
8 Corrective services

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The Corrective services chapter (chapter 8) in the *Report on Government Services 2013* (2013 Report) reports on the performance of corrective services in each Australian State and Territory. Data are reported for Indigenous Australians for a subset of the performance indicators reported in that chapter — those data are compiled and presented here.

Corrective services aim to provide a safe, secure and humane custodial environment and an effective community corrections environment in which prisoners and offenders are effectively managed, commensurate with their needs and the risks they pose to the community. Additionally, corrective services aim to reduce the risk

of re-offending by providing services and program interventions that address the causes of offending, maximise the chances of successful reintegration into the community and encourage offenders to adopt a law-abiding way of life.

In this chapter, corrective services include prison custody, periodic detention, and a range of community corrections orders and programs for adult offenders (for example, parole and community work orders). Both public and privately operated correctional facilities are included; however, the scope of this chapter generally does not extend to:

- juvenile justice¹ (reported on in chapter 15, Protection and support services)
- prisoners or alleged offenders held in forensic mental health facilities to receive psychiatric care (who are usually the responsibility of health departments)
- prisoners held in police custody (reported on in chapter 6, Police services)
- people held in facilities such as immigration or military detention centres.

Jurisdictional data reported in this chapter provided by State and Territory governments are based on the definitions and counting rules from the National Corrections Advisory Group (unpublished) *Corrective Services Data Collection Manual 2010-11*.

Box 8.1 Terms relating to corrective services

Prisoners in this chapter refers to people held in full time custody under the jurisdiction of an adult corrective services agency. This includes sentenced prisoners serving a term of imprisonment and unsentenced prisoners held on remand.

Detainees refers to people subject to a periodic detention order, under which they are held for two consecutive days within a one-week period in a proclaimed prison or detention centre under the responsibility of corrective services.

Offenders refers to people serving community corrections orders, which includes bail orders if these orders are subject to supervision by community corrections officers.

1 From 2004-05, NSW Corrective Services continues to manage one 40-bed facility that houses males aged 16 to 18. These young offenders are included in the daily average number of prisoners and are included in the calculation of indicators. As they represent only a very small proportion of NSW prisoners (less than one-half of one per cent) they will have a negligible effect on these indicators and are not footnoted to each table and figure.

Indigenous data in the Corrective services chapter

The Corrective services chapter in the *Report on Government Services 2013* (2013 Report) contains the following data items on Indigenous Australians:

- imprisonment rates, 2011-12
- community corrections rates, 2011-12
- prisoner death rates from apparent unnatural causes, 2011-12.

The corrective services attachment contains additional data relating to Indigenous Australians including periodic detention rates, 2011-12.

Prison custody

On average, 29 213 people per day (excluding periodic detainees) were held in Australian prisons during 2011-12 — an increase of 1.7 per cent over the average daily number reported in the previous year (table 8A.1). In addition, on average, 117 people per day were serving periodic detention orders in NSW and the ACT in 2011-12 — a decrease of 74.3 per cent from the 2010-11 average, reflecting the continuing impact of the abolition of periodic detention as a sentencing option in NSW in 2010.

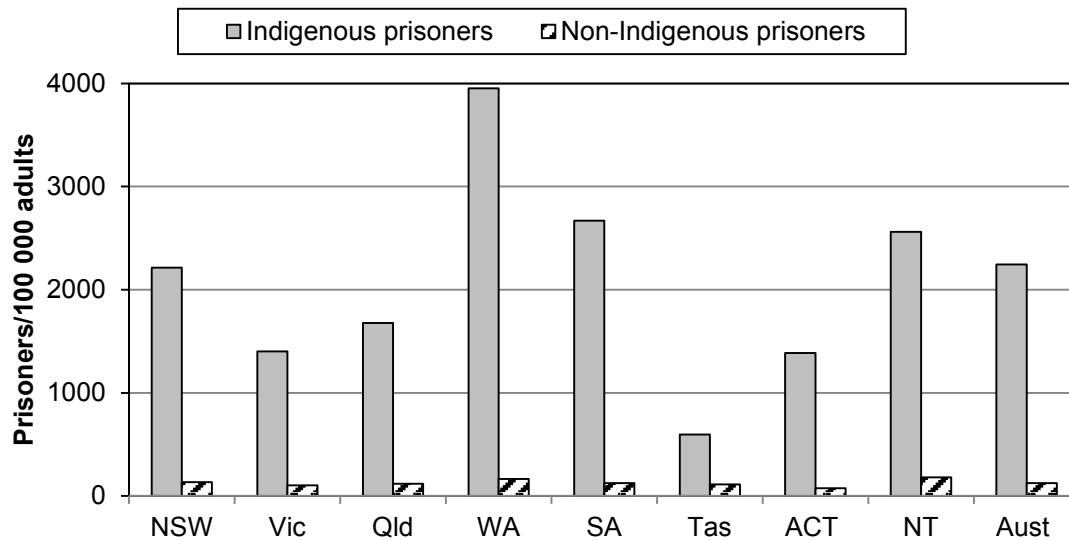
The daily average number of Indigenous prisoners was 7757 — 26.6 per cent of prisoners nationally (table 8A.1).

The rate of imprisonment represents the number of prisoners (excluding periodic detainees) per 100 000 people in the corresponding adult population. The adult population refers to people at or over the minimum age at which offenders are generally sentenced as adults in each jurisdiction (17 years in Queensland and 18 years in all other jurisdictions for the reporting period).

The national (crude) imprisonment rate for all prisoners was 167.4 per 100 000 Australian adults in 2011-12, compared to 164.9 in 2010-11 (2013 Report, figure 8.2, p 8.5).

The national (crude) imprisonment rate per 100 000 Indigenous adults in 2011-12 was 2246.3 compared with a corresponding rate of 123.7 for non-Indigenous prisoners (figure 8.1).

Figure 8.1 Indigenous and non-Indigenous crude imprisonment rates, 2011-12^{a, b}



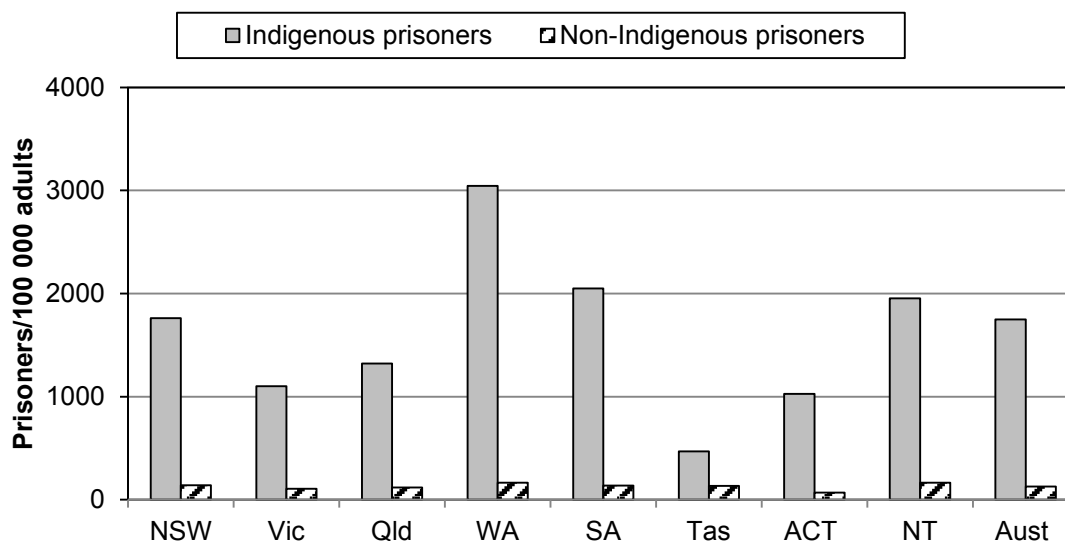
^a Non-age standardised rates based on the daily average prisoner population numbers supplied by State and Territory governments, calculated against adult Indigenous and non-Indigenous population estimates. ^b Excludes prisoners whose Indigenous status was reported as unknown.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, December quarter, 2010 (preliminary), Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; State and Territory governments (unpublished); table 8A.4; 2013 Report, figure 8.3, p. 8.7.

The Indigenous population has a younger age profile compared with the non-Indigenous population, and that factor will contribute to higher rates when the overall (crude) imprisonment rate is compared between the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations. Age standardisation is a statistical method that accounts for differences in the age structures of populations, allowing a more valid comparison to be made between populations.

The national age standardised imprisonment rate per 100 000 Indigenous adults in 2011-12 was 1749.7 compared with a corresponding rate of 129.1 for non-Indigenous prisoners (figure 8.2). This represents a ratio of 13.6, compared with a ratio of 18.2 for the crude imprisonment rate.

Figure 8.2 **Indigenous and non-Indigenous age standardised imprisonment rates, 2011-12^a**



^a Rates are based on the indirect standardisation method, applying age-group imprisonment rates derived from Prison Census data.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, December quarter, 2010 (preliminary), Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; ABS (unpublished) *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no 4517.0; State and Territory governments (unpublished); table 8A.4; 2013 Report, figure 8.4, p. 8.8.

While imprisonment rates for Indigenous people, whether calculated on a crude or age standardised basis, are far higher than those for non-Indigenous people, the majority of prisoners are non-Indigenous. Nationally, 72.4 per cent of all prisoners were non-Indigenous in 2011-12 (table 8A.1).

Statistical information on the profile of prisoners additional to that provided in the *Report on Government Services* is available through Australian Bureau of Statistics publications. For example, *Prisoners in Australia* (Cat. no. 4517.0) provides data on the offence types and length of sentences served by prisoners in each jurisdiction and nationally.

Community corrections

All jurisdictions provide community corrections services. Community corrections are responsible for a range of non-custodial sanctions and also deliver post-custodial interventions, under which prisoners released into the community continue to be subject to corrective services supervision. In some jurisdictions, community corrections responsibility includes managing offenders on supervised bail orders.

All jurisdictions have reparation and supervision orders. Restricted movement orders were available in all jurisdictions except Queensland, Tasmania and the ACT in 2011-12. Table 8A.24, in 2013 Report, shows the range of sanctions involving corrective services that operated across jurisdictions during the reporting period.

These services vary in the extent and nature of supervision, the conditions of the order (such as a community work component or personal development program attendance) and the level of restriction placed on the offender's freedom of movement in the community (for example, home detention). No single objective or set of characteristics is common to all jurisdictions' community corrections services, other than that they generally provide a non-custodial sentencing alternative or a post-custodial mechanism for reintegrating prisoners into the community under continued supervision.

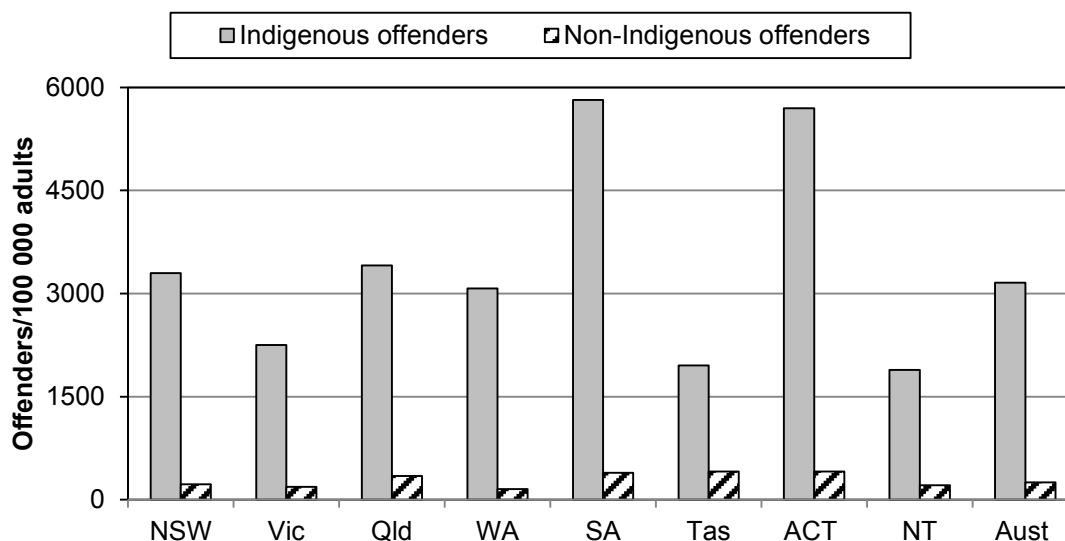
Nationally, an average of 54 996 offenders per day were serving community corrections orders in 2011-12 — a decrease of 1.9 per cent from the previous year (table 8A.3). This daily average comprised 45 101 males (82.0 per cent), 9 854 females (17.9 per cent) and 41 offenders whose gender was not reported. The daily average comprised 10 913 Indigenous offenders (19.8 per cent of the total community correction population), 43 079 non-Indigenous offenders (78.3 per cent) and 1003 people whose Indigenous status was unknown (table 8A.3).

The community corrections rate represents the number of offenders serving community corrections orders per 100 000 people in the corresponding adult population. The adult population refers to people at or over the minimum age at which offenders are generally sentenced as adults in each jurisdiction (17 years in Queensland and 18 years in all other jurisdictions for the reporting period).

The national rate for Indigenous offenders in 2011-12 was 3160.2 per 100 000 Indigenous adults compared with 251.9 for non-Indigenous offenders (figure 8.3).

Comparisons need to be interpreted with care, especially for those jurisdictions with relatively small Indigenous populations, because small changes in offender numbers can cause variations in rates that do not accurately represent either real trends over time or consistent differences from other jurisdictions. Further, community corrections rates presented in figure 8.6 are not age standardised (that is, they are not adjusted to account for the different age structures of the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations). Data are not available for calculating age standardised community correction offender rates.

Figure 8.3 **Indigenous and non-Indigenous community corrections rates, 2011-12^{a, b}**



^a Non-age standardised rates based on the daily average offender population numbers supplied by State and Territory governments, calculated against adult Indigenous and non-Indigenous population estimates.
^b Excludes offenders whose Indigenous status was reported as unknown.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, December quarter, 2010, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; State and Territory governments (unpublished); table 8A.4; 2013 Report, figure 8.6, p. 8.11.

Framework of performance indicators

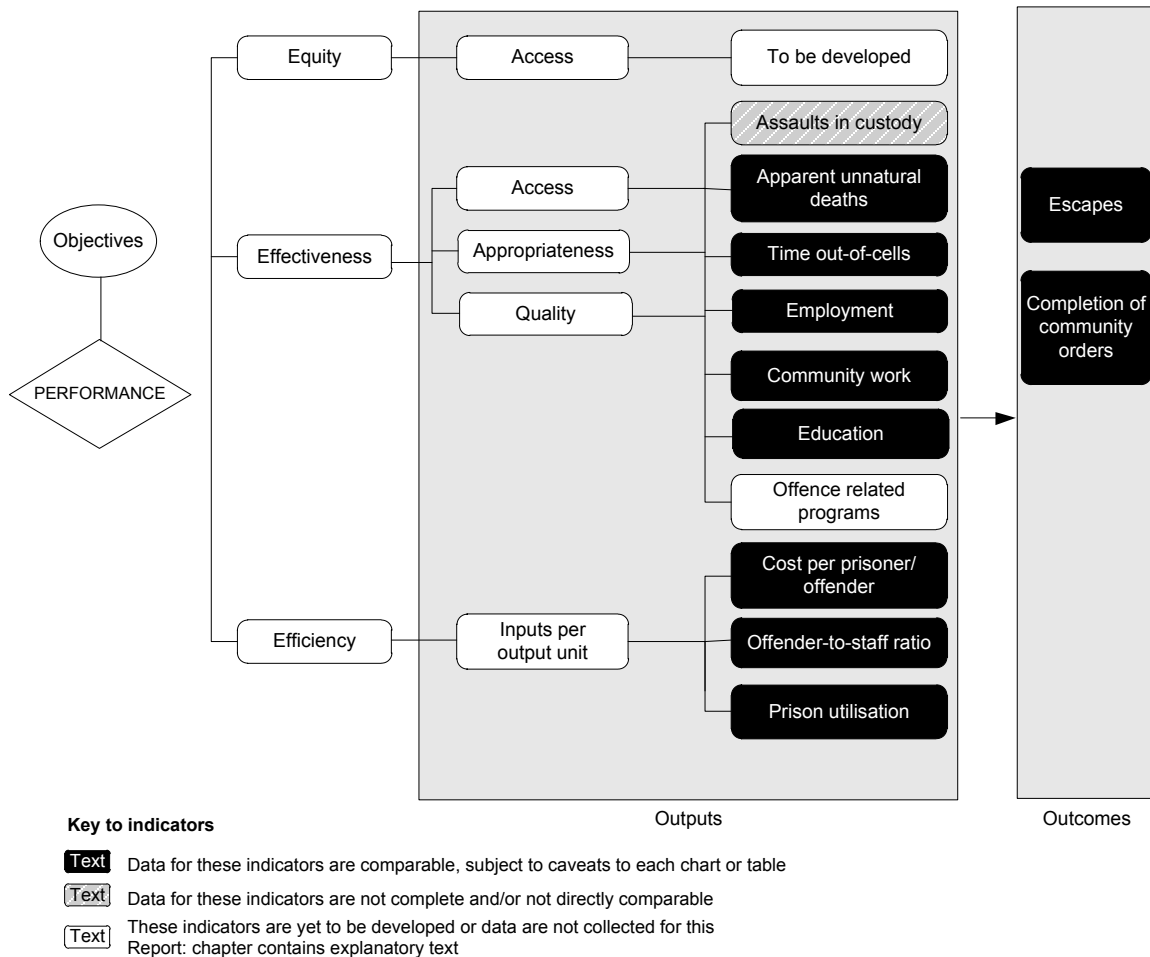
The Corrective services performance indicator framework outlined in figure 8.4 identifies the principal corrective services activity areas considered in the 2013 Report. Data for Indigenous Australians are reported for a subset of the performance indicators and are presented here. It is important to interpret these data in the context of the broader performance indicator framework. The framework shows which data are comparable. For data that are not considered directly comparable, the text includes relevant caveats and supporting commentary.

Indicator boxes presented throughout the chapter provide information about the reported indicators. As these are sourced directly from the 2013 Report, they may include references to data not reported for Indigenous Australians and therefore not included in this Compendium.

The Report's statistical appendix contains data that may assist in interpreting the performance indicators presented in this chapter. These data cover a range of demographic and geographic characteristics, including age profile, geographic

distribution of the population, income levels, education levels, tenure of dwellings and cultural heritage (such as Indigenous and ethnic status) (Appendix A).

Figure 8.4 **Corrective services performance indicator framework**



Source: 2013 Report, figure 8.7, p. 8.13.

Apparent unnatural deaths

‘Apparent unnatural deaths’ is an indicator of governments’ objective of providing a safe, secure and humane custodial environment including providing a custodial environment in which there is a low risk of death from unnatural causes (box 8.2).

Box 8.2 Apparent unnatural deaths

'Apparent unnatural deaths' is defined as the number of deaths, divided by the annual average prisoner or detainee population, multiplied by 100 (to give the rate per 100 prisoners or 100 detainees), where the likely cause of death is suicide, drug overdose, accidental injury or homicide, and is reported separately for Indigenous and non-Indigenous prisoners or detainees.

A zero, low or decreasing rate of apparent unnatural deaths indicates better performance, however rates for this indicator need to be interpreted with caution. A single incident in a jurisdiction with a relatively small prisoner or detainee population can significantly increase the rate in that jurisdiction, but would have only a minor impact in jurisdictions with larger populations. A relatively high rate in a jurisdiction with a small prisoner or detainee population can represent only a very small number of deaths.

Data reported for this indicator are comparable.

Data quality information for this indicator is at www.pc.gov.au/gsp/reports/rogs/2013.

Nationally, the rate of deaths from apparent unnatural causes for all prisoners was 0.03 per 100 prisoners in 2011-12 (table 8A.15). Table 8.1 presents data on number and rates of death from apparent unnatural causes in 2011-12, for Indigenous and non-Indigenous prisoners.

Table 8.1 Rate and number of prisoner deaths from apparent unnatural causes, by indigenous status, 2011-12

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Deaths/100 prisoners									
Indigenous	0.05	–	0.06	–	–	–	–	–	0.03
Non-indigenous	0.07	–	0.03	–	0.06	0.23	–	–	0.04
Number of deaths									
Indigenous	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	2
Non-indigenous	5	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	8

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: State and Territory governments (unpublished); tables 8A.15, 8A.26, 8A.34, 8A.40, 8A.46, 8A.52, 8A.58, 8A.64, and 8A.72; 2013 Report, table 8.1, p. 8.16.

The national rate of deaths from apparent unnatural causes has declined from the previous reporting period for both Indigenous prisoners at 0.03 per 100 Indigenous prisoners in 2011-12 and 0.04 for non-Indigenous prisoners (table 8.2).

Table 8.2 Rate of prisoner deaths from apparent unnatural causes, five year trends, by Indigenous status (per 100 prisoners)^a

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Indigenous									
2006-07	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2007-08	0.05	–	–	0.06	–	–	–	–	0.03
2008-09	0.04	–	–	0.10	–	–	–	0.11	0.05
2010-11	0.04	–	–	0.06	0.21	–	–	–	0.04
2011-12	0.05	–	0.06	–	–	–	–	–	0.03
Non-indigenous									
2006-07	0.07	0.05	0.02	0.09	–	–	–	–	0.05
2007-08	0.05	0.08	0.10	–	0.07	–	1.01	–	0.06
2008-09	0.05	0.10	0.10	0.14	–	–	–	–	0.08
2010-11	0.12	0.05	0.08	–	0.07	–	–	0.48	0.08
2011-12	0.07	–	0.03	–	0.06	0.23	–	–	0.04

^a Data for previous years may vary from rates given in previous Reports. Deaths reported as 'unknown cause', where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from unnatural causes are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: State and Territory governments (unpublished); table 8A.16; 2013 Report, table 8.2, p. 8.16.

There were no deaths from apparent unnatural causes for periodic detainees in 2011-12 (table 8A.15).

Future directions in performance reporting

The disaggregation of various indicators by Indigenous and non-Indigenous status is being trialled for possible incorporation in future reports as the basis for equity-access indicator rates.

Prisoner health status/general community comparisons

For both Indigenous and non-Indigenous people, the incidence of illicit drug use was higher among prison entrants than the general population in all age groups (table 8.3).

Table 8.3 Incidence of illicit drug use within the previous 12 months
Per cent

<i>Age group (years)</i>	<i>Prison entrants</i>		<i>General population</i>	
	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-indigenous</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-indigenous</i>
18-24	76	66	40	29
25-34	69	79	35	24
35-44	68	63	29	14

Source: AIHW *The health of Australia's prisoners, 2010*, p. 128; 2013 Report, table 8.6, p. 8.35.

Definitions of key terms and indicators

Apparent unnatural death

The death of a person:

- who is in corrective services custody (which includes deaths that occur within prisons and periodic detention centres, during transfer to or from prison, within a medical facility following transfer from prison, or in the custody of corrective services outside a custodial facility)
- whose death is caused or contributed to by traumatic injuries sustained, or by lack of proper care, while in such custody
- who dies or is fatally injured in the process of prison officers attempting to detain that person
- who dies or is fatally injured in the process of that person escaping or attempting to escape from prison custody
- there is sufficient evidence to suggest, subject to a Coroner's finding, that the most likely cause of death is homicide, suicide, an accidental cause or a drug overdose.

The rate is expressed per 100 prisoners, calculated by dividing the number of deaths by the daily average prisoner population, multiplied by 100.

Community corrections

Community-based management of court-ordered sanctions, post-prison orders and administrative arrangements and fine conversions for offenders, which principally involve one or more of the following requirements: supervision; program participation; or community work.

Community corrections rate

The annual average number of offenders per 100 000 population aged 17 years or over in those jurisdictions where persons are remanded or sentenced to adult custody at 17 years of age, or 18 years or over in those jurisdictions where the age for adult custody is 18 years old.

Community work (offenders)

Unpaid community work (hours) by offenders serving community corrections orders during the counting period.

Detainee

A person subject to a periodic detention order.

Education

The number of prisoners actively participating in education as a percentage of those who are eligible for education. Prisoners excluded as ineligible for education may include:

- prisoners in centres where education programs are not provided as a matter of policy or where education programs are not available (for example, remand centres, 24-hour court cells)
- remandees for whom access to education is not available
- hospital patients who are medically unable to participate
- fine defaulters (who are incarcerated for only a few days at a time).

Home detention

A corrective services program requiring offenders to be subject to supervision and monitoring by an authorised corrective services officer while confined to their place of residence or a place other than a prison.

Imprisonment rate

The annual average number of prisoners per 100 000 population aged 17 years or over in those jurisdictions where persons are remanded or sentenced to adult custody at 17 years of age, or 18 years or over in those jurisdictions where the age for adult custody is 18 years old.

Indigenous status	Persons identifying themselves as either an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person if they are accepted as such by an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander community.
Offender	An adult person subject to a current community-based corrections order (including bail supervision by corrective services).
Periodic detention	An order of confinement, imposed by a court of law, requiring that a person be held in a legally proclaimed prison or periodic detention facility for two consecutive days within a one-week period.
Periodic detention rate	The annual average number of periodic detainees per 100 000 population aged 17 years or over in those jurisdictions where persons are remanded or sentenced to adult custody at 17 years of age, or 18 years or over in those jurisdictions where the age for adult custody is 18 years old.
Prison	A legally proclaimed prison or remand centre, which holds adult prisoners, excluding police prisons or juvenile detention facilities.
Prisoner	A person held in full time custody under the jurisdiction of an adult corrective services agency.
Remand	A legal status where a person is held in custody pending outcome of a court hearing, including circumstances where the person has been convicted but has not yet been sentenced.
Restricted movement order	A subcategory of community-based corrections that refers to an order that limits the person's liberty to their place of residence unless authorised by corrective services to be absent for a specific purpose, for example, Home Detention Orders.
Supervision order	A subcategory of community-based corrections that refers to an order that includes a range of conditions other than those categorised as restricted movement or reparation.

List of attachment tables

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Tables in this attachment are sourced from the Corrective services attachment of the 2013 Report. Table numbers refer to the 2013 Report, for example, a reference to ‘2013 Report, table 8A.15’ refers to attachment table 15 of attachment 8A of the 2013 Report.

Definitions for indicators and descriptors in this attachment are in the Corrective services chapter of the Compendium.

Data in this Compendium are examined by the Corrective Services Working Group, but have not been formally audited by the Secretariat. Unsourced information was obtained from the Australian, State and Territory governments.

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TABLE 8A.1

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Average daily prisoner population (a)

	<i>Units</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2011-12										
All prisons	no.	9 752	4 831	5 650	4 795	2 078	510	259	1 337	29 213
Secure/open										
Open	no.	3 577	571	510	1 025	217	42	8	462	6 412
Secure	no.	6 175	4 260	5 140	3 771	1 861	468	251	875	22 801
Open — share	%	36.7	11.8	9.0	21.4	10.4	8.2	2.9	34.6	21.9
Secure — share	%	63.3	88.2	91.0	78.6	89.6	91.8	97.1	65.4	78.1
Male/female										
Male	no.	9 089	4 504	5 203	4 413	1 947	472	248	1 268	27 144
Female	no.	663	327	447	382	131	38	11	69	2 069
Male — share	%	93.2	93.2	92.1	92.0	93.7	92.5	95.8	94.8	92.9
Female — share	%	6.8	6.8	7.9	8.0	6.3	7.5	4.2	5.2	7.1
Indigenous/non-Indigenous										
Indigenous	no.	2 192	318	1 668	1 865	493	74	41	1 106	7 757
Non-Indigenous	no.	7 319	4 461	3 982	2 930	1 585	433	215	231	21 157
Indigenous status unknown	no.	241	52	—	—	—	3	3	—	299
Indigenous — share	%	22.5	6.6	29.5	38.9	23.7	14.5	15.7	82.7	26.6
Non-Indigenous — share	%	75.0	92.3	70.5	61.1	76.3	84.9	83.2	17.3	72.4
Indigenous status unknown — share	%	2.5	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.2	0.0	1.0
Privately operated prisons										
Held in privately operated prisons	no.	1 481	1 568	1 293	996	172	—	—	—	5 510
Privately operated prisons — share	%	15.2	32.5	22.9	20.8	8.3	—	—	—	18.9
Periodic detention (b)										
Total detainees	no.	55	62	..	117
Attending residential component	no.	—	46	..	46

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2010-11										
All prisons	no.	10 094	4 586	5 537	4 633	1 987	474	228	1 172	28 711
Secure/open										
Open	no.	3 648	513	515	970	206	49	–	378	6 279
Secure	no.	6 446	4 073	5 022	3 663	1 781	425	228	794	22 432
Open — share	%	36.1	11.2	9.3	20.9	10.4	10.3	–	32.3	21.9
Secure — share	%	63.9	88.8	90.7	79.1	89.6	89.7	100.0	67.7	78.1
Male/female										
Male	no.	9 369	4 271	5 120	4 257	1 860	440	214	1 119	26 650
Female	no.	725	315	417	376	127	34	14	53	2 061
Male — share	%	92.8	93.1	92.5	91.9	93.6	92.8	94.0	95.5	92.8
Female — share	%	7.2	6.9	7.5	8.1	6.4	7.2	6.0	4.5	7.2
Indigenous/non-Indigenous										
Indigenous	no.	2 230	287	1 661	1 783	475	69	37	965	7 507
Non-Indigenous	no.	7 480	4 251	3 876	2 850	1 490	404	189	207	20 747
Indigenous status unknown	no.	385	48	–	–	22	1	2	–	458
Indigenous — share	%	22.1	6.3	30.0	38.5	23.9	14.6	16.2	82.3	26.1
Non-Indigenous — share	%	74.1	92.7	70.0	61.5	75.0	85.2	82.8	17.7	72.3
Indigenous status unknown — share	%	3.8	1.0	–	–	1.1	0.2	1.0	–	1.6
Privately operated prisons										
Held in privately operated prisons	no.	1 496	1 530	1 340	991	162	–	–	–	5 520
Privately operated prisons — share	%	14.8	33.4	24.2	21.4	8.2	–	–	–	19.2
Periodic detention (b)										
Total detainees	no.	400	..	..	..	..	..	56	..	456
Attending residential component	no.	153	..	..	..	..	..	40	..	193

TABLE 8A.1

Table 8A.1

Average daily prisoner population (a)

	<i>Units</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
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(a) Totals may not equate precisely to the aggregate of figures from other cells due to rounding of decimal places.

(b) Figures for NSW and Australia reflect changes to NSW legislation introduced in October 2010 that abolished periodic detention as a sentencing option. NSW populations represent periodic detainees sentenced prior to October 2010 who had not completed the periodic detention order by June 2012.

.. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: State and Territory governments (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.3

Table 8A.3

Average daily community corrections offender population (a)

	<i>Units</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2011-12										
Total offenders	no.	16 373	8 802	15 181	4 232	6 119	1 838	1 368	1 082	54 996
Male/female										
Male	no.	13 863	7 176	12 209	3 293	5 027	1 455	1 162	917	45 101
Female	no.	2 472	1 625	2 973	939	1 091	383	206	165	9 854
Gender unknown	no.	38	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	41
Male — share	%	84.7	81.5	80.4	77.8	82.2	79.2	84.9	84.7	82.0
Female — share	%	15.1	18.5	19.6	22.2	17.8	20.8	15.1	15.3	17.9
Gender unknown — share	%	0.2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.1
Indigenous/non-Indigenous										
Indigenous	no.	3 266	511	3 386	1 451	1 075	243	167	815	10 913
Non-Indigenous	no.	12 473	8 029	11 796	2 778	4 993	1 569	1 175	267	43 079
Indigenous status unknown	no.	634	262	–	3	52	26	26	–	1 003
Indigenous — share	%	19.9	5.8	22.3	34.3	17.6	13.2	12.2	75.3	19.8
Non-Indigenous — share	%	76.2	91.2	77.7	65.6	81.6	85.4	85.9	24.7	78.3
Indigenous status unknown — share	%	3.9	3.0	–	0.1	0.8	1.4	1.9	–	1.8
Offenders per order type (b)										
Restricted movement	no.	92	29	..	8	393	..	..	35	557
Reparation	no.	2 831	2 254	2 637	1 282	1 522	1 097	196	149	11 968
Supervision	no.	14 393	6 792	13 502	3 764	4 204	1 145	1 420	940	46 160

TABLE 8A.3

Table 8A.3

Average daily community corrections offender population (a)

	<i>Units</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2010-11										
Total offenders	no.	16 217	9 226	15 502	4 655	6 330	1 614	1 430	1 083	56 056
Male/female										
Male	no.	13 675	7 543	12 441	3 596	5 178	1 289	1 212	932	45 867
Female	no.	2 493	1 680	3 061	1 059	1 150	325	217	151	10 136
Gender unknown	no.	49	3	–	–	1	–	–	–	53
Male — share	%	84.3	81.8	80.3	77.3	81.8	79.9	84.8	86.1	81.8
Female — share	%	15.4	18.2	19.7	22.7	18.2	20.1	15.2	13.9	18.1
Gender unknown — share	%	0.3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.1
Indigenous/non-Indigenous										
Indigenous	no.	3 122	527	3 369	1 540	1 139	208	153	798	10 854
Non-Indigenous	no.	12 229	8 296	12 133	3 114	5 149	1 381	1 203	285	43 790
Indigenous status unknown	no.	867	403	–	1	42	25	74	–	1 412
Indigenous — share	%	19.2	5.7	21.7	33.1	18.0	12.9	10.7	73.7	19.4
Non-Indigenous — share	%	75.4	89.9	78.3	66.9	81.3	85.6	84.2	26.3	78.1
Indigenous status unknown — share	%	5.3	4.4	–	–	0.7	1.5	5.2	–	2.5
Offenders per order type (b)										
Restricted movement	no.	126	37	..	1	380	..	..	26	570
Reparation	no.	3 435	2 751	2 875	1 407	1 455	845	202	130	13 100
Supervision	no.	13 623	6 709	13 636	4 183	4 494	1 097	1 483	986	46 211

(a) Totals may not equate precisely to the aggregate of figures from other cells due to rounding of decimal places.

(b) Total offenders may not equal the sum of offenders per order type because an individual may be serving more than one type of order.

.. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: State and Territory governments (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.4

Table 8A.4 **Imprisonment, periodic detention and community corrections rates, by sex and Indigenous status (per 100 000 adults) (a), (b)**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2011-12									
Imprisonment									
<i>Crude rates</i>									
All prisoners	173.8	111.0	161.5	260.9	160.8	128.8	89.3	785.4	167.4
Male prisoners	330.0	211.7	301.0	479.1	307.3	242.3	173.6	1 413.9	315.8
Female prisoners	23.2	14.7	25.3	41.7	19.9	18.9	7.4	85.7	23.4
Indigenous prisoners	2 213.2	1 401.0	1 678.8	3 952.8	2 669.6	595.0	1 384.8	2 562.1	2 246.3
Non-Indigenous prisoners	132.8	103.1	117.2	163.6	124.4	112.9	75.0	181.8	123.7
Ratio of crude Indigenous/Non-Indigenous rates	16.7	13.6	14.3	24.2	21.5	5.3	18.5	14.1	18.2
<i>Age standardised rates</i>									
Indigenous prisoners	1 762.5	1 099.6	1 320.0	3 045.7	2 048.0	467.8	1 027.8	1 953.1	1 749.7
Non-Indigenous prisoners	140.8	105.8	119.4	164.6	137.5	133.7	69.6	165.6	129.1
Ratio of age standardised Indigenous/Non-Indigenous rates	12.5	10.4	11.1	18.5	14.9	3.5	14.8	11.8	13.6
Periodic detention									
All periodic detainees	1.0	..	..	..	..	..	21.5	..	0.7
Male detainees	1.8	..	..	..	..	..	40.5	..	1.2
Female detainees	0.2	..	..	..	..	..	3.0	..	0.1
Indigenous detainees	1.0	..	..	..	..	..	197.8	..	2.0
Non-Indigenous detainees	0.3	..	..	..	..	..	18.2	..	0.4
Community corrections									
All offenders	291.9	202.3	434.0	230.3	473.4	464.1	471.8	635.6	315.2
Male offenders	503.4	337.2	706.4	357.5	793.4	746.9	813.4	1 022.1	524.8
Female offenders	86.6	73.1	168.0	102.4	165.6	190.4	140.0	205.3	111.3
Indigenous offenders	3 297.0	2 250.7	3 408.1	3 074.9	5 818.3	1 954.0	5 694.8	1 888.2	3 160.2
Non-Indigenous offenders	226.3	185.5	347.1	155.1	391.9	409.1	409.3	210.1	251.9

TABLE 8A.4

Table 8A.4 **Imprisonment, periodic detention and community corrections rates, by sex and Indigenous status (per 100 000 adults) (a), (b)**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2010-11									
Imprisonment									
<i>Crude rates</i>									
All prisoners	179.2	105.4	157.4	261.0	153.6	121.3	80.9	700.6	164.9
Male prisoners	338.8	200.0	293.6	475.3	293.7	231.3	153.9	1 286.7	310.2
Female prisoners	25.3	14.2	23.5	42.7	19.2	17.0	9.7	66.0	23.4
Indigenous prisoners	2 320.8	1 305.6	1 730.1	3 889.0	2 628.2	574.0	1 302.6	2 304.2	2 241.7
Non-Indigenous prisoners	135.1	98.2	113.3	164.8	116.8	106.7	67.7	165.1	121.5
Ratio of crude Indigenous/Non-Indigenous rates	17.2	13.3	15.3	23.6	22.5	5.4	19.2	14.0	18.5
<i>Age standardised rates</i>									
Indigenous prisoners	1 852.4	1 027.5	1 362.4	2 992.7	2 019.3	452.6	962.4	1 745.3	1 746.5
Non-Indigenous prisoners	140.5	99.9	116.3	166.7	128.4	125.4	63.4	151.0	125.4
Ratio of age standardised Indigenous/Non-Indigenous rates	13.2	10.3	11.7	18.0	15.7	3.6	15.2	11.6	13.9
Periodic detention									
All periodic detainees	7.1	..	..	..	..	..	19.8	..	2.6
Male detainees	13.3	..	..	..	..	..	36.0	..	4.8
Female detainees	1.2	..	..	..	..	..	4.0	..	0.4
Indigenous detainees	37.1	..	..	..	..	..	230.3	..	12.6
Non-Indigenous detainees	5.7	..	..	..	..	..	16.1	..	2.1
Community corrections									
All offenders	287.9	212.1	440.6	262.3	489.3	413.1	507.6	647.4	322.0
Male offenders	494.6	353.3	713.4	401.5	817.6	677.5	871.4	1 071.7	533.9
Female offenders	86.9	75.9	172.5	120.4	174.2	162.2	152.4	188.0	114.9
Indigenous offenders	3 248.8	2 398.6	3 508.7	3 358.4	6 299.7	1 730.2	5 390.9	1 905.4	3 241.2
Non-Indigenous offenders	220.9	191.7	354.5	180.1	403.6	364.7	431.6	227.3	256.4

TABLE 8A.4

Table 8A.4 **Imprisonment, periodic detention and community corrections rates, by sex and Indigenous status (per 100 000 adults) (a), (b)**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
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- (a) Rates are based on daily average prisoner, periodic detainee or offender populations, calculated against adult population figures for people aged 17 years or over for Queensland and for people aged 18 or over in all other jurisdictions, reflecting the age at which people are remanded or sentenced to adult custody. Male/female and Indigenous/Non-Indigenous breakdowns are calculated against the relevant population, that is, per 100 000 male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Total population data relate to 31 December so that Estimated Resident Population (ERP) at 31 December of each year is used as the denominator. Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians. In the absence of estimates of the Indigenous population for 31 December, rates in this table are calculated using derived estimates based on averaging estimates for the preceding 30 June and the following 30 June. Calculations of rates for the Non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from Total population estimates and should be used with care.
- (b) Inter-jurisdictional comparisons should be treated with caution. Small changes in numbers in those jurisdictions with relatively low Indigenous populations can have a disproportionate effect on the respective rates.
- .. Not applicable.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; State and Territory governments (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.15

Table 8A.15 **Deaths from apparent unnatural causes, by Indigenous status, 2011-12 (per 100 prisoners/detainees) (a)**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Prisoners									
All prisoners	0.06	–	0.04	–	0.05	0.20	–	–	0.03
Indigenous prisoners	0.05	–	0.06	–	–	–	–	–	0.03
Non-Indigenous prisoners	0.07	–	0.03	–	0.06	0.23	–	–	0.04
Periodic detainees (b)									
All detainees	..	..	..	..	..	..	–	..	..
Indigenous detainees	..	..	..	..	..	..	–	..	..
Non-Indigenous detainees	..	..	..	..	..	..	–	..	..

(a) The apparent unnatural death rate is calculated as the number of deaths, divided by the annual average prisoner or detainee population, multiplied by 100.

(b) In 2011-12, all periodic detainees in NSW were managed under the non-residential stage of the program. Therefore effectiveness indicators that apply to incidents in custody are not applicable.

.. Not applicable – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: State and Territory governments (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.16

Table 8A.16 **Deaths from apparent unnatural causes, by year and Indigenous status (per 100 prisoners) (a), (b)**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
All prisoners									
2007-08	0.05	0.05	0.02	0.05	–	–	–	–	0.04
2008-09	0.05	0.07	0.07	0.02	0.05	–	0.85	–	0.05
2009-10	0.05	0.09	0.07	0.13	–	–	–	0.09	0.07
2010-11	0.10	0.04	0.05	0.02	0.10	–	–	0.09	0.07
2011-12	0.06	–	0.04	–	0.05	0.20	–	–	0.03
Indigenous prisoners									
2007-08	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2008-09	0.05	–	–	0.06	–	–	–	–	0.03
2009-10	0.04	–	–	0.10	–	–	–	0.11	0.05
2010-11	0.04	–	–	0.06	0.21	–	–	–	0.04
2011-12	0.05	–	0.06	–	–	–	–	–	0.03
Non-Indigenous prisoners									
2007-08	0.07	0.05	0.02	0.09	–	–	–	–	0.05
2008-09	0.05	0.08	0.10	–	0.07	–	1.01	–	0.06
2009-10	0.05	0.10	0.10	0.14	–	–	–	–	0.08
2010-11	0.12	0.05	0.08	–	0.07	–	–	0.48	0.08
2011-12	0.07	–	0.03	–	0.06	0.23	–	–	0.04

(a) The apparent unnatural death rate is calculated as the number of deaths, divided by the annual average prisoner population, multiplied by 100.

(b) Data for previous years may vary from rates given in previous Reports. Deaths reported as 'unknown cause', where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: State and Territory governments (unpublished).

Single Jurisdiction Data — NSW

TABLE 8A.25

New South Wales

Table 8A.25 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population					
Total — all prisons	9 634	10 068	10 352	10 094	9 752
Male, Indigenous, open prison	637	621	652	640	617
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	2 736	2 608	2 586	2 655	2 656
Male, unknown, open prison	17	30	59	45	20
Female, Indigenous, open prison	98	113	115	103	93
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	176	189	186	198	187
Female, unknown, open prison	4	2	9	8	3
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	1 160	1 325	1 410	1 394	1 386
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	4 148	4 471	4 474	4 346	4 221
Male, unknown, secure prison	220	266	394	289	189
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	122	105	108	93	96
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	295	313	312	281	255
Female, unknown, secure prison	20	25	48	43	29
Total — male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	8 918	9 320	9 575	9 369	9 089
Female prisoners, all prisons	716	748	778	725	663
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	2 018	2 164	2 285	2 230	2 192
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	7 355	7 580	7 558	7 480	7 319
Unknown, all prisons	260	323	509	385	241
Total — open/secure					
Open	3 669	3 562	3 608	3 648	3 577
Secure	5 965	6 505	6 745	6 446	6 175
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	153	145	239	298	308
Non-Indigenous prisoners	614	630	944	1 134	1 127
Unknown	2	4	58	63	45
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	769	779	1 241	1 496	1 481
Crude imprisonment rate (a)					
All prisoners/100 000	179.5	184.8	186.3	179.2	173.8
Male prisoners/100 000	339.1	349.0	351.1	338.8	330.0
Female prisoners/100 000	26.2	26.9	27.5	25.3	23.2
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	2 296.3	2 391.4	2 454.7	2 320.8	2 213.2
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	139.1	141.4	138.4	135.1	132.8
Number of facilities (b)					
Government operated prisons	31	33	33	34	31
Privately operated prisons	1	1	2	2	2
Transitional centres	3	2	2	2	2
24-hour court cell centres	14	14	14	14	14
Total facilities (excluding detention centres)	49	50	51	52	49
Prison design capacity (c)					

TABLE 8A.25

New South Wales

Table 8A.25 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	3 538	3 698	3 506	3 649	3 830
Secure	5 645	5 807	5 954	6 192	6 368
Total — all prisons	9 183	9 505	9 460	9 841	10 198
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (d)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	908 256	880 857	866 109	786 470	802 365
Operating revenues, all prisons	43 565	39 256	40 949	30 642	44 892
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	303 751	280 953	264 395	254 550	254 723
Secure	560 940	560 649	560 766	501 277	502 750
All prisons	864 691	841 602	825 161	755 827	757 473
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	932 949	907 993	897 272	831 577	830 289
Capital costs					
All prisons	288 107	285 735	304 374	290 055	286 158
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	1 152 798	1 127 337	1 129 535	1 045 882	1 043 631
Transport and escort services (e)	50 997	51 362	55 934	35 271	29 392
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	12 361	10 690	10 295	10 103	9 942
Secure	21 849	20 627	20 448	19 381	19 594
All prisons	34 209	31 317	30 743	29 483	29 535

(a) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(b) Excludes periodic detention centres — see Table 8A.27.

(c) Includes 24-hour court cell centre capacity.

(d) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

(e) During 2010-11, management responsibility and associated budgets were transferred from the Court Escort Security Unit to various correctional centres within NSW. Therefore, as of 2010-11, transport and escort costs are not fully disaggregated from operational expenditure.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3235.0; NSW Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.26

New South Wales
Table 8A.26 Effectiveness, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners) (a)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	0.31	0.26	0.15	0.13	0.19
Assaults	13.07	12.83	13.43	13.06	12.27
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	–	–	–	–	0.02
Assaults	0.92	0.59	0.56	0.34	0.65
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes) (b)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	1	1	1	1
Non-Indigenous prisoners	5	4	4	9	5
Total — all prisoners	5	5	5	10	6
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes) (b)					
Indigenous prisoners	1	–	3	–	1
Non-Indigenous prisoners	6	10	12	9	12
Total — all prisoners	7	10	15	9	13
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (c)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	1	1	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	1	1	–
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.05
Non-Indigenous prisoners	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.12	0.07
Total — all prisoners	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.10	0.06
Number of escapes					
Open	6	11	2	22	12
Secure	1	4	1	1	3
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (d)					
Open	0.16	0.31	0.06	0.60	0.34
Secure	0.02	0.06	0.01	0.02	0.05
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day)					
Open	11.9	13.4	19.1	19.1	18.2
Secure	7.2	7.1	6.7	7.0	6.9
Total — all prisons	8.9	9.3	11.2	11.4	11.0
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners) (e)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	44.7	41.1	40.2	42.9	45.1
Service (no fee for service) industries	34.9	33.3	35.3	34.4	29.5
Work release	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3
Total — all industries	80.6	75.9	76.9	78.6	76.0

TABLE 8A.26

New South Wales**Table 8A.26 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	1.7	2.0	2.9	2.9	3.5
Secondary school education	15.8	14.5	13.1	12.2	14.1
Vocational Education and Training	24.9	23.6	22.6	20.0	21.2
Higher Education	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.9
Total — all education	32.3	33.9	34.0	30.3	35.3

- (a) In accordance with the national counting rule, assaults that occurred within a court complex are excluded. In 2011-12, there were no incidents of serious assault by a prisoner under the supervision of corrective services in a court complex on another prisoner or on officers. There were five prisoner on prisoner assaults and six prisoner on officer assaults in 24-hour court cell complexes.
- (b) In 2011-12, the death of a prisoner serving a sentence by way of Home Detention has been excluded as it does not fall within the definition of a death in custody used for this indicator.
- (c) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (d) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There were eight escapes of this type in 2011-12. Escapes by prisoners being transported to or from court or from within a court complex are also not counted within this category. There was one escape from court cells or court escorts during the reporting period.
- (e) Employment data for 2010-11 have been revised.
– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: NSW Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.27

New South Wales**Table 8A.27 Descriptors, periodic detention**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily periodic detention population (a)					
Total	728	752	828	400	55
Male, Indigenous	59	62	80	33	1
Male, non-Indigenous	588	575	671	292	15
Male, unknown	11	55	12	42	33
Female, Indigenous	10	3	9	3	–
Female, non-Indigenous	60	51	57	26	–
Female, unknown	1	5	1	5	6
Total — male/female					
Male detainees	658	692	762	366	49
Female detainees	71	60	66	34	6
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous detainees	69	66	88	36	1
Non-Indigenous detainees	647	626	728	318	15
Unknown	12	60	12	47	39
Average daily population attending (residential only)	468	478	493	153	–
Periodic detention rate (b)					
Detainees/100 000	13.7	13.9	14.9	7.1	1.0
Male detainees/100 000	25.3	26.1	27.9	13.3	1.8
Female detainees/100 000	2.6	2.2	2.3	1.2	0.2
Indigenous detainees/100 000	79.0	72.7	94.6	37.1	1.0
Non-Indigenous detainees/100 000	12.4	11.8	13.3	5.7	0.3
Number of periodic detention centres	7	7	7	–	–
Useable periodic detention capacity	657	608	546	431	–

(a) The number of periodic detainees decreased following the abolition of periodic detention as a sentencing option in NSW in October 2010. Following the legislative change, the remaining detainees were progressively moved from the residential to the non-residential stage of the program. The last residential attendance was on 29 May 2011 and subsequently all periodic detainees in NSW were managed under the non-residential stage of the program.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; NSW Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.28

New South Wales**Table 8A.28 Effectiveness, periodic detention**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 detainees)					
Detainees on detainees					
Serious assaults	–	0.13	–	–	..
Assaults	2.06	1.06	0.84	0.25	..
Detainees on officers					
Serious assaults	–	–	–	–	..
Assaults	0.14	–	–	–	..
Unnatural death rate (per 100 detainees)					..
Indigenous detainees	–	–	–	–	..
Non-Indigenous detainees	–	–	–	–	..
Total — all detainees	–	–	–	–	..
Escape rate (per 100 detainees)	–	–	–	–	..
Employment (per cent)					
Service (no fee for service) industries (a)	23.3	27.1	20.5	24.2	..
Community work	54.1	65.9	62.1	57.2	88.9
Total employed	77.4	93.1	76.9	81.5	88.9

(a) In 2011-12, all periodic detainees in NSW were managed under the non-residential stage of the program. Therefore effectiveness indicators that apply to incidents in custody are not applicable.

.. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: NSW Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.30

New South Wales

Table 8A.30 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders					
Male, Indigenous	7	11	5	4	2
Male, non-Indigenous	117	133	92	82	71
Male, unknown	0.3	4	15	3	1
Female, Indigenous	3	5	3	3	2
Female, non-Indigenous	22	21	26	28	15
Female, unknown	1	2	4	4	0.2
Gender not recorded	1	0.4	3	1	1
Total persons	152	175	148	126	92
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	437	441	449	389	322
Male, non-Indigenous	2 704	2 609	2 472	2 230	1 958
Male, unknown	242	345	485	206	112
Female, Indigenous	133	128	123	124	91
Female, non-Indigenous	473	475	467	414	319
Female, unknown	37	58	114	55	25
Gender not recorded	25	31	29	18	6
Total persons	4 051	4 088	4 139	3 435	2 831
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	2 202	2 198	2 159	2 202	2 383
Male, non-Indigenous	10 100	9 739	8 985	8 894	9 431
Male, unknown	465	848	1 219	507	418
Female, Indigenous	661	638	607	586	637
Female, non-Indigenous	1 496	1 441	1 298	1 279	1 391
Female, unknown	115	197	289	121	100
Gender not recorded	40	49	45	33	33
Total persons	15 079	15 109	14 602	13 623	14 393
Daily distinct persons serving orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	2 464	2 460	2 429	2 442	2 560
Male, non-Indigenous	12 009	11 681	10 810	10 550	10 795
Male, unknown	668	1 108	1 601	683	508
Female, Indigenous	748	720	692	677	702
Female, non-Indigenous	1 891	1 833	1 692	1 643	1 648
Female, unknown	148	246	387	173	121
Total persons, Indigenous	3 213	3 185	3 126	3 122	3 266
Total persons, non-Indigenous	13 952	13 570	12 546	12 229	12 473
Total persons, unknown	822	1 368	2 011	867	634
Total males	15 141	15 250	14 840	13 675	13 863
Total females	2 786	2 798	2 771	2 493	2 472

TABLE 8A.30

New South Wales

Table 8A.30 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	60	76	72	49	38
Total persons	17 988	18 123	17 683	16 217	16 373
Community corrections rates (b)					
Offenders/100 000	338.7	334.5	318.3	287.9	291.9
Male offenders/100 000	581.8	574.1	544.2	494.6	503.4
Female offenders/100 000	102.8	101.3	98.0	86.9	86.6
Indigenous offenders/100 000	3 674.2	3 531.5	3 357.6	3 248.8	3 297.0
Non-Indigenous offenders/100 000	267.1	254.7	229.7	220.9	226.3
Work hours ordered/100 000	na	na	na	na	na
Work hours performed/100 000	na	na	na	na	na
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure	94 202	148 162	152 832	148 839	162 140
Operating revenues	1 064	2 437	3 308	1 487	5 257
Net operating expenditure	93 138	145 725	149 525	147 352	156 883
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	95 447	153 201	158 015	155 332	163 803
Capital costs	3 351	15 154	17 228	16 177	15 079
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	96 489	160 879	166 753	163 529	171 962
Payroll tax	4 283	6 086	6 561	6 378	7 082

(a) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

na Not available.

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Single Jurisdiction Data — Vic

TABLE 8A.33

Victoria

Table 8A.33 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population					
Total — all prisons	4 177	4 299	4 492	4 586	4 831
Male, Indigenous, open prison	9	13	9	20	17
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	370	383	405	440	493
Male, unknown, open prison	1	4	7	3	6
Female, Indigenous, open prison	0.2	1	2	3	2
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	43	43	48	46	51
Female, unknown, open prison	0.4	1	3	0.5	2
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	212	219	238	240	275
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	3 334	3 376	3 412	3 529	3 673
Male, unknown, secure prison	6	47	111	39	39
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	15	17	21	23	24
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	183	189	218	237	243
Female, unknown, secure prison	3	7	18	5	5
Total — male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	3 932	4 042	4 182	4 271	4 504
Female prisoners, all prisons	244	257	310	315	327
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	236	249	271	287	318
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	3 930	3 991	4 083	4 251	4 461
Unknown, all prisons	10	59	138	48	52
Total — open/secure					
Open	423	445	474	513	571
Secure	3 753	3 855	4 018	4 073	4 260
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	81	83	101	107	122
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 345	1 355	1 358	1 404	1 429
Unknown	1	19	49	19	18
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	1 426	1 457	1 507	1 530	1 568
Crude imprisonment rate (a)					
Prisoners/100 000	103.2	103.6	105.2	105.4	111.0
Male prisoners/100 000	198.5	198.7	199.3	200.0	211.7
Female prisoners/100 000	11.8	12.2	14.3	14.2	14.7
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	1 197.6	1 219.3	1 277.8	1 305.6	1 401.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	97.6	96.6	96.1	98.2	103.1
Number of facilities					
Government operated prisons	12	12	12	11	11
Privately operated prisons	2	2	2	2	2
Transitional centres (b)	—	—	—	1	1
24-hour court cell centres	—	—	—	—	—
Total correctional custodial facilities	14	14	14	14	14
Prison design capacity					

TABLE 8A.33

Victoria

Table 8A.33 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	na	na	na	na	na
Secure	na	na	na	na	na
Total — all prisons	na	na	na	na	na
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	395 750	422 619	433 893	446 095	480 640
Operating revenues, all prisons	9 844	8 005	8 407	8 042	8 533
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	33 692	37 486	38 678	40 325	47 572
Secure	352 215	377 129	386 808	397 728	424 535
All prisons	385 907	414 614	425 486	438 053	472 107
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	411 763	440 335	450 795	462 020	512 397
Capital costs					
All prisons	100 392	93 370	94 190	116 209	125 214
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	486 299	507 985	519 676	554 262	597 321
Transport and escort services	9 378	9 919	10 920	10 558	11 310
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	922	944	1 014	1 034	1 098
Secure	7 230	7 334	7 543	7 520	7 508
All prisons	8 151	8 279	8 556	8 554	8 606

(a) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(b) In March 2011, Corrections Victoria decided to report the Judy Lazarus Transition Centre as a transitional centre, rather than as a prison.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Victorian Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.34

Victoria**Table 8A.34 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	0.67	1.12	0.98	0.92	2.17
Assaults	7.73	7.47	7.64	7.63	9.40
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	–	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.04
Assaults	0.79	0.53	0.85	0.59	1.16
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	2	3	4	2	0
Total — all prisoners	2	3	4	2	0
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	1	1	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	12	5	3	5	4
Total — all prisoners	12	5	4	6	4
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (a)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	2	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	–	2	–
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	0.05	0.08	0.10	0.05	–
Total — all prisoners	0.05	0.07	0.09	0.04	–
Number of escapes					
Open	2	9	3	–	1
Secure	3	–	–	–	–
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Open	0.47	2.02	0.63	–	0.18
Secure	0.08	–	–	–	–
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day) (c)					
Open	na	na	na	na	14.3
Secure	na	na	na	na	10.5
Total — all prisons	na	na	na	na	10.9
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners) (d)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	36.4	34.2	36.1	38.9	35.7
Service (no fee for service) industries	49.7	50.5	48.7	48.3	53.2
Work release	..	..	..	..	..
Total — all industries	86.1	84.7	84.8	87.2	88.9

TABLE 8A.34

Victoria**Table 8A.34 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners) (e)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	3.9	0.6	1.5	3.9	5.2
Secondary school education	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.8
Vocational Education and Training	29.0	32.5	33.2	35.1	32.6
Higher Education	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.4
Total — all education	32.5	34.7	35.6	40.4	37.2

- (a) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (b) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There were zero escapes of this type in 2011-12.
- (c) Figures for 2011-12 are averaged across 11 months, as results were not available for all prisons in December 2011.
- (d) Figures are based on the number of prisoners employed at 29 June and calculated against the number of prisoners in custody on that day.
- (e) In 2011-12, figures are based on the number of prisoners in education on 20 June, calculated against the number of prisoners in custody on that day.

na Not available. .. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Victorian Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.36

Victoria

Table 8A.36 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders					
Male, Indigenous	–	–	–	–	1
Male, non-Indigenous	0.3	0.2	1	2	22
Male, unknown	25	27	27	23	–
Female, Indigenous	–	–	–	–	0.5
Female, non-Indigenous	0.2	–	–	1	6
Female, unknown	5	5	7	10	–
Gender not recorded	3	1	–	1	–
Total persons	34	32	34	37	29
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	81	78	118	126	107
Male, non-Indigenous	1 534	1 337	1 810	1 751	1 440
Male, unknown	252	327	174	156	79
Female, Indigenous	40	36	47	64	56
Female, non-Indigenous	498	467	598	587	541
Female, unknown	146	131	68	67	31
Gender not recorded	7	3	1	1	1
Total persons	2 558	2 380	2 816	2 751	2 254
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	200	227	271	290	291
Male, non-Indigenous	4 197	4 292	5 027	5 306	5 340
Male, unknown	232	463	122	118	123
Female, Indigenous	46	56	71	77	85
Female, non-Indigenous	755	727	848	888	921
Female, unknown	59	117	24	31	32
Gender not recorded	14	4	0.4	0.3	0.4
Total persons	5 502	5 886	6 364	6 709	6 792
Average daily distinct persons serving orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	270	291	371	391	377
Male, non-Indigenous	5 602	5 503	6 657	6 858	6 600
Male, unknown	500	800	318	294	199
Female, Indigenous	83	88	115	135	134
Female, non-Indigenous	1 218	1 163	1 408	1 438	1 429
Female, unknown	206	249	98	106	63
Total persons, Indigenous	354	380	485	527	511
Total persons, non-Indigenous	6 837	6 671	8 066	8 296	8 029
Total persons, unknown	714	1 052	417	403	262
Total males	6 373	6 594	7 346	7 543	7 176
Total females	1 508	1 501	1 621	1 680	1 625

TABLE 8A.36

Victoria**Table 8A.36 Descriptors, community corrections**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	25	8	1	3	1
Total persons	7 905	8 103	8 969	9 226	8 802
Crude Community corrections rates (b)					
Offenders/100 000	195.3	195.2	210.0	212.1	202.3
Male offenders/100 000	321.7	324.1	350.1	353.3	337.2
Female offenders/100 000	72.9	70.9	74.6	75.9	73.1
Indigenous offenders/100 000	1 794.5	1 858.6	2 290.7	2 398.6	2 250.7
Non-Indigenous offenders/100 000	169.7	161.6	189.8	191.7	185.5
Work hours ordered/100 000	na	na	na	na	na
Work hours performed/100 000	17 944	18 118	18 970	18 341	16 393
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure	52 566	60 068	65 294	72 674	83 459
Operating revenues	–	–	–	–	–
Net operating expenditure	52 566	60 068	65 294	72 674	83 459
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	53 558	61 127	66 769	74 002	85 026
Capital costs	1 187	1 240	3 541	3 473	3 239
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	53 753	61 308	68 835	76 147	86 698
Payroll tax	1 692	1 743	2 006	2 106	2 397

(a) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; Victorian Government (unpublished).

Single Jurisdiction Data — Qld

TABLE 8A.39

Queensland
Table 8A.39 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population					
Total — all prisons	5 491	5 629	5 631	5 537	5 650
Male, Indigenous, open prison	127	138	168	141	145
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	424	381	435	316	301
Male, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, Indigenous, open prison	15	10	6	6	9
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	65	58	59	52	55
Female, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	1 217	1 246	1 345	1 372	1 368
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	3 316	3 428	3 252	3 291	3 388
Male, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	91	109	124	143	146
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	235	259	241	217	237
Female, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	—
Total — male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	5 085	5 193	5 200	5 120	5 203
Female prisoners, all prisons	406	436	431	417	447
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	1 451	1 504	1 643	1 661	1 668
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	4 040	4 125	3 988	3 876	3 982
Unknown, all prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Total — open/secure					
Open	632	587	668	515	510
Secure	4 859	5 042	4 963	5 022	5 140
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	189	193	243	253	231
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 095	1 050	1 074	1 088	1 062
Unknown	—	—	—	—	—
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	1 284	1 243	1 317	1 340	1 293
Crude imprisonment rate (a)					
Prisoners/100 000	168.7	168.0	163.1	157.4	161.5
Male prisoners/100 000	315.5	312.6	303.8	293.6	301.0
Female prisoners/100 000	24.7	25.8	24.7	23.5	25.3
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	1 684.0	1 683.6	1 773.7	1 730.1	1 678.8
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	127.5	126.5	118.7	113.3	117.2
Number of facilities					
Government operated prisons	12	12	12	12	12
Privately operated prisons	2	2	2	2	2
Transitional centres	—	—	—	—	—
24-hour court cell centres	—	—	—	—	—
Total correctional custodial facilities	14	14	14	14	14
Prison design capacity					

TABLE 8A.39

Queensland
Table 8A.39 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	982	973	963	963	958
Secure	4 742	5 466	5 723	5 723	5 697
Total — all prisons	5 724	6 439	6 686	6 686	6 655
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (b)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	441 765	431 125	435 613	414 309	450 932
Operating revenues, all prisons	28 549	29 293	34 286	28 170	28 158
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	53 251	48 758	37 381	36 616	38 097
Secure	359 965	353 074	363 946	349 523	384 677
All prisons	413 216	401 832	401 328	386 139	422 774
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	464 361	485 753	484 330	466 887	505 839
Capital costs					
All prisons	190 386	225 065	219 294	207 261	234 584
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	603 602	626 897	620 621	593 400	657 358
Transport and escort services	10 069	9 118	9 869	11 117	11 775
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	999	937	901	873	903
Secure	7 047	7 374	8 096	7 926	7 973
All prisons	8 046	8 311	8 997	8 799	8 876

(a) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. The adult population figures used relate to people aged 17 and over, reflecting the age at which people are remanded or sentenced to adult custody in Queensland. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(b) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.
 – Nil or rounded to zero.

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TABLE 8A.40

Queensland**Table 8A.40 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	0.51	0.83	1.12	1.32	1.01
Assaults	3.68	3.73	3.18	3.25	3.77
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.09	0.12
Assaults	0.22	0.23	0.43	0.72	0.60
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	1
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1	4	4	3	1
Total — all prisoners	1	4	4	3	2
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	2	4	–	1
Non-Indigenous prisoners	7	3	2	8	1
Total — all prisoners	7	5	6	8	2
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (a)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	2
Total — all prisoners	–	–	–	–	2
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	0.06
Non-Indigenous prisoners	0.02	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.03
Total — all prisoners	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.04
Number of escapes					
Open	9	6	10	1	1
Secure	–	–	–	–	–
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Open	1.42	1.02	1.50	0.19	0.20
Secure	–	–	–	–	–
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day)					
Open	17.9	19.0	17.9	16.2	15.7
Secure	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.7	10.2
Total — all prisons	11.2	11.4	11.4	11.2	10.7
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners) (c)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	26.9	26.9	34.1	32.4	31.4
Service (no fee for service) industries	40.8	40.7	41.7	43.2	44.1
Work release	..	..	..	..	..
Total — all industries	67.8	67.6	75.7	75.5	75.5

TABLE 8A.40

Queensland
Table 8A.40 Effectiveness, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	9.6	5.0	6.5	5.8	5.8
Secondary school education	2.3	2.3	2.9	2.6	1.4
Vocational Education and Training	16.4	17.7	17.6	19.0	18.8
Higher Education	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.4	3.4
Total — all education	29.0	27.1	27.4	27.8	26.5

- (a) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (b) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There were two escapes of this type in 2011-12, both of which were from a work camp.
- (c) In 2010-11, data are based on an average over the period February to June 2011.
 .. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Queensland Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.42

Queensland
Table 8A.42 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders					
Male, Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Male, non-Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Male, unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Female, Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Female, non-Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Female, unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Gender not recorded	..	..	..	..	..
Total persons	..	..	..	..	..
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	385	351	485	595	547
Male, non-Indigenous	1 511	1 402	1 646	1 682	1 527
Male, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Female, Indigenous	139	117	143	177	183
Female, non-Indigenous	459	451	471	422	381
Female, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	2 494	2 322	2 745	2 875	2 637
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	1 611	1 829	2 039	2 184	2 238
Male, non-Indigenous	8 084	8 647	8 698	8 838	8 695
Male, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Female, Indigenous	557	567	606	646	673
Female, non-Indigenous	1 777	1 909	1 938	1 969	1 896
Female, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	12 029	12 952	13 281	13 636	13 502
Average daily distinct persons serving orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	1 868	2 046	2 348	2 588	2 585
Male, non-Indigenous	9 028	9 519	9 701	9 854	9 624
Male, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Female, Indigenous	659	656	714	781	801
Female, non-Indigenous	2 110	2 246	2 291	2 279	2 171
Female, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons, Indigenous	2 528	2 702	3 062	3 369	3 386
Total persons, non-Indigenous	11 138	11 765	11 992	12 133	11 796
Total persons, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Total males	10 896	11 565	12 049	12 441	12 209
Total females	2 769	2 902	3 005	3 061	2 973

TABLE 8A.42

Queensland
Table 8A.42 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	13 665	14 467	15 054	15 502	15 181
Crude community corrections rates (b)					
Offenders/100 000	419.9	431.7	436.0	440.6	434.0
Male offenders/100 000	676.1	696.1	704.0	713.4	706.4
Female offenders/100 000	168.6	171.8	172.6	172.5	168.0
Indigenous offenders/100 000	2 934.4	3 024.7	3 305.2	3 508.7	3 408.1
Non-Indigenous offenders/100 000	351.6	360.7	356.9	354.5	347.1
Work hours ordered/100 000	19 292	18 356	20 491	19 433	17 933
Work hours performed/100 000	11 341	10 035	11 200	9 834	8 880
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure	55 512	56 139	62 927	70 019	76 725
Operating revenues	1 318	1 455	158	929	332
Net operating expenditure	54 194	54 684	62 768	69 090	76 393
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	55 590	56 450	64 248	70 540	77 860
Capital costs	2 253	2 687	2 481	2 382	2 345
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	56 447	57 372	65 249	71 473	78 738
Payroll tax	1 738	1 810	1 926	2 016	2 072

(a) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. The adult population figures used relate to people aged 17 and over, reflecting the age at which people are remanded or sentenced to adult custody in Queensland. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

.. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

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Single Jurisdiction Data — WA

TABLE 8A.45

Western Australia**Table 8A.45 Descriptors, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population (a)					
Total — all prisons	3 802	4 012	4 759	4 633	4 795
Male, Indigenous, open prison	347	371	299	240	241
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	580	664	535	624	675
Male, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, Indigenous, open prison	54	45	43	40	36
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	50	59	55	66	73
Female, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	1 080	1 151	1 425	1 374	1 448
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	1 498	1 519	2 113	2 020	2 049
Male, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	106	101	146	130	140
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	87	102	143	139	134
Female, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	—
Total — male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	3 505	3 705	4 372	4 257	4 413
Female prisoners, all prisons	298	307	387	376	382
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	1 588	1 668	1 913	1 783	1 865
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	2 215	2 344	2 846	2 850	2 930
Unknown, all prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Total — open/secure					
Open	1 031	1 139	932	970	1 025
Secure	2 771	2 873	3 827	3 663	3 771
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	254	287	329	372	391
Non-Indigenous prisoners	525	537	624	619	605
Unknown	—	—	—	—	—
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	779	823	954	991	996
Crude imprisonment rate (b)					
Prisoners/100 000	234.6	238.9	274.1	261.0	260.9
Male prisoners/100 000	430.6	437.7	499.3	475.3	479.1
Female prisoners/100 000	36.9	36.8	45.0	42.7	41.7
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	3 779.5	3 854.5	4 293.1	3 889.0	3 952.8
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	140.3	143.3	168.2	164.8	163.6
Number of facilities					
Government operated prisons	12	12	12	13	13
Privately operated prisons	1	1	1	1	1
Transitional centres	—	—	—	—	—
24-hour court cell centres	—	—	—	—	—
Total correctional custodial facilities	13	13	13	14	14
Prison design capacity (c)					

TABLE 8A.45

Western Australia**Table 8A.45 Descriptors, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	838	872	743	743	945
Secure	2 543	2 561	2 691	2 691	3 681
Total — all prisons	3 381	3 433	3 434	3 434	4 626
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (d)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	374 280	388 418	440 052	442 867	468 544
Operating revenues, all prisons	17 328	20 199	20 995	23 259	37 284
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	74 943	77 748	95 057	100 050	103 823
Secure	282 009	290 471	324 000	319 559	327 436
All prisons	356 952	368 219	419 057	419 608	431 259
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation					
	370 649	382 161	435 015	438 772	449 749
Capital costs (e)					
All prisons	67 596	68 484	70 565	79 026	101 252
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs					
	424 548	436 703	489 622	498 635	532 511
Transport and escort services (f)					
	na	18 716	21 017	23 224	44 488
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	..	..	..	..	..
Secure	..	..	..	..	..
All prisons	..	..	..	..	..

(a) Daily average in years prior to 2009-10 is based upon the personal security rating of prisoners not the type of prison.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) In 2011-12, prison design capacity is at 30 June 2012 rather than an average of capacity across the whole reporting period as in previous years. A review of the classification of all cells was conducted late in the reporting period and historical data was not available to calculate an average.

(d) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

(e) The increase in capital costs for 2011-12 is due to the construction of the West Kimberly Regional Prison and the redevelopment of the Rangeview Remand Centre as the Wandoo Reintegration Facility (for young adults aged 18 to 24).

(f) The rise in transport and escort services expenditure in 2011-12 reflects increased costs associated with new contract service provider arrangements operating during the reporting period.

na Not available. .. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

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TABLE 8A.46

Western Australia**Table 8A.46 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	0.66	0.77	0.08	0.35	0.33
Assaults	6.39	7.38	9.94	5.68	5.84
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	0.08	0.12	–	0.19	0.06
Assaults	0.34	0.65	0.95	1.27	0.90
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	1	2	1	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	2	–	4	–	–
Total — all prisoners	2	1	6	1	–
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	3	3	2	1	2
Non-Indigenous prisoners	2	–	–	3	5
Total — all prisoners	5	3	2	4	7
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (a)					
Indigenous prisoners	1	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Total — all prisoners	1	–	–	–	–
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	0.06	0.10	0.06	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	0.09	–	0.14	–	–
Total — all prisoners	0.05	0.02	0.13	0.02	–
Number of escapes					
Open	10	3	1	4	3
Secure	9	–	–	–	2
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Open	0.97	0.26	0.11	0.41	0.29
Secure	0.32	–	–	–	0.05
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day)					
Open	15.1	14.4	13.1	13.7	15.1
Secure	11.1	11.4	12.1	11.7	11.8
Total — all prisons	11.7	11.8	12.2	12.1	12.5
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners) (c)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	12.8	11.3	10.6	18.5	11.7
Service (no fee for service) industries	64.4	66.3	60.2	65.8	41.6
Work release	..	..	..	..	..
Total — all industries	77.1	77.6	70.8	84.2	53.3

TABLE 8A.46

Western Australia**Table 8A.46 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners) (d)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	–	–	–	–	0.6
Secondary school education	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Vocational Education and Training	35.6	47.4	35.5	35.2	30.4
Higher Education	1.2	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.6
Total — all education	36.2	48.7	37.1	36.3	31.8

- (a) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (b) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There were two escapes of this type in 2011-12, neither of which was an escape from a Work Camp Centre.
- (c) Employment data for 2011-12 is not directly comparable with previous years as the number of prisoners whose situation excludes them from employment for reasons other than being in full-time education was not available for the reporting period. In 2011-12, figures are based on the number of prisoners employed at 30 June and calculated against the total number of prisoners in custody on that day.
- (d) Prisoners ineligible for education programs also include prisoners placed at the facility within the last ten working days and prisoners placed with police as a trusty. In 2011-12, figures are based on the number of prisoners in education on 30 June, calculated against the number of prisoners in custody on that day.

.. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: WA Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.48

Western Australia

Table 8A.48 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	1	–	1	–	2
Male, non-Indigenous	5	3	3	1	6
Male, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Female, Indigenous	–	–	–	–	–
Female, non-Indigenous	1	1	–	–	–
Female, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	7	4	4	1	8
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	529	562	613	494	433
Male, non-Indigenous	679	623	698	556	533
Male, unknown	2	3	3	1	2
Female, Indigenous	231	240	253	181	176
Female, non-Indigenous	231	210	219	175	137
Female, unknown	–	2	2	–	1
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	1 672	1 640	1 788	1 407	1 282
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	1 082	1 201	1 029	903	854
Male, non-Indigenous	2 826	2 850	2 651	2 360	2 109
Male, unknown	2	3	3	–	1
Female, Indigenous	393	414	402	351	325
Female, non-Indigenous	653	618	616	569	475
Female, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	4 956	5 086	4 701	4 183	3 764
Average daily distinct persons serving orders (b)					
Male, Indigenous	1 238	1 408	1 309	1 098	1 038
Male, non-Indigenous	2 965	2 993	2 846	2 497	2 253
Male, unknown	8	5	5	1	2
Female, Indigenous	485	531	541	442	413
Female, non-Indigenous	707	685	691	617	525
Female, unknown	3	3	2	–	1
Total persons, Indigenous	1 723	1 939	1 850	1 540	1 451
Total persons, non-Indigenous	3 672	3 678	3 537	3 114	2 778
Total persons, unknown	11	8	7	1	3
Total males	4 211	4 406	4 160	3 596	3 293
Total females	1 195	1 219	1 234	1 059	939

TABLE 8A.48

Western Australia**Table 8A.48 Descriptors, community corrections**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	5 406	5 625	5 394	4 655	4 232
Community corrections rates (c)					
Offenders/100 000	333.5	334.9	310.7	262.3	230.3
Male offenders/100 000	517.4	520.5	475.1	401.5	357.5
Female offenders/100 000	148.1	146.4	143.4	120.4	102.4
Indigenous offenders per 100 000	4 101.8	4 481.6	4 151.7	3 358.4	3 074.9
Non-Indigenous offenders/100 000	232.6	224.8	209.1	180.1	155.1
Work hours ordered/100 000	21 172	18 252	19 478	14 880	13 993
Work hours performed/100 000	9 270	9 682	11 184	8 433	6 920
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (d)					
Operating expenditure	51 813	69 918	77 179	75 224	69 350
Operating revenues	2 882	3 338	3 581	4 116	3 475
Net operating expenditure	48 930	66 580	73 598	71 108	65 875
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	49 937	67 474	74 556	71 978	67 294
Capital costs	3 196	2 274	2 127	1 471	1 870
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	52 126	68 854	75 726	72 578	67 745
Payroll tax	..	..	..	..	..

(a) Only Conditional Bail Orders with an electronic monitoring component are counted as restricted movement orders. Those without an electronic monitoring component are counted as supervision orders.

(b) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order. Program only orders have been included under supervision.

(c) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(d) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

.. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; WA Government (unpublished).

Single Jurisdiction Data — SA

TABLE 8A.51

South Australia**Table 8A.51 Descriptors, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population					
Total — all prisons	1 855	1 935	1 963	1 987	2 078
Male, Indigenous, open prison	20	22	20	20	19
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	178	193	187	184	198
Male, unknown, open prison	—	—	1	2	—
Female, Indigenous, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	363	377	401	422	429
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	1 171	1 216	1 216	1 216	1 301
Male, unknown, secure prison	—	—	13	16	—
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	29	30	31	33	45
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	94	96	93	90	86
Female, unknown, secure prison	—	1	1	4	—
Total — male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	1 732	1 808	1 838	1 860	1 947
Female prisoners, all prisons	123	127	125	127	131
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	412	429	452	475	493
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	1 443	1 505	1 496	1 490	1 585
Unknown, all prisons	—	1	15	22	—
Total — open/secure					
Open	198	215	208	206	217
Secure	1 657	1 720	1 755	1 781	1 861
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	13	14	12	13	16
Non-Indigenous prisoners	126	133	144	149	156
Unknown	—	—	—	—	—
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	139	147	156	162	172
Crude imprisonment rate (a)					
Prisoners/100 000	149.6	153.8	153.5	153.6	160.8
Male prisoners/100 000	285.7	294.0	293.7	293.7	307.3
Female prisoners/100 000	19.4	19.8	19.1	19.2	19.9
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	2 493.0	2 519.5	2 575.4	2 628.2	2 669.6
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	117.9	121.3	118.6	116.8	124.4
Number of facilities					
Government operated prisons	8	8	8	8	8
Privately operated prisons	1	1	1	1	1
Transitional centres	—	—	—	—	—
24-hour court cell centres	—	—	—	—	—
Total correctional custodial facilities	9	9	9	9	9
Prison design capacity					

TABLE 8A.51

South Australia

Table 8A.51 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	205	na	na	na	na
Secure	1 206	na	na	na	na
Total — all prisons	1 411	na	na	na	na
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (b) (c)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	150 086	156 695	158 241	156 172	167 871
Operating revenues, all prisons	12 498	10 460	8 647	7 934	7 394
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	13 182	14 528	14 828	14 650	14 618
Secure	124 406	131 707	134 767	133 587	145 859
All prisons	137 587	146 235	149 595	148 238	160 477
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	146 999	155 635	159 708	161 765	173 950
Capital costs					
All prisons	31 426	31 946	41 767	44 352	45 090
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	169 014	178 181	191 361	192 590	205 567
Transport and escort services	2 544	2 532	2 852	2 823	3 014
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	446	444	461	450	412
Secure	4 242	4 240	4 308	4 207	4 385
All prisons	4 688	4 684	4 769	4 658	4 797

(a) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(b) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

(c) Data for 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11 have been revised to include contracted management expenses incurred directly by corrective services.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

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TABLE 8A.52

South Australia**Table 8A.52 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	0.49	1.09	0.51	0.86	1.01
Assaults	8.57	8.63	7.90	8.35	7.31
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	–	–	–	–	–
Assaults	0.65	0.62	0.61	0.81	0.77
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	1	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	1	–	1	1
Total — all prisoners	–	1	–	2	1
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	4	4	5	2	3
Total — all prisoners	4	4	5	2	3
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (a)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	0.21	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	0.07	–	0.07	0.06
Total — all prisoners	–	0.05	–	0.10	0.05
Number of escapes					
Open	2	5	–	–	–
Secure	4	–	3	2	–
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Open	1.01	2.33	–	–	–
Secure	0.24	–	0.17	0.11	–
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day)					
Open	15.9	16.0	16.0	15.1	14.8
Secure	9.0	9.4	9.5	8.9	8.5
Total — all prisons	9.8	10.2	10.1	9.5	9.2
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	22.2	21.5	20.4	20.9	19.8
Service (no fee for service) industries	47.4	48.7	52.9	52.6	47.7
Work release	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.1	1.2
Total — all industries	71.1	71.8	74.8	74.6	68.7

TABLE 8A.52

South Australia**Table 8A.52 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners) (c)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	3.3	13.8	6.1	5.8	21.0
Secondary school education	1.8	2.2	0.3	0.4	0.1
Vocational Education and Training	41.1	49.2	39.1	50.3	25.0
Higher Education	4.3	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.3
Total — all education	47.2	66.0	45.9	48.9	46.4

- (a) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (b) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There were zero escapes of this type in 2011-12.
- (c) Prisoners at court and prisoners confined to James Nash House (a forensic psychiatric facility that provides secure accommodation for prisoners undergoing psychiatric assessment and treatment) are excluded from this count. As of 2011-12, data for "Pre-certificate Level 1 courses" includes prisoners enrolled in numeracy and literacy courses below the Certificate I level that in previous years were included in the AQF Vocational and Education Sector.
– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: SA Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.54

South Australia**Table 8A.54 Descriptors, community corrections**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders					
Male, Indigenous	40	59	47	54	54
Male, non-Indigenous	275	313	296	285	294
Male, unknown	3	1	3	2	3
Female, Indigenous	6	7	8	8	7
Female, non-Indigenous	33	43	33	32	35
Female, unknown	1	0.3	–	–	0.3
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	359	423	387	380	393
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	182	186	199	169	187
Male, non-Indigenous	966	967	936	956	974
Male, unknown	8	11	8	11	16
Female, Indigenous	61	66	66	60	66
Female, non-Indigenous	276	293	252	256	275
Female, unknown	2	2	1	4	3
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	0.4	–
Total persons	1 495	1 525	1 462	1 455	1 522
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	551	658	653	667	596
Male, non-Indigenous	3 171	3 349	3 097	3 018	2 885
Male, unknown	12	19	23	18	18
Female, Indigenous	149	174	176	182	164
Female, non-Indigenous	666	638	635	602	531
Female, unknown	3	5	11	6	10
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	1	1
Total persons	4 552	4 843	4 595	4 494	4 204
Average daily distinct persons serving orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	773	903	899	889	837
Male, non-Indigenous	4 412	4 629	4 328	4 259	4 152
Male, unknown	23	31	35	31	38
Female, Indigenous	216	247	250	250	238
Female, non-Indigenous	976	974	921	889	841
Female, unknown	6	7	12	11	13
Total persons, Indigenous	988	1 150	1 149	1 139	1 075
Total persons, non-Indigenous	5 388	5 603	5 249	5 149	4 993
Total persons, unknown	29	38	47	42	52
Total males	5 208	5 563	5 262	5 178	5 027
Total females	1 197	1 228	1 183	1 150	1 091

TABLE 8A.54

South Australia**Table 8A.54 Descriptors, community corrections**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	–	–	–	1	1
Total persons	6 405	6 791	6 445	6 330	6 119
Crude community corrections rates (b)					
Offenders/100 000	516.5	539.9	503.9	489.3	473.4
Male offenders/100 000	859.1	904.7	840.7	817.6	793.4
Female offenders/100 000	188.9	190.9	181.2	174.2	165.6
Indigenous offenders/100 000	5 980.1	6 753.5	6 546.8	6 299.7	5 818.3
Non-Indigenous offenders/100 000	440.3	451.6	416.1	403.6	391.9
Work hours ordered/100 000	41 043	40 460	38 216	40 323	42 328
Work hours performed/100 000	10 987	10 553	10 909	10 855	11 345
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure	32 856	33 116	36 752	36 901	39 787
Operating revenues	1 679	1 147	2 130	2 005	2 149
Net operating expenditure	31 177	31 970	34 622	34 896	37 638
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	31 707	32 464	35 126	35 558	38 486
Capital costs	1 863	1 724	1 888	2 012	2 132
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	33 040	33 694	36 510	36 908	39 770
Payroll tax	1 218	1 139	1 333	1 309	1 376

(a) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

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Single Jurisdiction Data — Tas

TABLE 8A.57

Tasmania
Table 8A.57 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population					
Total — all prisons	539	522	489	474	510
Male, Indigenous, open prison	7	6	6	4	4
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	53	50	45	45	37
Male, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	1
Female, Indigenous, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	56	55	53	58	62
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	386	375	346	332	367
Male, unknown, secure prison	—	1	—	1	1
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	8	7	7	7	8
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	29	28	32	27	29
Female, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	1
Total - male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	502	486	450	440	472
Female prisoners, all prisons	37	36	39	34	38
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	70	68	66	69	74
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	469	453	423	404	433
Unknown, all prisons	—	1	—	1	3
Total — open/secure					
Open	60	56	51	49	42
Secure	479	466	438	425	468
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	..	..	..	..	..
Non-Indigenous prisoners	..	..	..	..	..
Unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	..	..	..	..	..
Crude imprisonment rate (a)					
Prisoners/100 000	142.5	136.6	126.3	121.3	128.8
Male prisoners/100 000	272.8	261.5	238.9	231.3	242.3
Female prisoners/100 000	19.1	18.1	19.5	17.0	18.9
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	652.3	604.7	567.9	574.0	595.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	127.6	122.1	112.7	106.7	112.9
Number of facilities					
Government operated prisons	6	6	6	6	6
Privately operated prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Transitional centres	—	—	—	—	—
24-hour court cell centres	—	—	—	—	—
Total correctional custodial facilities	6	6	6	6	6
Prison design capacity					

TABLE 8A.57

Tasmania
Table 8A.57 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	69	69	69	69	69
Secure	581	574	553	555	572
Total — all prisons	650	643	622	624	641
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (b) (c)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	59 701	58 453	62 889	60 349	57 356
Operating revenues, all prisons	3 786	4 012	3 708	3 549	3 539
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	5 128	4 597	5 081	4 742	4 385
Secure	50 786	49 843	54 100	52 058	49 432
All prisons	55 914	54 441	59 181	56 800	53 817
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	58 560	57 942	62 200	59 835	56 823
Capital costs					
All prisons	11 554	12 039	11 315	10 733	9 927
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	67 468	66 480	70 496	67 533	63 744
Transport and escort services	na	na	na	na	na
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	160	161	157	149	148
Secure	1 638	1 593	1 682	1 654	1 654
All prisons	1 798	1 754	1 839	1 804	1 802

(a) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(b) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

(c) From 2011-12, Tasmania no longer includes the costs associated with prisoners who have been transferred out of the custody of the Director of Prisons under the *Mental Health Act 1996*. Figures for 2011-12 are therefore not directly comparable with previous years.

na Not available. .. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

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TABLE 8A.58

Tasmania**Table 8A.58 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	0.19	1.92	2.05	0.63	0.98
Assaults	3.52	4.79	10.84	9.07	8.63
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	–	–	0.41	0.42	0.39
Assaults	0.37	0.96	1.02	1.48	1.18
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	1
Total — all prisoners	–	–	–	–	1
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1	1	2	–	–
Total — all prisoners	1	1	2	–	–
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (a)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	1	–	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	1	–	–
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	0.23
Total — all prisoners	–	–	–	–	0.20
Number of escapes					
Open	3	–	–	–	4
Secure	–	–	–	3	5
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Open	4.97	–	–	–	9.52
Secure	–	–	–	0.71	1.07
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day) (c)					
Open	14.1	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.7
Secure	11.8	11.9	8.8	8.7	8.7
Total — all prisons	12.1	12.2	9.5	9.5	9.2
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners) (d)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	18.3	18.3	17.5	20.5	13.0
Service (no fee for service) industries	51.3	45.4	50.8	45.0	47.5
Work release	0.4	–	0.4	0.6	–
Total — all industries	70.1	63.7	68.8	66.2	60.5

TABLE 8A.58

Tasmania**Table 8A.58 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners) (e)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	na	na	na	na	8.5
Secondary school education	na	na	na	na	17.4
Vocational Education and Training	na	na	na	na	11.5
Higher Education	na	na	na	na	1.0
Total — all education	na	na	na	na	28.5

- (a) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (b) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There was one escapes of this type in 2011-12.
- (c) Figures exclude prisoners accommodated at the Wilfred Lopes Secure Mental Health Unit and inpatients at the Risdon Prison Complex Primary Health Centre and Royal Hobart Hospital.
- (d) Figures are based on the number of prisoners employed at 30 June and calculated against the number of prisoners in custody on that day.
- (e) In 2011-12, figures are based on the number of prisoners in education on 1 June, calculated against the number of prisoners in custody on that day. Data for years prior to 2011-12 have been withdrawn following concerns identified by Tasmania in relation to application of the national counting rules in past years.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Tasmanian Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.60

Tasmania
Table 8A.60 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders					
Male, Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Male, non-Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Male, unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Female, Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Female, non-Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Female, unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Gender not recorded	..	..	..	..	..
Total persons	..	..	..	..	..
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	47	53	59	79	101
Male, non-Indigenous	351	378	437	562	727
Male, unknown	12	20	28	21	23
Female, Indigenous	11	13	17	29	42
Female, non-Indigenous	111	106	111	154	204
Female, unknown	5	1	4	–	0.2
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	537	571	656	845	1 097
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	72	83	105	113	131
Male, non-Indigenous	507	541	640	778	800
Male, unknown	10	5	7	4	4
Female, Indigenous	21	22	28	39	35
Female, non-Indigenous	103	127	156	161	174
Female, unknown	5	0.3	1	2	0.1
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	718	777	937	1 097	1 145
Average daily distinct persons serving orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	104	114	137	152	180
Male, non-Indigenous	765	799	923	1 114	1 249
Male, unknown	21	24	34	23	26
Female, Indigenous	29	30	38	56	63
Female, non-Indigenous	193	209	234	267	320
Female, unknown	10	2	4	2	0.2
Total persons, Indigenous	133	144	175	208	243
Total persons, non-Indigenous	958	1 008	1 157	1 381	1 569
Total persons, unknown	31	26	38	25	26
Total males	890	937	1 094	1 289	1 455
Total females	232	241	276	325	383

TABLE 8A.60

Tasmania
Table 8A.60 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	1 122	1 177	1 370	1 614	1 838
Crude community corrections rates (b)					
Offenders/100 000	296.7	308.2	354.1	413.1	464.1
Male offenders/100 000	483.5	503.7	580.8	677.5	746.9
Female offenders/100 000	119.5	122.7	139.1	162.2	190.4
Indigenous offenders/100 000	1 231.9	1 284.5	1 505.8	1 730.2	1 954.0
Non-Indigenous offenders/100 000	260.7	271.8	308.3	364.7	409.1
Work hours ordered/100 000 (c)	10 899	11 300	15 298	17 100	18 201
Work hours performed/100 000	na	na	na	na	na
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (d)					
Operating expenditure (e)	4 943	5 615	5 433	6 259	7 880
Operating revenues	3	1	3	–	–
Net operating expenditure	4 939	5 614	5 430	6 259	7 880
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	4 939	5 614	5 430	6 259	7 890
Capital costs (f)	–	–	–	–	23
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	4 939	5 614	5 430	6 259	7 903
Payroll tax	225	255	267	286	342

(a) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Figures are based only on the number of hours to be worked in new orders made during the year; hours for orders made in the previous year which continue into the current year are not available.

(d) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

(e) Expenditure associated with managing the Court Mandated Diversion (CMD) program has been included as of 2011-12.

(f) Up to 2011-12, capital expenditure was zero as Tasmania did not own any community corrections assets over \$5000 in value.

na Not available. .. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

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Single Jurisdiction Data — ACT

TABLE 8A.63

Australian Capital Territory
Table 8A.63 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population					
Total — all prisons	180	171	189	228	259
Male, Indigenous, open prison	6	5	—	—	—
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	59	47	—	—	8
Male, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, Indigenous, open prison	0.4	1	—	—	—
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	6	5	—	—	—
Female, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	12	17	27	34	38
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	88	87	146	177	199
Male, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	2	3
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	2	2	2	3	2
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	6	6	13	11	9
Female, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	—
Total - male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	165	157	173	214	248
Female prisoners, all prisons	15	14	15	14	11
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	21	25	29	37	41
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	160	146	159	189	215
Unknown, all prisons	—	—	—	2	3
Total — open/secure (a)					
Open	72	57	—	—	8
Secure	108	114	189	228	251
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	..	..	..	..	..
Non-Indigenous prisoners	..	..	..	..	..
Unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	..	..	..	..	..
Crude imprisonment rate (b)					
Prisoners/100 000	68.3	63.4	68.3	80.9	89.3
Male prisoners/100 000	127.5	117.9	127.5	153.9	173.6
Female prisoners/100 000	11.0	10.5	10.8	9.7	7.4
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	803.8	961.2	1 070.8	1 302.6	1 384.8
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	61.1	54.5	58.3	67.7	75.0
Number of facilities (c)					
Government operated prisons	2	1	1	1	1
Privately operated prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Transitional centres	—	—	—	—	1
24-hour court cell centres	—	—	—	—	—
Total facilities (excluding detention centres)	2	1	1	1	2
Prison design capacity (d)					

TABLE 8A.63

Australian Capital Territory
Table 8A.63 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	..	35	..	..	15
Secure	..	118	..	..	317
Total — all prisons	99	153	300	300	332
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (e)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	28 548	34 512	29 645	30 292	31 647
Operating revenues, all prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	8 584	10 647	1 075	1 243	2 139
Secure	19 964	23 865	28 570	29 049	29 508
All prisons	28 548	34 512	29 645	30 292	31 647
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	29 013	36 411	35 439	35 982	37 242
Capital costs					
All prisons	1 677	3 068	18 799	17 784	17 659
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	30 225	37 580	48 444	48 076	49 306
Transport and escort services	1 938	2 594	2 350	2 788	3 034
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	..	..	..	..	..
Secure	..	..	..	..	..
All prisons	..	..	..	..	..

(a) Open/secure custody breakdowns do not apply as of 2009-10 up until 2011-12 when the transitional centre became operational, as the Alexander Maconochie Centre was deemed to be a secure facility over that period. In 2007-08, ACT prisoner populations included ACT prisoners held in NSW open custody facilities, which continued to apply for part of the 2008-09 year until all ACT prisoners were held in ACT facilities.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Excludes periodic detention centres — see Table 8A.65.

(d) Figures for 2008-09 are an average of design capacity calculated across the reporting period that takes into account a three-month period during which the Alexander Maconochie Centre (AMC) was operating, and therefore design capacity for only that facility applied, and a nine-month period where ACT prisoners were held in ACT remand facilities or NSW prisons and therefore only ACT remand centre capacity applied. The AMC was deemed to be a secure facility as of 2009-10, so that all ACT prison design capacity was secure custody up until 2011-12 when the transitional centre at the AMC became operational.

(e) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

.. Not applicable. — Nil or rounded to zero.

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TABLE 8A.64

Australian Capital Territory
Table 8A.64 Effectiveness, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	1.21	na	na	na	1.55
Assaults	7.28	na	na	na	15.84
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	–	na	na	na	–
Assaults	–	na	na	na	0.77
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	1	–	–	–
Total — all prisoners	–	1	–	–	–
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	1	–	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	1	–	–
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (a)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	1.01	–	–	–
Total — all prisoners	–	0.85	–	–	–
Number of escapes					
Open	–	–	–	–	1
Secure	–	–	–	–	–
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Open	..	–	..	..	13.25
Secure	–	–	–	–	–
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day) (c)					
Open	..	17.3	..	..	12.0
Secure	..	9.5	..	..	10.4
Total — all prisons	9.5	10.8	14.1	13.3	10.5
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners) (d)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	..	na	–	–	–
Service (no fee for service) industries	..	na	92.3	84.8	85.5
Work release	..	na	..	..	..
Total — all industries	..	na	92.3	84.8	85.5

TABLE 8A.64

Australian Capital Territory
Table 8A.64 Effectiveness, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners) (e)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	..	na	1.7	8.5	6.6
Secondary school education	..	na	15.2	17.9	33.9
Vocational Education and Training	..	na	84.8	75.5	76.0
Higher Education	..	na	1.9	1.8	0.5
Total — all education	..	na	92.0	89.8	85.1

- (a) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (b) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There were zero escapes of this type in 2011-12.
- (c) Open and secure custody disaggregations are not applicable to the ACT prior to 2008-09 or as of 2009-10. Figures for 2008-09 are based on the three-month period that the Alexander Maconochie Centre was operating during the reporting period.
- (d) Employment figures are not applicable prior to 2008-09 because ACT prisoners held in the ACT were remand prisoners only, who were not required to work. Figures are not available in 2008-09 as the Alexander Maconochie Centre (AMC) was only operational for three months — an insufficient period of time to provide a representative measure of employment across the reporting period.
- (e) Education figures were not applicable prior to 2008-09 because ACT prisoners held in the ACT were remand prisoners only. Figures are not available in 2008-09 as the Alexander Maconochie Centre (AMC) was only operational for three months — an insufficient period of time to provide a representative measure of education across the reporting period.

na Not available. **..** Not applicable. **–** Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ACT Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.65

Australian Capital Territory
Table 8A.65 Descriptors, periodic detention

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily periodic detention population (a)					
Total	56	53	54	56	62
Male, Indigenous	2	2	2	5	5
Male, non-Indigenous	49	44	45	41	49
Male, unknown	–	–	–	4	4
Female, Indigenous	1	–	0.3	2	1
Female, non-Indigenous	4	7	6	4	4
Female, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Total — male/female					
Male detainees	51	46	47	50	58
Female detainees	5	7	7	6	4
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous detainees	3	2	3	7	6
Non-Indigenous detainees	53	51	51	45	52
Unknown	–	–	–	4	4
Average daily population attending (residential only)	40	35	35	40	46
Crude periodic detention rate (b)					
Detainees/100 000	21.3	19.8	19.5	19.8	21.5
Male detainees/100 000	39.4	34.6	34.8	36.0	40.5
Female detainees/100 000	3.8	5.4	4.7	4.0	3.0
Indigenous detainees/100 000	114.1	80.7	93.6	230.3	197.8
Non-Indigenous detainees/100 000	20.4	19.1	18.8	16.1	18.2
Number of periodic detention centres	1	1	1	1	1
Useable periodic detention capacity	30	45	45	65	104

(a) Figures refer to all detainees with periodic detention warrants, regardless of whether this includes attending a residential component.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Table 8A.4 footnotes provide additional information on the basis for the rate calculation and qualifiers on interpretation.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; ACT Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.66

Australian Capital Territory**Table 8A.66 Effectiveness, periodic detention**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 detainees)					
Detainees on detainees					
Serious assaults	–	na	na	na	–
Assaults	–	na	na	na	6.43
Detainees on officers					
Serious assaults	–	na	na	na	–
Assaults	–	na	na	na	–
Death rates (per 100 detainees)					
Indigenous detainees	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous detainees	–	–	–	–	–
Total — all detainees	–	–	–	–	–
Escape rate (per 100 detainees)	–	–	–	–	–
Employment (per cent)					
Service (no fee for service) industries	56.3	42.3	22.3	37.3	na
Community work	11.5	21.9	44.5	34.3	na
Total employed	67.8	64.1	66.8	71.6	na

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ACT Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.68

Australian Capital Territory

Table 8A.68 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders					
Male, Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Male, non-Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Male, unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Female, Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Female, non-Indigenous	..	..	..	..	..
Female, unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Gender not recorded	..	..	..	..	..
Total persons	..	..	..	..	..
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	4	12	18	16	14
Male, non-Indigenous	99	125	126	130	139
Male, unknown	7	6	12	12	4
Female, Indigenous	1	2	3	2	5
Female, non-Indigenous	20	29	42	39	32
Female, unknown	3	3	3	3	2
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	134	176	204	202	196
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	97	121	134	140	146
Male, non-Indigenous	905	1 019	1 034	1 063	1 045
Male, unknown	84	59	84	61	19
Female, Indigenous	21	36	34	26	32
Female, non-Indigenous	149	177	189	186	173
Female, unknown	17	12	16	8	5
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	1 273	1 424	1 490	1 483	1 420
Average daily distinct persons serving orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	101	134	118	129	136
Male, non-Indigenous	1 004	1 143	984	1 019	1 005
Male, unknown	91	65	84	65	21
Female, Indigenous	22	38	31	24	31
Female, non-Indigenous	169	206	184	184	170
Female, unknown	21	15	17	9	5
Total persons, Indigenous	123	172	149	153	167
Total persons, non-Indigenous	1 173	1 349	1 168	1 203	1 175
Total persons, unknown	111	80	101	74	26
Total males	1 196	1 342	1 186	1 212	1 162
Total females	212	259	232	217	206

TABLE 8A.68

Australian Capital Territory**Table 8A.68 Descriptors, community corrections**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	1 407	1 601	1 418	1 430	1 368
Crude community corrections rates (b)					
Offenders/100 000	533.4	593.4	513.8	507.6	471.8
Male offenders/100 000	922.2	1 010.0	871.6	871.4	813.4
Female offenders/100 000	157.7	189.2	165.7	152.4	140.0
Indigenous offenders/100 000	4 814.0	6 504.4	5 461.0	5 390.9	5 694.8
Non-Indigenous offenders/100 000	449.0	505.1	427.3	431.6	409.3
Work hours ordered/100 000	19 637	22 862	26 927	30 552	18 965
Work hours performed/100 000	9 649	11 917	12 081	12 555	12 199
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure	7 502	7 261	7 734	7 212	7 516
Operating revenues	–	–	–	–	–
Net operating expenditure	7 502	7 261	7 734	7 212	7 516
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	7 589	7 283	7 773	7 251	7 554
Capital costs	121	38	60	57	51
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	7 623	7 298	7 794	7 270	7 567
Payroll tax	..	..	..	..	..

(a) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

.. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; ACT Government (unpublished).

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TABLE 8A.71

Northern Territory
Table 8A.71 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average daily prison population					
Total — all prisons	875	1 030	1 081	1 172	1 337
Male, Indigenous, open prison	195	255	274	311	389
Male, non-Indigenous, open prison	40	42	34	50	55
Male, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, Indigenous, open prison	9	8	13	13	12
Female, non-Indigenous, open prison	3	4	5	4	6
Female, unknown, open prison	—	—	—	—	—
Male, Indigenous, secure prison	493	554	570	609	659
Male, non-Indigenous, secure prison	108	131	156	149	165
Male, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	—
Female, Indigenous, secure prison	24	31	27	32	46
Female, non-Indigenous, secure prison	4	5	2	4	5
Female, unknown, secure prison	—	—	—	—	—
Total — male/female					
Male prisoners, all prisons	835	982	1 034	1 119	1 268
Female prisoners, all prisons	39	48	47	53	69
Total — Indigenous/non-Indigenous					
Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	720	848	884	965	1 106
Non-Indigenous prisoners, all prisons	155	182	197	207	231
Unknown, all prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Total — open/secure					
Open	246	309	326	378	462
Secure	629	721	755	794	875
Privately operated prisons					
Indigenous prisoners	..	..	..	..	..
Non-Indigenous prisoners	..	..	..	..	..
Unknown	..	..	..	..	..
Total prisoners in privately operated prisons	..	..	..	..	..
Crude imprisonment rate (a)					
Prisoners/100 000	562.2	646.7	655.8	700.6	785.4
Male prisoners/100 000	1 028.6	1 186.6	1 208.0	1 286.7	1 413.9
Female prisoners/100 000	52.9	62.7	59.3	66.0	85.7
Indigenous prisoners/100 000	1 851.8	2 127.2	2 163.8	2 304.2	2 562.1
Non-Indigenous prisoners/100 000	132.9	152.4	158.9	165.1	181.8
Number of facilities (b)					
Government operated prisons	4	4	4	4	5
Privately operated prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Transitional centres	—	—	—	—	—
24-hour court cell centres	—	—	—	—	—
Total correctional custodial facilities	4	4	4	4	5
Prison design capacity					

TABLE 8A.71

Northern Territory

Table 8A.71 Descriptors, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Open	230	238	284	389	454
Secure	620	620	664	732	750
Total — all prisons	850	858	948	1 121	1 204
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure, all prisons	59 797	71 807	77 129	81 026	86 004
Operating revenues, all prisons	—	—	—	—	—
Net operating expenditure					
Open plus periodic detention	na	na	na	na	na
Secure	na	na	na	na	na
All prisons	59 797	71 807	77 129	81 026	86 004
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	61 687	73 620	79 042	89 218	94 253
Capital costs					
All prisons	6 472	6 170	12 346	18 879	20 340
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	66 269	77 978	89 476	99 905	106 344
Transport and escort services	na	na	na	na	na
Payroll tax					
Open plus periodic detention	na	na	na	na	na
Secure	na	na	na	na	na
All prisons	2 179	2 289	2 571	2 544	2 600

(a) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(b) NT open prisons are annexes of secure prisons, but included as separate facilities in these data. The Barkly Work Camp commenced in September 2011, increasing the total number of facilities to 5 in 2011-12.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator.

na Not available. .. Not applicable. — Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS (unpublished) *Australian Demographic Statistics*, Cat. no. 3101.0; ABS (unpublished) *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Indigenous Australians* (series B), Cat. no. 3238.0; NT Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.72

Northern Territory
Table 8A.72 Effectiveness, prisons

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Assault rates (per 100 prisoners)					
Prisoners on prisoners					
Serious assaults	0.46	0.29	0.46	0.34	0.37
Assaults	4.80	6.89	3.24	2.39	3.07
Prisoners on officers					
Serious assaults	–	–	0.09	–	0.07
Assaults	0.69	0.87	0.28	0.17	0.22
Number of deaths (apparent unnatural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	1	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	1	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	1	1	–
Number of deaths (apparent natural causes)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	5	1
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	1	–	1
Total — all prisoners	–	–	1	5	2
Number of deaths (unknown causes) (a)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	–	–	–
Apparent unnatural death rate (per 100 prisoners)					
Indigenous prisoners	–	–	0.11	–	–
Non-Indigenous prisoners	–	–	–	0.48	–
Total — all prisoners	–	–	0.09	0.09	–
Number of escapes					
Open	–	2	3	6	6
Secure	1	–	1	2	–
Escape rate (per 100 prisoners) (b)					
Open	–	0.65	0.92	1.59	1.30
Secure	0.16	–	0.13	0.25	–
Average daily time out of cells (hours per day)					
Open	19.6	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.1
Secure	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1
Total — all prisons	12.0	12.3	12.3	12.6	12.9
Employment (per cent of eligible prisoners) (c)					
Commercial (fee for service) industries	3.6	3.2	4.6	2.6	2.7
Service (no fee for service) industries	85.7	59.5	52.4	66.5	65.7
Work release	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.6	0.4
Total — all industries	90.2	63.6	58.0	70.7	68.9

TABLE 8A.72

Northern Territory**Table 8A.72 Effectiveness, prisons**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Education (per cent of eligible prisoners) (d)					
Pre-certificate Level 1 courses	–	1.5	14.6	9.9	2.8
Secondary school education	1.2	0.4	–	–	0.1
Vocational Education and Training	24.1	23.2	15.3	22.6	19.3
Higher Education	1.1	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.2
Total — all education	26.4	25.3	30.1	32.7	22.4

- (a) Refers to deaths where there is insufficient evidence to assess, subject to a Coroner's finding, whether the cause of death was natural or unnatural. These data are not included in the calculation of rates. Deaths occurring in past years where cause of death was recorded as unknown at the time of the Report but were subsequently determined to have been from either natural or unnatural causes, or where the cause of death was re-classified following finalisation of a coronial hearing, are updated in the relevant year's figures and rates when known.
- (b) In accordance with the national counting rule, these rates exclude incidents such as prisoners failing to return from unescorted leave, work release or day leave, or by prisoners in work parties or participating in activities outside the perimeter without direct one-to-one supervision. There were no escapes of this type in 2011-12.
- (c) In 2011-12, figures are based on the number of prisoners employed at 1 June, calculated against the number of prisoners in custody on that day.
- (d) In 2011-12, figures are based on the number of prisoners in education on 1 June, calculated against the number of prisoners in custody on that day. In 2011-12, accredited Pre-certificate Level 1 courses were not operating over the whole of the reporting period, which reduced the per cent of prisoners participating in such courses compared with the previous two years.
- Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: NT Government (unpublished).

TABLE 8A.74

Northern Territory
Table 8A.74 Descriptors, community corrections

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Average number of offenders					
on restricted movement orders					
Male, Indigenous	12	9	10	7	7
Male, non-Indigenous	19	15	18	11	17
Male, unknown	–	1	–	–	–
Female, Indigenous	2	4	3	4	8
Female, non-Indigenous	1	2	3	4	3
Female, unknown	–	–	1	–	–
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	34	31	35	26	35
on reparation orders					
Male, Indigenous	139	112	96	85	99
Male, non-Indigenous	36	32	28	26	26
Male, unknown	–	–	2	–	–
Female, Indigenous	26	22	18	13	18
Female, non-Indigenous	5	5	7	6	6
Female, unknown	–	–	–	–	–
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	206	171	151	130	149
on supervision orders					
Male, Indigenous	630	632	687	623	601
Male, non-Indigenous	208	164	262	232	204
Male, unknown	1	–	3	–	–
Female, Indigenous	91	95	112	107	113
Female, non-Indigenous	18	18	29	24	22
Female, unknown	–	–	1	–	–
Gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	948	909	1 094	986	940
Average daily distinct persons serving orders (a)					
Male, Indigenous	755	733	731	679	679
Male, non-Indigenous	259	208	285	253	238
Male, unknown	1	1	8	–	–
Female, Indigenous	113	118	125	119	137
Female, non-Indigenous	24	25	35	32	29
Female, unknown	–	–	1	–	–
Total persons, Indigenous	868	851	856	798	815
Total persons, non-Indigenous	283	233	320	285	267
Total persons, unknown	1	1	9	–	–
Total males	1 015	942	1 024	932	917
Total females	137	143	161	151	165

TABLE 8A.74

Northern Territory**Table 8A.74 Descriptors, community corrections**

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Total gender not recorded	–	–	–	–	–
Total persons	1 152	1 085	1 185	1 083	1 082
Crude community corrections rates (b)					
Offenders/100 000 adults	740.4	681.3	718.9	647.4	635.6
Male offenders/100 000	1 249.7	1 138.3	1 196.3	1 071.7	1 022.1
Female offenders/100 000	184.2	186.9	203.2	188.0	205.3
Indigenous offenders/100 000 adults	2 233.5	2 134.7	2 095.3	1 905.4	1 888.2
Non-Indigenous/100 000	242.5	195.1	258.1	227.3	210.1
Work hours ordered/100 000	22 306	17 529	na	16 717	19 803
Work hours performed/100 000	7 832	7 299	na	6 393	9 062
Recurrent expenditure (2011-12 \$'000) (c)					
Operating expenditure	8 530	13 108	14 142	14 521	17 092
Operating revenues	–	–	–	–	–
Net operating expenditure	8 530	13 108	14 142	14 521	17 092
Net operating expenditure plus depreciation	8 600	13 206	14 266	14 871	17 498
Capital costs	104	167	191	523	576
Total net operating expenditure and capital costs	8 634	13 275	14 333	15 044	17 668
Payroll tax	353	405	448	407	460

(a) Total persons may not equal the sum of persons per order type because an offender may be serving more than one type of order.

(b) Rates are calculated per 100 000 of the relevant adult population, that is, per 100 000 of total, male, female, Indigenous, and Non-Indigenous adults respectively. Rates as of 2011-12 use population estimates based on the 2011 Census while those for prior years are based on estimates using the 2006 Census.

(c) Data for previous years have been adjusted by the gross domestic product deflator. Operating expenditure excludes estimated costs attributable to juvenile justice functions (that is, supervision of young offenders by community corrections staff), which falls outside the scope of the corrective services function as defined in the Report.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

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