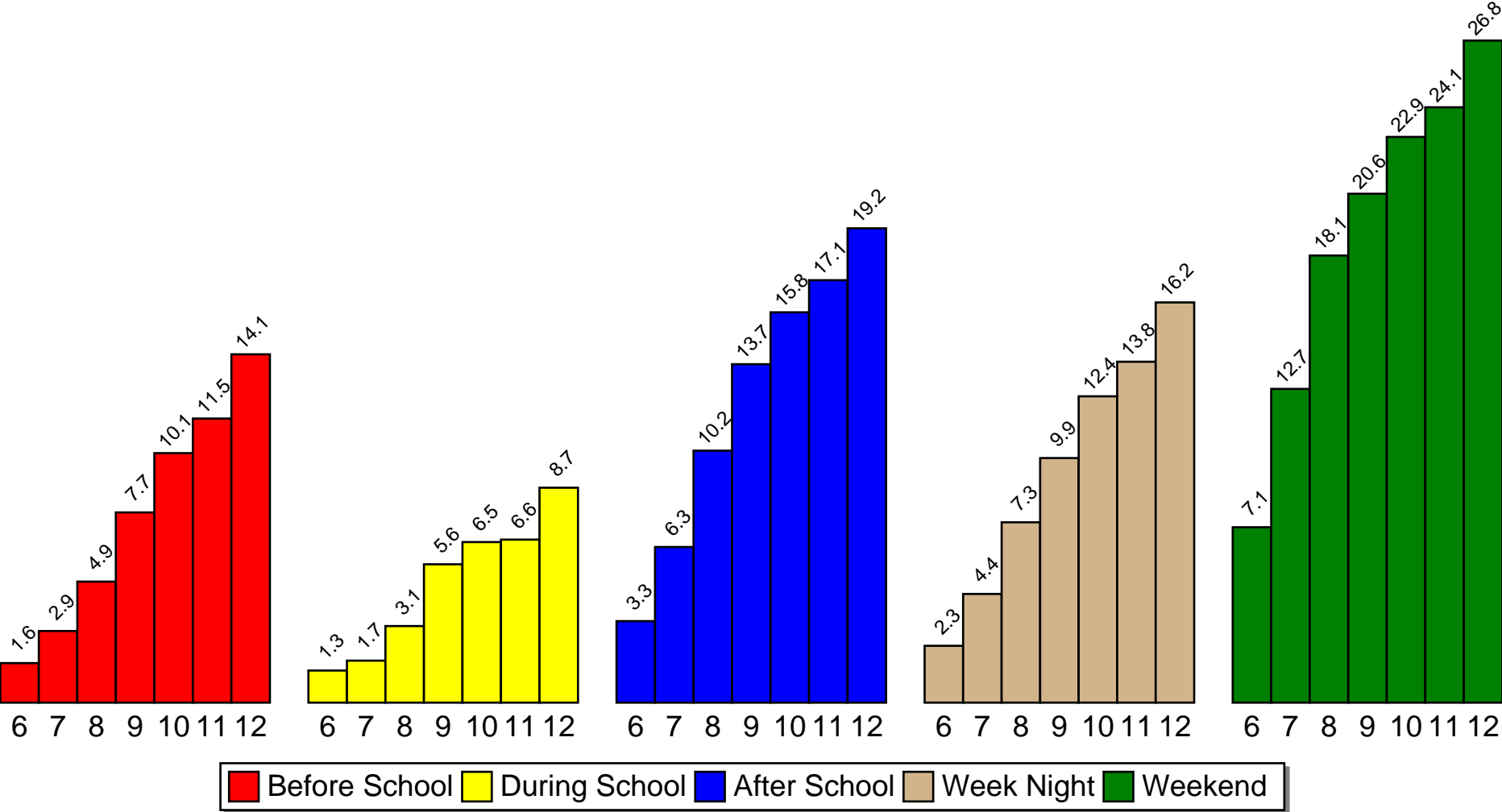
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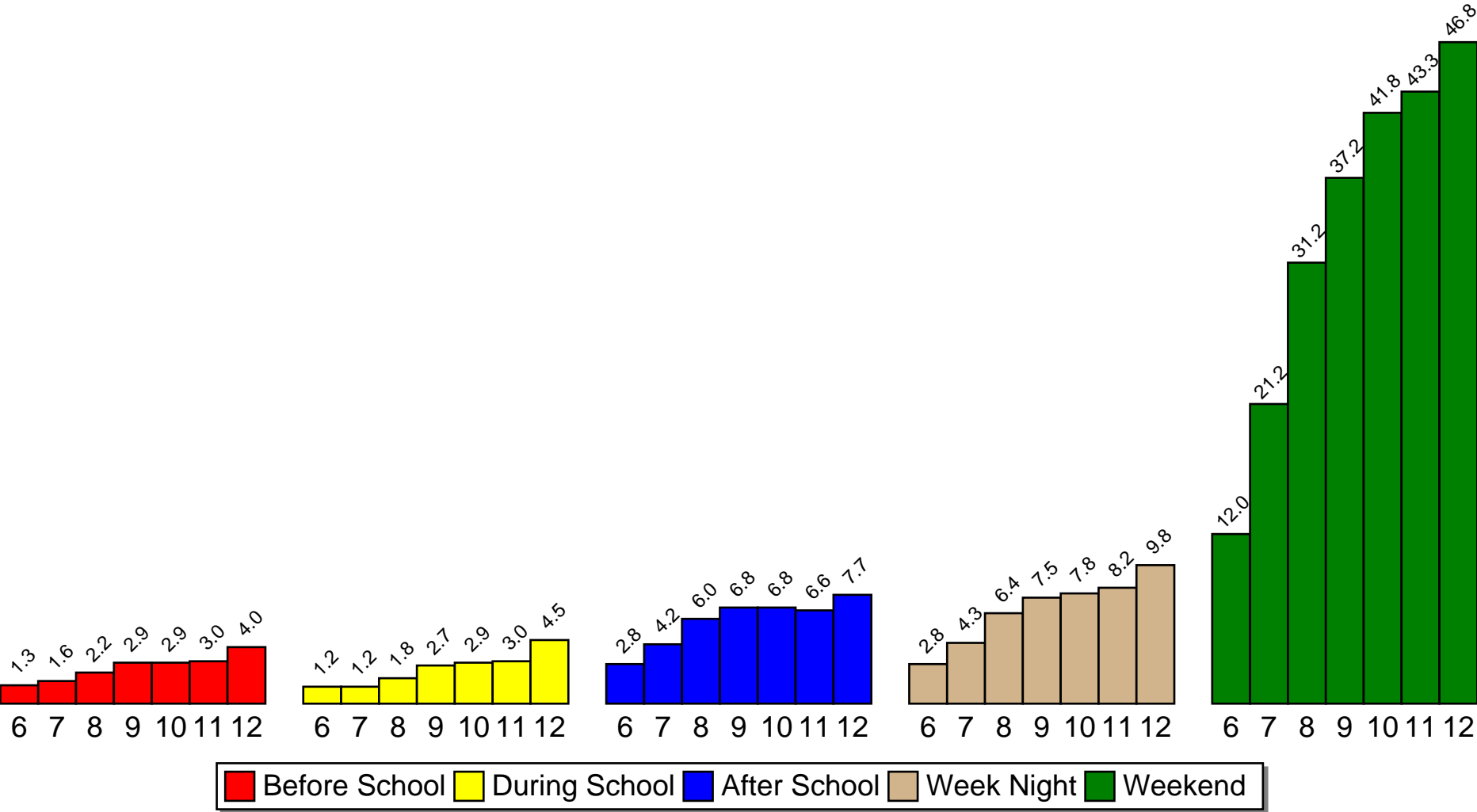
3.9 When Do You Use

When Do You Use Any Tobacco



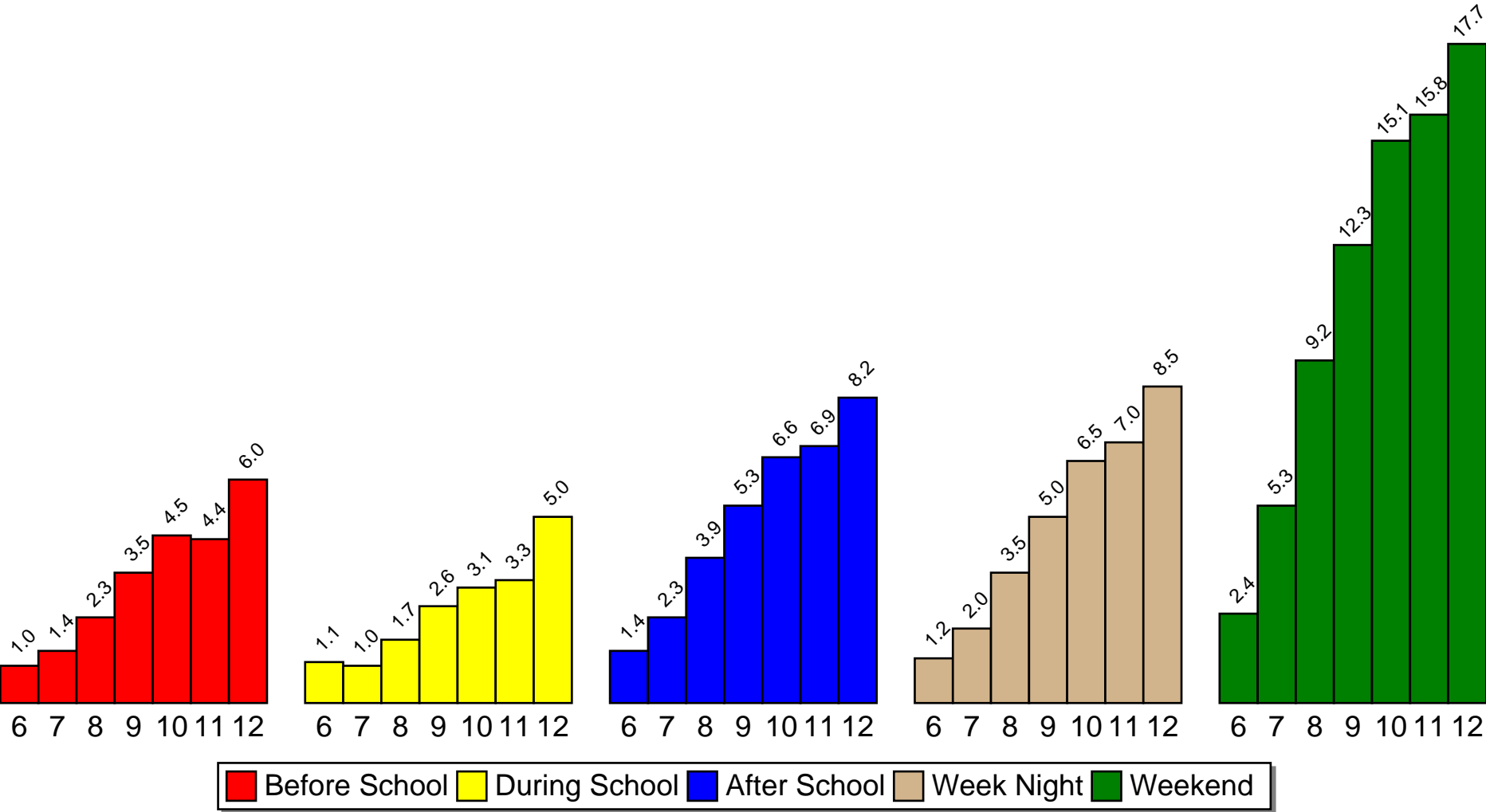
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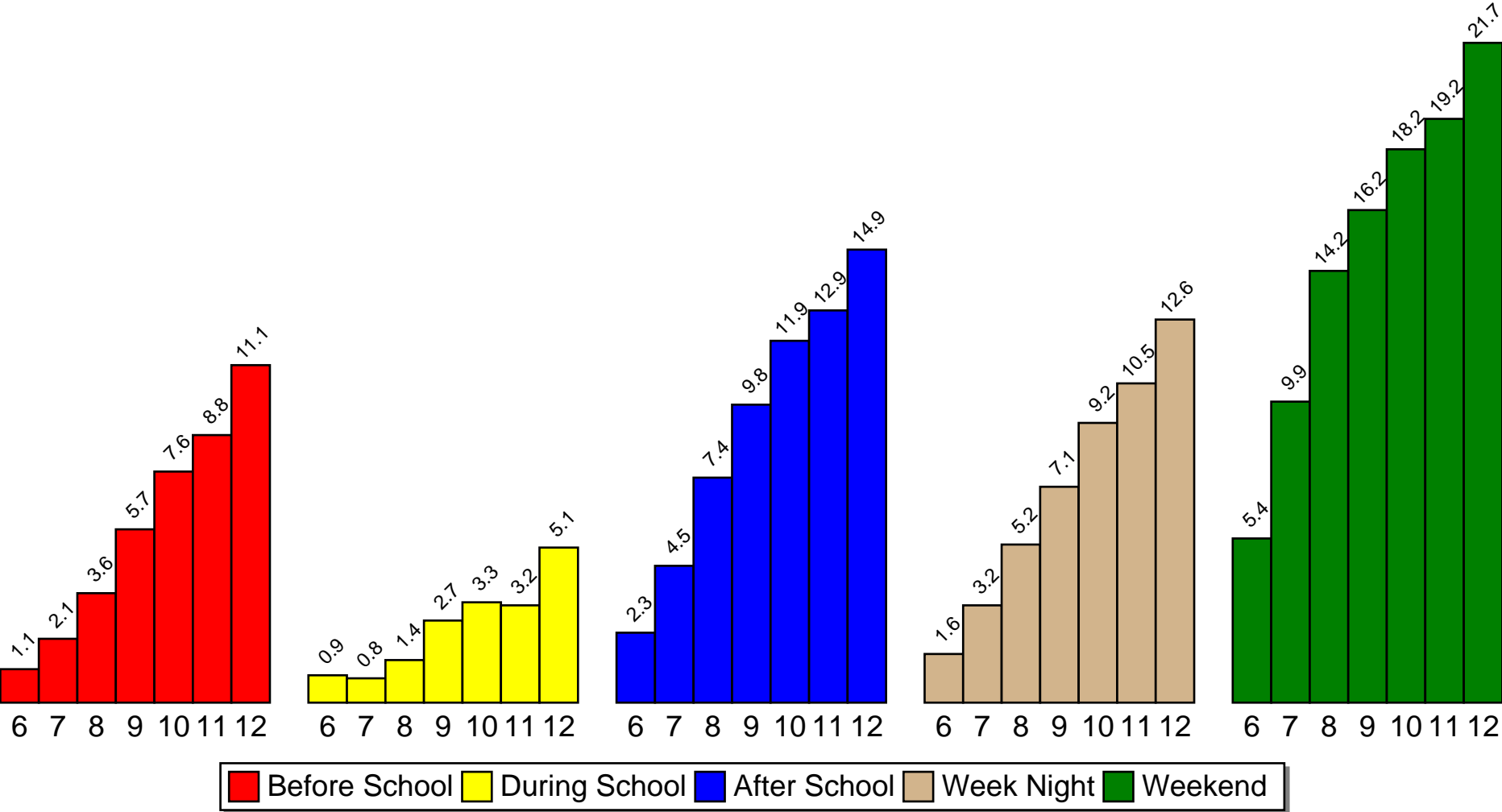
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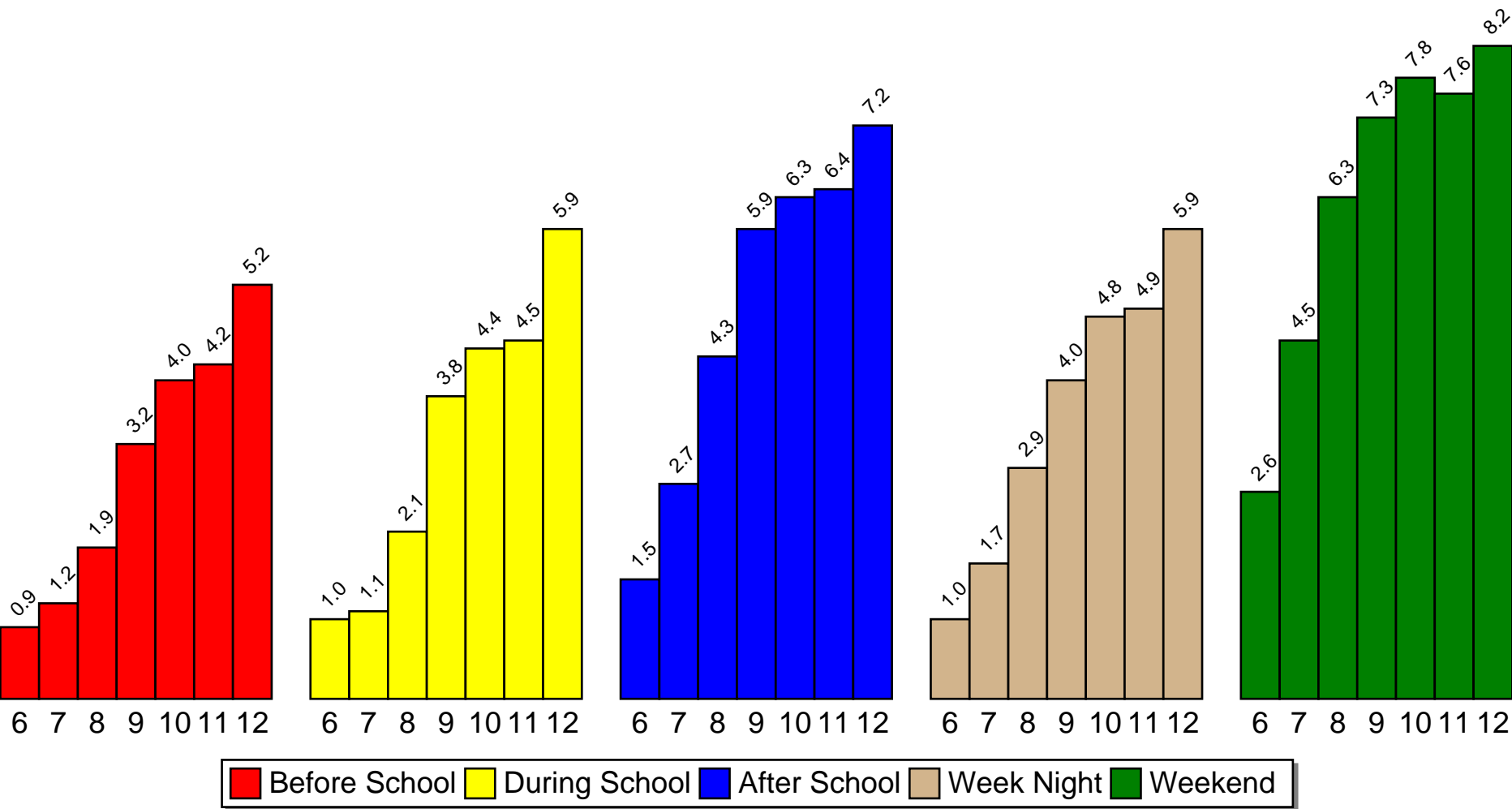
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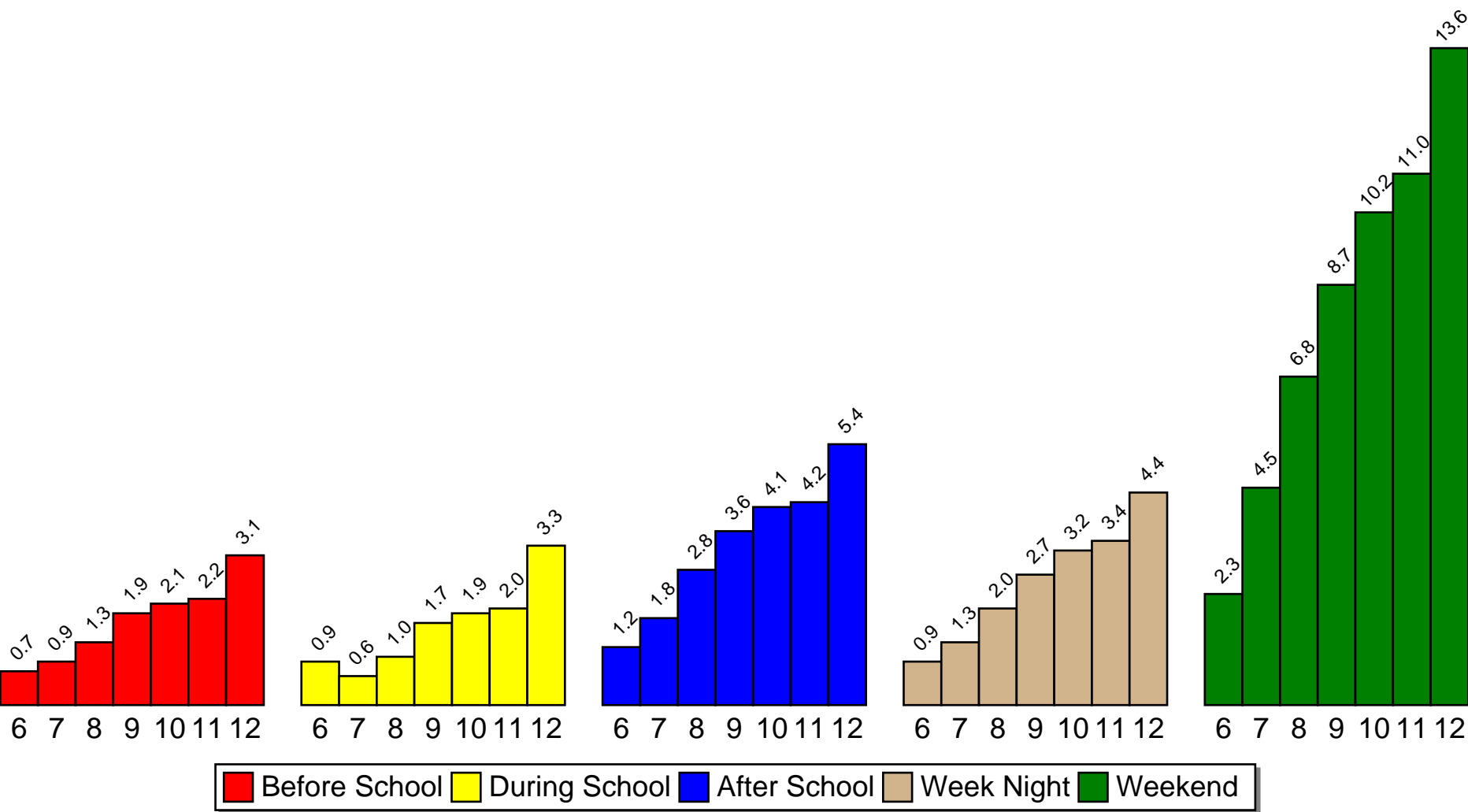
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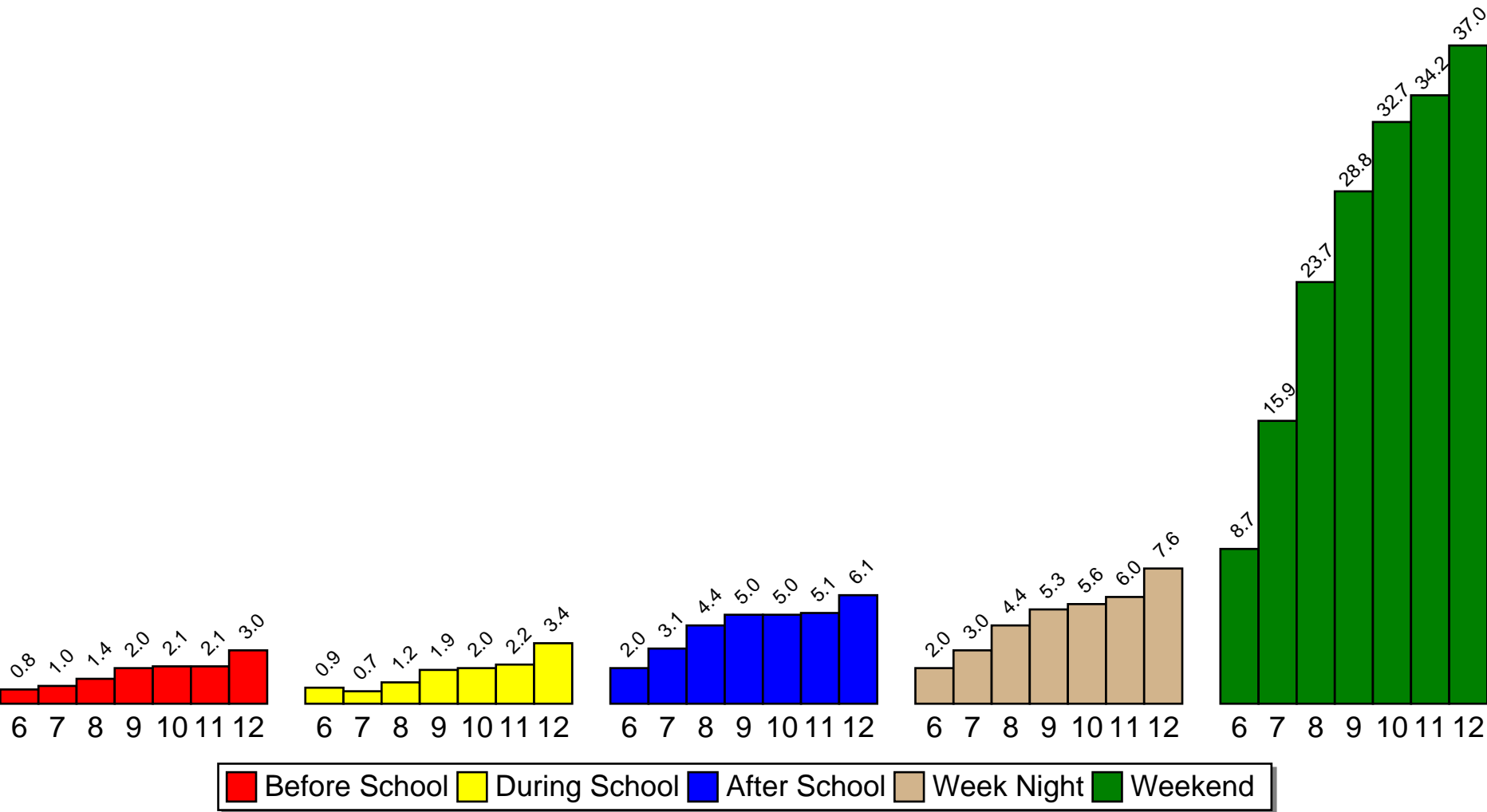
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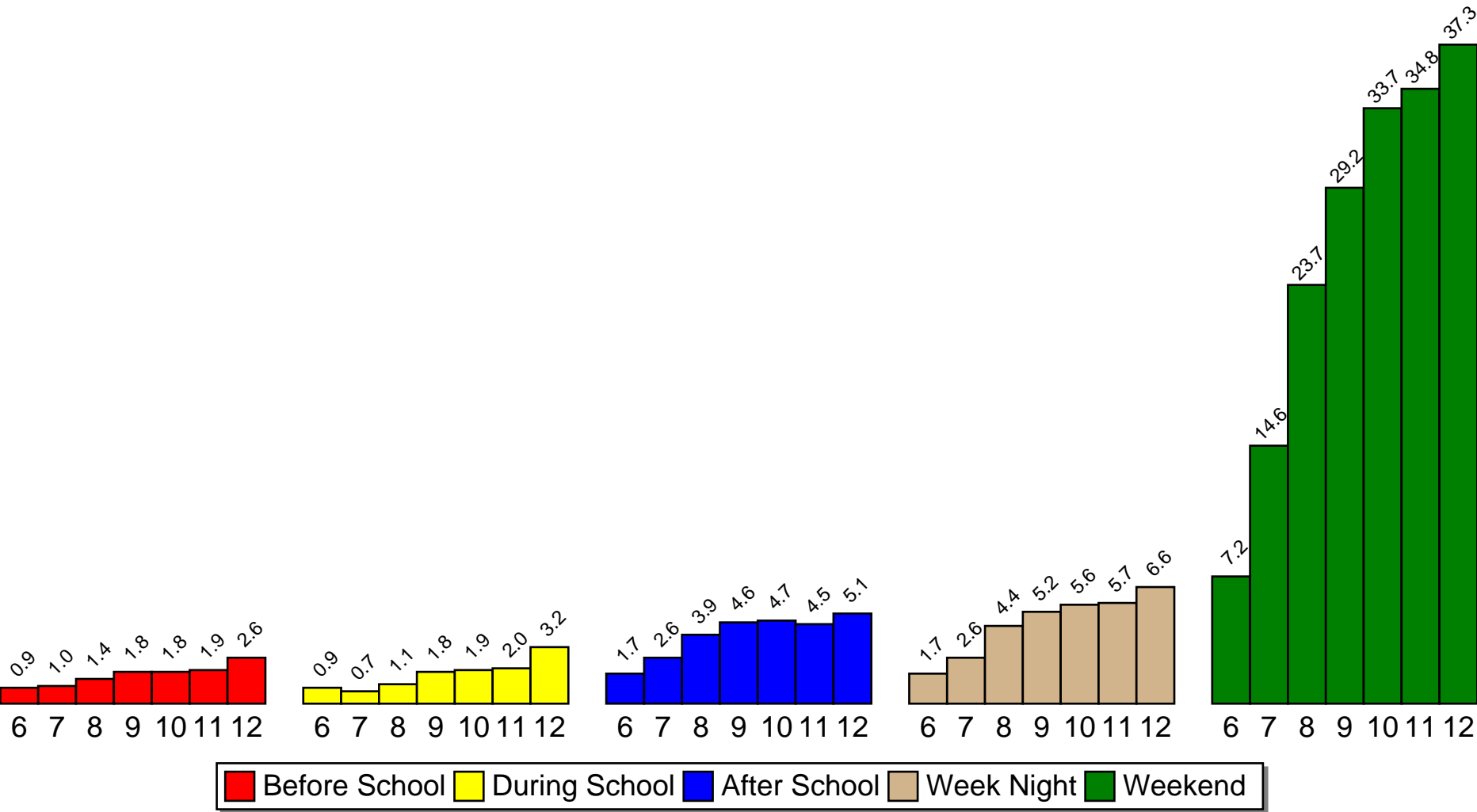
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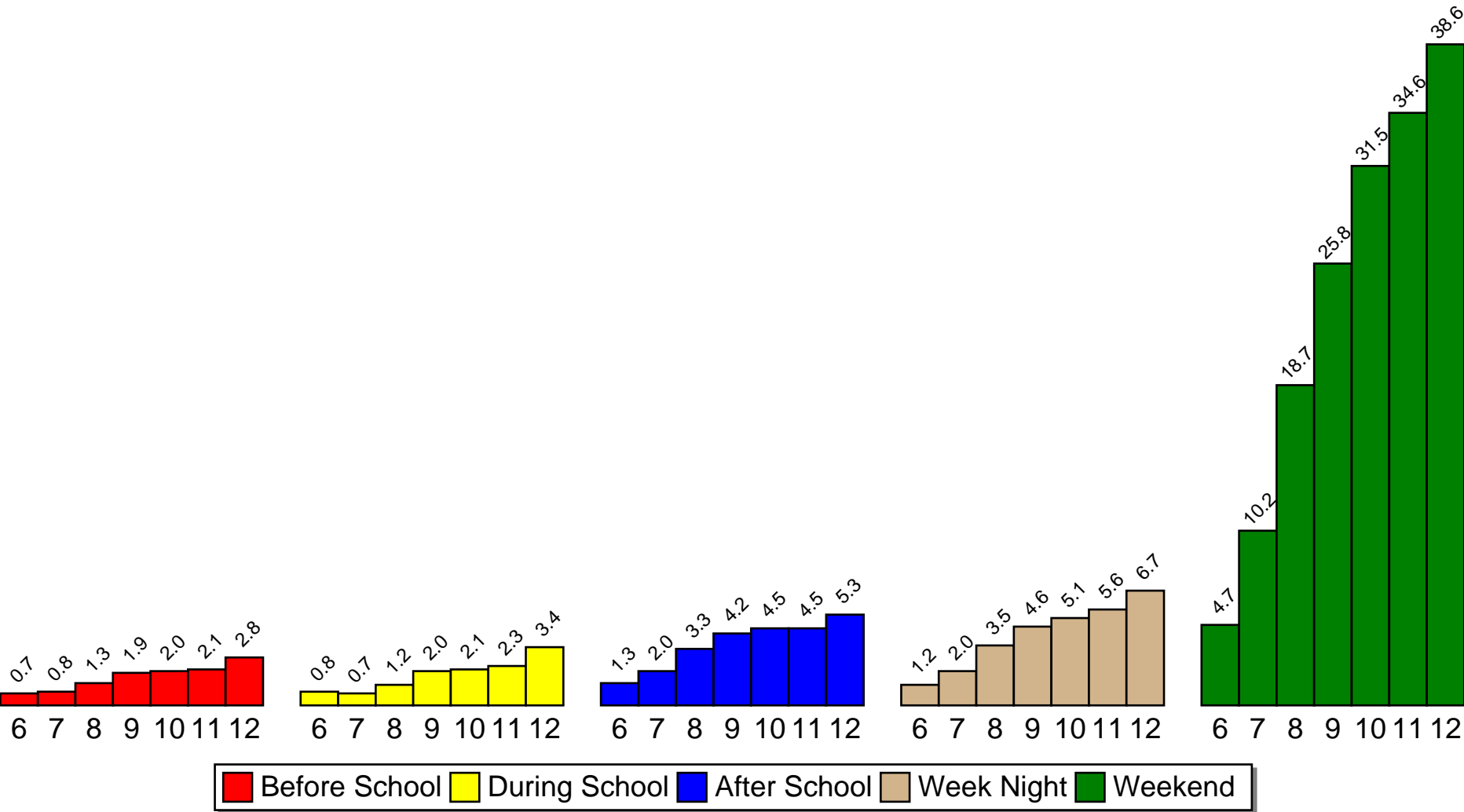
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When Do You Use Coolers, Breezers, etc.



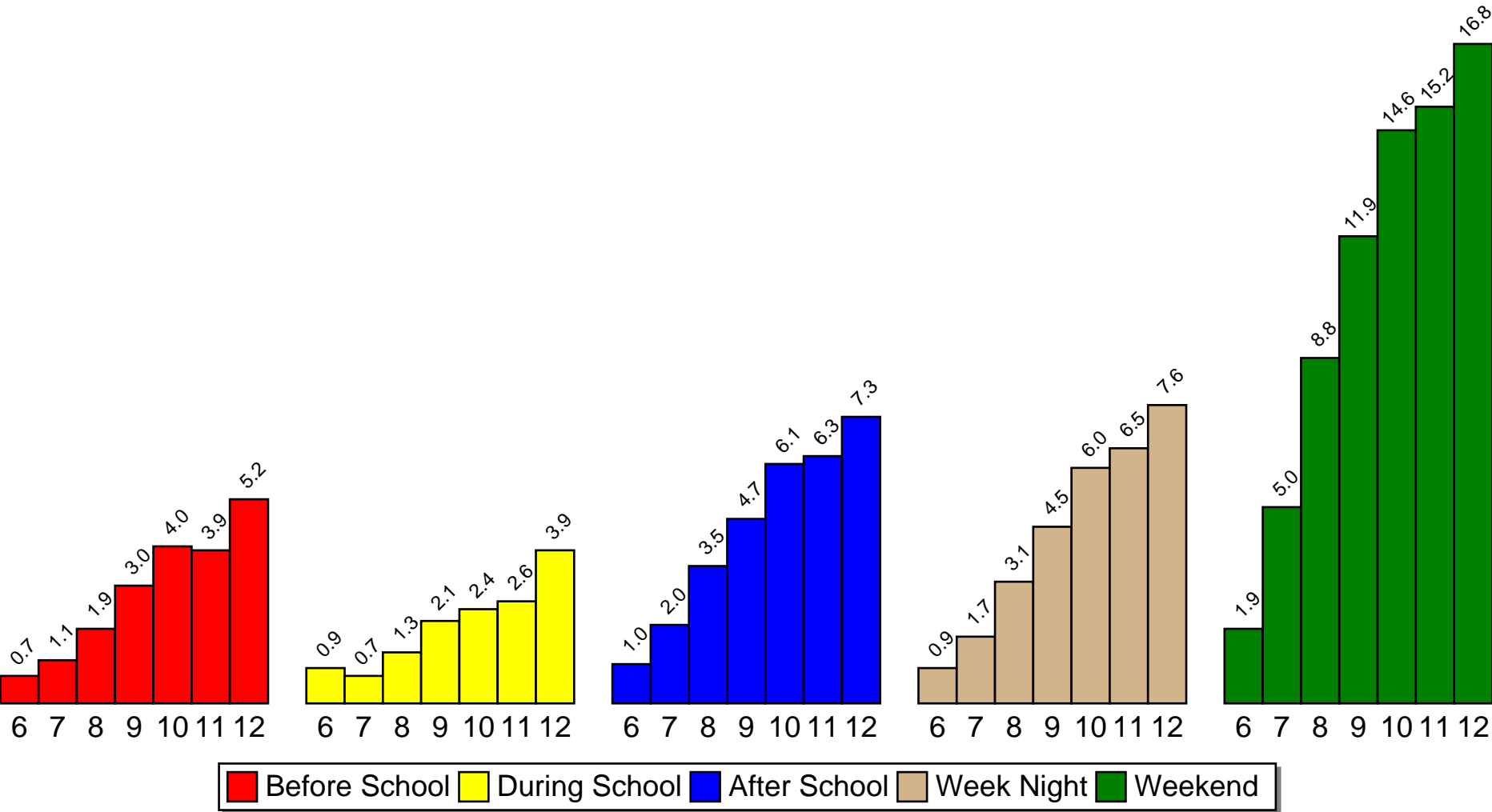
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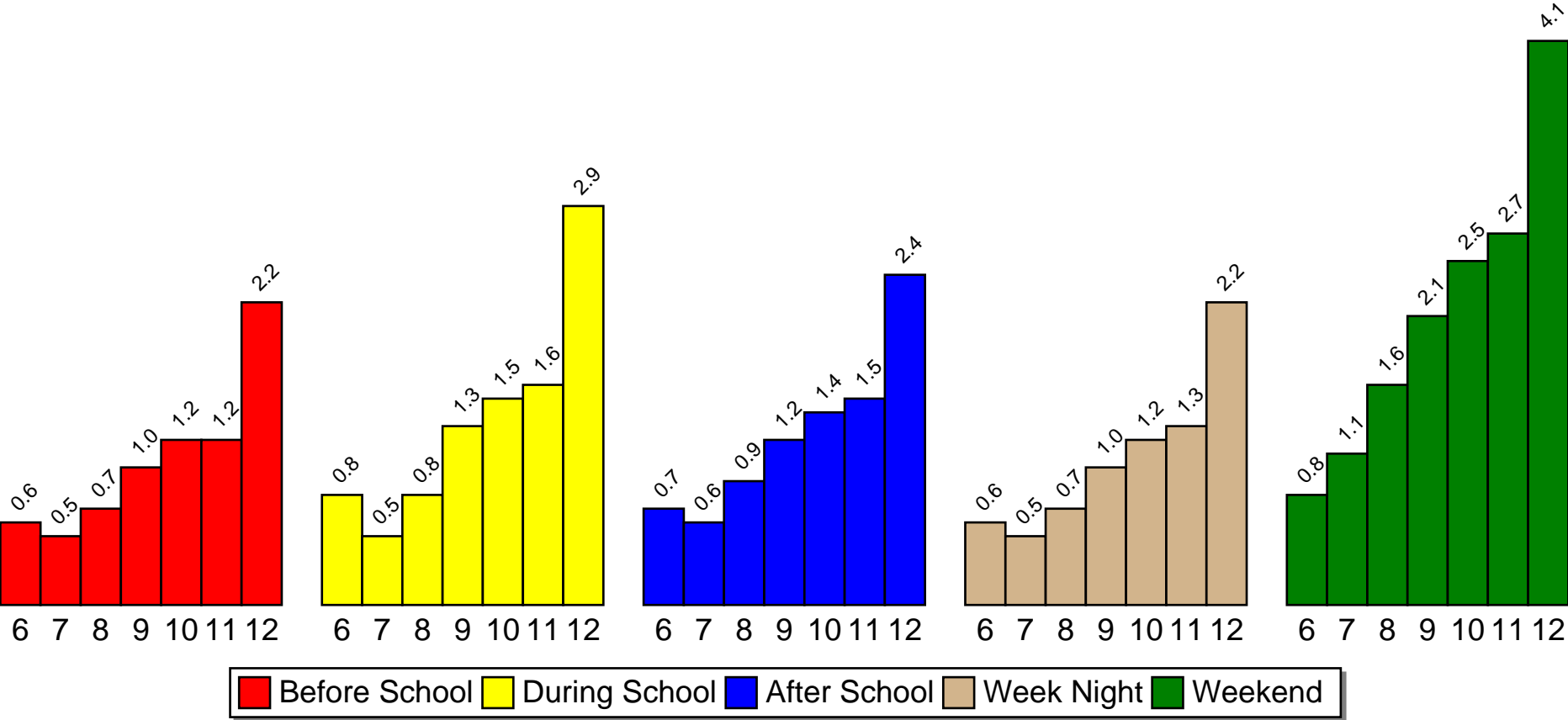
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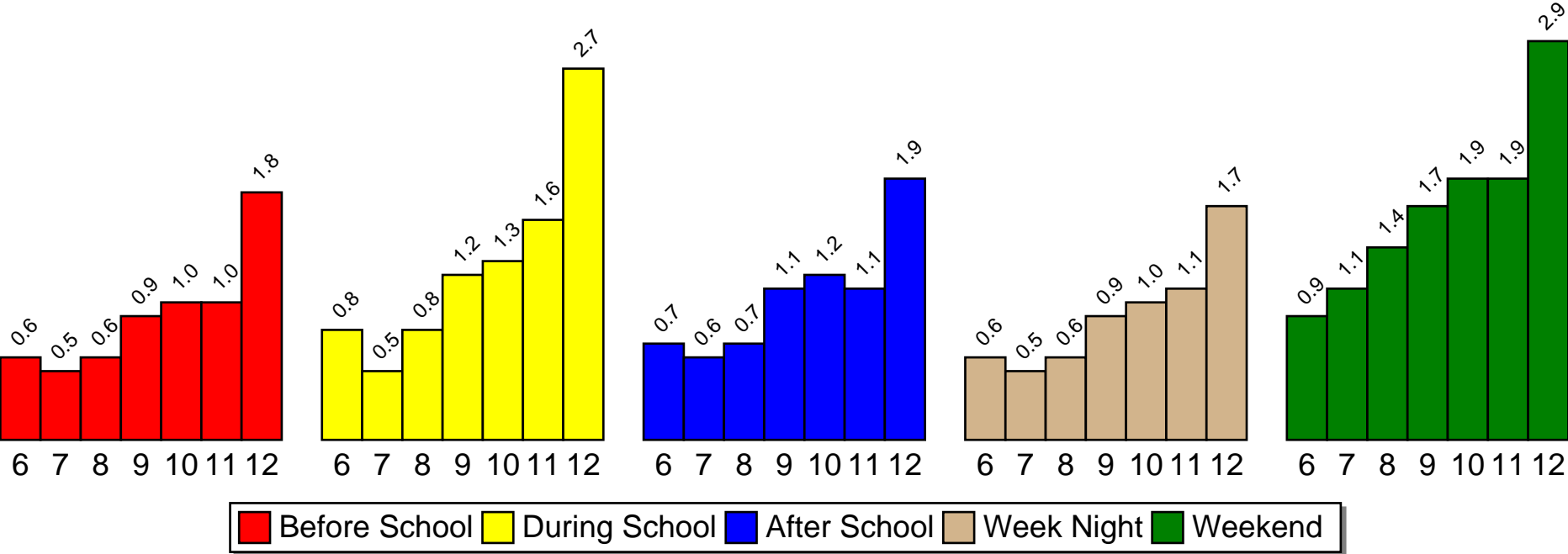
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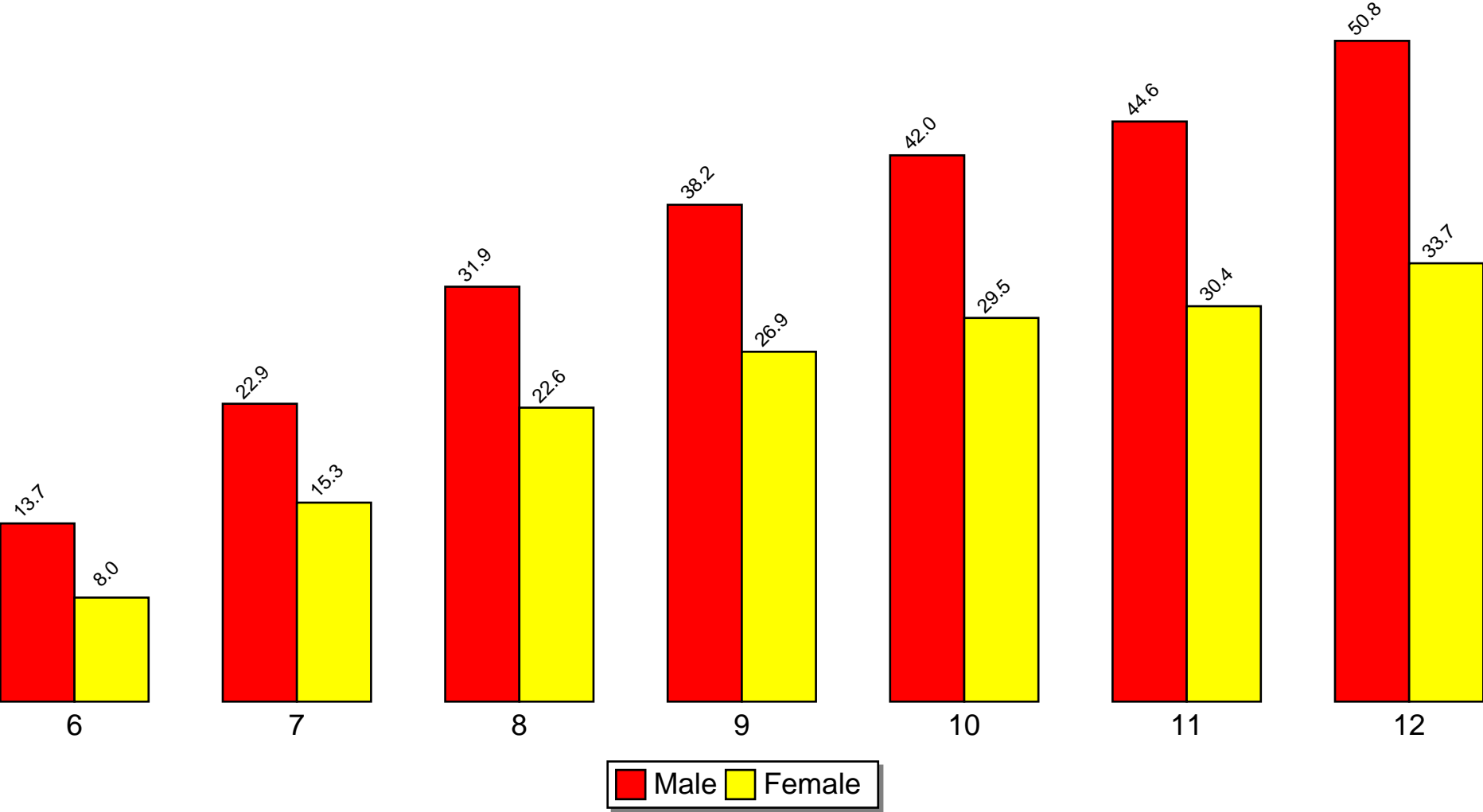
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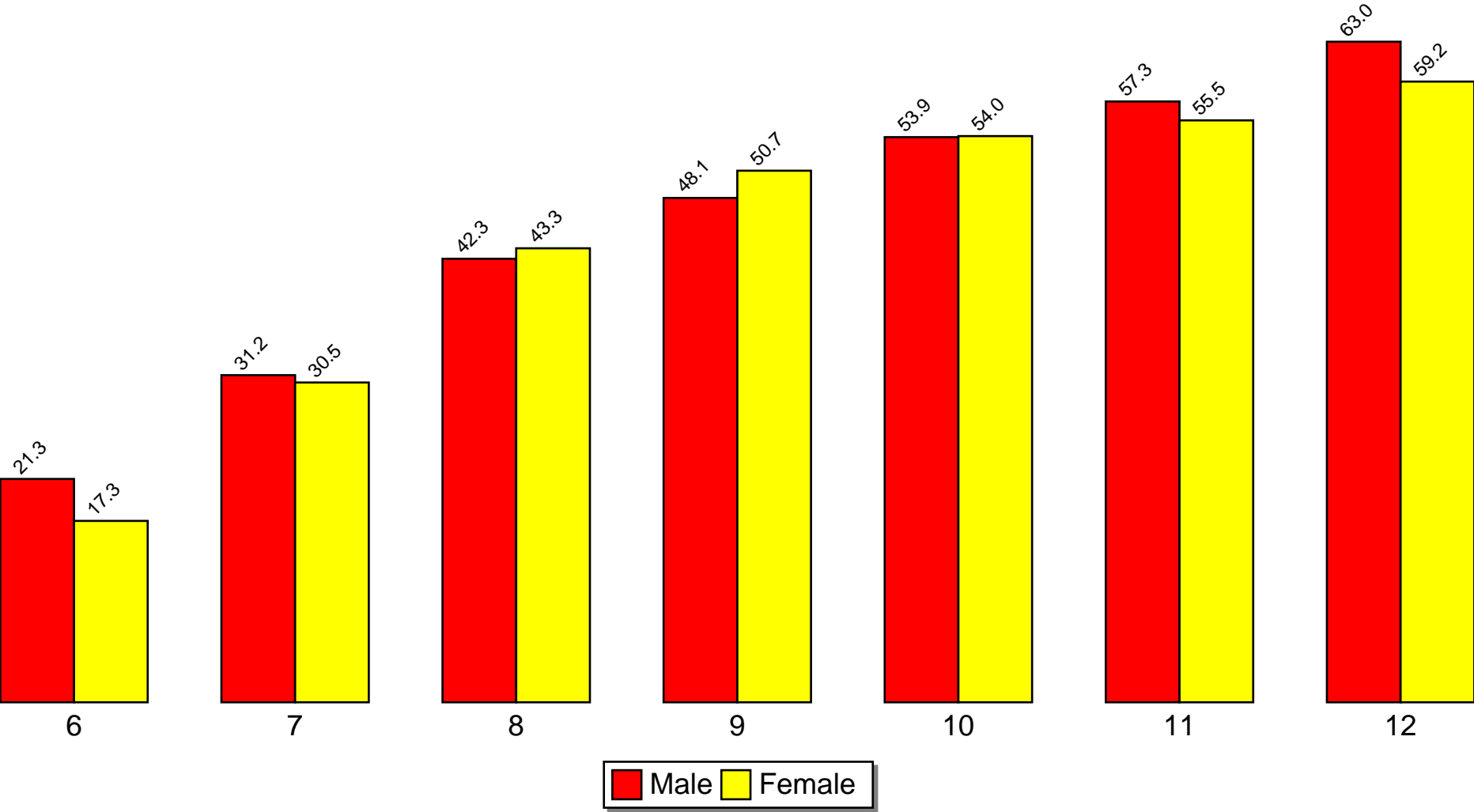
3.10 Drug Use by Gender

Use of Any Tobacco by Gender



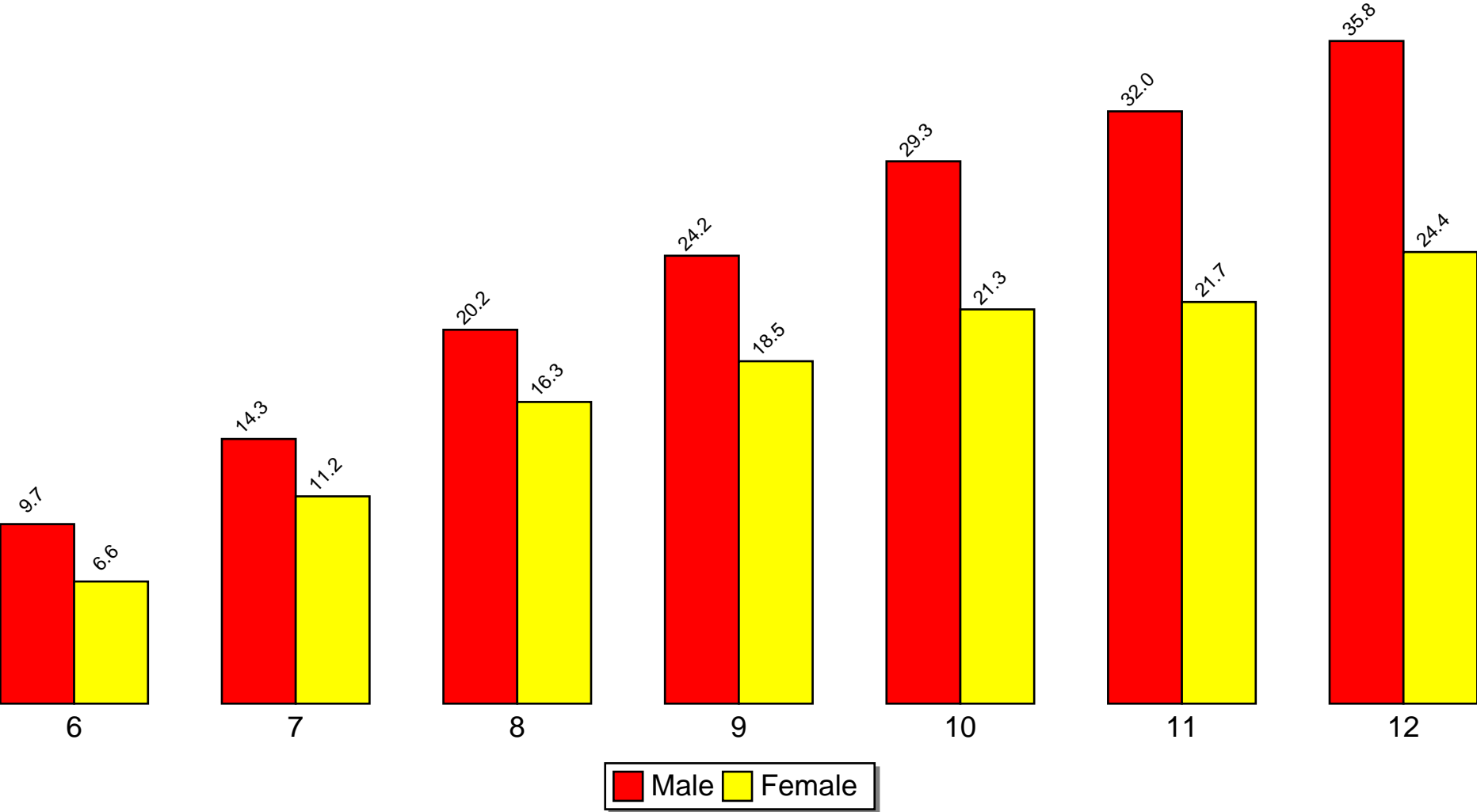
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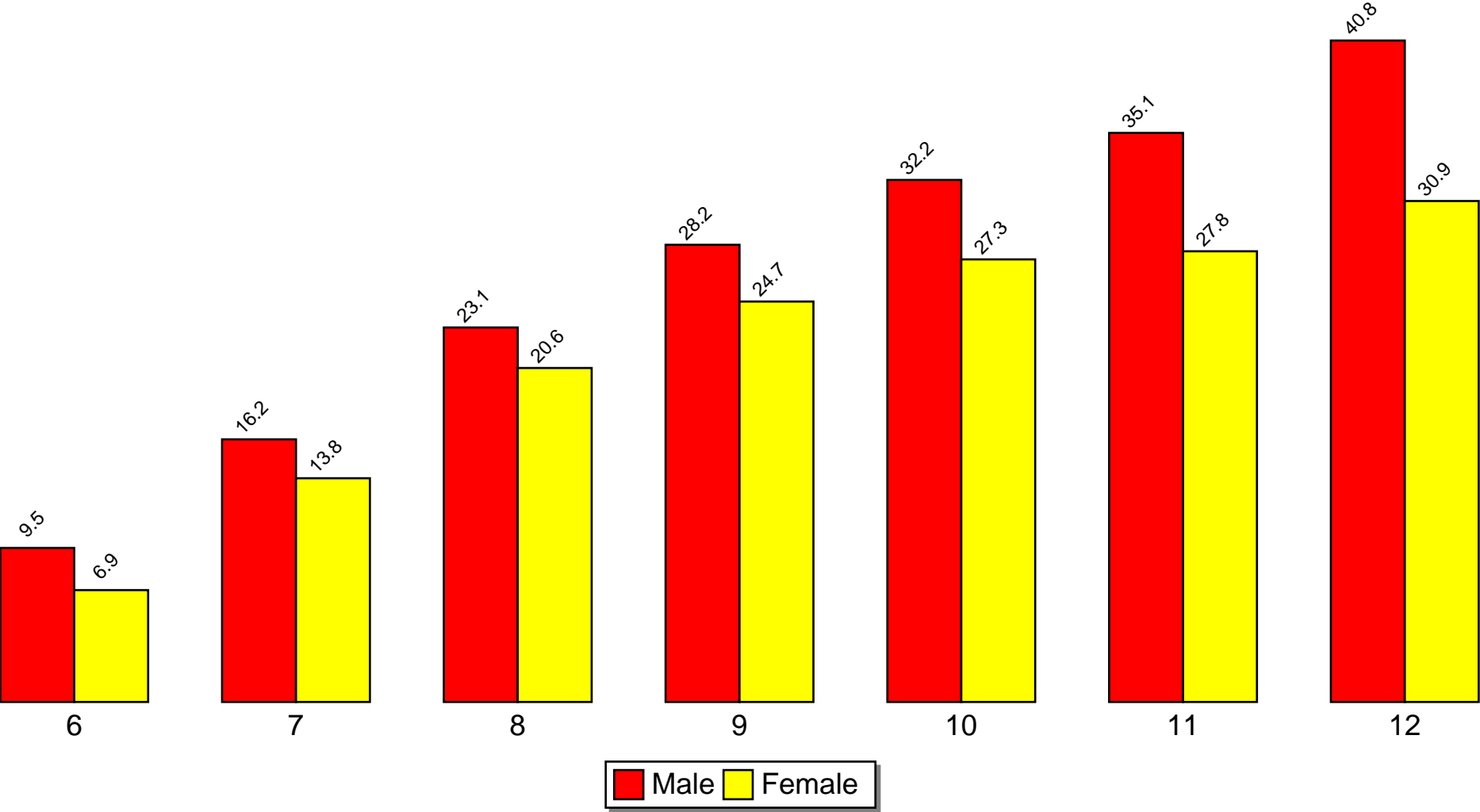
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Use of Any Illicit Drug by Gender



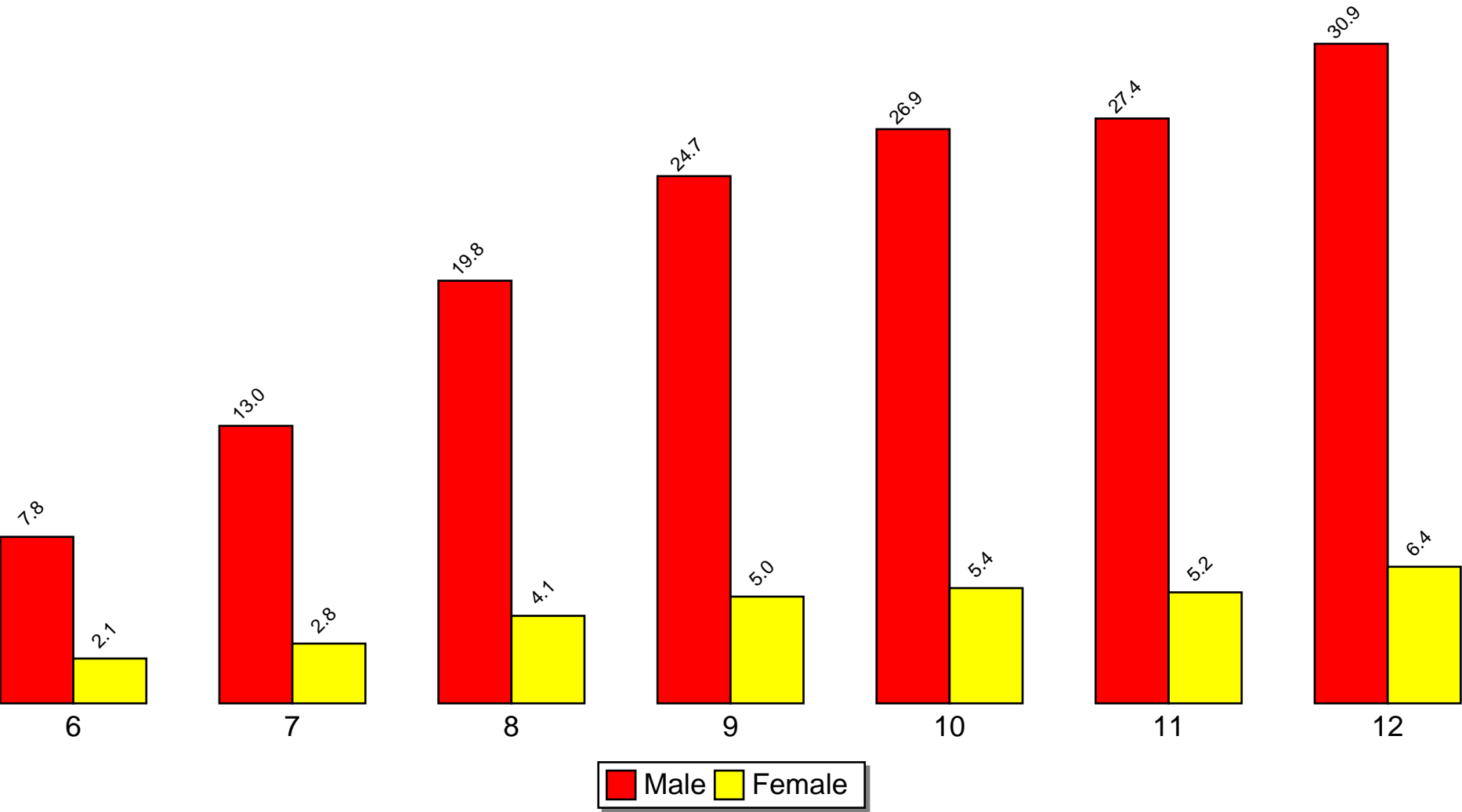
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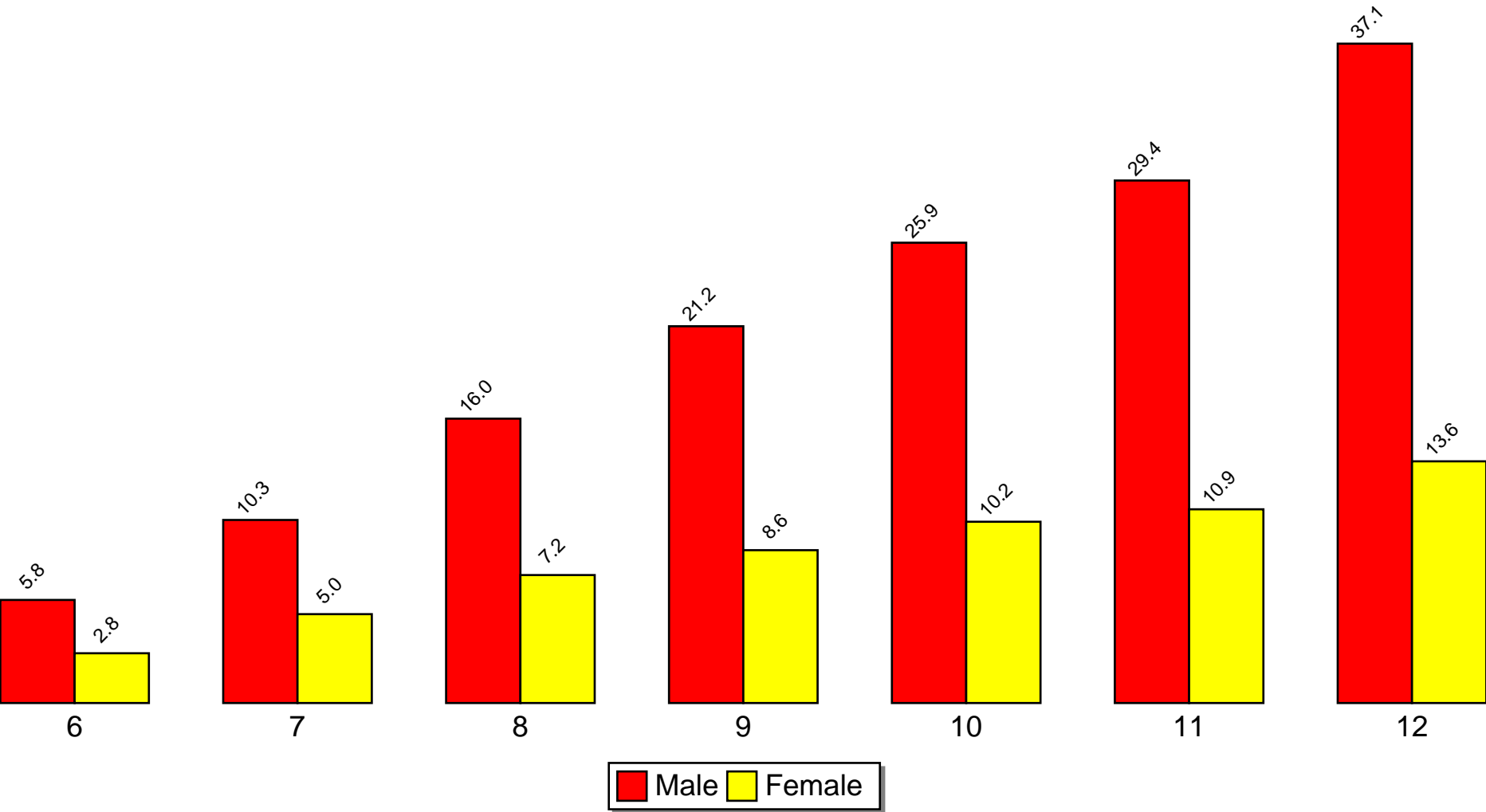
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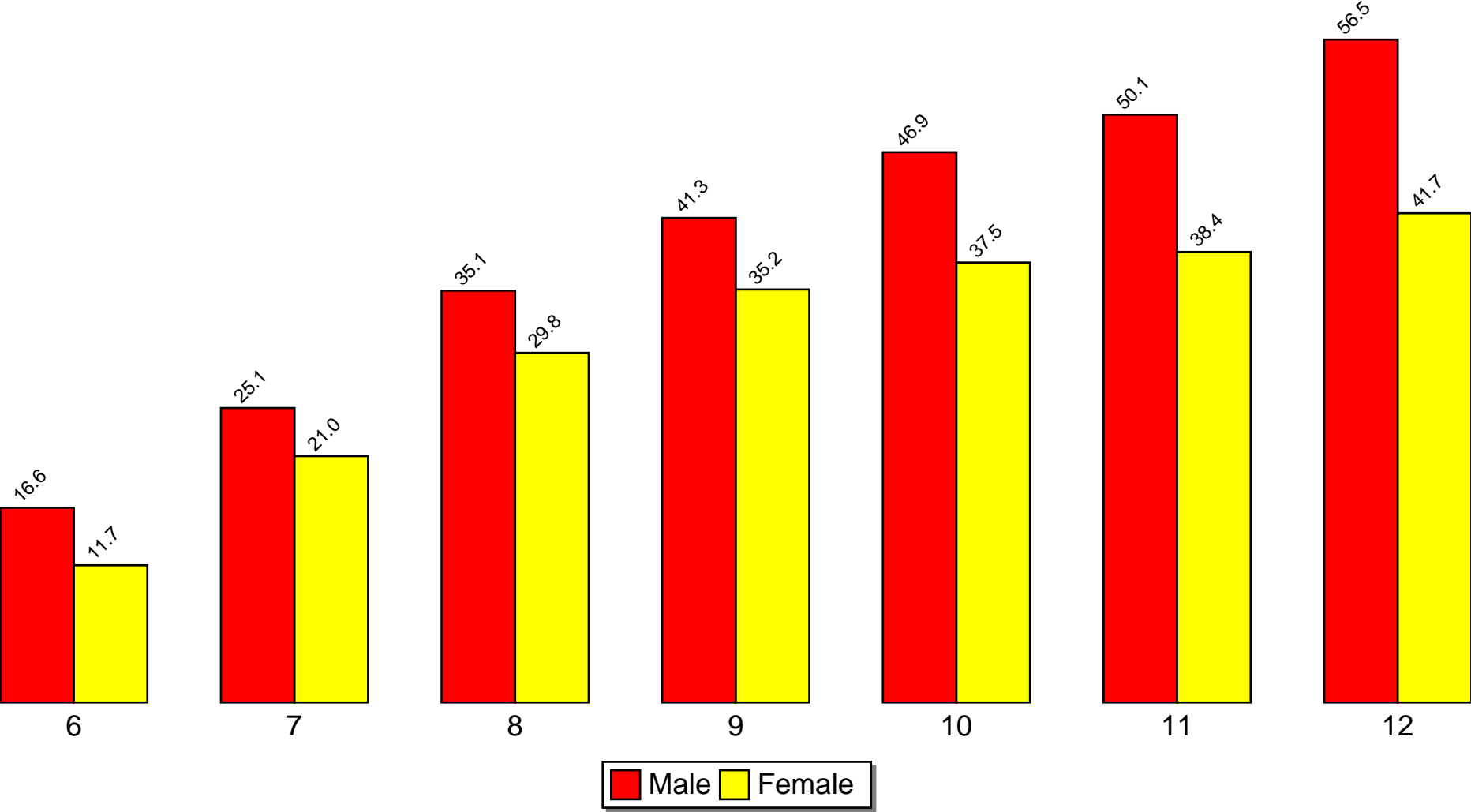
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Use of Cigars by Gender



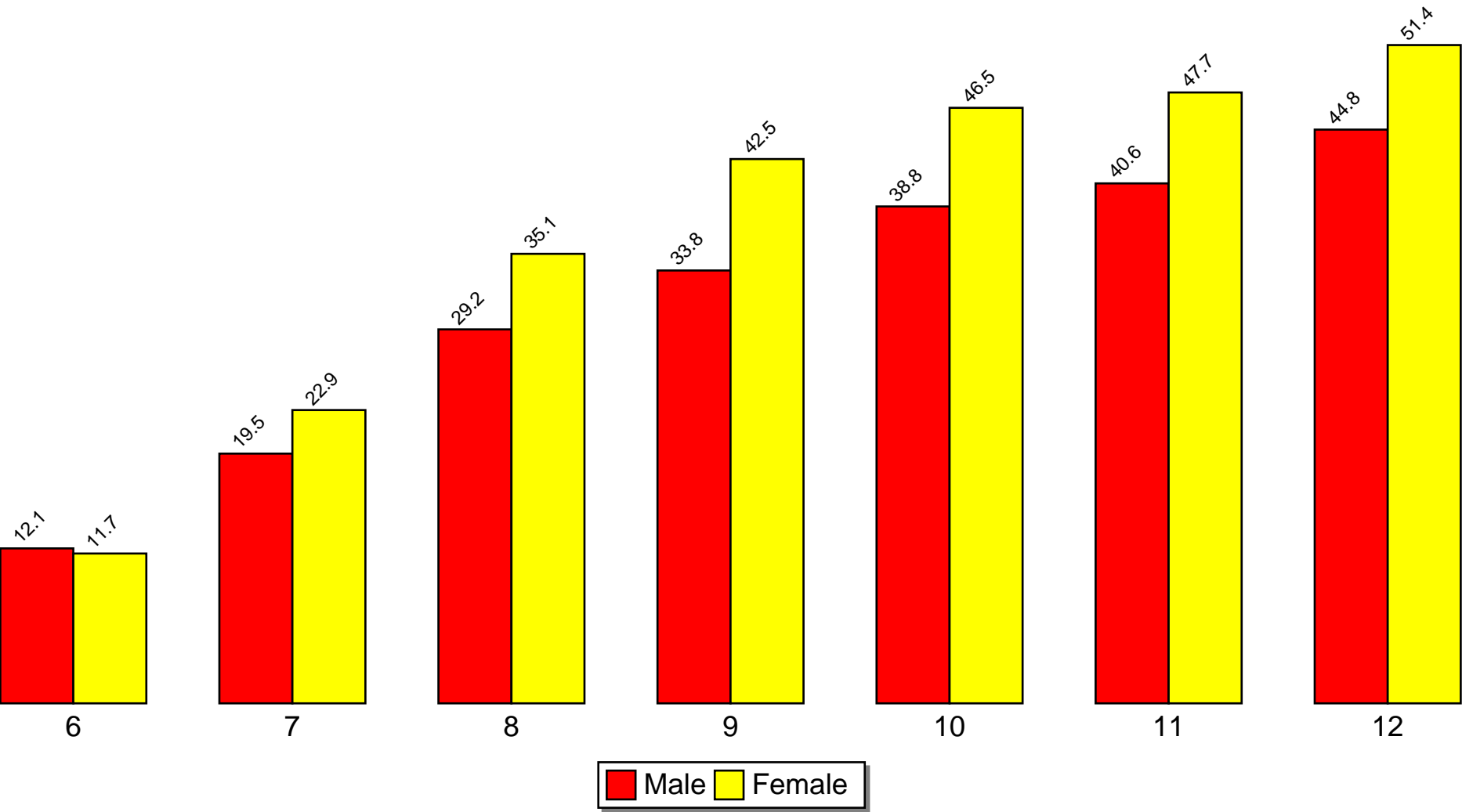
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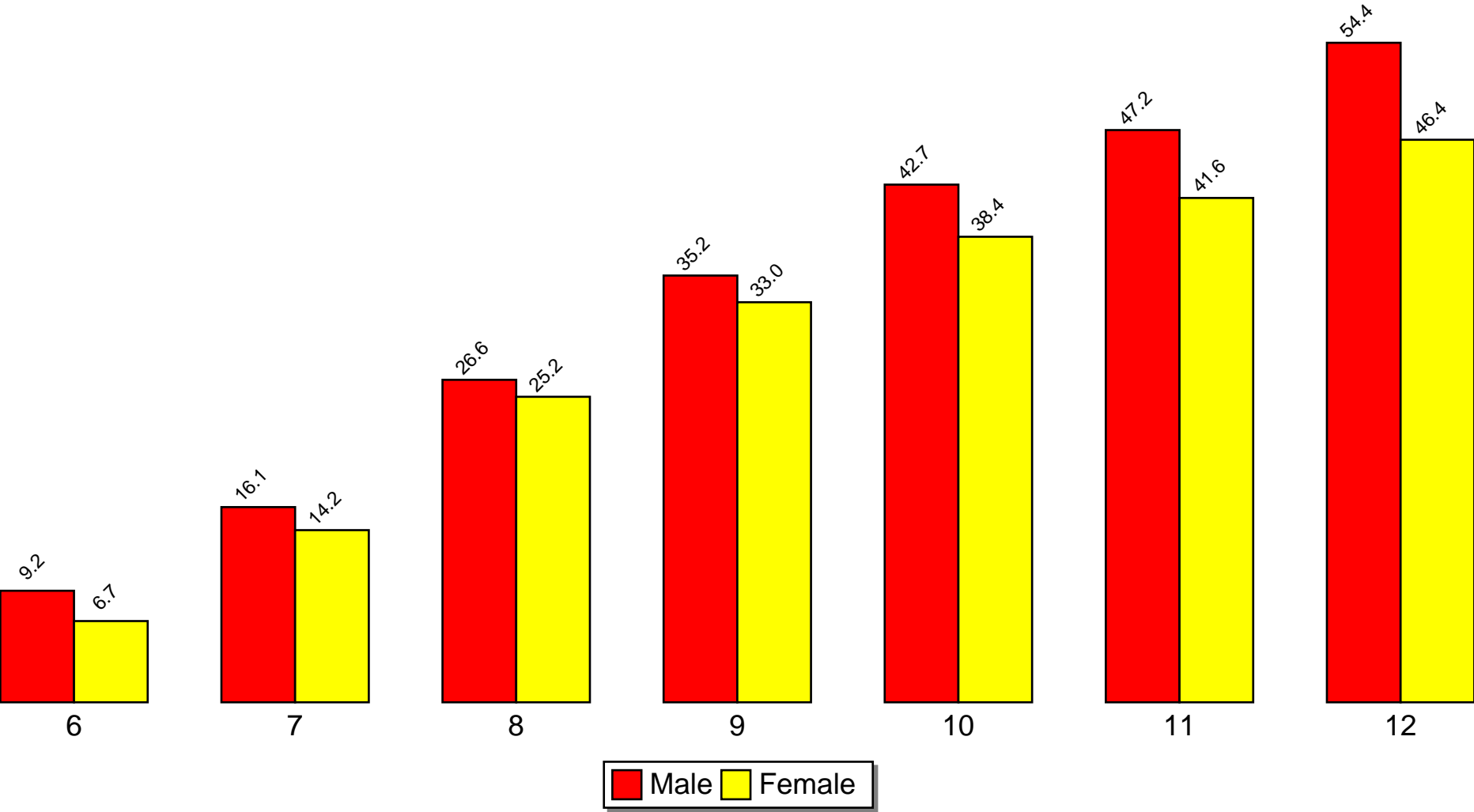
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Use of Coolers, Breezers, etc. by Gender



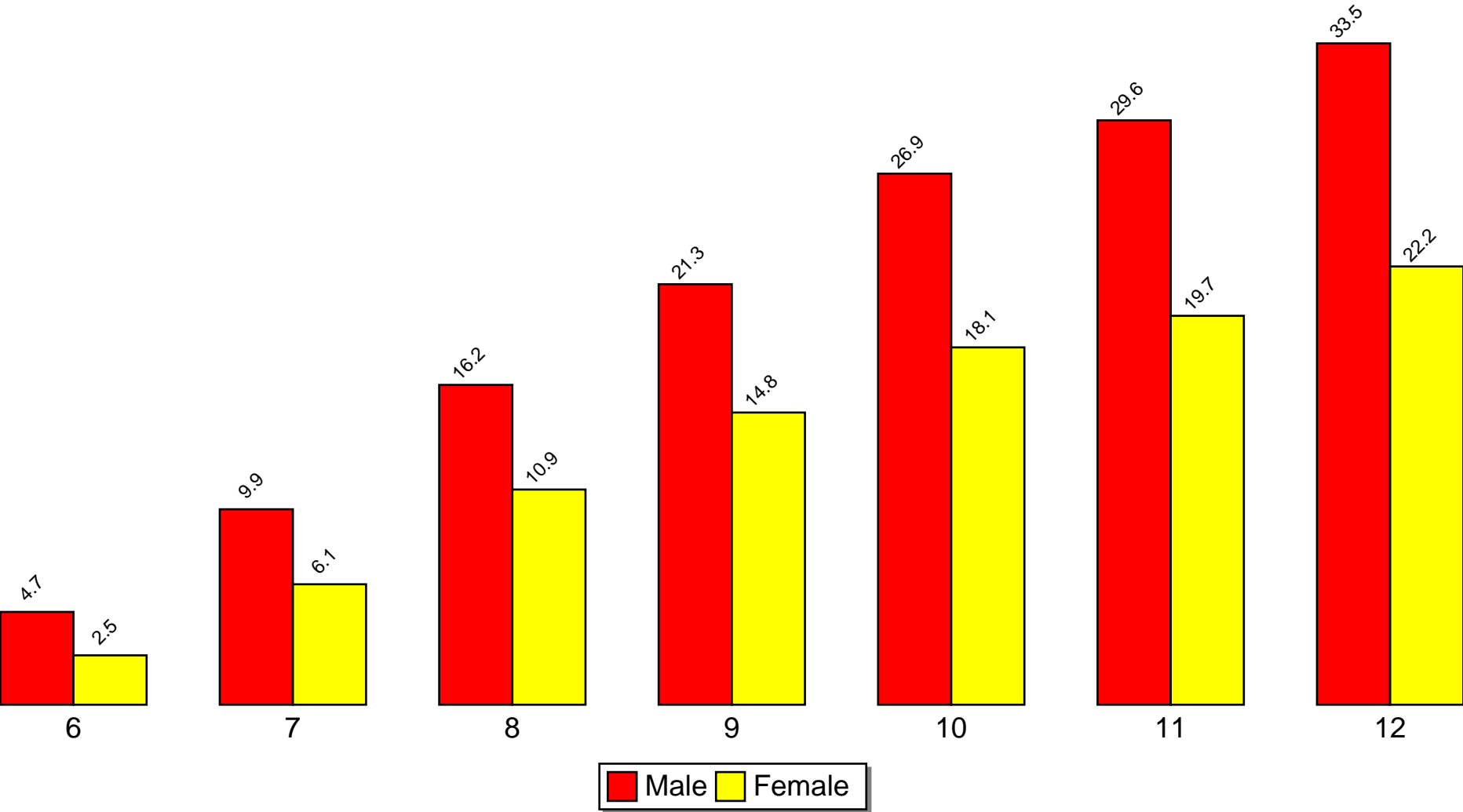
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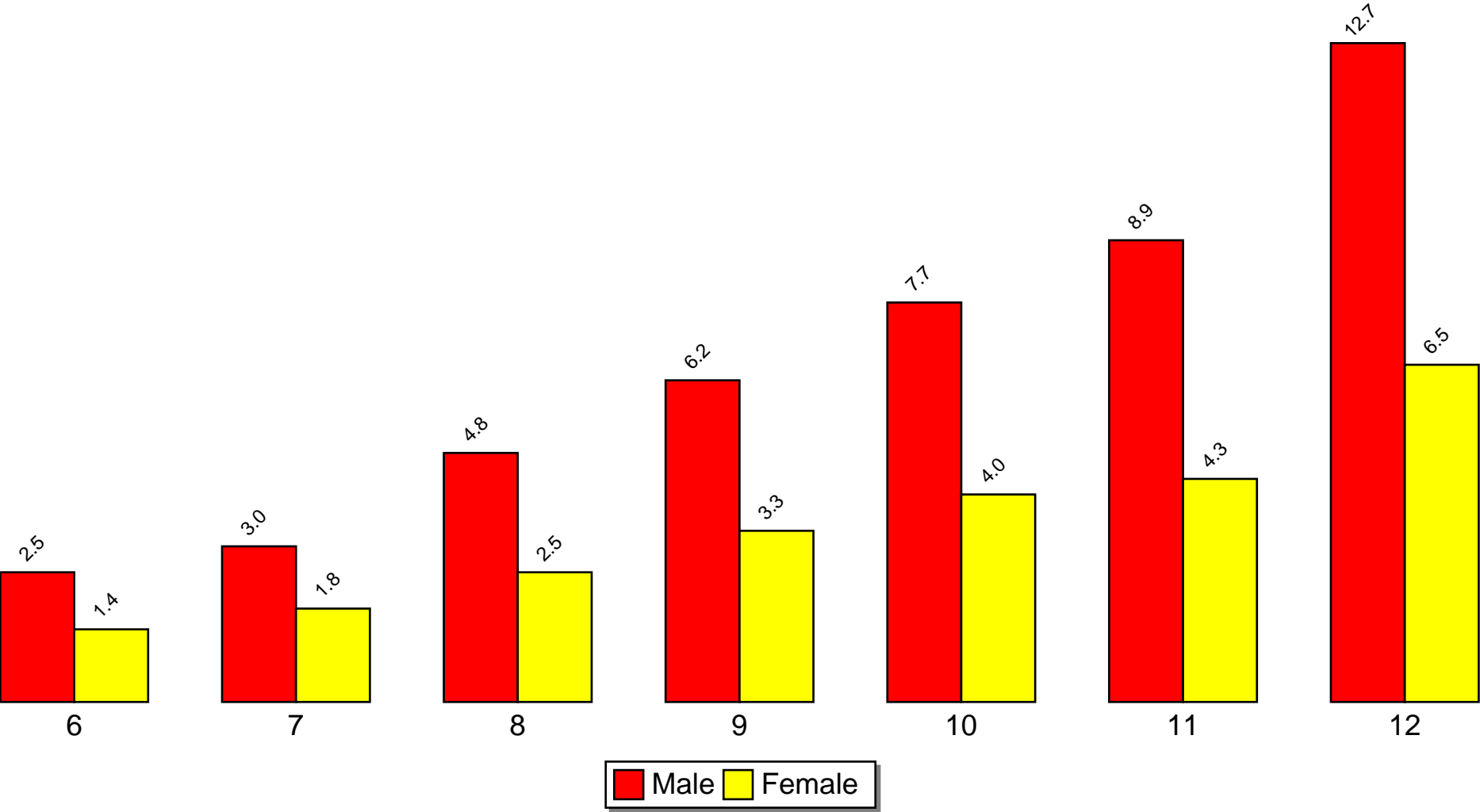
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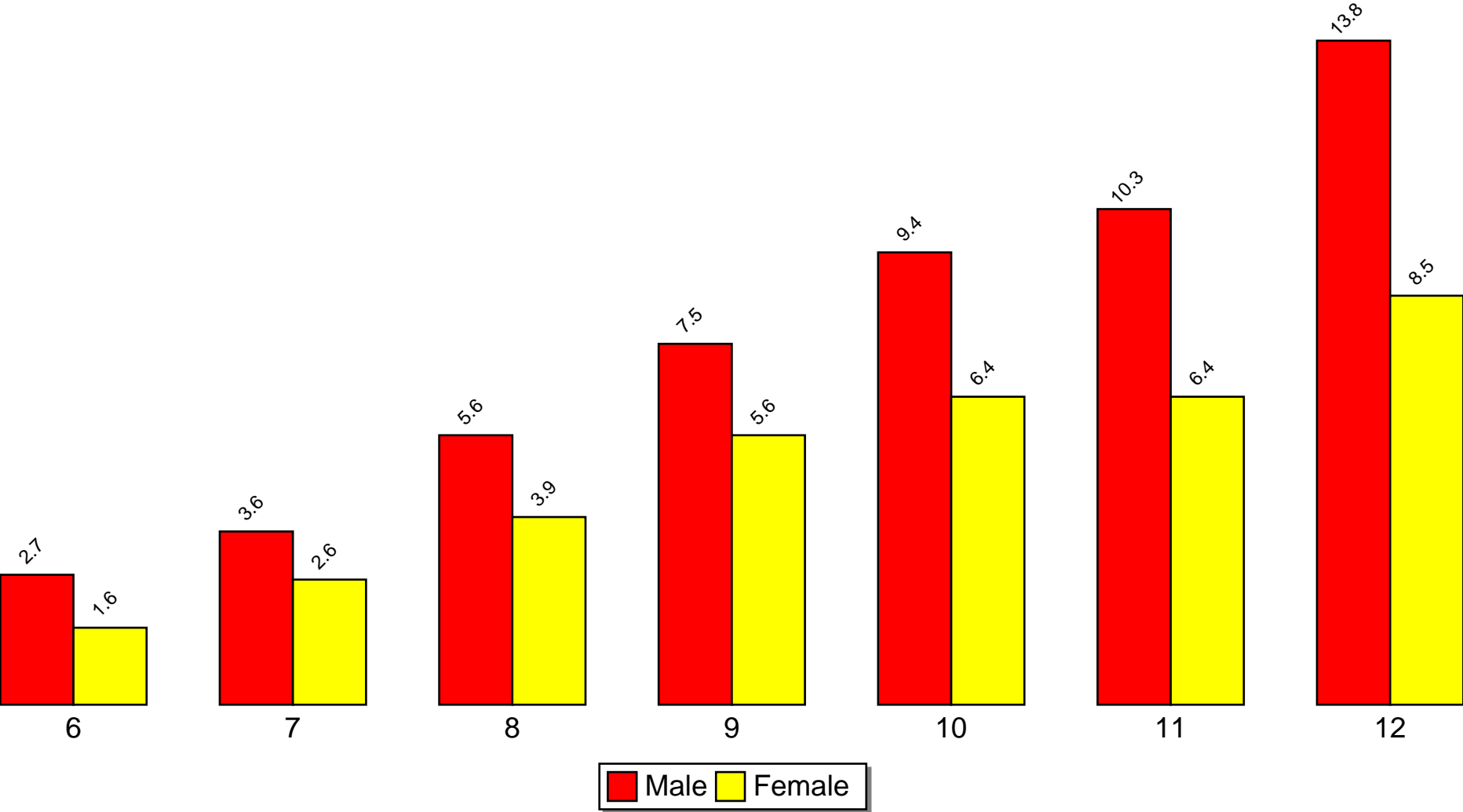
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Use of Cocaine by Gender



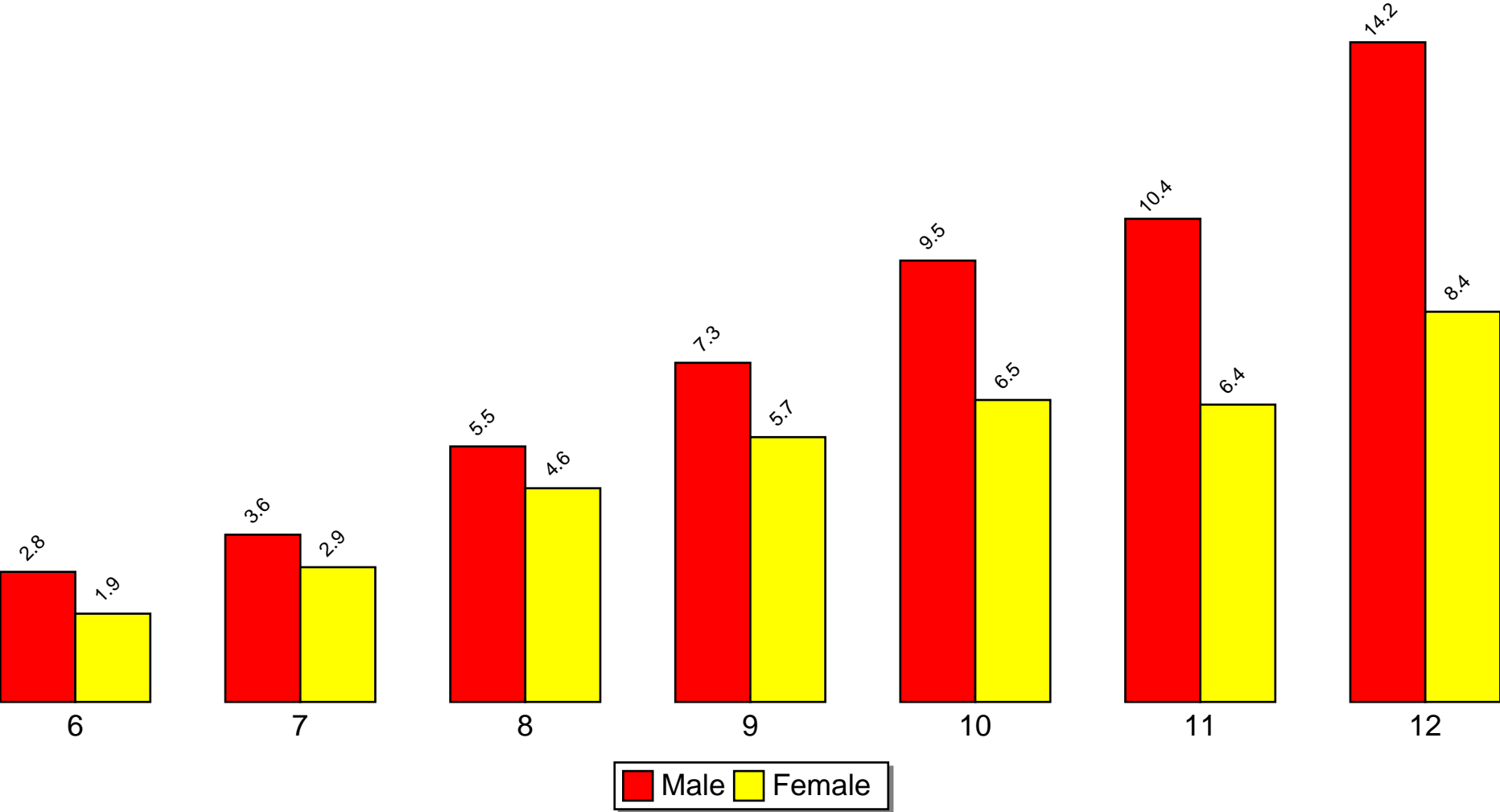
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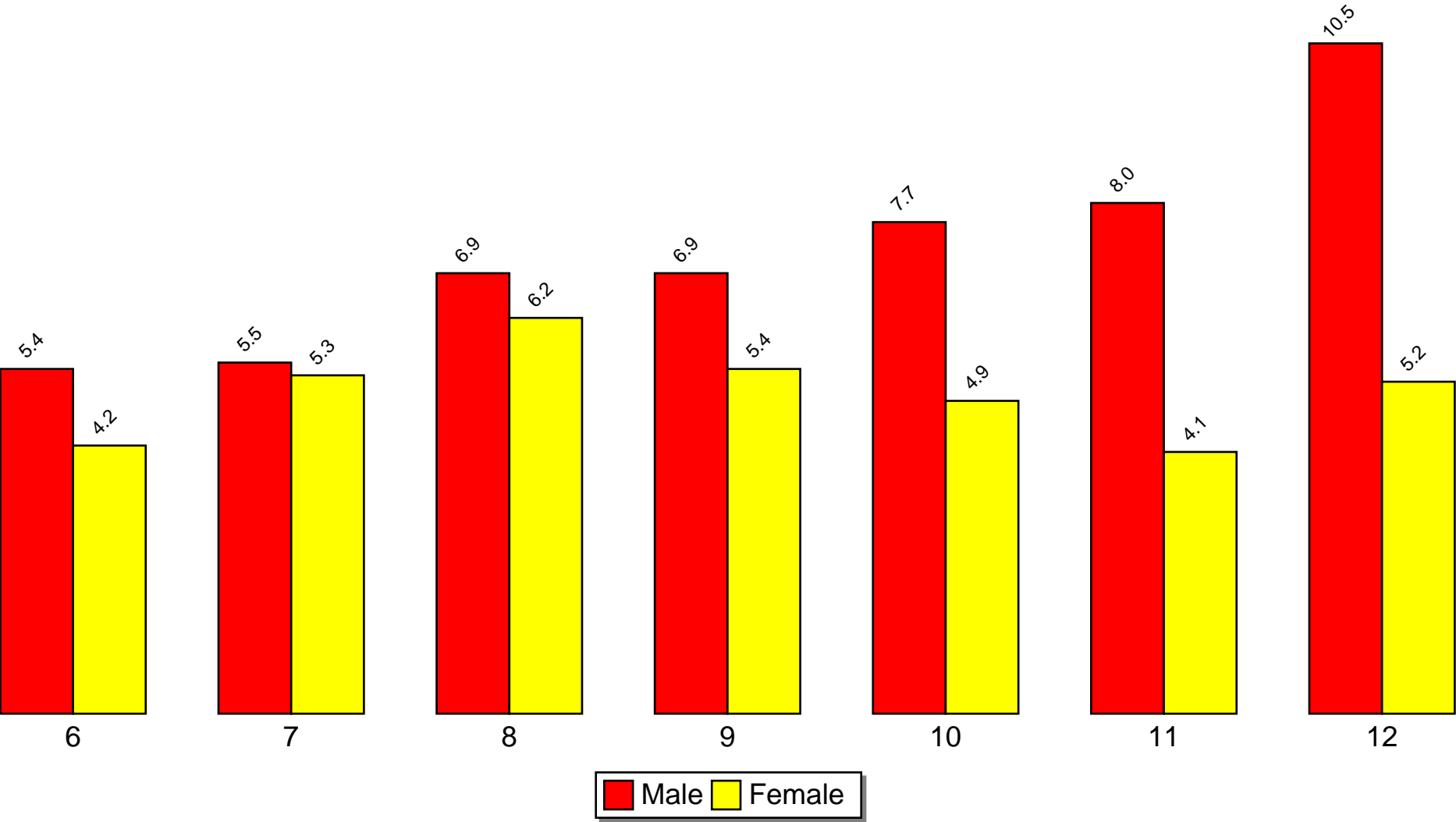
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Use of Downers by Gender



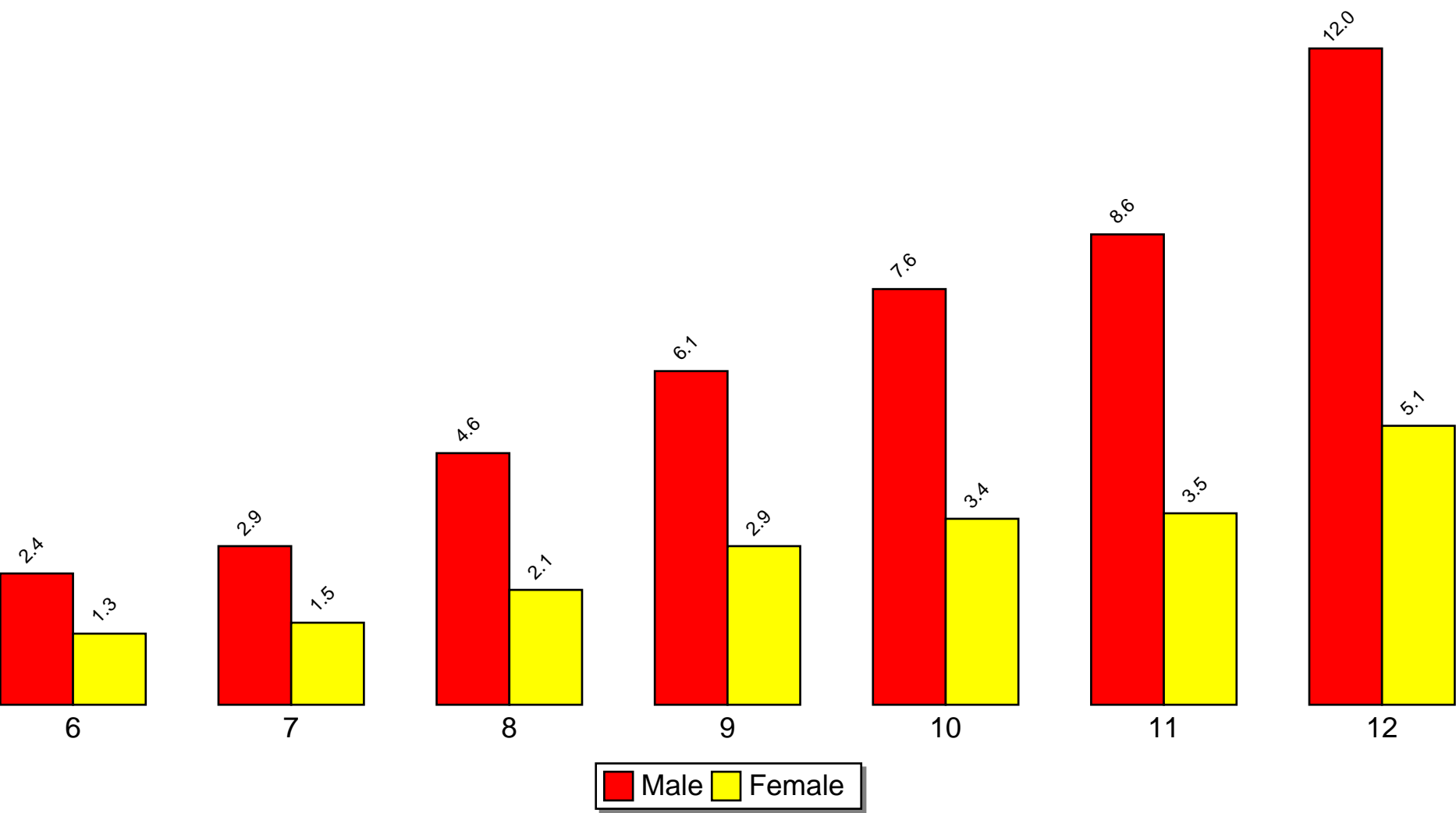
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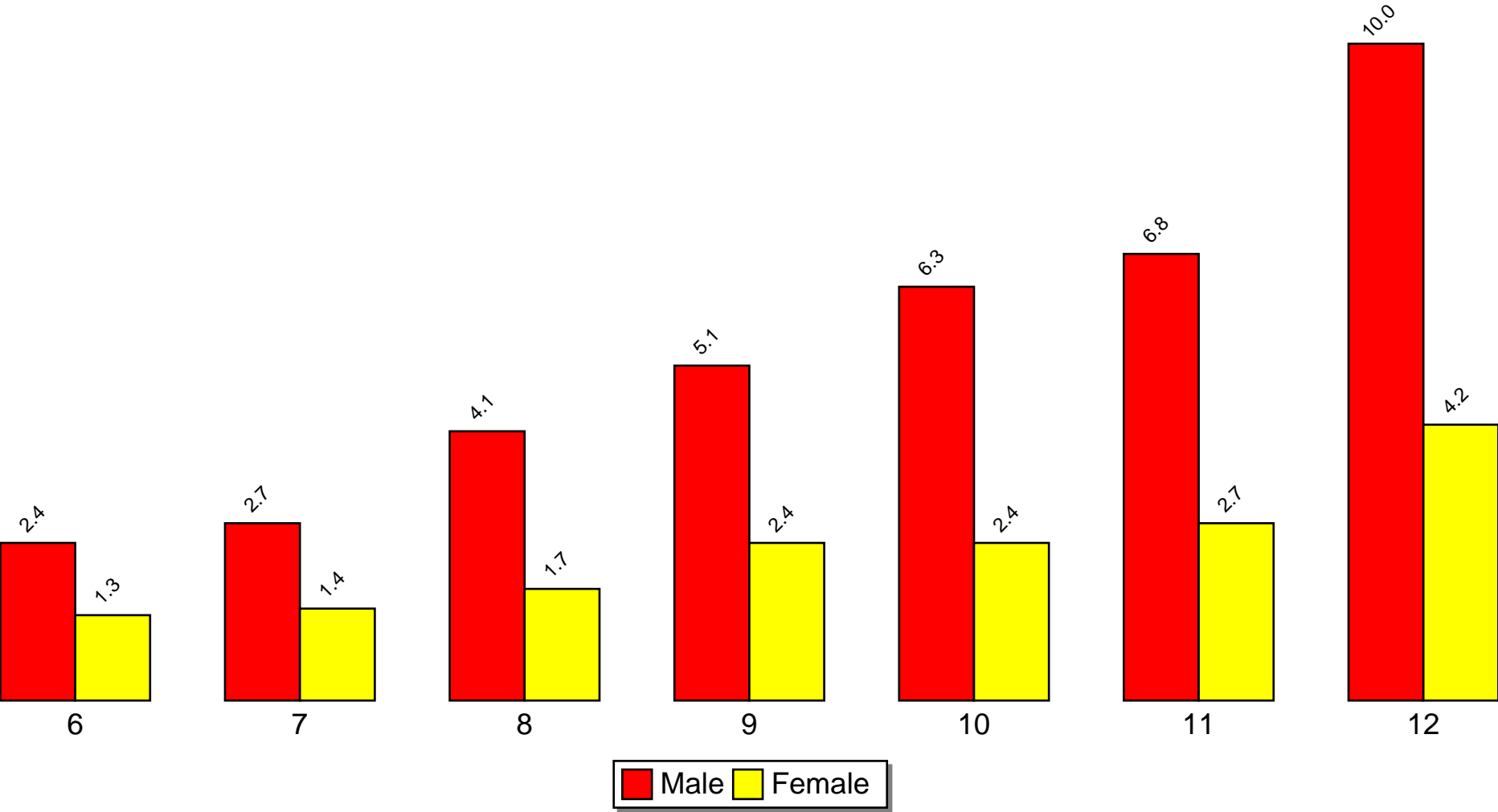
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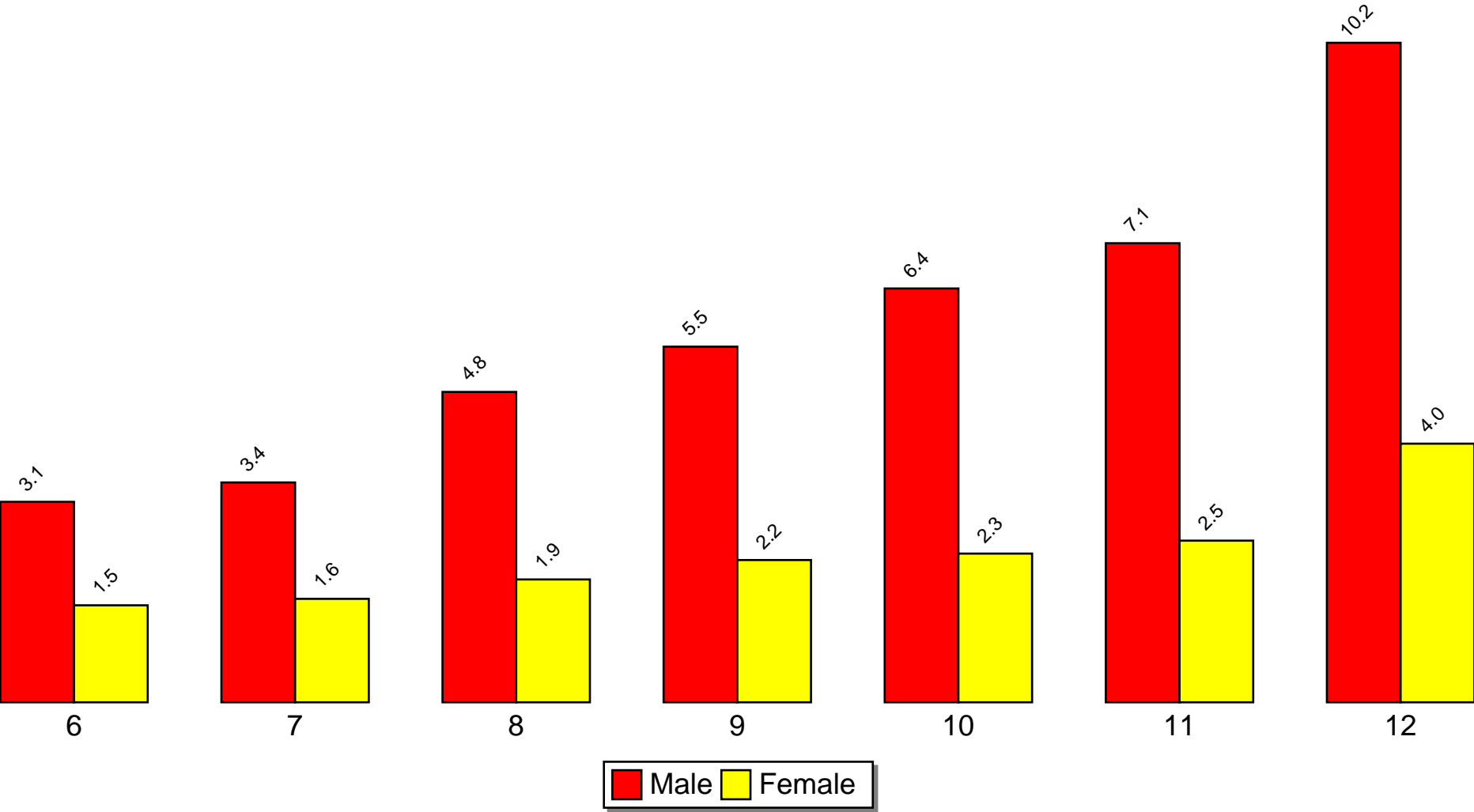
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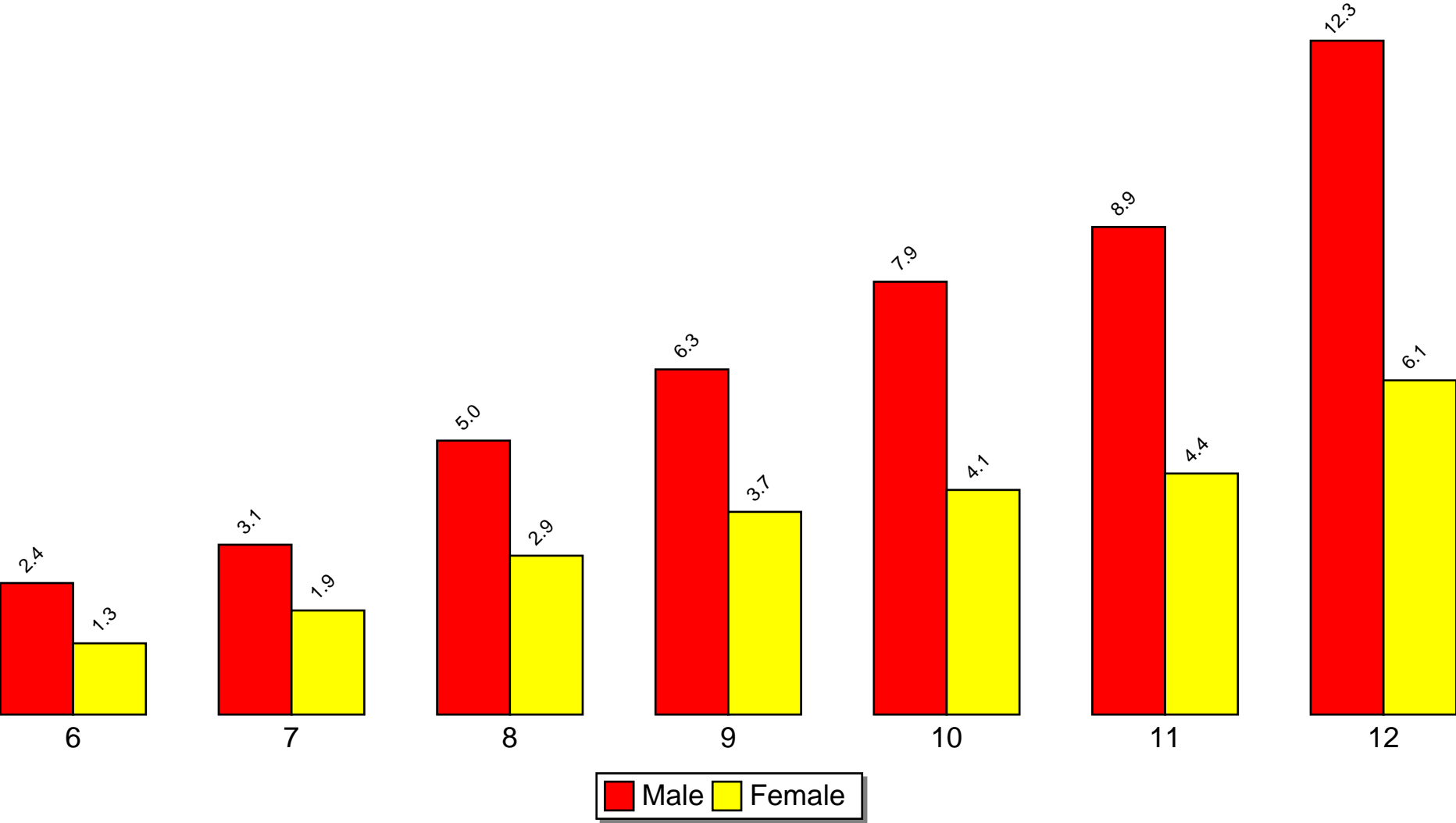
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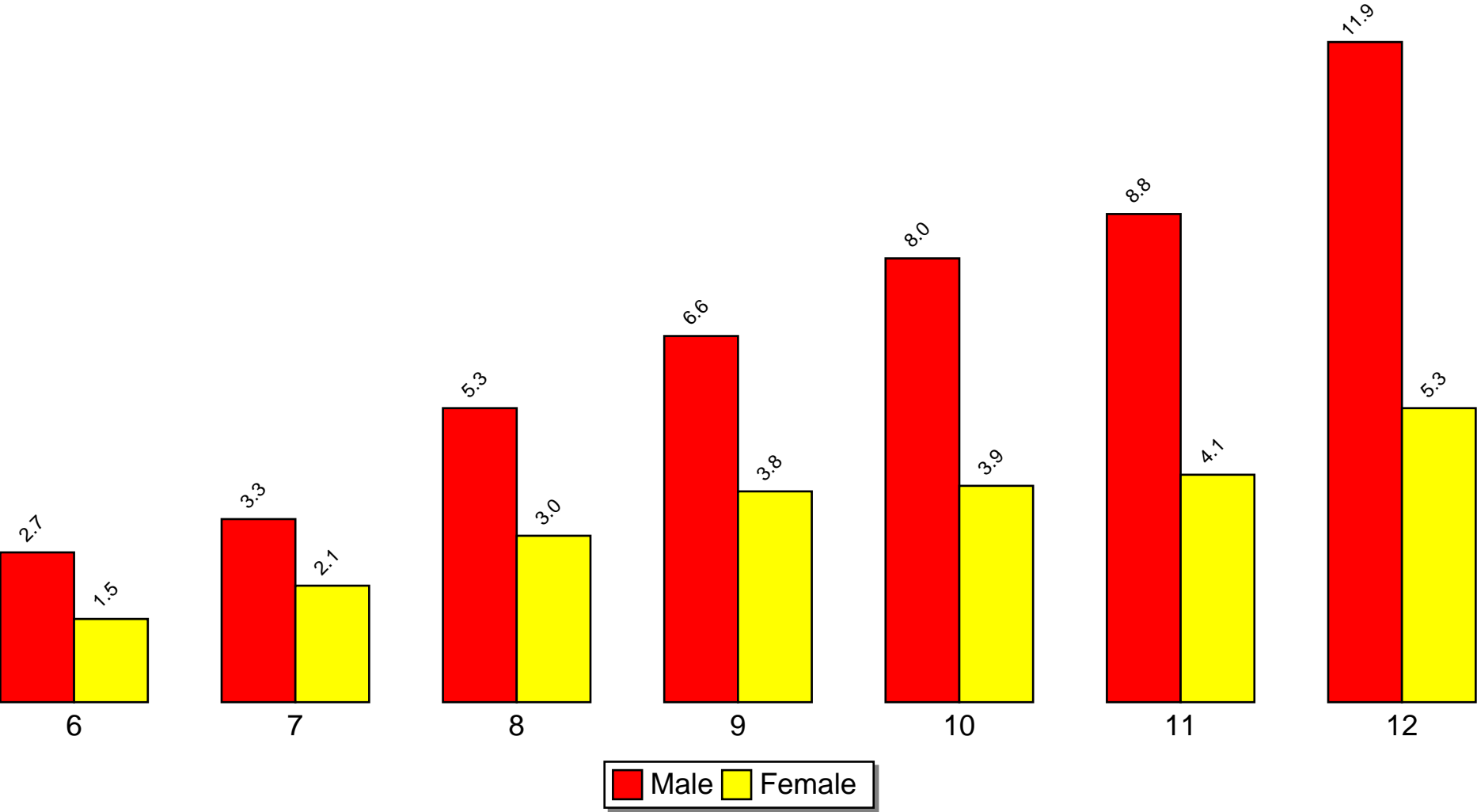
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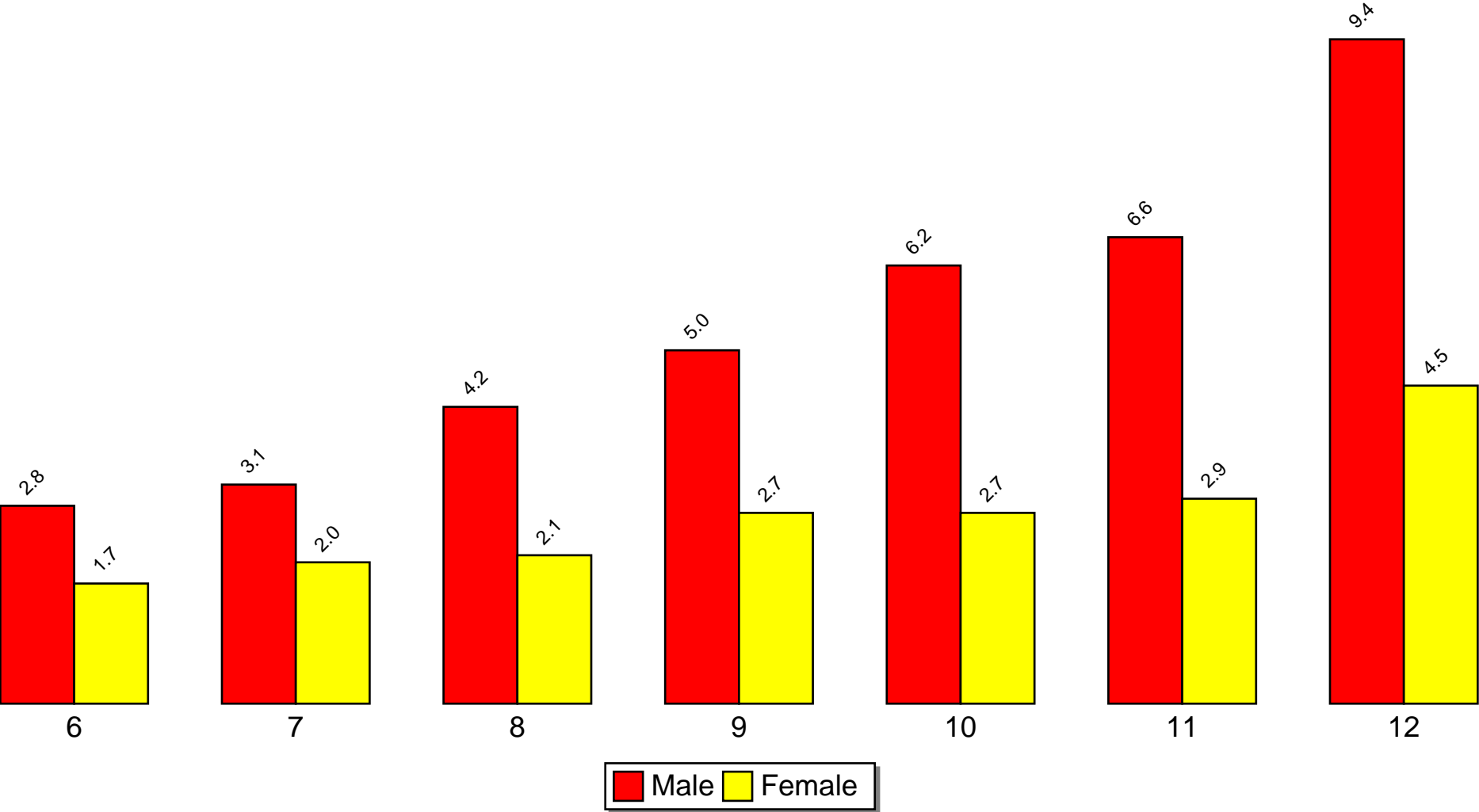
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Use of OxyContin by Gender



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Use of Meth by Gender



Source: Pride Surveys

3.11 Risk and Protective Factors – Cross Tabulations

This section looks at the following questions:

- Attend Church or Synagogue
- Take Part in Community Activities
- Make Good Grades
- Take Part in Sports Teams
- Take Part in School Activities
- Get Into Trouble at School
- Teachers Talk About Dangers of Drugs
- Parents Talk About Dangers of Drugs
- Parents Set Clear Rules
- Parents Punish for Breaking Rules

How students responded to each question is presented in table form. Students are then grouped based on how they responded to each question. The percent of illicit drug use for each subgroup is calculated and presented in graphic form. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40%, this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.

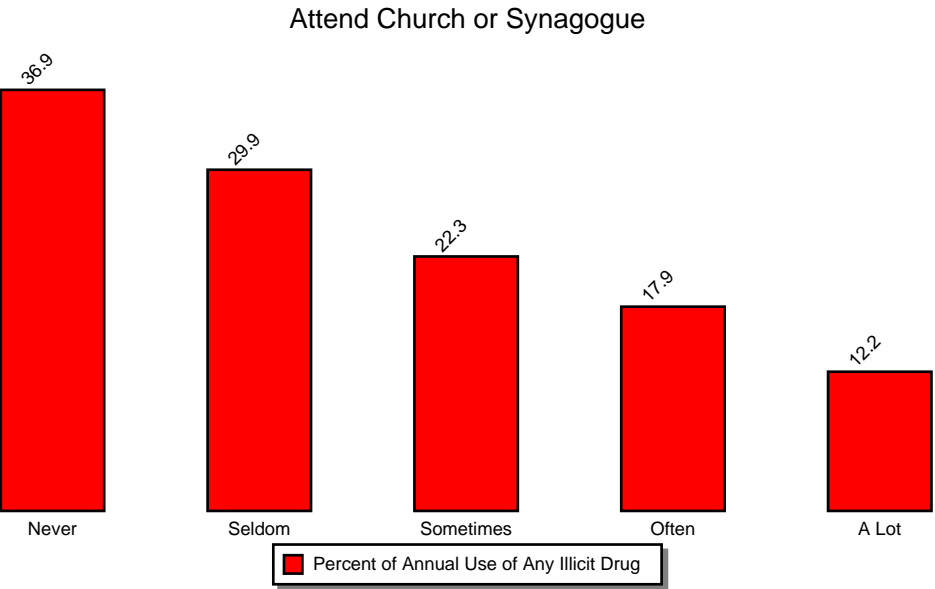
3.11.1 Attend Church or Synagogue

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.1: Attend Church or Synagogue

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	8.9
Seldom	9.9
Sometimes	19.1
Often	18.9
A Lot	43.3

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



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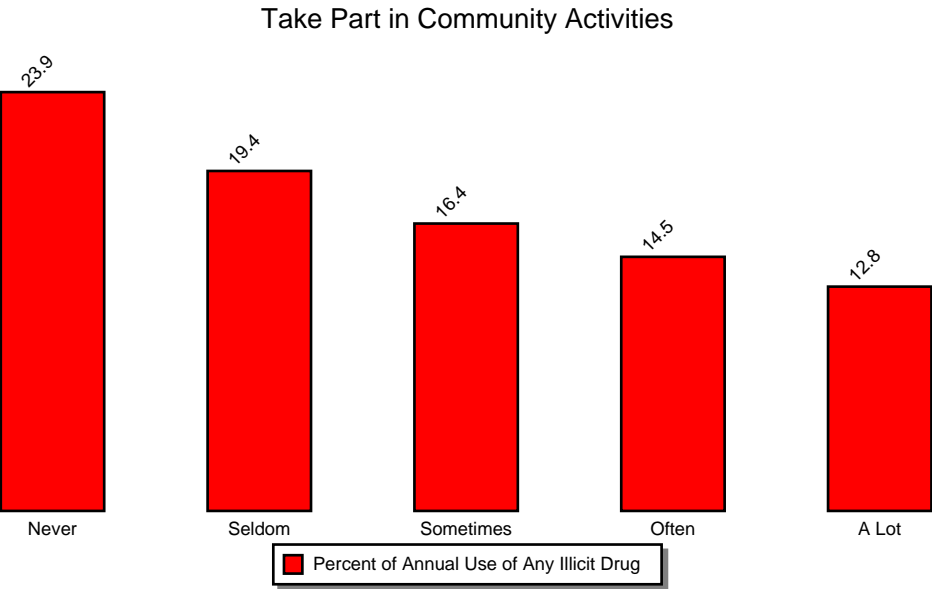
3.11.2 Take Part in Community Activities

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.2: Take Part in Community Activities

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	40.2
Seldom	16.0
Sometimes	17.0
Often	11.9
A Lot	14.9

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



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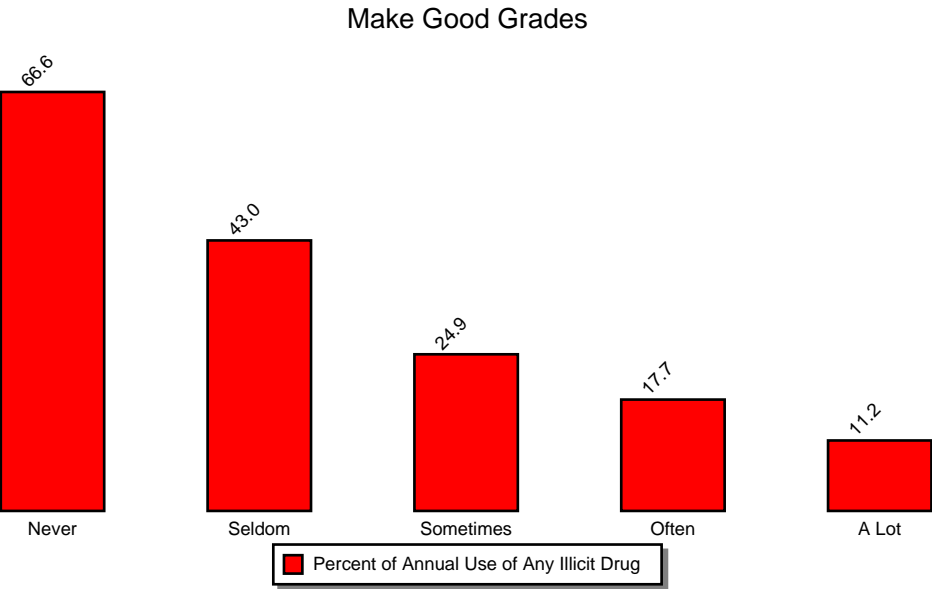
3.11.3 Make Good Grades

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.3: Make Good Grades

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	1.6
Seldom	2.6
Sometimes	28.5
Often	35.4
A Lot	31.8

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



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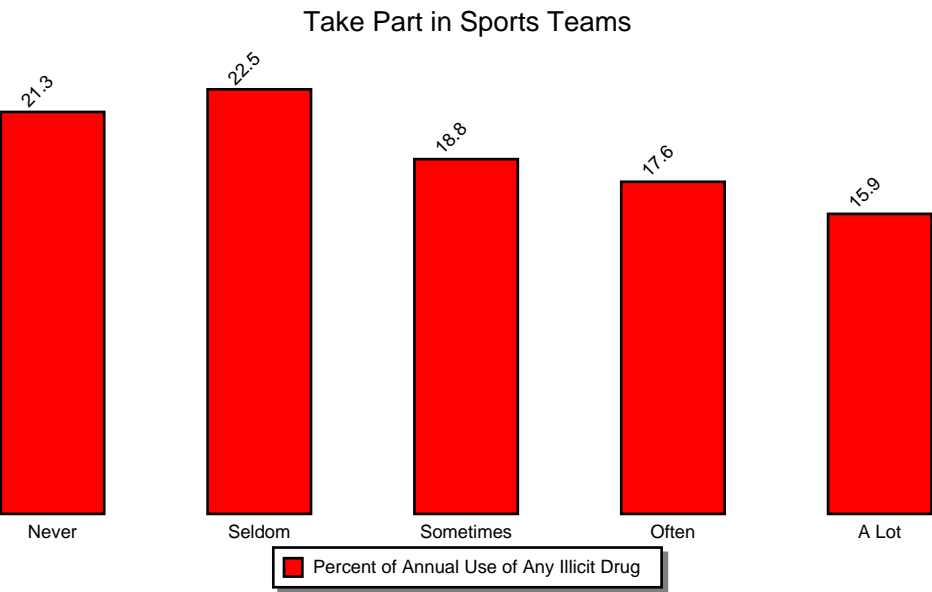
3.11.4 Take Part in Sports Teams

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.4: Take Part in Sports Teams

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	32.9
Seldom	12.2
Sometimes	15.1
Often	12.5
A Lot	27.3

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



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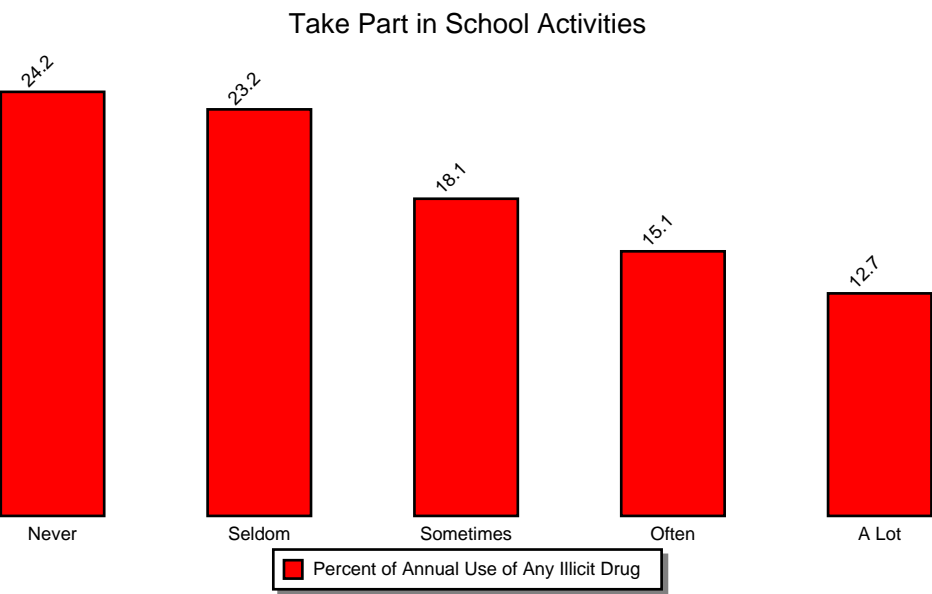
3.11.5 Take Part in School Activities

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.5: Take Part in School Activities

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	33.7
Seldom	12.4
Sometimes	16.5
Often	14.2
A Lot	23.3

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



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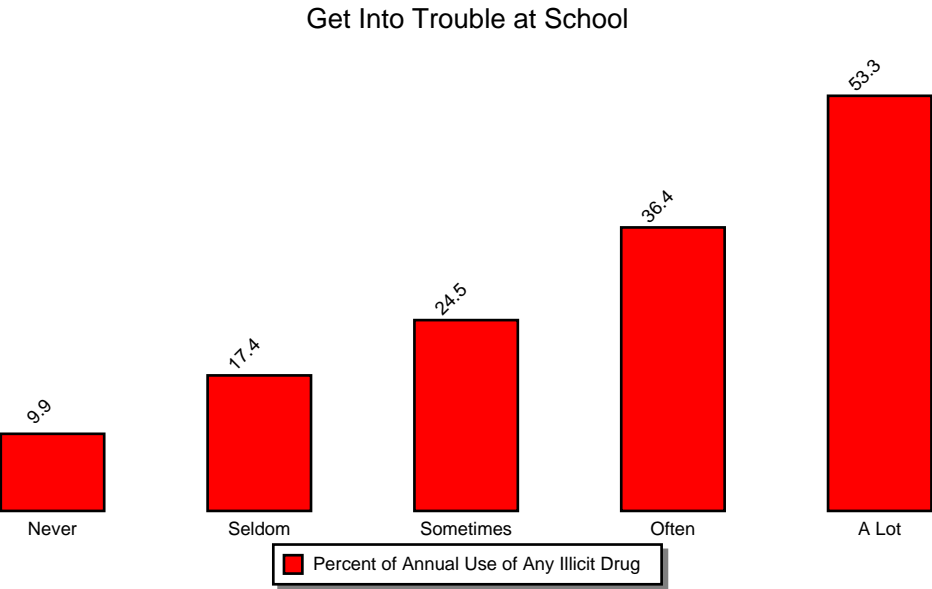
3.11.6 Get Into Trouble at School

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.6: Get Into Trouble at School

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	31.6
Seldom	36.0
Sometimes	22.7
Often	5.6
A Lot	4.1

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



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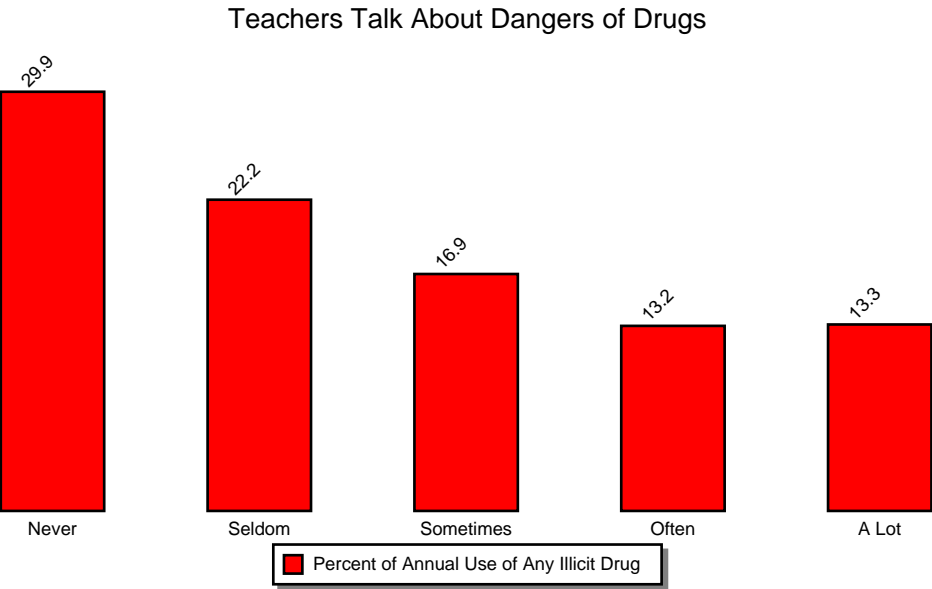
3.11.7 Teachers Talk About Dangers of Drugs

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.7: Teachers Talk About Dangers of Drugs

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	17.2
Seldom	21.9
Sometimes	29.0
Often	17.0
A Lot	14.9

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



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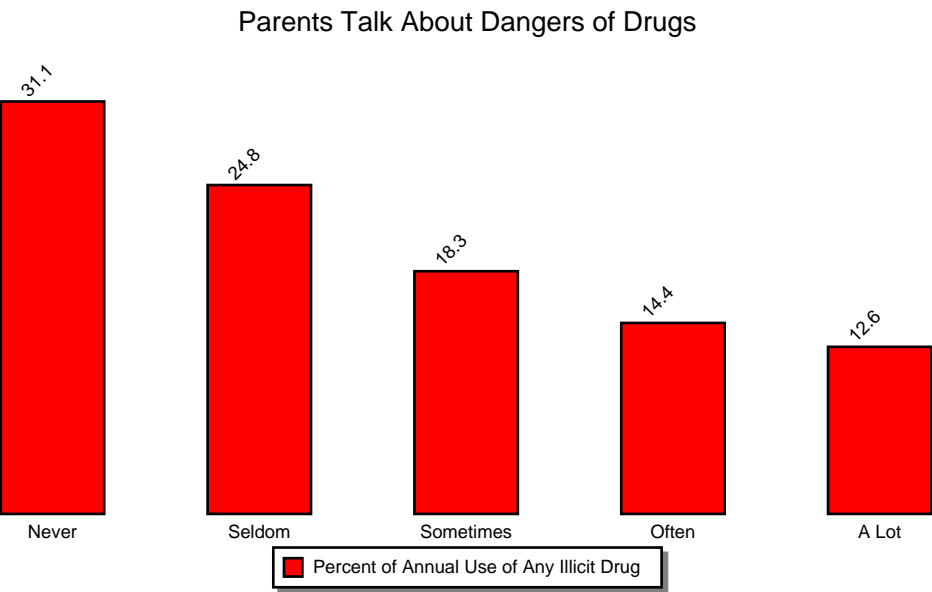
3.11.8 Parents Talk About Dangers of Drugs

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.8: Parents Talk About Dangers of Drugs

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	14.5
Seldom	16.0
Sometimes	26.7
Often	19.7
A Lot	23.0

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



Source: Pride Surveys

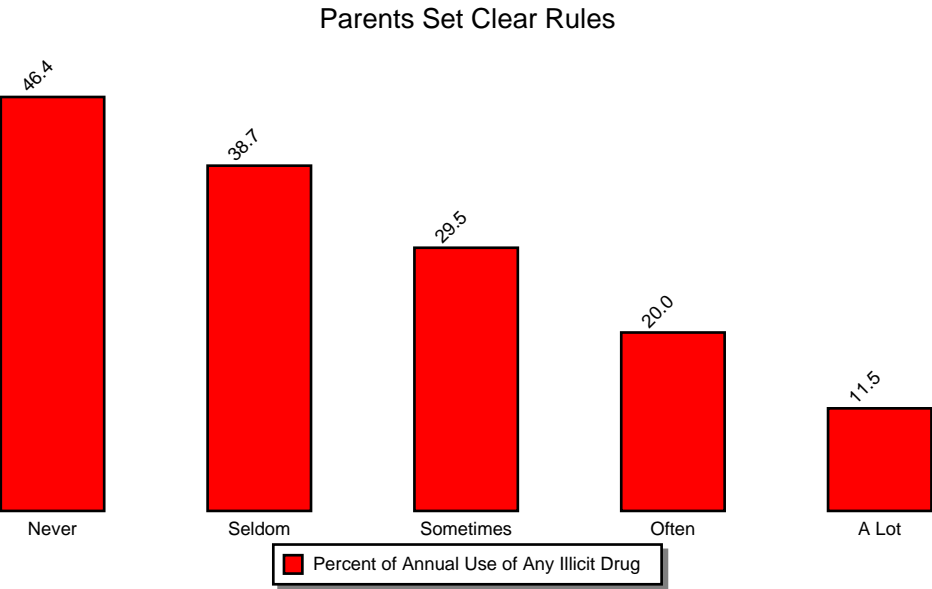
3.11.9 Parents Set Clear Rules

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.9: Parents Set Clear Rules

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	4.1
Seldom	5.4
Sometimes	15.0
Often	23.3
A Lot	52.3

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



Source: Pride Surveys

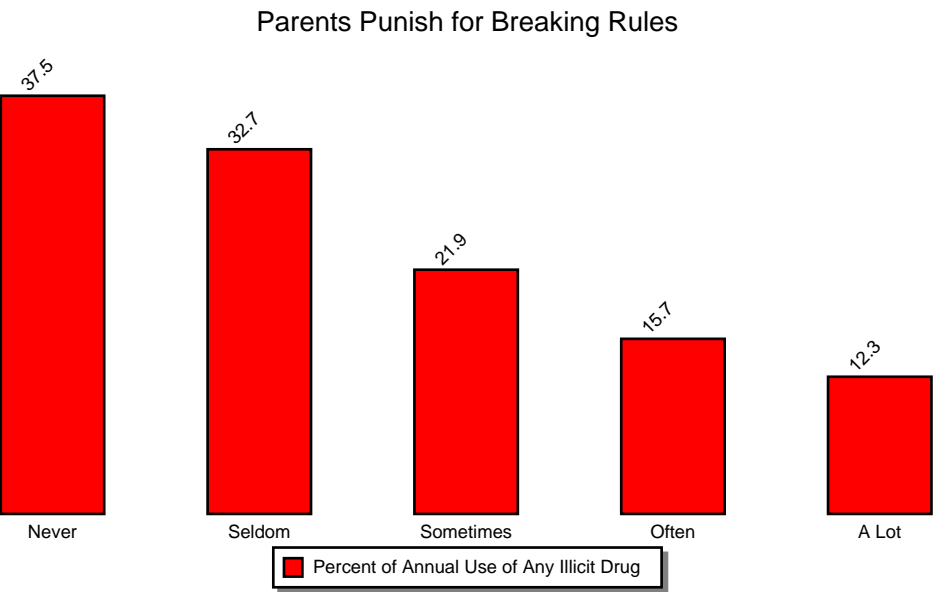
3.11.10 Parents Punish for Breaking Rules

Students could respond to this question by marking Never, Seldom, Sometimes, Often or A Lot. The following table shows what percent of all students responded Never, what percent responded Sometimes, etc.

Table 3.10: Parents Punish for Breaking Rules

RESPONSE	PCT
Never	7.4
Seldom	9.7
Sometimes	22.4
Often	24.3
A Lot	36.3

Students are grouped based on how they responded to the question and the percent of illicit drug use in the past year is calculated for each group. For example, if the bar for *Never* is at 40% this means 40% of the students who marked *Never* reported using an illicit drug.



Source: Pride Surveys

3.12 Safety and Health – Cross Tabulations

The following graphs and tables summarize some of the *Student Information* questions in regards to drug use. These data are calculated by examining specific subsets of your population. For example, a percentage is calculated for students who report carrying a gun and their liquor use. This percentage is calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Number of those reporting carrying a gun to school and claiming to use liquor}}{\text{Number of those reporting carrying a gun and validly responding to the question *How Often Do You Use Liquor*}}$$

The *Ratio* describes the relationship between the groups examined on each graph. For example, in looking at Guns vs. No Guns if the cocaine ratio were 5.3, this would mean the percentage of students who report cocaine use was 5.3 times higher for students who report bringing a gun to school compared to those who don't.

3.13 Carrying a Gun to School

Total number of students surveyed = 261904

Total number who responded to this question = 248657

12548 students reported carrying a gun to school. (5.0% of total responding)

Of the 12548 students who reported carrying a gun to school,

8481 report using liquor (69.6%),

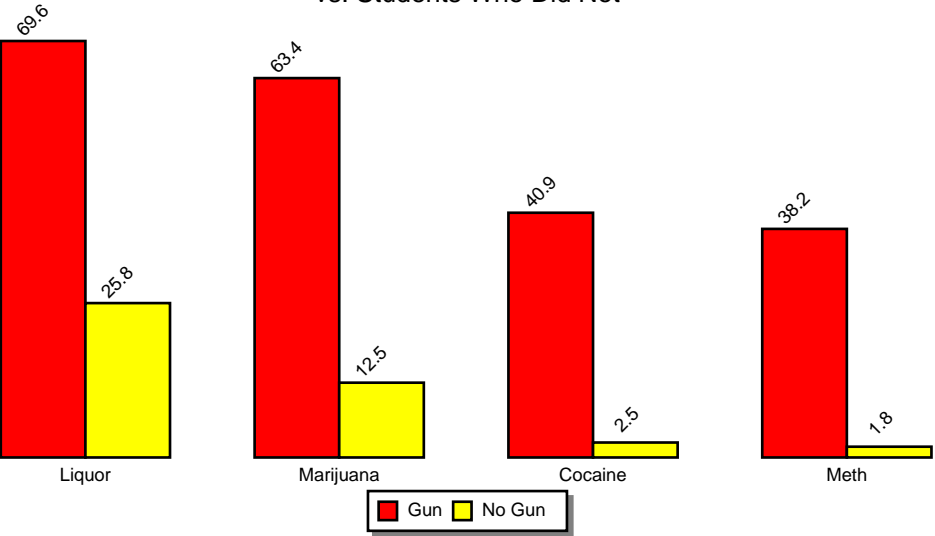
7727 report using marijuana (63.4%),

4984 report using cocaine (40.9%),

4628 report using Meth (38.2%).

NOTE: Results based on students who reported one or more instances of carrying a gun to school

Drug Use of Students Who Reported Carrying a Gun to School vs. Students Who Did Not



Source: Pride Surveys

Drug	Gun	No Gun	Ratio
Liquor	69.6%	25.8%	2.7
Marijuana	63.4%	12.5%	5.1
Cocaine	40.9%	2.5%	16.4
Meth	38.2%	1.8%	21.2
N of Students	12548	236109	

3.14 Involvement in Gangs

Total number of students surveyed = 261904

Total number who responded to this question = 257809

32807 students reported involvement in gangs. (12.7% of total responding)

Of the 32807 students who reported involvement in gangs,

17504 report using liquor (55.4%),

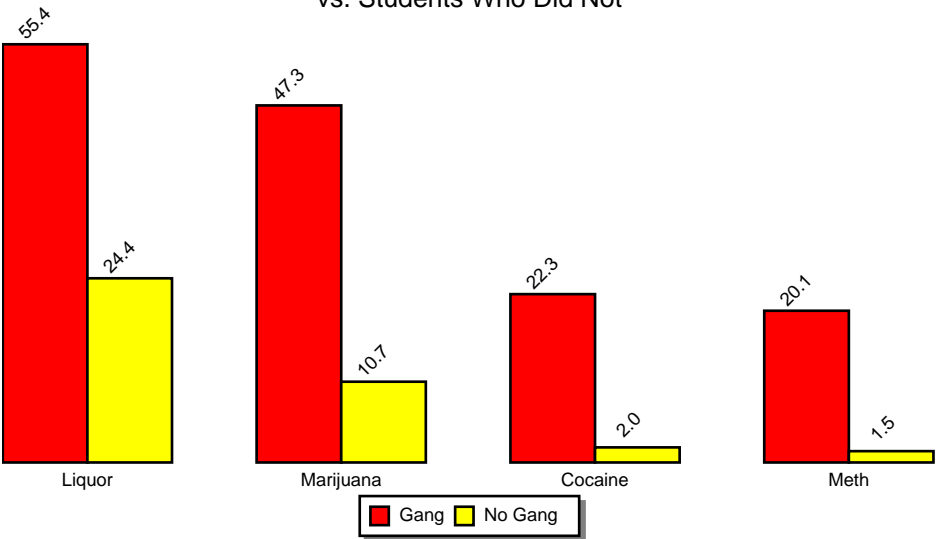
14921 report using marijuana (47.3%),

7029 report using cocaine (22.3%),

6283 report using Meth (20.1%).

NOTE: Results based on students who reported any involvement with gangs

Drug Use of Students Who Reported Involvement in Gangs
vs. Students Who Did Not



Source: Pride Surveys

Drug	Gang	No Gang	Ratio
Liquor	55.4%	24.4%	2.3
Marijuana	47.3%	10.7%	4.4
Cocaine	22.3%	2.0%	11.2
Meth	20.1%	1.5%	13.4
N of Students	32807	225002	

3.15 Thinking About Suicide

Total number of students surveyed = 261904

Total number who responded to this question = 257206

17555 students reported thinking about suicide. (6.8% of total responding)

Of the 17555 students who reported thinking about suicide,

9578 report using liquor (56.3%),

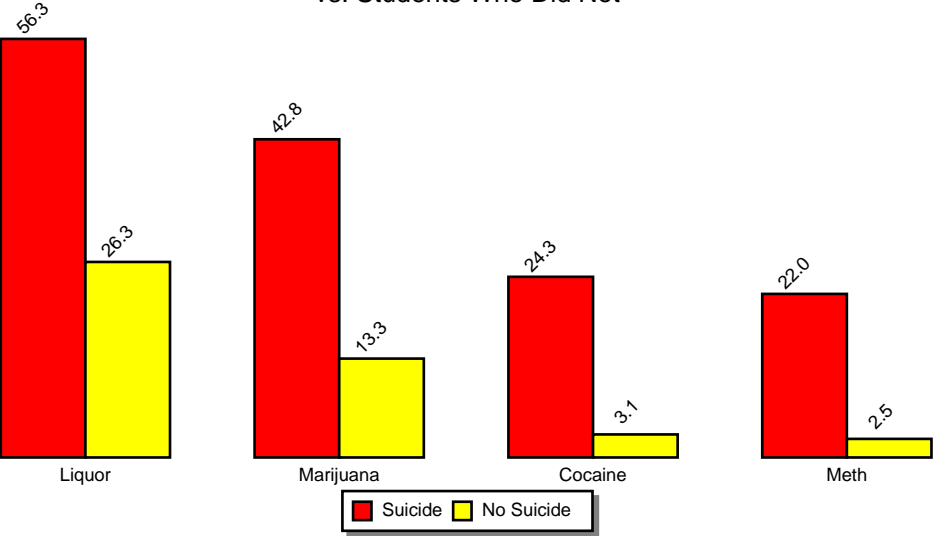
7274 report using marijuana (42.8%),

4127 report using cocaine (24.3%),

3705 report using Meth (22.0%).

*NOTE: Results based on students who reported thinking
Often or A Lot about committing suicide*

Drug Use of Students Who Reported Thinking About Suicide
vs. Students Who Did Not



Source: Pride Surveys

Drug	Suicide	No Suicide	Ratio
Liquor	56.3%	26.3%	2.1
Marijuana	42.8%	13.3%	3.2
Cocaine	24.3%	3.1%	7.8
Meth	22.0%	2.5%	8.8
N of Students	17555	239651	

3.16 Being Overweight

Total number of students surveyed = 261904

Total number who responded to this question = 253069

67820 students reported being overweight. (26.8% of total responding)

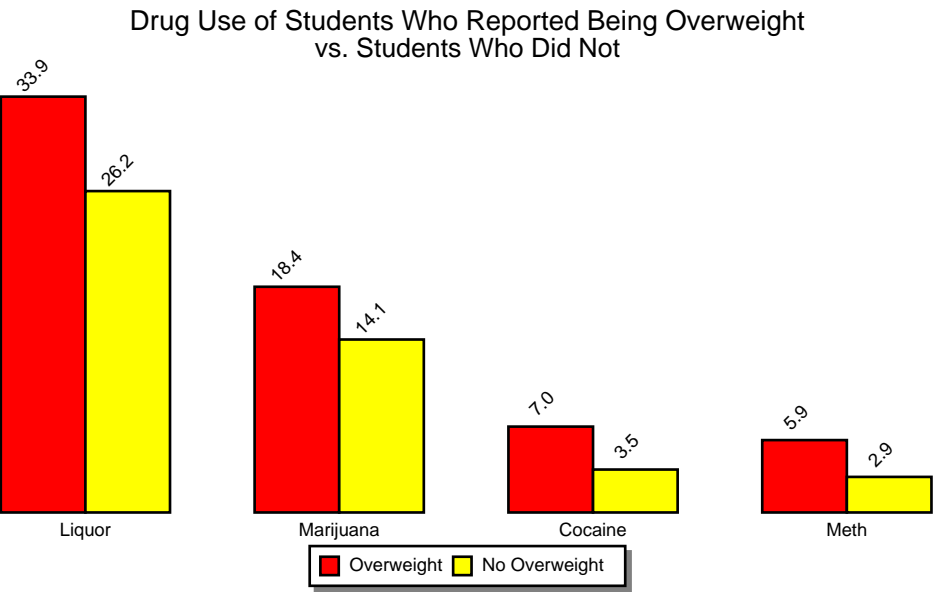
Of the 67820 students who reported being overweight,

22675 report using liquor (33.9%),

12305 report using marijuana (18.4%),

4660 report using cocaine (7.0%),

3950 report using Meth (5.9%).



Drug	Overweight	No Overweight	Ratio
Liquor	33.9%	26.2%	1.3
Marijuana	18.4%	14.1%	1.3
Cocaine	7.0%	3.5%	2.0
Meth	5.9%	2.9%	2.0
N of Students	67820	185249	

3.17 Threatening/Harmful Behaviors

Total number of students surveyed = 261904

Total number who responded to this question = 249496

92675 students reported threatening/harmful behaviors. (37.1% of total responding)

Of the 92675 students who reported threatening/harmful behaviors,

37573 report using liquor (41.1%),

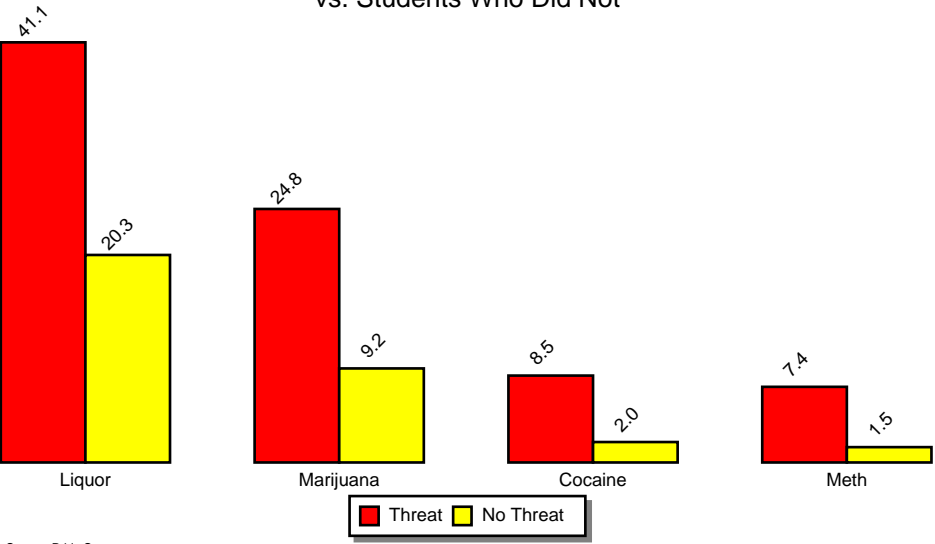
22727 report using marijuana (24.8%),

7792 report using cocaine (8.5%),

6747 report using Meth (7.4%).

NOTE: Results based on students who reported either threatening with a gun, knife or club or threatening to hit, slap or kick

Drug Use of Students Who Reported Threatening/Harmful Behaviors vs. Students Who Did Not



Source: Pride Surveys

Drug	Threat	No Threat	Ratio
Liquor	41.1%	20.3%	2.0
Marijuana	24.8%	9.2%	2.7
Cocaine	8.5%	2.0%	4.3
Meth	7.4%	1.5%	4.9
N of Students	92675	156821	

3.18 Trouble with Police

Total number of students surveyed = 261904

Total number who responded to this question = 258301

65341 students reported trouble with police. (25.3% of total responding)

Of the 65341 students who reported trouble with police,

33568 report using liquor (53.0%),

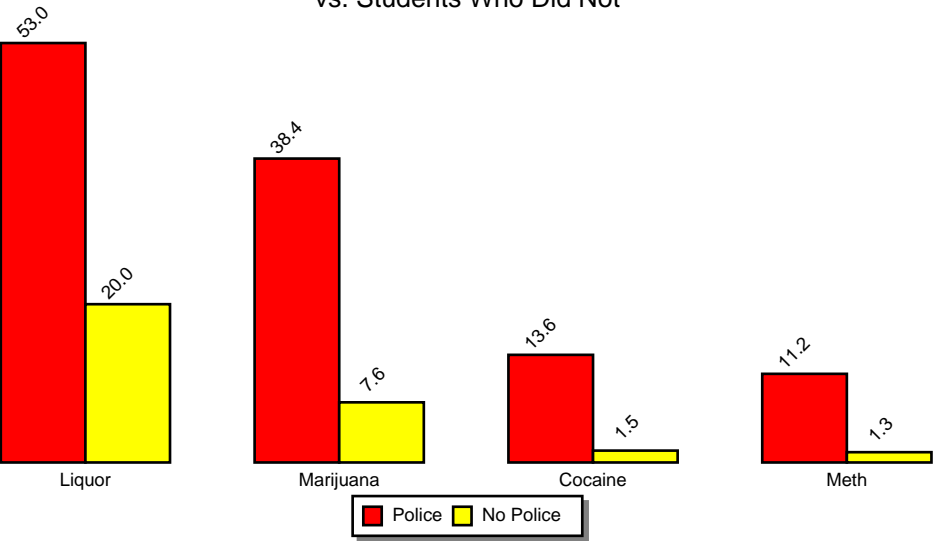
24296 report using marijuana (38.4%),

8599 report using cocaine (13.6%),

7023 report using Meth (11.2%).

NOTE: Results based on students who reported any trouble with police

Drug Use of Students Who Reported Trouble with Police vs. Students Who Did Not



Source: Pride Surveys

Drug	Police	No Police	Ratio
Liquor	53.0%	20.0%	2.7
Marijuana	38.4%	7.6%	5.1
Cocaine	13.6%	1.5%	9.1
Meth	11.2%	1.3%	8.6
N of Students	65341	192960	

3.19 Personal Safety

Total number of students surveyed = 261904

50923 students report being afraid another student will hurt them at school.
(20.6% of total responding)

Of these 50923 students, 5811 report carrying a gun to school (11.5%).

48047 students report getting hurt at school. (19.3% of total responding)

Of these 48047 students, 6989 report carrying a gun to school (14.7%).

Chapter 4

Percentage Tables

This chapter contains your school survey results in tabular form. Each table corresponds to an item on the questionnaire. The tables contain percentage data by grade level, grades 6 through 8 combined, grades 9 through 12 combined, and all grades combined. The *N of Valid* column contains the number of students who responded to the question and the *N of Missing* column contains the number of students who did not respond to the question. The remaining columns contain the percentages of students responding to the particular response categories.

The percentage tables of the report appear in the same order as corresponding questions on the questionnaire. The Table of Contents contains the percentage tables by section and gives the page number where each section is located. The List of Tables contains the location of each individual table.

The last section of tables presents the frequency of drug use *How Often Do You Use* data with the categories *collapsed* as follows:

- Daily Use – Every Day
- Weekly Use – Once/Week + 3 Times/Week + Every Day
- Monthly Use – Once/Month + Twice/Month + Once/Week + 3 Times/Week + Every Day
- Annual Use – Once/Year + 6 Times/Year + Once/Month + Twice/Month + Once/Week + 3 Times/Week + Every Day

Three additional drug use categories have been created for the question *How Often Do You Use* by combining the existing data. A *Tobacco Use* category was created by looking at the responses on each questionnaire on the tobacco categories and taking the highest value as the value for *Tobacco Use*. The *Alcohol Use* category was created by looking at the responses on each questionnaire on the alcohol categories. The category of *Illicit Drug Use* was created in the same way by looking at the illicit drug categories. Therefore, the *Tobacco Use* category represents any tobacco use regardless of the type of tobacco, the *Alcohol Use* category represents any alcohol use regardless of the type of alcohol and the *Illicit Drug Use* category represents any illicit drug use regardless of the type of drug.

4.1 Personal & Family Information

Table 4.1: Ethnic Origin										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
White	59.4	59.4	58.9	61.1	61.8	62.4	63.6	59.2	62.0	60.6
African American	30.3	31.4	31.8	29.7	29.3	28.7	27.2	31.2	28.9	30.1
Hispanic/Latino	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	3.1	2.5	2.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.2	1.6	1.4
Native American	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5
Mixed Origin	3.0	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.8	2.5	2.6
Other	1.2	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.0
N of Valid	45863	45275	43741	39161	33483	29402	22100	134879	124146	259025
N of Miss	608	473	556	462	335	226	219	1637	1242	2879

Table 4.2: Sex										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Male	50.2	50.0	49.3	48.3	47.1	46.4	46.9	49.9	47.3	48.6
Female	49.8	50.0	50.7	51.7	52.9	53.6	53.1	50.1	52.7	51.4
N of Valid	42693	40591	38416	34165	29397	25725	19054	121700	108341	230041
N of Miss	3763	5157	5881	5458	4421	3903	3265	14801	17047	31848

Table 4.3: Age











RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
10 or under	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.2	0.3	0.2	
11	22.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	7.8	0.0	4.1	
12	61.6	21.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	28.2	0.1	14.7	
13	12.6	61.5	21.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	31.9	0.1	16.7	
14	1.2	14.5	61.1	22.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	25.1	7.1	16.4	
15	0.1	1.9	15.0	61.1	23.8	0.2	0.1	5.5	25.8	15.2	
16	0.1	0.2	1.6	14.2	62.6	26.4	0.3	0.6	27.7	13.6	
17	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.7	11.8	63.0	27.7	0.1	23.6	11.3	
18	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	1.0	9.3	62.0	0.1	13.6	6.5	
19+	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.9	8.6	0.4	2.0	1.1	
N of Valid	46209	45523	44035	39464	33696	29548	22243	135767	124951	260718	
N of Miss	262	225	262	159	122	79	76	749	436	1185	

Table 4.4: Do you live with...







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Both Parents	50.0	48.2	46.9	47.1	47.4	49.0	49.7	48.4	48.1	48.3	
Mother Only	20.2	21.6	22.0	22.1	21.9	21.2	20.6	21.3	21.6	21.4	
Father Only	2.5	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.5	2.9	3.5	3.2	
Mother & Stepfather	15.9	16.4	16.7	16.0	15.7	14.6	13.0	16.3	15.1	15.7	
Father & Stepmother	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.3	3.3	3.7	3.5	
Other	8.3	7.4	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.9	10.0	7.8	8.1	7.9	
N of Valid	45886	45274	43802	39256	33585	29411	22120	134962	124372	259334	
N of Miss	585	474	495	367	233	217	199	1554	1016	2570	

Table 4.5: Do you have a job?




RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Yes, Full-time	1.7	1.1	1.3	1.5	2.1	2.8	5.3	1.4	2.6	2.0	
Yes, Part-time	9.8	11.7	13.2	16.2	27.7	42.4	50.4	11.6	31.6	21.1	
No	88.5	87.1	85.4	82.3	70.3	54.8	44.2	87.0	65.8	76.9	
N of Valid	44398	43282	41694	37206	31840	27929	20924	129374	117899	247273	
N of Miss	2073	2466	2603	2417	1978	1699	1395	7142	7489	14631	

Table 4.6: Does your father have a job?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Yes, Full-time	75.9	78.8	80.8	82.3	83.5	84.8	83.9	78.5	83.5	80.9
Yes, Part-time	15.2	12.5	9.5	7.8	5.9	4.6	3.7	12.4	5.8	9.2
No	8.9	8.7	9.7	9.9	10.5	10.6	12.4	9.1	10.7	9.9
N of Valid	41858	41167	39972	35808	30836	27189	20633	122997	114466	237463
N of Miss	4613	4581	4325	3815	2982	2439	1686	13519	10922	24441

Table 4.7: Does your mother have a job?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Yes, Full-time	55.7	58.2	61.3	62.3	65.1	67.2	66.6	58.4	65.0	61.6
Yes, Part-time	22.7	20.9	17.6	16.2	14.2	12.7	11.5	20.4	14.0	17.3
No	21.5	20.9	21.1	21.5	20.8	20.1	21.9	21.2	21.1	21.1
N of Valid	43057	42581	41288	37101	32029	28186	21162	126926	118478	245404
N of Miss	3414	3167	3009	2522	1789	1442	1157	9590	6910	16500

Table 4.8: What is the educational level of your father?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Some High School	16.7	17.7	18.6	18.6	17.7	16.5	16.6	17.7	17.5	17.6
High School Graduate	30.5	31.6	33.5	33.5	33.5	33.3	33.2	31.9	33.4	32.6
Some College	15.5	15.8	16.2	16.3	17.8	18.0	17.9	15.8	17.4	16.6
College Graduate	37.3	34.9	31.6	31.6	31.0	32.2	32.3	34.7	31.7	33.2
N of Valid	37028	37144	36392	32785	28512	25295	19255	110564	105847	216411
N of Miss	9443	8604	7905	6838	5306	4333	3064	25952	19541	45493

Table 4.9: What is the educational level of your mother?										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Some High School	13.6	14.4	15.0	15.0	14.0	12.9	12.9	14.3	13.8	14.1
High School Graduate	25.3	26.0	26.9	27.2	27.3	27.3	27.3	26.0	27.3	26.6
Some College	19.1	19.6	20.8	21.5	22.7	23.1	23.3	19.8	22.5	21.1
College Graduate	42.1	40.0	37.2	36.3	36.1	36.6	36.6	39.8	36.3	38.1
N of Valid	39424	39547	38487	34752	30110	26558	19989	117458	111409	228867
N of Miss	7047	6201	5810	4871	3708	3069	2330	19058	13978	33036

4.2 Student Information

Table 4.10: Do you make good grades?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.7	1.4	1.9	1.6	
Seldom	2.0	2.6	2.9	3.4	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.8	2.6	
Sometimes	29.3	30.9	30.1	29.9	27.6	25.0	22.5	30.1	26.8	28.5	
Often	33.3	34.1	34.7	35.9	36.9	38.5	37.3	34.0	37.0	35.4	
A Lot	34.0	31.3	30.9	29.1	31.0	32.5	35.3	32.1	31.5	31.8	
N of Valid	46220	45541	44075	39424	33611	29414	22099	135836	124548	260384	
N of Miss	251	207	222	199	207	214	220	680	840	1520	

Table 4.11: Do you get into trouble at school?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	24.5	24.9	24.2	31.2	37.8	44.1	49.8	24.5	39.4	31.6	
Seldom	32.4	34.9	37.2	39.6	38.1	36.9	32.8	34.8	37.4	36.0	
Sometimes	31.1	27.6	26.7	20.7	17.0	13.5	11.2	28.5	16.3	22.7	
Often	7.1	7.5	7.1	5.0	4.0	2.9	2.6	7.2	3.8	5.6	
A Lot	4.9	5.1	4.8	3.5	3.1	2.6	3.6	4.9	3.2	4.1	
N of Valid	46065	45399	43976	39312	33505	29342	22052	135440	124211	259651	
N of Miss	406	349	321	311	313	286	267	1076	1177	2253	

Table 4.12: Do you take part in school sports teams?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	38.0	30.1	29.6	30.8	32.8	34.9	36.2	32.6	33.3	32.9	
Seldom	9.0	11.0	12.3	13.6	13.7	14.0	14.0	10.8	13.8	12.2	
Sometimes	15.5	16.3	15.3	14.8	13.9	13.7	15.1	15.7	14.4	15.1	
Often	12.3	13.0	13.1	12.7	12.1	11.8	12.3	12.8	12.2	12.5	
A Lot	25.2	29.6	29.7	28.1	27.5	25.7	22.4	28.2	26.3	27.3	
N of Valid	44543	44379	43027	38584	32948	28941	21775	131949	122248	254197	
N of Miss	1928	1369	1270	1039	870	687	544	4567	3140	7707	

Table 4.13: Do you take part in school activities such as band, clubs, etc.?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	40.6	37.5	35.2	33.6	30.0	26.2	24.0	37.8	29.2	33.7	
Seldom	9.0	11.6	13.3	14.3	14.0	12.9	12.7	11.3	13.6	12.4	
Sometimes	13.3	14.2	15.9	18.0	18.2	19.0	20.1	14.5	18.7	16.5	
Often	12.2	12.8	13.4	13.9	15.5	16.6	17.9	12.8	15.7	14.2	
A Lot	24.8	23.9	22.2	20.2	22.3	25.3	25.3	23.7	22.9	23.3	
N of Valid	45791	45336	43914	39216	33466	29312	21962	135041	123956	258997	
N of Miss	680	412	383	407	352	316	357	1475	1432	2907	

Table 4.14: Do you take part in community activities such as scouts, rec. teams, youth clubs, etc.?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	41.6	42.7	42.5	41.5	39.5	35.6	33.2	42.3	38.1	40.2	
Seldom	11.3	14.2	16.4	17.6	18.2	18.4	18.8	13.9	18.1	16.0	
Sometimes	14.6	15.8	16.2	17.3	18.4	19.8	20.3	15.5	18.7	17.0	
Often	11.8	11.6	11.5	11.7	11.6	12.5	13.5	11.6	12.2	11.9	
A Lot	20.7	15.7	13.5	11.9	12.4	13.8	14.3	16.7	12.9	14.9	
N of Valid	45344	44848	43530	38952	33254	29137	21877	133722	123220	256942	
N of Miss	1127	900	767	671	564	491	442	2794	2168	4962	

Table 4.15: Do you attend church, synagogue, etc.?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	6.7	6.8	7.9	9.7	10.5	11.3	12.5	7.1	10.8	8.9	
Seldom	6.6	8.0	9.4	10.9	11.9	12.2	13.2	8.0	11.9	9.9	
Sometimes	17.7	18.4	18.8	19.3	19.9	20.2	20.6	18.3	19.9	19.1	
Often	18.6	19.4	19.3	19.1	18.7	18.4	18.2	19.1	18.7	18.9	
A Lot	50.4	47.4	44.6	40.9	39.0	37.8	35.5	47.5	38.7	43.3	
N of Valid	45057	44438	43055	38529	32857	28837	21602	132550	121825	254375	
N of Miss	1414	1310	1242	1094	961	791	717	3966	3563	7529	

Table 4.16: Do your parents talk with you about the problems of tobacco, alcohol and drug use?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	11.9	12.4	13.6	14.9	16.2	17.2	19.4	12.6	16.6	14.5	
Seldom	10.2	12.7	15.7	18.1	19.6	20.4	20.7	12.8	19.5	16.0	
Sometimes	23.7	24.1	26.6	27.9	28.9	29.7	29.4	24.8	28.9	26.7	
Often	21.3	21.2	20.6	19.6	18.3	17.8	16.3	21.0	18.2	19.7	
A Lot	32.9	29.6	23.5	19.6	17.0	14.9	14.3	28.7	16.8	23.0	
N of Valid	45679	45076	43766	39124	33373	29204	21911	134521	123612	258133	
N of Miss	792	672	531	499	445	424	408	1995	1776	3771	

Table 4.17: Do your teachers talk with you about the problems of tobacco, alcohol and drug use?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	13.3	13.8	16.5	19.4	18.5	21.0	22.7	14.5	20.1	17.2	
Seldom	13.9	17.5	21.0	24.8	25.6	28.9	28.7	17.4	26.7	21.9	
Sometimes	26.3	28.2	29.5	29.8	31.0	29.7	29.4	28.0	30.0	29.0	
Often	22.3	20.9	18.0	15.0	14.2	11.8	11.1	20.4	13.4	17.0	
A Lot	24.2	19.7	14.9	11.1	10.7	8.5	8.1	19.7	9.8	14.9	
N of Valid	45516	44983	43682	39014	33325	29188	21892	134181	123419	257600	
N of Miss	955	765	615	609	493	440	427	2335	1969	4304	

Table 4.18: Have you skipped school without your parents' permission in the past year?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	92.1	87.8	82.8	76.4	68.4	61.4	54.3	87.6	66.8	77.7	
Seldom	3.1	5.1	7.4	9.8	13.1	15.5	16.0	5.2	13.2	9.0	
Sometimes	2.1	3.3	4.8	6.7	9.4	11.7	14.6	3.4	10.0	6.5	
Often	0.8	1.5	2.1	3.1	4.0	5.2	6.5	1.4	4.4	2.9	
A Lot	2.0	2.3	2.9	4.0	5.0	6.1	8.6	2.4	5.6	3.9	
N of Valid	45925	45259	43812	39139	33396	29218	21926	134996	123679	258675	
N of Miss	546	489	485	484	422	410	393	1520	1709	3229	

Table 4.19: Does your school set clear rules on using drugs at school?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	5.8	6.1	7.1	7.6	7.6	7.6	8.0	6.3	7.6	6.9	
Seldom	4.1	5.9	7.8	9.0	9.4	9.3	8.7	5.9	9.1	7.5	
Sometimes	7.3	10.1	12.8	15.6	16.7	16.5	17.0	10.0	16.4	13.1	
Often	13.6	16.8	19.8	23.3	23.8	25.5	25.3	16.7	24.3	20.3	
A Lot	69.3	61.1	52.4	44.5	42.5	41.1	40.9	61.1	42.5	52.2	
N of Valid	45321	44965	43578	38984	33284	29114	21851	133864	123233	257097	
N of Miss	1150	783	719	639	534	514	468	2652	2155	4807	

Table 4.20: Does your school set clear rules on bullying or threatening other students at school?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	5.5	6.8	8.3	11.3	12.1	12.3	12.7	6.9	12.0	9.3	
Seldom	4.8	8.0	10.7	15.3	16.3	16.7	15.6	7.8	15.9	11.7	
Sometimes	10.1	14.5	18.1	22.9	24.3	25.1	25.0	14.2	24.2	19.0	
Often	18.7	21.7	23.0	22.4	21.7	21.8	21.7	21.1	22.0	21.5	
A Lot	60.9	49.0	39.8	28.1	25.6	24.2	24.9	50.1	25.9	38.5	
N of Valid	45688	45132	43764	39102	33360	29179	21894	134584	123535	258119	
N of Miss	783	616	533	521	458	449	425	1932	1853	3785	

Table 4.21: Do your parents set clear rules for you?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	3.0	3.1	3.6	4.4	4.7	5.0	7.3	3.2	5.1	4.1	
Seldom	2.7	4.0	5.3	6.4	6.6	7.2	7.8	4.0	6.9	5.4	
Sometimes	9.5	11.7	14.7	16.9	18.0	19.0	20.4	11.9	18.3	15.0	
Often	17.7	19.8	22.7	25.6	27.0	27.8	27.4	20.0	26.8	23.3	
A Lot	67.1	61.4	53.6	46.7	43.8	41.1	37.1	60.8	42.9	52.3	
N of Valid	45684	45026	43588	38933	33216	29073	21804	134298	123026	257324	
N of Miss	787	722	709	690	602	555	515	2218	2362	4580	

Table 4.22: Do your parents punish you when you break the rules?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	5.9	6.2	6.9	7.6	7.7	8.7	11.2	6.3	8.5	7.4
Seldom	5.8	7.6	9.7	11.1	11.5	12.3	13.1	7.7	11.9	9.7
Sometimes	19.6	20.5	21.9	23.0	24.5	24.8	26.1	20.6	24.4	22.4
Often	23.4	23.3	23.9	24.9	25.3	25.3	24.4	23.6	25.0	24.3
A Lot	45.3	42.4	37.6	33.4	31.1	28.9	25.2	41.8	30.2	36.3
N of Valid	45713	45065	43672	39037	33278	29099	21830	134450	123244	257694
N of Miss	758	683	625	586	540	529	489	2066	2144	4210

Table 4.23: Have you been in trouble with the police?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	83.6	77.4	72.3	71.5	71.4	71.1	70.7	77.9	71.2	74.7
Seldom	7.8	11.1	13.9	14.7	15.0	15.9	15.1	10.9	15.2	12.9
Sometimes	4.0	5.7	7.0	7.3	7.1	7.2	7.5	5.5	7.2	6.3
Often	1.9	2.7	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.7
A Lot	2.7	3.1	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.2	4.2	3.1	3.6	3.3
N of Valid	45882	45182	43771	39111	33352	29141	21862	134835	123466	258301
N of Miss	589	566	526	512	466	487	457	1681	1922	3603

Table 4.24: Do you take part in gang activities?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	90.0	87.9	85.4	86.6	87.1	87.1	85.8	87.8	86.7	87.3
Seldom	3.5	4.3	5.1	4.3	3.8	3.6	3.4	4.3	3.9	4.1
Sometimes	2.7	3.2	3.6	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.2	3.6	3.4
Often	1.3	1.7	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7
A Lot	2.6	3.0	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	5.0	3.1	4.1	3.6
N of Valid	45661	45075	43701	39063	33300	29139	21870	134437	123372	257809
N of Miss	810	673	596	560	518	489	449	2079	2016	4095

Table 4.25: Have you thought about committing suicide?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	83.4	78.2	74.0	72.4	71.8	72.0	71.9	78.6	72.1	75.5	
Seldom	7.2	9.4	10.9	11.8	12.3	12.6	12.3	9.1	12.2	10.6	
Sometimes	4.8	6.3	7.3	8.1	8.3	8.2	8.2	6.1	8.2	7.1	
Often	1.8	2.4	3.2	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.4	3.1	2.7	
A Lot	2.9	3.7	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.2	4.7	3.7	4.4	4.1	
N of Valid	45356	44920	43667	39012	33294	29122	21835	133943	123263	257206	
N of Miss	1115	828	630	611	524	506	484	2573	2125	4698	

Table 4.26: Do you have an adult, other than your parent or guardian, that you talk to about problems?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	18.7	17.5	16.5	16.5	15.5	15.6	16.4	17.6	16.0	16.8	
Seldom	11.0	11.4	12.5	13.2	12.6	13.2	12.8	11.6	13.0	12.3	
Sometimes	23.4	23.8	24.1	24.5	25.7	25.5	26.3	23.8	25.4	24.5	
Often	16.9	18.1	19.3	19.8	20.3	20.7	20.1	18.1	20.2	19.1	
A Lot	30.0	29.2	27.6	25.9	26.0	25.0	24.4	29.0	25.4	27.3	
N of Valid	45426	44817	43460	38796	33091	28892	21654	133703	122433	256136	
N of Miss	1045	931	837	827	727	736	665	2813	2955	5768	

Table 4.27: Do your friends use tobacco (cigarettes, etc.)?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	78.7	61.3	44.9	32.8	26.7	23.7	20.6	61.8	26.9	45.1	
Seldom	6.7	11.3	14.1	14.1	13.9	13.3	11.9	10.7	13.5	12.0	
Sometimes	6.7	12.5	18.0	21.5	22.8	23.5	23.7	12.3	22.7	17.3	
Often	3.4	6.5	10.3	13.8	15.6	16.4	17.4	6.7	15.5	10.9	
A Lot	4.5	8.4	12.8	17.8	20.9	23.1	26.4	8.5	21.4	14.7	
N of Valid	45187	44605	43321	38676	33038	28867	21624	133113	122205	255318	
N of Miss	1284	1143	976	947	780	761	695	3403	3183	6586	

Table 4.28: Do your friends use alcohol (beer, liquor, etc.)?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	80.2	61.6	42.3	27.1	20.4	17.4	14.8	61.6	20.8	42.1	
Seldom	7.3	12.6	16.2	16.3	14.5	13.2	11.4	12.0	14.2	13.1	
Sometimes	6.1	12.6	19.0	23.8	25.4	25.9	25.6	12.5	25.1	18.5	
Often	2.7	6.1	10.6	15.1	18.1	19.6	20.3	6.4	17.9	11.9	
A Lot	3.7	7.1	11.9	17.7	21.6	23.9	27.8	7.5	22.0	14.4	
N of Valid	45131	44569	43271	38654	33012	28837	21612	132971	122115	255086	
N of Miss	1340	1179	1026	969	806	791	707	3545	3273	6818	

Table 4.29: Do your friends use marijuana (pot, hash, etc.)?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	90.9	79.5	65.3	52.8	44.5	41.0	36.7	78.7	45.0	62.6	
Seldom	3.0	6.3	10.4	13.6	15.2	15.9	16.0	6.5	15.0	10.6	
Sometimes	2.2	5.5	9.5	13.1	15.7	17.2	18.8	5.7	15.8	10.5	
Often	1.3	3.3	5.7	7.9	9.9	10.7	11.6	3.4	9.7	6.4	
A Lot	2.7	5.4	9.1	12.5	14.6	15.2	16.9	5.7	14.5	9.9	
N of Valid	45076	44510	43230	38558	32944	28802	21570	132816	121874	254690	
N of Miss	1395	1238	1067	1065	874	826	749	3700	3514	7214	

Table 4.30: Do your friends use other illicit drugs?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	93.1	87.0	79.2	71.8	67.1	65.2	60.5	86.5	66.9	77.1	
Seldom	2.5	5.2	8.5	11.3	13.3	14.2	15.4	5.4	13.3	9.1	
Sometimes	1.6	3.3	5.6	7.7	9.5	10.0	11.5	3.5	9.4	6.3	
Often	0.8	1.7	2.6	3.5	4.0	4.2	4.6	1.7	4.0	2.8	
A Lot	2.0	2.8	4.2	5.6	6.2	6.5	8.1	3.0	6.4	4.6	
N of Valid	44568	44039	42747	38182	32662	28564	21406	131354	120814	252168	
N of Miss	1903	1709	1550	1441	1156	1064	913	5162	4574	9736	

Table 4.31: Have you had 5 or more glasses of beer, coolers, breezers or liquor within a few hours?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	93.2	87.3	79.4	72.2	66.3	62.6	57.1	86.7	65.7	76.7	
Seldom	2.4	4.7	6.9	8.2	9.3	10.2	10.5	4.6	9.4	6.9	
Sometimes	1.5	3.2	5.6	7.7	9.7	11.3	12.7	3.4	10.0	6.6	
Often	0.9	1.6	2.9	4.4	5.8	6.3	7.4	1.8	5.7	3.7	
A Lot	2.0	3.2	5.2	7.4	9.0	9.6	12.4	3.4	9.2	6.2	
N of Valid	45273	44592	43178	38504	32869	28717	21494	133043	121584	254627	
N of Miss	1198	1156	1119	1119	949	911	825	3473	3804	7277	

Table 4.32: Have you driven a car after or while drinking alcohol?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	97.3	95.6	93.1	90.2	84.5	76.6	67.6	95.3	81.5	88.7	
Seldom	0.7	1.7	2.6	3.6	6.3	10.2	13.7	1.6	7.7	4.5	
Sometimes	0.5	1.1	1.7	2.5	4.1	6.3	8.9	1.1	5.0	2.9	
Often	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.2	1.7	2.7	3.4	0.5	2.1	1.3	
A Lot	1.2	1.2	1.8	2.4	3.4	4.2	6.4	1.4	3.8	2.6	
N of Valid	45124	44441	43078	38466	32830	28625	21469	132643	121390	254033	
N of Miss	1347	1307	1219	1157	988	1003	850	3873	3998	7871	

Table 4.33: Does your school ask any students to take a drug test?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Yes	20.4	30.6	32.4	43.5	42.8	42.3	42.3	27.8	42.8	35.0
No	79.6	69.4	67.6	56.5	57.2	57.7	57.7	72.2	57.2	65.0
N of Valid	43493	43527	42739	38006	32580	28568	21480	129759	120634	250393
N of Miss	2974	2221	1558	1617	1238	1060	839	6753	4754	11507

Table 4.34: Does your school have a Student Assistance Program(SAP)?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Yes	40.8	40.9	34.5	36.1	31.4	27.1	24.3	38.7	30.6	34.7
No	59.2	59.1	65.5	63.9	68.6	72.9	75.7	61.3	69.4	65.3
N of Valid	39136	40298	40393	35689	31161	27444	20870	119827	115164	234991
N of Miss	7334	5450	3904	3934	2657	2184	1449	16688	10224	26912

Table 4.35: Does your school have a school security (police) officer?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Yes	58.7	63.0	60.6	69.4	69.8	69.8	67.3	60.7	69.2	64.8
No	41.3	37.0	39.4	30.6	30.2	30.2	32.7	39.3	30.8	35.2
N of Valid	43601	43473	42580	37832	32453	28360	21326	129654	119971	249625
N of Miss	2869	2275	1717	1791	1365	1267	993	6861	5416	12277

Table 4.36: Does your school security(police) officer help keep your school safe?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Yes	62.9	61.9	56.0	59.9	58.7	57.6	55.4	60.3	58.3	59.3
No	37.1	38.1	44.0	40.1	41.3	42.4	44.6	39.7	41.7	40.7
N of Valid	42458	42724	42029	37356	32214	28183	21242	127211	118995	246206
N of Miss	4010	3024	2268	2267	1604	1444	1077	9302	6392	15694

Table 4.37: Do you think that you are overweight?



RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Yes	24.0	25.2	26.5	27.6	28.2	28.8	30.3	25.2	28.5	26.8	
No	76.0	74.8	73.5	72.4	71.8	71.2	69.7	74.8	71.5	73.2	
N of Valid	44751	44185	43040	38324	32697	28599	21473	131976	121093	253069	
N of Miss	1717	1563	1257	1299	1121	1029	846	4537	4295	8832	

Table 4.38: Has a doctor told you that you are overweight?



RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Yes	8.3	8.9	9.7	10.7	11.6	12.3	13.2	8.9	11.8	10.3	
No	91.7	91.1	90.3	89.3	88.4	87.7	86.8	91.1	88.2	89.7	
N of Valid	44796	44227	43053	38325	32675	28581	21461	132076	121042	253118	
N of Miss	1669	1521	1244	1298	1143	1047	858	4434	4346	8780	

Table 4.39: Have you bought or sold drugs AT school?



RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Yes	2.3	4.1	6.6	9.6	11.2	11.1	12.8	4.3	10.9	7.5	
No	97.7	95.9	93.4	90.4	88.8	88.9	87.2	95.7	89.1	92.5	
N of Valid	45076	44353	43079	38345	32690	28579	21445	132508	121059	253567	
N of Miss	1393	1395	1218	1278	1128	1048	874	4006	4328	8334	

Table 4.40: Have you bought or sold drugs when NOT at school?



RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Yes	3.1	6.1	10.1	13.6	16.7	17.9	20.0	6.4	16.6	11.3	
No	96.9	93.9	89.9	86.4	83.3	82.1	80.0	93.6	83.4	88.7	
N of Valid	44606	43917	42731	38125	32528	28470	21391	131254	120514	251768	
N of Miss	1861	1831	1566	1498	1290	1157	928	5258	4873	10131	

Table 4.41: Have you carried a gun for protection or as a weapon when NOT at school in the past year?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Yes	10.5	12.8	14.3	13.9	13.2	12.4	13.5	12.5	13.3	12.9
No	89.5	87.2	85.7	86.1	86.8	87.6	86.5	87.5	86.7	87.1
N of Valid	45022	44352	43085	38381	32714	28584	21441	132459	121120	253579
N of Miss	1445	1396	1212	1242	1104	1043	878	4053	4267	8320

4.3 Do You Feel The Following Are Harmful To Your Health?

Table 4.42: Do you feel that using cigarettes is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	5.8	5.5	6.0	6.5	6.3	6.2	7.3	5.8	6.5	6.1	
Some harm	6.4	10.3	13.8	15.4	14.5	14.4	13.5	10.1	14.6	12.2	
Harmful	23.9	26.3	28.4	29.1	28.8	28.3	28.0	26.2	28.6	27.4	
Very harmful	63.9	57.8	51.8	49.0	50.4	51.1	51.2	57.9	50.3	54.3	
N of Valid	45293	44726	43294	38634	32890	28719	21590	133313	121833	255146	
N of Miss	1178	1022	1003	989	928	909	729	3203	3555	6758	

Table 4.43: Do you feel that using smokeless tobacco is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	6.7	6.8	7.8	8.1	7.2	6.9	7.6	7.1	7.5	7.3	
Some harm	11.3	15.0	18.4	20.0	18.6	18.1	17.3	14.9	18.7	16.7	
Harmful	26.2	27.1	28.1	28.7	28.6	28.5	29.1	27.1	28.7	27.9	
Very harmful	55.7	51.1	45.7	43.2	45.6	46.5	46.0	50.9	45.1	48.1	
N of Valid	45285	44674	43274	38626	32881	28708	21574	133233	121789	255022	
N of Miss	1186	1074	1023	997	937	920	745	3283	3599	6882	

Table 4.44: Do you feel that using cigars is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	6.5	6.7	7.7	8.2	7.5	7.4	8.6	7.0	7.9	7.4	
Some harm	10.7	15.0	18.6	20.6	19.6	19.6	19.5	14.7	19.9	17.2	
Harmful	26.0	27.0	28.1	28.7	28.6	28.4	28.1	27.1	28.5	27.8	
Very harmful	56.7	51.3	45.6	42.5	44.3	44.6	43.8	51.3	43.7	47.7	
N of Valid	45146	44574	43184	38535	32815	28670	21539	132904	121559	254463	
N of Miss	1325	1174	1113	1088	1003	958	780	3612	3829	7441	

Table 4.45: Do you feel that using beer is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	8.9	9.7	11.8	12.5	11.4	11.4	12.9	10.1	12.0	11.0	
Some harm	19.9	23.5	27.7	29.5	29.0	30.0	30.8	23.7	29.7	26.5	
Harmful	25.5	24.8	24.6	24.8	24.9	23.9	22.8	25.0	24.3	24.6	
Very harmful	45.7	41.9	36.0	33.3	34.6	34.8	33.6	41.3	34.1	37.8	
N of Valid	45141	44500	43160	38451	32757	28661	21517	132801	121386	254187	
N of Miss	1330	1248	1137	1172	1061	967	802	3715	4002	7717	

Table 4.46: Do you feel that using coolers, breezers, etc. is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	13.6	14.7	18.2	18.8	17.4	17.1	17.3	15.5	17.7	16.6	
Some harm	19.9	24.2	28.9	31.5	31.9	32.3	33.3	24.3	32.1	28.1	
Harmful	24.0	22.7	20.9	20.4	20.6	20.2	19.3	22.6	20.2	21.4	
Very harmful	42.5	38.4	32.0	29.2	30.2	30.3	30.1	37.7	29.9	34.0	
N of Valid	44039	44349	43031	38448	32771	28674	21538	131419	121431	252850	
N of Miss	2432	1399	1266	1175	1047	954	781	5097	3957	9054	

Table 4.47: Do you feel that using liquor is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	6.9	7.4	9.2	10.0	9.8	9.6	10.9	7.8	10.0	8.9	
Some harm	10.6	14.1	18.5	20.8	21.1	22.4	24.3	14.4	21.9	18.0	
Harmful	24.1	25.8	27.3	28.4	28.0	27.5	26.4	25.7	27.7	26.7	
Very harmful	58.4	52.7	45.0	40.8	41.2	40.5	38.4	52.1	40.4	46.5	
N of Valid	45146	44573	43214	38537	32805	28668	21541	132933	121551	254484	
N of Miss	1325	1175	1083	1086	1013	960	778	3583	3837	7420	

Table 4.48: Do you feel that using marijuana is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	6.1	6.9	9.2	11.0	11.3	11.5	13.1	7.4	11.6	9.4	
Some harm	2.7	5.2	8.3	11.0	12.8	14.4	15.5	5.4	13.1	9.0	
Harmful	8.4	10.9	14.1	16.9	19.1	19.9	20.4	11.1	18.8	14.8	
Very harmful	82.8	77.0	68.5	61.2	56.8	54.2	50.9	76.2	56.5	66.8	
N of Valid	45202	44613	43212	38552	32769	28669	21521	133027	121511	254538	
N of Miss	1268	1135	1085	1071	1049	959	798	3488	3877	7365	

Table 4.49: Do you feel that using cocaine is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	5.2	4.4	4.7	4.9	4.6	4.6	5.9	4.8	4.9	4.9	
Some harm	1.4	2.2	2.6	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.6	2.1	3.2	2.6	
Harmful	7.4	8.0	9.8	11.2	11.4	11.7	11.8	8.4	11.5	9.9	
Very harmful	85.9	85.4	82.9	80.8	80.9	80.6	78.7	84.7	80.4	82.7	
N of Valid	45127	44604	43208	38566	32803	28669	21515	132939	121553	254492	
N of Miss	1344	1144	1089	1057	1015	959	804	3577	3835	7412	

Table 4.50: Do you feel that using uppers is harmful to your health?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
No harm	6.8	5.5	5.6	5.9	5.4	5.3	6.4	6.0	5.7	5.8	
Some harm	6.3	6.5	6.6	7.1	6.6	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.7	6.6	
Harmful	19.2	18.4	18.2	18.3	17.3	17.9	17.2	18.6	17.8	18.2	
Very harmful	67.6	69.6	69.6	68.7	70.7	70.6	69.8	69.0	69.9	69.4	
N of Valid	43264	44060	43015	38474	32756	28648	21502	130339	121380	251719	
N of Miss	3206	1688	1282	1149	1062	980	817	6176	4008	10184	

Table 4.51: Do you feel that using downers is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	7.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.5	5.3	6.4	6.6	5.8	6.2
Some harm	8.9	8.3	8.2	8.1	7.2	6.8	7.3	8.5	7.4	8.0
Harmful	21.2	20.1	19.6	19.2	18.0	18.4	17.5	20.3	18.4	19.4
Very harmful	62.6	65.4	65.9	66.5	69.2	69.4	68.7	64.6	68.3	66.4
N of Valid	43162	44025	42976	38432	32751	28635	21491	130163	121309	251472
N of Miss	3305	1723	1321	1191	1067	993	828	6349	4079	10428

Table 4.52: Do you feel that using inhalants is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	7.6	6.3	6.3	6.1	5.3	5.1	6.2	6.7	5.7	6.2
Some harm	9.6	8.6	8.6	8.1	6.6	5.5	5.4	8.9	6.6	7.8
Harmful	18.7	18.3	18.1	18.0	16.7	16.4	15.3	18.4	16.8	17.6
Very harmful	64.1	66.8	67.0	67.8	71.4	73.0	73.1	66.0	70.9	68.4
N of Valid	44267	44315	43096	38485	32774	28643	21497	131678	121399	253077
N of Miss	2202	1433	1201	1138	1044	985	822	4836	3989	8825

Table 4.53: Do you feel that using hallucinogens is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	6.3	5.1	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.0	6.2	5.5	5.3	5.4
Some harm	5.0	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.0	3.9	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.5
Harmful	16.7	16.2	15.8	15.5	14.0	13.1	12.5	16.2	14.0	15.1
Very harmful	72.0	74.2	74.7	74.5	77.1	78.0	76.8	73.6	76.4	75.0
N of Valid	42139	43533	42755	38335	32745	28619	21495	128427	121194	249621
N of Miss	4330	2215	1542	1288	1073	1009	824	8087	4194	12281

Table 4.54: Do you feel that using heroin is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	5.9	4.8	4.7	4.9	4.6	4.6	5.9	5.1	4.9	5.0
Some harm	3.9	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.9	3.5	2.8	3.1
Harmful	13.5	12.0	11.9	11.6	10.6	10.3	9.8	12.5	10.7	11.6
Very harmful	76.7	79.8	80.3	80.4	82.2	82.6	81.4	78.9	81.6	80.2
N of Valid	43341	44053	42988	38449	32760	28612	21487	130382	121308	251690
N of Miss	3128	1695	1309	1174	1058	1016	832	6132	4080	10212

Table 4.55: Do you feel that using anabolic steroids is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	7.1	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.1	6.3	6.2	5.5	5.9
Some harm	8.1	7.7	7.9	7.6	6.5	6.2	6.5	7.9	6.8	7.4
Harmful	20.8	20.5	20.7	21.0	19.2	18.6	17.8	20.7	19.4	20.0
Very harmful	64.1	65.9	65.7	65.8	69.2	70.2	69.5	65.2	68.4	66.7
N of Valid	44117	44163	42995	38403	32716	28591	21479	131275	121189	252464
N of Miss	2351	1585	1302	1220	1102	1037	840	5238	4199	9437

Table 4.56: Do you feel that using ecstasy is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	6.3	5.2	5.4	5.6	5.1	5.1	6.2	5.6	5.4	5.5
Some harm	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.5	4.1	4.4	5.1	4.5	4.8
Harmful	17.7	16.3	15.5	14.8	13.2	13.0	13.0	16.5	13.6	15.1
Very harmful	70.8	73.5	74.1	74.7	77.2	77.9	76.4	72.8	76.4	74.6
N of Valid	42251	43635	42835	38348	32712	28636	21485	128721	121181	249902
N of Miss	4219	2113	1462	1275	1106	992	834	7794	4207	12001

Table 4.57: Do you feel that using OxyContin is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	7.0	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.1	6.4	6.0	5.6	5.8
Some harm	6.1	5.5	5.3	5.1	4.7	4.5	4.8	5.6	4.8	5.2
Harmful	17.6	16.3	15.4	15.1	13.8	13.4	13.3	16.4	14.0	15.3
Very harmful	69.3	72.7	73.6	74.0	76.2	77.0	75.5	71.9	75.6	73.7
N of Valid	42383	43614	42799	38295	32679	28597	21464	128796	121035	249831
N of Miss	4087	2134	1498	1328	1139	1031	855	7719	4353	12072

Table 4.58: Do you feel that using meth is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	6.5	5.0	4.8	4.9	4.5	4.5	5.8	5.5	4.8	5.2
Some harm	3.2	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.7	2.8	2.4	2.6
Harmful	7.9	7.5	8.0	8.6	8.3	8.4	8.3	7.8	8.4	8.1
Very harmful	82.3	84.9	84.6	83.9	85.0	85.0	83.2	83.9	84.3	84.1
N of Valid	44295	44242	42983	38353	32666	28564	21470	131520	121053	252573
N of Miss	2176	1506	1314	1270	1152	1064	849	4996	4335	9331

Table 4.59: Do you feel that using any tobacco is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	4.8	4.2	4.5	4.9	4.7	4.7	5.9	4.5	5.0	4.7
Some harm	3.4	6.4	9.2	11.0	10.9	11.0	10.8	6.3	10.9	8.5
Harmful	19.6	24.1	27.9	29.3	28.9	28.8	28.3	23.8	28.9	26.3
Very harmful	72.2	65.3	58.4	54.8	55.5	55.5	55.0	65.4	55.2	60.5
N of Valid	45577	44902	43457	38782	32986	28826	21669	133936	122263	256199
N of Miss	894	846	840	841	832	802	650	2580	3125	5705

Table 4.60: Do you feel that using any alcohol is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	5.4	5.7	7.2	8.2	8.0	8.1	9.4	6.1	8.3	7.2
Some harm	7.6	11.3	16.0	18.7	19.4	20.6	22.6	11.6	20.0	15.6
Harmful	22.4	24.9	27.5	29.0	28.3	28.0	26.9	24.9	28.2	26.5
Very harmful	64.5	58.0	49.4	44.1	44.2	43.3	41.1	57.4	43.4	50.8
N of Valid	45517	44847	43410	38716	32953	28815	21629	133774	122113	255887
N of Miss	954	901	887	907	865	813	690	2742	3275	6017

Table 4.61: Do you feel that using any illicit drugs is harmful to your health?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
No harm	4.3	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.5	4.7	3.7	3.8	3.8
Some harm	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.9	0.9	1.6	1.2
Harmful	2.6	3.5	4.9	6.3	6.5	6.9	6.9	3.7	6.6	5.1
Very harmful	92.5	92.2	90.4	88.3	88.5	88.1	86.5	91.7	88.0	89.9
N of Valid	45488	44843	43435	38751	32956	28824	21648	133766	122179	255945
N of Miss	975	905	862	872	862	804	671	2742	3209	5951

4.4 Within The Past Year How Often Have You...

Table 4.62: Within the past year how often have you smoked cigarettes?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	91.5	84.6	77.7	73.2	70.0	68.4	64.2	84.7	69.6	77.5	
Once/year	3.6	5.7	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.4	5.9	5.4	6.6	6.0	
6 times/year	1.0	1.8	2.8	3.0	3.4	3.4	3.9	1.9	3.4	2.6	
Once/month	0.5	1.1	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	1.1	2.1	1.5	
Twice/month	0.4	1.0	1.5	1.8	2.1	2.1	2.2	0.9	2.0	1.4	
Once/week	0.6	1.4	1.9	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.5	1.3	2.4	1.8	
3 times/week	0.7	1.5	2.6	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.8	1.6	3.4	2.5	
Every day	1.7	2.8	4.9	7.7	10.0	11.7	15.2	3.1	10.6	6.7	
N of Valid	45616	44770	43412	38606	32948	28826	21657	133798	122037	255835	
N of Miss	855	978	885	1017	870	802	662	2718	3351	6069	

Table 4.63: Within the past year how often have you used smokeless tobacco?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	94.7	91.8	87.9	85.3	84.1	84.1	81.7	91.5	84.1	88.0	
Once/year	2.0	2.7	3.4	3.5	3.8	3.4	3.4	2.7	3.6	3.1	
6 times/year	0.5	0.9	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.8	0.9	1.6	1.2	
Once/month	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.3	0.6	1.1	0.9	
Twice/month	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.9	0.7	
Once/week	0.4	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2	0.7	1.2	0.9	
3 times/week	0.4	0.8	1.3	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.7	0.8	1.6	1.2	
Every day	1.4	1.9	3.2	4.9	5.9	6.2	7.8	2.1	6.0	4.0	
N of Valid	45578	44752	43384	38592	32915	28789	21630	133714	121926	255640	
N of Miss	893	996	913	1031	903	839	689	2802	3462	6264	

Table 4.64: Within the past year how often have you smoked cigars?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	95.4	92.1	88.1	85.0	82.1	80.2	75.0	91.9	81.3	86.9	
Once/year	1.8	3.2	4.4	4.7	5.3	5.6	6.2	3.1	5.3	4.2	
6 times/year	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.2	2.9	3.6	4.6	1.0	3.1	2.0	
Once/month	0.3	0.7	1.2	1.7	2.1	2.4	3.3	0.8	2.2	1.5	
Twice/month	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.4	1.8	2.1	2.6	0.6	1.9	1.2	
Once/week	0.3	0.7	1.1	1.5	1.7	2.0	2.1	0.7	1.8	1.2	
3 times/week	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.6	0.6	1.3	0.9	
Every day	1.2	1.1	1.7	2.4	2.8	2.9	4.6	1.4	3.0	2.1	
N of Valid	45509	44642	43245	38472	32811	28688	21579	133396	121550	254946	
N of Miss	962	1106	1052	1151	1007	940	740	3120	3838	6958	

Table 4.65: Within the past year how often have you drunk beer?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	85.6	76.5	67.2	61.4	57.7	55.8	51.3	76.6	57.3	67.4	
Once/year	7.9	10.8	12.3	11.7	10.6	9.9	8.4	10.3	10.4	10.4	
6 times/year	1.7	3.5	5.4	6.4	7.0	7.4	7.3	3.5	7.0	5.2	
Once/month	1.0	2.1	3.7	4.4	5.3	5.5	5.9	2.3	5.2	3.7	
Twice/month	0.8	1.9	3.3	5.1	6.1	6.6	7.3	2.0	6.1	4.0	
Once/week	0.8	2.1	3.3	5.2	6.6	7.4	9.2	2.1	6.8	4.3	
3 times/week	0.7	1.5	2.4	3.0	3.5	3.9	5.4	1.5	3.8	2.6	
Every day	1.5	1.6	2.3	2.8	3.1	3.4	5.2	1.8	3.4	2.6	
N of Valid	45448	44592	43176	38437	32810	28705	21563	133216	121515	254731	
N of Miss	1023	1156	1121	1186	1008	923	756	3300	3873	7173	

Table 4.66: Within the past year how often have you drunk coolers, breezers, etc.?

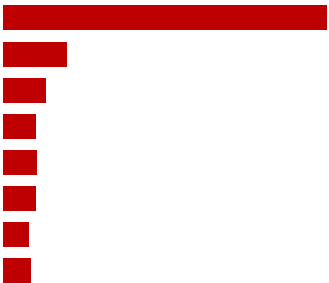
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	87.7	78.4	67.4	61.2	56.8	55.4	51.6	78.0	56.9	67.9	
Once/year	6.2	9.6	12.2	12.1	12.2	11.8	11.0	9.3	11.8	10.5	
6 times/year	1.4	3.3	5.8	7.2	8.3	9.1	9.0	3.5	8.3	5.8	
Once/month	0.9	2.1	3.6	4.6	5.5	5.9	6.3	2.2	5.5	3.7	
Twice/month	0.8	1.8	3.4	4.9	6.0	6.5	7.8	2.0	6.1	3.9	
Once/week	0.8	1.8	3.2	4.6	5.6	5.8	6.7	1.9	5.5	3.6	
3 times/week	0.6	1.3	2.1	2.6	2.8	2.5	3.2	1.4	2.7	2.0	
Every day	1.6	1.7	2.2	2.7	2.9	3.0	4.5	1.9	3.1	2.5	
N of Valid	45245	44613	43263	38465	32792	28709	21563	133121	121529	254650	
N of Miss	1226	1135	1034	1158	1026	919	756	3395	3859	7254	

Table 4.67: Within the past year how often have you drunk liquor?

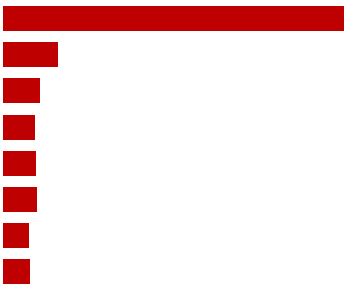
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	91.8	84.5	73.8	65.7	59.3	55.6	49.9	83.5	58.8	71.7	
Once/year	4.0	6.9	9.9	10.3	10.7	10.4	9.6	6.9	10.3	8.5	
6 times/year	0.9	2.1	4.0	5.5	6.8	8.0	8.0	2.3	6.9	4.5	
Once/month	0.6	1.5	2.9	4.3	5.3	6.0	6.9	1.7	5.4	3.5	
Twice/month	0.5	1.3	2.7	4.5	6.0	6.9	8.3	1.5	6.2	3.7	
Once/week	0.6	1.5	2.8	4.6	6.1	6.8	8.6	1.6	6.2	3.8	
3 times/week	0.4	1.0	1.8	2.5	2.9	3.0	4.1	1.0	3.0	2.0	
Every day	1.3	1.3	2.1	2.7	3.0	3.2	4.6	1.6	3.2	2.4	
N of Valid	45456	44606	43236	38476	32839	28716	21582	133298	121613	254911	
N of Miss	1015	1142	1061	1147	979	912	737	3218	3775	6993	

Table 4.68: Within the past year how often have you smoked marijuana?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	96.1	91.7	86.1	81.5	77.4	75.4	72.1	91.4	77.3	84.7	
Once/year	1.0	2.3	3.7	4.4	5.4	6.2	6.3	2.3	5.4	3.8	
6 times/year	0.3	0.9	1.6	2.1	2.7	3.3	3.7	0.9	2.8	1.8	
Once/month	0.3	0.7	1.2	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.7	0.8	2.1	1.4	
Twice/month	0.3	0.7	1.3	1.8	2.2	2.3	2.1	0.7	2.1	1.4	
Once/week	0.3	0.8	1.4	1.9	2.2	2.3	2.5	0.8	2.2	1.5	
3 times/week	0.4	1.1	1.7	2.4	2.9	2.8	3.3	1.1	2.8	1.9	
Every day	1.4	1.7	3.0	4.2	5.2	5.5	7.4	2.0	5.3	3.6	
N of Valid	45473	44632	43264	38472	32820	28702	21571	133369	121565	254934	
N of Miss	998	1116	1033	1151	998	926	748	3147	3823	6970	

Table 4.69: Within the past year how often have you used cocaine?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.8	97.4	96.2	95.1	94.0	93.4	90.3	97.2	93.5	95.4	
Once/year	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.6	0.5	1.2	0.9	
6 times/year	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8	1.1	0.3	0.7	0.5	
Once/month	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.3	0.6	0.4	
Twice/month	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.4	
Once/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.4	
3 times/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Every day	1.2	0.9	1.3	1.8	2.3	2.3	3.9	1.1	2.4	1.7	
N of Valid	45436	44653	43251	38488	32846	28710	21571	133340	121615	254955	
N of Miss	1035	1095	1046	1135	972	918	748	3176	3773	6949	

Table 4.70: Within the past year how often have you used uppers?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.5	96.8	95.1	93.3	92.0	91.6	88.8	96.5	91.7	94.2	
Once/year	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.7	0.8	1.4	1.1	
6 times/year	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.4	0.4	1.1	0.7	
Once/month	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.4	1.0	0.6	
Twice/month	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.3	0.3	0.8	0.6	
Once/week	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.3	0.8	0.5	
3 times/week	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.3	0.8	0.5	
Every day	1.1	0.9	1.3	1.8	2.3	2.3	3.7	1.1	2.4	1.7	
N of Valid	44936	44538	43210	38456	32831	28700	21567	132684	121554	254238	
N of Miss	1535	1210	1087	1167	987	928	752	3832	3834	7666	

Table 4.71: Within the past year how often have you used downers?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.4	96.6	94.9	93.3	91.9	91.5	88.6	96.3	91.7	94.1	
Once/year	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.6	0.8	1.4	1.1	
6 times/year	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.4	1.6	0.5	1.1	0.8	
Once/month	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.3	0.4	1.0	0.7	
Twice/month	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.8	1.2	0.3	0.9	0.6	
Once/week	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.3	0.9	0.6	
3 times/week	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.4	
Every day	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.9	2.2	2.3	3.6	1.2	2.4	1.7	
N of Valid	44850	44489	43204	38432	32814	28698	21557	132543	121501	254044	
N of Miss	1621	1259	1093	1191	1004	930	762	3973	3887	7860	

Table 4.72: Within the past year how often have you used inhalants?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	94.9	94.5	93.4	93.7	93.6	93.9	92.0	94.3	93.4	93.9	
Once/year	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.9	1.4	1.6	
6 times/year	0.5	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.8	
Once/month	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.6	
Twice/month	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.5	
Once/week	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	
3 times/week	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	
Every day	1.4	1.1	1.4	1.7	2.0	2.1	3.5	1.3	2.2	1.7	
N of Valid	44996	44540	43178	38416	32807	28679	21550	132714	121452	254166	
N of Miss	1475	1208	1119	1207	1011	949	769	3802	3936	7738	

Table 4.73: Within the past year how often have you used hallucinogens?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.8	97.6	96.5	95.4	94.5	94.0	91.3	97.3	94.1	95.8	
Once/year	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.4	0.5	1.1	0.8	
6 times/year	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.7	0.5	
Once/month	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.7	0.5	
Twice/month	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.4	
Once/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.3	
3 times/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Every day	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.7	1.9	2.1	3.6	1.0	2.2	1.6	
N of Valid	44724	44434	43160	38398	32804	28682	21566	132318	121450	253768	
N of Miss	1747	1314	1137	1225	1014	946	753	4198	3938	8136	

Table 4.74: Within the past year how often have you used heroin?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.8	97.8	97.0	96.2	95.5	95.1	92.7	97.5	95.1	96.4	
Once/year	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.5	
6 times/year	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.4	
Once/month	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Twice/month	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Once/week	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.3	
3 times/week	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.2	
Every day	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.6	1.9	2.1	3.5	1.0	2.1	1.5	
N of Valid	44913	44473	43180	38412	32808	28663	21544	132566	121427	253993	
N of Miss	1558	1275	1117	1211	1010	965	775	3950	3961	7911	

Table 4.75: Within the past year how often have you used anabolic steroids?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.4	97.4	96.5	96.0	95.5	95.1	92.7	97.1	95.1	96.1	
Once/year	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.7	
6 times/year	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	
Once/month	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.4	0.3	
Twice/month	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Once/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	
3 times/week	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Every day	1.2	0.8	1.2	1.7	2.0	2.1	3.6	1.1	2.2	1.6	
N of Valid	44974	44489	43142	38399	32792	28655	21527	132605	121373	253978	
N of Miss	1497	1259	1155	1224	1026	973	792	3911	4015	7926	

Table 4.76: Within the past year how often have you used ecstasy?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.9	97.3	95.9	94.8	93.8	93.3	90.6	97.1	93.5	95.3	
Once/year	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.6	1.8	0.6	1.4	1.0	
6 times/year	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.1	0.3	0.8	0.5	
Once/month	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.5	
Twice/month	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.4	
Once/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.4	
3 times/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Every day	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.7	2.0	2.1	3.7	1.1	2.2	1.6	
N of Valid	44595	44372	43130	38376	32797	28642	21532	132097	121347	253444	
N of Miss	1876	1376	1167	1247	1021	986	787	4419	4041	8460	

Table 4.77: Within the past year how often have you used OxyContin?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.6	97.1	95.7	94.7	93.9	93.5	91.1	96.8	93.6	95.3	
Once/year	0.4	0.6	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.6	0.7	1.4	1.0	
6 times/year	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.3	0.7	0.5	
Once/month	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.5	
Twice/month	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.4	
Once/week	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.4	
3 times/week	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Every day	1.2	0.9	1.3	1.8	2.0	2.1	3.6	1.1	2.2	1.6	
N of Valid	44615	44371	43111	38365	32790	28644	21543	132097	121342	253439	
N of Miss	1856	1377	1186	1258	1028	984	776	4419	4046	8465	

Table 4.78: Within the past year how often have you used meth?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	97.5	97.3	96.7	96.0	95.4	95.2	92.8	97.2	95.1	96.2	
Once/year	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.6	
6 times/year	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Once/month	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.4	
Twice/month	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.3	
Once/week	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	
3 times/week	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	
Every day	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.7	2.1	2.1	3.6	1.2	2.3	1.7	
N of Valid	44906	44344	43018	38217	32694	28532	21441	132268	120884	253152	
N of Miss	1565	1404	1279	1406	1124	1096	878	4248	4504	8752	

Table 4.79: Within the past year how often have you used any tobacco?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	88.8	80.4	72.3	67.1	64.0	62.5	57.9	80.6	63.6	72.5	
Once/year	4.9	7.0	8.1	7.8	7.5	7.2	6.6	6.6	7.4	7.0	
6 times/year	1.2	2.3	3.5	3.6	4.3	4.2	4.8	2.3	4.1	3.2	
Once/month	0.7	1.4	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.5	1.4	2.3	1.8	
Twice/month	0.5	1.3	1.8	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.6	1.2	2.3	1.7	
Once/week	0.8	1.7	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	1.6	2.7	2.1	
3 times/week	0.9	2.0	3.1	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.0	2.0	3.8	2.9	
Every day	2.2	3.9	6.8	10.5	13.3	15.2	18.9	4.2	13.9	8.8	
N of Valid	45784	44975	43603	38813	33080	28943	21748	134362	122584	256946	
N of Miss	687	773	694	810	738	685	571	2154	2804	4958	

Table 4.80: Within the past year how often have you used any alcohol?

















RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	80.3	68.7	56.9	50.1	45.7	43.5	39.0	68.8	45.4	57.7	
Once/year	10.8	14.5	16.2	15.4	14.3	13.4	11.8	13.8	14.0	13.9	
6 times/year	2.3	4.7	7.7	8.8	9.8	10.4	10.1	4.9	9.7	7.2	
Once/month	1.3	2.7	4.5	5.4	6.2	6.6	6.6	2.8	6.1	4.4	
Twice/month	1.1	2.5	4.3	6.2	7.6	8.2	9.4	2.6	7.6	5.0	
Once/week	1.2	2.7	4.3	6.5	8.0	9.0	11.0	2.7	8.3	5.4	
3 times/week	1.0	2.1	3.2	4.1	4.5	4.7	6.4	2.1	4.7	3.3	
Every day	2.0	2.2	3.0	3.6	3.8	4.1	5.7	2.4	4.1	3.2	
N of Valid	45741	44898	43525	38736	33025	28893	21714	134164	122368	256532	
N of Miss	730	850	772	887	793	735	605	2352	3020	5372	

Table 4.81: Within the past year how often have you used any illicit drug?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	91.4	86.9	81.4	78.1	74.6	73.2	69.9	86.7	74.5	80.9	
Once/year	3.0	4.0	5.1	5.1	5.7	6.2	6.1	4.0	5.7	4.8	
6 times/year	0.8	1.4	2.1	2.4	2.9	3.4	3.6	1.4	3.0	2.2	
Once/month	0.5	1.0	1.5	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.7	1.0	2.1	1.5	
Twice/month	0.4	0.9	1.5	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.4	0.9	2.2	1.6	
Once/week	0.6	1.2	1.8	2.2	2.5	2.6	2.7	1.2	2.5	1.8	
3 times/week	0.7	1.5	2.2	2.7	3.2	3.0	3.3	1.5	3.0	2.2	
Every day	2.5	3.0	4.4	5.7	6.7	7.0	9.4	3.3	6.9	5.0	
N of Valid	45760	44930	43574	38788	33061	28910	21743	134264	122502	256766	
N of Miss	711	818	723	835	757	718	576	2252	2886	5138	

4.5 At What Age Did You First...

Table 4.82: At what age did you first smoke cigarettes?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never used	88.6	80.4	72.0	66.7	62.5	60.3	55.8	80.5	62.1	71.7
10 or under	6.1	7.3	8.7	8.2	7.9	7.0	7.6	7.4	7.7	7.5
11	3.0	4.6	5.0	4.5	4.0	3.4	3.2	4.2	3.9	4.1
12	1.5	4.3	5.3	5.4	5.1	5.0	4.7	3.7	5.1	4.3
13	0.4	2.4	5.5	6.1	5.5	5.6	5.2	2.7	5.7	4.1
14	0.1	0.5	2.5	5.6	6.1	5.4	5.7	1.0	5.7	3.3
15	0.0	0.1	0.6	2.8	6.2	6.1	6.3	0.2	5.1	2.5
16	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.4	2.2	5.2	5.8	0.1	3.0	1.4
17 or older	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.5	2.0	5.7	0.3	1.7	1.0
N of Valid	45301	44354	43067	38305	32592	28522	21394	132722	120813	253535
N of Miss	1170	1394	1230	1318	1226	1106	925	3794	4575	8369

Table 4.83: At what age did you first use smokeless tobacco?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never used	93.8	90.5	86.1	82.9	80.8	80.3	77.4	90.2	80.8	85.7
10 or under	2.8	2.9	3.7	3.9	4.1	3.6	4.8	3.1	4.0	3.6
11	1.6	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.9	1.6	1.8
12	1.0	2.3	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.2	2.1
13	0.3	1.6	3.4	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.4	1.7	2.8	2.2
14	0.0	0.4	1.6	3.6	3.3	2.8	2.8	0.6	3.2	1.8
15	0.0	0.1	0.3	1.8	3.7	3.1	3.3	0.1	2.9	1.4
16	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	1.3	2.5	3.0	0.1	1.6	0.8
17 or older	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	1.2	2.7	0.3	0.9	0.6
N of Valid	45303	44327	43026	38275	32597	28449	21378	132656	120699	253355
N of Miss	1168	1421	1271	1348	1221	1179	941	3860	4689	8549

Table 4.84: At what age did you first smoke cigars?










RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	94.8	91.1	86.4	82.5	78.9	76.6	70.9	90.8	78.1	84.8	
10 or under	2.5	2.7	3.2	3.3	3.4	2.9	4.1	2.8	3.4	3.1	
11	1.3	1.8	2.1	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	
12	0.8	2.2	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.4	2.1	
13	0.3	1.5	3.1	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.8	1.6	3.1	2.3	
14	0.1	0.4	1.8	3.6	3.9	3.3	3.6	0.7	3.6	2.1	
15	0.0	0.1	0.4	2.0	4.5	4.5	4.5	0.2	3.7	1.9	
16	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3	1.7	4.2	5.1	0.1	2.4	1.2	
17 or older	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	1.6	4.8	0.3	1.4	0.8	
N of Valid	45242	44220	42893	38098	32473	28342	21309	132355	120222	252577	
N of Miss	1229	1528	1404	1525	1345	1286	1010	4161	5166	9327	

Table 4.85: At what age did you first drink beer?










RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	82.3	72.7	61.9	55.4	50.4	47.8	43.8	72.5	50.2	61.9	
10 or under	9.6	11.1	12.3	10.8	10.0	8.8	8.5	11.0	9.7	10.4	
11	4.5	5.6	5.8	4.8	3.7	2.9	2.5	5.3	3.7	4.5	
12	2.4	5.7	7.0	6.1	5.3	4.7	4.1	5.0	5.2	5.1	
13	0.6	3.6	7.9	8.5	7.4	6.1	5.6	4.0	7.1	5.5	
14	0.1	0.9	3.8	9.1	9.2	7.9	7.6	1.6	8.6	4.9	
15	0.1	0.2	0.8	4.3	9.8	10.8	9.7	0.3	8.2	4.1	
16	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.7	3.5	8.4	10.5	0.1	5.0	2.4	
17 or older	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	2.6	7.7	0.3	2.3	1.2	
N of Valid	45150	44176	42881	38123	32514	28391	21336	132207	120364	252571	
N of Miss	1321	1572	1416	1500	1304	1237	983	4309	5024	9333	

Table 4.86: At what age did you first drink coolers, breezers, etc.?










RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	87.6	77.5	65.3	57.8	51.7	48.9	44.6	77.0	51.7	64.9	
10 or under	5.2	6.9	8.2	7.8	7.4	6.4	6.6	6.7	7.1	6.9	
11	3.8	5.0	5.6	4.6	3.8	3.1	2.6	4.8	3.7	4.3	
12	2.2	5.6	7.2	6.4	5.5	4.7	4.1	5.0	5.3	5.1	
13	0.6	3.6	8.3	9.0	8.0	6.9	5.9	4.1	7.7	5.8	
14	0.1	0.9	4.2	9.2	9.6	8.2	7.6	1.7	8.8	5.1	
15	0.1	0.2	0.8	4.2	10.1	10.7	10.0	0.3	8.4	4.2	
16	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.7	3.4	8.4	10.8	0.1	5.0	2.4	
17 or older	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.6	2.7	8.0	0.3	2.3	1.3	
N of Valid	45062	44208	42901	38166	32509	28404	21324	132171	120403	252574	
N of Miss	1409	1540	1396	1457	1309	1224	995	4345	4985	9330	

Table 4.87: At what age did you first drink liquor?










RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	91.3	83.9	72.4	63.4	55.7	51.3	45.3	82.7	55.3	69.6	
10 or under	3.4	4.0	5.0	4.8	4.9	4.4	5.0	4.1	4.8	4.4	
11	2.5	3.1	3.5	3.0	2.3	1.9	1.7	3.0	2.3	2.7	
12	1.7	4.4	5.3	4.8	3.9	3.5	3.1	3.8	3.9	3.8	
13	0.5	3.3	7.9	7.6	6.8	5.6	4.9	3.8	6.4	5.1	
14	0.1	0.8	4.6	10.1	9.4	8.0	7.3	1.8	8.9	5.2	
15	0.1	0.1	0.9	5.2	11.9	11.3	10.3	0.4	9.3	4.6	
16	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.8	4.4	10.6	12.2	0.1	6.1	3.0	
17 or older	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	3.5	10.3	0.3	2.9	1.6	
N of Valid	45244	44278	42930	38205	32484	28414	21312	132452	120415	252867	
N of Miss	1227	1470	1367	1418	1334	1214	1007	4064	4973	9037	

Table 4.88: At what age did you first smoke marijuana?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	96.2	91.6	85.7	80.4	75.0	72.2	67.5	91.2	74.7	83.4	
10 or under	1.5	1.8	2.2	2.6	2.6	2.5	3.5	1.8	2.7	2.3	
11	0.8	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.4	
12	0.8	2.2	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.8	2.3	2.1	
13	0.3	1.9	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.0	3.5	2.8	
14	0.1	0.6	2.7	5.1	5.1	4.2	4.2	1.1	4.7	2.8	
15	0.1	0.1	0.7	3.0	6.2	6.1	5.8	0.3	5.1	2.6	
16	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	2.9	5.9	6.6	0.1	3.5	1.7	
17 or older	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.6	2.3	5.9	0.2	1.8	1.0	
N of Valid	45291	44344	42993	38265	32550	28444	21362	132628	120621	253249	
N of Miss	1180	1404	1304	1358	1268	1184	957	3888	4767	8655	

Table 4.89: At what age did you first use cocaine?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	97.9	97.7	96.6	95.2	94.2	93.4	89.8	97.4	93.6	95.6	
10 or under	1.1	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.5	2.7	0.9	1.6	1.3	
11	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	
12	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.4	
13	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.5	
14	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.7	0.5	
15	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.6	1.2	0.9	1.0	0.1	0.9	0.5	
16	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.8	1.5	1.6	0.1	0.9	0.5	
17 or older	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.8	2.2	0.2	0.8	0.5	
N of Valid	45277	44352	43027	38244	32588	28446	21360	132656	120638	253294	
N of Miss	1194	1396	1270	1379	1230	1182	959	3860	4750	8610	

Table 4.90: At what age did you first use meth?



















RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	97.7	97.6	97.1	96.2	95.7	95.2	92.5	97.5	95.2	96.4	
10 or under	1.2	0.8	0.9	1.3	1.3	1.5	2.6	1.0	1.6	1.3	
11	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	
12	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	
13	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4	
14	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.4	
15	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.1	0.5	0.3	
16	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.2	
17 or older	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.7	1.3	0.3	0.6	0.4	
N of Valid	45172	44316	43012	38263	32591	28458	21368	132500	120680	253180	
N of Miss	1299	1432	1285	1360	1227	1170	951	4016	4708	8724	

Table 4.91: At what age did you first use other illegal drugs?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never used	97.5	96.4	94.7	93.1	91.9	91.3	88.3	96.2	91.5	94.0	
10 or under	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.6	2.9	1.2	1.8	1.5	
11	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	
12	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	
13	0.2	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.8	
14	0.1	0.3	0.9	1.4	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.4	1.2	0.8	
15	0.0	0.1	0.2	1.0	1.8	1.5	1.4	0.1	1.4	0.7	
16	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.9	1.8	2.0	0.1	1.1	0.6	
17 or older	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.9	2.4	0.3	0.8	0.5	
N of Valid	45162	44230	42942	38167	32506	28384	21315	132334	120372	252706	
N of Miss	1309	1518	1355	1456	1312	1244	1004	4182	5016	9198	

4.6 Where Do You Usually Use...

Table 4.92: Where do you usually smoke cigarettes?										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	88.0	81.3	75.3	71.4	68.7	67.5	63.6	81.6	68.4	75.3
At home	3.7	6.5	9.8	11.4	12.0	11.2	12.7	6.6	11.8	9.1
At school	0.9	0.9	1.7	3.1	3.9	3.8	5.2	1.2	3.9	2.5
In a car	1.2	2.2	4.4	7.9	12.1	14.6	17.7	2.5	12.3	7.2
Friend's house	3.3	6.7	10.1	12.5	14.0	14.4	15.9	6.7	14.0	10.2
Other	3.7	5.8	8.3	9.5	10.9	12.0	13.3	5.9	11.1	8.4
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29627	22319	136516	125387	261903
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 4.93: Where do you usually use smokeless tobacco?										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	91.5	88.3	85.2	82.4	81.2	81.2	78.6	88.4	81.1	84.9
At home	2.3	3.5	5.3	6.6	6.8	6.5	7.5	3.7	6.8	5.2
At school	0.9	1.2	2.2	4.0	4.6	4.6	6.0	1.5	4.7	3.0
In a car	0.8	1.2	2.0	3.6	5.1	5.5	6.9	1.3	5.0	3.1
Friend's house	1.7	2.9	4.5	5.9	6.4	6.1	6.9	3.0	6.2	4.5
Other	1.9	3.0	4.2	5.3	5.9	6.1	6.9	3.0	5.9	4.4
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29627	22319	136516	125387	261903
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 4.94: Where do you usually smoke cigars?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	92.1	88.7	85.3	82.1	79.6	78.2	73.3	88.8	78.9	84.1	
At home	1.9	3.1	4.5	5.3	5.7	5.3	6.7	3.1	5.7	4.3	
At school	0.9	0.7	1.0	1.7	2.1	2.1	3.6	0.9	2.3	1.5	
In a car	0.8	1.1	1.9	3.3	4.8	5.7	7.6	1.2	5.0	3.1	
Friend's house	1.4	2.7	4.3	5.9	7.2	7.6	9.6	2.8	7.3	4.9	
Other	1.7	2.6	4.1	4.9	5.9	6.7	8.3	2.8	6.2	4.4	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.95: Where do you usually drink beer?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	83.0	74.5	65.9	59.7	55.6	53.9	49.5	74.6	55.4	65.4	
At home	7.9	11.6	15.3	15.7	15.1	14.2	15.1	11.5	15.1	13.2	
At school	0.9	0.9	1.3	2.1	2.5	2.7	4.1	1.0	2.7	1.8	
In a car	1.1	1.7	2.9	4.6	5.9	6.8	8.4	1.9	6.1	3.9	
Friend's house	3.2	7.6	13.2	19.1	23.8	25.9	29.3	7.9	23.8	15.5	
Other	4.7	7.1	10.4	12.5	14.6	15.8	17.5	7.4	14.8	10.9	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.96: Where do you usually drink coolers, breezers, etc.?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	85.6	76.8	66.5	59.8	55.1	53.4	49.6	76.4	55.2	66.3	
At home	6.4	10.6	15.6	16.8	16.7	15.6	15.7	10.8	16.3	13.4	
At school	0.9	0.8	1.2	2.0	2.2	2.5	3.7	1.0	2.5	1.7	
In a car	0.9	1.4	2.5	3.9	4.8	5.5	6.7	1.6	5.0	3.2	
Friend's house	2.6	6.5	12.2	17.3	22.2	24.4	27.4	7.0	22.1	14.2	
Other	3.5	6.2	9.9	12.2	14.1	15.0	16.4	6.5	14.1	10.1	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.97: Where do you usually drink liquor?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	89.2	82.3	72.7	64.2	57.8	54.3	48.8	81.5	57.4	70.0	
At home	3.8	6.7	10.9	12.8	13.5	13.5	14.3	7.1	13.4	10.1	
At school	0.8	0.8	1.3	2.2	2.6	2.9	4.0	1.0	2.8	1.8	
In a car	0.8	1.1	2.2	3.8	5.1	5.8	7.6	1.3	5.3	3.2	
Friend's house	2.0	5.1	10.6	17.0	22.5	25.5	29.9	5.8	22.8	14.0	
Other	2.6	4.7	8.4	11.2	14.3	15.9	18.1	5.2	14.4	9.6	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.98: Where do you usually smoke marijuana?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	92.9	88.4	83.8	78.9	75.0	73.5	70.0	88.4	75.0	82.0	
At home	1.1	2.3	4.1	5.7	6.8	6.4	7.5	2.5	6.5	4.4	
At school	0.9	0.8	1.4	2.2	2.8	2.8	4.0	1.0	2.8	1.9	
In a car	0.8	1.4	2.8	5.0	7.1	7.9	9.6	1.6	7.1	4.2	
Friend's house	1.5	3.7	6.7	9.8	12.5	13.2	15.0	3.9	12.2	7.9	
Other	1.4	3.1	5.3	6.9	8.5	9.2	10.1	3.2	8.4	5.7	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.99: Where do you usually use cocaine?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	94.4	93.6	93.0	91.1	90.1	89.2	86.1	93.7	89.5	91.7	
At home	0.7	0.6	1.0	1.4	1.6	1.6	2.6	0.8	1.7	1.2	
At school	0.8	0.5	0.9	1.3	1.5	1.6	2.9	0.7	1.7	1.2	
In a car	0.6	0.4	0.7	1.1	1.5	1.7	2.7	0.6	1.6	1.1	
Friend's house	0.7	0.8	1.1	1.7	2.1	2.2	3.4	0.9	2.3	1.5	
Other	0.7	0.8	1.1	1.4	1.8	2.0	3.0	0.9	1.9	1.4	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.100: Where do you usually use meth?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	93.8	93.4	93.2	91.5	90.9	90.3	87.8	93.4	90.4	92.0	
At home	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.1	2.1	0.8	1.3	1.1	
At school	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.5	2.7	0.7	1.6	1.1	
In a car	0.6	0.4	0.5	1.0	1.1	1.1	2.0	0.5	1.2	0.8	
Friend's house	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.3	1.4	1.4	2.0	0.8	1.5	1.1	
Other	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.6	2.4	0.9	1.6	1.2	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	







Table 4.101: Where do you usually use tobacco?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	94.4	93.0	91.2	89.0	87.5	87.0	84.0	92.9	87.2	90.2	
At home	5.4	9.2	13.6	15.8	16.6	15.9	17.4	9.3	16.3	12.7	
At school	1.3	1.9	3.4	6.1	7.3	7.1	8.9	2.2	7.2	4.6	
In a car	1.7	3.3	6.1	10.3	15.4	18.2	21.7	3.6	15.6	9.4	
Friend's house	4.3	8.7	13.2	16.2	18.3	18.7	20.7	8.7	18.2	13.2	
Other	5.0	8.0	11.4	13.2	14.7	15.8	17.7	8.1	15.0	11.4	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29627	22319	136516	125387	261903	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.102: Where do you usually use alcohol?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	92.1	86.8	79.2	72.4	67.4	65.0	60.8	86.1	67.2	77.1	
At home	11.3	16.7	22.1	22.8	22.0	20.6	20.8	16.6	21.7	19.0	
At school	1.2	1.4	2.1	3.2	3.6	4.0	5.4	1.6	3.9	2.7	
In a car	1.6	2.4	4.0	6.0	7.4	8.5	10.4	2.7	7.8	5.1	
Friend's house	4.6	10.2	17.6	24.3	29.8	32.4	36.3	10.7	29.9	19.9	
Other	6.6	10.3	14.8	17.1	19.6	20.8	22.6	10.5	19.6	14.9	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.103: Where do you usually use illicit drugs?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	95.0	94.4	94.1	92.6	91.8	91.3	88.6	94.5	91.3	93.0	
At home	1.6	2.7	4.6	6.2	7.3	7.0	8.4	2.9	7.1	4.9	
At school	1.2	1.1	1.9	2.8	3.5	3.6	5.2	1.4	3.6	2.4	
In a car	1.1	1.7	3.1	5.5	7.7	8.6	10.7	2.0	7.8	4.7	
Friend's house	1.8	4.0	7.1	10.2	13.0	13.8	15.9	4.2	12.9	8.4	
Other	1.7	3.4	5.6	7.3	9.0	9.8	10.8	3.6	9.0	6.2	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

4.7 When Do You Usually Use...

Table 4.104: When do you usually smoke cigarettes?										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	88.5	82.0	76.5	72.4	70.0	69.0	65.0	82.4	69.6	76.3
Before school	1.1	2.1	3.6	5.7	7.6	8.8	11.1	2.2	7.9	5.0
During school	0.9	0.8	1.4	2.7	3.3	3.2	5.1	1.0	3.4	2.2
After school	2.3	4.5	7.4	9.8	11.9	12.9	14.9	4.7	12.0	8.2
Week nights	1.6	3.2	5.2	7.1	9.2	10.5	12.6	3.3	9.4	6.3
Weekends	5.4	9.9	14.2	16.2	18.2	19.2	21.7	9.8	18.4	13.9
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 4.105: When do you usually use smokeless tobacco?										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	91.5	88.2	85.6	82.4	81.6	81.5	79.1	88.5	81.4	85.1
Before school	0.9	1.2	1.9	3.2	4.0	4.2	5.2	1.3	4.0	2.6
During school	1.0	1.1	2.1	3.8	4.4	4.5	5.9	1.4	4.5	2.9
After school	1.5	2.7	4.3	5.9	6.3	6.4	7.2	2.8	6.4	4.5
Week nights	1.0	1.7	2.9	4.0	4.8	4.9	5.9	1.9	4.8	3.2
Weekends	2.6	4.5	6.3	7.3	7.8	7.6	8.2	4.4	7.7	6.0
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 4.106: When do you usually smoke cigars?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	92.0	88.7	86.0	82.5	80.5	79.2	74.6	89.0	79.8	84.6
Before school	0.7	0.9	1.3	1.9	2.1	2.2	3.1	1.0	2.3	1.6
During school	0.9	0.6	1.0	1.7	1.9	2.0	3.3	0.8	2.1	1.4
After school	1.2	1.8	2.8	3.6	4.1	4.2	5.4	1.9	4.2	3.0
Week nights	0.9	1.3	2.0	2.7	3.2	3.4	4.4	1.4	3.3	2.3
Weekends	2.3	4.5	6.8	8.7	10.2	11.0	13.6	4.5	10.5	7.4
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 4.107: When do you usually drink beer?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	84.5	76.1	68.0	61.4	57.7	56.1	51.6	76.3	57.4	67.3
Before school	0.8	1.0	1.4	2.0	2.1	2.1	3.0	1.1	2.2	1.6
During school	0.9	0.7	1.2	1.9	2.0	2.2	3.4	0.9	2.3	1.6
After school	2.0	3.1	4.4	5.0	5.0	5.1	6.1	3.1	5.2	4.1
Week nights	2.0	3.0	4.4	5.3	5.6	6.0	7.6	3.1	6.0	4.5
Weekends	8.7	15.9	23.7	28.8	32.7	34.2	37.0	16.0	32.6	23.9
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 4.108: When do you usually drink coolers, breezers, etc.?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	86.0	77.7	68.0	61.0	56.7	55.3	51.3	77.4	56.8	67.5
Before school	0.9	1.0	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.6	1.1	2.0	1.5
During school	0.9	0.7	1.1	1.8	1.9	2.0	3.2	0.9	2.1	1.5
After school	1.7	2.6	3.9	4.6	4.7	4.5	5.1	2.7	4.7	3.6
Week nights	1.7	2.6	4.4	5.2	5.6	5.7	6.6	2.9	5.7	4.2
Weekends	7.2	14.6	23.7	29.2	33.7	34.8	37.3	15.1	33.2	23.7
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 4.109: When do you usually drink liquor?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	89.3	82.7	73.7	65.0	59.2	55.8	50.3	82.0	58.6	70.8	
Before school	0.7	0.8	1.3	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.8	0.9	2.1	1.5	
During school	0.8	0.7	1.2	2.0	2.1	2.3	3.4	0.9	2.3	1.6	
After school	1.3	2.0	3.3	4.2	4.5	4.5	5.3	2.2	4.6	3.3	
Week nights	1.2	2.0	3.5	4.6	5.1	5.6	6.7	2.2	5.3	3.7	
Weekends	4.7	10.2	18.7	25.8	31.5	34.6	38.6	11.1	31.7	20.9	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.110: When do you usually smoke marijuana?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	92.4	88.2	83.9	79.1	75.9	74.7	71.4	88.2	75.8	82.3	
Before school	0.7	1.1	1.9	3.0	4.0	3.9	5.2	1.2	3.9	2.5	
During school	0.9	0.7	1.3	2.1	2.4	2.6	3.9	1.0	2.6	1.7	
After school	1.0	2.0	3.5	4.7	6.1	6.3	7.3	2.1	5.9	4.0	
Week nights	0.9	1.7	3.1	4.5	6.0	6.5	7.6	1.9	5.9	3.8	
Weekends	1.9	5.0	8.8	11.9	14.6	15.2	16.8	5.2	14.3	9.5	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.111: When do you usually use cocaine?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	93.7	93.0	92.4	90.5	89.6	88.9	86.0	93.1	89.1	91.1	
Before school	0.6	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.2	2.2	0.6	1.3	0.9	
During school	0.8	0.5	0.8	1.3	1.5	1.6	2.9	0.7	1.7	1.2	
After school	0.7	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.5	2.4	0.7	1.5	1.1	
Week nights	0.6	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.3	2.2	0.6	1.4	1.0	
Weekends	0.8	1.1	1.6	2.1	2.5	2.7	4.1	1.2	2.7	1.9	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.112: When do you usually use meth?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	93.0	92.6	92.5	90.6	90.2	89.7	87.3	92.7	89.7	91.3	
Before school	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.8	0.6	1.1	0.8	
During school	0.8	0.5	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.6	2.7	0.7	1.6	1.1	
After school	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.9	0.7	1.3	0.9	
Week nights	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.7	0.6	1.1	0.8	
Weekends	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.9	1.2	2.0	1.6	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.113: When do you usually use tobacco?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	94.1	92.6	91.2	88.8	87.6	86.9	84.2	92.7	87.2	90.0	
Before school	1.6	2.9	4.9	7.7	10.1	11.5	14.1	3.1	10.4	6.6	
During school	1.3	1.7	3.1	5.6	6.5	6.6	8.7	2.0	6.6	4.2	
After school	3.3	6.3	10.2	13.7	15.8	17.1	19.2	6.6	16.0	11.1	
Week nights	2.3	4.4	7.3	9.9	12.4	13.8	16.2	4.6	12.6	8.4	
Weekends	7.1	12.7	18.1	20.6	22.9	24.1	26.8	12.5	23.1	17.6	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.114: When do you usually use alcohol?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do not use	91.9	86.8	79.7	72.6	68.3	66.1	61.9	86.2	68.0	77.5	
Before school	1.3	1.6	2.2	2.9	2.9	3.0	4.0	1.7	3.1	2.4	
During school	1.2	1.2	1.8	2.7	2.9	3.0	4.5	1.4	3.2	2.2	
After school	2.8	4.2	6.0	6.8	6.8	6.6	7.7	4.3	6.9	5.6	
Week nights	2.8	4.3	6.4	7.5	7.8	8.2	9.8	4.5	8.1	6.2	
Weekends	12.0	21.2	31.2	37.2	41.8	43.3	46.8	21.3	41.6	31.0	
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904	
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Table 4.115: When do you usually use illicit drugs?										
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Do not use	94.5	93.7	93.5	91.8	91.1	90.7	88.3	93.9	90.7	92.4
Before school	1.0	1.4	2.3	3.5	4.5	4.4	6.0	1.6	4.4	2.9
During school	1.1	1.0	1.7	2.6	3.1	3.3	5.0	1.3	3.3	2.3
After school	1.4	2.3	3.9	5.3	6.6	6.9	8.2	2.5	6.6	4.5
Week nights	1.2	2.0	3.5	5.0	6.5	7.0	8.5	2.2	6.5	4.3
Weekends	2.4	5.3	9.2	12.3	15.1	15.8	17.7	5.6	14.8	10.0
N of Valid	46471	45748	44297	39623	33818	29628	22319	136516	125388	261904
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

4.8 How Easy Is It To Get...

Table 4.116: How easy is it to get cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, cigars, etc.?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	75.2	65.6	52.5	44.9	37.7	33.2	28.4	64.6	37.3	51.6	
Very Difficult	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.1	1.6	1.3	1.3	3.1	1.6	2.4	
Fairly Difficult	3.1	4.2	4.6	4.1	3.3	2.9	2.2	4.0	3.3	3.6	
Fairly Easy	6.9	10.5	14.7	16.4	16.7	16.1	14.6	10.7	16.1	13.3	
Very Easy	11.5	16.5	25.2	32.5	40.6	46.4	53.5	17.6	41.7	29.1	
N of Valid	44303	43510	42388	37568	31998	27970	21028	130201	118564	248765	
N of Miss	2168	2238	1909	2055	1820	1658	1291	6315	6824	13139	

Table 4.117: How easy is it to get beer?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	70.8	61.0	47.5	40.2	33.5	29.4	25.7	59.9	33.3	47.2	
Very Difficult	4.3	4.4	4.0	3.2	2.5	2.2	2.1	4.3	2.6	3.5	
Fairly Difficult	3.9	5.6	6.9	6.6	5.5	4.8	4.2	5.5	5.4	5.5	
Fairly Easy	7.8	11.5	16.6	19.6	21.0	21.2	20.7	11.9	20.6	16.0	
Very Easy	13.1	17.5	25.0	30.4	37.5	42.4	47.3	18.4	38.2	27.8	
N of Valid	44274	43506	42366	37540	31986	27960	21029	130146	118515	248661	
N of Miss	2197	2242	1931	2083	1832	1668	1290	6370	6873	13243	

Table 4.118: How easy is it to get coolers, breezers, etc.?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	78.6	68.0	52.9	44.0	35.9	31.2	27.0	66.7	35.8	51.9	
Very Difficult	3.7	4.0	4.0	3.2	2.5	2.2	2.0	3.9	2.6	3.3	
Fairly Difficult	3.4	5.2	7.1	7.2	6.4	5.7	4.9	5.2	6.2	5.7	
Fairly Easy	5.2	9.0	14.3	17.7	19.9	20.3	20.4	9.4	19.4	14.2	
Very Easy	9.0	13.8	21.7	27.9	35.3	40.6	45.7	14.7	36.1	24.9	
N of Valid	44122	43380	42269	37459	31932	27929	21003	129771	118323	248094	
N of Miss	2349	2368	2028	2164	1886	1699	1316	6745	7065	13810	

Table 4.119: How easy is it to get liquor?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	80.1	71.5	56.8	46.5	37.5	32.4	27.5	69.6	37.4	54.2	
Very Difficult	4.1	4.4	4.7	3.9	3.3	2.7	2.5	4.4	3.2	3.8	
Fairly Difficult	3.2	4.7	6.9	7.6	7.1	6.5	5.7	4.9	6.9	5.9	
Fairly Easy	4.6	7.5	12.3	16.1	18.8	20.2	20.8	8.1	18.6	13.1	
Very Easy	8.0	11.9	19.3	25.8	33.3	38.2	43.5	13.0	33.9	23.0	
N of Valid	44225	43404	42310	37477	31927	27911	21008	129939	118323	248262	
N of Miss	2246	2344	1987	2146	1891	1717	1311	6577	7065	13642	

Table 4.120: How easy is it to get marijuana?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	86.5	79.8	68.7	59.2	49.9	44.1	39.0	78.4	49.5	64.7	
Very Difficult	3.9	3.9	4.3	3.6	3.2	2.7	2.4	4.0	3.1	3.6	
Fairly Difficult	2.1	3.2	5.2	5.8	6.3	6.3	6.5	3.5	6.2	4.8	
Fairly Easy	2.3	4.4	7.4	10.7	13.2	15.5	16.1	4.7	13.5	8.9	
Very Easy	5.2	8.8	14.5	20.6	27.4	31.4	36.1	9.4	27.7	18.1	
N of Valid	44237	43443	42304	37505	31921	27910	20997	129984	118333	248317	
N of Miss	2234	2305	1993	2118	1897	1718	1322	6532	7055	13587	

Table 4.121: How easy is it to get cocaine?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	88.4	86.0	79.8	74.0	67.3	62.3	57.1	84.8	66.4	76.1	
Very Difficult	3.8	3.8	4.6	4.8	4.9	5.1	4.8	4.1	4.9	4.5	
Fairly Difficult	1.8	2.5	4.2	5.7	7.7	8.6	9.3	2.8	7.6	5.1	
Fairly Easy	1.7	2.5	3.9	5.6	7.3	8.9	10.1	2.7	7.6	5.0	
Very Easy	4.2	5.2	7.5	10.0	12.8	15.0	18.7	5.6	13.5	9.4	
N of Valid	44236	43439	42298	37449	31911	27885	20976	129973	118221	248194	
N of Miss	2235	2309	1999	2174	1907	1743	1343	6543	7167	13710	

Table 4.122: How easy is it to get meth?











RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	88.9	86.8	81.4	76.3	70.4	65.8	60.8	85.8	69.5	78.0	
Very Difficult	3.7	3.9	4.8	5.1	5.6	6.1	5.6	4.1	5.6	4.8	
Fairly Difficult	1.6	2.2	3.8	5.2	6.8	7.5	8.8	2.5	6.8	4.6	
Fairly Easy	1.6	2.3	3.2	4.6	5.8	7.2	8.0	2.3	6.1	4.2	
Very Easy	4.2	4.8	6.8	8.8	11.4	13.4	16.8	5.2	12.0	8.5	
N of Valid	44129	43392	42270	37467	31894	27889	20984	129791	118234	248025	
N of Miss	2342	2356	2027	2156	1924	1739	1335	6725	7154	13879	

Table 4.123: How easy is it to get a handgun?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Don't Know/Can't Get	76.8	72.4	65.0	61.8	57.9	54.8	51.9	71.5	57.3	64.7	
Very Difficult	5.2	5.3	5.7	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.4	5.1	5.2	
Fairly Difficult	3.7	4.9	6.1	7.0	7.4	7.7	8.0	4.9	7.5	6.1	
Fairly Easy	4.9	6.0	8.2	8.9	10.0	11.1	11.2	6.3	10.1	8.1	
Very Easy	9.3	11.5	15.1	17.0	19.8	21.4	23.8	11.9	20.0	15.8	
N of Valid	44086	43317	42157	37374	31836	27826	20929	129560	117965	247525	
N of Miss	2385	2431	2140	2249	1982	1802	1390	6956	7423	14379	

4.9 What Effect Do You Most Often Get When You Use

Table 4.124: What effect do you most often get when you drink beer?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do Not Use	85.9	77.7	68.3	62.6	58.7	57.0	52.8	77.4	58.5	68.4	
No High	9.3	13.7	16.9	15.9	14.0	12.8	11.5	13.2	13.9	13.5	
A Little High	2.7	5.5	9.5	13.0	16.4	17.9	19.9	5.8	16.3	10.8	
Very High	0.7	1.4	2.6	4.0	5.5	6.2	7.6	1.5	5.6	3.5	
Bombed/Stoned	1.4	1.8	2.7	4.4	5.4	6.1	8.2	2.0	5.8	3.8	
N of Valid	44351	43387	42071	37435	31875	27830	20958	129809	118098	247907	
N of Miss	2120	2361	2226	2188	1943	1798	1361	6707	7290	13997	

Table 4.125: What effect do you most often get when you drink wine coolers?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do Not Use	88.5	79.6	68.5	62.0	57.0	55.4	51.4	79.0	57.2	68.6	
No High	7.6	13.1	19.0	19.9	19.5	18.6	17.6	13.1	19.1	16.0	
A Little High	2.1	4.7	8.2	11.9	15.6	17.2	19.4	5.0	15.5	10.0	
Very High	0.7	1.3	2.1	3.0	4.1	4.5	5.6	1.4	4.1	2.7	
Bombed/Stoned	1.2	1.3	2.1	3.2	3.8	4.3	5.9	1.5	4.1	2.7	
N of Valid	44211	43297	42025	37408	31846	27833	20929	129533	118016	247549	
N of Miss	2260	2451	2272	2215	1972	1795	1390	6983	7372	14355	

Table 4.126: What effect do you most often get when you drink liquor?






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do Not Use	91.9	85.2	74.7	66.5	59.9	56.4	50.7	84.1	59.5	72.4	
No High	3.8	6.1	8.9	9.0	8.6	7.8	7.4	6.2	8.3	7.2	
A Little High	1.9	4.2	7.6	10.3	12.2	13.5	14.8	4.5	12.4	8.3	
Very High	1.1	2.5	5.0	7.7	10.9	12.6	14.7	2.8	11.0	6.7	
Bombed/Stoned	1.3	2.1	3.8	6.4	8.4	9.7	12.4	2.4	8.8	5.4	
N of Valid	44298	43307	42016	37407	31838	27816	20918	129621	117979	247600	
N of Miss	2173	2441	2281	2216	1980	1812	1401	6895	7409	14304	

Table 4.127: What effect do you most often get when you smoke marijuana?

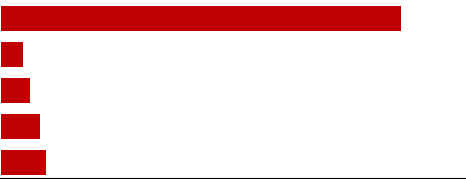
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do Not Use	95.5	91.5	85.9	81.5	77.5	75.9	72.5	91.0	77.5	84.6	
No High	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.8	2.0	0.8	1.6	1.2	
A Little High	0.8	1.8	2.7	3.3	4.3	4.7	5.3	1.8	4.2	2.9	
Very High	1.5	2.9	4.9	5.9	7.1	7.8	8.7	3.1	7.2	5.0	
Bombed/Stoned	1.6	3.0	5.4	7.9	9.7	9.8	11.5	3.3	9.5	6.3	
N of Valid	44335	43297	42018	37363	31824	27789	20916	129650	117892	247542	
N of Miss	2136	2451	2279	2260	1994	1839	1403	6866	7496	14362	

Table 4.128: What effect do you most often get when you use cocaine?


RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do Not Use	97.2	97.0	95.9	94.9	93.8	93.4	90.4	96.7	93.4	95.2	
No High	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.2	0.5	0.9	0.7	
A Little High	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.3	0.5	1.0	0.7	
Very High	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.9	0.8	1.4	1.1	
Bombed/Stoned	1.3	1.3	2.0	2.6	3.1	3.3	5.2	1.5	3.4	2.4	
N of Valid	44307	43319	42064	37395	31877	27829	20914	129690	118015	247705	
N of Miss	2164	2429	2233	2228	1941	1799	1405	6826	7373	14199	

Table 4.129: What effect do you most often get when you use meth?







RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do Not Use	97.1	97.1	96.4	95.5	94.8	94.7	92.2	96.8	94.6	95.8	
No High	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.6	0.9	0.8	
A Little High	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.5	
Very High	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.3	0.6	1.0	0.8	
Bombed/Stoned	1.4	1.3	1.9	2.3	2.7	2.8	4.3	1.5	2.9	2.1	
N of Valid	44230	43295	42045	37391	31864	27834	20928	129570	118017	247587	
N of Miss	2241	2453	2252	2232	1954	1794	1391	6946	7371	14317	

Table 4.130: What effect do you most often get when you use other illegal drugs?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Do Not Use	96.8	95.9	94.3	92.7	91.7	91.7	89.1	95.7	91.6	93.7	
No High	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.6	0.9	0.7	
A Little High	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.8	0.8	1.5	1.1	
Very High	0.7	0.9	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.8	2.1	1.0	1.9	1.4	
Bombed/Stoned	1.5	1.7	2.6	3.5	4.0	4.2	5.8	1.9	4.2	3.0	
N of Valid	44175	43167	41886	37268	31776	27744	20882	129228	117670	246898	
N of Miss	2296	2581	2411	2355	2042	1884	1437	7288	7718	15006	

4.10 While At School Have You...

Table 4.131: Carried a handgun?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	96.3	95.6	94.9	94.6	94.5	94.4	92.9	95.6	94.2	95.0
One time	1.5	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
2-5 times	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.8	1.0	0.9
6 or more times	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.6	2.7	2.9	4.2	1.8	3.0	2.4
N of Valid	44620	43618	42328	37491	31881	27821	20898	130566	118091	248657
N of Miss	1851	2130	1969	2132	1937	1807	1421	5950	7297	13247

Table 4.132: Carried a knife, club or other weapon?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	90.5	87.5	83.7	83.1	82.7	83.0	82.2	87.3	82.8	85.2
One time	5.0	6.1	7.3	6.3	5.9	5.3	4.6	6.1	5.6	5.9
2-5 times	1.6	2.7	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.1	3.9	2.7	4.1	3.3
6 or more times	2.9	3.7	5.1	6.5	7.2	7.6	9.3	3.9	7.5	5.6
N of Valid	44676	43629	42327	37483	31877	27830	20919	130632	118109	248741
N of Miss	1795	2119	1970	2140	1941	1798	1400	5884	7279	13163

Table 4.133: Threatened a student with a handgun, knife or club?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	96.2	94.8	93.2	92.5	92.1	92.9	91.5	94.7	92.3	93.6
One time	1.6	2.3	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.3
2-5 times	0.7	1.1	1.7	1.8	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.2	1.9	1.5
6 or more times	1.5	1.8	2.4	2.9	3.1	3.0	4.2	1.9	3.2	2.5
N of Valid	44537	43528	42207	37414	31834	27790	20904	130272	117942	248214
N of Miss	1934	2220	2090	2209	1984	1838	1415	6244	7446	13690

Table 4.134: Threatened to hurt a student by hitting, slapping or kicking?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	65.5	59.9	55.8	60.9	65.4	70.9	73.4	60.5	66.7	63.4	
One time	13.7	12.5	11.2	9.8	9.1	7.7	6.8	12.5	8.6	10.6	
2-5 times	9.4	11.9	13.8	12.9	11.4	9.9	8.8	11.7	11.1	11.4	
6 or more times	11.4	15.6	19.2	16.4	14.1	11.5	11.0	15.3	13.7	14.5	
N of Valid	44517	43507	42236	37387	31811	27776	20905	130260	117879	248139	
N of Miss	1954	2241	2061	2236	2007	1852	1414	6256	7509	13765	

Table 4.135: Hurt a student by using a handgun, knife or club?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	97.4	96.9	95.8	95.1	94.9	94.9	93.2	96.7	94.7	95.7	
One time	0.8	1.2	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.7	1.4	
2-5 times	0.5	0.6	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.5	0.7	1.2	0.9	
6 or more times	1.3	1.2	1.7	2.1	2.3	2.3	3.7	1.4	2.5	1.9	
N of Valid	44457	43452	42170	37355	31790	27741	20905	130079	117791	247870	
N of Miss	2014	2296	2127	2268	2028	1887	1414	6437	7597	14034	

Table 4.136: Hurt a student by hitting, slapping or kicking?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	69.2	65.2	62.6	67.9	73.2	78.4	80.5	65.7	74.0	69.7	
One time	13.9	13.4	12.7	10.9	9.1	7.9	6.3	13.3	8.9	11.2	
2-5 times	8.7	10.7	12.0	10.7	9.0	6.8	6.0	10.4	8.5	9.5	
6 or more times	8.2	10.8	12.8	10.5	8.8	6.9	7.1	10.5	8.6	9.6	
N of Valid	44398	43427	42138	37351	31786	27738	20882	129963	117757	247720	
N of Miss	2073	2321	2159	2272	2032	1890	1437	6553	7631	14184	

Table 4.137: Been threatened with a handgun, knife or club by a student?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	90.9	89.8	88.3	88.5	89.5	90.9	90.3	89.7	89.7	89.7
One time	4.7	5.0	5.7	5.3	4.6	3.8	3.3	5.1	4.4	4.8
2-5 times	2.1	2.6	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.6	2.7	2.7
6 or more times	2.3	2.6	2.8	3.2	3.1	2.8	4.0	2.5	3.2	2.9
N of Valid	44411	43415	42120	37309	31766	27721	20886	129946	117682	247628
N of Miss	2060	2333	2177	2314	2052	1907	1433	6570	7706	14276

Table 4.138: Had a student threaten to hit, slap or kick you?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	57.0	57.1	57.6	63.7	69.0	74.8	77.4	57.2	70.2	63.4
One time	16.2	15.4	14.3	12.8	11.3	9.3	7.9	15.3	10.7	13.1
2-5 times	13.3	13.8	14.3	12.4	10.2	8.3	7.2	13.8	9.9	11.9
6 or more times	13.5	13.8	13.9	11.2	9.5	7.6	7.5	13.7	9.2	11.6
N of Valid	44413	43415	42169	37340	31779	27736	20884	129997	117739	247736
N of Miss	2058	2333	2128	2283	2039	1892	1435	6519	7649	14168

Table 4.139: Been afraid a student may hurt you?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	72.2	74.9	77.9	81.1	84.2	87.0	87.3	74.9	84.4	79.4
One time	13.2	12.1	11.0	9.4	8.0	6.3	5.3	12.1	7.6	10.0
2-5 times	7.2	6.6	5.9	5.1	4.1	3.5	3.1	6.6	4.1	5.4
6 or more times	7.4	6.3	5.2	4.5	3.7	3.2	4.3	6.4	3.9	5.2
N of Valid	44397	43426	42192	37332	31788	27755	20868	130015	117743	247758
N of Miss	2074	2322	2105	2291	2030	1873	1451	6501	7645	14146

Table 4.140: Been hurt by a student using a handgun, knife or club?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	97.0	96.8	96.2	95.7	95.7	95.6	94.0	96.6	95.4	96.0	
One time	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	
2-5 times	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.8	
6 or more times	1.3	1.1	1.4	1.8	1.9	2.0	3.5	1.2	2.2	1.7	
N of Valid	44439	43430	42193	37341	31780	27748	20869	130062	117738	247800	
N of Miss	2032	2318	2104	2282	2038	1880	1450	6454	7650	14104	

Table 4.141: Been hurt by a student who hit, slapped or kicked you?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	74.2	77.0	78.7	83.2	86.6	89.3	89.6	76.6	86.7	81.4	
One time	12.6	11.0	9.8	7.8	6.0	4.7	3.7	11.2	5.8	8.6	
2-5 times	7.2	6.6	6.2	4.6	3.8	2.9	2.5	6.7	3.6	5.2	
6 or more times	6.0	5.4	5.2	4.3	3.7	3.1	4.2	5.6	3.8	4.8	
N of Valid	44403	43404	42179	37329	31767	27745	20863	129986	117704	247690	
N of Miss	2068	2344	2118	2294	2051	1883	1456	6530	7684	14214	

Table 4.142: Been helped by a school security (police) officer?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	91.9	92.3	92.2	92.3	92.2	91.8	90.4	92.1	91.8	92.0	
One time	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.1	4.6	4.2	4.4	
2-5 times	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	2.1	1.6	1.8	1.7	
6 or more times	1.9	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.0	3.4	1.7	2.1	1.9	
N of Valid	44212	43342	42107	37281	31744	27718	20846	129661	117589	247250	
N of Miss	2259	2406	2190	2342	2074	1910	1473	6855	7799	14654	

Table 4.143: Been in trouble with a school security (police) officer?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL
Never	93.5	91.6	90.1	90.3	90.8	91.7	90.8	91.8	90.9	91.3
One time	3.3	4.3	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.7	3.4	4.1	4.0	4.0
2-5 times	1.3	2.1	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.1
6 or more times	1.8	2.0	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.6	3.9	2.1	2.9	2.5
N of Valid	44193	43279	41988	37207	31680	27650	20815	129460	117352	246812
N of Miss	2278	2469	2309	2416	2138	1978	1504	7056	8036	15092

4.11 In My School, I Feel Safe...

Table 4.144: In my school, I feel safe in the classroom.






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	10.5	14.2	16.7	17.8	18.0	16.7	17.7	13.8	17.6	15.6	
Seldom	4.9	6.6	7.1	7.1	6.2	5.7	5.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	
Sometimes	14.2	16.8	17.0	17.2	16.7	15.7	13.6	16.0	16.1	16.0	
Often	16.2	18.1	19.4	21.2	22.0	22.7	22.1	17.9	21.9	19.8	
A Lot	54.1	44.3	39.7	36.7	37.1	39.2	41.3	46.1	38.2	42.4	
N of Valid	44392	43320	42090	37200	31644	27675	20804	129802	117323	247125	
N of Miss	2079	2428	2207	2423	2174	1953	1515	6714	8065	14779	

Table 4.145: In my school, I feel safe in the cafeteria.






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	16.4	18.8	20.1	20.7	20.1	18.3	18.7	18.4	19.6	19.0	
Seldom	7.9	9.2	9.4	9.3	8.1	7.5	7.0	8.8	8.2	8.5	
Sometimes	15.6	17.1	17.1	17.6	17.6	16.9	15.5	16.6	17.0	16.8	
Often	17.5	18.0	18.9	20.4	21.3	22.1	21.7	18.1	21.3	19.6	
A Lot	42.5	36.9	34.5	32.0	32.9	35.2	37.1	38.0	33.9	36.1	
N of Valid	44308	43329	42107	37204	31641	27690	20793	129744	117328	247072	
N of Miss	2163	2419	2190	2419	2177	1938	1526	6772	8060	14832	

Table 4.146: In my school, I feel safe in the halls.






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	22.3	23.5	23.3	22.7	21.4	19.2	19.2	23.0	20.9	22.0	
Seldom	10.5	11.5	11.1	10.5	8.9	8.1	7.2	11.0	8.9	10.0	
Sometimes	17.3	18.3	18.3	18.8	18.9	17.9	16.3	18.0	18.2	18.1	
Often	15.8	16.7	17.4	19.2	20.1	21.4	21.2	16.6	20.3	18.4	
A Lot	34.0	29.9	29.9	28.7	30.6	33.4	36.2	31.3	31.7	31.5	
N of Valid	44284	43302	42030	37177	31624	27680	20813	129616	117294	246910	
N of Miss	2187	2446	2267	2446	2194	1948	1506	6900	8094	14994	

Table 4.147: In my school, I feel safe in the bathroom.






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	24.2	25.2	24.9	23.9	22.2	19.5	19.5	24.7	21.6	23.3	
Seldom	10.7	11.7	11.2	10.5	8.8	8.1	6.9	11.2	8.8	10.1	
Sometimes	15.8	16.8	16.7	17.5	17.5	16.6	15.1	16.5	16.9	16.7	
Often	14.9	15.6	16.8	18.8	20.0	21.5	21.4	15.7	20.2	17.9	
A Lot	34.4	30.7	30.4	29.3	31.4	34.3	37.1	31.9	32.4	32.1	
N of Valid	44193	43269	42005	37147	31607	27673	20798	129467	117225	246692	
N of Miss	2278	2479	2292	2476	2211	1955	1521	7049	8163	15212	

Table 4.148: In my school, I feel safe in the gym.






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	17.5	19.2	20.3	20.6	20.1	18.4	18.9	19.0	19.6	19.3	
Seldom	7.7	9.0	8.8	8.6	7.5	7.1	6.1	8.5	7.5	8.0	
Sometimes	14.5	16.1	16.5	17.1	17.0	16.2	14.9	15.7	16.5	16.1	
Often	16.0	17.5	18.5	20.3	21.1	21.8	21.3	17.3	21.0	19.1	
A Lot	44.3	38.2	35.9	33.4	34.4	36.5	38.8	39.5	35.3	37.5	
N of Valid	44042	43240	41998	37108	31595	27629	20766	129280	117098	246378	
N of Miss	2429	2508	2299	2515	2223	1999	1553	7236	8290	15526	

Table 4.149: In my school, I feel safe on the school bus.






RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	28.1	27.0	26.3	25.6	24.3	22.5	22.7	27.1	24.0	25.6	
Seldom	9.6	10.1	10.0	9.5	8.6	8.1	7.3	9.9	8.5	9.2	
Sometimes	14.7	15.3	15.9	16.3	16.9	16.0	14.8	15.3	16.1	15.7	
Often	13.8	14.9	16.6	18.2	19.0	19.8	19.7	15.1	19.0	17.0	
A Lot	33.8	32.6	31.3	30.4	31.2	33.5	35.5	32.6	32.3	32.4	
N of Valid	42914	42430	41586	36755	31365	27341	20577	126930	116038	242968	
N of Miss	3557	3318	2711	2868	2453	2287	1742	9586	9350	18936	

Table 4.150: In my school, I feel safe at school events.

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	22.0	22.4	22.5	22.2	21.0	19.3	19.5	22.3	20.7	21.5	
Seldom	8.2	8.9	9.1	8.7	7.8	7.2	6.5	8.7	7.7	8.2	
Sometimes	14.4	15.7	16.5	17.2	17.8	17.1	15.8	15.5	17.1	16.3	
Often	16.0	16.9	18.3	20.4	20.9	22.3	21.7	17.1	21.2	19.0	
A Lot	39.3	36.1	33.7	31.6	32.5	34.1	36.5	36.4	33.3	34.9	
N of Valid	43854	43082	41942	37110	31564	27632	20799	128878	117105	245983	
N of Miss	2617	2666	2355	2513	2254	1996	1520	7638	8283	15921	

Table 4.151: In my school, I feel safe on the playground.

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	25.7	27.0	27.0	26.4	24.4	21.9	22.1	26.6	24.0	25.4	
Seldom	9.0	9.1	8.9	8.4	7.4	6.9	6.0	9.0	7.4	8.2	
Sometimes	13.8	14.6	14.8	15.2	15.7	15.0	13.9	14.4	15.0	14.7	
Often	14.5	15.3	16.3	18.2	18.8	20.5	20.2	15.4	19.3	17.2	
A Lot	37.0	33.9	33.0	31.8	33.6	35.8	37.9	34.7	34.3	34.5	
N of Valid	43452	42372	41368	36536	31224	27253	20534	127192	115547	242739	
N of Miss	3019	3376	2929	3087	2594	2375	1785	9324	9841	19165	

Table 4.152: In my school, I feel safe in the parking lot.

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Never	35.7	32.0	29.5	26.5	23.8	20.9	21.0	32.5	23.5	28.2	
Seldom	10.4	10.6	10.5	9.9	8.6	8.0	6.7	10.5	8.5	9.6	
Sometimes	13.9	15.1	15.6	16.7	17.6	16.7	15.4	14.9	16.7	15.8	
Often	12.4	14.3	15.7	18.3	19.4	21.1	20.7	14.1	19.7	16.8	
A Lot	27.5	28.0	28.7	28.5	30.5	33.3	36.1	28.1	31.5	29.7	
N of Valid	43924	43041	41838	37008	31506	27562	20742	128803	116818	245621	
N of Miss	2547	2707	2459	2615	2312	2066	1577	7713	8570	16283	

4.12 How Wrong Would Your Parents Feel It Would Be For You To...

Table 4.153: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to use tobacco?


RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	5.3	5.7	6.5	7.7	8.4	9.0	11.8	5.8	8.9	7.3	
A little bit wrong	2.0	3.5	5.0	6.5	7.8	8.8	11.0	3.5	8.2	5.7	
Wrong	6.1	8.2	10.8	13.4	15.5	16.7	18.4	8.3	15.6	11.8	
Very wrong	86.6	82.6	77.8	72.5	68.3	65.5	58.8	82.4	67.3	75.2	
N of Valid	44010	43017	41732	36924	31376	27458	20625	128759	116383	245142	
N of Miss	2461	2731	2565	2699	2442	2170	1694	7757	9005	16762	

Table 4.154: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to use alcohol?


RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	5.5	6.4	7.2	8.3	8.5	9.0	11.9	6.3	9.1	7.7	
A little bit wrong	4.0	6.4	8.7	10.3	12.0	12.8	15.3	6.3	12.3	9.1	
Wrong	8.0	10.2	13.2	16.0	17.3	18.8	19.9	10.4	17.7	13.9	
Very wrong	82.5	77.1	70.9	65.5	62.2	59.4	53.0	76.9	60.9	69.3	
N of Valid	43950	42924	41697	36875	31324	27413	20607	128571	116219	244790	
N of Miss	2521	2824	2600	2748	2494	2215	1712	7945	9169	17114	

Table 4.155: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to use marijuana?


RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	4.9	5.2	5.5	6.2	6.5	6.5	8.4	5.2	6.7	5.9	
A little bit wrong	0.8	1.4	2.0	2.7	3.3	3.4	4.2	1.4	3.3	2.3	
Wrong	2.8	3.5	4.6	6.4	7.8	8.7	10.0	3.6	8.0	5.7	
Very wrong	91.6	89.8	87.8	84.7	82.5	81.3	77.4	89.8	82.0	86.1	
N of Valid	43900	42897	41651	36834	31295	27396	20618	128448	116143	244591	
N of Miss	2571	2851	2646	2789	2523	2232	1701	8068	9245	17313	

Table 4.156: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to use other illicit drugs?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	4.9	4.8	5.0	5.3	5.6	5.6	7.2	4.9	5.8	5.3	
A little bit wrong	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.0	1.6	1.3	
Wrong	2.9	3.4	3.7	4.8	5.2	5.7	6.5	3.3	5.4	4.3	
Very wrong	91.6	90.8	90.1	88.4	87.5	87.0	84.4	90.8	87.1	89.1	
N of Valid	43795	42804	41558	36779	31261	27379	20601	128157	116020	244177	
N of Miss	2676	2944	2739	2844	2557	2249	1718	8359	9368	17727	

Table 4.157: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to fight with a student?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	9.7	11.5	12.6	12.4	11.8	10.8	11.7	11.2	11.8	11.5	
A little bit wrong	13.1	15.9	18.6	18.7	18.5	17.4	16.8	15.8	18.0	16.9	
Wrong	18.9	18.5	18.6	18.9	18.7	19.5	19.6	18.7	19.1	18.9	
Very wrong	58.3	54.1	50.3	49.9	51.0	52.3	52.0	54.3	51.1	52.8	
N of Valid	43750	42795	41561	36778	31254	27377	20611	128106	116020	244126	
N of Miss	2721	2953	2736	2845	2564	2251	1708	8410	9368	17778	

Table 4.158: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to carry a weapon to school?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.5	5.7	5.8	7.4	5.1	6.0	5.5	
A little bit wrong	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.2	2.6	2.5	2.9	1.5	2.5	2.0	
Wrong	3.5	4.5	5.6	6.6	6.8	7.4	7.7	4.5	7.0	5.7	
Very wrong	90.5	89.0	87.2	85.6	84.9	84.3	82.0	88.9	84.5	86.8	
N of Valid	43846	42837	41638	36821	31277	27369	20605	128321	116072	244393	
N of Miss	2625	2911	2659	2802	2541	2259	1714	8195	9316	17511	

Table 4.159: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to threaten a student?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	6.1	7.0	7.6	8.1	7.9	7.6	9.1	6.9	8.1	7.4	
A little bit wrong	4.0	5.9	7.6	8.1	8.1	7.7	7.6	5.8	7.9	6.8	
Wrong	12.4	13.9	15.2	15.8	16.2	16.0	16.2	13.8	16.1	14.9	
Very wrong	77.5	73.2	69.7	68.0	67.8	68.6	67.1	73.5	67.9	70.9	
N of Valid	43825	42851	41595	36808	31250	27371	20595	128271	116024	244295	
N of Miss	2646	2897	2702	2815	2568	2257	1724	8245	9364	17609	

Table 4.160: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to join a gang?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	5.5	5.6	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	7.4	5.6	6.1	5.9	
A little bit wrong	1.8	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.2	2.1	
Wrong	5.7	6.0	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.1	6.7	6.4	
Very wrong	87.0	86.3	85.5	85.2	85.4	85.2	83.4	86.3	85.0	85.6	
N of Valid	43789	42826	41560	36795	31240	27381	20596	128175	116012	244187	
N of Miss	2682	2922	2737	2828	2578	2247	1723	8341	9376	17717	

Table 4.161: How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to make bad grades?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	5.9	6.1	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.4	7.9	6.1	6.7	6.4	
A little bit wrong	9.8	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.2	9.6	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	
Wrong	23.1	22.2	22.1	22.6	22.3	23.0	22.7	22.5	22.6	22.6	
Very wrong	61.2	61.4	61.4	60.7	61.0	61.0	59.4	61.3	60.6	61.0	
N of Valid	43641	42646	41407	36656	31130	27267	20534	127694	115587	243281	
N of Miss	2830	3102	2890	2967	2688	2361	1785	8822	9801	18623	

4.13 How Wrong Would Your Friends Feel It Would Be For You To...

Table 4.162: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to use tobacco?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	9.4	14.8	20.8	25.8	30.2	32.1	36.5	14.9	30.4	22.3	
A little bit wrong	6.6	11.2	15.8	18.3	19.9	20.4	20.2	11.1	19.6	15.1	
Wrong	15.1	16.9	17.8	17.8	17.1	16.7	15.5	16.6	16.9	16.8	
Very wrong	68.9	57.1	45.6	38.1	32.8	30.7	27.8	57.4	33.1	45.8	
N of Valid	42684	41983	40916	36197	30860	27009	20356	125583	114422	240005	
N of Miss	3787	3765	3381	3426	2958	2619	1963	10933	10966	21899	

Table 4.163: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to use alcohol?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	10.2	17.3	25.3	32.1	37.4	39.7	43.4	17.5	37.3	27.0	
A little bit wrong	7.5	12.2	17.4	20.2	21.4	21.7	21.1	12.3	21.0	16.5	
Wrong	15.0	16.4	16.5	15.7	14.3	13.7	12.6	16.0	14.3	15.2	
Very wrong	67.2	54.2	40.7	32.0	26.9	24.9	22.8	54.2	27.3	41.4	
N of Valid	42617	41957	40843	36201	30839	27000	20333	125417	114373	239790	
N of Miss	3854	3791	3454	3422	2979	2628	1986	11099	11015	22114	

Table 4.164: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to use marijuana?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	7.9	12.2	16.6	20.4	23.0	23.6	25.9	12.2	22.8	17.3	
A little bit wrong	3.4	6.3	9.7	12.2	14.6	16.0	16.7	6.4	14.6	10.3	
Wrong	9.7	12.0	14.3	16.1	17.0	17.2	17.3	12.0	16.8	14.3	
Very wrong	78.9	69.5	59.4	51.3	45.5	43.2	40.0	69.4	45.8	58.2	
N of Valid	42587	41942	40870	36168	30821	26993	20341	125399	114323	239722	
N of Miss	3884	3806	3427	3455	2997	2635	1978	11117	11065	22182	

Table 4.165: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to use other illicit drugs?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	7.6	10.5	13.0	14.5	15.2	15.0	16.4	10.3	15.1	12.6	
A little bit wrong	3.2	5.6	8.0	9.8	10.7	11.3	11.1	5.6	10.6	8.0	
Wrong	10.0	12.0	14.4	16.1	17.2	17.9	18.1	12.1	17.2	14.5	
Very wrong	79.2	71.9	64.7	59.6	56.8	55.8	54.4	72.0	57.0	64.8	
N of Valid	42448	41838	40762	36103	30800	26971	20321	125048	114195	239243	
N of Miss	4023	3910	3535	3520	3018	2657	1998	11468	11193	22661	

Table 4.166: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to fight with a student?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	22.7	31.2	37.7	38.3	38.7	36.0	34.8	30.4	37.2	33.7	
A little bit wrong	15.9	17.2	18.6	19.5	20.0	20.9	20.6	17.2	20.2	18.6	
Wrong	17.5	14.9	13.8	14.1	14.1	15.1	15.9	15.4	14.7	15.1	
Very wrong	44.0	36.7	30.0	28.1	27.2	28.0	28.7	37.0	27.9	32.7	
N of Valid	42437	41823	40768	36127	30813	26987	20333	125028	114260	239288	
N of Miss	4034	3925	3529	3496	3005	2641	1986	11488	11128	22616	

Table 4.167: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to carry a weapon to school?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	8.1	11.3	13.9	15.0	15.4	14.5	15.7	11.0	15.1	13.0	
A little bit wrong	4.1	6.3	9.1	9.9	10.4	10.6	9.9	6.5	10.2	8.3	
Wrong	10.8	13.3	15.4	16.7	17.1	17.6	17.5	13.1	17.2	15.0	
Very wrong	77.0	69.1	61.7	58.4	57.0	57.3	56.9	69.4	57.5	63.7	
N of Valid	42571	41914	40838	36207	30815	27007	20346	125323	114375	239698	
N of Miss	3900	3834	3459	3416	3003	2621	1973	11193	11013	22206	

Table 4.168: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to threaten a student?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	13.6	19.8	25.0	26.5	26.6	24.8	24.7	19.4	25.8	22.5	
A little bit wrong	9.6	12.5	15.5	16.3	17.5	17.7	16.9	12.5	17.1	14.7	
Wrong	17.1	17.2	17.6	17.9	18.1	18.9	19.1	17.3	18.4	17.8	
Very wrong	59.7	50.5	42.0	39.2	37.8	38.5	39.3	50.8	38.7	45.0	
N of Valid	42505	41900	40813	36162	30832	26999	20348	125218	114341	239559	
N of Miss	3966	3848	3484	3461	2986	2629	1971	11298	11047	22345	

Table 4.169: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to join a gang?









RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	10.9	14.3	17.1	16.4	16.2	14.5	15.3	14.1	15.7	14.8	
A little bit wrong	5.8	7.6	9.6	10.0	9.9	9.3	8.7	7.7	9.6	8.6	
Wrong	12.6	13.9	15.4	16.0	16.3	16.6	16.0	13.9	16.2	15.0	
Very wrong	70.7	64.1	57.9	57.6	57.7	59.6	60.0	64.3	58.5	61.6	
N of Valid	42506	41846	40753	36126	30810	26968	20322	125105	114226	239331	
N of Miss	3965	3902	3544	3497	3008	2660	1997	11411	11162	22573	

Table 4.170: How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to make bad grades?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Not wrong at all	19.7	25.4	29.5	30.5	30.7	28.9	29.0	24.8	29.9	27.2	
A little bit wrong	18.9	20.3	21.5	22.7	23.3	24.4	23.2	20.2	23.3	21.7	
Wrong	20.8	18.9	18.1	17.8	17.7	18.2	18.1	19.3	17.9	18.6	
Very wrong	40.6	35.5	30.9	29.0	28.3	28.5	29.7	35.7	28.8	32.4	
N of Valid	42267	41616	40602	35960	30716	26862	20235	124485	113773	238258	
N of Miss	4204	4132	3695	3663	3102	2766	2084	12031	11615	23646	

4.14 Frequency of Use

Table 4.171: Frequency of use of cigarettes?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.7	2.8	4.9	7.7	10.0	11.7	15.2	3.1	10.6	6.7	
Weekly	3.0	5.7	9.4	13.2	15.8	17.6	21.5	6.0	16.4	11.0	
Monthly	3.9	7.9	12.4	16.9	19.9	21.7	26.0	8.0	20.5	13.9	
Annual	8.5	15.4	22.3	26.8	30.0	31.6	35.8	15.3	30.4	22.5	
N of Valid	45616	44770	43412	38606	32948	28826	21657	133798	122037	255835	
N of Miss	855	978	885	1017	870	802	662	2718	3351	6069	

Table 4.172: Frequency of use of smokeless tobacco?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.4	1.9	3.2	4.9	5.9	6.2	7.8	2.1	6.0	4.0	
Weekly	2.2	3.4	5.5	7.8	8.4	8.9	10.7	3.7	8.7	6.1	
Monthly	2.8	4.5	7.3	9.8	10.5	10.9	13.0	4.8	10.8	7.7	
Annual	5.3	8.2	12.1	14.7	15.9	15.9	18.3	8.5	15.9	12.0	
N of Valid	45578	44752	43384	38592	32915	28789	21630	133714	121926	255640	
N of Miss	893	996	913	1031	903	839	689	2802	3462	6264	

Table 4.173: Frequency of use of cigars?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.2	1.1	1.7	2.4	2.8	2.9	4.6	1.4	3.0	2.1	
Weekly	1.8	2.5	3.8	5.0	5.7	6.2	8.3	2.7	6.1	4.3	
Monthly	2.4	3.8	6.0	8.1	9.6	10.7	14.2	4.0	10.2	7.0	
Annual	4.6	7.9	11.9	15.0	17.9	19.8	25.0	8.1	18.7	13.1	
N of Valid	45509	44642	43245	38472	32811	28688	21579	133396	121550	254946	
N of Miss	962	1106	1052	1151	1007	940	740	3120	3838	6958	

Table 4.174: Frequency of use of beer?

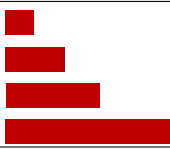
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.5	1.6	2.3	2.8	3.1	3.4	5.2	1.8	3.4	2.6	
Weekly	3.0	5.2	8.0	11.0	13.3	14.7	19.8	5.3	14.0	9.5	
Monthly	4.8	9.2	15.0	20.5	24.6	26.8	33.0	9.6	25.3	17.1	
Annual	14.4	23.5	32.8	38.6	42.3	44.2	48.7	23.4	42.7	32.6	
N of Valid	45448	44592	43176	38437	32810	28705	21563	133216	121515	254731	
N of Miss	1023	1156	1121	1186	1008	923	756	3300	3873	7173	

Table 4.175: Frequency of use of coolers, breezers, etc.?

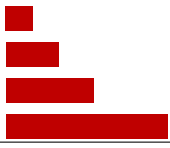
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.6	1.7	2.2	2.7	2.9	3.0	4.5	1.9	3.1	2.5	
Weekly	3.0	4.8	7.5	9.9	11.2	11.4	14.3	5.1	11.4	8.1	
Monthly	4.7	8.7	14.5	19.4	22.8	23.7	28.4	9.2	22.9	15.8	
Annual	12.3	21.6	32.6	38.8	43.2	44.6	48.4	22.0	43.1	32.1	
N of Valid	45245	44613	43263	38465	32792	28709	21563	133121	121529	254650	
N of Miss	1226	1135	1034	1158	1026	919	756	3395	3859	7254	

Table 4.176: Frequency of use of liquor?

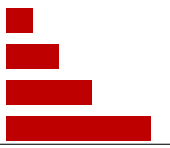
RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.3	1.3	2.1	2.7	3.0	3.2	4.6	1.6	3.2	2.4	
Weekly	2.2	3.8	6.6	9.8	12.0	13.1	17.3	4.2	12.5	8.1	
Monthly	3.3	6.5	12.3	18.6	23.2	25.9	32.5	7.3	24.1	15.3	
Annual	8.2	15.5	26.2	34.3	40.7	44.4	50.1	16.5	41.2	28.3	
N of Valid	45456	44606	43236	38476	32839	28716	21582	133298	121613	254911	
N of Miss	1015	1142	1061	1147	979	912	737	3218	3775	6993	

Table 4.177: Frequency of use of marijuana?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.4	1.7	3.0	4.2	5.2	5.5	7.4	2.0	5.3	3.6	
Weekly	2.0	3.7	6.1	8.5	10.3	10.6	13.1	3.9	10.3	7.0	
Monthly	2.6	5.1	8.6	12.0	14.5	15.1	17.9	5.4	14.5	9.7	
Annual	3.9	8.3	13.9	18.5	22.6	24.6	27.9	8.6	22.7	15.3	
N of Valid	45473	44632	43264	38472	32820	28702	21571	133369	121565	254934	
N of Miss	998	1116	1033	1151	998	926	748	3147	3823	6970	

Table 4.178: Frequency of use of cocaine?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.2	0.9	1.3	1.8	2.3	2.3	3.9	1.1	2.4	1.7	
Weekly	1.4	1.3	1.8	2.6	3.2	3.3	5.2	1.5	3.4	2.4	
Monthly	1.7	1.8	2.5	3.5	4.2	4.5	7.1	2.0	4.5	3.2	
Annual	2.2	2.6	3.8	4.9	6.0	6.6	9.7	2.8	6.5	4.6	
N of Valid	45436	44653	43251	38488	32846	28710	21571	133340	121615	254955	
N of Miss	1035	1095	1046	1135	972	918	748	3176	3773	6949	

Table 4.179: Frequency of use of uppers?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.1	0.9	1.3	1.8	2.3	2.3	3.7	1.1	2.4	1.7	
Weekly	1.5	1.4	2.2	3.2	3.8	3.9	5.7	1.7	4.0	2.8	
Monthly	1.8	2.0	3.2	4.6	5.6	5.8	8.2	2.3	5.8	4.0	
Annual	2.5	3.2	4.9	6.7	8.0	8.4	11.2	3.5	8.3	5.8	
N of Valid	44936	44538	43210	38456	32831	28700	21567	132684	121554	254238	
N of Miss	1535	1210	1087	1167	987	928	752	3832	3834	7666	

Table 4.180: Frequency of use of downers?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.9	2.2	2.3	3.6	1.2	2.4	1.7	■
Weekly	1.5	1.5	2.2	3.1	3.7	3.9	5.7	1.7	3.9	2.8	■
Monthly	1.9	2.1	3.3	4.6	5.6	5.8	8.2	2.4	5.8	4.0	■
Annual	2.6	3.4	5.1	6.7	8.1	8.5	11.4	3.7	8.3	5.9	■
N of Valid	44850	44489	43204	38432	32814	28698	21557	132543	121501	254044	
N of Miss	1621	1259	1093	1191	1004	930	762	3973	3887	7860	

Table 4.181: Frequency of use of inhalants?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.4	1.1	1.4	1.7	2.0	2.1	3.5	1.3	2.2	1.7	■
Weekly	2.1	1.9	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.9	4.4	2.1	3.1	2.6	■
Monthly	2.8	2.9	3.7	3.9	4.2	4.2	6.0	3.1	4.4	3.7	■
Annual	5.1	5.5	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.1	8.0	5.7	6.6	6.1	■
N of Valid	44996	44540	43178	38416	32807	28679	21550	132714	121452	254166	
N of Miss	1475	1208	1119	1207	1011	949	769	3802	3936	7738	

Table 4.182: Frequency of use of hallucinogens?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.7	1.9	2.1	3.6	1.0	2.2	1.6	■
Weekly	1.4	1.2	1.7	2.3	2.8	2.8	4.5	1.4	2.9	2.1	■
Monthly	1.7	1.7	2.4	3.3	4.0	4.1	6.3	1.9	4.2	3.0	■
Annual	2.2	2.4	3.5	4.6	5.5	6.0	8.7	2.7	5.9	4.2	■
N of Valid	44724	44434	43160	38398	32804	28682	21566	132318	121450	253768	
N of Miss	1747	1314	1137	1225	1014	946	753	4198	3938	8136	

Table 4.183: Frequency of use of heroin?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.6	1.9	2.1	3.5	1.0	2.1	1.5	■
Weekly	1.3	1.2	1.6	2.2	2.6	2.8	4.5	1.4	2.9	2.1	■
Monthly	1.7	1.6	2.2	2.8	3.4	3.6	5.7	1.8	3.7	2.7	■
Annual	2.2	2.2	3.0	3.8	4.5	4.9	7.3	2.5	4.9	3.6	■
N of Valid	44913	44473	43180	38412	32808	28663	21544	132566	121427	253993	
N of Miss	1558	1275	1117	1211	1010	965	775	3950	3961	7911	

Table 4.184: Frequency of use of anabolic steroids?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.2	0.8	1.2	1.7	2.0	2.1	3.6	1.1	2.2	1.6	■
Weekly	1.5	1.2	1.8	2.3	2.7	2.9	4.5	1.5	2.9	2.2	■
Monthly	1.8	1.7	2.4	2.9	3.4	3.7	5.7	1.9	3.7	2.8	■
Annual	2.6	2.6	3.5	4.0	4.5	4.9	7.3	2.9	4.9	3.9	■
N of Valid	44974	44489	43142	38399	32792	28655	21527	132605	121373	253978	
N of Miss	1497	1259	1155	1224	1026	973	792	3911	4015	7926	

Table 4.185: Frequency of use of ecstasy?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.7	2.0	2.1	3.7	1.1	2.2	1.6	■
Weekly	1.4	1.3	1.9	2.6	2.9	3.1	4.8	1.5	3.2	2.3	■
Monthly	1.7	1.9	2.7	3.5	4.1	4.3	6.4	2.1	4.4	3.2	■
Annual	2.1	2.7	4.1	5.2	6.2	6.7	9.4	2.9	6.5	4.7	■
N of Valid	44595	44372	43130	38376	32797	28642	21532	132097	121347	253444	
N of Miss	1876	1376	1167	1247	1021	986	787	4419	4041	8460	

Table 4.186: Frequency of use of OxyContin?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.2	0.9	1.3	1.8	2.0	2.1	3.6	1.1	2.2	1.6	
Weekly	1.5	1.3	1.9	2.6	2.9	3.0	4.7	1.6	3.1	2.3	
Monthly	1.7	1.9	2.8	3.5	3.9	4.2	6.3	2.1	4.3	3.2	
Annual	2.4	2.9	4.3	5.3	6.1	6.5	8.9	3.2	6.4	4.7	
N of Valid	44615	44371	43111	38365	32790	28644	21543	132097	121342	253439	
N of Miss	1856	1377	1186	1258	1028	984	776	4419	4046	8465	

Table 4.187: Frequency of use of meth?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.7	2.1	2.1	3.6	1.2	2.3	1.7	
Weekly	1.6	1.4	1.8	2.3	2.8	2.8	4.4	1.6	2.9	2.2	
Monthly	1.9	1.8	2.4	3.0	3.6	3.7	5.8	2.0	3.8	2.9	
Annual	2.5	2.7	3.3	4.0	4.6	4.8	7.2	2.8	4.9	3.8	
N of Valid	44906	44344	43018	38217	32694	28532	21441	132268	120884	253152	
N of Miss	1565	1404	1279	1406	1124	1096	878	4248	4504	8752	

Table 4.188: Frequency of use of any tobacco?





RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	2.2	3.9	6.8	10.5	13.3	15.2	18.9	4.2	13.9	8.8	
Weekly	3.9	7.6	12.3	17.1	19.6	21.6	25.6	7.9	20.4	13.8	
Monthly	5.2	10.3	16.1	21.5	24.2	26.1	30.7	10.4	24.9	17.4	
Annual	11.2	19.6	27.7	32.9	36.0	37.5	42.1	19.4	36.4	27.5	
N of Valid	45784	44975	43603	38813	33080	28943	21748	134362	122584	256946	
N of Miss	687	773	694	810	738	685	571	2154	2804	4958	

Table 4.189: Frequency of use of any alcohol?

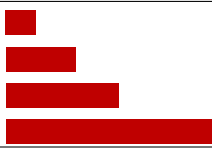

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	2.0	2.2	3.0	3.6	3.8	4.1	5.7	2.4	4.1	3.2	
Weekly	4.2	7.0	10.5	14.1	16.3	17.8	23.1	7.2	17.2	11.9	
Monthly	6.6	12.1	19.3	25.7	30.2	32.7	39.1	12.5	30.9	21.3	
Annual	19.7	31.3	43.1	49.9	54.3	56.5	61.0	31.2	54.6	42.3	
N of Valid	45741	44898	43525	38736	33025	28893	21714	134164	122368	256532	
N of Miss	730	850	772	887	793	735	605	2352	3020	5372	

Table 4.190: Frequency of use of any illicit drug?

RESPONSE	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	6-8th	9-12th	TOTAL	
Daily	2.5	3.0	4.4	5.7	6.7	7.0	9.4	3.3	6.9	5.0	
Weekly	3.8	5.7	8.4	10.6	12.4	12.7	15.4	5.9	12.4	9.0	
Monthly	4.8	7.6	11.4	14.4	16.8	17.2	20.5	7.9	16.8	12.1	
Annual	8.6	13.1	18.6	21.9	25.4	26.8	30.1	13.3	25.5	19.1	
N of Valid	45760	44930	43574	38788	33061	28910	21743	134264	122502	256766	
N of Miss	711	818	723	835	757	718	576	2252	2886	5138	

Chapter 5

Narrative Report

5.1 Introduction

Tobacco, alcohol, drug use and violence continues to be a persistent problem facing the youth of America. The use of mind-altering chemicals has proven to be especially harmful to the adolescent growth and development process. Psychoactive drugs interfere with physical, social, and emotional growth during the critical years of adolescent development.

An adolescent who uses intoxicants is not only at high risk of becoming drug dependent but is also at an increased risk of dropping out of school, getting involved in crime, attempting suicide, or becoming involved in an assortment of unacceptable behaviors.

The prevention of adolescent drug and alcohol use, bullying and related behaviors is most likely to occur when parents, teachers, faith leaders, other individuals and community organizations, who are part of the child's friendship circle...

- are well informed of the harmful effects of drugs,
- understand potential danger from threatening behaviors,
- recognize behavioral changes that accompany drug use,

- and understand how drug use and violence is encouraged and accepted in the social world of the child.

Another key to successful prevention programming is the direct involvement of youth in planning and implementing programs.

This report will help parents, school personnel, students, and other "youth care givers" understand the extent of drug use and threatening (bullying) behaviors in your community.

Your questions concerning this report or information on other reports and services of **Pride Surveys** may be obtained by calling the **Pride Surveys** office at 1-800-279-6361.

5.1.1 The Pride Surveys Questionnaire

As with any type of meaningful survey, it is important that the data collected are of high quality and utility. The **Pride Surveys Questionnaire** was developed to provide accurate, reliable and useful information about students through their reported behaviors, perceptions and living environments. Questionnaire forms and administration procedures have undergone extensive reviews by independent evaluators over the years. The survey provides users

with data of high quality and practical application. For more technical information about the development of the questionnaire, see the *Pride Technical Report: The Pride Questionnaire for Grades 6-12 Developmental Study*. These studies are available on the Pride Surveys website at www.pridesurveys.com.

5.1.2 The Report

This report was prepared to be used as part of a community-wide prevention program. For maximum use of your school drug and violence survey, we suggest that you review each section carefully, share the information with school officials, teachers, students and parents, and prepare a press release to inform your community of the results.

This narrative report contains five sections, including the introductory Section 5.1. Section 5.2 contains information on *Gateway Drugs* (tobacco, alcohol, and marijuana). Section 5.3 contains information on *Other Illicit Drugs* (cocaine, uppers, downers, inhalants, hallucinogens, heroin and steroids). The following information on each drug category has been selected for analysis in this report:

- perceived risk of drug use,
- frequency of drug use reported by students,
- when students reported using drugs,
- where students reported using drugs,
- friends' use of drugs,
- age of onset of use of drugs,
- availability of drugs as reported by students.

Section 5.4 contains suggestions for community awareness activities utilizing the media and presentations of survey findings to various audiences.

Note that all statistics compiled from your survey results are highlighted in **bold**.

The 2005-2006 Pride National Summary for Grades 6-12 is provided separately on the **Pride Surveys** website. This national data can be compared to local data contained in your tabular report.

It is important that your school survey be viewed as part of an ongoing process that provides needed information about the prevalence and patterns of tobacco, alcohol and other drug use by students in your community. By using the **Pride Surveys** in your assessment process, you can be confident of high quality, consistent, and reliable information to assist you in your drug prevention efforts. For additional assistance with questionnaire data, call the Pride Surveys Office at 1-800-279-6361. For additional information about the health impact of drugs visit the Pride Surveys website at www.pridesurveys.com.

5.2 Gateway Drugs

The *gateway drugs* are defined in this report as tobacco, alcohol, and marijuana. In most states, alcohol and tobacco products are illegal when used by minors, but are legal when used by adults. Nevertheless, they are generally easy to obtain and are widely used by students. Use of alcohol and cigarettes at early ages has been linked to later use of illicit drugs, thus the term *gateway drugs*. Marijuana is the illicit drug most widely used by the adolescent population. Although marijuana is itself a dangerous illicit drug, it is also a strong predictor for use of other addictive drugs. In this section, harmful effects, prevalence, and patterns of tobacco products (cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, and cigars), alcohol (beer, wine coolers, and liquor), and marijuana use are reported.

5.2.1 Tobacco

Harmful Effects of Tobacco Products

The use of tobacco products was not always considered to be drug use. However, cigarette smoke contains more than 1,200 chemicals, none of which are beneficial to man. When cigarette smoke is absorbed into the body, it decreases the oxygen-carrying capacity of the blood and increases the clotting rate. This reaction, combined with hardening of the arteries associated with smoking, can cause a heart attack. Using tobacco products is a major cause of emphysema, chronic bronchitis, lung cancer, heart disease and cancer of the mouth.

Research indicates that mothers who smoke during pregnancy may damage the unborn child. Women who take birth control pills should not smoke because of increased risk of blood clots, stroke, heart attack and liver tumors.

It is important that students know the health consequences of tobacco use, but they may be influenced more by the social stigma and the unattractive appearance using tobacco can cause. For example, young people may choose not to smoke because cigarette smoke makes their hair smell bad, turns their teeth and fingers yellow, and causes bad breath. These are important considerations for adolescents who are usually concerned about their appearance.

Frequency and Effects of Tobacco Use

While millions of people in this country have quit smoking cigarettes, there are still millions that continue to smoke despite warnings of detrimental health effects. It is important to examine the use of cigarettes by students, for they are engaging in an unhealthy practice. Also, students who start smoking tobacco early are more prone to try other drugs, particularly marijuana, than students who do not use tobacco products.

Table 5.1: 30-Day Use of Tobacco

DRUG	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Any Tobacco	5.2	10.3	16.1	21.5	24.2	26.1	30.7
Cigarettes	3.9	7.9	12.4	16.9	19.9	21.7	26.0
Smokeless Tobacco	2.8	4.5	7.3	9.8	10.5	10.9	13.0
Cigars	2.4	3.8	6.0	8.1	9.6	10.7	14.2

Additional information about frequency of cigarette smoking by your students may be found in the Percentage Tables chapter of your Pride report.

Locations and Times of Tobacco Use

A knowledge of the patterns of adolescent tobacco use is important when planning and implementing prevention programs. Two of the most important questions that were asked on the *Pride Surveys* were *Where* and *When* various drugs are used. Students were asked to respond to various locations and times they used tobacco products. Responses to *Where* students used gateway drugs included *At Home*, *At School*, *In a Car*, *Friend's House* and *Other* places in the community. Time of use responses consisted of *Before School*, *During School*, *After School*, *Week Nights* and *Weekends*. This information is important in providing insight into the use patterns of tobacco products by your students.

Although there was some variation, students who smoked cigarettes reported smoking at most locations and times. This finding may be explained by the highly addictive nature of the nicotine in tobacco, the non-intoxicating effects of smoking tobacco (as opposed to the intoxicating effects of alcohol), and adult tolerance for possession and use of tobacco products by minors. However, as explained earlier, cigarette smoking does present health hazards for the users and for those who share a common environment.

Table 5.2: Reported Location of Any Tobacco Use For Your Students

LOCATION	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
At Home	5.4	9.2	13.6	15.8	16.6	15.9	17.4
At School	1.3	1.9	3.4	6.1	7.3	7.1	8.9
In a Car	1.7	3.3	6.1	10.3	15.4	18.2	21.7
Friend's House	4.3	8.7	13.2	16.2	18.3	18.7	20.7
Other	5.0	8.0	11.4	13.2	14.7	15.8	17.7

Table 5.3: Reported Times of Any Tobacco Use For Your Students

TIME	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Before School	1.6	2.9	4.9	7.7	10.1	11.5	14.1
During School	1.3	1.7	3.1	5.6	6.5	6.6	8.7
After School	3.3	6.3	10.2	13.7	15.8	17.1	19.2
Week Night	2.3	4.4	7.3	9.9	12.4	13.8	16.2
Weekend	7.1	12.7	18.1	20.6	22.9	24.1	26.8

5.2.2 Alcohol

Harmful Effects of Alcohol

Alcohol is a central nervous system depressant, which relaxes the inhibiting and controlling mechanisms of the brain. The effects of drinking alcohol depend on the amount consumed, body size, food intake, age, genetic susceptibility, and tolerance. Alcohol is metabolized at the rate of about 1/2 ounce per hour, and coffee, tea, or cold showers will not speed up this process. The effects of drinking alcohol can range from mild intoxication, to mental confusion, to aggression, to respiratory depression and death. Repeated or chronic use of alcohol may cause damage to the liver, brain, stomach, skin, and other systems of the body.

The sources of alcohol most available to youth for consumption are beer, wine or wine coolers, and various forms of liquor. It is important for youth and

adults to understand that sources with lower percentages of alcohol, such as beer and wine coolers, are equally as capable of causing intoxication and dependency as liquor. However, there appears to be a progression of alcohol use that begins with beer or wine coolers and on to liquor. Drinking liquor produces higher levels of intoxication, probably due to its higher concentration of alcohol.

Since the human body builds a tolerance to alcohol, there is a potential for addiction for those who drink. This risk of addiction is greater for the developing adolescent than for mature adults. Junior and senior high students who use alcohol run the risk of delaying or retarding their normal physical, mental and social development. Drinking and driving is a popular practice among teenagers, and alcohol-related accidents are a major cause of death among 15- to 19-year-olds.

Frequency and Effects of Alcohol Use

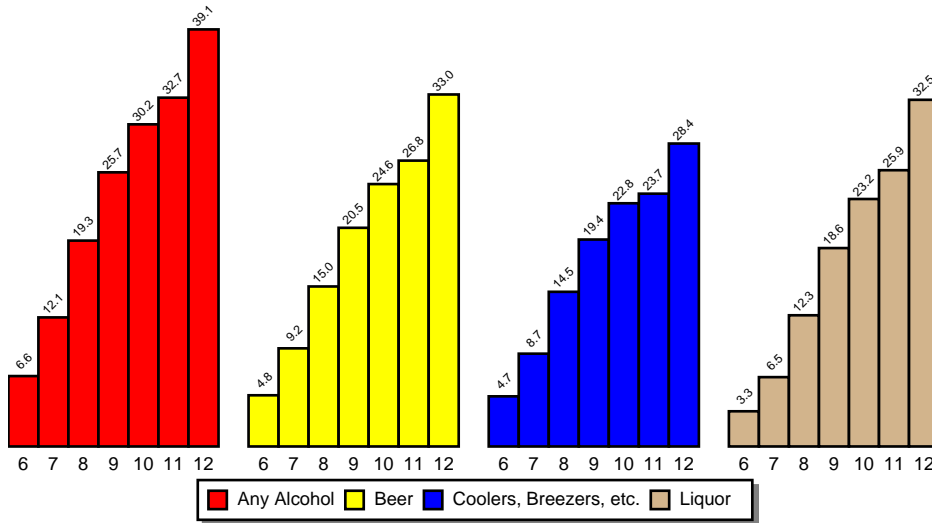
Although drinking alcoholic beverages is illegal for minors, beer, wine coolers, and liquor are popular intoxicants for students. It should be kept in mind that these data are from 12- to 18-year-old students. Not only are they minors under the law, and therefore violating the law when using alcohol, but they are also young adolescents who are abusing alcohol at least once a month or more often.

Table 5.4: 30-Day Use of Alcohol

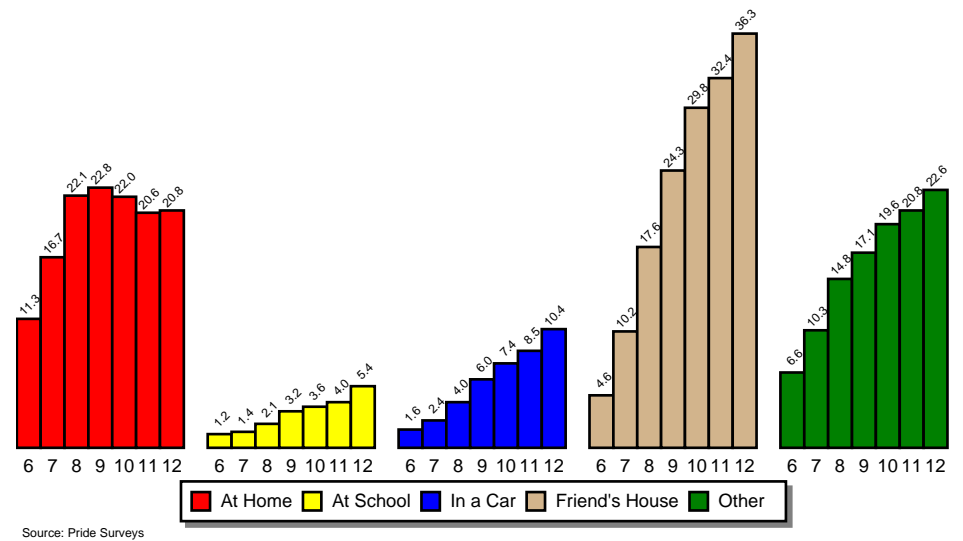
DRUG	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Any Alcohol	6.6	12.1	19.3	25.7	30.2	32.7	39.1
Beer	4.8	9.2	15.0	20.5	24.6	26.8	33.0
Coolers, Breezers, etc.	4.7	8.7	14.5	19.4	22.8	23.7	28.4
Liquor	3.3	6.5	12.3	18.6	23.2	25.9	32.5

YOUR NOTES:

30-Day Use of Any Alcohol, Beer, Coolers and Liquor



Location of Any Alcohol Use

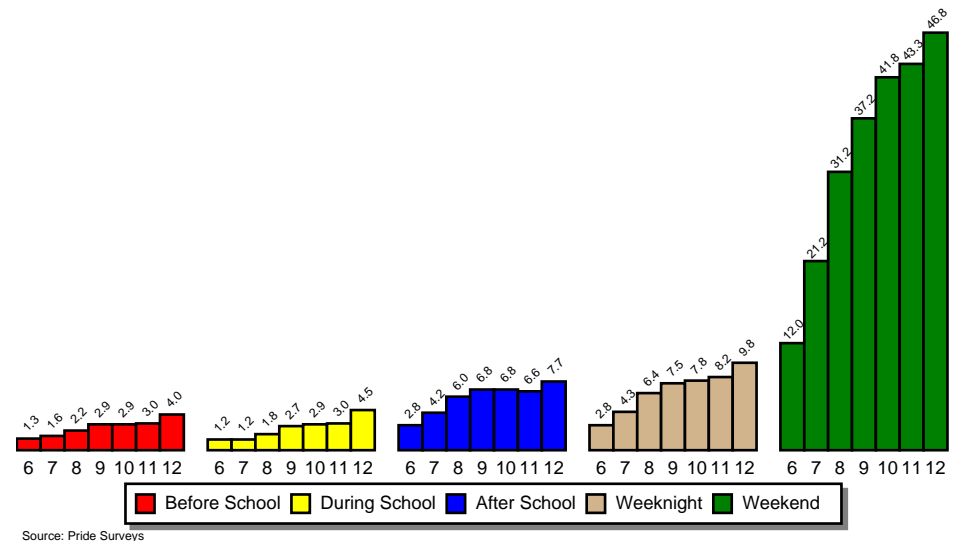


Locations and Times of Alcohol Use

Drinking alcoholic beverages can produce a mind-altered or intoxicated state. Given the impairment in thinking and judgement produced by alcohol intoxication, time of use is an important consideration for targeting prevention activities. Figures 5-3 through 5-4 contain percentage data for the times of alcohol use as reported by junior and senior high students in your community.

It is important to note that past research indicates that *At School* is the least popular location for use and *During School* is the least popular time of use. *Weekends* tends to be the most popular time of use and *At Home* tends to be the most popular with younger students while *Friend's House* and *Other* tends to be the most popular with older students. These data strongly support the concept of parent and community involvement in reducing alcohol use by youth.

Time of Any Alcohol Use



Availability of Tobacco Products & Alcohol

The question of availability of tobacco products has been included on the **Pride Surveys**. In many communities, cigarettes are purchased by minors from vending machines in public places without fear of reprisal.

Students were asked to report how easy it was for them to get alcohol, specifically in the forms of beer, coolers, breezers, etc. and liquor. Students could respond that they *Cannot Get* alcohol, or that alcohol was *Very Difficult*, *Fairly Difficult*, *Fairly Easy*, or *Very Easy* to get. The following table provides the percentages of students who responded to the *Fairly Easy* or *Very Easy* categories for obtaining tobacco products as well as beer, wine coolers, liquor, and marijuana.

Use of tobacco products and alcohol by minors is illegal, yet they are readily available to students. Popular culture condones and often encourages the use of tobacco and alcohol. While it is important to discourage the illegal use of tobacco and alcohol through formal education and community prevention programs, it is also important to reduce the ease by which students may obtain tobacco and alcohol products, whether from home or a neighbor's home, or from merchants that sell alcoholic beverages to minors. Cooperation of parents, students, and educators with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies should play an important role in reducing the availability of gateway drugs to students.

Table 5.5: Pct of Students Reporting *Fairly Easy* or *Very Easy* to Get Tobacco and Alcohol

DRUG	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Any Tobacco	18.4	27.0	39.9	48.9	57.3	62.6	68.0
Any Alcohol	23.9	33.3	46.9	55.3	63.3	67.6	71.8
Beer	20.9	28.9	41.6	50.0	58.5	63.6	68.0
Coolers, Breezers, etc.	14.2	22.7	36.0	45.6	55.2	60.9	66.1
Liquor	12.7	19.4	31.6	42.0	52.1	58.4	64.3

YOUR NOTES:

5.2.3 Marijuana

Harmful Effects of Marijuana

Marijuana is a crude drug made from the *cannabis sativa* plant, and it contains more than 400 known chemicals. Seventy or more of these chemicals, called "cannabinoids," are found only in the cannabis plant, and in recent years we have learned much about their effect on the human body. One of the cannabinoids, THC (delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol), is the major mind-altering chemical in marijuana.

Street names for marijuana include *pot*, *grass*, and *weed*. Smoking pot became popular with college age students during the late 60's and early 70's. By the middle 70's the age of users had dropped to junior high and even elementary school levels.

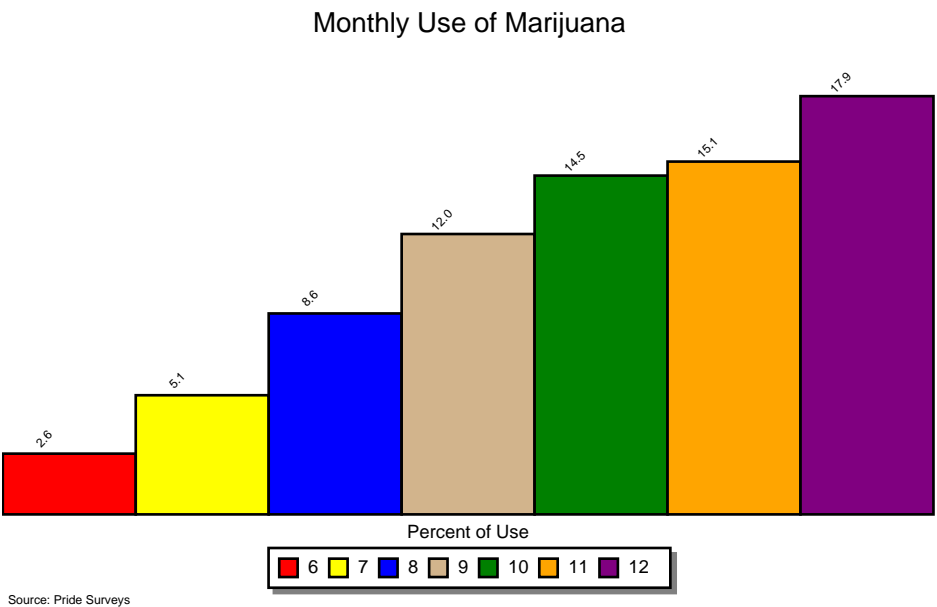
The marijuana used in the 1960's was often quite low in THC content, ranging from .25 to 1 percent, and few health hazards were documented during that period. In the early 1970's, the Mexican marijuana coming into the country averaged 1 to 2 percent THC content. After 1975, Colombian marijuana became more prominent, and it ranged from 3 to 6 percent in THC content. Presently, we have marijuana (a variety called *Sinsemilla*) being grown in the U.S. with THC levels of more than 24 percent. Because of the stronger, more potent varieties now available, the intoxicating and health effects of smoking marijuana have increased dramatically. More students are receiving treatment for marijuana addiction than for alcohol addiction.

The THC and other cannabinoids are fat-soluble chemicals and accumulate in the fatty linings of cells. They are metabolized very slowly, and may stay in the body four to six weeks. Thus, the students who smoke pot *only on weekends* will gradually accumulate THC content in their body cells. This build-up of THC is unlike the effect of alcohol, which is water-soluble and metabolized out of the body much more quickly (usually within 24 hours).

Accumulation of THC in the body affects those areas where there is an

accumulation of fatty cells, such as the brain, heart, lungs and reproductive systems. The effect of this drug is even more severe on developing adolescents in junior and senior high school. Not surprisingly, recent research indicates that regular marijuana use reduces the mental efficiency of students and may increase their susceptibility to infection and disease, by interfering with their immune system.

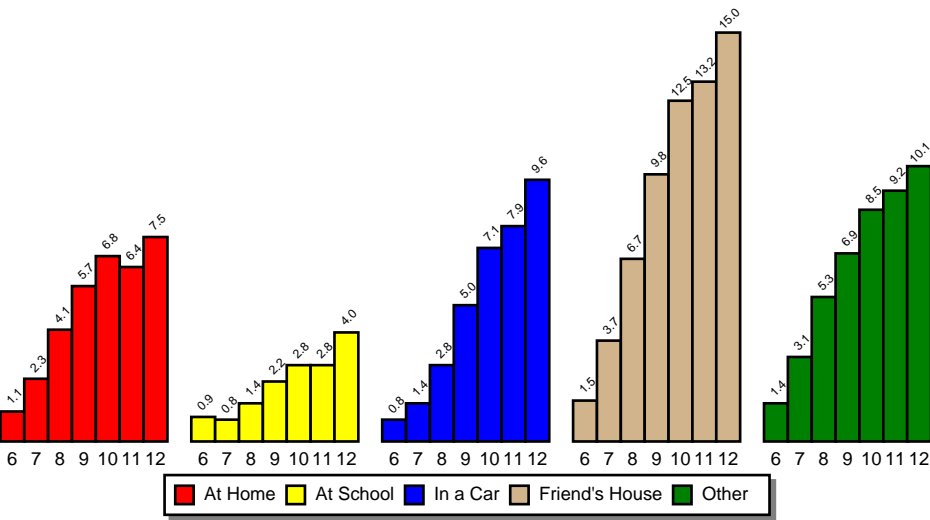
Production and use of marijuana is illegal in the United States and most other countries around the world. The following table contains data on your students' use of marijuana at least once a month or more often.



Location and Time of Marijuana Use

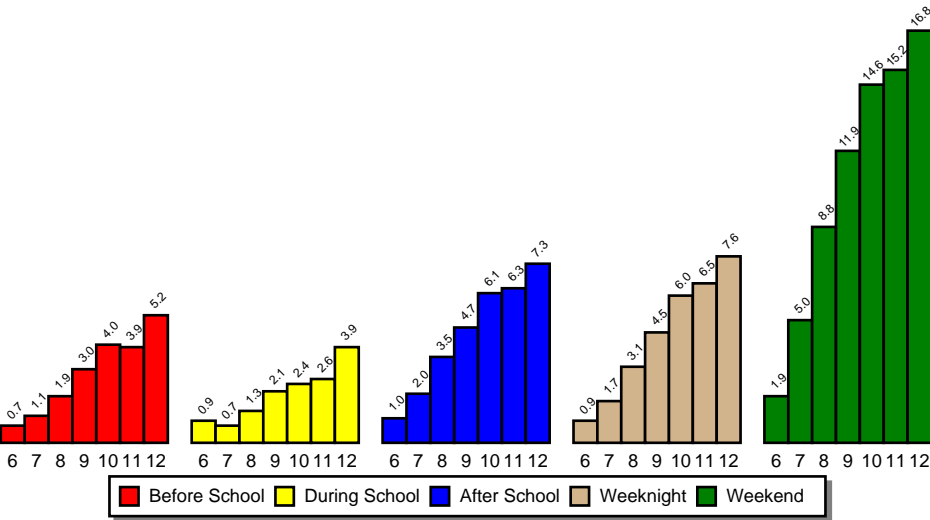
Location and time of marijuana use followed a similar pattern to that of alcohol use, although the percentage of students who reported smoking marijuana was considerably less than the percentage who reported drinking alcohol.

Location of Marijuana Use



Source: Pride Surveys

Time of Any Marijuana Use



Source: Pride Surveys

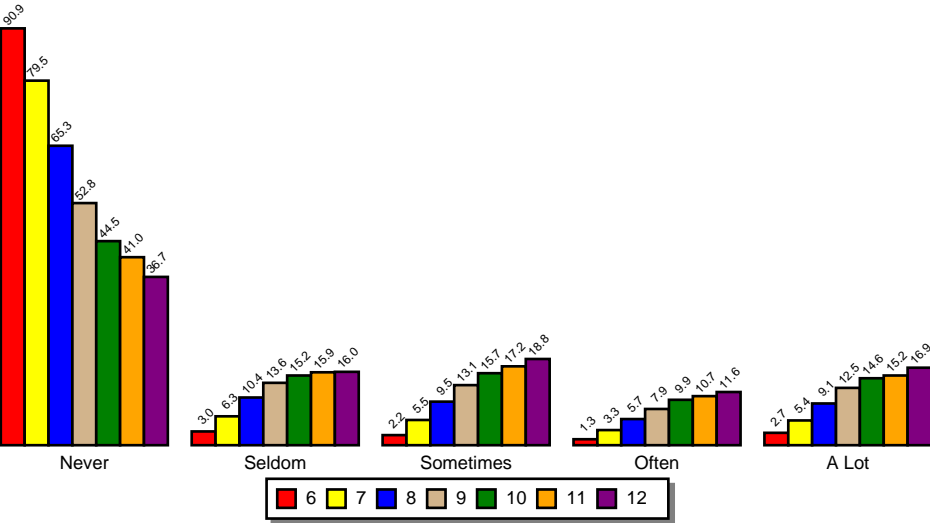
Friends' Use & Age of Onset of Use of Marijuana

Often, marijuana and other illicit drug use will occur within a friendship circle and those who report use among friends are more likely to use. Past analysis shows that marijuana is by far the most commonly used of illicit drugs. The following graphs presents percentage data on friends' use of your students.

It is important to remember that early use is an indicator of increased risk for addiction. Figure 5-8 presents data on age of onset of use of marijuana for your students.

YOUR NOTES:

Friends' Use of Marijuana



Source: Pride Surveys

5.3 Other Illicit Drugs

As stated in the previous section, marijuana is the illicit drug most used by junior and senior high students. However, many marijuana users become multiple drug users. Knowledge of the nature and extent of such illicit drug use is very important in gaining a perspective on the overall adolescent drug problem in your community. It will also provide you with information on the percentages of your students who are drug dependent or who are at high risk of becoming drug dependent and in need of professional help.

The other illicit drug categories included in *The Pride Surveys Questionnaire for Grades 6-12* are as follows:

Cocaine	including crack,
Uppers	stimulants,
Downers	depressants,
Inhalants	such as glue or solvents
Hallucinogens	including LSD and PCP
Heroin	opiates
Steroids	
Ecstasy	MDMA
OxyContin	
Meth	ice, crank, etc.

Additional information on all categories of drugs obtained from your survey may be found in the tabular report.

5.3.1 Cocaine, Uppers, and Downers

Harmful Effects of Cocaine, Uppers, and Downers

Use of illicit drugs by adolescents is extremely dangerous. The illicit drugs discussed in this section are highly toxic, addictive, and often cause dramatic and unpredictable changes in behavior. Where gateway drugs may require a period of months or years to cause physical or psychological damage, these more toxic drugs may cause addiction, permanent damage, or even death with their early use. Since most of these drugs are produced and distributed illegally, their purity and chemical content are unknown. They are often contaminated with dangerous chemicals.

Much evidence suggests that drug abuse and addiction is a progressive process that begins with gateway drugs (for example: tobacco products, beer, wine coolers, liquor, and marijuana) and continues into the more unpredictable forms of illicit drugs such as cocaine (including crack) and hallucinogens, such as PCP and LSD. Adolescents frequently use an assortment of drugs such as alcohol, marijuana and cocaine, creating an even more dangerous and unpredictable effect. Students who use these illicit drugs or combinations of drugs are at very high risk of dependency and are in need of professional help. If left untreated, they are likely to suffer permanent physical damage to body systems and cause continued stress on the family unit.

In addition to the detrimental health and social effects, use of illicit drugs is related to local criminal activity and is a major contributor to organized crime and terrorism in the U.S. and abroad. Illicit drug use should not be tolerated. One example of social movement against a drug is the growing intolerance of cigarette and tobacco use. We should adopt this attitude and apply it to illicit drugs as well.

Harmful Effects of Cocaine

Cocaine is an alkaloid extracted from the leaf of the coca bush, which is cultivated at high altitudes in the Andes Mountains of South America. The alkaloid is a powerful stimulant to the central nervous system with mind-altering and energy-producing characteristics. Coca leaves contain only a small amount of the mind-altering chemical, but the extraction and purification of cocaine produces a new and immensely more powerful drug.

Cocaine, sometimes called *coke* or *snow*, is usually snorted or inhaled through a special pipe. An inexpensive form of cocaine called *crack* has become very popular. Crack cocaine can be smoked and produces a more immediate and powerful *high* than snorting. Cocaine acts directly on the limbic system or *old brain* where the chemical centers for instinctive pleasure are located. Use of cocaine produces a surge of energy, pleasure and sense of confidence. After about a twenty-minute high, the drug withdraws rapidly from the brain, making the user feel depressed, irritable and fatigued – a condition called the *coke crash*.

Cocaine is both psychologically and physically addictive. In the early 70's, the small supply and low purity of cocaine available in the U.S. led many so-called experts to claim that cocaine was non-addictive. Today, cocaine has proven to be one of the most addictive drugs, if not **the** most addictive. The *crack* form of the drug speeds up the process of addiction or dependence.

Harmful Effects of Uppers

The term "uppers" refers to a category of drugs broadly defined as central nervous system stimulants. The stronger stimulants are drugs such as amphetamines with street names like *speed*, *bennies*, *dexies*, *white crosses* and *crystal*. They are usually taken in capsule form, but may be sniffed or injected. Milder forms of stimulants are caffeine, ephedrine and phenylpropanolamine. Common over-the-counter and prescription forms of stimulants are diet pills and stay-awake pills.

Uppers increase heart rate, breathing rate and blood pressure; dilate pupils; and decrease appetite. The user can also experience headache, sweating, blurred vision, dizziness, sleeplessness, and anxiety. People who use large amounts of amphetamines over a long period of time also develop hallucinations, delusions, and paranoia. They exhibit bizarre and sometimes violent behavior. Withdrawal produces fatigue, irritability, paranoia, and depression. Use of uppers, particularly amphetamines, can lead to physical and psychological dependency.

Harmful Effects of Downers

Downers refer to a category of drugs commonly known as depressants. These drugs depress or slow down the body's functions and when abused (i.e., their non-medical use) can cause slurred speech, staggering, poor judgement, and slow or uncertain reflexes (reactions similar to alcohol intoxication). Downers include barbiturates, such as secobarbital or phenobarbital; benzodiazepines, such as Valium, Librium and other drugs that have similar properties. Sleeping pills, tranquilizers, and muscle relaxants are examples of downers.

Mixing alcohol and downers poses a particularly dangerous drug use combination. For example, the use of barbiturates and other depressants, such as alcohol, multiplies the effects and increases the chance of alcoholism and drug dependency. Moreover, combined use greatly increases the risk of death by overdose, whether accidental or deliberate.

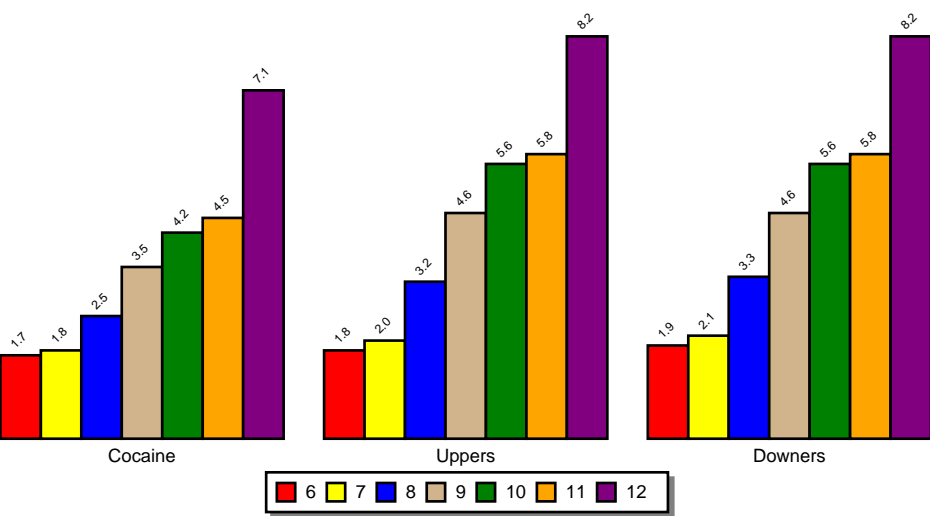
Frequency and Effects of Cocaine, Uppers and Downers

The illicit drugs in this section have been grouped for convenience and efficiency of discussion. Cocaine, uppers and downers will be discussed together, and inhalants, hallucinogens, heroin and steroids will be discussed together. Although these drugs have differing effects (see preceding discussion), they are often similar in their patterns of use.

Although there is much media coverage about the use of cocaine (especially "crack" cocaine), the percentage of students who reported using cocaine is low in comparison to the gateway drugs.

The percentage data for students who reported using cocaine, uppers and downers within the past year is contained in Figure 5.9. The expected pattern of higher drug use by senior high students than by junior high students is evident from the tables in the tabular report. For more detailed data on frequency of use of cocaine, uppers, and downers by your students, refer to the Percentage Tables chapter of your Pride Report.

Monthly Use of Cocaine, Uppers and Downers



Source: Pride Surveys

YOUR NOTES:

Availability of Cocaine and Meth

Students were asked to respond to the question, *How easy is it to get* illicit drugs. Students could respond that they *Cannot Get* illicit drugs, or that illicit drugs were *Very Difficult*, *Fairly Difficult*, *Fairly Easy*, or *Very Easy* to get. Student responses to the two categories of *Fairly Easy* and *Very Easy* were combined to provide a measure of the availability of illicit drugs in your community.

Cocaine, uppers, and downers are dangerous illicit drugs, subject to criminal charges for possession, use, distribution, and sales. Under such conditions, one would assume these drugs to be virtually unavailable to students.

Percentages of your students reporting cocaine and meth as *Fairly Easy* or *Very Easy* to get are contained in Table 5.8. It should be remembered that availability is a major factor in drug use - students are more likely to use drugs if they are readily available. The fact that tobacco and alcohol are the most available and the most widely used drugs is evidence of this point.

Table 5.6: Pct. of Students Reporting *Fairly Easy* or *Very Easy* to Get Cocaine and Meth

DRUG	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Cocaine	6.0	7.7	11.4	15.5	20.1	23.9	28.8
Meth	5.8	7.1	10.0	13.4	17.2	20.6	24.8

YOUR NOTES:

5.4 The Media and Data Presentation

Your school-based survey results can be utilized in many ways to promote and support drug and alcohol abuse prevention in your community. The results of this survey should be made available to the public in a timely fashion.

Therefore, Section 4 of this chapter is devoted to assisting you in utilizing your survey findings to make the community more aware of the extent and nature of adolescent alcohol and other drug use.

5.4.1 Community Awareness

Community awareness that a drug problem exists is important when mobilizing the various components of a community in a planned, systematic process to reduce alcohol and other drug use by youth. Unless the community is convinced that the problem is serious, real, and local – i.e., a threat to their children, families and friends – it is less likely that meaningful community involvement or support will occur. Community awareness involves informing as many people as possible of the extent and nature of the adolescent drug problem. Information collected by your survey of student drug use is very important in community awareness. It is also important for members of the community to understand the harmful nature of drug use. Both information about the harmful affects of drug use and the extent of local drug use is contained in Sections 2 and 3 of this chapter.

Two of the most effective means of conducting community awareness is through electronic and print media and through presentations to community groups such as parent and school groups, civic and business organizations, community coalitions and church groups. Section 4 is designed to assist you in these activities. Section 4.2. contains information about how you can work with the media in releasing your survey data and Section 4.3. contains information to assist you with presentations to various groups in your community. Of course, these are suggestions and you may want to change or modify the suggestions. For example, as you monitor the drug problem through multiple annual surveys, these data can be added to your press releases and presentations.

5.4.2 The Media

What is generally referred to as *The Media* includes the traditional print media (such as, newspapers, magazines, and newsletters), and electronic media (such as, television, radio, wire services, and web sites). Non-traditional sources may include billboards, t-shirts, posters, pay-roll stuffers, grocery bags, hand bills, etc. The most common of these media used to communicate survey results have been local newspaper news articles and editorials, local television and radio news casts, talk-shows, and interviews.

HOW TO GET STARTED!

You can set a date for the announcement of your school data. Choose a *slow news day* when nothing major is scheduled in the community. Mid-morning on Tuesday may be a good time, giving the reporters time to prepare their stories for an afternoon or early morning edition of the newspaper, or an early evening broadcast or telecast.

Develop a local news media profile, showing the names, addresses, phone numbers and contact persons for each newspaper, station and type of program. Keep up with times you contact each one, news releases or other materials you provide them, and what the next steps will be toward giving your topic coverage. Good sources for help in developing your news media profile are the yellow pages, locally-published media directories, or media profiles already available from communications/public relations professionals.

HOW TO WRITE A NEWS RELEASE

Your next step is to prepare a news release on the survey results. A sample news release is included in Appendix B. The following guidelines may assist you in preparing a news release:

1. Use standard-size 8 1/2 by 11 white paper, and type the release double spaced on one side only. The first page should contain the name and address of your school/organization (letterhead is fine). If special News

Release paper is available, use it.

2. Name a contact person and his/her office and home phone numbers in the upper right hand corner of the first page. Ideally, this is the person who prepared the news release. Make sure the contact person has agreed to handle possible follow-up calls from the media.
3. Write FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE in the upper left hand corner of the first page unless you have planned a certain day and time to announce the survey results, perhaps at a news conference or some other event. If that is the case, write FOR RELEASE (DATE and TIME). The media are accustomed to respecting your release time.
4. Give the news release a brief two or three line title, centered in all caps and bold for emphasis.
5. Be brief with what you write – one to three pages, double spaced. Most releases do not exceed two pages, but questionnaire data are hard to summarize and may take an additional page.
6. Write in the active voice and use short sentences and paragraphs.
7. Write MORE at the bottom of each page except the last one to let the reporter know there is more than one page to the release. Type -30- or ## in the center of the last page below the last paragraph.
8. Proofread carefully. Reporters are wary of releases that contain typographical errors, misspellings, or crossouts.

TIPS FOR WRITING YOUR NEWS RELEASE

1. Traditionally, news releases are written in the "inverted pyramid style." This means that the more important information comes first in case the reporter doesn't have space or time for the entire release and wants to "cut" it from the bottom.

2. Include at least two of the five W's (Who, What, Where, When, and Why) in the lead (first) paragraph. Your lead paragraph should grab the reporter's attention and make him/her want to read and report the news the release contains.
3. The second paragraph should answer the other W's.
4. Identify your spokesperson no later than the third paragraph.
5. Use quotes to make an emotional point or state an opinion. A good news release contains two to four quotes. Remember to obtain the quoted person's permission, and let him/her know when the news will be released so that he/she can be prepared to respond to any media calls for additional details.
6. The last paragraph should include background information on your school or organization – a "commercial" for the work you are doing. Include purpose, size, non-profit status or other pertinent information.
7. Double-check names, dates, places, numbers, and quotes for accuracy. Your credibility as a source of information is jeopardized when details of a news release are inaccurate.

Send an original copy of the news release to all appropriate names on your media list. Follow-up by phone is important to make sure the release arrived, answer any questions, provide more information, and offer spokespeople to be interviewed by phone or in person.

End your conversation by thanking the reporter or editor for his/her time and interest. And, when the story appears in print or on the air, phone or write the reporter/editor a brief but sincere "thank you." Remember, a well written news release containing valid and interesting data should receive wide distribution in the news media.

SPECIALIZED PUBLICATIONS AND NEWS CONFERENCES

In addition to the news media in your community, there will be a number of specialized publications that will be interested in your survey data. They

include school and school system newsletters and other publications, community magazines, club and organization newsletters, and church bulletins. Don't forget to send them an original copy of your news release.

A News Conference gives your group the opportunity to release important information to all the news media at once. Here are some tips for setting up a news conference:

- Schedule the news conference for a *slow news time*. You will be more likely to get a good turnout of reporters.
- Select a location appropriate for your announcement. In the case of a student drug use report that has implications for the entire community, you may want to consider the school, City Hall, or some youth oriented site in the community.
- Develop a good presentation. Include your key spokespeople, but also include parents and young people who represent the populations affected by the survey announcement.
- Develop a Media Alert to let reporters/editors know about the conference, and notify them 5 to 7 days in advance.
- Phone the media to remind them to schedule the news conference on their calendars.
- Develop an information packet to distribute to the media at the conference and to others who are unable to attend. Include your news release, fact sheets and brochures, and recent news clippings on the drug problem. You may want to provide biographies of your leaders and/or spokespeople.

EDITORIALS, LETTERS TO THE EDITOR, AND PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Editorials in newspapers and on radio and television express definite opinions on important issues that face the community. Editorials may be produced

by the media from materials you provide to them, or you may be asked to read your own editorial on radio or television as a "community comment." Opinion pages in newspapers and letters to the editor are other good ways to express your viewpoint on the problem of early adolescent alcohol and drug use in the community.

Radio and television make time available to local nonprofit groups for free announcements that benefit the community by providing needed information or linking individuals with services. Your student drug use report will be of interest to Public Service Directors of radio and television who may decide to air public service announcements (PSA's) to heighten the community awareness about prevalence and patterns of elementary school students' use of gateway drugs.

5.4.3 Presentations to School/Community Groups

An excellent means of reaching the community leadership is through presentations to school, parent, civic, business, and religious groups. These groups are concerned with community issues, particularly those related to the safety and welfare of youth. Often these organizations will invite prevention leaders to speak at their meetings. While media coverage will help to make known your prevention efforts, you will want to contact appropriate groups and organizations in your community to offer a program on student drug and alcohol abuse and strategies for combating it.

The interests, needs, and abilities of your audience should be kept in mind when preparing your presentation. For example, parents are concerned about drug use that may affect their children and their children's friends; business leaders are mindful of the need for a drug-free work force that includes workers' children and future workers.

Select a poised, articulate spokesperson who is thoroughly familiar with the student data. The graphs, tables, and narrative discussion of the data in this report should assist the speaker in presenting pertinent and meaningful information. Such presentations are easy to prepare and deliver, and

will make the presentation more interesting and informative to the audience. Necessary arrangements should be made with the organization's program chairman. Background information (perhaps a news release) could help the group to promote your presentation among its membership.

GUIDELINES FOR PRESENTATION OF STUDENT DRUG USE RESULTS

Length of Presentation

An important consideration in preparing a presentation is the length of time you are expected to address the group. Usually civic and business groups have a limited time available for a program – as little as 5 or 10 minutes in some cases. This means only a fraction of the information may be presented. Once again, concentrate on the type of audience and what you think they will be interested in and need to hear. It is more important to leave the audience wanting to know more than having them feeling uncomfortable by exceeding your allotted time. If possible, leave a few minutes for questions at the end of your presentation, and always promise to provide additional information through print materials or a return appearance.

Matching Survey Results to the Audience

In structuring your presentation, keep in mind your audience. If the presentation is to teachers and administrators, you may want to emphasize students' perceptions of the harmful effects of gateway drug use. Teachers and administrators will be interested in how often students say they talk to teachers about the harmful effects of drug use. Elementary students' perceptions of where and how they get gateway drugs are important to determine if such perceptions are realistic.

If the presentation is targeted to parents, frequency of use and availability of drugs are important data to share. Help parents to realize their responsibility for their child's actions regarding gateway drug use and the importance of becoming involved in community drug prevention programs. Civic and business groups, law enforcement officers, and court officials will be particularly interested in the current use and availability of gateway drugs to minors.

Organizing Survey Results

Graphs are very effective in communicating the meaning of data. They enable audiences to "see" the relationship you are explaining. Bar graphs located in this report can be utilized in describing gateway drug use. However, you can lose the audience's attention with too many graphs. Tables are also effective if they are kept simple.

Short sentences or phrases called *bullets* are an excellent way to communicate your findings. Bullets can stand alone, be included in a list of findings, or accompany a graph or table. The following are examples of *bullets* that can be used in presentations:

- ONE IN FIVE STUDENTS IN GRADES SEVEN AND EIGHT REPORTED USING BEER AND/OR WINE COOLERS WITHIN THE PAST YEAR
- ONLY ONE PERCENT OF (–YOUR SCHOOL NAME–) STUDENTS IN GRADES FOUR THROUGH SIX REPORTED USING MARIJUANA WITHIN THE PAST YEAR
- OVER ONE-THIRD OF STUDENTS IN UPPER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REPORTED THAT BEER AND WINE COOLERS WERE EASY TO GET BY THEIR PEERS AND NEARLY ONE-FOURTH INDICATED LIQUOR WAS EASY TO GET
- ONE-FOURTH OF SEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS IN –YOUR SCHOOL NAME– REPORTED MARIJUANA AS EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO THEIR PEERS

A combination of graphics, tables and bullets are suggested in a presentation to add variety and keep audience attention. It should be kept in mind that a good presentation is:

- straightforward
- easy to understand

- relevant to the interests of the audience
- supportive of local drug efforts.

Using Visual Aids

When presenting statistical data, it is advisable to use some visual aids. These may range from a simple handout to more elaborate aids, depending upon the resources and time available to the school or other organizations concerned with drug abuse prevention. A single visual aid may be used, or combination aids may be chosen when preparing for a presentation. Often the time parameters may determine what and how many visual aids can be used. However, you should be cautious not to use too many visual aids or rely too heavily on the aids so that the information presented and flow of the presentation is diminished.

The following are types of presentation aids that you may want to consider:

1. **PowerPoint Presentations** – have become popular, but require special equipment, (i.e. laptop computer with projector). One of the advantages of a PowerPoint Presentation is that handouts can be generated directly from the presentation without the need to prepare them separately;
2. **Handouts** – are useful in addition to other types of aids and are easy to transport, and provide a *take-home* product, but can be expensive to produce, may be difficult to utilize with large audiences, and may distract attention from your presentation;
3. **Overhead transparencies** – are easy and inexpensive to make, can be viewed by large audiences, but can be cumbersome to use and require an on-site projector and screen;
4. **Flip charts and poster boards** – are easy to use, fairly easy to transport, and require no special equipment, but are sometimes expensive

and time consuming to make and can only be viewed by a relatively small audience;

5. **Slides** – are easy to use and can be viewed by large audiences, but are difficult and expensive to make, and require an on-site projector and screen;
6. **Video tapes** – provide a *canned*, consistent approach to a topic, utilize *expertise* of presenter(s) on tape, and are easy to use, but are very time consuming and expensive to make, require technical expertise for quality product, require on-site play-back equipment, and may be difficult to use with large audiences.

YOUR NOTES:

5.4.4 Sample Press Release

FOR RELEASE *(Time)*
(Date)

(Contact Name)
(Phone)

**MOST DRUG AND ALCOHOL USE OCCURS
OUTSIDE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT**

(City), (State), (Date) – Students in grades ____ in *(Name of School System)* use drugs and alcohol at nights and weekends, but few of them report ever taking drugs or alcohol during school hours.

"The results of our survey indicates that we have a community drug problem in *(Locality)*, not just a school drug problem," said *(Name & Title of School Official)*.

More than (approximate # students surveyed) students were surveyed in grades ____ through ____ to determine the extent and nature of drug use by adolescents in this community. Nationally, Pride Surveys, the research group that developed the Questionnaire used in this survey, found that students report drug use primarily at two specific times: "Week Nights" and "Weekends". Very little use is reported during school.

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Although few drugs are consumed during school hours, the survey detected both drug and alcohol use outside of school, according to *(Last Name of School Official)*.

Alcohol remained the "drug of choice" of the young people surveyed in *(Locality)*.

____ percent of the senior high students (grades ____) drank beer in the past year;

* ____ percent reported liquor use;

* ____ percent drank wine coolers.

In junior high (grades ____), ____ percent drank beer; ____ percent drank liquor; and ____ percent drank wine coolers.

Cocaine and Marijuana

Local students reported less use of cocaine than marijuana, but drug prevention specialists like Dr. Thomas J. Gleaton, Jr., president of Pride Surveys cautions that any use of cocaine is disturbing, particularly at young ages.

Marijuana use during the past year was reported by ____ percent of the students in senior high, and ____ percent in junior high. Cocaine was reported by ____ percent of the senior high students, and

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____ percent of the junior high students.

When

The most popular times for marijuana use were: weekends, ____ percent;
week nights, ____ percent; and after school, ____ percent.

The Pride Questionnaire

The Pride Questionnaire has undergone continuous development since 1982 and provides reliable and accurate information for monitoring adolescent drug use. Pride Surveys is America's largest survey of adolescent drug use. It is based in Bowling Green, Ky (1-800-279-6361). For additional information on national trends, visit the Pride Surveys website at www.pridesurveys.com.

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Chapter 6

Drug-Free Communities Support Program Core Measures

The Drug-Free Communities Support Program, administered by the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, requests specific data which is typically referred to as the Core Measures. The drug categories measured are tobacco, alcohol and marijuana. The first table is broken down by grade level and the second is broken down by gender. A *Combined* drug category has been created for all of these areas. The questions regarding *Availability* and *Friends' Use* are not typically part of the Core Measures but have been included at the request of school systems using the ***Pride Surveys Questionnaire***.

30-Day Use The question *How often do you use?* is used to measure this statistic by reporting the percentage of students who report using *Once a Month* or more often.

Perception of Risk The question *Do you feel the following drugs are harmful to your health?* is used to measure this statistic by reporting the percentage of students who report that using the drug is *Harmful* or *Very Harmful* to their health.

Perception of Disapproval The questions *How wrong would your parents feel it would be for you to use ...?* and *How wrong would your friends feel it would be for you to use ...?* are used to measure this statistic by reporting the percentage of students who report that parents/friends would feel it is *Wrong* or *Very Wrong* to use tobacco, alcohol and marijuana.

Age of Onset The question *At what age did you first use...?* is used to measure this statistic. The possible responses to this question range from *10 or Under* to *17 or Older*. The table shows the average age of onset of use of those students who answered the question with a response other than *Never Used*.

Availability The question *How easy is it to get...?* is used to measure this statistic by reporting the percentage of students who report that the drug is *Fairly Easy* or *Very Easy* to get.

Friends' Use The question *Do your friends use...* is used to measure this statistic by reporting the percentage of students who report that their friends *Never* use tobacco or illicit drugs and *Never* or *Seldom* use alcohol.

Table 6.1: Outcome Measures by Grade

Outcomes	Substance	Grade 6		Grade 7		Grade 8		Grade 9		Grade 10		Grade 11		Grade 12		Combined Grades	
		%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
30-Day Use	Alcohol	6.6	45741	12.1	44898	19.3	43525	25.7	38736	30.2	33025	32.7	28893	39.1	21714	21.3	256532
	Tobacco	5.2	45784	10.3	44975	16.1	43603	21.5	38813	24.2	33080	26.1	28943	30.7	21748	17.4	256946
	Marijuana	2.6	45473	5.1	44632	8.6	43264	12.0	38472	14.5	32820	15.1	28702	17.9	21571	9.7	254934
	Combined	8.3	45844	16.1	45019	24.8	43651	32.0	38865	36.7	33121	39.2	28989	45.1	21784	26.3	257273
Perception of Risk	Alcohol	87.0	45517	83.0	44847	76.9	43410	73.1	38716	72.5	32953	71.3	28815	68.0	21629	77.2	255887
	Tobacco	91.8	45577	89.5	44902	86.3	43457	84.1	38782	84.4	32986	84.3	28826	83.3	21669	86.8	256199
	Marijuana	91.2	45202	87.9	44613	82.5	43212	78.1	38552	75.9	32769	74.1	28669	71.4	21521	81.6	254538
	Combined	94.8	45621	94.2	44933	92.6	43488	91.1	38813	90.8	33019	90.5	28870	88.8	21696	92.2	256440
Perception of Parental Disapproval	Alcohol	90.5	43950	87.3	42924	84.1	41697	81.4	36875	79.5	31324	78.2	27413	72.8	20607	83.2	244790
	Tobacco	92.7	44010	90.8	43017	88.6	41732	85.8	36924	83.8	31376	82.2	27458	77.2	20625	87.0	245142
	Marijuana	94.3	43900	93.4	42897	92.5	41651	91.1	36834	90.3	31295	90.0	27396	87.4	20618	91.8	244591
	Combined	95.0	44225	94.5	43243	93.8	41992	92.7	37149	92.1	31538	91.9	27597	89.4	20769	93.2	246513
Age of Onset	Alcohol	10.8	10095	11.3	15132	11.8	20249	12.4	20690	13.0	19403	13.5	17610	14.0	14106	12.5	117285
	Tobacco	10.8	6437	11.2	10465	11.6	14261	12.2	14870	12.6	13935	13.1	12755	13.4	10585	12.2	83308
	Marijuana	11.6	1738	12.0	3727	12.5	6153	13.0	7501	13.6	8122	14.1	7921	14.4	6940	13.3	42102
Perception of Peer Disapproval	Alcohol	82.3	42617	70.6	41957	57.3	40843	47.7	36201	41.2	30839	38.6	27000	35.4	20333	56.6	239790
	Tobacco	84.0	42684	74.0	41983	63.4	40916	55.9	36197	49.9	30860	47.5	27009	43.3	20356	62.6	240005
	Marijuana	88.7	42587	81.5	41942	73.7	40870	67.4	36168	62.4	30821	60.4	26993	57.4	20341	72.5	239722
	Combined	89.7	42942	83.5	42278	76.6	41209	70.6	36497	65.9	31064	64.1	27190	60.6	20482	75.1	241662
Availability	Alcohol	23.9	44532	33.3	43697	46.9	42573	55.3	37706	63.3	32102	67.6	28060	71.8	21113	48.2	249783
	Tobacco	18.4	44303	27.0	43510	39.9	42388	48.9	37568	57.3	31998	62.6	27970	68.0	21028	42.4	248765
	Marijuana	7.5	44237	13.2	43443	21.9	42304	31.3	37505	40.7	31921	46.9	27910	52.2	20997	27.0	248317
	Combined	27.4	44604	38.6	43790	53.2	42650	61.6	37796	68.5	32158	72.2	28116	75.7	21160	53.3	250274
Perception of Peer Use	Alcohol	87.5	45131	74.2	44569	58.6	43271	43.4	38654	34.9	33012	30.6	28837	26.2	21612	55.1	255086
	Tobacco	78.7	45187	61.3	44605	44.9	43321	32.8	38676	26.7	33038	23.7	28867	20.6	21624	45.1	255318
	Illicit	93.1	44568	87.0	44039	79.2	42747	71.8	38182	67.1	32662	65.2	28564	60.5	21406	77.1	252168
	Combined	95.0	45458	89.6	44846	82.5	43540	74.8	38870	69.9	33170	67.8	28984	63.1	21713	79.9	256581

Table 6.2: Outcome Measures by Gender

Outcomes	Substance	Male		Female		Combined Genders	
		%	n	%	n	%	n
30-Day Use	Alcohol	22.8	109209	18.7	116607	20.7	225816
	Tobacco	20.9	109423	12.8	116751	16.7	226174
	Marijuana	11.8	108372	7.0	116145	9.3	224517
	Combined	29.0	109569	22.3	116840	25.5	226409
Perception of Risk	Alcohol	75.2	109056	79.8	116198	77.6	225254
	Tobacco	84.9	109199	89.3	116309	87.2	225508
	Marijuana	78.3	108388	85.7	115784	82.1	224172
	Combined	90.7	109320	94.2	116370	92.5	225690
Perception of Parental Disapproval	Alcohol	81.6	103240	85.6	112775	83.7	216015
	Tobacco	83.9	103395	90.8	112931	87.5	216326
	Marijuana	90.0	103177	94.2	112685	92.2	215862
	Combined	91.6	104078	95.3	113348	93.5	217426
Age of Onset	Alcohol	12.3	48862	12.6	53173	12.5	102035
	Tobacco	12.1	39605	12.4	32141	12.2	71746
	Marijuana	13.1	20355	13.6	15576	13.4	35931
Perception of Peer Disapproval	Alcohol	54.1	100729	59.9	111133	57.1	211862
	Tobacco	56.7	100835	69.1	111204	63.2	212039
	Marijuana	68.7	100704	77.1	111106	73.1	211810
	Combined	71.2	101614	79.8	111794	75.7	213408
Availability	Alcohol	47.0	105894	48.8	114279	47.9	220173
	Tobacco	43.8	105397	40.5	113942	42.1	219339
	Marijuana	27.9	105240	25.4	113762	26.6	219002
	Combined	53.4	106123	52.7	114441	53.0	220564
Perception of Peer Use	Alcohol	55.7	108520	56.1	116065	55.9	224585
	Tobacco	42.1	108693	49.4	116116	45.9	224809
	Illicit	76.5	107335	78.7	114695	77.6	222030
	Combined	79.6	109240	80.9	116577	80.3	225817