



Illinois Department of Corrections

Adult Inmate Population on June 30, 2017

3-Year Recidivism Rates ¹	%
FY12 Exits	46.9%
FY13 Exits	43.9%
FY14 Exits	43.0%

Offense Category	N	%
Homicide	8,690	20.2%
Controlled Substance Violation	6,979	16.2%
Sexual Assault / Rape	4,767	11.1%
Assault / Battery / Force / Harm	3,976	9.2%
Weapons	3,358	7.8%
Armed Robbery	2,777	6.4%
Burglary	1,739	4.0%
Residential Burglary	1,525	3.5%
Robbery	1,314	3.1%
DUI	1,244	2.9%
Sex Related Offense	1,019	2.4%
Retail Theft	800	1.9%
Theft	710	1.6%
Home / Vehicular Invasion	543	1.3%
Motor Vehicle Theft	529	1.2%
Vehicle Code Violation	525	1.2%
Forgery / Deception / Fraud	472	1.1%
Kidnapping / Restraint / Abduction	385	0.9%
Cannabis	372	0.9%
Escape	368	0.9%
Armed Violence	240	0.6%
Arson	177	0.4%
Government Offenses	174	0.4%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	172	0.4%
Damage to Property	158	0.4%
Disorderly Conduct / Mob Action	49	0.1%
Bail Bond Violation	11	0.0%
Habitual Offender	2	0.0%
Inchoate	0	0.0%
Total	43,075	100.0%

Race	N	%
Black	24,194	56.2%
White	13,158	30.5%
Hispanic	5,450	12.7%
Asian	172	0.4%
Native American	57	0.1%
Unknown/Missing	44	0.1%
Total	43,075	100.0%

Average Age	37.7 Years
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Sentencing County ²	N	%
Cook County	20,724	48.1%
Collar Counties ²	4,986	11.6%
Downstate Counties ²	17,324	40.2%
Out of State	41	0.1%
Total	43,075	100.0%

Offense Class	N	%
Murder (20-60 years)	6,943	16.1%
Class X (6-30 years)	12,572	29.2%
Class 1 (4-15 years)	6,612	15.3%
Class 2 (3-7 years)	8,566	19.9%
Class 3 (2-5 years)	3,718	8.6%
Class 4 (1-3 years)	4,490	10.4%
Contempt of Court	2	0.0%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	172	0.4%
Total	43,075	100.0%

Offense Type	N	%
Person	21,774	50.5%
Drug	8,435	19.6%
Property	6,483	15.1%
Sex	5,958	13.8%
Other	425	1.0%
Total	43,075	100.0%

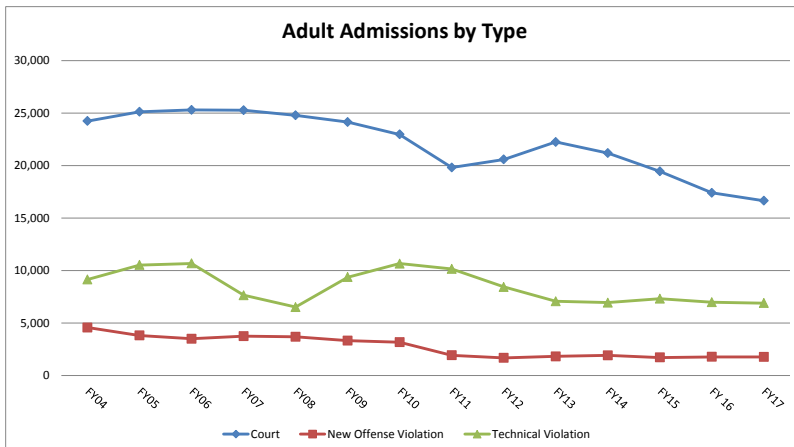
Miscellaneous	N	%
Sex Offenders ⁸	7,398	17.2%
Life Sentences	1,630	3.8%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	172	0.4%
Indeterminate Sentences	122	0.3%

Admission Type	N	%
Court ⁴	36,033	83.7%
New Offense Violation ⁵	2,478	5.8%
Technical Violation ⁶	4,410	10.2%
Other ⁷	154	0.4%
Total	43,075	100.0%

Historical Population - End of FY*	
FY	**Population
FY74	6,323
FY75	7,437
FY76	9,182
FY77	10,650
FY78	10,944
FY79	11,263
FY80	12,102
FY81	13,141
FY82	13,967
FY83	13,735
FY84	16,549
FY85	17,649
FY86	19,184
FY87	19,928
FY88	20,554
FY89	22,576
FY90	27,295
FY91	28,941
FY92	30,432
FY93	33,072
FY94	35,614
FY95	37,790
FY96	38,373
FY97	40,425
FY98	42,140
FY99	44,355
FY00	44,819
FY01	45,629
FY02	43,142
FY03	43,186
FY04	44,379
FY05	44,669
FY06	45,440
FY07	45,565
FY08	45,548
FY09	45,545
FY10	47,504
FY11	48,978
FY12	48,324
***FY13	48,877
FY14	48,921
FY15	47,165
**FY16	44,817
FY17	43,075

***The highest inmate population was 49,401 on February 9, 2013.

Admission History ³	Court ⁴	New Offense Violation ⁵	Technical Violation ⁶	Total
FY04	24,241	4,567	9,145	37,953
FY05	25,124	3,825	10,528	39,477
FY06	25,294	3,501	10,681	39,476
FY07	25,258	3,742	7,640	36,640
FY08	24,782	3,691	6,510	34,983
FY09	24,139	3,326	9,372	36,837
FY10	22,960	3,179	10,656	36,795
FY11	19,805	1,930	10,155	31,890
FY12	20,577	1,692	8,433	30,702
FY13	22,235	1,819	7,071	31,125
FY14	21,184	1,922	6,942	30,048
FY15	19,445	1,723	7,316	28,484
FY 16	17,388	1,783	6,974	26,145
FY17	16,641	1,775	6,905	25,321



¹ Recidivism rate indicates the percentage of inmates who return to IDOC within three years after release. The data represent those inmates released from IDOC in FY2012, FY2013, and FY2014.

² Sentencing County: County from which inmate was convicted and sentenced, and where court documents were obtained. It will not always be the county in which the crime occurred. Collar Counties (5): DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry and Will. Downstate Counties (96): Illinois counties other than Cook County and collar counties.

³ Admission to IDOC during each fiscal year (July 1 - June 30).

⁴ Court admission is defined as an adult admitted from criminal court who is not on MSR or parole.

⁵ A new offense violation is defined as an adult readmitted from criminal court for a felony committed while on MSR or parole.

⁶ A technical violation is defined as an adult on MSR or parole readmitted because of an MSR or parole rule violation.

⁷ Other is defined as an adult who is admitted to IDOC from another custody or who has been returned to custody without having been sentenced.

⁸ Sex offenders are defined as inmates having registered as a sex offender and murderer against youth or as having a sex offense on the sentencing order; excluding prostitution.

* End of FY population is the population on the last day of the Fiscal Year, June 30th.

** In December, 2015 IDOC initiated a major IT transition, moving from a DOS-based offender tracking system to a modern, web-based tracking system. During the transition, some traditional measures will contain missing values due to a combination of factors, which include quality control issues with data entry and missing data for fields that are no longer required within the system. In addition, basic coding and program logic is still being reviewed and corrected. Moving forward, the Department continues to validate certain data measures and all elements are subject to change as more information becomes available. Contact the Planning & Research Unit with any questions.