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<td>-0.1</td>
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<td>Try cocaine powder once or twice d</td>
<td>50.2</td>
<td>-2.1 s</td>
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<td>Take cocaine powder occasionally d</td>
<td>71.3</td>
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<td>Try heroin once or twice without using a needle e</td>
<td>70.0</td>
<td>-1.0</td>
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<td>Take heroin occasionally without using a needle e</td>
<td>83.6</td>
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<td>Try OxyContin once or twice c</td>
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<td>Take bath salts (stimulants) occasionally c</td>
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<td>Try cough/cold medicine once or twice c</td>
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<td>Take cough/cold medicine occasionally c</td>
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<td>Try one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) b</td>
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<td>Take one or two drinks nearly every day b</td>
<td>31.7</td>
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<td>Have five or more drinks once or twice each weekend b</td>
<td>52.4</td>
<td>-2.5 s</td>
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<td>Smoke one to five cigarettes per day b</td>
<td>41.3</td>
<td>-3.0 s</td>
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<td>Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day b</td>
<td>67.7</td>
<td>-1.7</td>
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<td>Use electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes) regularly b</td>
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<td>Vape an e-liquid with nicotine occasionally c</td>
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<td>Vape an e-liquid with nicotine regularly c</td>
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<td>Smoke little cigars or cigarillos regularly c</td>
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<td>Use smokeless tobacco regularly c</td>
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<td>Take dissolvable tobacco regularly c</td>
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<td>Take steroids c</td>
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TABLE 6 (cont.)
Trends in **Harmfulness** of Drugs as Perceived by **10th Graders**

**Source.** The Monitoring the Future study, the University of Michigan.

**Notes.** Level of significance of difference between the two most recent classes: s = .05, ss = .01, sss = .001. ‘—‘ indicates data not available. Any apparent inconsistency between the change estimate and the prevalence estimates for the two most recent years is due to rounding. ‘‡’ indicates that the question changed the following year.

1Answer alternatives were: (1) No risk, (2) Slight risk, (3) Moderate risk, (4) Great risk, and (5) Can’t say. Drug unfamiliar
2Beginning in 2012 data based on two thirds of N indicated.
3Data based on one third of N indicated.
4Beginning in 1997, data based on two thirds of N indicated due to changes in questionnaire forms.
5Data based on one of two forms in 1991 and 1992; N is one half of N indicated. Beginning in 1997, data based on two thirds of N indicated due to changes in questionnaire forms.
6Beginning in 2014 data are based on the revised question which included “Molly.” N is one third of N indicated in 2014 and two thirds of N indicated in 2015. 2014 and 2015 data are not comparable to earlier years due to the revision of the question text.
7Beginning in 1999, data based on two thirds of N indicated due to changes in questionnaire forms.
8Electronic cigarette data based on two thirds of N indicated. Little cigars or cigarillos data based on one third N indicated.
9Data based on two forms in 1991 and 1992. Data based on one of two forms in 1993 and 1994; N is one half of N indicated.