

# Amphetamines

**AKA:** speed, whizz, billy, sulph. Ice, glass, shard, meth, Base

**Popularity** 3.3% of 16-24 in last Yr

**Method of Use:**

**Sulphate:** snorted, rubbed on gums, IV, swallowed

**Ice/base:** smoked, swallowed, IV

**Duration:**

speed 2-3hr  
ice: 12-24hr

**Effects:**

+ve: alert, energetic, awake, confident  
Less appetite, talkative  
-ve Anxiety, paranoia nausea

**Law:**

**Sulph:** Class B, Schedule 2 (Class A if injected)

**Ice:** Class A

**Cost:**

£10gm -speed  
£30-60 - ice

**Source:**

Manufactured in UK and Europe

**Indicators: Indicators:**

dilated pupils, restless, talkative, anxious, grinding teeth

**Risks:** weight loss, insomnia, tooth damage, nasal damage, mental health problems,

