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Analysis results for Victorian seizures of Emerging Psychoactive Substances and Pharmaceutical Opioids for 2012/13

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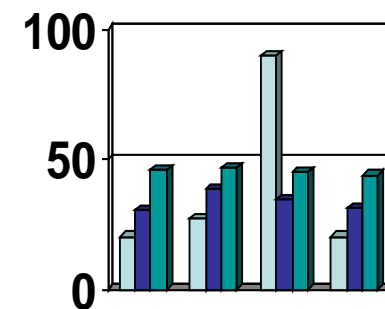
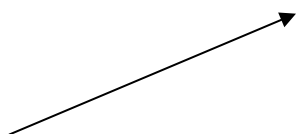
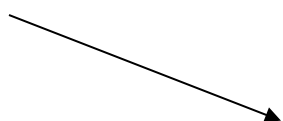
Drug Database



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Chemical Drug Intelligence Unit

(non evidential 80%)



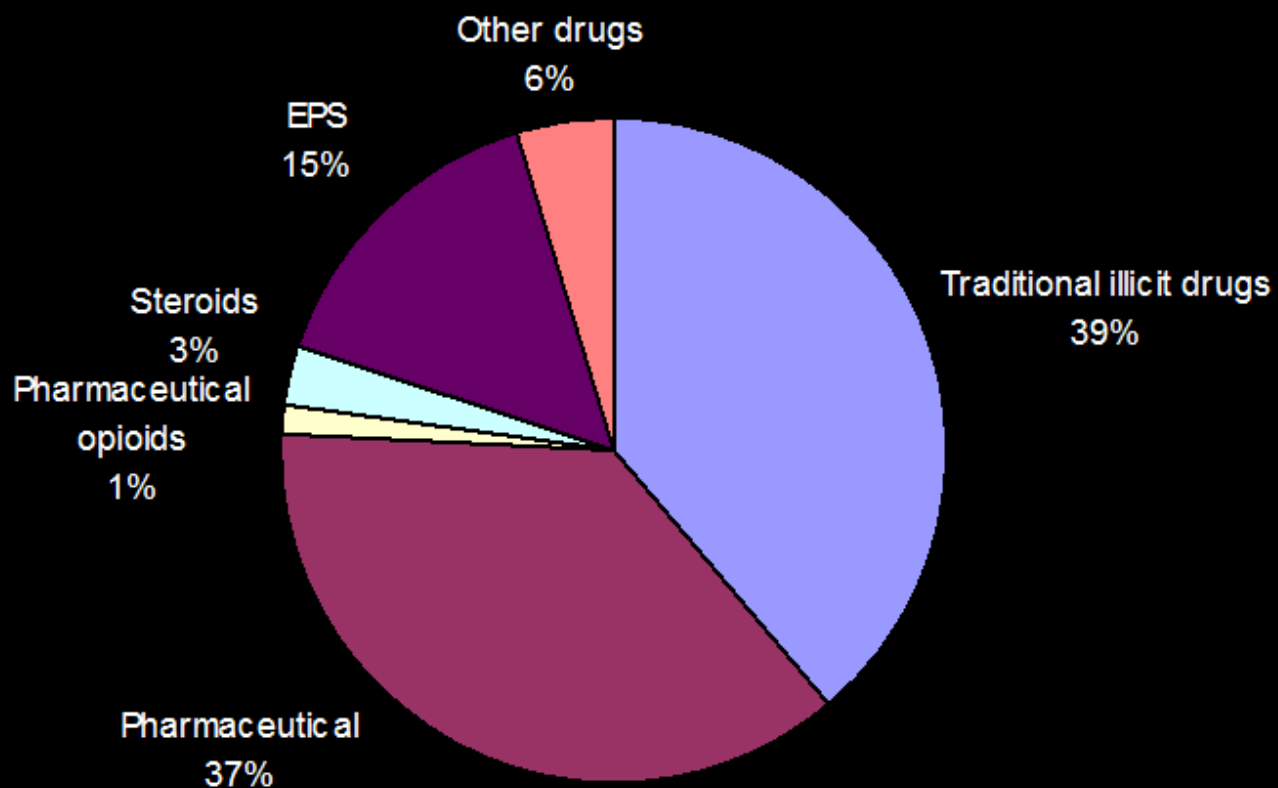
Statistics / Trend Reports

Drug Analysis Unit

(evidential 20%)

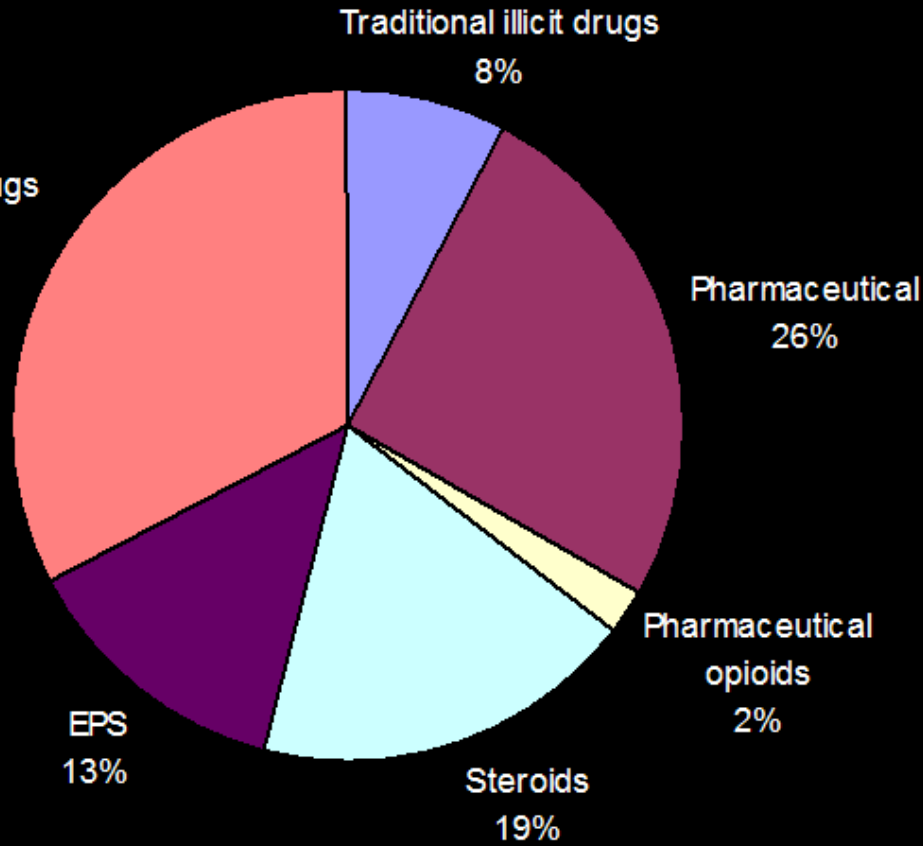


Drug Seizures for 2009/10 - number seized

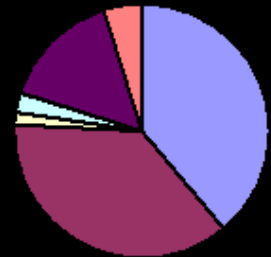




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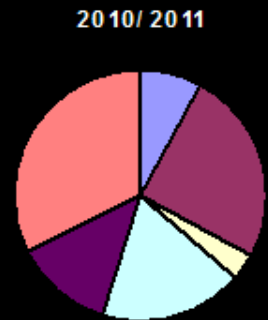
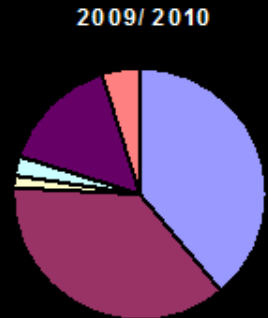
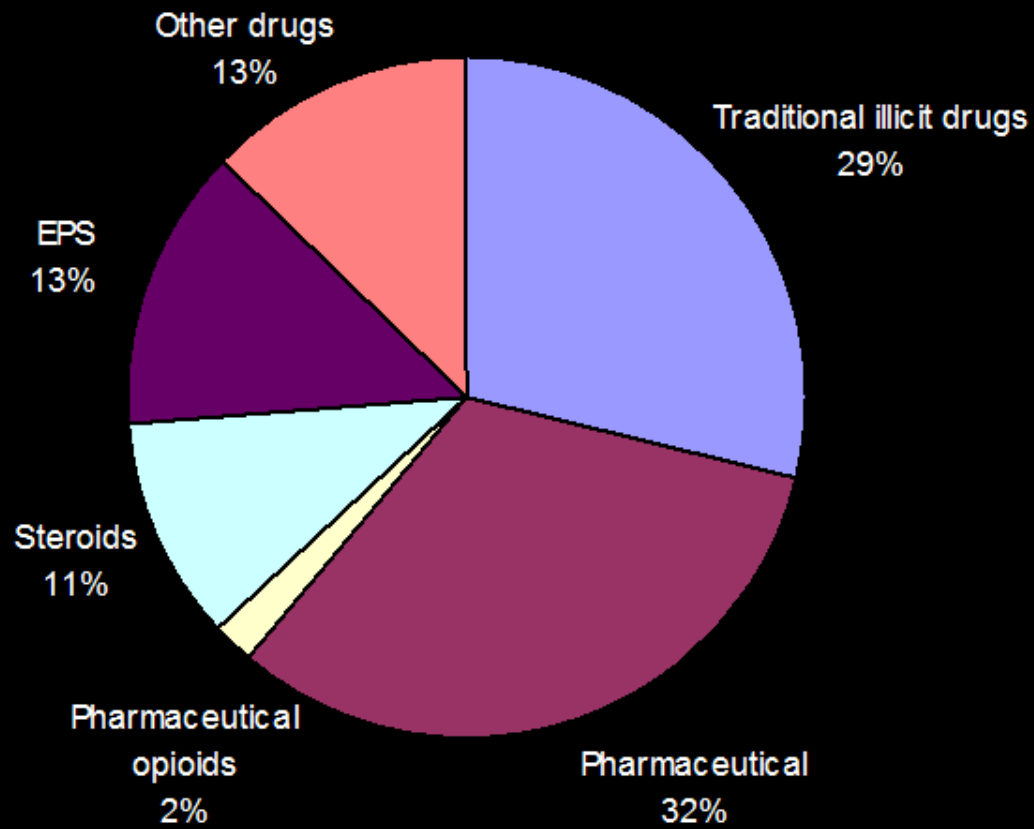


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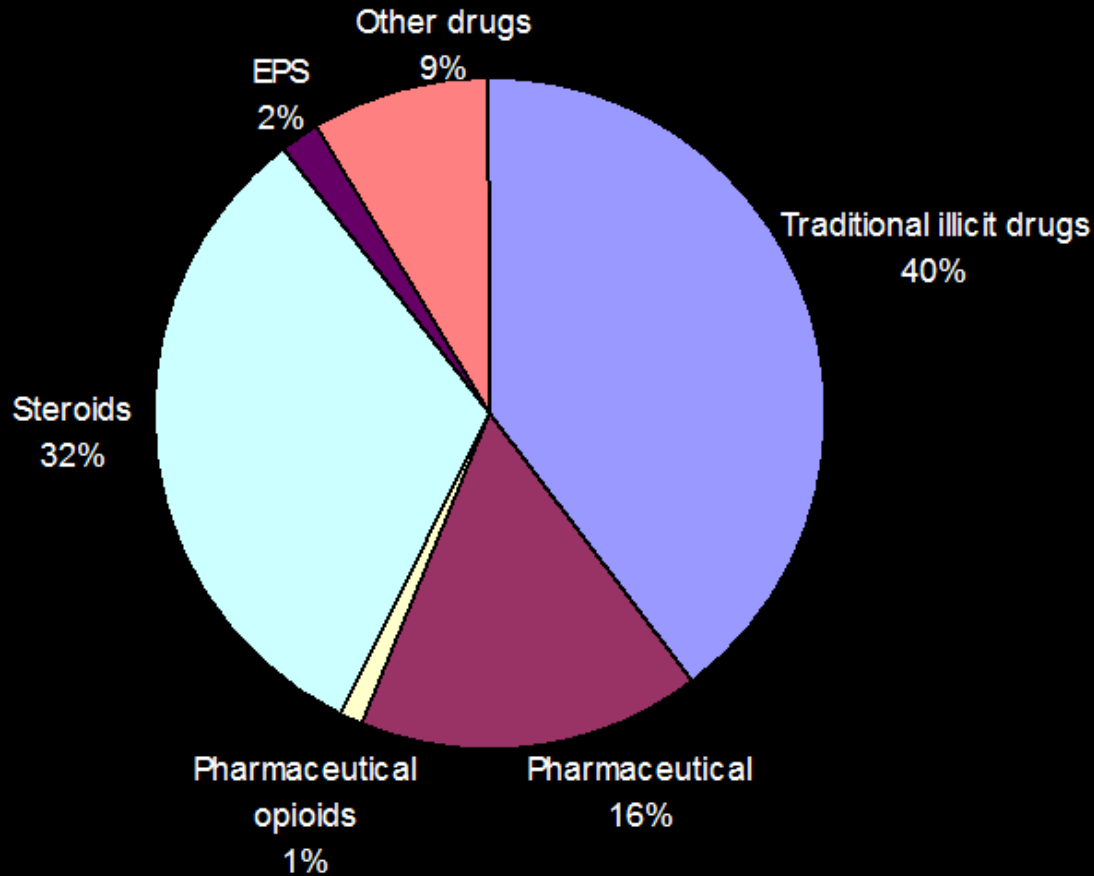


Drug Seizures for 2011/12 - number seized

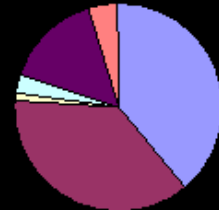




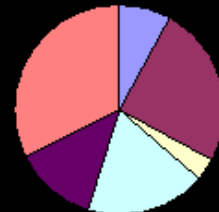
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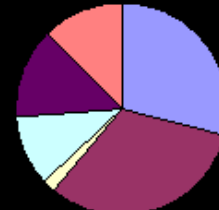
2009/2010



2010/2011



2011/2012





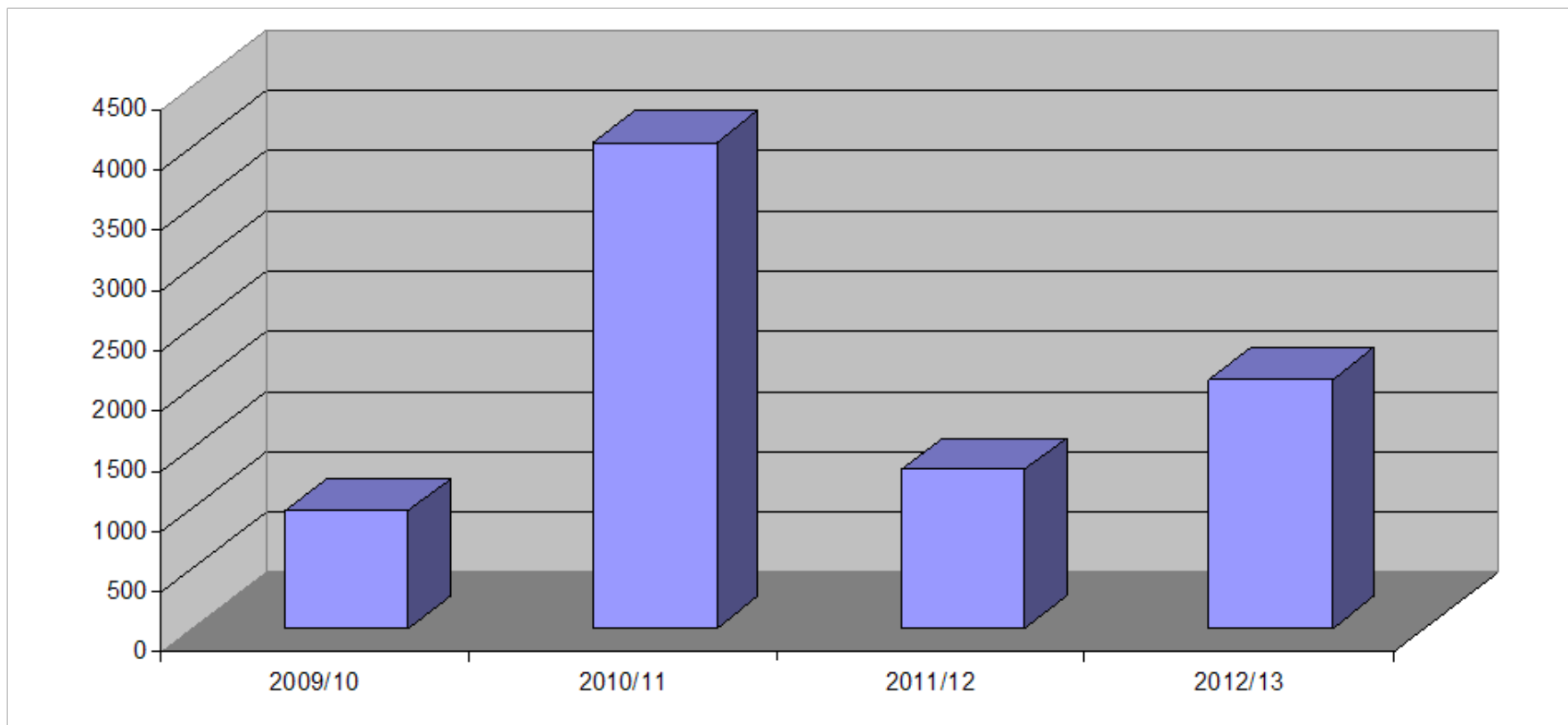
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Pharmaceutical Opioids

Pharmaceutical Opioid Seizures



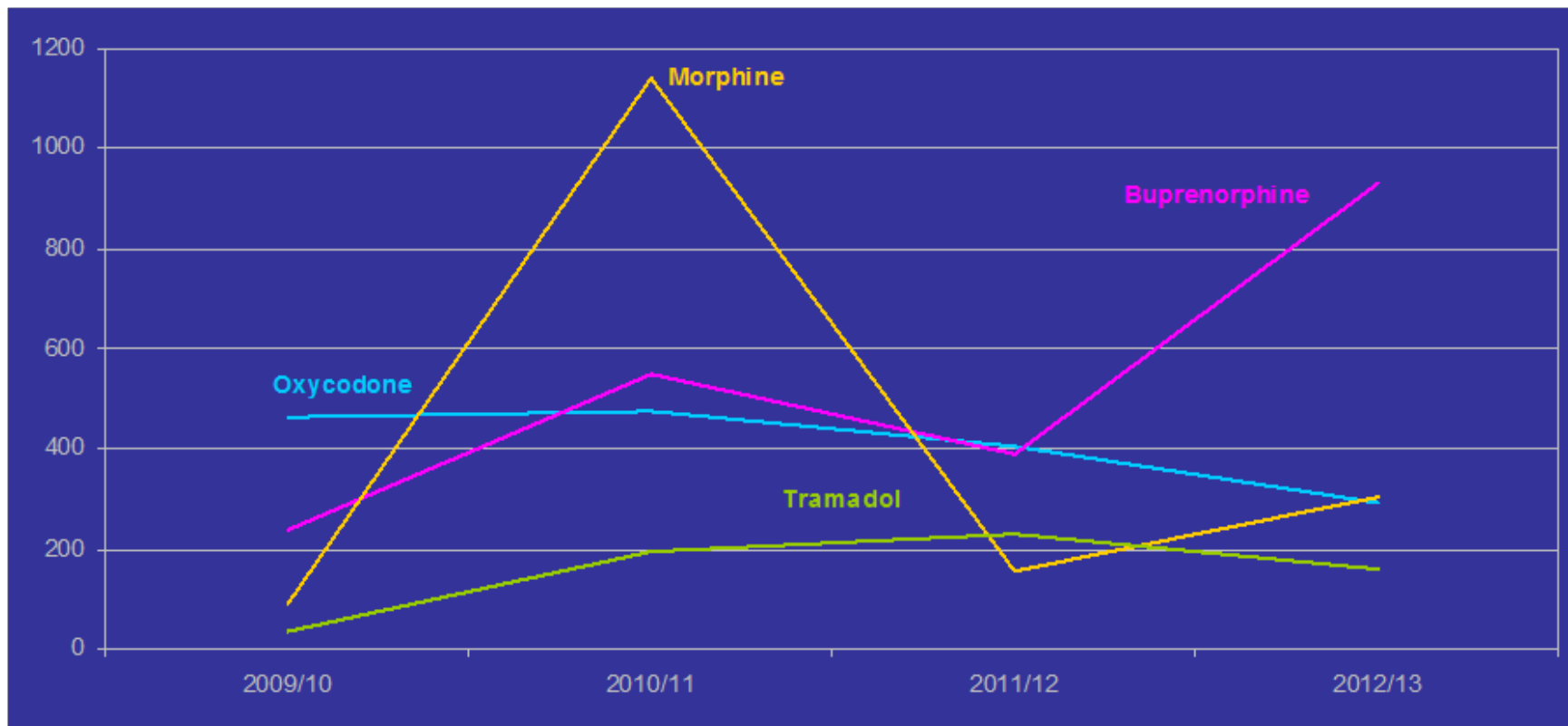
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Pharmaceutical Opioids seized in Victoria



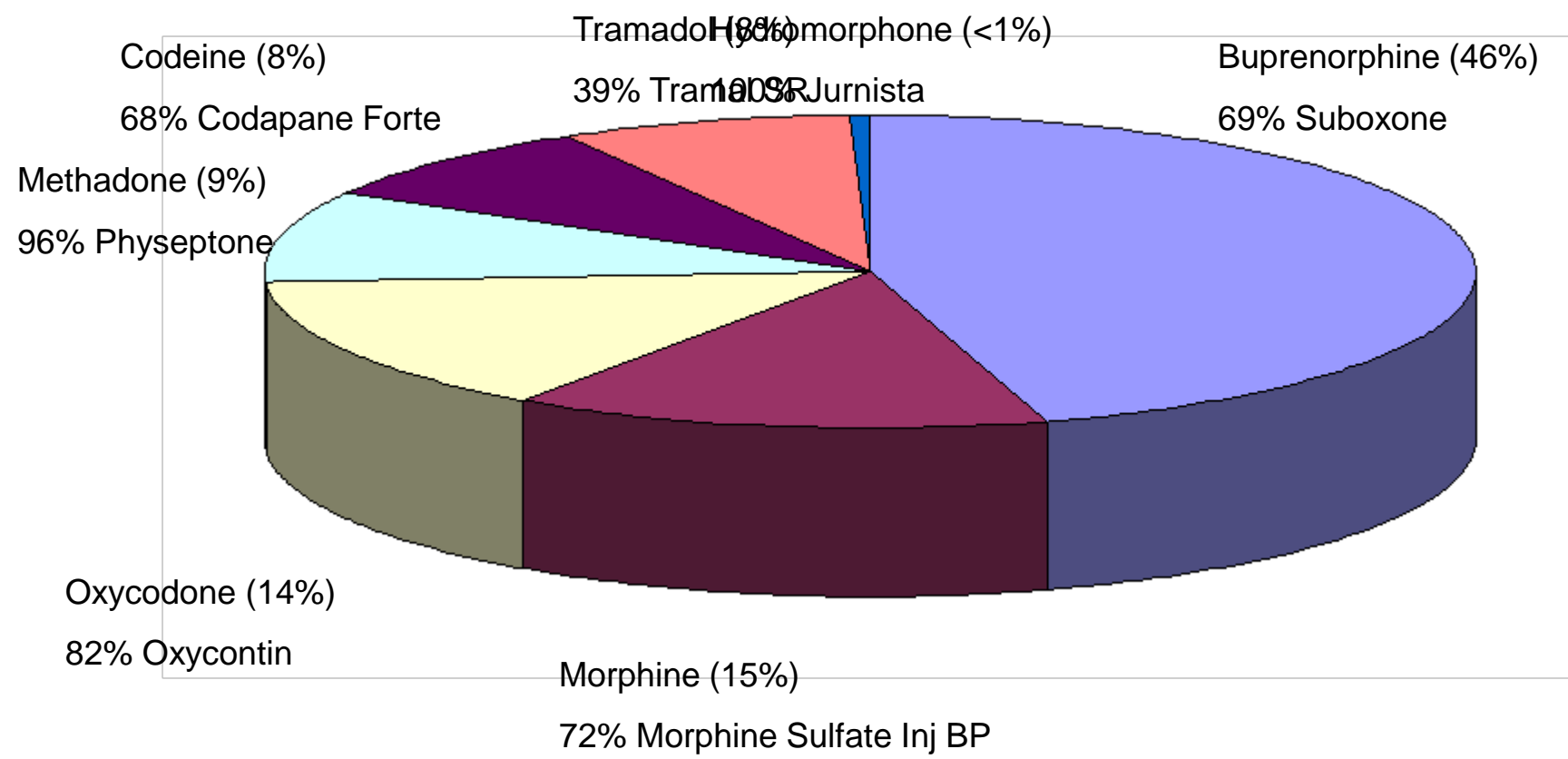
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Pharmaceutical Opioids seized during 2012/13



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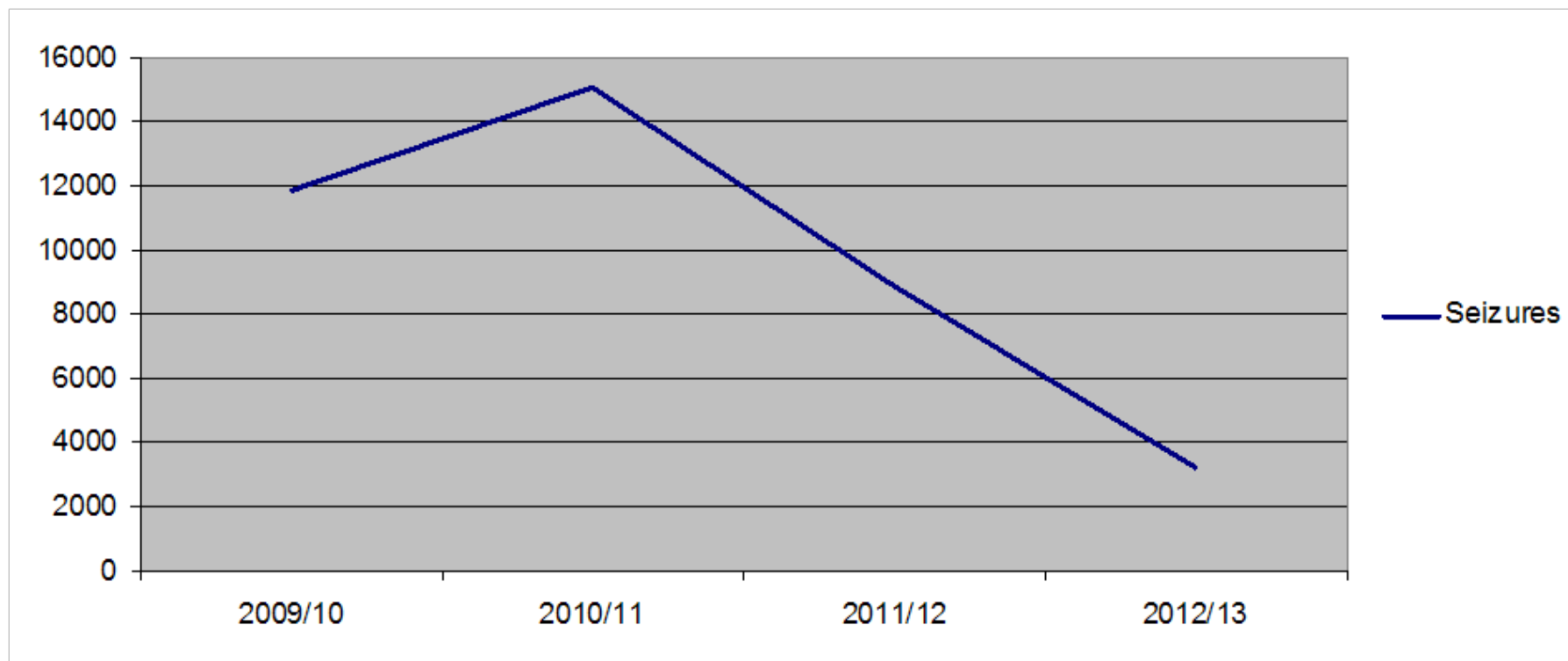
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Emerging Psychoactive Substances

EPS Seizures



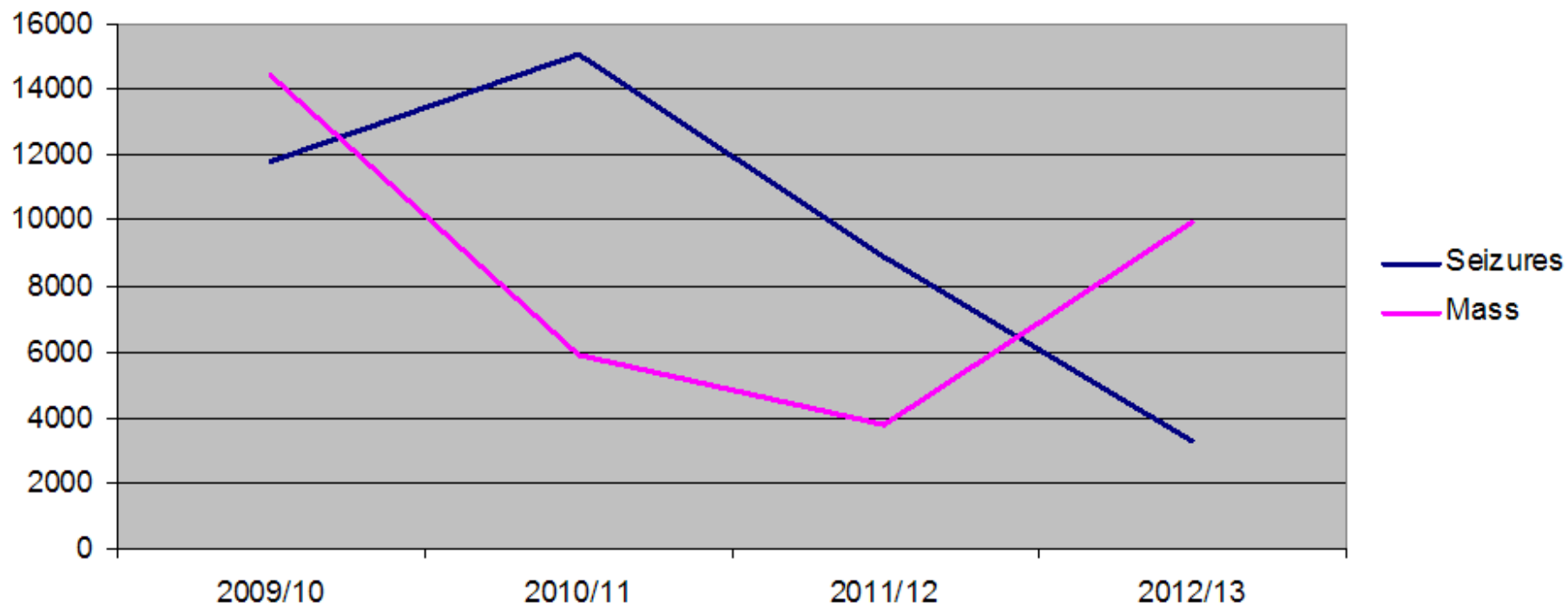
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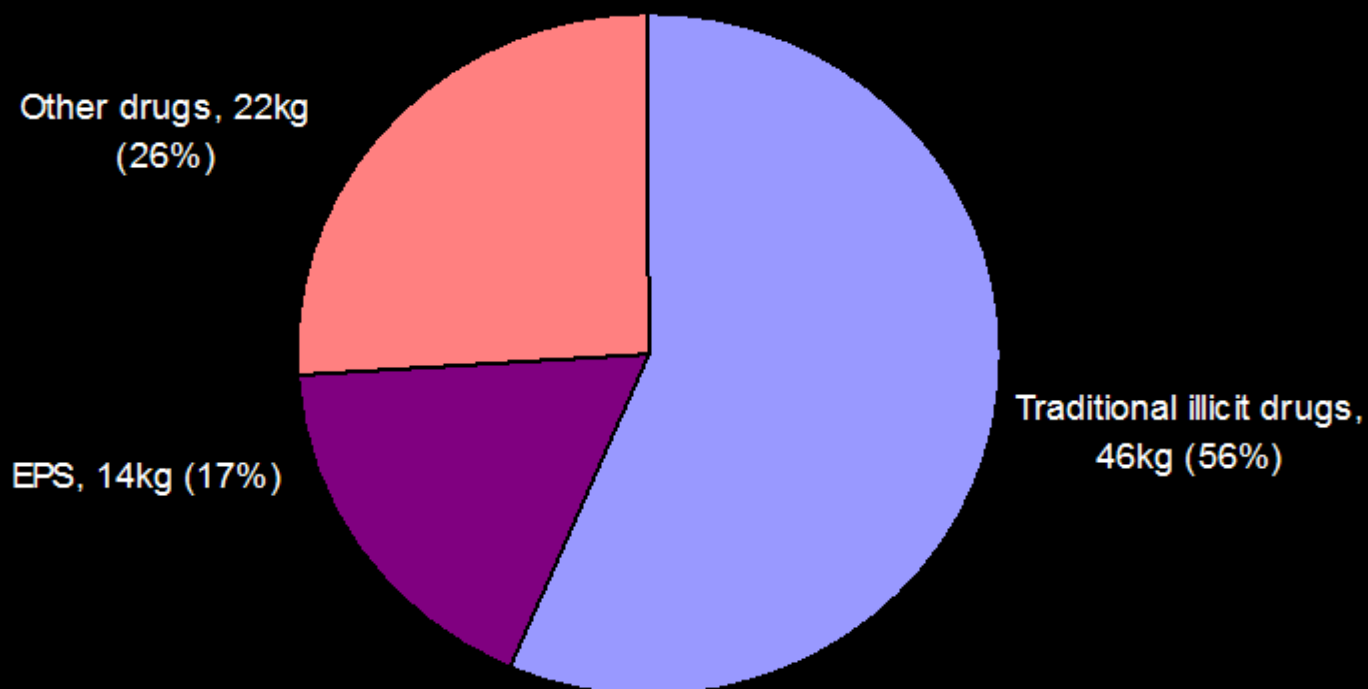


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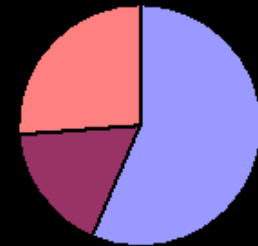
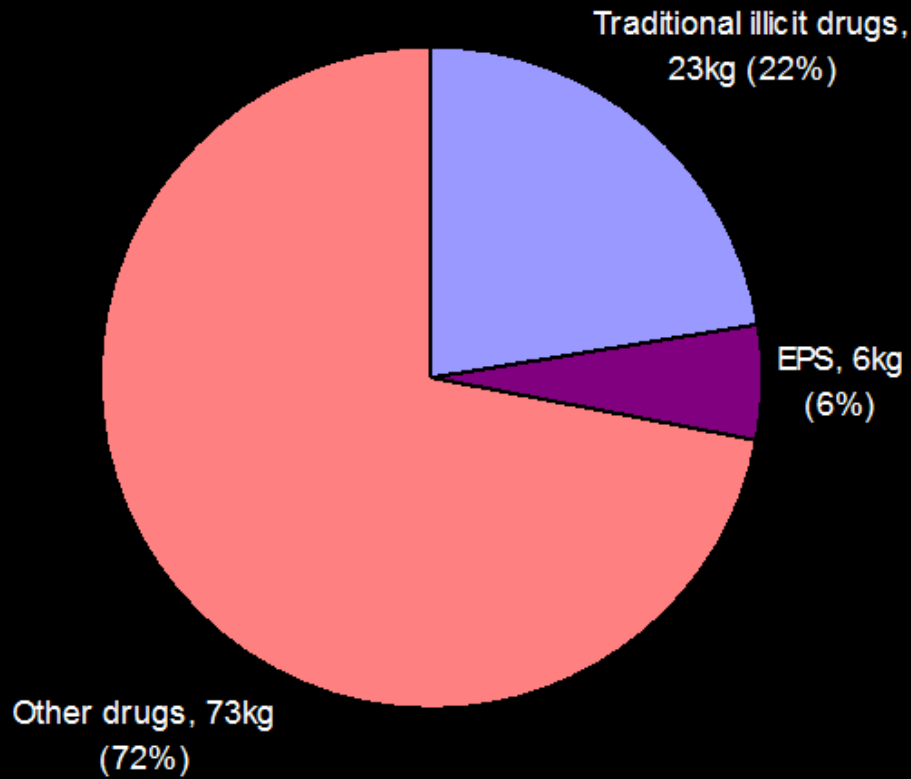
Drug Seizures for 2009/10 - mass seized





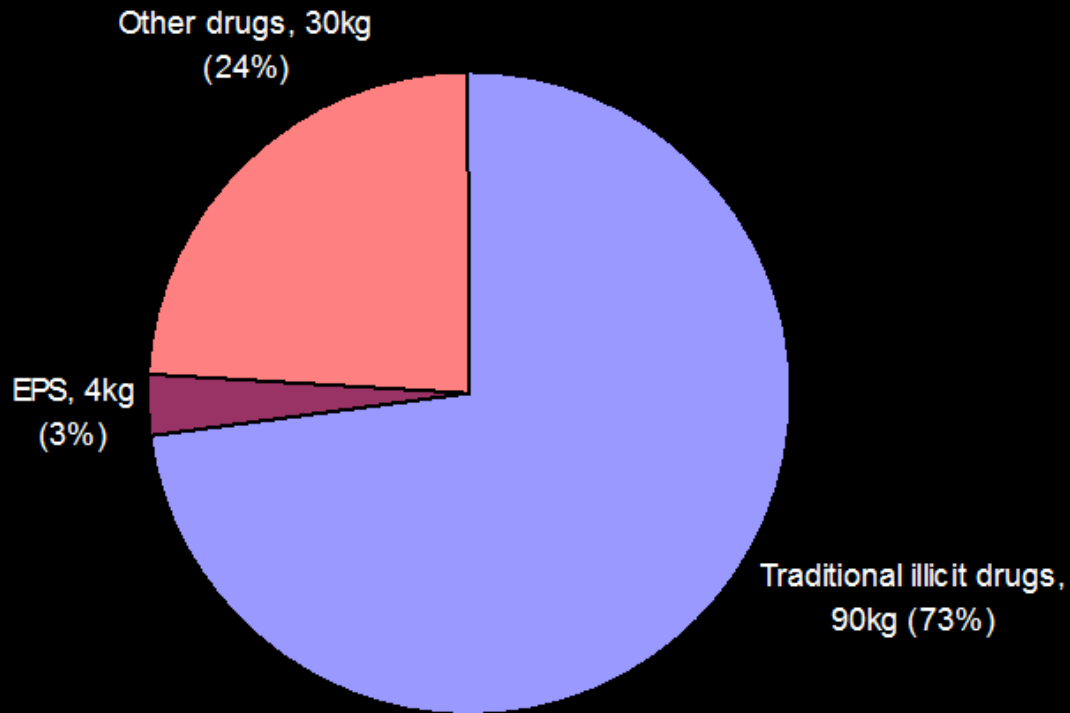
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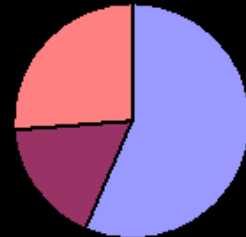




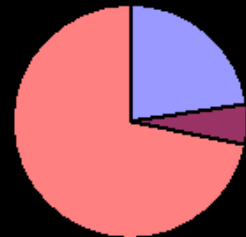
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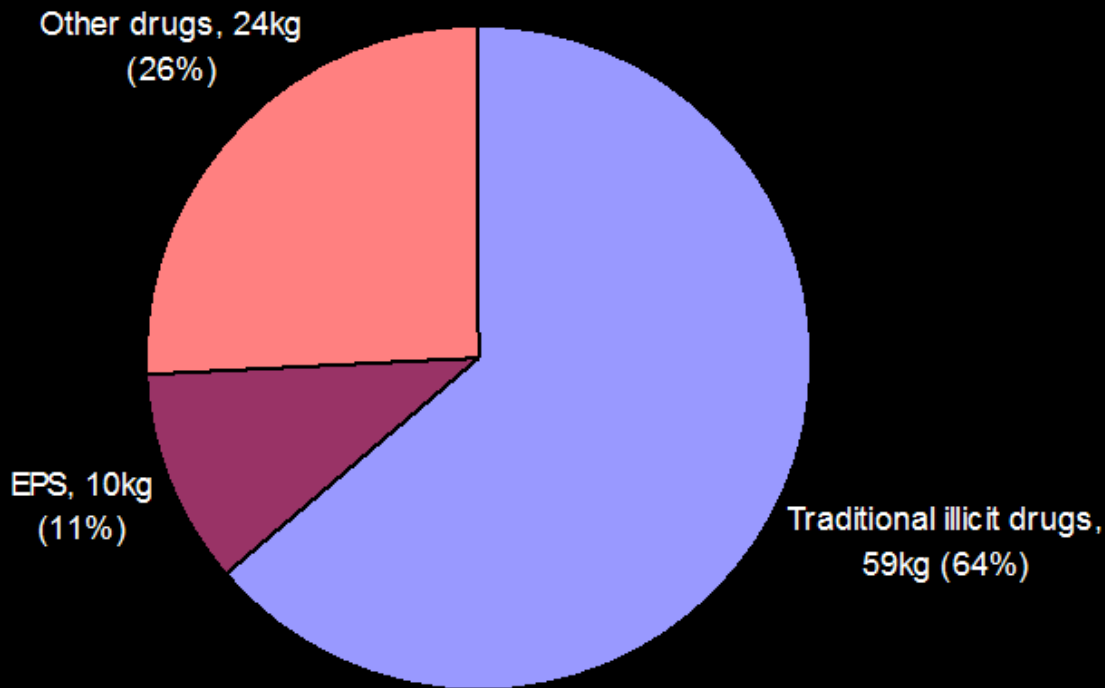


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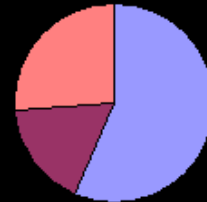




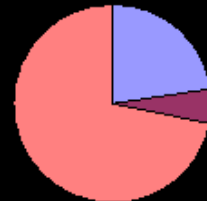
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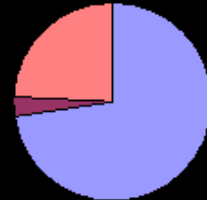
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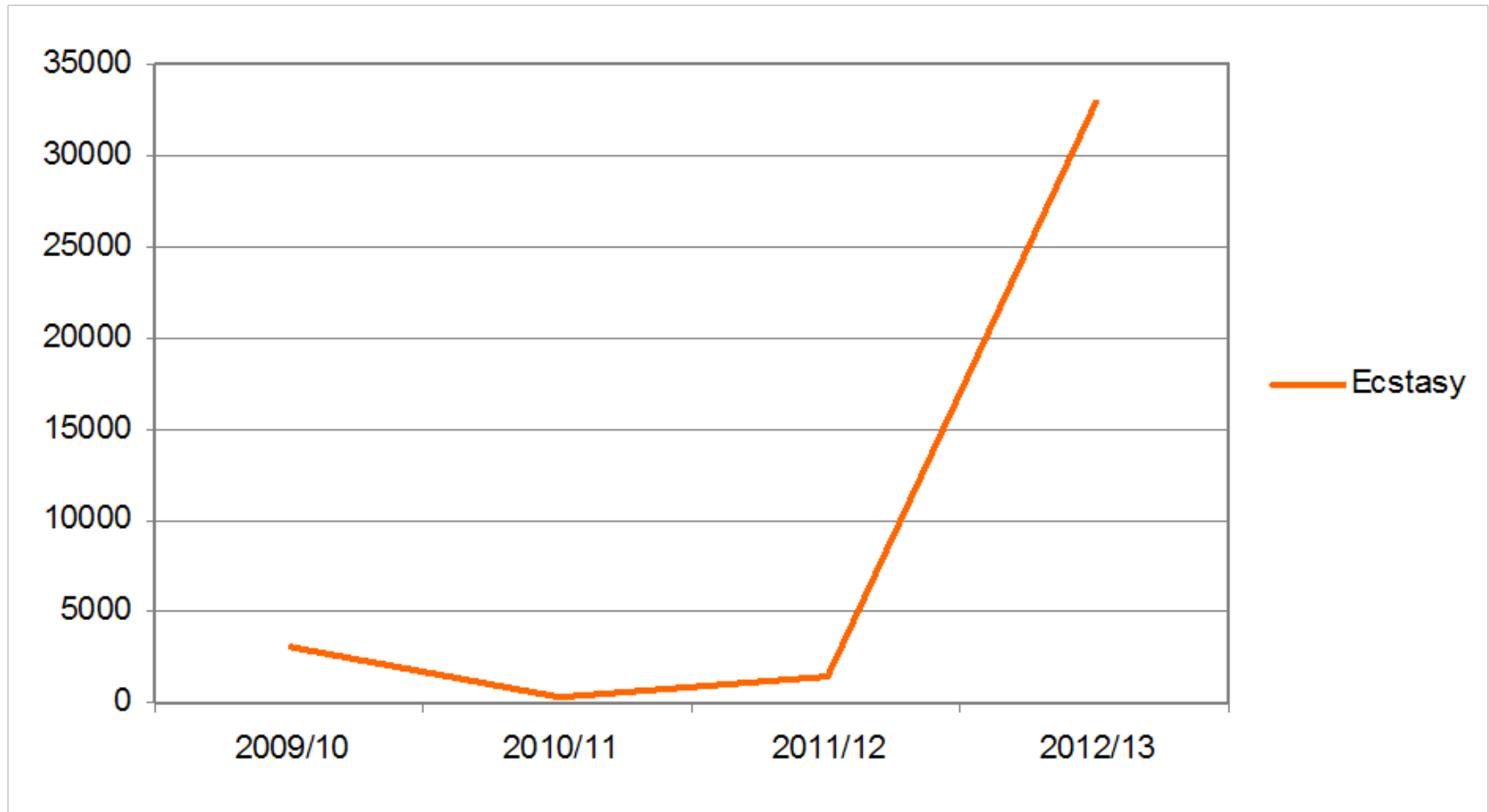
2011/2012



Mass of "Ecstasy" seized



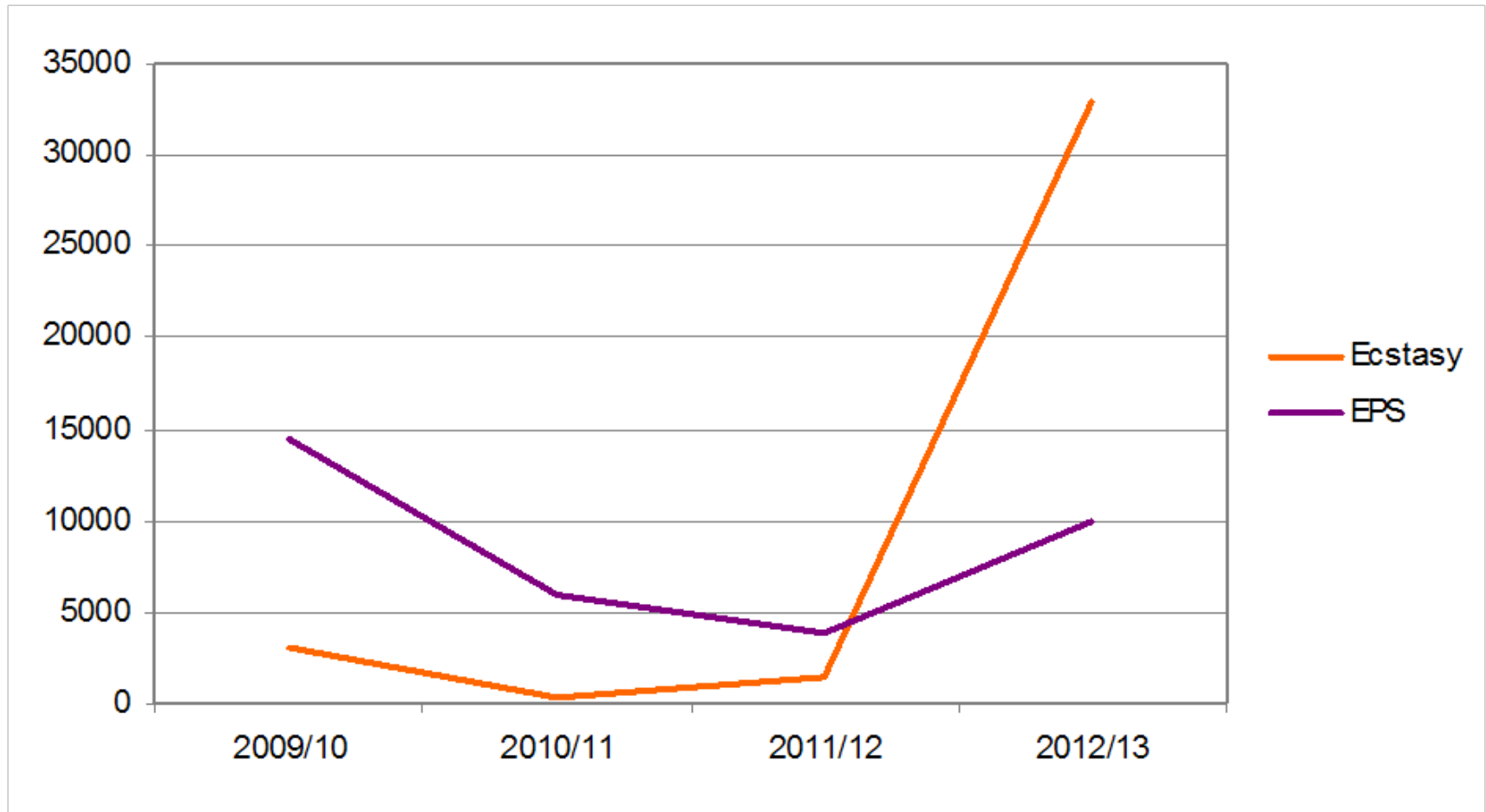
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Mass of "Ecstasy" and EPS seized



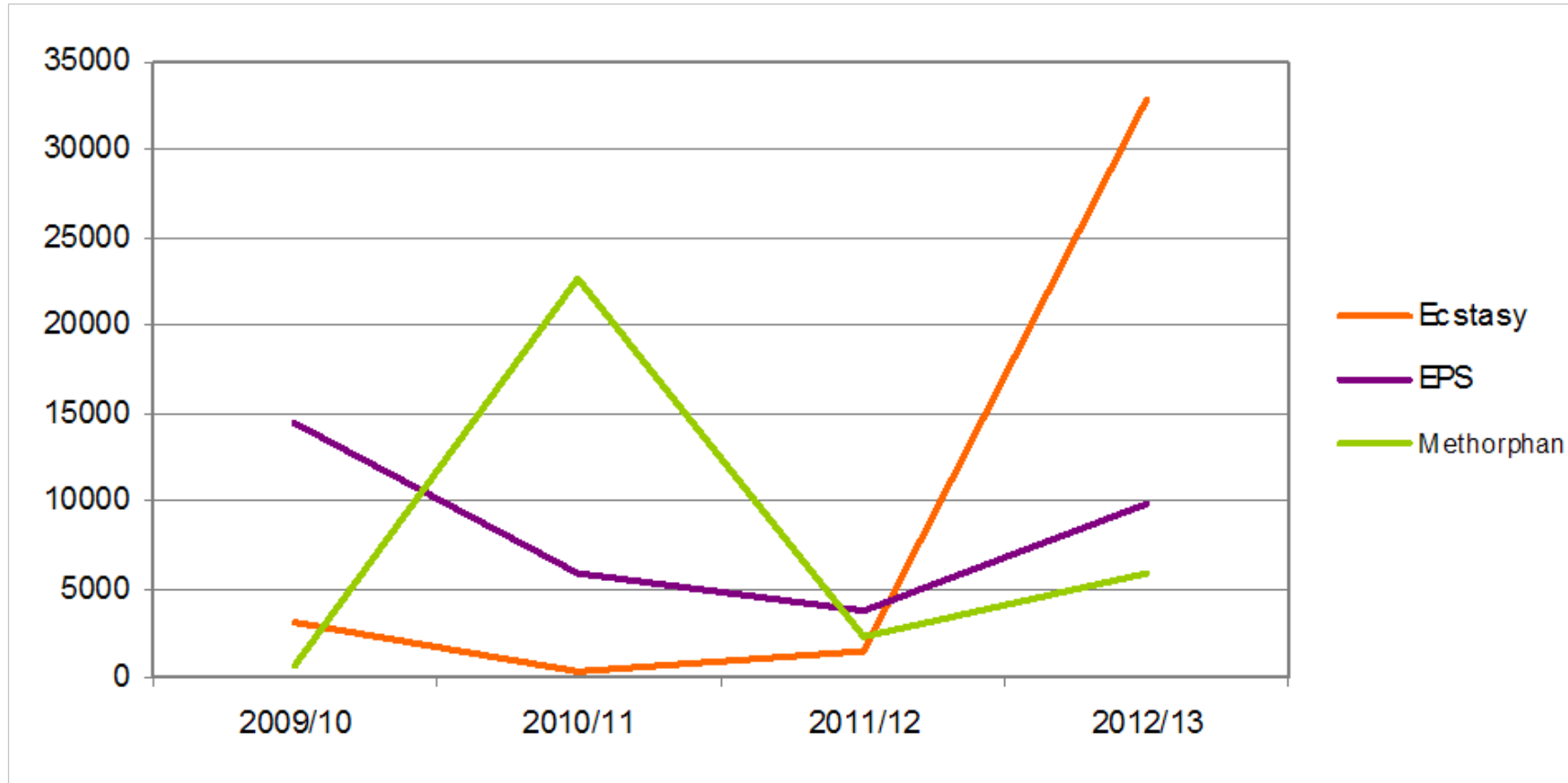
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Mass of "Ecstasy" and EPS seized



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Why are EPS still popular?



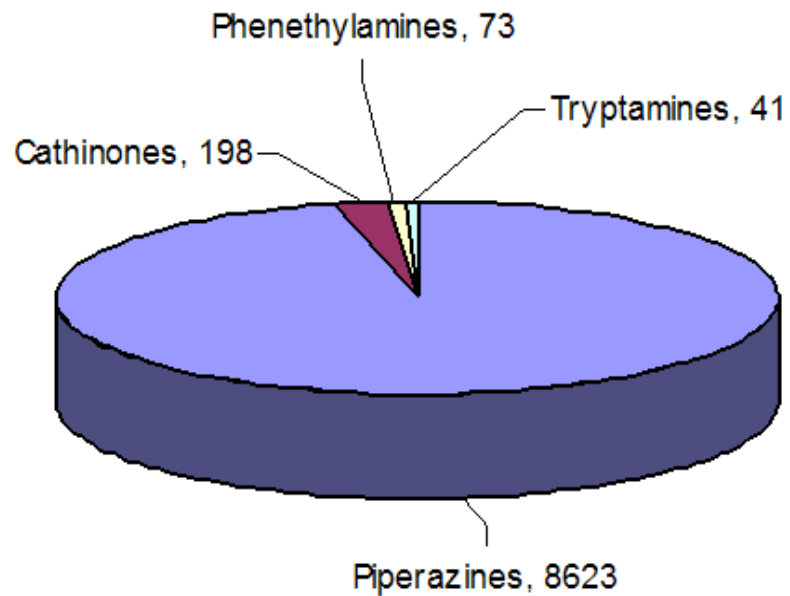
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- Legal highs
- Easily accessible
 - Over the counter
 - Internet eg. Silkroad
- Safe if purchased from the retail market
- Normalisation factor

Emerging Psychoactive Substances seized during 2009/10



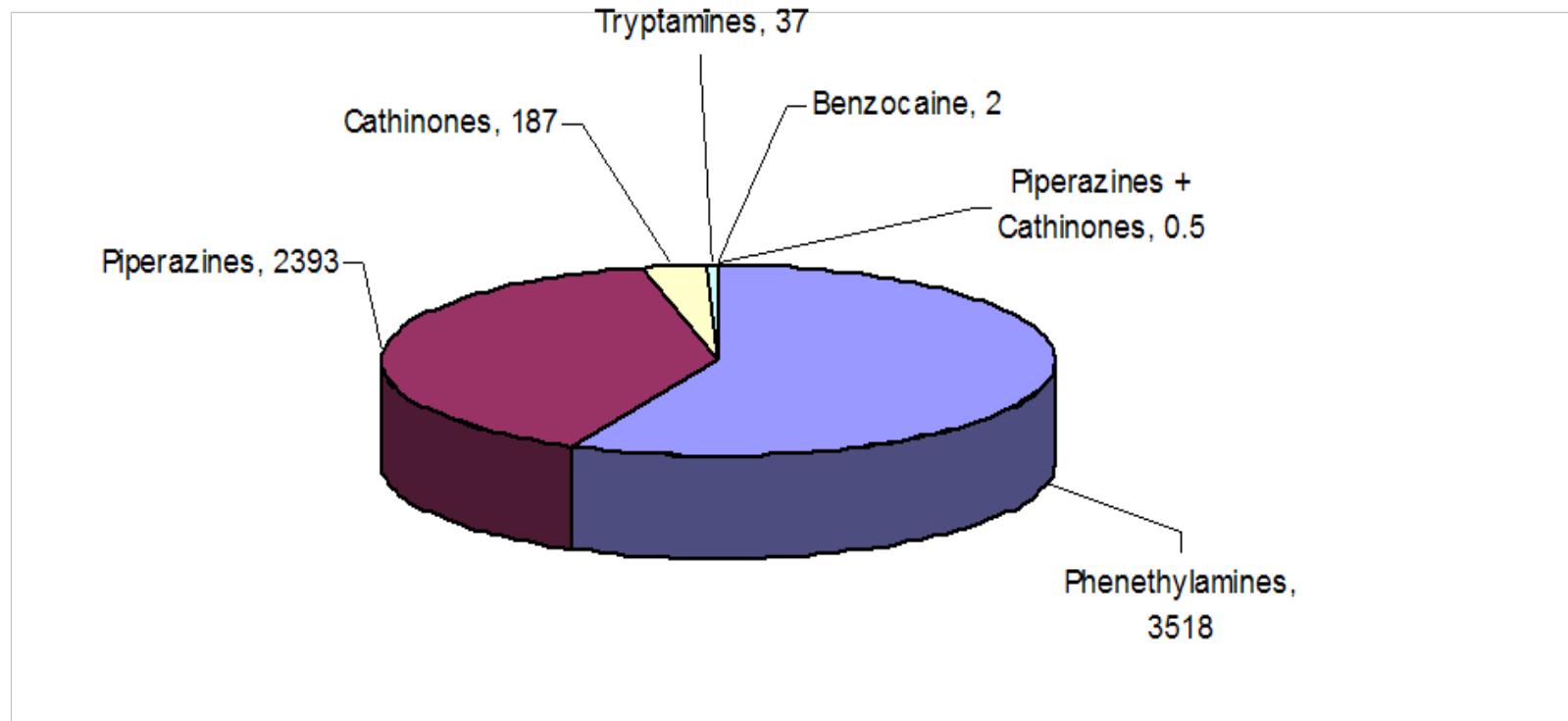
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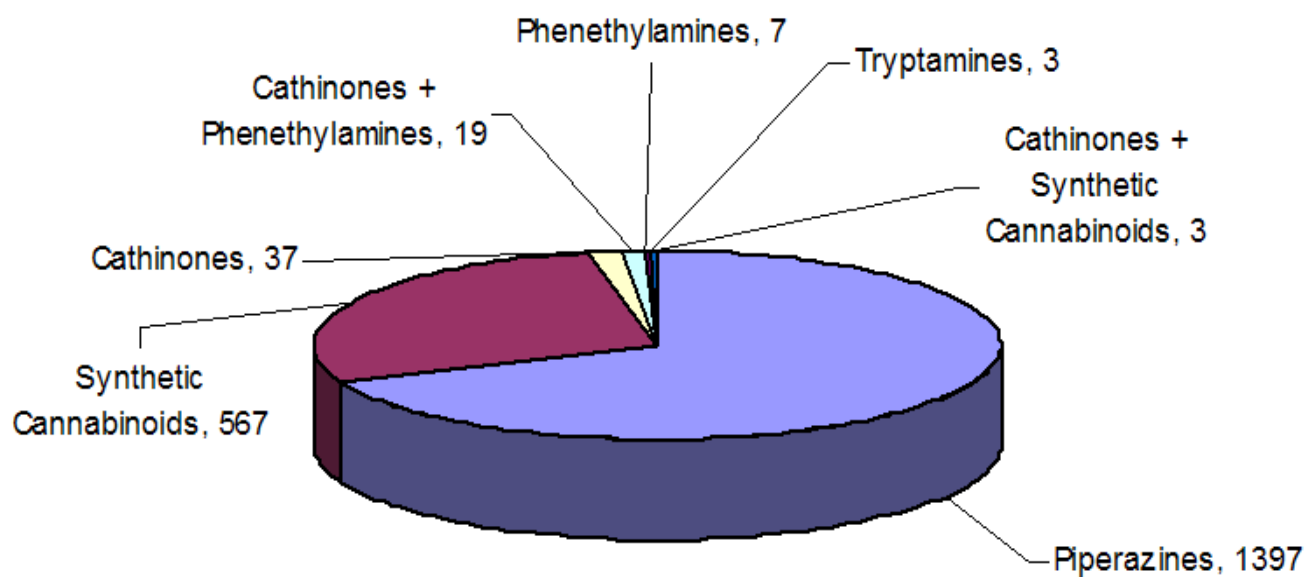
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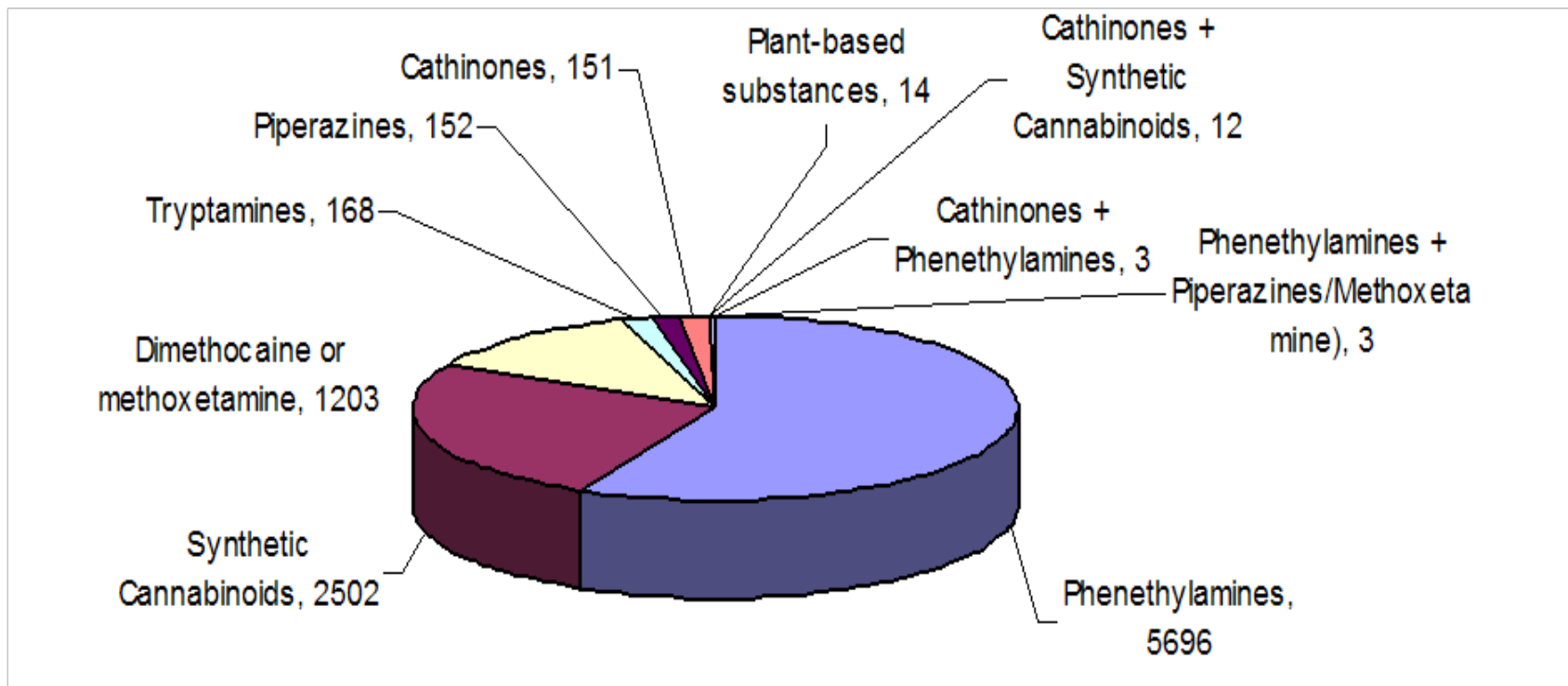
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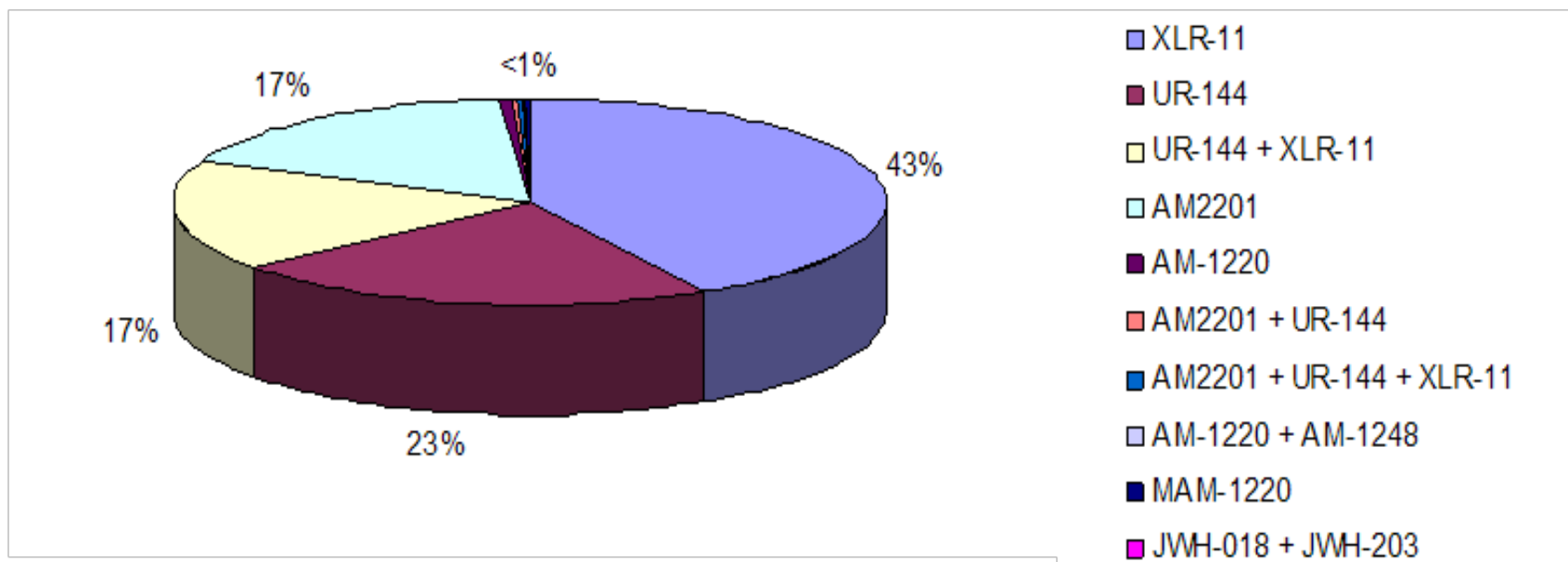
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Synthetic Cannabinoids seized during 2012/13



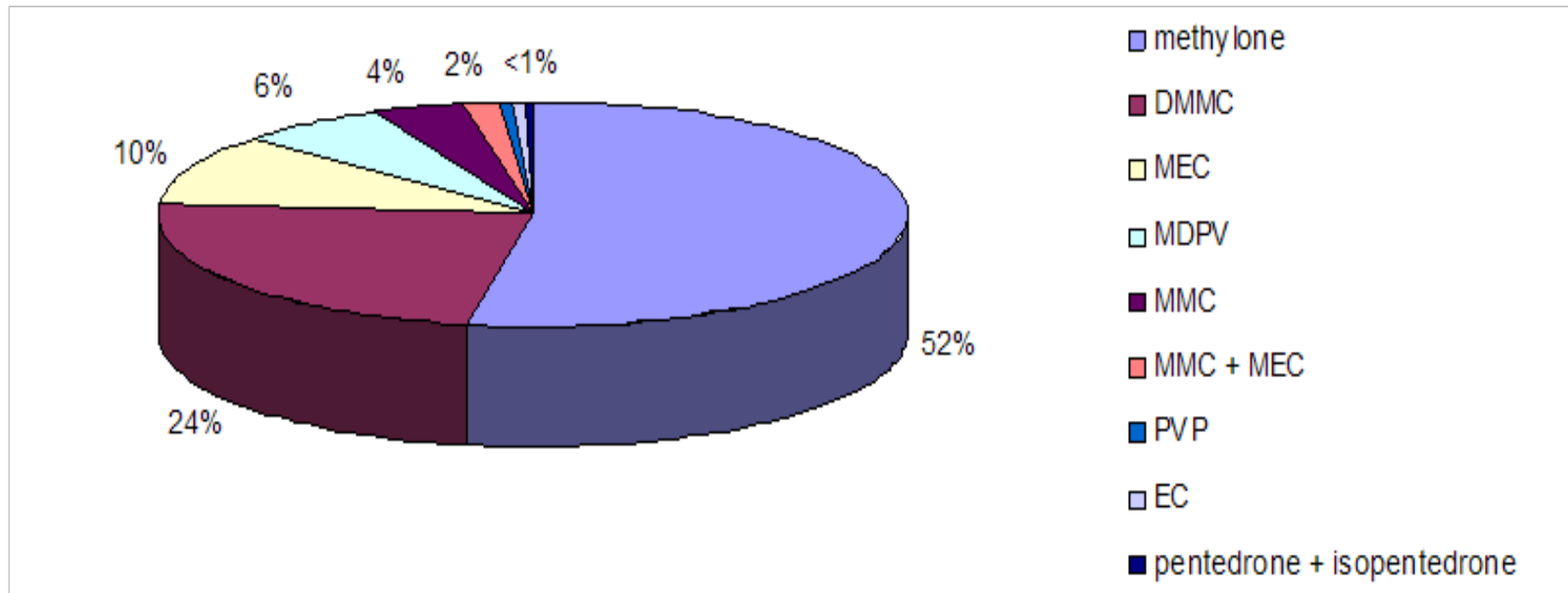
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Synthetic Cathinones seized during 2012/13



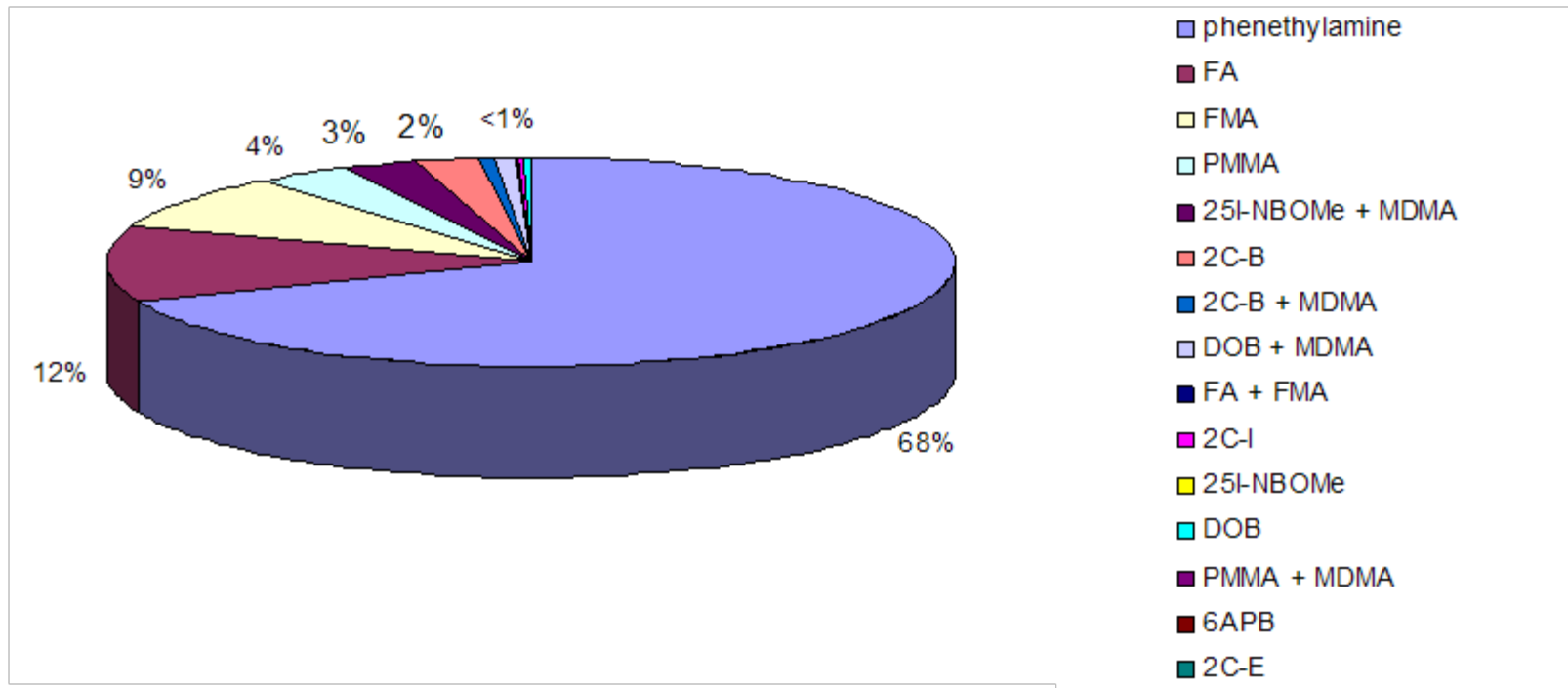
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Phenethylamines seized during 2012/13



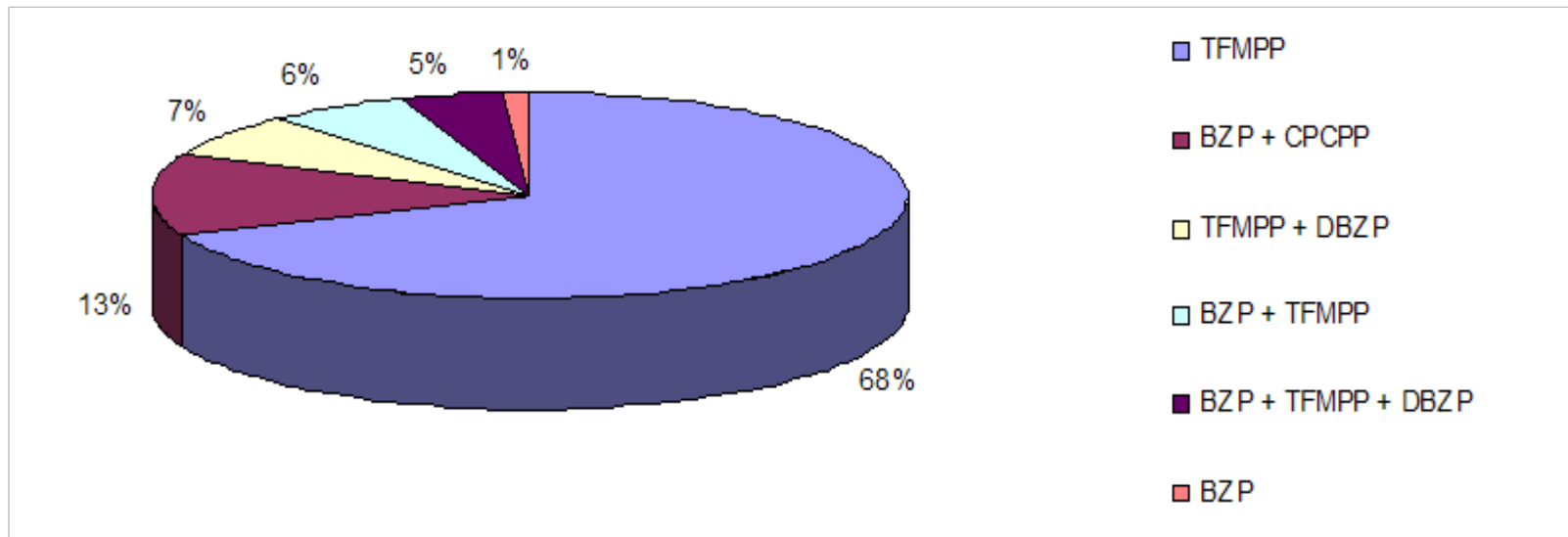
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Piperazines seized during 2012/13



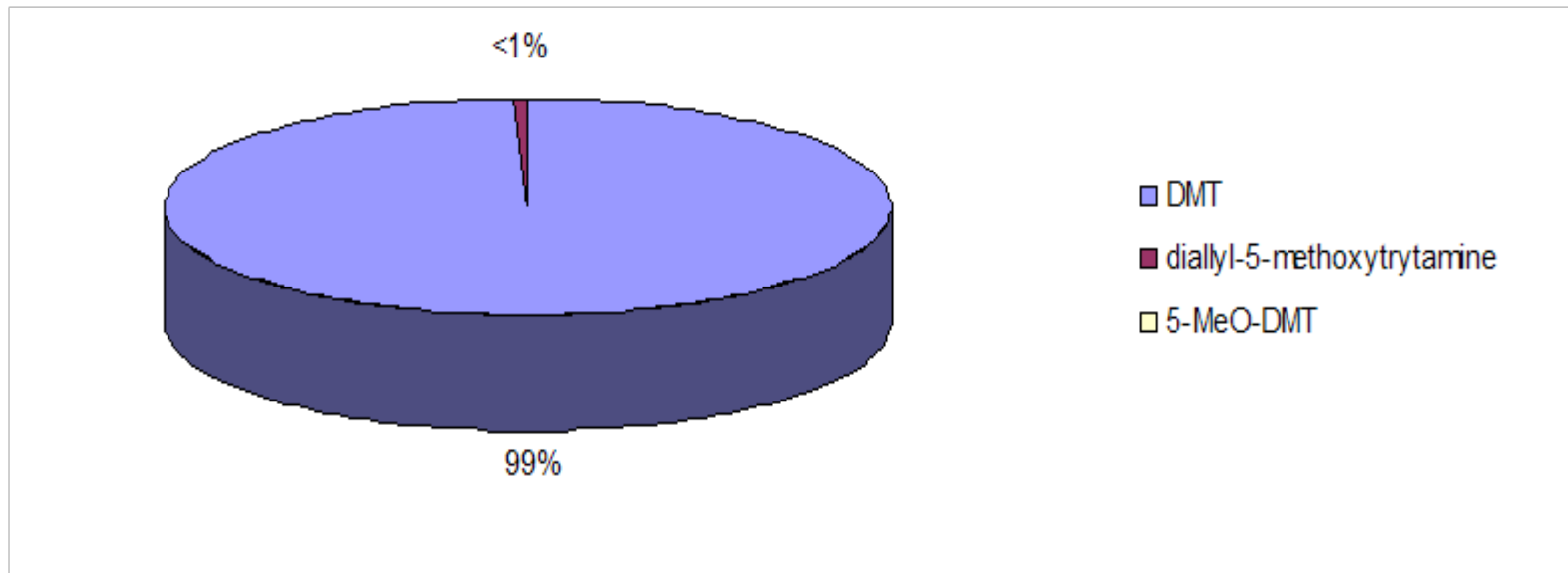
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Tryptamines seized during 2012/13



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Other EPS seized during 2012/13



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Plant-based substances	mitragynine	100%
Others	dimethocaine	99.80%
	MXE	0.20%
Synthetic Cathinones + Phenethylamines	MDPV + 2C-I	100%
Synthetic Cathinones + Synthetic Cannabinoids	MDPV + XLR-11 + JWH-122	66%
	MDPV + XLR-11	34%
Phenethylamines + Others	FA + MXE	100%
Piperazines + Phenethylamines	BZP + TFMPP + DBZP + PMA	100%



- Tablets – 70%
- Plant substance – 14%
- Powders – 12%
- Card – 3%
- Paper - <1%
- Sugar cubes - <1%

Tablets containing CPCPP



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Tablets containing methylone



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Off-white tablet with heart logo



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MDMA



No drugs

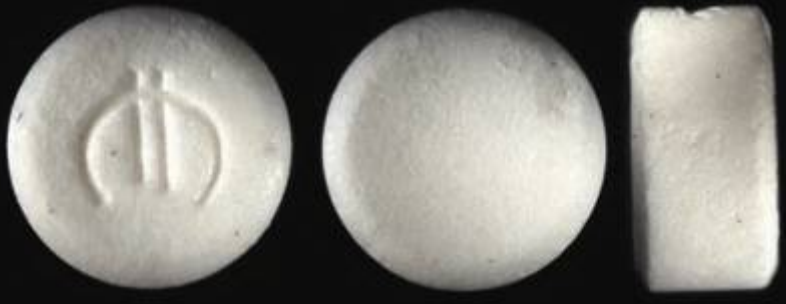


MDPV

White tablet with currency logo



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2C-I



MA & 2C-I



MDMA



none



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Thank-you