Table 1. A survey on willingness to use electronic cigarettes based on Rogers innovation diffusion theory among college students in Hangzhou, China 2022(*N*=775)

Topic	Strongly	Disagree	Indeterminacy	Agree	Strongly
_	disagree	_	-		agree
D1. Using e-cigarettes can help					
me better integrate into the					
social environment around me.					
D2. Electronic cigarettes can					
help me quit smoking better.					
D3. The harm of electronic					
cigarettes is smaller than that of					
cigarettes.					
D4. The addiction of electronic					
cigarettes is lower than that of					
cigarettes.					
D5. I think using e-cigarettes					
aligns well with my values.					
D6. The popularization of					
electronic cigarettes is in line					
with the development of the					
times.					
D7. E-cigarettes come in					
various flavors that can meet					
my needs					
D8. Learning to use e-cigarettes					
is very easy for me					
D9. I can easily obtain the					
electronic cigarette information					
I want to know					
D10. I can easily					
purchase/obtain e-cigarettes					
D11. Electronic cigarettes can					
be charged using USB					
D12. All e-cigarette sales points					
I come into contact with can					
provide trial smoking services					
D13. I have tried e-cigarettes					
with friends before					
D14. I hope to have more					
opportunities to try e-cigarettes					
for free or at a low price					
D15. After using e-cigarettes, I					
can understand the benefits of					
e-cigarettes very well					
D16. I can easily explain the					

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benefits of e-cigarettes to others				
D17. I think the benefits of e-				
cigarettes are obvious				
D18. After using e-cigarettes, I				
feel less pressure and feel very				
calm				
D19. Using e-cigarettes can be				
harmful to my health				
D20. Electronic cigarettes can				
make me addicted				
D21. Using e-cigarettes can be				
harmful to people around me				
D22. If I use e-cigarettes, my				
parents will criticize me				
D23. If I use e-cigarettes, some				
of my friends may distance me				
D24. Using e-cigarettes will				
increase my monthly expenses				
D25. In daily life, I enjoy using				
newly launched products				
D26. I have a favorable				
impression of smoking as a				
behavior				
D27. I have tried e-cigarettes				
before and the experience was				
good				
D28. I can see e-cigarette				
related advertisements or				
promotions on mass media				
(including posters, flyers,				
television, and the internet) at				
least once a week				
D29. People around me who				
have used e-cigarettes				
recommend me to use e-				
cigarettes				
salespeople can introduce me to the relevant information about				
e-cigarettes				
D31. People around me all use				
e-cigarettes				
D32. Electronic cigarettes are				
suitable for the culture and				
norms of my social				

environment			
D33. I believe that national			
policies support the			
development of electronic			
cigarettes			
D34. If my friend gives me an			
e-cigarette, I will use it			
D35. If any e-cigarette			
company or salesperson gives			
me e-cigarettes for free, I will			
use them			
D36. In the next 12 months, I			
believe I will use e-cigarettes			

Table 2. The assignment of variables in the study of intention to use e-cigarettes based on Rogers innovation diffusion theory among university students, Hangzhou, China 2022 (N=775)

Variables	Details
Intention to use e-	
cigarettes	
	1=Yes,Willing to use electronic cigarettes
	0=No,Not willing to use e-cigarettes
Age	
	1=male
	2=female
Monthly disposable	
change	
	1=Up to 1000 ¥
	2=1000 to 2000 ¥
	3=Greater than 2000 ¥
Father smoking or not	
	1=Smoke
	2=No Smoking

3=Previously smoked, but has stopped smoking for more than a year Mather smoking or not 1=Smoke 2=No Smoking 3=Previously smoked, but has stopped smoking for more than a year Smoking situation of friends 1=At least one person smokes 2=No one smokes Smoking cigarettes 1=Yes,Used cigarettes within the past 30 days 2=No, Haven't used cigarettes in the past 30 days Alcohol intake 1=Yes, Have consumed alcohol within the past 30 days 2=No, Haven't consumed alcohol within the past 30 days

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