

Behavioral Health is Essential To Health



Prevention Works



Treatment is Effective



People Recover





Federal Workplace Drug Testing Program

NLCP Drug Testing Results

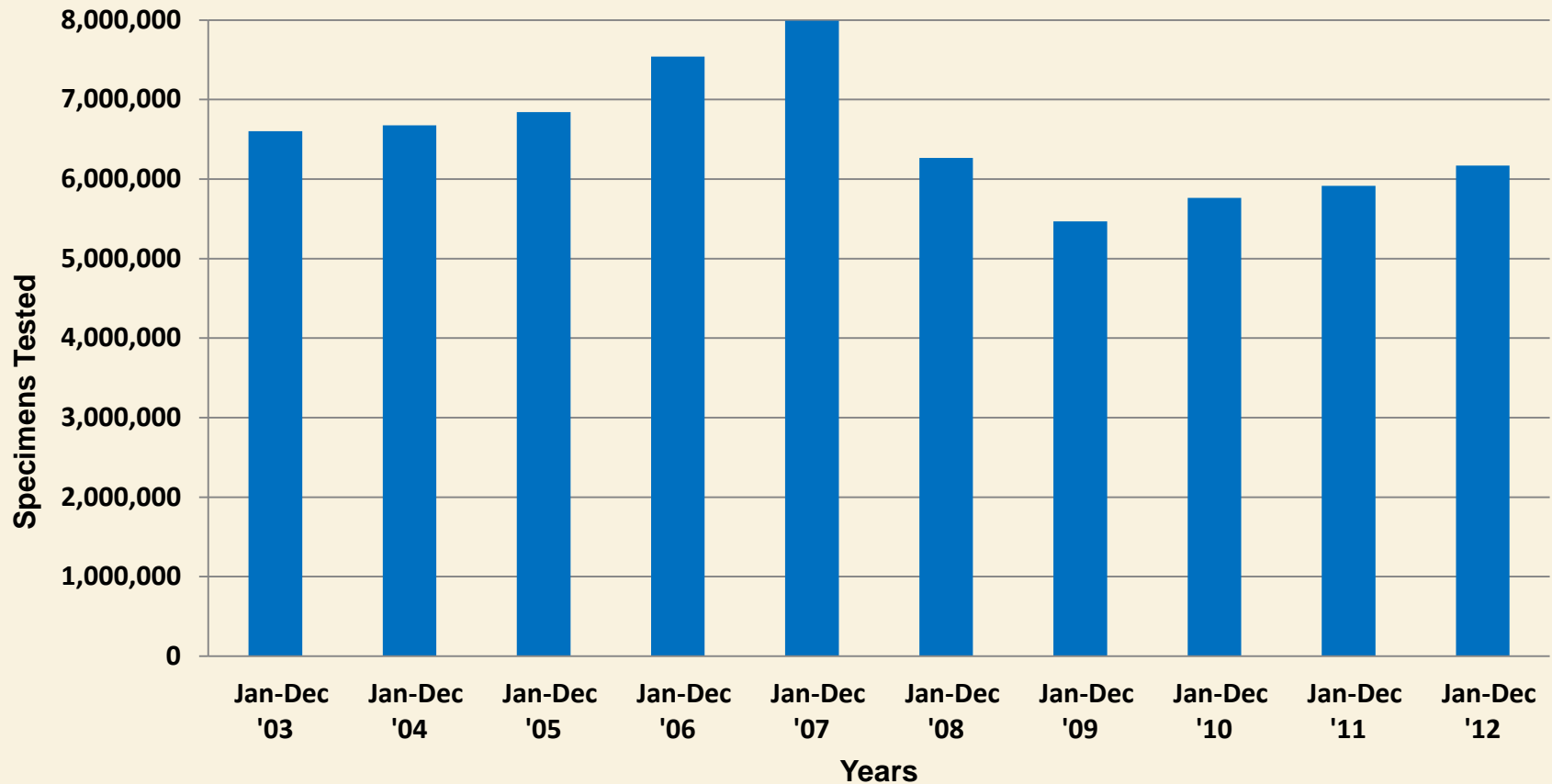
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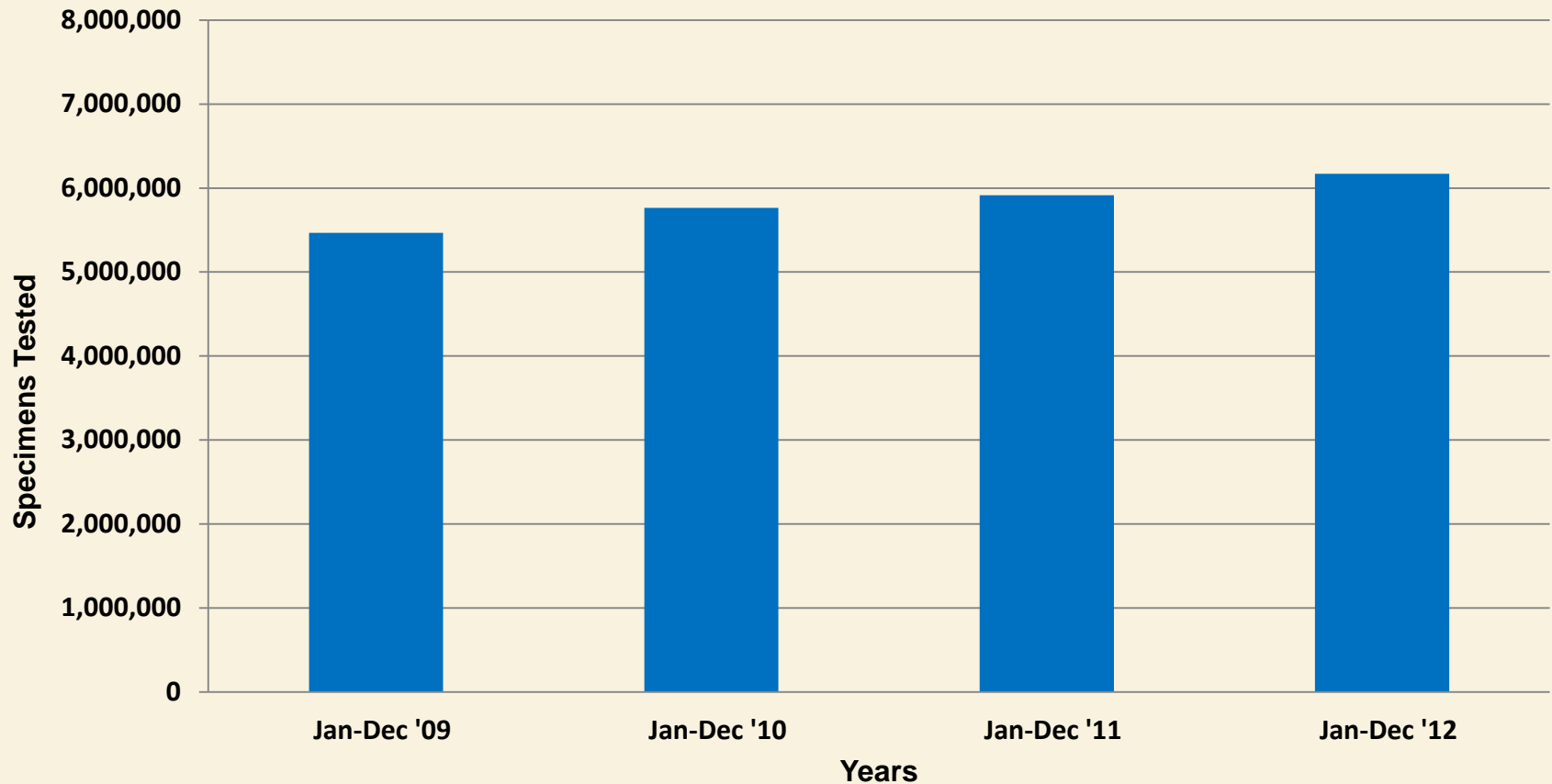
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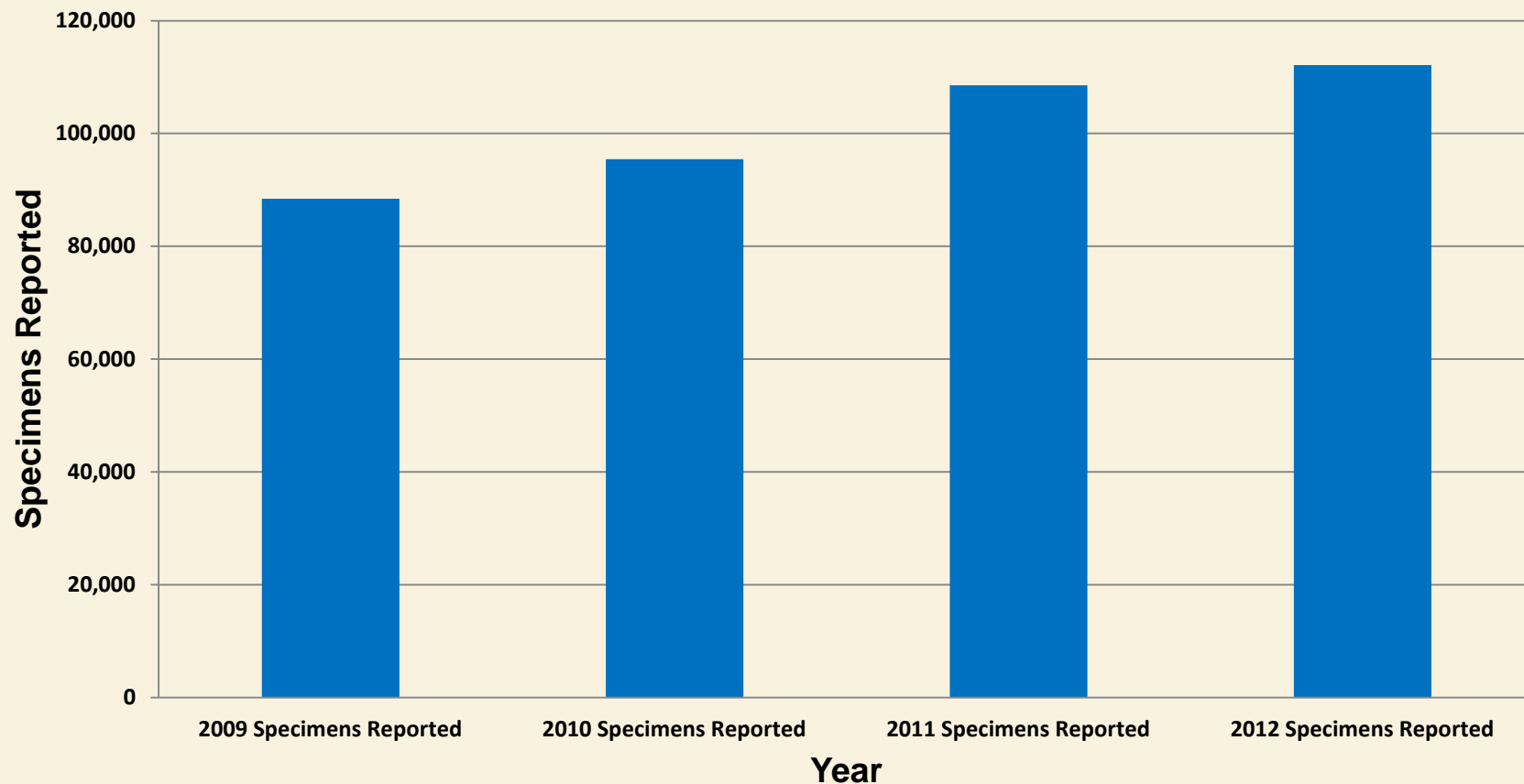
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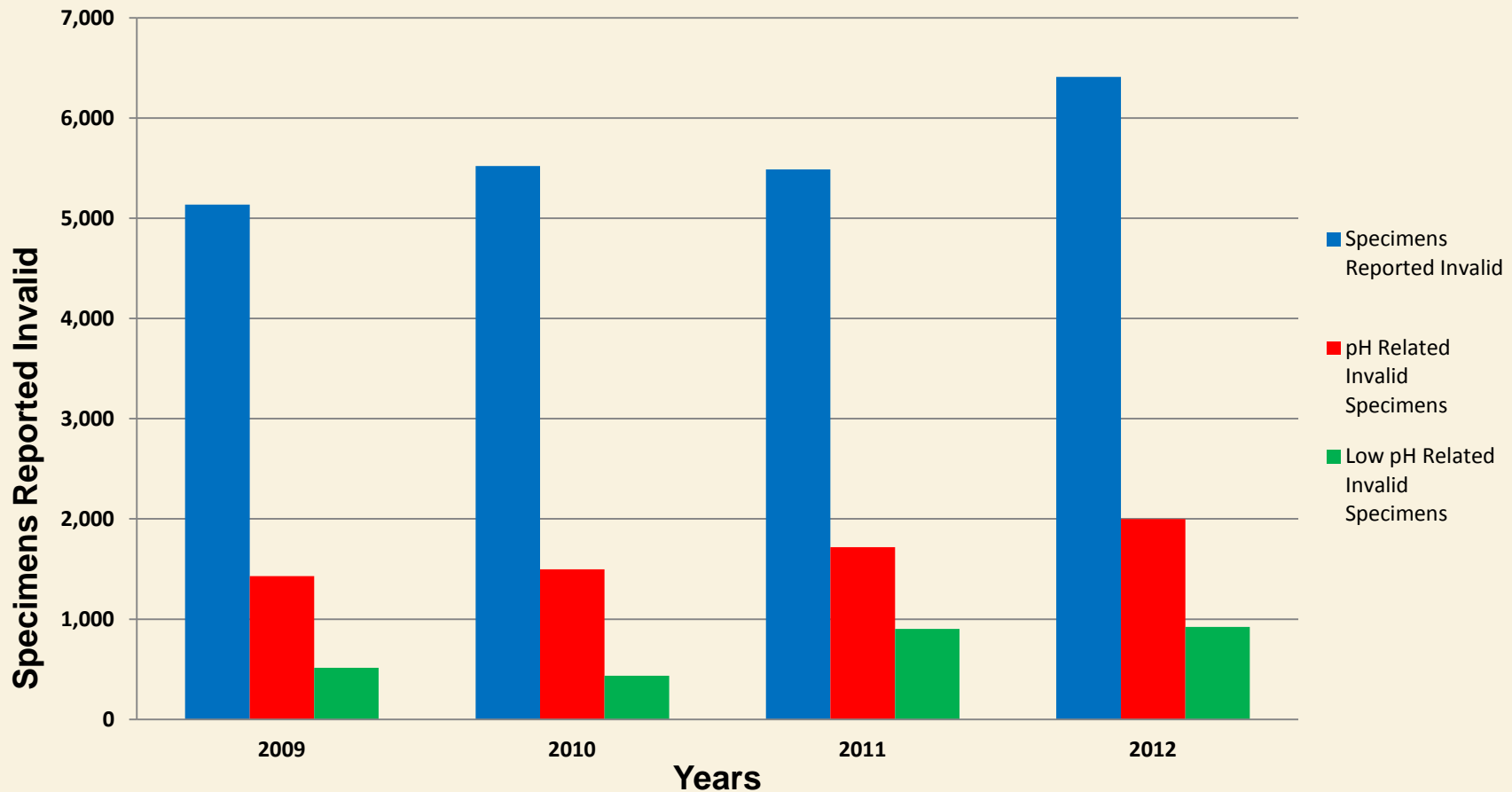


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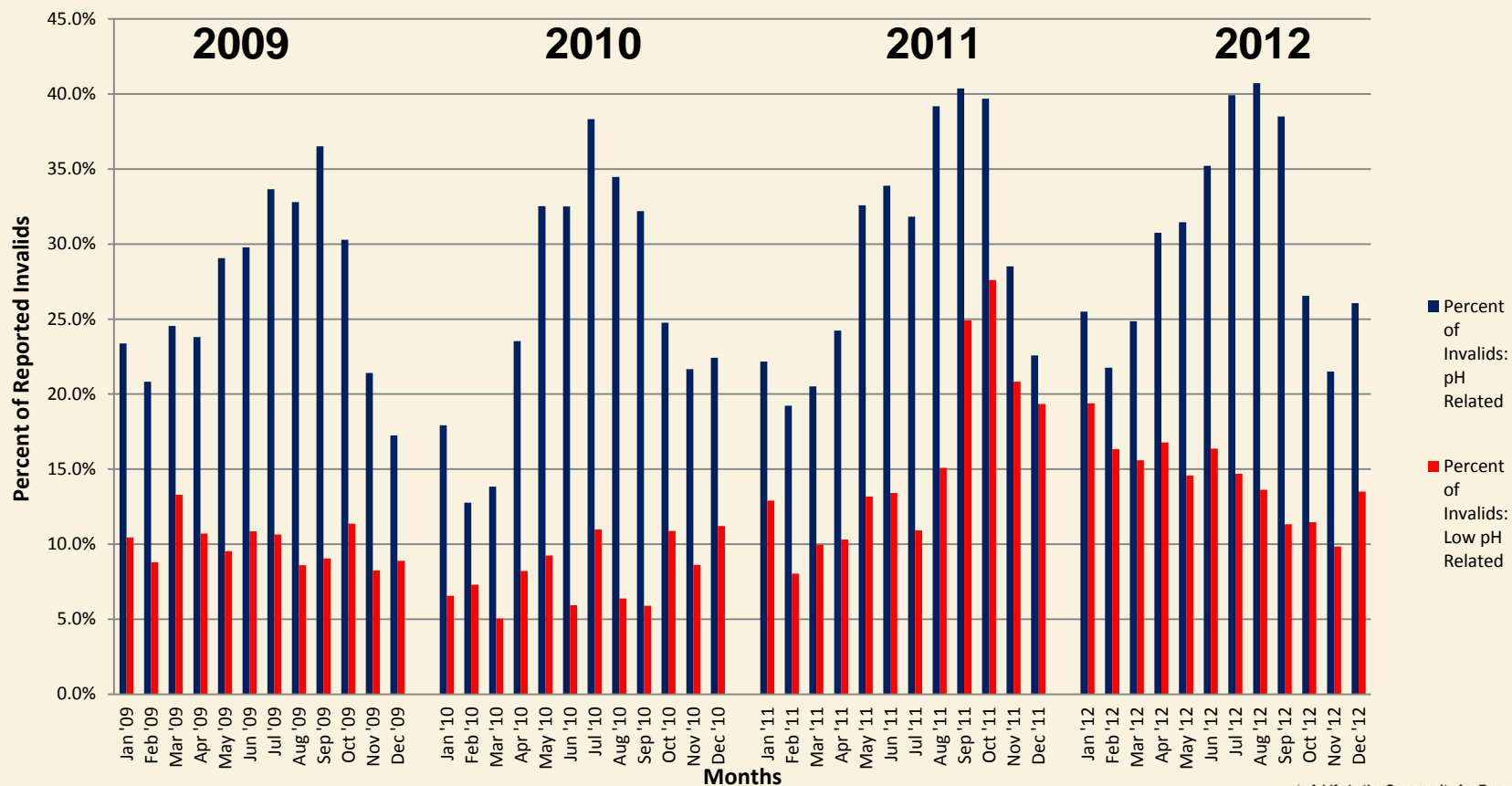


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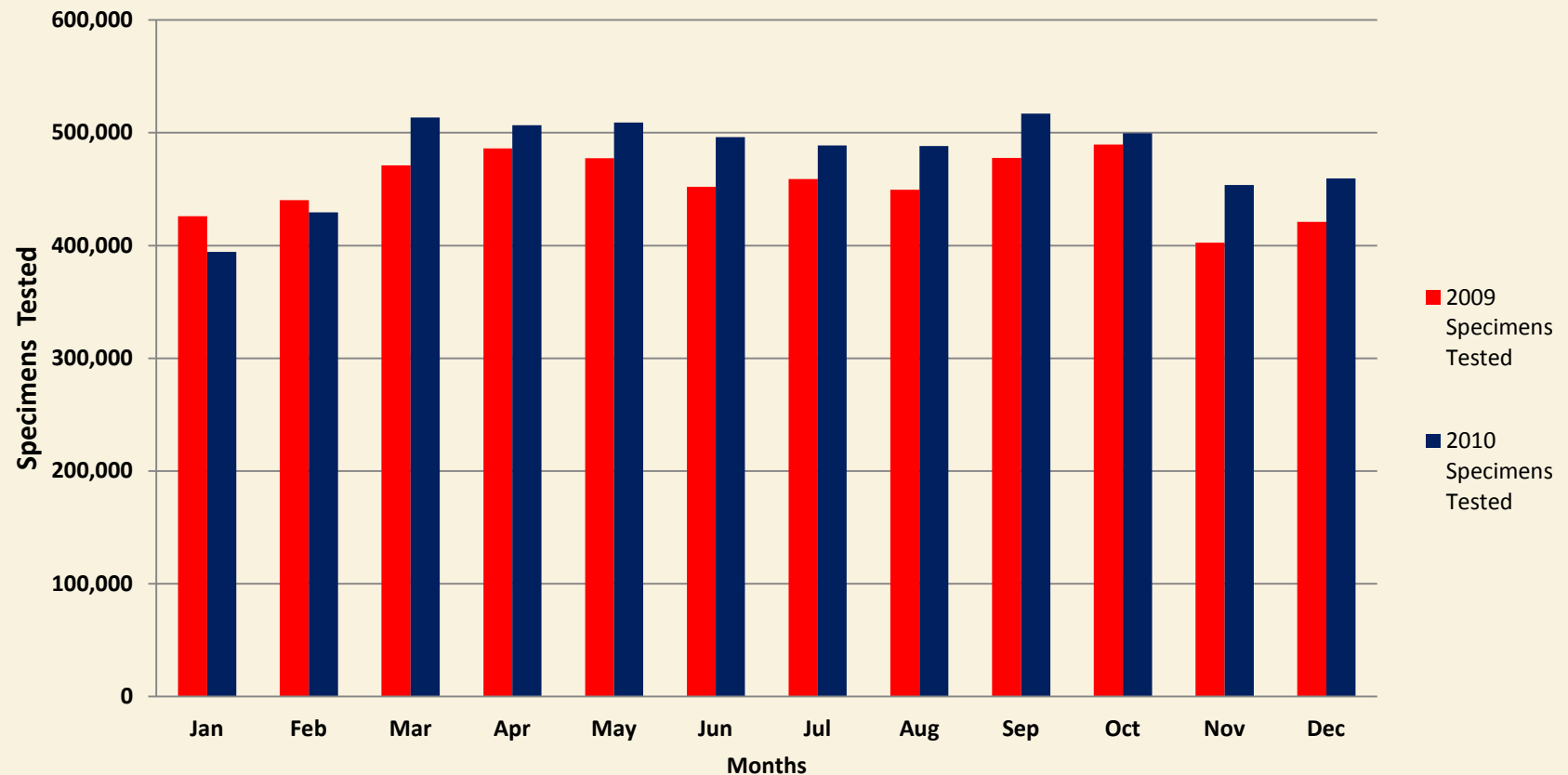


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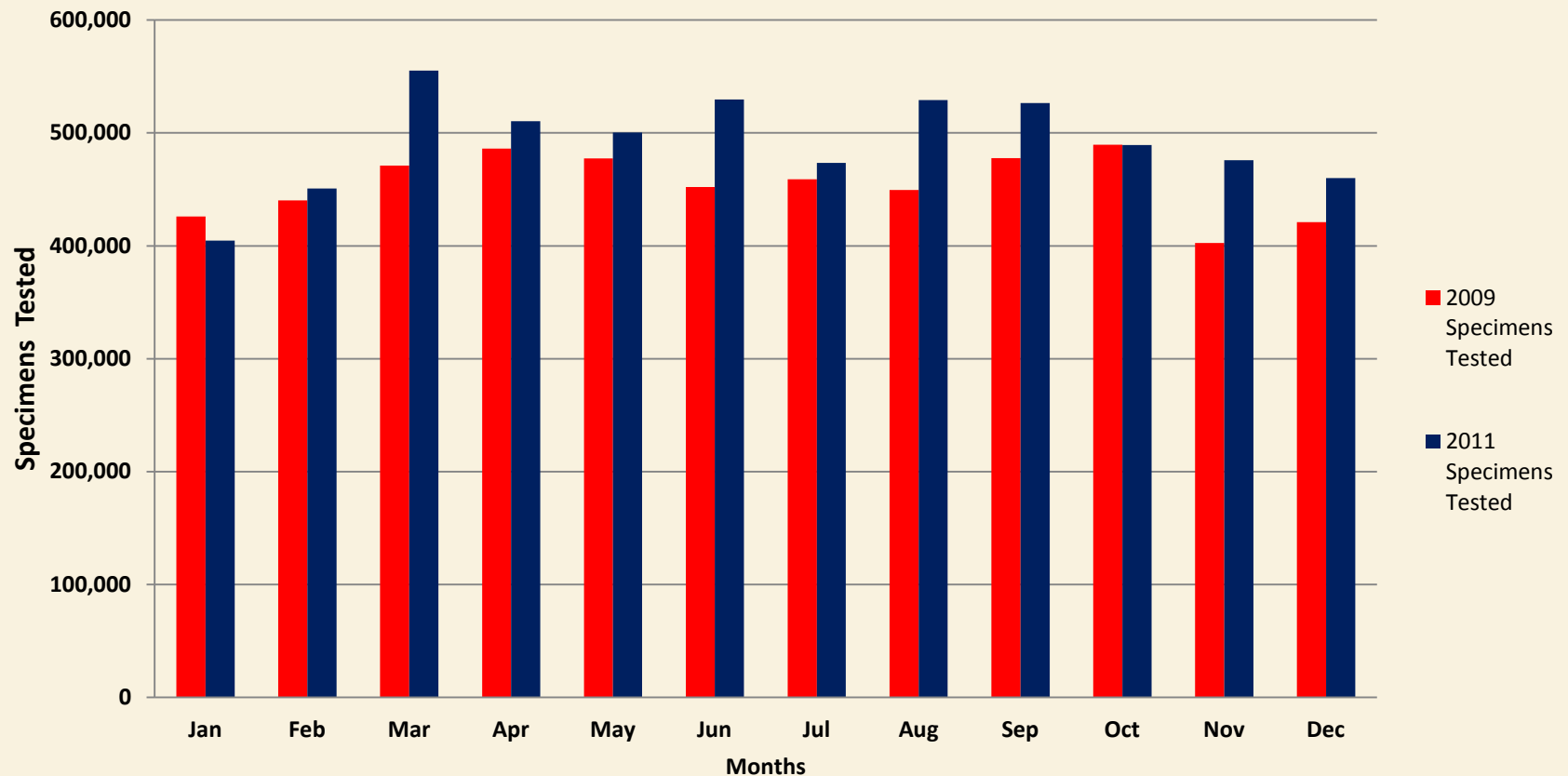


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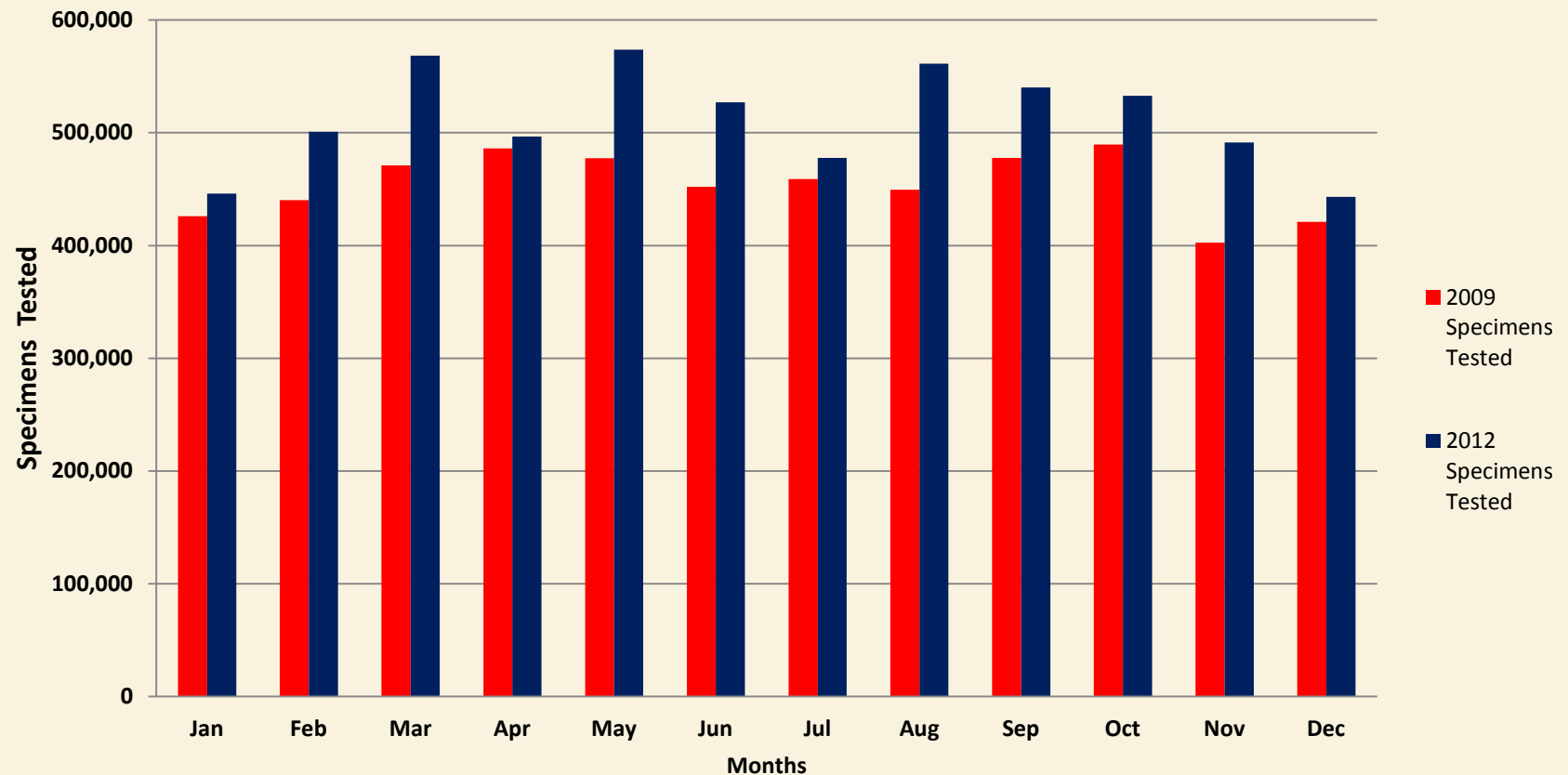
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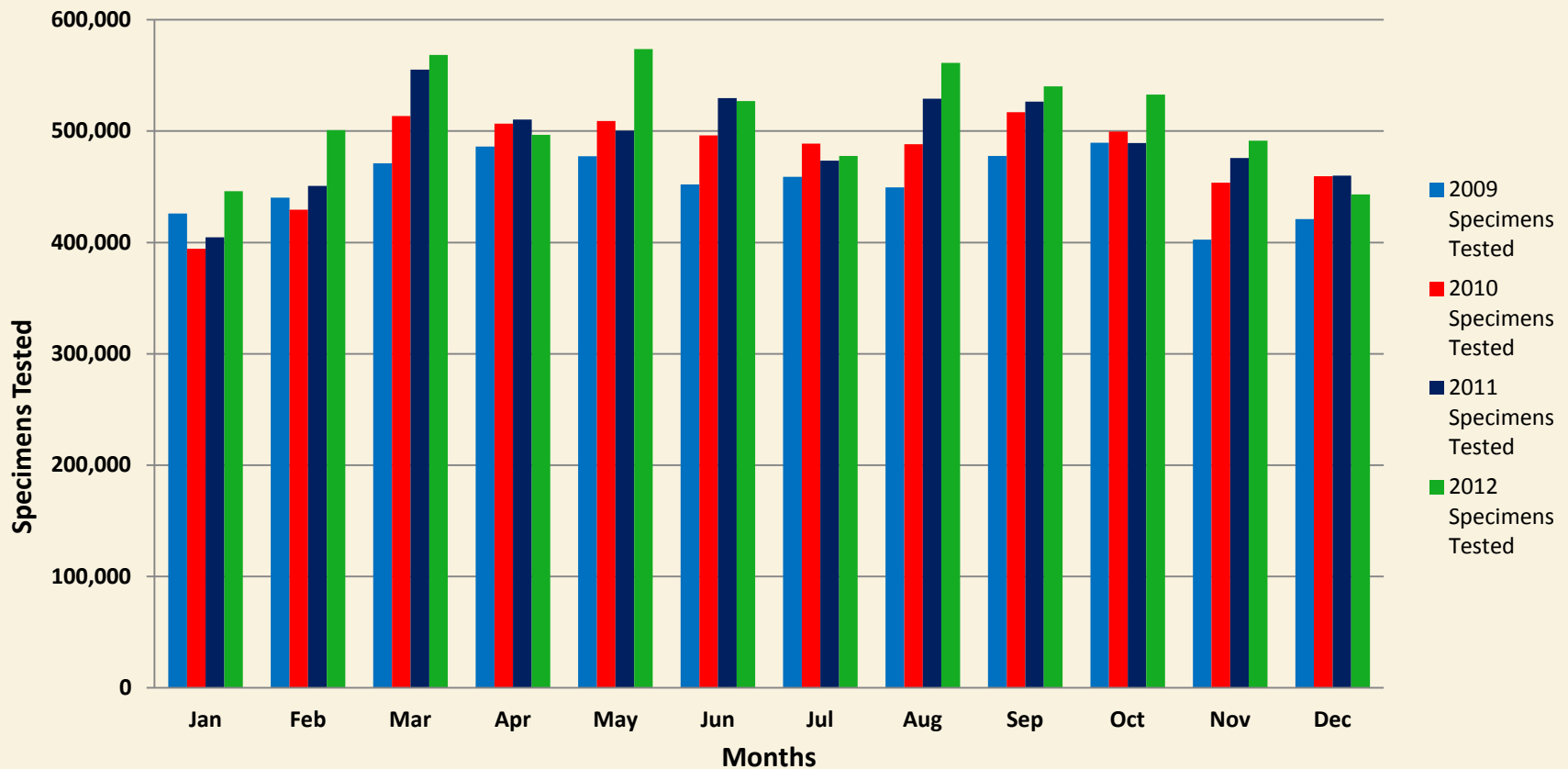
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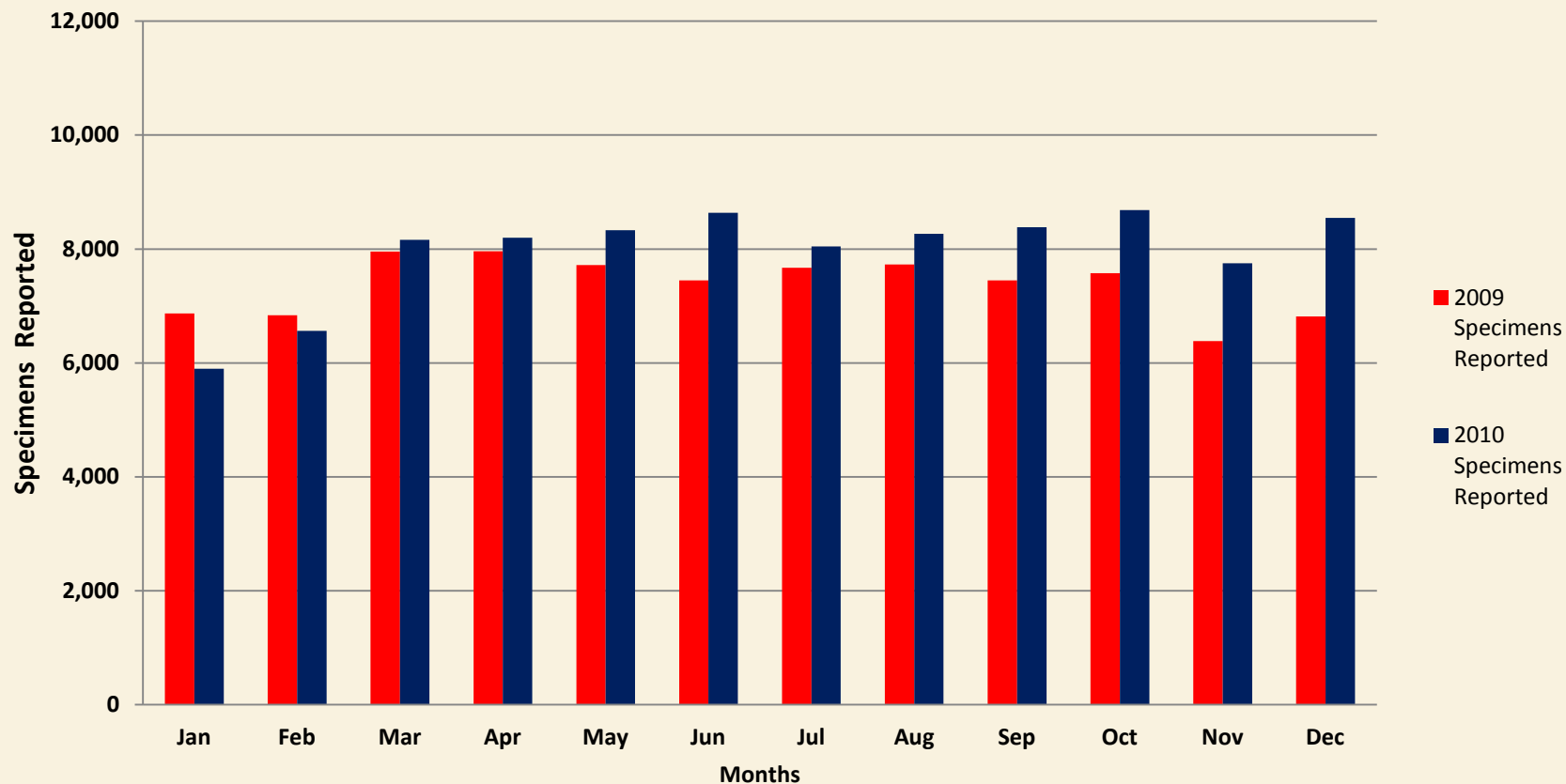
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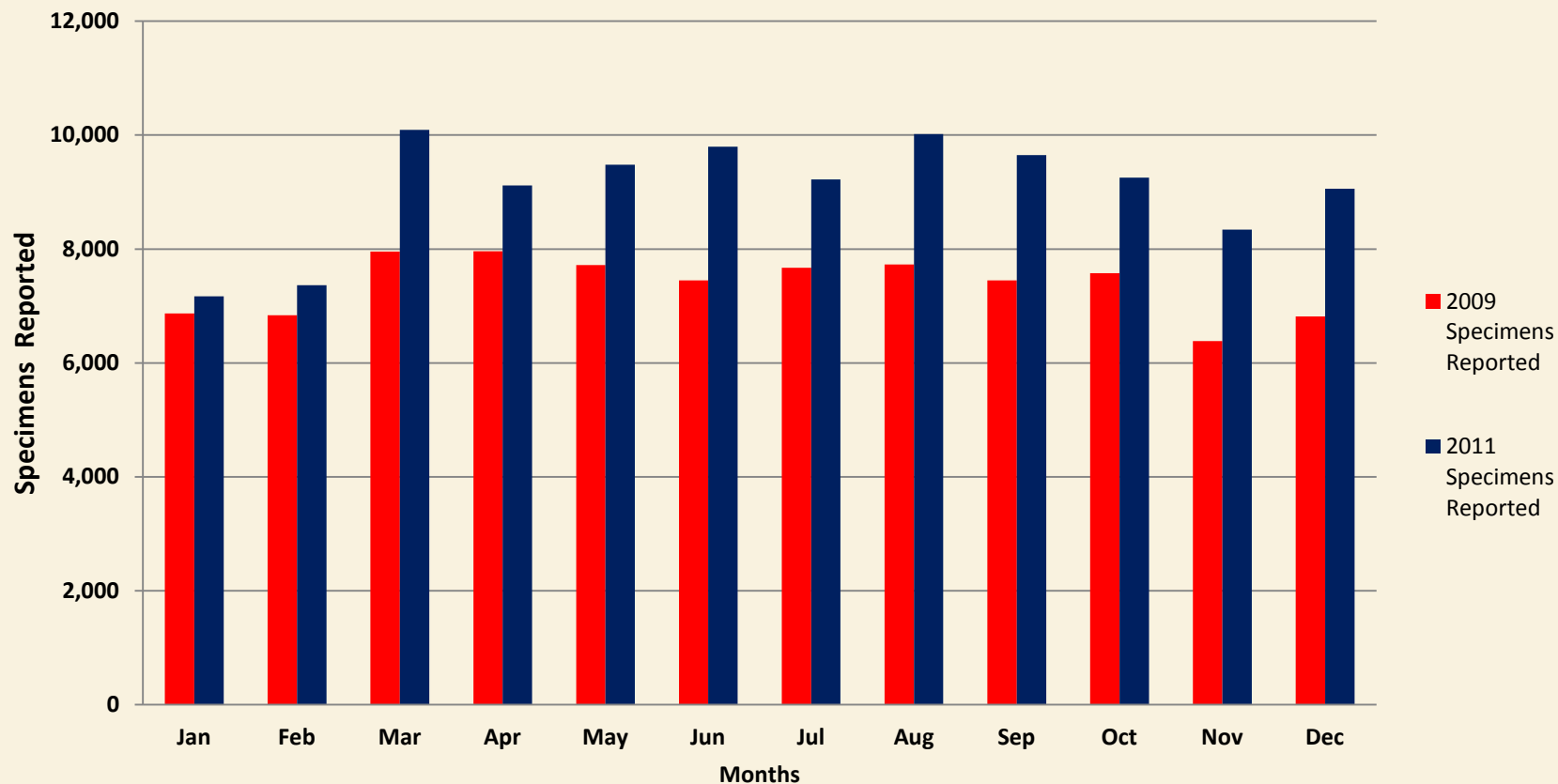
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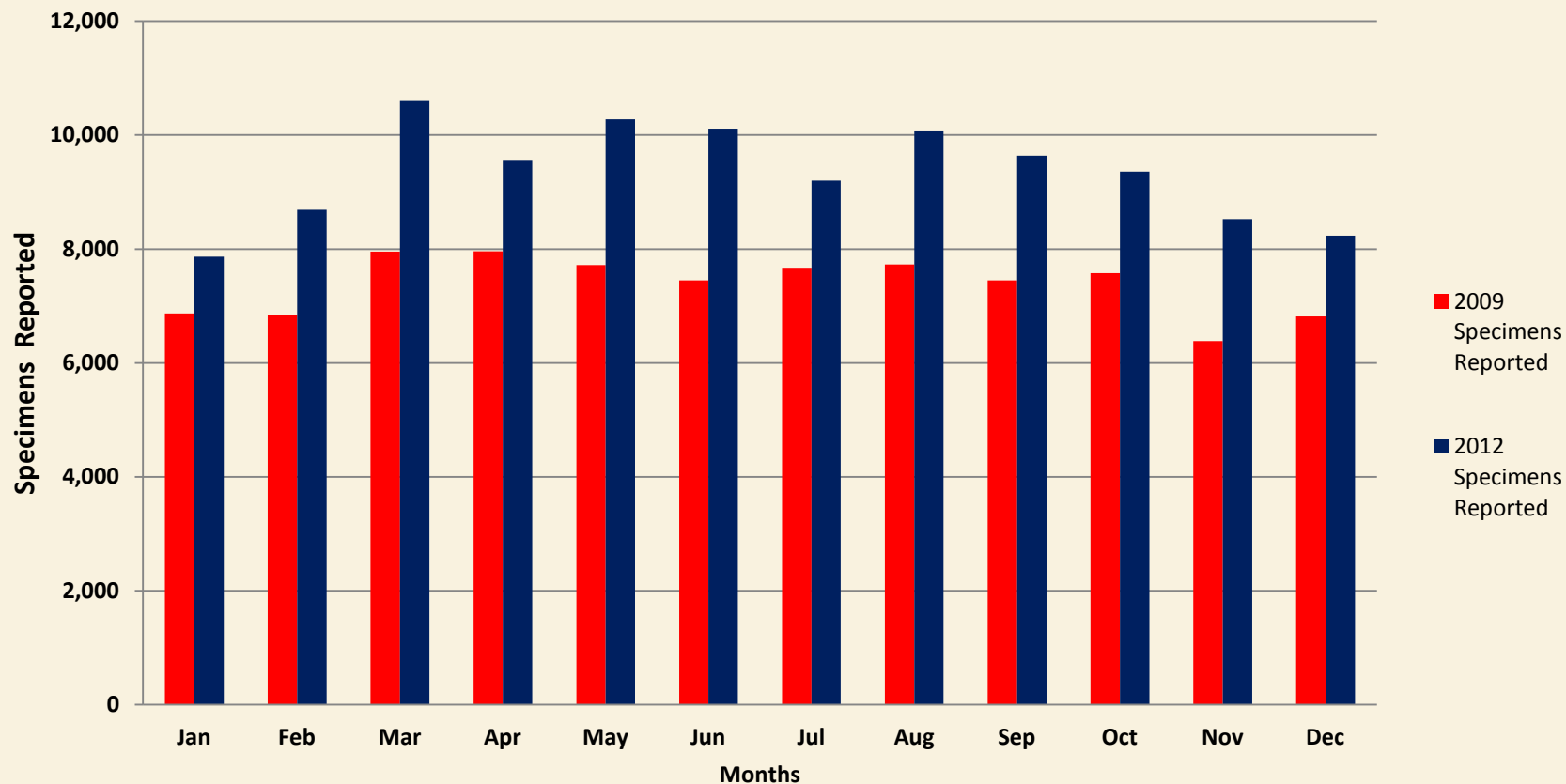
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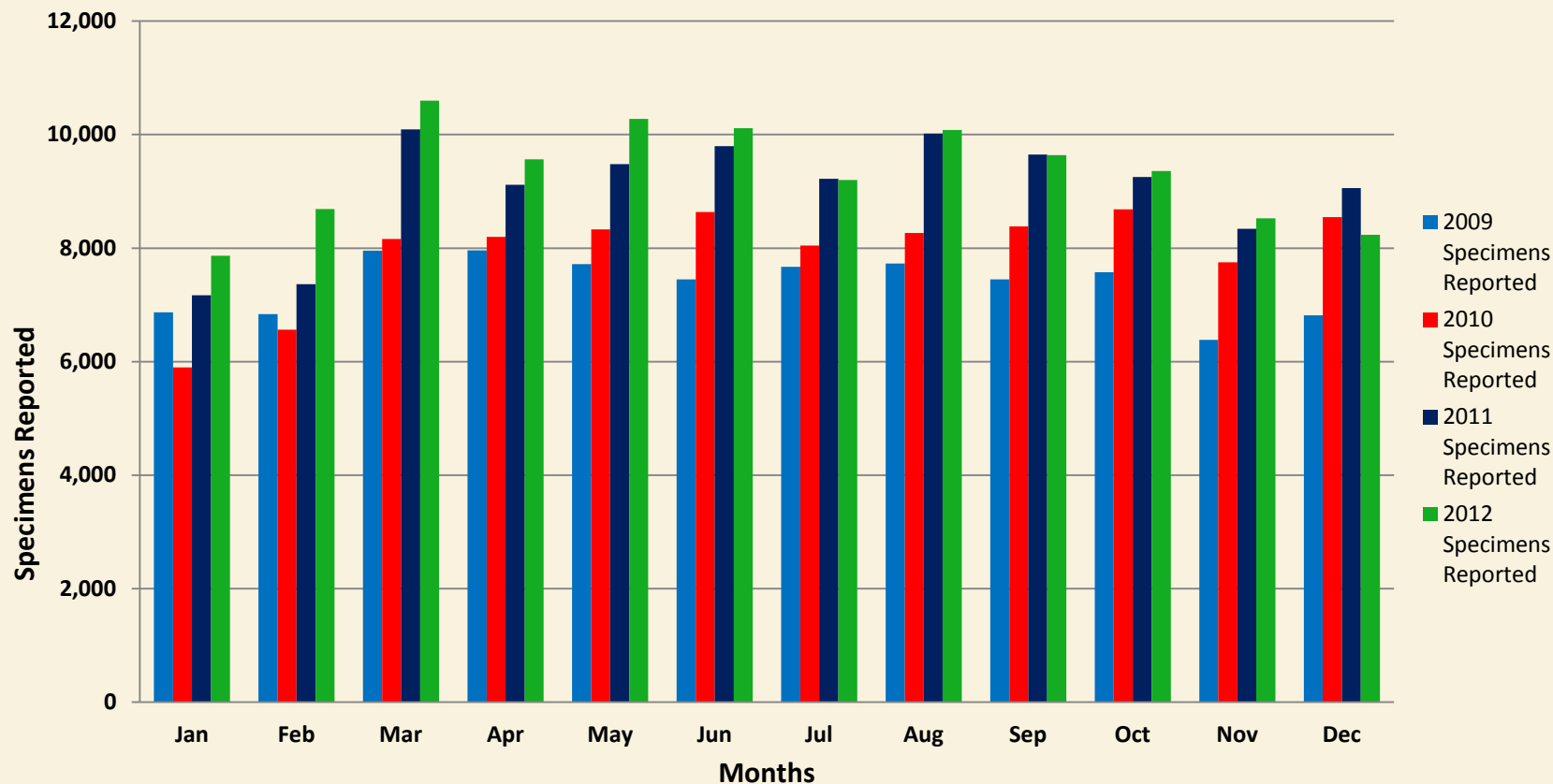
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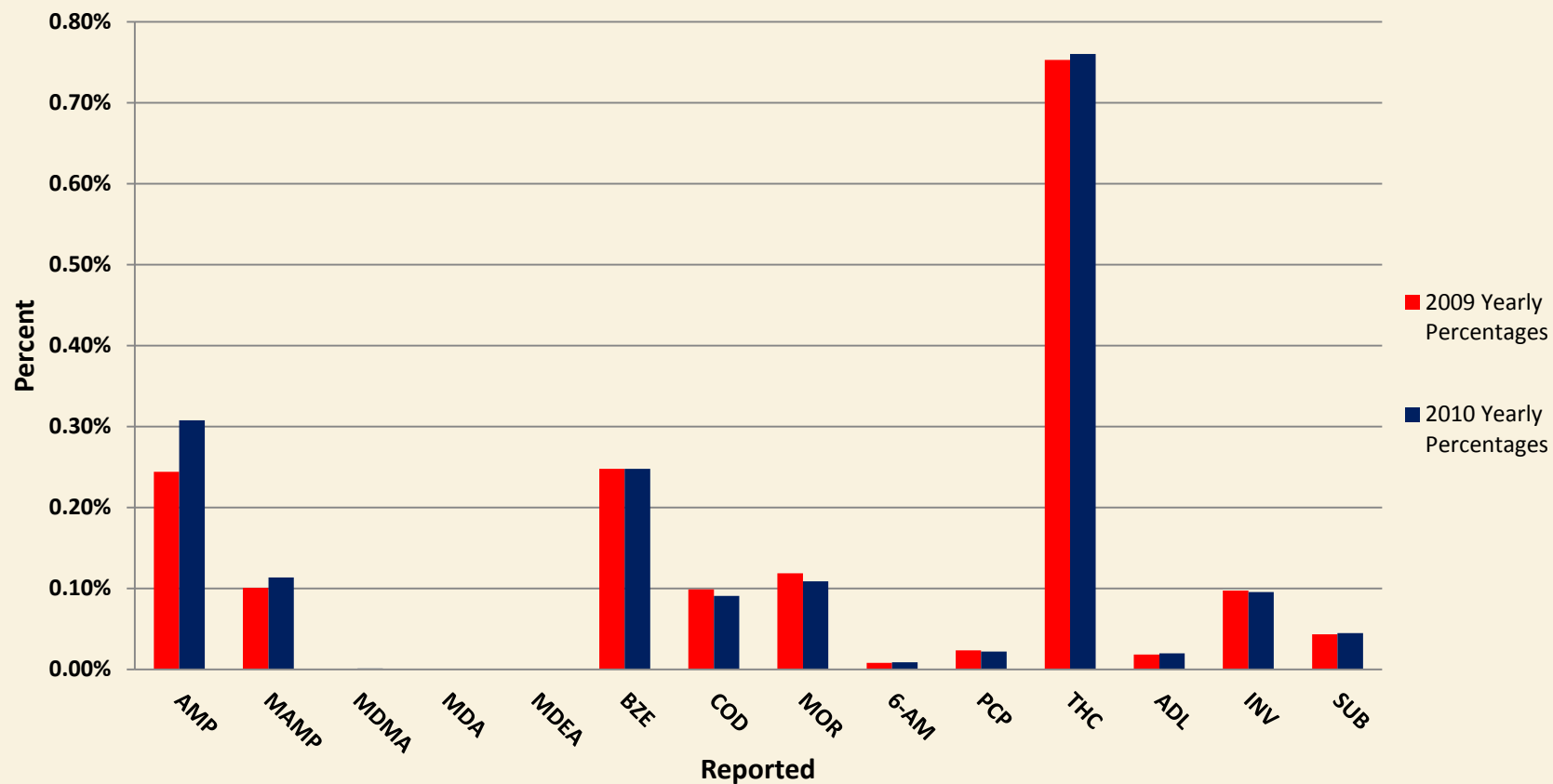
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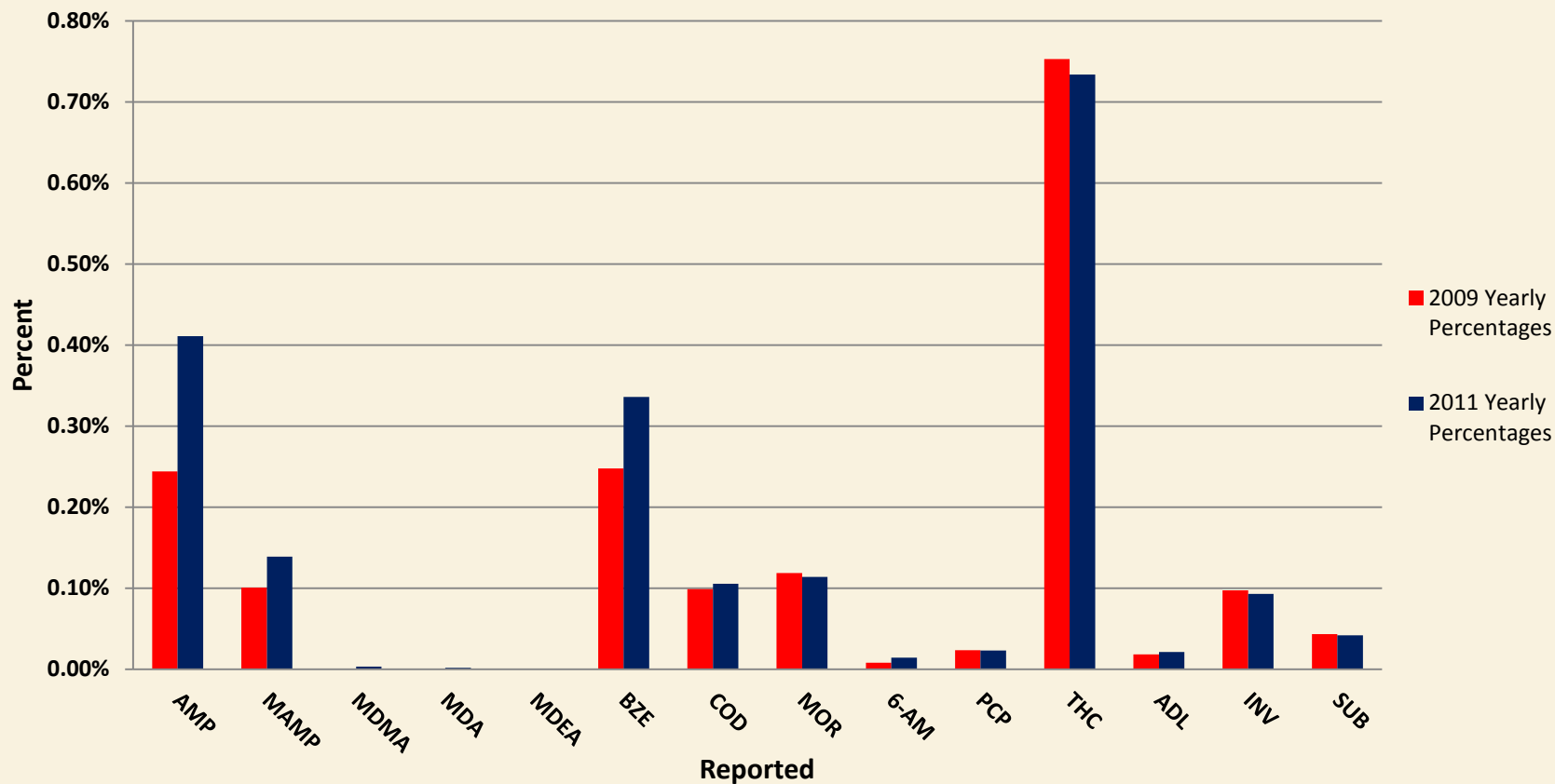
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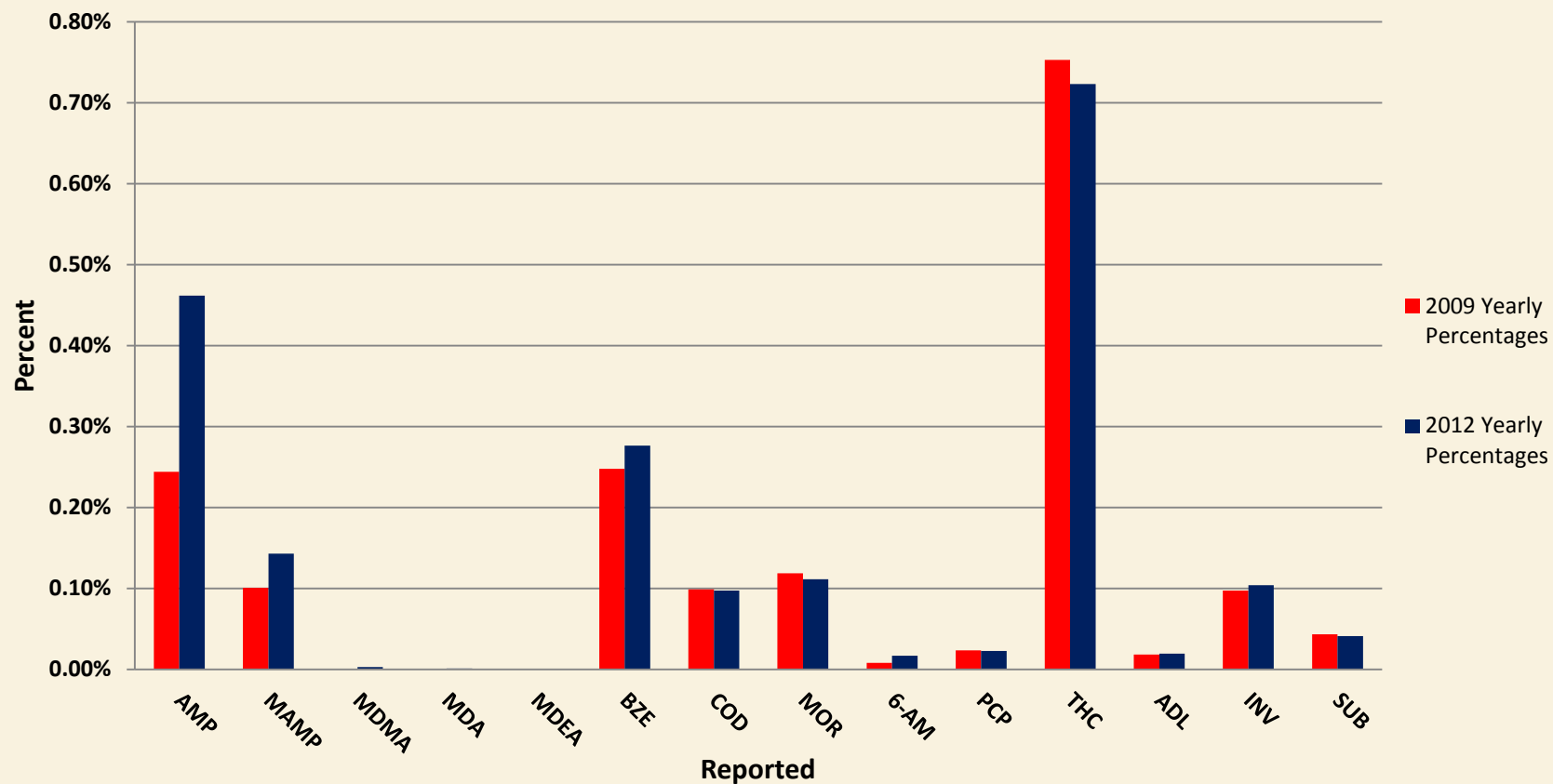
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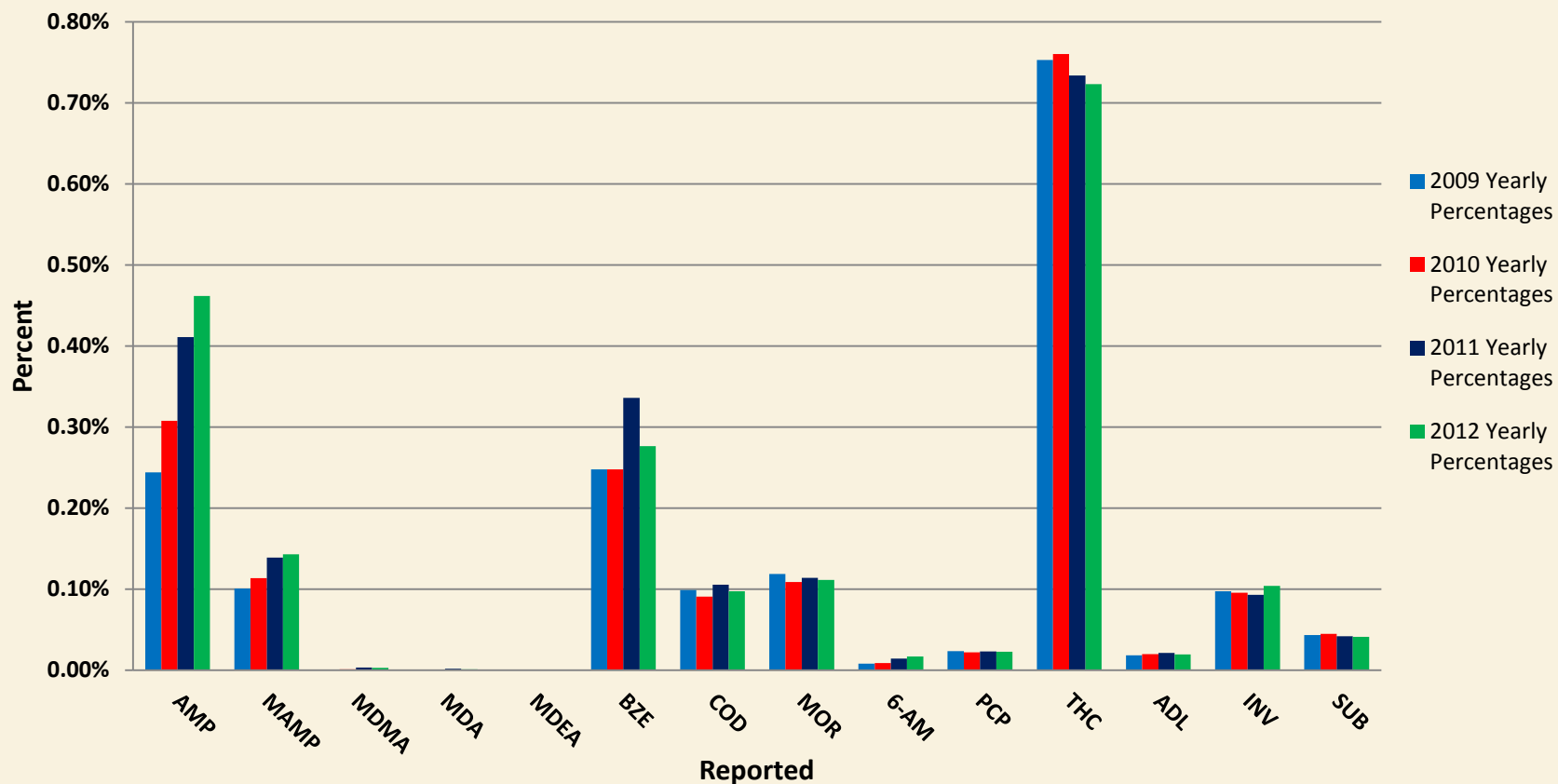
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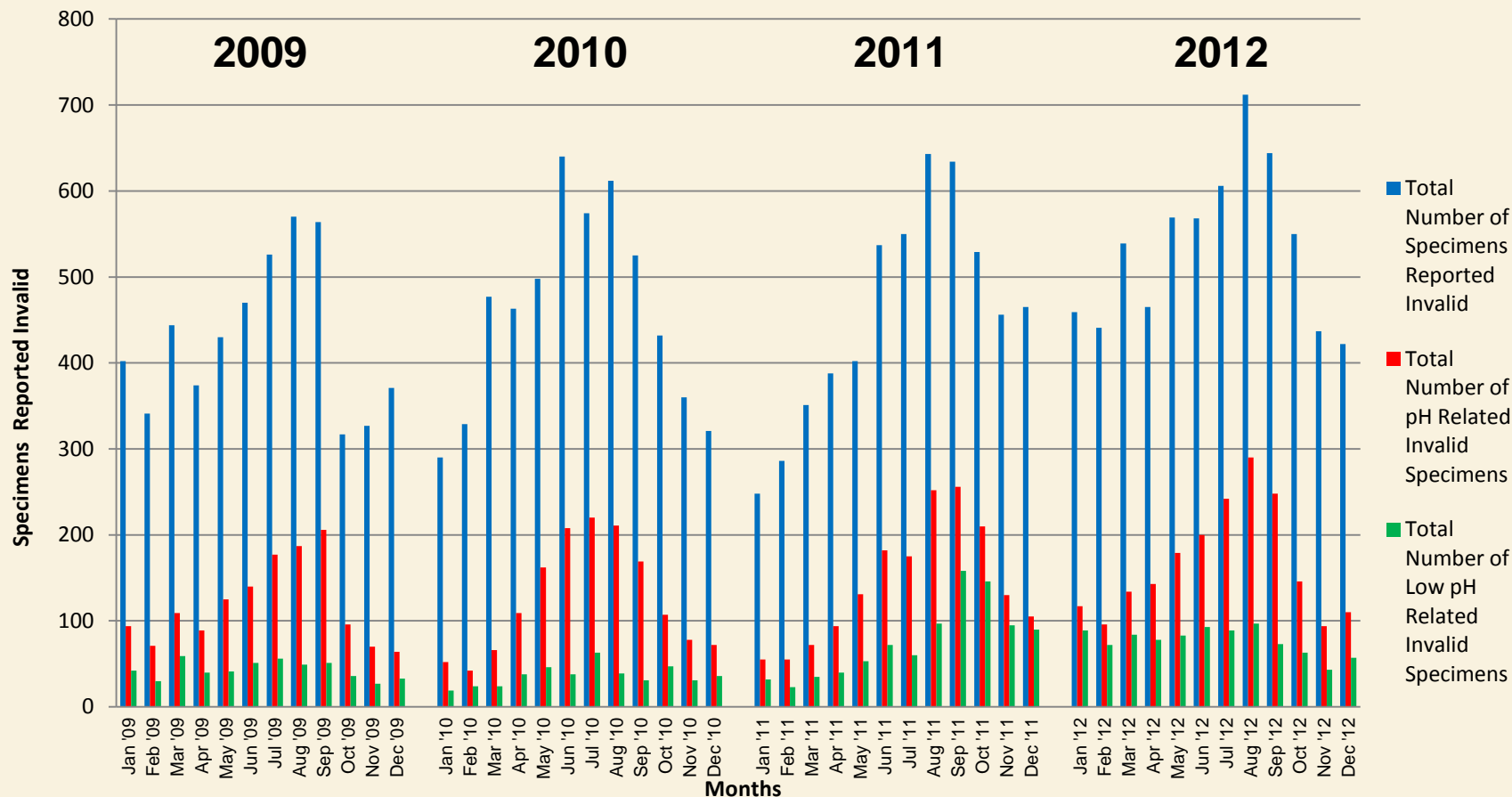
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Summary

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- After the implementation of the revised Guidelines on 1 October 2010 there were:
 - A reduction in the number of specimens tested (5.4%)
 - An increase in the percent of specimens reported as Drug Positive

Summary (continued)

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- The major drugs responsible for the increase in the percent of specimens reported positive were those whose cutoffs were lowered:
 - Cocaine
 - Amphetamine
 - Methamphetamine
- Smaller increases were observed in 6-AM and codeine

Synthetic Opiate Study

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- The Study was in a Limited Population of Regulated Specimens
 - 12663 regulated specimens
 - 266 specimens were tested by DRI, KIMS, CEDIA and EMIT II reagents
 - All Positive result were confirmed

Synthetic Opiates in Regulated Specimens

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- In a population of 12663 regulated specimens, 266 were found to exhibit an IA response equal to or greater than 300 ng/mL Morphine.
- De-identified aliquots of these 266 specimens were tested by DRI, KIMS, CEDIA and EMIT II reagents using a cutoff of 300 ng/mL Morphine.
- These aliquots were also confirmed by GC/MS for Codeine (COD), Morphine (MOR), Hydrocodone (HYC), Hydromorphone (HYM), Oxycodone(OXC) and Oxymorphone (OXM) were confirmed using a cutoff of 100ng/mL.

Initial Test Positives

Kit Manufactured	Initial Test Positives* 300 ng/mL Cutoff	Initial Test Positives**
DRI	254	2.0%
KIMS	162	1.3%
CEDIA	253	2.0%
EMIT II	238	1.9%

* Opiate IA results from reanalysis of the 266 specimens

** Percent based upon the total population of 12663 specimens

Opiate Confirmation Results

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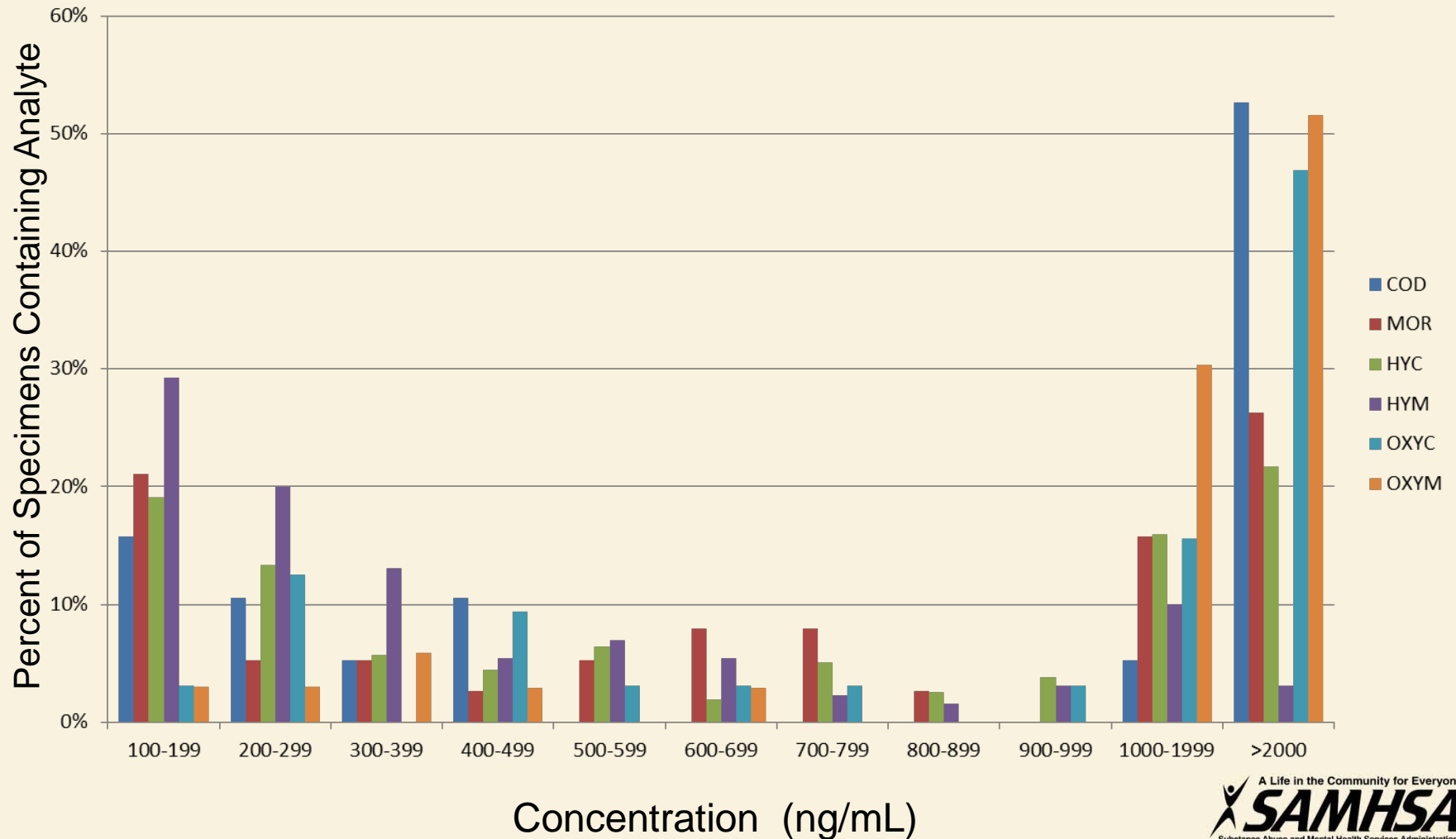
Analytes Found (>100 ng/mL)	Number Specimens
No Drug	35
Hydrocodone Only	40
Hydromorphone Only	13
Hydrocodone + Hydromorphone	116
Oxycodone and Oxymorphone	29 ^{1,2}
Codeine and/or Morphine	33 ¹

¹ Values do not include aliquots also containing hydrocodone and/ or hydromorphone at concentrations <100ng/mL.

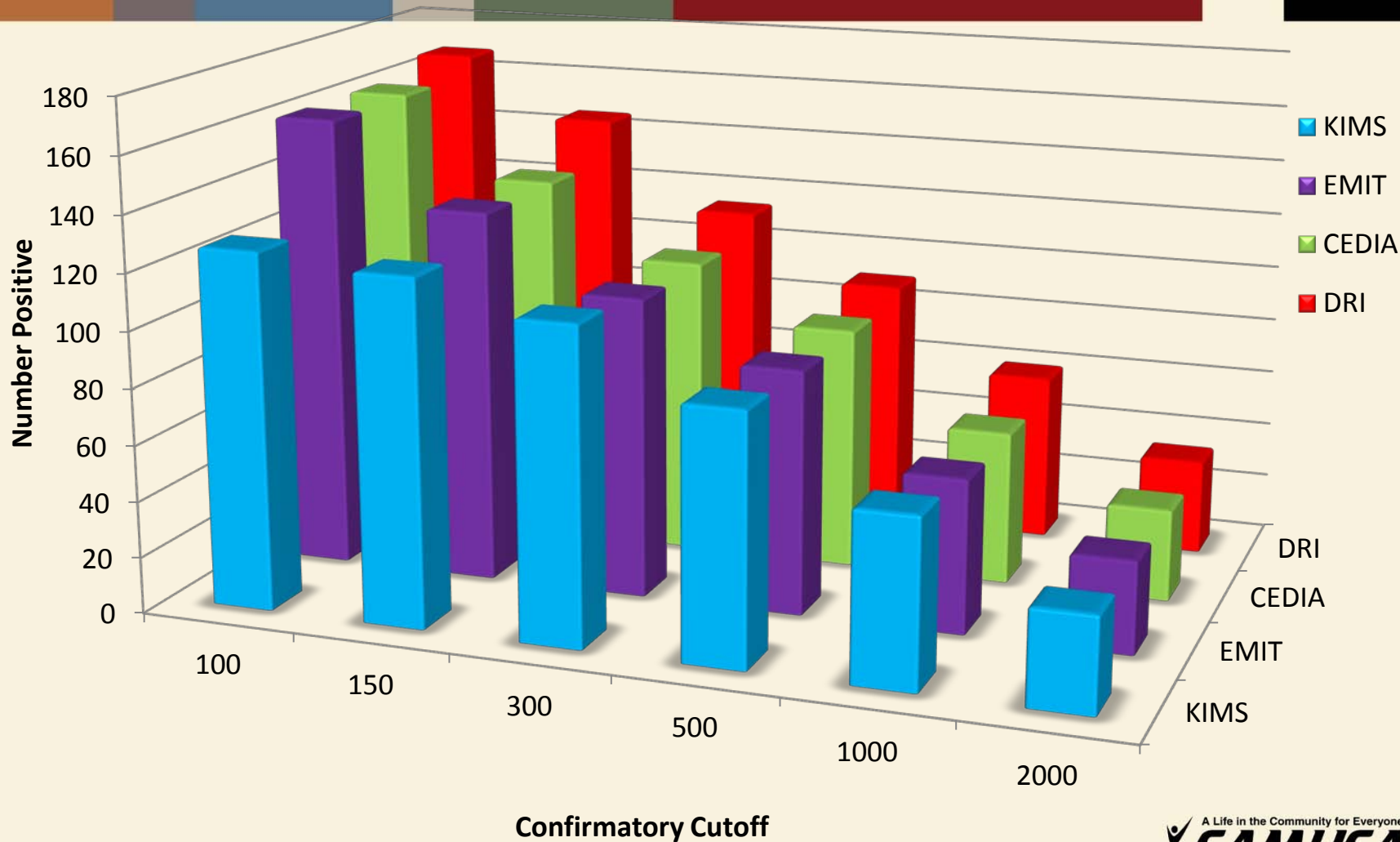
² These specimens contained oxycodone and oxymorphone.

Study 1. Analyte Distribution in Identified Specimens

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Number of Opiate 300 IA Positive Specimens Confirmed Positive for HYC and/or HYM at Various Confirmatory IA Cutoffs



Identification of Oxycodone and Oxymorphone in Regulated Specimens

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- De-identified aliquots from 2892 regulated specimens having an IA response equal to or greater than 100 ng/mL Oxycodone were confirmed for Oxycodone and Oxymorphone.
- 14 specimens were initial test positive 12 confirmed positive for Oxycodone and/or Oxymorphone
- Positivity Rate = 0.42%
- Confirmation Rate = 85.7%

Summary

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- Yes individuals in safety sensitive positions are using the semi synthetic opiates: hydrocodone, hydromorphone, oxycodone and oxymorphone.
- The implications of this use, legally, medically or safety related can only be implied until testing for these compounds begins and results are verified by an MRO.