

# **UK National Anti-Doping Programme**

**Results Department (Legal)**  
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## Testing Programme Summary

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The period under review in this report is 1 October – 31 December 2020. During this time, the domestic and international Anti-Doping Testing Programme carried out 2090 tests.

For the purposes of this report, UK Anti-Doping defines a test as any attempt to test a single athlete in a single Sample Collection Session. If multiple samples (blood and/or urine) are collected from an athlete in a single Sample Collection Session, this is only counted as one successful test. If the athlete is not located or unavailable for testing, this is defined as one unsuccessful test attempt, regardless of the number of planned samples to be collected from that athlete.

The following table displays the outcome of these tests:

### Testing Programme Summary

Successful Tests – Quarter 3	1926
Unsuccessful Test Attempts – Quarter 3	164
<b>Total number of Tests – Quarter 3</b>	<b>2090</b>
Additional Samples collected – Quarter 3 <sup>†</sup>	13
<b>Year to date summary</b>	
<b>Total number of Tests</b>	<b>3622</b>
<b>Total number of successful Tests</b>	<b>3357</b>

<sup>†</sup> Additional samples collected when the Specific Gravity (SG) of the first sample is out of range, or for other reason.

Of the 2090 Tests in Quarter 3, 146 were attempted under the jurisdiction of an International Federation or other Anti-Doping Organisation.

## Adverse Analytical Findings

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Adverse Analytical Findings (AAFs) are defined in the World Anti-Doping Code as “a report from a WADA-accredited laboratory or other WADA-approved laboratory that, consistent with the International Standard for Laboratories, establishes in a Sample the presence of a Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers or evidence of the use of a Prohibited Method.”

During the period of 1 October – 31 December 2020, one AAF was reported.

This figure may not be identical to the number of Anti-Doping Rule Violations (ADRVs) for the same period. This is because the detection of an AAF does not automatically lead to an ADRV for several reasons; for example, an athlete may have a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) for a Prohibited Substance to address a legitimate medical requirement or may have ingested the substance through a permitted route. Furthermore, there will of course be a period between the reporting of an AAF and a violation ultimately being proved (where applicable).

### Anti-Doping Rule Violations

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The following table details the categories of substance or rule violation for all closed cases publicly reported on the UK Anti-Doping website for the year to date (i.e. 1 April 2020 – 31 March 2021). Substances are grouped according to the categories outlined in the World Anti-Doping Agency 2021 Prohibited List. For further detail on individual cases, please refer to the [UK Anti-Doping website](#).

Substance Category or Rule Violation	Number of ADRVs	Percentage (%)
S1. Anabolic Agents	6	35%
S3. Beta-2 Agonists	1	6%
S4. Hormone and Metabolic Modulators	1	6%
S5. Diuretics and Masking Agents	1	6%
S6. Stimulants	4	24%
Multiple – Analytical	2	12%
Evading, refusing or failing to submit to sample collection	1	6%
Complicity	1	6%

Source data: All outcomes reported on the UK Anti-Doping website between 1 April 2020 – 31 March 2021.

### Whereabouts Failures

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In Quarter 3, UK Anti-Doping recorded 3 confirmed Whereabouts Failures. There are two types of Whereabouts Failure: Missed Tests and Filing Failures.

Whereabouts Failure	Total
Missed Test	2
Filing Failure	1

For further details on Whereabouts, please refer to the ‘Whereabouts and ADAMS’ section of the UK Anti-Doping Website.

### Testing Programme: Summary by NGBs, IFs and Other NADOs

Between 1 October and 31 December 2020, 2090 Tests were attempted on behalf of 51 National Governing Bodies, International Federations and National Anti-Doping Organisations. Tests conducted during Quarter 3 included:

- The Football Association 906 Tests
- Rugby Football Union 169 Tests
- UK Athletics 145 Tests
- Rugby Football League 130 Tests
- British Cycling Federation 85 Tests

Sport	NGB/IF/ NADO	Quarter 3			Full Year		
		In Competition	Out of Competition	Total	In Competition	Out of Competition	Total
Boxing	AIBA					1	1
Boxing	BBBOC	49	8	57	83	9	92
Basketball	BBE	6	2	8	6	2	8
Bob Skeleton	BBSA		9	9		21	21
Biathlon	BBU		1	1		1	1
Canoeing	BC		28	28		44	44
Cycling	BCF		85	85		155	155
Gymnastics	BG		21	21		29	29
Judo	BJA		13	13		30	30
Karate	BKF		1	1		2	2
Sport Climbing	BMC		3	3		3	3
Rowing	BR		52	52		71	71

Sport	NGB/IF/ NADO	Quarter 3			Full Year		
		In Competition	Out of Competition	Total	In Competition	Out of Competition	Total
Swimming	BS	6	55	61	6	102	108
Snowsports	BSS		2	2		5	5
Taekwondo	BT		12	12		22	22
Triathlon	BTF		31	31		45	45
Wrestling	BWA		1	1		1	1
Basketball	BWB	4	4	8	4	4	8
Badminton	BWF		5	5		12	12
Weightlifting	BWL		7	7		7	7
Weightlifting	BWLp		3	3		3	3
Cricket	ECB	2		2	71	102	173
Hockey	EH		15	15		27	27
Netball	EN		2	2		2	2
Rugby Union	EPCR	2		2	2		2
Squash	ES		1	1		1	1
Football	FA	258	648	906	360	908	1268
Gymnastics	FIG		3	3		5	5
Swimming	FINA		11	11		24	24
Boxing	GBB		22	22		40	40
Luge	GBLA		2	2		2	2
Rugby Union	GBR- SNRL	8		8	8		8
Rugby Union	GBWR		4	4		4	4
Cricket	ICC					20	20
Ice Hockey	IHUK		3	3		3	3
Netball	INF					2	2
International	IPC	6	4	10	6	4	10
Tennis	LTA	2	3	5	12	4	16
Motorsport	MSA	3		3	6		6
Skating	NISA		1	1		1	1
Modern Pentathlon	PGB		2	2		5	5

Sport	NGB/IF/ NADO	Quarter 3			Full Year		
		In Competition	Out of Competition	Total	In Competition	Out of Competition	Total
Rugby League	RFL	24	106	130	50	226	276
Rugby Union	RFU	36	133	169	76	243	319
Football	SFA		12	12		12	12
International	SI		5	5		7	7
International	SIA*		1	1		3	3
Rugby Union	SRU	8	45	53	10	68	78
Athletics	UKA	2	144	146	25	214	239
Lacrosse	WL		3	3		3	3
Athletics	World Athletics - AIU	16	34	50	16	60	76
Rugby Union	World Rugby		47	47		106	106
Rugby Union	WRU	4	59	63	6	82	88
Squash	WSF		1	1		2	2
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>436</b>	<b>1654</b>	<b>2090</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>2749</b>	<b>3496</b>

\*formerly ASADA