

UK National Anti-Doping Programme

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Testing Programme Summary

The period under review in this report is 1 July – 30 September 2020. During this time, the domestic and international Anti-Doping Testing Programme carried out 1406 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 2	1307
Unsuccessful Test Attempts – Quarter 2	99
Total number of Tests – Quarter 2	1406
Additional Samples collected – Quarter 2 [†]	11
Year to date summary	
Total number of Tests	1532
Total number of successful Tests	1431

[†] Additional samples collected when the Specific Gravity (SG) of the first sample is out of range, or for other reason.

Of the 1406 Tests in Quarter 2, 133 were attempted under the jurisdiction of an International Federation or other Anti-Doping Organisation.

Adverse Analytical Findings

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 and related Technical Documents, identifies in a Sample the presence of a Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers (including elevated quantities of endogenous substances) or evidence of the use of a Prohibited Method.”

During the period of 1 July – 30 September 2020, 4 AAFs were 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

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 2020 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	1	9%
S4. Hormone and Metabolic Modulators	1	9%
S5. Diuretics and Masking Agents	1	9%
S6. Stimulants	4	36%
Multiple – Analytical	2	18%
Evading, refusing or failing to submit to sample collection	1	9%
Complicity	1	9%

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

Whereabouts Failures

In Quarter 2, UK Anti-Doping recorded 0 confirmed Whereabouts Failures. There are two types of Whereabouts Failure: Missed Tests and Filing Failures.

Whereabouts Failure	Total
Missed Test	0
Filing Failure	0

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 July and 30 September 2020, 1406 Tests were attempted on behalf of 35 National Governing Bodies, International Federations and National Anti-Doping Organisations. Tests conducted during Quarter 2 included:

- The Football Association 362 Tests
- England and Wales Cricket Board 171 Tests
- Rugby Football Union 150 Tests
- Rugby Football League 146 Tests
- UK Athletics 92 Tests

Sport	NGB/IF/ NADO	Quarter 2			Full Year		
		In Competition	Out of Competition	Total	In Competition	Out of Competition	Total
Boxing	AIBA		1	1		1	1
International	ASADA		2	2		2	2
Boxing	BBBOC	34	1	35	34	1	35
Bob Skeleton	BBSA		12	12		12	12
Canoeing	BC		16	16		18	18
Cycling	BCF		71	71		72	72
Gymnastics	BG		8	8		8	8
Judo	BJA		17	17		17	17
Karate	BKF		1	1		1	1
Rowing	BR		19	19		19	19
Swimming	BS		47	47		52	52
Snowsports	BSS		3	3		3	3
Taekwondo	BT		10	10		14	14
Triathlon	BTF		14	14		14	14
Badminton	BWF		7	7		7	7
Cricket	ECB	69	102	171	69	108	177
Hockey	EH		12	12		12	12
Football	FA	102	260	362	128	318	446

Sport	NGB/IF/ NADO	Quarter 2				Full Year	
Gymnastics	FIG		2	2		2	2
Swimming	FINA		13	13		13	13
Boxing	GBB		18	18		19	19
Cricket	ICC		20	20		20	20
Netball	INF		2	2		2	2
Tennis	LTA	10	1	11	10	1	11
Motorsport	MSUK	3		3	3		3
Modern Pentathlon	PGB		3	3		3	3
Rugby League	RFL	26	120	146	26	120	146
Rugby Union	RFU	40	110	150	40	122	162
International	SI		2	2		2	2
Rugby Union	SRU	2	23	25	2	23	25
Athletics	UKA	23	69	92	23	80	103
Athletics	World Athletics - AIU	26	26		26	26	
Rugby Union	WR		59	59		59	59
Rugby Union	WRU	2	23	25	2	23	25
Squash	WSF		1	1		1	1
Grand Total		311	1095	1406	337	1195	1532