Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction
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Institutions
Number of Institutions 32*
Male 29
Female 3
Private 2
Designed Capacity 35,609 Beds
Rated Capacity 124.04% (*2 Privately Operated Institutions)

Inmate Population Profile
Admissions CY 2003 23,126
Total Population 44,168
Male 92.99%
Female 7.01%
White 50.19%
Black 48.69%
Other 1.12%
Average Age 35.0 Years
Male 35.00 Years
Female 35.17 Years
Average Stay in Prison 2.74 Years

Death Row
Total Death Row Inmates 205
Male = 205
Female = 1
White 94
Black 104
Hispanic 3
Other 4
Executions 15 Since February 1999

Population by Custody Level
Level 1 = 33.5% (Minimum)
Level 2 = 39.0% (Medium)
Level 3 = 23.9%
Level 4 = 2.7%
Level 5 = 0.1%

Fiscal & Budgets
Total Budget FY 2003 = $1,636,694,980
FY 2004 = $1,631,241,891
FY 2005 = $1,644,667,618

Average Cost Per Inmate
Daily = $59.34
Annual = $21,660.01

(FY = Fiscal Year, CY = Calendar Year)

Releases
Total CY 2003 27,582
*Post Release Control, Judicial Release, Transitional Control, Parole
CY 2003 *16,694
(*Cases prior to Senate Bill 2)

Returns
Parole/PRC Violators CY 2003 2,564

Staff Profile
Total Staff *14,351
Total Males 9,625
Total Females 4,726
White Males 7,964
White Females 3,410
Black Males 1,462
Black Females 1,234
Other Males 199
Other Females 82
Total Corrections Officers (CO) 7,239
Total Male CO’s 5,698
Total Female CO’s 1,541
Inmate to Correction Officer Ratio = 5.9 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.

2004 = 1.34% 2003 = 1.13%
2002 = .95% 2001 = .88%

Ohio Penal Industries
Number of inmates working for OPI = 2,222
November 2004 Sales = $3,555,128