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Illicit Drug Data Report

The Illicit Drug Data Report (IDDR), produced by the Australian Crime Commission (ACC), delivers information on law enforcement activity from the 2002-03 financial year. Specifically, the report provides statistics about drug arrests, seizures and detection by Australia's law enforcement agencies. The report also presents information on purity levels of illicit drug seizures and prices of illicit drugs over the period.

The report provides the data necessary to assess possible future illicit drug trends, as well as provides a brief snapshot of key points identified in the processing of the data.

Through the IDDR, the ACC provides law enforcement and interested stakeholders with a national picture of the illicit drugs market. The IDDR is the only report in Australia to provide national law enforcement data on arrests, seizures, purity and prices. The information presented in this report is used in Australia by decision-makers and assists the Commonwealth to meet national and international reporting obligations.

The Australian Crime Commission

The Australian Crime Commission (ACC) was established to better position Australia to meet the threats posed by nationally significant crime.

The ACC is empowered to provide an enhanced national law enforcement capacity through:

- improved criminal intelligence collection and analysis;
- setting clear national criminal intelligence priorities; and
- conducting intelligence-led investigations of criminal activity of national significance including the conduct and/or coordination of investigative and intelligence taskforces as approved by the ACC Board.

Coordinated intelligence underpins the operational activities of the ACC and its task forces. It also informs Commonwealth, state and territory law enforcement policy, national law enforcement directions, and provides advice to legislators.

