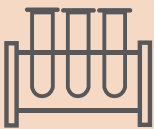




Community News

CanTEST have tested a total of **698** samples to 20th February 2023.

This month, CanTEST staff provided **110** health and AOD brief interventions and **18/84** samples were voluntarily discarded by people after their received their results.



Heroin

was expected in **2** samples and not detected in either of them.

1 sample contained **MDMA** and **1** sample contained **cocaine** and **caffeine**.



Cocaine

was expected in **10** samples and detected in **6**

Purities ranged from **<5 - 66%**

Where cocaine was expected but wasn't found:

1 sample contained **ketamine** and **1** sample contained **caffeine**

Adulterants found in cocaine this month included **benzocaine**, **caffeine** and **procaine**.



Ketamine

was expected in **7** samples and detected in **5**

Purities ranged from **31 - 81%**

In the samples where people expected **ketamine** to be present but it wasn't found:

1 sample contained **procaine** and **tiletamine** and **1** sample contained **tiletamine**.



Other Findings

1 sample presented as **amphetamine** | instead contained **lactose**

1 sample presented as **2-fluorodeschloroketamine** | instead contained **2'-fluoro-2-oxo-PCE (2F-NENDCK)**

1 sample presented as **2'-fluoro-2-oxo-PCE (2F-NENDCK)** | instead contained **ketamine**

1 sample presented as **3-methylmethcathinone** | instead contained **3-chloromethcathinone**

1 sample presented as **methydone** or **eutylone** | instead contained **dipentylone**

In **5** unknown or undisclosed samples presented: **1** contained **creatine**, **1** contained **4-fluoroamphetamine**, **2** contained **ketamine** & **1** contained **lactose**.



MDMA

was expected in **22** samples and detected in **19**

Samples tested & their purity ranges:

2/2 capsules contained **81 - 82%**

3/6 powder contained **35 - 80%**

14/14 crystalline contained **<5 - 76%**

In the samples where people expected **MDMA** to be present but it wasn't found:

2 samples contained **dipentylone**.



Methamphetamine

was expected in **5** samples and detected in all of them.

Purities ranged from **66 - 70%**



Butane-1,4-diol

was expected in and detected in **1** sample.



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These are preliminary findings, subject to change.
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