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### DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

Materials/Products tested	Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement	Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used
	<u>Forensic Testing</u>	<p>The organisation has demonstrated compliance to the Forensic Science Regulator Code of Practice V2 in relation to the Forensic Activities listed below.</p> <p>In addition, where compliance has been demonstrated for the related FSA specific requirements this is stated below at the relevant schedule entry.</p>
<p>BODY FLUIDS and TISSUES</p> <p>Any Material</p>	<p><u>Forensic Analysis</u></p> <p>Searching for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Blood</li> <li>- Semen</li> <li>- Saliva</li> </ul> <p>Recovery and preparation, including for contingency purposes, for subsequent DNA analysis by an ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratory of the following from searched materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Blood</li> <li>- Semen</li> <li>- Saliva</li> <li>- Cellular Material</li> </ul>	<p>The organisation has demonstrated compliance to the Forensic Science Regulator Code of Practice V2 FSA Specific Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human DNA examination and analysis</li> </ul> <p>Documented In-House Methods (FAL-BM-001, 002 and 003) using:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- visual examination</li> <li>- low power microscopy</li> <li>- high power microscopy</li> <li>- chemical testing (see below)</li> </ul> <p>Documented In-House Methods (FAL-BM-004, FAL-BM-010 &amp; FAL-BM-008) using:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- cutting</li> <li>- swabs and swabbing</li> <li>- extraction of stained materials</li> <li>- extraction of swabs</li> <li>- mini-taping</li> <li>- Proteinase K</li> </ul>



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BODY FLUIDS and TISSUES (cont'd)	<u>Forensic Analysis</u> (cont'd)	The organisation has demonstrated compliance to the Forensic Science Regulator Code of Practice V2 FSA Specific Requirements:
Blood	Presumptive testing for Blood via detection of: - Peroxidase	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human DNA examination and analysis</li> </ul> Documented In-House Methods (FAL-BM-002) using: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual Examination</li> <li>- KM (Kastle Meyer)</li> </ul>
Semen	Presumptive testing for seminal fluid, via detection of: - Acid Phosphatase - Choline	Documented In-House Methods (FAL-BM-001 & FAL-BM-006) using: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual Examination</li> <li>- Acid phosphatase detection (colour reaction)</li> <li>- Choline detection by Florence Iodine test</li> </ul>
Semen	Confirmatory testing for seminal fluid via identification of: - Spermatozoa	Documented In-House Methods (FAL-BM-004) using: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High power microscopy</li> <li>- Haematoxylin and Eosin staining</li> </ul>
Saliva	Presumptive testing for saliva via detection of: - Amylase	Documented In-House Methods (FAL-BM-003) using: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual examination</li> <li>- Phadebas paper</li> <li>- Phadebas tube test</li> </ul>



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MARKS AND IMPRESSIONS	<u>Forensic Analysis</u>	The organisation has demonstrated compliance to the Forensic Science Regulator Code of Practice V2 FSA Specific Requirements:
Fingermarks Any material which is capable of retaining friction ridge marks	Enhancement of fingermarks, palm marks and plantar marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Friction Ridge Detail: visualisation and enhancement</li> </ul> <p>Documented In-House Methods using chemical and physical enhancement techniques</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Cyanoacrylate (CNA) Fuming (FAL-MP-001)</li> <li>- Basic Yellow 40 (BY40) (aqueous &amp; ethanol (FAL-MP-001)</li> <li>- Ninhydrin (FAL-MP-002)</li> <li>- Powder suspensions (FAL-MP-003) carbon based - black, titanium dioxide based-white</li> <li>- 1,2-Indandione (FAL-MP-002)</li> </ul>
Fingermarks	Enhancement of fingermarks, palm marks and plantar marks	<p>Documented In-House Methods using visual and lighting enhancement techniques</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual examination</li> <li>- White Light and filtered sources (FAL-MP-004)</li> <li>- High Intensity Light Sources (FAL-MP-006) Crime Lite 42s UV (<math>\lambda = 350-380\text{nm}</math>) Blue (<math>\lambda = 420-470\text{nm}</math>) Green (<math>\lambda = 480-560\text{nm}</math>) Crime Lite 82S Blue (<math>\lambda = 420-470\text{nm}</math>), Green (<math>\lambda = 480-560\text{nm}</math>), UV (<math>\lambda = 350-380\text{nm}</math>). Crime Lite 80S Blue (<math>\lambda = 430-470\text{nm}</math>), Green (<math>\lambda = 500-550\text{nm}</math>), 8 x 4 Mk 2 Crimelite UV (<math>\lambda = 365\text{nm}</math>), Indigo (<math>\lambda = 410\text{nm}</math>), Blue (<math>\lambda = 445\text{nm}</math>), Blue green (<math>\lambda = 475\text{nm}</math>), Green <math>\lambda = 520\text{nm}</math>.</li> </ul>



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Fingermarks (cont'd)	Enhancement of fingermarks, palm marks and plantar marks (cont'd)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Friction Ridge Detail: visualisation and enhancement</li> </ul> Documented In-House Method for imaging and Digital Capture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Digital SLR (FAL-MP-004)</li> </ul>
Developed fingerprint marks	Determination of the presence of friction ridge characteristics for the purpose of subsequent comparison	Documented In-House methods using visual examination, low power microscopy (FAL-MP-005)
FIREARMS	<u>Forensic Analysis</u>	
Ammunition	Ammunition and component identification and legal classification	Documented in-house method (FAL-FP-005) using: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Weighing</li> <li>- length measurement</li> <li>- use of known samples or standard reference data</li> </ul>
Firearms	Firearm and firearm component part identification and legal classification (Firearms Act 1968)	Documented in-house method (FAL-FP-004) using comparison with known samples, reference standards and publications
	Test Firing to generate test samples of ammunition for inclusion in the NABIS database	Documented In house method (FAL-FP-003) meeting the requirements of NABIS
	Test Firing to assess the functionality of weapons and/or ammunition	Documented In house method using suspect or reference guns and ammunition
	Determination of Kinetic Energy of projectiles	Documented in-house method (FAL-FP-001) using MSI chronograph and balance
	Range of fire determination	In house method (FAL-FP-008) using test firing with appropriate weapon/ammunition combination and target material to assess range of fire. Comparison of test patterns to exhibits.



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FIREARMS (cont'd) Firearms (cont'd) Electric Shock Devices	<u>Forensic Analysis (cont'd)</u> Trigger pull measurement Identification, classification and function test	In house method (FAL-FP-009) using Dead Weights. Documented in-house method (FAL-FP-006) using visual examination, function testing and measurement of spark gap
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