

# 15 Facts And Stats About How India Drinks, Smokes & Does Drugs



## AMPHETAMINE VS COCAINE



Amphetamine is made from a plant



Side effects can last for hours



Cocaine is synthetically created in a lab



Side effects last one hour or less

## The Confusion



**Species I** is a Hemp extract with all the cannabinoids except for THC, which means it has all the beneficial properties of cannabis without the HIGH!

**The most commonly used drugs in India are cannabis, opium and heroin**

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**Cannabis  
consumption  
is legal in  
Odisha**

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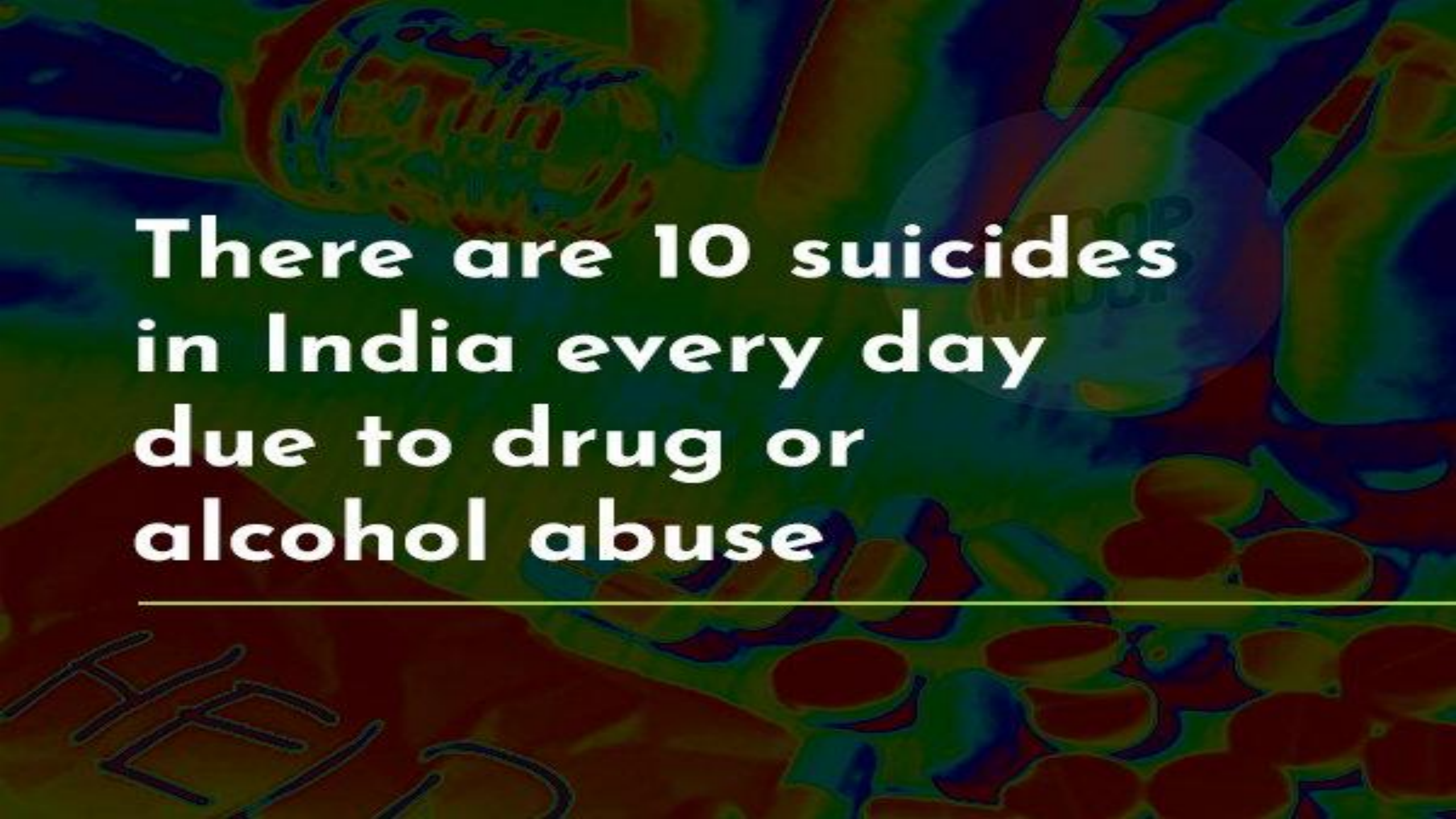




**182,622 kg of ganja  
and 2,489 kg of hashish  
was seized in India  
in 2016**

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**There are 10 suicides  
in India every day  
due to drug or  
alcohol abuse**

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**Mizoram is the  
highest consumer  
of tobacco  
in India**

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**Andhra Pradesh  
is the highest  
consumer of alcohol  
in India**

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**Alcohol kills  
one Indian every  
96 minutes**

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**There are more than 10 lakh drug addicts in Punjab. The most common drug consumed is heroin (chitta)**

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**The average Indian consumes 4.3 litres of alcohol per year. The average rural Indian consumes 11.4 litres of alcohol per year**

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**While a 100 gm of weed in New Delhi costs about Rs. 1,000, in the drug fields of Manipur, 1 kg of high quality marijuana can be bought for Rs. 700**

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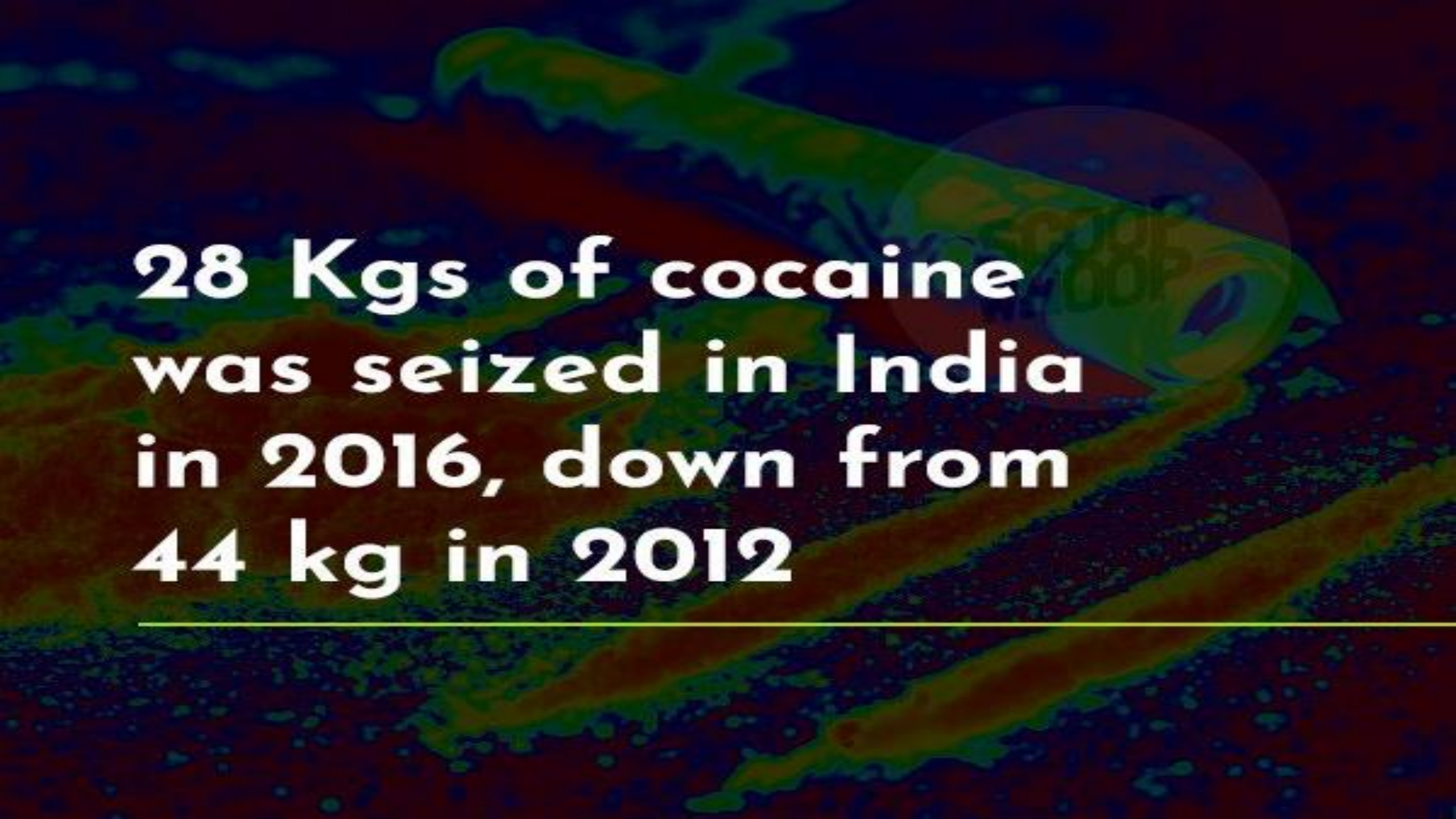
**1687 kg of  
amphetamine-type  
stimulants (ATS) such  
as MDMA was seized  
in 2017. Most cases  
were in Gujarat and  
Andhra Pradesh**

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**21,272 kg of  
ephedrine was seized  
across India in 2017.  
Ephedrine is a  
prescription stimulant  
used in cough syrups**

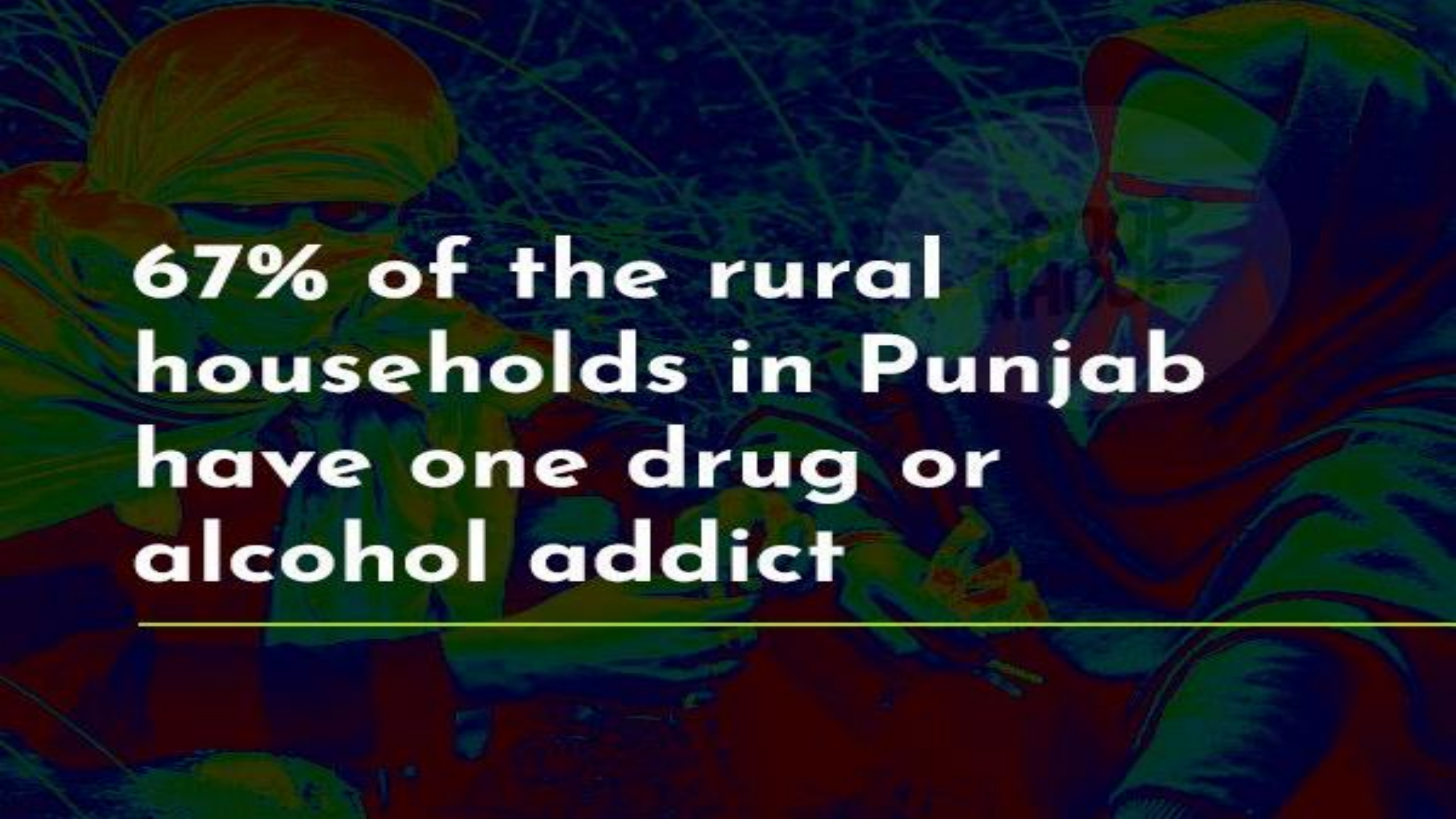
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**28 Kgs of cocaine  
was seized in India  
in 2016, down from  
44 kg in 2012**

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A photograph of a man and a woman in a rural setting. The man, on the left, is wearing a blue shirt and a white turban. The woman, on the right, is wearing a blue and white striped shawl and a white turban. They are both looking towards the camera. The man is holding a small object in his hand. The background is a blurred outdoor scene with green foliage.

**67% of the rural households in Punjab have one drug or alcohol addict**

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# **A survey of Delhi's street children aged 9-13 revealed**

- Around 70,000 consume drugs in any form
- 20,000 consume tobacco
- Around 10,000 consume alcohol
- 7000 children consume inhalants
- 5600 children are using cannabis
- Around 800 are addictive to heroin

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<https://www.scoopwhoop.com/stats-about-india-drug-alcohol-use/#.913velugd>