



## Detailed Summary Tables— Central Region (2)

*North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey 2007*

*Middle School and High School Tables*

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**TABLE MS-1. Percentage of middle school students who report ever using\* any tobacco product (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco) by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Any tobacco</b>	<b>Cigarettes</b>	<b>Cigars</b>	<b>Smokeless tobacco</b>
<b>Gender</b>				
Female	25.1 (±4.8)†	18.8 (±6.2)	11.8 (±2.4)	5.2 (±1.5)
Male	28.6 (±6.3)	20.0 (±6.7)	15.0 (±4.1)	10.9 (±2.1)
<b>Grade</b>				
Sixth	17.2 (±4.8)	9.3 (±5.7)	8.8 (±2.8)	7.0 (±3.1)
Seventh	26.8 (±6.8)	20.5 (±7.0)	12.5 (±3.2)	7.0 (±3.0)
Eighth	36.6 (±5.7)	28.5 (±6.3)	19.0 (±4.1)	10.4 (±2.0)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>				
White	21.7 (±4.8)	14.4 (±5.5)	9.3 (±2.5)	8.4 (±1.7)
Black	32.7 (±5.2)	24.3 (±8.2)	18.5 (±3.4)	7.4 (±2.6)
Hispanic	26.7 (±7.6)	22.0 (±8.0)	16.3 (±7.5)	5.5 (±3.6)
Other	39.1 (±14.5)	32.7 (±12.7)	18.7 (±10.8)	13.0 (±5.1)
<b>Total</b>	<b>26.8 (±4.8)</b>	<b>19.3 (±6.2)</b>	<b>13.4 (±2.7)</b>	<b>8.1 (±0.9)</b>

\*Ever use of cigarettes was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of cigars was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried smoking cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of smokeless tobacco was determined by asking, "Have you ever used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip, such as Redman, Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-2. Percentage of middle school students who report current use of any tobacco product (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco, pipes, or bidis) by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Any tobacco*</b>	<b>Cigarettes</b>	<b>Cigars</b>	<b>Smokeless tobacco</b>	<b>Pipes</b>	<b>Bidis</b>
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	7.6 (±2.6)†	4.8 (±2.0)	3.2 (±1.5)	0.9 (±0.7)	2.2 (±1.2)	2.9 (±1.8)
Male	8.5 (±2.1)	3.2 (±1.5)	3.0 (±1.4)	2.5 (±1.0)	2.5 (±1.5)	2.8 (±1.3)
<b>Grade</b>						
Sixth	5.0 (±2.2)	1.5 (±1.4)	1.9 (±1.4)	0.9 (±0.7)	2.2 (±1.2)	2.6 (±1.5)
Seventh	8.4 (±3.1)	4.2 (±1.7)	2.1 (±1.7)	1.4 (±0.9)	0.9 (±0.9)	2.5 (±1.2)
Eighth	10.9 (±3.3)	6.2 (±2.8)	5.4 (±1.7)	2.8 (±1.4)	4.1 (±2.3)	3.5 (±2.4)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>						
White	5.5 (±2.7)	3.1 (±1.9)	1.5 (±1.3)	2.0 (±1.0)	0.8 (±0.8)	0.7 (±0.5)
Black	10.9 (±3.7)	4.6 (±2.7)	4.0 (±3.0)	0.7 (±0.7)	4.3 (±3.2)	5.6 (±3.4)
Hispanic	9.4 (±4.4)	3.8 (±4.7)	5.6 (±4.3)	1.3 (±0.9)	4.2 (±1.9)	4.9 (±2.6)
Other	13.2 (±7.0)	8.1 (±5.8)	7.5 (±4.0)	3.8 (±1.9)	3.4 (±2.8)	4.3 (±3.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>8.1 (±1.9)</b>	<b>4.0 (±1.5)</b>	<b>3.1 (±1.2)</b>	<b>1.7 (±0.6)</b>	<b>2.4 (±1.2)</b>	<b>2.9 (±1.1)</b>

\*Current use of cigarettes or cigars or smokeless tobacco or pipes or bidis or kreteks on 1 of the 30 days preceding the survey.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-3. Percentage of middle school students who report first using\* cigarettes before 11 years of age and ever smoking 100 cigarettes in their lifetime, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Ever smokers who smoked first whole cigarette before age 11	Ever smokers who smoked 100+ cigarettes in their lifetime
Gender		
Female	26.0 (±10.8)†	5.9 (±3.9)
Male	27.7 (±8.6)	4.4 (±3.3)
Grade		
Sixth	47.4 (±18.2)	8.3 (±4.5)
Seventh	28.9 (±12.1)	6.7 (±4.5)
Eighth	18.6 (±6.5)	2.9 (±2.3)
Race/ethnicity		
White	20.3 (±8.6)	5.1 (±3.2)
Black	32.9 (±12.1)	3.9 (±3.9)
Hispanic	27.5 (±13.6)	4.8 (±6.1)
Other	29.0 (±13.7)	8.9 (±5.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>26.8 (±7.0)</b>	<b>5.1 (±1.8)</b>

\*Age of initiation was determined by asking students these questions: "How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-4. Percentage of middle school students who report smoking cigarettes on school property during the 30 days preceding the survey, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Smoked on school property past 30 days
Gender	
Female	1.8 (±1.6)†
Male	0.9 (±0.7)
Grade	
Sixth	0.5 (±0.6)
Seventh	0.8 (±0.9)
Eighth	2.6 (±1.3)
Race/ethnicity	
White	0.6 (±0.6)
Black	2.2 (±1.8)
Hispanic	1.8 (±1.6)
Other	2.0 (±1.7)
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.3 (±0.7)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-5. Percentage of middle school students who report frequently using\* cigarettes, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

<b>Frequent cigarette smoking</b>	
Gender	
Female	1.1 (±0.9)†
Male	0.6 (±0.5)
Grade	
Sixth	0.7 (±0.7)
Seventh	0.9 (±0.7)
Eighth	0.9 (±0.6)
Race/ethnicity	
White	0.4 (±0.3)
Black	1.2 (±1.3)
Hispanic	0.9 (±0.2)
Other	2.6 (±1.5)
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.8 (±0.4)</b>

\* Smoked cigarettes, on 20 of the 30 days preceding the survey

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-6. Percentage of middle school current smoking students who report their primary sources of cigarettes, by social source, direct purchase, and other sources: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

<b>Current Smoker</b>	
Social Sources:	
Gave someone else money to buy them for me	14.7 (±8.5)†
Borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	22.2 (±15.6)
Person 18 years or older gave them to me	6.5 (±5.5)
Direct Purchase:	
Bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station	4.1 (±6.5)
Bought them from a vending machine	0.0 (±0.0)
Other Sources:	
Took them from store or family member	21.9 (±8.9)
Got them some other way	30.6 (±11.8)
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-7. Percentage of middle school students who report smoking intentions, perceptions about smoking and susceptibility\* to start smoking, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Never smoked who will not try a cigarette soon	Never smoked who will not be smoking cigarettes during the next year	Never smoked who definitely will not smoke if one of their best friends offers them a cigarette	Have been told by at least one parent (or guardian) about the dangers of tobacco use	Think people can get addicted to using tobacco just like getting addicted to cocaine or heroin	Think young people who smoke cigarettes have more friends	Think smoking cigarettes makes young people look cool or fit in	Never smokers susceptible to start smoking
Gender								
Female	97.9 (±1.3) †	89.2 (±2.7)	86.6 (±4.1)	71.8 (±3.1)	89.5 (±2.5)	19.1 (±3.4)	9.3 (±2.3)	17.5 (±4.8)
Male	97.8 (±1.4)	87.9 (±3.8)	87.4 (±2.6)	72.8 (±3.4)	88.2 (±3.2)	20.2 (±4.7)	11.7 (±3.9)	20.6 (±3.5)
Grade								
Sixth	98.8 (±1.3)	92.7 (±2.6)	90.9 (±2.5)	75.3 (±4.9)	86.2 (±5.4)	15.6 (±3.7)	8.4 (±3.8)	15.3 (±3.3)
Seventh	97.9 (±1.5)	89.2 (±2.6)	82.9 (±5.2)	72.0 (±5.6)	88.7 (±2.8)	17.8 (±3.2)	8.4 (±2.7)	21.6 (±6.0)
Eighth	96.6 (±2.3)	82.7 (±4.0)	86.6 (±3.9)	69.5 (±2.5)	91.6 (±4.0)	25.3 (±6.9)	15.0 (±4.3)	21.4 (±3.5)
Race/ethnicity								
White	98.4 (±1.3)	89.2 (±2.8)	88.8 (±3.7)	75.5 (±2.8)	94.4 (±2.0)	11.3 (±3.0)	7.4 (±2.0)	16.0 (±4.7)
Black	97.4 (±2.4)	87.6 (±5.3)	84.8 (±3.8)	70.1 (±4.8)	82.7 (±4.8)	30.8 (±6.1)	13.6 (±4.8)	23.9 (±7.1)
Hispanic	94.8 (±3.4)	88.9 (±4.8)	83.9 (±4.1)	70.4 (±7.0)	84.4 (±10.1)	24.6 (±3.5)	15.0 (±5.8)	22.4 (±6.2)
Other	99.2 (±1.6)	86.9 (±4.7)	86.5 (±4.9)	60.6 (±7.6)	80.8 (±4.2)	26.2 (±8.5)	15.0 (±8.1)	20.8 (±5.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>97.9 (±1.1)</b>	<b>88.6 (±2.2)</b>	<b>87.0 (±2.5)</b>	<b>72.2 (±2.6)</b>	<b>88.8 (±1.8)</b>	<b>19.7 (±3.5)</b>	<b>10.5 (±2.2)</b>	<b>19.1 (±2.8)</b>

\* Students were considered not susceptible if they answered, "No, will not try a cigarette soon" and "Definitely no, will not smoke in the next year" and "Definitely no, would not smoke if best friend offered." All other students were considered susceptible.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-8. Percentage of middle school students who report media and advertising influence regarding tobacco and receptivity to tobacco advertising\*, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Saw or heard anti-smoking commercials during the past 30 days</b>	<b>Watch TV or movies who see actors using tobacco (most or some of the time)</b>	<b>Use Internet and see Internet ads for tobacco products (most or some of the time)</b>	<b>Use Internet, watch TV, or go to movies who see (most or some of the time) ads for tobacco products</b>	<b>Receptive to tobacco advertising</b>
<b>Gender</b>					
Female	74.1 (±4.4)†	72.8 (±6.0)	42.4 (±5.4)	77.9 (±4.8)	5.7 (±2.1)
Male	71.0 (±4.5)	78.2 (±3.7)	40.8 (±3.9)	81.8 (±3.9)	6.5 (±2.3)
<b>Grade</b>					
Sixth	71.3 (±8.8)	65.7 (±5.6)	32.8 (±6.4)	71.1 (±6.0)	3.6 (±1.9)
Seventh	73.0 (±3.1)	79.8 (±4.0)	42.8 (±2.8)	83.4 (±3.7)	7.5 (±2.4)
Eighth	72.9 (±5.1)	80.7 (±4.3)	49.3 (±6.2)	84.7 (±4.0)	7.3 (±3.5)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>					
White	76.3 (±3.6)	75.5 (±5.4)	37.3 (±6.6)	78.9 (±5.1)	6.7 (±3.2)
Black	68.0 (±7.7)	73.7 (±5.6)	48.0 (±4.8)	80.0 (±4.5)	5.5 (±1.6)
Hispanic	70.6 (±8.1)	84.7 (±4.5)	50.3 (±8.2)	86.5 (±4.2)	5.3 (±3.6)
Other	67.4 (±7.2)	72.0 (±6.1)	36.5 (±9.8)	78.6 (±6.9)	5.9 (±3.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>72.5 (±4.1)</b>	<b>75.5 (±4.0)</b>	<b>41.7 (±4.0)</b>	<b>79.9 (±3.6)</b>	<b>6.1 (±1.9)</b>

\* The percentage of students who received anything with a tobacco company name or picture on it AND who would (Definitely Yes or Probably Yes) use or wear something with a tobacco company name or picture on it.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-9. Percentage of middle school students who report exposure to anti-tobacco education in school or community in the past year, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Were taught about the dangers of tobacco use at school</b>	<b>At school this year practiced ways to say 'No' to tobacco</b>
Gender		
Female	36.6 (±7.4) †	22.6 (±4.6)
Male	41.3 (±9.4)	23.0 (±5.1)
Grade		
Sixth	38.1 (±13.9)	23.3 (±9.9)
Seventh	38.9 (±9.5)	23.4 (±4.0)
Eighth	39.5 (±6.9)	21.7 (±6.4)
Race/ethnicity		
White	40.5 (±9.6)	20.1 (±4.8)
Black	35.9 (±9.0)	27.2 (±8.5)
Hispanic	39.8 (±6.0)	26.4 (±6.2)
Other	40.1 (±9.2)	20.3 (±7.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>38.9 (±7.8)</b>	<b>22.8 (±4.6)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-10. Percentage of middle school never smoking students who report they were in the same room or rode in car with someone who was smoking on 1 of the past 7 days, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Were in the same room with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days</b>	<b>Rode in the same car with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days</b>
Gender		
Female	45.3 (±5.8)†	30.7 (±4.4)
Male	42.2 (±5.3)	31.7 (±4.6)
Grade		
Sixth	39.9 (±8.2)	29.0 (±6.6)
Seventh	44.3 (±7.2)	29.1 (±7.3)
Eighth	47.3 (±8.0)	36.3 (±5.8)
Race/ethnicity		
White	47.1 (±5.8)	31.2 (±5.5)
Black	42.1 (±6.2)	31.2 (±8.1)
Hispanic	30.3 (±8.6)	28.5 (±11.6)
Other	40.0 (±9.8)	35.3 (±8.7)
<b>Total</b>	<b>43.6 (±4.8)</b>	<b>31.1 (±3.9)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-11. Percentage of middle school never and current smoking students who report living with someone who currently smokes cigarettes, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Never Smoker</b>	<b>Current Smoker</b>
Gender		
Female	35.9 (±5.8)†	85.3 (±12.4)
Male	37.3 (±5.0)	78.7 (±18.4)
Grade		
Sixth	33.9 (±6.0)	76.5 (±20.5)
Seventh	37.2 (±8.6)	81.0 (±19.1)
Eighth	39.1 (±7.7)	85.1 (±11.6)
Race/ethnicity		
White	34.3 (±5.1)	83.2 (±14.2)
Black	40.4 (±8.1)	86.9 (±16.0)
Hispanic	39.0 (±10.2)	86.5 (±13.7)
Other	41.0 (±11.8)	65.9 (±16.7)
<b>Total</b>	<b>36.7 (±4.2)</b>	<b>82.4 (±10.9)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-12. Percentage of middle school current smoking students who report quitting perceptions, intention to quit and cessation practices, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Who want to stop smoking cigarettes</b>	<b>Tried to quit during at least once in the past 12 months-</b>	<b>When they last tried to quit, stayed off cigarettes for less than 30 days</b>	<b>Have ever participated in a program to help quit using tobacco</b>
<b>Gender</b>				
Female	60.8 (±17.3)†	43.9 (±19.0)	36.5 (±15.2)	14.1 (±14.9)
Male	52.8 (±15.6)	50.7 (±13.2)	36.5 (±20.4)	19.1 (±18.5)
<b>Grade</b>				
Sixth	54.0 (±34.9)	42.0 (±23.0)	45.6 (±28.1)	53.9 (±50.2)
Seventh	63.1 (±22.2)	59.3 (±17.1)	43.2 (±16.9)	15.2 (±17.0)
Eighth	53.8 (±18.2)	39.8 (±16.1)	29.0 (±14.3)	10.1 (±11.3)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>				
White	31.1 (±16.7)	32.6 (±13.9)	28.5 (±18.8)	11.8 (±16.9)
Black	78.2 (±18.4)	54.8 (±23.4)	38.5 (±20.9)	15.7 (±19.5)
Hispanic	59.4 (±28.1)	59.0 (±33.9)	42.7 (±35.7)	19.6 (±34.7)
Other	74.3 (±37.2)	60.9 (±31.3)	46.3 (±6.2)	26.1 (±27.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>57.4 (±15.0)</b>	<b>47.2 (±12.6)</b>	<b>36.2 (±10.9)</b>	<b>16.0 (±12.5)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-13. Percentage of middle school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

**“Think young people who smoke cigarettes have more friends”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	14.6 (±3.3)†	42.9 (±22.1)
Male	16.9 (±5.6)	46.8 (±23.7)
Grade		
Sixth	13.3 (±3.8)	57.1 (±44.6)
Seventh	12.9 (±3.2)	46.3 (±26.2)
Eighth	21.5 (±10.2)	39.9 (±16.1)
Race/ethnicity		
White	9.4 (±2.5)	24.3 (±19.5)
Black	26.0 (±6.8)	59.6 (±25.7)
Hispanic	22.1 (±6.2)	74.3 (±15.7)
Other	18.4 (±7.9)	43.6 (±22.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>15.8 (±3.7)</b>	<b>44.1 (±15.7)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-14. Percentage of middle school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

**“Think it is safe to smoke a year or two, as long as you quit after that”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	4.4 (±1.3)†	24.5 (±14.2)
Male	4.9 (±2.3)	28.9 (±20.3)
Grade		
Sixth	4.0 (±1.6)	47.5 (±46.6)
Seventh	3.2 (±0.9)	17.9 (±16.4)
Eighth	7.1 (±3.5)	27.4 (±14.6)
Race/ethnicity		
White	2.8 (±1.6)	23.8 (±20.0)
Black	7.5 (±3.6)	20.3 (±18.4)
Hispanic	5.4 (±4.2)	54.3 (±22.9)
Other	7.2 (±5.4)	28.4 (±28.8)
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.6 (±1.6)</b>	<b>26.1 (±11.7)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-1. Percentage of high school students who report ever using\* any tobacco product (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco) by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Any tobacco	Cigarettes	Cigars	Smokeless tobacco
<b>Gender</b>				
Female	50.2 (±7.3)†	47.5 (±7.6)	25.4 (±5.3)	7.5 (±2.5)
Male	52.4 (±6.7)	45.4 (±6.6)	35.1 (±6.5)	22.5 (±7.0)
<b>Grade</b>				
Ninth	41.5 (±7.9)	37.5 (±8.3)	22.6 (±4.0)	10.6 (±6.4)
Tenth	51.9 (±10.7)	47.4 (±10.5)	33.5 (±8.3)	17.6 (±8.3)
Eleventh	58.4 (±8.8)	51.3 (±8.6)	36.4 (±7.8)	17.5 (±7.9)
Twelfth	58.3 (±9.4)	53.8 (±9.8)	31.0 (±8.8)	16.0 (±5.0)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>				
White	55.0 (±8.2)	49.5 (±7.9)	33.7 (±7.4)	22.3 (±6.8)
Black	46.0 (±8.5)	41.0 (±7.4)	26.0 (±6.0)	6.2 (±2.3)
Hispanic	51.8 (±8.7)	49.8 (±10.0)	33.5 (±10.2)	5.7 (±4.3)
Other	45.3 (±22.2)	41.5 (±20.9)	17.3 (±6.8)	4.9 (±6.1)
<b>Total</b>	<b>51.3 (±5.7)</b>	<b>46.5 (±5.7)</b>	<b>30.3 (±4.9)</b>	<b>15.0 (±4.3)</b>

\*Ever use of cigarettes was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of cigars was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried smoking cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of smokeless tobacco was determined by asking, "Have you ever used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip, such as Redman, Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-2. Percentage of high school students who report current use of any tobacco product (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco, pipes, or bidis) by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Any tobacco*	Cigarettes	Cigars	Smokeless tobacco	Pipes	Bidis
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	18.0 (±5.5)†	14.4 (±5.3)	7.9 (±2.9)	1.7 (±0.9)	1.5 (±0.8)	1.3 (±0.7)
Male	29.8 (±6.6)	19.2 (±4.9)	15.3 (±4.8)	12.4 (±4.9)	3.7 (±1.6)	3.5 (±2.2)
<b>Grade</b>						
Ninth	20.8 (±7.7)	15.7 (±7.9)	10.4 (±3.7)	6.3 (±3.8)	3.2 (±1.7)	1.9 (±1.7)
Tenth	24.4 (±7.3)	15.7 (±6.1)	15.0 (±5.3)	7.3 (±4.7)	3.3 (±2.2)	3.6 (±3.1)
Eleventh	24.8 (±8.4)	15.5 (±5.5)	9.9 (±4.2)	8.4 (±6.7)	0.9 (±0.8)	1.4 (±0.9)
Twelfth	28.0 (±11.5)	22.0 (±10.8)	12.1 (±6.1)	6.8 (±5.3)	2.9 (±2.5)	3.2 (±2.4)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>						
White	29.5 (±7.4)	21.8 (±5.9)	13.2 (±4.4)	11.0 (±5.2)	3.3 (±1.4)	2.3 (±1.6)
Black	13.7 (±4.8)	8.2 (±3.9)	9.2 (±3.2)	2.1 (±1.0)	1.9 (±1.2)	1.7 (±1.7)
Hispanic	25.9 (±9.5)	19.2 (±9.9)	15.6 (±6.4)	1.3 (±2.4)	0.7 (±1.2)	2.0 (±2.7)
Other	25.8 (±17.6)	14.9 (±16.3)	6.9 (±7.5)	5.1 (±5.5)	2.5 (±2.6)	8.4 (±7.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>24.0 (±5.3)</b>	<b>16.9 (±4.5)</b>	<b>11.7 (±3.0)</b>	<b>7.1 (±3.1)</b>	<b>2.6 (±0.8)</b>	<b>2.5 (±1.2)</b>

\*Current use of cigarettes or cigars or smokeless tobacco or pipes or bidis or kreteks on 1 of the 30 days preceding the survey.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-3. Percentage of high school students who report first using\* cigarettes before 11 years of age and ever smoking 100 cigarettes in their lifetime, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Ever smokers who smoked first whole cigarette before age 11	Ever smokers who smoked 100+ cigarettes in their lifetime
<b>Gender</b>		
Female	13.5 (±4.7) †	17.5 (±7.3)
Male	18.9 (±5.6)	30.0 (±8.5)
<b>Grade</b>		
Ninth	22.9 (±8.3)	20.2 (±10.0)
Tenth	14.5 (±6.5)	28.7 (±7.9)
Eleventh	12.5 (±6.1)	15.5 (±6.9)
Twelfth	14.2 (±6.1)	30.3 (±13.8)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>		
White	18.7 (±4.7)	31.7 (±7.7)
Black	11.6 (±3.7)	11.9 (±5.5)
Hispanic	13.4 (±6.8)	11.7 (±10.0)
Other	13.8 (±18.4)	10.1 (±12.7)
<b>Total</b>	<b>16.1 (±3.8)</b>	<b>23.6 (±6.4)</b>

\*Age of initiation was determined by asking students these questions: "How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-4. Percentage of high school students who report smoking cigarettes on school property during the 30 days preceding the survey, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Smoked on school property past 30 days
<b>Gender</b>	
Female	4.3 (±2.5) †
Male	9.2 (±3.3)
<b>Grade</b>	
Ninth	5.1 (±2.4)
Tenth	8.9 (±3.2)
Eleventh	7.0 (±3.7)
Twelfth	7.1 (±4.5)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>	
White	8.9 (±3.3)
Black	3.5 (±1.9)
Hispanic	9.5 (±8.6)
Other	3.2 (±3.1)
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.9 (±2.1)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-5. Percentage of high school students who report frequently using\* cigarettes, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

Frequent cigarette smoking	
Gender	
Female	5.4 (±2.6)†
Male	7.7 (±3.3)
Grade	
Ninth	5.2 (±3.0)
Tenth	6.7 (±3.0)
Eleventh	5.1 (±2.5)
Twelfth	10.6 (±7.1)
Race/ethnicity	
White	9.1 (±3.4)
Black	4.1 (±2.3)
Hispanic	2.2 (±3.1)
Other	2.2 (±3.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.6 (±2.4)</b>

\* Smoked cigarettes, on 20 of the 30 days preceding the survey

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-6. Percentage of high school current smoking students who report their primary sources of cigarettes, by social source, direct purchase, and other sources: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

Current Smoker	
Social Sources:	
Gave someone else money to buy them for me	22.1 (±8.2)†
Borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	35.1 (±8.3)
Person 18 years or older gave them to me	11.3 (±5.2)
Direct Purchase:	
Bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station	11.0 (±5.7)
Bought them from a vending machine	1.0 (±1.4)
Other Sources:	
Took them from store or family member	6.0 (±3.6)
Got them some other way	13.6 (±5.5)
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-7. Percentage of high school students who report smoking intentions and perceptions about smoking to initiate smoking, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Never smoked who will not try a cigarette soon	Never smoked who will definitely not smoke cigarettes during the next year	Never smoked who think they will not smoke if one of their best friends offers them a cigarette	Have been told by at least one parent (or guardian) about the dangers of tobacco use	Think people can get addicted to using tobacco just like getting addicted to cocaine or heroin	Think young people who smoke cigarettes have more friends	Think smoking cigarettes makes young people look cool or fit in	Never smokers who are susceptible to start smoking
Gender								
Female	96.9 (±2.0) †	83.0 (±3.9)	85.8 (±3.1)	60.5 (±4.8)	93.3 (±2.3)	19.1 (±4.4)	9.6 (±3.1)	22.7 (±3.5)
Male	94.6 (±2.4)	85.7 (±4.1)	83.9 (±5.3)	67.0 (±5.7)	88.0 (±4.6)	22.9 (±5.0)	13.6 (±3.5)	23.3 (±4.9)
Grade								
Ninth	96.0 (±3.2)	87.4 (±4.3)	91.6 (±3.7)	70.0 (±5.7)	91.9 (±5.3)	19.9 (±6.3)	10.3 (±3.8)	17.5 (±4.6)
Tenth	95.5 (±1.8)	82.2 (±7.0)	82.8 (±6.5)	65.2 (±6.1)	89.1 (±4.4)	22.0 (±7.9)	12.3 (±5.4)	25.8 (±8.7)
Eleventh	94.3 (±2.6)	79.4 (±6.3)	75.7 (±6.9)	60.9 (±7.1)	89.6 (±5.0)	23.6 (±4.9)	12.8 (±5.1)	27.9 (±6.6)
Twelfth	97.1 (±2.6)	88.6 (±7.3)	86.3 (±5.5)	55.0 (±3.7)	91.7 (±4.3)	17.9 (±7.1)	10.8 (±5.4)	22.5 (±8.2)
Race/ethnicity								
White	97.1 (±1.6)	84.0 (±3.7)	84.0 (±4.3)	64.7 (±5.6)	93.2 (±3.6)	17.7 (±5.7)	11.3 (±4.1)	23.6 (±4.9)
Black	94.7 (±1.9)	87.2 (±2.2)	86.9 (±4.0)	62.3 (±3.7)	89.6 (±2.8)	27.8 (±6.5)	12.1 (±4.9)	19.4 (±4.6)
Hispanic	94.1 (±5.3)	78.5 (±12.9)	88.5 (±8.8)	72.2 (±11.2)	87.9 (±8.7)	20.5 (±10.1)	10.8 (±7.5)	28.1 (±13.3)
Other	91.7 (±15.4)	78.8 (±10.0)	77.3 (±17.9)	52.5 (±18.6)	76.6 (±16.9)	16.3 (±12.0)	13.2 (±8.6)	31.1 (±19.8)
<b>Total</b>	<b>95.8 (±1.3)</b>	<b>84.4 (±2.5)</b>	<b>84.8 (±3.2)</b>	<b>63.7 (±4.2)</b>	<b>90.7 (±2.9)</b>	<b>21.0 (±4.4)</b>	<b>11.6 (±2.7)</b>	<b>23.0 (±3.2)</b>

\* Students were considered not susceptible if they answered, "No, will not try a cigarette soon" and "Definitely no, will not smoke in the next year" and "Definitely no, would not smoke if best friend offered." All other students were considered susceptible.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-8. Percentage of high school students who report media and advertising influence regarding tobacco and receptivity to tobacco advertising\*, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Saw or heard anti-smoking commercials during the past 30 days</b>	<b>Watch TV or movies who see actors using tobacco (most or some of the time)</b>	<b>Use Internet and see Internet ads for tobacco products (most or some of the time)</b>	<b>Use Internet, watch TV, or go to movies who see (most or some of the time) ads for tobacco products</b>	<b>Receptive to tobacco advertising</b>
<b>Gender</b>					
Female	85.9 (±4.0)†	84.3 (±4.9)	44.2 (±3.2)	88.3 (±3.1)	6.6 (±2.5)
Male	77.9 (±3.2)	88.1 (±2.1)	40.9 (±4.3)	90.4 (±1.5)	13.7 (±4.3)
<b>Grade</b>					
Ninth	79.2 (±3.6)	84.2 (±5.5)	39.1 (±5.5)	87.3 (±2.4)	7.0 (±5.7)
Tenth	81.9 (±6.4)	88.1 (±5.2)	50.5 (±5.0)	90.7 (±4.2)	14.0 (±5.1)
Eleventh	83.7 (±4.3)	87.6 (±3.8)	39.7 (±4.9)	90.6 (±3.1)	7.7 (±4.1)
Twelfth	83.5 (±5.9)	85.0 (±5.2)	40.9 (±8.6)	89.2 (±3.1)	13.4 (±5.7)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>					
White	84.1 (±3.3)	87.5 (±3.1)	39.6 (±3.5)	89.7 (±2.7)	13.2 (±5.0)
Black	84.1 (±4.4)	85.8 (±5.2)	44.6 (±6.9)	88.2 (±4.4)	6.9 (±2.7)
Hispanic	73.3 (±8.1)	88.9 (±6.6)	52.2 (±13.8)	94.0 (±5.7)	6.8 (±4.6)
Other	61.3 (±21.5)	72.7 (±21.4)	49.3 (±17.5)	86.2 (±13.0)	3.1 (±6.6)
<b>Total</b>	<b>81.9 (±2.4)</b>	<b>86.2 (±2.8)</b>	<b>42.6 (±2.7)</b>	<b>89.4 (±1.7)</b>	<b>10.2 (±3.0)</b>

The percentage of students who received anything with a tobacco company name or picture on it AND who would (Definitely Yes or Probably Yes) use or wear something with a tobacco company name or picture on it.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-9. Percentage of high school students who report exposure to anti-tobacco education in school or community in the past year, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Were taught about the dangers of tobacco use at school</b>	<b>At school this year practiced ways to say 'No' to tobacco</b>
Gender		
Female	28.7 (±4.5) †	11.8 (±2.9)
Male	29.8 (±5.4)	13.9 (±3.4)
Grade		
Ninth	34.2 (±7.7)	20.0 (±5.6)
Tenth	31.1 (±7.3)	14.9 (±5.5)
Eleventh	26.6 (±4.0)	6.6 (±2.5)
Twelfth	21.9 (±8.0)	6.0 (±2.8)
Race/ethnicity		
White	28.4 (±5.1)	11.4 (±3.4)
Black	29.2 (±6.7)	16.9 (±4.4)
Hispanic	34.0 (±9.6)	13.3 (±7.7)
Other	32.0 (±14.7)	4.7 (±6.9)
<b>Total</b>	<b>29.3 (±4.3)</b>	<b>12.9 (±2.7)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-10. Percentage of high school never smoking students who report they were in the same room or rode in car with someone who was smoking on 1 of the past 7 days, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Were in the same room with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days	Rode in the same car with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days
Gender		
Female	53.9 (±6.1)†	32.0 (±5.3)
Male	52.0 (±7.0)	25.5 (±4.8)
Grade		
Ninth	47.1 (±8.9)	29.1 (±6.9)
Tenth	64.9 (±6.8)	28.6 (±7.1)
Eleventh	52.1 (±11.0)	33.2 (±9.1)
Twelfth	46.8 (±11.0)	22.9 (±7.5)
Race/ethnicity		
White	56.5 (±5.4)	30.6 (±6.3)
Black	54.5 (±10.3)	32.9 (±5.2)
Hispanic	31.1 (±13.5)	10.3 (±7.8)
Other	37.6 (±16.6)	12.0 (±7.8)
<b>Total</b>	<b>53.0 (±5.5)</b>	<b>28.7 (±3.9)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-11. Percentage of high school never and current smoking students who report living with someone who currently smokes, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	28.7 (±6.7)†	53.8 (±12.0)
Male	26.4 (±8.6)	60.3 (±12.0)
Grade		
Ninth	26.8 (±6.5)	66.7 (±13.5)
Tenth	25.2 (±11.1)	61.7 (±22.8)
Eleventh	28.8 (±11.6)	60.2 (±13.5)
Twelfth	30.0 (±9.1)	42.4 (±16.7)
Race/ethnicity		
White	27.2 (±7.7)	59.0 (±12.0)
Black	29.5 (±5.3)	64.1 (±21.7)
Hispanic	14.8 (±9.5)	28.0 (±17.1)
Other	32.9 (±20.5)	65.5 (±46.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>27.5 (±5.8)</b>	<b>57.4 (±11.0)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-12. Percentage of high school current smoking students who report quitting perceptions, intention to quit and cessation practices, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

	<b>Who want to stop smoking cigarettes</b>	<b>Tried to quit during at least once in the past 12 months-</b>	<b>When they last tried to quit, stayed off cigarettes for less than 30 days</b>	<b>Have ever participated in a program to help quit using tobacco</b>
<b>Gender</b>				
Female	38.3 (±10.0)†	51.1 (±15.4)	36.9 (±15.8)	5.1 (±6.0)
Male	48.2 (±11.3)	49.4 (±14.2)	42.5 (±13.3)	5.9 (±3.7)
<b>Grade</b>				
Ninth	19.9 (±13.5)	51.7 (±30.4)	36.8 (±23.0)	12.0 (±6.5)
Tenth	61.4 (±15.0)	69.0 (±13.7)	45.4 (±13.5)	0.0 (±0.0)
Eleventh	49.6 (±14.6)	34.6 (±15.7)	40.0 (±15.9)	5.8 (±6.9)
Twelfth	47.1 (±10.0)	42.9 (±18.0)	41.6 (±21.2)	3.6 (±4.1)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>				
White	44.8 (±5.5)	45.6 (±10.9)	38.4 (±9.3)	3.0 (±2.8)
Black	47.3 (±14.7)	54.6 (±26.3)	52.8 (±20.9)	17.2 (±17.7)
Hispanic	51.7 (±28.9)	57.9 (±27.7)	52.1 (±27.7)	8.2 (±4.1)
Other	17.2 (±29.3)	80.2 (±37.6)	23.4 (±34.1)	7.6 (±16.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>44.0 (±7.0)</b>	<b>49.9 (±11.7)</b>	<b>40.8 (±9.1)</b>	<b>5.6 (±2.1)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-13. Percentage of high school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

**“Think young people who smoke cigarettes have more friends”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	12.3 (±5.0)†	26.6 (±10.8)
Male	17.2 (±4.1)	33.7 (±9.1)
Grade		
Ninth	14.6 (±6.1)	20.6 (±17.8)
Tenth	14.9 (±9.8)	31.7 (±14.8)
Eleventh	18.6 (±6.9)	33.7 (±9.1)
Twelfth	10.2 (±4.8)	36.3 (±11.5)
Race/ethnicity		
White	11.4 (±4.0)	28.0 (±7.8)
Black	18.0 (±7.3)	54.9 (±19.1)
Hispanic	21.9 (±13.0)	23.9 (±24.1)
Other	18.6 (±20.0)	5.3 (±11.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>14.8 (±3.9)</b>	<b>30.4 (±9.1)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-14. Percentage of high school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2007—Piedmont (Central Region).**

**“Think it is safe to smoke a year or two, as long as you quit after that”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	3.5 (±2.2)†	11.6 (±4.8)
Male	4.8 (±2.5)	29.2 (±9.4)
Grade		
Ninth	2.2 (±1.7)	11.8 (±8.4)
Tenth	5.6 (±4.9)	24.1 (±11.0)
Eleventh	6.8 (±4.4)	28.2 (±11.1)
Twelfth	3.0 (±3.0)	25.3 (±15.3)
Race/ethnicity		
White	2.8 (±1.5)	19.9 (±7.0)
Black	4.4 (±3.5)	36.1 (±14.9)
Hispanic	10.9 (±10.8)	15.9 (±19.8)
Other	6.7 (±10.2)	12.7 (±21.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.2 (±1.7)</b>	<b>21.5 (±5.9)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.