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MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Susan W. Shaffer

DATE: October 5, 2006

RE: Drug Test Statistics - Adult Arrestees [August 2006]

Drug testing of adult arrestees for August 2006 revealed an increase in the levels of substance abuse detected for cocaine and opiates, which were up 1% each from July, to 42% and 10%, respectively. The level of substance abuse detected for PCP remained the same at 9%, while the level for amphetamines (which we recently began testing for in this population) was 3%.

The overall number of adult arrestees testing positive for at least one drug was 1,259 of the 2,422 screened, or 52% -- up 3% from the previous month.

The breakdown of August 2006 test results is as follows:

Total positive for PCP	--	228 (9% of those tested, 18% of all positive)
Total positive for Opiates	--	231 (10% of those tested, 18% of all positive)
Total positive for Cocaine	--	1,010 (42% of those tested, 80% of all positive)
Total positive for Amphetamines	--	69 (3% of those tested, 5% of all positive)

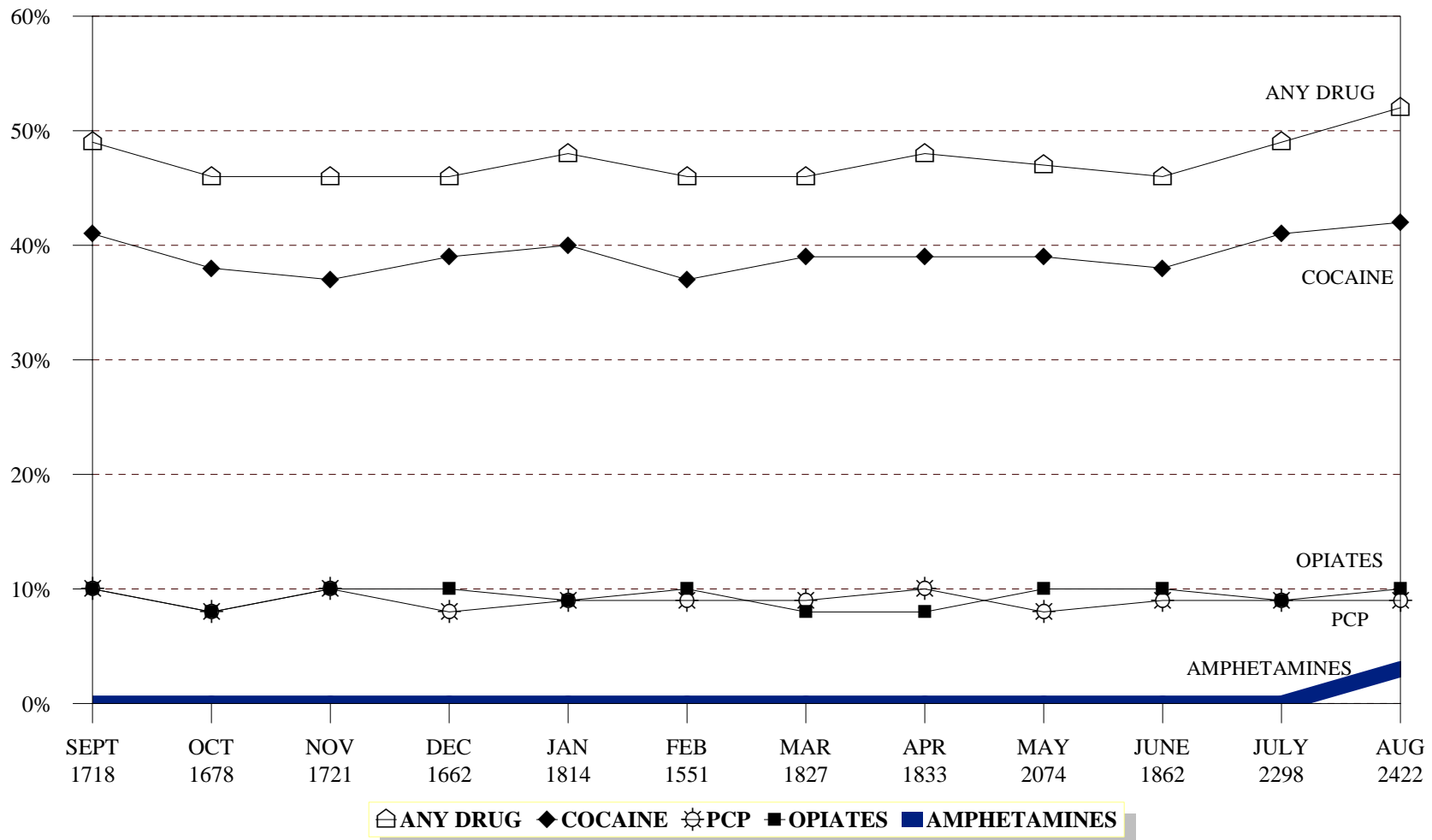
Additionally, we thought you might be interested in the enclosed drug trend data prepared by our Director of Forensic Research, Jerome Robinson, which he presented at the recent DC Drug Summit.

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DRUG TESTING OF ADULT ARRESTEES

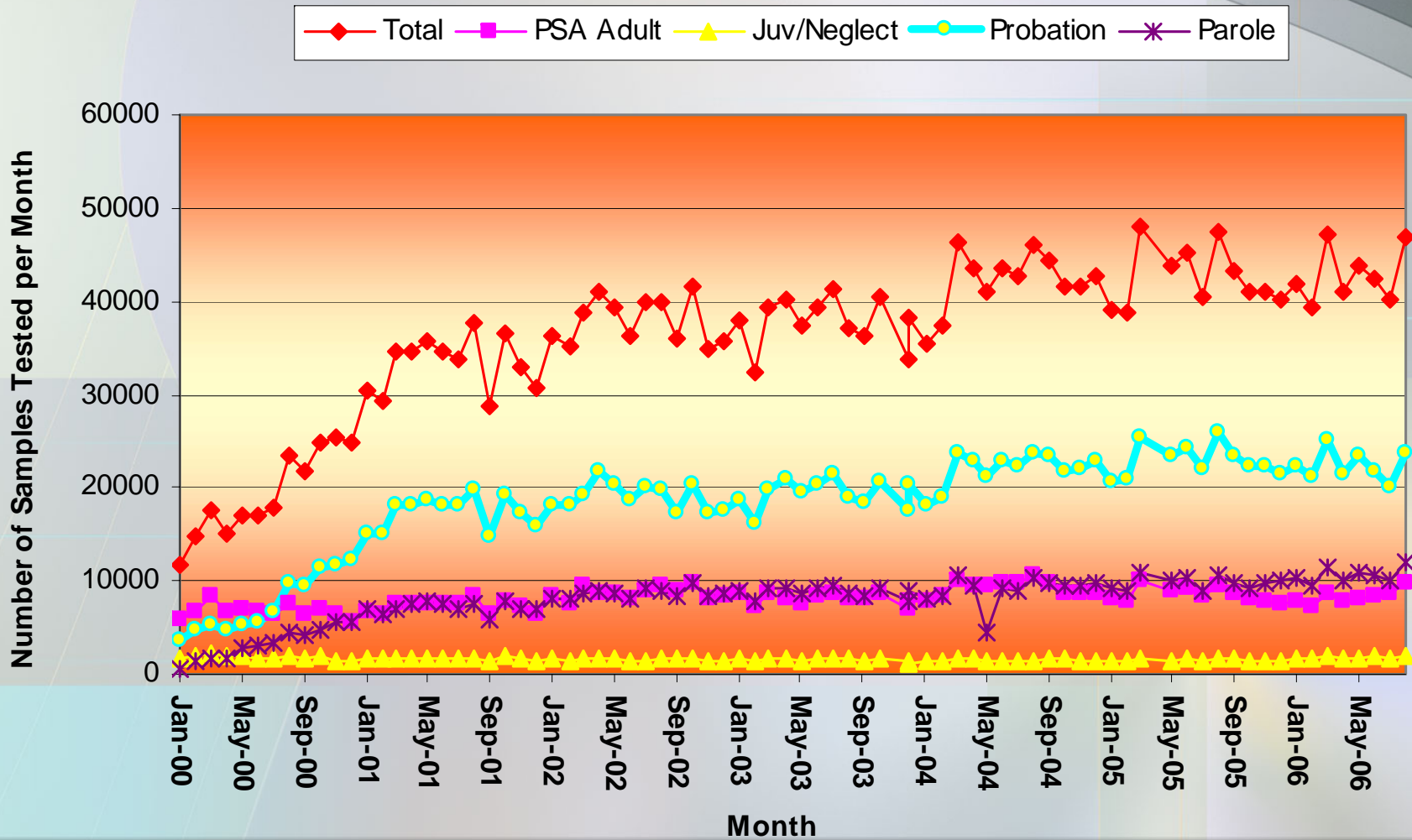
September 2005 - August 2006



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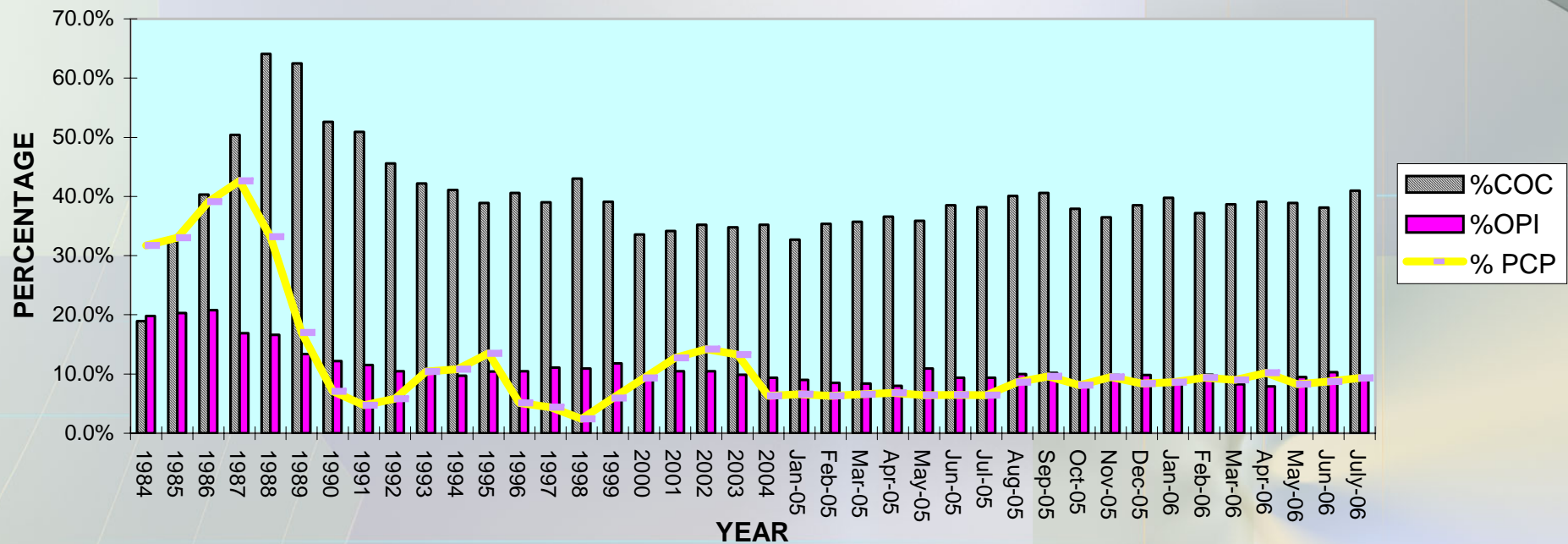
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Samples Tested by PSA Forensic Toxicology Drug Testing Laboratory 2000 - 2006



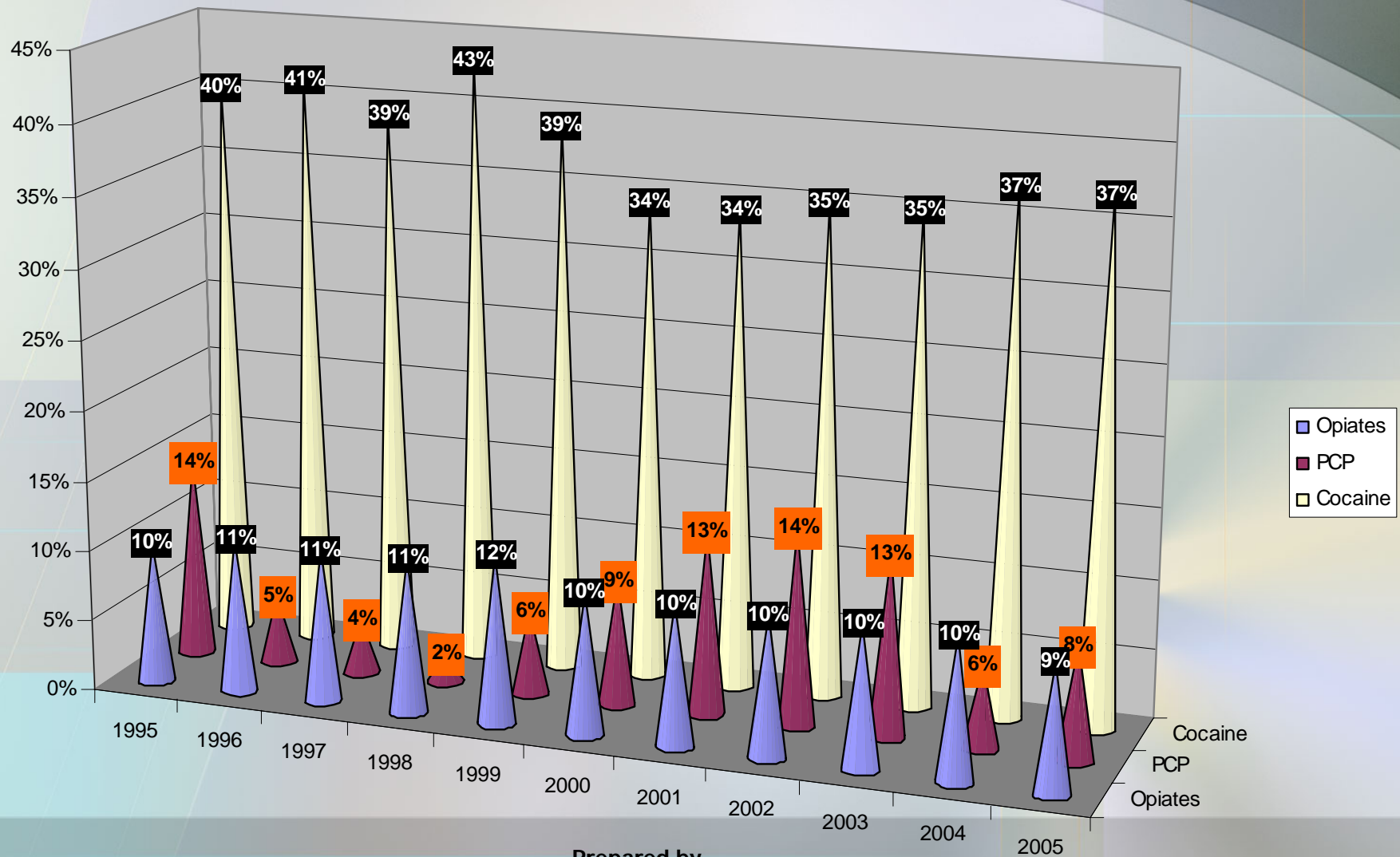
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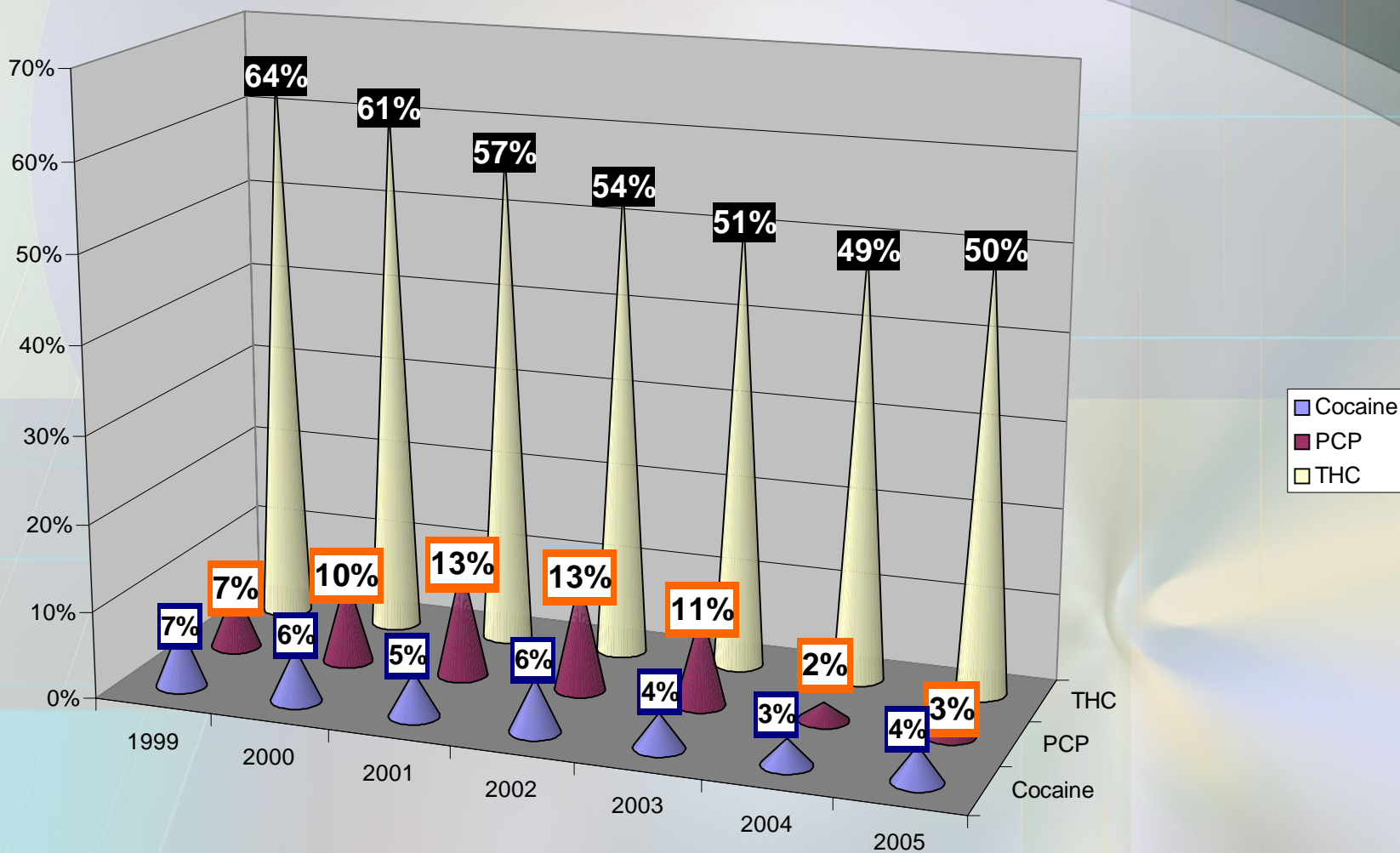
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Drug Test Results – Adult Arrestees
Year – End Data**



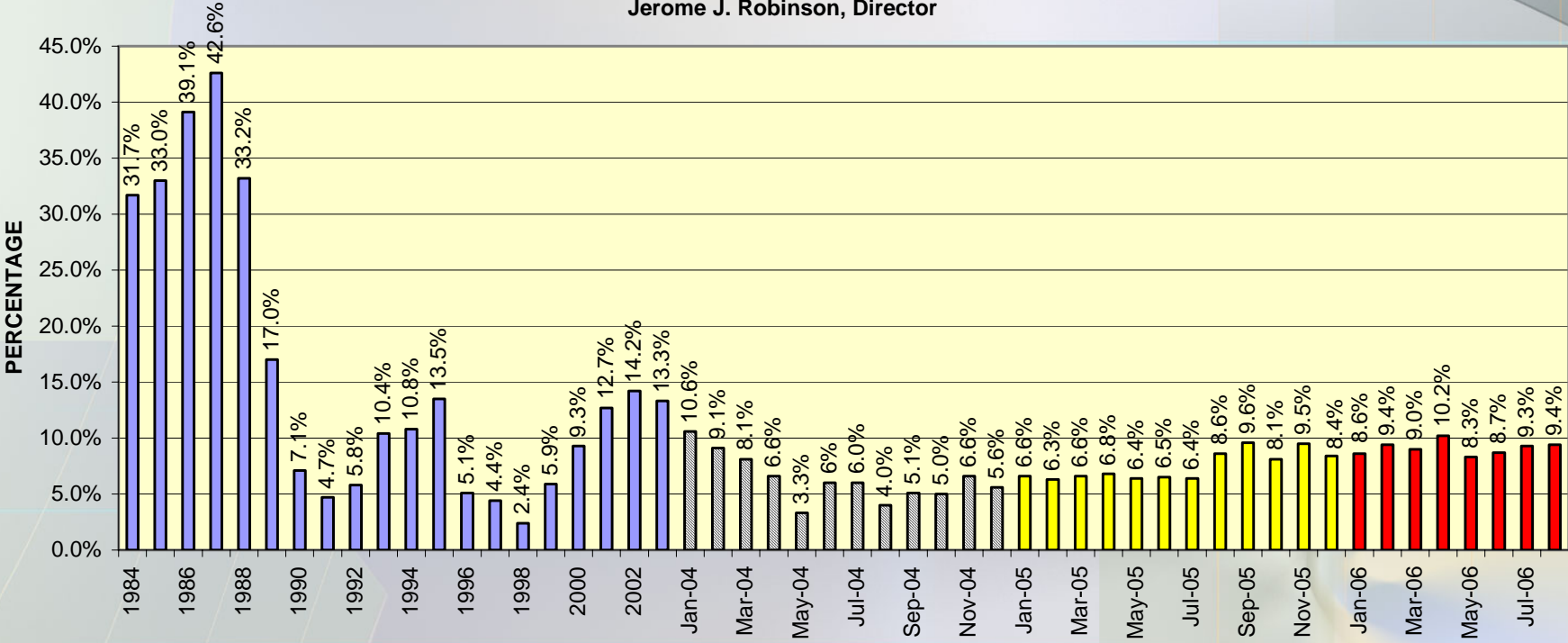
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Juvenile Year-End Data Pretrial Services Agency



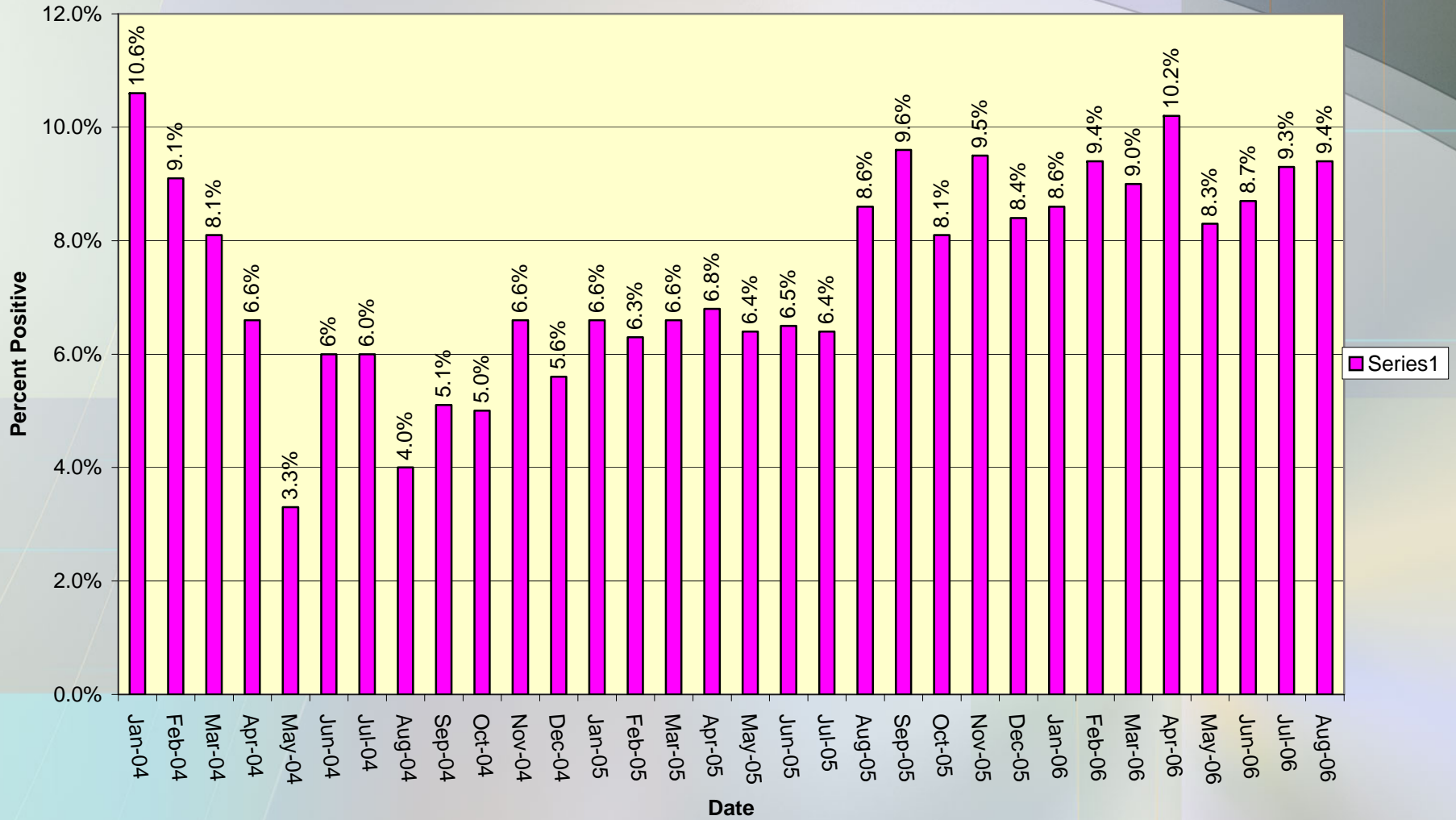
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ADULT ARRESTEE PCP POSITIVE RATES
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Prepared by DCPSA Office of Forensic Research
Jerome J. Robinson, Director



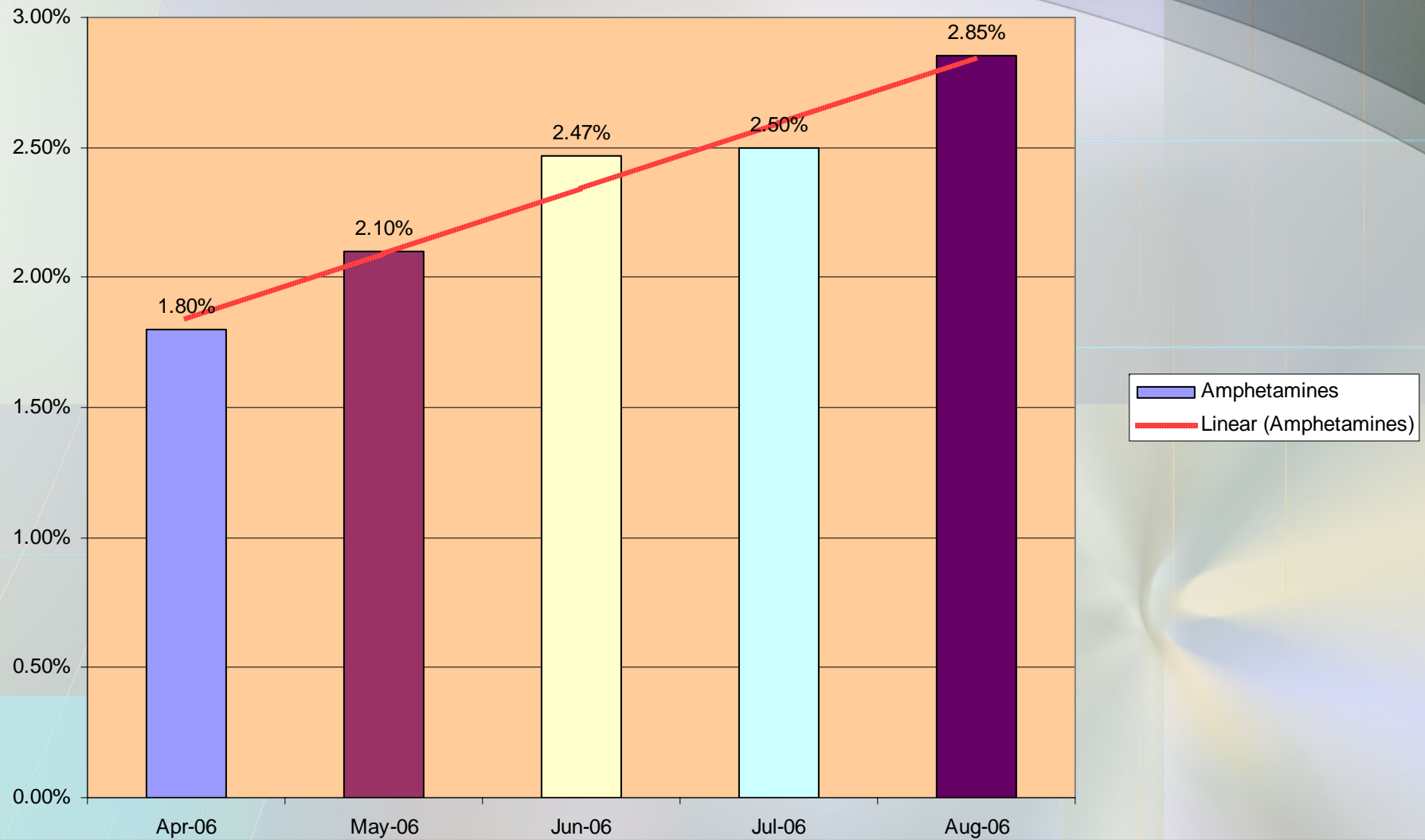
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Adult Arrestee Population Percent Positive PCP



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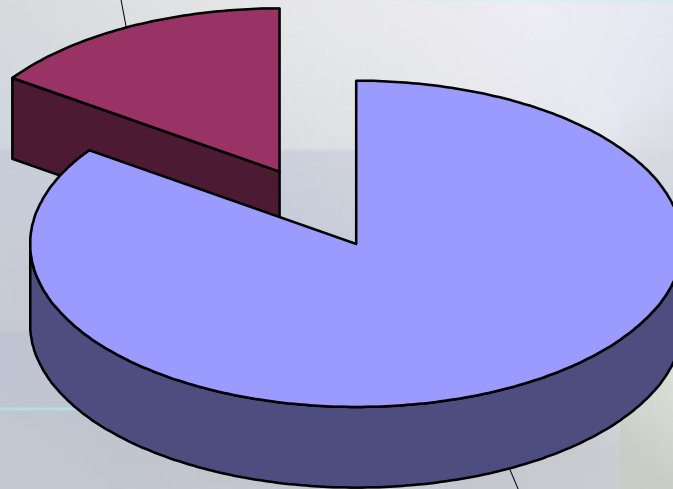
Percentage of Tested Arrestees Showing Positive Results for Amphetamines



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Arrestee Amphetamines Profiles

Methamphetamine (5), 15%



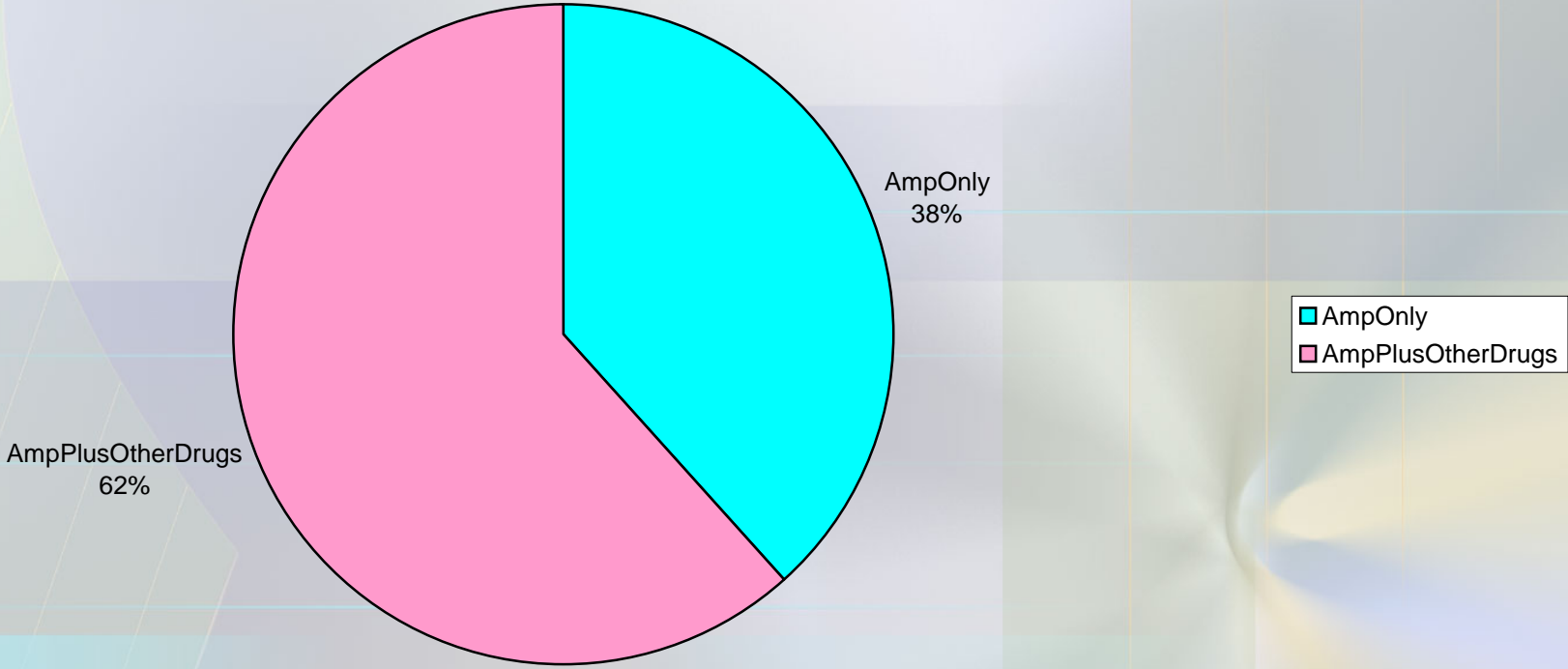
■ Ecstasy
■ Methamphetamine

April 2006

Ecstasy (28), 85%

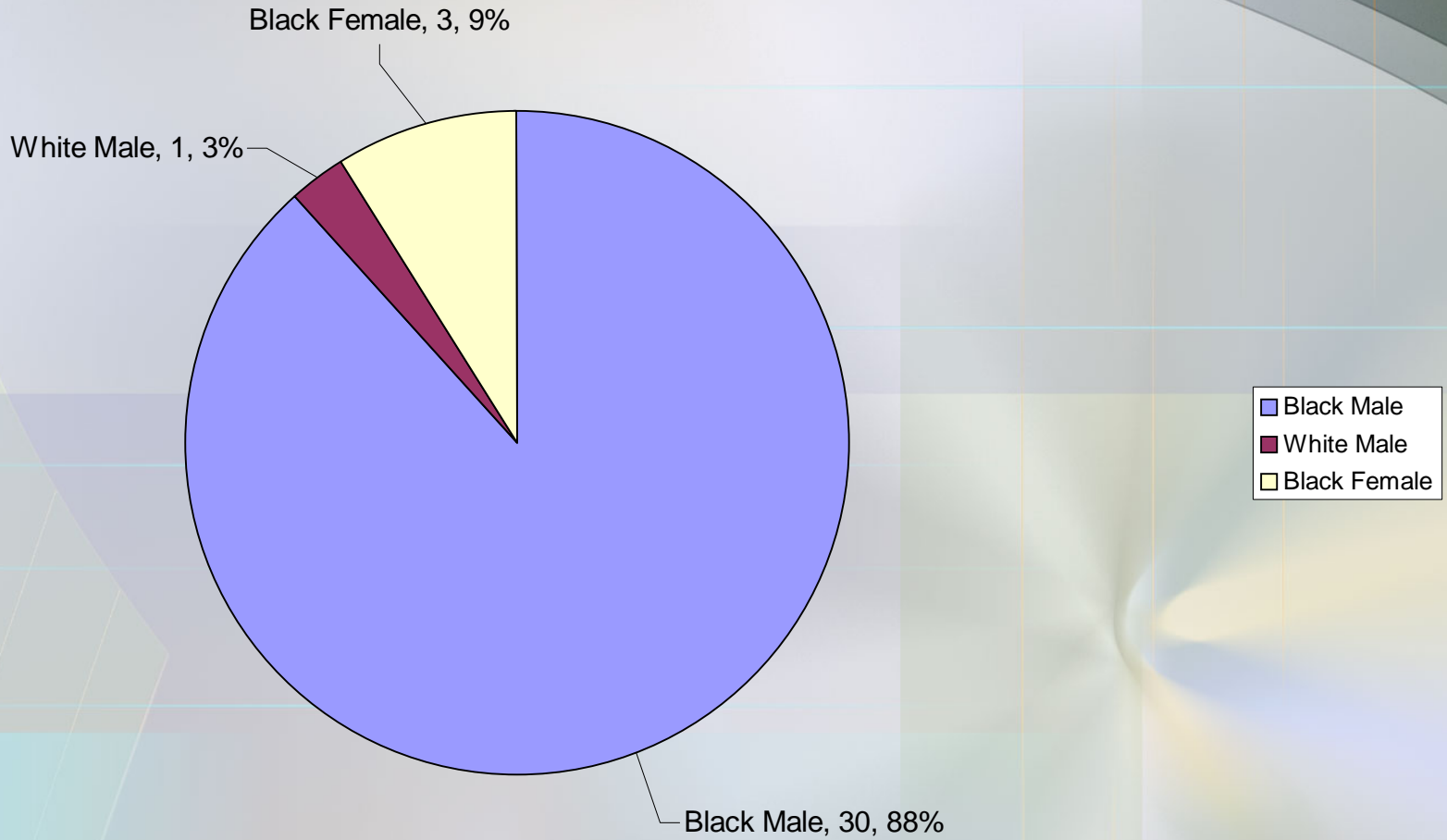
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**Positive Amphetamines
Arrestee Population
April 2006**



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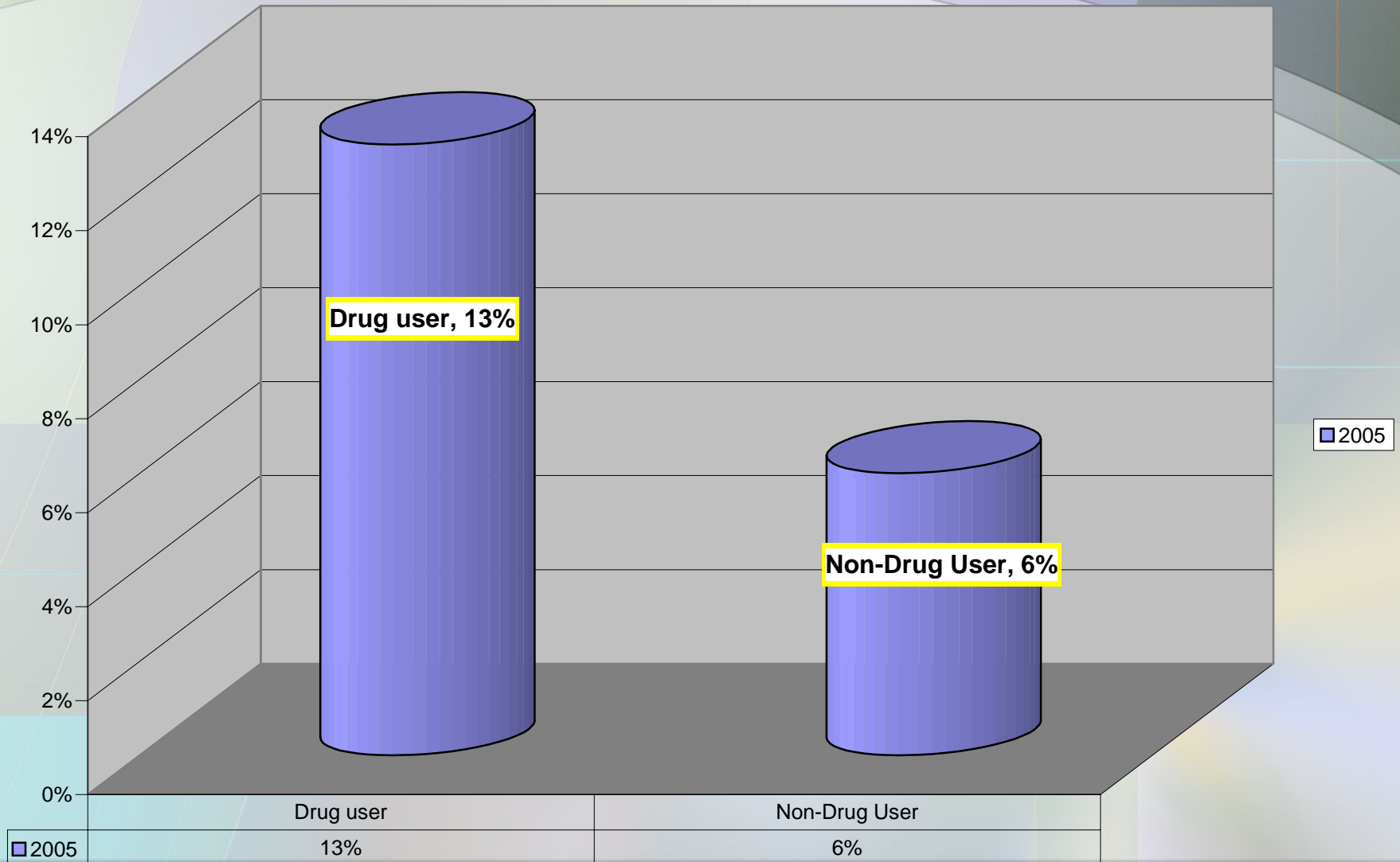
**Gender (Positive Amphetamines)
Arrestee Population
April 2006**



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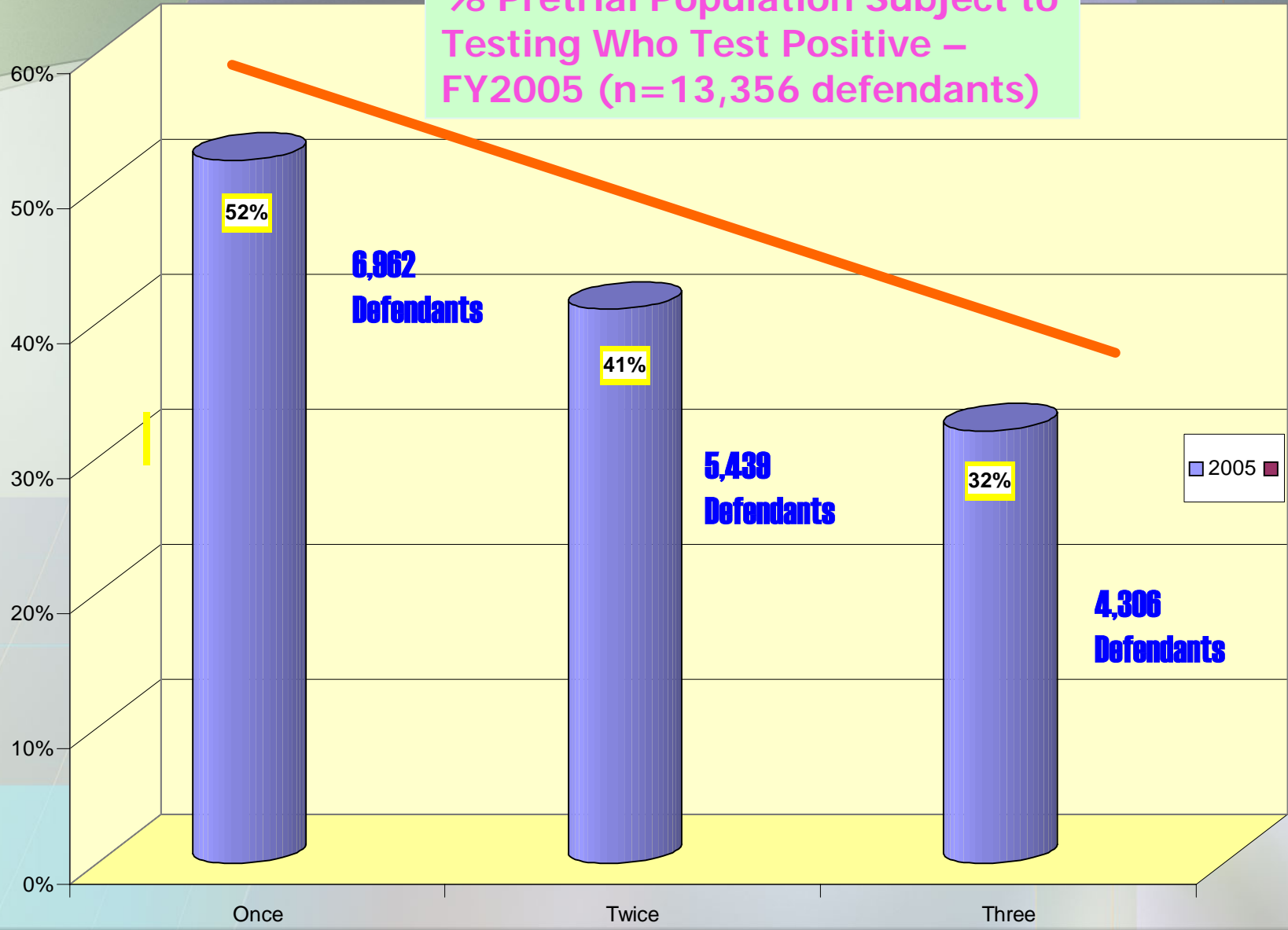
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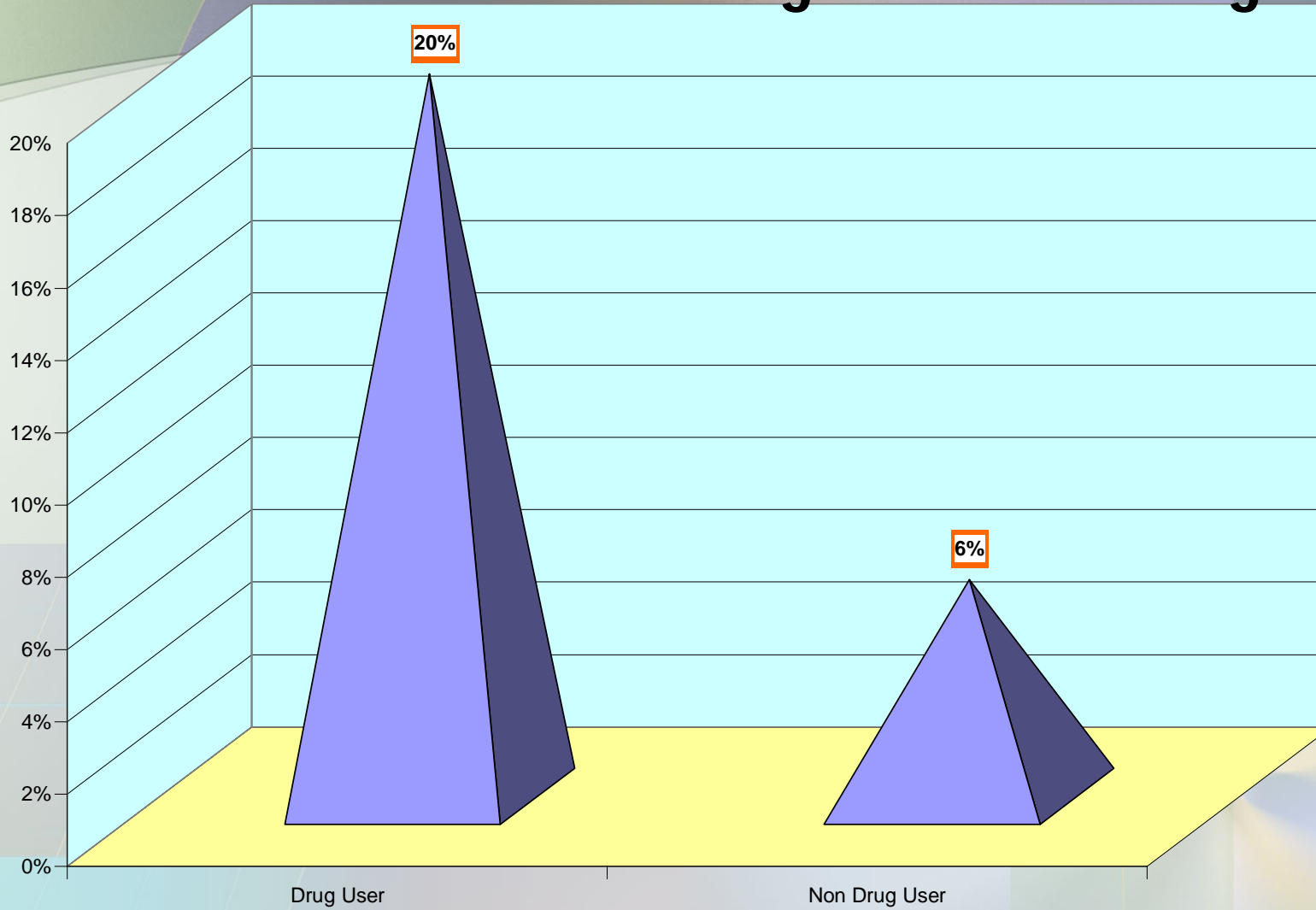
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% Pretrial Population Subject to Testing Who Test Positive – FY2005 (n=13,356 defendants)



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Defendant Rearrest Rate: Drug User vs Non Drug User



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