

STATISTICAL REPORT

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PREFACE

This statistical report is prepared to provide statistical data on long term trends in key performance areas of the NSW Department of Corrective Services. Some of the data presented provides long term trends on performance indicators presented in other reports, in particular the Department of Corrective Services' *Annual Report* and the Productivity Commissions' *Report on Government Services*. Due to the need for consistency across diverse correctional jurisdictions nationally, nationally based correctional performance indicators for escapes and deaths are not consistent with the NSW specific indicators presented in this report. Unlike NSW, not all jurisdictions operate external leave programs for full-time custody offenders or a home detention program. By necessity, therefore, nationally based performance indicators for escapes and deaths exclude escapes from external leave programs and deaths of home detainees respectively. As data on escapes and deaths presented in this report are based on statistical counting rules developed specifically for NSW, they are not comparable to similarly described correctional performance indicators presented in the *Report on Government Services* and in sections of the Department's *Annual Report* (where applicable).

Statistics contained in this publication are collected from various sources within the Department. Prior to 1997/98 offender population statistics were supplied by each correctional centre and collated on a weekly basis. Since that time, these statistics are collated directly from the Department's Offender Integrated Management System (OIMS). Other information on offences, aboriginality, receptions, discharges and offences in custody continues to be collated from OIMS. Serious incidents including escapes and deaths in custody are reported to Corporate Research, Evaluation and Statistics as they occur. Unless otherwise stated, the term "offender" used in this report refers to persons held in custody (including periodic detention) as distinct from persons managed by the Department in the community (i.e. community based offenders).

Some tables showing trends over time have been truncated. Data for preceding years is available from earlier publications of this report.

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Table 1: Offenders under detention (including periodic detention);
25 June, 2006 and 24 June, 2007

Custodial centre	Population at 25 June 2006					Population at 24 June 2007				
	Remand ¹		Sentenced		Total	Remand ¹		Sentenced		Total
	Male	Female	Male	Female		Male	Female	Male	Female	
FULL-TIME CUSTODY ²	1974	211	6565	484	9234	2122	199	6750	497	9568
CORRECTIONAL CENTRES ³	1895	203	6557	457	9112	2065	196	6746	468	9475
Bathurst	70	4	405	3	482	103	2	401	4	510
- Main (Medium)	70	4	270	3	347	103	2	256	4	365
- X Wing (Minimum)			135		135	-	-	145	-	145
Berrima (Female)	-	-	-	72	72	-	-	-	66	66
Brewarrina (Yetta Dhinnakkal)	-	-	49	-	49	-	-	43	-	43
Broken Hill	11	4	51	5	71	19	1	55	5	80
- Main (Medium)	11	-	26	-	37	19	-	32	-	51
- X-Wing (Minimum)	-	4	25	5	34	-	1	23	5	29
Cessnock	66	-	374	-	440	61	-	380	-	441
- Maximum	66	-	40	-	106	61	-	44	-	105
- Minimum	-	-	334	-	334	-	-	336	-	336
Compulsory Drug Treatment ⁴	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	26
Cooma	-	-	129	-	129	-	-	137	-	137
Dillwynia (Female)	-	69	-	100	169	-	70	-	115	185
Emu Plains (Female)	-	18	-	153	171	-	28	-	176	204
Glen Innes	-	-	123	-	123	-	-	132	-	132
Goulburn	40	-	496	-	536	55	-	494	-	549
- Main (Maximum)	33	-	353	-	386	48	-	350	-	398
- HRMU	7	-	27	-	34	7	-	30	-	37
- X Wing (Minimum)	-	-	116	-	116	-	-	114	-	114
Grafton	29	4	218	17	268	37	2	210	16	265
- Main (Medium)	29	-	108	-	137	37	-	100	-	137
- C Unit (Minimum)	-	-	110	-	110	-	-	110	-	110
- June Baker Unit (Minimum)	-	4	-	17	21	-	2	-	16	18
Ivanhoe (Warakirri)	-	-	50	-	50	-	-	43	-	43
John Morony	-	-	515	-	515	-	-	472	-	472
- John Morony I (Medium)	-	-	225	-	225	-	-	230	-	230
- John Morony II (Minimum)	-	-	290	-	290	-	-	242	-	242
June	51	1	683	2	737	52	2	728	-	782
- Medium	51	1	543	2	597	52	2	588	-	642
- Minimum	-	-	140	-	140	-	-	140	-	140
Kariong Juvenile	12	-	21	-	33	13	-	19	-	32
Kirkconnell	-	-	220	-	220	-	-	248	-	248
Lithgow	4	-	325	-	329	6	-	331	-	337
Long Bay Hospital	11	3	66	7	87	20	4	53	7	84
- Area 1	11	3	66	7	87	20	4	53	7	84
- Medical/ Ward ⁵	3	3	9	7	22	2	4	9	7	22
- Psychiatric Unit ⁵	7	-	57	-	64	18	-	44	-	62
- Hospital Annexes ⁶	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Mannus	-	-	154	-	154	-	-	157	-	157
Metropolitan Remand and Reception	634	-	255	-	889	670	-	255	-	925
Metropolitan Special Programs Centre	84	-	725	-	809	116	3	602	5	726
- Acute Crisis Management Unit	2	-	5	-	7	4	-	3	-	7
- Additional Support Unit (Maximum) ⁷	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	16	-	21
- Additional Support Unit (Minimum) ⁷	-	-	8	-	8	-	-	-	-	-
- Assessment Unit	15	-	42	-	57	18	-	42	-	60
- Area 7 ⁸	-	-	112	-	112	-	-	-	-	-
- Kevin Waller Unit ⁹	1	-	11	-	12	-	3	-	5	8
- Forensic Unit ⁵	-	-	14	-	14	-	-	27	-	27
- Medical Transit Unit	66	-	124	-	190	89	-	112	-	201

Table 1: Offenders under detention in each correctional centre (continued)

Correctional Centre	Population at 26 June 2006					Population at 24 June 2007				
	Remand ¹		Sentenced		Total	Remand ¹		Sentenced		Total
	Male	Female	Male	Female		Male	Female	Male	Female	
- Ngara Nura Program	-	-	23	-	23	-	-	20	-	20
- Other Programs ¹⁰	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	147	-	147
- Sex Offenders Unit	-	-	364	-	364	-	-	391	-	391
- Violent Offender Therapeutic Program	-	-	22	-	22	-	-	18	-	18
Mid-North Coast	73	7	347	35	462	106	-	365	-	471
- Medium	73	-	273	-	346	106	-	247	-	353
- Minimum ¹¹	-	7	74	35	116	-	-	118	-	118
Oberon	-	-	111	-	111	-	-	127	-	127
Parklea	564	-	223	-	787	561	-	241	-	802
- Maximum	564	-	152	-	716	561	-	164	-	725
- Minimum	-	-	71	-	71	-	-	77	-	77
Parramatta	202	-	140	-	342	210	-	133	-	343
St Heliers	-	-	251	-	251	-	-	280	-	280
Silverwater	-	-	483	-	483	-	-	494	-	494
Silverwater Women's ¹²	-	93	-	63	156	-	84	-	74	158
Special Purpose Centre	4	-	97	-	101	7	-	89	-	96
- Special Purpose Centre	-	-	48	-	48	7	-	35	-	42
- Developmentally Delayed Unit ⁷	4	-	3	-	7	-	-	-	-	-
- Dawn De Loas	-	-	46	-	46	-	-	54	-	54
Tamworth	32	-	54	-	86	29	-	57	-	86
- Medium	32	-	24	-	56	29	-	29	-	58
- Minimum	-	-	30	-	30	-	-	28	-	28
POLICE/COURT CELL COMPLEXES	79	8	8	1	96	57	3	4	-	64
24 HOUR POLICE/COURT CELLS ¹³	67	6	8	1	82	49	3	4	-	56
Albury	2	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	3
Batemans Bay	1	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	1
Campbelltown	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Dubbo	3	-	2	-	5	9	-	1	-	10
Lismore	4	-	1	-	5	2	1	-	-	3
Moree	9	-	2	-	11	9	2	2	-	13
Newcastle	5	1	-	-	6	5	-	-	-	5
Parramatta	6	1	-	-	7	1	-	-	-	1
Penrith	4	1	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
Port Macquarie	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Queanbeyan	2	1	-	-	3	1	-	1	-	2
Surry Hills	24	2	1	1	28	7	-	-	-	7
Wagga Wagga	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	2
Wollongong	5	-	1	-	6	6	-	-	-	6
OTHER COURTS ¹⁴	12	2	-	-	14	8	-	-	-	8
TRANSITIONAL CENTRES ¹⁵	-	-	-	26	26	-	-	-	29	29
Bolwara House Transitional Centre	-	-	-	12	12	-	-	-	10	10
Parramatta Transitional Centre	-	-	-	14	14	-	-	-	19	19

Table 1: Offenders under detention in each correctional centre (continued)

Correctional Centre	Population at 26 June 2006					Population at 24 June 2007				
	Remand ¹		Sentenced		Total	Remand ¹		Sentenced		Total
	Male	Female	Male	Female		Male	Female	Male	Female	
PERIODIC DETENTION CENTRES¹⁶	-	-	677	57	734	-	-	702	78	780
Administration	-	-	10	-	10	-	-	8	-	8
Bathurst	-	-	35	2	37	-	-	33	6	39
Grafton	-	-	33	-	33	-	-	37	-	37
Mannus	-	-	12	2	14	-	-	20	1	21
Metropolitan Weekend (Stage 1)	-	-	223	-	223	-	-	213	-	213
Metropolitan Midweek (Stage 1)	-	-	94	-	94	-	-	93	-	93
Metropolitan Stage 2	-	-	91	-	91	-	-	91	-	91
Norma Parker Weekend	-	-	-	27	27	-	-	-	27	27
Norma Parker Mid-Week	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	25	25
Tamworth	-	-	12	-	12	-	-	18	-	18
Tomago	-	-	80	11	91	-	-	115	11	126
Wollongong	-	-	87	4	91	-	-	74	8	82
TOTAL (All offenders)¹⁷	1974	211	7242	541	9968	2122	199	7452	575	10348

- Includes offenders held on remand and those held beyond the expiry of any sentence pending deportation. In this publication, appellants are included under sentenced offenders.
- Full-time custody includes offenders held in gazetted correctional centres, transitional centres and police/court cell complexes operated by the Department of Corrective Services. Offenders temporarily absent from a correctional centre are also included. Separate totals for transitional centres and police/court cell complexes are also presented in this table.
- Gazetted correctional centres only.
- The first offenders at the Compulsory Drug Treatment Centre were received on 4 September 2006.
- The 2005/06 Statistical Report erroneously reported that Long Bay Hospital (Area 1) Medical Ward had closed and that offenders were transferred to the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Medical Unit. However, It was A Ward (Psychiatric Unit) of Long Bay Hospital (Area 1) that closed on 14 June 2006 and the offenders transferred to the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Forensic Unit which opened on 14 June 2006.
- Includes annexe at Prince of Wales Hospital (Secure Unit).
- The first offenders at the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Additional Support Unit (Maximum) were transferred from the Special Purpose Centre - Developmentally Delayed Unit on 30 August 2006. The last offenders from the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Additional Support Unit (Minimum) were transferred into the Maximum security unit on 9 October 2006.
- The last offenders at the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Area 7 were transferred on 17 August 2006.
- The last male offenders at the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Kevin Waller Unit were transferred on 4 May 2007. The first female offenders were received (from Silverwater Women's Correctional Centre) on 7 May 2007.
- The first offenders at the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Other Programs Unit were received on 13 February 2007.
- The last female offenders were transferred from Mid-North Coast (Minimum) on 11 April 2007.
- Mulawa Correctional Centre was re-gazetted as Silverwater Women's Correctional Centre on 19 January 2007.

13. The Department manages 14 police/court cell complexes throughout NSW which operate on a 24 hour basis. The number of offenders held in these complexes varies widely during the week. Offenders temporarily absent from a correctional centre who were held overnight in a police/court complex are recorded against the correctional centre from which they are absent rather than against the police/court complex. Figures include Police custody detainees. Police/court cells are not gazetted correctional centres and therefore these offenders are not included in the totals for gazetted correctional centres but are included in the totals for full-time custody.
14. Other courts are courts that operate during normal court business hours only and therefore do not hold offenders overnight. Offenders shown here are those received and discharged on the same day under the management of Departmental staff. These court cells are not gazetted correctional centres and therefore these offenders are not included in the totals for gazetted correctional centres but are included in the totals for full-time custody.
15. Transitional centres house offenders temporarily released under s26(2j) of the Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999. Transitional centres are not gazetted as correctional centres and therefore these offenders are not included in the totals for gazetted correctional centres but are included in the totals for full-time custody.
16. Periodic detention is an alternative to full-time imprisonment which requires an offender to be held in custody within a periodic detention centre for two days of each week for the duration of the sentence. In Stage I of the program offenders are required to be held overnight in a periodic detention centre during each detention period. In Stage II eligible offenders are authorised to attend a designated work site (under the supervision of department staff) and are no longer required to be held overnight at a periodic detention centre. Figures may include small numbers of offenders held in full-time custody (e.g. remanded for another offence) for whom a periodic detention order remained active. There were 7 periodic detainees held in full-time custody on 25 June 2006 and 4 on 24 June 2007.
17. Total offenders includes offenders held in full-time custody and in periodic detention. Figures include a small number of offenders held in full-time custody for whom a periodic detention order remained active (see explanatory note16). These offenders are counted twice in this total.

Table 2: Daily average offender population by centre;
2005/06 and 2006/07

Correctional Centre	2005/06			2006/07		
	Male	Female	Total ¹	Male	Female	Total ¹
FULL-TIME CUSTODY ²	8452	649	9101	8768	699	9468
CORRECTIONAL CENTRES ³	8356	617	8973	8624	664	9288
Bathurst	447	2	449	505	4	509
- Main (Medium) ⁴	315	2	317	364	4	368
- X-Wing (Minimum)	132	-	132	141	-	141
Berrima (Female)	-	64	64	-	71	71
Brewarrina (Yetta Dhinnakkal)	45	-	45	43	-	43
Broken Hill	66	7	73	68	7	75
- Main (Medium)	44	-	44	43	-	43
- X Wing (Minimum)	22	7	29	25	7	32
Cessnock	442	-	442	445	-	445
- Maximum	107	-	107	110	-	110
- Minimum	334	-	334	335	-	335
Compulsory Drug Treatment ⁵	-	-	-	16	-	16
Cooma	134	-	134	137	-	137
Dillwynia (Female)	-	164	164	-	176	176
Emu Plains (Female)	-	160	160	-	180	180
Glen Innes	124	-	124	127	-	127
Goulburn	535	-	535	541	-	541
- Main (Maximum)	387	-	387	393	-	393
- High Risk Management Unit (Maximum)	36	-	36	35	-	35
- X Wing (Minimum)	112	-	112	113	-	113
Grafton	240	19	259	246	18	264
- Main (Medium) ⁶	131	-	131	136	-	136
- C Unit (Minimum)	109	-	109	110	-	110
- June Baker Unit (Minimum Female) ⁶	-	19	19	-	18	18
Ivanhoe (Warakirri)	45	-	45	46	-	46
John Morony	515	-	515	510	-	510
John Morony I (Medium)	227	-	227	231	-	231
John Morony II (Minimum)	288	-	288	279	-	279
Junee	722	2	724	755	1	756
- Medium ⁴	586	2	588	620	1	621
- Minimum	136	-	136	135	-	135
Kariong Juvenile	38	-	38	35	-	35
Kirkconnell	212	-	212	238	-	238
Lithgow	330	-	330	331	-	331
Long Bay Correctional Complex	1047	9	1056	975	11	986
- Long Bay Hospital	275	9	284	102	10	112
- Area 1	99	9	108	102	10	112
- Medical Ward ^{4,7}	27	-	27	26	-	26
- Psychiatric Wards ^{4,7}	72	9	81	74	10	84
- Hospital Annexes ⁴	2	*	2	2	*	2
- Area 2 ⁸	302	-	302	-	-	-
- Metropolitan Special Programs Centre	708	-	708	779	1	780
- Maximum security	193	-	193	319	1	320
- Acute Crisis Management Unit	8	-	8	7	-	7
- Assessment Unit	58	-	58	60	-	60
- Forensic Unit ⁷	20	-	20	18	-	18
- Kevin Waller Unit	12	-	12	12	1	13
- Medical Transit Unit ⁸	195	-	195	203	-	203
- Violent Offender Therapeutic Program	27	-	27	23	-	23

* - denotes an average inmate population of fewer than 0.5 inmates

Table 2: Daily average offender population by centre (continued)

Correctional Centre	2005/06			2006/07		
	Male	Female	Total ¹	Male	Female	Total ¹
- Metropolitan Special Programs Centre (continued..)						
- Minimum security	515	-	515	460	-	460
- Additional Support Unit	9	-	9	8	-	8
- Area 7	119	-	119	83	-	83
- Ngara Nura Program	23	-	23	29	-	29
- Other programs ⁹	-	-	-	145	-	145
- Sex Offender Unit	364	-	364	364	-	364
- Special Purpose Centre	64	-	64	95	-	95
- Special Purpose Centre ⁴	48	-	48	48	-	48
- Developmentally Delayed Unit	7	-	7	7	-	7
- Dawn De Loas ¹⁰	33	-	33	46	-	46
Mannus	153	-	153	157	-	157
Metropolitan Remand & Reception	830	-	830	900	-	900
Mid-North Coast	414	37	451	436	39	475
- Medium ⁴	342	-	342	353	-	353
- Minimum ¹¹	72	37	109	83	39	122
Oberon	119	-	119	123	-	123
Parklea	736	-	736	802	-	802
- Maximum ⁴	662	-	662	728	-	728
- Minimum	73	-	73	74	-	74
Parramatta	353	-	353	347	-	347
St Heliers	251	-	251	262	-	262
Silverwater	477	-	477	495	-	495
Silverwater Women's (Female) ¹²	-	152	152	-	160	160
Tamworth	85	-	85	88	-	88
- Medium	57	-	57	60	-	60
- Minimum	28	-	28	28	-	28
POLICE/COURT CELL COMPLEXES	97	8	105	143	10	153
24 HOUR POLICE/COURT CELLS ¹³	77	5	82	120	6	126
Albury	1	*	1	2	*	2
Batemans Bay	4	*	4	2	*	2
Broken Hill ¹⁴	*	*	*	-	-	-
Campbelltown	8	*	8	6	*	6
Dubbo	7	*	7	13	*	13
Lismore	4	*	4	3	*	3
Moree	5	*	5	6	*	6
Newcastle	6	1	7	9	1	10
Parramatta	7	1	7	7	1	8
Penrith	3	*	3	6	*	6
Port Macquarie	1	*	1	2	*	2
Queanbeyan	13	1	13	1	*	1
Surry Hills	15	1	15	56	2	58
Wagga Wagga	2	*	3	2	*	2
Wollongong	3	*	3	5	*	5
OTHER COURTS ¹⁵	20	3	23	23	4	27
TRANSITIONAL CENTRES ¹⁶	-	24	24	-	25	25
Bolwara House Transitional Centre	-	11	11	-	13	13
Parramatta Transitional Centre	-	14	14	-	12	12

* - denotes an average inmate population of fewer than 0.5 inmates

Table 2: Daily average offender population by centre (continued)

Correctional Centre	2005/06			2006/07		
	Male	Female	Total ¹	Male	Female	Total ¹
PERIODIC DETENTION CENTRES ¹⁷	737	65	802	677	72	749
Administration	12	-	12	11	-	11
Bathurst	27	4	31	34	5	39
Campbelltown ¹⁸	74	-	74	-	-	-
Grafton	31	-	31	33	-	33
Mannus	13	2	15	15	2	17
Metropolitan Midweek ¹⁹	112	-	112	96	-	96
Metropolitan Weekend ¹⁹	201	-	201	205	-	205
Metropolitan Stage 2 ¹⁹	105	-	105	80	-	80
Norma Parker (Weekend)	-	15	15	-	27	27
Norma Parker (Mid-Week)	-	28	28	-	21	21
Parklea ²⁰	94	-	94	-	-	-
Silverwater Midweek ²⁰	131	-	131	-	-	-
Silverwater Weekend ²⁰	151	-	151	-	-	-
Silverwater Stage 2 ²⁰	75	-	75	-	-	-
Tamworth	13	-	13	17	-	17
Tomago	95	10	105	102	11	113
Wollongong	85	6	91	84	6	90

1. Totals may not equal the total of the individual centre averages because some centres were not open for the whole of the year, or because of rounding.
2. Full-time custody total includes gazetted correctional centres, transitional centres and police/court cell complexes.
3. Correctional centres includes gazetted correctional centres only (excludes transitional centres and police/court cell complexes).
4. These centres held a small number of female offenders at some time during 2005/2006 or 2006/2007.
5. The first offenders at the Compulsory Drug Treatment Centre were received on 4 September 2006. The daily average for 2006/07 is based on 300 days.
6. A small number of female offenders at the June Baker Centre who require protection or segregation are housed in the medium security (male) section of Grafton Correctional Centre. These offenders are, however, included in the totals for the June Baker Unit.
7. The 2005/06 Statistical Report erroneously reported that Long Bay Hospital (Area 1) Medical Ward had closed and that offenders were transferred to the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Medical Unit. However, It was A Ward (Psychiatric Unit) of Long Bay Hospital (Area 1) that closed on 14 June 2006 and the offenders were transferred to the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Forensic Unit which opened on 14 June 2006. The daily average for the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Forensic Unit for 2005/06 is based on 17 days.
8. The last offenders were transferred from Long Bay Hospital (Area 2) on 29 January 2006. The daily average is based on 211 days. The first offenders at the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Medical Transit Unit were transferred from Long Bay Hospital (Area 2) on 21 January 2006. The daily average for 2005/06 is based on 160 days.
9. The first offenders at the Metropolitan Special Programs Centre - Other Programs Unit were received on 13 February 2007. The daily average is based on 138 days.
10. The first offenders at the Special Purpose Centre - Dawn De Loas unit were received on 20 March 2006. The daily average for 2005/06 is based on 103 days.
11. The last female offenders at the Mid-North Coast (Minimum) were transferred on received on 11 April 2007. The daily average for females for 2006/07 is based on 284 days.
12. Mulawa Correctional Centre was re-gazetted as Silverwater Women's Correctional Centre on 19 January 2007.
13. The Department manages 14 police/court cell complexes throughout NSW which operate on a 24 hour basis. The number of offenders held in these complexes varies widely during the week. Offenders temporarily absent from a correctional centre who were held overnight in a police/court complex are recorded against the correctional centre from which they are absent rather than against the police/court complex. Figures include Police custody detainees. 24 hour police/court cell complexes are not gazetted correctional centres and are not included in the totals relating to correctional centres but are included in the totals for full-time custody.
14. Broken Hill Police/Court complex closed on 4 October 2005.

15. Other courts are courts that operate during normal court business hours only and therefore do not hold offenders overnight. Offenders shown here are those received and discharged on the same day under the management of Departmental staff. Other court cells are not gazetted correctional centres and are not included in the totals relating to correctional centres but are included in the totals for full-time custody.
16. Transitional centres house offenders temporarily released under s26(2j) of the Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999. These centres are not gazetted correctional centres and have not been included in the totals relating to correctional centres but are included in the totals for full-time custody.
17. Averages for Periodic Detention Centres (PDCs) are based on the number of offenders with live orders for the weeks each centre was opened. All PDCs were closed for Easter in 2005 and 2006 and Christmas 2005. Unless otherwise indicated, the daily average for 2005/06 is based on 48 weeks and 50 weeks for 2006/07. Totals may not equal the sum of individual centres due to rounding.
18. The last offenders at Campbelltown PDC were transferred on 9 January 2006. The daily average for 2005/06 is based on 26 weeks.
19. The first offenders at Metropolitan PDC were received on 29 July 2005. The daily average for 2005/06 is based on 44 weeks.
20. The last offenders at Silverwater and Parklea PDCs were transferred on 24 July 2005. The daily average for 2005/06 for both centres is based on 4 weeks.

Table 3: Legal status of offenders ¹ held as at 30th June 2006
by Aboriginality and gender

Legal Status	Aboriginality ²						Total	
	Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander		Non-Aboriginal/ Torres Strait Islander		Aboriginality Unknown			
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Sentenced, no appeal current								
Full-time sentence	1254	145	4773	266	29	6	6056	417
Forensic patient	11	5	84	7	1	0	96	12
Fine Default	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Periodic Detention	42	9	609	50	13	1	664	60
<i>Sub-total Sentenced</i>	<i>1307</i>	<i>159</i>	<i>5466</i>	<i>323</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>6816</i>	<i>489</i>
Appellant	59	7	284	17	1	2	344	26
Remand/Trial ³	364	52	1412	123	123	21	1899	196
Awaiting Deportation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Awaiting Extradition	-	-	3	-	2	-	5	-
Civil Prisoner	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1730	218	7165	463	169	30	9064	711

Source: *NSW Inmate Census 2006* (NSW Department of Corrective Services: Statistical Publication No. 28).

1. Includes offenders held in gazetted correctional centres and periodic detention centres (excludes offenders held in transitional centres and police/court cell complexes).
2. Aboriginality as self reported on reception into custody.
3. Includes convicted offenders awaiting sentence.

Table 4: Most serious offence type for offenders ¹
held as at 30 June 2006 by legal status

MOST SERIOUS OFFENCE ²	Unconvicted ³		Appellant		Sentenced (no appeal current) ⁴		TOTAL INMATES	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON								
HOMICIDES								
Murder	132	6.3%	23	6.2%	437	6.0%	592	6.1%
Attempt/Conspiracy to murder	46	2.2%	2	0.5%	41	0.6%	89	0.9%
Manslaughter (excluding by driving)	4	0.2%	2	0.5%	109	1.5%	115	1.2%
Total Homicides	182	8.7%	27	7.3%	587	8.0%	796	8.1%
ROBBERY AND EXTORTION								
With major assault	159	7.6%	29	7.9%	506	6.9%	694	7.1%
Other (including blackmail)	82	3.9%	12	3.3%	235	3.2%	329	3.4%
Total Robbery	241	11.5%	41	11.1%	741	10.1%	1023	10.5%
OTHER ASSAULTS AND RELATED OFFENCES								
Major assault (inc. GBH sex 3rd person)	414	19.7%	41	11.1%	701	9.6%	1156	11.8%
Other (including kidnapping)	228	10.9%	16	4.3%	304	4.2%	548	5.6%
Total Assault	642	30.6%	57	15.4%	1005	13.8%	1704	17.4%
TOTAL NON-SEXUAL AGAINST PERSON	1065	50.7%	125	33.9%	2333	31.9%	3523	36.0%
SEXUAL								
Rape and attempted rape	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carnal knowledge, incest	16	0.8%	6	1.6%	87	1.2%	109	1.1%
Indecent assault (Male or Female)	19	0.9%	3	0.8%	70	1.0%	92	0.9%
Other serious sexual	75	3.6%	31	8.4%	428	5.9%	534	5.5%
Other (including prostitution)	1	0.0%	-	-	21	0.3%	22	0.2%
Total sexual	111	5.3%	40	10.8%	606	8.3%	757	7.7%
TOTAL AGAINST THE PERSON	1176	56.0%	165	44.7%	2939	40.2%	4280	43.8%
OTHER OFFENCES								
Property (including fraud)	493	23.5%	75	20.3%	1528	20.9%	2096	21.4%
Order (including offensive behaviour)	175	8.3%	29	7.9%	1107	15.2%	1311	13.4%
Drug	227	10.8%	60	16.3%	914	12.5%	1201	12.3%
Traffic	29	1.4%	40	10.8%	816	11.2%	885	9.1%
Total Other	924	44.0%	204	55.3%	4365	59.8%	5493	56.2%
TOTAL ALL OFFENCES	2100	100%	369	100%	7304	100%	9773	100%

Source: NSW Inmate Census 2006 (NSW Department of Corrective Services: Statistical Publication No. 28).

1. Includes offenders held in gazetted correctional centres and periodic detention centres (excludes offenders held in transitional centres and police/court cell complexes).
2. Unless otherwise stated, the most serious offence is classified as the offence with greatest aggregate sentence. Offences for which conviction or sentence are not finalised are ignored.
3. Unconvicted offenders includes remand/trial, convicted awaiting sentence, deportees and awaiting extradition. For unconvicted offenders the most serious offence is classified as the offence with the lowest (most serious) NSW offence code. Includes 5 offenders awaiting extradition.
4. Sentenced offenders includes periodic detainees and 108 "Forensic Patient" offenders.

Table 5: Trends in community supervision¹ and custody as at 30 June; 2000 to 2007

Year	Custody ²	Community supervision ¹						Total
		Restricted movement	Reparation		Supervision (compliance)		Sub-total community supervision ^{7,8}	
			Home detention ³	Community service order ⁴	Fine default ⁵	Parole		
2000 Number	8602	213	5633	362	3248	11648	18491	27093
Percent	31.7%	0.8%	20.8%	1.3%	12.0%	43.0%	68.3%	100%
2001 Number	8918	183	4997	126	3079	11415	17623	26541
Percent	33.6%	0.7%	18.8%	0.5%	11.6%	43.0%	66.4%	100%
2002 Number	8795	201	4530	111	3362	11115	17389	26184
Percent	33.6%	0.8%	17.3%	0.4%	12.8%	42.4%	66.4%	100%
2003 Number	8948	235	4466	4	3540	10524	17058	26006
Percent	34.4%	0.9%	17.2%	0.0%	13.6%	40.5%	65.6%	100%
2004 Number	9397	185	4430	94	3778	10454	17207	26604
Percent	35.3%	0.7%	16.7%	0.4%	14.2%	39.3%	64.7%	100%
2005 Number	9902	237	4766	113	4171	11050	18421	28323
Percent	35.0%	0.8%	16.8%	0.4%	14.7%	39.0%	65.0%	100%
2006 Number	9968	196	4459	74	3990	11884	18141	28109
Percent	35.5%	0.7%	15.9%	0.3%	14.2%	42.3%	64.5%	100%
2007 Number	10348	228	4240	56	4058	11911	18106	28454
Percent	36.4%	0.8%	14.9%	0.2%	14.3%	41.9%	63.6%	100%

- Counting rules and categories for community supervision changed in 2001/2002. Data for 2000 and 2001 have been revised to comply with the revised counting rules. Figures and categories for earlier years are not directly comparable to those presented here.
- Consists of the number of offenders held in custody (including transitional centres and Police/court cell complexes) on the last Sunday of the financial year together with offenders on periodic detention during the preceding week. Since 2002, figures for court complexes include police custody detainees and fresh custody persons received and discharged on the same day.
- The Home Detention Act 1996 came into effect on 21 February 1997, establishing a Home Detention Order as an alternative means of serving sentences of full time imprisonment of up to 18 months.
- Community service orders (CSO) include offenders on community work orders and orders that include both community work and attendance programs.
- The Community Service Order (Fine Default) program commenced 1/1/1988 and was discontinued in 1998. The Fines Act 1996 was introduced in January 1998. The community service order is the latter part of the overall fine default enforcement process and until the latter part of 2003 only a small number of offenders had progressed to a community service order.
- Probation orders include bonds, CSO (attendance program only), bail supervision, drug court and suspended sentence orders.
- Some offenders are subject to orders in more than one category (e.g., CSO plus probation), hence the number of orders supervised is always greater than the number of people supervised. For example, although the table indicates a total of 21,013 offenders with home detention, CSO, fine default, parole and probation orders on 30 June 2000, there were actually 18,491 offenders being supervised.
- Community Offender Services statistics include orders in suspense (where supervision has temporarily been suspended) for reasons including: breach action taken – pending reply from court, breach action taken – pending execution of warrant; offenders temporarily absent with permission; probationers being supervised interstate.

Table 6: Equivalent full-time custody offender daily average; 1973 to 2006/07

Financial year	Correctional centres (gazetted)	Periodic detention centres		Transitional centres ²	24 Hour police/court cell complexes ³	Other courts ⁴	TOTAL EQUIVALENT FULL-TIME ⁵
		Actual average	Equivalent full-time average ¹				
1973 ⁶	4130	25	7	n/a	n/a	n/a	4137
1973/74	3348	62	18	n/a	n/a	n/a	3366
1974/75	3318	79	23	n/a	n/a	n/a	3341
1975/76	3587	102	29	n/a	n/a	n/a	3616
1976/77	3547	116	33	n/a	n/a	n/a	3580
1977/78	3645	143	41	n/a	n/a	n/a	3657
1978/79	3858	181	52	n/a	n/a	n/a	3895
1979/80	3677	184	53	n/a	n/a	n/a	3717
1980/81	3398	200	57	n/a	n/a	n/a	3446
1981/82	3549	271	77	n/a	n/a	n/a	3612
1982/83	3511	283	81	n/a	n/a	n/a	3577
1983/84	3518	262	75	n/a	n/a	n/a	3589
1984/85	3473	292	83	n/a	n/a	n/a	3550
1985/86	3854	305	87	n/a	n/a	n/a	3941
1986/87	3971	323	92	n/a	n/a	n/a	4063
1987/88	4124	400	114	n/a	n/a	n/a	4238
1988/89	4358	509	145	n/a	n/a	n/a	4504
1989/90	5002	684	195	n/a	n/a	n/a	5198
1990/91	5712	1037	296	n/a	n/a	n/a	6008
1991/92	6056	1234	353	n/a	n/a	n/a	6409
1992/93	6181	1189	340	n/a	n/a	n/a	6521
1993/94	6423	1279	365	n/a	n/a	n/a	6788
1994/95	6279	1371	392	n/a	n/a	n/a	6671
1995/96	6288	1450	414	n/a	n/a	n/a	6702
1996/97	6314	1562	446	9	n/a	n/a	6769
1997/98	6342	1532	438	16	n/a	n/a	6796
1998/99	6835	1386	396	18	n/a	n/a	7249
1999/00	7272	1266	362	18	n/a	n/a	7652
2000/01	7490	1110	317	19	n/a	n/a	7826
2001/02	7667	987	282	19	78	24	8070
2002/03	7854	870	249	27	78	24	8232
2003/04	8239	748	214	30	76	22	8581
2004/05	8796	792	226	29	81	21	9153
2005/06	8973	802	229	24	82	23	9331
2006/07	9288	749	214	25	126	27	9682

1. The equivalent full-time average for periodic detention centres is calculated as 2/7ths of the actual average as offenders are in custody only 2 days per week.
2. Transitional Centres are not gazetted as correctional centres and house female offenders on temporary leave under s26(2j) of the Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999. The first transitional centre offenders were received on 22 September 1996.
3. The Department of Corrective Services has managed offenders in 24 hour police/court cell complexes since 1992. Collection of accurate data on the daily average population of offenders held overnight in these complexes commenced in July 2001.
4. Other courts are places of detention managed by the Department of Corrective Services which operate during court hours only. These offenders are received and discharged on the same day and are not held in custody at these centres overnight. Collection of accurate data on the daily average number of offenders held in these centres commenced in July 2001.
5. The total equivalent full-time daily average is the average number of offenders managed on a daily basis throughout the year.
6. For the calendar year ending 31 December 1973.

n/a - Not applicable

Table 7: Annual trends in the full-time custody¹ offender population; 2000/01 to 2006/07

Financial year	Full-time custody daily average ¹	Rate per 100,000 NSW adult population ²	% Change in average from last year	Lowest daily total	Highest daily total	Difference between lowest and highest daily total	
						No.	% of average
2000/01	7531	153.2	na	7331	7825	494	6.6%
2001/02	7788	155.1	3.4%	7503	7940	437	5.6%
2002/03	7983	155.2	2.5%	7812	8171	359	4.5%
2003/04	8367	161.4	4.8%	8038	8669	631	7.5%
2004/05	8927	170.6	6.7%	8631	9160	529	5.9%
2005/06	9101	173.4	2.0%	8895	9354	459	5.0%
2006/07	9468	178.6	4.0%	9183	9729	546	5.8%

1. Includes correctional centres, transitional centres and police/court cell complexes (24 hour and other).

2. Sourced from the Steering Committee for the Review of Government Service Provision
Report on Government Services (2008).

Table 8: Annual trends in the correctional centre¹ population; 1973 to 2006/07

Financial year	Daily average ¹	Rate per 100,000 NSW adult population ²	% Change in average from last year	Lowest daily total ³	Highest daily total ³	Difference between lowest and highest daily total	
						No.	% of average
1973 ⁴	4130	126.1	n/a	3803	4192	389	9.4%
1973/74	3348	100.7	-18.9%	2988	3854	866	25.9%
1974/75	3318	98.6	-0.9%	3015	3405	390	11.8%
1975/76	3587	105.4	8.1%	3373	3637	264	7.4%
1976/77	3547	102.8	-1.1%	3462	3605	143	4.0%
1977/78	3645	103.9	2.8%	3326	3808	482	13.2%
1978/79	3858	108.1	5.8%	3749	3952	203	5.3%
1979/80	3677	101.3	-4.7%	3453	3885	432	11.7%
1980/81	3398	92.0	-7.6%	3208	3546	338	9.9%
1981/82	3549	94.3	4.4%	3471	3699	228	6.4%
1982/83	3511	91.9	-1.1%	3408	3605	197	5.6%
1983/84	3518	90.8	0.2%	2948	3851	903	25.7%
1984/85	3473	88.3	-1.3%	3034	3862	828	23.8%
1985/86	3854	96.3	11.0%	3767	3943	176	4.6%
1986/87	3971	97.3	3.0%	3668	4210	542	13.6%
1987/88	4124	99.1	3.9%	3925	4271	346	8.4%
1988/89	4358	103.1	5.7%	4187	4742	555	12.7%
1989/90	5002	116.7	14.8%	4722	5457	735	14.7%
1990/91	5712	131.3	14.2%	5521	5956	435	7.6%
1991/92	6056	137.3	6.0%	5940	6201	261	4.3%
1992/93	6181	138.8	2.1%	5995	6405	410	6.6%
1993/94	6423	142.5	3.9%	6255	6526	271	4.2%
1994/95	6279	137.5	-2.2%	6110	6432	322	5.1%
1995/96	6288	135.7	0.1%	6142	6424	282	4.5%
1996/97	6314	134.5	0.4%	6206	6409	203	3.2%
1997/98	6342	133.4	0.4%	6216	6452	236	3.7%
1998/99	6835	143.2	7.8%	6475	7240	765	11.2%
1999/00	7272	150.3	6.4%	7107	7416	309	4.2%
2000/01	7490	153.1	3.0%	7315	7794	479	6.4%
2001/02	7667	152.9	2.4%	7446	7860	414	5.4%
2002/03	7854	152.7	2.4%	7681	8062	381	4.9%
2003/04	8239	158.9	4.9%	7926	8539	613	7.4%
2004/05	8796	168.1	6.8%	8501	9015	514	5.8%
2005/06	8973	171.0	2.0%	8823	9169	346	3.9%
2006/07	9288	175.2	3.5%	9042	9520	478	5.1%

1. Excludes periodic detention, transitional centres and 24 hour police/court cell and other court complexes.

2. Figures prior to 2002/03 are based on the NSW adult population as at 30 June only. Figures for 2002/03 onwards have been revised and are based on NSW adult population estimates extrapolated from the Steering Committee for the Review of Government Service Provision *Report on Government Services* publications.

3. Prior to 2001/02 highest and lowest daily totals were based on Sundays only. Since 2001/02 highest and lowest totals are calculated based on each day of the year.

4. For calendar year ending 31 December 1973.

n/a Not applicable.

**Table 9: Number of offenders in NSW custody as at 30th June by Aboriginality ¹;
1992 to 2006**

Year	Correctional centres ²				Periodic detention centres				Total
	Non-Aboriginal/TSI		Aboriginal/TSI		Non-Aboriginal/TSI		Aboriginal/TSI		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
1992	5331	287	567	43	1157	62	32	6	7485
1993	5440	265	647	40	1145	53	38	4	7632
1994	5383	261	717	59	1155	85	47	4	7711
1995	5297	268	773	46	1212	84	58	11	7749
1996	5126	272	803	66	1249	92	75	8	7691
1997	5206	293	851	61	1336	112	83	15	7957
1998	5214	275	903	83	1134	97	91	13	7810
1999	5723	337	1076	106	962	103	69	6	8382
2000	5808	356	1068	98	1024	96	71	11	8532
2001	6106	385	1114	130	892	70	75	8	8780
2002	6065	386	1277	148	745	60	70	8	8759
2003	6170	355	1339	145	676	52	48	11	8796
2004	6573	419	1360	146	640	55	43	4	9240
2005	6896	431	1458	163	734	62	49	10	9803
2006	6712	442	1688	209	622	51	42	9	9775

Source: NSW Inmate Census, NSW Department of Corrective Services.

1. Aboriginality as self reported at reception into custody. Offenders whose Aboriginality was shown as "Unknown" in the Census are counted as non-Aboriginal/TSI.

The method for determining Aboriginality changed in 2003. Previously, the Aboriginality status current at the time of the Census was recorded. Under new counting rules, an offender is recorded as being Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander where any current or past record reported the offender as being Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander.

2. Excludes transitional centres, 24 hour police/court and other cell complexes.

Table 10: Offenders received into custody; 1997/98 to 2006/07

Financial year	Full-time custody		Sub-total Full-time custody	Periodic detention centres	TOTAL RECEPTIONS
	Police/court cell complexes ¹	Correctional centres ²			
1997/98	-	13616	13616	1968	15584
1998/99	35	14542	14577	2089	16666
1999/00	843	15313	16156	2125	18281
2000/01	3873	15294	19167	1583	20750
2001/02	4671	15136	19807	1602	21409
2002/03	6105	14696	20801	1581	22382
2003/04	11087	14184	25271	1278	26549
2004/05	12286	14649	26935	1350	28285
2005/06	12590	14760	27350	1248	28598
2006/07	13916	14821	28737	1344	30081

1. The Department of Corrective Services assumed responsibility for police/court escort functions from the NSW Police Service in 1991 and the management of a small number of 24 hour police/court cell complexes in 1992. The *Correctional Centres Amendment Act 1998* (which commenced in July 1998) enable correctional officers to manage inmates in 24 hour police/court cell complexes. Since that time the number of 24 hour police/court cell complexes managed by the Department increased and the Department currently manages fourteen (14) 24 hour police/court cell complexes across NSW. Many of the offenders received into 24 police/court cell are Police custody ("Form 7" of the *Bail Regulation 1999*) detainees who are persons in police custody (police-bail refused) who are managed by the NSW Department of Corrective Services. Many of these "Form 7" detainees are discharged from custody following their court appearance and those remanded into custody are usually transferred to a correctional centre. The figures shown here include only those inmates who were received and subsequently discharged from a 24 police/court cell complex without ever having been transferred into a correctional centre during that episode of imprisonment.

2. Offenders received into correctional centres includes offenders initially received into a police/court cell complexes who were subsequently transferred to a correctional centre.

Table 11: Offenders received into NSW correctional centres by legal status; 1982/83 to 2006/07

Financial year	UNSENTENCED			SENTENCED ²				TOTAL ⁶
	On remand less than 30 days	On remand 30 days or more	Total unsentenced	Fine	Other sentenced			
				Defaulter ³ (Full-time custody)	Full-time custody	Periodic detention	Total other sentenced	
1982/83	n/a	n/a	n/a	4305	n/a	n/a	4559	n/a
1983/84	n/a	n/a	n/a	4679	n/a	n/a	4245	n/a
1984/85	n/a	n/a	n/a	4644	n/a	n/a	4615	n/a
1985/86	n/a	n/a	n/a	3505	n/a	n/a	4542	n/a
1986/87	n/a	n/a	n/a	3500	n/a	n/a	4765	n/a
1987/88	n/a	n/a	n/a	1123	n/a	n/a	4510	n/a
1988/89	n/a	n/a	n/a	180	n/a	n/a	4850	n/a
1989/90	n/a	n/a	n/a	444	5945	1133	7078	n/a
1990/91	n/a	n/a	n/a	1602	5834	1352	7186	n/a
1991/92	n/a	n/a	n/a	2826	6021	1419	7440	n/a
1992/93	n/a	n/a	n/a	3909	5884	1677	7561	n/a
1993/94	n/a	n/a	n/a	3328	5947	1513	7460	n/a
1994/95	n/a	n/a	n/a	2694	5850	1841 ⁵	7691	n/a
1995/96	5552	1996	7548	3936	6133	1995 ⁵	8128	17321
1996/97	5539	2275	7814	4474 ⁴	6534	2034 ⁵	8568	18471
1997/98	5756	2383	8139	1189 ⁴	6676	1968	8644	15584
1998/99	6639	3012	9651	47 ⁴	8085	2089	10174	16631
1999/00	7031	3563	10594	58	8257	2125	10382	17438
2000/01	6988	3796	10784	83	7842	1583	9425	16877
2001/02	6414	4131	10545	45	7719	1602	9321	16738
2002/03	5827	4596	10423	50	7403	1581	8984	16277
2003/04	5451	4536	9987	25	7435	1278	8713	15462
2004/05	5424	4731	10155	10	7713	1350	9063	15999
2005/06	5602	4886	10488	-	7453	1248	8701	16008
2006/07	5447	5383	10830	-	8479	1344	9823	16165

1. Prior to March 1989 reception data was based on information supplied by correctional centres. Since that time data has been retrieved from the departmental offender record system. The method of retrieving reception data from the record system was revised in 1995/96, 1997/98 and 2001/02. Statistics for 1989/90 to 1992/93 were obtained from the Offender Record System (ORS) by the 1995/96 revised method. Statistics for 1993/94 to 1996/97 were obtained from the Offender Management System (OMS) using the 1997/98 method. Statistics for 1997/98 onward were obtained using the third-revised method and differ from those previously published.

2. Includes unsentenced offenders who subsequently received a sentence to be served by way of full-time imprisonment.

3. There was a moratorium on the execution of Fine Default warrants at the end of 1987 and legislative amendments introduced in January 1988 which reduced the number of fine defaulters received into custody. There were further moratoriums on the execution of Fine Default warrants in NSW between 31 March and 30 June 1994 and 1 October and 31 December 1997. A new fine enforcement system was introduced in January 1998 under the *Fines Act 1996*. Since October 1997 only Federal, ACT and interstate fine defaulters have been received into NSW correctional centres.

4. Includes 35 fine defaulters received at Port Macquarie Court Cells during 1996/97, 8 during 1997/98 and 1 during 1998/99.

5. Includes 20 fine defaulters received into Periodic Detention Centres during 1994/95, 33 during 1995/96 and 16 during 1996/97.

6. The total number of receptions is not equal to the sum of sentenced and unsentenced offenders because some offenders may be counted twice, once as unsentenced and again if the same offender subsequently received a sentence during the same period of imprisonment.

n/a - Not available

Table 12: Offenders discharged from NSW correctional centres¹ after custodial sentence or monetary warrant; 1993/94 to 2006/07

Financial year	CUSTODIAL SENTENCE							SUB-TOTAL CUSTODIAL SENTENCE	MONETARY WARRANT ³			TOTAL
	Full-time imprisonment ²				Periodic detention				Fine - time served	Fine - part paid	<i>Sub-total</i>	
	Parole	Licence	Sentence served	<i>Sub-Total</i>	Parole	Sentence served	<i>Sub-Total</i>					
1993/94	2261	9	3207	<i>5477</i>	n/a	1031	<i>1031</i>	6508	2083	1050	<i>3133</i>	9641
1994/95	2470	6	3079	<i>5555</i>	n/a	1046	<i>1046</i>	6601	1582	624	<i>2206</i>	8807
1995/96	2614	8	3319	<i>5941</i>	n/a	1032	<i>1032</i>	6973	2421	985	<i>3406</i>	10379
1996/97	2669	7	3204	<i>5880</i>	n/a	1050	<i>1050</i>	6930	2835	1217	<i>4052</i>	10982
1997/98	2722	5	3109	<i>5836</i>	n/a	1060	<i>1060</i>	6896	829	400	<i>1229</i>	8125
1998/99	3041	2	3314	<i>6357</i>	n/a	1004	<i>1004</i>	7361	32	7	<i>39</i>	7400
1999/00	3534	2	3961	<i>7497</i>	n/a	990	<i>990</i>	8487	41	3	<i>44</i>	8531
2000/01	3539	4	3265	<i>6808</i>	88	801	<i>889</i>	7697	50	17	<i>67</i>	7764
2001/02	4218	4	2657	<i>6879</i>	198	634	<i>832</i>	7711	38	8	<i>46</i>	7757
2002/03	4171	4	2507	<i>6682</i>	228	606	<i>834</i>	7516	41	9	<i>50</i>	7566
2003/04	4097	2	2355	<i>6454</i>	263	447	<i>710</i>	7164	30	6	<i>36</i>	7200
2004/05	4418	1	2444	<i>6863</i>	334	437	<i>771</i>	7634	9	1	<i>10</i>	7644
2005/06	4759	-	2183	<i>6942</i>	498	383	<i>881</i>	7823	-	-	-	7823
2006/07	5019	2	2299	<i>7320</i>	488	302	<i>790</i>	8110	-	-	-	8110

1. Includes offenders discharged from transitional centres but excludes offenders discharged from court cell complexes.

2. Does not include offenders who died in custody or were deported or extradited on completion of sentence.

3. There were moratoriums on the execution of Fine Default warrants in NSW between 31 March and 30 June 1994 and between 1 October 1997 and 31 December 1997. A new fine enforcement system was introduced on 27 January 1998 under the Fines Act 1996. This system is based on a hierarchy of civil and non-custodial sanctions. All fine defaulters received after introduction of this Act were for interstate or Federal fines.

Table 13: Trends in the legal status of offenders ¹ held as at 30 June; 1990 to 2006

Year	Under sentence ²	Awaiting appeal	Forensic patient	Un-convicted	Awaiting sentence ³	Deportation	Extradition	Civil inmate	TOTAL
1990	4964	535	19	790	47	12	-	-	6367
%	78.0	8.4	0.3	12.4	0.7	0.2	-	-	100
1991	5628	609	23	808	31	4	-	-	7103
%	79.2	8.6	0.3	11.4	0.4	0.1	-	-	100
1992	6035	676	21	720	28	5	-	-	7485
%	80.6	9.0	0.3	9.6	0.4	0.1	-	-	100
1993	6141	691	20	750	27	3	-	-	7632
%	80.5	9.1	0.3	9.8	0.4	0.0	-	-	100
1994	6332	617	21	724	12	5	-	2	7713
%	82.1	8.0	0.3	9.4	0.2	0.1	-	0.0	100
1995	6454	543	33	711	1	5	-	1	7748
%	83.3	7.0	0.4	9.2	0.0	0.1	-	0.0	100
1996	6325	513	49	800	-	-	-	-	7687
%	82.2	6.7	0.6	10.4	-	-	-	-	100
1997	6464	459	42	987	-	3	1	-	7956
%	81.2	5.8	0.5	12.4	-	0.0	0.0	-	100
1998	6273	426	56	1048	-	6	1	-	7810
%	80.3	5.5	0.7	13.4	-	0.1	0.0	-	100
1999	6419	590	65	1268	-	38	2	-	8382
%	76.6	7.0	0.8	15.1	-	0.5	0.0	-	100
2000	6406	582	66	1433	-	42	3	-	8532
%	75.1	6.8	0.8	16.8	-	0.5	0.0	-	100
2001	6542	567	76	1560	-	32	3	-	8780
%	74.5	6.5	0.9	17.8	-	0.4	0.0	-	100
2002	6471	515	93	1588	-	7	2	-	8676
%	74.6	5.9	1.1	18.3	-	0.0	0.0	-	100
2003	6446	463	100	1781	-	3	3	-	8796
%	73.3	5.3	1.1	20.2	-	0.0	0.0	-	100
2004	6705	582	126	1823	-	3	1	-	9240
%	72.6	6.3	1.4	19.7	-	0.0	0.0	-	100
2005	7216	476	134	1970	-	1	5	1	9803
%	73.6	4.9	1.4	20.1	-	0.0	0.1	-	100
2006	7197	370	108	2095	-	-	5	-	9775
%	73.6	3.8	1.1	21.4	-	-	0.1	-	100

1. Includes offenders held in correctional centres and periodic detainees (excludes offenders held in transitional centres and court cell complexes).

2. Includes fine default.

3. Since 1996 convicted offenders awaiting sentence are included as unconvicted offenders.

Table 14: Most serious offence type for sentenced offenders ¹ held as at 30 June; 1997 to 2006

MOST SERIOUS OFFENCE ²	1997		1998 ³		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005		2006	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
AGAINST PERSON																				
HOMICIDES																				
Murder	309	4.7	318	5.0	325	5.0	343	5.3	344	5.2	368	5.6	387	5.9	408	6.0	436	5.9	437	6.0
Attempt/Conspiracy to murder	32	0.5	28	0.4	34	0.5	32	0.5	42	0.6	44	0.7	49	0.7	44	0.6	44	0.6	41	0.6
Manslaughter (excl. by driving)	92	1.4	91	1.4	89	1.4	98	1.5	104	1.6	109	1.7	121	1.8	118	1.7	116	1.6	109	1.5
Total homicides	433	6.7	437	6.9	448	6.9	473	7.3	490	7.4	521	7.9	557	8.5	570	8.3	596	8.1	587	8.0
ROBBERY AND EXTORTION																				
With major assault	589	9.1	600	9.5	574	8.9	613	9.5	652	9.9	642	9.8	577	8.8	547	8.0	533	7.3	506	6.9
Other (incl. blackmail)	267	4.1	240	3.8	273	4.2	286	4.4	309	4.7	352	5.4	315	4.8	285	4.2	261	3.6	235	3.2
Total robbery	856	13.2	840	13.3	847	13.1	899	13.9	961	14.5	994	15.1	892	13.6	832	12.2	794	10.8	741	10.1
OTHER ASSAULTS AND RELATED																				
Major (incl. GBH sex 3rd person)	554	8.5	532	8.4	480	7.4	455	7.0	548	8.3	508	7.7	601	9.2	645	9.4	791	10.8	701	9.6
Other (incl. kidnapping)	300	4.6	308	4.9	296	4.6	273	4.2	263	4.0	290	4.4	336	5.1	339	5.0	343	4.7	304	4.2
Total assault	854	13.1	840	13.3	776	12.0	728	11.2	811	12.3	798	12.2	937	14.3	984	14.4	1134	15.4	1005	13.8
TOTAL NON-SEXUAL AGAINST PERSON	2143	32.9	2117	33.4	2071	31.9	2100	32.4	2262	34.2	2313	35.2	2386	36.4	2386	34.9	2524	34.3	2333	31.9
SEXUAL																				
Rape and attempted rape	6	0.1	6	0.1	7	0.1	4	0.1	2	0.0	5	0.1	2	0.0	1	0.0	-	-	-	-
Carnal knowledge, incest	105	1.6	100	1.6	97	1.5	101	1.6	90	1.4	74	1.1	73	1.1	68	1.0	84	1.1	87	1.2
Indecent assault, Male or Female	100	1.5	105	1.7	101	1.6	90	1.4	77	1.2	66	1.0	59	0.9	74	1.1	81	1.1	70	1.0
Other serious sexual	370	5.7	399	6.3	369	5.7	387	6.0	344	5.2	334	5.1	364	5.6	377	5.5	404	5.5	428	5.9
Other (incl. prostitution)	10	0.2	13	0.2	17	0.3	20	0.3	25	0.4	22	0.3	28	0.4	25	0.4	20	0.3	21	0.3
Total sexual	591	9.1	623	9.8	591	9.1	602	9.3	538	8.1	501	7.6	526	8.0	545	8.0	589	8.0	606	8.3
TOTAL AGAINST PERSON	2734	42.0	2740	43.3	2662	41.1	2702	41.7	2800	42.3	2814	42.9	2912	44.5	2931	42.9	3113	42.4	2939	40.2
OTHER OFFENCES																				
Property (incl. fraud)	1940	29.8	1693	26.7	1653	25.5	1564	24.2	1610	24.3	1461	22.3	1447	22.1	1509	22.1	1544	21.0	1528	20.9
Order (incl. offensive behaviour) ³	444	6.8	743	11.7	938	14.5	864	13.3	781	11.8	861	13.1	746	11.4	922	13.5	1012	13.8	1107	15.2
Drug	855	13.1	704	11.1	683	10.5	697	10.8	736	11.1	745	11.3	761	11.6	764	11.2	904	12.3	914	12.5
Traffic	534	8.2	449	7.1	548	8.5	645	9.9	691	10.4	683	10.4	680	10.4	705	10.3	777	10.6	816	11.2
Total other	3773	58.0	3589	56.7	3822	58.9	3770	58.3	3818	57.7	3750	57.1	3634	55.5	3900	57.1	4237	57.6	4365	59.8
TOTAL ALL OFFENCES	6507	100	6329	100	6484	100	6472	100	6618	100	6564	100	6546	100	6831	100	7350	100	7304	100

1. Includes offenders held in correctional centres and periodic detention centres (excludes transitional centres and police/court cell and other court complexes). Excludes appellants but includes forensic patients. Includes 1 civil inmate in 1997 and 1 in 2005. 2. Most serious offence is classified as the offence with the greatest aggregate sentence ignoring unfinalised charges. 3. Classification rules for most serious offence changed in 1998. Prior to 1998 "Breach of Parole" was only counted as the most serious offence where there were no other current convictions. Since 1998 "Breach of Parole" has treated like any other offence in the calculation of the most serious offence.

Table 15: Escapes by security level breached; 2006/07

Security level breached	Incidents	Escapees		Number at large at 1/7/2007
		Number of offenders	%	
FULL-TIME CUSTODY				
From within maximum security	-	-	-	-
From within medium security	-	-	-	-
From within minimum security	4	6	60.0	-
Area adjacent to a maximum or medium security	-	-	-	-
Escorted - other (e.g. hospital)	-	-	-	-
Escorted external work party	1	1	10.0	-
Escorted external sport/education	-	-	-	-
Day/Weekend leave	-	-	-	-
Unescorted education programs	-	-	-	-
Work release program ²	2	2	20.0	-
Other unescorted authorised absence	1	1	10.0	-
Court Complex	-	-	-	-
Transport (including transfers)	-	-	-	-
<i>Sub-total full-time custody</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>-</i>
PERIODIC DETENTION	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	8	10	100.0	-

NB: The count of escapes is based on NSW specific counting rules which are not aligned with those adopted for the Productivity Commission's *Report on Government Services*.

Table 16a: Number of escapes; 2006/07 - security level breached by correctional centre

CORRECTIONAL CENTRE BY SECURITY LEVEL	SECURITY LEVEL BREACHED							TOTAL ESCAPES
	Within correctional centre			From external program		Periodic detention centre	Police/ court cell complex	
	Max.	Med.	Min.	Escorted/ supervised	Unescorted			
Maximum/Medium security								
<i>Sub-Total</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minimum security								
Compulsory Drug Treatment Centre	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Glen Innes	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Ivanhoe (Warakirri)	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
John Morony II	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
Kirkconnell	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Parklea (Minimum)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Silverwater	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
<i>Sub-Total</i>	-	-	5	2	3	-	-	10
Periodic detention centres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Court complexes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	-	-	5	2	3	-	-	10

NB: The count of escapes is based on NSW specific counting rules which are not aligned with those adopted for the Productivity Commission's *Report on Government Services*.

Only those correctional and periodic detention centres where escapes occurred are listed.

Table 16b: Percentage of escapes; 2006/07 - security level breached by correctional centre

CORRECTIONAL CENTRE BY SECURITY LEVEL	SECURITY LEVEL BREACHED							TOTAL ESCAPES
	Within correctional centre			From external program		Periodic detention centre	Police/ court cell complex	
	Max.	Med.	Min.	Escorted/ supervised	Unescorted			
Maximum/Medium security								
<i>Sub-Total</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minimum security								
Compulsory Drug Treatment Centre	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	10.0
Glen Innes	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	10.0
Ivanhoe (Warakirri)	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	-	30.0
John Morony II	-	-	-	10.0	10.0	-	-	20.0
Kirkconnell	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	10.0
Parklea (Minimum)	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	10.0
Silverwater	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	10.0
<i>Sub-Total</i>	-	-	50.0	20.0	30.0	-	-	100.0
Periodic detention centres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Court complexes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	-	-	50.0	20.0	30.0	-	-	<i>100.0</i>

NB: The count of escapes is based on NSW specific counting rules which are not aligned with those adopted for the Productivity Commission's *Report on Government Services*.

Only those correctional and periodic detention centres where escapes occurred are listed.

Table 17: Escapes; 2006/07 - Correctional centre by offender security classification
at time of escape

CORRECTIONAL CENTRE	Security classification									TOTAL
	A	B	E2	C1	C2	C3	CDT 2	PDC	Not Classified	
Maximum/Medium security										
<i>Sub-Total</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minimum security										
Compulsory Drug Treatment Centre	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Glen Innes	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Ivanhoe (Warakirri)	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
John Morony II (Minimum)	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Kirkconnell	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Parklea (Minimum)	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Silverwater	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<i>Sub-Total</i>	-	-	-	-	7	2	1	-	-	10
Periodic detention centres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Court complexes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	-	-	-	-	7	2	1	-	-	10

NB: The count of escapes is based on NSW specific counting rules which are not aligned with those adopted for the Productivity Commission's *Report on Government Services*.

Only those correctional and periodic detention centres where escapes occurred are listed.

Table 18a. Number of escapes by security level/program; 1990/91 to 2006/07

Security level breached	1990-1991	1991-1992	1992-1993	1993-1994	1994-1995	1995-1996	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	1990-2007
From within maximum security	1	4	1	4	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	18
From within medium security	3	2	1	2	2	6	6	2	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	31
From within minimum security ¹	83	46	64	92	106	103	55	54	50	33	43	47	15	7	24	12	6	840
Adjacent to maximum/medium	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Malabar Fines Unit ²	*	*	*	*	*	14	4	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	20
Escorted (external) work party	4	2	15	5	8	25	8	14	16	11	1	1	5	7	1	5	1	129
Escorted (external) sports/education excursion	-	-	5	3	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	19
Escorted - other (e.g. hospital)	1	-	1	3	1	2	3	11	3	5	6	3	1	1	3	3	-	47
Day/Weekend leave	3	-	5	1	-	1	-	2	2	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	17
Unescorted education programs	1	1	4	1	3	1	2	2	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	19
Work release program	1	4	11	10	7	2	2	-	-	3	3	2	-	1	2	2	2	52
Other unescorted authorised absence	1	1	-	-	-	2	4	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	12
Prince Henry Hospital Annexe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Court complex	-	-	-	2	1	4	5	2	2	7	12	9	7	3	2	2	-	58
Transport	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	11
Periodic detention centre	11	4	6	5	8	9	9	8	4	4	3	4	-	2	-	1	-	78
Other	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	111	64	114	129	136	179	102	101	79	69	70	79	31	22	32	27	10	1355
Equivalent full-time custody daily average ³	6008	6409	6521	6788	6671	6702	6769	6796	7249	7652	7826	8070	8232	8581	9153	9331	9682	7555
Rate per 100 Offender Years	1.8	1.0	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.7	1.5	1.5	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	1.1

NB: The count of escapes is based on NSW specific counting rules which are not aligned with those adopted for the Productivity Commission's *Report on Government Services*.

1. Includes 3 escapes from Bolwara House Transitional Centre (1 in 2003/04 and 2 in 2005/06).

2. The first full-time offenders at the Malabar Fines Unit were received on the 16 August, 1996. The last offenders were transferred on 18 November 1997.

3. Includes 2/7ths of the number in Periodic Detention, as detainees are in custody two days per week. Rules for counting Periodic Detainees changed in 1990/91.

Since 1996/97 the equivalent full-time custody daily average includes offenders held in transitional centres and police/court cell complexes managed by the Department of Corrective Services. Population data since 1996/97 has been revised in accordance with these changes.

* Malabar Fines Centre did not operate during these years (see explanatory note 2).

Table 18b. Percentage of escapes by security level/program; 1990/91 to 2006/07

Security level breached	1988-1989	1990-1991	1991-1992	1992-1993	1993-1994	1994-1995	1995-1996	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	1990-2007
From within maximum security	1.3	0.9	6.3	0.9	3.1	-	0.6	1.0	-	1.3	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	3.7	-	1.3
From within medium security	7.6	2.7	3.1	0.9	1.6	1.5	3.4	5.9	2.0	-	7.2	1.4	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	2.3
From within minimum security ¹	77.2	74.8	71.9	56.1	71.3	77.9	57.5	53.9	53.5	63.3	47.8	61.4	59.5	48.4	31.8	75.0	44.4	60.0	62.0
Adjacent to maximum/medium	-	1.8	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
Malabar Fines Unit ²	*	*	*	*	*	*	7.8	3.9	2.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.5
Escorted (external) work party	7.6	3.6	3.1	13.2	3.9	5.9	14.0	7.8	13.9	20.3	15.9	1.4	1.3	16.1	31.8	3.1	18.5	10.0	9.5
Escorted (external) sports/education excursion	1.3	-	-	4.4	2.3	-	1.1	2.0	2.0	-	-	-	5.1	3.2	-	-	-	-	1.4
Escorted - other (e.g. hospital)	-	0.9	-	0.9	2.3	0.7	1.1	2.9	10.9	3.8	7.2	8.6	3.8	3.2	4.5	9.4	11.1	-	3.5
Day/Weekend leave	-	2.7	-	4.4	0.8	-	0.6	-	2.0	2.5	-	-	2.5	3.2	-	-	-	-	1.3
Unescorted education programs	1.3	0.9	1.6	3.5	0.8	2.2	0.6	2.0	2.0	-	1.4	-	2.5	3.2	-	-	-	-	1.4
Work release program	1.3	0.9	6.3	9.6	7.8	5.1	1.1	2.0	-	-	4.3	4.3	2.5	-	4.5	6.3	7.4	20.0	3.8
Other unescorted authorised absence	-	0.9	1.6	-	-	-	1.1	3.9	-	1.3	-	1.4	-	-	4.5	-	-	10.0	0.9
Prince Henry Hospital Annexe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Court complex	-	-	-	-	1.6	0.7	2.2	4.9	2.0	2.5	10.1	17.1	11.4	22.6	13.6	6.3	7.4	-	4.3
Transport	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	1.0	2.0	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	0.8
Periodic detention centre	2.5	9.9	6.3	5.3	3.9	5.9	5.0	8.8	7.9	5.1	5.8	4.3	5.1	-	9.1	-	3.7	-	5.8
Other	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

NB: The count of escapes is based on NSW specific counting rules which are not aligned with those adopted for the Productivity Commission's *Report on Government Services*.

1. Includes 3 escapes from Bolwara House Transitional Centre (1 in 2003/04 and 2 in 2005/06).

2. The first full-time offenders at the Malabar Fines Unit were received on the 16 August, 1996. The last offenders were transferred on 18 November 1997.

* Malabar Fines Centre did not operate during these years (see explanatory note 2).

**Table 19: Offences heard by correctional centre governors;
1998/99 to 2006/07**

Category of offence ¹		Financial year								
		1998/ 1999	1999/ 2000	2000/ 2001	2001/ 2002	2002/ 2003	2003/ 2004	2004/ 2005	2005/ 2006	2006/ 2007
Abusive behaviour	Number ²	1511	1488	1521	1463	1241	1183	1012	1094	1036
	(Rate) ³	(22)	(20)	(20)	(19)	(16)	(14)	(12)	(12)	(11)
Fighting or assault	Number	1109	1287	1304	1202	1000	854	856	1022	987
	(Rate)	(15)	(18)	(17)	(16)	(13)	(10)	(10)	(11)	(10)
Charges against good order	Number	3595	3536	3517	3618	3105	3240	3245	3216	3738
	(Rate)	(53)	(49)	(47)	(47)	(40)	(39)	(37)	(35)	(39)
Stealing	Number	1216	1206	1171	1036	813	784	705	775	963
	(Rate)	(18)	(17)	(16)	(14)	(10)	(10)	(8)	(8)	(10)
Property damage	Number	725	863	775	985	830	807	754	826	792
	(Rate)	(11)	(12)	(10)	(13)	(11)	(10)	(9)	(9)	(8)
Failure to attend muster	Number	1519	1420	1358	1108	838	865	770	768	691
	(Rate)	(22)	(20)	(18)	(14)	(11)	(10)	(9)	(8)	(7)
Refuse to provide urine sample	Number	464	464	495	520	603	609	648	642	567
	(Rate)	(7)	(6)	(7)	(7)	(8)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(6)
Alcohol charges	Number	77	75	84	70	66	66	36	24	28
	(Rate)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(0.4)	(0.3)	(0.3)
Other drug charges	Number	1732	2194	1948	2059	2022	2051	2075	2202	2139
	(Rate)	(25)	(30)	(26)	(27)	(26)	(25)	(23)	(23)	(23)
Unauthorised possession/ misuse of condom ⁴	Number	11	5	2	9	1	3	2	2	2
	(Rate)	(0.2)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)
Possess camera/audio/ mobile phone ⁵	Number	na	na	na	na	na	0	28	17	11
	(Rate)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(0.0)	(0.3)	(0.2)	(0.1)
TOTAL	Number	11959	12538	12174	12070	10519	10462	10131	10588	10954
	(Rate)	(175)	(170)	(163)	(157)	(134)	(124)	(115)	(114)	(116)

1. Categories of offence are explained in the following notes.

2. Number = number of charges.

3. Rate per 100 offenders held calculated as:
$$\frac{\text{Number of charges} \times 100}{\text{Daily average correctional centre population}}$$

4.Regulations allowing condoms to be made available to offenders were introduced in March 1996.

5. Specific regulations relating to possession of cameras, audio/video recorder and mobile phones were introduced into the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) (Correctional Centre Routine) Regulation 2001* in February 2004.

na - not applicable

NOTES ON OFFENCE CATEGORIES

Regulations cited below are as stated in the Crimes (Administration of Sentences) (Correctional Centre Routine) Regulation 2001 under the Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999.

Abusive Behaviour

This category includes breaches of the following regulations: intimidation, Clause 127 and indecency, Clause 128 .

Whether behaviour is considered abusive or threatening may depend on the circumstances. Thus a correctional centre where a high level of abuse was tolerated might have few inmates charged, although abusive behaviour was common, and vice versa.

Fighting or Assault

This category includes breaches of the following regulations: assaults, Clause 130(1) and fighting or engage in physical combat, Clause 130(2).

It should be noted that the more serious cases of assault may be dealt with directly by police and hence not appear as misconduct charges. Also, charges cannot be made if an alleged assailant is not known. Thus these figures in no way indicate the number of assaults that have taken place. A count of assaults and fights in correctional centres is separately maintained by the Corporate Research, Evaluation and Statistics Unit.

Charges Against Good Order

This category includes breaches of the following regulations: supply false or misleading particulars, Clause 5; fail to surrender property on reception, Clause 8; fail to clean yards, Clause 38; fail to comply with correctional centre routine, Clause 39; enter other cell, Clause 40; operate bell, hooter, siren or whistle, Clause 42; avoid correctional centre routine, Clause 43; unlawfully deliver or receive article to or from inmate, Clause 44; resist or impede search, Clause 46; fail to keep property in a tidy and orderly manner, Clause 47; unlawfully purchase food, Clause 52(2); possess unauthorised food, Clause 52(3); unlawfully trade in food, Clause 52(4); fail to maintain personal cleanliness, Clause 56; wear improper clothing Clause 57; fail to keep clean cells and issues articles, Clause 58(1); fail to look after clothing, bedding and other issues articles, Clause 58(3); misbehave while attending services and programs, Clause 61; convey or deliver to, or receive from, visitors unauthorised articles, Clause 97; send or receive unauthorised letters or parcels, Clause 107; send prohibited letters, parcels or articles, Clause 108; unlawfully use telephone or facsimile, Clause 112; disobey direction, Clause 120; contravene condition of local or interstate leave permit, Clause 124; conceal for purpose of escape; Clause 125; conceal article for use in escape or other offence, Clause 126; participate, or incite other inmates to participate in, riot, Clause 129; tamper with food or drink, Clause 131(3); hinder or obstruct dog, Clause 132; cause harm to animal, bird or reptile, Clause 133; tattoo, Clause 135; gamble, Clause 136; smoke in non-smoking area, Clause 143(a); bribery, Clause 144; obstruct correctional officer, Clause 145; make mischievous complaint, Clause 160; give false or misleading information, Clause 172.

Stealing/possess prohibited goods

This category includes breaches of the following regulations: possession or create prohibited goods, Clause 45 and steal, Clause 131(1).

The number of charges for stealing or possession of contraband at a correctional centre may depend on the availability of articles to steal or the opportunity to acquire illegal property.

Property Damage

This category includes breaches of the following regulations: damage, destroy or deface cell, Clause 58(2); desecrate or abuse spiritual items, Clause 68; throw article, Clause 130(3); damage or destroy property, Clause 131; interfere with correctional centre property, Clause 134 and alter, damage or remove non-smoking or smoking sign, Clause 143(b).

In a correctional centre environment, especially with shared cells, it may be difficult to prove who was responsible for property damage. Thus although property damage may have occurred, charges may not be laid or may be dismissed.

Failure to Attend Muster

This category consists of breaches of Clause 41 failure to attend muster. The number of charges for failure to attend to muster is likely to be influenced by the routine of the correctional centre.

Refuse to Provide Urine Sample

This category comprises breaches of the following regulations: refuse or fail to provide urine sample where drug use is suspected, Clauses 148 and refusal or fail to supply a urine sample whether or not drug use is suspected, Clause 149. For this offence the number of charges at a correctional centre is likely to depend more on the number of samples requested and the conditions under which they are taken than on the percentage of refusals.

Alcohol Charges

This category includes breaches of the following regulations: possess/consume alcohol, Clause 137(1); prepare or manufacture alcohol, Clause 137(2) and refuse breath testing, Clause 146.

Other Drug Charges

This category includes breaches of the following regulations: possess drug, Clause 138; administer drug, Clause 139; possess drug implement, Clause 140; self-intoxication, Clause 141 and fail prescribed urine test, Clause 142.

Many of the charges in this offence type were on the results of a urine test so that the number of charges depends partly on the number of tests made. In addition, some inmates with a positive urine test were not charged, for example, because they had been discharged by the time the results arrived or because they had not been in custody long enough for it to be certain that the drug was used during imprisonment. Thus the change in the number of drug charges does not necessarily reflect a change in drug use in correctional centres.

Unauthorised possession/misuse of condom

Regulations allowing condoms to be made available to inmates were introduced on 22nd March, 1996. Under the current Regulation an inmate may be charged with unlawfully possess condom, Clause 59(3); unlawfully use condom, Clause 59(4) and unlawfully dispose of condom, Clause 59(5).

Possess camera/audio equipment or mobile phone

Regulations relating to possession of cameras, video or audio recorders, Clause 113A and possession of a mobile phone, Clause 113B were introduced on 6 February, 2004. Prior to the introduction of this specific offences, charges of this nature were recorded under possession or create prohibited goods, Clause 45.

Table 20: Deaths in NSW correctional centres by cause of death¹ and Aboriginality; 1987/88 to 2006/07

Financial year	Natural causes		Suicide		Murder		Drug overdose ²		Other		Unknown ³		TOTAL	
	Aboriginal/ TSI ⁴	Other	Aboriginal/ TSI	Other	Aboriginal/ TSI	Other	Aboriginal/ TSI	Other	Aboriginal/ TSI	Other	Aboriginal/ TSI	Other	Aboriginal/ TSI	Other
1987/88	-	2	1	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11
1988/89	1	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1 ⁵	-	-	1	6
1989/90	2	8	3	13	-	-	-	1	-	1 ⁶	-	-	5	23
1990/91	2	8	1	6	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	15
1991/92	1	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5
1992/93	2	6	-	6	-	-	-	5	-	1 ⁷	-	-	2	18
1993/94	3	7	1	9	-	3	-	5	-	1 ⁸	-	-	4	25
1994/95	2	6	1	7	-	1	-	4	1 ⁹	-	-	-	4	18
1995/96	2	2	-	4	1	2	-	6	1 ¹⁰	-	-	-	4	14
1996/97	-	13	2	7	-	-	1	4	-	2 ^{11,12}	-	-	3	26
1997/98	-	7 ¹³	3 ¹⁴	11	1	3	-	2	-	2 ^{15,16}	-	-	4	25
1998/99	1	2	1	10	1	5	1	5	-	-	-	-	4	22
1999/00	2	3 ¹³	3	9 ¹⁴	1	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	7	16
2000/01	2	6 ^{14,14}	2	6 ¹⁴	-	1	-	2	-	1 ¹⁷	-	-	4	16
2001/02	-	6	-	6	-	2	-	-	1 ¹⁸	-	-	1	1	15
2002/03	1	6	2 ¹⁴	7 ¹⁴	-	1	-	-	-	1 ¹⁹	-	-	3	15
2003/04 *	-	4	-	9 ¹⁴	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
2004/05 *	1	6	2	5	-	-	-	1 ¹⁴	1 ²⁰	-	-	1 ¹⁴	4	13
2005/06 *	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
2006/07	2	12	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	3	5	19
TOTAL	24	114	24	136	4	21	3	39	4	11	1	5	60	326

NB: The count of deaths is based on NSW specific counting rules which are not aligned with those adopted for the Productivity Commission's Report on Government Services.

1. Cases where the NSW Coroner has yet to determine the cause of death are classified under the apparent cause of death. At some later point these incidents may be re-classified in accordance with the Coroner's finding. Figures may differ from those previously published (see *). Therefore totals in each category for may differ from those previously published. 2. Excludes deaths where Coroner gave a finding of suicide. 3. Cause of death was not apparent. Awaiting determination by NSW Coroner. 4. Aboriginal/TSI - Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander offender. 5. Drowned in swimming pool at Emu Plains - known epileptic (17.12.88). 6. Died whilst returning from work release (23.12.89). 7. Injured outside correctional centre (23.4.93). 8. Self inflicted asphyxiation (2.10.93) - Coroner was unable to determine if intention was suicide. 9. Misadventure - hanging (1.3.95) - Coroner found that the offender accidentally hanged himself. 10. Died as a result of head injuries received in a fight (23.11.95). 11. Died as a result of head injuries received in an assault (29.7.96). 12. Self inflicted hanging (12.4.97) - Coroner was unable to determine if intention was suicide.

13. Indicates an offender in this category died whilst on Day Leave. 14. Indicates an offender in this category died whilst on Home Detention Program. 15. Died as a result of injuries received in an assault (20.12.97). 16. Died as result of drug overdose (23.6.98) - Coroner was unable to determine if intention was suicide. 17. Self inflicted hanging (19.2.01) - Coroner determined that intention was not suicide. 18. Self inflicted hanging (14.11.01) - Coroner was unable to determine if intention was suicide. 19. Died as a result of ingesting chemical solvent (2.10.02). 20. Self inflicted death (2.5.05) - Coroner was unable to determine if intention was suicide. * - see explanatory note 1.

Table 21: Recidivism by offenders discharged during 2004/2005¹

Percentage of offenders convicted of any offence within two years of discharge resulting in a full-time custodial sentence to be served in a NSW correctional centre

Most serious offence in focal episode ²	No prior imprisonment ³		Prior imprisonment ⁴		Total inmates	
	Recidivism %	Number in discharge group	Recidivism %	Number in discharge group	Recidivism %	Number in discharge group
Homicide	13%	40	8%	13	11%	53
Assault	31%	602	53%	1020	45%	1622
Sexual offences	9%	109	25%	48	14%	157
Robbery	38%	196	55%	220	47%	416
Fraud	14%	111	44%	103	29%	214
Stealing/Property	42%	437	61%	1244	56%	1681
Arson/Malicious damage	31%	36	58%	65	49%	101
Driving/Traffic Offences	15%	303	38%	477	29%	780
Breach of Parole	n/a	n/a	54%	661	54%	661
Cancelled Periodic Detention	0%	2	13%	30	13%	32
Cancelled Home Detention	31%	13	37%	30	35%	43
Breach of CSO/Bond	31%	13	63%	8	43%	21
Breach of AVO	35%	34	50%	74	45%	108
Breach of Drug Court Order	93%	15	80%	176	81%	191
Use/Possess Drugs	0%	12	44%	16	25%	28
Sell Drugs	9%	186	22%	106	13%	292
Make/Import Drugs	0%	43	18%	11	4%	54
Other Offences	21%	112	47%	146	35%	258
TOTAL	27%	2264	53%	4448	44%	6712

NB. The total "All inmates" recidivism statistic presented here is comparable to the "Prisoners returning to prison" indicator as reported in the Productivity Commission's Report on Government Services.

1. The data refers to offenders discharged between 1 July 2004 and 30 June 2005 after serving a full-time custodial sentence in a NSW correctional centre.
2. The focal episode is the episode of full-time custody to which the discharge between 1 July 2004 and 30 June 2005 refers.
3. No imprisonment under sentence in an adult correctional centre in NSW prior to the focal episode.
4. Imprisonment under sentence in an adult correctional centre in NSW prior to the focal episode.

n/a Not applicable

