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ABBREVIATIONS	ABS Australian Bure	eau of Statistics
	ACT Australian Cap	
	Aust. Australia	
	ERP estimated resid	lent population
	NCCJS National Centr	e for Crime and Justice Statistics, Australian Bureau of Statistics
	NSW New South Wa	les
	NT Northern Terri	tory
	Qld Queensland	
	SA South Australia	l
	Tas. Tasmania	
	Vic. Victoria	
	WA Western Austra	ılia

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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

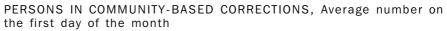
PERSONS IN CORRECTIVE Based on first day of the month averages, for the March quarter 2010, there were SERVICES 85,594 persons under the authority of corrective services (excluding those in periodic detention). The total comprised 28,852 persons in full-time custody and 56,742 persons in community-based corrections. This represents an increase of 2% (2,033 persons) from the March quarter 2009. Over the same period, persons in full-time custody increased by 5% (1,380 persons) and persons in community-based corrections increased by 1% (653 persons).

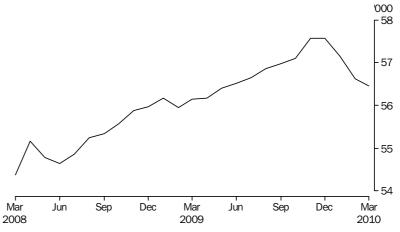
Number of prisoners During the March quarter 2010, the average daily number of full-time prisoners in Australia was 29,049 persons. This was an increase of less than 1% from the December quarter 2009, and of 5% on the March quarter 2009.

> PERSONS IN PRISON CUSTODY, Average daily number per month 000 - 30 29 28 26 25 Sep Sep Mar Dec Dec Mar Jun Mar Jun 2008 2009 2010

Number of persons in community-based corrections

Community-based corrections orders are non-custodial orders served under the authority of adult corrective services agencies and include restricted movement, reparations (fine options and community service) and supervision orders (parole, bail, and sentenced probation). In the March quarter 2010, there were 56,742 persons in community-based corrections in Australia based on first day of the month averages, a decrease of 1% (670 persons) from the December quarter 2009.





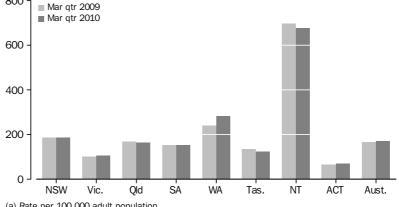
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS continued

PERSONS IN CUSTODY Rates per 100,000 adults

Nationally, the March quarter 2010 average daily imprisonment rate was 171 prisoners per 100,000 adult population, an increase of 2% from the March quarter 2009 (167 prisoners). The Northern Territory had the highest imprisonment rate (676 prisoners per 100,000 adult population), followed by Western Australia (281) and New South Wales (187).

The Australian Capital Territory and Victoria had the lowest imprisonment rates (71 and 106 prisoners per 100,000 adult population respectively).

Western Australia recorded the largest proportional increase in imprisonment rates from the March quarter 2009 (17%). The largest proportional decrease over the same period was recorded in Tasmania (9%).



AVERAGE DAILY IMPRISONMENT RATE(a), By states and territories 800

(a) Rate per 100,000 adult population.

Sex

Of the average daily number of full-time prisoners in Australia in the March quarter 2010, 26,904 (93%) were male and 2,145 (7%) were female. The average daily imprisonment rate for males was 320 prisoners per 100,000 adult male population; almost 13 times more than the rate for females (25 female prisoners per 100,000 adult female population).

Type of full-time custody The average daily number of prisoners in secure prison custody in the March quarter 2010 was 21,975 (76% of prisoners in full-time custody). Open prison custody comprised 7,074 prisoners (24%).

> Victoria, South Australia and Tasmania had the highest proportion of prisoners in secure custody of those in full-time custody (90%, 90% and 89% respectively), followed by Queensland (88%).

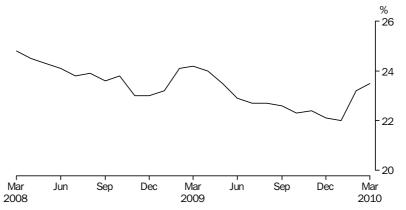
Legal status The average number of prisoners in full-time custody on the first day of each month in the March quarter 2010 was 28,852, comprising an average of 22,241 (77%) sentenced and 6,610 (23%) unsentenced prisoners. Sentenced prisoners decreased by 1% from the previous quarter and increased by 6% from the March quarter 2009.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS continued

Legal status continued

Unsentenced prisoners increased by 3% from the previous quarter and increased by 1% from the March quarter 2009. The Australian Capital Territory and South Australia had the highest proportions of unsentenced prisoners (45% and 34% respectively). The lowest proportions of unsentenced prisoners were recorded in Western Australia and Victoria (15% and 19% respectively).

PROPORTION OF UNSENTENCED PERSONS IN PRISON CUSTODY (a), Per month



(a) Based on average number on the first day of the month

Sentenced prisonerThere were 7,387 sentenced prisoner receptions into full-time custody in Australia in thereceptionsMarch quarter 2010; a decrease of 1% (65) from the December quarter 2009, and anincrease of 2% (132) from the March quarter 2009.

Periodic detentionPeriodic detention is a form of custody or order where a sentenced prisoner is required
to be held in custody on a part-time basis. This type of custody order is only used in
New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory. During the March quarter 2010
there was an average daily number of 843 persons in New South Wales and 55 persons in
the Australian Capital Territory held in periodic detention. The rate of imprisonment for
periodic detainees decreased by 4% in New South Wales, and by 2% in
the Australian Capital Territory from the December quarter 2009.

Federal prisonersIn the March quarter 2010, there were 762 federal sentenced prisoners in Australia based
on first day of the month figures, an increase of 9% from the March quarter 2009. More
than half (408) of the federal prisoners were sentenced in New South Wales.

Indigenous prisonersThe average daily number of full-time Indigenous adult prisoners in Australia in the
March quarter 2010 was 7,613, comprising 6,951 (91%) males and 661 (9%) females.Indigenous prisoners represented 26% of the total full-time prisoner population in the
March quarter 2010, increasing by 2% from the December Quarter 2009. The total
Indigenous population aged 18 years and over at 30 June 2009 was 2% of the Australian
population.

Over 77% of the total Indigenous prisoner population was located in the states of New South Wales (2,281), Western Australia (1,948) and Queensland (1,654).

Indigenous prisoners continued



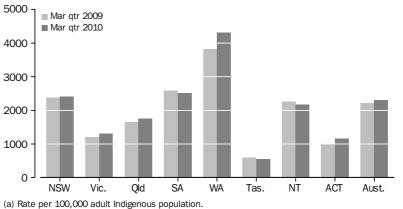
⁽a) Rate per 100,000 adult Indigenous population.

The national average daily Indigenous imprisonment rate in the March quarter 2010 was 2,311 per 100,000 adult Indigenous population, a decrease of 1% from the previous quarter, and a 4% increase from the March quarter 2009.

Different age profiles of the Indigenous and non-Indigenous population can affect the imprisonment rate numbers. The quarterly collection is unable to take age into account; however, data from the Prisoner Census collection can provide this level of detail.

The national age standardised Indigenous imprisonment rate from the annual Prisoner Census conducted at June 2009 was 14 times higher (1,891 per 100,000 adult Indigenous population) than the rate for non-Indigenous persons (136 per 100,000 adult non-Indigenous population). Further information on the comparison of imprisonment rates between Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations can be found in Prisoners in Australia, 2009 (cat.no.4517.0).

The highest Indigenous imprisonment rate was recorded in Western Australia (4,310 Indigenous prisoners per 100,000 adult Indigenous population), followed by South Australia (2,520) and New South Wales (2,412). The lowest Indigenous imprisonment rate was recorded in Tasmania (555), followed by the Australian Capital Territory (1,167).



AVERAGE DAILY INDIGENOUS IMPRISONMENT RATE(a), By states and territories $\label{eq:alpha}$

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS continued

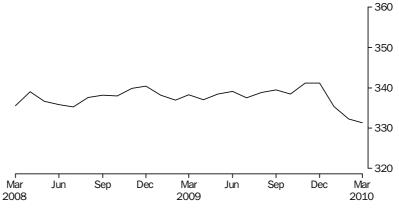
Indigenous prisoners continued

The largest proportional increase in the Indigenous imprisonment rate from the March quarter 2009 was recorded in the Australian Capital Territory (16%), followed by Western Australia (13%). Tasmania (6%), South Australia (3%) and the Northern Territory (3%) recorded a proportional decrease over the same period.

PERSONS IN COMMUNITY-BASED CORRECTIONS Rates per 100,000 adults

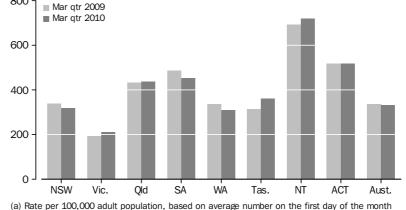
Nationally, the rate of persons in community-based corrections was 333 persons per 100,000 adult population for the March quarter 2010 based on first day of the month figures. This was a decrease of 2% from the March quarter 2009 (338 persons per 100,000 adults). The largest increase from the March quarter 2009 was recorded in Tasmania (15%), while the largest decrease was recorded in Western Australia (8%).

COMMUNITY-BASED CORRECTIONS RATE(a), Per month



(a) Rate per 100,000 adult population, based on average number on the first day of the month





Of the average number of persons in community-based corrections in Australia in the March quarter 2010, 46,153 (81%) were male and 10,518 (19%) were female.

In the March quarter 2010, the rate of community-based corrections for males was 549 per 100,000 adult male population compared to 122 females per 100,000 adult female population. The community-based corrections rate for males was more than four times that of females.

Sex

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS continued

Type of orders

In the March quarter 2010, there were 12,103 persons on parole following a period of imprisonment, a decrease of 3% from the December quarter 2009. Three states accounted for over 80% of persons serving parole orders: New South Wales (4,378 or 36%), Queensland (4,194 persons or 35%), and Victoria (1,500 or 12%). The largest proportional decrease in parole orders from the December quarter 2009 was recorded in Western Australia (16%).

For this same period, there were 34,195 persons under sentenced probation and 10,617 persons serving community service orders; a decrease of 1% and 2% respectively from the December quarter 2009.

	NSW(b)	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT in ACT(c)	ACT in NSW(b)	ACT Total(d)	Aust.(b)
			AVERAG	E DAILY	NUMBE	R					
Males in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09	9 372	3 964	5 191	1 797	3 700	480	1 059	110	48	158	25 672
Dec Qtr 09	9 528	4 193	5 118	1 821	4 398	456	1 026	164		164	26 702
Mar Qtr 10	9 539	4 186	5 223	1 822	4 463	438	1 053	181		181	26 904
Females in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09	759	259	424	131	310	31	46	11	3	14	1 971
Dec Qtr 09	777	314	419	124	383	42	48	13		13	2 120
Mar Qtr 10	772	318	433	127	392	34	56	14		14	2 145
Persons in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09	10 131	4 223	5 615	1 928	4 010	511	1 105	121	52	173	27 643
Dec Qtr 09	10 304	4 507	5 537	1 944	4 781	498	1074	177		177	28 822
Mar Qtr 10	10 312	4 504	5 655	1 949	4 855	471	1 110	194	• •	194	29 049
Indigenous persons in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09	2 191	250	1 499	448	1 678	67	911	20	7	27	7 064
Dec Qtr 09	2 256	273	1 568	450	1 949	63	875	24		24	7 458
Mar Qtr 10	2 281	281	1 654	449	1 948	66	901	32		32	7 613
Uncentenced percent in full time		AVERAGE	E NUMBE	R ON FI	RST DAY	OF MOI	NTH				
Unsentenced persons in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09	2 727	813	1 162	654	688	107	279	112		112	6 543
Dec Qtr 09	2 596	891	1 139	660 658	727	99	243	72		72	6 427
Mar Qtr 10	2 737	836	1 204	658	736	92	261	87	• •	87	6 610
Sentenced persons in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09	7 366	3 401	4 381	1 271	3 292	401	818	—	47	47	20 929
Dec Qtr 09	7 752	3 613	4 393	1 304	4 045	408	824	103		103	22 443
Mar Qtr 10	7 547	3 640	4 391	1 267	4 092	359	837	108	• •	108	22 241
Persons in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09	10 092	4 214	5 543	1 925	3 980	508	1 097	112	47	160	27 472
Dec Qtr 09	10 348	4 504	5 532	1964	4 772	506	1 067	176	• •	176	28 870
Mar Qtr 10	10 284	4 476	5 594	1 926	4 828	451	1 098	195		195	28 852
Males in community-based corrections(e)											
Mar Qtr 09	15 452	6 539	11 487	4 961	4 405	951	955	1 162		1 162	45 913
Dec Qtr 09	15 110	7 360	11 935	4 805	4 262	1 080	1 038	1 178		1 178	46 768
Mar Qtr 10	14 763	7 347	11 990	4 652	4 094	1 109	1 014	1 184	• •	1 184	46 153
Females in community-based corrections(e)											
Mar Qtr 09	2 755	1 466	2 924	1 129	1 203	243	145	228		228	10 092
Dec Qtr 09	2 850	1 609	3 087	1 127	1 226	275	164	232		232	10 571
Mar Qtr 10	2 771	1 664	3 045	1 110	1 244	282	164	239		239	10 518
Persons in community-based corrections(e)(f)											
Mar Qtr 09	18 280	8 012	14 411	6 093	5 608	1 195	1 100	1 390		1 390	56 089
Dec Qtr 09	18 032	8 969	15 023	5 934	5 488	1 355	1 202	1 410		1 410	57 412
Mar Qtr 10	17 602	9 012	15 035	5 761	5 339	1 391	1 178	1 423		1 423	56 742
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(e) Figures include persons with breached or suspended orders, with the exception of Vic. and Tas.

(f) Includes persons whose sex is unknown.

	NSW(b)	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT in ACT(c)	ACT in NSW(b)	ACT Total(d)	Aust.(b)
	PEF	RCENTAG	E CHANC	GE (AVEF	RAGE DA	ILY NUM	IBER)				• • • • • • •
Males in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10 Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	1.8 0.1	5.6 -0.2	0.6 2.1	1.4 0.1	20.6 1.5	-8.8 -3.9	-0.6 2.6	64.5 10.4	-100.0	14.6 10.4	4.8 0.8
Females in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10 Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	1.7 -0.6	22.8 1.3	2.1 3.3	-3.1 2.4	26.5 2.3	9.7 -19.0	21.7 16.7	27.3 7.7	-100.0 	— 7.7	8.8 1.2
Persons in full-time custody Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	1.8	6.7	0.7	1.1	21.1	-7.8	0.5	60.3	-100.0	12.1	5.1
Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	0.1	-0.1	2.1	0.3	1.5	-5.4	3.4	9.6		9.6	0.8
Indigenous persons in full-time custody											
Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	4.1	12.4	10.3	0.2	16.1	-1.5	-1.1	60.0	-100.0	18.5	7.8
Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	1.1	2.9	5.5	-0.2	-0.1	4.8	3.0	33.3	• •	33.3	2.1
PE	RCENTAGE	CHANGE	E (AVERA	GE NUM	BER ON	FIRST D	DAY OF	MONTH)		• • • • • • •
Unsentenced persons in full-time											
custody Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10 Dec Otr 09 to Mar Otr 10	0.4 5.4	2.8 6.2	3.6 5.7	0.6 -0.3	7.0 1.2	-14.0 -7.1	-6.5 7.4	-22.3 20.8		-22.3 20.8	1.0 2.8
Sentenced persons in full-time	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	1.2			20.0		20.0	2.0
custody Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	2.5	7.0	0.2	-0.3	24.3	-10.5	2.3	na	-100.0	129.8	6.3
Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	-2.6	0.7	_	-2.8	1.2	-12.0	1.6	4.9		4.9	-0.9
Persons in full-time custody	1.0	6.0		0.4	04.0	11.0	0.4	74.4	100.0	01.0	F 0
Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10 Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	1.9 -0.6	6.2 -0.6	0.9 1.1	0.1 -1.9	21.3 1.2	-11.2 -10.9	0.1 2.9	74.1 10.8	-100.0	21.9 10.8	5.0 -0.1
Males in community-based corrections(e)											
Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	-4.5	12.4	4.4	-6.2	-7.1	16.6	6.2	1.9		1.9	0.5
Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	-2.3	-0.2	0.5	-3.2	-3.9	2.7	-2.3	0.5		0.5	-1.3
Females in community-based corrections(e)											
Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10 Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	0.6 -2.8	13.5 3.4	4.1 -1.4	-1.7 -1.5	3.4 1.5	16.0 2.5	13.1	4.8 3.0	 	4.8 3.0	4.2 -0.5
Persons in community-based corrections(e)(f)											
Mar Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	-3.7	12.5	4.3	-5.4	-4.8	16.4	7.1	2.4		2.4	1.2
Dec Qtr 09 to Mar Qtr 10	-2.4	0.5	0.1	-2.9	-2.7	2.7	-2.0	0.9		0.9	-1.2
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not applicable				(c)	Data prio	r to the June	quarter 20	09 mainly i	ncluded uns	sentenced pe	rsons in ACT

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PERSONS IN FULL-TIME CUSTODY

								ACT in	ACT in	ACT	
	NSW(a)	Vic.	<i>Qld</i> (b)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT(c)	NSW(a)	Total(d)	Aust.(a)
• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •			• • • • • • • • •				• • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •		
				AVERA	GE DAILY	NUMBER	2				
2007	9 576	4 144	5 571	1 776	3 774	537	856	71	101	172	26 305
2008	9 804	4 240	5 549	1 908	3 824	526	939	95	84	179	26 885
2009	10 310	4 367	5 622	1 951	4 402	513	1073	152	18	170	28 390
2009											
Mar Qtr	10 131	4 223	5 615	1 928	4 010	511	1 105	121	52	173	27 643
Jun Qtr	10 415	4 325	5 732	1 948	4 234	532	1078	147	20	167	28 409
Sep Qtr	10 387	4 409	5 606	1 983	4 571	513	1 037	163		163	28 670
Dec Qtr	10 304	4 507	5 537	1 944	4 781	498	1074	177		177	28 822
2010											
Mar Qtr	10 312	4 504	5 655	1 949	4 855	471	1 110	194		194	29 049
2009											
Jan	10 004	4 190	5 546	1 907	3 938	501	1 093	110	62	172	27 289
Feb	10 153	4 210	5 617	1 920	4 017	511	1 107	126	50	177	27 661
Mar	10 239	4 268	5 681	1 956	4 075	521	1 116	126	44	169	27 982
Apr	10 382	4 297	5 737	1 959	4 125	526	1 109	132	37	169	28 267
May	10 438	4 334	5 751	1 938	4 210	533	1 062	148	22	170	28 414
Jun	10 425	4 343	5 707	1 946	4 367	535	1 063	161	1	162	28 547
Jul	10 407	4 361	5 661	1 950	4 476	524	1 039	158		158	28 576
Aug	10 358	4 399	5 596	2 001	4 585	512	1 036	164		164	28 652
Sep	10 397	4 470	5 561	1 998	4 655	502	1 037	167		167	28 787
Oct	10 366	4 478	5 492	1 947	4 738	515	1 051	169		169	28 757
Nov	10 340	4 528	5 574	1 962	4 807	506	1 088	181		181	28 986
Dec	10 207	4 516	5 545	1 925	4 799	473	1 083	181		181	28 728
2010											
Jan	10 255	4 457	5 563	1 946	4 820	451	1 120	182		182	28 793
Feb	10 325	4 496	5 644	1 944	4 866	481	1 108	198		198	29 062
Mar	10 357	4 558	5 758	1 956	4 879	483	1 100	203		203	29 294

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	NSW(b)	Vic.	Qld(c)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT(d)	Aust.(c)
		RATE F	PER 100	,000 AE	DULT PO	PULATIC	D N	• • • • • •	
2007	180.1	104.0	175.0	144.9	238.2	143.4	566.5	66.3	164.2
2008	182.6	104.4	169.9	153.5	234.9	138.9	601.6	67.5	164.7
2009	189.4	104.8	167.2	154.7	260.7	134.2	670.3	62.7	169.7
2009									
Mar Qtr	186.9	102.3	168.6	153.8	240.6	134.3	696.8	64.2	166.7
Jun Qtr	191.9	104.2	171.1	154.8	252.1	139.2	676.7	61.9	170.5
Sep Qtr	190.6	105.4	166.1	156.9	269.5	133.7	646.0	60.0	170.8
Dec Qtr	188.2	107.1	163.0	153.4	280.1	129.5	662.3	64.9	170.8
2010									
Mar Qtr	186.5	106.0	164.6	152.9	281.1	122.1	676.4	70.7	170.5
2009									
Jan	184.3	101.5	166.6	152.1	236.3	131.6	689.2	64.0	164.6
Feb	187.3	102.0	168.7	153.1	241.0	134.3	697.5	65.8	166.8
Mar	189.0	103.4	170.6	156.0	244.5	136.9	703.7	63.1	168.8
Apr	190.9	103.6	171.2	155.8	245.6	137.7	696.4	62.6	169.6
May	192.2	104.4	171.6	154.1	250.7	139.6	666.8	63.0	170.5
Jun	192.4	104.7	170.3	154.7	260.0	140.2	667.3	59.9	171.3
Jul	190.9	104.2	167.7	154.3	263.9	136.7	647.2	58.1	170.2
Aug	190.0	105.2	165.8	158.4	270.3	133.5	644.9	60.5	170.7
Sep	190.7	106.9	164.7	158.1	274.5	130.8	645.8	61.6	171.5
Oct	189.4	106.4	161.6	153.6	277.6	134.0	648.1	61.9	170.4
Nov	188.9	107.6	164.1	154.7	281.6	131.6	670.9	66.5	171.8
Dec	186.5	107.3	163.2	151.8	281.2	123.0	668.1	66.2	170.3
2010									
Jan	185.4	104.8	161.9	152.7	279.2	116.8	682.8	66.2	169.0
Feb	186.7	105.8	164.3	152.5	281.8	124.6	675.7	71.9	170.5
Mar	187.3	107.2	167.6	153.5	282.5	125.1	670.7	74.0	171.9

(a) Imprisonment rates are based on Estimated Resident Population counts – see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 17–21.

(b) Excludes ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prisons.

(c) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(d) Includes ACT prisoners held in ACT as well as ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prior to the September quarter 2009 – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.



PERSONS IN FULL-TIME CUSTODY, By sex

	NSW(a)	Vic.	<i>Qld</i> (b)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT in ACT(c)	ACT in NSW(a)	ACT Total(d)	Aust.(a)(b)
	11011(a)	vic.	Qid(b)	04	117	103.	111	ACT(C)	11011(a)	rotar(u)	Aust. (u) (b)
	• • • • • • • • •		M	ALES (AV	ERAGE DA						
			141				IDEN()				
2007	8 867	3 894	5 151	1 658	3 459	502	817	65	96	162	24 415
2008	9 078	3 997	5 122	1 782	3 538	489	895	86	77	163	24 986
2009	9 537	4 081	5 199	1 823	4 055	475	1 025	139	17	155	26 336
2009											
Mar Qtr	9 372	3 964	5 191	1 797	3 700	480	1 059	110	48	158	25 672
Jun Qtr Sep Qtr	9 634 9 613	4 053	5 298 5 191	1 818 1 856	3 909	495	1 026	132	19	150 149	26 364 26 590
Dec Qtr	9 528	4 113 4 193	5 191 5 118	1 821	4 206 4 398	471 456	991 1 026	149 164	•••	149 164	26 590 26 702
2010	5 520	4 100	5110	1021	4 000	400	1 020	104		104	20102
Mar Qtr	9 539	4 186	5 223	1 822	4 463	438	1 053	181		181	26 904
Jan	9 492	4 139	5 141	1 817	4 433	417	1 063	170		170	26 672
Feb	9 549	4 181	5 214	1 817	4 478	448	1 053	185		185	26 924
Mar	9 578	4 238	5 313	1 831	4 479	449	1044	188	• •	188	27 119
			FEI	MALES (A	VERAGE D	AILY NU	MBER)				
2007	709	249	419	118	315	35	39	6	5	11	1 890
2008	726	243	427	126	286	37	44	9	6	15	1 899
2009	773	286	423	128	346	38	48	13	1	14	2 055
2009											
Mar Qtr	759	259	424	131	310	31	46	11	3	14	1 971
Jun Qtr	781	272	434	130	325	37	52	15	1	17	2 046
Sep Qtr	774	296	415	127	366	42	46	14	• •	14	2 080
Dec Qtr 2010	777	314	419	124	383	42	48	13		13	2 120
Mar Qtr	772	318	433	127	392	34	56	14		14	2 145
Jan	762	318	422	129	387	34	57	12		12	2 121
Feb	776	315	430	127	388	33	56	13		13	2 138
Mar	779	320	446	125	400	34	56	16		16	2 175
			PEI	RSONS (A	VERAGE D	AILY NU	MBER)				
2007	9 576	4 144	5 571	1 776	3 774	537	856	71	101	172	26 305
2008	9 804	4 240	5 549	1 908	3 824	526	939	95	84	179	26 885
2009	10 310	4 367	5 622	1 951	4 402	513	1073	152	18	170	28 390
2009											
Mar Qtr	10 131	4 223	5 615	1 928	4 010	511	1 105	121	52	173	27 643
Jun Qtr	10 415	4 325	5 732	1 948	4 234	532	1078	147	20	167	28 409
Sep Qtr	10 387	4 409	5 606	1 983	4 571	513	1 037	163		163	28 670
Dec Qtr	10 304	4 507	5 537	1 944	4 781	498	1074	177	• •	177	28 822
2010 Mar Otr	10 312	4 504	5 655	1 949	4 855	471	1 110	194		194	29 049
,	10 255	4 457	5 563	1 946	4 820	451	1 120	182		182	28 793
Jan Feb	10 255	4 497 4 496	5 563 5 644	1 946 1 944	4 820 4 866	451 481	1 120 1 108	182 198	•••	182	28 793 29 062
Mar	10 325	4 558	5 758	1 956	4 879	483	1 100	203		203	29 294
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.. not applicable

(b) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated – see

Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(a) Data prior to the September quarter 2009 includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals. From the September quarter 2009, ACT prisoners are no longer held in NSW prisons – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(c) Data prior to the June quarter 2009 mainly included unsentenced persons in ACT prison custody – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(d) ACT in ACT figures and ACT in NSW figures may not add to ACT total due to rounding.

IMPRISONMENT RATES(a), By sex

	NSW(b)	Vic.	Qld(c)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT(d)	Aust.(
	MAI	ES (RA	TE PER	100,00	0 ADUL	T POPU	LATION)		
2007	339.7	199.7	326.5	276.4	435.7	275.6	1 031.6	126.7	309
2008	345.0	201.0	316.6	293.2	432.4	265.3	1 097.6	125.5	310
2009	357.3	199.7	311.7	295.7	476.2	255.1	1 231.4	116.5	319
2009									
Mar Qtr	352.6	195.9	314.5	293.3	440.6	259.0	1 284.6	119.6	314
Jun Qtr	362.0	199.2	318.9	295.6	461.7	265.9	1 240.1	113.1	320
Sep Qtr	359.7	200.5	310.0	300.4	491.4	252.2	1 186.4	111.2	321
Dec Qtr	354.9	203.1	303.7	293.5	510.2	243.5	1 215.8	122.1	320
2010									
Mar Qtr	351.4	200.5	306.7	292.0	512.5	232.8	1 236.6	133.2	319
Jan	349.7	198.2	301.9	291.3	509.1	221.9	1 247.6	125.2	317
Feb	351.8	200.2	306.2	291.3	514.2	238.4	1 235.9	136.2	320
Mar	352.8	202.9	312.0	293.5	514.3	238.8	1 226.2	138.4	322
				100 0				•••••	• • • • •
			AIE PEF	100,0	UU ADU		JLATION)	
2007	26.3	12.3	26.1	18.9	39.8	18.2	53.6	8.0	23
2008	26.5	11.7	25.9	19.8	35.3	19.1	59.5	11.4	22
2009	27.9	13.4	24.9	19.8	41.4	19.4	62.4	10.6	24
2009									
Mar Qtr	27.5	12.3	25.2	20.4	37.5	15.9	60.9	10.6	23
Jun Qtr	28.3	12.9	25.7	20.2	39.1	18.9	67.3	12.2	24
Sep Qtr	27.9	13.9	24.4	19.7	43.5	21.2	59.9	10.3	24
Dec Qtr	27.8	14.7	24.5	19.1	45.4	21.4	61.5	9.1	24
2010	07.4	447	05.0	40 F	45.0	17.0	74.4	0.0	
Mar Qtr	27.4	14.7	25.0	19.5	45.8	17.0	71.4	9.8	24
Jan	27.1	14.7	24.4	19.8	45.2	17.1	72.8	8.8	24
Feb	27.6	14.6	24.8	19.5	45.4	16.6	70.7	9.3	24
Mar	27.7	14.8	25.7	19.2	46.7	17.2	70.6	11.2	25
	PERS						ULATION		
2007	180.1	104.0	175.0	144.9	238.2	143.4	566.5	66.3	164
2008	182.6	104.4	169.9	153.5	234.9	138.9	601.6	67.5	164
2009	189.4	104.8	167.2	154.7	260.7	134.2	670.3	62.7	169
2009									
Mar Qtr	186.9	102.3	168.6	153.8	240.6	134.3	696.8	64.2	166
Jun Qtr	191.9	104.2	171.1	154.8	252.1	139.2	676.7	61.9	170
Sep Qtr	190.6	105.4	166.1	156.9	269.5	133.7	646.0	60.0	170
Dec Qtr	188.2	107.1	163.0	153.4	280.1	129.5	662.3	64.9	170
2010									
Mar Qtr	186.5	106.0	164.6	152.9	281.1	122.1	676.4	70.7	170
Jan	185.4	104.8	161.9	152.7	279.2	116.8	682.8	66.2	169
Feb	186.7	105.8	164.3	152.5	281.8	124.6	675.7	71.9	170
Mar	187.3	107.2	167.6	153.5	282.5	125.1	670.7	74.0	171

(a) Imprisonment rates are based on Estimated Resident Population counts – see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 17–21.

(b) Excludes ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prisons.

(c) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(d) Includes ACT prisoners held in ACT as well as ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prior to the September quarter 2009 – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 45.

	NSW(a)(b)	Vic.	Qld(c)	SA	WA(d)	Tas.	NT	ACT in ACT(e)(d)	ACT in NSW(a)	ACT Total(f)	Aust.(
			ų.u.(0)					, io, (o), (u)			, 10007 (,
		PER	SONS IN	SECURE	CUSTODY	(AVERAGE	DAILY	NUMBER)		
007	5 893	3 743	4 853	1 581	2 771	477	621	71	26	97	20 02
008	6 229	3 797	4 952	1 703	2 794	468	663	95	25	120	20 70
009	6 734	3 911	4 977	1 736	3 066	460	750	80	5	85	21 7:
009											
Mar Qtr	6 630	3 802	5 083	1 713	2 845	454	776	121	14	135	21 4
Jun Qtr	6 767	3 876	5 118	1 730	2 972	479	747	69	5	75	21 7
Sep Qtr	6 796	3 935	4 875	1 766	3 166	459	721	67		67	21 7
Dec Qtr	6 743	4 028	4 837	1 736	3 276	446	756	63		63	21 8
010											
Mar Qtr	6 720	4 039	5 003	1 752	3 217	419	774	51		51	21 9
Jan	6 676	4 011	4 905	1 748	3 237	399	783	49		49	21 8
Feb	6 717	4 041	4 992	1 742	3 231	425	773	52		52	21 9
Mar	6 767	4 065	5 110	1 766	3 185	433	765	51		51	22 1
						AVERAGE		••••••••••		• • • • • • • • •	•••••
		FLI	130113 11	N OFLIN (031001 (AVERAGE					
007	3 683	401	717	195	1 003	61	235		75	75	62
008	3 575	443	597	205	1 030	58	276		59	59	6 2
009	3 576	456	645	214	1 335	54	323	72	13	85	66
09											
Mar Qtr	3 501	421	532	215	1 164	57	329		38	38	62
Jun Qtr	3 648	449	614	218	1 262	53	330	78	14	92	66
Sep Qtr	3 591	475	732	217	1 406	54	316	96		96	68
Dec Qtr	3 562	479	700	208	1 505	52	318	114		114	6 9
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Mar Qtr	3 591	465	652	196	1 637	52	336	144		144	7 (
Jan	3 578	445	657	198	1 584	52	337	133		133	6 9
Feb	3 608	456	652	202	1 635	56	335	135		146	7 (
Mar	3 589	493	648	190	1 693	50	335	152		152	7 1
	0.000	100	0.0	100	1 000		000	101		101	
			PERSON	S IN CUS	TODY (AVI	ERAGE DAI	LY NUM	IBER)			
007	9 576	4 144	5 571	1 776	3 774	537	856	71	101	172	26 3
008	9 804	4 240	5 549	1 908	3 824	526	939	95	84	179	26 8
009	10 310	4 367	5 622	1 951	4 402	513	1 073	152	18	170	28 3
009 Mar Otr	10 101	4 000		4 000	4.040		1 405	404	50	470	07 /
Mar Qtr	10 131	4 223	5 615	1 928	4 010	511	1 105	121	52	173	27 6
Jun Qtr	10 415	4 325	5 732	1 948	4 234	532	1078	147	20	167	28 4
Sep Qtr	10 387	4 409	5 606	1 983	4 571	513	1 037	163		163	28 6
Dec Qtr	10 304	4 507	5 537	1 944	4 781	498	1074	177		177	28 8
9 10 Mar Qtr	10 312	4 504	5 655	1 949	4 855	471	1 110	194		194	29 (
la a	10 255	4 457	5 563	1 946	4 820	451	1 120	182		182	28 7
Jan		4 496	5 644	1 944	4 866	481	1 108	198		198	29 0
Jan Feb Mar	10 325 10 357	4 558	5 758	1 956	4 879	483	1 100	203		203	29 2

(a) Data prior to the September quarter 2009 includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals. From the September quarter 2009, ACT prisoners are no longer held in NSW prisons – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(b) The classification of some NSW correctional facilities changed from March 2008 – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 29.

Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(d) Data do not comply to the standard definition – see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 35 and 42.

(e) Data prior to the June quarter 2009 mainly included unsentenced persons in ACT prison custody – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(f) ACT in ACT figures and ACT in NSW figures may not add to ACT total due to rounding.

(g) See footnotes a-d

IMPRISONMENT RATES(a), By type of custody

NSW(b)(c) NT ACT(e)(f) Vic. Qld(d) SA WA(e) Tas. Aust.(g) PERSONS IN SECURE CUSTODY (RATE PER 100,000 ADULT POPULATION) 2007 111.5 93.9 152.5 129.0 174.9 127.3 410.9 37.5 124.9 2008 116.5 93.5 151.6 137.0 171.6 123.7 424.8 45.2 126.8 2009 468.3 123.8 93.8 148.0 137.7 181.6 120.1 31.4 129.8 2009 Mar Qtr 122.7 92.1 152.7 136.6 170.7 119.3 489.1 50.1 129.2 Jun Otr 469.3 124.8 93.4 152.7 137.5 177.0 125.4 27.8 130.5 Sep Qtr 124.7 94.1 144.4 139.8 186.6 119.8 449.1 24.8 129.8 Dec Qtr 123.2 95.7 142.4 136.9 192.0 116.1 466.2 23.2 129.7 2010 Mar Qtr 121.5 95.0 145.6 137.5 186.3 108.5 471.9 18.5 128.9 Jan 120.7 94.4 142.8 137.1 187.4 103.5 477.7 17.8 128.0 Feb 121.5 95.0 145.3 136.7 187.1 110.1 471.3 19.0 128.9 Mar 122.4 95.6 148.8 138.5 184.5 112.2 466.6 18.6 129.9 PERSONS IN OPEN CUSTODY (RATE PER 100,000 ADULT POPULATION) 68.6 10.1 22.5 2007 15.9 63.3 16.2 155.6 28.8 39.3 2008 66.0 10.9 18.3 16.5 63.2 15.3 176.8 22.4 37.9 2009 65.6 10.9 19.2 17.0 79.1 14.0 202.0 31.4 39.9 2009 Mar Qtr 64.2 10.2 16.0 17.1 69.9 15.0 207.7 14.1 37.5 Jun Otr 67.1 207.5 10.8 18.3 75.2 13.8 34.1 39.9 17.3 Sep Qtr 65.9 11.3 21.7 17.1 82.9 14.0 196.9 35.3 41.0 Dec Qtr 65.1 11.4 20.6 16.4 88.2 13.4 196.0 41.7 41.1 2010 Mar Qtr 64.9 10.9 19.0 94.8 204.6 52.2 15.4 13.6 41.5 Jan 64.7 10.5 19.1 15.5 91.7 13.4 205.2 48.4 41.0 Feb 65.2 10.7 19.0 15.8 94.7 14.6 204.4 52.9 41.6 Mar 64.9 11.6 18.9 14.9 98.1 12.9 204.1 55.3 42.0 PERSONS IN CUSTODY (RATE PER 100,000 ADULT POPULATION) 2007 180.1 104.0 175.0 144.9 238.2 143.4 566.5 66.3 164.2 2008 182.6 104.4 169.9 153.5 234.9 138.9 601.6 67.5 164.7 670.3 2009 189.4 104.8 167.2 154.7 260.7 134.2 62.7 169.7 2009 Mar Qtr 186.9 102.3 168.6 153.8 240.6 134.3 696.8 64.2 166.7 Jun Otr 191.9 104.2 171.1 154.8 252.1 139.2 676.7 170.5 61.9 Sep Qtr 190.6 105.4 166.1 156.9 269.5 133.7 646.0 60.0 170.8 Dec Qtr 188.2 107.1 163.0 153.4 280.1 129.5 662.3 64.9 170.8 2010 Mar Qtr 186.5 106.0 164.6 152.9 281.1 122.1 676.4 70.7 170.5 185.4 682.8 Jan 104.8 161.9 152.7 279.2 116.8 66.2 169.0 Feb 186.7 105.8 164.3 152.5 281.8 124.6 675.7 71.9 170.5 Mar 187.3 107.2 167.6 153.5 282.5 125.1 670.7 74.0 171.9

Imprisonment rates are based on Estimated Resident Population (a)

counts - see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 17-21.

Excludes ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prisons. (b)

The classification of some NSW correctional facilities changed (c) from March 2008 - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 29.

(d) Data prior to the September guarter 2007 may be slightly

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overstated - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(e) Data do not comply to the standard definition - see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 35 and 42.

Includes ACT prisoners held in ACT as well as ACT prisoners that (f) were held in NSW prior to the September quarter 2009 - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 45.

See footnotes c-e. (g)

	NSW(b)	Vic.	<i>Qld</i> (c)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT in ACT(d)	ACT in NSW(b)	ACT Total(e)	Aust.(b)(c)
		L	INSENTEN		1BER ON						
2007	2 400	785	1 251	619	682	115	170	67		67	6 089
2008 2009	2 545 2 686	836 856	1 223 1 152	650 671	752 718	112 110	213 258	92 79		92 79	6 423 6 530
2009	2 000	000	1 102	0.1	110	110	200	10		10	0.000
Mar Otr	2 727	813	1 162	654	688	107	279	112		112	6 543
Jun Qtr	2 714	877	1 170	677	746	123	271	71		71	6 649
Sep Qtr	2 707	844	1 137	691	710	112	240	59		59	6 500
Dec Qtr	2 596	891	1 139	660	727	99	243	72		72	6 427
2010											
Mar Qtr	2 737	836	1 204	658	736	92	261	87		87	6 610
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			SENIENC	ED (NUME	BER ON FI	RSI DAY	OF MOI	NIH)			
2007	7 170	3 351	4 312	1 161	3 073	419	687	1	101	101	20 174
2008	7 264	3 396	4 306	1 271	3 060	413	719	—	82	82	20 429
2009	7 620	3 499	4 452	1 294	3 647	404	814	70	18	88	21 799
2009											
Mar Qtr	7 366	3 401	4 381	1 271	3 292	401	818	—	47	47	20 929
Jun Qtr	7 671	3 435	4 560	1 298	3 431	403	814	73	26	98	21 685
Sep Qtr	7 692	3 546	4 475	1 301	3 821	403	798	103	• •	103	22 138
Dec Qtr	7 752	3 613	4 393	1 304	4 045	408	824	103		103	22 443
2010											
Mar Qtr	7 547	3 640	4 391	1 267	4 092	359	837	108		108	22 241
• • • • • • • • •		• • • • • • • • •			ON FIRS				• • • • • • •		• • • • • • • • •
2007	0.570	4 4 2 7							101	169	26.264
2007 2008	9 570 9 809	4 137 4 233	5 563 5 529	1 781 1 921	3 755 3 812	534 525	857 931	68 92	101 82	168 174	26 264 26 852
2008	9 809 10 306	4 233 4 355	5 529 5 604	1 921 1 964	3 812 4 365	525 514	931 1 072	92 148	82 18	167	26 852 28 329
	10 500	4 333	5 004	1 904	4 303	514	1072	140	10	107	20 323
2009	40.000	4.04.4	F F 40	4 005	2 000	500	4 007	110	47	4.00	07 470
Mar Qtr	10 092	4 214	5 543	1 925	3 980	508	1 097	112	47	160	27 472
Jun Qtr	10 385 10 399	4 312	5 730 5 611	1 975	4 177	526	1 085	144	26	169	28 334
Sep Qtr Dec Otr	10 399	4 390 4 504	5 611 5 532	1 992 1 964	4 531 4 772	516 506	1 038 1 067	162 176		162 176	28 638 28 870
2010	10 340	4 304	5 552	1 904	4112	500	T 007	110	• •	T10	20 010
Mar Qtr	10 284	4 476	5 594	1 926	4 828	451	1 098	195		195	28 852
Jan	10 261	4 477	5 541	1 920	4 772	392	1 101	182		182	28 646
Feb	10 281	4 449	5 575	1 918	4 840	467	1 121	198		198	28 849
Mar	10 310	4 502	5 667	1 939	4 871	495	1 072	204		204	29 060
			• • • • • • • • •								

. . not applicable

(c) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated – see

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(a) Figures for the quarter and year for first day of month counts are calculated as a simple average – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 5.
(b) Data prior to the September quarter 2009 includes ACT prisoners held in

(d) Data prior to the June quarter 2009 mainly included unsentenced persons in ACT prison custody – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(e) ACT in ACT figures and ACT in NSW figures may not add to ACT total due to rounding.

(b) Data prior to the September quarter 2009 includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals. From the September quarter 2009, ACT prisoners are no longer held in NSW prisons – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

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IMPRISONMENT RATES(a), By legal status

	NSW(b)	Vic.	Qld(c)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT(d)(e)	Aust.(
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	U	NSENTEN	CED (RAT	E PER 10	0,000 AD	OULT POPU	JLATION))	
2007	45.6	19.7	39.3	50.5	43.0	30.7	112.7	25.8	38
008	47.8	20.6	37.5	52.3	46.2	29.5	136.2	34.7	39
009	49.4	20.5	34.3	53.2	42.5	28.8	161.5	29.1	3
009									
Mar Qtr	50.5	19.7	34.9	52.2	41.3	28.0	176.1	41.8	3
Jun Qtr	50.1	21.1	34.9	53.9	44.4	32.2	170.2	26.3	3
Sep Qtr	49.7	20.2	33.7	54.7	41.9	29.3	149.7	21.7	3
Dec Qtr	47.4	21.2	33.5	52.1	42.6	25.7	149.9	26.5	3
2010									
Mar Qtr	49.5	19.7	35.0	51.6	42.6	23.8	159.1	31.6	3
• • • • • • • •									
			-			ILT POPUL			
2007	134.4	84.1	135.5	94.7	194.0	111.8	454.8	39.1	12
2008	134.9	83.6	131.9	102.2	187.9	109.1	460.6	31.1	12
2009	139.9	84.0	132.4	102.6	216.0	105.5	508.0	32.4	13
2009									
Mar Qtr	135.7	82.4	131.6	101.4	197.5	105.4	515.4	17.6	12
Jun Qtr	141.1	82.8	136.1	103.2	204.3	105.4	511.1	36.5	13
Sep Qtr	141.1	84.8	132.5	103.0	225.2	105.2	496.9	37.8	13
Dec Qtr	141.6	85.9	129.3	102.9	237.0	106.1	508.5	37.9	13
2010									
Mar Qtr	136.5	85.6	127.8	99.4	237.0	93.1	510.3	39.2	13
• • • • • • • •									
		TOTAL	(RATE PE	R 100,00	0 ADULT	POPULAT	ION)		
2007	180.0	103.8	174.8	145.3	237.0	142.5	567.4	64.9	16
2008	182.7	104.2	169.3	154.6	234.1	138.6	596.8	65.8	16
2009	189.3	104.5	166.6	155.8	258.5	134.3	669.5	61.6	16
2009									
Mar Qtr	186.2	102.1	166.5	153.5	238.8	133.5	691.5	59.5	16
Jun Qtr	191.2	103.9	171.0	157.0	248.7	137.6	681.3	62.8	17
	190.8	104.9	166.2	157.7	267.1	134.5	646.6	59.5	17
Sep Qtr		107.1	162.8	154.9	279.6	131.8	658.4	64.4	17
Sep Qtr Dec Qtr	189.0	107.1							
Dec Qtr	189.0	107.1	102.0						
Dec Qtr	189.0 186.0	107.1	162.9	151.1	279.6	117.0	669.4	70.8	16
Dec Qtr 2010				151.1 150.6	279.6 276.4	117.0 101.6	669.4 671.2	70.8 66.2	
Dec Qtr 2010 Mar Qtr	186.0	105.3	162.9						16 16 16

(a) Imprisonment rates are based on Estimated Resident

Population counts – see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 17–21.

(b) Excludes ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prisons.

(c) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31. (d) Includes ACT prisoners held in ACT as well as ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prior to the September quarter 2009 – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 45.

 (e) Data prior to the June quarter 2009 mainly included unsentenced persons in ACT prison custody – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

SENTENCED PRISONER RECEPTIONS INTO FULL-TIME CUSTODY(a)

	NSW(b)	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT(c)	ACT in ACT(d)(e)	ACT in NSW(b)	ACT Total	Aust.(b)
					NUMBEF	۰۰۰۰۰ ۲			• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	
2007	8 625	3 914	7 027	1 457	3 805	753	1 394	30	128	158	27 005
2008	9 098	3 915	8 223	1 507	4 355	747	1 442	19	112	131	29 306
2009	8 848	4 190	7 728	1 583	5 372	635	1674	np	np	r123	r30 153
2009											
Mar Qtr	2 091	855	2 053	367	1 301	156	431	np	np	3	7 255
Jun Qtr	2 289	1 092	1 983	358	1 443	174	319	47		47	7 705
Sep Qtr	2 375	1 089	1 883	431	1 333	162	400	36		36	7 709
Dec Qtr	2 093	1 154	1 809	427	1 295	143	524	r37		r37	r7 482
2010											
Mar Qtr	2 016	1 026	2 040	376	1 234	152	516	27		27	7 387

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np not available for publication but included in totals where applicable, unless otherwise indicated

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(a) The count of sentenced prisoner receptions is an addition of the total number for each month within the reference period – see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 2–5.

(b) Data prior to the September quarter 2009 includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals. From the September quarter 2009, ACT prisoners are no longer held in NSW prisons – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(c) A new processing system was introduced in September 2009 resulting in increased counts from the December Quarter 2009 – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 38.

(d) From the June quarter 2009, ACT sentenced prisoner receptions are no longer detained in NSW prisons - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(e) Data for sentenced prisoner receptions for the December quarter 2009 and 2009 calendar year were incorrect and have been revised – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 39.

PERSONS IN PERIODIC DETENTION(a)(b), By sex

	NSW		ACT
	<i>no.</i> (c)	<i>rate</i> (d)	no.(c) rate(d)
• • • • • • • • •		MALE	S
2007 2008 2009	685 653 740	26.5 25.0 27.8	5442.75038.14433.0
2009 Mar Qtr Jun Qtr Sep Qtr Dec Qtr 2010 Mar Qtr	671 732 758 797 778	25.4 27.6 28.4 29.7 28.6	 43 32.2 38 28.4 45 33.4 51 38.0 47 34.9
Jan Feb Mar	796 766 769	29.3 28.2 28.3	49 36.4 46 33.7 47 34.5
		FEMAL	ES
2007 2008 2009 2009	74 65 67	2.8 2.4 2.4	5 4.1 6 4.4 7 4.9
Mar Qtr Jun Qtr Sep Qtr Dec Qtr 2010	57 67 73 68	2.1 2.4 2.6 2.4	8 6.0 7 5.0 6 4.6 5 3.9
Mar Qtr Jan Feb Mar	65 67 66 63	2.3 2.4 2.3 2.2	7 5.2 6 4.3 8 5.4 8 5.9
		PERSO	NS
2007 2008 2009	759 718 806	14.4 13.5 14.8	6023.05520.95118.7
2009 Mar Qtr Jun Qtr Sep Qtr Dec Qtr 2010 Mar Qtr	728 799 831 865 843	13.5 14.8 15.2 15.8 15.2	51 18.9 45 16.5 51 18.8 56 20.7 55 19.9
Jan Feb Mar	863 832 832	15.2 15.6 15.0 15.0	55 20.1 53 19.4 55 20.0

(a) Periodic detention is a form of custody only used in NSW and the ACT.

(b) Imprisonment rates are based on Estimated Resident Population counts – see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 17–21.

(c) Average daily number.

(d) Rate per 100,000 adult population.

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Aust.
	MALES	(N U M	BER O	N FIR	ST DA	Y OF	MONT	H)	
2007	338	76	66	14	52	5	16	5	572
2008	327	83	68	22	43	6	13	2	563
2009	351	89	80	16	51	9	12	_	608
2009									
Mar Qtr	345	82	79	16	42	8	12	1	584
Jun Qtr	344	86	82	16	46	8	12	_	595
Sep Qtr	358	93	75	18	52	9	12	_	616
Dec Qtr	358	97	82	15	61	9	15	_	637
2010									
Mar Qtr	340	97	89	20	66	4	15	—	631
• • • • • • • • •					• • • • •				• • • • •
F	EMALES	S (NU	MBER	ON FII	RST D	AY OF	MON	TH)	
2007	58	5	16	2	7	3	_	—	93
2008	73	7	22	3	8	6	—	—	121
2009	68	7	20	4	12	4	2	_	117
2009									
Mar Qtr	70	6	19	4	11	4	2	_	117
Jun Qtr	66	7	19	4	10	3	1	_	110
Sep Qtr	71	8	18	4	13	3	2	_	119
Dec Qtr	66	10	25	4	12	5	2	_	124
2010									
Mar Qtr	68	19	24	2	13	3	2	—	132
• • • • • • • • •					• • • • •	• • • • •			• • • • •
Р	ERSON	S (NU	MBER	ON FI	RST D	OAY OF	MON	ITH)	
2007	396	81	82	16	59	9	16	5	664
2008	399	90	90	25	52	12	13	2	684
2009	420	97	100	20	62	12	14	_	726
2009									
Mar Qtr	416	87	98	20	54	12	14	1	701
Jun Qtr	410	93	101	21	56	11	13	_	705
Sep Qtr	429	101	93	21	65	12	13	_	735
Dec Qtr	424	106	107	19	74	14	17	_	761
2010									
Mar Qtr	408	116	113	22	79	7	17	—	762
Jan	412	114	115	20	76	7	16	—	760
Feb	406	117	112	23	81	7	18	_	764
Mar	406	118	112	23	79	8	17	—	763
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— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Counts reflect the state or territory in which a prisoner was sentenced, not where they were held in custody.

(b) Figures for the quarter and year for the first day of the month counts are calculated as a simple average – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 5.

INDIGENOUS PERSONS IN FULL-TIME CUSTODY(a), By sex

	NSW(b)	Vic.	Qld(c)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT in ACT(d)	ACT in NSW(b)	ACT Total(e)	Aust.(b)(c)
	11011(0)	vic.	QIU(C)	04	WA.	105.	/ / /	Acr (u)	11311(6)	rotar(e)	Aust. (b) (c)
• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	IFS (AVF	RAGE DA		RFR)	• • • • • • •			
					NAGE DA		DER)				
2007	1771	214	1 355	349	1 420	59	671	8	11	19	5 847
2008	1 852	229	1 364	383	1 444	59	736	12	8	20	6 080
2009	2 033	233	1 435	416	1 635	60	842	21	2	23	6 673
2009	4.070	024	4.070	44.0	4 500	64	075	10	0	0.4	6 476
Mar Qtr Jun Qtr	1 970 2 061	231 226	1 378 1 460	412 404	1 532 1 574	61 63	875 845	18 19	6 2	24 21	6 476 6 652
Sep Qtr	2 069	225	1 459	425	1 672	59	814	22		22	6 746
Dec Qtr	2 031	249	1 441	421	1 759	56	835	23		23	6 815
2010											
Mar Qtr	2 057	255	1 528	414	1 753	60	854	30	• •	30	6 951
Jan	2 031	252	1 483	420	1 753	59	869	25		25	6 893
Feb	2 057	252	1 532	410	1 765	62	854	30	• •	30	6 962
Mar	2 084	262	1 569	413	1 741	58	838	35	• •	35	7 000
• • • • • • • • •	•••••	• • • • • • • •	•••••			• • • • • • • •		• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • •
			FEM	ALES (AV	ERAGE D	AILY NUI	MBER)				
2007	209	15	115	29	175	7	32	1	—	1	584
2008	213	17	115	28	143	8	36	2	1	3	561
2009	226	19	123	31	165	7	39	2	_	3	612
2009		4.0	101			_					=
Mar Qtr Jun Qtr	221 236	19 17	121 121	36 31	146 151	7 6	36 42	2 4	1	3 4	588 608
Sep Qtr	230	17	121	29	172	8	42 36	4	 	4	609
Dec Qtr	225	24	127	29	190	7	40	1		1	644
2010											
Mar Qtr	224	26	127	34	195	6	47	3		3	661
Jan	223	24	122	32	192	5	48	3		3	649
Feb	230	25	128	34	193	6	47	3		3	665
Mar	219	29	131	37	200	6	47	2		2	671
• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	•••••		• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •		• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	
			PERS	SONS (AV	'ERAGE D	AILY NU	MBER)				
2007	1 980	229	1 471	378	1 594	66	703	9	11	20	6 430
2008	2 065	245	1 478	411	1 587	67	773	14	9	23	6 641
2009	2 259	252	1 557	447	1 800	66	881	23	2	25	7 286
2009	0.404	050	1 400	440	4.070	07	011	00	7	07	7.004
Mar Qtr Jun Qtr	2 191 2 296	250 243	1 499 1 581	448 435	1 678 1 725	67 69	911 887	20 23	7	27 26	7 064 7 261
Sep Qtr	2 292	243	1 581	454	1 844	67	850	25		20	7 355
Dec Qtr	2 256	273	1 568	450	1 949	63	875	24		24	7 458
2010											
Mar Qtr	2 281	281	1 654	449	1 948	66	901	32		32	7 613
Jan	2 254	276	1 605	452	1 945	64	918	28		28	7 541
Feb	2 286	277	1 660	444	1 958	69	901	33		33	7 627
Mar	2 303	291	1 699	450	1 941	64	885	37		37	7 671
• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •			• • • • • • • •		• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •
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Excludes persons whose Indigenous status is unknown - see (a) Explanatory Notes, paragraph 28.

(c) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

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(d) Data prior to the June quarter 2009 mainly included unsentenced persons in ACT prison custody - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(e) ACT in ACT figures and ACT in NSW figures may not add to ACT total due to rounding.

(b) Data prior to the September quarter 2009 includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals. From the September quarter 2009, ACT prisoners are no longer held in NSW prisons - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

	NSW(c)	Vic.	<i>Qld</i> (d)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT(e)	Aust.(d)	
		RATE PE								
2007	4 200.0	2 250.6	2 202 6	4 457 0	6 912.5	1 120 9	3 659.1	1 501.3	4 012.2	
2008		2 250.8 2 317.8								
2008		2 317.8				1 090.0		1 505.5 1 676.9		
2009										
Mar Qtr	4 388.3	2 267.5	3 109.2	4 945.1	7 021 5	1 079.5	4 521.4	1 763.4	4 158.4	
Jun Qtr	4 601.3	2 201.9	3 293.0	4 849.8		1 119.1		1 578.1	4 271.3	
Sep Qtr	4 622.9	2 210.6	3 292.2	5 101.8		1 046.1	4 209.7	1 661.7	4 331.5	
Dec Qtr	4 538.0		3 250.8	5 046.7	8 062.6	989.8	4 319.5	1 702.3	4 375.5	
2010	1 00010	2 11210	0 200.0	0 0 1011	0 00210	00010	. 01010	1.0210		
Mar Qtr	4 448.7	2 410.8	3 314.2	4 825.7	7 803.8	1 027.9	4 299.3	2 164.3	4 316.2	
Jan	4 392.0	2 376.0	3 217.0	4 890.0	7 806.5	1 019.6	4 377.3	1 789.3	4 279.7	
Feb	4 447.6	2 380.4	3 323.6	4 773.5	7 856.4	1 071.1	4 299.9	2 195.5	4 323.0	
Mar	4 506.4	2 473.1	3 403.0	4 808.5	7 753.5	997.3	4 220.8	2 511.2	4 346.5	
FE	MALES	(RATE P	ER 100,	000 AD	ULT IND	IGENOU	S POPU	LATION)		
2007	473.2	150.1	265.9	343.9	836.9	137.9	159.1	71.4	380.1	
2008	466.9	163.1		316.1		137.1			354.8	
2009	492.1	186.9	266.2	343.5	731.4	121.2	189.4	198.2	379.2	
2009										
Mar Qtr	470.2	174.6	258.7	397.7	661.6	115.8	172.6	249.1	359.9	
Jun Qtr	501.6	162.7	260.3	346.2	684.4	100.3	201.0	330.6	372.6	
Sep Qtr	477.1	161.3	260.2	319.9	779.5	134.9	170.9	165.3	372.9	
Dec Qtr	480.0	228.9	272.2	327.3	861.0	126.4	189.3	60.6	394.2	
2010										
Mar Qtr	462.6	236.6	262.4	372.5	858.1	95.8	220.4	179.9	392.7	
Jan	462.0	217.1	252.3	347.1	844.0	75.5	225.0	207.9	385.1	
Feb	474.9	224.1	264.5	368.8	850.2	106.2	217.9	189.2	394.8	
Mar	452.0	267.3	270.8	401.3	879.4	106.7	217.8	143.4	398.3	
PE	RSONS	(RATE P	ER 100,	000 AD	ULT IND	IGENOU	S POPU	LATION))	
2007	2 285.8	1 181.0	1 739.1	2 321.0	3 850.6	623.4	1 833.9	787.7	2 148.9	
2008				2 450.4		608.2	1 961.6	902.0	2 150.0	
2009				2 561.0		590.2	2 228.4	933.0	2 316.4	
2009										
Mar Qtr	2 383 8	1 201.2	1 648 2	2 589 6	3 820 7	590.0	2 257 5	1 004.8	2 214.1	
Jun Qtr	2 503.8 2 503.8	1 170.3	1 738.6	2 505.0 2 517.0	3 928.0	601.5	2 199.0	953.2	2 275.8	
Sep Qtr	2 503.8 2 501.9	1 166.4	1 738.0	2 624.9	3 928.0 4 198.3	583.3	2 199.0 2 107.2	933.2 912.1	2 305.3	
Dec Qtr	2 461.9	1 314.3	1 724.1	2 602.1	4 438.2	551.3	2 169.4	879.9	2 337.7	
2010	01.0			/			200. 1	210.0		
Mar Qtr	2 411.5	1 304.3	1 753.8	2 520.2	4 309.6	555.3	2 178.9	1 167.1	2 310.7	
Jan	2 383.5	1 277.3	1 701.1	2 538.0	4 303.8	540.9	2 218.8	994.6	2 289.0	
Feb	2 417.3	1 283.0	1 759.4	2 493.1	4 331.7	581.9	2 178.0	1 187.3	2 315.1	
Mar	2 434.3	1 350.5	1 801.4	2 526.8	4 295.3	545.7	2 139.9	1 321.3	2 328.4	

(a) Rates are based on Indigenous adult population estimates and projections for 30 June of the relevant calendar year –

see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 22–25.

(b) Excludes persons whose Indigenous status is unknown – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 28.

(c) Excludes ACT prisoners that were held in NSW prisons.

(d) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(e) Includes ACT prisoners held in ACT as well as ACT prisoners that were held in NSW – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 45.

INDIGENOUS PERSONS IN FULL-TIME CUSTODY(a)(b), By legal status

	NSW(c)	Vic.	<i>Qld</i> (d)	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT in ACT(e)	ACT in NSW(c)	ACT Total(f)	<i>Aust.</i> (c)(d)
		U	NSENTENC	ED (NUM	IBER ON	FIRST D	AY OF M	ONTH)			
2007	451	52	331	160	278	14	143	9	_	9	1 437
2008	492	52	335	169	307	15	174	14	—	14	1 560
2009	537	52	299	189	297	18	210	15	—	15	1 615
2009											
Mar Otr	569	53	312	197	300	18	238	19	_	19	1 707
Jun Qtr	551	42	310	185	305	21	220	15	_	15	1 648
Sep Qtr	531	48	290	187	282	17	192	11		11	1 558
Dec Qtr	496	64	285	185	299	14	190	14		14	1 549
2010											
Mar Qtr	536	52	331	184	315	15	218	19		19	1 670
			SENTENCE	D (NUME	BER ON FI	RST DAY	Y OF MO	NTH)			
2007	1 520	176	1 135	217	1 311	53	564	_	10	10	4 975
2008	1 563	192	1 140	243	1 274	53	592	_	9	9	5 056
2009	1 718	198	1 248	262	1 493	49	671	8	2	10	5 647
2009											
Mar Otr	1 596	196	1 164	249	1 372	48	668		6	6	5 293
Jun Otr	1 736	203	1 264	260	1 407	49	675	8	3	11	5 602
Sep Qtr	1 763	191	1 285	267	1 546	48	659	14		14	5 774
Dec Otr	1 778	203	1 279	270	1 646	50	682	11		11	5 918
2010											
Mar Qtr	1 740	227	1 294	260	1 626	47	677	14		14	5 884
			TOTAL	NUMBER	ON FIRS	T DAY O	F MONT	H)			
2007	1 971	228	1 466	377	1 589	67	706	9	10	19	6 412
2008	2 056	244	1 475	413	1 581	67	766	14	9	23	6 616
2009	2 255	250	1 547	450	1 789	66	881	23	2	25	7 262
2009											
Mar Qtr	2 165	249	1 476	447	1 672	66	906	19	6	25	7 000
Jun Qtr	2 287	245	1 573	445	1 712	70	896	23	3	26	7 250
Sep Qtr	2 294	239	1 575	455	1 828	65	851	25		25	7 332
Dec Qtr	2 274	268	1 564	455	1 946	64	872	25		25	7 467
2010											
Mar Qtr	2 276	279	1 625	444	1 941	62	895	33		33	7 554
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(a) Figures for the quarter and year for first day of the month counts are calculated as a simple average – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 5.

(b) Excludes persons whose Indigenous status is unknown – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 28.

(c) Data prior to the September quarter 2009 includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals. From the September quarter 2009, ACT prisoners are no longer held in NSW prisons - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

(d) Data prior to the September quarter 2007 may be slightly overstated - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 31.

(e) Data prior to the June quarter 2009 mainly included unsentenced persons in ACT prison custody - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 40.

ACT in ACT figures and ACT in NSW figures may not add to ACT total due to rounding. (f)

	NSW(d)	Vic.	O(d(a))	SA	WA	Tas.	NT		Aust (a)
	/v3v/(u)	vic.	<i>Qld</i> (e)	3A	WA	145.	111	ACT(f)	Aust.(e)
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0103	ENTENC	ED (RAI	C PER I	00,000	ADULI II	NDIGEN	003 901	ULAIIO	IN)
2007	523.1	268.0	391.9	982.6	670.4	133.0	371.7	344.6	480.2
2008	554.7	260.9	382.4	1 010.7	720.9	133.3	442.9	541.0	505.0
2009	599.6	254.9	335.9	1 080.7	667.8	156.4	532.7	548.1	514.1
2009									
Mar Qtr	621.4	253.2	343.1	1 141.2	683.0	160.4	590.7	717.9	535.1
Jun Qtr	601.0	201.9	340.5	1 068.0	694.4	180.9	546.1	544.6	516.4
Sep Qtr	579.6	230.8	318.9	1 083.4	641.3	148.7	475.9	408.5	488.3
Dec Qtr	541.4	309.3	313.7	1 069.9	681.5	125.4	470.9	532.2	485.4
2010									
Mar Qtr	566.7	242.6	350.9	1 031.3	696.2	127.0	527.8	684.4	506.9
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SE	NTENCE	D (RATE	PER 10	0,000 A	DULT INI	DIGENO	US POPU	JLATION)
2007	1 752.4	908.2	1 341.9	1 330.5	3 167.0	497.5	1 470.0	410.9	1 662.7
2008	1 751.0	955.4	1 299.3	1 450.2	2 990.6	478.6	1 502.0	351.0	1 636.9
2009	1 913.8	979.2	1 398.8	1 499.6	3 365.7	432.1	1 697.5	382.4	1 795.1
2009									
Mar Qtr	1 735.4	942.4	1 280.2	1 441.9	3 123.7	417.1	1 655.8	210.4	1 659.0
Jun Qtr	1 891.8	974.5	1 389.5	1 503.6	3 202.7	428.7	1 673.9	420.8	1 755.9
Sep Qtr	1 923.9	920.0	1 412.9	1 546.0	3 520.6	422.9	1 633.5	507.5	1 809.7
Dec Qtr	1 941.0	977.7	1 406.0	1 559.5	3 748.3	434.6	1 689.6	396.1	1 855.0
2010									
Mar Qtr	1 839.6	1 052.2	1 371.3	1 459.9	3 598.2	395.0	1 635.9	492.3	1 786.0
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	TOTAL (RATE PE	R 100,0	00 ADU	LT INDIG	ENOUS	POPULA	TION)	
2007	2 275.5	1 176.1	1 733.9	2 313.1	3 837.5	630.5	1 841.6	755.5	2 142.9
2008	2 305.7	1 216.3	1 681.7	2 460.9	3 711.5	611.8	1 944.9	891.9	2 141.9
2009	2 513.4	1 234.1	1 734.7	2 580.3	4 033.5	588.4	2 230.2	930.5	2 309.2
2009									
Mar Qtr	2 356.8	1 195.6	1 623.3	2 583.1	3 806.7	577.5	2 246.5	928.3	2 194.2
Jun Qtr	2 492.9	1 176.4	1 730.0	2 571.5	3 897.1	609.6	2 220.1	965.5	2 272.3
Sep Qtr	2 503.4	1 150.8	1 731.8	2 629.3	4 161.9	571.6	2 109.4	916.0	2 298.0
Dec Qtr	2 482.3	1 287.0	1 719.7	2 629.3	4 429.8	560.0	2 160.6	928.3	2 340.4
2010									
Mar Qtr	2 406.3	1 294.8	1 722.2	2 491.2	4 294.4	521.9	2 163.8	1 176.8	2 292.9
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(a) Rates ar	e based on th	he Indigenou	s adult popula	ation	(d) Exclude	es ACT priso	ners that we	re in NSW p	risons.
estimate	es and project	tions for 30 J	une of the re	levant	(e) Data p	rior to the S	eptember qu	arter 2007	may be
	r year – see E				• • •		- see Explan		-
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0	ounts are cal	-	-				e held in NSV		
	anatory Note:			5-		paragraph			
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(c) Excludes persons whose Indigenous status is unknown
 – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 28.

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	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA(c)	WA(d)	Tas.	NT(e)	ACT	Aust.(f)
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	MAI	LES (NU	JMBER	ON FIR	ST DAY	YOFN	IONTH)	• • • • • • •	
2007	15 195	6 245	9 928	4 586	4 071	913	1 036	977	42 950
2008	15 075	6 431	11 283	4 752	4 326	908	963	1 100	44 838
2009	15 254	6 943	11 629	4 902	4 377	1 015	995	1 167	46 281
2009									
Mar Qtr	15 452	6 539	11 487	4 961	4 405	951	955	1 162	45 913
Jun Qtr	15 387	6 735	11 413	4 956	4 475	996	973	1 164	46 100
Sep Qtr	15 066	7 137	11 739	4 886	4 364	1034	1 013	1 163	46 401
Dec Qtr	15 110	7 360	11 935	4 805	4 262	1 080	1 038	1 178	46 768
2010 Mar Qtr	14 762	7 2 4 7	11 000	4 652	4 094	1 109	1 014	1 184	46 152
•	14 763	7 347	11 990						46 153
Jan	14 860	7 422	12 082	4 668	4 143	1076	988	1 241	46 480
Feb	14 859	7 324	11 915	4 657	4 069	1 113	1 006	1 111	46 054
Mar	14 570	7 295	11 974	4 630	4 071	1 138	1 048	1 199	45 925
• • • • • • • • •	FEM A	ALES (N	NUMBER	ON FI	RST DA	AY OF	MONTH	• • • • • • • +)	
2007	2 739	1 438	2 656	1 084	1 158	246	138	161	9 619
2008	2 812	1 501	2 838	1 135	1 219	240	137	200	10 078
2009	2 806	1 533	2 979	1 118	1 215	257	154	227	10 288
2009									
Mar Qtr	2 755	1 466	2 924	1 129	1 203	243	145	228	10 092
Jun Qtr	2 802	1 509	2 925	1 093	1 222	251	153	224	10 178
Sep Qtr	2 819	1 546	3 004	1 122	1 212	257	154	224	10 337
Dec Qtr	2 850	1 609	3 087	1 127	1 226	275	164	232	10 571
2010									
Mar Qtr	2 771	1 664	3 045	1 110	1 244	282	164	239	10 518
Jan	2 786	1 681	3 075	1 108	1 252	277	160	252	10 591
Feb	2 791	1 650	3 032	1 112	1 248	285	160	222	10 500
Mar	2 735	1 660	3 028	1 109	1 231	285	172	243	10 463
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	PERSU	JN 5 (N	UMBER	UN FIR	SIDA	Y OF N) (g)	
2007	18 002	7 710	12 584	5 671	5 229	1 159	1 173	1 138	52 665
2008	17 954	7 950	14 120	5 888	5 545	1 143	1 100	1 301	55 001
2009	18 137	8 479	14 608	6 021	5 595	1 272	1 149	1 394	56 654
2009									
Mar Qtr	18 280	8 012	14 411	6 093	5 608	1 195	1 100	1 390	56 089
Jun Qtr	18 269	8 249	14 339	6 050	5 699	1 247	1 126	1 388	56 366
Sep Qtr	17 966	8 685	14 742	6 008	5 585	1 291	1 167		56 832
Dec Qtr 2010	18 032	8 969	15 023	5 934	5 488	1 355	1 202	1 410	57 412
	17 602	9 012	15 035	5 761	5 339	1 391	1 178	1 423	56 742
Jan	17 717				5 396	1 353		1 493	57 145
Feb	17 716			5 769		1 398		1 333	
Mar	17 372				5 304	1 423		1 442	56 458
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(a) Figures include persons with breached or suspended orders, with the exception of Vic. and Tas.

(b) Figures for the quarter and year for first day of the month counts are calculated as a simple average – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 5.

(c) Data movements may be influenced by data entry delays – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 33.

(d) Data are subject to processing delays of 4 to 6 weeks - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 36.

(e) Excludes bail data for the December quarter 2009 – see Explanatory Notes paragraph 38.

(f) See footnotes c-e.

(g) Includes persons whose sex is unknown.

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA(d)	WA(e)	Tas.	NT(f)	ACT	Aust.(
• • • • • • • •	MA	ALES (R	ATE PEF	100,0	00 ADU	LT POPU	JLATION)		
2007	588.6	320.2	629.2	764.7	512.8	500.7	1 307.0	766.0	544
2008	577.8	323.4	697.4	782.0	528.7	492.6	1 181.4	844.5	557
2009	572.5	339.7	697.2	795.2	514.4	545.0	1 194.1	875.1	561
2009									
Mar Qtr	584.3	323.1	696.0	809.5	524.6	513.5	1 158.6	879.0	561
Jun Otr	579.2	331.0	687.0	805.9	528.7	535.6	1 175.8	876.5	561
Sep Qtr	563.7	347.9	701.1	790.7	509.9	554.0	1 212.1	869.2	560
Dec Qtr	562.9	356.6	708.2	774.8	494.5	577.0	1 229.8	875.7	562
2010									
Mar Qtr	543.9	351.8	704.1	745.7	470.1	590.1	1 190.5	872.9	548
Jan	547.4	355.4	709.5	748.3	475.7	572.5	1 160.0	915.2	552
Feb	547.4	350.7	699.7	746.5	467.2	592.2	1 181.1	819.3	547
Mar	536.8	349.3	703.1	742.2	467.5	605.5	1 230.4	884.2	546
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	FEN	IALES (I	RATE PE	R 100,	000 AD	ULT POF	PULATION	۱)	
2007	102.3	70.7	165.5	173.2	146.5	127.7	191.4	121.7	118
2008	103.6	72.4	172.2	178.7	150.5	121.0	184.1	148.9	121
2009	101.3	72.1	175.6	173.5	145.3	130.7	200.3	165.4	121
2009									
Mar Qtr	100.2	69.7	174.1	176.1	145.4	124.6	190.3	167.2	120
Jun Qtr	101.4	71.3	173.2	170.0	146.7	127.9	199.6	163.7	120
Sep Qtr	101.5	72.5	176.5	173.8	144.2	130.7	200.3	162.4	121
Dec Qtr	102.1	75.1	180.3	174.1	145.1	139.7	211.0	168.1	123
2 010 Mar Qtr	98.4	76.9	175.8	170.5	145.3	142.7	208.0	171.5	121
-	98.9	77.7							
Jan Feb			177.6	170.2	146.3	140.0	202.9	180.8	122
Feb	99.1 07.1	76.3	175.1	170.9	145.8	144.0	202.9	159.3	121
Mar	97.1	76.8	174.8	170.4	143.8	144.0	218.1	174.4	121
	DEDS			2 100 0			ULATION) (b)	
2007	342.3	193.5	395.3	462.7	330.1	309.3	776.4	438.4	328
2008	337.3	195.7	432.4	473.7	340.6	301.9	704.9	491.1	337
2009	333.8	203.4	434.3	477.6	331.6	332.4	717.1	515.0	338
2009 Mari Otri	220.0	101.1	400.0	400.0	226.4	242.0	co2 4	F47.0	220
Mar Qtr	338.9	194.1	432.8	486.0	336.4	313.9	693.4	517.6	338
Jun Qtr	337.2	198.8	427.9	481.0	339.4	326.4	706.8	514.8	338
Sep Qtr	329.6 329.4	207.6	436.7	475.5 468.0	329.3	336.8	726.7 741.3	510.8	338
Dec Qtr 2010	529.4	213.2	442.1	408.0	321.5	352.7	141.3	517.1	340
Mar Qtr	318.3	212.0	437.7	452.0	309.2	360.6	718.2	517.4	332
Jan	320.4	214.2	441.3	453.1	312.5	350.7	699.9	543.0	335
Feb	320.4 320.4	214.2	435.2	452.6	308.0	362.3	710.9	484.8	332
Mar	314.1	210.7	436.8	450.2	307.2	368.8	743.8	404.0 524.5	331
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		are based o	n Estimated	Resident Po	opulation co	unts – see E	Explanatory N	otes,	
paragrap	hs 17–21.								

(b) Figures include persons with breached or suspended orders, with the exception of Vic. and Tas.

(c) Figures for the quarter and year for the first day of the month are calculated as a simple average – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 5.

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PERSONS IN COMMUNITY-BASED CORRECTIONS(a)(b)(c), By type of order NSW Qld SA(d) WA(e) NT(g) ACT(h) Vic. Tas.(f) Aust.(i) . RESTRICTED MOVEMENT (NUMBER ON FIRST DAY OF MONTH) 2007 197 31 391 5 34 659 2008 151 31 421 6 32 640 2009 164 445 35 682 34 4 2009 Mar Qtr 177 38 482 3 27 728 Jun Otr 33 441 176 4 36 690 Sep Qtr 157 36 438 Δ 39 675 Dec Qtr 147 28 419 5 36 635 2010 Mar Qtr 150 39 408 3 35 635 394 Jan 152 39 4 33 622 Feb 148 40 405 3 35 631 Mar 151 37 . . 425 3 36 652 . . . REPARATION-FINE OPTION (NUMBER ON FIRST DAY OF MONTH) 2007 49 1 710 843 702 192 85 ____ 3 580 . . 2008 16 1 763 542 646 208 50 3 224 . . 2009 1 846 581 353 21 498 26 3 3 2 6 . . 2009 Mar Qtr 20 1673 410 599 240 36 2 978 . . Jun Otr 1 751 460 594 330 29 3 186 22 _ . . 575 Sep Qtr 22 1 904 549 422 23 _ . . 3 4 9 4 2 054 Dec Qtr 21 586 558 421 17 3 658 . . 2010 Mar Qtr 14 2 218 651 515 358 17 3 773 . . Jan 15 2 274 622 530 390 17 3 848 . . Feb 14 2 202 640 523 348 17 3 744 _ . . Mar 13 2 179 691 492 335 17 3 7 2 7 . . REPARATION-COMMUNITY SERVICE (NUMBER ON FIRST DAY OF MONTH)

2007	4 160	672	1 857	1 033	1 622	495	221	115	10 174
2008	3 979	679	1 854	1 005	1 473	500	184	161	9 835
2009	4 180	741	1 943	1 146	1 449	584	166	190	10 399
2009									
Mar Qtr	4 046	697	1 823	1 090	1 377	555	172	172	9 932
Jun Qtr	4 252	740	1 887	1 116	1 406	579	172	195	10 347
Sep Qtr	4 230	765	1 982	1 165	1 470	592	179	193	10 577
Dec Qtr	4 192	762	2 142	1 212	1 541	610	142	201	10 802
2010									
Mar Qtr	4 062	740	2 240	1 126	1 439	657	141	211	10 617
Jan	4 078	742	2 242	1 153	1 468	629	137	213	10 662
Feb	4 090	752	2 244	1 114	1 438	660	139	198	10 635
Mar	4 018	727	2 235	1 112	1 410	681	148	222	10 553

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- Figures include persons with breached or suspended orders, (c) with the exception of Vic. and Tas.
- (d) Data movements may be influenced by data entry delays - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 33.

(e) Data are subject to processing delays of 4 to 6 weeks - see

Explanatory Notes, paragraph 36.

- (f) A trial of new bail orders was conducted in the 2007-08 financial year - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 37.
- (g) Caution should be exercised as a new processing system was introduced in September 2009 resulting in significant changes to some community-based order counts. Bail counts were excluded in December quarter 2009 - see Explanatory Notes paragraph 38.
- Data movements for bail orders may have been influenced by (h) data quality checks during the December quarter 2008 - see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 44.

(i) See footnotes d-h.

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA(d)	WA(e)	Tas.(f)	NT(g)	ACT(h)	Aust.(i)
	SUPERVIS	SION (COM	PLIANCE)	-PAROLE	(NUMBER	ON FIRST	DAY OF	MONTH)	
2007	4 058	1 413	2 290	882	1 143	81	99	117	10 083
2008	4 246	1 494	3 793	903	1 317	96	90	113	12 051
2009	4 286	1 502	4 173	981	1 173	128	82	100	12 423
2009									
Mar Otr	4 339	1 508	4 185	983	1 426	116	75	96	12 728
Jun Qtr	4 201	1 470	4 048	985	1 361	124	73	100	12 363
Sep Qtr	4 186	1 506	4 195	973	1 052	137	72	100	12 220
Dec Qtr	4 417	1 521	4 297	982	852	134	106	105	12 415
2010									
Mar Qtr	4 378	1 500	4 194	993	713	119	103	101	12 103
Jan	4 430	1 510	4 292	991	747	119	102	104	12 295
Feb	4 415	1 505	4 154	991	719	121	102	99	12 106
Mar	4 289	1 485	4 137	997	674	118	106	101	11 907
	SUPERV	ISION (CO	MPLIANCI	E)-BAIL (N	UMBER C	ON FIRST	DAY OF	MONTH)	
2007	226			1 019	245	8	7	215	1 721
2008	226			858	275	18	5	229	1 612
2009	207			829	310		na	206	1 568
2009									
Mar Qtr	215			867	276		10	194	1 561
Jun Qtr	212			881	288		20	199	1 599
Sep Qtr	212			811	344		35	207	1 608
Dec Qtr	190			757	332		na	226	1 505
2010									
Mar Qtr	189	• •	• •	805	298		24	231	1 547
Jan	167			782	290		25	253	1 517
Feb	190			822	295		20	210	1 537
Mar	209			811	310		27	230	1 587
SUPERV	ISION (CC	MPLIANCE		NCED PROI		NUMBER C) N FIRST	DAY OF	MONTH)
2007	11 198	4 093	8 680	2 803	3 485	645	853	840	32 598
2007	11 198	4 093 4 184	9 040	2 803 3 161	3 485 3 645	636	819	1 026	32 598
2009	11 038	4 645	9 123	3 185	3 616	735	892	1 139	34 408
	010		0 120	0 200	0.010		002	2 200	0.100
2009	44.040	4 400	0.001	2.007	0 557	666	0.44	4 4 4 0	04 04 7
Mar Qtr	11 212	4 428	9 081	3 267	3 557	683	841	1 146	34 217
Jun Qtr	11 299	4 502	9 033	3 198	3 582	711	855	1 131	34 310
Sep Qtr	10 989	4 743	9 175	3 156	3 606	735	877	1 133	34 415
Dec Qtr	10 790	4 906	9 222	3 118	3 719	812	995	1 148	34 709
2010 Mar Qtr	10 475	1 901	9 211	3 026	2 670	833	956	1 102	2/ 105
Jan	10 475	4 821 4 857	9 211 9 295	3 026 3 046	3 679 3 685	833 809	956 932	1 193 1 233	34 195 34 398
Feb	10 541	4 837 4 777	9 295 9 165	3 040 3 011	3 659	809 841	932 949	1 233	34 398 34 100
Mar	10 353	4 830	9 105 9 172	3 022	3 694	841 850	949 987	1 108	34 100 34 087
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EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION	1 This publication presents statistical series on persons held in either adult corrective services custody or who are serving adult community-based orders in Australia. It contains data on the number of persons by their sex, Indigenous status, type of custody, legal status and sentence type; the number of sentenced persons received into corrective services custody each month; and the number of federal prisoners. Experimental data on Indigenous persons in community based corrections are also available in the Appendix.
	 2 Statistics presented in this publication are compiled in three ways: Average daily prisoner population: Counts taken on each day of the month are summed and divided by the number of days in that month to determine the average daily prisoner population for that month. The average daily periodic detainee population is a count of persons on periodic detention on each day a centre is open, divided by the number of days a centre is open. Sentenced prisoner reception figures: Counts are provided each month on the number of receptions where a prisoner is received as a sentenced prisoner. This includes prisoners with a change of legal status from unsentenced to sentenced. First day of the month prisoner population: Counts of prisoners and persons serving community-based corrections orders, taken on or near the first day of the month (see paragraphs 4 and 5).
	3 Although national standards and classifications are used in the compilation of these statistics, some discrepancies remain between the states and territories. These are due to legislative and procedural differences between jurisdictions and the way that these differences are reflected in agencies' administrative data systems. As part of its quality assurance strategy, the ABS is working with corrective services agencies to minimise the effect of these differences.
REFERENCE PERIOD	 4 The reference period for average daily prisoner population statistics and sentenced reception counts is the complete reference month. The reference date for all other figures is the first day of the reference month. However, not all states and territories report strictly according to this 'first day of the month' rule: The Western Australian and Australian Capital Territory prisoners in New South Wales prisons populations are counted as at midnight on the last day of the month. In these cases the figures provided are taken to represent the prison population at the beginning of the following month to align with practices in other states and territories.
	 5 Calculation of figures for the entire quarter and entire year varies depending on the counting unit and method of counting prisoners: Average daily figures: Figures are calculated by weighting the average according to the number of days in each month, quarter or year. First day of the month: Figures are simple averages. For quarterly figures, the sum of the monthly data is divided by three; for yearly figures, the figures for each month are added and the total divided by twelve. Sentenced receptions: Figures are totals of each month. These figures may be subject to rounding.
SCOPE	6 The scope of the statistics in this publication includes all persons remanded or sentenced to adult custodial corrective services agencies (including Work Outreach Camps and Community Custody Centres in Queensland), or who are serving adult community-based orders in each state and territory in Australia.

SCOPE continued

7 Counts of prisoners in the following custodial facilities are included in the collection:

- gazetted prisons in all jurisdictions;
- periodic detention centres in New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory;
- community custody centres and work outreach camps in Queensland;
- cells in court complexes administered by corrective services in New South Wales;
- transitional centres in New South Wales; and
- lock-ups in Western Australia operated by the police but designated as a prison by the Chief Executive Officer of Corrective Services.

8 The prisons and community corrections collection excludes the following custodial facilities:

- police lockups, police prisons and cells in court complexes not administered and controlled by corrective services;
- gazetted police prisons in the Northern Territory;
- juvenile detention centres, including those under the authority of adult corrective services;
- immigration detention centres; and
- military prisons.

9 This collection includes counts of persons remanded or sentenced to adult custody facilities, or directed to serve community based orders administered by adult corrective services agencies. In all states and territories except Queensland, persons are considered adults if aged 18 years and over. In Queensland persons are considered adults if aged 17 years and over. The vast majority of persons counted in the collection are adults. However, juveniles may be included in exceptional circumstances.

10 Since December 2004, the Kariong Juvenile Correctional Centre in New South Wales has operated under the authority of adult corrective services. The population at Kariong Juvenile Correctional Centre may include adult persons as well as juveniles. New South Wales includes juveniles based in Kariong in this collection, however, this facility accounts for less than 0.5% of the New South Wales prisoner population.

11 Federal prisoners include those persons charged and sentenced under a Commonwealth statute, and those persons who are charged and sentenced under the laws of another country but transferred to an Australian prison to serve their sentence under the *International Transfer of Prisoners Act 1997* (Cwlth). To give practical effect to this legislation in Australia, the framework was introduced in January 2003. For the purposes of this publication, federal sentenced prisoners are those persons who are recognised by the Criminal Law Division of the Australian Government Attorney-General's Department as having been charged and sentenced under a Commonwealth statute, or transferred from another country to serve their sentence in Australia.

12 With the exception of Victoria and Tasmania, community-based corrections includes those persons with breached or suspended orders.

DATA SOURCE**13** Statistics in this publication are derived from information provided to the ABS from
administrative records held by corrective services agencies within each state and
territory. Statistics on federal prisoners are derived from records kept by the Criminal
Law Division of the Australian Government Attorney-General's Department.

COUNTING RULES**14** Statistics for persons held in custody are presented by the state or territory in which
they were held and therefore may not be the sentencing jurisdiction. The only exception
to this are data for federal sentenced prisoners. These are presented by the state or
territory in which they were sentenced, not where they were held in custody.

COUNTING RULES continued	15 Sentenced prisoners who have other offences that are unsentenced are counted as sentenced. Prisoners may be unsentenced because they are awaiting the outcome of their trial, convicted but awaiting sentence, or awaiting deportation.16 If an offender has two or more different types of community-based orders operating
	simultaneously, then each order will be counted. If two or more community-based orders are of the same type, these orders together will only be counted as one order.
RATES	17 Imprisonment and community-based corrections rates enable comparisons of prisoner numbers to be made across states and territories. Prisoner and community-based corrections rates are expressed per 100,000 adult population. Imprisonment rates are calculated based on two different counting concepts (average daily and first day of the month), as a result there may be variations in imprisonment rates presented in this publication.
	18 In this publication the population figures used in the calculation of rates are for persons aged 18 years and over for all states and territories except Queensland where the population is persons aged 17 years and over (see paragraph 9).
	 19 Rates for the total adult prisoner population and persons in community-based corrections are calculated using the estimated resident population (ERP) for each of the states and territories. All estimates for the Australian Capital Territory exclude Jervis Bay Territory. All estimates for Australia exclude the external territories of Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Island. As the population changes over time the denominator used for the calculation of rates varies, depending on the reference period. The most current ERP data available at the time of publication are used to calculate rates as follows: for the March quarter, ERP is from the previous September quarter; for the September quarter, ERP is from the previous March quarter; for the December quarter, ERP is from the previous June quarter; and annual rates are an average of the rates of the contributing quarters.
	 20 The ERP series are revised every five years to incorporate additional information available from the latest Census of Population and Housing. The rates per 100,000 adult persons presented in this issue have been calculated using different ERP counts as follows: Rates from the June 2007 quarter (excluding Indigenous rates) are calculated using rebased data from the intercensal period (2001-2006) sourced from the 2006 Census of Population and Housing; All other rates (excluding Indigenous rates) are calculated using ERP data based on the 2001 Census of Population and Housing.
	21 For population estimates and information on the methodology used to produce the ERP, see <i>Australian Demographic Statistics</i> (cat. no. 3101.0).
Indigenous imprisonment rates	22 Rates for the Indigenous adult population are calculated using rebased estimates (for the period 1986 - 2006) and projections (2007 - 2021) of the Indigenous population. These data are based on data from the 2006 Census of Population and Housing and use assumptions about future fertility, paternity, life expectancy at birth and migration. For more information see <i>Experimental Estimates and Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians, 1991 to 2021</i> (cat. no. 3238.0).

Indigenous imprisonment rates continued	 23 The projections used in this publication are based on Series B projections for 30 June of the relevant calendar year. Series B is one of two main projection series (Series A and B) that have been published for the years 2007 to 2021. Both of these series assume an annual decline of 0.5% in fertility rates; an annual increase of 1% in paternity rates; constant interstate migration at levels observed in the 2006 Census; and zero net overseas migration with no arrivals and no departures. Further, two different assumptions were made about future Indigenous life expectancy at birth for Australia: In Series A, Indigenous life expectancy at birth will remain constant; and In Series B, Indigenous life expectancy at birth will increase by 0.3 years per year for both males and females.
	24 The impact of re-basing Indigenous imprisonment rate data using Series B projections, instead of the previous "low series" of projections, is minimal at the national level. Differences of no greater than 5% are seen in the state and territory data, and generally the result has been a decrease in the imprisonment rate. This is because the assumptions used by Series B result in higher population estimates and projections than those through the use of the previous "low series".
	25 The decision to use Series B as the denominator in the calculation of Indigenous imprisonment rates followed consultation with the National Corrective Services Statistics Advisory Group and other stakeholders.
INDIGENOUS IDENTIFICATION	26 The ABS conducts an ongoing programme of quality assurance to monitor and improve the quality of Indigenous Status data in Corrective Services agencies (both custodial and community-based corrections). Whilst the ABS has published Indigenous status data in Corrective Services collections for a number of years, quality assurance is required to better understand the level of accuracy over time
	27 The quality of the Indigenous status information collected and recorded in Corrective Services agencies is assessed against the ABS Standard Indigenous Question (SIQ). The SIQ is based upon self-identification by the individual who comes into contact with Corrective Services agencies. The quality of Indigenous data is being reviewed in 2010.
	28 Some persons in custody are recorded with an unknown Indigenous status on the information systems of corrective agencies as their status has not been able to be obtained. Persons with Indigenous status unknown are excluded from tables 13 -16. Counts of persons with an unknown Indigenous status are included in all other tables. Unknowns account for just over 2% of all records.
SIGNIFICANT EVENTS New South Wales	29 In March 2008, the administrative classification of the Wellington Correctional Centre was altered. The classification was changed from 'open' to 'secure' for 75% of the facility to reflect the change in the profile of inmates held. As such, the proportion of persons in secure and open custody altered in the March quarter 2008 compared to previous quarters.
Queensland	30 Quality assurance conducted in Queensland during the June quarter 2009 had resulted in a revision of the number of offenders under community based corrections during January, February and March 2009.
	31 Quality assurance work conducted in Queensland during the September quarter 2007 resulted in the identification and elimination of duplicate and other records for the month of July 2007. Caution should be exercised when comparing data prior to the September quarter 2007.

Queensland continued	32 <i>The Corrective Services Act 2006</i> (Qld) commenced on 26 August 2006. One key provision in the new legislation relates to the management of offenders subject to Court-ordered Parole. This new order ensures that offenders serve 100% of their sentence under supervision, either in a correctional centre or under community supervision. This new order provides courts with the power to specify a parole release date for persons sentenced to a term of imprisonment of 3 years or less. Technical breaches of parole orders are no longer heard by a parole board and can often result in a person serving the remainder of their original sentence in custody. Court-ordered Parole is not available to sex offenders or serious violent offenders.
South Australia	33 Data on community-based correction orders extracted from the South Australian information system from the June quarter 2005 may be subject to data processing time lags.
Western Australia	34 The large increase in prisoners from early 2009 was due to fewer offenders being granted parole by the Prisoner Review Board, increased incarcerations by the courts and the impact of the Truth in Sentencing legislation. Implemented on 23 September 2008, the Truth in Sentencing legislation refers to the Sentencing Act (WA) 1995, Transitional Provisions which removes the automatic 1/3 discount for each and every offence that appears in WA Statute books.
	35 Data for persons in secure and open custody are extracted on the basis of the prisoner's security rating, rather than the location of the prisoner as per the standard definition (see Glossary). As a result, prisoners with a minimum security rating and located in a medium or maximum security prison are counted in the open custody numbers. Data for persons in secure custody may be understated and data for persons in open custody may be overstated.
	36 Data for community-based correction orders extracted from the Western Australian information system are subject to data processing time lags of 4-6 weeks. Fine option orders are most likely to be impacted by the lag, with approximately 10% of each month's data entry delayed.
Tasmania	37 Tasmania trialled new orders for bail, suspended sentences and drug treatment as part of the Court Mandated Diversion program (CMD) from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008. Counts for supervision (compliance) - bail orders during the September quarter 2008 represent the transitional period concluding this trial. These orders are now being handled by alternative service providers.
Northern Territory	38 In September 2009 a new offender management system was implemented– the Integrated Offender Management System (IOMS). Caution should be exercised in comparing December 2009 data with previous quarters as the new system has resulted in significant increased counts for sentenced receptions and some community-based orders. Bail counts for December quarter 2009 were also unable to be supplied, impacting the territory totals and to a lesser extent on the Australian total for this offence type.
Australian Capital Territory	39 In the December quarter 2009 issue of this publication, the counts of sentenced prisoner receptions for the December quarter 2009 were incorrectly derived due to a system error. The December quarter 2009 and 2009 calendar year figures have been revised (see Table 10).
	40 From the September quarter 2009, all ACT sentenced and unsentenced prisoners are held within the ACT. From the June quarter 2009 all sentenced prisoner receptions were detained within the Australian Capital Territory. For this same period nearly all ACT prisoners held in New South Wales prisons were transferred to a new custodial facility (Alexander Maconochie Centre) which commenced taking prisoners in March 2009.

Australian Capital Territory continued

Between 2000 and March quarter 2009, persons sentenced to full-time custody by the Australian Capital Territory were usually held in New South Wales prisons as the Australian Capital Territory only had two remand centres for unsentenced prisoners and a periodic detention centre. Unsentenced Australian Capital Territory prisoners may have also been detained in New South Wales prisons. The exception was for persons sentenced for fine default; these prisoners were detained in Australian Capital Territory remand.

41 A backlog of prisoners sentenced in the ACT awaiting transfer to NSW remained in the ACT during the transition of the opening of the new ACT prison. These sentenced prisoners were classified as 'unsentenced' prior to the December quarter 2009. With the opening of the new prison, sentenced reception counts better reflect accurate recording of sentenced and unsentenced prisoners, resulting in an increase in sentenced prisoner receptions from the September quarter 2009.

42 From the June quarter 2009, the new ACT custodial facility contains minimum, medium and maximum security prisoners; data for persons in secure and open custody are extracted on the basis of the prisoner's security rating, rather than the location of the prisoner as per the standard definition (see Glossary). As a result, prisoners with a minimum security rating are only recorded in open custody and data may be understated for this category, while secure custody may be overstated.

43 To provide greater understanding of the number of prisoners attributed to the Australian Capital Territory, while presenting an accurate picture of the New South Wales prisoner population, statistics relating to Australian Capital Territory prisoners in New South Wales prisons prior to the June quarter 2009 are presented as a subset of the New South Wales figures.

44 The decline in supervision bail compliance orders in December 2008 may have been partly influenced by data quality checks. Records with no completion or expiry date that should have been finalised on the system were marked as completed during this period.

45 Imprisonment rate data for the Australian Capital Territory are calculated on the basis of the total number of Australian Capital Territory prisoners (i.e. Australian Capital Territory prisoners that were held in New South Wales prisons, prior to September quarter 2009, and Australian Capital Territory prisoners held in the Australian Capital Territory) divided by the estimated resident Australian Capital Territory adult population and multiplied by 100,000. For New South Wales, the imprisonment rate is based on the count of New South Wales prisoners, excluding Australian Capital Territory prisoners held in New South Wales prisons prior to September quarter 2009, divided by the estimated resident of a prisoners and multiplied by 100,000. To september quarter 2009, divided by the estimated resident New South Wales adult population and multiplied by 100,000. Time series data have also been derived on this basis.

46 Other ABS publications that may be of interest include: *Australian Demographic Statistics* (cat. no. 3101.0) – issued quarterly *Australian Social Trends* (cat. no. 4102.0) – issued quarterly *Australian Standard Offence Classification (second edition)* (cat. no. 1234.0) – released 1 August 2008 *Crime Victimisation, Australia* (cat. no. 4530.0) - released 18 February 2009 *Criminal Courts, Australia* (cat. no. 4513.0) – issued annually *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians, 1991 to 2021* (cat. no. 3238.0) - released 8 September 2009 *General Social Survey: Summary Results, Australia* (cat. no. 4159.0) – irregular *Information Paper: Measuring Crime Victimisation, Australia: The Impact of Different Collection Methodologies* (cat. no. 4522.0.55.001) – single issue

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	47 Current publications and other products released by the ABS are available from the ABS website <http: www.abs.gov.au="">. The ABS also issues a daily Release Advice on the website that details products to be released in the week ahead. The National Centre for Crime and Justice Statistics releases <i>Crime and Justice News</i> (cat. no. 4500.0), an annual newsletter that is published on the ABS website. The Centre can be contacted by email through <crime.justice@abs.gov.au>.</crime.justice@abs.gov.au></http:>
Non-ABS Publications	 48 Non-ABS sources that may be of interest include: Australian Institute of Criminology, <i>List of Publications</i> – irregular <http: www.aic.gov.au=""></http:> Crime Research Centre, University of Western Australia, <i>Crime and Justice Statistics for Western Australia</i> – issued annually <http: www.crc.law.uwa.edu.au=""></http:> Department of Corrective Services, New South Wales, <i>NSW Inmate Census</i> – irregular <http: www.dcs.nsw.gov.au=""></http:> Department of Justice, Northern Territory, <i>Northern Territory Quarterly Crime and Justice Statistics</i> – issued quarterly <http: justice="" www.nt.gov.au=""></http:> Department of Justice, Victoria, <i>Statistical Profile of the Victorian Prison System</i> – issued annually <http: www.justice.vic.gov.au=""></http:> NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research, <i>New South Wales Criminal Courts Statistics</i> – issued annually <http: www.lawlink.nsw.gov.au=""></http:> Office of Crime Statistics and Research, <i>South Australia, Crime and Justice in South Australia</i> – issued annually <http: www.lawlink.nsw.gov.au=""></http:> Steering Committee for the Review of Commonwealth/State Service Provision, <i>Report on Government Services</i> – issued annually <http: www.pc.gov.au=""></http:>

INTRODUCTION

This appendix presents experimental data for Indigenous persons in community-based corrections. Data are presented as the number of Indigenous persons on community-based corrections orders on the first day of the month.

An initial evaluation of the quality of Indigenous identification by the ABS in community-based corrections has highlighted that currently most jurisdictions comply with the requirements of the ABS Standard Indigenous Question (SIQ - see Explanatory Notes, paragraphs 26 - 28). As Indigenous Status data for persons under the supervision of Community-Based Corrections are still experimental, care should be taken when referring to this data. The quality of Indigenous data is being reviewed in 2010. APPENDIX EXPERIMENTAL COMMUNITY-BASED CORRECTIONS DATA

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ēb Aar	12 541	8 164	11 870	4 684	3 508	1 145	348	1 090	43 350
ar	12 311	8 123	11 914	4 649	3 495	1 167	356	1 190	43 205
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Dec Qtr	2 044	363	_	76	16	59	20	98	2 675
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 Figures include persons with breached or suspended orders, with the exception of Vic. and Tas.

(b) Figures for the quarter and year for first day of the month counts are calculated as a simple average – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 5. Data movements may be influenced by data entry delays see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 33.

 (d) Data is subject to processing delays of 4 to 6 weeks – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 36.

 (e) Excludes bail data for the December quarter 2009 – see Explanatory Notes paragraph 38.

(f) See footnotes c-e.

APPENDIX EXPERIMENTAL COMMUNITY-BASED CORRECTIONS DATA

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2007	18 002	7 710	12 584	5 671	5 229	1 159	1 173	1 138	52 665	
2008	17 954	7 950	14 120	5 888	5 545	1 143	1 100	1 301	55 001	
2009	18 137	8 479	14 608	6 021	5 595	1 272	1 149	1 394	56 654	
2009										
Mar C	tr 18 280)	8 012	14 411	6 093	5 608	1 195	1 100	1 390	56 089	
Jun Q	tr 18 269	8 249	14 339	6 050	5 699	1 247	1 126	1 388	56 366	
Sep (-	8 685	14 742	6 008	5 585	1 291	1 167	1 387	56 832	
Dec ()tr 18 032	8 969	15 023	5 934	5 488	1 355	1 202	1 410	57 412	
2010										
Mar C	tr 17 602)	9 012	15 035	5 761	5 339	1 391	1 178	1 423	56 742	
Jan	17 717	9 105	15 157	5 776	5 396	1 353	1 148	1 493	57 145	
Feb	17 716	8 975	14 947	5 769	5 318	1 398	1 166	1 333	56 622	
Mar	17 372	8 956	15 002	5 739	5 304	1 423	1 220	1 442	56 458	
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(c) Data movements may be influenced by data entry delays – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 33. APPENDIX EXPERIMENTAL COMMUNITY-BASED CORRECTIONS DATA

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	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA(c)	WA(d)	Tas.	NT(e)	ACT	Aust.(f)
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				INDIGEN	OUS (%)				
007	17.8	4.4	18.0	14.4	31.4	11.8	75.0	8.8	17.8
008	17.7	4.4	18.1	15.8	32.7	11.5	77.0	9.6	18.1
009	17.5	5.2	19.3	16.6	34.8	12.7	76.2	11.0	18.7
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Mar Qtr	17.5	4.7	18.8	16.6	34.4	12.8	78.4	10.8	18.5
Jun Qtr	17.1	4.7 5.1	19.1	16.3	34.4 35.6	12.8	78.3	10.8	18.5
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Sep Qtr	17.5	5.5	19.4	16.5	35.5	12.6	77.8	10.9	18.8
Dec Qtr	17.7	5.3	20.1	17.2	33.9	12.8	70.8	10.9	18.7
010									
Mar Qtr	17.8	5.4	20.6	17.8	33.6	12.3	70.6	10.1	18.8
Jan	18.0	5.4	20.6	17.7	33.6	11.8	70.9	10.7	18.9
Feb	17.7	5.5	20.6	17.8	33.7	12.7	70.2	9.8	18.8
Mar	17.6	5.2	20.6	18.0	33.5	12.4	70.8	9.8	18.8
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007	76.9	87.0	82.0	84.8	68.5	83.7	24.8	84.3	78.8
008	76.8	87.4	82.0 81.9	83.5	67.0	84.9	24.8	84.3 82.6	78.6
009	72.3	85.2	80.7	82.3	64.8	83.9	23.2	83.7	76.3
009									
Mar Qtr	74.1	78.4	81.2	82.5	65.4	84.1	21.3	84.1	76.0
Jun Qtr	72.7	80.1	80.9	82.7	64.1	84.3	21.7	85.2	75.6
Sep Qtr	71.5	90.5	80.6	82.4	63.9	84.3	22.1	83.1	76.8
Dec Qtr	70.9	90.6	79.9	81.6	65.8	82.9	27.6	82.2	76.6
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Mar Qtr	70.9	90.7	79.4	81.2	66.0	82.4	29.4	81.9	76.6
Jan	70.9	90.4	79.4	81.4	66.1	83.4	29.1	81.5	76.6
Feb	70.8	91.0	79.4	81.2	66.0	81.9	29.8	81.8	76.6
Mar	70.9	90.7	79.4	81.0	65.9	82.0	29.2	82.5	76.5
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007	5.3	8.6	_	0.8	0.1	4.5	0.1	6.9	3.4
008	5.5	8.2	_	0.7	0.3	3.6	0.1	7.7	3.3
009	10.2	9.7	_	1.1	0.4	3.4	0.5	5.3	5.1
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Mar Qtr	8.4	16.8	_	0.9	0.2	3.2	0.3	5.1	5.5
Jun Qtr	10.1	14.8	—	1.0	0.3	3.1	_	3.4	5.7
Sep Qtr	11.0	3.9	—	1.1	0.6	3.1	0.1	5.9	4.5
Dec Qtr	11.3	4.0	—	1.3	0.3	4.4	1.6	6.9	4.7
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Mar Qtr	11.3	3.9	—	0.9	0.4	5.3	—	8.0	4.6
Jan	11.1	4.1	—	0.9	0.3	4.8	—	7.8	4.5
Feb	11.5	3.5	—	1.0	0.3	5.4	—	8.5	4.6
Mar	11.5	4.1		1.0	0.6	5.6		7.7	4.7

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(c) Data movements may be influenced by data entry delays – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 33.

(a) Figures include persons with breached or suspended orders, Explan with the exception of Vic. and Tas.
 (d) Data in the exception of Vic. and Tas.

(b) Figures for the quarter and year for first day of the month counts are calculated as a simple average – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 5. (d) Data is subject to processing delays of 4 to 6 weeks – see Explanatory Notes, paragraph 36.

(e) Excludes bail data for the December quarter 2009 – see Explanatory Notes paragraph 38.

(f) See footnotes c-e.

GLOSSARY

Bail	This is generally a pre-sentence option where a person is released into the community for a period before they appear in court for trial or final sentencing. Bail orders can require a financial surety to be lodged with the court, and a number of conditions including supervision and residential requirements designed to ensure the re-appearance of the person at court. Bail counts are available only in states and territories where bail orders are supervised by corrective services. Bail is a sub-category of Supervision where the person is under the supervision of corrective services (<i>see</i> Supervision).
Community-based corrections	This refers to the community-based management of court-ordered sanctions, post-prison administrative arrangements and fine conversions, which principally involve the provision of one or more of the following activities: supervision, programs or community work.
Community service	This category of community-based corrections orders includes sentencing options requiring offenders to undertake a specified number of hours of unpaid, supervised work to benefit the community on an approved project. Community service is a sub-category of Reparation <i>(see Reparation)</i> .
Corrective services custody	Confinement in a place intended primarily for the purpose of confining prisoners, such as a prison, prison farm, Periodic Detention Centre or Community Custody Centre.
Federal sentenced prisoner	Persons charged and sentenced under a Commonwealth statute or transferred from another country to serve their sentence in Australia.
Fine option	A community-based sentence type where the offender is serving a sentence for default of a fine. In most jurisdictions this order type requires an offender to complete community service as a reparatory act. Fine option is a sub-category of Reparation (<i>see</i> Reparation).
Full-time prison custody	A type of custody where a prisoner is required to be held in custody on a full-time basis. This includes prisons, Queensland Community Custody Centres and work outreach camps. Full-time prison custody excludes periodic detention (<i>see</i> Periodic detention).
Home detention	(see Restricted movement)
Indigenous prisoner	A prisoner who identifies as being of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin, or both.
Legal status	A person may be either sentenced or unsentenced depending on the warrant(s) or court order(s) that provide the legal basis for the administration of the person through the criminal justice system.
Open custody	Refers to prisoners housed in minimum security custodial facilities that do not require them to be confined by a secure perimeter physical barrier, irrespective of whether a physical barrier exists.
Parole	A parole order is made following a period of imprisonment and requires an offender to be subject to supervision in the community. Additional conditions may also be applied such as programs, counselling or drug testing. Parole is a sub-category of Supervision (<i>see</i> Supervision).
Periodic detention	A type of custody or order where a sentenced prisoner is required to be held in custody on a part-time basis. Currently this consists of two consecutive days in a one-week period, while remaining at liberty during the rest of the week.
Prisoner	A person held in custody. For the purposes of this collection, prisoners are those whose confinement is the responsibility of a corrective services agency.
Remand	(see Unsentenced)
Reparation	Reparation refers to all offenders with an order that requires them to undertake unpaid, justice agency-approved community service work.

GLOSSARY continued

Restricted movement	This refers to persons who are subject to a system of restricted movement, including supervision and/or electronic monitoring. This category includes home detention that may restrict residence to a nominated place. Restricted movement can be either a pre-sentence or post-sentence order.
Secure custody	Refers to prisoners housed in medium or maximum security custodial facilities requiring them to be confined by a secure physical barrier.
Sentenced	A legal status indicating that a person has received a custodial or community-based order from a court in response to a conviction for an offence.
Sentenced prisoner reception	Refers to entry into corrective services custody from the community, having received a sentence of imprisonment as an outcome of a court proceeding; or persons who are sentenced to custody while in custody on remand (i.e. changed status from a remand to a sentenced prisoner); or persons entering custody as a result of defaulting on the payment of a fine. Sentenced prisoners in custody who receive a further sentence of imprisonment are not counted as sentenced receptions.
Sentenced probation	A supervision order made following an original sentence handed down in court following conviction. A probation order generally requires 'good behaviour' and compliance with the directions of supervisors. The order may also require compliance with conditions such as program attendance and residential requirements.
Supervision (compliance)	This includes community-based orders other than those categorised as restricted movement or reparation (e.g. parole, bail and sentenced probation).
Unsentenced	A legal status indicating that a person is confined to custody or supervision while awaiting the outcome of their trial.

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