

## EFFECTS OF EGSTASY

Ecstasy is a synthetic, psychoactive drug that acts as both a stimulant and psychedelic. Ecstasy produces an energizing effect, as well as distortions in time and perception and enhanced enjoyment from tactile experiences. Pure ecstasy takes the form of a white powder.

Ecstasy is commonly ingested orally as a pill, though some swallow it in liquid form or crush it and snort the powder.

## **BRAIN**

Paranoia Psychosis Difficulty concentrating Insomnia Anxiety

## BODY

Poor muscle control and unsteadiness
Muscle aches and stiffness
Increased blood pressure
Rapid heart rate
Nausea
Loss of appetite
Increased body temperature
Increased blood pressure
Sweating
Jaw clenching
Teeth grinding

## **BEHAVIOUR**

Lowered inhibitions
Aggression
Irrational or bizarre behaviour
Irritable

