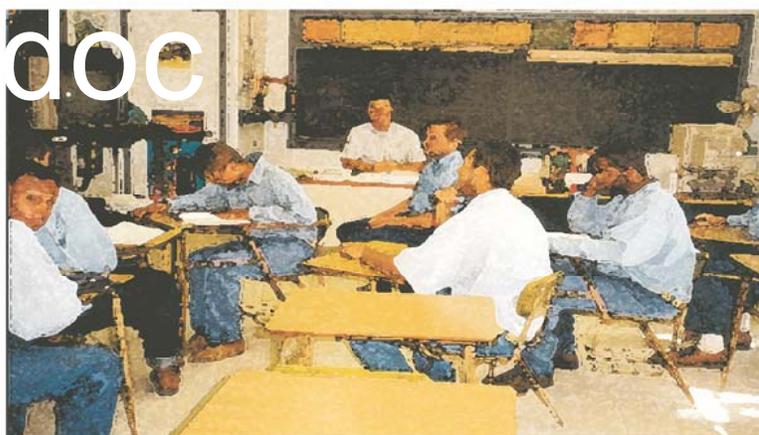


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We are pleased to present the 2004 Annual Statistical Report on Pennsylvania's state prison system. This report provides a statistical overview of inmates admitted to, incarcerated in, and released from the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections in Calendar Year 2004. The report also offers a limited historical perspective on inmate profile changes for calendar years 1994 through 2004.

Recognizing the importance of reliable data for effective planning and evaluation efforts, the Department is committed to the ongoing development and refinement of our information systems and the corresponding published data reports. These efforts are being continuously undertaken in order to provide policy makers and correctional administrators with the timely and accurate data necessary to effectively manage the Department's nearly 15,000 employees, 25 prisons, 14 community corrections centers, one motivational boot camp, and more than 40,000 inmates.

We trust that this annual statistical report will serve to increase your understanding of the state prison system, its inmate population, and the significant challenges which the Department as well as Pennsylvania's entire criminal justice system are addressing.

Sincerely,

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Section I

Receptions



Receptions

Between 1994 and 2004, the number of inmates admitted into the Department increased by 33.5%, from 10,812 in 1994 to 14,432 in 2004. There was a 3% increase between the years 2003 and 2004.

From 1994 through 2004, the number of parole violator admissions increased by 43.9%. Between 2003 and 2004, the number of parole violator admissions increased by 15.5%.

As a proportion of the total admissions, court commitments constitute 58.4%. The number of court commitments grew by 47.2%, from 6,774 in 1994 (62.7% of the total admissions), to 8,435 (58.4% of the total admissions) in 2004. Between 2003 and 2004, the number of initial court commitments decreased by 3.7%.

Philadelphia County, Allegheny County, and Dauphin County accounted for 36% of all new court commitments in 2004.

There were 82 more female court commitments in 2004 than in 2003, a 13.6% increase. Male admissions grew by 6.1% between the two years.

The majority of new court commitments (66%) were between the ages of 21 and 39. The average age was 33.

While the Department experienced only minor changes in sentence lengths from 2003 to 2004, it is important to note several items of significance.

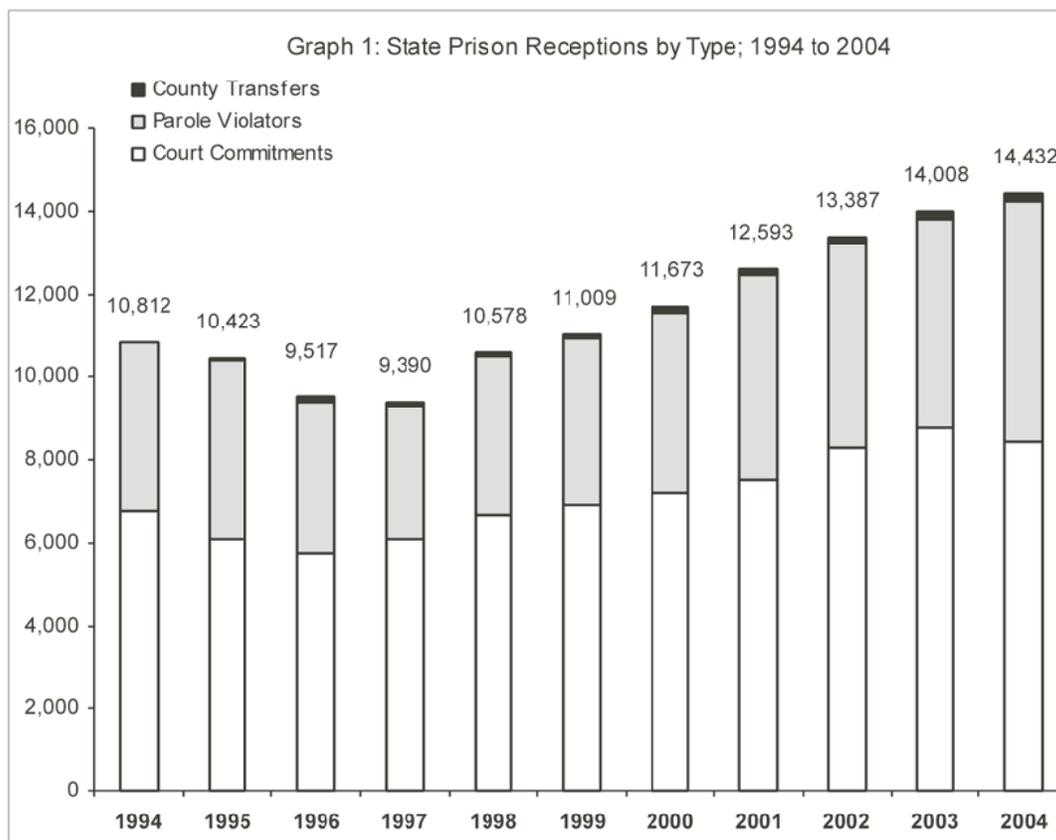
More than half (58%) of all court commitments were sentenced to a minimum sentence of two years or less. These inmates may be eligible of some type of release in 2006.

Of the total of new court commitments in 2004, 86 % received a maximum sentence of ten years or less. These inmates will complete their sentence and be released back to the community in 2014.

Table 1: State Prison Receptions by Type and Offender Gender, 1994 through 2004

Year	Court Commitments			Parole Violators			County Transfers			Annual Total
	Male	Female	Sub-total	Male	Female	Sub-total	Male	Female	Sub-total	
1994	6,276	498	6,774	3,861	176	4,037	1	0	1	10,812
1995	5,683	390	6,073	4,097	205	4,302	47	1	48	10,423
1996	5,375	361	5,736	3,511	162	3,673	107	1	108	9,517
1997	5,636	428	6,064	3,083	124	3,207	117	2	119	9,390
1998	6,155	498	6,653	3,647	179	3,826	98	1	99	10,578
1999	6,416	483	6,899	3,818	182	4,000	107	3	110	11,009
2000	6,680	523	7,203	4,157	191	4,348	121	1	122	11,673
2001	6,924	586	7,510	4,682	273	4,955	122	6	128	12,593
2002	7,633	633	8,266	4,727	241	4,968	150	3	153	13,387
2003	8,067	693	8,760	4,786	242	5,028	215	5	220	14,008
2004	7,752	683	8,435	5,472	336	5,808	186	3	189	14,432

Note: Beginning in 1996, County Transfer totals include individuals admitted to the Forensic Psychiatric Unit at SCI Waymart.



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Table 2: State Prison Receptions by Committing County and Offender Gender in 2004

County	Court Commitments			Parole Violators			County Transfers			Total Receptions			% of Total
	Male	Female	Sub-Total	Male	Female	Sub-Total	Male	Female	Sub-Total	Male	Female	Total	
Adams	54	2	56	14	3	17	12	0	12	80	5	85	0.6%
Allegheny	579	35	614	584	32	616	0	0	0	1,163	67	1,230	8.5%
Armstrong	17	1	18	15	0	15	0	0	0	32	1	33	0.2%
Beaver	49	5	54	41	4	45	0	0	0	90	9	99	0.7%
Bedford	13	1	14	7	0	7	1	0	1	21	1	22	0.2%
Berks	346	54	400	184	15	199	0	0	0	530	69	599	4.2%
Blair	74	23	97	30	5	35	2	0	2	106	28	134	0.9%
Bradford	48	7	55	15	1	16	2	0	2	65	8	73	0.5%
Bucks	172	11	183	52	3	55	6	0	6	230	14	244	1.7%
Butler	90	3	93	23	2	25	1	0	1	114	5	119	0.8%
Cambria	29	6	35	27	1	28	0	0	0	56	7	63	0.4%
Cameron	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0.0%
Carbon	17	0	17	17	2	19	1	0	1	35	2	37	0.3%
Centre	41	5	46	18	0	18	0	0	0	59	5	64	0.4%
Chester	208	14	222	65	6	71	1	0	1	274	20	294	2.0%
Clarion	23	1	24	4	0	4	0	0	0	27	1	28	0.2%
Clearfield	101	15	116	37	4	41	0	0	0	138	19	157	1.1%
Clinton	18	0	18	10	1	11	3	0	3	31	1	32	0.2%
Columbia	17	7	24	9	0	9	0	0	0	26	7	33	0.2%
Crawford	35	4	39	25	3	28	0	0	0	60	7	67	0.5%
Cumberland	61	1	62	34	5	39	0	0	0	95	6	101	0.7%
Dauphin	388	39	427	316	29	345	0	0	0	704	68	772	5.3%
Delaware	291	12	303	151	4	155	0	1	1	442	17	459	3.2%
Elk	7	1	8	7	1	8	0	0	0	14	2	16	0.1%
Erie	318	41	359	208	24	232	1	0	1	527	65	592	4.1%
Fayette	128	18	146	70	5	75	3	0	3	201	23	224	1.6%
Forest	5	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	5	0.0%
Franklin	86	10	96	99	7	106	0	0	0	185	17	202	1.4%
Fulton	9	1	10	9	0	9	0	0	0	18	1	19	0.1%
Greene	24	3	27	10	0	10	0	0	0	34	3	37	0.3%
Huntingdon	7	1	8	4	0	4	0	0	0	11	1	12	0.1%
Indiana	20	3	23	18	0	18	0	0	0	38	3	41	0.3%
Jefferson	50	11	61	11	0	11	0	0	0	61	11	72	0.5%
Juniata	8	5	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	5	13	0.1%
Lackawanna	193	20	213	89	12	101	11	0	11	293	32	325	2.3%
Lancaster	191	14	205	93	5	98	0	0	0	284	19	303	2.1%
Lawrence	51	7	58	35	3	38	0	0	0	86	10	96	0.7%
Lebanon	87	10	97	49	4	53	1	0	1	137	14	151	1.0%
Lehigh	241	15	256	183	19	202	12	0	12	436	34	470	3.3%
Luzerne	147	19	166	48	2	50	1	0	1	196	21	217	1.5%
Lycoming	117	23	140	100	9	109	1	0	1	218	32	250	1.7%
Mckean	12	1	13	14	1	15	0	0	0	26	2	28	0.2%
Mercer	47	9	56	59	11	70	0	0	0	106	20	126	0.9%
Mifflin	15	2	17	14	0	14	0	0	0	29	2	31	0.2%
Monroe	38	1	39	26	5	31	3	0	3	67	6	73	0.5%
Montgomery	209	21	230	163	8	171	7	0	7	379	29	408	2.8%
Montour	8	5	13	2	0	2	0	0	0	10	5	15	0.1%
Northampton	175	23	198	71	10	81	25	2	27	271	35	306	2.1%
Northumberland	73	13	86	59	5	64	1	0	1	133	18	151	1.0%
Perry	18	6	24	16	1	17	0	0	0	34	7	41	0.3%
Philadelphia	1,932	81	2,013	1,962	49	2,011	84	0	84	3,978	130	4,108	28.5%
Pike	11	3	14	4	0	4	0	0	0	15	3	18	0.1%
Potter	3	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	6	0	6	0.0%
Schuylkill	62	6	68	17	1	18	1	0	1	80	7	87	0.6%
Snyder	39	7	46	25	3	28	0	0	0	64	10	74	0.5%
Somerset	42	6	48	29	1	30	3	0	3	74	7	81	0.6%
Sullivan	3	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	4	0.0%
Susquehanna	8	1	9	6	0	6	0	0	0	14	1	15	0.1%
Tioga	22	0	22	8	0	8	0	0	0	30	0	30	0.2%
Union	28	3	31	11	0	11	0	0	0	39	3	42	0.3%
Venango	63	8	71	33	5	38	0	0	0	96	13	109	0.8%
Warren	29	2	31	15	3	18	0	0	0	44	5	49	0.3%
Washington	42	4	46	30	2	32	0	0	0	72	6	78	0.5%
Wayne	38	4	42	10	0	10	0	0	0	48	4	52	0.4%
Westmoreland	96	3	99	39	2	41	0	0	0	135	5	140	1.0%
Wyoming	23	2	25	3	2	5	0	0	0	26	4	30	0.2%
York	350	23	373	139	16	155	0	0	0	489	39	528	3.7%
Unknown/Others	2	1	3	2	0	2	3	0	3	7	1	8	0.1%
Total	7,752	683	8,435	5,472	336	5,808	186	3	189	13,410	1,022	14,432	100.0%

Note: Total may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 3: Ten Counties with the Highest Court Commitment Activity in 2004

Rank	County	Court Commitments	% of State Total
1	Philadelphia	2,013	23.9%
2	Allegheny	614	7.3%
3	Dauphin	427	5.1%
4	Berks	400	4.7%
5	York	373	4.4%
6	Erie	359	4.3%
7	Delaware	303	3.6%
8	Lehigh	256	3.0%
9	Montgomery	230	2.7%
9	Chester	222	2.6%
	Sub-Total	5,197	61.6%
	Remaining Counties	3,238	38.4%
	State Total	8,435	100.0%

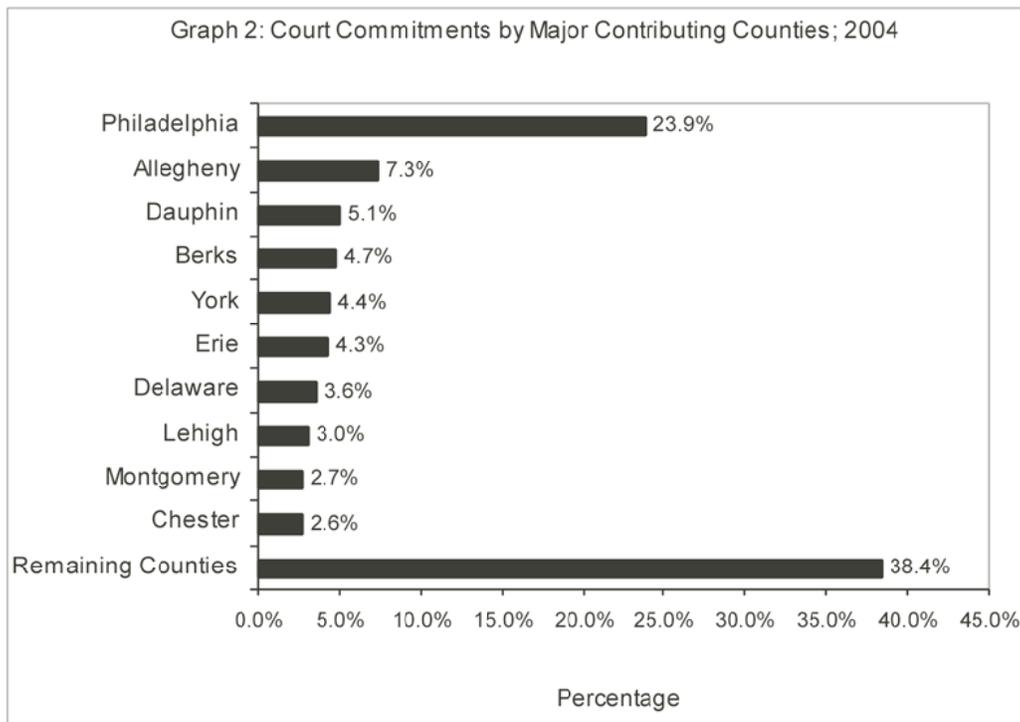


Table 4: Court Commitments by County for 2003 and 2004

County	Court Commitments		Growth Factor %
	2003	2004	
Adams	37	56	51.4
Allegheny	569	614	7.9
Armstrong	8	18	125.0
Beaver	83	54	-34.9
Bedford	18	14	-22.2
Berks	392	400	2.0
Blair	117	97	-17.1
Bradford	40	55	37.5
Bucks	170	183	7.6
Butler	124	93	-25.0
Cambria	46	35	-23.9
Cameron	3	4	33.3
Carbon	13	17	30.8
Centre	32	46	43.8
Chester	188	222	18.1
Clarion	14	24	71.4
Clearfield	98	116	18.4
Clinton	24	18	-25.0
Columbia	43	24	-44.2
Crawford	51	39	-23.5
Cumberland	51	62	21.6
Dauphin	430	427	-0.7
Delaware	255	303	18.8
Elk	6	8	33.3
Erie	338	359	6.2
Fayette	129	146	13.2
Forest	2	5	150.0
Franklin	103	96	-6.8
Fulton	15	10	-33.3
Greene	15	27	80.0
Huntingdon	18	8	-55.6
Indiana	42	23	-45.2
Jefferson	50	61	22.0
Juniata	8	13	62.5
Lackawanna	213	213	0.0
Lancaster	213	205	-3.8
Lawrence	56	58	3.6
Lebanon	117	97	-17.1
Lehigh	230	256	11.3
Luzerne	158	166	5.1
Lycoming	138	140	1.4
Mckean	22	13	-40.9
Mercer	102	56	-45.1
Mifflin	20	17	-15.0
Monroe	42	39	-7.1
Montgomery	211	230	9.0
Montour	8	13	62.5
Northampton	172	198	15.1
Northumberland	87	86	-1.1
Perry	23	24	4.3
Philadelphia	2,503	2,013	-19.6
Pike	13	14	7.7
Potter	11	3	-72.7
Schuylkill	55	68	23.6
Snyder	40	46	15.0
Somerset	39	48	23.1
Sullivan	5	3	0.0
Susquehanna	18	9	-50.0
Tioga	18	22	22.2
Union	32	31	-3.1
Venango	95	71	-25.3
Warren	29	31	6.9
Washington	49	46	-6.1
Wayne	52	42	-19.2
Westmoreland	107	99	-7.5
Wyoming	15	25	66.7
York	335	373	11.3
Unknown/Others	0	3	0.0
Total	8,760	8,435	-3.7

Table 5: Court Commitments Received from 1994 through 2004 by Age Group

Age	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Under 18	50	64	51	97	64	44	43	34	32	66	46
18-20	749	672	707	814	738	809	752	707	706	889	883
21-24	1,531	1,305	1,189	1,323	1,455	1,476	1,643	1,650	1,793	1,845	1,769
25-29	1,408	1,352	1,227	1,125	1,213	1,285	1,256	1,396	1,505	1,619	1,664
30-34	1,177	986	937	978	1,042	1,027	1,067	1,165	1,223	1,243	1,146
35-39	855	755	708	767	892	947	986	949	1,144	1,135	978
40-44	498	463	420	457	608	668	725	769	894	902	916
45-49	251	226	248	259	319	336	420	451	541	555	530
50-54	132	119	125	138	149	174	179	204	239	283	292
55-59	65	56	55	55	91	82	70	109	101	129	125
60-64	36	41	32	29	49	29	34	46	53	51	47
65 and Over	22	34	37	22	33	22	28	30	35	43	39
Total	6,774	6,073	5,736	6,064	6,653	6,899	7,203	7,510	8,266	8,760	8,435
Average	30.8	30.6	30.7	29.9	30.7	30.8	31.1	30.8	32.0	32.0	32.8
% Under 25	34.4	33.6	33.9	36.8	33.9	33.8	33.8	31.8	30.6	32.0	32.0
% 25 - 39 Years	50.8	50.9	50.1	47.3	47.3	47.2	45.9	46.7	46.8	45.6	44.9
% 40 and Over	14.8	15.5	16.0	15.8	18.8	19.0	20.2	21.4	22.5	22.4	23.1

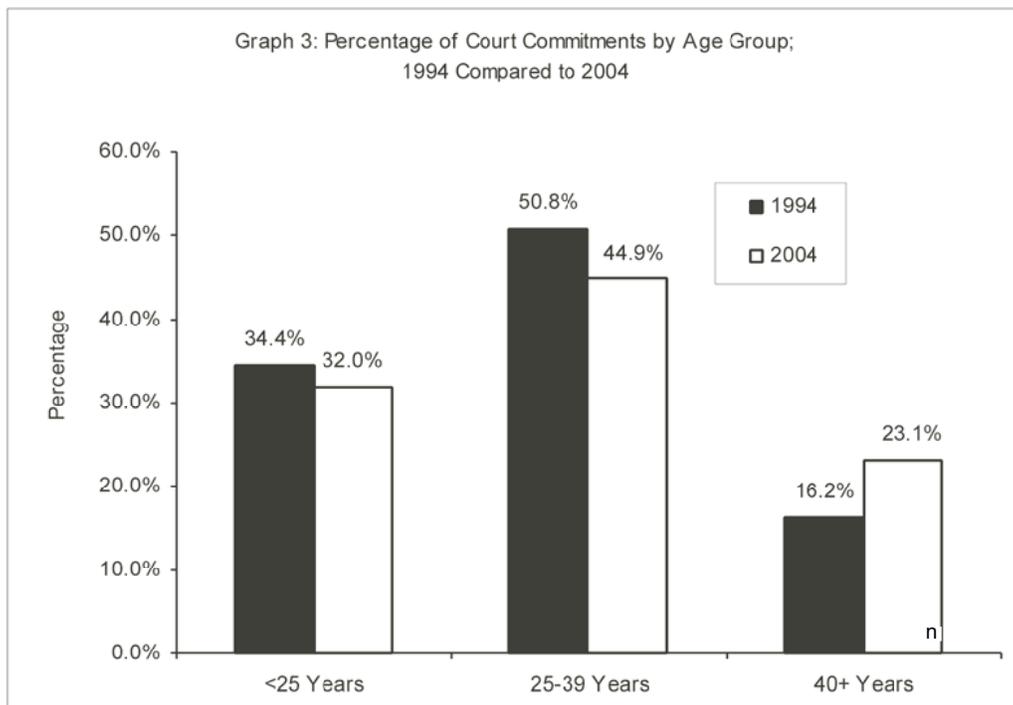


Table 6: Profile of Court Commitments Received by Age, Race, and Gender in 2003

Age	Race								Gender				Total
	White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Male		Female		
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	
Under 18	12	0.3%	46	1.2%	8	0.7%	0	0.0%	64	97.0%	2	3.0%	66
18-20	307	8.4%	420	10.9%	154	12.6%	8	14.3%	862	97.0%	27	3.0%	889
21-24	695	19.1%	875	22.7%	266	21.8%	9	16.1%	1,740	94.3%	105	5.7%	1,845
25-29	602	16.6%	756	19.6%	250	20.5%	11	19.6%	1,501	92.7%	118	7.3%	1,619
30-34	525	14.4%	542	14.1%	172	14.1%	4	7.1%	1,118	89.9%	125	10.1%	1,243
35-39	513	14.1%	449	11.7%	161	13.2%	12	21.4%	992	87.4%	143	12.6%	1,135
40-44	415	11.4%	363	9.4%	116	9.5%	8	14.3%	795	88.1%	107	11.9%	902
45-49	278	7.6%	223	5.8%	52	4.3%	2	3.6%	513	92.4%	42	7.6%	555
50-54	147	4.0%	116	3.0%	20	1.6%	0	0.0%	266	94.0%	17	6.0%	283
55-59	75	2.1%	41	1.1%	11	0.9%	2	3.6%	122	94.6%	7	5.4%	129
60-64	36	1.0%	8	0.2%	7	0.6%	0	0.0%	50	98.0%	1	2.0%	51
65 and Over	31	0.9%	9	0.2%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	40	93.0%	3	7.0%	43
Total	3,636	100.0%	3,848	100.0%	1,220	100.0%	56	100.0%	8,063	92.0%	697	8.0%	8,760
Average Age	33.6	-	31.0	-	30.6	-	31.9	-	31.9	-	34.1	-	32.0
% Under 25	27.8%	-	34.8%	-	35.1%	-	30.1%	-	33.1%	-	19.2%	-	32.0%
% 40 and Over	27.0%	-	19.7%	-	17.1%	-	21.4%	-	22.2%	-	25.4%	-	22.4%

Table 6: Profile of Court Commitments Received by Age, Race, and Gender in 2004

Age	Race								Gender				Total
	White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Male		Female		
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	
Under 18	7	0.1%	31	0.4%	8	0.1%	0	0.0%	45	0.5%	1	0.0%	46
18-20	291	3.4%	461	5.5%	125	1.5%	6	0.1%	840	10.0%	43	0.5%	883
21-24	709	8.4%	837	9.9%	214	2.5%	9	0.1%	1,691	20.0%	78	0.9%	1,769
25-29	645	7.6%	738	8.7%	272	3.2%	9	0.1%	1,544	18.3%	120	1.4%	1,664
30-34	509	6.0%	463	5.5%	167	2.0%	7	0.1%	1,029	12.2%	117	1.4%	1,146
35-39	467	5.5%	391	4.6%	116	1.4%	4	0.0%	876	10.4%	102	1.2%	978
40-44	447	5.3%	379	4.5%	83	1.0%	7	0.1%	809	9.6%	107	1.3%	916
45-49	271	3.2%	201	2.4%	57	0.7%	1	0.0%	462	5.5%	68	0.8%	530
50-54	152	1.8%	108	1.3%	28	0.3%	4	0.0%	266	3.2%	26	0.3%	292
55-59	62	0.7%	51	0.6%	10	0.1%	2	0.0%	111	1.3%	14	0.2%	125
60-64	30	0.4%	12	0.1%	5	0.1%	0	0.0%	42	0.5%	5	0.1%	47
65 and Over	25	0.3%	11	0.1%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	37	0.4%	2	0.0%	39
Total	3,615	42.9%	3,683	43.7%	1,088	12.9%	49	0.6%	7,752	91.9%	683	8.1%	8,435
Average Age	34.0	-	31.0	-	30.0	-	30.0	-	31.3	-	34.5	-	32.8
% Under 25	27.9%	-	36.1%	-	31.9%	-	30.6%	-	33.2%	-	32.0%	-	32.0%
% 40 and Over	27.3%	-	20.7%	-	17.1%	-	28.6%	-	22.3%	-	23.1%	-	23.1%

Table 8: Comparison of Court Commitments by Offense for 2003 and 2004

Part I Offenses	2003		2004		Change 2003-2004	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Murder						
First Degree	75	0.9%	94	1.1%	19	25.3%
Second Degree	17	0.2%	25	0.3%	8	47.1%
Third Degree	181	2.1%	212	2.5%	31	17.1%
Unspecified	36	0.4%	55	0.7%	19	52.8%
Manslaughter						
Voluntary	21	0.2%	17	0.2%	-4	-19.0%
Involuntary	12	0.1%	26	0.3%	14	116.7%
Aggravated Assault	575	6.6%	570	6.8%	-5	-0.9%
Arson	45	0.5%	41	0.5%	-4	-8.9%
Burglary	558	6.4%	483	5.7%	-75	-13.4%
Forcible Rape	313	3.6%	266	3.2%	-47	-15.0%
Homicide by Vehicle	61	0.7%	53	0.6%	-8	-13.1%
Robbery	808	9.2%	727	8.6%	-81	-10.0%
Theft/Larceny	383	4.4%	414	4.9%	31	8.1%
Total Part I Offenses	3,085	35.2%	2,983	35.4%	-102	-3.3%

Part II Offenses	2003		2004		Change 2003-2004	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Drunken Driving	323	3.7%	187	2.2%	-136	-42.1%
Forgery	109	1.2%	115	1.4%	6	5.5%
Fraud	124	1.4%	93	1.1%	-31	-25.0%
Kidnapping	18	0.2%	13	0.2%	-5	-27.8%
Narcotic Drug Laws	2,912	33.2%	2,609	30.9%	-303	-10.4%
Other Assaults	270	3.1%	152	1.8%	-118	-43.7%
Other Sex Offenses	143	1.6%	70	0.8%	-73	-51.0%
Prison Breach	121	1.4%	132	1.6%	11	9.1%
Receiving Stolen Property	199	2.3%	178	2.1%	-21	-10.6%
Statutory Rape	99	1.1%	93	1.1%	-6	-6.1%
Weapons	114	1.3%	143	1.7%	29	25.4%
Other Part II Offenses	1,219	13.9%	1,659	19.7%	440	36.1%
Total Part II Offenses	5,651	64.5%	5,444	64.5%	-207	-3.7%
Unknown	24	0.3%	8	0.1%	-16	-66.7%
Total Offenses	8,760	100.0%	8,435	100.0%	-325	-3.7%

Table 9: Court Commitments by Minimum Sentence and Offender Gender in 2004

Minimum Sentence	Male		Female		Total	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
1 Year And Under	1,825	23.5%	258	37.8%	2,083	24.7%
Over 1 To 2 Years	2,544	32.8%	224	32.8%	2,768	32.8%
Over 2 To 3 Years	1,333	17.2%	110	16.1%	1,443	17.1%
Over 3 To 5 Years	1,039	13.4%	56	8.2%	1,095	13.0%
Over 5 To 10 Years	578	7.5%	18	2.6%	596	7.1%
Over 10 To 20 Years	222	2.9%	4	0.6%	226	2.7%
Over 20 Years	72	0.9%	3	0.4%	75	0.9%
Life	127	1.6%	5	0.7%	132	1.6%
Death Sentence	5	0.1%	0	0.0%	5	0.1%
Not Reported As Of Year End	7	0.1%	5	0.7%	12	0.1%
Total	7,752	100.0%	683	100.0%	8,435	100.0%

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

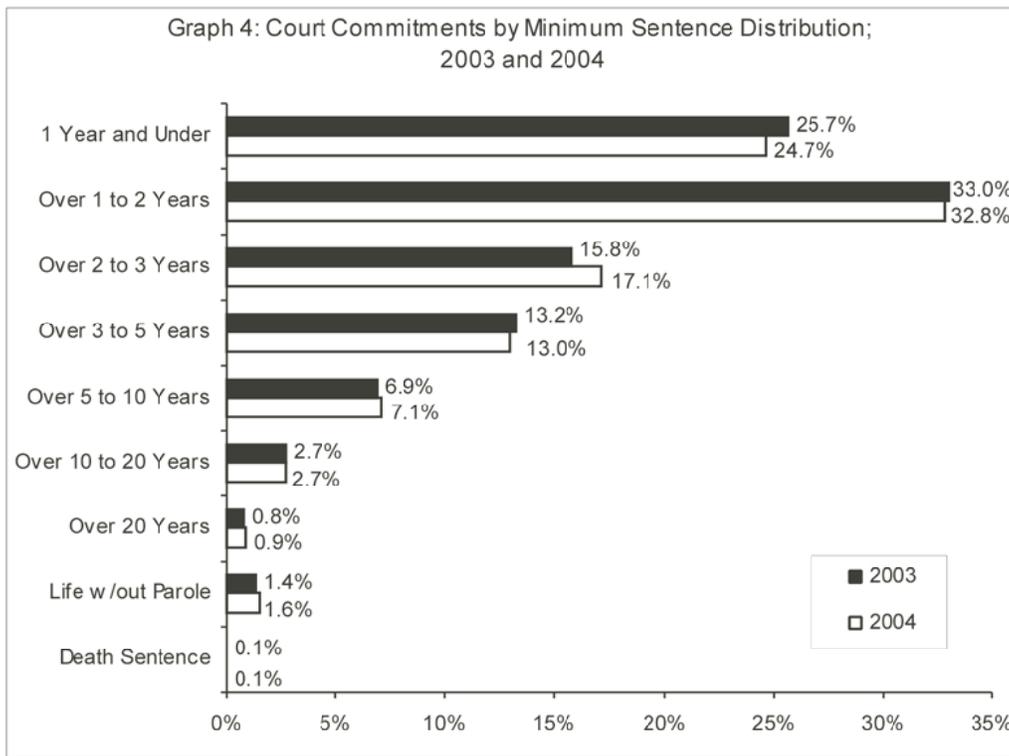


Table 10: Court Commitments by Maximum Sentence and Offender Gender in 2004

Maximum Sentence	Male		Female		Total	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Under 2 Years	15	0.2%	8	1.2%	23	0.3%
2 Years Only	1,295	16.7%	160	23.4%	1,455	17.2%
Over 2 to 5 Years	3,277	42.3%	305	44.7%	3,582	42.5%
Over 5 to 10 Years	1,993	25.7%	164	24.0%	2,157	25.6%
Over 10 to 20 Years	684	8.8%	28	4.1%	712	8.4%
Over 20 to 30 Years	169	2.2%	2	0.3%	171	2.0%
Over 30 to 40 Years	101	1.3%	4	0.6%	105	1.2%
Over 40 to 50 Years	31	0.4%	1	0.1%	32	0.4%
Over 50 Years	49	0.6%	2	0.3%	51	0.6%
Life	127	1.6%	5	0.7%	132	1.6%
Death Sentence	5	0.1%	0	0.0%	5	0.1%
Not Reported as of Year End	6	0.1%	4	0.6%	10	0.1%
Total	7,752	100.0%	683	100.0%	8,435	100.0%

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

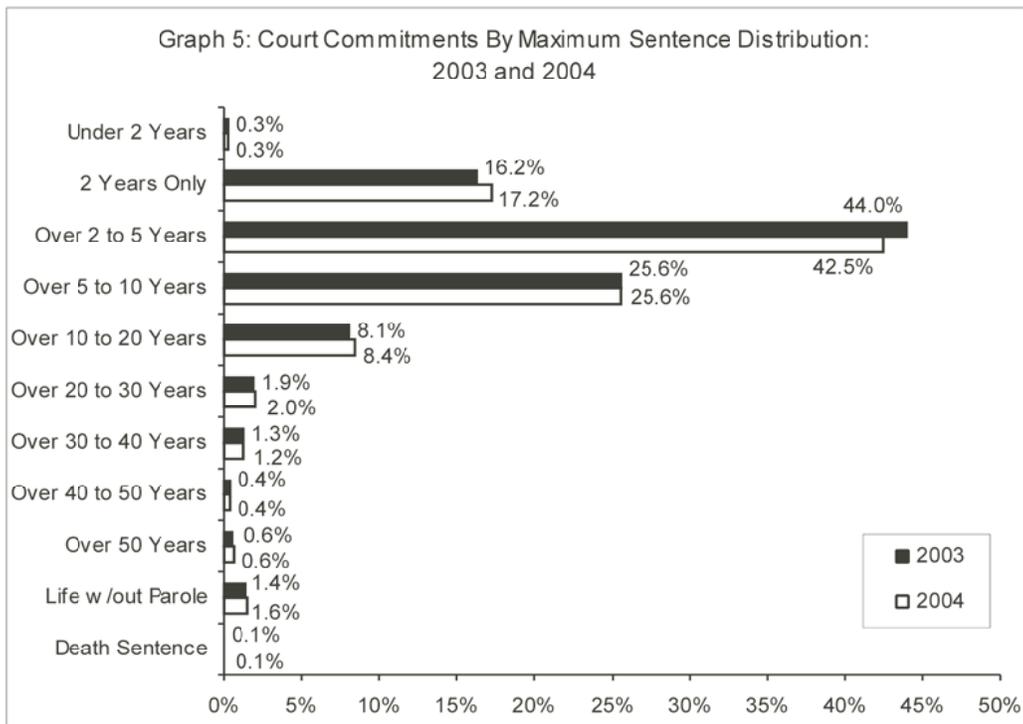


Table 11: Profile of Offenders Serving a Life Sentence Received from 1994 through 2004

Committing County	Calendar Year										
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Philadelphia	93	67	61	67	50	67	47	51	42	46	58
Allegheny	23	19	22	16	24	13	15	19	14	14	17
Other Counties	73	66	60	70	120	63	54	54	56	61	57
Total	189	152	143	153	194	143	116	124	112	121	132
Age	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Under 20	33	28	32	20	10	27	11	6	7	15	7
20 To 24	60	50	50	51	58	40	46	44	36	39	47
25 To 29	33	34	24	26	26	26	22	27	30	23	32
30 To 34	27	13	11	26	20	11	9	13	12	12	14
35 To 39	14	13	15	14	25	22	6	13	7	15	11
40 To 44	12	5	7	5	12	8	10	10	6	6	9
45 and Over	10	9	4	11	43	9	12	11	14	11	12
Average	27.90	27.40	26.50	28.10	33.40	28.50	28.50	29.80	30.00	29.58	29.08
Race	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
White	54	36	26	50	99	39	36	35	34	29	37
Non-White	135	116	117	103	95	104	80	89	78	92	95
Gender	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Male	180	140	139	149	185	141	107	122	110	116	127
Female	9	12	4	4	9	2	9	2	2	5	5
Total	189	152	143	153	194	143	116	124	112	121	132



Section II

Population



Population

The overall incarceration rate in Pennsylvania remained stable at 330 per 100,000 state residents in both 2003 and 2004.

Philadelphia County had the highest state incarceration rate of 1003.8, and Bedford County had the lowest at 104.0 per 100,000 state residents.

The total inmate population remained relatively unchanged between 2003 and 2004 (40,850 on December 31, 2003 and 41,000 on December 31, 2004).

From 1994 to 2004, the number of sentenced offenders increased by 42.5% and the number of parole violators increased by 56.6%.

At the end of 2004, the population was comprised of 82.7% sentenced offenders and 17.2% parole violators.

A demographic breakdown of the Department's inmates indicates that offender age, race, and gender have remained relatively constant over the 2003 to 2004 period:

The average age of a DOC offender in 2004 was 36, and half of the offenders were within the ages of 25 - 39 years.

Between 2003 and 2004, the number of offenders age 50 and older increased by 8.1%.

In 2004, the majority of DOC offenders were African Americans (51.8%), followed by Caucasians (36.0%), Hispanics (11.4%), and other races (0.7%).

Of the 41,000 offenders in the DOC population as of calendar year-end 2004, 95.5% were males and 4.5% were females.

In 2004, the average minimum sentence length for Part One Offenders was 9.3 years and the average maximum sentence length was 20.1 years. For Part Two Offenders, the average minimum sentence length was 3.7 years and the average maximum sentence length was 8.4 years.

The number of inmates serving a minimum sentence of more than 20 years (excluding inmates serving life sentences and capital cases) increased by 8.6% from 1,160 in 2003 to 1,260 in 2004.

The following are characteristics of offenders serving life sentences in the Department:

The number of offenders serving a life sentence increased by 2.7%, from 3,984 in 2003 to 4,091 in 2004.

The average age of inmates serving life sentences in 2004 was 41.9 years.

The average age of inmates serving life sentences remains higher than the average for the total population (41.9 years versus 36.0 years respectively).

Table 12: Rank Order of Ten Counties with Highest State Incarceration Rate for 2003 and 2004*

Ranking	County	Incarceration Rate for 2003	Incarceration Rate for 2004	Percent Change
1	Philadelphia	1039.6	1003.8	-3.4%
2	Dauphin	698.5	716.4	2.6%
3	Venango	480.6	504.0	4.9%
4	Erie	486.8	500.6	2.8%
5	Lycoming	390.9	427.0	9.2%
6	Snyder	347.2	359.5	3.5%
7	Berks	353.0	356.1	0.9%
8	Clearfield	317.3	348.7	9.9%
9	Fayette	316.2	338.5	7.0%
10	Lehigh	330.4	334.8	1.3%

* Ranking by 2004 incarceration rate per 100,000 residents. Note: incarceration rate calculations are based on the number of offenders incarcerated in the state prison system for each committing county. This rate does not include county or federal inmates.

* Data based on estimated population and Census data provided by the Pennsylvania State Data Center.

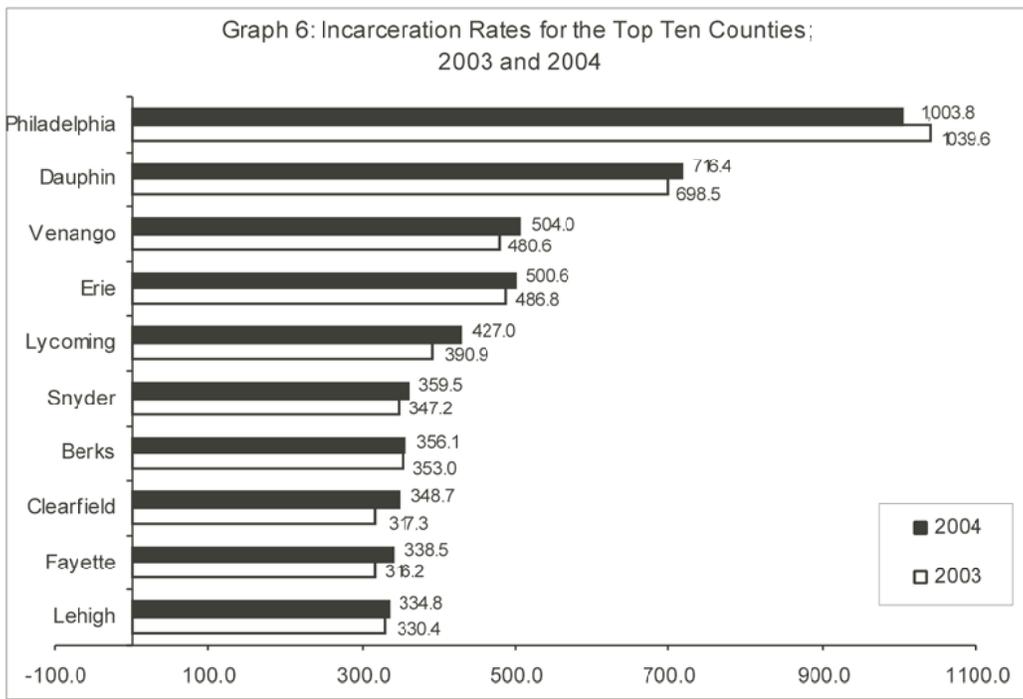


Table 13: Inmate Population by County and Gender on December 31; Calendar Years 2003 and 2004

County	December 31, 2003				December 31, 2004			
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total
Adams	165	12	177	0.4%	173	11	184	0.4%
Allegheny	3,491	111	3,602	8.8%	3,448	117	3,565	8.7%
Armstrong	67	5	72	0.2%	78	3	81	0.2%
Beaver	276	11	287	0.7%	290	10	300	0.7%
Bedford	48	4	52	0.1%	49	3	52	0.1%
Berks	1,265	95	1,360	3.3%	1,291	103	1,394	3.4%
Blair	243	38	281	0.7%	259	43	302	0.7%
Bradford	150	4	154	0.4%	169	9	178	0.4%
Bucks	633	21	654	1.6%	703	30	733	1.8%
Butler	252	17	269	0.7%	272	15	287	0.7%
Cambria	198	7	205	0.5%	181	11	192	0.5%
Cameron	9	0	9	0.0%	7	0	7	0.0%
Carbon	79	2	81	0.2%	82	3	85	0.2%
Centre	190	8	198	0.5%	196	11	207	0.5%
Chester	786	30	816	2.0%	825	36	861	2.1%
Clarion	59	2	61	0.2%	68	3	71	0.2%
Clearfield	240	23	263	0.6%	264	25	289	0.7%
Clinton	57	3	60	0.2%	63	4	67	0.2%
Columbia	106	4	110	0.3%	92	7	99	0.2%
Crawford	206	16	222	0.5%	201	18	219	0.5%
Cumberland	259	15	274	0.7%	272	11	283	0.7%
Dauphin	1,653	117	1,770	4.3%	1,696	117	1,813	4.4%
Delaware	1,277	46	1,323	3.2%	1,341	44	1,385	3.4%
Elk	40	1	41	0.1%	40	2	42	0.1%
Erie	1,290	73	1,363	3.3%	1,332	74	1,406	3.4%
Fayette	435	27	462	1.1%	466	31	497	1.2%
Forest	24	0	24	0.1%	19	0	19	0.0%
Franklin	373	23	396	1.0%	386	22	408	1.0%
Fulton	52	5	57	0.1%	42	4	46	0.1%
Greene	79	4	83	0.2%	76	4	80	0.2%
Huntingdon	71	4	75	0.2%	53	5	58	0.1%
Indiana	133	6	139	0.3%	122	5	127	0.3%
Jefferson	90	3	93	0.2%	113	13	126	0.3%
Juniata	34	1	35	0.1%	37	5	42	0.1%
Lackawanna	525	31	556	1.4%	559	36	595	1.5%
Lancaster	903	43	946	2.3%	943	49	992	2.4%
Lawrence	205	10	215	0.5%	208	14	222	0.5%
Lebanon	347	20	367	0.9%	365	21	386	0.9%
Lehigh	1,003	56	1,059	2.6%	1,035	55	1,090	2.7%
Luzerne	510	44	554	1.4%	540	42	582	1.4%
Lycoming	423	40	463	1.1%	457	49	506	1.2%
Mckean	82	3	85	0.2%	77	3	80	0.2%
Mercer	326	25	351	0.9%	287	23	310	0.8%
Mifflin	80	7	87	0.2%	75	7	82	0.2%
Monroe	206	12	218	0.5%	196	13	209	0.5%
Montgomery	1,129	57	1,186	2.9%	1,131	49	1,180	2.9%
Montour	28	2	30	0.1%	27	5	32	0.1%
Northampton	518	31	549	1.3%	545	42	587	1.4%
Northumberland	265	25	290	0.7%	277	24	301	0.7%
Perry	89	6	95	0.2%	94	13	107	0.3%
Philadelphia	14,914	465	15,379	37.7%	14,374	394	14,768	36.0%
Pike	61	3	64	0.2%	54	5	59	0.1%
Potter	34	1	35	0.1%	30	0	30	0.1%
Schuylkill	152	11	163	0.4%	173	13	186	0.5%
Snyder	121	11	132	0.3%	125	12	137	0.3%
Somerset	128	6	134	0.3%	131	9	140	0.3%
Sullivan	12	1	13	0.0%	12	0	12	0.0%
Susquehanna	73	6	79	0.2%	66	4	70	0.2%
Tioga	82	7	89	0.2%	84	1	85	0.2%
Union	82	6	88	0.2%	88	4	92	0.2%
Venango	254	18	272	0.7%	264	19	283	0.7%
Warren	74	11	85	0.2%	79	10	89	0.2%
Washington	227	16	243	0.6%	234	11	245	0.6%
Wayne	142	3	145	0.4%	137	6	143	0.3%
Westmoreland	395	29	424	1.0%	402	24	426	1.0%
Wyoming	62	4	66	0.2%	70	6	76	0.2%
York	1,198	58	1,256	3.1%	1,269	58	1,327	3.2%
Unknown/ Other	59	6	64	0.2%	60	6	66	0.2%
Total	39,038	1,812	40,850	100.0%	39,175	1,826	41,000	100.0%

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 14: Rank-Ordered Comparison of Civilian Population and State Incarceration Rates for 2003 and 2004

County	2003			2004		
	Civilian Population*	Rate per 100,000	Rank	Civilian Population*	Rate per 100,000	Rank
Philadelphia	1,479,339	1039.6	1	1,471,255	1003.8	1
Dauphin	253,388	698.5	2	253,060	716.4	2
Venango	56,600	480.6	5	56,149	504.0	3
Erie	279,966	486.8	3	280,844	500.6	4
Lycoming	118,438	390.9	7	118,505	427.0	5
Snyder	38,015	347.2	9	38,113	359.5	6
Berks	385,307	353.0	8	391,447	356.1	7
Clearfield	82,874	317.3	12	82,883	348.7	8
Fayette	146,121	316.2	13	146,842	338.5	9
Lehigh	320,517	330.4	10	325,570	334.8	10
York	394,915	318.0	11	401,063	330.9	11
Forest	4,989	481.1	4	5,773	329.1	12
Northumberland	93,323	310.7	14	92,821	324.3	13
Fulton	14,534	392.2	6	14,569	315.7	14
Lebanon	122,652	299.2	15	124,087	311.1	15
Franklin	133,155	297.4	16	134,743	302.8	16
Wayne	49,092	295.4	17	49,640	288.1	17
Allegheny	1,261,303	285.6	19	1,247,512	285.8	18
Bradford	62,643	245.8	22	62,496	284.8	19
Lackawanna	210,458	264.2	20	209,950	283.4	20
Jefferson	45,945	202.4	31	45,835	274.9	21
Wyoming	28,153	234.4	24	28,176	269.7	22
Mercer	119,895	292.8	18	119,715	258.9	23
Delaware	554,432	238.6	23	554,426	249.8	24
Crawford	89,846	247.1	21	89,725	244.1	25
Perry	44,188	215.0	27	44,549	240.2	26
Lawrence	93,408	230.2	25	93,148	238.3	27
Blair	127,175	221.0	26	127,202	237.4	28
Union	42,552	206.8	29	42,881	214.5	29
Warren	42,820	198.5	33	42,470	209.6	30
Northampton	278,169	197.4	34	283,333	207.2	31
Lancaster	482,775	196.0	35	486,361	204.0	32
Tioga	41,557	214.2	28	41,701	203.8	33
Greene	40,398	205.5	30	40,001	200.0	34
Adams	96,456	183.5	40	98,265	187.2	35
Sullivan	6,427	202.3	32	6,435	186.5	36
Luzerne	313,528	176.7	42	313,088	185.9	37
Chester	457,393	178.4	41	466,043	184.7	38
Juniata	23,065	151.7	52	23,314	180.1	39
Clinton	37,435	160.3	48	37,311	179.6	40
McKean	45,236	187.9	38	44,740	178.8	41
Montour	18,083	165.9	45	17,995	177.8	42
Mifflin	46,335	187.8	39	46,191	177.5	43
Somerset	79,365	168.8	44	79,322	176.5	44
Clarion	41,208	148.0	54	40,466	175.5	45
Beaver	178,697	160.6	47	178,120	168.4	46
Potter	18,141	192.9	36	17,950	167.1	47
Susquehanna	41,812	188.9	37	42,023	166.6	48
Butler	180,040	149.4	53	180,664	158.9	49
Montgomery	770,747	153.9	51	773,375	152.6	50
Columbia	64,605	170.3	43	64,939	152.5	51
Centre	141,636	139.8	56	139,948	147.9	52
Indiana	89,054	156.1	49	88,929	142.8	53
Carbon	60,131	134.7	58	61,032	139.3	54
Monroe	154,495	141.1	55	158,816	131.6	55
Cambria	149,453	137.2	57	148,646	129.2	56
Cumberland	219,892	124.6	59	221,135	128.0	57
Huntingdon	45,865	163.5	46	45,920	126.3	58
Schuylkill	147,944	110.2	64	147,410	126.2	59
Elk	34,310	119.5	61	33,963	123.7	60
Cameron	5,777	155.8	50	5,678	123.3	61
Washington	204,286	119.0	62	205,319	119.3	62
Bucks	613,110	106.7	65	617,214	118.8	63
Westmoreland	368,224	115.1	63	367,937	115.8	64
Armstrong	71,659	100.5	67	71,373	113.5	65
Pike	52,163	122.7	60	54,041	109.2	66
Bedford	49,941	104.1	66	50,024	104.0	67
Total	12,365,455	329.8	0	12,394,471	330.3	0

* Data based on estimated population provided by the Pennsylvania State Data Center.

Table 15: Inmate Population Versus State Institutional Capacity From 1996 through 2004

Year	Number of Inmates	Multiple Occupancy Capacity	Percent of Capacity
1996	34,537	27,132	131.3%
1997	34,964	28,702	121.8%
1998	36,377	30,992	117.4%
1999	36,457	32,384	112.4%
2000	36,802	33,180	110.9%
2001	38,067	33,757	112.2%
2002	40,172	34,583	115.7%
2003	40,850	34,240	118.9%
2004	41,000	37,570	108.8%

Notes: The 2001-2004 percent of capacity does not include the Forensic Psychiatric Unit population at SCI Waymart. As of May 31, 2004, the Department began reporting "Operational Bed Capacity", which represents the optimal number of inmates that each facility can house based on a number of factors. In addition to cell size and security level, "Operational Bed Capacity" takes into consideration availability of inmate employment or programming, support services, and facility infrastructure. Prior capacity ratings were based solely on the physical characteristics of the cells (i.e., cell size and security level). This is not a change in how the Department operates. It is rather a change in how the Department assesses capacity with respect to quality of life and safety for both staff and inmates.

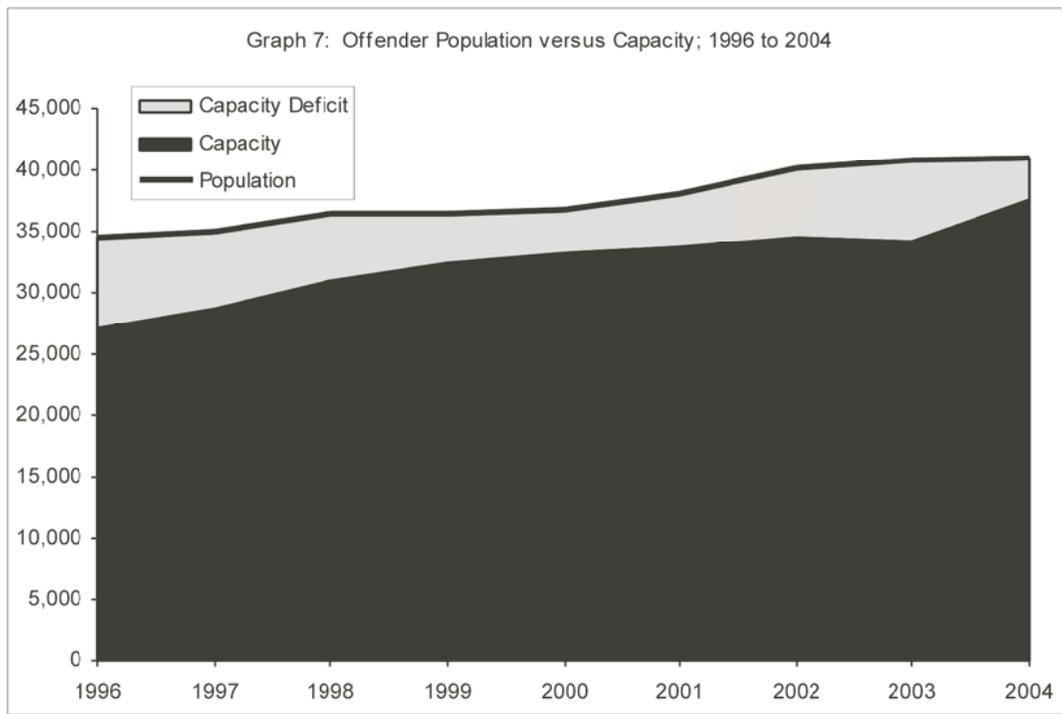
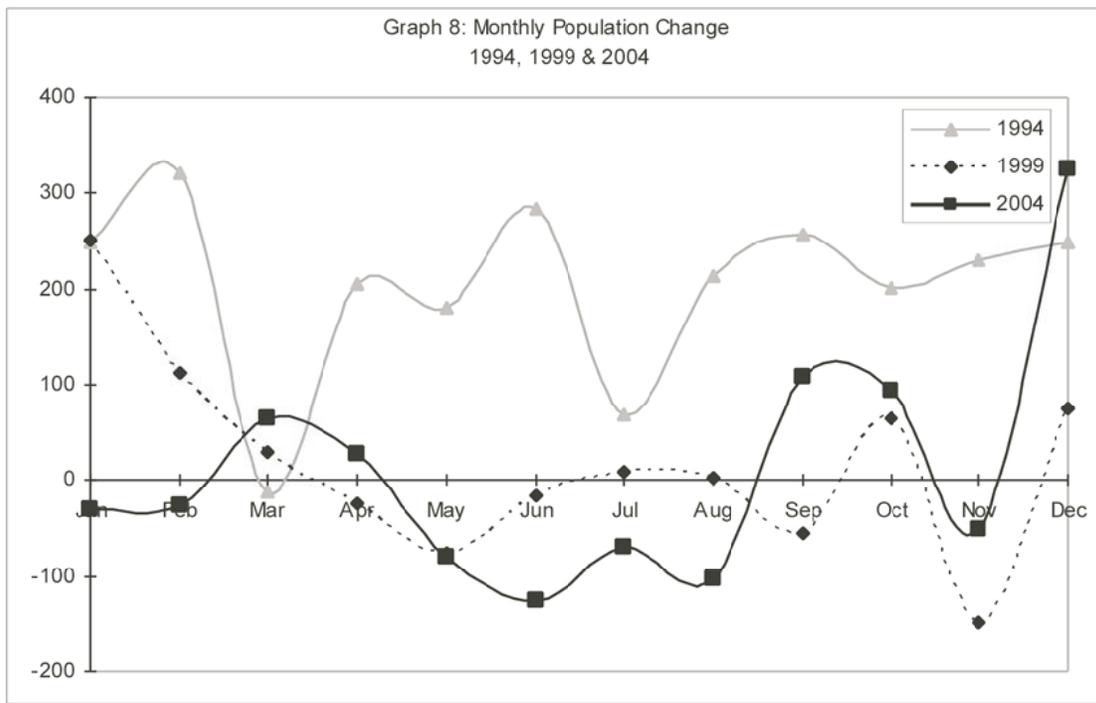


Table 16: Month-End Population 1994 through December 2004

Month	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
January	26,103	28,554	32,551	34,739	35,075	36,485	36,426	36,799	38,195	40,394	40,836
February	26,425	28,850	32,939	34,807	35,275	36,598	36,471	36,760	38,397	40,556	40,809
March	26,413	29,024	33,189	34,744	35,316	36,627	36,613	36,961	38,660	40,606	40,873
April	26,618	29,192	33,517	34,711	35,537	36,603	36,452	36,829	38,734	40,662	40,901
May	26,798	29,386	33,836	34,770	35,561	36,527	36,462	37,020	39,074	40,744	40,822
June	27,082	29,844	33,939	34,703	35,644	36,511	36,563	37,081	39,136	40,437	40,697
July	27,152	30,341	34,121	34,688	35,821	36,520	36,611	37,166	39,283	40,639	40,627
August	27,365	30,789	34,300	34,771	35,863	36,523	36,686	37,299	39,268	40,783	40,524
September	27,622	31,235	34,408	34,696	36,065	36,467	36,783	37,407	39,295	40,818	40,633
October	27,823	31,935	34,649	34,715	36,198	36,531	36,703	37,500	39,571	40,859	40,726
November	28,053	32,203	34,560	34,857	36,260	36,382	36,714	37,754	39,776	40,777	40,674
December	28,302	32,410	34,537	34,964	36,377	36,457	36,802	38,067	40,172	40,850	41,000



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Table 17: Inmate Population by Facility, Race, Gender, and Age on December 31, 2003

Facility	Race				Gender		Age			Total
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other	Male	Female	Under 25	25 - 39	40 and Over	
Albion	896	1,173	225	22	2,316	0	396	1,234	686	2316
Cambridge Springs	448	324	89	14	0	875	104	462	309	875
Camp Hill	1,388	1,462	442	18	3,310	0	900	1,535	875	3,309
Chester	243	731	184	8	1,166	0	186	661	319	1,166
Coal Township	686	1,008	215	11	1,920	0	420	992	508	1,920
Cresson	680	540	144	9	1,373	0	199	679	495	1,373
Dallas	725	1,200	217	6	2,148	0	170	933	1,045	2,148
Fayette	110	265	37	0	412	0	61	210	141	412
Frackville	365	628	101	10	1,104	0	197	560	347	1,104
Graterford	679	2,249	362	21	3,311	0	355	1,534	1,422	3,311
Greene	563	1,120	198	9	1,890	0	315	1,040	535	1,890
Greensburg	326	491	113	7	937	0	119	526	292	937
Houtzdale	855	1,180	267	10	2,312	0	332	1,094	886	2,312
Huntingdon	559	1,324	221	15	2,119	0	295	1,081	743	2,119
Laurel Highlands	470	307	94	9	880	0	47	278	555	880
Mahanoy	744	1,311	255	20	2,330	0	417	1,248	665	2,330
Mercer	579	384	97	9	1,069	0	61	407	601	1,069
Muncy	431	355	72	20	0	878	111	464	303	878
Pine Grove	150	378	95	2	625	0	367	178	80	625
Pittsburgh	322	720	81	6	1,129	0	90	506	533	1,129
Quehanna Bootcamp	110	146	50	3	301	8	150	159	0	309
Retreat	325	463	96	10	894	0	154	485	255	894
Rockview	708	1,064	256	12	2,040	0	258	1,055	727	2,040
Smithfield	358	703	154	7	1,222	0	213	704	305	1,222
Somerset	806	1,228	256	18	2,308	0	525	1,200	583	2,308
Waymart	724	348	152	13	1,237	0	40	426	771	1,237
Waynesburg	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
C C Cs	112	135	28	0	259	16	26	158	91	275
Group Homes	133	230	83	0	411	35	38	261	147	446
Federal	5	9	0	0	14	0	0	5	9	14
Total	14,500	21,477	4,584	289	39,038	1,812	6,546	20,076	14,228	40,850
% of Total	35.5%	52.6%	11.2%	0.7%	95.6%	4.4%	16.0%	49.1%	34.8%	100.0%

* Community Corrections Centers

Table 18: Inmate Population by Facility, Race, Gender, and Age on December 31, 2004

Facility	Race				Gender		Age			Total
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other	Male	Female	Under 25	25 - 39	40 and Over	
Albion	945	1,014	225	19	2,203	0	345	1,168	690	2203
Cambridge Springs	423	281	84	14	0	802	83	407	312	802
Camp Hill	1,441	1,570	490	17	3,518	0	899	1,638	981	3518
Chester	239	756	163	9	1,167	0	186	690	301	1,167
Coal Township	670	933	226	8	1,837	0	421	933	483	1837
Cresson	706	525	130	8	1,369	0	190	663	526	1,369
Dallas	669	1,146	227	6	2,048	0	148	885	1,015	2048
Fayette	550	1,166	201	8	1,925	0	232	981	712	1,925
Forest	115	201	40	3	359	0	74	160	125	359
Frackville	383	612	93	13	1,101	0	178	575	348	1,101
Graterford	655	2,157	347	26	3,185	0	310	1,448	1,427	3185
Greene	573	1,064	184	12	1,838	0	254	1,008	576	1,838
Greensburg	330	469	98	7	904	0	106	514	284	904
Houtzdale	784	1,175	253	8	2,220	0	408	957	855	2,220
Huntingdon	542	1,296	219	13	2,070	0	220	1,079	771	2070
Laurel Highlands	491	317	75	8	891	0	33	271	587	891
Mahanoy	695	1,250	253	22	2,220	0	345	1,231	644	2220
Mercer	562	388	94	8	1,052	0	71	388	593	1,052
Muncy	503	392	75	16	0	986	131	485	370	986
Pine Grove	151	373	91	3	618	0	387	155	76	618
Pittsburgh	45	68	12	0	125	0	8	54	63	125
Quehanna Bootcamp	69	115	51	2	234	3	118	119	0	237
Retreat	343	425	115	7	890	0	135	469	286	890
Rockview	724	986	243	14	1,967	0	228	989	750	1,967
Smithfield	391	662	160	8	1,221	0	172	719	330	1221
Somerset	814	1,173	261	19	2,267	0	447	1,202	618	2,267
Waymart	742	347	136	11	1,236	0	54	404	778	1236
C C Cs	140	177	51	1	358	11	45	219	105	369
Group Homes	75	204	81	2	338	24	39	191	132	362
Federal	5	8	0	0	13	0	0	4	9	13
Total	14,780	21,250	4,678	292	39,174	1,826	6,257	19,996	14,747	41,000
% of Total	36.0%	51.8%	11.4%	0.7%	95.5%	4.5%	15.3%	48.8%	36.0%	100.0%

* Community Corrections Centers

Table 19: Uniform Crime Report Offense Groupings by Inmate Race and Gender as of December 31, 2004

	Race						Gender		Total	
	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Indian	Other	Male	Female	Number	Percent
Part I Offenses										
Murder										
1st Degree	859	1694	222	19	10	5	2,697	112	2,809	6.9%
2nd Degree	233	684	75	8	2		967	35	1,002	2.4%
3rd Degree	551	1331	248	24	5	3	2,029	133	2,162	5.3%
Unspecified	148	169	45	2	1	0	358	7	365	0.9%
Voluntary Manslaughter	46	121	29	1	0	0	176	21	197	0.5%
Involuntary Manslaughter	27	20	5	0	0	0	46	6	52	0.1%
Homicide by Motor Vehicle	135	32	12	2	0	0	165	16	181	0.4%
Forcible Rape	1976	1253	204	10	10	3	3,415	41	3,456	8.4%
Robbery	1042	2968	389	39	2	3	4,334	109	4,443	10.8%
Aggravated Assault	905	1685	347	22	6	4	2,825	144	2,969	7.2%
Burglary	963	635	124	5	3	0	1,686	44	1,730	4.2%
Theft (Including Motor Vehicle)	434	321	24	4	1	1	680	105	785	1.9%
Arson	142	64	12	2	1	1	210	12	222	0.5%
Total Part I Offenses	7,461	10,977	1,736	138	41	20	19,588	785	20,373	49.7%
Part II Offenses										
Other Assaults	217	137	30	2	1		380	7	387	0.9%
Fraud	127	55	9	0	0	1	160	32	192	0.5%
Receiving Stolen Property	195	186	35	0	0	0	402	14	416	1.0%
Forgery	145	56	5	3	1	2	162	50	212	0.5%
Statutory Rape	233	92	30	1	1	0	349	8	357	0.9%
Other Sex Offenses	246	65	24	1	1	0	334	3	337	0.8%
Narcotic Drug Laws	1,038	3,621	1,477	12	5	10	5,832	331	6,163	15.0%
Weapons	62	206	27	2	0	0	289	8	297	0.7%
Drunken Driving	293	28	6	0	0	0	319	8	327	0.8%
Prison Breach	133	100	23	0	1	0	235	22	257	0.6%
Kidnapping	62	86	15		1		156	8	164	0.4%
Other Part II Offenses	2,331	1,598	472	12	5	6	4,159	265	4,424	10.8%
Total Part II Offenses	5,082	6,230	2,153	33	16	19	12,777	756	13,533	33.0%
Parole Violators	2,198	4,029	785	12	7	5	6,758	278	7,036	17.2%
Unknown	39	14	4	0	0	1	51	7	58	0.1%
Total DOC	14,780	21,250	4,678	183	64	45	39,174	1,826	41,000	100.0%

Note: Totals based on percentages may be off due to rounding.

Table 20: Status of Inmates on December 31, Calendar Years 1994 through 2004

Status	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Sentenced	23,799	26,643	28,219	29,038	30,191	30,563	30,683	31,232	32,865	33,613	33,906
Parole Violators	4,493	5,762	6,316	5,925	6,186	5,893	6,118	6,834	7,287	7,235	7,036
Detentioners	8	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	48
Unknown	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	17	2	10
Total	28,302	32,410	34,537	34,964	36,377	36,457	36,802	38,067	40,172	40,850	41,000
Percent Distribution	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2003
Sentenced	84.1%	82.2%	81.7%	83.1%	83.0%	83.8%	83.4%	82.0%	81.8%	82.3%	82.7%
Parole Violators	15.9%	17.8%	18.3%	16.9%	17.0%	16.2%	16.6%	18.0%	18.1%	17.7%	17.2%
Detentioners	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
Unknown	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	100.0%										

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

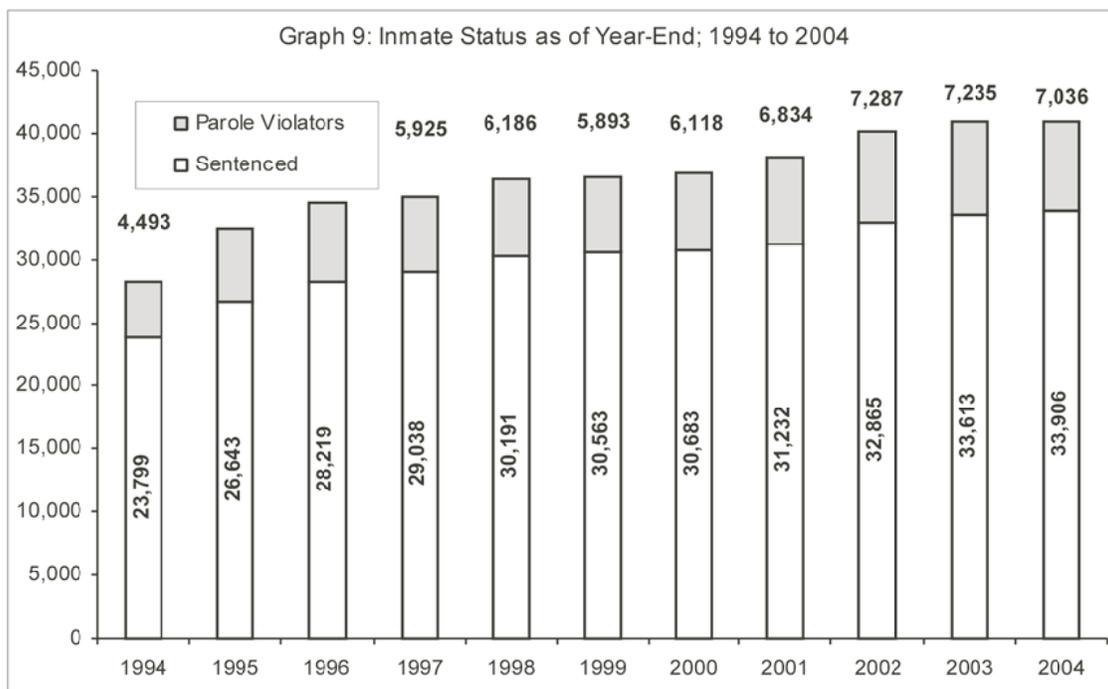


Table 21: Inmates by Primary Offense on December 31; Calendar Years 2003 and 2004 with 2004 Average Sentence Length

Part I Offenses	2004		December 31, 2003		December 31, 2004	
	*Average Minimum (Years)	* Average Maximum (Years)	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
Murder						
1st Degree	Life or Death	Life or Death	2,728	6.7%	2,809	6.9%
2nd Degree	Life	Life	981	2.4%	1,002	2.4%
3rd Degree	15.5	32.3	2,082	5.1%	2,162	5.3%
Unspecified	13.4	28.6	312	0.8%	365	0.9%
Voluntary Manslaughter	7.5	16.2	210	0.5%	197	0.5%
Involuntary Manslaughter	4.5	10.0	58	0.1%	52	0.1%
Homicide by Motor Vehicle	4.8	11.0	185	0.5%	181	0.4%
Forcible Rape	12.0	26.5	3,411	8.4%	3,456	8.4%
Robbery	8.8	18.5	4,764	11.6%	4,443	10.8%
Aggravated Assault	6.9	15.6	2,941	7.2%	2,969	7.2%
Burglary	5.5	13.7	1,812	4.4%	1,730	4.2%
Theft (Including Motor Vehicle)	2.1	5.4	772	1.9%	785	1.9%
Arson	6.4	15.8	241	0.6%	222	0.5%
Total Part I Offenses	9.3	20.1	20,497	50.1%	20,373	49.7%
Part II Offenses	2004		December 31, 2003		December 31, 2004	
	*Average Minimum (Years)	* Average Maximum (Years)	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
Other Assaults	2.9	7.0	476	1.2%	387	0.9%
Fraud	2.7	7.2	220	0.5%	192	0.5%
Stolen Property	2.8	6.7	456	1.1%	416	1.0%
Forgery	2.3	6.7	196	0.5%	212	0.5%
Statutory Rape	3.4	9.0	333	0.8%	357	0.9%
Other Sex Offenses	3.3	8.6	371	0.9%	337	0.8%
Narcotic Drug Offenses	3.4	7.3	6,225	15.2%	6,163	15.0%
Weapons	2.6	5.9	194	0.5%	297	0.7%
Drunken Driving	1.6	4.4	450	1.1%	327	0.8%
Prison Breach	1.9	4.7	247	0.6%	257	0.6%
Kidnapping	13.0	29.5	166	0.4%	164	0.4%
Other Part II Offenses	4.4	10.2	3,744	9.1%	4,424	10.8%
Total Part II Offenses	3.7	8.4	13,079	31.9%	13,533	33.0%
Total Part I and II Offenses	6.7	14.7	33,576	31.9%	33,906	82.7%
Parole Violators	3.7	10.4	7,235	17.7%	7,036	17.2%
Unknown	-	-	39	0.1%	58	0.1%
Total DOC	-	-	40,850	100.0%	41,000	100.0%

* Average sentence length excludes lifers.

Note: Totals based on percentages may be off due to rounding.

Table 22: Demographic Profile of Inmates on December 31; Calendar Years 2003 and 2004

Item	December 31, 2003		December 31, 2004	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Age				
Under 18	43	0.1%	41	0.1%
18-20	1,074	2.6%	1,060	2.6%
21-24	5,429	13.3%	5,156	12.6%
25-29	7,394	18.1%	7,806	19.0%
30-34	6,515	15.9%	6,362	15.5%
35-39	6,165	15.1%	5,828	14.2%
40-44	5,618	13.8%	5,575	13.6%
45-49	3,913	9.6%	4,091	10.0%
50-54	2,332	5.7%	2,511	6.1%
55-59	1,263	3.1%	1,387	3.4%
60-64	629	1.5%	669	1.6%
65 and Over	473	1.2%	514	1.3%
Average	36	-	36	-
Race				
Black	21,477	52.6%	21,250	51.8%
White	14,500	35.5%	14,780	36.0%
Hispanic	4,584	11.2%	4,678	11.4%
Other	289	0.7%	292	0.7%
Gender				
Male	39,038	95.6%	39,174	95.5%
Female	1,812	4.4%	1,826	4.5%
Marital Status				
Single	28,759	70.4%	29,218	71.3%
Married	6,505	15.9%	6,421	15.7%
Divorced	3,413	8.4%	3,215	7.8%
Separated	1,535	3.8%	1,483	3.6%
Widowed	479	1.2%	472	1.2%
Unknown	159	0.4%	191	0.5%
Birthplace				
PA	29,839	73.0%	29,837	72.8%
USA Not PA	9,831	24.1%	9,984	24.4%
Foreign Born	1,004	2.5%	1,179	2.9%
Religion				
Protestant	13,421	32.9%	7,317	17.8%
Catholic	7,483	18.3%	13,320	32.5%
Moslem	7,599	18.6%	7,545	18.4%
Jewish	187	0.5%	197	0.5%
Other	5,386	13.2%	5,598	13.7%
No preference	6,773	16.6%	7,023	17.1%
Total	40,850	100.0%	41,000	100.0%

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 23: Long-Term Inmates on December 31, Calendar Years 2003 and 2004

Minimum Sentence	December 31st		Change from 2003 to 2004	
	2003	2004	Number	Percent
Over 10 to 20 Years	3,401	3,551	150	4.4%
Over 20 Years	1,160	1,260	100	8.6%
Lifers	3,984	4,091	107	2.7%
Capital Cases	229	225	-4	-1.7%
Total	8,774	9,127	353	4.0%
Percent of Total Population	21.5%	22.3%	-	-

Table 24: Number of Inmates by Facility Serving a Life Sentence on December 31; Calendar Years 2003 and 2004

Institution	2003		2004		Percent Change 2003 - 2004
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Albion	171	4.3%	177	4.3%	3.5%
Cambridge Springs	20	0.5%	19	0.5%	-5.0%
Camp Hill	84	2.1%	82	2.0%	-2.4%
Chester	36	0.9%	33	0.8%	-8.3%
Coal Township	162	4.1%	147	3.6%	-9.3%
Cresson	49	1.2%	51	1.2%	4.1%
Dallas	378	9.5%	383	9.4%	1.3%
Fayette	75	1.9%	267	6.5%	256.0%
Forest	-	-	34	0.8%	N/A
Frackville	122	3.1%	132	3.2%	8.2%
Graterford	788	19.8%	770	18.8%	-2.3%
Greene	345	8.7%	339	8.3%	-1.7%
Greensburg	30	0.8%	33	0.8%	10.0%
Houtzdale	119	3.0%	124	3.0%	4.2%
Huntingdon	427	10.7%	433	10.6%	1.4%
Laurel Highlands	33	0.8%	39	1.0%	18.2%
Mahancy	227	5.7%	237	5.8%	4.4%
Mercer	2	0.1%	2	0.0%	0.0%
Muncy	126	3.2%	131	3.2%	4.0%
Pine Grove	10	0.3%	17	0.4%	70.0%
Pittsburgh	201	5.0%	19	0.5%	-90.5%
Retreat	51	1.3%	55	1.3%	7.8%
Rockview	172	4.3%	172	4.2%	0.0%
Smithfield	151	3.8%	171	4.2%	13.2%
Somerset	194	4.9%	216	5.3%	11.3%
Waymart	7	0.2%	4	0.1%	-42.9%
Lewisburg (Fed)	4	0.1%	4	0.1%	0.0%
Total	3,984	100.0%	4,091	100.0%	2.7%

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 25: Inmates Serving a Life Sentence by Committing County; Calendar Years 2003 and 2004

County	December 31, 2003		December 31, 2004	
	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
Philadelphia	2,108	52.9%	2,169	53.0%
Allegheny	399	10.0%	408	10.0%
Delaware	142	3.6%	145	3.5%
Dauphin	118	3.0%	119	2.9%
Bucks	83	2.1%	87	2.1%
Lancaster	83	2.1%	87	2.1%
Montgomery	73	1.8%	80	2.0%
Berks	75	1.9%	79	1.9%
York	72	1.8%	76	1.9%
Erie	62	1.6%	66	1.6%
Chester	61	1.5%	62	1.5%
Lehigh	57	1.4%	61	1.5%
Other Counties	651	16.3%	652	15.9%
Total	3,984	100.0%	4,091	100.0%

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 26: Age of Inmates Serving a Life Sentence on December 31; Calendar Years 2003 and 2004

Age	December 31, 2003			December 31, 2004		
	Number	% of Total	Cumulative %	Number	% of Total	Cumulative %
Under 20	20	0.5%	0.5%	16	0.4%	0.4%
20 to 24	219	5.5%	6.0%	187	4.6%	5.0%
25 to 29	469	11.8%	17.8%	504	12.3%	17.3%
30 to 34	543	13.6%	31.4%	549	13.4%	30.7%
35 to 39	544	13.7%	45.1%	534	13.1%	43.8%
40 to 44	627	15.7%	60.8%	624	15.3%	59.0%
45 to 49	562	14.1%	74.9%	590	14.4%	73.4%
50 to 54	460	11.5%	86.4%	473	11.6%	85.0%
55 to 59	278	7.0%	93.4%	316	7.7%	92.7%
60 to 64	148	3.7%	97.1%	176	4.3%	97.0%
65 and Over	114	2.9%	100.0%	122	3.0%	100.0%
Total	3,984	100.0%	-	4,091	100.0%	-
Average Age	41.9	-	-	41.9	-	-

**Table 27 : Time Served by Inmates Serving Life as of December 31;
Calendar Years 2003 and 2004**

Time Served	2003		2004	
	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
Under 5 Years	537	13.5%	516	12.6%
5 to 9.9 Years	822	20.6%	808	19.8%
10 to 14.9 Years	876	22.0%	876	21.4%
15 to 19.9 Years	595	14.9%	628	15.4%
20 to 24.9 Years	552	13.9%	589	14.4%
25 to 29.9 Years	353	8.9%	371	9.1%
30 to 34.9 Years	187	4.7%	221	5.4%
35 to 39.9 Years	47	1.2%	63	1.5%
40 Years and over	15	0.4%	19	0.5%
Total	3,984	100.0%	4,091	100.0%
Average(Years)	16.1	-	15.4	-

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

**Table 28: Profile of Inmates Under Death Sentence on December 31;
Calendar Years 2003 and 2004**

Category	December 31, 2003		December 31, 2004	
	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
County				
Philadelphia	124	54.1%	122	54.2%
Allegheny	11	4.8%	10	4.4%
Berks	9	3.9%	9	4.0%
York	9	3.9%	9	4.0%
Lehigh	7	3.1%	7	3.1%
Cumberland	5	2.2%	5	2.2%
Lancaster	5	2.2%	5	2.2%
Washington	5	2.2%	5	2.2%
Bucks	4	1.7%	4	1.8%
Dauphin	3	1.3%	4	1.8%
Luzerne	4	1.7%	4	1.8%
Montgomery	4	1.7%	4	1.8%
Other Counties	39	17.0%	37	16.4%
Age				
18 - 24	4	1.7%	6	2.7%
25 - 29	11	4.8%	19	8.4%
30 - 34	23	10.0%	26	11.6%
35 - 39	34	14.8%	44	19.6%
40 - 44	41	17.9%	47	20.9%
45 - 49	33	14.4%	38	16.9%
50 - 54	18	7.9%	22	9.8%
55 and Over	65	28.4%	23	10.2%
Average	41.7	-	41.6	-
Race				
White	69	30.1%	68	30.2%
Black	139	60.7%	137	60.9%
Hispanic	19	8.3%	18	8.0%
Other	2	0.9%	2	0.9%
Gender				
Male	224	97.8%	220	97.8%
Female	5	2.2%	5	2.2%
Total	229	100.0%	225	100.0%

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.



Section III

Releases



Releases

The total number of inmates released from the Department of Corrections increased by 16.0% from 12,743 in 2003 to 14,785 in 2004. Of the 2004 total, 23.6% were Part One Offenders, 39.1% were Part Two Offenders, and 34.1% were parole violators.

The type of releases from the Department varied for the period 2003 to 2004.

The number of unconditional releases (i.e., expiration of maximum sentence, executions, and court orders) decreased 4.2% from 3,345 in 2003 to 3,204 in 2004. Unconditional releases represented 21.7% of total releases in 2004.

The number of conditional releases (i.e., state paroles, county paroles, and reparoles) increased 21% from 8,821 in 2003 to 10,675 in 2004. Conditional releases represented 72.2% of the total releases in 2004.

The Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole reported an 8.4% increase in the number of paroles granted from 2003 to 2004, 11,033 and 11,955 respectively. There was a 4% increase in the number of paroles refused during the same time period (8,050 in 2003 and 8,365 in 2004).

Overall, the average time served for inmates released in 2004 for Part One or Part Two Offenses was 42.9 months. The average time served for Part One Offenders released was 63.9 months and the average time served for Part Two Offenders released was 30.4 months in 2004.

Table 29: Average Time Served by offense for Inmates Released During 2004

Part I Offenses	12/31/04 Number	Average Time Served (Months)	Average Time Served (Years)	% of Total
Murder				
1st Degree	34	285.2	23.8	0.2%
2nd Degree	7	252.7	21.0	0.0%
3rd Degree	187	136.2	11.3	1.3%
Unspecified	22	129.6	10.8	0.1%
Voluntary Manslaughter	45	95.1	7.9	0.3%
Involuntary Manslaughter	24	51.7	4.3	0.2%
Homicide by Motor Vehicle	57	41.7	3.5	0.4%
Forcible Rape	246	123.5	10.3	1.7%
Robbery	1,034	64.1	5.3	7.0%
Aggravated Assault	673	57.7	4.8	4.6%
Burglary	627	44.7	3.7	4.2%
Theft (Including Motor Vehicle)	482	24.5	2.0	3.3%
Arson	54	53.3	4.4	0.4%
Total Part I Offenses	3,492	63.9	5.3	23.6%
Part II Offenses	12/31/04 Number	Average Time Served (Months)	Average Time Served (Years)	% of Total
Other Assaults	235	28.2	2.3	1.6%
Fraud	134	23.1	1.9	0.9%
Stolen Property	243	27.8	2.3	1.6%
Forgery	107	25.1	2.1	0.7%
Statutory Rape	69	56.2	4.7	0.5%
Other Sex Offenses	87	57.0	4.8	0.6%
Narcotic Drug Offenses	2,899	29.0	2.4	19.6%
Weapons	88	33.0	2.8	0.6%
Drunken Driving	341	18.6	1.6	2.3%
Prison Breach	146	23.0	1.9	1.0%
Kidnapping	24	95.1	7.9	0.2%
Other Part II Offenses	1,415	34.7	2.9	9.6%
Total Part II Offenses	5,788	30.4	2.5	39.1%
Total Part I and II Offenses	9,280	42.9	3.6	62.8%
Parole Violators	5,047	-	-	34.1%
Other	458	-	-	3.1%
Total DOC	14,785	-	-	100.0%

Notes:

- 1) Releases for first and second degree murder are only those due to death.
- 2) Calculation of average time served does not include non-recommit actions or reparoles.
- 3) Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 30: Inmate Releases by Type for Calendar Years 2003 and 2004

Type of Release	2003		2004	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Unconditional				
Maxed Out*	3,271	25.7%	3,115	21.1%
By Court Order	74	0.6%	89	0.6%
Total	3,345	26.2%	3,204	21.7%
Conditional				
State Parole	6,081	47.7%	7,487	50.6%
County Parole	14	0.1%	17	0.1%
Reparoled (State)	2,726	21.4%	3,171	21.4%
Total	8,821	69.2%	10,675	72.2%
Other Releases				
Deaths	147	1.2%	164	1.1%
Other**	430	3.4%	742	5.0%
Total	577	4.5%	906	6.1%
Total Releases	12,743	100.0%	14,785	100.0%

* Expiration of maximum sentence.

** Other includes transfers to state hospitals and other jurisdictions, and released detentioners.

Graph 10: Distribution by Release Type; 2003 and 2004

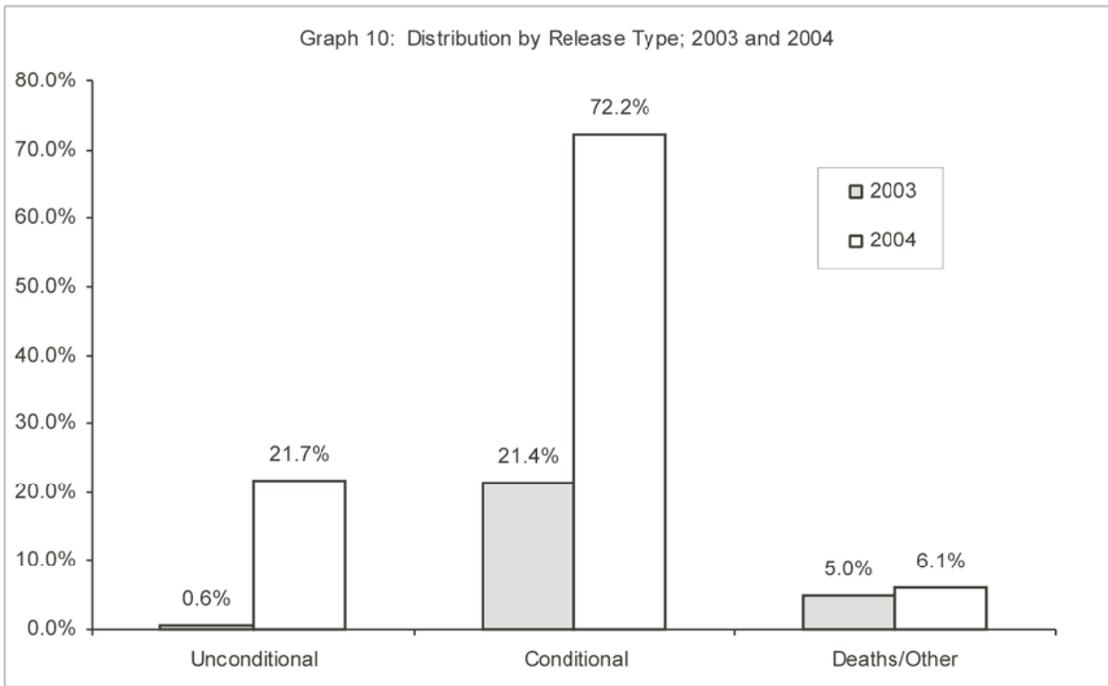


Table 31: Paroling Actions by the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole; Calendar Years 1994 through 2004*

Year	Paroles Granted	Paroles Refused	Total Actions	Percent Granted
1994	7,270	3,392	10,662	68.2%
1995	4,401	3,862	8,263	53.3%
1996	5,155	8,114	13,269	38.8%
1997	6,858	9,561	16,419	41.8%
1998	7,044	9,862	16,906	41.7%
1999	8,993	9,627	18,620	48.3%
2000	8,655	8,741	17,396	49.8%
2001	8,638	7,805	16,443	52.5%
2002	8,892	8,568	17,460	50.9%
2003	11,033	8,050	19,083	57.8%
2004	11,955	8,365	20,320	58.8%

* Information for this table was provided by the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole. The number of paroles granted reported above and the number of Departmental releases reported in Table 32 do not match due to processing differences between the DOC and the PBPP. The above table reflects parole processing while Table 32 shows actual movement of inmates out of the DOC.

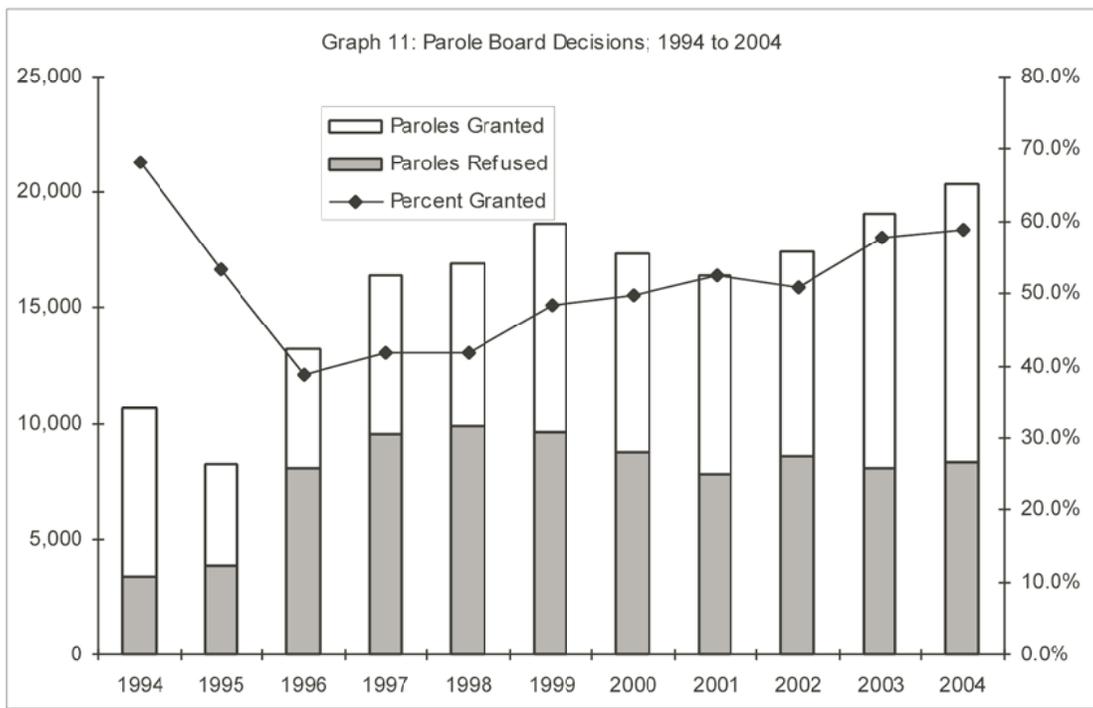


Table 32: Average Months Served by Inmates Initially Released in Calendar Years 1994 through 2004

Year Released	Maximum Sentence Under 2 Years		Maximum Sentence 2 Years and Over		All Sentences	
	Number Released	Average Time Served (Months)	Number Released	Average Time Served (Months)	Number Released	Average Time Served (Months)
1994	23	7.7	6,320	49.1	6,350	49.2
1995	21	7.2	5,179	52.4	5,391	52.4
1996	16	11.7	4,446	44.4	4,462	44.4
1997	23	7.1	5,583	49.3	5,610	49.2
1998	35	18.6	5,537	54.9	5,572	54.6
1999	18	13.4	4,685	52.6	4,703	59.5
2000	35	13.1	7,073	50.3	7,108	50.1
2001	28	9.8	6,841	48.6	6,869	48.4
2002	29	13.8	6,809	48.8	6,838	48.4
2003	30	12.8	7,962	47.3	7,992	47.3
2004	30	13.7	9,046	43.2	9,076	43.1

Note: Initial releases includes first time parolees, deaths, some maxout cases, vacated sentences, and vacated convictions. Initial releases does not include parole violators and some max out cases.

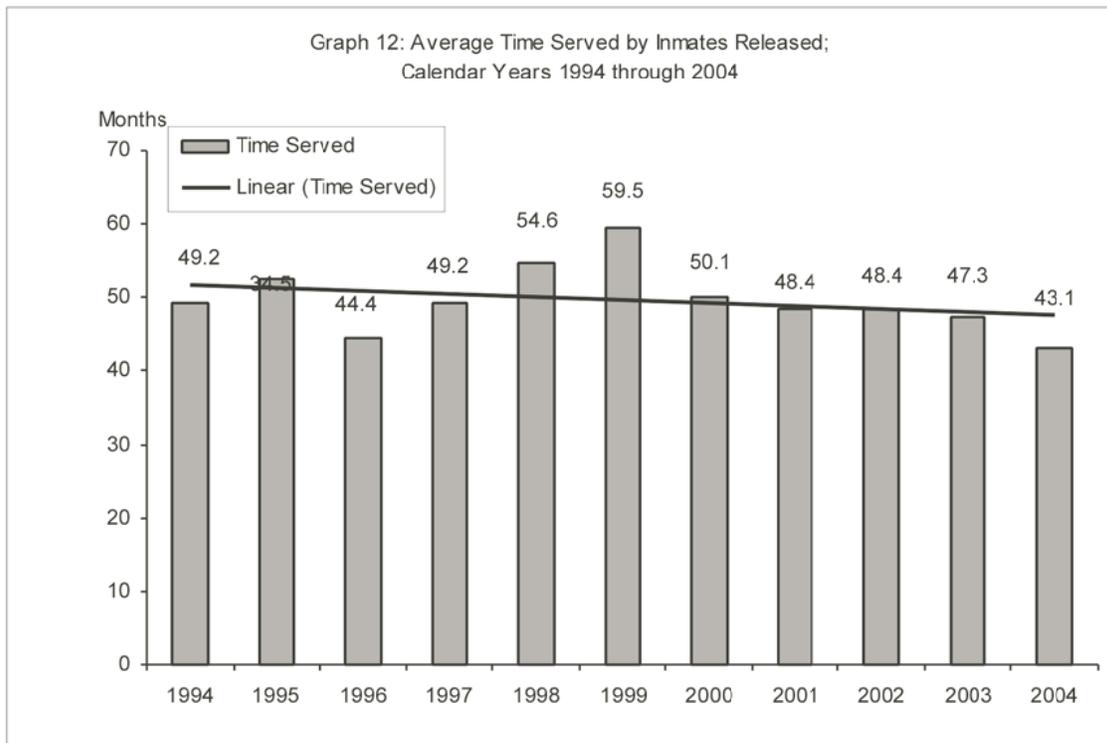


Table 33: Releases by Type for Inmates Serving a Life Sentence; Calendar Years 1994 through 2004

Year Released	Commuted/Other*	Died	Total
1994	2	14	16
1995	0	19	19
1996	0	19	19
1997	0	20	20
1998	0	24	24
1999	0	23	23
2000	0	36	36
2001	0	13	13
2002	0	31	31
2003	0	33	33
2004	2	35	37
Total	4	267	271

* Refers to commuted lifers or those whose Life Sentence was vacated and who were released from the PA DOC.

In 2004, two Lifers were released due to vacated sentence.



Section IV

Miscellaneous



Miscellaneous

There were no breach escapes from institutions in 2004. There have been no breach escapes since 1999. There have been no walk aways from institutions since 1998.

There were 109 walk aways from community correction centers in 2004.

The total number of victim registrations and notifications has continued to grow.

The cumulative number of victims registered with the Department of Corrections has increased from 21,082 in 2002, to 26,056 victims registered with the Department in 2004.

The total number of victims notified since 2002 has risen to 5,017.

The Department of Corrections' overall personnel complement consisted of 14,220 filled positions and 1,100 vacant positions in 2004.

Table 34: Number of Breach Escapes from 1994 through 2004 by Facility

Institution/Facility	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Albion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cambridge Springs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camp Hill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chester	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal Township	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cresson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dallas	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Fayette	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
Frackville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graterford	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greensburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Houtzdale	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Huntingdon	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Laurel Highlands	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mahanoy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mercer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Muncy	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	2	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quehanna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Retreat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rockview	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Somerset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smithfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waynesburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waymart	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	1	4	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0

Table 35: Number of Walk Aways from 1994 through 2004 by Facility

Institution/Facility	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Albion	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cambridge Springs	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camp Hill	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chester	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal Township	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cresson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dallas	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fayette	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
Frackville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graterford	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greensburg	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Houtzdale	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Huntingdon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laurel Highlands	-	-	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mahanoy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mercer	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Muncy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quehanna	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Retreat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rockview	4	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Somerset	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smithfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waynesburg	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waymart	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sub-Total	14	5	2	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
CCCs	66	69	98	78	69	71	73	161	126	126	109
Total	80	74	100	84	72	71	73	161	126	126	109

Table 36: Number of Victim Registrations from January 1, 2002 through December 31, 2004

Month	2002		2003		2004		Total Victims Registered
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	
January	187	7.8%	192	8.0%	186	7.2%	23,655
February	162	6.8%	174	7.3%	225	8.7%	23,880
March	243	10.2%	228	9.6%	202	7.8%	24,082
April	214	9.0%	253	10.6%	178	6.9%	24,260
May	231	9.7%	163	6.8%	168	6.5%	24,428
June	204	8.5%	213	8.9%	238	9.2%	24,666
July	187	7.8%	227	9.5%	200	7.7%	24,866
August	183	7.7%	96	4.0%	280	10.8%	25,146
September	212	8.9%	291	12.2%	196	7.6%	25,342
October	207	8.7%	228	9.6%	173	6.7%	25,515
November	163	6.8%	130	5.4%	201	7.8%	25,716
December	194	8.1%	192	8.0%	340	13.1%	26,056
Total	2,387	100.0%	2,387	100.0%	2,587	100.0%	26,056

Table 37: Victim Notification by Type from January 2002 through December 2004

Type of Notification	January to December 2002	January to December 2003	January to December 2004	January 2002 to December 2004
	Total Victims Notified	Total Victims Notified	Total Victims Notified	Total Victims Notified
Tentative Approval for Pre-Release	662	595	477	1,734
Final Approval for Pre-Release	159	173	120	452
Disapproval for Pre-Release	337	316	274	927
CCC Bed Date	133	200	104	437
Operation Outward Reach Start Date	21	16	18	55
Scheduled Furloughs	0	0	0	0
Return to SCI from CCC	17	18	44	79
Mental Health Commitment	3	27	1	31
Escape	115	119	121	355
Death	42	47	15	104
Recapture	43	38	42	123
Boot Camp	41	26	30	97
No Contact Conditions	34	36	29	99
Executions	0	0	0	0
Execution Stay Notification	21	0	0	21
Boot Camp Return	4	2	2	8
Updates	168	147	182	497
Total	1,800	1,760	1,457	5,017

Table 38: Number of Victim Comments Received from January through December 2003

Month	Oral Comments		Written Comments		Total # of Victims Providing Comments
	Number	%	Number	%	
January	13	10.9%	14	7.1%	27
February	6	5.0%	13	6.6%	19
March	13	10.9%	24	12.2%	37
April	12	10.1%	15	7.6%	27
May	15	12.6%	16	8.1%	31
June	10	8.4%	13	6.6%	23
July	7	5.9%	11	5.6%	18
August	7	5.9%	12	6.1%	19
September	5	4.2%	25	12.7%	30
October	6	5.0%	29	14.7%	35
November	16	13.4%	10	5.1%	26
December	9	7.6%	15	7.6%	24
Total	119	100.0%	197	100.0%	316

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 39: Number of Victim Comments Received from January through December 2004

Month	Oral Comments		Written Comments		Total # of Victims Providing Comments
	Number	%	Number	%	
January	8	6.8%	12	4.8%	20
February	11	9.4%	30	12.0%	41
March	7	6.0%	9	3.6%	16
April	7	6.0%	1	0.4%	8
May	2	1.7%	17	6.8%	19
June	11	9.4%	29	11.6%	40
July	8	6.8%	41	16.3%	49
August	7	6.0%	25	10.0%	32
September	12	10.3%	22	8.8%	34
October	17	14.5%	23	9.2%	40
November	16	13.7%	28	11.2%	44
December	11	9.4%	14	5.6%	25
Total	117	100.0%	251	100.0%	368

Note: Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 40: Complement Control by Location as of December 31, 2004

SCI	Status	Salary	Wage	Total
Central Office	Filled	347	9	356
	Vacant	68	150	218
Cmy Corr Ctr	Filled	160	56	216
	Vacant	18	12	30
Correctional Industries	Filled	34	1	35
	Vacant	13	4	17
Training Academy	Filled	55	10	65
	Vacant	5	3	8
Albion	Filled	551	26	577
	Vacant	11	13	24
Cambridge Springs	Filled	293	10	303
	Vacant	16	10	26
Camp Hill	Filled	961	29	990
	Vacant	54	12	66
Chester	Filled	368	6	374
	Vacant	29	8	37
Coal Township	Filled	522	24	546
	Vacant	14	16	30
Cresson	Filled	444	16	460
	Vacant	9	3	12
Dallas	Filled	693	14	707
	Vacant	22	9	31
Fayette	Filled	574	64	638
	Vacant	88	10	98
Forest	Filled	231	1	232
	Vacant	230	2	232
Frackville	Filled	413	9	422
	Vacant	20	3	23
Graterford	Filled	1,099	27	1,126
	Vacant	93	35	128
Greensburg	Filled	341	11	352
	Vacant	34	2	36
Greene	Filled	685	13	698
	Vacant	47	15	62
Houtzdale	Filled	546	15	561
	Vacant	23	14	37
Huntingdon	Filled	658	7	665
	Vacant	31	4	35
Laurel Highlands	Filled	432	6	438
	Vacant	13	9	22
Mahanoy	Filled	540	17	557
	Vacant	16	9	25
Mercer	Filled	352	8	360
	Vacant	12	5	17
Muncy	Filled	438	14	452
	Vacant	17	8	25
Pittsburgh	Filled	254	5	259
	Vacant	85	5	90
Pine Grove	Filled	344	4	348
	Vacant	26	5	31
Quehanna	Filled	172	2	174
	Vacant	3	1	4
Retreat	Filled	338	10	348
	Vacant	6	2	8
Rockview	Filled	647	13	660
	Vacant	18	12	30
Smithfield	Filled	473	12	485
	Vacant	12	6	18
Somerset	Filled	562	9	571
	Vacant	15	13	28
Waymart	Filled	693	17	710
	Vacant	52	9	61
Total	Filled	14,220	465	14,685
	Vacant	1,100	409	1,509
		15,320	874	16,194



Section VI

Glossary

Capacity: The maximum number of single cell beds a facility was originally designed for, plus beds added or eliminated due to renovations and/or additions.

Capital cases: Inmate found guilty of first degree murder and sentenced by a judge to death by execution.

Commutations: A change of a legal penalty or punishment to a lesser one. A commutation for an inmate serving a life sentence is the establishment of a parole date.

Conditional release: The release of an inmate from the Department of Corrections to another supervising authority. This method of release includes the following types:

State Parole: When an inmate is released to the community and is supervised by the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole.

County Parole: When an inmate is released to the community and is supervised by the county probation/parole department.

Reparoled (State): When an inmate is paroled from a state correctional facility, returned to the Department of Corrections for a parole violation, serves time in the institution, and is again released to the community under supervision of the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole.

County transfers: When an inmate serving a county sentence is transferred to the Department of Corrections. The reason for the transfer could be for security, medical, or mental health reasons.

Court Commitments: A commitment imposed by a court sentencing an individual to confinement in a state correctional facility.

Detentioners: An inmate who has not been sentenced to a Pennsylvania state correctional facility, but who is being housed in a Pennsylvania state correctional facility at the request of another jurisdiction such as a county, another state, or the federal government.

Escape: The intentional act of an inmate to leave the custody of the Department of Corrections. The act of escape includes the following types:

Breach escape: When an inmate, in the process of intentionally leaving the the custody of the Department of Corrections, compromises the security perimeter of the facility.

Walk away escape: When an inmate intentionally leaves the custody of the DOC while on an authorized release or furlough (i.e., work detail, medical treatment, educational release, etc.). A walk away, as opposed to a breach escape, does not compromise the security perimeter of the facility as it occurs outside the security perimeter (i.e., wall, fence, etc.).

Incarceration rate: The number of state sentenced inmates incarcerated per 100,000 Pennsylvania residents.

Lifer: An individual with a minimum and maximum sentence of natural life.

Minimum sentence: The minimum amount of time imposed by the court that an inmate must serve before being eligible for release from prison. This sentence cannot exceed one-half of the maximum sentence under the Pennsylvania statute.

Maximum sentence: The maximum amount of time spent imposed by the court that an inmate can be required to serve before being released from prison.

Non-recommit action: The release of a parolee who was returned to the department as a possible parole violator. If the return action is not adjudicated as a parole violation, the parolee is re-released to parole.

Offender: Generally refers to an individual who is convicted of an offense but who has not been received by the state by the state prison system. This term is used in the Receptions Section of this report to denote newly admitted individuals.

Parole violators: Persons paroled from prison who violated the terms and/or conditions of their parole. Parole violators are generally classified as technical or convicted violators. Technical violators are recommitted for failure to adhere to the requirements of their parole plan (i.e., non-reporting to agent or program, non-criminal drug violations, etc.), while convicted violators are found guilty of new criminal offenses. A technical/convicted violator is committed for violating conditions of parole in addition to being charged with commission of a new criminal offense.

Part I Offenses: Offenses identified by the Uniform Crime Report which are of a serious nature and are usually reported to law enforcement agencies. Crimes identified as Part I Offenses include: criminal homicide, forcible rape, robbery, assault, burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft and arson.

Part II Offenses: Offenses not classified as Part I Offense as defined above because they are less serious crimes. Crimes identified as Part II offenses include: fraud, stolen property, forgery, narcotic drugs, and drunken driving.

Reparole: A parole release after a previous parole revocation. The initial parole and subsequent reparole occur during the same sentence.

Sentenced: Inmates who are serving time on court-imposed sentences. (Does not include inmates who are serving time because of parole violations.)

Uniform Crime Report (UCR) Offense Groupings: Offense classifications employed by Pennsylvania's criminal justice system. In order to remain compatible with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the categories of offense classification utilized are the same as those employed at the national level. The crimes defined in this classification system are grouped as Part I or Part II offenses.

Unconditional release: The means of release for inmates who have either served their maximum sentence or have had their sentences reduced or vacated by the court (e.g., max out, executed, court order, etc.).

Victim comments: Oral and written statements describing the impact of crime on the victim's feelings regarding pre-release of a particular offender.

Victim registration: When crime victims request to be informed as to the status of offenders who perpetrated criminal acts against them or a family member. The registration occurs in the victim input and notification program as administered by the Office of the Victim Advocate.