

**WEEKLY SUMMARY  
 ON THE FACTS OF THE SEIZURE OF NARCOTIC DRUGS,  
 PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES AND THEIR PRECURSORS**

(based on mass media reports)

**18.07. to 24.07.2022**

**№22**

In the period from 18 to 24 July 2022, based on information from mass media law enforcement bodies and security agencies of CARICC Member States seized **203.7 kg of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including: heroin – 13.9 kg, cannabis group drugs – 179.5 kg and synthetic drugs – 10.3 kg.**

Seizures of drugs in the CARICC member states from 18 to 24 July 2022, based on information from the media

Type of drugs (kg)	Azerbaijan	Kazakhstan	Kyrgyzstan	Russia	Tajikistan	Turkmenistan	Uzbekistan
Heroin	11,2			2,7			
Opium							
Cannabis group	87,7	0,500	21,3	70			
Synthetic drugs	0,400			9,9			
<b>Total</b>	<b>99,3</b>	<b>0,5</b>	<b>21,3</b>	<b>82,6</b>			

In other countries, during the specified period, 364.6 kg of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances were seized from illicit trafficking, including: heroin – 2.3 kg, opium-2 kg, cocaine – 212 kg, cannabis group –29.3 kg and synthetic drugs – 119 kg.

**CARICC MEMBER STATES**

**AZERBAIJAN REPUBLIC**

**19.07.2022** Employees of the Main Customs Department at the Baku airport during the check of the luggage of a citizen of the Maldives, **3.6 kg of heroin** in a flat plastic bag were found and seized in the lower part of the suitcase. <https://ru.oxu.az/society/624464>

**22.07.2022** Employees of the State Border Service in the area of the border outpost of the border detachment "Horadiz" near the village of Mehdili, Jabrayil region, detained four citizens, who were seized **87.7 kg of marijuana, 7.6 kg of heroin and 400 g of methamphetamine.** <https://ru.oxu.az/criminal/625429>



## REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN

**24.07.2022** Police officers in the city of Almaty stopped a Lexus car with two local residents inside. During the search of the car, 500 g of marijuana was found and seized. <https://polisia.kz/ru/ocherednye-narkozakladchiki-zaderzhany-v-almaty/>

## KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

**19.07.2022** Employees of the Service for combating drug trafficking in the Talas region detained a local resident, who was found to have **21.3 kg of marijuana** at his place of residence.

[https://24.kg/proisshestvija/240053\\_vtalase\\_umestnogo\\_jitelya\\_obnarujili\\_bolee\\_20kilogrammova\\_marihuanyi/](https://24.kg/proisshestvija/240053_vtalase_umestnogo_jitelya_obnarujili_bolee_20kilogrammova_marihuanyi/)

## RUSSIAN FEDERATION

**19.07.2022** Police officers in the course of investigations in the city of Balashikha, Moscow Region, detained a local resident, who was found and seized **70 kg of marijuana** at his place of residence. <https://xn--b1aew.xn--p1ai/news/item/31351165>

**19.07.2022** Police officers in the Ryazan region stopped a car driven by a 29-year-old citizen of one of the countries of Central Asia. During a search of the car, **800 grams of heroin** were found and seized in the technological voids of the luggage compartment. <https://xn--b1aew.xn--p1ai/news/item/31366085>

**19.07.2022** Police officers in the course of investigations in the Voskresensky district of the Saratov region detained two local men who organized a laboratory for the production of synthetic drugs at their place of residence. During the search, **1 kg of mephedrone** was found and seized. <https://xn--b1aew.xn--p1ai/news/item/31375171>

**19.07.2022** Police officers in the Samara region stopped a car driven by a 43-year-old local resident. During a search of the car, **1 kg of methylephedron** was found and seized inside the passenger compartment. <https://xn--b1aew.xn--p1ai/news/item/31357570>

**21.07.2022** Police officers in the Penza region stopped a car driven by a 46-year-old resident of Naberezhnye Chelny. During a search of the car, **2.9 kg of mephedrone** was found and seized inside the passenger compartment. <https://xn--b1aew.xn--p1ai/news/item/31389492>

**22.07.2022** Police officers in the course of investigations in the city of Solnechnogorsk, Moscow Region, detained two local men who organized a laboratory for the production of synthetic drugs at their place of residence. During the search, about 500 liters of chemical reagents and precursors, laboratory equipment, personal protective equipment, electronic scales and **5 kg of mephedrone** were found and seized. <https://xn--b1aew.xn--p1ai/news/item/31401072>

**23.07.2022** Police officers in the course of investigations in the Voronezh region detained two citizens of Central Asia, who were found and seized **1.9 kg of heroin** at their place of residence. <https://xn--b1aew.xn--p1ai/news/item/31422236>

## OTHER COUNTRIES

### AUSTRALIA

**20.07.2022** Police officers in the state of New South Wales found and seized **125 kg of cocaine** inside the base of an industrial generator during an inspection of an air cargo shipment of industrial goods. Six persons were detained in connection with this fact. [https://www.police.nsw.gov.au/news/news?sq\\_content\\_src=%2BdXJsPWh0dHBzJTJNBjJGJTJGZWJpenByZC5wb2xpY2UubnN3Lmdvdi5hdSUyRm1lZGhJTJGmTAyMzkyLmh0bWwmYWxsPTE%3D](https://www.police.nsw.gov.au/news/news?sq_content_src=%2BdXJsPWh0dHBzJTJNBjJGJTJGZWJpenByZC5wb2xpY2UubnN3Lmdvdi5hdSUyRm1lZGhJTJGmTAyMzkyLmh0bWwmYWxsPTE%3D)

### CANADA

**23.07.2022** Police officers in the city of Ottawa, Ontario, detained a 30-year-old local resident who was found to have **12 kg of cocaine** and **540 MDMA tablets** seized at his place of residence. <https://ottawacitizen.com/news/local-news/suspected-cocaine-meth-worth-about-500000-seized-in-ottawa-opp>

### FRANCE

**20.07.2022** Customs officers at the port of Marseille, while checking a container that arrived from Martinique, found and seized **70 kg of cocaine** inside the upholstery of two sofas. <https://www.douane.gouv.fr/sites/default/files/2022-07/21/communiqu-de-presse-71kg-cocaine.pdf>

### GREAT BRITAIN

**20.07.2022** Police officers in the city of Thrapston detained two men who were found and seized **2 kg of cocaine** at their place of residence. <https://www.northantslive.news/news/northamptonshire-news/several-kilogrammes-cocaine-seized-two-7376418>

### HONKONG

**19.07.2022** Customs officers in the Kwaichung district detained a local resident who was seized **1 kg of cocaine**. <https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/202207/20/P2022072000492.htm>

### INDIA

**18.07.2022** Police officers at the Guwahati railway station, Assam, detained two men who were seized **2 kg of opium**. <https://www.sentinelassam.com/guwahati-city/guwahati-opium-worth-rs-14-cr-seized-from-paltan-bazar-railway-station-603209>

### PAKISTAN

**18.07.2022** Law enforcement officers at Islamabad International Airport detained a man who was found to have **2.3 kg of heroin** in his bag and seized. <https://nation.com.pk/2022/07/18/man-held-with-2-35kg-of-heroin-at-islamabad-airport/>

### PHILIPPINES

**22.07.2022** Police officers in the city of Silay detained two men who were seized **1 kg of methamphetamine**. <https://www.panaynews.net/p7-million-shabu-seized-in-silay/>

## UAE

**18.07.2022** Customs officers at the Al Dhara checkpoint on the border with Oman stopped a car driven by a local resident. During a search of the car, **29.3 kg of hashish** was found and seized inside the spare wheel. <https://gulfnews.com/uae/crime/uae-driver-caught-in-ras-al-khaimah-with-29kg-of-hashish-hidden-in-spare-tyre-1.89344080>

## USA

**18.07.2022** Police officers in the city of Lexington, Kentucky, detained two men who were found to have **20 kg of methamphetamine** and **2 kg of cocaine** at their place of residence. <https://dmp.unodc.org/node/1363188>

**20.07.2022** US Customs and Border Protection officers at the port of entry of Laredo, Texas, stopped a truckload of water-based rubber containing **98 kg of methamphetamine**.

<https://www.cbp.gov/newsroom/local-media-release/laredo-cbp-officers-seize-methamphetamine-worth-over-43-million#:~:text=Buckets%20filled%20with%20216%20pounds,rubber%20for%20a%20secondary%20inspection.>