A COMPARISON OF FIRST COMMITMENT CHARACTERISTICS

1995 - 2006

12-YEAR COMPARISON

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INTRODUCTION

This report presents a multi-year comparison of first-commitment characteristics. The items selected are those that have been most frequently requested and which have also been relatively reliable.

The primary-commitment-offense categories used are:

Violent Offenses:	Homicide, robbery, all types of assaults, forcible rape, and kidnapping.
Property Offenses:	Burglary, theft (including auto), forgery and check offenses, and arson.
Drug Offenses:	All offenses related to narcotics and dangerous drugs.
Other Offenses:	All offenses not specified above.

Special Note: This report distinguishes between the Division of Juvenile Justice and Adult Operations of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. Division of Juvenile Justice cases are youth committed directly to the former Youth Authority (CYA). Adult Operations cases are youth committed to prison, but ordered by the court to serve at least part of their sentence in Division of Juvenile Justice facilities.

Information for this report is gathered from Referral Documents and Reception Center-Clinic Summaries.

HIGHLIGHTS

- In 2006, total first commitments to the Division of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) decreased by 20.4 percent from 2005 first commitments, and decreased by 81.0 percent as compared to 1995 admissions.

- In 2006, Adult Operations cases represented 10.3 percent of all first commitments, as compared to 21.3 percent in 1995.

- Violent offenders -- offenders committed *primarily* for a violent offense -- represented 60.6 percent of all the 2006 first commitments, 5.3 percent more than in 1995. Commitments for property offenses decreased from 58.4 percent in 1995 to 20.4 percent by 2006. Commitments for drug offenses were 7.9 percent during 1995 and 3.2 percent in 2006; and other offenses increased from 8.3 percent in 1995 to 15.8 percent in 2006.

- In 2006, 17.5 percent of first commitments had no prior conviction or sustained petition. In 1995, the comparable figure was 20.0 percent.

- In 2006, 47.1 percent of first commitments had no prior local commitment (e.g., juvenile hall or camp). In 1995, the comparable figure was 48.8 percent.

- The percentage of female first commitments has fluctuated between 4.1 and 6.6 percent for the past 12 years. In 2006, females made up 5.5 percent of all first commitments.

- Historically, the majority of DJJ first commitments have come from the juvenile courts. For the years shown, the proportion of juvenile court commitments has varied from a low of 75.6 percent in 1995 to a high of 95.0 percent in 2003. For 2006, that figure is 88.9 percent.

- The average age at admission has fluctuated over time, from 17.4 years in 1995, to 17.0 years in 1997 through 1999. By 2006, the average age at admission was back up to 17.3 years.

- About half of the youth admitted over the years have had at least one co-offender in the commission of their primary committing offense. In 2006, the figure was 48.5 percent.

- In 2006, 54.7 percent of first commitments came from homes affected by divorce, separation or death of parents, a slight increase from 50.0 percent in 1995. The percentage of those whose parents never married rose slightly from 26.5 percent to 27.1 percent, during the same period.

TABLE 1
CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE DIVISION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE
1995 THRU 2006
(Showing percentages of totals)
TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	1995 TOTAL	1995 DJJ	1995 ADULT	1996 TOTAL	1996 DJJ	1996 ADULT	1997 TOTAL	1997 DJJ	1997 ADULT	1998 TOTAL	1998 DJJ	1998 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202	2,154	2,034	120
MALE	95.9	95.4	97.6	95.5	95.5	95.6	95.0	94.9	96.5	95.7	95.5	98.3
FEMALE	4.1	4.6	2.4	4.5	4.5	4.4	5.0	5.1	3.5	4.3	4.5	1.7
COURT OF COMMITMENT	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202	2,154	2,034	120
JUVENILE	75.6	96.1	-	79.1	96.2	-	86.5	95.1	-	91.0	96.6	-
CRIMINAL	24.4	3.9	100.0	20.9	3.8	100.0	13.5	4.9	100.0	8.8	3.4	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202	2,154	2,034	120
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.9	19.6	16.3	17.9	19.3	11.1	17.2	18.6	2.5	18.4	19.3	3.3
ALAMEDA	5.0	5.9	1.5	3.3	3.7	1.1	3.7	4.1	-	3.8	4.0	-
CONTRA COSTA	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	2.1	2.3	1.0	2.4	2.5	0.8
MONTEREY	1.5	1.8	0.1	2.0	2.4	0.2	2.2	2.4	-	3.1	3.3	-
SAN FRANCISCO	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.3	0.4	0.4	-	0.6	0.6	-
SAN MATEO	1.4	1.4	1.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.1	-	1.5	1.6	0.8
SANTA CLARA	4.5	4.3	5.2	5.4	6.0	2.6	3.8	4.1	1.0	4.1	4.3	0.8
10 OTHER COUNTIES	4.1	3.7	5.3	4.1	4.1	3.7	4.0	4.3	0.5	2.9	3.0	0.8
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	30.8	32.9	22.8	26.6	27.4	22.7	25.5	26.5	15.3	25.3	25.5	21.7
BUTTE	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.5	0.3	1.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	1.0	1.0	0.8
FRESNO	5.7	6.3	3.5	6.1	6.5	4.5	6.2	6.7	1.5	1.9	2.0	0.8
KERN	4.7	5.4	2.1	3.9	4.3	2.1	1.6	1.8	-	0.9	2.0	0.8
MADERA	0.9	1.0	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.5	1.2	1.3	0.5	0.9	1.0	-
SACRAMENTO	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	4.4	3.2	2.9	5.9	2.0	1.8	6.7
SAN JOAQUIN	2.7	2.7	3.0	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	3.5	1.9	1.7	5.8
STANISLAUS	1.3	1.4	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.7	-	1.7	1.8	-
TULARE	4.6	5.0	3.2	2.5	2.9	1.0	2.8	2.9	1.0	2.4	2.3	4.2
25 OTHER COUNTIES	7.3	7.8	5.4	5.9	6.0	5.5	6.3	6.7	2.5	7.8	8.1	2.5
LOS ANGELES	26.5	23.0	39.5	29.6	27.4	39.8	28.7	26.3	53.0	26.1	24.3	55.8
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	23.8	24.4	21.4	26.0	25.9	26.3	28.6	28.5	29.2	30.2	30.8	19.2
ORANGE	5.9	6.5	4.0	7.9	8.6	4.4	6.7	6.8	5.9	7.1	7.5	0.8
RIVERSIDE	4.5	3.8	6.8	5.8	4.8	10.5	7.3	6.8	12.4	6.4	6.3	7.5
SAN BERNARDINO	2.6	2.8	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.7	5.3	5.4	4.0	7.7	7.7	8.3
SAN DIEGO	7.6	8.3	5.0	8.1	8.6	5.6	7.3	7.7	3.0	5.7	5.9	0.8
SANTA BARBARA	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	-	0.8	0.8	-
VENTURA	1.6	1.5	0.8	0.7	1.6	0.6	1.0	0.8	3.5	2.5	2.5	1.7
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.8	0.7	1.4	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202	2,154	2,034	120
VIOLENT OFFENSES	55.3	49.4	76.9	56.8	52.0	79.2	59.5	56.5	89.6	53.9	51.7	91.7
PROPERTY OFFENSES	58.4	32.1	14.9	28.8	32.3	12.3	25.5	27.8	3.0	28.5	30.0	2.5
DRUG OFFENSES	7.9	9.1	3.8	6.0	6.5	3.4	5.2	5.3	4.0	7.1	7.4	2.5
OTHER OFFENSES	8.3	9.4	4.5	8.5	9.2	5.2	9.8	10.4	3.5	10.5	10.9	3.3
ETHNIC GROUP	3,788	2,980	808	3,490	2,870	620	2,245	2,043	202	2,154	2,034	120
WHITE	16.4	17.2	13.6	15.7	15.6	16.1	14.8	15.3	9.9	14.3	14.7	7.5
HISPANIC	47.1	48.4	42.2	48.1	48.7	45.2	49.0	48.8	51.0	52.8	52.8	54.2
AFRICAN AMERICAN	27.4	25.6	34.0	26.9	26.3	30.0	26.6	26.7	25.7	24.2	23.8	30.0
ASIAN	5.9	5.5	7.0	6.1	6.2	6.0	7.4	7.0	11.4	5.4	5.3	6.7
OTHER	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.2	2.7	2.1	2.2	2.0	3.3	3.4	1.7

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CHARACTERISTICS	1999 TOTAL	1999 DJJ	1999 ADULT	2000 TOTAL	2000 DJJ	2000 ADULT	2001 TOTAL	2001 DJJ	2001 ADULT	2002 TOTAL	2002 DJJ	2002 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	2,186	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74	1,402	1,334	68
MALE	94.0	94.0	91.7	95.1	95.0	96.4	94.3	94.3	94.6	93.5	93.2	98.5
FEMALE	6.0	6.0	8.3	4.9	5.0	3.6	5.7	5.7	5.4	6.5	6.8	1.5
COURT OF COMMITMENT	2,186	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74	1,402	1,334	68
JUVENILE	93.1	97.4	-	94.0	98.4	-	94.6	99.2	-	94.6	99.4	-
CRIMINAL	6.9	2.6	100.0	6.0	1.6	100.0	5.4	0.8	100.0	5.4	0.6	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	2,186	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74	1,402	1,334	68
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	19.4	20.2	2.0	9.6	20.2	7.1	15.1	15.8	1.4	18.0	18.6	5.9
ALAMEDA	5.6	5.9	-	5.0	5.3	-	3.2	3.4	-	3.9	4.1	-
CONTRA COSTA	2.3	2.4	-	2.6	2.7	-	2.5	2.6	1.4	2.6	2.8	-
MONTEREY	1.2	1.3	-	1.8	1.9	-	1.8	1.9	-	2.9	3.1	-
SAN FRANCISCO	0.5	0.6	-	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	-	1.4	1.3	1.5
SAN MATEO	1.5	1.5	1.0	2.3	2.4	-	1.0	1.1	-	1.1	1.1	-
SANTA CLARA	4.0	4.2	-	2.8	2.9	1.2	2.7	2.8	-	2.8	2.9	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	4.2	4.4	1.0	3.9	3.8	4.8	2.7	2.8	-	3.3	3.2	4.4
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	24.5	24.6	21.9	25.0	25.3	19.0	26.4	26.0	36.5	32.5	31.9	45.6
BUTTE	0.3	0.3	-	0.2	0.2	-	0.5	0.5	-	0.6	0.6	-
FRESNO	6.5	6.8	-	3.5	3.5	3.6	5.2	4.9	10.8	7.9	8.3	-
KERN	2.4	2.3	5.2	1.8	1.7	4.8	1.6	1.3	6.8	2.1	1.9	7.4
MADERA	0.4	0.4	-	1.2	1.2	-	1.0	1.0	-	0.9	0.9	-
SACRAMENTO	3.0	2.8	6.3	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.0	9.5	5.3	4.4	23.5
SAN JOAQUIN	3.2	3.1	5.2	2.8	2.9	1.2	2.2	2.2	1.4	2.6	2.6	2.9
STANISLAUS	0.8	0.9	-	1.5	1.6	-	1.3	1.4	-	1.7	1.8	-
TULARE	2.1	2.1	2.1	3.5	3.6	1.2	2.3	2.3	1.4	2.7	2.8	-
25 OTHER COUNTIES	5.7	5.8	3.1	6.9	7.1	3.6	9.2	9.4	6.8	8.6	8.5	11.8
LOS ANGELES	27.5	26.4	52.1	27.0	25.8	52.4	26.7	26.7	27.0	27.2	27.0	30.9
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	28.6	28.8	24.0	28.4	28.7	21.4	31.7	31.6	35.1	22.3	22.6	17.6
ORANGE	5.6	5.7	3.1	4.4	4.5	2.4	4.5	4.4	5.4	2.7	2.8	1.5
RIVERSIDE	6.3	6.2	7.3	3.6	3.4	8.3	5.0	4.5	14.9	4.6	4.5	7.4
SAN BERNARDINO	8.8	8.9	8.3	13.1	13.2	9.5	15.3	15.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	4.4
SAN DIEGO	5.5	5.5	4.2	4.1	4.3	1.2	4.3	4.2	5.4	4.8	4.9	1.5
SANTA BARBARA	0.6	0.6	-	0.7	0.7	-	0.4	0.4	1.4	0.4	0.4	-
VENTURA	1.6	1.6	-	2.3	2.4	-	1.9	2.0	-	2.7	2.7	2.9
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.2	0.2	-	0.3	0.3	1.4	0.3	0.3	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	2,186	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74	1,402	1,334	68
VIOLENT OFFENSES	51.1	49.3	89.6	48.8	47.1	86.9	48.4	46.4	89.2	49.4	47.6	83.8
PROPERTY OFFENSES	32.7	33.8	8.3	31.4	32.6	6.0	33.3	34.8	1.4	28.3	29.5	4.4
DRUG OFFENSES	5.6	5.9	-	6.6	6.8	2.4	5.3	5.5	-	4.9	4.9	4.4
OTHER OFFENSES	10.6	11.0	2.1	13.2	13.6	4.8	13.1	13.2	9.5	17.4	17.9	7.4
ETHNIC GROUP	2,186	2,087	96	1,904	1,820	84	1,592	1,518	74	1,402	1,334	68
WHITE	15.5	15.9	6.3	19.5	20.1	7.1	18.8	19.4	6.8	15.5	15.9	8.8
HISPANIC	48.9	48.4	58.3	46.4	45.9	57.1	50.9	50.7	55.4	50.6	50.7	50.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	28.8	28.7	32.3	28.5	28.5	29.8	25.4	25.2	29.7	27.4	27.1	32.4
ASIAN	4.6	4.6	3.1	3.7	3.8	2.4	3.3	3.2	6.8	3.9	3.7	8.8
OTHER	2.2	2.3	-	1.8	1.8	3.6	1.6	1.6	1.4	2.5	2.6	-

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TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	2003 TOTAL	2003 DJJ	2003 ADULT	2004 TOTAL	2004 DJJ	2004 ADULT	2005 TOTAL	2005 DJJ	2005 ADULT	2006 TOTAL	2006 DJJ	2006 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	1,229	1,176	53	891	838	53	906	816	90	721	647	74
MALE	94.1	94.0	96.2	94.5	94.7	90.6	95.6	95.3	97.8	94.5	94.6	93.2
FEMALE	5.9	6.0	3.8	5.5	5.3	9.4	4.4	4.7	2.2	5.5	5.4	6.8
COURT OF COMMITMENT	1,229	1,176	53	891	838	53	906	816	90	721	647	74
JUVENILE	95.0	99.3	-	93.7	99.6	-	89.4	99.3	-	88.9	99.1	-
CRIMINAL	5.0	0.7	100.0	6.3	0.4	100.0	10.6	0.7	100.0	11.1	0.9	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	1,229	1,176	53	891	838	53	906	816	90	721	647	74
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.9	19.7	0.0	21.3	22.6	1.9	18.4	20.0	4.4	19.7	21.5	4.1
ALAMEDA	4.6	4.8	-	5.8	6.2	-	3.6	4.0	-	6.5	7.1	1.4
CONTRA COSTA	3.0	3.1	-	2.8	3.0	-	3.0	3.3	-	1.9	2.2	-
MONTEREY	2.5	2.6	-	5.4	5.7	-	5.2	5.6	1.1	2.5	2.6	1.4
SAN FRANCISCO	0.9	0.9	-	1.2	1.3	-	1.1	1.2	-	0.3	0.3	-
SAN MATEO	1.4	1.4	-	1.7	1.8	-	1.5	1.7	-	2.5	2.8	-
SANTA CLARA	3.1	3.2	-	1.8	1.9	-	2.6	2.6	3.3	3.2	3.6	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	3.3	3.5	-	2.6	2.6	1.9	1.3	1.5	-	2.8	2.9	1.4
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	31.3	32.0	17.0	31.2	31.0	34.0	30.2	30.3	31.1	31.8	32.8	23.0
BUTTE	1.6	1.7	-	0.4	0.5	-	1.1	1.2	-	0.7	0.8	-
FRESNO	6.3	6.5	3.8	7.4	7.9	-	5.2	5.8	-	5.4	5.9	1.4
KERN	2.3	2.4	-	1.7	1.9	-	1.5	1.7	-	6.2	6.8	1.4
MADERA	1.3	1.4	-	0.6	0.6	-	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.9	-
SACRAMENTO	3.4	3.6	-	2.9	2.9	3.8	3.5	2.8	10.0	3.5	3.6	2.7
SAN JOAQUIN	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.2	7.5	1.5	1.5	2.2	1.7	1.7	1.4
STANISLAUS	2.4	2.5	-	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.3	-	1.8	2.0	-
TULARE	2.9	3.1	-	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.6	4.5	5.6	3.3	3.1	5.4
25 OTHER COUNTIES	9.0	8.9	11.3	10.8	10.4	17.0	10.6	10.4	12.2	8.3	8.0	10.8
LOS ANGELES	26.6	25.4	52.8	21.4	20.4	37.7	20.4	22.7	31.1	23.3	21.3	40.5
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	23.2	22.9	30.2	26.0	26.0	26.4	27.8	27.2	33.3	25.2	24.4	32.4
ORANGE	2.8	2.7	3.8	4.7	5.0	-	3.0	3.2	1.1	4.0	4.0	4.1
RIVERSIDE	4.8	4.4	13.2	7.3	7.0	11.3	6.6	7.1	2.2	5.0	5.1	4.1
SAN BERNARDINO	6.1	6.2	3.8	8.3	8.4	7.5	7.5	6.1	20.0	7.5	6.6	14.9
SAN DIEGO	6.0	6.1	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.8	5.2	4.9	7.8	5.0	4.8	6.8
SANTA BARBARA	0.6	0.5	1.9	0.7	0.6	1.9	0.3	0.2	1.1	1.0	0.8	2.7
VENTURA	2.0	2.0	3.8	1.1	1.1	1.9	4.7	5.1	1.1	2.2	2.5	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.9	0.9	-	0.2	0.2	-	0.4	0.5	-	0.6	0.6	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	1,229	1,176	53	891	838	53	906	816	90	721	647	74
VIOLENT OFFENSES	51.7	49.7	94.3	59.6	58.1	83.0	61.1	57.8	91.1	60.6	56.9	93.2
PROPERTY OFFENSES	27.3	28.5	1.9	20.9	21.6	10.4	20.0	21.7	4.4	20.4	22.6	1.4
DRUG OFFENSES	4.5	4.7	-	3.9	4.2	-	3.5	3.9	-	3.2	3.6	-
OTHER OFFENSES	16.5	17.1	3.8	15.6	16.1	7.5	15.3	16.5	4.4	15.8	17.0	5.4
ETHNIC GROUP	1,229	1,176	53	891	838	53	906	816	90	721	647	74
WHITE	14.7	15.0	9.4	13.7	14.1	7.5	13.1	13.8	6.7	11.9	12.5	6.8
HISPANIC	49.9	50.3	41.5	51.2	50.5	62.3	51.3	50.7	56.7	52.3	53.2	44.6
AFRICAN AMERICAN	30.3	29.8	43.4	27.9	28.4	20.8	30.0	29.9	31.1	31.5	30.0	44.6
ASIAN	2.9	3.0	1.9	4.7	4.7	5.7	2.8	2.9	1.1	3.2	3.2	2.7
OTHER	2.1	2.0	3.8	2.5	2.4	3.8	2.8	2.6	4.4	1.1	1.1	1.4

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TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	1995 TOTAL	1995 DJJ	1995 ADULT	1996 TOTAL	1996 DJJ	1996 ADULT	1997 TOTAL	1997 DJJ	1997 ADULT	1998 TOTAL	1998 DJJ	1998 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.4	17.0	18.9	17.2	17.0	18.4	17.0	17.0	17.2	17.0	17.0	17.1
PRIOR ESCAPES	3,095	2,432	663	2,963	2,411	552	2,016	1,834	182	1,682	1,587	95
NONE OR UNKNOWN	73.7	69.2	89.9	78.1	74.8	92.4	83.1	82.0	94.5	82.1	81.4	93.7
ONE OR MORE	26.3	30.8	10.1	21.9	25.2	7.6	16.9	18.0	5.5	17.9	18.6	6.3
CO-OFFENDERS	3,095	2,432	663	2,963	2,411	552	2,016	1,834	182	1,682	1,587	95
NONE OR UNKNOWN	50.3	53.5	38.8	48.2	51.1	35.5	50.2	52.4	28.0	53.8	55.5	26.3
ONE OR TWO	38.0	35.2	48.6	38.7	37.0	46.6	36.4	34.8	52.2	34.8	33.4	58.9
THREE OR MORE	11.6	11.3	12.7	13.1	12.0	17.9	13.4	12.8	19.8	11.4	11.2	14.7
DISABILITIES	3,095	2,432	663	2,963	2,411	552	2,016	1,834	182	1,682	1,587	95
NONE OR UNKNOWN	92.6	92.4	93.7	92.5	92.6	91.8	92.2	92.1	92.9	92.2	92.0	95.8
DISABILITY PRESENT	7.4	7.6	6.3	7.5	7.4	8.2	7.8	7.9	7.1	7.8	8.0	4.2
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	8.5	8.3	9.2	8.4	8.3	9.0	8.0	8.0	8.7	8.0	8.0	8.2
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	7.5	7.4	8.1	7.4	7.3	8.1	7.2	7.1	7.8	7.2	7.2	7.5
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	3,095	2,432	663	2,920	2,376	544	1,957	1,781	176	1,641	1,546	95
NONE	20.0	15.7	35.9	21.7	17.1	41.9	23.1	21.2	42.6	19.4	18.2	38.9
ONE THRU FOUR	57.6	59.0	52.6	59.1	61.1	50.6	58.9	59.7	51.1	60.5	60.7	55.8
FIVE OR MORE	22.4	25.3	11.5	19.2	21.8	7.5	18.0	19.1	6.3	20.2	21.1	5.3
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	3,095	2,432	663	2,938	2,392	546	1,983	1,806	177	1,664	1,569	95
NONE	48.8	44.8	63.3	43.5	38.3	66.3	50.7	48.6	72.9	40.3	38.4	72.6
ONE	22.4	23.1	19.6	25.4	26.8	18.9	22.5	22.9	18.1	21.8	22.2	15.8
TWO	14.8	16.2	9.5	17.6	19.9	7.9	15.3	16.2	6.2	20.4	21.2	6.3
THREE OR MORE	14.1	15.8	7.5	13.5	15.0	7.0	11.4	12.3	2.8	17.5	18.2	5.3
RELIGION	2,195	1,714	481	2,149	1,736	413	1,568	1,413	155	1,323	1,246	77
CATHOLIC	50.2	50.5	48.9	46.9	47.9	42.4	43.8	43.0	51.0	46.2	46.1	48.1
PROTESTANT	38.9	38.9	38.9	41.9	40.7	47.0	43.8	44.0	41.3	44.4	44.4	45.5
OTHER	10.9	10.6	12.3	11.2	11.3	10.7	12.5	13.0	7.7	9.4	9.6	6.5
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	3,024	2,379	645	2,875	2,348	527	1,952	1,774	178	1,631	1,538	93
NEVER MARRIED	26.5	26.8	25.3	26.5	27.0	24.3	26.2	26.6	22.5	28.6	28.8	25.8
PRESENTLY MARRIED	23.5	21.9	29.8	24.1	24.0	24.3	25.7	25.1	31.5	23.5	23.2	28.0
NO LONGER MARRIED	50.0	51.3	45.0	49.4	49.0	51.4	48.1	48.3	46.1	47.9	48.0	46.2

TABLE 1
CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE DIVISION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE
1995 THRU 2006
(Showing percentages of totals)
TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	1999 TOTAL	1999 DJJ	1999 ADULT	2000 TOTAL	2000 DJJ	2000 ADULT	2001 TOTAL	2001 DJJ	2001 ADULT	2002 TOTAL	2002 DJJ	2002 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.0	17.2	17.2	16.9	17.2	17.2	16.8
PRIOR ESCAPES	1,900	1,822	78	1,501	1,437	64	1,401	1,338	78	1,118	1,076	72
NONE OR UNKNOWN	76.6	75.6	98.7	78.8	78.1	93.8	78.3	77.5	95.2	76.2	75.7	88.1
ONE OR MORE	23.4	24.4	1.3	21.2	21.9	6.3	21.7	22.5	4.8	23.8	24.3	11.9
CO-OFFENDERS	1,900	1,822	78	1,501	1,437	64	1,401	1,338	78	1,118	1,076	42
NONE OR UNKNOWN	53.3	54.6	23.1	55.8	56.6	37.5	54.7	56.2	23.8	57.8	58.6	35.7
ONE OR TWO	35.8	35.0	53.8	35.6	34.9	53.1	35.8	34.6	61.9	34.3	34.2	35.7
THREE OR MORE	10.9	10.4	23.1	8.5	8.5	9.4	9.4	9.2	14.3	8.0	7.2	28.6
DISABILITIES	1,900	1,822	78	1,501	1,437	64	1,401	1,338	78	1,118	1,076	42
NONE OR UNKNOWN	91.9	91.8	94.9	91.9	91.8	95.3	91.9	91.9	92.1	89.7	89.6	92.9
DISABILITY PRESENT	8.1	8.2	5.1	8.1	8.2	4.7	8.1	8.1	7.9	10.3	10.4	7.1
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	7.9	7.9	8.2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	6.9	6.9	7.2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	1,869	1,791	78	1,472	1,409	63	1,379	1,316	63	1,097	1,055	42
NONE	16.3	15.1	42.3	15.8	14.7	41.3	17.0	15.8	42.9	17.4	15.6	61.9
ONE THRU FOUR	61.9	62.5	48.7	63.8	64.3	50.8	61.2	61.5	55.6	58.2	59.1	31.0
FIVE OR MORE	21.8	22.4	9.0	20.4	21.0	7.9	21.8	22.7	1.6	24.5	25.5	7.1
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	1,892	1,814	78	1,493	1,430	63	1,392	1,329	63	1,114	1,072	42
NONE	39.1	37.8	69.2	36.1	34.8	66.7	37.5	36.0	69.8	38.2	36.8	73.8
ONE	22.6	22.5	25.6	23.2	23.4	19.0	24.5	24.6	22.2	23.3	23.7	14.3
TWO	19.5	20.1	3.8	22.0	22.7	4.8	20.4	21.1	6.3	18.7	19.2	4.8
THREE OR MORE	18.8	19.6	1.3	18.7	19.1	9.5	17.6	18.4	1.6	19.8	20.3	7.1
RELIGION	1,498	1,431	67	1,180	1,121	59	1,091	1,047	44	846	816	309
CATHOLIC	44.5	44.7	41.8	44.7	44.4	49.2	44.6	44.6	45.5	46.8	46.2	63.3
PROTESTANT	46.8	46.9	44.8	45.4	45.2	49.2	44.1	44.1	43.2	44.0	44.5	30.0
OTHER	8.7	8.5	13.4	9.9	10.3	1.7	11.3	11.3	11.4	9.2	9.3	67.0
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	1,855	1,780	75	1,473	1,410	63	1,373	1,312	61	1,082	1,042	41
NEVER MARRIED	31.3	31.3	32.0	32.7	32.8	31.7	31.1	31.1	31.1	32.4	32.5	29.3
PRESENTLY MARRIED	19.6	19.3	26.7	19.3	19.3	19.0	20.1	19.6	31.1	21.4	21.1	29.3
NO LONGER MARRIED	49.1	49.4	41.3	48.0	47.9	49.2	48.8	49.3	37.7	46.2	46.4	41.5

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CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE DIVISION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE
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TOTAL

CHARACTERISTICS	2003 TOTAL	2003 DJJ	2003 ADULT	2004 TOTAL	2004 DJJ	2004 ADULT	2005 TOTAL	2005 DJJ	2005 ADULT	2006 TOTAL	2006 DJJ	2006 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.2	17.2	16.9	17.2	17.2	17.0	17.3	17.3	17.1	17.3	17.3	17.2
PRIOR ESCAPES	1,091	1,045	46	822	782	40	863	785	78	662	594	68
NONE OR UNKNOWN	74.5	74.0	87.0	76.5	75.6	95.0	82.6	81.3	96.2	74.9	72.6	95.6
ONE OR MORE	25.5	26.0	13.0	23.5	24.4	5.0	17.4	18.7	3.8	25.1	27.4	4.4
CO-OFFENDERS	1,091	1,045	46	822	782	40	863	785	78	662	594	68
NONE OR UNKNOWN	58.0	59.0	34.8	52.3	53.3	32.5	50.2	52.5	26.9	51.5	53.4	35.3
ONE OR TWO	32.4	31.8	45.7	33.7	33.4	40.0	37.3	35.9	51.3	37.0	36.0	45.6
THREE OR MORE	9.6	9.2	19.6	14.0	13.3	27.5	12.5	11.6	21.8	11.5	10.6	19.1
DISABILITIES	1,091	1,045	46	822	782	40	863	785	78	662	594	68
NONE OR UNKNOWN	90.7	90.7	91.3	92.8	93.1	87.5	89.3	89.4	88.5	90.9	90.6	94.1
DISABILITY PRESENT	9.3	9.3	8.7	7.2	6.9	12.5	10.7	10.6	11.5	9.1	9.4	5.9
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	1,073	1,027	46	804	764	40	828	754	74	646	578	68
NONE	16.2	15.6	30.4	19.3	18.3	37.5	15.7	13.7	36.5	17.5	15.1	38.2
ONE THRU FOUR	56.8	56.5	63.1	56.3	56.6	52.5	58.2	58.4	55.4	49.8	49.8	50.1
FIVE OR MORE	27.0	27.9	6.5	24.4	25.1	10.0	26.1	27.9	8.1	32.7	35.1	11.8
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	1,087	1,041	46	815	777	38	844	769	75	658	590	68
NONE	51.2	50.1	76.1	54.5	52.9	86.8	42.4	39.9	68.0	47.1	44.4	70.6
ONE	16.6	16.6	15.2	14.8	15.3	5.3	20.6	20.9	17.3	16.9	16.4	20.6
TWO	15.1	15.7	2.2	12.8	13.0	7.9	16.4	17.3	6.7	16.0	17.3	4.4
THREE OR MORE	17.1	17.6	6.5	17.9	18.8	-	20.6	21.8	8.0	20.1	21.9	4.4
RELIGION	1,041	995	46	760	720	40	808	735	73	566	505	61
CATHOLIC	39.9	40.0	37.0	40.5	40.1	47.5	41.0	40.8	42.5	46.1	46.7	41.0
PROTESTANT	36.0	35.6	45.7	35.7	35.6	37.5	39.4	39.7	35.6	41.2	41.0	42.6
OTHER	8.5	8.3	13.0	10.9	11.0	10.0	10.1	9.4	17.8	12.7	12.3	16.4
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	1,060	1,041	46	808	760	45	829	757	72	656	589	67
NEVER MARRIED	33.8	33.6	37.0	34.4	35.4	17.8	27.0	26.7	30.6	27.1	26.7	31.3
PRESENTLY MARRIED	18.2	18.4	13.0	18.2	18.3	15.6	21.0	20.7	23.6	18.1	17.1	26.9
NO LONGER MARRIED	48.0	47.9	50.0	47.4	46.3	66.7	52.0	52.6	45.8	54.7	56.2	41.8

TABLE 2
CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE DIVISION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE
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CHARACTERISTICS	1995 TOTAL	1995 DJJ	1995 ADULT	1996 TOTAL	1996 DJJ	1996 ADULT	1997 TOTAL	1997 DJJ	1997 ADULT	1998 TOTAL	1998 DJJ	1998 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195	2,061	1,943	118
COURT OF COMMITMENT	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195	2,061	1,943	118
JUVENILE	75.1	95.9	-	79.1	96.2	-	86.4	95.1	-	91.0	96.6	-
CRIMINAL	24.9	4.1	100.0	20.9	3.8	100.0	13.6	4.9	100.0	9.0	3.4	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195	2,061	1,943	118
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.6	19.2	16.6	17.8	19.3	11.0	17.0	18.4	2.6	18.4	19.4	3.4
ALAMEDA	5.1	6.1	1.5	3.2	3.7	1.0	3.7	4.0	-	3.8	4.1	-
CONTRA COSTA	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.1	2.2	1.0	2.4	2.5	0.8
MONTEREY	1.4	1.8	0.1	2.0	2.3	0.2	2.1	2.3	-	3.0	3.1	-
SAN FRANCISCO	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.3	0.4	0.4	-	0.6	0.7	-
SAN MATEO	1.2	1.1	1.5	0.6	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.1	-	1.6	1.6	0.8
SANTA CLARA	4.4	4.2	5.2	5.6	6.2	2.7	3.8	4.1	1.0	4.1	4.3	0.8
10 OTHER COUNTIES	4.0	3.6	5.4	3.9	4.0	3.4	4.0	4.4	0.5	2.9	3.0	0.8
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	30.6	32.8	22.7	26.3	27.0	22.9	25.4	26.4	14.9	25.0	25.2	22.0
BUTTE	0.4	0.2	1.0	0.5	0.3	1.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	1.0	1.0	0.8
FRESNO	5.8	6.5	3.4	6.1	6.4	4.7	6.2	6.7	1.0	5.6	5.9	0.8
KERN	4.7	5.4	2.0	3.9	4.3	2.0	1.6	1.8	-	1.8	1.9	0.8
MADERA	0.9	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.3	1.2	1.2	0.5	0.9	1.0	-
SACRAMENTO	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	4.4	3.2	2.9	5.6	2.0	1.7	6.8
SAN JOAQUIN	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3	3.6	1.9	1.7	5.9
STANISLAUS	1.2	1.3	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.7	-	1.8	1.9	-
TULARE	4.5	4.9	3.2	2.3	2.6	0.8	2.8	2.9	1.0	2.3	2.2	4.2
25 OTHER COUNTIES	7.2	7.6	5.6	5.8	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.6	2.6	7.6	7.9	2.5
LOS ANGELES	26.7	23.3	39.2	29.8	27.6	39.6	29.1	26.6	53.3	26.3	24.5	55.9
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	24.1	24.8	21.5	26.2	26.1	26.5	28.6	28.5	29.2	30.2	30.9	18.6
ORANGE	6.1	6.7	4.1	8.1	8.9	4.4	6.8	6.9	6.2	7.3	7.7	0.8
RIVERSIDE	4.5	3.9	6.7	5.9	4.9	10.3	7.3	6.8	12.8	6.3	6.2	7.6
SAN BERNARDINO	2.7	2.9	1.9	2.2	2.0	2.9	5.4	5.5	4.1	7.8	7.8	7.6
SAN DIEGO	7.6	8.4	4.9	8.0	8.5	5.9	7.2	7.6	2.6	5.7	6.0	0.8
SANTA BARBARA	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	-	0.7	0.8	-
VENTURA	1.6	1.5	1.9	0.7	0.7	1.5	1.0	0.8	3.6	2.4	2.4	1.7
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.8	0.6	1.4	0.6	0.5	1.0	0.4	0.5	-	0.1	0.1	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195	2,061	1,943	118
VIOLENT OFFENSES	55.3	49.4	76.6	57.0	52.1	79.6	58.9	55.9	89.2	54.2	51.9	93.2
PROPERTY OFFENSES	28.4	32.1	15.1	28.6	32.1	12.3	25.9	28.2	3.1	28.0	29.6	2.5
DRUG OFFENSES	7.8	8.9	3.8	5.9	6.4	3.2	5.1	5.2	4.1	7.0	7.3	1.7
OTHER OFFENSES	8.5	9.6	4.6	8.6	9.3	4.9	10.0	10.7	3.6	10.7	11.2	2.5
ETHNIC GROUP	3,631	2,842	789	3,333	2,740	593	2,133	1,938	195	2,061	1,943	118
WHITE	16.1	16.7	13.9	15.0	15.0	15.2	14.2	14.7	9.2	13.7	14.1	7.6
HISPANIC	47.5	49.0	41.8	48.6	49.2	45.9	49.4	49.3	50.8	53.6	53.6	53.4
AFRICAN AMERICAN	7.3	25.5	33.8	26.9	26.3	30.0	26.6	26.7	26.2	23.8	23.4	30.5
ASIAN	6.0	5.7	7.2	6.2	6.3	6.1	7.7	7.3	11.8	5.5	5.5	6.8
OTHER	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.9	2.1	2.1	2.1	3.3	3.4	1.7

TABLE 2
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CHARACTERISTICS	1999 TOTAL	1999 DJJ	1999 ADULT	2000 TOTAL	2000 DJJ	2000 ADULT	2001 TOTAL	2001 DJJ	2001 ADULT	2002 TOTAL	2002 DJJ	2002 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70	1,310	1,243	67
COURT OF COMMITMENT	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70	1,310	1,243	67
JUVENILE	93.3	97.5	-	94.0	98.4	-	94.6	99.2	-	94.3	99.4	-
CRIMINAL	6.7	2.5	100.0	6.0	1.6	100.0	5.4	0.8	100.0	5.7	0.6	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70	1,310	1,243	67
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	19.5	20.2	2.3	19.4	19.9	7.4	14.8	15.4	1.4	17.9	18.5	6.0
ALAMEDA	5.7	5.9	-	5.1	5.3	-	3.3	3.4	-	4.0	4.3	-
CONTRA COSTA	2.4	2.5	-	2.6	2.8	-	2.3	2.3	1.4	2.4	2.5	-
MONTEREY	1.2	1.2	-	1.9	2.0	-	1.7	1.8	-	2.9	3.1	-
SAN FRANCISCO	0.6	0.6	-	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	-	1.2	1.2	1.5
SAN MATEO	1.5	1.5	1.1	2.2	2.3	-	1.0	1.0	-	1.0	1.0	-
SANTA CLARA	4.0	4.2	-	2.6	2.7	1.2	2.8	2.9	-	2.8	3.0	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	4.1	4.2	1.1	3.8	3.7	4.9	2.6	2.7	-	3.5	3.5	4.5
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	24.6	24.7	21.6	24.7	25.0	17.3	6.0	25.5	35.7	32.7	31.9	46.3
BUTTE	0.3	0.4	-	0.2	0.2	-	0.5	0.6	-	0.6	0.6	-
FRESNO	6.7	7.0	-	3.3	3.3	3.7	4.9	4.6	11.4	7.9	8.4	-
KERN	2.5	2.4	5.7	1.7	1.5	4.9	1.5	1.3	7.1	2.1	1.9	7.5
MADERA	0.4	0.4	-	1.2	1.3	-	0.9	0.9	-	0.8	0.9	-
SACRAMENTO	3.0	2.9	5.7	3.5	3.5	3.7	2.9	2.7	7.1	5.5	4.5	23.9
SAN JOAQUIN	3.2	3.2	4.5	2.8	2.9	1.2	2.3	2.3	1.4	2.7	2.7	3.0
STANISLAUS	0.8	0.8	-	1.6	1.6	-	1.3	1.3	-	1.8	1.9	-
TULARE	2.0	2.0	2.3	3.6	3.7	1.2	2.3	2.4	1.4	2.7	2.8	-
25 OTHER COUNTIES	5.7	5.8	3.4	6.8	7.1	2.5	9.3	9.4	7.1	8.5	8.3	11.9
LOS ANGELES	27.6	26.5	50.0	27.4	26.2	53.1	27.4	27.5	25.7	27.8	27.7	29.9
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	28.4	28.5	26.1	28.6	28.8	22.2	31.8	31.6	37.1	21.7	21.9	17.9
ORANGE	5.8	5.9	3.4	4.6	4.7	2.5	4.5	4.5	5.7	2.7	2.8	1.5
RIVERSIDE	6.0	5.9	8.0	3.5	3.3	8.6	5.0	4.5	15.7	4.4	4.2	7.5
SAN BERNARDINO	8.6	8.6	9.1	13.0	13.1	9.9	15.4	15.8	7.1	6.4	6.5	4.5
SAN DIEGO	5.6	5.6	4.5	4.3	4.4	1.2	4.3	4.3	5.7	4.7	4.9	1.5
SANTA BARBARA	0.6	0.7	-	0.7	0.7	-	0.5	0.4	1.4	0.5	0.5	-
VENTURA	1.5	1.6	-	2.3	2.4	-	1.8	1.9	-	2.7	2.7	3.0
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.3	0.3	1.1	0.2	0.2	-	0.3	0.3	1.4	0.2	0.2	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70	1,310	1,243	67
VIOLENT OFFENSES	50.7	48.9	90.9	48.3	46.5	87.7	48.4	46.5	88.6	49.5	47.6	83.6
PROPERTY OFFENSES	33.1	34.3	6.8	31.6	32.9	4.9	33.0	34.5	1.4	28.1	29.4	4.5
DRUG OFFENSES	5.4	5.7	-	6.5	6.6	2.5	5.1	5.4	-	4.7	4.7	4.5
OTHER OFFENSES	10.8	11.2	2.3	13.6	14.0	4.9	13.5	13.6	10.0	17.7	18.3	7.5
ETHNIC GROUP	2,051	1,963	88	1,811	1,730	81	1,501	1,431	70	1,310	1,243	67
WHITE	14.7	15.1	6.8	19.2	19.8	6.2	17.9	18.4	7.1	14.9	15.2	9.0
HISPANIC	49.2	48.8	56.8	47.2	46.7	58.0	52.0	51.8	57.1	51.1	51.2	49.3
AFRICAN AMERICAN	29.3	29.1	34.1	28.0	28.0	29.6	25.1	25.0	27.1	27.6	27.4	32.8
ASIAN	4.8	4.9	2.3	3.8	3.9	2.5	3.4	3.2	7.1	4.1	3.9	9.0
OTHER	2.0	2.1	-	1.7	1.6	3.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	2.3	2.4	-

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CHARACTERISTICS	2003 TOTAL	2003 DJJ	2003 ADULT	2004 TOTAL	2004 DJJ	2004 ADULT	2005 TOTAL	2005 DJJ	2005 ADULT	2006 TOTAL	2006 DJJ	2006 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	1,157	1,106	51	842	794	48	866	778	88	681	612	69
COURT OF COMMITMENT	1,157	1,106	51	842	794	48	866	778	88	681	612	69
JUVENILE	94.9	99.3	-	94.1	99.7	-	89.1	99.2	-	89.0	99.0	-
CRIMINAL	5.1	0.7	100.0	5.9	0.3	100.0	10.9	0.8	100.0	11.0	1.0	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	1,157	1,106	51	842	794	48	866	778	88	681	612	69
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.7	19.5	-	21.0	22.6	-	17.7	19.2	4.5	20.3	22.1	4.3
ALAMEDA	4.9	5.2	-	5.8	6.2	-	3.6	4.0	-	6.8	7.4	1.4
CONTRA COSTA	2.9	3.0	-	2.6	2.8	-	2.9	3.2	-	1.9	2.1	-
MONTEREY	2.6	2.7	-	5.6	5.9	-	5.0	5.5	1.1	2.6	2.8	1.4
SAN FRANCISCO	0.7	0.7	-	1.3	1.4	-	1.0	1.2	-	0.3	0.3	-
SAN MATEO	1.4	1.4	-	1.5	1.6	-	1.3	1.4	-	2.5	2.8	-
SANTA CLARA	3.1	3.3	-	1.8	1.9	-	2.4	2.3	3.4	3.4	3.8	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	3.1	3.3	-	2.5	2.5	-	1.4	1.5	-	2.8	2.9	1.4
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	33.3	32.2	17.0	30.9	30.7	33.3	30.4	30.3	30.7	30.7	31.9	20.3
BUTTE	1.7	1.8	-	0.5	0.5	-	1.0	1.2	-	0.6	0.7	-
FRESNO	6.4	6.5	3.9	7.2	7.7	-	5.3	5.9	-	5.1	5.6	1.4
KERN	2.3	2.4	-	1.9	2.0	-	1.4	1.5	-	5.9	6.4	1.4
MADERA	1.1	1.2	-	0.5	0.5	-	0.8	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.7	-
SACRAMENTO	3.6	3.8	-	2.8	2.8	4.2	3.6	2.8	10.2	3.7	3.8	2.9
SAN JOAQUIN	2.2	2.2	2.0	1.3	1.1	4.2	1.6	1.5	2.3	1.6	1.6	1.4
STANISLAUS	2.4	2.5	-	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.3	1.4	-	1.9	2.1	-
TULARE	3.0	3.2	-	3.9	3.9	4.2	4.7	4.6	5.7	3.1	3.1	2.9
25 OTHER COUNTIES	8.7	8.6	11.8	10.9	10.5	18.8	10.6	10.5	11.4	8.2	8.0	10.1
LOS ANGELES	26.5	25.4	51.0	21.5	20.5	37.5	24.0	23.3	30.7	23.2	21.1	42.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	23.2	22.9	31.4	26.6	26.4	29.2	28.1	27.4	34.1	25.8	25.0	33.3
ORANGE	2.9	2.9	3.9	4.9	5.2	-	3.0	3.2	1.1	4.3	4.2	4.3
RIVERSIDE	4.5	4.1	13.7	7.2	6.9	12.5	6.5	6.9	2.3	5.1	5.4	2.9
SAN BERNARDINO	6.1	6.1	3.9	8.6	8.6	8.3	7.7	6.3	20.5	7.6	6.7	15.9
SAN DIEGO	6.3	6.4	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.2	5.2	4.9	8.0	5.0	4.7	7.2
SANTA BARBARA	0.4	0.4	2.0	0.7	0.6	2.1	0.3	0.3	1.1	1.0	0.8	2.9
VENTURA	2.2	2.1	3.9	1.2	1.1	2.1	4.8	5.3	1.1	2.2	2.5	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	0.9	0.9	-	0.2	0.3	-	0.5	0.5	-	0.6	0.7	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	1,157	1,106	51	842	794	48	866	778	88	681	612	69
VIOLENT OFFENSES	51.5	49.5	94.1	58.9	57.6	81.3	61.4	58.0	90.9	60.0	56.0	92.8
PROPERTY OFFENSES	27.1	28.2	2.0	21.0	21.7	10.4	19.2	20.9	4.6	20.4	22.5	1.4
DRUG OFFENSES	4.6	4.8	-	3.9	4.2	-	3.6	4.0	-	3.2	3.6	-
OTHER OFFENSES	16.9	17.5	3.9	16.1	16.6	8.3	15.9	17.1	4.5	16.6	17.8	5.8
ETHNIC GROUP	1,157	1,106	51	842	794	48	866	778	88	681	612	69
WHITE	14.4	14.6	9.8	13.3	13.6	8.3	12.8	13.5	6.8	12.1	12.7	7.2
HISPANIC	50.4	50.3	41.2	51.9	51.5	58.3	51.0	50.4	56.8	51.8	52.8	43.5
AFRICAN AMERICAN	30.0	29.3	45.1	27.4	27.7	22.9	30.5	30.5	30.7	31.6	30.1	44.9
ASIAN	3.0	3.1	2.0	5.0	4.9	6.3	2.9	3.1	1.1	3.4	3.4	2.9
OTHER	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.4	2.3	4.2	2.8	2.6	4.5	1.0	1.0	1.4

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CHARACTERISTICS	1995 TOTAL	1995 DJJ	1995 ADULT	1996 TOTAL	1996 DJJ	1996 ADULT	1997 TOTAL	1997 DJJ	1997 ADULT	1998 TOTAL	1998 DJJ	1998 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.4	17.0	18.9	17.2	17.0	18.4	17.0	17.0	17.2	17.0	17.0	17.1
PRIOR ESCAPES	2,947	2,302	645	2,860	2,332	528	1,944	1,767	177	1,610	1,515	95
NONE OR UNKNOWN	72.8	68.0	89.8	77.6	74.3	92.0	82.7	81.5	94.9	81.4	80.7	93.7
ONE OR MORE	27.2	32.0	10.2	22.4	25.7	8.0	17.3	18.5	5.1	18.6	19.3	6.3
CO-OFFENDERS	2,947	2,302	645	2,860	2,332	528	1,944	1,767	177	1,610	1,515	95
NONE OR UNKNOWN	50.3	53.4	39.2	48.0	50.8	35.8	50.6	52.8	28.2	53.4	55.1	26.3
ONE OR TWO	37.9	35.0	48.2	38.9	37.3	46.2	36.0	34.4	52.0	35.0	33.5	58.9
THREE OR MORE	11.8	11.6	12.6	13.1	12.0	18.0	13.4	12.8	19.8	11.6	11.4	14.7
DISABILITIES	2,947	2,302	645	2,860	2,332	528	1,944	1,767	177	1,610	1,515	95
NONE OR UNKNOWN	92.4	92.1	93.5	92.3	92.5	91.5	92.2	92.1	92.7	92.0	91.8	95.8
DISABILITY PRESENT	7.6	7.9	6.5	7.7	7.5	8.5	7.8	7.9	7.3	8.0	8.2	4.2
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	8.5	8.3	9.2	8.4	8.3	9.0	8.0	8.0	8.7	8.0	8.0	8.2
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	7.5	7.4	8.1	7.4	7.3	8.1	7.2	7.1	7.8	7.2	7.2	7.5
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	2,947	2,302	645	2,817	2,297	520	1,886	1,715	171	1,569	1,474	95
NONE	19.8	15.6	35.0	21.5	17.0	41.2	22.8	20.8	43.3	19.0	17.7	38.9
ONE THRU FOUR	57.3	58.4	53.3	58.8	60.6	51.0	59.0	59.8	50.9	60.4	60.7	55.8
FIVE OR MORE	22.9	26.0	11.6	19.7	22.4	7.9	18.2	19.4	5.8	20.6	21.6	5.3
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	2,947	2,302	645	2,835	2,313	522	1,912	1,740	172	1,593	1,498	95
NONE	47.2	43.0	32.5	42.6	37.5	65.1	49.3	47.0	72.1	37.7	35.4	72.6
ONE	22.6	23.3	20.0	25.3	26.6	19.3	23.1	23.6	18.6	22.8	23.2	15.8
TWO	15.4	17.0	9.8	18.1	20.3	8.2	15.7	16.7	6.4	21.3	22.2	6.3
THREE OR MORE	14.7	16.7	7.8	14.0	15.5	7.3	11.9	12.8	2.9	18.3	19.1	5.3
RELIGION	2,077	1,596	481	2,053	1,662	391	1,501	1,351	150	1,258	1,181	77
CATHOLIC	50.9	51.7	48.9	47.7	48.7	43.5	44.2	43.4	51.3	47.4	47.3	48.1
PROTESTANT	37.4	37.0	38.9	40.8	39.7	45.5	42.8	43.1	40.7	42.9	42.8	45.5
OTHER	11.6	11.3	12.3	11.5	11.6	11.0	13.0	13.5	8.0	9.7	9.9	6.5
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	2,878	2,251	627	2,773	2,270	503	1,880	1,707	173	1,564	1,471	93
NEVER MARRIED	25.9	26.2	24.7	26.1	26.7	23.5	25.4	25.7	22.5	28.1	28.2	25.8
PRESENTLY MARRIED	24.1	22.5	30.1	24.5	24.4	24.9	26.1	25.5	31.8	23.8	23.6	28.0
NO LONGER MARRIED	50.0	51.3	45.1	49.4	48.9	51.7	48.6	48.9	45.7	48.1	48.2	46.2

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CHARACTERISTICS	1999 TOTAL	1999 DJJ	1999 ADULT	2000 TOTAL	2000 DJJ	2000 ADULT	2001 TOTAL	2001 DJJ	2001 ADULT	2002 TOTAL	2002 DJJ	2002 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.0	17.0	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.0	17.2	17.2	16.9	17.2	17.2	16.8
PRIOR ESCAPES	1,795	1,724	71	1,444	1,383	61	1,321	1,260	61	1,049	1,008	41
NONE OR UNKNOWN	75.2	74.2	98.6	78.0	77.3	93.4	77.0	76.1	95.1	75.0	74.5	87.8
ONE OR MORE	24.8	25.8	1.4	22.0	22.7	6.6	23.0	23.9	4.9	25.0	25.5	12.2
CO-OFFENDERS	1,795	1,724	71	1,444	1,383	61	1,321	1,260	61	1,049	1,008	41
NONE OR UNKNOWN	53.1	54.3	23.9	55.8	56.6	37.7	53.7	55.2	23.0	57.8	58.6	36.6
ONE OR TWO	36.0	35.3	53.5	35.7	34.9	52.5	36.6	35.4	62.3	34.5	34.5	34.1
THREE OR MORE	10.9	10.4	22.5	8.5	8.5	9.8	9.6	9.4	14.8	7.7	6.8	29.3
DISABILITIES	1,795	1,724	71	1,444	1,383	61	1,321	1,260	61	1,049	1,008	41
NONE OR UNKNOWN	91.7	91.6	94.4	91.8	91.6	95.1	91.6	91.6	91.8	89.2	89.1	92.7
DISABILITY PRESENT	8.3	8.4	5.6	8.2	8.4	4.9	8.4	8.4	8.2	10.8	10.9	7.3
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	7.9	7.9	8.1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	7.0	6.9	7.2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	1,765	1,694	71	1,418	1,358	60	1,299	1,238	61	1,028	987	41
NONE	15.0	13.9	42.3	15.0	13.9	40.0	16.6	15.4	41.0	17.3	15.5	61.0
ONE THRU FOUR	62.3	62.8	49.2	64.2	64.7	51.7	60.8	61.0	57.3	57.8	58.9	31.7
FIVE OR MORE	22.7	23.3	8.5	20.8	21.4	8.3	22.6	23.6	1.6	24.9	25.6	7.3
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	1,787	1,716	71	1,438	1,378	60	1,312	1,251	61	1,045	1,004	41
NONE	35.5	34.3	66.2	33.7	32.4	65.0	33.7	32.0	68.9	34.3	32.7	73.2
ONE	24.0	23.8	28.2	24.1	24.3	20.0	26.0	26.1	23.0	24.7	25.1	14.6
TWO	20.6	21.3	4.2	22.7	23.5	5.0	21.6	22.4	6.6	19.9	20.5	4.9
THREE OR MORE	19.9	20.7	1.4	19.4	19.8	10.0	18.7	19.5	1.6	21.1	21.7	7.3
RELIGION	1,407	1,345	62	1,126	1,070	56	1,028	986	42	787	758	29
CATHOLIC	45.2	45.5	38.7	45.7	45.5	50.0	46.0	45.9	47.6	47.3	46.7	62.1
PROTESTANT	45.7	45.7	46.8	44.1	43.9	48.0	42.1	42.2	40.5	42.9	43.4	31.0
OTHER	9.1	8.8	14.5	10.1	10.6	1.8	11.9	11.9	11.9	9.8	9.9	6.9
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	1,752	1,684	68	1,416	1,356	60	1,295	1,236	59	1,014	974	40
NEVER MARRIED	30.1	30.0	32.4	31.9	31.6	33.3	29.9	29.9	28.8	30.7	30.7	30.0
PRESENTLY MARRIED	20.3	20.0	27.9	19.4	19.5	18.3	20.6	20.1	32.2	21.8	21.5	30.0
NO LONGER MARRIED	49.5	49.9	39.7	48.7	48.7	48.3	49.5	50.0	39.0	47.5	47.8	40.0

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AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.2	17.2	16.9	17.2	17.2	17.0	17.3	17.3	17.1	17.3	17.3	17.2
PRIOR ESCAPES	1,039	994	45	775	740	35	825	749	76	637	573	64
NONE OR UNKNOWN	74.5	73.9	86.7	75.5	74.6	94.2	82.1	80.6	96.0	74.3	71.7	96.9
ONE OR MORE	25.5	26.1	13.3	24.5	25.4	5.8	17.9	19.4	4.0	25.7	28.3	3.1
CO-OFFENDERS	1,039	994	45	775	740	35	825	749	76	637	573	64
NONE OR UNKNOWN	57.7	58.8	35.6	52.4	53.4	31.4	49.9	52.2	27.6	51.2	53.1	34.4
ONE OR TWO	32.8	32.2	46.7	33.7	33.2	42.9	37.6	36.2	51.3	36.9	36.0	45.3
THREE OR MORE	9.4	9.1	17.8	13.9	13.4	25.7	12.5	11.6	21.1	11.9	11.0	20.3
DISABILITIES	1,039	994	45	775	740	35	825	749	76	637	573	64
NONE OR UNKNOWN	90.5	90.4	91.1	92.7	93.0	85.7	89.2	89.3	88.2	92.0	91.4	96.9
DISABILITY PRESENT	9.5	9.6	8.9	7.3	7.0	14.3	10.8	10.7	11.8	8.0	8.6	3.1
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	1,023	978	45	756	723	33	792	720	72	622	558	64
NONE	16.0	15.4	28.9	19.1	18.3	39.4	15.5	13.6	34.7	17.0	14.7	37.5
ONE THRU FOUR	57.4	57.1	64.4	57.4	57.7	54.5	59.0	59.2	57.0	50.6	50.5	51.5
FIVE OR MORE	26.6	27.5	6.7	23.5	24.1	6.1	25.5	27.2	8.3	32.3	34.8	10.9
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	1,035	990	45	768	735	33	806	733	73	633	569	64
NONE	48.9	47.6	75.6	51.7	50.2	84.8	39.8	37.1	67.1	45.3	42.7	68.8
ONE	17.4	17.5	15.6	15.8	16.2	6.1	21.6	22.0	17.8	17.2	16.7	21.9
TWO	15.8	16.5	2.2	13.5	13.7	9.1	17.1	18.1	6.9	16.6	17.9	4.7
THREE OR MORE	17.9	18.5	6.7	19.0	19.9	-	21.5	22.8	8.2	20.9	22.7	4.7
RELIGION	835	792	43	713	678	35	771	700	71	543	486	57
CATHOLIC	47.7	48.2	37.2	41.0	40.9	42.9	41.1	41.0	42.3	46.4	46.9	42.1
PROTESTANT	42.3	42.1	48.8	34.2	33.9	40.0	39.4	39.7	36.6	42.2	41.8	45.6
OTHER	9.9	9.7	14.0	11.1	11.1	11.4	9.5	8.7	16.9	11.4	11.3	12.3
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	1,008	963	45	761	721	40	791	721	70	631	568	63
NEVER MARRIED	32.6	32.5	35.6	34.8	35.6	20.0	27.2	26.9	30.0	27.1	26.6	31.7
PRESENTLY MARRIED	18.3	18.5	13.3	18.9	19.0	17.5	21.6	21.4	24.3	18.4	17.3	28.6
NO LONGER MARRIED	49.1	49.0	51.1	46.3	45.4	62.5	51.2	51.7	45.7	54.5	56.2	39.7

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CHARACTERISTICS	1995 TOTAL	1995 DJJ	1995 ADULT	1996 TOTAL	1996 DJJ	1996 ADULT	1997 TOTAL	1997 DJJ	1997 ADULT	1998 TOTAL	1998 DJJ	1998 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7	93	91	2
COURT OF COMMITMENT	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7	93	91	2
JUVENILE	87.3	99.3	-	80.3	96.9	-	89.3	95.2	-	95.7	97.8	-
CRIMINAL	12.7	0.7	100.0	19.7	3.1	100.0	10.7	4.8	100.0	4.3	2.2	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7	93	91	2
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	26.1	29.0	5.3	19.1	20.0	14.8	21.4	22.9	-	18.3	18.7	-
ALAMEDA	1.9	2.2	-	4.5	4.6	3.7	4.5	4.8	-	3.2	3.3	-
CONTRA COSTA	0.6	0.7	-	1.9	2.3	-	3.6	3.8	-	2.2	2.2	-
MONTEREY	2.5	2.9	-	2.5	3.1	-	4.5	4.8	-	6.5	6.6	-
SAN FRANCISCO	1.9	2.2	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.0	-	-	-	-
SAN MATEO	7.0	8.0	-	0.6	0.8	-	1.8	1.9	-	-	-	-
SANTA CLARA	5.7	5.8	5.3	1.9	2.3	-	3.6	3.8	-	4.3	4.4	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	6.4	7.2	-	7.6	6.9	11.1	2.7	2.9	-	2.2	2.2	-
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	35.0	36.2	26.3	33.8	36.9	18.5	27.7	27.6	28.6	31.2	31.9	-
BUTTE	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.9	-	1.1	1.1	-
FRESNO	3.2	2.9	5.3	6.4	7.7	-	7.1	6.7	14.3	6.5	6.6	-
KERN	5.7	5.8	5.3	4.5	4.6	3.7	0.9	1.0	-	3.2	3.3	-
MADERA	0.6	0.7	-	1.3	0.8	3.7	1.8	1.9	-	1.1	1.1	-
SACRAMENTO	3.2	2.9	5.3	4.5	4.6	3.7	3.6	2.9	14.3	2.2	2.2	-
SAN JOAQUIN	1.9	1.4	5.3	1.3	0.8	3.7	-	-	-	2.2	2.2	-
STANISLAUS	3.8	4.3	-	0.6	0.8	-	1.8	1.9	-	-	-	-
TULARE	5.7	5.8	5.3	7.0	7.7	3.7	2.7	2.9	-	3.2	3.3	-
25 OTHER COUNTIES	10.8	12.3	-	8.3	10.0	-	8.0	8.6	-	11.8	12.1	-
LOS ANGELES	21.7	17.4	52.6	25.5	21.5	44.4	22.3	21.0	42.9	20.4	19.8	50.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	17.2	17.4	15.8	21.7	21.5	22.2	28.6	28.6	28.6	30.1	29.7	50.0
ORANGE	2.5	2.9	-	3.2	3.1	3.7	5.4	5.7	-	3.2	3.3	-
RIVERSIDE	3.8	2.9	10.5	5.1	3.1	14.8	6.3	6.7	-	8.6	8.8	-
SAN BERNARDINO	0.6	0.7	-	1.9	2.3	-	3.6	3.8	-	6.5	5.5	50.0
SAN DIEGO	7.0	7.2	5.3	9.6	11.5	-	8.9	8.6	14.3	5.4	5.5	-
SANTA BARBARA	1.3	1.4	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.9	-	2.2	2.2	-
VENTURA	0.6	0.7	-	1.3	0.8	3.7	0.9	1.0	-	4.3	4.4	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	1.3	1.4	-	0.6	0.8	-	1.8	1.0	14.3	-	-	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7	93	91	2
VIOLENT OFFENSES	55.4	50.7	89.5	52.9	49.2	70.4	69.6	67.6	100.0	47.3	48.4	-
PROPERTY OFFENSES	29.3	32.6	5.3	32.5	36.9	11.1	17.9	19.0	-	37.6	38.5	-
DRUG OFFENSES	10.8	11.6	5.3	8.3	8.5	7.4	7.1	7.6	-	9.7	8.8	50.0
OTHER OFFENSES	4.5	5.1	-	6.4	5.4	11.1	5.4	5.7	-	5.4	4.4	50.0
ETHNIC GROUP	157	138	19	157	130	27	112	105	7	93	91	2
WHITE	24.2	27.5	-	30.6	29.2	37.0	27.7	27.6	28.6	26.9	27.5	-
HISPANIC	37.6	34.8	57.9	35.7	36.9	29.6	40.2	39.0	57.1	35.5	34.1	100.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	28.7	26.8	42.1	26.8	26.2	29.6	26.8	27.6	14.3	32.3	33.0	-
ASIAN	1.9	2.2	-	3.8	3.8	3.7	2.7	2.9	-	2.2	2.2	-
OTHER	7.6	8.7	-	3.2	3.8	-	2.7	2.9	-	3.2	3.3	-

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CHARACTERISTICS	1999 TOTAL	1999 DJJ	1999 ADULT	2000 TOTAL	2000 DJJ	2000 ADULT	2001 TOTAL	2001 DJJ	2001 ADULT	2002 TOTAL	2002 DJJ	2002 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4	92	91	1
COURT OF COMMITMENT	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4	92	91	1
JUVENILE	90.2	96.0	-	92.5	95.6	-	94.5	98.9	-	98.9	100.0	-
CRIMINAL	9.8	4.0	100.0	7.5	4.4	100.0	5.5	1.1	100.0	1.1	-	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4	92	91	1
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	18.2	19.4	-	23.7	24.4	-	20.9	21.8	-	19.6	19.8	-
ALAMEDA	5.3	5.6	-	4.3	4.4	-	2.2	2.3	-	2.2	2.2	-
CONTRA COSTA	-	-	-	2.2	2.2	-	6.6	6.9	-	6.5	6.6	-
MONTEREY	2.3	2.4	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.4	-	3.3	3.3	-
SAN FRANCISCO	-	-	-	1.1	1.1	-	2.2	2.3	-	3.3	3.3	-
SAN MATEO	0.8	0.8	-	3.2	3.3	-	1.1	1.1	-	2.2	2.2	-
SANTA CLARA	3.8	4.0	-	6.5	6.7	-	1.1	1.1	-	2.2	2.2	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	6.1	6.5	-	6.5	6.7	-	4.4	4.6	-	-	-	-
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	22.7	22.6	25.0	31.2	30.0	66.7	34.1	33.3	50.0	30.4	30.8	-
BUTTE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FRESNO	3.8	4.0	-	6.5	6.7	-	8.8	9.2	-	7.6	7.7	-
KERN	0.8	0.8	-	5.4	5.6	-	2.2	2.3	-	2.2	2.2	-
MADERA	0.8	0.8	-	-	-	33.3	2.2	2.3	-	1.1	1.1	-
SACRAMENTO	3.0	2.4	12.5	4.3	4.4	-	8.8	6.9	50.0	3.3	3.3	-
SAN JOAQUIN	3.0	2.4	12.5	2.2	2.2	-	1.1	1.1	-	2.2	2.2	-
STANISLAUS	1.5	1.6	-	1.1	1.1	-	2.2	2.3	-	-	-	-
TULARE	3.8	4.0	-	2.2	2.2	-	1.1	1.1	-	3.3	3.3	-
25 OTHER COUNTIES	6.1	6.5	-	8.6	7.8	33.3	7.7	8.0	-	10.9	11.0	-
LOS ANGELES	27.3	24.2	75.0	19.4	18.9	33.3	15.4	13.8	50.0	18.5	17.6	100.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	31.8	33.9	-	25.8	26.7	-	29.7	31.0	-	31.5	31.9	-
ORANGE	3.0	3.2	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.4	-	2.2	2.2	-
RIVERSIDE	10.6	11.3	-	5.4	5.6	-	4.4	4.6	-	8.7	8.8	-
SAN BERNARDINO	12.1	12.9	-	15.1	15.6	-	14.3	14.9	-	12.0	12.1	-
SAN DIEGO	3.8	4.0	-	2.2	2.2	-	3.3	3.4	-	5.4	5.5	-
SANTA BARBARA	-	-	-	1.1	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VENTURA	2.3	2.4	-	2.2	2.2	-	4.4	4.6	-	2.2	2.2	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.1	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4	92	91	1
VIOLENT OFFENSES	56.8	55.6	75.0	59.1	58.9	66.7	47.3	44.8	100.0	47.8	47.3	100.0
PROPERTY OFFENSES	26.5	26.6	25.0	26.9	26.7	33.3	38.5	40.2	-	31.5	31.9	-
DRUG OFFENSES	9.1	9.7	-	8.6	8.9	-	7.7	8.0	-	7.6	7.7	-
OTHER OFFENSES	7.6	8.1	-	5.4	5.6	-	6.6	6.9	-	13.0	13.2	-
ETHNIC GROUP	132	124	8	93	90	3	91	87	4	92	91	1
WHITE	27.3	29.0	-	25.8	25.6	33.3	34.1	35.6	-	25.0	25.3	-
HISPANIC	44.7	42.7	75.0	30.1	30.0	33.3	31.9	32.2	25.0	44.6	44.0	100.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	21.2	21.8	12.5	37.6	37.8	33.3	29.7	27.6	75.0	23.9	24.2	-
ASIAN	1.5	0.8	12.5	2.2	2.2	-	2.2	2.3	-	1.1	1.1	-
OTHER	5.3	5.6	-	4.3	4.4	-	2.2	2.3	-	5.4	5.5	-

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CHARACTERISTICS	2003 TOTAL	2003 DJJ	2003 ADULT	2004 TOTAL	2004 DJJ	2004 ADULT	2005 TOTAL	2005 DJJ	2005 ADULT	2006 TOTAL	2006 DJJ	2006 ADULT
TOTAL FIRST COMMITMENTS	72	70	2	49	44	5	40	38	2	40	35	5
COURT OF COMMITMENT	72	70	2	49	44	5	40	38	2	40	35	5
JUVENILE	97.2	100.0	-	87.8	97.7	-	95.0	100.0	-	87.5	100.0	-
CRIMINAL	2.8	-	100.0	12.2	2.3	100.0	5.0	-	100.0	12.5	-	100.0
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT	72	70	2	49	44	5	40	38	2	40	35	5
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA	22.2	22.9	-	26.5	27.3	20.0	35.0	36.8	-	10.0	11.4	-
ALAMEDA	-	-	-	6.1	6.8	-	5.0	5.3	-	2.5	2.9	-
CONTRA COSTA	5.6	5.7	-	6.1	6.8	-	5.0	5.3	-	2.5	2.9	-
MONTEREY	104.0	1.4	-	2.0	2.3	-	7.5	7.9	-	-	-	-
SAN FRANCISCO	4.2	4.3	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.6	-	-	-	-
SAN MATEO	1.4	1.4	-	4.1	4.5	-	7.5	7.9	-	2.5	29.0	-
SANTA CLARA	2.8	2.9	-	2.0	2.3	-	7.5	7.9	-	-	-	-
10 OTHER COUNTIES	6.9	7.1	-	6.1	4.5	20.0	-	-	-	2.5	2.9	-
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	27.8	28.6	-	36.7	36.4	40.0	30.0	28.9	50.0	50.0	48.6	60.0
BUTTE	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.6	-	2.5	2.9	-
FRESNO	5.6	5.7	-	10.2	11.4	-	2.5	2.6	-	10.0	11.4	-
KERN	1.4	1.4	-	-	-	-	5.0	5.3	-	12.5	14.3	-
MADERA	4.2	4.3	-	2.0	2.3	-	5.0	5.3	-	5.0	5.7	-
SACRAMENTO	-	-	-	4.1	4.5	-	2.5	2.6	-	-	-	-
SAN JOAQUIN	-	-	-	6.1	2.3	40.0	-	-	-	2.5	2.9	-
STANISLAUS	1.4	1.4	-	4.1	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TULARE	1.4	1.4	-	2.0	2.3	-	2.5	2.6	-	7.5	2.9	40.0
25 OTHER COUNTIES	13.9	14.3	-	8.2	9.1	-	7.5	7.9	50.0	10.0	8.6	20.0
LOS ANGELES	27.8	25.7	100.0	20.4	18.2	40.0	12.5	10.5	50.0	25.0	25.7	20.0
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	22.2	22.9	-	16.3	18.2	-	22.5	23.7	-	15.0	14.3	20.0
ORANGE	-	-	-	2.0	2.3	-	2.5	2.6	-	-	-	-
RIVERSIDE	9.7	10.0	-	8.2	9.1	-	10.0	10.5	-	2.5	-	20.0
SAN BERNARDINO	6.9	7.1	-	4.1	4.5	-	2.5	2.6	-	5.0	5.7	-
SAN DIEGO	1.4	1.4	-	2.0	2.3	-	5.0	5.3	-	5.0	5.7	-
SANTA BARBARA	2.8	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VENTURA	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.6	-	2.5	2.9	-
2 OTHER COUNTIES	1.4	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRIMARY COMMITMENT OFFENSE	72	70	2	49	44	5	40	38	2	40	35	5
VIOLENT OFFENSES	54.2	52.9	100.0	71.4	68.2	100.0	57.5	55.3	100.0	75.0	71.4	100.0
PROPERTY OFFENSES	31.9	32.9	-	18.4	20.5	-	37.5	39.5	-	20.0	22.9	-
DRUG OFFENSES	2.8	2.9	-	4.1	4.5	-	2.5	2.6	-	2.5	2.9	-
OTHER OFFENSES	11.1	11.4	-	6.1	6.8	-	2.5	2.6	-	2.5	2.9	-
ETHNIC GROUP	72	70	2	49	44	5	40	38	2	40	35	5
WHITE	19.4	20.0	50.0	20.4	22.7	-	20.0	21.1	-	7.5	8.6	-
HISPANIC	36.1	35.7	-	38.8	31.8	100.0	57.5	57.9	50.0	60.0	60.0	60.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	36.1	37.1	-	36.7	40.9	-	20.0	18.4	50.0	30.0	28.6	40.0
ASIAN	1.4	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER	5.6	5.7	50.0	4.1	4.5	-	2.5	2.6	-	2.5	2.9	-

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CHARACTERISTICS	1995 TOTAL	1995 DJJ	1995 ADULT	1996 TOTAL	1996 DJJ	1996 ADULT	1997 TOTAL	1997 DJJ	1997 ADULT	1998 TOTAL	1998 DJJ	1998 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	16.8	16.5	19.0	17.0	16.6	19.0	16.7	16.6	17.4	16.8	16.8	17.0
PRIOR ESCAPES	148	130	18	103	79	24	72	67	5	n/a	72	n/a
NONE OR UNKNOWN	91.9	91.5	94.4	92.2	89.9	100.0	93.1	94.0	80.0	n/a	97.2	n/a
ONE OR MORE	8.1	8.5	5.6	7.8	10.1	-	6.9	6.0	20.0	n/a	2.8	n/a
CO-OFFENDERS	148	130	18	103	79	24	72	67	5	n/a	72	n/a
NONE OR UNKNOWN	50.7	54.6	22.2	52.4	59.5	29.2	40.3	41.8	20.0	n/a	62.5	n/a
ONE OR TWO	41.2	38.5	61.1	34.0	27.8	54.2	45.8	44.8	60.0	n/a	31.9	n/a
THREE OR MORE	8.1	6.9	16.7	13.6	12.7	16.7	13.9	13.4	20.0	n/a	5.6	n/a
DISABILITIES	148	130	18	103	79	24	72	67	5	n/a	72	n/a
NONE OR UNKNOWN	96.6	96.2	100.0	98.1	97.5	100.0	91.7	91.0	100.0	n/a	95.8	n/a
DISABILITY PRESENT	3.4	3.8	-	1.9	2.5	-	8.3	9.0	-	n/a	4.2	n/a
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	8.0	8.0	8.1	n/a	8.0	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.0	6.9	7.2	n/a	6.9	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	148	130	18	103	79	24	71	66	5	n/a	72	n/a
NONE	23.6	17.7	66.7	28.2	19.0	58.3	31.0	31.8	20.0	n/a	27.8	n/a
ONE THRU FOUR	64.2	69.2	27.8	67.0	74.7	41.7	56.3	56.1	60.0	n/a	61.1	n/a
FIVE OR MORE	12.2	13.1	5.6	4.9	6.3	-	12.7	12.1	20.0	n/a	11.1	n/a
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	148	130	18	103	79	24	71	66	5	n/a	71	n/a
NONE	79.7	77.7	94.4	68.0	60.8	91.7	90.1	89.4	100.0	n/a	100.0	n/a
ONE	17.6	19.2	5.6	27.2	32.9	8.3	5.6	6.1	-	n/a	-	n/a
TWO	2.0	2.3	-	4.9	6.3	-	4.2	4.5	-	n/a	-	n/a
THREE OR MORE	0.7	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n/a	-	n/a
RELIGION	136	118	18	96	74	22	67	62	5	n/a	65	n/a
CATHOLIC	38.2	34.7	61.1	29.2	31.1	22.7	34.3	33.9	40.0	n/a	23.1	n/a
PROTESTANT	61.0	64.4	38.9	65.6	63.5	72.7	64.2	64.5	60.0	n/a	73.8	n/a
OTHER	0.7	0.8	-	5.2	5.4	4.5	1.5	1.6	-	n/a	3.1	n/a
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	146	128	18	102	78	24	72	67	5	n/a	67	n/a
NEVER MARRIED	38.4	37.5	44.4	37.3	35.9	41.7	48.6	50.7	20.0	n/a	41.8	n/a
PRESENTLY MARRIED	11.6	10.9	16.7	11.8	11.5	12.5	16.7	16.4	20.0	n/a	14.9	n/a
NO LONGER MARRIED	50.0	51.6	38.9	51.0	52.6	45.8	34.7	32.8	60.0	n/a	43.3	n/a

TABLE 2
CHARACTERISTICS OF FIRST COMMITMENTS TO THE DIVISION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE
1995 THRU 2006
(Showing percentages of totals)
FEMALES ONLY

CHARACTERISTICS	1999 TOTAL	1999 DJJ	1999 ADULT	2000 TOTAL	2000 DJJ	2000 ADULT	2001 TOTAL	2001 DJJ	2001 ADULT	2002 TOTAL	2002 DJJ	2002 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	16.9	16.8	17.4	16.7	16.7	16.8	16.7	16.7	17.2	17.0	17.0	17.5
PRIOR ESCAPES	105	98	7	57	54	3	80	78	2	69	68	1
NONE OR UNKNOWN	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.2	94.1	100.0
ONE OR MORE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	5.9	-
CO-OFFENDERS	105	98	7	57	54	3	80	78	2	69	68	1
NONE OR UNKNOWN	57.6	0.2	14.3	56.1	57.4	33.3	71.3	71.8	50.0	58.0	58.8	-
ONE OR TWO	31.4	29.6	57.1	35.1	33.3	66.7	22.5	21.8	50.0	30.4	29.4	100.0
THREE OR MORE	11.4	10.2	28.6	8.8	9.3	-	6.2	6.4	-	11.6	11.8	-
DISABILITIES	105	98	7	57	54	3	80	78	2	69	68	1
NONE OR UNKNOWN	95.2	94.9	100.0	96.5	96.3	100.0	96.2	96.2	100.0	97.1	97.1	100.0
DISABILITY PRESENT	4.8	5.1	-	3.5	4.7	-	3.8	3.8	-	2.9	2.9	-
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	7.7	7.6	10.9	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	6.4	6.4	8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	104	97	7	54	51	3	80	78	2	69	68	1
NONE	37.5	37.1	42.9	37.0	35.3	66.7	23.8	21.8	100.0	18.8	17.6	100.0
ONE THRU FOUR	55.8	56.7	42.9	51.9	52.9	33.3	67.5	69.2	-	62.3	63.2	-
FIVE OR MORE	6.7	6.2	14.3	11.1	11.8	-	8.8	9.0	-	18.8	19.1	-
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	105	98	7	55	52	3	80	78	2	69	68	1
NONE	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.1	98.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.1	97.1	100.0
ONE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	2.9	-
TWO	-	-	-	1.8	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
THREE OR MORE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RELIGION	91	86	5	54	51	3	63	61	2	59	58	1
CATHOLIC	34.1	31.4	80.0	22.2	21.6	33.3	22.2	23.0	-	40.7	39.7	100.0
PROTESTANT	63.7	66.3	20.0	72.2	72.5	66.7	76.2	75.4	100.0	57.6	58.6	-
OTHER	2.2	2.3	-	5.6	5.9	-	1.6	1.6	-	1.7	1.7	-
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	103	96	7	57	54	3	78	76	2	69	68	1
NEVER MARRIED	51.5	53.1	28.6	52.6	55.6	-	51.3	50.0	100.0	58.0	58.8	-
PRESENTLY MARRIED	7.8	7.3	14.3	15.8	14.8	33.3	11.5	11.8	-	15.9	16.2	-
NO LONGER MARRIED	40.8	39.6	57.1	31.6	29.6	66.7	37.2	38.2	-	26.1	25.0	100.0

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CHARACTERISTICS	2003 TOTAL	2003 DJJ	2003 ADULT	2004 TOTAL	2004 DJJ	2004 ADULT	2005 TOTAL	2005 DJJ	2005 ADULT	2006 TOTAL	2006 DJJ	2006 ADULT
AVERAGE AGE AT ADMISSION	17.1	17.1	17.5	16.7	16.6	17.3	17.0	17.0	17.0	16.9	16.9	16.7
PRIOR ESCAPES	52	51	1	47	42	5	38	36	2	25	21	4
NONE OR UNKNOWN	75.0	74.5	100.0	93.6	92.9	100.0	94.7	94.4	100.0	92.0	95.2	75.0
ONE OR MORE	25.0	25.5	-	6.4	7.1	-	5.3	5.6	-	8.0	4.8	25.0
CO-OFFENDERS	52	51	1	47	42	5	38	36	2	25	21	4
NONE OR UNKNOWN	63.5	64.7	-	51.1	52.4	40.0	55.3	58.3	-	60.0	61.9	50.0
ONE OR TWO	23.1	23.5	-	34.0	35.7	20.0	31.6	30.6	50.0	40.0	38.1	50.0
THREE OR MORE	13.5	11.8	100.0	15.0	11.9	40.0	13.2	11.1	50.0	-	-	-
DISABILITIES	52	51	1	46	41	5	38	36	2	25	21	4
NONE OR UNKNOWN	96.2	96.1	100.0	95.7	95.1	100.0	92.1	91.7	100.0	64.0	66.7	50.0
DISABILITY PRESENT	3.8	3.9	-	4.3	4.9	-	7.9	8.3	-	36.0	33.3	50.0
READING COMPREHENSION (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MATHEMATICS CONCEPTS (AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR SUSTAINED PETITIONS	50	49	1	46	41	5	36	34	2	24	20	4
NONE	20.0	18.4	100.0	21.7	19.5	40.0	19.4	14.7	100.0	29.2	25.0	50.0
ONE THRU FOUR	44.0	44.9	-	39.1	36.6	60.0	41.7	44.1	-	29.2	30.0	25.0
FIVE OR MORE	36.0	36.7	-	39.1	43.9	-	38.9	41.2	-	41.7	45.0	25.0
PRIOR COMMITMENTS	52	51	1	47	42	5	38	36	2	25	21	4
NONE	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.4	97.2	100.0	92.0	90.5	100.0
ONE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	9.5	-
TWO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
THREE OR MORE	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.8	-	-	-	-
RELIGION	44	43	1	47	42	5	37	35	2	23	19	4
CATHOLIC	36.4	37.2	100.0	34.0	28.6	80.0	37.8	37.1	50.0	39.1	42.1	25.0
PROTESTANT	47.7	48.8	-	57.4	61.9	20.0	37.8	40.0	-	17.4	21.1	-
OTHER	13.6	14.0	-	8.5	9.5	-	24.3	22.9	50.0	43.5	36.8	75.0
PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS	52	51	1	47	42	5	38	36	2	25	21	4
NEVER MARRIED	55.8	54.9	100.0	27.7	31.0	-	23.7	22.2	50.0	28.0	28.6	25.0
PRESENTLY MARRIED	17.3	17.6	-	6.4	7.1	-	7.9	8.3	-	12.0	14.3	-
NO LONGER MARRIED	26.9	27.5	-	66.0	66.7	100.0	68.4	69.4	50.0	60.0	57.1	75.0