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Locations covered by the organisation and their relevant activities

Laboratory locations:

Location details	Activity	Location code
Address Birmingham	Forensic Firearms Analysis	A



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DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

Materials/Products tested	Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement	Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used	Location Code
AMMUNITION	<u>Forensic Analysis</u> Examination of discharged ammunition components to determine the number of guns used.	In house methods using comparison microscopy	A
	Examination of cartridges to determine if ammunition has been loaded into a firearm	In house methods using microscopy and comparison microscopy	A
	Comparison of spent ammunition to suspect guns	In house methods using comparison microscopy	A
	Comparison of spent ammunition to suspect guns	Documented in house methods meeting the requirements of the National Ballistics Intelligence Service (NaBIS) using IBIS Bullet Trax, Brass Trax, IBIS Matchpoint Plus	A
	Ammunition and component identification and legal classification	In house method using visual and physical examination, known reference data and reference collections	A
FIREARMS	<u>Forensic Analysis</u> Firearm and firearm component part identification and legal classification	In house method using visual and physical examination, known reference data and reference collections	A
	Firearm identification from class marks present on ammunition components	In house method using visual and physical examination, known reference data and reference collections	A
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