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**CARICC WEEKLY SUMMARY  
 ON SEIZURES OF NARCOTIC DRUGS,  
 PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES AND THEIR PRECURSORS**  
 (based on mass media reports)

**21.11.2025-30.11.2025**

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During the period from 21 to 30 November 2025, based on information from mass media law enforcement agencies and security structures of CARICC member states seized **790.74 kg of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including: heroin – 40 kg, opium – 0.99 kg, cocaine – 0.6 kg, cannabis-based drugs – 715.21 kg, synthetic drugs – 31.69 kg, and potent substances – 2.25 kg.**

Drug seizures in CARICC Member States

Type of drug (in kg)	Azerbaijan	Kazakhstan	Kyrgyzstan	Russia	Tajikistan	Uzbekistan
Heroin	0	0	0	40	0	0
Opium	0	0	0	0	0	0.99
Cocaine	0	0	0	0.6	0	0
Cannabis group drugs	113.62	0	0.48	475.97	116	9.14
Synthetic drugs	1.94	2.15	0	21.77	0	5.83
Potent substances	0	0	0	0.9	0	1.35
<b>Total</b>	<b>115.56</b>	<b>2.15</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>539.24</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>17.31</b>

During the same period other countries seized **41 tons 891 kg of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including: heroin – 550 kg, cocaine – 37 tons 255 kg, cannabis-based drugs – 2 tons 887 kg, synthetic drugs – 1 ton 178 kg, and potent substances – 21 kg.**

**CARICC MEMBER STATES**

**AZERBAIJAN**

**24.11.2025** During an operation carried out by officers from the Binagadi District Police Department in Baku, 29-year-old Bahruz Aliyev was detained on suspicion of drug trafficking. During a search of the car he was driving, they found more than **1 kg of marijuana and methamphetamine.** <https://oxu.az/ru/kriminal/v-baku-zaderzhany-podozrevaemye-v-grabezhe-i-narkokurerstve>

**24.11.2025** Sales of more than 28 kg of marijuana enriched with psychotropic substances were foiled in Sumgait. During the operation carried out by police officers, 34-year-old Turan Ahmedzade, who had previously been convicted, and his 25-year-old acquaintance Orkhan Abdullayev were detained. **28.2 kg of marijuana** was seized. The detainees confessed that they had purchased drugs for further sale. <https://oxu.az/ru/kriminal/policejskie-izyali-v-sumgajyte-28-kg-narkotikov>

**25.11.2025** During routine operations conducted by the Directorate General for Combating Drugs of the Ministry of Internal Affairs in the Absheron and Garadagh districts, 23-year-old Akber Alizade and 36-year-old Rahib Mammadov were detained. Approximately **10 kg of marijuana** with harmful additives and **2,600 methadone tablets** were found and seized. <https://oxu.az/ru/proisshestviya/v-absheronskom-i-garadagskom-rajonah-obnaruzhena-krupnaya-partiya-narkotika-i-psihotropnogo-preparata>

**27.11.2025** Officers of the Directorate General for Combating Drugs of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Azerbaijan continue to take measures to combat illegal trafficking and sale of narcotic drugs. During an operation in the Astara district, 43-year-old Anar Novruzov, who had previously been convicted, and his accomplice, 39-year-old Taleh Mammadov, were detained. A total of **62 kg of marijuana** with added psychotropic substances was seized. <https://oxu.az/ru/kriminal/v-azerbajdzhane-presechyon-krupnyj-oborot-narkotikov>

**28.11.2025** During an operation to combat drug trafficking, officers from the Agjabedi District Police Department detained Allahshukur Mammadov, who had previous convictions. At his place of residence they found and seized **2.1 kg of marijuana** and **360 g** of the psychotropic substance **methamphetamine**, which he was storing for sale. <https://oxu.az/ru/kriminal/v-agdzhabedi-obnaruzheno-bolee-2-kg-narkotikov>

**28.11.2025** Police officers continue to combat drug trafficking. During the latest operation in the Garadagh district of Baku, 42-year-old Elshan Kerimov, who had previously been convicted, was detained. A total of **10.82 kg of narcotics**, including heroin, opium, hashish, marijuana, the psychotropic substance methamphetamine, and **100 methadone tablets**, were found and seized from him and his car. <https://oxu.az/ru/kriminal/u-narkokurera-v-baku-izyato-bolee-10-kg-narkotikov>

## KAZAKHSTAN

**26.11.2025** Drug enforcement officers, in coordination with the regional prosecutor's office, detained a 23-year-old man who was involved in stashing drugs using magnets. During the arrest police found five clip boxes with white powder wrapped in electrical tape on the suspect. In addition, a smartphone containing the coordinates and descriptions of the stashes of illegal substances was seized. Later, operatives discovered and seized 25 stashes of narcotics in Pavlodar. An examination showed that the packages contained more than **17 grams of synthetic narcotics**. <https://polisnia.kz/ru/muzhchina-zaderzhan-za-zakladki-narkotikov-s-ispol-zovaniem-magnitov-v-pavlodarskoj-oblasti/>

**27.11.2025** On 11 November, police officers from the Department for Combating Drug Crime, in coordination with the prosecutor's office and with the participation of SWAT officers, detained a suspect in illegal possession of a large shipment of synthetic drugs in Aktau. During a personal search, they found four plastic bags containing 1.92 kg of **alpha-PVP**. As part of the follow-up investigation, 15 suspected stashes were searched in the village of Akshukur. Eight of them contained packages of the synthetic drug "alpha-PVP" with a total weight of 129 g, while the remaining seven caches were empty. Total weight of the seized substance amounted to **2.05 kg**, which falls under the category of particularly large quantities. <https://polisnia.kz/ru/iz-yata-krupnaya-partiya-sinteticheskogo-narkotika-v-aktau/>

**28.11.2025** Police officers detained an 18-year-old man and a minor girl from Astana in the center of Petropavlovsk. During a search law enforcement officers seized three bags containing powdery substances wrapped in electrical tape. An examination showed that it was a synthetic psychotropic substance known as **α-PvP**, with a total weight of over **84 g**. <https://polisia.kz/ru/podrostki-iz-astany-zaderzhany-za-sbyt-sinteticheskikh-narkotikov-v-sko/>

## KYRGYZSTAN

**24.11.2025** According to information on 24 November from the press service of CNS MVD, a suspect in illegal drug trafficking was detained. The incident occurred on 8 November in the Issyk-Ata district of the Chui region, where drug control officers caught a young man carrying 38 packets of **marijuana**. Total weight of the seized substance was **175 grams**. <https://topnews.kg/proisshestvija/79953-v-chujskoj-oblasti-vozle-bchk-zaderzhali-parnja-s-38-svertkami-s-marihuanoj.html>

**26.11.2025** Information was received in the Alamedi district about a local resident involved in distribution of narcotic substances. As a result of police operations, 33-year-old B.A., who is already registered with the Ministry of Internal Affairs as a member of an organized criminal group, was detained. During a search of his home, they found **56 grams of hashish**. [https://topnews.kg/proisshestvija/80525-zaderzhan-chlen-opg-po-podozreniju-v-rasprostranении-narkotikov.html#google\\_vignette](https://topnews.kg/proisshestvija/80525-zaderzhan-chlen-opg-po-podozreniju-v-rasprostranении-narkotikov.html#google_vignette)

**24.11.2025** On 13 November, the Moscow District Police Department in the Chui Region received intelligence reports that a resident of the village of Sadovoye was not only using drugs but also storing both drugs and firearms in his home. During a search of his home, they found two bags of **cannabis** weighing **240 grams**, a homemade device for smoking drugs, a plastic bottle, and weapons and ammunition. <https://topnews.kg/proisshestvija/79844-v-moskovskom-rajone-u-muzhchiny-nashli-dva-paketa-s-narkotikami-granatu-obrez-poroh-i-pistolet.html>

## RUSSIA

**21.11.2025** Officers of the Drug Control Department of GU MVD of Russia in the Rostov Region, acting on operational information, detained a 37-year-old resident of Rostov-on-Don suspected of transporting a large consignment of synthetic drugs for sale. Police stopped the suspect's crossover vehicle on the M-4 Don highway in the Kamensk district of the Rostov region. During a search of the vehicle, operatives found three packages wrapped in brown tape in a hidden compartment in the rear bumper. The find was sent for examination, which showed that the seized substance was a derivative of the narcotic drug **N-methylephedrone** weighing **2.9 kg**. <https://мвд.рф/news/item/73670716/>

**21.11.2025** Officers of the Drug Control Department of GU MVD of Russia for the Moscow Region, together with their colleagues from UMVD of Russia for the city of Korolev, detained a resident of Nizhny Novgorod. It has been preliminarily established that the perpetrator arrived in Korolev and intended to transfer drugs to a transport company for subsequent shipment to Kaliningrad. As a result of operational search measures, police detained the suspect. During a search of the apartment, they found 40 boxes containing 480 packages with unknown contents. According to expert conclusion, one of them contained a derivative

of the narcotic drug **N-methylephedrone** with a total weight of about **30 grams**. The rest will be examined as part of the criminal case. <https://мвд.пф/news/item/73662643/>

**22.11.2025** As a result of operational search measures, police officers discovered various containers with crushed and dried mass, as well as pots with 93 bushes of varying degrees of maturity, presumably containing drugs, in a private house in the Khotinetsky district of the Oryol region, belonging to a citizen born in 1982. The seized mass and plants were sent for examination to the Regional UMVD's Forensic Center. According to expert conclusion, the dried mass is **marijuana** weighing **862 grams**, and the plants are **cannabis**, with a dry weight of **3.37 kilograms**. <https://мвд.пф/news/item/73671884/>

**24.11.2025** Officers from the Drug Control Department of the Noyabrsk Police (Yamalo-Nenets Autonomous Region) detained a 21-year-old non-resident suspected of attempting to sell drugs on a large scale. During a personal search, as well as in caches and at the girl's place of residence, they found and seized 49 packets containing a white powdery substance. Experts found that the total amount seized was more than **121 grams of mephedrone**, which is considered a large amount under the law. <https://ura.news/news/1053039395>

**25.11.2025** Officers from the regional FSB office in Rostov Region detained a 30-year-old resident of Volgodonsk who was retrieving a large consignment of synthetic drugs from a stash. Operatives stopped him as he was removing drugs it, where he regularly visited to carry out orders from his employers. During a search of the premises where he stored and divided substances into small batches, officers found over **4.5 kilograms of synthetic drugs**, as well as equipment and items used to prepare the prohibited goods for shipment to buyers. <https://privet-rostov.ru/gorod/121916-v-rostovskoj-oblasti-zaderzhali-zhitelja-volgodonska-s-partiej-narkotikov.html>

**25.11.2025** Lawn enforcement officers foiled a large-scale drug trafficking attempt near Kashira. At the 111th kilometer of the Don federal highway police officers stopped a car in which two men were transporting a huge shipment of heroin. According to the Regional Prosecutor's Office, the detainees planned to purchase and sell **40 kilograms** of the illegal substance in Russia. Drugs were packed in forty separate bags, which indicates a well-organized scheme. However, the criminal plan failed thanks to coordinated actions of law enforcement agencies. During a search of the car, they found bags of **heroin** in the trunk: criminals tried to conceal dangerous cargo in the spare tire compartment. <https://kashira.ru/news/bez/18930-perevozchikov-40-kilogrammova-geroina-zaderzhali-v-kashire.html>

**25.11.2025** Officers of the Drug Control Department of GU MVD of Russia in the Voronezh Region prevented transportation and distribution of a particularly large shipment of drugs. On the evening of 23 November this year, at the Zdorovye gardening cooperative in Novovoronezh, Voronezh Region, traffic police officers stopped a Shkoda Rapid vehicle. During inspection of the vehicle, in the presence of witnesses police officers found 1 plastic bag under the bottom of the car, which contained 4 packages with a white powdery substance. According to test report, the seized substance is **a-PVP** with a total weight of about **4 kg**. <https://мвд.пф/news/item/73847776/>

**25.11.2025** Officers from the Criminal Investigation Division of the Troitsky Intermunicipal Department of the Russian MVD detained a resident of the Kosikhinsky district in the Altai region. During a search of his abandoned house, police officers discovered and seized a total of just over **4.3 kg** of chopped **cannabis**, along with almost **30 grams of hashish**. <https://мвд.рф/news/item/73828907/>

**25.11.2025** The man accused of illegal possession and sale of drugs was detained on 23 November in Kemerovo. Law enforcement officers found more than **4 kg** of synthetic drugs containing **amphetamine** and over **9 kg of cannabis**-based psychoactive substances in his car. He was planning to sell drugs. <https://kuzbass.media/2025/11/25/122450.html>

**26.11.2025** As a result of operational search measures, criminal investigation officers from the Otradnensky Police Department of the Russian UMVD in Krasnogorsk detained a 21-year-old resident of Khimki on suspicion of illegal drug trafficking. During a personal search of the suspect, police officers found and seized a package wrapped in adhesive tape. Chemical analysis showed that its contents were a derivative of **N-methylephedrone** with a total weight of more than **220 grams**. <https://мвд.рф/news/item/73905600/>

**26.11.2025** During operational search activities in the Altai Krai officers from the Drug Control Department of UMVD of Russia in the city of Barnaul detained a 21-year-old native of the city of Kiselevsk, Kemerovo region, on suspicion of distributing prohibited substances. During a personal search of the young man, operatives found packets of an unknown powder, presumably of synthetic origin. Police also searched the apartment that the detainee had rented some time ago. According to expert conclusion, the substances submitted for examination and seized by the police are **ephedrone and N-methylephedrone** with a total weight of almost **300 grams**. <https://мвд.рф/news/item/73886163/>

**26.11.2025** Criminal investigators in the Smidovichsky district of the Jewish Autonomous Region stopped a resident of the village of Belgorodskoye during an investigation. During a search of his property, they found and seized two plastic bags, a bag of plant material, and a metal pot containing a green substance with a distinctive odor in the kitchen. According to expert conclusion, contents of the bags are **cannabis** drugs with a total weight of **3.1 kg**. Liquid in the pot contained **9 g of hashish oil**. <https://riabir.ru/472143/>

**27.11.2025** During the course of an investigation officers of GU MVD of Russia in Altai Krai detained a 38-year-old resident of Talmenka district suspected of illegal possession of drugs. During a search of the suspect's property, police found six bags of dry plant material with a distinctive odor in one of the buildings. The evidence was sent for analysis, which showed that the seized substance was **18 kilograms of marijuana**. <https://мвд.рф/news/item/73948656/>

**27.11.2025** As a result of operational search measures, officers of LU MVD of Russia at Sheremetyevo Airport prevented illegal activities of a citizen of a South Asian country related to smuggling and illegal trafficking of potent substances. While passing through the "green corridor" of Terminal C, law enforcement officers discovered 1,800 capsules containing an unknown powder with a total weight of **900 grams** during a search of the 35-year-old foreigner's luggage and hand luggage. An examination confirmed that the seized substance

belongs to the category of **potent substances**, distribution of which is restricted in the Russian Federation. <https://мвд.пф/news/item/73957935/>

**28.11.2025** Officers of UNK GU MVD of Russia in the Krasnoyarsk Krai detained a 34-year-old resident of the regional center on the R-255 highway in the Ilansky District. It was found that the man and his 51-year-old friend were shipping cocaine from St. Petersburg in household appliances via transport companies or in a purchased car that was delivered by a car transporter. In their office, police found and seized more than **600 grams of cocaine**, as well as a combat pistol. During further work by drug police in St. Petersburg, a second member of the organized group was detained. <https://мвд.пф/news/item/74002257/>

**29.11.2025** Officers of GU MVD of Russia in St. Petersburg and Leningrad Region detained a 50-year-old resident of the Mshinsky rural settlement in the Luga district, who had previously been convicted and had set up a drug farm on his private property. At the suspect's place of residence, police found **31 cannabis plants, 428 grams** of freshly picked **cannabis**, equipment for cultivating plants, and mobile phones. <https://мвд.пф/news/item/74070002/>

**29.11.2025** During the night in the Tyumen region at the 177th km of the Chelyabinsk-Novosibirsk federal highway (in the Isetsky district) officers of the State Traffic Police stopped an Audi car registered in the Tver region to check documents. In the presence of witnesses police officers removed a plastic bag containing white powder from under the front passenger seat. An examination showed that the substance was more than **996 grams** of the drug **methadone**. <https://мвд.пф/news/item/74067582/>

**30.11.2025** Police in the Nevsky district detained a 59-year-old local resident suspected of illegal drug trafficking. He was caught red-handed on the evening of 26 November near a house on Latyshskikh Strelkov street. A bag of synthetic drugs was found on the man during his arrest. It weighed almost 5 grams. Police then searched his apartment on Simonova street. There they found a large shipment of illegal substances — 21 bags weighing a total of more than **4.7 kg**. Laboratory tests showed that three of them contained the same drug (**alpha-PVP**). <https://www.fontanka.ru/2025/11/30/76147829/>

## TAJKISTAN

**24.11.2025** Tajikistan's border guards report that they have destroyed a group of smugglers from Afghanistan. As a result of this operation, two smugglers were neutralized and **116 packages of drugs** were seized. This operation was reported on Tajik TV on 22 November. The report stated that border guards prevented a group of seven smugglers from Afghanistan from illegally crossing the border on the night of 20 November. The State Committee for National Security reported that "this was the first time that the country's border authorities had carried out an operation using domestic unmanned aerial vehicles". <https://www.facebook.com/photo?fbid=1264629675709633&set=a.599735292199078>

## UZBEKISTAN

**22.11.2025** SGB officers, together with officers from the regional customs administration and internal affairs agencies, conducted a special operation in the Urgut district of the

Samarkand region. During the operation, a resident of the district born in 1966, was detained. The arrest took place at the moment of transfer of **993 grams** of the narcotic substance "opium" to a test buyer in exchange for 15,000 US dollars. During investigation it was found that drugs had been imported into Uzbekistan from Tajikistan. <https://upl.uz/incidents/58120-news.html>

**26.11.2025** On 25 November this year, law enforcement officers conducted a special operation in the city of Namangan. During the operation, it was discovered that a drug den had been set up in the interior of a dining room located in the Chorsu neighbourhood. During the operation, they found and seized **35 grams of hashish** as evidence, along with some homemade devices used for taking drugs. <https://upl.uz/incidents/58221-news.html>

**26.11.2025** Individuals attempting to smuggle synthetic drugs were detained at the Navoi border customs post in the Tashkent district. During an inspection of two gearboxes belonging to a resident of Tashkent and the Baghdad district of the Fergana region, police discovered **4.97 kg** of the synthetic drug **clephedrone**. During the operation in Tashkent, three more accomplices who were supposed to receive this shipment were detained. As it became clear, narcotic drug was sent by a citizen of the Russian Federation who was involved in the sale of drugs through various messengers. In addition, **5 kg of marijuana** were found in the house of a resident of the Zangiata district, and **2.33 kg of marijuana** were found in the house of a resident of the Kibray district. <https://www.xabar.uz/ru/hodisa/4-kg-narkotika-klefedron-otpravlennogo-iz-rossii>

**27.11.2025** Law enforcement officers conducted a special operation in the Mirzo-Ulugbek district of Tashkent. During the operation, a man was detained with a box of Raffaello chocolates in his hands, which he was trying to sell for 10,200 US dollars. It was found that the box contained about 1 kg of **narcotic substances**. According to statements, the man had received an order to sell 1 kg of drugs, but he was unable to find that amount and brought about **800 g** to the deal. <https://upl.uz/incidents/58268-news.html>

**29.11.2025** SGB officers, together with officers from the internal affairs and customs authorities, conducted a special operation in the Fergana region. During the operation, a Matiz car was stopped and inspected. The inspection found that the man was transporting **866 grams of hashish** in his vehicle. <https://upl.uz/incidents/58338-news.html>

**29.11.2025** SGB officers, together with officers from the Internal Affairs Department and the regional customs office, conducted a special operation in the city of Fergana. During the operation, members of a criminal group residing in Fergana and Andijan who were involved in distribution of psychotropic drugs were detained. In particular, two members of the criminal group residing in the Kurgan-Tepe district of the Andijan region were caught red-handed while selling **4,508 units** of the psychotropic drug "Regapen" to customers. They planned to earn a total of 12,800 US dollars for this quantity of psychotropic drugs. <https://upl.uz/incidents/58339-news.html>

**29.11.2025** Law enforcement agencies in Uzbekistan uncovered a scheme for shipping narcotics via international mail. During the operation, approximately one kilogram of illegal substances, including hashish and mephedrone, was seized. According to press service of the Customs Committee, a 31-year-old citizen was detained in the Mirzo-Ulugbek district of

Tashkent for attempting to receive a parcel from abroad. According to documents, the parcel was supposed to contain sweets, but the box had **414 grams of hashish**. During further operations, his 33-year-old accomplice was detained, and **55 grams of mephedrone** were seized during a search of his person and stashes. During the second stage of the operation on 11 November, a 32-year-old recipient of a parcel from Thailand was detained at a post office, in which **491 grams of hashish** were found. A 26-year-old citizen who was supposed to pick up drugs in the Sergeli district of the capital was also arrested. <https://podrobno.uz/cat/world/uzbekskie-tamozhenniki-nashli-v-posylkakh-iz-za-rubezha-pochti-kilogramm-narkotikov-pod-vidom-slados/>

## OTHER COUNTRIES

### AUSTRALIA

**24.11.2025** Western Australia Police and Australian Federal Police officers seized a shipment of **525 kilograms of cocaine** off the coast of Western Australia, near Lancelin. Drugs worth approximately 170 million dollars are believed to have been dumped into the ocean from a livestock vessel bound for Fremantle. Police have charged the vessel's chief officer with attempting to import a commercial quantity of cocaine. <https://www.abc.net.au/news/2025-11-24/lancelin-cocaine-bust-livestock-ship-afp/106045080>

### ARMENIA

**22.11.2025** Armenian National Security Service intercepted a large shipment of drugs. It is reported that Armenian citizens conspired with an Iranian citizen and received a shipment of drugs near the Armenian-Iranian border, which they attempted to deliver to Yerevan, but were intercepted by NSS officers. A total of 26 kg of drugs (**4.69 kg of methamphetamine and 20.84 kg of marijuana**) were found in the car. A case has been opened against these citizens, and they have been arrested. <https://www.azerbaycan24.com/ru/v-armenii-perehvatili-krupnyuyu-partiyu-narkotikov-iz-irana/>

### BELARUS

**21.11.25** Belarusian customs officers intercepted approximately **136 kg of hashish** imported from the European Union for further sale in Belarus and Russia. In cooperation with their Russian colleagues, they detained Belarusians and Russians involved in the criminal scheme, who were acting in collusion. They attempted to import 320 bricks of compressed substance from Poland, concealing them in specially equipped caches in a truck of a Polish carrier transporting alcoholic beverages. Brest customs officers sent the vehicle for inspection using an inspection and search complex. During further dismantling, the hiding places were found — drug stashes were equipped in the floor of the semi-trailer's toolboxes. The substance was sent for examination to the GKSE in the Brest region, which confirmed that it was hashish. <https://mlyn.by/21112025/136-kg-gashisha-v-tajnikah-fury-iz-polshi-zaderzhana-mezhdunarodnaya-gruppa-narkokurerov/>

## VENEZUELA

**29.11.2025** During a major operation carried out in the country, more than **500 kilograms of cocaine** were seized. Agents from the Scientific, Criminal, and Forensic Investigation Corps (CICPC) discovered specially concealed compartments inside a tanker used to transport fuel during the raid, preventing a large shipment. <https://en.haberler.com/these-images-are-enough-for-trump-to-declare-war-2171321/>

## INDIA

**22.11.2025** In one of the largest drug seizures in the region this year, the Anti-Narcotics Task Force (ANTF) in Ferozpur seized **50 kg of heroin** and arrested a smuggler on Saturday. The operation, conducted on the basis of intelligence information, resulted in the arrest of Sandeep Singh. Intelligence indicated that he had received a large consignment of drugs from the border near Bagjike-Uttar in the Fazilka district. <https://www.hindustantimes.com/cities/chandigarh-news/50kg-heroin-seized-in-ferozpur-drug-smuggler-arrested-after-encounter-101763808808879.html>

**25.11.2025** In one of the largest anti-drug operations recorded in the capital, the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) and the Delhi Police Special Branch dismantled a transnational methamphetamine network and seized **328 kg of high-purity methamphetamine** worth approximately ₹262 crore. Two people, including a woman from Nagaland, were arrested on 20 November. <https://northeastindia24.com/nagaland-woman-held-in-massive-meth-seizure/>

**25.11.2025** Acting on specific intelligence, on 20 November 2025 a group from the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) intercepted Bashir Ahmad Malla and seized **2,730 kg of hashish**. Three key individuals, including leader of the group, were also arrested during the operation. <https://www.republicworld.com/india/ncb-srinagar-dismantles-major-drug-supply-module-in-jk-2730-kg-charas-seized-three-arrested>

## COLOMBIA

**22.11.2025** Colombian authorities carried out the largest **cocaine** seizure operation in a decade, seizing **14 tons** at the main Pacific port. Colombia's Defense Ministry announced that it had seized dozens of 50-kilogram (110-pound) bags of cocaine inside a warehouse in the southwestern port of Buenaventura, a strategic departure point for Colombian cocaine. Drug was disguised by mixing it with plaster in containers bound for the Netherlands. <https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2025/11/22/colombia-hails-historic-blow-after-largest-cocaine-bust-in-a-decade>

## LITHUANIA

**21.11.2025** Officers from the Criminal Customs Service (KST), in cooperation with the European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF) and the Latvian Tax and Customs Police Department, seized a shipment of **heroin** weighing almost **500 kilograms** in the vicinity of Vilnius. Drugs were concealed in a shipment transiting through Lithuania. It is believed that heroin originated in Afghanistan and was intended for the Western European market.

<https://www.delfi.lt/ru/news/crime/rekordnaya-kontrabanda-narkotikov-v-okrestnostyah-vilnyusa-izyato-poltonny-geroina-120177230>

## SYRIA

**22.11.2025** During a joint operation by units of the Ministry of Internal Affairs in the At-Tel area, located in the suburbs of the Syrian capital Damascus, **90,000 captagon tablets** were seized. Ministry of Internal Affairs' Anti-Narcotics Department and Internal Security Forces conducted a joint operation in the At-Tel district of Damascus and detained two suspects in drug trafficking in Damascus. <https://www.aa.com.tr/ru/мир/министерство-внутренних-дел-сирии-изъяло-90-тысяч-таблеток-каптагона/3751201>

## USA

**21.11.2025** Two men have been charged with federal offenses following a drug raid on a house in Clayton County. On 14 November, law enforcement officers conducted a search of a rented house in Forest Park, where they seized **21 kilograms of fentanyl** and 380,000 dollars, suspected of being proceeds from drug sales, as well as firearms. <https://www.fox5atlanta.com/news/federal-drug-bust-clayton-county-fentanyl-two-arrests>

**22.11.2025** US Coast Guard made headlines on Wednesday with the announcement of a record seizure of illegal drugs by a single vessel — an achievement made possible with the help of an MQ-35 V-BAT vertical takeoff and landing drone. The 418-foot Coast Guard cutter Stone unloaded approximately **22 tons 230 kilograms of cocaine** in Port Everglades, Florida. This massive seizure, valued at 362 million dollars, was the result of 15 seizures made by the vessel, which used the V-BAT drone to track and intercept drug traffickers at sea. <https://www.defensenews.com/unmanned/2025/11/21/this-drone-is-helping-the-coast-guard-track-down-drug-smugglers/>

**24.11.2025** U.S. Customs and Border Protection officers seized more than 10 million dollars worth of methamphetamine concealed in a shipment of lettuce. On Friday, CBP officers stationed at the Farrar International Bridge inspected a commercial vehicle entering the United States from Mexico. The vehicle was selected for a secondary inspection, during which 500 packages of **methamphetamine** weighing approximately **523 kg** were discovered hidden in a shipment of lettuce. <https://www.valleycentral.com/news/local-news/meth-seizure-lettuce-pharr/>

**24.11.2025** A major drug investigation led by the Hall County Sheriff's Office (HCSO) and the FBI resulted in one of the largest drug seizures in county history — 22.5 million dollars worth of methamphetamine. The seizure occurred early Friday morning, 21 November, when investigators discovered a refrigerated truck near a business on McEver Road that was believed to be containing illegal drugs. Upon inspection, investigators found **300 kilograms** (approximately 661 pounds) of crystal **methamphetamine** concealed in boxes of blackberries. Officials said the shipment was apparently being transported from Mexico to Atlanta for distribution throughout northern Georgia. <https://countryherald.com/news/hall-county-ga-gainesville-drug-bust-22-5m-in-meth-seized-near-mcever-road-suspect-arrested/>