Quarterly Statistics - Custodial (Adult Prisoner) 2017 - Quarter 2

This report provides an overview of the number of people who are in the care of the Department, in custody, on a quarterly basis.

Quarterly Statistics

The statistics provided in this report are census data current at midnight at the end of the last day of each quarter and comparison data for the same quarter of previous years. It also includes trend information for each quarter for the previous 5 years.

Whilst the statistics are accurate as at the time of data extraction, the data systems are dynamic and are subject to updates and data integrity improvements. For this reason, data may change slightly from month to month or quarter to quarter.

All data are sourced from the Corrective Services Reporting Framework

Adult Prisoners in Custody

The Department manages 14 public and 3 private facilities, along with a number of work camps across WA.

Table 1: Summary of Adult Prisoners in Custody

	Gender		Aboriginality		Sentence Status		Total
Census Date	Male	Female	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Sentenced	Unsentenced	
30 Jun 2017	6,059	683	2,522	4,220	4,816	1,926	6,742
30 Jun 2016	5,696	632	2,414	3,914	4,476	1,852	6,328
30 Jun 2015	5,029	524	2,126	3,427	4,247	1,306	5,553
30 Jun 2014	4,772	470	2,095	3,147	4,066	1,176	5,242
30 Jun 2013	4,475	449	1,996	2,928	3,956	968	4,924
30 Jun 2012	4,518	446	1,987	2,977	3,998	966	4,964

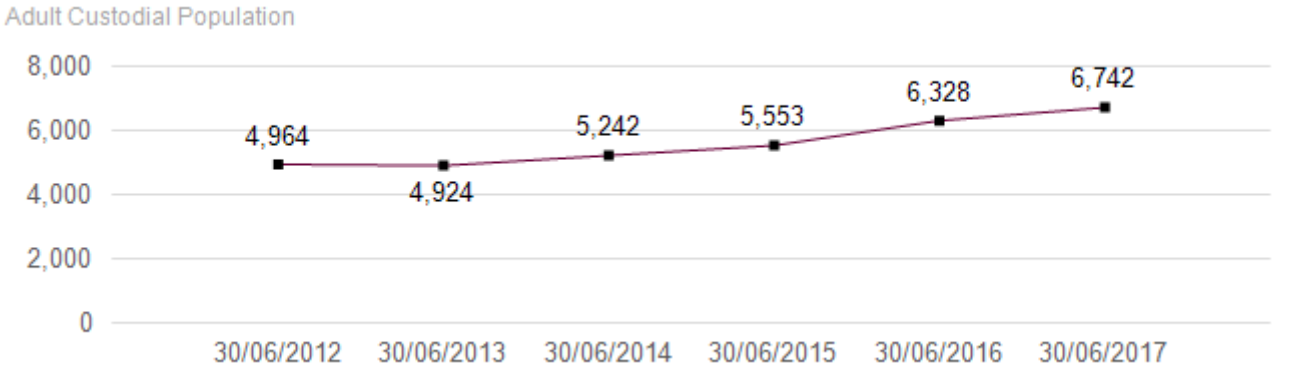

Table 2: Number of Adult Prisoners in Custody by Gender

Census Date	Male	Female	Total
30 Jun 2017	6,059	683	6,742
31 Mar 2017	6,092	684	6,776
31 Dec 2016	5,689	620	6,309
30 Sep 2016	5,664	619	6,283
30 Jun 2016	5,696	632	6,328
31 Mar 2016	5,470	587	6,057
31 Dec 2015	5,233	510	5,743
30 Sep 2015	5,199	512	5,711
30 Jun 2015	5,029	524	5,553
31 Mar 2015	4,957	523	5,480
31 Dec 2014	4,877	522	5,399
30 Sep 2014	4,796	516	5,312
30 Jun 2014	4,772	470	5,242
31 Mar 2014	4,632	474	5,106
31 Dec 2013	4,478	461	4,939
30 Sep 2013	4,501	444	4,945
30 Jun 2013	4,475	449	4,924
31 Mar 2013	4,543	436	4,979
31 Dec 2012	4,488	463	4,951
30 Sep 2012	4,484	424	4,908
30 Jun 2012	4,518	446	4,964

Table 3: Number of Adult Prisoners in Custody by Aboriginality

Census Date	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
30 Jun 2017	2,522	4,220	6,742
31 Mar 2017	2,563	4,213	6,776
31 Dec 2016	2,391	3,918	6,309
30 Sep 2016	2,392	3,891	6,283
30 Jun 2016	2,414	3,914	6,328
31 Mar 2016	2,341	3,716	6,057
31 Dec 2015	2,177	3,566	5,743
30 Sep 2015	2,145	3,566	5,711
30 Jun 2015	2,126	3,427	5,553
31 Mar 2015	2,136	3,344	5,480
31 Dec 2014	2,141	3,258	5,399
30 Sep 2014	2,107	3,205	5,312
30 Jun 2014	2,095	3,147	5,242
31 Mar 2014	2,043	3,063	5,106
31 Dec 2013	1,997	2,942	4,939
30 Sep 2013	2,004	2,941	4,945
30 Jun 2013	1,996	2,928	4,924
31 Mar 2013	2,011	2,968	4,979
31 Dec 2012	2,004	2,947	4,951
30 Sep 2012	1,974	2,934	4,908
30 Jun 2012	1,987	2,977	4,964

Table 4: Number of Adult Prisoners in Custody by Aboriginality and Gender

	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
Census Date	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
30 Jun 2017	2,224	298	2,522	3,835	385	4,220
31 Mar 2017	2,244	319	2,563	3,848	365	4,213
31 Dec 2016	2,097	294	2,391	3,592	326	3,918
30 Sep 2016	2,098	294	2,392	3,566	325	3,891
30 Jun 2016	2,121	293	2,414	3,575	339	3,914
31 Mar 2016	2,071	270	2,341	3,399	317	3,716
31 Dec 2015	1,936	241	2,177	3,297	269	3,566
30 Sep 2015	1,899	246	2,145	3,300	266	3,566
30 Jun 2015	1,863	263	2,126	3,166	261	3,427
31 Mar 2015	1,871	265	2,136	3,086	258	3,344
31 Dec 2014	1,865	276	2,141	3,012	246	3,258
30 Sep 2014	1,835	272	2,107	2,961	244	3,205
30 Jun 2014	1,845	250	2,095	2,927	220	3,147
31 Mar 2014	1,815	228	2,043	2,817	246	3,063
31 Dec 2013	1,772	225	1,997	2,706	236	2,942
30 Sep 2013	1,784	220	2,004	2,717	224	2,941
30 Jun 2013	1,781	215	1,996	2,694	234	2,928
31 Mar 2013	1,800	211	2,011	2,743	225	2,968
31 Dec 2012	1,782	222	2,004	2,706	241	2,947
30 Sep 2012	1,775	199	1,974	2,709	225	2,934
30 Jun 2012	1,773	214	1,987	2,745	232	2,977

Table 5: Number of Adult Prisoner Receptions and Releases by Gender

	Prisoner Receptions			Prisoner Releases		
Quarter	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Jun 2017	2,086	420	2,506	2,119	421	2,540
Mar 2017	2,487	524	3,011	2,084	460	2,544
Dec 2016	2,244	421	2,665	2,219	420	2,639
Sep 2016	2,079	400	2,479	2,111	413	2,524
Jun 2016	2,173	409	2,582	1,947	364	2,311
Mar 2016	2,174	419	2,593	1,937	342	2,279
Dec 2015	1,928	355	2,283	1,894	357	2,251
Sep 2015	1,884	319	2,203	1,714	331	2,045
Jun 2015	1,760	340	2,100	1,688	339	2,027
Mar 2015	1,824	320	2,144	1,744	319	2,063
Dec 2014	1,755	340	2,095	1,674	334	2,008
Sep 2014	1,691	334	2,025	1,667	288	1,955
Jun 2014	1,766	302	2,068	1,626	306	1,932
Mar 2014	1,649	314	1,963	1,495	301	1,796
Dec 2013	1,640	331	1,971	1,663	314	1,977
Sep 2013	1,697	352	2,049	1,671	357	2,028
Jun 2013	1,652	331	1,983	1,720	318	2,038
Mar 2013	1,807	299	2,106	1,752	326	2,078
Dec 2012	1,721	340	2,061	1,717	301	2,018
Sep 2012	1,681	299	1,980	1,715	321	2,036
Jun 2012	1,530	263	1,793	1,565	228	1,793

Table 6: Number of Adult Prisoner Receptions and Releases by Aboriginality

	Prisoner Receptions			Prisoner Releases		
Quarter	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Jun 2017	1,030	1,476	2,506	1,071	1,469	2,540
Mar 2017	1,221	1,790	3,011	1,049	1,495	2,544
Dec 2016	1,092	1,573	2,665	1,093	1,546	2,639
Sep 2016	1,027	1,452	2,479	1,049	1,475	2,524
Jun 2016	1,035	1,547	2,582	962	1,349	2,311
Mar 2016	1,095	1,498	2,593	931	1,348	2,279
Dec 2015	993	1,290	2,283	961	1,290	2,251
Sep 2015	915	1,288	2,203	896	1,149	2,045
Jun 2015	845	1,255	2,100	855	1,172	2,027
Mar 2015	913	1,231	2,144	918	1,145	2,063
Dec 2014	897	1,198	2,095	863	1,145	2,008
Sep 2014	852	1,173	2,025	840	1,115	1,955
Jun 2014	882	1,186	2,068	830	1,102	1,932
Mar 2014	872	1,091	1,963	826	970	1,796
Dec 2013	886	1,085	1,971	893	1,084	1,977
Sep 2013	915	1,134	2,049	907	1,121	2,028
Jun 2013	904	1,079	1,983	919	1,119	2,038
Mar 2013	958	1,148	2,106	951	1,127	2,078
Dec 2012	961	1,100	2,061	931	1,087	2,018
Sep 2012	933	1,047	1,980	946	1,090	2,036
Jun 2012	807	986	1,793	818	975	1,793

Table 7: Number of Adult Prisoners in Custody by Sentenced Status

Census Date	Sentenced	Unsentenced	Total
30 Jun 2017	4,816	1,926	6,742
31 Mar 2017	4,781	1,995	6,776
31 Dec 2016	4,595	1,714	6,309
30 Sep 2016	4,458	1,825	6,283
30 Jun 2016	4,476	1,852	6,328
31 Mar 2016	4,310	1,747	6,057
31 Dec 2015	4,249	1,494	5,743
30 Sep 2015	4,248	1,463	5,711
30 Jun 2015	4,247	1,306	5,553
31 Mar 2015	4,225	1,255	5,480
31 Dec 2014	4,220	1,179	5,399
30 Sep 2014	4,089	1,223	5,312
30 Jun 2014	4,066	1,176	5,242
31 Mar 2014	4,019	1,087	5,106
31 Dec 2013	3,978	961	4,939
30 Sep 2013	3,962	983	4,945
30 Jun 2013	3,956	968	4,924
31 Mar 2013	3,877	1,102	4,979
31 Dec 2012	3,976	975	4,951
30 Sep 2012	3,907	1,001	4,908
30 Jun 2012	3,998	966	4,964

Table 8: Number of Sentenced Adult Prisoners in Custody by Security Rating

Census Date	Maximum	Medium	Minimum	Total[1]
30 Jun 2017	383	2,764	1,669	4,816
31 Mar 2017	387	2,766	1,628	4,781
31 Dec 2016	294	2,761	1,540	4,595
30 Sep 2016	292	2,625	1,541	4,458
30 Jun 2016	312	2,622	1,542	4,476
31 Mar 2016	295	2,508	1,507	4,310
31 Dec 2015	281	2,484	1,484	4,249
30 Sep 2015	304	2,476	1,468	4,248
30 Jun 2015	270	2,543	1,434	4,247
31 Mar 2015	302	2,477	1,445	4,225
31 Dec 2014	307	2,478	1,435	4,220
30 Sep 2014	290	2,372	1,427	4,089
30 Jun 2014	291	2,401	1,374	4,066
31 Mar 2014	262	2,333	1,424	4,019
31 Dec 2013	246	2,256	1,476	3,978
30 Sep 2013	252	2,232	1,477	3,962
30 Jun 2013	281	2,200	1,475	3,956
31 Mar 2013	262	2,175	1,440	3,877
31 Dec 2012	245	2,245	1,486	3,976
30 Sep 2012	246	2,149	1,511	3,907
30 Jun 2012	216	2,154	1,627	3,998

[1] Total includes prisoners where security rating are not recorded

Table 9: Number of Adult Prisoners in Custody by Age

Census Date	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 49	50+	Total
30 Jun 2017	1,062	2,474	2,424	782	6,742
31 Mar 2017	1,119	2,479	2,421	757	6,776
31 Dec 2016	1,020	2,331	2,264	694	6,309
30 Sep 2016	1,033	2,324	2,252	674	6,283
30 Jun 2016	1,101	2,303	2,271	653	6,328
31 Mar 2016	1,072	2,208	2,157	620	6,057
31 Dec 2015	981	2,067	2,072	623	5,743
30 Sep 2015	1,000	2,080	2,037	594	5,711
30 Jun 2015	962	1,994	2,019	578	5,553
31 Mar 2015	977	1,968	1,973	562	5,480
31 Dec 2014	996	1,945	1,918	540	5,399
30 Sep 2014	984	1,882	1,911	535	5,312
30 Jun 2014	1,006	1,876	1,845	515	5,242
31 Mar 2014	999	1,808	1,806	493	5,106
31 Dec 2013	952	1,749	1,760	478	4,939
30 Sep 2013	955	1,761	1,742	487	4,945
30 Jun 2013	963	1,785	1,696	480	4,924
31 Mar 2013	963	1,839	1,703	474	4,979
31 Dec 2012	942	1,808	1,716	485	4,951
30 Sep 2012	941	1,786	1,704	477	4,908
30 Jun 2012	925	1,820	1,734	485	4,964

Table 10: Number of Sentenced Adult Prisoners by Most Serious Offence Category(ANZSOC)

ANZSOC Division	30 Jun 2012	30 Jun 2013	30 Jun 2014	30 Jun 2015	30 Jun 2016	30 Jun 2017
Homicide and Related Offences	323	325	332	348	357	376
Acts Intended to Cause Injury	697	710	712	680	718	786
Sexual Assault and Related	529	480	446	502	512	520
Dangerous or Negligent Acts Endangering Persons	194	199	271	324	356	393
Abduction, Harassment and Other Offences Against the Person	41	50	57	63	61	85
Robbery, Extortion and Related	513	518	518	499	501	476
Unlawful Entry With Intent/Burglary, Break and Enter	593	695	715	720	748	803
Theft and Related	72	55	71	84	94	78
Fraud, Deception and Related	83	69	53	69	58	79
Illicit Drugs	511	509	580	646	707	891
Prohibited and Regulated Weapons and Explosives	8	14	11	11	16	14
Property Damage and Environmental Pollution	62	55	53	69	83	66
Public Order	20	18	22	16	17	21
Traffic and Vehicle Regulatory	164	143	137	123	147	118
Offences Against Justice Procedures, Government Security and Government Operations	181	107	80	81	87	100
Miscellaneous/Other	7	9	8	12	14	10

Results in the above table are not comparable to results published prior to 30 June 2017.

Table 11: Number of Sentenced Adult Prisoners in Custody by Any Previous Non-Fine-Default Sentence of Imprisonment in the 5 Years Prior to the Current Sentence

	Prior Imprisonment Sentences				
Census Date	No Prior	One Prior	Two To Four Prior	Five Or More Prior	Total
30 Jun 2017	3,501	940	375	0	4,816
31 Mar 2017	3,461	931	388	1	4,781
31 Dec 2016	3,343	884	367	1	4,595
30 Sep 2016	3,263	827	367	1	4,458
30 Jun 2016	3,279	844	352	1	4,476
31 Mar 2016	3,149	822	338	1	4,310
31 Dec 2015	3,138	794	315	2	4,249
30 Sep 2015	3,160	781	307	0	4,248
30 Jun 2015	3,159	775	313	0	4,247
31 Mar 2015	3,143	791	290	1	4,225
31 Dec 2014	3,136	793	288	3	4,220
30 Sep 2014	3,050	768	269	2	4,089
30 Jun 2014	2,968	818	278	2	4,066
31 Mar 2014	2,917	804	298	0	4,019
31 Dec 2013	2,864	792	321	1	3,978
30 Sep 2013	2,826	796	339	1	3,962
30 Jun 2013	2,802	796	358	0	3,956
31 Mar 2013	2,759	762	353	3	3,877
31 Dec 2012	2,811	778	386	1	3,976
30 Sep 2012	2,800	739	368	0	3,907
30 Jun 2012	2,867	718	413	0	3,998

Results in the above table are not comparable to results published prior to 30 June 2017.

Definitions

Terms below are used across the Corrective Quarterly Statistics reports and may not necessarily appear in this report.

Term	Definition
Aboriginal	Persons who have identified themselves as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent. The term 'origin' when used in the context of the ABS Standard Indigenous Question, relates to a person's Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent and for some, but not all, their cultural identity.
Aboriginality	Whether or not someone identifies as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent.
ANZSOC	Australian and New Zealand Standard Offence Classification is a hierarchical classification of offences developed by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.
ANZSOC Division	Sixteen high level categories for offences classified within the Australian and New Zealand Standard Offence Classification.
Census	A count (usually of people) taken at the end of the day.
Detainee	A young person who is detained in a detention centre.
Facility	A prison, work camp or youth detention centre.
Most Serious Offence	The offence considered the most serious in a group of offences, as determined by a classification authority.
Prisoner	As defined in the Prisons Act, a person committed to prison for punishment, on remand, for trial, to be kept in strict custody, for contempt of court, for contempt of Parliament or otherwise ordered into strict security or safe custody, or otherwise ordered to be detained in a prison under a law of the State or the Commonwealth and also means a prisoner whose sentence has been commuted by an extension of the Royal Mercy and in each case a person continues to be a prisoner for so long as he remains in lawful custody.
Reception	The receipt of a prisoner or detainee into custody.
Release	When a prisoner or young person is released from custody.
Security Rating - Personal	The description of the level of risk a prisoner or detainee presents to the community, based on a formal assessment by custodial staff using an approved assessment instrument.
Sentence Status	Indicates whether a person is subject to custody due to an active court sentence or whether remanded pending sentencing or hearing.
Sentenced	The state of a person being confined to custody by a court, following conviction of an indictable offence, for a specified term, whether or not finite, and subject to any conditions set out by the court.
Unsentenced	A person who has not had a sentence issued by a Court of Law. Includes anyone on remand, young people held on arrest, prisoners held on behalf of the Department of Immigration and Border Protection or prisoners awaiting extradition.
Young Person	As defined in the Young Offenders Act; (a) a person who has not reached the age of 18 years; or (b) a person to whom [the] Act applies because of section 4 [of the Act];