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| <i>Sex, race, Hispanic origin, and age</i> | 1999 | 2000 | 2003 | 2004 | 1999 | 2000 | 2003 | 2004 |
|--|---|-------|-------|-------|---|--------|--------|--------|
| | Number of inmates in thousands ¹ | | | | Inmates per 100,000 population ² | | | |
| Total ^{3,4} | 1,861 | 1,932 | 2,079 | 2,131 | --- | 686 | 716 | 726 |
| Male ^{3,4} | 1,711 | 1,776 | 1,902 | 1,948 | 1,261 | 1,297 | 1,331 | 1,348 |
| Female ^{3,4} | 149 | 156 | 176 | 183 | 106 | 110 | 119 | 123 |
| White, not Hispanic: ⁴ | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 610 | 664 | 665 | 696 | 630 | 683 | 681 | 717 |
| Female | 54 | 64 | 76 | 82 | 53 | 63 | 75 | 81 |
| Black, not Hispanic: ⁴ | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 757 | 792 | 832 | 843 | 4,617 | 4,777 | 4,834 | 4,919 |
| Female | 68 | 70 | 67 | 68 | 375 | 380 | 352 | 359 |
| Hispanic: ⁴ | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 296 | 291 | 364 | 367 | 1,802 | 1,715 | 1,778 | 1,717 |
| Female | 23 | 20 | 28 | 29 | 142 | 117 | 148 | 143 |
| Male | | | | | | | | |
| 18–19 | 79 | 81 | 72 | 73 | 1,868 | 1,917 | 1,709 | 1,727 |
| 20–24 | 299 | 310 | 346 | 352 | 3,130 | 3,177 | 3,316 | 3,255 |
| 25–29 | 317 | 330 | 332 | 340 | 3,363 | 3,580 | 3,417 | 3,390 |
| 30–34 | 321 | 334 | 314 | 316 | 3,193 | 3,362 | 2,944 | 3,060 |
| 35–39 | 282 | 294 | 292 | 292 | 2,474 | 2,613 | 2,641 | 2,755 |
| 40–44 | 190 | 198 | 241 | 250 | 1,699 | 1,747 | 2,096 | 2,187 |
| 45–54 | 157 | 165 | 224 | 238 | 896 | 903 | 1,129 | 1,162 |
| 55 and over | 49 | 51 | 66 | 72 | 193 | 199 | 238 | 247 |
| Female | | | | | | | | |
| 18–19 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 92 | 96 | 109 | 112 |
| 20–24 | 19 | 20 | 25 | 27 | 205 | 210 | 255 | 264 |
| 25–29 | 29 | 30 | 26 | 27 | 303 | 324 | 277 | 283 |
| 30–34 | 37 | 39 | 33 | 34 | 370 | 391 | 316 | 330 |
| 35–39 | 29 | 31 | 36 | 36 | 257 | 272 | 322 | 346 |
| 40–44 | 16 | 17 | 27 | 29 | 144 | 149 | 232 | 247 |
| 45–54 | 12 | 12 | 20 | 22 | 63 | 64 | 97 | 101 |
| 55 and over | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 11 |
| White, not Hispanic male | | | | | | | | |
| 18–19 | 24 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 885 | 942 | 882 | 911 |
| 20–24 | 91 | 100 | 103 | 107 | 1,462 | 1,560 | 1,610 | 1,641 |
| 25–29 | 96 | 105 | 93 | 98 | 1,535 | 1,732 | 1,607 | 1,666 |
| 30–34 | 114 | 125 | 104 | 107 | 1,674 | 1,861 | 1,545 | 1,691 |
| 35–39 | 106 | 116 | 109 | 111 | 1,302 | 1,460 | 1,467 | 1,607 |
| 40–44 | 74 | 81 | 99 | 105 | 897 | 972 | 1,206 | 1,314 |
| 45–54 | 71 | 78 | 94 | 101 | 522 | 553 | 626 | 664 |
| 55 and over | 27 | 30 | 37 | 40 | 129 | 139 | 162 | 170 |
| Black, not Hispanic male | | | | | | | | |
| 18–19 | 35 | 37 | 33 | 33 | 5,787 | 6,027 | 5,365 | 5,473 |
| 20–24 | 136 | 143 | 161 | 162 | 10,407 | 10,593 | 11,329 | 11,054 |
| 25–29 | 152 | 160 | 154 | 156 | 12,334 | 13,118 | 12,809 | 12,603 |
| 30–34 | 142 | 150 | 135 | 135 | 11,225 | 11,892 | 10,627 | 10,979 |
| 35–39 | 130 | 136 | 127 | 125 | 9,548 | 10,054 | 9,570 | 10,036 |
| 40–44 | 79 | 83 | 102 | 105 | 6,224 | 6,399 | 7,639 | 7,993 |
| 45–54 | 59 | 62 | 93 | 99 | 3,399 | 3,409 | 4,425 | 4,546 |
| 55 and over | 13 | 13 | 19 | 21 | 611 | 635 | 842 | 898 |

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| Sex, race, Hispanic origin, and age | 1999 | 2000 | 2003 | 2004 | 1999 | 2000 | 2003 | 2004 |
|-------------------------------------|---|------|------|------|---|-------|-------|-------|
| Hispanic male | Number of inmates in thousands¹ | | | | Inmates per 100,000 population² | | | |
| 18–19 | 16 | 16 | 13 | 14 | 2,524 | 2,419 | 1,888 | 1,957 |
| 20–24 | 62 | 60 | 74 | 75 | 4,141 | 3,885 | 3,620 | 3,577 |
| 25–29 | 60 | 58 | 78 | 79 | 4,220 | 4,084 | 3,719 | 3,606 |
| 30–34 | 56 | 55 | 68 | 69 | 3,844 | 3,756 | 3,451 | 3,438 |
| 35–39 | 40 | 40 | 51 | 50 | 2,898 | 2,781 | 2,975 | 2,866 |
| 40–44 | 31 | 31 | 36 | 36 | 2,746 | 2,621 | 2,537 | 2,403 |
| 45–54 | 22 | 22 | 33 | 34 | 1,521 | 1,426 | 1,761 | 1,652 |
| 55 and over | 7 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 460 | 468 | 501 | 473 |
| White, not Hispanic female | | | | | | | | |
| 18–19 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 63 | 71 | 68 | 71 |
| 20–24 | 7 | 8 | 11 | 12 | 121 | 137 | 178 | 191 |
| 25–29 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 154 | 187 | 191 | 203 |
| 30–34 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 15 | 185 | 224 | 211 | 237 |
| 35–39 | 10 | 13 | 16 | 16 | 128 | 159 | 211 | 238 |
| 40–44 | 6 | 7 | 12 | 13 | 73 | 87 | 143 | 162 |
| 45–54 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 10 | 33 | 39 | 58 | 63 |
| 55 and over | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 8 |
| Black, not Hispanic female | | | | | | | | |
| 18–19 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 224 | 231 | 254 | 262 |
| 20–24 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 524 | 525 | 607 | 625 |
| 25–29 | 13 | 14 | 10 | 10 | 956 | 993 | 744 | 746 |
| 30–34 | 19 | 19 | 13 | 12 | 1,362 | 1,409 | 891 | 905 |
| 35–39 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 940 | 962 | 926 | 993 |
| 40–44 | 7 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 512 | 513 | 732 | 764 |
| 45–54 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 8 | 214 | 209 | 318 | 327 |
| 55 and over | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 27 | 28 | 28 | 29 |
| Hispanic female | | | | | | | | |
| 18–19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 94 | 87 | 166 | 162 |
| 20–24 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 284 | 246 | 295 | 304 |
| 25–29 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 357 | 296 | 268 | 268 |
| 30–34 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 372 | 301 | 319 | 313 |
| 35–39 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 308 | 247 | 333 | 331 |
| 40–44 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 203 | 168 | 276 | 271 |
| 45–54 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 133 | 106 | 149 | 136 |
| 55 and over | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 9 | 29 | 25 |

--- Data not available.
 0 is greater than 0 but less than 500.
¹Estimates as of June 30 of year shown.
²Inmate estimates as of June 30 of year shown. Population is U.S. resident population for July 1 of year shown.
³Includes all other races not shown separately. See [Appendix II, Hispanic origin; Race](#).
⁴Includes all other ages not shown separately. A small number of inmates are under age 18.

NOTES: Data are for inmates in custody. See [Appendix I, The Annual Survey and Census of Jails; National Prisoner Statistics](#). Starting with 2004 data, inmates reporting more than one race are excluded.

SOURCES: Harrison PM, Beck AJ. Prison and Jail Inmates at Midyear 2004. Bureau of Justice Statistics Bulletin. Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, 2005. Reports for earlier years are available from: www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/prisons.htm.