

Table 1. Fatal poisoning: controlled drugs other than heroin and methadone, England & Wales, 1993-2002 (ONS drugs database)

	Cocaine			MDMA, MDA, MDEA			Other amphetamines			Barbiturates		
	Total	+ ethanol	+ other drugs	Total	+ ethanol	+ other drugs	Total	+ ethanol	+ other drugs	Total	+ ethanol	+ other drugs
1993	12	0	4	13	2	2	23	4	15	44	10	11
1994	24	4	12	28	3	13	18	3	12	47	5	10
1995	19	2	10	11	1	4	37	5	20	46	0	8
1996	19	6	9	19	4	10	28	6	15	30	7	10
1997	39	5	22	14	2	11	36	1	19	20	1	6
1998	66	18	41	16	2	6	55	5	32	35	5	12
1999	88	12	57	26	3	18	54	4	31	26	3	7
2000	80	17	45	36	9	20	23	4	12	17	7	1
2001	96	18	65	56	10	31	27	4	15	29	6	11
2002	139	35	90	55	8	25	38	5	20	17	4	3

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