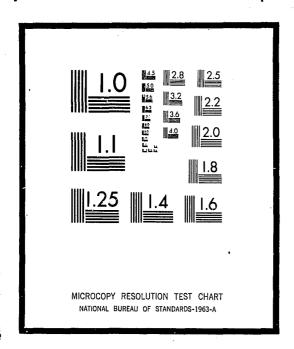
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FOREWORD

Under Title I of Public Law 90-351, the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration is authorized "to collect, evaluate, publish, and disseminate statistics and other information on the condition and progress of law enforcement in the several States." In partial response to this authorization, LEAA's National Criminal Justice Information and Statistics Service entered into an inter-agency agreement with the U.S. Bureau of the Census for a National Jail Census to be conducted in the Spring of 1970.

The primary emphasis of the Jail Gensus was to obtain basic facts on the state of the nation's jails and their inmates. Such fundamental questions as the number of jails, the number and type of inmates, the number of jail employees, the operating costs, and the presence or absence of selected facilities were the subject of inquiry since these parameters were heretofore unknown. Other valuable information, discussed in the body of the report, was also obtained.

A follow-up survey, to be conducted on a sample of the jails identified in the Jail Census, is in the planning stage. Negotiations are underway with the Bureau of the Census for the conduct of the survey, which will focus less on the physical aspects of the institutions and more on the characteristics of the inmates. Statistics gathered will include basic demographic data, reason for incarceration, time already served, time remaining to be served, and bail status.

In the area of Federal and state corrections statistics, the National Criminal Justice Information and Statistics Service assumed responsibility of *National Prisoner Statistics* from the Bureau of Prisons at the beginning of 1971. Plans are now being formulated for the timely publication of this series with a number of changes anticipated.

This report presents the results of the National Jail Census. The Law Enforcement Assistance Administration wishes to commend both the Bureau of the Census for the overall excellence in the quality of the data gathered and the several thousand local law enforcement and corrections officials around the nation whose cooperation in supplying data resulted in a rate of response for major survey items of 100 percent.

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INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

The national jail census of 1970 revealed that there are 4,037 locally administered jails in the United States which have the authority to retain adult persons for 48 hours or longer. Not included in this number are Federal and State prisons or other correctional institutions; institutions used exclusively for juveniles; the State-operated jails of Connecticut, Delaware and Rhode Island; nor drunk tanks, lock-ups and other facilities which retain persons for less than two full days.

As of March 15, 1970, these local jails held a total of 160,863 persons, including 153,063 adults and 7,800 juveniles. One in every twenty of the adults held on that date was a female. Those incarcerated included 83,079 (52%) who were pre-trial detainees or otherwise not convicted; two-thirds of the juveniles were in this category. Another 5% of the adults (8,688) had been convicted but were awaiting further legal action such as sentencing or appeal; the remaining 43% (69,096) were serving sentences of varying lengths.

Of the 4,037 adult jails, about 70% also receive juveniles. There are 765 institutions which have the authority to retain juveniles serving sentences of a year or less; a total of 67 jails hold juveniles serving sentences of longer than one year.

In March 1970, 205, or 5%, of the jails in the United States contained more inmates than they

were designed to hold. Of these, 17 jails designed to hold 100 or more persons exceeded their capacity by 100-299 persons, and an additional 14 institutions intended for 300 or more inmates were overcrowded in excess of 300 inmates. For those jails which are designed to hold 300 or more persons, nearly 30% are overcrowded.

There are 3,319 jails in the United States which are either county level or located in municipalities of 25,000 or greater population. Eighty-six percent of these institutions provide no facilities for exercise or other recreation for their inmates. Nearly 90% have no educational facilities. Only half provide medical facilities; one in four has no visiting facility; and there are 47 institutions (about 1.4%) which are without an operating flush toilet. These 3,319 county and urban institutions contain nearly 100,000 cells. One in every four of these cells has been in use for longer than 50 years, including more than 5,000 cells that are over 100 years old.

The nation's jails employed 28,911 full-time equivalent persons on March 15, 1970, for an average of about 5 1/2 inmates per jail employee. The fiscal year 1969 operating costs amounted to \$324 million, with planned construction expenditures for fiscal year 1970 anticipated at \$171 million. The March 1970 payroll was \$18 million for average of \$617 per full-time employee.

DETAILED FINDINGS

General

Jails in the United States confined 160,863 inmates on March 15, 1970—an average of about 40 inmates each in the 4,037 local jails with 48-hour retention authority. The overwhelming majority of the inmates were adult males—9 out of 10. Others included juveniles as well as adult females—each accounting for about one in 20 of the inmate population. The State of California contained the largest inmate population with

27,672, or 17% of the total. The only other States with more than 10,000 inmates were New York and Texas with 17,399 and 10,720, respectively.

Altogether, however, six States—the three already named plus Florida, Pennsylvania, and Georgia—accounted for 78,829 inmates or about half the total number confined in the United States. These same 6 States, on the other hand, contain about one-fourth of the U.S. population

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according to preliminary figures from the 1970 Decennial Census. Vermont, by contrast, had only 22 inmates in its jails on the survey date.

By region, the South had by far the largest number of inmates on March 15—a total of 61,655 (See Text Table A). By comparison, the Northeast and North Central each had only about half as many inmates, 31,458 and 29,209, respectively. There were 38,541 in the West.

Juveniles in Adult Institutions

Every State, except Connecticut, Delaware, and Rhode Island which do not have locally administered jails, contained some adult jails which have the authority to incarcerate juveniles for varying types of retention. On the census date, March 15, there were 7,800 juveniles confined in the 4.037 jails. Over 4.500 juveniles were reported in the State of New York. A large number (3,943) of these, however, were confined in the New York City Reformatory and the New York City Adolescent Remand Shelter. While these inmates are 16-21 years old and, therefore, legally adults according to New York State law. they are regarded by New York officials as "youthful offenders." For survey purposes they were classified as juveniles.

Including New York, only 12 states had as many as 100 juveniles confined in their adult jails on March 15. Pennsylvania, Indiana, and Ohio were the only other states with more than 200 juvenile inmates.

Inmates by Type of Retention—Adults and Juveniles

There are four basic categories of retention—sentenced prisoners, convicted persons under appeal or awaiting sentencing, pre-trial detainees, and persons either not yet arraigned or being held for other authorities. The last two groups make up a "not convicted inmate" category, which accounted for just over half (52%) the total inmates in jail. For adult females this percentage was slightly higher at 55%. For juveniles the proportion was much higher. Two out of three young people in adult jails were pre-trial detainees or were otherwise not convicted.

Table A shows regional differences in the proportion of adult and juvenile inmates who had not been convicted of a crime.

There is very little variation by region in the proportion of adult inmates who were not convicted. Only the West region was under half, however, with 46.9%. As for juvenile inmates, however, differences vary widely by region and except for the Northeast region the proportion of juvenile inmates not convicted is dramatically higher than the corresponding adult figure. Overall, 66% of the juveniles are in the "not convicted" category. For the Northeast, this proportion drops to 54%, which is comparable to the 52% adult figure for that region. A sharp departure from the Northeast pattern is evident in the other 3 regions. In the North Central, five

Table A.—Number and Percent of Jail immate Population Not Convicted, by Age (Adult or Juvenile) and by Region - March 1970

ì			Adult inma	tes	Juvenile inmates			
Region	Total	Total	Not convicted ¹	Percent not convicted	Total	Not convicted ¹	Percent not convicted	
Total, U.S	160,863 31,458 29,209 61,655 38,541	153,063 26,526 28,226 60,330 37,981	77,921 13,648 14,654 31,797 17,822	50.9 51.5 51.9 52.7 46.9	7,800 4,932 983 1,325 560	5,158 2,684 816 1,152 506	66.1 54.4 83.0 86.9 90.4	

¹ Not convicted inmates include persons held for other authorities, those not yet arraigned, and those arraigned and awaiting trial.

out of six juvenile inmates are detained in jail without a conviction; in the South the proportion is about seven out of eight; and in the West it is nine of every ten.

Among the many states, the District of Columbia has the lowest percentage (29%) of its inmates in the "not convicted" category. This is partly due to the Federal Bail Reform Act of 1966 which is binding on the District of Columbia. This act curtails considerably the use of pre-trial detention and especially money bail.

Of the 27,460 persons being held for other authorities or not yet arraigned, eight states—California, Texas, Florida, Illinois, Ohio, New York, Georgia, and Pennsylvania—account for 15,132, or 55%. These same states contain 46% of the United States population.

Pre-trial detainees were concentrated largely in just 6 states. California, New York, Texas, Pennsylvania, Florida, and Michigan accounted for over half the total U.S. inmates in this category—29,829 out of 55,619. Likewise, the 5 States of New York, Texas, Florida, California, and Virginia contained about half—4,461 out of 8,688—the convicted inmates who were awaiting further legal action. New York has more than 2 1/2 times as many persons in this category as the second highest state—Texas.

Of those inmates who are serving sentences, 15% are jailed for longer than a year. Altogether, 69,096 persons are serving sentences of varying lengths in the nation's local jails. California has the largest number of sentenced prisoners in its local jails serving one year or less-14,076. Next is New York with 5,309, followed by Florida with 3,821. Those 3 States, together with Michigan, Georgia, and Ohio contribute 30,007-or 51%-of the 58,600 prisoners serving sentences of a year or less. Although the District of Columbia, Georgia, Pennsylvania, New York. or South Carolina contain only 2 out of 10 of the nation's citizens, they contain seven out of ten of the local-jail prisoners serving sentences of more than one year.

Facilities Available and Age of Cells

For those jails located either in cities of 25,000 or greater population or in counties, information

was obtained in the census relating to the presence of various facilities, as well as the ages of the cells in the institutions. There are 3.319 jails which are either county-operated or are located in municipalities of 25,000 or more people. For the U.S., 86% of these jails were found to be without facilities for exercise or other recreation. Many states have 95-100% of their local jails lacking in recreational facilities. There are some exceptions to this widespread absence. The District of Columbia has only one of its 5 jails without some recreational facilities. Fourteen of 18 jails in Massachusetts do provide recreation facilities; forty-four of New York's 74 jails have facilities of this type, as do 35 of Pennsylvania's 73 jails, 6 of New Hampshire's 11, and 71 of California's 134. Hawaii has only 4 local jails, two of which have recreation facilities.

Educational facilities are even rarer than recreation facilities; nearly nine in every ten jails is without any kind of educational facility. The most notable exception in this instance is Massachusetts, which has 13 of its 18 local jails providing educational facilities of some kind. About half the jails in New Jersey and New York provide educational facilities.

Medical facilities exist in slightly more than half the nation's jails. The states with the highest proportion of jails providing medical facilities are New York and Maine (86% each), New Hampshire (82%), New Jersey (81%), California (79%), Massachusetts (78%) and Virginia (74%). All 5 District of Columbia jails and the two urban jails of Alaska reported the presence of medical facilities.

The states with the smallest proportion of jails containing medical facilities are Vermont (20%), Hawaii (25%), Tennessee (27%), Kentucky and Arkansas (27% each), Alabama (28%), and Mississippi (29%). It should be noted that Vermont and Hawaii also had the smallest inmate populations of all the states—22 and 97 respectively. Tennessee, Kentucky, Arkansas, Alabama, and Mississippi, however, all had sizable numbers of jail inmates—ranging from about 1,200 in Arkansas to about 3,600 in Tennessee.

Visiting facilities in a jail are more likely to be present than the other types of facilities discussed thus far. Three-fourths of the U.S. jails

contain visiting facilities. Only 5 states have fewer than 60% of their jails providing facilities for visiting. They are Idaho (43%), Nevada (47%), Missouri (50%), Kentucky (52%) and Mississippi (53%). There are 47 jails throughout the nation which do not have toilet facilities. These institutions are scattered over 21 states.

Table B displays differences in the lack of selected facilities by region.

Table B.—Percent of Jails Without Selected Facilities in Cities Over 25,000 population and in Counties, by Region - March 1970

Region	No. of institutions	Percent without recreational facilities	Percent without educational facilities	Percent without medical facilities
Total, U.S Northeast North Central. South West	3,319	86.4	89.2	49.0
	226	49.6	57.1	22.6
	1,028	91.3	91.9	46.3
	1,574	90.5	92.7	57.3
	491	80.0	87.2	40.3

On a regional basis, the Northeast has the fewest local jails (226) but the highest proportion of such institutions providing recreational, educational, or medical facilities. Whereas the U.S. as a whole has 86% of its jails lacking in recreational facilities, about 50% of the Northeast jails are without these facilities. Educational facilities are to be found in only 11% of the U.S. jails, but they are present in 43% of the jails of the Northeast region. Medical facilities vary somewhat more by region, again with the Northeast having the lowest proportion of jails totally lacking such facilities. Twenty-three percent of the Northeast jails have no medical facilities, compared with 40% in the West, 46% in the North Central, and 57% in the South.

Across the United States, in county and large urban jails there are nearly 25,000 cells being utilized which were built more than 50 years ago. This accounts for more than 25% of the 97,891 cells located in these same jails. Nearly 12,000 of these cells are over 75 years old, and 5,416 have been in use longer than a century.

On a state by state comparison, there are six states where more than 70% of the jail cells are

not over 25 years old. All 57 cells in Alaska's 2 jails are in this category. About 82% of Florida's 2,744 cells are 25 years old or younger; 77% of California's 7,858 cells are, 76% of the 1,219 cells in Maryland, 75% of the 3,054 cells in Virginia, and 71% of Wisconsin's 1,973 cells were constructed since 1945.

By contrast, there are 7 states with more than half their jail cells being over 50 years old. In New Hampshire, 88% of the cells are older than 50 years. In Massachusetts, Vermont, and Maine, the percentages are 78, 72, and 68, respectively. Sixty-one percent of Pennsylvania's cells exceed 50 years of age, as do 55% of the cells in Montana and 52% in Kentucky.

Overcrowding

Across the United States, one in 20 of the local jails are holding more inmates than they were designed to hold. Altogether, 205 institutions reported overcrowding, of which 15% are exceeding their capacity by 100 persons or more. Fourteen institutions, all located in very large metropolitan areas, reported overcrowding in excess of 300 inmates.

The figures presented on the extent of overcrowding refer only to each institution as a complete entity. Although absolute overcrowding may not occur for a given jail, it is possible for the same jail to be overcrowded in selected quarters. For example the section of a jail used for adult males may exceed its capacity but the female or juvenile sections may be under-utilized so that, overall, the facility may or may not be overcrowded.

The states with the largest proportion of their jails reporting overcrowding conditions are the District of Columbia (2 of its 5 jails or 40%), New Jersey (25%), New York (20%) and Maryland (17%). By contrast, 17 states reported either no jails or only one jail that exceeds its design capacity.

Table C shows regional comparisons of overcrowding in local jails.

Table C shows that large jails are more likely to be overcrowded than smaller ones. Considering

Table C.—Percent of Jails That are Overcrowded for Their Design Capacity, by Region - March 1970

			Design capacity									
Region	Number of	% over-	1-99 i	nınates	100-299	inmates	300+ inmates					
	institutions	crowded	Number of institutions	% over- crowded	Number of institutions	% over- crowded	Number of institutions	% over- crowded				
Total U.S. Northeast North Central South West	4,037 235 1,178 1,914 710	(205) 5.1 (32) 13.6 (40) 3.4 (92) 4.8 (41) 5.8	3,532 151 1,092 1,686 603	(128) 3.6 (7) 4.6 (25) 2.3 (69) 4.1 (27) 4.5	374 54 71 178 71	(39) 10.4 (12) 22.2 (10) 14.1 (13) 7.3 (4) 5.6	131 30 15 50 36	(38) 29.0 (13) 43.3 (5) 33.3 (10) 20.0 (10) 27.8				

Numbers in parentheses are the number of institutions upon which the percents are based.

all jails in the U.S., one in twenty is over-crowded. Those jails, however, which are designed to hold between 100-299 inmates are twice as likely to exceed capacity. One in ten of such jails reported overcrowding. For those jails designed to hold 300 or more inmates, nearly 3 in 10 are overcrowded.

By region, the Northeast reported the highest percentage of jails with overcrowding—about 14%. The North Central was lowest at less than 4%. In the largest jails—300 or more capacity—about four in nine of the Northeast jails are holding more inmates than design capacity permits. In the North Central this ratio is one in three. In the West, it is slightly more than one in four, and in the South one in five.

Table D shows the extent of overcrowding by the actual design capacity. Thirty-one jails which, by design, can accommodate 100 or more persons were overcrowded in excess of 100 persons on the survey date. This includes 14 institutions which were built for 300 or more inmates but which exceeded their capacity by a like amount.

Jails by Type of Retention Authority

Of the 4,037 jails in the United States, 3,807 or 94% have the authority to hold persons who have not been arraigned or who are being held for other authorities. Of these, 5 are exclusively for females and 2,785 have the authority to hold juveniles under the same conditions. A total of 3,614 (90%) of the jails have the authority to hold arraigned persons who are awaiting trial, including 8 institutions that are used exclusively for females and 2,289 that hold juveniles.

Convicted persons awaiting further legal action are held in 2,745 jails—or 68% of the total. Nine such institutions hold females only and 856 also hold juveniles. Eighty-seven percent (3,531) of all jails have the authority to hold sentenced prisoners for terms of one year or less. Sentenced prisoners serving more than a year are

Table D.—Number of Jails by Design Capacity by Overcrowding for the U.S. - March 1970

Doolon consolts	Number of	Number at or	Institutions over capacity by							
Design capacity (Number of inmates)		below capacity	less than 10	10-24	25-99	100-299	300 or more			
Total	4,037 594 1,327 1,611 374 131	3,832 572 1,273 1,559 335 93	92 21 39 26 3	35 1 14 11 8	47 1 15 21 10	17 7 10	14 14			

found in only 572, or 14% of all jails; sixtyseven of these jails also hold juveniles.

Employment, Expenditures and Planned Construction

The number of employees in the country's jails in March 1970 was 33,729, including 5,676 part-time employees. Full-time equivalent personnel amounted to 28,911. Over 30% of the full-time equivalent work force is located in only two states-New York and California with 4,477 and 4,474 employees, respectively.

The ratio of inmates to full-time equivalent employees averaged 5.56 for the United States. Variation in this number among states was considerable, however, ranging from high ratios of 11.44 in Mississippi, 10.63 in Idalio, and 10.22 in Texas to low values of 1.31 in Hawaii, 2.70 in Massachusetts, 3.27 in Maine, 3.40 in the District of Columbia, and 3.43 in New Hampshire.

The average earnings of full-time employees was \$617 for the month of March, with the overall March payroll exceeding \$18 million. Threeeighths of the March payroll was expended in California and New York, each with over \$3.3 million. The average monthly earnings of fulltime employees is almost 50% higher in cities over 25,000 population and in counties than in cities under 25,000-the figures being \$620 and \$419, respectively. The highest average salaries are paid in the District of Columbia (\$849), California (\$760), New York (\$745), and Wisconsin (\$705). The lowest are found in Arkansas (\$338), South Dakota (\$350), West Virginia (\$369), Idaho and South Carolina (\$380 each), North Dakota (\$392), and Mississippi (\$397).

Fiscal year 1969 operating costs amounted to \$324 million, of which 42% was expended in California, New York, and Pennsylvania. Anticipated construction expenditures for fiscal year 1970 were \$171 million, with 48% of that total expected to be spent in New York, Washington, California, Illinois, Maryland, and New Jersey.

METHOD OF COLLECTION

In the spring of 1970, the U.S. Bureau of the Census canvassed each county in the United

States and each municipality which had a 1960 population of 1,000 or more persons to ascertain the presence of a jail. The canvassing included only those jails which are operated locally by the jurisdiction involved, that is, a county, city, or township. State-operated facilities, such as those in Connecticut, Delaware, and Rhode Island, were not included.

Tails surveyed were those which confine inmates for 48 hours or more. Drunk tanks, lock-ups and similar facilities which normally retain persons for less than 2 full days were excluded.

An individual facility, such as a jail farm or annex, which is administratively dependent upon a parent institution was counted as a separate jail if it is located in a separate geographical area and holds inmates for 48 hours or more. Hospitals for the criminally insane and institutions designed for the exclusive use of juveniles were excluded from the jail census.

The jail census was conducted by mail using two different questionnaires. Police chiefs in municipalities of less than 25,000 population were sent questionnaires containing items relating to the composition of the inmate population by type of retention, by sex and by whother adult or juvenile; designed capacity; retention authority; age of the institution; and employment and expenditure data. County sheriffs and police chiefs in cities of 25,000 population or greater were sent questionnaires containing all the above items and in addition, questions on the age of the cells and the presence of various kinds of facilities.

Survey questionnaires were mailed in April 1970 with follow-up requests to nonrespondents mailed in May. Where necessary, a telephone callback procedure was employed to obtain missing data. For the major data items, the response rate achieved through these techniques was 100 percent.

DEFINITIONS OF TERMS USED

Jail: Any individual facility operated by a unit of local government (that is, a municipality or township with a 1960 population of 1,000 or more persons, or a county) for the detention or correction of adults suspected or convicted of a crime. Hospitals for the criminally insane are not Operating Costs: Includes salaries, wages, purminimum of 48 hours duration.

The lower limit of 1,000 population for cities and townships was set because very few places smaller than this have jails which hold persons for 48 hours or more. In the course of the census, no townships of any size were identified which had jails meeting the 48-hour criterion.

Juvenile: The legal definitions and age limits of juveniles vary by state. The responding official completing the questionnaire in each jurisdiction was asked to apply the definitions appropriate to his State in supplying data on the number of juvenile inmates. Not only does the maximum age at which a person may have his case heard in a juvenile court vary by state, but within states it may vary by sex or by offense.

In some states there exists a third category falling between juveniles and adults-that of the "vouthful offender" or "minor". Generally, this class is considered adult insofar as criminal prosecution is concerned. It should be noted in this regard that in New York, minors (offenders 16-21 years old) are housed separately by law but sometimes within institutions housing those over 21. In the jail census, some institutions in New York reported minors as juveniles and some reported them as adults. Thus the number of "juveniles" appears very large in two New York City jails which actually hold large numbers of minors.

Inmate Population: The number of persons confined in local jails on March 15, 1970.

Not Yet Arraigned: Persons in jail who had not vet been formally charged before a court.

Convicted Prisoners Awaiting Further Legal Action: Includes prisoners awaiting sentencing or under appeal.

Construction Expenditure: Capital outlay for structural additions, replacement facilities, and major alterations, including design, site improvement, and provision of facilities that are an integral part of a structure.

Number of Full-Time Equivalent Employees: The total number of employees adjusted by applying average full-time earning rates.

included. Detention authority is defined as a chase of supplies, utilities, and transportation, but does not include capital expenditures, such as construction and the purchase of land and equipment.

> Design Capacity: The number of persons the facility was designed to hold; not included are arrangements for the accommodation of overcrowding.

> Facilities Present: The availability of recreational and educational facilities and/or programs of any kind; the availability of medical facilities of any type; the availabilitz of a visiting room, including an attorney's consultation room; and the availability of operating flush toilets.

> Regions: The Northeast region consists of the States of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont. The North Central is made up of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

The South region consists of Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennossee, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, and the District of Colum-

The West includes Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyom-

RELIABILITY OF DATA

The final listing of adult jails compiled which satisfied the 48-hour criterion was compared against a number of independent source materials for accuracy and completeness. It is likely that if any errors remain in the identification of 48-hour jails, it is in the direction of an overcount rather than undercount. There was some minimum ambiguity in the classification of a few lock-ups as to whether the 48-hour retention authority was in effect. Such minor misclassifications are not expected to have any significant impact on the data, especially for state totals.

The survey operation was a complete census and is therefore not subject to errors arising from sampling. Response errors were held to a minimum inasmuch as the major data items were completed on a 100% basis, either by mail questionnaire or by telephone follow-up. Missing data items were imputed using standard techniques. Respondents supplied data from their own official records, where available.

On the question of the presence of facilities, the responding officials provided self-appraisals by merely checking the appropriate box on the

questionnaire—"available" or "not available"—for each category, that is, recreational facilities or programs, educational facilities or programs, medical facilities, visiting room or attorney's consultation room, and operating flush toilets. The definitions of each of these items were left to the interpretation of the respondent.

The reader should be cautioned that state by state differences are subject to a number of factors. A key factor, of course, is the many varying statutory provisions regarding the treatment of persons arrested or convicted.

Table 1.—Number of Jails, Employees, Inmate Population and Current Operating and Planned Construction Expenditures, for the U.S. and by State

State	Number of jails	Number of jail employees (full-time equivalent)	Inmate population Mar. 15, 1970	Ratio of inmates to full-time equivalent employees	Operating costs Fiscal Year 1969 (\$000)	Planned construction expenditures Fiscal Year 1970 (\$000)
U.S. total	4,037	28,911	160,863	5,56	324,278	170,849
Cities with population of 25,000 or more, and counties	3,319	28,435	156,816	5.51	318,431	167,412
Cities with population under 25,000	718	476	4,047	8,50	5,787	3,437
Alabama	107	320	3,018	9.43	3,184	2,218
AlaskaArizonaArkansasCaliforniaColorado	8 39 110 166 78	40 241 129 4,474 311	171 2,142 1,224 27,672 1,481	4,28 7,23 9,49 6,19 4,76	477 2,465 1,371 60,825 2,894	1 692 141 13,982 1,642
Connecticut ¹ Delaware ¹		•-				
District of Col Florida Georgia Hawaii Idaho	5 167 240 4 61 108	948 1,393 1,109 74 41 1,262	3,222 9,412 6,726 97 436 5,324	3.40 6.76 6.06 1.31 10.63 4.22	14,790 13,781 10,249 614 468 10,382	1,686 2,850 2,158 172 13,384
Indiana lowa Kansas Kentucky Louisiana Maine Maryland Massachusetts Michigan. Minnesota Mississippi Missouri Montana Nebraska New Hampshire	97 93 123 148 95 16 23 18 92 77 98 144 68 99	470 110 133 319 522 74 514 788 996 308 143 489 51 87	2,685 691 1,100 2,693 4,039 242 2,758 2,126 5,789 1,476 1,636 2,958 367 823 755 333	5.71 6.28 8.27 8.44 7.74 3.27 5.37 2.70 5.81 4.79 11.44 6.05 7.20 9.46 6.80 3.43	4,850 1,150 1,449 2,880 4,417 624 5,154 9,221 12,378 3,632 1,578 4,598 554 769 1,036 703	7,262 153 1,222 3,795 4,500 1,277 11,944 9,074 9,985 3,042 543 1,109 1,134 339 1,620 42
New Jersey New Mexico New York N. Carolina North Dakota Ohio Oklahoma Oregon Pennsyivania Rhode Island	32 44 75 100 50 160 112 69 77	1210 128 4,477 330 22 1,093 226 245 1,774	4,436 961 17,399 2,580 158 5,920 2,214 1,487 6,900	3.67 7.51 3.89 7.82 7.18 5.42 9.80 6.07 3.89	12,308 1,147 57,142 2,795 271 11,826 2,554 3,279 19,467	10,569 2,067 18,041 3,205 198 7,433 1,848 1,567 7,419
S. Carolina S. Dakota	111 60	591 32	3,281 307	5.55 9.59	4,413 395	459 83
Tennessee Texas Utah Vermont, Virginia Washington. W. Virginia Wisconsin Wyoming	116 325 34 6 96 83 61 75 33	547 1,049 74 636 348 140 404 33	3,622 10,720 522 22 3,416 2,277 1,094 1,978 173	6.62 10.22 7.05 5.37 6.54 7.81 4.90 5.24	4,912 10,848 729 19 4,723 4,218 1,290 4,713 276	142 973 313 3,542 14,210 206 2,182 425

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Table 2.—Inmate Population of Jails by Type of Retention, by Sex and Age (Adult or Juvenile), for the U.S. and by State - March 1970

		and by										
						·	T	'ype of	Retentio	n		
State	Tot	al inmate	populatio	on		rsons hel ities or n			P		raigned a ing trial	nd
	m 1	Ad	ult	Juve-	TD-4-1	Ađ	ult	Juve-	Total	Ac	iuit	Juve-
	Total	Male	Female	nile	Total	Male	Female	nile	Total	Male	Female	nile
U.S. total	160,863	145,324	7,739	7,800	27,460	23,552	1,804	2,104	55,619	50,145	2,420	3,054
Cities with population of 25,000 or more, and counties	156,816	141,590	7,539	7,687	25,767	22,036	1,721	2,010	54,997	49,575	2,380	3,042
Cities with population under 25,000	4,047	3,734	200	113	1,693	1,516		94	622	570	40	12
Alabama	3,018	2,793	138	87	783	668	1	65	814	763	31	20
Alaska	171	136	33	2 33	46	39 191	6 13	1 19	664	636	3 21	7
Arizona	2,142 1,224	2,005 1,136	104 43	45	223 373	318		35	664	318	12	4
California	27,672	25,759	1,725	188	3,438	2,909	386	143	9,292	8,692	560	40
Colorado Connecticut	1,481	1,356	78	47	341	282	26	33	639	594	35	10
Delaware ¹												
District of Col	3,222	3,158	62	142	10	1,831	110	104	923	893	30 131	23
Florida	9,412 6,726	8,719 6,367	551 227	142 132	2,054 1,272	1,090	119 70	112	2,680 1,480	2,526 1,394	67	19
Hawaii	97	95	2		30	30			31	31		
Idaho	436 5,324	380 4,980	14 238	42 106	128	101 1,811	111	23 57	1.529	95 1,434	62	33
Indiana	2,685	2,328	108	249	751	564	48	139	1,049	939	30	80
Iowa	691	629	21	41	180	151	6	23	189	166	8	15
Kansas	1,100	981	44	75	238	189	10	39	421	388	14	19
Kentucky Louisiana	2,693 4,039	2,532 3,813	83 165	78 61	653 940	576 843	25 41	52 56	874 1,332	838 1,273	21 56	15
Maine	242	236	4	2	52	50	1	1	30	30		
Maryland	2,758	2,532	120	106	246	192	23	31	1,730	1,596	64	70
Massachusetts Michigan	2,126 5,789	2,081 5,329	45 431	29	385	6 364	8	13	2,331	2,205	36 116	10
	1,476	1,358	45	73	236	182	l	39	251	242	4	5
Minnesota Mississippi	1,636	1,496	66	74	405	341	24	40	460		12	1 4
Missouri	2,958	2,768	135	55	409	347	24	38	1,246	1,182	49	15
Montana Nebraska	367 823	302 745	12 34	53 44	140 164	87 123	3 12	50	163	56 148	10	1 5
Nevada	755	682	58	15	270	250		8	202		26	2
New Hampshire	333	327	6	- 6	48	44	4		59	59		
New Jersey New Mexico	4,436 961	4,135 876	175 39	126 46	881 281	801 235	22 12	58 34	1,723 198	1,608	68	47
New York	17,399	11,970	879	4,550	1,415	965		179	7,292		142	2,157
North Carolina	2,580	2,419	124	37	713	651	35	27	1,170	1,107	55	8
North Dakota Ohio	158 5,920	149 5,423	6 294	203	56 1,416	54 1,222		134	38 1,646			33
Oklahoma	2,214	2,071	95	48	437	375	ı	30	738			12
Oregon	1,487	1,372	56	59	242	172		54	467		1 : :	5
Pennsylvania	6,900	6,404	242	254	1,223	1,135		51	2,915		140	191
Rhode Island ¹ South Carolina	3,281	3,166	74	41	389	343	1.5	30	642	614	18	10
South Dakota	3,281	270	11	26	90	343	16	16	85			6
Tennessee	3,622	3,419	124	79	591	535	31	25	1,182	1,107	39	36
TexasUtah	10,720	10,034	517	169	2,335	2,115		131	5,319	5,018		35
Vermont	522 22	485 22	27	10	120	102 4	9 9	9	206			
Virginia	3,416	3,028	216	172	516	415		52	1,024	920	52	52
Washington	2,277	2,079	158	40	492	419		36	621			19
West Virginia Wisconsin	1,094 1,978	1,001 1,833	41 66	52 79	246 171	204 117		30 45	284 447			20
Wyoming	173	145	3	25	42	30		79				4

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Table 2.—Inmate Population of Jails by Type of Retention, by Sex and Age (Adult or Juvenile), for the U.S. and by State - March 1970—Continued

						Type of	Retentior	1					
State	Con	victed pe further le	rsons awagal action	aiting n	Perso	ons serving one year	sentence or less	es of	Perso r	Persons serving sentences of more than one year			
	Total	Ac	iult	Juve-		Ad	ult	T		A	dult		
	Total	Male	Female	nile	Total	Male	Female	Juve- nile	Total	Male	Female	Juve- nile	
U.S. total	8,688	7,773	491	424	58,600	54,564	2,671	1,365	10,496	9,290	353	853	
Cities with population of 25,000 or more,							.,,,,,	1,000	20,150	7,250	333	633	
and counties	8,618	7,710	485	423	56,943	52,984	2,600	1,359	10,491	9,285	353	853	
Cities with population under 25,000	70	63	6	1	1,657	1,580	71	6	5	5			
Alabama	124	114	8	2	1,178	1,132	46		119	116	3		
Alaska Arizona	3 54	49	3		113	91	21	1					
Arkansas	36	33	3 2	2 1	1,201 466	1,129 452	67 9	5 5	 15	15			
California	602	525	77		14,076	13,369	702	5	264	15 264			
Colorado Connecticut ¹	30	26]	4	469	453	16		2	1	1		
Delaware ¹													
District of Col	208	208			356	330	26		1,725	1,719			
Florida	659 175	614 169	40	5	3,821	3,553	258	10	198	195	3		
Hawaii	1/3	109	6		2,164 33	2,086	78		1,635	1,628	6	1	
Idaho	12	12			187	172	5	10	2		2		
Illinois Indiana	86 165	77 148	1	8 12	1,729	1,657	64	8	1	1			
Iowa	15	14	5	12	720 307	677 298	25 7	18 2					
Kansas	79	69	5	5	356	329	15	12	6	6			
Kentucky Louisiana	124 218	117 213	5	2	961 1,326	927 1,264	25 60	9	81	74	7		
Maine	9	9			151	1,204	3	2	223	220	3		
Maryland	123	117	6		644	613	26	5	15	14	1		
Massachusetts Michigan	90 353	90 331	18	4	999 2,511	990 2,429	9 80	2	363	363			
Minnesota	71	61	4	6	917	872	22	23	209		209		
Mississippi	77	75	1	ĭ	665	609	27	29	29	27	2		
Missouri	197	194	3	,	1,103	1,042	59	2	3	3			
Nebraska	19 46	16 45	2	1	148 397	143 376	4	1 10					
Nevada	21	21	^		262	237	20	5	53	53			
New Hampshire New Jersey	15	.15			211	209	2						
New Mexico	262 21	225	17	20	1,431 461	1,367	63 21	$\frac{1}{7}$	139	134	5		
New York	1,925	1,489	161	275	5,309	3,936	282	1,091	1,458	587	23	848	
North Carolina North Dakota	100	98		2	583	549	34		14	14			
Ohio	384	355	14	15	62 2,126	56 1,992	6 113	21	348	317	31	••	
Oklahoma	97	95	1	1	941	918	18	5	1	1			
Oregon	168	167	1		578	553	25		32	32			
Pennsylvania Rhode Island ¹	362	345	17		886	858	18	10	1,514	1,482	30	2	
South Carolina	33	28	4	1	1,295	1,263	32		922	918	4		
South Dakota	20	19		1	111	101	7	3	1	1			
Tennessee	134 734	127 712	21	1	1,467 1,935	1,410 1,801	41 132	16	248 397	240	6	2	
Utah	5	5		1	186	179	132	2	397	388	9		
Vermont	2	2		,		i							
Virginia Washington	541 142	450 138	45	46	1,279	1,189	68 84	22	56	54	2		
West Virginia	66	64	2		498	483	12	3	°	°			
Wisconsin	63	58	2	3	888	855	22	11	409	409			
Wyoming	15	10		5	79	72		7					

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Table 3.—Number of Jails by Type of Retention Authority, by Sex and Age (Adult or Juvenile), for the U.S. and by State

		[by State Typ	e of Reter	ntion Aut	hority	<u>-</u>	
State	Total		yet arraig	ling person ned or beir her authori	s not	<u> </u>	er holding	persons arr	aigned
State	number of institutions		Adult				Adult		
		Male only	Female only	Male and female	Juvenile	Male only	Female only	Male and female	Juvenile
U.S. total	4,037	477	5	3,325	2,785	477	8	3,129	2,289
Cities with population of 25,000 or more, and counties	3,319	324	5	2,765	2,411	343	8	2,695	2,094
Cities with population under								_,0,,0	2,05
25,000	718	153		560	374	134		434	195
Alabama	107	6		101	82	6		95	69
AlaskaArizona	8	1		6	4	1		6	2
Arkansas	39	10 17		29	21	9		29	17
California	166	29	2	93 95	77	19 27	2	84	62
Colorado	78	18		57	55	14		67 56	35 51
Connecticut ¹				'					31
Delaware*,	1 1								
District of Columbia	5			1	1		1	1	1
lorida	167	23		127	75	28		114	57
Georgia	240	36		160	109	39		150	76
daho	61	14		4	2			4	1
Ilinois	108	20		47	50	13		44	42
ndiana	97	15]	88	86	19		82	75
owa	93	12		82 81	85 78	17	-:	79	79
Cansas	123	23] [99	95	12 21	1	77	65
Centucky	148	24		123	103	23		98 120	83 90
ouisiana	95	11		81	68	10		81	47
Maine	16 [1		15	15			14	13
Maryland	23	2		21	19	2		21	18
Massachusetts	18	1		14	6	1		14	7
Aichigan	92	9		81	60	7		78	44
dississippi	77 98	7 4		67	64	5		64	51
dissouri	144	25		90 116	84	4		88	76
Iontana	68	10		57	107 50	24 12	1	111	90
lebraska	99	13		84	80	13		53 81	38 70
levada	23			22	16			22	15
lew Hampshire	11	3		8	4	3		8	3
New Jersey	32	3		26	20	2		24	19
New Mexico	44	3		40	35	3		39	30
Forth Carolina	75 100	6 2	2	55	39	8	2	58	38
lorth Dakota	50	8		96	76	2		97	74
)hio	160	25		42 131	28	8		42	25
Oklahoma,	112	6		105	106 75	25 10		110	72 63
regon	69	7		61	54	9		94 54	34
ennsylvania	77	11		64	55	10		63	43
thode Island ¹						••			
outh Carolinaouth Dakota	111	5	••	60	48	7		57	42
ennessee	60 116	6		54	49	7		52	42
exas	325	6 22		101	86	7		99	76
Itah	34	5		299 27	249	23		266	197
rermont	6	ĭ		5	20	2		26	15
/irginia	96	2		87	78	1 2		88	2 76
Vashington	83	17	• •	66	41	14		63	28
Vest Virginia	61	7		54	50	7		52	45
Visconsin	75		1	71	69	'	1	70	63
Vyoming	33	1		32	32	1		31	28

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Table 3.—Number of Jails by Type of Retention Authority, by Sex and Age (Adult or Juvenile), for the U.S. and by State—Continued

		ior ti	e U.S.	and by a	State-	Continu	led 					
	L _				Туре	of Retent	ion Aut	hority				
State	Nun	nber hold sons awa legal	ling conviting fur action	victed ther		mber hol erving ser one yea		of		mber ho serving so more tha	entences	of
State		Adult				Adult				Adult		
	Male only	Female only	Male and female	Juvenile	Male	Female only	Male and female	Juvenile	Male only	Female only	Male and female	Juvenile
U.S. total	480	9	2,256	856	842	8	2,681	765	250	5	317	67
Cities with population of 25,000 or more, and counties	424	9	2,116	822	652	8	2,337	709	242	5	312	66
Cities with population under				ļ		į į						33
25,000	56	(I	140	34	190	i i	344	56	8		5	1
Alaska	10		69	16 2	9 2		91	12	3		17	2
Arizona	7		16	4	10		6 27	2 7				
Arkansas	15		51	16	17		62	19	1		3	1
California	20	2	46	13	90	2	62	14	12		4	1
Colorado	7		38	23	19	'	50	24			6	4
Delaware 1												
District of Columbia	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	1	1
Florida	16		71	24	44		112	23	18		13	2
Georgia	35	1	107	18	84		100	11	51		5	2
Hawaii	9		30	20	1.		4			1		
Illinois	16		60	29	16		37 71	26 30	3 5		2	2
Indiana	24		52	33	29		56	29				
Iowa	12	1	58	27	19		68	33]] []
Kansas	18		64	36	28		85	35	2		2	1
Kentucky	17]	76	16	25		92	17	3		3	- 1
Louisiana	13		54	11	19		69	12	13		26	3
Maine Maryland	1 6		13 16	6 7	1 3		13	8	1		3	2
Massachusetts	3		12	2	3		14	2	4		12	
Michigan	8	'	65	23	15		76	24			1	
Minnesota	7		45	26	9		59	19	1			•-
Mississippi	5		78	16	5		83	15	1		7	2
Missouri	26		85 36	42 23	35 14	1	96 48	31 22	2	} ::	4 2	2
Nebraska,	14		63	36	16		69	31	1		2	
Nevada			19	7	1		20	3			1	
New Hampshire	4		6	-:	4		7	·				
New Jersey	2 3		21	11	3 6		24 36	6	1		3	
New Mexico	10	2	27 50	25	10	2	58	31	3	1	1 3	4
North Carolina	5		81	18	13		73	5	11		12	ì
North Dakota	5		20	7	8	}	37	8		}	1	
Ohio	16		75	30	31		100	35	2		8	
Oklahoma	11		57	19	22		75	20	2	1	2	1
Oregon	18		36 49	17	11 17		51 57	17	15		34	8
Pennsylvania	10				1/							*-
South Carolina	9		34	8	52	[39	4	56		15	
South Dakota	11		32	21	14		42	14] ;-	1 1	1
Tennessee	25	1	82 207	63	15 26	1	89 219	8 44	13	1	15 96	2 21
Texas	23		19	3	8		219	4	2		2	1
Vermont	1		2	i	ì		1					
Virginia	11		71	41	16		66	28	6		4	1
Washington	13		35	11	23		58 49	9	1		1 1	
West Virginia	7 5	1	41 62	18	8 9	1	63	35	4		3	
Wisconsin	3		15	14	4		24	16				
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Table 4.—Jail Employment and Payroll, for the U.S. and by State - March 1970

State	Nur	nber of emplo	yees		March Payroll		Average earnings of
State	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	full-time Employees
U.S. total	33,729	28,053	5,676	\$18,094,578	\$17,304,828	\$789,750	\$617
Cities with population of 25,000 or more, and						668.640	
counties	32,288	27,613	4,675	17,788,270	17,120,630	667,640	620
Cities with population under 25,000	1,441	440	1,001	306,308	184,198	122,110	419
Alabama	449	300	149	147,774	131,870	15,904	440
Alaska	43	37	6	24,672	22,474 125,738	2,198 6,633	607 542
Arizona	286	232 118	54 111	132,371 52,001	39,902	12,099	338
Arkansas	229 4,623	4,399	224	3,412,541	3,341,719	70,822	760
Colorado	405	302	103	196,490	183,761	12,729	608
Connecticut ¹							••
Dclaware ¹							
District of Columbia	953	941	12	804,890	799,034	5,856	849
Florida	1,517	1,368	149	707,001	685,916	21,085	501
Georgia	1,366	1,059	307	507,419	466,873	40,546	441
Hawaii	74 110	74 38	72	42,408 22,413	42,408 14,438	7,975	573 380
	1,410	1,231	179	808,589	783,558	25,031	637
Illinois	561	446	115	239,125	224,885	14,240	504
Iowa	213	101	112	60,938	49,083	11,855	486
Kansas	271	123	148	71,258	57,458	13,800	467
Kentucky	488	296	192	139,792	118,448	21,344	400
Louisiana	603	504	99	218,270	205,973	12,297	409
Maine	107	67	40	35,790	31,266	4,524	467
Maryland	529	507	22	310,255	306,259	3,996	604
Massachusetts	868	755	113	515,689	493,266	22,423	653 642
Michigan.	1,122 417	965 294	157 123	646,742	619,346 196,593	27,396 20,700	669
Minnesota	299	121	178	67,342	48,084	19,258	397
Mississippi	644	478	166	254,318	235,287	19,031	492
Montana	122	47	75	30,178	20,706	9,472	441
Nebraska	183	82	101	46,442	35,528	10,914	433
Nevada	127	109	18	60,838	58,688	2,150	538
New Hampshire	113	90	23	41,346	38,317	3,029	426
New Jersey	1,296	1,183	113	826,824	807,256	19,568	682
New Mexico	171	122	49	57,528	50,651	6,877	415
New York North Carolina	4,698 413	4,394 319	304 94	3,322,731 141,163	3,272,167 129,640	50,564 11,523	745 406
North Dakota	74	18	56	13,224	7,050	6,174	392
Ohio	1,312	1,061	251	610,450	574,943	35,507	542
Oklahoma	349	209	140	111,193	94,070	17,123	450
Oregon	350	234	116	173,863	158,819	15,044	679
Pennsylvania	1,883	1,720	163	1,034,325	1,008,982	25,343	587
Rhode Island ¹							
South Carolina	679	571	108	229,104	217,125	11,979	380
South Dakota	88	30	58	16,949	10,513	6,436	350
Tennessee	733	527	206	266,288	247,606	18,682	470
Texas	1,463 127	1,010 72	453 55	533,155	476,908	56,247	472 532
Vermont	127	12	33 7	45,019 960	38,300	6,719 960	332
Virginia	699	618	81	291,521	281,744	9,777	456
Washington	469	334	135	237,017	216,581	20,436	648
West Virginia	200	132	68	56,900	48,719	8,181	369
Wisconsin	514	385	129	291,235	271,340	19,895	705
Wyoming	72	30	42	20,944	15,536	5,408	518

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Table 5.—Number of Adult Jails Holding Juveniles by Type of Retention, for the United States and by State

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State	Total number of institutions receiving juveniles	Number holding juveniles not yet arraigned or for other authorities	Number holding juveniles arraigned and awaiting trial	Number holding convicted juveniles awaiting further legal action	juveniles serving	Number holding juveniles serving sentences of more than one year
U.S. total	2,822	2,785	2,289	856	767	67
Cities with population of 25,000 or more, and counties	2,446	2,411	2,094	822	711	66
Cities with population	,	2,711	2,054	022	/11	00
under 25,000	376	374	195	34	56	1
AlabamaAlaska	82 4	82 4	69 2	16 2	12 2	2
Arizona	22	21	17	4	7	::
Arkansas	78	77	62	16	19	1
California	79	77	35	13	15	1
Colorado	58	55	51	23	25	4
Delaware ¹						
District of Columbia	1	1	1	1	1	1
Florida	77	75	57	24	23	2
Georgia	111	109	76	18	11	2
Hawaii	2	2	1			
Idaho	50	50	42	20	26	2
Illinois	87	86	75	29	30	
Indiana	87	85	79	33	29	
Iowa	78	78	65	27	33	
Kansas	97 107	95 103	83 90	36	35	1
Kentucky Louisiana	68	68	47	16 11	17 12	1 3
Maine	15	15	13	6	4	
Maryland	19	19	18	ž	8	2
Massachusetts	7	6	7	2	2	
Michigan	61	60	44	23	24	
Minnesota	66	64	51	26	19	
Mississippi	85 107	84 107	76 90	16 42	15 31	2 2
	l .			1-		_
Montana	50	50	38	23	22 .	1
Nebraska Nevada	80 16	80 16	70 15	36 7	31 3	
New Hampshire	4	4	3			
New Jersey	20	20	19	11	4	 .
New Mexico	36	35	30	8	6	
New York	44	39	38	25	31	4
North Carolina	77	76	74	18	5	1
North Dakota	28	28	25	7	8	
Ohio	106	106	72 63	30 19	35 20	₁
OklahomaOregon	75 54	75 54	34	17	20 17	1
Pennsylvania.	55	55	43	13	14	8
1						
Rhode Island ¹		40	42			
South CarolinaSouth Dakota	48 49	48 49	42 42	8 21	4 14	1
Tennessee	87	86	76	8	8	2
Texas	250	249	197	63	44	21
Utah	20	20	15	3	4	1
Vermont	2	2	2	1	••	
Virginia	81	78	76	41	28	1
Washington	41	41	28	11 18	9	
West Virginia	50 69	50 69	45 63	18 43	35	
Wyoming	32	32	28	14	16	
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Table 6.—Number of Jails by Extent of Overcrowding of Inmates, for the United States and by State - March 1970

				Number of jails exceeding capacity by—							
State	Total number of institutions	Number with more inmates than design capacity	Percent over capacity	Less than 5 persons	5-9 persons	10-24 persons	25-99 persons	100-299 persons	300 or more persons		
U.S. total	4,037	205	5.1	57	35	35	47	17	14		
Alabama	107	1	0.9			1					
Alaska	8	1 1	12.5	1	1 2		1				
Arizona	39 110	4 5	10.3 4.6	2		2	1				
Arkansas	166	21	12.7	5	3	3	5	4	1		
Colorado	78	1	1.3	1				••			
Connecticut ¹			••								
Delaware ¹		2	40.0				1		1		
District of Columbia	5 167	10	6.0	3		2	3	2			
Georgia	240	7	2.9	1	3	1	2				
Hawaii	4		••								
Idaho	61	2	3.3	2							
Illinois	108	4	3.7	2		1			1		
Indiana	97	6	6.2	2	2	••	2				
Iowa	93 123	2	1.6	::		2					
Kentucky	148	11	7.4	9	2						
Louisiana	95	9	9.5	2	1 -	3	2		1		
Maine	16	,	••								
Maryland	23 18	4 2	17.4 11.1	::	1 1		3				
Massachusetts	92	7	7.6		4		1	2			
Minnesota	77	i	1.3	1							
Mississippi	98	2	2.0		1	1			••		
Missouri	144	5	3.5	1	1	2	1				
Montana	68	1	1.5	1							
Nebraska	99 23	3 2	3.0 8.7	2	2		1				
New Hampshire	11		0.7								
New Jersey	32	8	25.0			1	3	4			
New Mexico	44	3	6.8	1	1	1					
New York	75 100	15 4	20.0 4.0	2		1	4	1	7		
North Dakota	50		4.0		1	2	1				
Ohio	160	10	6.3	3	2	2	2	1			
Oklahoma	112	5	4.5	1	2	1	1				
Oregon	69	4	5.8	2	1	1		-:	-:		
Pennsylvania	77	7	9.1		1	1	3	1	1		
Rhode Island South Carolina	111	4			-;		-:				
South Dakota	60	4	3.6 1.7	1 1	1	1	1				
Tennessee	116	5	4.3	2	1		1	1			
Texas	325	17	5.2	5		6	3	l î	2		
Utah	34	1	2.9	1							
Vermont	96	5									
Washington	83	"	5.2	2	:-		3				
West Virginia	61	1	1.6		1	::					
Wisconsin	75	1	1.3				1				
Wyoming	33	1	3.0	1							

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Table 7.—Number and Percent of Cells in City (Over 25,000 Population) and County Jails, by Age of Cell, for the United States and by State - March 1970

	Total number	number Total		Cells 1 day to 25 yrs. old		Cells 26-50 yrs. old		Cells 51-75 yrs. old		Cells 76-100 yrs. old		Cells Over 100 yrs, old	
State	of insti- tutions	number of cells	Number						Number			I	
Total	3,319	97,891	42,883	43.8	30,390	31.0	12,706	13.0	6,496	6.6	5,416	5,5	
Alabama	80	2,616	1,527	58.4	943	36.0	51	1.9	15	0.6	80	3.1	
Alaska,	2	57	57	100.0									
Arizona	17	436	219	50.2	140	32.1	77	17.7					
Arkansas	81	912	217	23.8	563	61.7	122	13.4	10	1.1			
California	134 61	7,858 1,189	6,030	76.7	1,692	21.5	125	1.6	11	0.1			
Connecticut ¹		1,109	773	65.0	233	19.6	82	6.9	101	8.5			
Delaware ¹		٠											
District of Columbia.	5	1,150	345	30.0	531	46,2			274	23.8			
Florida	101	2,744	2,242	81.7	350	12.8	79	2.9	73	2.7			
Georgia	205	3,506	1,621	46.2	1,081	30.8	509	14.5	116	3.3	179	5.1	
Hawaii	4	90	44	48.9	28	31.1	18	20.0					
Idaho ,	44	387	77	19.9	245	63.3	60	15.5	5	1.3			
Illinois	103	3,974	728	18.3	1,599	40.2	1,146	28.8	378	9.5	123	3.1	
Indiana	94	2,358	1,027	43.6	253	10.7	228	9.7	694	29.4	156	6.6	
Iowa	89	1,005	229	22.8	353	35.1	300	29.9	88	8.8	35	3.5	
Kansas	108	1,304	683	52.4	400	30.7	178	13.7	43	3.3			
Kentucky Louisiana	122 72	1,996	499	25.0	459	23.0	421	21.1	285	14.3	332	16.6	
Maine	14	2,097 381	1,235	58.9 18.6	725 50	34.6 13.1	123	5.9 10.0	14 51	0.7 13.4	171	44.9	
Maryland	23	1,219	920	75.5	54	4.4	86	7.1	111	9.1	48	3.9	
Massachusetts	18	2,861	245	8.6	384	13.4	716	25.0	435	15.2	1,081	37.8	
Michigan,	90	2,458	1,415	57.6	892	36.3	48	2.0	103	4.2			
Minnesota	70	1,793	5 28	29.4	659	36.8	469	26.2	137	7.6			
Mississippi	91	1,362	659	48.4	443	32.5	160	11.7	68	5.0	32	2.3	
Missouri	113	2,411	942	39.1	897	37.2	470	19.5	57	2.4	45	1.9	
Montana	54	617	89	14.4	187	30.3	233	37.8	108	17.5			
Nebraska	82	736	221	30.0	212	28.8	266	36.1	35	4.8	2	0.3	
Nevada	19	372	253	68.0	20	5.4	82	22.0	17	4.6		14.7	
New Hampshire	11	286	18 467	6.3 15.1	1,382	5.6 44.7	138 644	48.3 20.8	72 274	25.2 8.9	42 325	10.5	
New Jersey New Mexico	31 32	3,092 669	224	33.5	374	55.9	71	10.6		0.9	32	10.5	
New York	74	13,119	5,504	42.0	6,050	46.1	1,214	9.3	271	2.1	80	0.6	
North Carolina	96	2,466	1,091	44.2	864	35.0	436	17.7	51	2.1	24	1.0	
North Dakota	45	380	110	28.9	98	25.8	172	45.3		••	••		
Ohio	112	4,206	1,360	32,3	778	18.5	428	10.2	657	15.6	983	23.4	
Oklahoma	82	1,235	362	29.3	597	48.3	259	21.0	8	0.6	9	0.7	
Oregon	35	615	232 1,034	37.7 15.7	256 1,545	41.6 23.5	121 1,206	19.7 18.4	1,261	1.0 19.2	1,523	23.2	
Pennsylvania	73	6,569	1,034	13.7	1,575		-		·				
Rhode Island ¹			••			25.4		14.6	**				
South Carolina	101	1,637	895	54.7	449	27.4	239	14.6 30.6	34 21	2.1 6.5	20	1.2	
South Dakota	104	324	104 761	32,1 43.5	100 653	30.9 37.3	99 147	8.4	152	8.7	38	2.2	
Tennessee	104 265	1,751 5,690	3,117	54.8	1,794	31.5	568	10.0	211	3.7			
Texas Utah	263	316	207	65.5	94	29.7	15	4.7					
Vermont	5	57			16	28.1	19	33.3	10	17.5	12	21.1	
Virginia	89	3,054	2,286	74.9	454	14.9	198	6.5	41	1.3	75	2.5	
Washington	42	1,026	456	44.4	454	44.2	116	11.3	••		<u>.</u>		
West Virginia	57	1,267	275	21.7	547	43.2	295	23.3	149		1	0.1	
Wisconsin	75	1,973	1,394	70.7	372	18.9	158 76	8.0 28:1	49	2.5			
Wyoming	21	270	90	33,3	104	38.5	10	20.1	L		L		

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Table 8.—Number and Percent of City (Over 25,000 Population) and County Jails With and Without Selected
Facilities, for the United States and by State

	Total		Recreation	nal facilities		Educational facilities					
State	number of institutions	Wit	hout	W	th	Wit	hout	With			
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent		
Total	3,319	2,869	86.4	450	13.6	2,961	89.2	358	10.8		
Alabama	80	76	95.0	4	5.0	78	97.5	2	2.5		
Alaska	2			2	100.0	2	100.0		1		
Arizona	17	17	100.0		4.0	15	88.2 96.3	2 3	11.8		
Arkansas	81	77	95.1	4	4.9	78 95	70.9	39	3.7 29.1		
California	134	63	47.0 86.9	71 8	53.0 13.1	56	91.8	5	8.2		
Colorado	61	33	80.9		13.1		71,0	"			
Connecticut ¹	••	:-]		l	\		
Delaware ¹	5	1	20.0	4	80.0			5	100.0		
Florida	101	76	75.2	25	24.8	89	88.1	12	11.9		
Georgia	205	163	79.5	42	20.5	170	82.9	35	17.1		
Hawaii	1 4	2	50.0	2	50.0	3	75.0	1	25.0		
Idaho	44	43	97.7	1	2.3	44	100.0		•••		
Illinois	103	97	94.2	6	5.8	97	94.2	6	5.8		
Indiana	94	87	92.6	7	74.4	90	95.7	4	4.3		
Iowa	89	79	88.8	10	11.2	80	89.9	9	10.1		
Kansas	108	104	96.3	4	3.7	102	94.4	6	5.6		
Kentucky	122	116	95.1	6	4.9	118	96.7	4	3.3		
Louisiana	72	61	84.7	11	15.3	63	87.5	9	12.5		
Maine	14	9	64.3	5	35.7	13	92.9	1	7.1		
Maryland	23	18	78.3	5	21.7	17	73.9	6	26.1		
Massachusetts	18	4	22.2	14	77.8	5	27.8	13 14	72.2 15.6		
Michigan	90	81	90.0	9 10	10.0 14.3	76 60	84.4 85.7	10	14.3		
Minnesota	70 91	60 90	85.7 98.9	10	1.1	90	98.9	1 1	1.1		
Mississippi	113	105	92.9	8	7.1	103	91.2	10	8.8		
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Montana	54 82	53 72	98.1 87.8	1 10	1.9 12.2	54 78	100.0 95.1	4	4.9		
Nebraska Nevada	19	18	94.7	1 1	5.3	19	100.0	"	,,,		
New Hampshire	lii	5	45.5	6	54.5	1 7	63.6	4	36.4		
New Jersey	31	21	67.7	10	32.3	15	48.4	16	51.6		
New Mexico	32	30	93.8	2	6.2	30	93.8	2	6.2		
New York	74	30	40.5	44	59.5	35	47.3	39	52.7		
North Carolina	96	91	94.8	5	5.2	90	93.7	6	6.3		
North Dakota	45	42	93.3	3	6.7	41	91.1	4	8.9		
Ohio	112	103	92.0	9	8.0	109	97.3	3	2.7		
Oklahoma	82	77	93.9	5	6.1	80	97.6	2	2.4		
Oregon	35 73	32 38	91.4 52.1	3 . 35	8.6	30 49	85.7	5 24	14.3 32.9		
	· '				47.9	,,,	67.1	1			
Rhode Island ¹ South Carolina	101	86	061	1,5	140	01	00.4				
South Carouna	47	43	85.1 91.5	15	14.9 8.5	91	90.1	10	9.9 8.5		
Tennessee	104	98	94.2	6	5.8	43 99	91.5	4 5	4.8		
Texas	265	258	97.4	7	2.6	257	95.2 97.0	5 8	3.0		
Utah	26	24	92.3	1 2	7.7	237	92.3	2	7.7		
Vermont	5	5	100.0	"	1'	5	100.0	*			
Virginia	89	82	92.1	7	7.9	83	93.3	6	6.7		
Washington	42	38	90.5	4	9.5	36	85.7	6	14.3		
West Virginia	57	55	96.5	2	3.5	56	98.2	ľ	1.8		
Wisconsin	75	66	88.0	9	12.0	66	88.0	9	12.0		
Wyoming	21	20	95.2	1	4.8	20	95.2	li	4.8		

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Fable 8,—Number and Percent of City (Over 25,000 Population) and County Jails With and Without Selected Facilities, for the United States and by State—Continued

	Medical facilities					Visiting	facilities		Toilet facilities				
State	With	hout	With		Wit	Without		With		Without		With	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total	1,627	49.0	1,692	51.0	864	26.0	2,455	74.0	47	1,4	3,272	98.6	
Alabama	58	72.5	22	27.5	17	21.3	63	78.7	١		80	100.0	
Alaska			2	100.0			2	100.0			2	100.0	
Arizona	6	35.3	11	64.7	4	23.5	13	76.5	1	5.9	16	94.1	
Arkansas	59	72.8	22	27.2	20	24.7	61	75.3	3	3.7	78	96.3	
California	28	20.9 49.2	106	79.1	5	3.7	129	96.3	٠- ا	••	134	100.0	
Connecticut ¹ ,		49.2	31	50.8	16	26.2	45	73.8	2	3.3	59	96.7	
Delaware ¹		1	1									· · ·	
District of Columbia.			5	100.0			5	100.0	::	:-	5	100.0	
Florida	36	35.6	65	64.4	10	9.9	91	90.1			101	100.0	
Georgia	117	57.1	88	42.9	46	22.4	159	77.6	6	2.9	199	97.1	
Hawaii	3	75.0	1	25.0			4	100.0			4	100.0	
Idaho	23	52.3	21	47.7	25	56.8	19	43.2			44	100.0	
Illinois	53	51.5	50	48.5	29	28.2	74	71.8	5	4.9	98	95.1	
Indiana	43	45.7	51	54.3	23	24.5	71	75.5	1	1.1	93	98.9	
Iowa	35	39.3	54	60.7	23	25.8	66	74.2	2	2.2	87	97.8	
Kansas	59	54.6	49	45.4	27	25.0	81	75.0			108	100.0	
Kentucky Louisiana	89	73.0 45.8	33 39	27.0	59	48.4	63	51.6	2	1.6	120	98.4	
Maine	2	14.3	12	54.2 85.7	16	22.2 7.1	56 13	77.8	::		72	100.0	
Maryland	6	26.1	17	73.9	3	13.0	20	87.0			23	100.0	
Massachusetts	4	22.2	14	77.8	2	11.1	16	88.9	2	11.1	16	88.9	
Michigan	48	53.3	42	46.7	10	11.1	80	88.9			90	100.0	
Minnesota	21	30.0	49	70.0	17	24.3	53	75.7	1	1.4	69	98.6	
Mississippi	65	71.4	26	28.6	43	47.3	48	52.7	2	2.2	89	97.8	
Missouri	50	44.2	63	55.8	57	50.4	56	49.6	2	1.8	1111	98.2	
Montana	28	51.9	26	48.1	20	37.0	34	63.0	1	1.9	53	98.1	
Nebraska	32	39.0	50	61.0	30	36.6	52	63.4	1	1.2	81	98.8	
Nevada	6	31.6	13	68.4	10	52.6	9	47.4 100.0			19	100.0	
New Hampshire New Jersey	6	18.2 19.4	9 25	81.8 80.6	5	16.1	26	83.9			31	100.0	
New Mexico	21	65.6	ii	34.4	5	15.6	27	84.4			32	100.0	
New York	10	13.5	64	86.5	3	4.1	71	95.9] - <i>-</i>		74	100.0	
North Carolina	34	35.4	62	64.6	24	25.0	72	75.0	1	1.0	95	99.0	
North Dakota	20	44.4	25	55.6	15	33.3	30	66.7			45	100.0	
Ohio	48	42.9	64	57.1	32	28.6	80	71.4	3	2.7	109	97.3	
Oklahoma	46	56.1	36	43.9	14	17.1	68 24	82.9 68.6			82	100.0 100.0	
Oregon	11	31.4	24 50	68.6 68.5	11 15	31.4 20.5	58	79.5			73	100.0	
Pennsylvania	23	31.5	30	00.5	1.3					Ì	l	Ì	
Rhode Island ¹							40	71.2			101	100.0	
South Carolina	62	61.4	39	38.6	29	28.7	72 30	71.3 63.8	2	4.3	101	95.7	
South Dakota	29	61.7	13	38.3 26.9	17 19	36.2 18.3	85	81.7			104	100.0	
Tennessee	76 165	73.1 62.3	100	37.7	84	31.7	181	68.3	7	2.6	258	97.4	
Utah	15	57.7	111	42.3	8	30.8	18	69.2		••	26	100.0	
Vermont	4	80.0	i	20.0	1	20.0	4	80.0			5	100.0	
Virginia	23	25.8	66	74.2	25	28.1	64	71.9	1	1.1	88	98.9	
Washington	17	40.5	25	59.5	10	23.8	32	76.2	1	2.4	41	97.6	
West Virginia	33	57.9	24	42.1	16	28.1	41	71.9	· · ·	1.3	57	100.0 98.7	
Wisconsin	38	50.7	37	49.3	14	18.7	61	81.3 81.0	1	1.3	21	100.0	
Wyoming	10	47.6	11	52.4	4	19.0	L	1 01.0	L	L		1	

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