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- Statistics of Higher Criminal Courts, New South Wales (4502.1), (annual, 1976 issue released in October 1977).
- Prison Statistics, New South Wales (4503.1), (annual, 1975-76 issue released in January 1978).
- •Law and Order, Queensland (4502.3), (annual, 1974-75 issue released in July 1978).

Also, the <u>Official Year Book of Australia</u> and the various State Year Books include sections relating to cases brought before the courts and prison statistics.

Information about Tasmanian office A.B.S. publications may be obtained from the <u>Catalogue of Publications</u>, 1977, Tasmanian Office (1103.6). All publications produced by the A.B.S. are listed in the <u>Catalogue of Publications</u> (1101.0) which is available free of charge from any A.B.S. office.

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n.e.i.	not elsewhere included.		(where drawn across a column between
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1	to revision.	1 1	

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POLICE AND COURTS

TABLE 1. POLICE FORCE AND ANCILLARY STAFF: NUMBER AND CLASSIFICATION

		Police	force	<u> </u>		Ancillary	
Classification and year	Criminal investig- ation, plain clothes police, scientific duties	duties, excluding transport and maintenance	Other special and general duties including transport end maintenance	Not allocated	Total police force	and civilian staff employed in police department	Grand total
	CLAS	SIFICATION AT	30 JUNE 197	77			
Executive officers Inspectors Sergeants Constables (incl. probationary) Trainees and cadets Ancillary, civilian, etc.	1 9 44 143 - -	1 5 12 114 -	5 39 89 477 - -	1 - - - 86 -	8 53 145 734 86	- - - - 232	8 53 145 734 86 232
Total	197	132	610	87	1 026	232	1 258
	MUM	BER AT 30 JUI	NE: SUMMARY				
1972 1973 1974 1975 1976 1977	116 126 140 144 158 197	98 101 106 109 128 132	547 560 580 634 649 610	118 105 113 89 69 87	879 892 939 976 1 004 1 026	130 150 176 222 234 232	1 009 1 042 1 115 1 198 1 238 1 258

TABLE 2. OFFENCES RECORDED AND CLEARED BY POLICE : SUMMARY (a)

Class of offence	1	fences recorde ar ended 30 Jul		Offences cleared (b) year ended 30 June					
	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977			
Assaults and like offences	1 005	963	859	775	707	588			
Homicide	17	16	15	13	.12	15			
Crimes of indecency and like				[
offences	157	152	148	102	93	89			
Other offences against the		į							
person	68	49	40	60	46	40			
Building and other property	13 314	13 622	14 460	4 936	5 257	5 412			
Fraud and similar offences	750	571	739	552	522	530			
Miscellaneous police offences	3 313	3 107	2 766	3 313	3 107	2 766			
Licensing Act offences	1 623	1 593	1 383	1 623	1 593	1 383			
Racing and Gaming Act offences	217	328	188	217	328	188			
Traffic and road safety offences	35 812	38 916	43 330	35 812	38 916	43 330			
Miscellaneous acts and offences	904	1 502	1 420	904	1 502	1 420			
All offences	57 180	60 819	65 348	48 307	52 083	55 761			

Based on figures presented in the annual reports of the Commissioner of Tasmania Police.

Offences cleared includes cleared by charge, by charges being withdrawn (e.g. lack of evidence), and when investigation has established that the alleged offence was not in fact committed.

TABLE 3. CRIMES AND OFFENCES RECORDED AND CLEARED BY THE TASMANIA POLICE 1976-77 (a)

			Offences	cleared		P	ersons charged (t	o)
Class of offence	Offences recorded	By charge	Othervise (c)	Unfounded (d)	Total	Males	Females	Persons
Assaults and like offences - Aggravated assault Common assault	5 510	2 276	_ 26		2 302	1 248	_ 19	1 267
Assault with indecent intent Assault - Indecent Police	19 25 221	16 12 211	3 - -		19 12 211	15 9 169	- - 10	15 9 179
Incest Rape and attempted rape Robbery with violence	3 17 35	1 8 12	- - 3	** * - 	1 8 16	7 19	- - 2	- 7 21
Wounding or grievous bodily harm Other	15 9	6 8	2	1 -	9 8	9 5	_	9 5
Total	859	552	34	2	588	482	31	513
Homicide - Manslaughter Manslaughter by motor vehicla Murder Attempted murder Other	1 3 8 1 2	1 6 5 1 2			1 6 5 1 2	5 .6 .1	1 - - - 1	1 5 6 1
Total	15	15	-	-	15	12	2	14
Crimes of indecency and like offences – Unlawful carnal knowledge Unnatural carnal knowledge Indecent exposure Other	23 2 84 39	15 1 39 27	1 5 1		16 1 44 28	11 1 30 19	_ _ 	11 1 30 22
Total	148	82	7	-	89	61	3	64
Other offences against the person - Escape and attempted escape Other	22 18	25 15		- - - - -	25 15	25 13	1	25, 14
Total	40	40		_	40	38	1	39
Building and other property — Arson and attempted arson Burglary — Dwellings Other buildings Injury to property Receiving Motor vehicle stealing (e) Stock stealing Other burglary and stealing Other	47 1 444 1 400 2 276 64 1 059 72 7 999 99	8 358 451 497 66 410 3 2 353 61	1 198 105 118 - 133 4 527 3	- 4 6 - - 21 14 70 1	9 560 562 615 66 564 21 2 950	8 207 374 377 39 290 3 835	1 15 8 8 4 6 - 306	9 222 382 385 43 296 3 1 141
Total	14 460	4 207	1 089	116	5 412	2 172	353	2 525

TABLE 3. CRIMES AND OFFENCES RECORDED AND CLEARED BY THE TASMANIA POLICE 1976-77 - continued

	0.00		Offences	cleared		Per	rsons charged (b)
Class of offence	Offences recorded	By charge	Otherwise (c)	Unfounded (d)	Total	Males	Females	Persons
raud and similar offences —								
Total	739	522	8	· . · - ·	530	100	23	123
Miscellaneous police offences – Drunkenness Firearm offences Indecent and improper language Resist arrest Other	1 168 123 517 206 752	1 168 123 517 206 748	- - - - - 4		1 168 123 517 206 752	1 056 93 332 57 614	49 27 2 28	1 105 93 359 59 642
Total	2 766	2 762	. 4	-	2 766	2 152	106	2 258
icensing act offences -					,			
Total Total	1 383	1 381	2	-	1 383	759	239	998
acing and gaming act offences -							1781	
Total	188	188	-	- '	188	48	2	50
Traffic and road safety offences - Drive without due care and attention Unlicensed driver Drive whilst disqualified or suspended Drive under influence of alcohol or drugs Exceed speed limit Fail to obey road markings Fail to wear seat belt Ineffective brakes Ineffective lights Smooth tyres on motor vehicle Other	794 1 577 663 3 707 12 416 628 1 821 855 751 2 732 17 386	793 1 575 663 3 707 11 530 586 1 494 694 501 2 255 14 521	1 2 - 886 42 327 161 250 477 2 865		794 1 577 663 3 707 12 416 628 1 821 855 751 2 732 17 386	732 1 316 557 2 492 10 885 529 1 592 685 600 2 206 12 714	37 95 7 39 1 135 42 184 35 49 199 1 654	769 1 411 564 2 531 12 021 1776 720 649 2 405 14 368
liscellaneous acts and offences	40 000	30 015	3 3.1		45 550	04 000	0.411	01 100
Admin_stering dangerous drug Possession of dangerous drug Sell, supply or traffic in narcotic or dangerous drug	205 261 93	205 261 93	- - -		205 261 93	59 85 27	20 29 4	79 114 31
Other	861	854	7	-	861	525	58	583
Total	1 420	1 413	7	<u> </u>	1 420	696	111	807
GRAND TOTAL	65 348	49 481	6 162	118	55 761	40 828	4 348	45 176

⁽a) Based on figures presented in the annual report of the Commissioner of Tasmania Police 1976-77.

⁽b) Includes persons cautioned in respect of offences cleared 'Otherwise'.
(c) e.g., charges withdrawn, insufficient evidence.
(d) i.e., when investigation has established that the alleged offence was not in fact committed.
(e) Motor vehicles recovered during year, 987.

TABLE 4. LOWER (MAGISTRATES') COURTS: CASES AND RESULTS OF HEARINGS ACCORDING TO OFFENCE, 1976

	Cas	85			Results of hearings							1 1 1 1
Offences	befor cour	e the	Convic	tions		ted to courts	Adjou sine		Dismis with	sed or drawn	Remar	nded
	M	F	M	F	m	F	М	F	M	Ē	M	F
Offences against the person — Murder Attempted murder Manslaughter — Arising from traffic accidents Robbery Wounding and grievous bodily harm Aggravated assault Common assault Rape Indecent assault Assault with indecent intent Defilement with unlawful carnal knowledge Incest Indecent practices between male persons Unnatural carnal knowledge Abduction Dangerous driving Other	3 1 8 13 7 9 614 8 30 20 14 - 4 2 7 69 60	- - - 46 - - - - - 3 4	5 - 5 418 2 19 15 3 - - 39 37	24 1 2	3 12 6 1 13 4 2 5 9 - 4 - 7 18 2		- - 1 - 2 66 - 5 - 1 - - 8 13	- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	- - 1 103 2 4 - 1 - 1	16	- - 1 14 - - - 1 1	
Total	869	53	543	27	90	3	96	7	124	16	1.6	-
Offences against property — Burglary or housebreaking Breaking a building other than a dwelling Stealing Horse, cattle and sheep stealing Embezzlement and stealing by servants All other stealing Receiving Obtaining goods by false pretences Unlawful use of motor vehicles Arson Injury to property Other	531 320 716 3 1 1 198 68 64 499 21 560 293	17 3 100 14 245 7 6 24 21 12	380 248 494 2 1 868 53 49 396 1 466 207	8 1 70 - 3 189 6 6 18 - 9 3	56 35 56 - - 56 7 11 7 17 5	1 6 7 7	48 8 57 - 70 4 4 47 1 28 52	3 1 5 - 10 - 4 - 7	43 26 107 1 - 163 3 - 32 2 53 21	5 1 19 - 5 39 - - 2 - 5	4 3 2 - 41 1 - 17 - 8	- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -
Total	4 274	449	3 165	313	255	20	319	34	451	81	84	1

TABLE 4. LOWER (MAGISTRATES') COURTS: CASES AND RESULTS OF HEARINGS ACCORDING TO OFFENCE, 1976 - continued

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		88S		- H			Results o	f hearings	11			
Offences		re the irts	Convi	ctions		tted to courts		irned die	Dismis: Withd		Rem	anded
	m	F	М	F	M	F	М	F	M	F	m	F
Forgery and offences against the currency - Offences in relation to cheques - Forgery Uttering Currency offences Other	81 79 10 62	69 32 1 27	52 56 8 34	43 29 1 9	22 16 22	15 1 - 14	4 4 -	2 1 -	3 3 2 6	9 1 - 4	<u>-</u>	
Total	232	129	150	82	60	30	8	3	14	14	-	-
Offences against good order - Drunkenness Drunkenness and disorderly conduct Drunkenness, habitual Indecent, threatening or abusive language Indecent, riotous or offensive conduct Vagrancy Escape from custody Other	546 644 - 554 329 52 35 679	37 35 61 20 5 27	414 518 - 420 252 40 25 495	27 28 - 53 18 4 - 21	- - - 2 - 4 3		108 89 72 28 3 2	8 6 3 1 1 3	23 32 - 53 46 9 3	2 1 - 5 1 - 3	1 5 - 9 1 -	
Total	2 839	185	2 164	151	9	-	388	22	255	12	23	-
Offences against traffic regulations — Parking meter offences Other parking offences Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs Other	6 209 1 328 3 540 17 634	1 453 451 79 799	1 978 989 3 132 13 238	577 368 70 646	- - 3 9	<u>-</u> -	152 117 219 2 803	25 23 1 86	4 079 222 141 1 473	851 60 8 66	_ _ 45 111	- -
Total	28 711	2 782	19 337	1 661	12	-	3 291	135	5 915	985	156	1
All other offences - Offences against - Gembling suppression laws Liquor laws Education laws Neglected children laws Revenue laws Desertion of wives and/or children Perjury and subornation Conspiracy All other	1 017 1 136 1 16 2 433 135 3 - 3 048	10 248 - 18 267 3 1 - 646	779 869 - 11 1 511 41 - 1 870	4 173 - 14 218 1 - 278	- - - - 3 - - 61	1 6	129 146 1 1 287 66 - 294	40 - - 23 1 - - 26	94 120 - 4 635 27 - 799	6 35 - 4 25 1 - 336	15 1 - 1 - 24	
		4 791	30 440		490	ļ				-		2
GRAND TOTAL	44 714	4 791	30 440	2 922	490	60	5 026	291	8 438	1 516	320	

Offences (a)	Commi from cou (b	lower rts	proce	ses ot seded (c)	Cas not tried	yet
	M	Ē	M	F	M	F
Against the person -						
Murder	5	1	1		_	·
Attempted murder	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	-	-		-	-
Manslaughter (g)		-	-	_		-
Manslaughter while driving Culpable driving, including causing	-	-	-		-	_
deaths (by dangerous driving) other						
than manslaughter	6	-	-	_		_
Other driving	27	2	7.33	-	1	
Rape	9	-	2	-	-	. - '
Other unlawful carnal knowledge	16	-	3		1	- '
Incest	2 6		1	· · · ·	_	_
Other offences against females Indecent practices between males	4	1	_	-	lI	1 =
Unnatural carnal knowledge	1	-	_	1 -	_	
Abduction	3	_	2		_	
Abortion	-	_	-	_	_	_
Robbery, excluding stealing from the				<u> </u>		
person	15	-	-	-	-	' '
Malicious wounding	7	-	1	-	-	-
Aggravated assault Common assault	1 17	1	1 7	_	1	-
Other	6			Ι .		_
Outlet						
Total	126	4	19	-	3	-
Against property -						
Burglary, break and enter, break, enter		<u></u>	_		_	
and steal	112	2	5 13	_ 1	8	
Stealing Receiving, including stolen goods in	47		13	1		_
possession	10	2	2	1 1		
Fraud and false pretences	14	2	2	. "	2	_
Arson, n.e.i.	4	1	- 1	-		
Malicious damage or injury to property						
or animals	7	_	_	-		·
Other	4	-	_	· –	_	
Total	198	8	22	3	- 11	_
Forgery and offences against the currency -		3		17/10/10		
Forgery and/or uttering, excluding						1 5
currency	10	2	-	1		-
Total	10	2	_	1	_	_
Other offences -						
Perjury and subornation	2	1	_	_		_
Escape lawful custody	5		1	_	, .	_
Lewd, scandalous, riotous, etc. conduct	-	-	· -	-	_	
Other	18	-4	5	-	1	1
	25	Ś	6	_	1	1
Total	25	2	0	<u>-</u>		
GRAND TOTAL	359	19	47	4	15	1

Conspirators, aiders, abettors and accessories are shown under the offence they allegedly conspired to commit, sid, etc. Except for murder, offences include attempts.

Generally the figures in this column are significantly lower than those for 'Committed to Higher Courts' appearing on pages 4 and 5 because they relate to complaints (which often embrace several offences) whereas lower court cases relate to number of offences. It should also be noted that higher court cases frequently proceed under different offences titles from those under which the lower court committels were made.

AND RESULTS ACCORDING TO OFFENCE, 1976

F			Cases tr	ied (e)			
	Convict	ions (f)	No guil		Tot	al	Offences (a)
	M	F	m	F	М	F	
	3 - 1 1	. <u></u>		1 - -	3 - 1 1	1 - - -	Against the person - Murder Attempted murder Manslaughter (g) Manslaughter while driving Culpable driving, including causing
	6 18 3 13 2 6 4	- 2 - - - -	1 2 - -		6 19 5 13 2 6 4	2 1 1 1 1 1 1	death (by dengerous driving) other then maneLaughter Other driving Rape Other unlawful carnal knowledge Incest Other offences against females Indecent practices between males Unnatural carnal knowledge
	1 - 15 4 1 11 3	- - - - 1	- - 2 - 6		1 - 15 6 1 17 3	1 1 1 1	Abduction Abortion Robbery, excluding stealing from the person Malicious wounding Aggravated assault Common assault Other
	93	3	11	1	104	4	Total
	92 28 10 10 3	2 - 1 1	5 5 - 1		97 33 10 10 4	2 - 1 1 1	Against property - Burglary, break and enter, break, enter and steal Stealing Receiving, including stolen goods in possession Freud and false pretences Arson, n.e.i. Malicious damage or injury to property
	7 4	<u> </u>	. <u>.</u> .	-	7 4	Ξ.	or animals Other
	154	5	11		165	5	Total
	10	1	<u>.</u>	<u>-</u>	10	1	Forgery and offences against the currency – Forgery and/or uttering, excluding currency
	10	1	1	-	10	1	Total
	2 3 - 11	1 - - 3	- 1 - 1		2 4 - 12	1 - 3	Other offences — Perjury and subornation Escape lawful custody Lewd, scandalous, riotous, etc. conduct Other
	16	4	2	-	18	4	Total
	273	13	24	1	297	14	GRAND TOTAL

⁽c) Includes Nolle Prosequi and No Bill cases.
(d) Includes cases remanded and committed to next year.
(e) Includes pleas of guilty.
(f) 'Convictions' refer to the offence actually involving a verdict of 'guilty' (this may not necessarily be the offence specified in the original committal).
(g) Excludes manslaughter involving a motor vehicle. Includes infanticide.

LOWER (MAGISTRATES') COURTS: CASES BROUGHT BEFORE THE COURTS, SUMMARY

Class of offence		1965	1970	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Offences against the person	males	754	953	1 181	1 ,198	1 319	1 082	869
	females	13	34	43	51	38	64	53
Offences against property	males	3 588	4 095	6 238	4 513	4 989	4 500	4 274
	females	294	397	538	523	361	571	449
Forgery and offences				<u> </u>				
against the currency	males females	361 9	340	135 68	397 266	303 80	276 78	232 129
Offences against good order	males	1 985	1 962	2 638	2 835	3 412	3 B10	2 839
	females	46	70	167	205	191	174	185
Offences against traffic regulations	males	24 135	19 935	24 097	23 811	27 291	29 680	28 711
	females	1 188	1 097	1 613	1 611	1 884	2 353	2 782
All other offences	males	7 082	7 185	10 905	8 610	7 188	8 210	7 789
	females	489	520	1 010	870	930	1 563	1 193
All offences	males	37 905	34 470	45 224	41 364	44 502	47 558	44 714
	females	2 039	2 149	3 439	3 526	3 484	4 803	4 791

TABLE 7. HIGHER (JUDGES') COURTS: CASES TRIED, SUMMARY

					the state of the s		<u> </u>
Class of offence	1965	1970	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Offences against the person male fema		117	110 8	146 6	158 6	131 3	104 4
Offences against property male fema		218 13	219 7	185 9	184 11	216 10	165 5
All other offences male fema		9 -	10	12 3	34 6	40 3	28 5
All offences male	I	344 15	339 15	343 18	376 23	387 16	297 14

TABLE 8. CHILDREN APPEARING BEFORE CHILDREN'S COURTS (a) CLASSIFIED BY AGE AND SEX

Age		1973-74	3 P	1	1974-75			1975-76			1976-77	
(years) (b)	Boys	Girls	Total									
Under 8	45	49	94	92	81	173	39	26	65	29	14	43
8	5	В	13	13	8	21	11	3	14	5	1 1	6
9	17	7	24	18	14	32	22	. 2	24	9	l. –	9
10	34	5	39	43	12	55	50	1	51	24	2.	. 26
11	41	9	50	75	18	93	58	8	66	55	3	58
12	125	20	145	123	23	146	96	20	116	97	8	105
13.	149	65	214	229	72	301	185	42	227	144	43	187
14	292	115	407	326	117	443	331	87	418	319	71	390
15	522	122	644	492	161	653	540	131	671	593	91	684
16	1 205	132	1 337	1 316	221	1 537	1 189	193	1 382	1 143	221	1.364
17	132	8	140	206	30	236	130	13	143	89	17	106
Total	2 567	540	3 107	2 933	757	3 690	2 651	526	3 177	2 507	471	2 978

⁽a) A child appearing twice or more before the courts will appear twice or more in the table.(b) Ages are at time of court hearing, not at time of offence.

TABLE 9. CHILDREN APPEARING BEFORE CHILDREN'S COURTS (a) CLASSIFIED BY OFFENCE

Offence alleged	1972-73	1973-74	1974–75	1975-76	1976–77
Relatively serious offences -					
Damage to property	114	117	153	153	167
Breaking, entering and stealing	379	355	385	354	325
Stealing	431	433	578	586	616
Receiving	27	16	35	21	26
Illegal use of vehicle	235	209	285	224	292
Offences involving fraud	17	12	8	10	5
Sex offences	24	27	18	30	15
Other offences against the person	43	93	129	60	52
Offences against decency	51	49	6	15	10
Total	1 321	1 311	1 597	1 453	1 508
Other offences -					
Disorderly conduct	89	65	126	77	81
Traffic offences	339	481	661	710	634
Breaches of - Licensing laws	440	689	591	509	474
By-laws	12	4	12	11	2
Firearm offences	18	36	19	28	. 9
Gaming	45	80	49	31	8
Trespass	26	18	57	49	27
Other	10	93	170	157	95
Total	979	1 466	1 685	1 572	1 330
Complaints under Child Welfare Act -		<u> </u>			
Appearing as - Uncontrolled	33	122	48	53	32
Neglected	80	196	332	90	100
Breaches of supervision	11	12	28	9	В
Total	124	330	408	152	140
GRAND TOTAL	2 424	3 107	3 690	3 177	2 978

⁽a) A child appearing twice or more before the courts will appear twice or more in the table.

TABLE 10. INDIVIDUAL (a) CHILDREN : FINDINGS OF GUILTY OR COMPLAINT PROVEN

Year and sex	Relatively serious offences (b)	Other offences (b)	Complaints under Child Welfere Act (b)	Total
1972-73 - Boys	872	648	50	1 570
Girls	149	115	65	329
Totel	1 021	763	115	1 899
1973-74 - Boys	650	730	51	1 431
Girls	105	140	80	325
Total	755	870	131	1 756
1974-75 - Boys	753	827	71	1 651
Girls	146	197	100	443
Total	899	1 024	171	2 094
1975–76 – Boys	631	850	23	1 504
Girls	124	166	56	346
Total	755	1 016	79	1 850
1976-77 - Boys	584	679	29	1 292
Girls	92	141	37	270
Total	676	820	66	1 562

A child found guilty of two or more offences is only counted once and is classified under the more serious offence.
(b) For component items, see Table 7.

PRISON STATISTICS

The main Tasmanian prison is at Risdon in the south of the State but there is a subsidiary gool farm at Hayes further up the Derwent River. The only other prison is at Launceston but this is a temporary holding centre where prisoners are held prior to transfer to Risdon.

For the purpose of prison statistics, Launceston is entirely excluded end the series that follows deals with prisoners both at Risdon and at Hayes. See tables 11 to 19 for details.

Scope: This section contains statistics of individual convicted prisoners received during the year ended 30 June 1977 (comparable data for 1974-75 and 1975-76 are included in Table 11, below).

Classification forms for individual convicted prisoners are received from the Controller of Prisons each week. The form is chiefly for prison administration but has been modified by the Bureau for statistical purposes. Characteristics of the prisoners are coded and tables are produced after sorting individual forms at the end of the year.

Explanatory Notes:

- (i) Statistics exclude prisoners on remand and those awaiting sentence.
- (ii) Convicted prisoners awaiting appeal hearings are not included in the statistics. If the appeal hearing results in a conviction the prisoner is included once the result is known.
- (iii) Age refers to the age of the prisoner at the date the sentence commenced.
- (iv) Multiple offences: where a prisoner is convicted of more than one offence, the most serious offence is shown. The most serious offence is determined as being the offence which results in the longest sentence.
- (v) Cumulative sentences are shown as equal to their united length and concurrent sentences are shown as equal to one sentence or to the longest where they are of unequal length.

TABLE 11. CONVICTED PRISONERS RECEIVED INTO GAOL BY AGE AND SEX OF PRISONER, 1974-75 TO 1976-77

												
					Aga in y	ears at	time sen	tence co	mmenced			
. Year ended 30 June		Under 19	19 – 20	21- 24	25- 29	30- 34	35 – 39	40- 44	45– 49	50- 59	Over 59	Total
1975 Prisoners received (a)	M F	130 11	130	146 6	89 2	55 1	35 1	19 1	27 1	30 4	11 -	672 27
Distinct persons (b)	M F	116 11	112	131 6	77 1	50 1	33 1	19 1	20 1	21 2	B -	587 24
1976 Prisoners received (a)	M F	107 3	121 1	121 5	78 -	41 1	36 -	25 -	26 -	39 5	7	601 16
Distinct persons (b)	M F	98 3	108 1	108 5	74 -	36 1	33 -	21 -	18	26 4	6 1	528 15
1977 Prisoners received (a)	M F	107 5	90 <i>6</i>	106 2	58 1	41	22 2	24	21 -	44 5	9 3	522 24
Distinct persons (b)	M F	93 5	81 4	92 2	55 1	39 	19 2	22	14	27 3	7	449 18

⁽a) Counted each time received.

⁽b) Persons received two or more times in a year counted only once in that year.

TABLE 12. DISTINCT PERSONS RECEIVED INTO GADL BY AGE AND PREVIOUS IMPRISONMENTS, 1976-77

			Number of	times pr	eviously	imprisone	đ				
. (years) . Age		D .	1			2	3 or	more		Total	
	М	F	М	F	М	F	M	F	М	F	Р
Under 19 19 - 20 21 - 24 25 - 29 30 - 34 35 - 39 40 - 44 45 - 49 50 - 59 60 and over	65 37 36 17 15 3 8 5	4 3 2 1 - 2 - 1 1 -	16 17 12 7 2 1 4 1 2	1 1	10 7 8 4 - 2 1 2	1111111111	2 20 36 23 18 15 8 7 13	- - - - 1 1	93 81 92 55 39 19 22 14 27	5 4 2 1 - 2 - 3 1	98 85 94 56 39 21 22 14 30 8
Total	197	13	62	3	43	-	147	2	449	18	467

TABLE 13. DISTINCT PERSONS RECEIVED INTO GAOL BY AGE AND SIZE OF FAMILY (a), 1976-77

No. of children in family	Under 19	19- 20	21- 24	25- 29	30- 34	35- 39	40- 44	45- 49	50:- 59	60 &	Total
1	2	3	2	1	3	2	1	2 .	3	1	20
2	.5	9	5	4	4	2	3	1	5	-	38
3	13	14	11	10	4	4	5	3	3	-	67
4	23	12	13	10	4	-	3.	. 1	4		70
5	10	11	15	6	7	1	1 1		3	2	56
6	. 9	10	7	13	4	2	1	2	2	1	51
7	9	5	В	3	7	4	2	1	4.	2	45
8	9	-6	7	4	4	2	2	_	3	_	37
9	7	. 3	10	3	1	3	2	2	1	_	32
10 or more	11	12	16	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	51
'Not known	-	_	-	-		-	-	, - , .	-	-	-
Total	98	85	94	56	39	21	22	14	30	8	467

⁽a) Family of which prisoner was member, i.e. prisoner plus brothers and sisters. Average family size, as defined, was 5.7 for the 467 prisoners received.

TABLE 14. DISTINCT PERSONS RECEIVED INTO GADL BY AGE AND MARITAL STATUS, 1976-77

	Sing	gle	Marrie	d (a)	Divo	rced	Wido	owed	Sepai	rated		Total	
Age group	- M	F	M	F	М	F	M	F	M	· F	М	F.	Р
Under 19 19 - 20 21 - 24 25 - 29 30 - 34 35 - 39 40 - 44 45 - 49 50 - 59 60 and over	92 78 63 27 14 5 6 3 7	5 2 1 1 -	1 3 23 17 13 8 9 5	1	- 1 4 4 2 2 2 4 5	1 - 1 1 - 1	1 1 3 3 3	- - - - - 1	- 5 7 8 3 4 2 6	2 1 1	93 81 92 55 39 19 22 14 27	5 4 2 1 - 2 - 3 1	98 85 94 56 39 21 22 14 30
Total	297	10	84	2	23	1	8	2	37	3	449	18	467

⁽a) Includes de facto relationship when known.

TABLE 15. DISTINCT PERSONS RECEIVED INTO GAOL BY AGE AND PLACE OF BIRTH, 1976-77

Place of birth	Under 19	19- 20	21- 24	25 29	30- 34	35- 39	40 44	45- 49	50 59	60 & over	Total
Australia -	89	78	87	47	00		1.5				
Tasmania New South Wales	89	78	1	47	28 3	18	. 16 1	11	24 2	7	405 10
Victoria	3	3	3	5	4	1	2	<u> </u>	1	_	22
Queensland	2	2	1	_~	2	[[-	-			7
South Australia	1	_	-	_	-	_	-	_	-	-	1
Western Australia	-	,	المستعدرا	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Northern Territory	-	-	. - .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	. - .
Total Australia	95	85	92	54	38	19	19	12	27	7	448
Other countries -					-						
Canada	-		1	-			-	-	- :	-	1
Czechoslovakia	l - '	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Great Britain .	3	-	1	1 1	-	2	-	-	1	1	9
Hungary Treland	-	[-	-	[-	_	-	1	i -	1	_	1
Italy			_]		_		-	I	_	
Malaysia			_	1	_	_	_	_	_	_	1
New Zealand		_	_	1 -	1	_	2		-	_	3
Yugoslavia	-	- `	_	-	-	- :	_	1	-	-	1.
Total other countries	3	_	2	2	1	2	3	2	3	1	19
TOTAL	98	85	94	56	39	21	22	14	30	8	467

TABLE 16. DISTINCT PERSONS RECEIVED INTO GAOL BY AGE AND HIGHEST LEVEL OF SCHOOLING ATTENDED, 1976-77

⁽a) Includes attendance at special schools which could not be classified by grade.

TABLE 17. PRISONERS (a) RECEIVED INTO GAOL BY AGE AND OFFENCE COMMITTED, 1976-77

Offences	Under 19	19- 20	21- 24	25- 29	30 – 34	35 <u>~</u> 39	40- 44	45 – 49	50 – 59	60 &	Total
Offences against the person -			2.1								
Murder	_	. 1	_	3			-		· -	_	- 4.
Attempted murder	_ 1		_	_	1_ 1	_		_			
Manslaughter - not arising		_		- 1	T. 4					_	-
	[1	,	l
out of motor vehicle									* *		
accident	- 1		-		, –	1	-	-	- ·	-	1
Cause death by dangerous			1000	ſ	544 55					1.0	
driving	1	-	1	. 1 1	_	-	-	_	-	-	3
Grievous bodily harm	- [_	-	1	1		- 1	1	1	_	3
Robbery	1	3	_	1 1	_	- 1		_	_	_	5
Common assault	. 10	7	9	6	3	2	3	_		_	40
Aggravated assault	_		4	_	_	-	-	_	-		_
Rape and attempted rape	_	2	_	1		_	_	_	_	_	3
Indecent assault		_	2	1	1	_	_	L	_		4
		_		•					_	_	-
Assault with indecent			ļ 1			4	3 1 1				
intent	- 1		-	-	· · · · ·		- .	,=	-	-	-
Unlawful carnal knowledge	-	1	-			_	- '		-	-	1
Incest	-	-		- `	-	-	. 1		· -	-	1
Dangerous driving	- 1	. 3	3	1	_	_		-	_	_	7
Abduction	-	_	1	_	_	-	_	· · ·	_	-	1
Other				_	3	1	1	1 i	1	} _	6
0 01102							,				
Total	12	17	16	14	8	4	5	1	2	_	79
Offences against property -											
Burglary and breaking		1 1				l · i				1 1	
offences	28	19	19	10	- 8	4		_	1	_	89
Stealing		9		4	4	2	3	2	6	-	49
	11		7,						li .	1	
Receiving		_	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Stealing motor vehicle	30	18	11	1	-	1	-		2	- .	63
Arson	- '	_	-	1	-	-	-		-	-	1 .
Damage to property	4	2	-	1 1	_	_	1	-	-	l -	8
Obtain goods by false						ļ		4		1 .	
pretences	3		l - i	4	3	1	1	. 2	2		16
Forgery, uttering and	-									1	1
currency offences	1	2	1 1	3			- 3	2	- 2 <u>- 2</u> 1	2	14
Other	1	_						-	1	-	2
Collec									1		
Total	78	50	38	24	15	8	8	6	13	3	243
Offences against good order -									_		
Drunkenness	-	1	1	-	_	1	2	4	19	7	35
Indecent or threatening								'			100
language	. 1	, -	1	· . ·	- :	· -	-	-	-	-	2
Indecent or offensive						į.	A 15			1	
behaviour	_	-	-	1 1) –		-		1 1	2
Vagrancy	_	_	_	1		l –		2	7	1 1	11
Other	4	3	5	1	2	1 1	1	3	_	1 _	20
United											20
Total	5	4	7	\$	2	2	3	9	26	9	70
Traffic offences -										1	
Offences involving alcohol	1	2	9	5	6	2	4	1	4		34
			32	G.	8	7	4		2		95
Other	14	15) 32	L .	8	7	4	. 4	2	-	95
7otal	15	17	41	14	14	9	8	5	6		129
011 other offers						10.40				1	17.5
All other offences -		l .		i .	100	1	1 th 1 th				
Drug offences	2	4	5	4		1	-		1	-	17
Other offences	_	4	1	-	2	- 1	- =	1 -	1	-	8
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	2	8	6	4	2	1	_	-	2	-	25
Total	= ,										
TOTAL ALL OFFENCES	112	96	108	59	41	24	24	21	49	12	546

⁽a) Counted each time received.

TABLE 18. PRISONERS (a) RECEIVED INTO GAOL BY OFFENCE

				Time lapse (b)
Üffences	Item no.	Under 1 month	From 1 month to under 3 months	From 3 months to under 6 months
Offences against the person -				
Murder	1 1	-	_	_
Attempted murder	2	-	-	_
Manslaughter — not arising out of a motor				
vehicle accident	3	-	-	=
Cause death by dangerous driving	4	-	-	-
Grievous bodily harm Robbery	5 6	-	-	-
Common assault	7	-	2 6	8
Aggravated assault	B		<u> </u>	8
Race	9			
Indecent assault	10			I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I
Assault with indecent intent	111	_		[
Unlawful carnal knowledge	12	_	_	
Incest	13	_	- · ·	_
Dangerous driving	14	<u> </u>	_	_
Abduction	15	-	_	
Other .	16	-	-	-
Total	17	-	8	8
Offences agains property -			y State State	
Burglary and breaking offences	18	2	14	9
Stealing	19	-	5	2
Receiving	20	-	-	-
Stealing motor vehicle	21	5	9	8
Arson	22	-	-	-
Damage to property Obtain goods by false pretences	23	- -	-	2
Forgery, uttering and currency offences	25	_	3	5
Other	26	1 1	_	3
				<u> </u>
Total	27	8	31	26
Offences against good order -				
Drunkenness	28	11	5	6
Indecent or threatening language	29	-	1	-
Indecent or offensive behaviour	30	-	-	1
Vagrancy Other	31 32	4	1 1	- 1
Utner	32	- 4	-	1
Total	33	19	7	8
Traffic offences -				
Offences involving alcohol	34	2	1	б
Other	35	4	9	12
Total	36	6	10	18
All other offences -				
Drug offences	37	1	1	1
Other offences	38	-	1	-
Total	39	1	2	1
TOTAL ALL OFFENCES	40	34	58	61

Counted each time received. Time lapse between last discharge and commencement of current imprisonment period.

COMMITTED AND TIME LAPSE (b) SINCE LAST IMPRISONMENT, 1976-77

ince last impriso	nment		Total			
From 6 months to under 1 year	From 1 year to under 5 years	5 years or more	previously imprisoned	Not previously imprisoned	Total received	Item no.
- - - - 3 5 - 1	10 - 2 2	- - - 2 - 4 - - -	- - - 2 5 33 - 3 2 - -	4 - 1 3 1 - 7 - 2 - 1	4 - 1 3 5 40 - 3 4 - 1 1	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13
1 -	- -	1 1	1 1 1	6 - 5	7 1 6	14 15 16
10	14	В	48	31	79	17
11 5 -7 - 2 2 -	18 7 - 5 - 1 2 4	6 - 1 - - 2	54 25 - 36 - 3 8 12	35 24 1 27 1 5 8 2	89 49 1 63 1 8 16 14	19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
. 27	38	9	139	104	243	27
4 - 1 3	5 1 1 2 3	2 - - 1	33 2 2 8 12	2 - - 3 8	35 2 2 11 20	28 29 30 31 32
В	12	3	57	13	70	33
2 16	7 20	1 2	19 63	15 32	34 95	34 35
18	27	3	82	47	129	36
1 -	2 2	1	6 4	11 4	17 8	37 38
1	4	1	10	15	25	39
64	.95	24	336	210	546	40

TABLE 19. PRISONERS (a) RECEIVED INTO GAOL BY OFFENCE

		Length				
Offences	Item no.	7 days or less	From 8 days to under 1 month	From 1 month to under 3 months	From 3 months to under 6 months	
Offences against the person -						
- Murder	1	l -	-		_	
Attempted murder	2	-	, -	-	-	
Manslaughter - not arising out of a						
motor vehicle accident	3	-	-	· -	-	
Cause death by dangerous driving	4	-		1	1	
Grievous bodily harm	5	i -	-	-	-	
Robbery	6	- '		-	-	
Common assault	7		-	10	10	
Aggravated assault	8	<u>-</u>	-	-	· -	
Rape	9	-	-	-		
Indecent assault	10	-	-	1	2	
Assault with indecent intent	11	-		- · ·		
Unlawful carnal knowledge	12	-	1 1	- '	_	
Incest	13	- , .	-	-	-	
Dangerous driving	14	-	-		7	
Abduction	15	-	-	₽.		
Other	16	-	⊢	1	3	
					 	
Total	17	-	1	13	23	
Offences against property -	1.				1.5	
Burglary and breaking offences	18	1	1,	10	19	
Stealing	19	5.	6	11	11	
Receiving	20	-	-	-	1	
Stealing motor vehicle	21	-	1	8	. 11	
Arson	22.	-	_	-		
Damage to property	23	1	1	4.	1	
Obtain goods by false pretences	24		-	2	2	
Forgery, uttering and currency offences	25	-	1	-	3	
Other	26	_	-	2	-	
	1.				·	
Total	27	7	10	37	48	
Offences against good order -						
Drunkenness	28	3	19	12	1	
Indecent or threatening language	29	-	2	: -	· -	
Indecent or offensive behaviour	30	-	1	1	-	
Vagrancy	31	2	3	4	2	
Other	32	2	2	6	5	
Total	33	7	27	23	8	
	""	ļ	ļ		· · · · · ·	
Traffic offences -	-,		_		46	
Offences involving alcohol	34	2	3	15	12	
Other	35	-	14	36	25	
	-				7.7	
Total	36	2	17	51	37	
All other offences -						
Drug offences	37	1	-	3	5	
Other	38	1	1	1	2	
	1				7	
Total	39	2	1	4		
TOTAL ALL OFFENCES	40	18	56	128	123	
	L	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	L		

⁽a) Counted each time received.

COMMITTED AND LENGTH OF SENTENCE, 1976-77

of sentence	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·							
From 6 months to under 1 year	From 1 year to under 2 years	From 2 years to under 5 years.	From 5 years to under 10 years	10 years or more	Governor's pleasure	Life	Total	item no.
-	<u>.</u> -	- -	<u>-</u> -		-	4 -	4 -	1 2
- 1 1	1 - 2	- - 4		-	_ _ _	- - -	1 3 3 5	3 4 5 6
17	1 1	1 -	1 1	- - -		- - -	40 - 3 4	7 8 9
- - - 1	- - - - - 1	- 1 -	1 1 1 1	11111		- - - - -	1 1 7 1 6	11 12 13 14 15
20	6	8	4	. • .	-	4	79	17
28 9 - 21 - 1 6 6	26 5 - 14 1 - 4 3	3 2 8 - 1 1			1		89 49 1 63 1 8 16 14	18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25
. 71	53	15		-	2	_	243	27
- - - 5	F 1 - 1 - 1					17 - 7 7 - 7 7 - 1	35 2 2 11 20	28 29 30 31 32
5	-	-	-	-	_	-	70	33
1 15	1 4	- 1	-	. <u>-</u>	±.	_	34 95	34 35
16	5	1		, - ''		-	129	36
6 2	2 1	-	-	<u>-</u>		<u> </u>	17 8	37 38
8	. 3	-	-	-	-	-	25	39
120	67	24	4	-	2	4	546	40

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