

WEDI NOS

The logo consists of the text 'WEDI' stacked above 'NOS' in a bold, black, sans-serif font. A red ECG line starts at the bottom left, crosses the 'W' in 'WEDI', and continues horizontally across the 'I' in 'WEDI' and the 'N' in 'NOS'. A white silhouette of a person stands within the 'I' in 'WEDI', with a grey shadow cast to the right. A red horizontal bar is positioned below the 'I' in 'WEDI' and above the 'N' in 'NOS'.

Collecting • Testing • Informing



February 2023

- 749 samples analysed (55 CJS, 129 NTE, 565 community submissions)
 - 88 substances identified either in isolation or combination
 - Samples received from across UK
 - 34 services
 - Including: Health, Substance Misuse Services, Mental Health, Housing and Homelessness, Welsh Emergency Departments and Welsh Prisons
 - Alongside samples submitted anonymously by individuals

Sex / age profile of sample providers



- Sex (where listed n=512 of 531 community samples)
 - Male: 82% (n= 419)
 - Female:18% (n=93)
- Age
 - Range: 12 to 78yrs (Median: 33yrs)
 - Male age range: 14 to 78yrs (Median: 34yrs)
 - Female age range: 12 to 70yrs (Median: 32yrs)

Community Submissions

(comparing top 10 purchase intent vs top 10 post analysis)

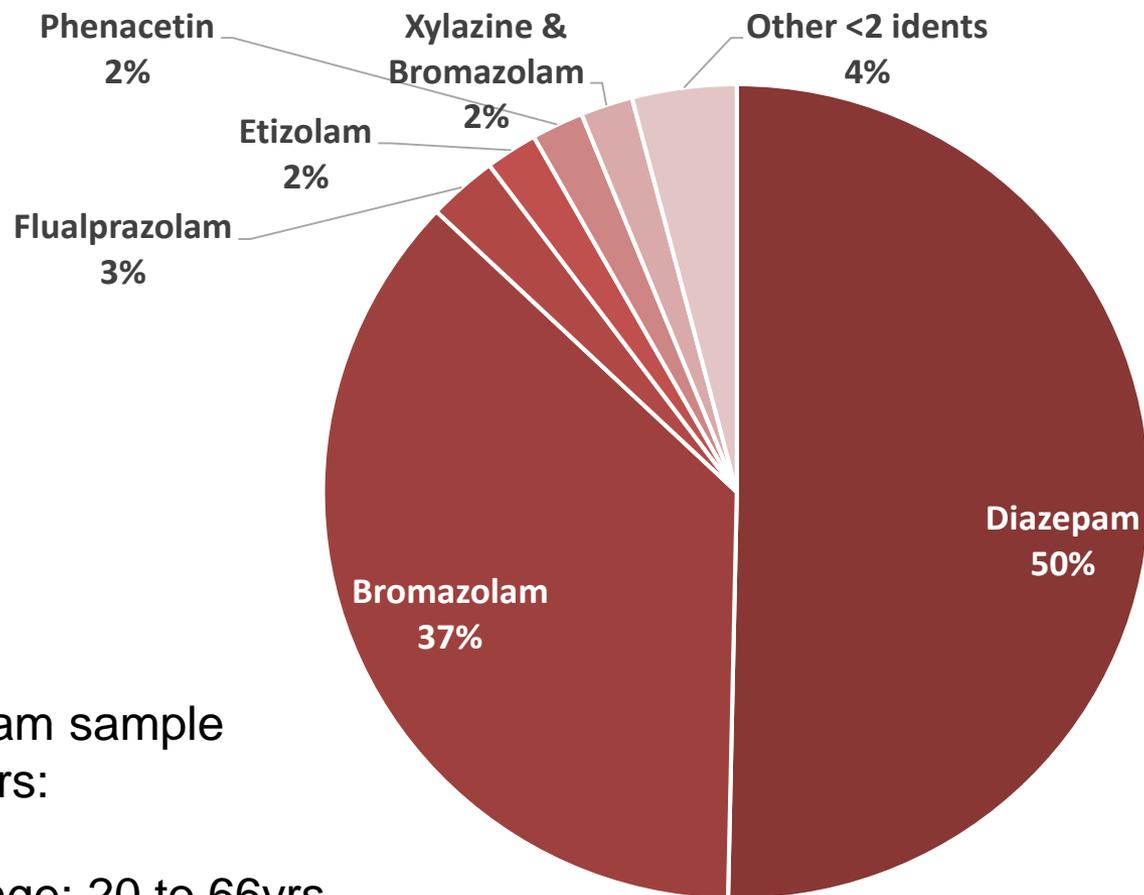
No.	Community purchase intent	Community post analysis
1	Diazepam	Bromazolam
2	MDMA	Diazepam
3	Alprazolam	MDMA
4	Cocaine	Cocaine
5	Unknown	Ketamine
6	Ketamine	Alprazolam
7	2C-B	Caffeine
8	LSD	Tetrahydrocannabinol
9	THC vape liquid	Lysergic acid diethylamide
10	Diazepam	2C-B

Benzodiazepines

- 13 Benzodiazepines identified
 - Bromazolam (0 purchase intent / 93 identifications)
 - Diazepam (147 purchase intent / 75 identifications)
 - Alprazolam (55 purchase intent / 22 identifications)
 - Clonazepam (12 purchase intent / 13 identifications)
 - Etizolam (0 purchase intent / 7 identifications)
 - Flualprazolam (0 purchase intent / 6 identifications)
 - Lorazepam
 - Clobromazolam
 - Desalkyligidazepam
 - Deschloroetizolam
 - Diclazepam
 - Flubromazolam
 - Nitrazepam
 - Temazepam

**Purchase intent and
identifications <5**

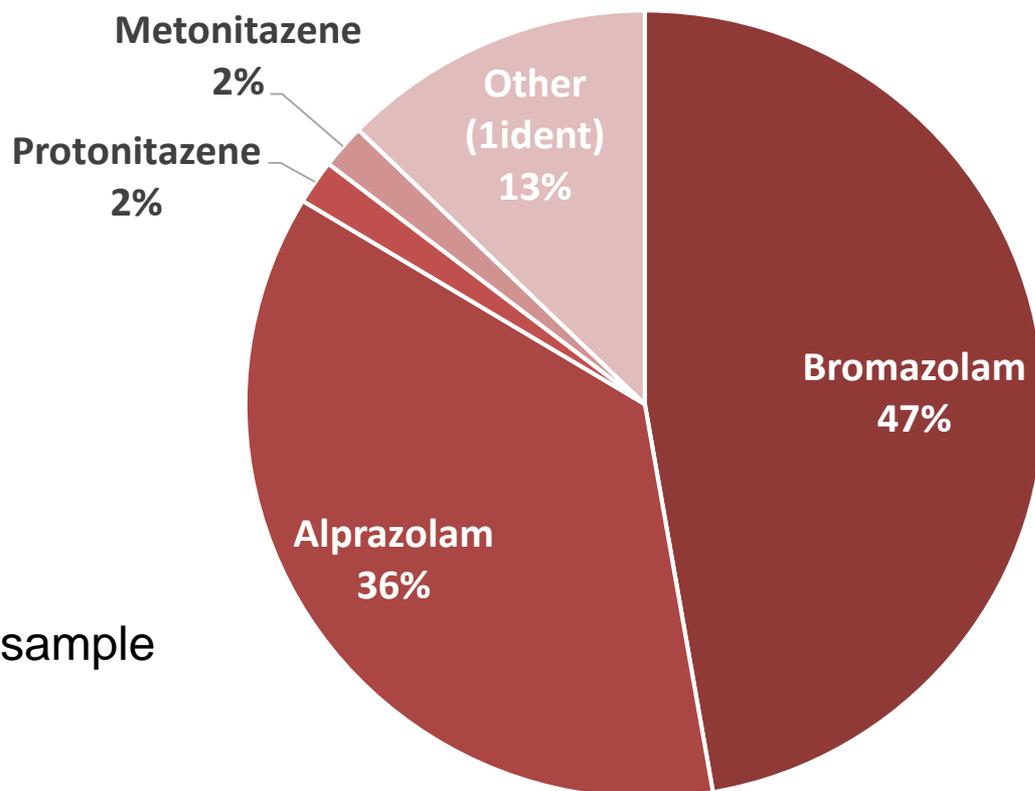
Contents of samples submitted as Diazepam: Feb2023 (n=147)



Diazepam sample providers:

Age range: 20 to 66yrs
Median: 38yrs

Contents of samples submitted as Alprazolam: Jan 2023 (n=60)



Alprazolam sample providers:

Age range: 20 to 58yrs
Median: 34yrs

Nitazene's identified in samples submitted as Alprazolam



Two samples submitted as Alprazolam, were found to contain nitazenes. Information on Nitazenes is available in February's Philtre

W030924

Date Received: 08 Feb 2023

Postcode: WA8 -

Purchase Intent: Alprazolam

Package Label: Alprazolam

Sample Colour: Brown

Sample Form: Powder

Consumption Method: Not Stated

Self-Reported Effects: Not Stated

Sample Upon Analysis (Major): Protonitazene

Sample Upon Analysis (Minor):



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W030922

Date Received: 08 Feb 2023

Postcode: SW1 -

Purchase Intent: Alprazolam

Package Label: Alprazolam

Sample Colour: Yellow

Sample Form: Powder

Consumption Method: Not Stated

Self-Reported Effects: Not Stated

Sample Upon Analysis (Major): Metonitazene

Sample Upon Analysis (Minor):



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