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Cluedunnit Kids: Exhibit FG07

Analysis of Hand Swabs

The fire-extinguisher in the evidence bag labelled W0019122 is a dry chemical extinguisher which is used for Class B and Class C fires only. It contains sodium bicarbonate (baking soda), which comes out as a powder.

The following exhibits were collated as SA07 and were tested for the presence of sodium bicarbonate.

Exhibit	Item	Finding	Comments
SA01	Jazz Minn left hand swab	Negative	
SA02	Jazz Minn right hand swab	Negative	White powder tested positive for the following: Cane Sugar, Mineral Salts (500, 504), Food Acid (296), Natural Flavour. Identified as sherbet.
SA03	Tom Arto left hand swab	Negative	
SA04	Tom Arto right hand swab	Positive	Matched sodium bicarbonate compound of the seized item in the evidence bag labelled W0019122.
SA05	Honey Suckle left hand swab	Negative	
SA06	Honey Suckle right hand swab	Negative	