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Illicit Drug Data Report 2003–04

The Illicit Drug Data Report (IDDR), produced by the Australian Crime Commission (ACC), delivers information on drug law enforcement activity from the 2003–04 financial year. Specifically, the report provides statistics about arrests, seizures and detection of illicit drugs 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 Illicit Drug Data Report is the only report of its type in Australia and provides law enforcement and interested stakeholders with a national picture of the illicit drug market. This report contains the data necessary to assess possible future illicit drug trends, and provides a brief analysis of those trends.

The purpose of this report is to provide statistics and analysis that will assist decision-makers in developing illicit drug supply and harm reduction strategies. The data also assists the Australian Government to meet national and international reporting obligations.

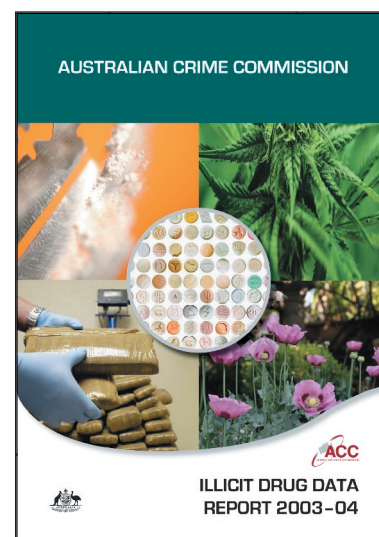
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The Australian Crime Commission (ACC) was established to better position Australia to meet the threats posed by nationally significant crime.

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.



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