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THE FACTS: ECSTASY

Sometimes called MDMA, MDA, Pills, Doves, Mitsubishis, E, XTC and many other 'brand' names

What it looks like:

Comes as a tablet or capsule or as a powder.

The Effects:

- Feeling energetic, friendly and happy
- Colours look brighter
- Dry throat and mouth
- Loss of appetite
- Music sounds better
- Jaw tightens and pupils become dilated
- Rise in heart rate, blood pressure and body temperature
- Sweating

How it's used:

Tablets or capsules are swallowed and the powder is snorted, smoked or injected.

The Risks:

- There's lots of fake Ecstasy being sold so it's hard to know what effect it'll have.
- Mixing Ecstasy with other drugs or alcohol is very dangerous.
- Taking more than one Ecstasy tablet at a time is dangerous.
- Can lead to feelings of depression, confusion, panic and first-time epileptic fits.

The Law:

Ecstasy is a Class A drug. Having or using Ecstasy can lead to up to 7 years in prison and/or an unlimited fine. Supplying Ecstasy (which includes passing it on to friends) is punishable by up to life imprisonment and/or an unlimited fine.

Getting a criminal record can make it more difficult to travel abroad or get certain jobs.

For information, support, advice or someone to talk to about drugs, call the numbers below.



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