

antest Tested 145 samples in its fifth month.



Community News

CanTEST staff provided 228 health and AOD brief interventions and **2/145** samples were voluntarily discarded by people after their received their results.

To 20 December, CanTEST had tested a total of **516** samples during the trial period.

CanTEST opened for extended hours in the lead up to Spilt Milk Canberra on 26 November and those results are included in this month's snapshot.

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Cocaine

was expected in 27 samples and detected in 24

Purities ranged from 5 - 84%

Cocaine adulterants found included caffeine, creatine, lignocaine and benzocaine.

In 1 sample where cocaine was expected but not found, benzococaine was identified.



Ketamine

was expected in 12 samples and detected in 6

Purities ranged from 26 - 86%

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

4 samples contained

2'-fluoro-2-oxo-PCE (2F-NENDCK) and 1 sample contained MDMA.



MDMA

was expected in 68 samples and detected in 51

Samples tested & their purity ranges:

31/40 capsules contained **11 - 81%**

8/11 powder contained **<5 - 80%**

3/5 pills contained **<5 - 18%**

9/10 crystalline contained 8 - 79%

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

1 sample contained dipentylone,

1 sample contained 2'-fluoro-2-oxo-

PCE (2F-NENDCK) and ketamine,

and 1 sample contained sucrose.



Methamphetamine

was expected in 4 samples and detected in all of them.

Purities ranged from 74 - 78%



Other Findings

Of 2 samples which were expected to contain amphetamine,

1 was found to contain 3-CMC and 1 was found to contain

methamphetamine and caffeine.

1 sample which was expected to contain benzocaine, dimethocaine, boric acid, cocaine and mephedrone was instead found to contain cocaine.

1 sample which was expected to contain 3-methoxyamphetamine was instead found to contain dipentylone.

No **heroin** was tested this month.







Thursday 10am - 1pm Friday 6pm - 9pm

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