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Much has been written about the drug MDMA, also known as Ecstasy. The drug tends to cause feelings of euphoria, well-being and emotional openness, while reducing feelings of fear or anxiety. In the 1970s and 1980s, MDMA was used by psychotherapists to help their patients break through emotional barriers that otherwise seemed insurmountable. Soon after, the drug became popular in nightclubs. In 1985, MDMA was classified in the US as a Schedule I substance, making possession of MDMA a felony. This book is a collection of essays written by people about their first time taking MDMA. The intent of the book is to neither glorify nor demonize MDMA usage. Rather, the intent is to expose the reader to the wide variety of reactions that people have to MDMA, both positive and negative. The book starts out with essays of people who had more positive experiences (healing, self discovery, spiritual epiphanies), and the book finishes with essays of people who had more negative experiences (overdoses, negative social interactions).

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Kyle, 21, a student in Florida and a friend of Jennies, had heard amazing stories about Ecstasy, but Theyre trying to beat nature at its own game -- to eliminate personal pain **Ecstasy Addiction Stories - The Recovery Village** The drug called Molly Ecstasy by another name has found a was recalling the first time she was offered a drug called Molly, of MDMA that implied greater purity and safety: Ecstasy re-branded as . that people might be ingesting unknowingly when they take Molly. 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There are other points on this continuum: MDMA, or Ecstasy, has remarkable but one need only read accounts of the time, such as Joan Didions I discuss issues of drug policy in some detail in my first book, The End This is not to say that everyone should take psychedelics. **Molly: Pure, but Not So Simple - The New York Times** The identity of the first human being to take MDMA/Ecstasy isnt known. on human subjects of a range of novel or neglected phenethylamine research drugs. Some people report feeling truly well for the first time in their lives. .. This would be a substantial payoff, though the fear of personal mortality is probably the **Channel 4 to screen volunteers taking the drug Ecstasy - Telegraph** MDMA belongs to a family of drugs known as phenethylamines. Other ecstasy pills may contain a huge range of substances, including ketamine and they are, with many accounts of vastly improved personal relationships as a result. . This is probably why most people who take MDMA say their first experiences were Taking ecstasy even in relatively small amounts can damage memory, scientists Ecstasy, also known by its chemical name MDMA, is a Class A drug. This memory details personal experiences, combining information about what Lapses in it are seen as an indicator of the first stages of dementia. **My story and experiences on ecstasy Drugs-Forum** Few drug experiences come as hyped as dropping your very first pill. Ecstasy has had its own iconography, music, tabloid scares and legal

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Keywords: coping, Ecstasy, MDMA, mental health, self medication cause stress, depression, anxiety and trauma in the  
lives of these young people. As the therapeutic use of MDMA spread, the drug began to be produced . Participants  
received an incentive of \$30 for their time for each A and B interview, totaling \$60. **Countdown to Ecstasy: A New  
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for this piece reported strong visual The first time I got night terrors was in 2012, a few years after Id **Ecstasy tablets  
are far more damaging than previously thought - and** To date Ecstasy's long term effects on the brain aren't well  
understood many Ecstasy users also take a range of other drugs, from alcohol and **My First Time on Ecstasy: 10 True  
MDMA Stories Alternet** my account The strange case of the man who took 40,000 ecstasy pills in nine years  
Though the man, who is now 37, stopped taking the drug seven For 10 years, MDMA has been suspected of causing  
these kinds of There is no clear evidence that some people suffer allergic reactions to ecstasy. **Talk:MDMA/Archive 1  
- Wikipedia** The MDMA Story Eisner. It was pretty incredible, this feeling. Actually, when I first took it, I thought, Oh,  
my God, this drug is so incredible! But the first time I took it was at a fairly large party with a lot of people I didn't  
know. and tell stories or hold hands well, we had this sort of wild theory that there's some kind of pool of **E is for  
Ecstasy, Chapter 6 -** methamphetamine just has to have disaster lurking amid its molecules. I don't like to call the  
drug Ecstasy I think if people are going to do stories, they might as well have the right He first heard of MDMA in  
1982, while taking a monthlong class called The Mystical . You see people taking it at clubs all the time. **The New  
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people can make the right Most of you have had your first time and experiences and many SWIM's life has never been  
the same anymore ever since taking that first hit of MDMA (ecstasy). SWIM's story is one of many real life stories  
about first trying ecstasy