Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction
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Institutions
Number of Institutions 33*
Male 30
Female 3
Private 2
Designed Capacity 36,526 Beds
Rated Capacity 119.98% *2 Privately Operated Institutions

Inmate Population Profile
Admissions CY 2002 22,411
Total Population 43,825
Male 93.42%
Female 6.58%
White 49.22%
Black 49.75%
Other 1.03%
Average Age 35.0 Years
Male 35.0 Years
Female 35.02 Years
Average Stay in Prison 2.74 Years

Death Row
Total Death Row Inmates 209
Male = 208 Female = 1
White 99
Black 103
Hispanic 3
Other 4
Executions 10 Since February 1999

Populations by Custody Level
Level 1 = 33.2% Level 2 = 40.2%
Level 3 = 22.9% Level 4 = 3.0%
Level 5 = 0.1%

Fiscal & Budgets
Total Budget FY 2002 = $1,610,783,622
FY 2003 = $1,636,694,980
FY 2004 = $1,631,241,891
Average Cost Per Inmate
Daily = $59.92
Annual = $21,872.26

Releases
Total CY 2002 25,635
*Shock Parole, Post
Release Control, Judicial
Release, Shock Probation,
Transitional Control, Parole
CY 2002 *16,543
(*Cases prior to Senate Bill 2)
CY 2003 Deaths 114
CY 2003 Walkaways 2

Returns
Parole/PRC Violators
CY 2002 2,576

Staff Profile
Total Staff 14,383
Total Males 8,909 Total Females 4,332
White Males 7,296 White Females 3,111
Black Males 1,368 Black Females 1,134
Other Males 245 Other Females 87
Total Corrections Officers (CO) 7,345
Total Male CO’s 5,393 Total Female CO’s 1,526
Inmate to Correction Officer Ratio = 5.7 to 1
*Does not include current new hires

Inmate Drug Testing
The Department does random drug testing on 5% of the inmate population each month.
The Department does annual saturation testing on the inmate population that is a statistically accurate reflection of inmate drug use.

Ohio Penal Industries
Number of inmates working for OPI = 2,117
February 2004 Sales = $2,684,314.00
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