



Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board

WSLCB Cannabis Testing

House Regulated Substances Committee

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WSLCB Cannabis Testing Pathways

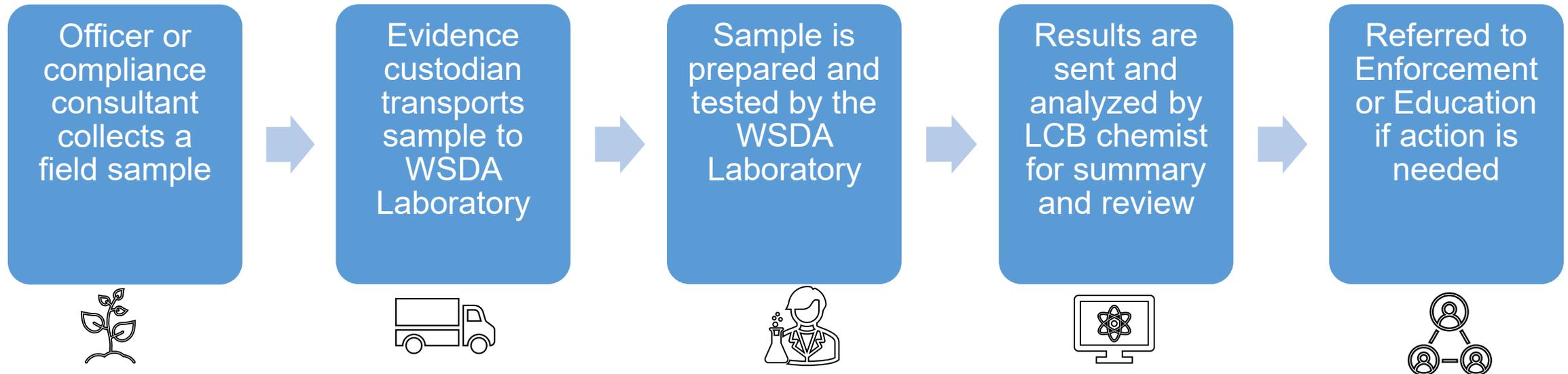
- Compliance Consultant Sampling (ongoing), Testing at WSDA Laboratory
- Officer Sampling (complaints/investigations), Testing at WSDA Laboratory
- Licensee Sampling, Testing at Certified Labs



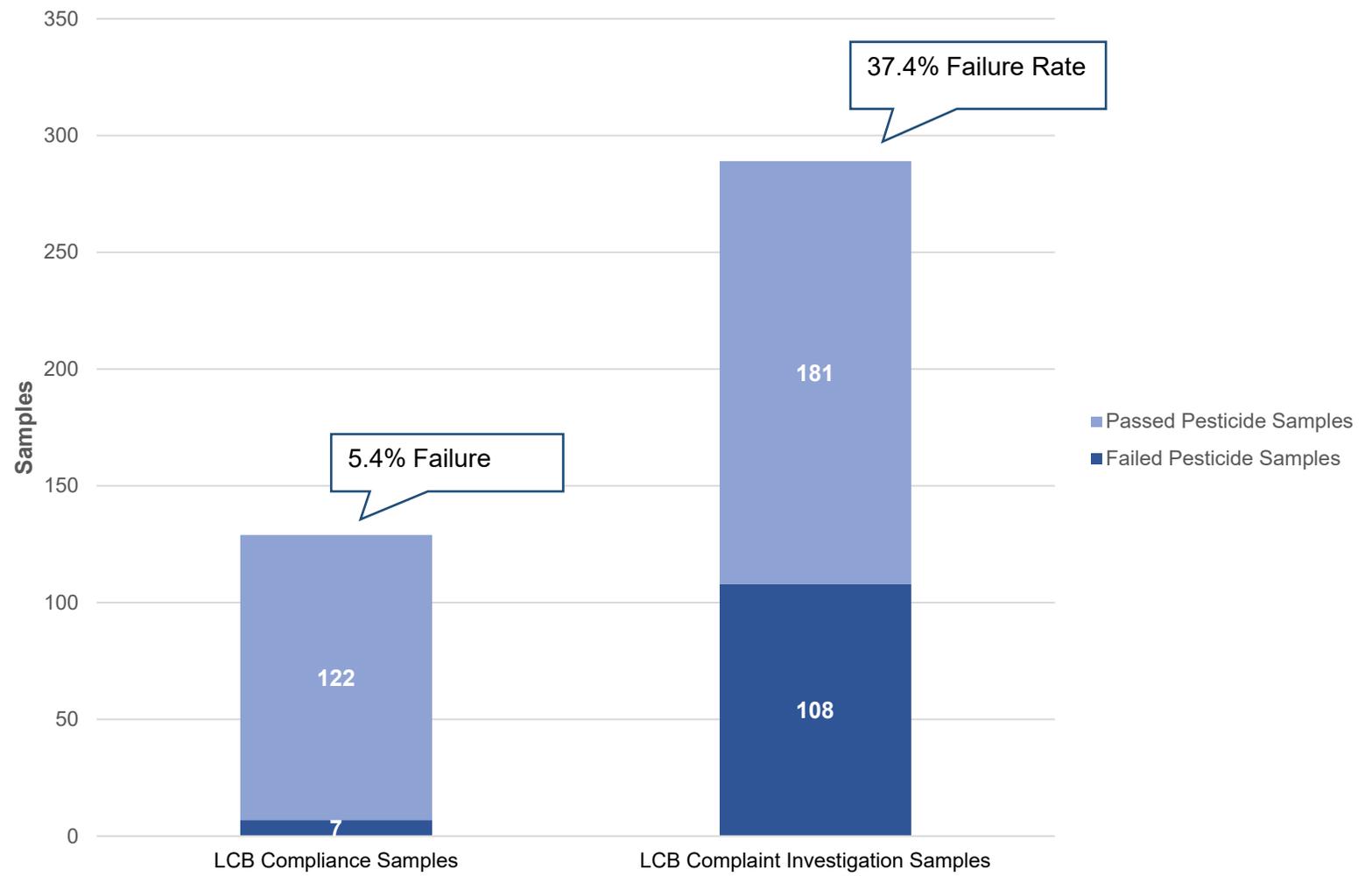
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Cannabis Samples taken by WSLCB

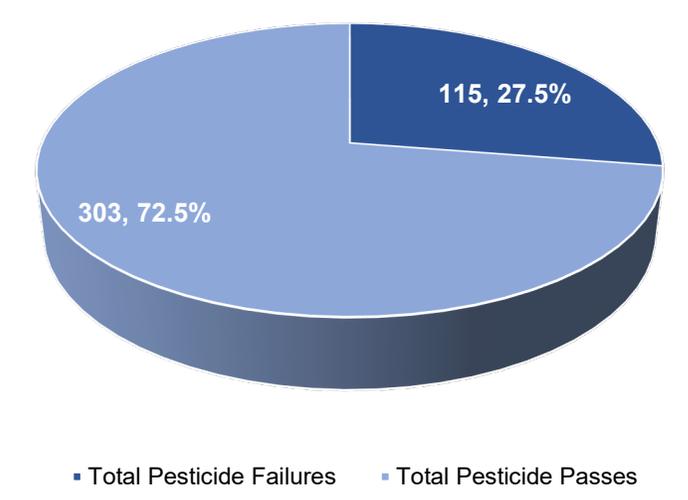
The WSLCB holds a contract with the WSDA to conduct testing of cannabis and cannabis products and provide technical consultation pursuant to the requirements of RCW 69.50 and WAC 314-55 including but not limited to WAC 314-55-084 relating to the use or presence of pesticides or pesticide residues on cannabis or cannabis products.



LCB Samples Analyzed for Pesticides by the WSDA Laboratory for 2023



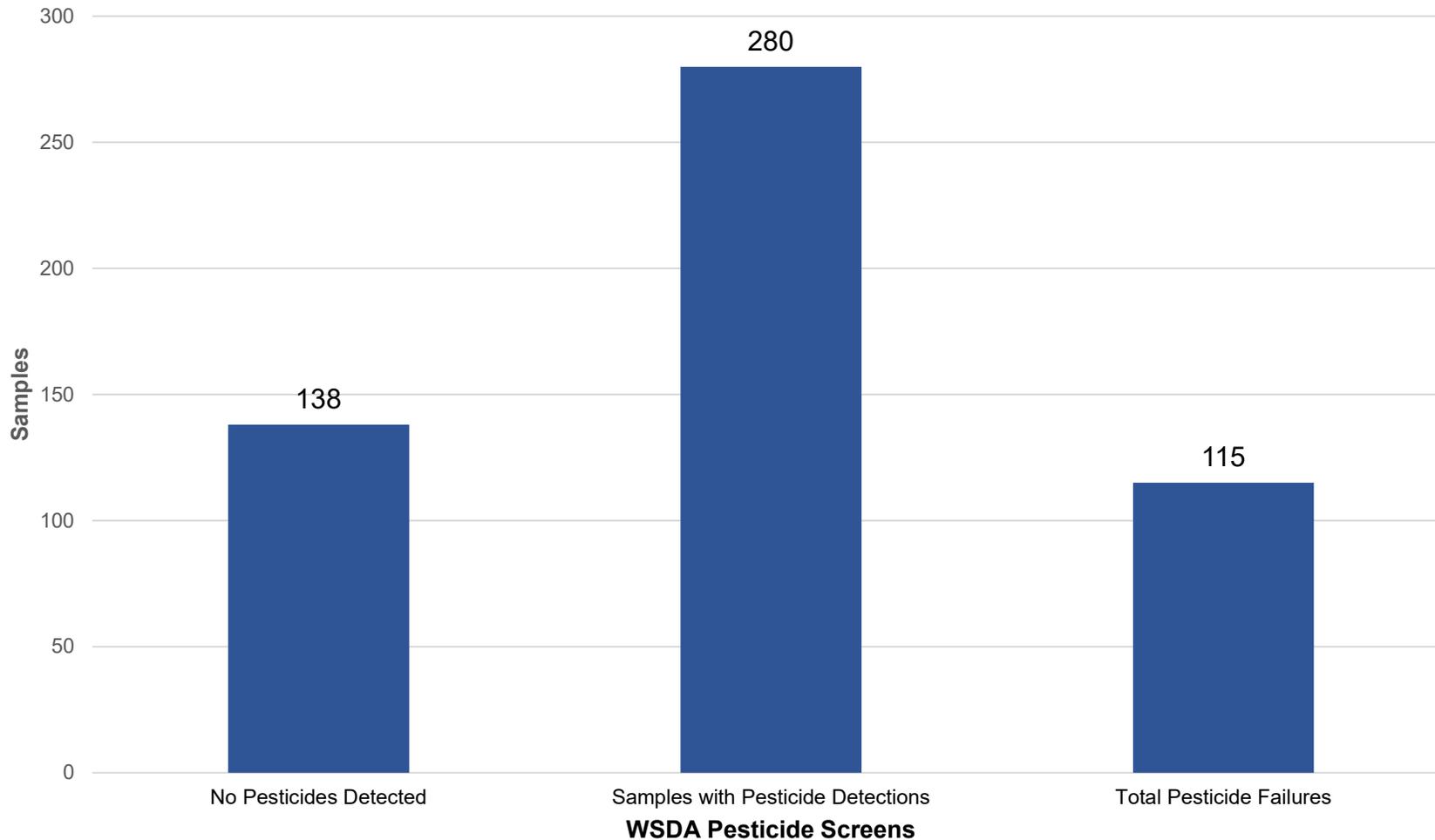
Total Pesticide Failures for 2023





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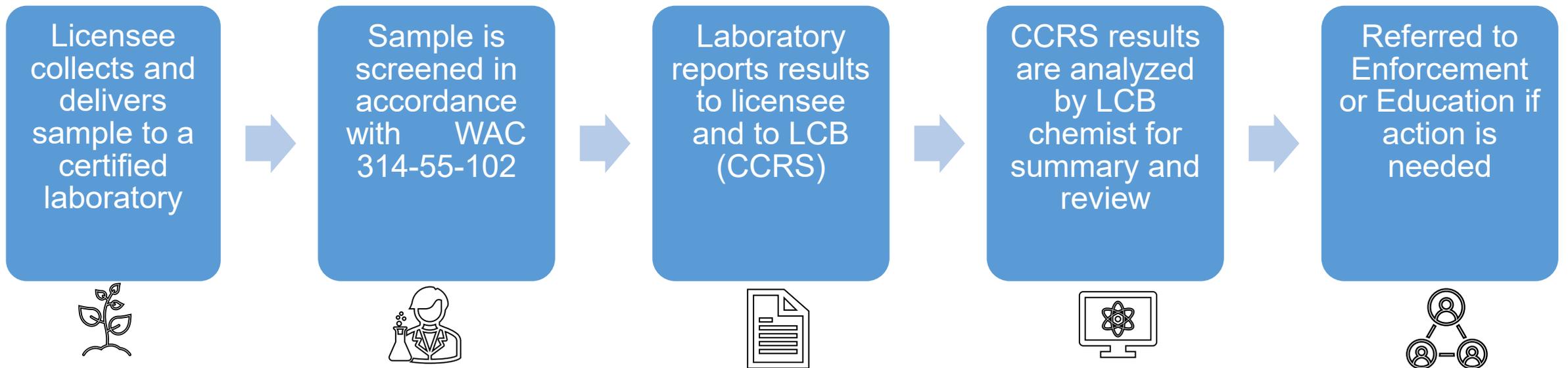


- No Pesticides Detected – Total samples that did not contain detectable amounts of any pesticide.
- Samples with Pesticide Detections – Total samples that contained detectable amounts of at least one pesticide.
- Total Pesticide Failures – Total samples that contained at least one pesticide above action limit (WAC 314-55-108).



Cannabis Quality Control Testing

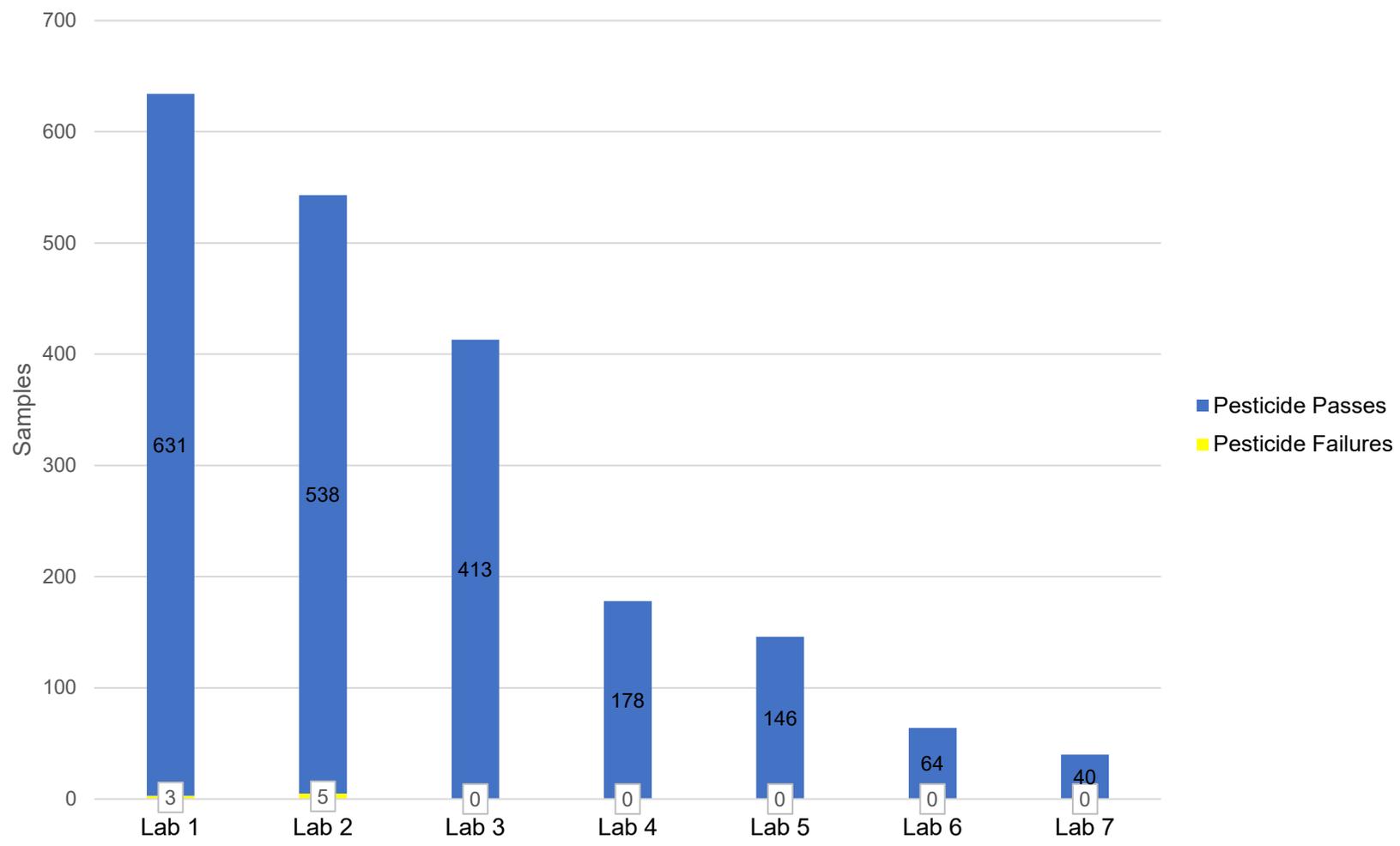
RCW 69.50.348 On a schedule determined by the board, every licensed cannabis producer and processor must submit representative samples of cannabis, useable cannabis, or cannabis-infused products produced or processed by the licensee to an independent, third-party testing laboratory. The purpose of testing representative samples is to certify compliance with quality assurance and product standards adopted by the board under RCW 69.50.342 or the department of health under RCW 69.50.375. In conducting tests of cannabis product samples, testing laboratories must adhere to laboratory quality standards adopted by the state department of agriculture under chapter 15.150 RCW. Any sample remaining after testing shall be destroyed by the laboratory or returned to the licensee submitting the sample.



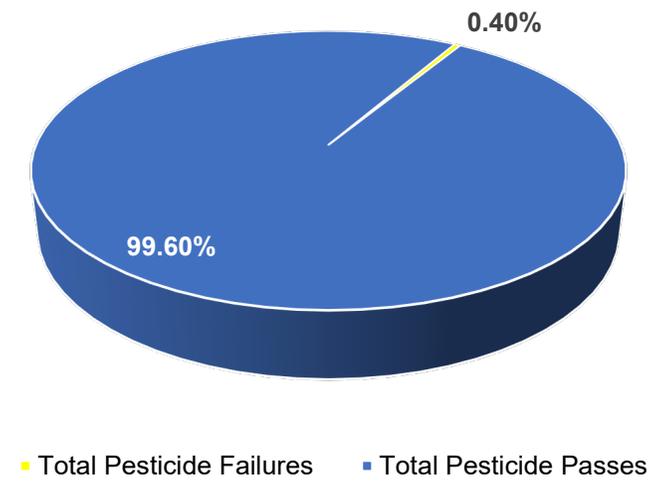


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Pesticide Results Submitted to LCB by Certified I-502 Laboratories in June 2023



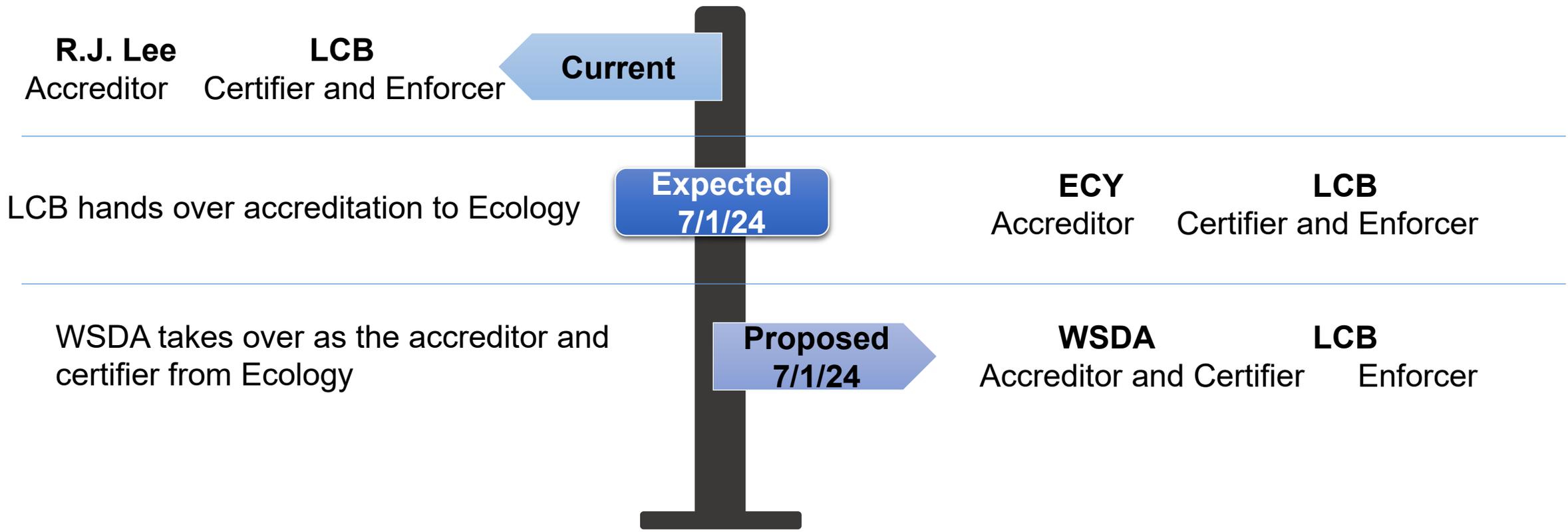
Total Pesticide Failure Rate for June 2023





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Lab Accreditation, Certification, and Enforcement





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Thank you