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We are pleased to present the 2005 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 2005. The report also offers a limited historical perspective on inmate profile changes for calendar years 1995 through 2005.

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 14,000 employees, 25 prisons, 14 community corrections centers, one motivational boot camp, and more that 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,

Jeffrey A. Beard, Ph.D. Secretary of Corrections

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## Section I

Receptions



## Highlights

## Receptions

Between 1995 and 2005, the number of inmates admitted into the Department increased by 49%, from 10,423 in 1995 to 15,534 in 2005. There was a 4.7% increase between the years 2004 and 2005.

From 1995 through 2005, the number of parole violator admissions increased by 51.2%. Over the same period, parole violator admissions as a proportion of the total admissions has remained at approximately 42% of all admissions. Between 2004 and 2005, the number of parole violator admissions increased by 1.2%.

The number of court commitments grew by 45.4%, from 6,073 in 1995 (58.3% of the total admissions), to 8,830 (56.8% of the total admissions) in 2005. Between 2004 and 2005, the number of initial court commitments increased by 4.7%.

Philadelphia County and Allegheny County accounted for 30% of all new court commitments in 2005.

There were 120 more female court commitments in 2005 than in 2004, a 17.6% increase. Male admissions grew by 3.5% (275) between the two years.

The majority of new court commitments (77.7%) were between the ages of 21 and 39. The average age was 32.6. The number of new court commitments age 50 and over increased by 92, or 18.3%, between 2004 and 2005.

While the Department experienced only minor changes in sentence lengths from 2004 to 2005, it is important to note several items of significance.

More than half (57.5%) 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 2007.

Of the total of new court commitments in 2005, 78.2 % received a maximum sentence of ten years or less. These inmates will complete their sentence and be released back to the community in 2015.

Table 1: State Prison Receptions by Type and Offender Gender, 1995 through 2005

	Cou	rt Commitm	ients	Pa	arole Violato	ors	C			
Year	Male	Female	Sub-total	Male	Female	Sub-total	Male	Female	Sub-total	Annual Total
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
2005	8,027	803	8,830	6,186	319	6,505	196	3	199	15,534

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

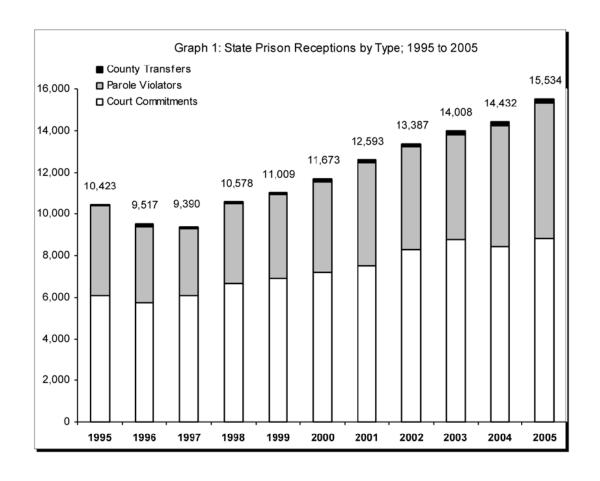


Table 2: State Prison Receptions by Committing County and Offender Gender in 2005

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County	Male	Female	Sub-Total	Male	Female	Sub-Total	Male		Sub-Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total
Adams	51	6	57	29	1	30	20	0	20	100	7	107	0.7%
Allegheny	624	32	656	556	24	580	0	0	0	1,180	56	1,236	8.0%
Armstrong	22	4	26	9	0	9	0	0	0	31	4	35	0.2%
Beaver	55	10	65	39	3	42	0	0	0	94	13	107	0.7%
Bedford	27	6	33	3	0	3	0	0	0	30	6	36	0.2%
Berks	371	56	427	228	19	247	1	0	1	600	75	675	4.3%
Blair	61	15	76	33 20	5	38	0	0	0	94	20 10	114	0.7%
Bradford	58	6	64		4	24	4	0	4	82		92	0.6%
Bucks Butler	165 72	9 10	174 82	61 32	3 5	64 37	2	0	2	228 104	12 15	240 119	1.5% 0.8%
Cambria	55	7	62	38	3	41	0	0	0	93	10	103	0.7%
Cameron	1	0	02	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	0.7%
Carbon	9	0	9	12	0	12	2	0	2	23	0	23	0.0%
Centre	55	1	56	14	1	15	0	0	0	69	2	71	0.1%
Chester	192	14	206	91	1	92	0	0	0	283	15	298	1.9%
Clarion	19	2	21	8	Ö	8	0	0	ő	27	2	29	0.2%
Clearfield	101	10	111	44	6	50	1	0	1	146	16	162	1.0%
Clinton	17	3	20	5	0	5	2	0	2	24	3	27	0.2%
Columbia	36	5	41	13	2	15	0	0	0	49	7	56	0.4%
Crawford	65	9	74	37	1	38	Ö	0	ő	102	10	112	0.7%
Cumberland	44	3	47	49	3	52	1	0	1	94	6	100	0.6%
Dauphin	345	42	387	400	30	430	0	0	ó	745	72	817	5.3%
Delaware	304	20	324	136	4	140	0	0	0	440	24	464	3.0%
Elk	10	0	10	4	0	4	2	0	2	16	0	16	0.1%
Erie	311	50	361	238	23	261	0	0	0	549	73	622	4.0%
Fayette	175	35	210	77	4	81	1	0	1	253	39	292	1.9%
Forest	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	o	6	0	6	0.0%
Franklin	91	9	100	82	4	86	0	0	o	173	13	186	1.2%
Fulton	11	1	12	22	0	22	0	0	0	33	1	34	0.2%
Greene	20	2	22	11	1	12	0	0	o	31	3	34	0.2%
Huntingdon	10	2	12	15	0	15	0	0	0	25	2	27	0.2%
Indiana	36	6	42	17	3	20	0	0	0	53	9	62	0.4%
Jefferson	39	6	45	12	1	13	0	0	0	51	7	58	0.4%
Juniata	12	2	14	2	0	2	0	0	0	14	2	16	0.1%
Lackawanna	165	23	188	147	14	161	10	0	10	322	37	359	2.3%
Lancaster	219	12	231	126	4	130	0	0	0	345	16	361	2.3%
Lawrence	63	20	83	47	4	51	0	0	0	110	24	134	0.9%
Lebanon	95	11	106	69	3	72	1	0	1	165	14	179	1.2%
Lehigh	218	15	233	189	13	202	12	0	12	419	28	447	2.9%
Luzerne	147	20	167	102	6	108	0	0	0	249	26	275	1.8%
Lycoming	96	17	113	104	9	113	0	0	0	200	26	226	1.5%
Mckean	25	2	27	9	0	9	0	0	0	34	2	36	0.2%
Mercer	68	17	85	54	12	66	0	0	0	122	29	151	1.0%
Mifflin	25	4	29	12	0	12	0	0	0	37	4	41	0.3%
Monroe	52	4	56	35	3	38	12	0	12	99	7	106	0.7%
Montgomery	271	25	296	184	11	195	16	0	16	471	36	507	3.3%
Montour	7	1	8	3	1	4	0	0	0	10	2	12	0.1%
Northampton	173	24	197	85	4	89	38	2		296	30	326	2.1%
Northumberland	84	20	104	71	6	77	1	0	1	156	26	182	1.2%
Perry	21	6	27	18	0	18	0	0	0	39	6	45	0.3%
Philadelphia	1,982	88	2,070	2,119	48	2,167	60	1	61	4,161	137	4,298	27.7%
Pike	17	1	18	9	0	9	1	0	1	27	1	28	0.2%
Potter	8	0	8	5	0	5	0	0	0	13	0	13	0.1%
Schuylkill	40	6	46	23	0	23	0	0		63	6	69	0.4%
Snyder	39	8	47	32	2	34	0	0	-	71	10	81	0.5%
Somerset	35	4	39	25	1	26	6	0	6	66	5	71	0.5%
Sullivan	5	0	5	2	0	2	0	0		7	0	7	0.0%
Susquehanna	14	1	15	6	0	6	0	0	0	20	1	21	0.1%
Tioga Union	18 28	1 5	19 33	12 18	2	14 20	0	0	0	30 46	3 7	33 53	0.2% 0.3%
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Venango Warren	59	13	72	43	3	46	0	0		102	16	118	0.8%
Warren Washington	26 66	7	33 69	13 21	0	13	0	0	0	39 87	7 4	46 91	0.3%
Washington	42	8	50	23		22 24		0	0	66	9	91 75	0.6% 0.5%
Wayne Westmereland	115			53	1	59	1 0	0	0	168	17		
Westmoreland		11	126				0		0			185	1.2%
Wyoming	17 317	4 39	21	16	1	17 175	0	0	- 1	33	5	38 521	0.2%
York			356	164	11	175	_	_	0	481	50	531	3.4%
Unknown/Others	0	0 <b>803</b>	0	9	0	9 6 <b>50</b> 5	2	0		11	_	11	0.1%
Total	8,027	00% due to	8,830	6,186	319	6,505	196	3	199	14,409	1,125	15,534	100.0%

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Table 3: Ten Counties with the Highest Court Commitment Activity in 2005

Rank	County	Court Commitments	% of State Total
1	Philadelphia	2,070	23.4%
2	Allegheny	656	7.4%
3	Berks	427	4.8%
4	Dauphin	387	4.4%
5	Erie	361	4.1%
6	York	356	4.0%
7	Delaware	324	3.7%
8	Montgomery	296	3.4%
9	Lehigh	233	2.6%
10	Lancaster	231	2.6%
	Sub-Total	5,341	60.5%
	Remaining Counties	3,489	39.5%
	State Total	8,830	100.0%

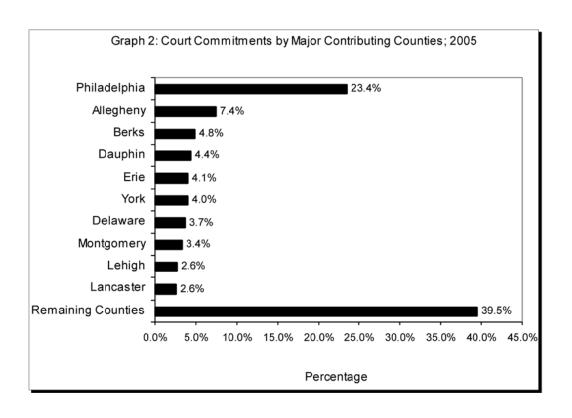


Table 4: Court Commitments by County for 2004 and 2005

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County Adams	<b>2004</b> 56 <b>l</b>	<b>2005</b> 57	Growth Factor % 1.8
Allegheny	614	656	6.8
Armstrong	18	26	44.4
Beaver	54	65	20.4
Bedford	14	33	135.7
Berks	400	427	6.8
Blair	97	76	-21.6
Bradford	55	64	16.4
Bucks	183	174	-4.9
Butler	93	82	-11.8
Cambria	35	62	77.1
Cameron	4	1	-75.0
Carbon	17	9	-47.1
Centre	46	56	21.7
Chester	222	206	-7.2
Clarion	24	21	-12.5
Clearfield	116	111	-4.3
Clinton	18	20	11.1
Columbia	24	41	70.8
Crawford	39	74	89.7
Cumberland	62	47	-24.2
Dauphin	427	387	-9.4
Delaware	303	324	6.9
Elk	8	10	25.0
Erie	359	361	0.6
Fayette	146	210	43.8
Forest	5	6	20.0
Franklin	96	100	4.2
Fulton	10	12	20.0
Greene	27	22	-18.5
Huntingdon	8	12	50.0
Indiana	23	42	82.6
Jefferson	61	45	-26.2
Juniata	13	14	7.7
Lackawanna	213	188	-11.7
Lancaster	205	231	12.7
Lawrence	58	83	43.1
Lebanon	97	106	9.3
Lehigh	256	233	-9.0
Luzerne	166	167	0.6
Lycoming	140	113	-19.3
Mckean	13	27	107.7
Mercer	56	85	51.8
Mifflin	17	29	70.6
Monroe	39	56	43.6
Montgomery	230	296	28.7
Montour	13	8	-38.5
Northampton	198	197	-0.5
Northumberland	86	104	20.9
Perry	24	27	12.5
Philadelphia	2,013	2,070	2.8
Pike	14	18	28.6
Potter	3	8	166.7
Schuylkill	68	46	-32.4
Snyder	46	47	2.2
Somerset	48	39	-18.8
Sullivan	3	5	0.0
Susquehanna	9	15	66.7
Tioga	22	19	-13.6
Union	31	33	6.5
Venango	71	72	1.4
Warren	31	33	6.5
Washington	46	69	50.0
Wayne	42	50	19.0
Westmoreland	99	126	27.3
Wyoming	25	21	-16.0
York	373	356	-4.6
Unknown/Others	3/3	0	0.0
Total	8,435	8,830	4.7

Table 5: Court Commitments Received from 1995 through 2005 by Age Group

Age	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Under 18	64	51	97	64	44	43	34	32	66	46	25
18-20	672	707	814	738	809	752	707	706	889	883	650
21-24	1,305	1,189	1,323	1,455	1,476	1,643	1,650	1,793	1,845	1,769	1,749
25-29	1,352	1,227	1,125	1,213	1,285	1,256	1,396	1,505	1,619	1,664	1,731
30-34	986	937	978	1,042	1,027	1,067	1,165	1,223	1,243	1,146	1,252
35-39	755	708	767	892	947	986	949	1,144	1,135	978	1,107
40-44	463	420	457	608	668	725	769	894	902	916	1,018
45-49	226	248	259	319	336	420	451	541	555	530	703
50-54	119	125	138	149	174	179	204	239	283	292	318
55-59	56	55	55	91	82	70	109	101	129	125	167
60-64	41	32	29	49	29	34	46	53	51	47	67
65 and Over	34	37	22	33	22	28	30	35	43	39	43
Total	6,073	5,736	6,064	6,653	6,899	7,203	7,510	8,266	8,760	8,435	8,830
Average	30.6	30.7	29.9	30.7	30.8	31.1	30.8	32.0	32.0	32.8	32.6
% Under 25	33.6	33.9	36.8	33.9	33.8	33.8	31.8	30.6	32.0	32.0	27.5
% 25 - 39 Years	50.9	50.1	47.3	47.3	47.2	45.9	46.7	46.8	45.6	44.9	46.3
% 40 and Over	15.5	16.0	15.8	18.8	19.0	20.2	21.4	22.5	22.4	23.1	26.2

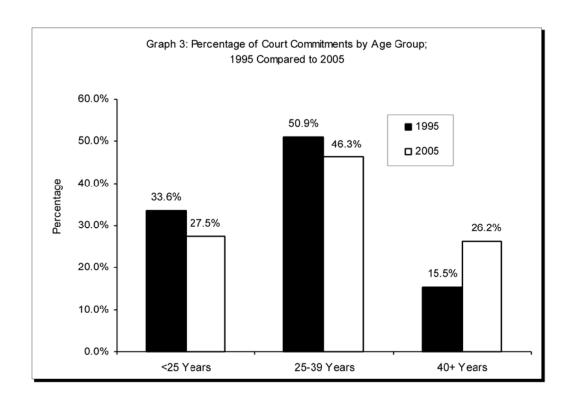


Table 6: Profile of Court Commitments Received by Age, Race, and Gender in 2004

				Ra	ce				Gender				
	Wh	ite	Bla	ck	Hispa	anic	Oth	er	Mal	е	Fem	ale	
Age	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Total
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 7: Profile of Court Commitments Received by Age, Race, and Gender in 2005

				Ra	ce				Gender				
	Whi	ite	Bla	ck	Hispa	anic	Oth	er	Male	е	Fema	ale	
Age	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Total
Under 18	6	0.1%	17	0.2%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	23	0.3%	2	0.0%	25
18-20	220	2.5%	356	4.0%	72	0.8%	2	0.0%	620	7.0%	30	0.3%	650
21-24	699	7.9%	860	9.7%	176	2.0%	14	0.2%	1,614	18.3%	135	1.5%	1,749
25-29	707	8.0%	781	8.8%	233	2.6%	10	0.1%	1,604	18.2%	127	1.4%	1,731
30-34	549	6.2%	534	6.0%	162	1.8%	7	0.1%	1,139	12.9%	113	1.3%	1,252
35-39	509	5.8%	449	5.1%	141	1.6%	8	0.1%	973	11.0%	134	1.5%	1,107
40-44	561	6.4%	371	4.2%	82	0.9%	4	0.0%	875	9.9%	143	1.6%	1,018
45-49	378	4.3%	260	2.9%	64	0.7%	1	0.0%	628	7.1%	75	0.8%	703
50-54	167	1.9%	121	1.4%	27	0.3%	3	0.0%	290	3.3%	28	0.3%	318
55-59	99	1.1%	49	0.6%	18	0.2%	1	0.0%	153	1.7%	14	0.2%	167
60-64	39	0.4%	21	0.2%	7	0.1%	0	0.0%	66	0.7%	1	0.0%	67
65 and Over	34	0.4%	7	0.1%	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	42	0.5%	1	0.0%	43
Total	3,968	44.9%	3,826	43.3%	985	11.2%	51	0.6%	8,027	90.9%	803	9.1%	8,830
Average Age	34.2		31.2		31.8		31.2	-	32.5	-	34.2	-	32.6
% Under 25	23.3%	-	32.2%	-	25.3%	-	33.3%	-	28.1%	-	20.8%	-	27.5%
% 40 & Over	32.2%	-	21.7%	-	20.3%	-	17.6%	-	25.6%	-	32.6%	-	26.2%

Table 8: Comparison of Court Commitments by Offense for 2004 and 2005

		2004	.	2005		Change 200	4-2005
Part I Offenses		Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Murder							
	First Degree	94	1.1%	101	1.1%	7	7.4%
	Second Degree	25	0.3%	28	0.3%	3	12.0%
	Third Degree	212	2.5%	166	1.9%	-46	-21.7%
	Unspecified	55	0.7%	39	0.4%	-16	-29.1%
Manslaughter							
	Voluntary	17	0.2%	30	0.3%	13	76.5%
	Involuntary	26	0.3%	19	0.2%	-7	-26.9%
Aggravated Assault		570	6.8%	606	6.9%	36	6.3%
Arson		41	0.5%	38	0.4%	-3	-7.3%
Burglary		483	5.7%	527	6.0%	44	9.1%
Forcible Rape		266	3.2%	232	2.6%	-34	-12.8%
Homicide by Vehicle		53	0.6%	70	0.8%	17	32.1%
Robbery		727	8.6%	805	9.1%	78	10.7%
Theft/Larceny		414	4.9%	471	5.3%	57	13.8%
Total Part I Offenses		2,983	35.4%	3,132	35.5%	149	5.0%

	20	04	200	05	Change 20	04-2005
Part II Offenses	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
DUI	187	2.2%	124	1.4%	-63	-33.7%
Forgery	115	1.4%	121	1.4%	6	5.2%
Fraud	93	1.1%	112	1.3%	19	20.4%
Kidnapping	13	0.2%	21	0.2%	8	61.5%
Narcotic Drug Laws	2,609	30.9%	2,801	31.7%	192	7.4%
Other Assaults	152	1.8%	146	1.7%	-6	-3.9%
Other Sex Offenses	70	0.8%	94	1.1%	24	34.3%
Prison Breach	132	1.6%	116	1.3%	-16	-12.1%
Receiving Stolen Property	178	2.1%	126	1.4%	-52	-29.2%
Statutory Rape	93	1.1%	92	1.0%	-1	-1.1%
Weapons	143	1.7%	171	1.9%	28	19.6%
Other Part II Offenses	1,659	19.7%	1,774	20.1%	115	6.9%
Total Part II Offenses	5,444	64.5%	5,698	64.5%	254	4.7%
Other	8	0.1%	0	0.0%	-8	-100.0%
Total Offenses	8,435	100.0%	8,830	100.0%	395	4.7%

Table 9: Court Commitments by Minimum Sentence and Offender Gender in 2005

	Male		Fem	ale	Tot	al
Minimum Sentence	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
1 Year And Under	1,846	23.0%	343	42.7%	2,189	24.8%
Over 1 To 2 Years	2,610	32.5%	277	34.5%	2,887	32.7%
Over 2 To 3 Years	1,420	17.7%	89	11.1%	1,509	17.1%
Over 3 To 5 Years	1,107	13.8%	48	6.0%	1,155	13.1%
Over 5 To 10 Years	591	7.4%	19	2.4%	610	6.9%
Over 10 To 20 Years	223	2.8%	11	1.4%	234	2.7%
Over 20 Years	84	1.0%	4	0.5%	88	1.0%
Life	127	1.6%	7	0.9%	134	1.5%
Death Sentence	5	0.1%	1	0.1%	6	0.1%
Not Reported As Of Year End	14	0.2%	4	0.5%	18	0.2%
Total	8,027	100.0%	803	100.0%	8,830	100.0%

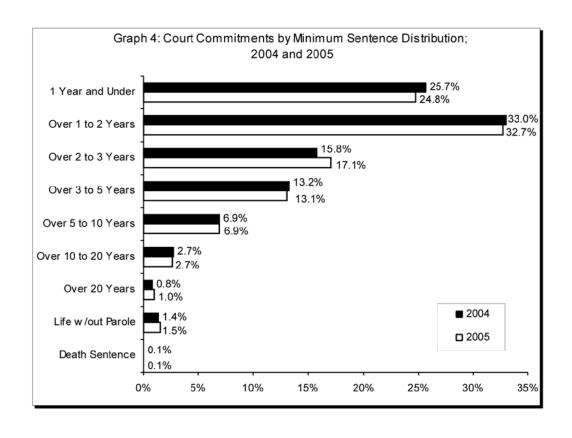
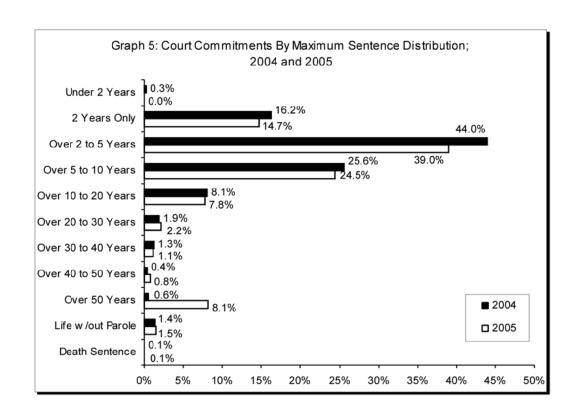


Table 10: Court Commitments by Maximum Sentence and Offender Gender in 2005

	Male		Female	Э	Total	
Maximum Sentence	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Under 2 Years	1	0.0%	3	0.4%	4	0.0%
2 Years Only	1,124	14.0%	176	21.9%	1,300	14.7%
Over 2 to 5 Years	3,091	38.5%	354	44.1%	3,445	39.0%
Over 5 to 10 Years	2,027	25.3%	132	16.4%	2,159	24.5%
Over 10 to 20 Years	661	8.2%	25	3.1%	686	7.8%
Over 20 to 30 Years	174	2.2%	17	2.1%	191	2.2%
Over 30 to 40 Years	91	1.1%	7	0.9%	98	1.1%
Over 40 to 50 Years	68	0.8%	2	0.2%	70	0.8%
Over 50 Years	644	8.0%	75	9.3%	719	8.1%
Life	127	1.6%	7	0.9%	134	1.5%
Death Sentence	5	0.1%	1	0.1%	6	0.1%
Not Reported as of Year End	14	0.2%	4	0.5%	18	0.2%
Total	8,027	100.0%	803	100.0%	8,830	100.0%



## Receptions

Table 11: Profile of Offenders Serving a Life Sentence Received from 1995 through 2005 Calendar Year Commmitting County Philadelphia Allegheny Other Counties Total Age Under 20 20 To 24 25 To 29 30 To 34 35 To 39 40 To 44 45 and Over 27.40 26.50 28.10 33.40 28.50 28.50 29.80 30.00 29.58 29.08 30.40 Average Race White Non-White Gender Male Female Total



## Section II

## Population



## Highlights

## Population

The overall incarceration rate in Pennsylvania remained stable at 329.8 per 100,000 state residents in 2004 and 342.5 per 100,000 in 2005. Nationally, the incarceration rate of state prisoners was 491 per 100,000 residents for yearend 2005 (U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics).

From 1995 to 2005, the number of inmates incarcerated has increased by 31.1%. The Department experienced a 9.6% increase in inmate population between 2004 and 2005. The total inmate population was 41,000 on December 31, 2004 and 42,486 on December 31, 2005.

From 1995 to 2005, the number of sentenced offenders increased by 30.65% and the number of parole violators increased by 31.8%.

At the end of 2005, the population was comprised of 81.9% sentenced offenders and 17.9% parole violators.

A demographic breakdown of the Department's inmates indicates that offender age, race, and gender have remained relatively constant over the 2004 to 2005.

The average age of a DOC offender in 2005 was 36, and half of the offenders were within the ages of 25 - 39 years.

In 2005, the majority of DOC offenders were African Americans (50.9%), followed by Caucasians (37.4%), Hispanics (11.0%), and other races (0.7%).

Of the 42,486 offenders in the DOC population as of calendar year-end 2005, 40,454 were males and 2,032 were females.

In 2005, the average minimum sentence length for Part One Offenders was 9.2 years and the average maximum sentence length was 20.3 years. For Part Two Offenders, the average minimum sentence length was 3.7 years and the average maximum sentence length was 8.5 years.

The number of inmates serving a minimum sentence of more than 20 years (excluding inmates serving life sentences and capital cases) increased by 7.1% from 1,260 in 2004 to 1,349 in 2005.

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

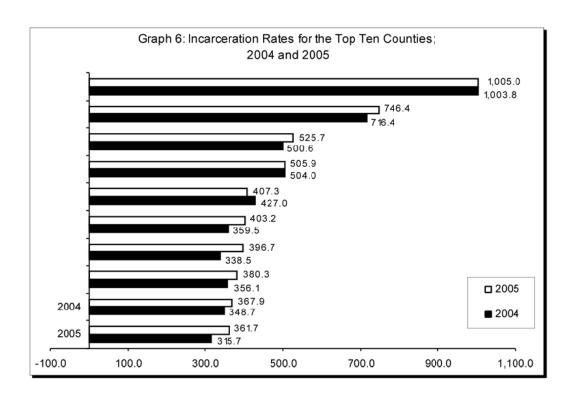
The number of offenders serving a life sentence increased by 3.1%, from 4,091 in 2004 to 4,216 in 2005.

The average age of inmates serving life sentences in 2005 was 42.4 years. The average age of inmates serving life sentences remains higher than the average for the total population (42.4 years versus 36.0 years respectively).

Table 12: Rank Order of Ten Counties with Highest State Incarceration Rate for 2002 and 2003\*

		Incarceration Rate for	Incarceration Rate for	
Ranking	County	2004	2005	Percent Change
1	Philadelphia	1003.8	1005.0	0.1%
2	Dauphin	716.4	746.4	4.2%
3	Erie	500.6	525.7	5.0%
4	Venango	504.0	505.9	0.4%
5	Lycoming	427.0	407.3	-4.6%
6	Snyder	359.5	403.2	12.1%
7	Fayette	338.5	396.7	17.2%
8	Berks	356.1	380.3	6.8%
9	Clearfield	348.7	367.9	5.5%
10	Fulton	315.7	361.7	14.6%

<sup>\*</sup> Ranking by 2005 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.



<sup>\*</sup> 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 2004 and 2005

	I	December	31, 2004			December:	31, 2005	
County	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total
Adams	173	11	184	0.4%	195	9	204	0.59
Allegheny	3,448	117	3,565	8.7%	3,523	120	3,643	8.69
Armstrong	78	3	81	0.2%	81	6	87	0.29
Beaver	290	10	300	0.7%	288	15	303	0.79
Bedford	49	3	52	0.1%	67	8	75	0.29
Berks	1,291	103	1,394	3.4%	1,390	117	1,507	3.59
Blair	259	43	302	0.7%	254	39	293	0.79
Bradford	169	9	178	0.4%	201	13	214	0.59
Bucks	703	30	733	1.8%	761	33	794	1.99
Butler	272	15	287	0.7%	280	24	304	0.79
Cambria	181	11	192	0.5%	217	16	233	0.59
Cameron	7	0	7	0.0%	10	0	10	0.0
Carbon	82	3	85	0.2%	75	1	76	0.2
Centre	196	11	207	0.5%	222	10	232	0.5
Chester	825	36	861	2.1%	887	41	928	2.2
Clarion	68	3	71	0.2%	70	4	74	0.2
Clearfield	264	25	289	0.7%	277	27	304	0.7
Clinton	63	4	67	0.2%	69	6	75	0.2
Columbia	92	7	99	0.2%	99	11	110	0.3
Crawford	201	18	219	0.5%	236	18	254	0.6
Cumberland	272	11	283	0.7%	275	13	288	0.7
Dauphin	1,696	117	1,813	4.4%	1,766	122	1,888	4.4
Delaware	1,341	44	1,385	3.4%	1,373	53	1,426	3.4
Ξlk	40	2	42	0.1%	38	1	39	0.1
Erie	1,332	74	1,406	3.4%	1,372	101	1,473	3.5
ayette	466	31	497	1.2%	530	50	580	1.4
orest	19	0	19	0.0%	22	0	22	0.1
ranklin	386	22	408	1.0%	410	26	436	1.0
ulton	42	4	46	0.1%	49	4	53	0.1
Greene	76	4	80	0.2%	83	6	89	0.2
Huntingdon	53	5	58	0.1%	56	7	63	0.1
ndiana	122	5	127	0.3%	119	10	129	0.3
Jefferson	113	13	126	0.3%	132	16	148	0.3
Juniata	37	5	42	0.1%	40	3	43	0.1
Lackawanna	559	36	595	1.5%	609	44	653	1.5
ancaster	943	49	992	2.4%	999	51	1,050	2.5
_awrence	208	14	222	0.5%	226	27	253	0.6
_ebanon	365	21	386	0.9%	405	26	431	1.0
_ehigh	1,035	55	1,090	2.7%	1,050	55	1,105	2.6
Luzerne	540	42	582	1.4%	604	44	648	1.5
_ycoming	457	49	506	1.2%	439	42	481	1.1
Mckean	77	3	80	0.2%	86	4	90	0.2
Mercer	287	23	310	0.8%	278	32	310	0.7
Mifflin	75	7	82	0.2%	75	9	84	0.2
Monroe	196	13	209	0.5%	220	16	236	0.6
Montgomery	1,131	49	1,180	2.9%	1,199	56	1,255	3.0
Montour	27	5	32	0.1%	30	2	32	0.1
Northampton	545	42	587	1.4%	597	44	641	1.5
Northumberland	277	24	301	0.7%	296	37	333	0.8
Perry	94	13	107	0.7%	99	13	112	0.3
Philadelphia	14,374	394	14,768	36.0%	14,259	377	14,636	34.4
Pike	54	5	59	0.1%	65	4	69	0.2
Potter	30	0	30	0.1%	30	0	30	0.2
Schuylkill	173	13	186	0.1%	170	13	183	0.1
Snyder	125	12	137	0.3%	135	18	153	0.4
Somerset	131	9	140	0.3%	127	10	137	0.4
Sullivan	12	0	140	0.0%	14	0	14	0.0
Susquehanna	66	4	70	0.0%	68	3	71	0.0
	84	1	70 85	0.2%	85	ა 1	86	0.2
lioga Jnion	88	4	92	0.2%	96	7	103	
		19		0.2%		21		0.2
Venango	264		283		262		283	0.7
Narren	79	10	89	0.2%	89	12	101	0.2
Nashington	234	11	245	0.6%	258	10	268	0.6
Wayne	137	6	143	0.3%	140	11	151	0.4
M	402	24	426	1.0%	458	30	488	1.1
Westmoreland		_						
Nyoming	70	6	76	0.2%	83	6	89	0.2
	70 1,269 60	6 58 6	76 1,327 66	0.2% 3.2% 0.2%	83 1,344 92	6 73 4	1,417 93	0.2 3.3 0.2

Table 14: Rank-Ordered Comparison of Civilian Population and State Incarceration Rates for 2004 and 2005

		2004			2005	
County	Civilian Population*	Rate per 100,000	Rank	Civilian Population*	Rate per 100,000	Rank
Philadelphia	1,479,339	1039.6	1	1,456,350	1005.0	1
Dauphin	253,388	698.5	2	252,949	746.4	2
rie	279,966	486.8	3	280,184	525.7	3
/enango	56,600	480.6	5	55,938	505.9	4
.ycoming	118,438	390.9	7	118,102	407.3	5
Snyder	38,015	347.2	9	37,949	403.2	6
ayette	146,121	316.2	13	146,206	396.7	7
Berks	385,307	353.0	8	396,236	380.3	8
learfield	82,874	317.3	12	82,634	367.9	9
ulton	14,534	392.2	6	14,655	361.7	10
Northumberland	93,323	310.7	14	92,280	360.9	11
/ork	394,915	318.0	11	408,182	347.1	12
ebanon	122,652	299.2	15	125,429	343.6	13
Bradford	62,643	245.8	22	62,504	342.4	14
orest	4,989	481.1	4 10	6,507	338.1	15 16
.ehigh lefferson	320,517	330.4 202.4	31	330,168	334.7 323.7	17
Franklin	45,945 133,155	202.4	16	45,716 137,273	323.7	17
Vyoming	28,153	234.4	24	28,122	317.6	19
ackawanna	20, 153	264.2	20	20,122	311.5	20
Jackawanna Vayne	49,092	295.4	17	50,529	298.8	21
Allegheny	1,261,303	285.6	19	1,233,036	295.4	22
Crawford	89,846	247.1	21	89,484	283.8	23
awrence	93,408	230.2	25	92,412	273.8	24
Mercer	119,895	292.8	18	119,115	260.3	25
Delaware	554,432	238.6	23	554,393	257.2	26
Perry	44,188	215.0	27	44,724	250.4	27
Varren	42,820	198.5	33	41,973	240.6	28
Jnion	42,552	206.8	29	43,171	238.6	29
Blair	127,175	221.0	26	126,572	231.5	30
Northampton	278,169	197.4	34	287,334	223.1	31
Greene	40,398	205.5	30	40,408	220.3	32
Sullivan	6,427	202.3	32	6,361	220.1	33
ancaster	482,775	196.0	35	489,936	214.3	34
Гioga	41,557	214.2	28	41,382	207.8	35
uzerne	313,528	176.7	42	312,795	207.2	36
Adams	96,456	183.5	40	99,746	204.5	37
McKean	45,236	187.9	38	44,239	203.4	38
Clinton	37,435	160.3	48	37,233	201.4	39
Chester	457,393	178.4	41	473,723	195.9	40
luniata	23,065	151.7	52	23,412	183.7	41
Clarion Mifflin	41,208	148.0	54 39	40,388	183.2	42 43
	46,335	187.8 155.8	50	46,085	182.3	43
Cameron Montour	5,777 18,083	165.9	45	5,593 17,983	178.8 177.9	45
Somerset	79,365	168.8	44	78,796	177.9	46
Beaver	178,697	160.6	47	176,825	173.9	47
Columbia	64,605	170.3	43	64,792	169.8	48
Susquehanna	41,812	188.9	37	41,943	169.3	49
Potter	18,141	192.9	36	17,728	169.2	50
Butler	180,040	149.4	53	181,526	167.5	51
Centre	141,636	139.8	56	140,313	165.3	52
Montgomery	770,747	153.9	51	774,666	162.0	53
Cambria	149,453	137.2	57	147,804	157.6	54
Bedford	49,941	104.1	66	49,862	150.4	55
ndiana	89,054	156.1	49	88,481	145.8	56
Monroe	154,495	141.1	55	162,415	145.3	57
Huntingdon	45,865	163.5	46	45,772	137.6	58
Vestmoreland	368,224	115.1	63	367,133	132.9	59
Vashington	204,286	119.0	62	206,418	129.8	60
Cumberland	219,892	124.6	59	223,017	129.1	61
Bucks	613,110	106.7	65	619,772	128.1	62
Schuylkill	147,944	110.2	64	146,996	124.5	63
Armstrong	71,659	100.5	67	70,527	123.4	64
Carbon	60,131	134.7	58	61,876	122.8	65
Pike	52,163	122.7	60	56,180	122.8	66
Elk	34,310	119.5	61	33,473	116.5	67
Total	12,365,455	329.8	0	12,405,348	342.5	0

<sup>\*</sup> Data based on estimated population provided by the Pennsylvania State Data Center.

Table 15: Inmate Population Versus State Institutional Capacity From 1996 through 2005

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%
2005	42,486	38,357	110.5%

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 soley on the physical characertisitos 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.

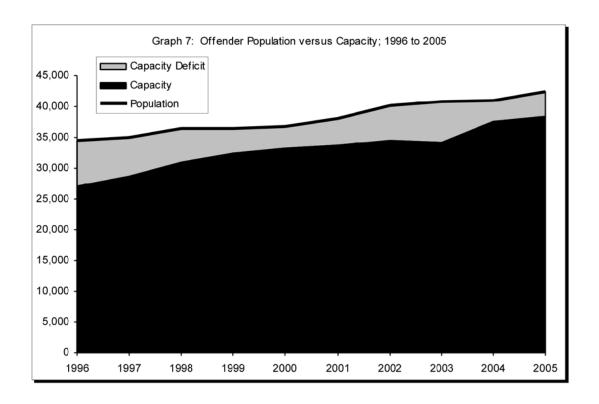


Table 16: Month-End Population 1995 through December 2005

Month	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
January	28,554	32,551	34,739	35,075	36,485	36,426	36,799	38,195	40,394	40,836	40,948
February	28,850	32,939	34,807	35,275	36,598	36,471	36,760	38,397	40,556	40,809	41,012
March	29,024	33,189	34,744	35,316	36,627	36,613	36,961	38,660	40,606	40,873	41,134
April	29,192	33,517	34,711	35,537	36,603	36,452	36,829	38,734	40,662	40,901	41,347
May	29,386	33,836	34,770	35,561	36,527	36,462	37,020	39,074	40,744	40,822	41,484
June	29,844	33,939	34,703	35,644	36,511	36,563	37,081	39,136	40,437	40,697	41,582
July	30,341	34,121	34,688	35,821	36,520	36,611	37,166	39,283	40,639	40,627	41,700
August	30,789	34,300	34,771	35,863	36,523	36,686	37,299	39,268	40,783	40,524	41,910
September	31,235	34,408	34,696	36,065	36,467	36,783	37,407	39,295	40,818	40,633	42,073
October	31,935	34,649	34,715	36,198	36,531	36,703	37,500	39,571	40,859	40,726	41,992
November	32,203	34,560	34,857	36,260	36,382	36,714	37,754	39,776	40,777	40,674	42,307
December	32,410	34,537	34,964	36,377	36,457	36,802	38,067	40,172	40,850	41,000	42,486

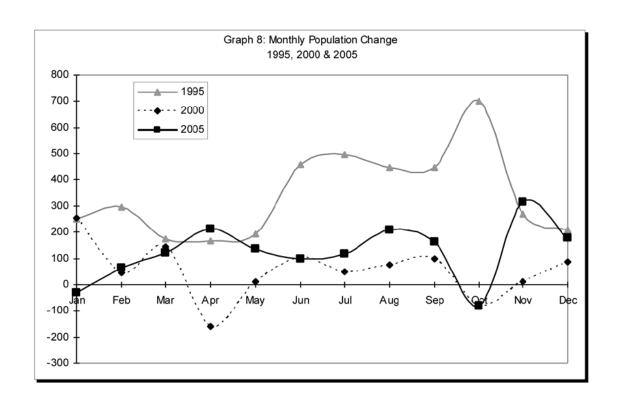


Table 17: Inmate Population by Facility, Race, Gender, and Age on December 31, 2004

		Rac	e		Gen	der		Age		
Facility	White	Black	Hispanic	Other	Male	Female	Under 25	25 - 39	40 and Over	Total
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	3,518
Chester	239	756	163	9	1,167	0	186	680	301	1,167
Coal Township	670	933	226	8	1,837	0	421	933	483	1,837
Cresson	706	525	130	8	1,369	0	180	663	526	1,369
Dallas	669	1,146	227	6	2,048	0	148	885	1,015	2,048
Fayette	550	1,166	201	8	1,925	0	232	981	712	1,925
Frackville	115	201	40	3	359	0	74	160	125	359
Graterford	383	612	93	13	1,101	0	178	575	348	1,101
Greene	655	2,157	347	26	3,185	0	310	1,448	1,427	3,185
Greensburg	578	1,064	184	12	1,838	0	254	1,008	576	1,838
Houtzdale	330	469	98	7	904	0	106	514	284	904
Huntingdon	784	1,175	253	8	2,220	0	408	957	855	2,220
Laurel Highlands	542	1,296	219	13	2,070	0	220	1,079	771	2,070
Mahanoy	491	317	75	8	891	0	33	271	587	891
Mercer	695	1,250	253	22	2,220	0	345	1,231	644	2,220
Muncy	562	388	94	8	1,052	0	71	388	593	1,052
Pine Grove	503	392	75	16	0	986	131	485	370	986
Pittsburgh	151	373	91	3	618	0	387	155	76	618
Quehanna Bootcamp	45	68	12	0	125	0	8	54	63	125
Retreat	69	115	51	2	234	3	118	119	0	237
Rockview	343	425	115	7	890	0	135	469	286	890
Smithfield	724	986	243	14	1,967	0	228	989	750	1,967
Somerset	391	662	160	8	1,221	0	172	719	330	1,221
Waymart	814	1,173	261	19	2,267	0	447	1,202	618	2,267
Waynesburg	742	347	136	11	1,236	0	54	404	778	1,236
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%

<sup>\*</sup> Community Corrections Centers

Table 18: Inmate Population by Facility, Race, Gender, and Age on December 31, 2005

		Rac			Gen			Age		
Facility	White	Black	Hispanic	Other	Male	Female	Under 25	25 - 39	40 and Over	Total
Albion	991	1,070	188	21	2,270	0	290	1,231	749	2270
Cambridge Springs	512	305	76	18	0	911	90	429	392	911
Camp Hill	1,390	1,484	478	11	3,363	0	823	1,573	967	3363
Chester	263	739	164	5	1,171	0	158	679	334	1,171
Coal Township	700	921	223	9	1,853	0	401	923	529	1853
Cresson	706	517	140	8	1,371	0	160	646	565	1,371
Dallas	680	1,086	212	8	1,986	0	150	847	989	1986
Fayette	564	1,147	186	14	1,911	0	224	969	718	1,911
Forest	642	978	216	9	1,845	0	380	951	514	1845
Frackville	407	581	107	12	1,107	0	166	578	363	1,107
Graterford	693	1,997	326	24	3,045	0	226	1,388	1,431	3045
Greene	575	1,122	171	12	1,880	0	190	1,046	644	1,880
Greensburg	345	460	90	5	900	0	96	498	306	900
Houtzdale	811	1,141	260	14	2,226	0	477	929	820	2,226
Huntingdon	576	1,271	223	16	2,086	0	134	1,115	837	2086
Laurel Highlands	523	302	80	6	911	0	29	260	622	911
Mahanoy	752	1,244	234	20	2,250	0	305	1,206	739	2250
Mercer	569	387	74	6	1,036	0	54	394	588	1,036
Muncy	567	361	90	18	0	1,036	172	484	380	1036
Pine Grove	158	406	91	2	657	0	430	148	79	657
Quehanna Bootcamp	95	123	38	2	251	7	103	141	14	258
Retreat	354	417	95	7	873	0	111	461	301	873
Rockview	752	992	221	14	1,979	0	191	1,007	781	1979
Smithfield	386	677	147	7	1,217	0	137	705	375	1,217
Somerset	841	1,111	252	20	2,224	0	414	1,141	669	2224
Waymart	751	347	134	8	1,240	0	41	408	791	1,240
C C Cs	136	165	61	4	339	27	37	201	128	366
Group Homes	124	284	92	3	452	51	61	285	157	503
Federal	4	7	0	0	11	0	0	4	7	11
Total	15,872	21,642	4,669	303	40,454	2,032	6,050	20,647	15,789	42,486
% of Total	37.3%	51.0%	11.0%	0.7%	95.2%	4.8%	14.2%	48.6%	37.2%	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup> Community Corrections Centers

Table 19: Uniform Crime Report Offense Groupings by Inmate Race and Gender as of December 31, 2005

			Rad	ce			Ger	nder	To	tal
Part I Offenses	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Indian	Other	Male	Female	Number	Percent
Murder										
1st Degree	871	1751	233	19	10	6	2,773	117	2,890	6.8%
2nd Degree	233	704	77	8	2		989	35	1,024	2.4%
3rd Degree	557	1380	260	22	4	4	2,084	143	2,227	5.2%
Unspecified	154	191	51	2	2		391	9	400	0.9%
Voluntary Manslaughter	49	119	26	1	1		178	18	196	0.5%
Involuntary Manslaughter	28	24	5				52	5	57	0.1%
Homicide by Motor Vehicle	156	32	11	3		1	184	19	203	0.5%
Forcible Rape	1965	1260	225	9	9	3	3,432	39	3,471	8.2%
Robbery	1123	2869	366	37	3	5	4,292	111	4,403	10.4%
Aggravated Assault	956	1736	337	19	6	1	2,910	145	3,055	7.2%
Burglary	987	634	104	8	5	3	1,686	55	1,741	4.1%
Theft (Including Motor Vehicle)	501	268	44	1	2	1	697	120	817	1.9%
Arson	142	57	11	2		1	199	14	213	0.5%
Total Part I Offenses	7,722	11,025	1,750	131	44	25	19,867	830	20,697	48.7%
			Rad	е			Ger	der	Tot	tal
Part II Offenses	White	Black	Rac Hispanic	e Asian	Indian	Other	Ger Male	nder Female	To:	tal Percent
Part II Offenses Other Assaults	White 194	Black 118			Indian 2	Other 1				
			Hispanic	Asian			Male	Female	Number	Percent
Other Assaults	194	118	Hispanic 19	<b>Asian</b>	2	1	Male 326	Female 9	Number 335	Percent 0.8%
Other Assaults Fraud	194 138	118 46	Hispanic 19 11	Asian 1	2	1	<b>Male</b> 326 159	Female 9 39	Number 335 198	Percent 0.8% 0.5%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property	194 138 158	118 46 132	Hispanic 19 11 22	<b>Asian</b> 1 1	2	1 1	Male 326 159 294	Female 9 39 19	Number 335 198 313	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery	194 138 158 145	118 46 132 69	Hispanic 19 11 22 11	Asian	1	1 1	Male 326 159 294 168	Female 9 39 19 60	Number 335 198 313 228	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape	194 138 158 145 246	118 46 132 69 93	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34	Asian	1	1 1	Male 326 159 294 168 364	Female 9 39 19 60 13	Number 335 198 313 228 377	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses	194 138 158 145 246 250	118 46 132 69 93 65	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25	Asian 1 1 1 2 3	1	1 1	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Laws	194 138 158 145 246 250 1,218	118 46 132 69 93 65 3,748	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25 1,428	Asian 1 1 1 2 3	1	1 1	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336 6,047	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4 373	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340 6,420	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8% 15.1%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Laws Weapons	194 138 158 145 246 250 1,218	118 46 132 69 93 65 3,748 247	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25 1,428 33	Asian 1 1 1 2 3	1	1 1	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336 6,047 347	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4 373 8	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340 6,420 355	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8% 15.1% 0.8%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Laws Weapons DUI	194 138 158 145 246 250 1,218 75 204	118 46 132 69 93 65 3,748 247 21	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25 1,428 33 7	Asian 1 1 1 2 3	1 4	1 1	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336 6,047 347 222	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4 373 8 11	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340 6,420 355 233	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8% 15.1% 0.8% 0.5%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Laws Weapons DUI Prison Breach	194 138 158 145 246 250 1,218 75 204	118 46 132 69 93 65 3,748 247 21	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25 1,428 33 7	Asian 1 1 1 2 3	1 4 1 1	1 1	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336 6,047 347 222 210	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4 373 8 11 31	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340 6,420 355 233 241	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8% 15.1% 0.8% 0.5% 0.6%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Laws Weapons DUI Prison Breach Kidnapping	194 138 158 145 246 250 1,218 75 204 116 71	118 46 132 69 93 65 3,748 247 21 97	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25 1,428 33 7 27	Asian 1 1 1 2 3	1 1 1 1	1 1 1 5	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336 6,047 347 222 210 173	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4 373 8 11 31 9	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340 6,420 355 233 241 182	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8% 15.1% 0.8% 0.5% 0.6% 0.4% 11.5% 33.2%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Laws Weapons DUI Prison Breach Kidnapping Other Part II Offenses	194 138 158 145 246 250 1,218 75 204 116 71 2,811	118 46 132 69 93 65 3,748 247 21 97 89 1,597	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25 1,428 33 7 27 21	Asian  1 1 2 3 17	1 1 4 1 1 1 6	1 1 1 5	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336 6,047 347 222 210 173 4,548	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4 373 8 11 31 9 337	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340 6,420 355 233 241 182 4,885	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8% 15.1% 0.8% 0.5% 0.6% 0.4% 11.5%
Other Assaults Fraud Receiving Stolen Property Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Laws Weapons DUI Prison Breach Kidnapping Other Part II Offenses Total Part II Offenses	194 138 158 145 246 250 1,218 75 204 116 71 2,811 5,626	118 46 132 69 93 65 3,748 247 21 97 89 1,597 <b>6,322</b>	Hispanic 19 11 22 11 34 25 1,428 33 7 27 21 452 2,090	Asian  1  1  2  3  17	2 1 1 4 1 1 1 6 17	1 1 1 5 8 16	Male 326 159 294 168 364 336 6,047 347 222 210 173 4,548 13,194	Female 9 39 19 60 13 4 373 8 11 31 9 337 913	Number 335 198 313 228 377 340 6,420 355 233 241 182 4,885 14,107	Percent 0.8% 0.5% 0.7% 0.5% 0.9% 0.8% 15.1% 0.8% 0.5% 0.6% 0.4% 11.5% 33.2%

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

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Table 20:	Status of In	mates on Dece	mber 31. Cal	endar Years	1995 through 2005

Status	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Sentenced	26,643	28,219	29,038	30,191	30,563	30,683	31,232	32,865	33,613	33,906	34,804
Parole Violators	5,762	6,316	5,925	6,186	5,893	6,118	6,834	7,287	7,235	7,036	7,594
Detentioners	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	48	88
Unknown	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	17	2	10	0
Total	32,410	34,537	34,964	36,377	36,457	36,802	38,067	40,172	40,850	41,000	42,486
Percent Distribution	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Sentenced	82.2%	81.7%	83.1%	83.0%	83.8%	83.4%	82.0%	81.8%	82.3%	82.7%	81.9%
Parole Violators	17.8%	18.3%	16.9%	17.0%	16.2%	16.6%	18.0%	18.1%	17.7%	17.2%	17.9%
Detentioners	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
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%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

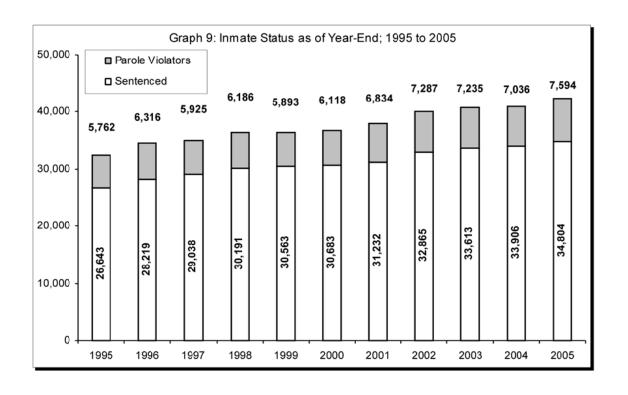


Table 21: Inmates by Primary Offense on December 31; Calendar Years 2004 and 2005 with 2005 Average Sentence Length

	2005		December	31, 2004	December 31, 2005		
	*Average	* Average					
Part I Offenses		Maximum (Years)	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total	
Murder							
1st Degree	Life or Death	Life or Death	2,809	6.9%	2,890	6.8%	
2nd Degree	Life	Life	1,002	2.4%	1,024	2.4%	
3rd Degree	15.6	33.4	2,162	5.3%	2,227	5.2%	
Unspecified	13.6	29.1	365	0.9%	400	0.9%	
Voluntary Manslaughter	7.7	16.9	197	0.5%	196	0.5%	
Involuntary Manslaughter	4.6	10.3	52	0.1%	57	0.1%	
Homicide by Motor Vehicle	4.7	10.9	181	0.4%	203	0.5%	
Forcible Rape	12.2	26.8	3,456	8.4%	3,471	8.2%	
Robbery	8.6	18.5	4,443	10.8%	4,403	10.4%	
Aggravated Assault	7.0	15.9	2,969	7.2%	3,055	7.2%	
Burglary	5.5	13.4	1,730	4.2%	1,741	4.1%	
Theft (Including Motor Vehicle)	2.0	5.3	785	1.9%	817	1.9%	
Arson	6.6	15.9	222	0.5%	213	0.5%	
Total Part I Offenses	9.2	20.3	20,373	49.7%	20,697	48.7%	
	*Average	05 * Average	December 31, 2004		December 31, 2005		
Part II Offenses		Maximum (Years)	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total	
Other Assaults	3.1	7.5	387	0.9%	335	0.8%	
Fraud	2.7	7.3	192	0.5%	198	0.5%	
Stolen Property	3.1	7.3	416	1.0%	313	0.7%	
Forgery	2.5	6.8	212	0.5%	228	0.5%	
Statutory Rape	3.3	8.7	357	0.9%	377	0.9%	
Other Sex Offenses	3.2	8.3	337	0.8%	340	0.8%	
Narcotic Drug Offenses	3.5	7.4	6.163	15.0%	6.420	15.1%	
Weapons	2.8	6.1	297	0.7%	355	0.8%	
DUI	1.7	4.4	327	0.8%	233	0.5%	
Prison Breach	2.0	4.7	257	0.6%	241	0.6%	
Kidnapping	13.3	29.8	164	0.4%	182	0.4%	
Other Part II Offenses	4.2	9.9	4,424	10.8%	4.885	11.5%	
Total Part II Offenses	3.7	8.5	13,533	33.0%	14,107	33.2%	
Total Part I and II Offenses	6.6	14.8	33,906	82.7%	34,804	81.9%	
Parole Violators	3.8	11.7	7.036	17.2%	7,594	17.9%	
Detentioners/Other	-	-	58	0.1%	88	0.2%	

<sup>\*</sup> 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 2004 and 2005

	December 3	1, 2004	December 31	, 2005
Item	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Age				
Under 18	41	0.1%	29	0.1%
18-20	1,060	2.6%	1,033	2.4%
21-24	5,156	12.6%	4,988	11.7%
25-29	7,806	19.0%	8,117	19.1%
30-34	6,362	15.5%	6,535	15.4%
35-39	5,828	14.2%	5,995	14.1%
40-44	5,575	13.6%	5,784	13.6%
45-49	4,091	10.0%	4,493	10.6%
50-54	2,511	6.1%	2,658	6.3%
55-59	1,387	3.4%	1,559	3.7%
60-64	669	1.6%	748	1.8%
65 and Over	514	1.3%	547	1.3%
Average	36	-	36	
Race				
Black	21,250	51.8%	21,642	50.9%
White	14,780	36.0%	15,872	37.4%
Hispanic	4,678	11.4%	4,669	11.0%
Other	292	0.7%	303	0.7%
Gender				
Male	39,174	95.5%	40,454	95.2%
Female	1,826	4.5%	2,032	4.8%
Marital Status				
Single	29,218	71.3%	30,530	71.9%
Married	6,421	15.7%	6,565	15.5%
Divorced	3,215	7.8%	3,221	7.6%
Separated	1,483	3.6%	1,478	3.5%
Widowed	472	1.2%	475	1.1%
Unknown	191	0.5%	217	0.5%
Birthplace				
PA	29,837	72.8%	30,922	72.8%
USA Not PA	9,984	24.4%	10,540	24.8%
Foreign Born	1,179	2.9%	1,024	2.4%
Religion				
Protestant	13,320	32.5%	13,961	32.9%
Catholic	7,317	17.8%	7,498	17.6%
Moslem	7,545	18.4%	7,767	18.3%
Jewish	197	0.5%	192	0.5%
Other	5,598	13.7%	5,714	13.4%
No preference	7,023	17.1%	7,354	17.3%
Total	41,000	100.0%	42,486	100.0%

Table 23: Long-Term Inmates on December 31, Calendar Years 2004 and 2005

	Decembe	r 31st	Change from	2004 to 2005
Minimum Sentence	2004	2005	Number	Percent
Over 10 to 20 Years	3,551	3,698	147	4.1%
Over 20 Years	1,260	1,349	89	7.1%
Lifers	4,091	4,216	125	3.1%
Capital Cases	225	224	-1	-0.4%
Total	9,127	9,487	360	3.9%
Percent of Total Population	22.3%	22.3%	-	-

Table 24: Number of Inmates by Facility Serving a Life Sentence on December 31; Calendar Years 2004 and 2005

	2004		200	05	
					Percent Change
Institution	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	2003 - 2004
Albion	177	4.3%	193	4.6%	9.0%
Cambridge Springs	19	0.5%	20	0.5%	5.3%
Camp Hill	82	2.0%	79	1.9%	-3.7%
Chester	33	0.8%	32	0.8%	-3.0%
Coal Township	147	3.6%	149	3.5%	1.4%
Cresson	51	1.2%	52	1.2%	2.0%
Dallas	383	9.4%	401	9.5%	4.7%
Fayette	267	6.5%	286	6.8%	7.1%
Forest	34	0.8%	84	2.0%	147.1%
Frackville	132	3.2%	133	3.2%	0.8%
Graterford	770	18.8%	765	18.1%	-0.6%
Greene	339	8.3%	337	8.0%	-0.6%
Greensburg	33	0.8%	41	1.0%	24.2%
Houtzdale	124	3.0%	134	3.2%	8.1%
Huntingdon	433	10.6%	418	9.9%	-3.5%
Laurel Highlands	39	1.0%	37	0.9%	-5.1%
Mahanoy	237	5.8%	254	6.0%	7.2%
Mercer	2	0.0%	4	0.1%	100.0%
Muncy	131	3.2%	136	3.2%	3.8%
Pine Grove	17	0.4%	19	0.5%	11.8%
Pittsburgh	19	0.5%	0	0.0%	-100.0%
Retreat	55	1.3%	58	1.4%	5.5%
Rockview	172	4.2%	180	4.3%	4.7%
Smithfield	171	4.2%	179	4.2%	4.7%
Somerset	216	5.3%	216	5.1%	0.0%
Waymart	4	0.1%	5	0.1%	25.0%
Lewisburg (Fed)	4	0.1%	4	0.1%	0.0%
Total	4,091	100.0%	4,216	100.0%	3.1%

Table 25: Inmates Serving a Life Sentence by Committing County; Calendar Years 2004 and 2005

	Decemb	er 31, 2004	December	31, 2005
County	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
Philadelphia	2,169	53.0%	2,226	52.8%
Allegheny	408	10.0%	424	10.1%
Delaware	145	3.5%	151	3.6%
Dauphin	119	2.9%	124	2.9%
Bucks	87	2.1%	91	2.2%
Montgomery	80	2.0%	87	2.1%
Lancaster	87	2.1%	85	2.0%
Berks	79	1.9%	84	2.0%
York	76	1.9%	78	1.9%
Erie	66	1.6%	66	1.6%
Chester	62	1.5%	64	1.5%
Lehigh	61	1.5%	61	1.4%
Other Counties	652	15.9%	675	16.0%
Total	4,091	100.0%	4,216	100.0%

Table 26: Age of Inmates Serving a Life Sentence on December 31; Calendar Years 2004 and 2005

	December 31, 2004			December 31, 2004				December 31, 20	05
Age	Number	% of Total	Cumulative %	Number	% of Total	Cumulative %			
Under 20	16	0.4%	0.4%	15	0.4%	0.4%			
20 to 24	187	4.6%	5.0%	173	4.1%	4.5%			
25 to 29	504	12.3%	17.3%	502	11.9%	16.4%			
30 to 34	549	13.4%	30.7%	570	13.5%	29.9%			
35 to 39	534	13.1%	43.8%	546	13.0%	42.8%			
40 to 44	624	15.3%	59.0%	595	14.1%	56.9%			
45 to 49	590	14.4%	73.4%	630	14.9%	71.9%			
50 to 54	473	11.6%	85.0%	497	11.8%	83.7%			
55 to 59	316	7.7%	92.7%	353	8.4%	92.1%			
60 to 64	176	4.3%	97.0%	188	4.5%	96.5%			
65 and Over	122	3.0%	100.0%	147	3.5%	100.0%			
Total	4,091	100.0%	-	4,216	100.0%				
Average Age	41.9	-	-	42.4					

Table 27: Time Served by Inmates Serving Life as of December 31; Calendar Years 2004 and 2005

	2004	4	2009	5
Time Served	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
Under 5 Years	516	12.6%	524	12.4%
5 to 9.9 Years	808	19.8%	788	18.7%
10 to 14.9 Years	876	21.4%	862	20.4%
15 to 19.9 Years	628	15.4%	686	16.3%
20 to 24.9 Years	589	14.4%	583	13.8%
25 to 29.9 Years	371	9.1%	408	9.7%
30 to 34.9 Years	221	5.4%	244	5.8%
35 to 39.9 Years	63	1.5%	93	2.2%
40 Years and over	19	0.5%	28	0.7%
Total	4,091	100.0%	4,216	100.0%
Average(Years)	15.4	-	15.9	

Table 28: Profile of Inmates Under Death Sentence on December 31; Calendar Years 2004 and 2005

	December	31, 2004	December	31, 2005
Category	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total
County				
Philadelphia	122	54.2%	119	53.1%
Allegheny	10	4.4%	10	4.5%
Berks	9	4.0%	10	4.5%
York	9	4.0%	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	1.8%	4	1.8%
Dauphin	4	1.8%	4	1.8%
Montgomery	4	1.8%	4	1.8%
Other Counties	41	18.2%	42	18.7%
Age				
18 - 24	6	2.7%	4	1.8%
25 - 29	19	8.4%	21	9.4%
30 - 34	26	11.6%	20	8.9%
35 - 39	44	19.6%	42	18.8%
40 - 44	47	20.9%	46	20.5%
45 - 49	38	16.9%	41	18.3%
50 - 54	22	9.8%	26	11.6%
55 and Over	23	10.2%	24	10.7%
Average	41.6	-	41.6	-
Race				
White	68	30.2%	70	31.3%
Black	137	60.9%	134	59.8%
Hispanic	18	8.0%	18	8.0%
Other	2	0.9%	2	0.9%
Gender				
Male	220	97.8%	219	97.8%
Female	5	2.2%	5	2.2%
Total	225	100.0%	224	100.0%



# Section III

Releases



## Highlights

## Releases

The type of releases from the Department remained almost unchanged between 2004 and 2005.

The number of unconditional releases (i.e., expiration of maximum sentence, executions, and court orders) represented 21.7% of total releases in 2004 and 20.1% in 2005.

The number of conditional releases (i.e., state paroles, county paroles, and reparoles) represented 72.2% of the total releases in 2004 and 69.5% in 2005.

Overall, the average time served for inmates released in 2005 for Part One and Part Two Offenses was 42.7 months. The average time served for Part One Offenders released was 65.6 months and the average time served for Part Two Offenders released was 29.8 months in 2005.

Table 29: Average Time Served by offense for Inmates Released During 2005

	12/31/05	Average Time	Average Time	
Part I Offenses	Number	Served (Months)	Served (Years)	% of Total
Murder				
1st Degree	32	297.3	24.7	0.2%
2nd Degree	12	176.5	14.7	0.1%
3rd Degree	148	143.8	12.0	1.0%
Unspecified	18	113.7	9.5	0.1%
Voluntary Manslaughter	33	84.8	7.1	0.2%
Involuntary Manslaughter	13	53.1	4.4	0.1%
Homicide by Motor Vehicle	48	42.7	3.6	0.3%
Forcible Rape	232	128.1	10.7	1.5%
Robbery	873	67.8	5.6	5.6%
Aggravated Assault	661	60.8	5.1	4.3%
Burglary	592	43.1	3.6	3.8%
Theft (Including Motor Vehicle)	509	25.2	2.1	3.3%
Arson	50	64.0	5.3	0.3%
Total Part I Offenses	3,221	65.6	5.5	20.8%
	12/31/05	Average Time	Average Time	
Part II Offenses	Number	Served (Months)	Served (Years)	% of Total
Other Assaults	195	27.8	2.3	1.3%
Fraud	105	23.7	2.0	0.7%
Stolen Property	247	27.5	2.3	1.6%
Stolen Property Forgery	247 128	27.5 25.8	2.3 2.1	1.6% 0.8%
Forgery	128	25.8	2.1	0.8%
Forgery Statutory Rape	128 70	25.8 56.4	2.1 4.7	0.8% 0.5%
Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses	128 70 74	25.8 56.4 44.5	2.1 4.7 3.7	0.8% 0.5% 0.5%
Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Offenses	128 70 <b>74</b> 2,819	25.8 56.4 44.5 30.0	2.1 4.7 3.7 2.5	0.8% 0.5% 0.5% 18.2%
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Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Offenses Weapons DUI	128 70 74 2,819 146 227	25.8 56.4 44.5 30.0 25.8 21.4	2.1 4.7 3.7 2.5 2.1 1.8	0.8% 0.5% 0.5% 18.2% 0.9% 1.5%
Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Offenses Weapons DUI Prison Breach	128 70 74 2,819 146 227	25.8 56.4 44.5 30.0 25.8 21.4 23.7	2.1 4.7 3.7 2.5 2.1 1.8 2.0	0.8% 0.5% 0.5% 18.2% 0.9% 1.5% 1.1%
Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Offenses Weapons DUI Prison Breach Kidnapping	128 70 74 2,819 146 227 174	25.8 56.4 44.5 30.0 25.8 21.4 23.7 76.0	2.1 4.7 3.7 2.5 2.1 1.8 2.0 6.3	0.8% 0.5% 0.5% 18.2% 0.9% 1.5% 1.1%
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Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Offenses Weapons DUI Prison Breach Kidnapping Other Part II Offenses Total Part II Offenses Total Part I and II Offenses	128 70 74 2,819 146 227 174 13 1,512 5,710 8,931	25.8 56.4 44.5 30.0 25.8 21.4 23.7 76.0 30.9 29.8	2.1 4.7 3.7 2.5 2.1 1.8 2.0 6.3 2.6 2.5	0.8% 0.5% 0.5% 18.2% 0.9% 1.5% 1.1% 0.1% 9.7% 36.8%
Forgery Statutory Rape Other Sex Offenses Narcotic Drug Offenses Weapons DUI Prison Breach Kidnapping Other Part II Offenses Total Part II offenses Parole Violators	128 70 74 2,819 146 227 174 13 1,512 5,710 8,931 5,288	25.8 56.4 44.5 30.0 25.8 21.4 23.7 76.0 30.9 29.8	2.1 4.7 3.7 2.5 2.1 1.8 2.0 6.3 2.6 2.5	0.8% 0.5% 0.5% 18.2% 0.9% 1.5% 1.1% 0.1% 9.7% 36.8% 57.6%

### Notes:

<sup>1)</sup> Releases for first and second degree murder are only those due to death.

<sup>2)</sup> Calculation of average time served does not include non-recommit actions or reparoles.

<sup>3)</sup> Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Table 30: Inmate Releases by Type for Calendar Years 2004 and 2005

Type of Release	2005	5	2004	1
Unconditional	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Maxed Out*	3,047	19.6%	3,115	21.1%
By Court Order	75	0.5%	89	0.6%
Total	3,122	20.1%	3,204	21.7%
Conditional	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
State Parole	7,288	47.0%	7,487	50.6%
County Parole	14	0.1%	17	0.1%
Reparoled (State)	3,488	22.5%	3,171	21.4%
Total	10,790	69.5%	10,675	72.2%
Other Releases	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Deaths	149	1.0%	164	1.1%
Other**	1,456	9.4%	742	5.0%
Total	1,605	10.3%	906	6.1%
Total Releases	15,517	100.0%	14,785	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup> Expiration of maximum sentence.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Other includes transfers to state hospitals and other jurisdictions, and released detentioners. The increase in 2005 is primarily due to the increased use of the Penn CAPP program for technical parole violators.

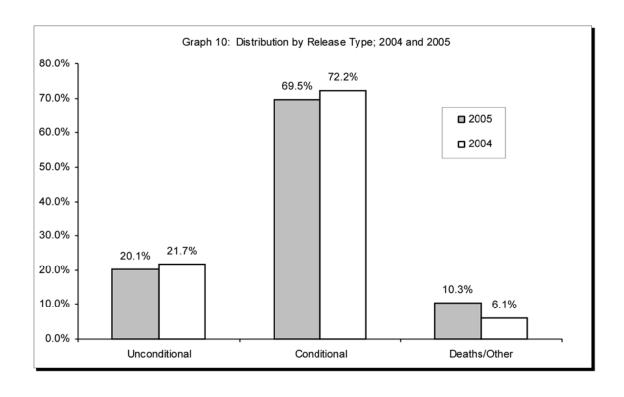


Table 31: Average Months Served by Inmates Initially Released in Calendar Years 1995 through 2005

		m Sentence r 2 Years		n Sentence and Over	All Sentences		
Year Released	Number Average Time Released Served (Months)		Number Released	Average Time Served (Months)	Number Released	Average Time Served (Months)	
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	
2005	13	14.7	8,748	42.8	8,761	42.7	

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.

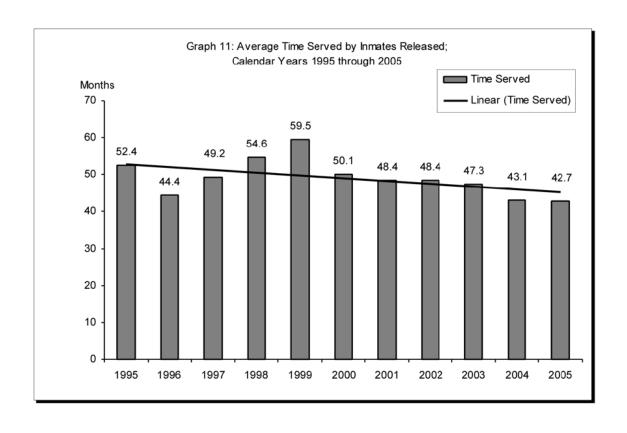


Table 32: Releases by Type for Inmates Serving a Life Sentence; Calendar Years 1995 through 2005

Year Released	Commuted/Other*	Died	Total
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
2005	2	41	43
Total	4	294	298

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



# Section IV

## Miscellaneous



## Miscellaneous

There were no breach escapes from institutions in 2005. There have been no breach escapes since 1999. There has only been one walk away from outside the institutions since 1998.

There were 86 walk aways from community correction centers in 2005.

The Department of Corrections' overall personnel complement consisted of 8,623 security staff and 5,326 other staff positions in 2005.

## Highlights

Table 33: Number of Breach Escapes from 1995 through 2005 by Facility											
Institution/Facility	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
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	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	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fayette	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Frackville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graterford	1	0	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	0
Huntingdon	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laurel Highlands	-	0	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	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	0	1	6	0	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	1	0	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	1	4	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 34: Number of Walk Aways from 1995 through 2005 by Facility											
Institution/Facility	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Albion	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cambridge Springs	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camp Hill	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chester	-	-	-	0	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	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fayette	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Frackville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graterford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greensburg	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Houtzdale	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Huntingdon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laurel Highlands	-	0	1	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	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quehanna	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Retreat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rockview	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Somerset	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smithfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waynesburg	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waymart	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sub-Total	5	2	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
CCCs	69	98	78	69	71	73	161	126	126	109	86
Total	74	100	84	72	71	73	161	126	126	109	87

Table 35: Complement Control by Location as of December 31, 2005									
Facility	Other Staff Female	Male	Other Staff Total	Security Sta	aff Male	Security Staff Total	Grand Total		
Albion	100	126	226	16	308	324	550		
Cambrdge Springs	86	50	136	90	71	161	297		
Camp Hill	149	203	352	56	564	620	972		
Chester	69	82	151	67	162	229	380		
Coal Twp	87	138	225	15	276	291	516		
Cresson	71	107	178	14	259	273	451		
Dallas	89	151	240	14	439	453	693		
Forest	110	108	218	22	376	398	616		
Frackville	59	77	136	7	271	278	414		
Graterford	152	209	361	121	620	741	1,102		
Greensburg	53	81	134	13	214	227	361		
Greene	104	134	238	10	466	476	714		
Houtzdale	114	129	243	9	305	314	557		
Huntingdon	96	128	224	14	408	422	646		
Laurel Highlands	120	101	221	23	192	215	436		
Mahanoy	94	116	210	17	304	321	531		
Mercer	51	90	141	7	205	212	353		
Muncy	106	77	183	150	109	259	442		
Pine Grove	57	94	151	7	194	201	352		
Quehanna	27	43	70	11	93	104	174		
Retreat	63	75	138	7	186	193	331		
Rockview	77	153	230	14	399	413	643		
Smithfield	70	86	156	13	299	312	468		
Somerset	93	132	225	10	309	319	544		
Waymart	135	158	293	18	418	436	729		
Fayette	102	144	246	24	407	431	677		
TOTAL	2,334	2,992	5,326	769	7,854	8,623	13,949		



# 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:

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

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

<u>Reparoled (State)</u>: 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:

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

<u>Walk away escape:</u> 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 statue.

**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.

### Glossary

**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.