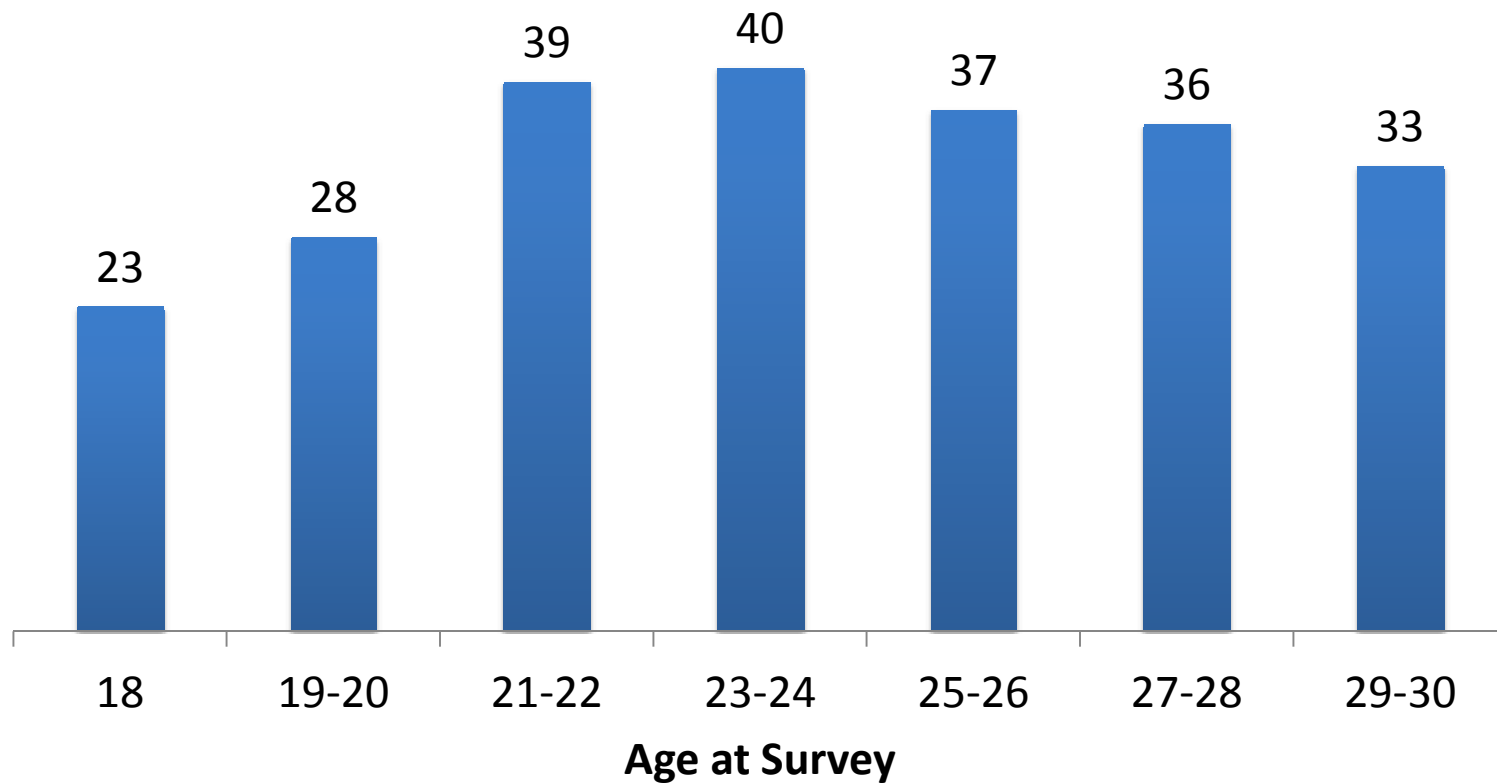


Young Adults Mature Out Of Heavy Drinking

Percent Who Reported Drinking 5 or More Drinks In A Row in the Last 2 Weeks



Source: Monitoring the Future (MTF), which is now in its 36th year, is a research program conducted at the University of Michigan's Institute for Social Research under a series of investigator-initiated research grants from the National Institute on Drug Abuse. The study is comprised of several ongoing series of annual surveys of nationally representative samples of 8th- and 10th-grade students (begun in 1991), 12th-grade students (begun in 1975), and high school graduates into adulthood (begun in 1976). <http://www.monitoringthefuture.org>. http://monitoringthefuture.org/pubs/monographs/mtf-vol2_2010.pdf, Figure 4-20b

Question: Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more drinks in a row? (None, Once, Twice, 3 to 5 times, 6 to 9 times, 10 or more times)