

TABLE 8-1

**ESTIMATED COSTS OF DRUG AND ALCOHOL ABUSE—2002**  
(MILLIONS OF DOLLARS)

	<i>Drugs</i>	<i>Alcohol</i>
<b>Health Expenditures</b>		
Specialty services	\$9,076	\$ 8,240
Medical Consequences	6,768	20,900
<b>Lost Productivity</b>		
Premature death	24,646	40,280
Illness	35,448	96,700
Crime and victims	68,471	11,140
<b>Other costs</b>		
Criminal justice, etc.	36,413	26,590
<b>Total</b>	<u>\$180,822</u>	<u>\$203,780</u>

Source: ONDCR, *The Economic Costs of Alcohol and Drug Abuse in the United States—1992-2002* (Washington, DC: Executive Office of the President, December 2004), various tables, and "Estimated Economic Costs of Alcohol Abuse in the United States, 1992 and 1998," ([www.niaaa.nih.gov/databases/costs.htm](http://www.niaaa.nih.gov/databases/costs.htm)) with adjustment for inflation.

TABLE 8-2

**ESTIMATED VALUE ADDED AT VARIOUS STAGES OF HEROIN DISTRIBUTION**

Importer	200%
Kilo connection	167%
Street dealer	61%
Juggler	35%

TABLE 8-3

**COCAINE PRICES THROUGH THE DISTRIBUTION CHAIN, (2004 DOLLARS)**

At the farm (Colombia, per kg) <sup>1</sup>	\$1.80
Refined base (Colombia, per kg) <sup>1</sup>	807
Wholesale (100 pure grams or more, per kg) <sup>2</sup>	27,260
Mid level distributor (10 to 100 pure grams) <sup>2</sup>	56,140
Retail (1-gram units) <sup>2</sup>	247,950

Source: <sup>1</sup>United Nations, Office on Drugs and Crime, "World Drug Report 2005" ([www.unodc.org/unodc/en/world\\_drug\\_report.html](http://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/world_drug_report.html)), 63.

<sup>2</sup>Office of National Drug Control Policy, "The Price of Illicit Drugs: 1981 through the Second Quarter of 2001," October 2001, Table 1, 30, adjusted to 2004 dollars.