

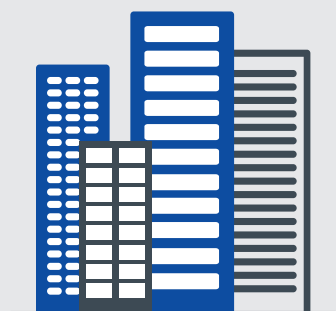
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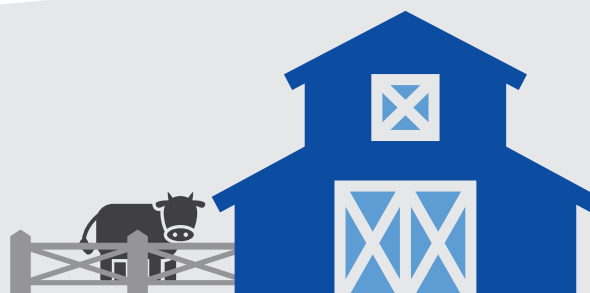
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The December 2018 collection covers around **54 per cent** of Australia's population—about **12.6 million Australians**.



Capital city **cocaine, alcohol** and **heroin** average consumption exceeded regional consumption.



Regional **nicotine, methylamphetamine, MDMA, MDA, oxycodone, fentanyl** and **cannabis** average consumption exceeded capital city consumption.

## SCORE INTERNATIONAL COMPARISONS

Of the 25 countries with comparable stimulant data, **Australia ranks second** for **methylamphetamine** and **MDMA**, with relatively **low cocaine** consumption.



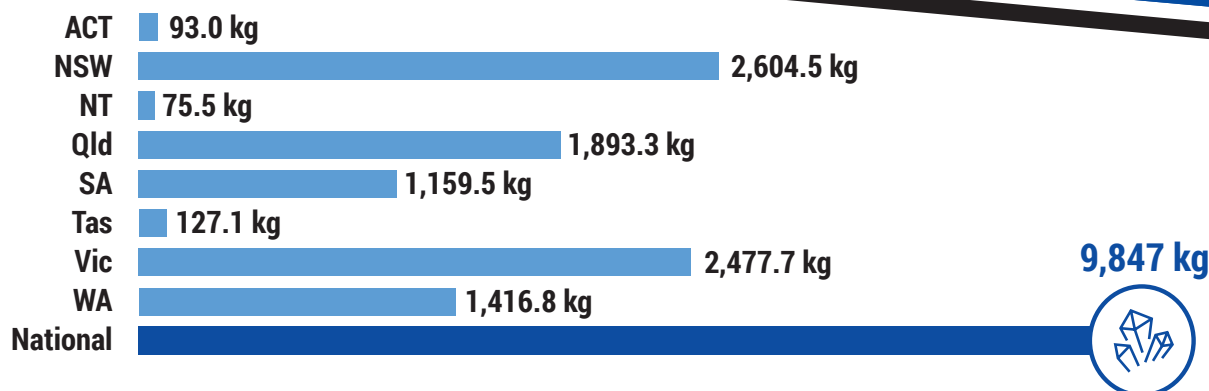
**Stimulant consumption** in Australia continues to be primarily **driven by methylamphetamine** use.

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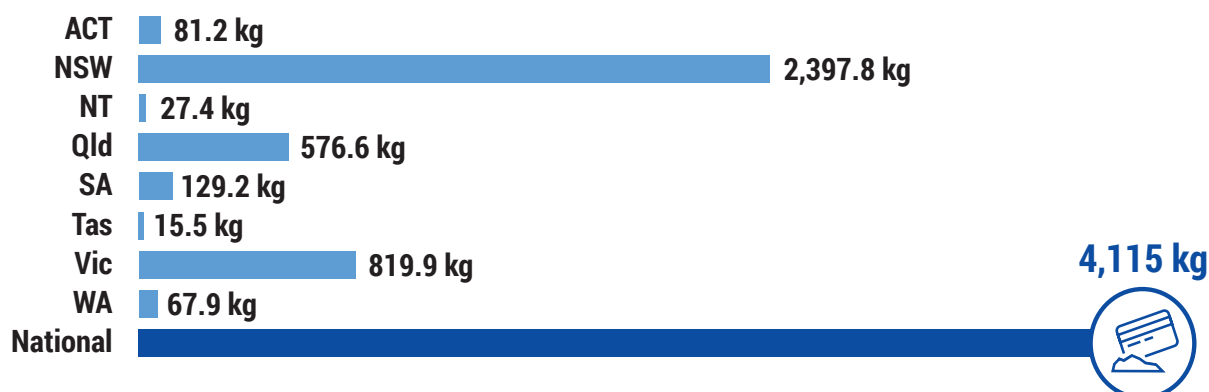


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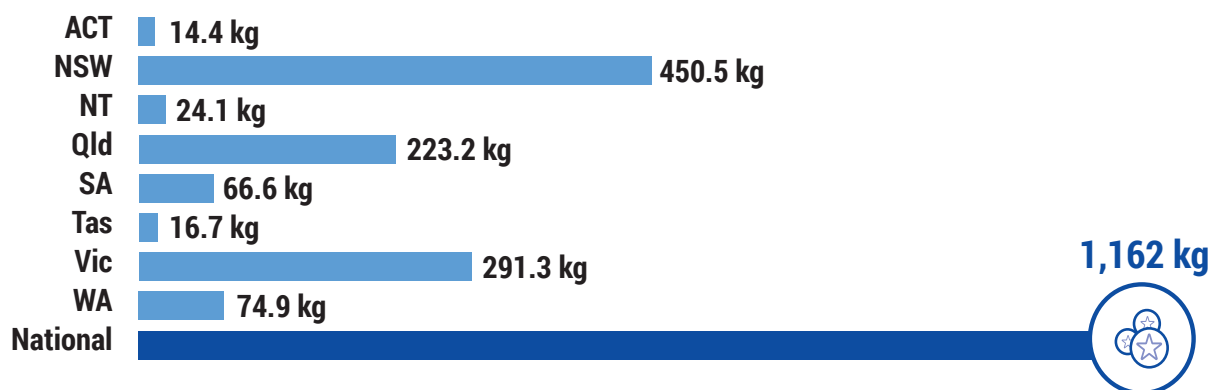
## Methylamphetamine



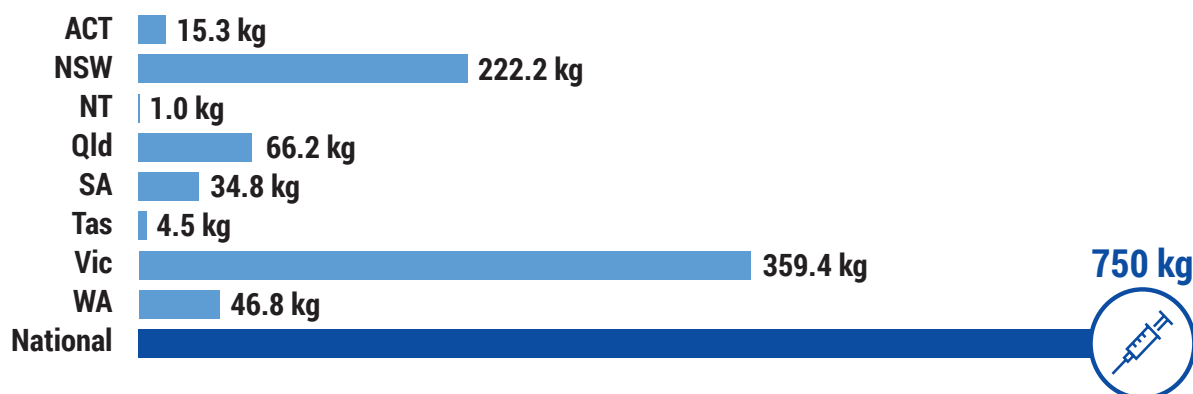
## Cocaine



## MDMA



## Heroin



Estimated state and territory annual consumption of methylamphetamine, cocaine, MDMA and heroin (based on NWDMP data for August 2017 to August 2018).