

## Option 1 - 2016 data accessible to WADA - Australia

## 2016 anti-doping policies shared with WADA - Questionnaire 0.1


## Objective :

In order to facilitate the compliance with the terms of the Anti-Doping Convention and in accordance with Article 9, a questionnaire was prepared, requesting national reports from the Parties on the implementation of the Anti-Doping Convention.

## Instruction :

Please follow instructions available in the Documentations menu(see above)


## Questions :

 1. Sharing with WADA 

Do you agree that your replies will be shared with WADA?

Yes

No->go back to the main menu and choose the other version of the questionnaire

 2. Number of Athletes 

Please estimate the number of athletes in the following categories within your country:

international-level athletes (as defined by the World Anti-Doping Code)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 278 ]

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national-level athletes (as defined by the World Anti-Doping Code)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 1517 ]

Data not available

other athletes (including recreational athletes)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 3950000 ]

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number of athletes in your national Registered Testing Pool (as defined by the World Anti-Doping Code)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 172 ]

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number of athletes at the last Summer Olympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 421 ]

[ ] Data not available

number of athletes at the last Winter Olympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 60 ]

[ ] Data not available

number of athletes at the last Summer Paralympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 176 ]

[ ] Data not available

number of athletes at the last Winter Paralympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[ 9 ]

[ ] Data not available

### 3. Doping definition

What is the definition of "Doping in Sport" used in your country?

[ ] Council of Europe Anti-Doping Convention (ETS 135)

[ ] UNESCO International Convention against doping in sport

[ ] World Anti-Doping Code

[ X ] Other, please specify (e.g. national law) : Australia has implemented the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority Act 2006 and the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority Regulations 2006 (which contain the National Anti-Doping scheme). The National Anti-Doping scheme contains the anti-doping rules which mirror the anti-doping rule violations as set out in the World Anti-Doping Code.

### 4. Doping List

Which list of banned pharmacological classes of doping agents and doping methods (i.e. Prohibited List) is implemented in your country?

[ X ] Prohibited list, as adopted by the Executive Committee of WADA

[ ] List of banned pharmacological classes of doping agents and doping methods, as adopted by the Monitoring Group (TDO)

[ ] Prohibited list, as adopted by the Conference of Parties of the International Convention against Doping in Sport (UNESCO)

[ ] Other, please specify : .....

### 5. Additional doping lists

For the purposes of restricting availability of doping substances are there other lists than those defined in question 4?

( X ) Yes, please specify: The Australian Government has legislation (see for example the Customs (Prohibited Imports) Regulations 1956) that controls the importation of drugs (some of which include substances that are also contained on the WADA Prohibited List) and legislation for the controlled distribution of substances (for example, the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989). Australian states also have legislation controlling the distribution of substances.

( ) No

## 6. Anti-doping laws

Are there any anti-doping laws in your country?



- Anti-doping law
- Other formal regulations, please specify: .....
- No

## 7. National anti-doping organisation (NADO)

What is the legal status of your national anti-doping organisation? Please upload the statutes, if possible

- Public authority
- Non-governmental organisation
- Private company
- National Olympic Committee
- Other, please specify : .....

## Attachments

-  Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority Act 2006 : <http://https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/C2016C00232>
-  Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority Regulations 2006 : <http://https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2015C00689>


## 8. NADO activities

Which of the activities below are conducted by your national anti-doping organisation? Please upload the organisational chart, if possible

	Yes	No, please specify which organisation is in charge:
Co-ordination of action by public authorities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ASADA is part of the broader portfolio of agencies encompassed by the Australian Government Department of Health. The National Integrity of Sport Unit (NISU), within the Department of Health, has primary responsibility for the Australian Government's obligations under the UNESCO International Convention Against Doping in Sport and works in partnership with other government bodies, including State and Territory Governments, to meet these obligations.
Coordination of the fight against trafficking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Australia's Commonwealth and State and Territory law enforcement agencies control the trafficking of illegal substances.
Testing (doping control)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Results management	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Disciplinary procedures	( )	( X ) ASADA does not itself arrange or control disciplinary procedures and/or anti-doping hearings. However, ASADA participates in these hearings and can present evidence.
Education and/or information	( X )	( )
Research	( )	( X ) The National Integrity for Sport Unit administers limited funding for scientific research to identify new, and improve existing, detection capabilities and technologies.

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9. Sport Budget 

What amount has been allocated to the sport budget from the state budget for the year 2016?

[ 219175000 ] Euro

[ ] Data not available

10. Limiting public funding to organisations 

Is public funding withheld from organisations that do not comply with anti-doping regulations and related legal instruments?

( ) Yes, all funding is withheld; your comment (optional) .....

( X ) A limited amount of funding is withheld; your comment (optional) Sport funding from the Australian Sports Commission is dependent on compliance with anti-doping obligations. These are defined in the funding agreement between the sport and the Australian Sports Commission. Should a sport be non-compliant with those obligations, the Australian Sports Commission has the ability to withhold some or all of the sport funding.

( ) No financial implications; your comment (optional) .....

( ) Information not available; your comment (optional) .....

11. Limitation of public funding of persons 

Is sport-related financial assistance provided by public authorities withheld from banned athletes or athlete support personnel during the period of their suspension?


( X ) Yes, all funding is withheld; your comment (optional) In addition, the Australian Sports Commission (who is the Government body responsible for funding athletes and support personnel) may recover financial assistance paid to sanctioned athletes or support personnel.

( ) A limited amount of funding is withheld; your comment (optional) .....

( ) No; your comment (optional) .....

( ) Not applicable (no sport-related financial assistance is provided by public authorities to athletes or support personnel); your comment (optional) .....

( ) Information not available; your comment (optional) .....

12. Quality certificate 

Is your NADO or part of its procedures certified according to a quality standard (such as ISO, iNADO or any other quality assurance system)?

( ) Yes, please specify which standard, its scope and validity: .....

( ) In progress, please specify .....

(X) No

### 13. Testing statistics

How many samples were collected under your national testing program in the year 2016?

	Urine	Blood (including ABP)
In-competition testing Min numeric value allowed : 0	1649	44
Out-of-competition testing Min numeric value allowed : 0	2585	1229

[ ] Data not available

### 14. Disciplinary system

What are the disciplinary bodies for doping offences, i.e. the main body imposing sanctions on athletes and other persons?

	–	–
State authority	No	No
NADO	No	No
NOC	No	No
National sport federations	Yes	Yes
international sport federations	Yes	Yes
Independent disciplinary body	Yes	Yes
Professional associations	No	No
Other, please specify	No	No

### 15. Appeals system

What is the body handling appeals against disciplinary measures?

( ) State authority

( ) National sports federations

( ) International sports federations

( ) Independent court of arbitration

Court of Arbitration in Sport (CAS)

Other, please specify : .....

## 16. Anti-doping rule violations (ADRV)

How many anti-doping rule violations cases were initiated during the reporting period and how many of these initiated cases resulted in the imposition of a sanction?

	Initiated cases	Cases that resulted in a sanction	Cases that resulted in no sanction
Presence of a prohibited substance or its Metabolites or markers in an athlete's sample Min numeric value allowed : 0	28	23	5
Use or attempted use by an athlete of a Prohibited substance or a prohibited method Min numeric value allowed : 0	25	21	4
Evading, Refusing or Failing to Submit to Sample Collection Min numeric value allowed : 0	2	0	2
Whereabouts Failures Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Tampering or attempted tampering with any part of doping control Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Possession of prohibited substances and prohibited methods Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Trafficking or attempted trafficking in any prohibited substance or prohibited method Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Administration or attempted administration to any athlete of any Prohibited method or prohibited substance Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Complicity Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Prohibited Association Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0

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## 17. Whereabouts failures

How many of the following whereabouts failures have you registered?

One missed test or filing failure

Any combination of two missed tests and/or filing failures

Data not available

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## 18. Sanctions for doping trafficking

Are there specific penalties or sanctions for illegal circulation of doping substances, in addition to those regulating the movement of medicines and narcotics?

Criminal penalties, please specify The Commonwealth, states and territories in Australia have all enacted legislation which criminalises certain conduct such as the trafficking and possession of certain prohibited substances (such as steroids). An example is Division 302 of the Commonwealth Criminal Code Act 1995.

- Financial penalties, please specify .....
- Administrative or civil sanctions, please specify .....
- Professional disciplinary actions, please specify .....
- None of above, please explain .....
- Not available
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## 19. Co-operation with law enforcement agencies

What measures have been taken to improve co-operation with law enforcement agencies in limiting illegal availability of doping substances?

- Law, please specify .....
- Agreement, please specify Memorandums of Understanding in place with multiple Law Enforcement Agencies
- Ad hoc activities, please specify .....
- Other, please specify .....
- None
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## 20. Statistics on doping trafficking

Do law enforcement agencies share data on the seizure of doping substances with the national anti-doping organisation:


Yes, please specify how many seizures have been reported: Approximately 3500 seizures of PIEDS were reported in 2016. Eight were referred to specific links to athletes

- No
- Other, please specify : .....
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## 21. Nutritional supplements


What measures have been taken to address the problems related to nutritional supplements in sport?

- Restrict availability
- Control of production
- Provide quality assurance
- Comprehensive labelling
- Limit advertising and promotion
- Educational and informational measures
- Other, please specify: .....

22. Anti-doping research 


Has any anti-doping research been undertaken or supported?

- Yes  
 Yes, to a limited extent  
 No

23. Areas of anti-doping research 


What are the areas of anti-doping research?

- Doping prevention  
 Detection methods  
 Behavioural and social aspects of doping  
 Health consequences of doping  
 Physiological and psychological training programmes  
 Emerging substances or methods  
 Alternative testing methods  
 None

24. Publication of anti-doping research 

How many articles with the results of this research have been published in peer-reviewed scientific journals?

- 4 in 2016  
 Data not available

25. International agreements 

Has your country signed any agreements with other Anti-Doping Organizations (ADOs) or agreements on anti-doping with any other organisation or State concerning the following:

	Yes or No; if applicable please explain or upload the document (below)
(a) Sharing of information	Yes – Collaboration agreements are in place with multiple International Federations
(b) Law enforcement cooperation	Yes – Memorandums of understanding are in place with multiple Australian Law Enforcement Agencies.
(c) Athlete Biological Passport sharing or coordination	Yes – Collaboration agreements which include ABP passport sharing are in place with multiple International Federations.
(d) General cooperation	A number of International Mutual Testing agreements with several other NADOs and private collection agencies.

- Data not available