



## Appendix 4: International and Domestic Illicit Drug Prices

(All Costs in \$US)	UNODC World Drug Report 2010 (2007–08 dated figures)						IDDR 2008–09
	Source Country		United States average wholesale	United Kingdom average wholesale	Canadian average wholesale	Australian average wholesale	Australian average wholesale (recent)
	Country	Average wholesale					
<b>Cocaine</b> (per kg)	Colombia	\$2,348 (T) (No range reported)	(No typical price reported)	\$64,682 (T)	\$38,761 (T)	\$146,539 (T)	\$150,000 – \$250,000
	Peru	\$1,250 (T) \$950 – \$1,250 (R)	\$10,000 – \$43,000 (R)	\$40,657 – \$70,226 (R)	\$18,025 – \$64,510 (R)	\$113,044 – \$167,473 (R)	
<b>Heroin</b> (per kg)	Afghanistan	\$2,405 (T) \$2,256 – \$2,554 (R)	\$71,200 (T) \$40,000 – \$100,000 (R)	\$29,569 (T) \$18,480 – \$35,113 (R)	\$119,431 (T) \$75,894 – \$213,452 (R)	\$221,304 (T) \$191,398 – \$251,210 (R)	\$160,000 – \$210,000 (price per 700g*)
<b>Methylamphetamine</b> (per kg) **	Canada	\$16,687 (T) \$14,230 – \$23,717 (R)	(No typical price reported) \$3,120 – \$70,200 (R)	Unreported		\$120,394 (T) \$75,377 – \$167,504 (R)	\$90,000 – \$210,000
<b>Ecstasy</b> (per 1000 tablets)	The Netherlands	\$4,111 (T) \$3,426 – \$4,796 (R)	\$10,000 (T) \$5,000 – \$13,000 (R) (Data from 2004)	\$6,468 (T) \$4,620 – \$8,316 (R)	\$3,947 (T) \$1,708 – \$6,641 (R)	(No typical price reported) \$5,914 – \$25,344 (R)	\$5,750 – \$20,000

(T) = Typical price (R) = Price range

Note: This table is based on drug prices sourced from the UNODC *World Drug Report 2010*, which uses data from 2007–08, this being the most contemporary and reliable international data source available at this time. In addition, 2008–09 wholesale prices, sourced from the ACC's *Illicit Drug Data Report 2008–09*, are provided as an indication of price changes domestically between 2007–08 and 2008–09.

Prices do not take into consideration purity. Prices are indicative only, as they may vary both within and between countries.

\* Australian law enforcement agencies did not report prices per kilogram. Prices per 'Asian catti' (700 grams) were the closest available data set.

\*\* Prices may be influenced by form (eg: powder or crystal). Note that the majority of methylamphetamine consumed in Australia is domestically produced.

