

## 4-CDMC

Sample Type: Seized Material

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### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

**IUPAC Name:** 1-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-(dimethylamino)propan-1-one

**InChI String:** InChI=1S/C11H14ClNO/c1-8(13(2)3)11(14)9-4-6-10(12)7-5-

9/h4-8H,1-3H3

**CFR:** Not Scheduled (10/2018)

CAS# Not Available

**Synonyms:** 4-CDC, 4-Chloro-*N*,*N*-Dimethylcathinone, 4-chloro-*N*,*N*-DMC

**Source:** Department of Homeland Security

**Appearance:** White Solid Material

#### 2. CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL DATA

#### 2.1 CHEMICAL DATA

Form	Chemical	Molecular	Molecular Ion	Exact Mass
	Formula	Weight	[M <sup>+</sup> ]	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>
Base	C <sub>11</sub> H <sub>14</sub> ClNO	211.7	211	212.0837

*Important Note*: All identifications were made based on evaluation of analytical data (GC-MS and LC-QTOF) in comparison to analysis of acquired reference material.

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#### 3. BRIEF DESCRIPTION

4-CDMC (4-chloro-*N*,*N*-dimethylcathinone) is classified as a substituted cathinone. Substituted cathinones are modified based on the structure of cathinone, an alkaloid found in the Khat plant. Substituted cathinones have been reported to cause stimulant-like effects, similar to amphetamines, which are structurally related to substituted cathinones. Substituted cathinones have also caused adverse events, including deaths, as described in the literature. Structurally similar compounds include cathinone, methcathinone, mephedrone, dimethylcathinone, and 4-fluoromethcathinone (4-FMC). Cathinone, methcathinone, mephedrone, and 4-FMC are all explicitly Schedule I substances in the United States.

#### 4. ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

https://www.caymanchem.com/product/24432

https://www.policija.si/apps/nfl\_response\_web/0\_Analytical\_Reports\_final/4-CDC-ID-1908-18\_report.pdf

## 5. QUALITATIVE DATA

## **5.1 GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY MASS SPECTROMETRY (GC-MS)**

**Testing Performed At:** NMS Labs (Willow Grove, PA)

**Sample Preparation:** Acid/base extraction

**Instrument:** Agilent 5975 Series GC/MSD System

Column: Zebron<sup>TM</sup> Inferno<sup>TM</sup> ZB-35HT (15 m x 250  $\mu$ m x 0.25  $\mu$ m)

Carrier Gas: Helium (Flow: 1 mL/min)

**Temperatures:** Injection Port: 265 °C

Transfer Line: 300 °C

MS Source: 230 °C

MS Quad: 150 °C

Oven Program: 60 °C for 0.5 min, 35 °C/min to 340 °C for 6.5 min

**Injection Parameters:** Injection Type: Splitless

Injection Volume: 1 μL

**MS Parameters:** Mass Scan Range: 40-550 m/z

Threshold: 250

**Retention Time:** 4.250 min

**Standard Comparison:** Reference material for 4-CDMC (Batch: 0523448-11) was

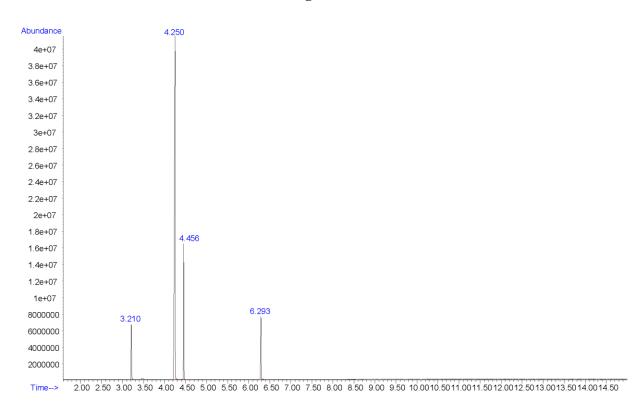
purchased from Cayman Chemical (Ann Arbon, MI, USA).

Analysis of this standard resulted in positive identification of the analyte in the exhibit as 4-CDMC, based on retention time (4.220

min) and mass spectral data.

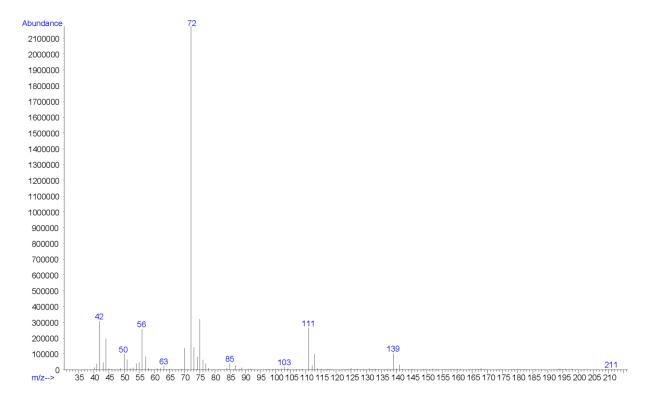
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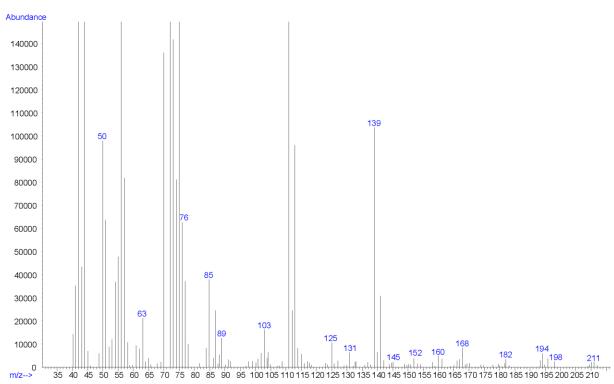
## **Chromatogram: 4-CDMC**



Additional peaks present in chromatogram: internal standard (3.210 min), not a controlled substance (4.456 min), internal standard (6.293 min)

EI (70 eV) Mass Spectrum (Top) and 10x (Bottom): 4-CDMC





# 5.2 LIQUID CHROMATOGRAPHY QUADRUPOLE TIME OF FLIGHT MASS SPECTROMETRY (LC-QTOF)

**Testing Performed At:** The Center for Forensic Science Research and Education at the

Fredric Rieders Family Foundation (Willow Grove, PA)

**Sample Preparation:** 1:100 dilution of acid/base extraction in mobile phase

**Instrument:** Sciex TripleTOF® 5600+, Shimadzu Nexera XR UHPLC

**Column:** Phenomenex® Kinetex C18 (50 mm x 3.0 mm, 2.6 μm)

**Mobile Phase:** A: Ammonium formate (10 mM, pH 3.0)

B: Methanol/acetonitrile (50:50)

Flow rate: 0.4 mL/min

**Gradient:** Initial: 95A:5B; 5A:95B over 13 min; 95A:5B at 15.5 min

**Temperatures:** Autosampler: 15 °C

Column Oven: 30 °C

Source Heater: 600 °C

**Injection Parameters:** Injection Volume: 10 µL

**QTOF Parameters:** TOF MS Scan Range: 100-510 Da

Precursor Isolation: SWATH® acquisition (27 windows)

Fragmentation: Collison Energy Spread (35±15 eV)

MS/MS Scan Range: 50-510 Da

**Retention Time:** 4.72 min

**Standard Comparison:** Reference material for 4-CDMC (Batch: 0523448-11) was

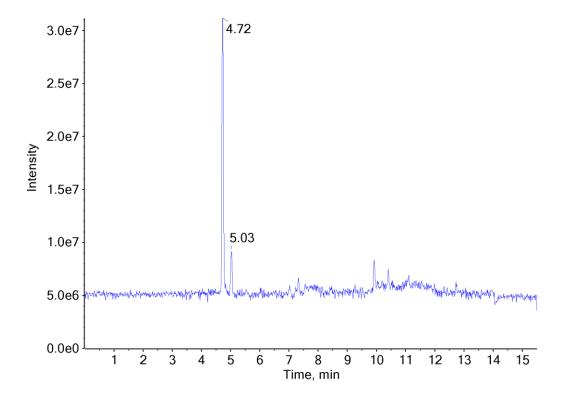
purchased from Cayman Chemical (Ann Arbon, MI, USA).

Analysis of this standard resulted in positive identification of the analyte in the exhibit as 4-CDMC, based on retention time (4.59

min) and mass spectral data.

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## **Chromatogram: 4-CDMC**



Additional peaks present in chromatogram: internal standard (5.03 min)

TOF MS (Top) and MS/MS (Bottom) Spectra: 4-CDMC

