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# Foreword

The correctional services of the Nordic countries have been publishing comparative statistics of their services since the eighties. An English version has long been wanted, reaching a broader public than the Nordic countries. Apart from a Swedish publication in the early nineties, this is the fourth English edition of this series of correctional statistics edited by the Correctional Service of Norway Staff Academy. I have been told that scholars and professionals in the field of crime and corrections have approved of this publication.

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# Preface

Exact statistical comparability is difficult to attain given that law, practice and methods of data compilation vary between the Nordic countries. Even though present and former members of the Nordic group of statisticians have tried to establish a high level of comparability by carefully working out common definitions over the years, any differences between the countries shown in this report still need to be interpreted with caution. The reader is therefore requested to note carefully the definitions and the footnotes to the tables.

The collection and quality assurance of national data published in this edition is a cooperation between Susanne Hildebrandt and Ragnar Kristoffersen. A major part of the definitions and tables were originally written in Swedish. Ragnar Kristoffersen has authored the English text in this publication, with some assistance from his Nordic colleagues. The group of statisticians listed below provided the national data in the tables. Any questions concerning the national figures should be addressed to them:

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To be able to publish the data as quickly as possible, the formerly published chapter commenting on the national results is omitted from now on.

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# 1 Definitions

## **Capacity**

Available places, places that have been or could have been used continuously.

## **Central administration**

In Denmark, it refers to the Department of Prisons and Probation. (“Direktoratet for Kriminalforsorgen”). In Finland, it refers to the Central Administration of the Criminal Sanctions Agency (“Rikosseuraamuslaitoksen keskushallintoyksikkö”). In Norway, it refers to the Norwegian Directorate for Correctional Services (“Kriminalomsorgsdirektoratet”) including the regional offices. In Sweden, central administration refers to the Prison and Probation Administration (“Kriminalvårdens huvudkontor”) and the regional offices. In Iceland, central administration refers to the Prison and Probation Administration (“Fangelsismálastofnun ríkisins”).

## **Closed prisons**

Prisons or units with some form of escape obstacle.

## **Community sentence**

1 March 2002 community sentence (in Norwegian “samfunnsstraff”) was introduced, replacing the former order of community service and conditional sentence with supervision. A fixed number of hours (30 – 420) have to be served either by a) unpaid work, b) participation in programme or c) other activities aimed at the prevention of reoffending. The offender needs to consent.

## **Community service**

Community service is meant to replace a prison sentence. The offender performs unpaid work for a fixed number of hours. The work is usually done for a non-profit organization. The offender needs to consent. In Denmark, community service is a condition attached to a suspended sentence or to an early release. In both cases, the offender is under supervision by the probation service. In Sweden there are two types of

community service. Both are conditional prison sentences. One is combined with supervision and the other one is not. In Iceland, the Prison and Probation Administration can decide community service when the offender is sentenced to an unconditional prison sentence up to nine months. Offenders unable to pay a fine exceeding the amount of ISK 60,000 (approx. € 360) may also serve community service in Iceland.

### **Conditional release with supervision**

In accordance with certain rules, those who have served a prison sentence may be released when a major part of the sentence has been served. Those accounted for under the probation service are persons who have been conditionally released and have a supervisor. A condition of admittance to an institution for substance abusers or other conditions may be applied.

### **Conditional sentence with supervision**

Refers to those who receive a conditional prison sentence, in which case the sentenced person will be under supervision by the probation service for a specified period. The offender must abide by certain conditions pertaining to the sentence, of which regular meetings or interviews with the supervisor are normally required. During the probation period, the sentence can be transformed to imprisonment if a new offence is committed or in case of non-compliance with the conditions. In Denmark, Finland, Iceland and Norway conditions of treatment of e.g. substance- and alcohol dependency may also be applied. In Finland, such conditions concern only juveniles who were from 15 up to 21 years old when the offence was committed.

### **Deaths in prisons and remand centres**

Refer to persons who have died or taken their own life inside the prison. If an inmate has inflicted injuries on himself inside a prison and later dies from these injuries outside the prison, for example in a hospital, this is counted as a suicide inside the prison.

### **Entries to prison sentences**

Persons who have started serving a prison sentence in a prison or a remand centre in the relevant period. Fine defaulters and electronic monitoring are not included.

### **Entries to the probation service**

Refer to persons who have started serving some form of sentence or order administered by the probation service, and who are not imprisoned at the same time. Those on conditional release with supervision are included.

### **Escapes from prisons**

The number of times prisoners have escaped from a prison. If two persons escape together, this is counted as two escapes.

### **Fine defaulters**

Those who have been sentenced to a fine and if unable to pay can be ordered to serve a subsidiary prison sentence. In Denmark, Iceland and Norway a person who for the time being is serving an ordinary prison sentence can remain in prison in order to serve the subsidiary prison sentence. In Norway and Iceland such, a person is included in the category of fine defaulters, but in Denmark, he is counted as serving a prison sentence. In Sweden, fine defaulting implies that those who are unable to pay their fine are sentenced to imprisonment for at least fourteen days and at most three months.

### **Foreign citizens**

Refer to all persons with a foreign citizenship, independent of their place of residence.

### **Life sentenced prisoners**

Persons sentenced to lifetime imprisonment. Iceland and Norway do not impose life sentences. In Finland and Sweden, the sentence is considered served if the person is pardoned. In Denmark, the possibility of conditional release is considered when the life sentenced prisoner has served twelve years. If granted, a probation period of maximum five years is set. In Sweden, pardon usually means that a life sentence is converted into a sentence with a fixed duration. A person is considered a life-sentenced prisoner as long as the duration of the punishment is not fixed. From 1 October 2006, the sentenced prisoner can be conditionally released by the Finnish courts when the sentenced prisoner has served at least 12 years.

**Occupancy**

Number of persons occupying prison places.

**Open prisons**

Institutions or units where there are no real escape obstacles.

**Other entries**

Refer to groups of persons not otherwise accounted for in the tables, for example people in custody due to violation of the Immigration law or protective detention of young people.

**Population**

Number of inhabitants at the beginning of a year.

**Preventive detention**

Refers to somewhat similar orders in the Nordic countries, where the offender is considered dangerous and confinement is deemed necessary for the protection of the society. In Denmark and Norway, preventive detention is called “forvaring”. In Denmark, it implies a sentence of imprisonment for an indefinite period for those who repeatedly have committed a serious crime and who are considered a danger to other people’s lives. The court decides when the prisoner will be released. In Norway, preventive detention implies a sentence of imprisonment for persons who have committed a serious crime and who in the opinion of the court constitute a risk for re-offending. The court states a maximum duration and usually a minimum duration for which the sentence must be served. The offender can be conditionally released after having served the minimum duration period. The court may also prolong the maximum duration.

**Principal crime**

The crime that entails the longest prison sentence. Threats are counted as violence and drink driving is counted as a traffic crime. Murder includes both wilful murder and homicide as an unintended consequence of intentional violence. Involuntary

manslaughter is not included. Economic crimes do not include thefts, which is listed as a separate category.

### **Registered inmates**

Refer to all persons registered at prison establishments, remand prisons and other units under the management of the prison service, with the exception of those absent without permission to leave. If not otherwise stated, those who are serving their sentences fully or partly at a hospital, a treatment centre or in any institution not run by the prison service, are also included in the term “registered inmates”.

### **Registered persons in the probation service**

Refer to persons serving a sentence or a conditional order under the responsibility of the probation service.

### **Remand centre**

Closed prison unit where usually remand prisoners are imprisoned. In Sweden, this is called “häkte”. About 85 % of the inmates in Swedish remand centres are remand prisoners. The remaining 15 % consists partly of sentenced prisoners who are put there for special reasons, and partly of other inmates according to definition. In Denmark, around 70 % of the capacity of the local prisons (“arresthus”) is used for remand prisoners. The remaining 30 % consists of prisoners with short sentences and fine defaulters. In Norway, Finland and Iceland there are no separate remand centres. Remand prisoners are being held in certain closed prisons, where sentenced prisoners are also held.

### **Remand prisoners**

Persons suspected of having committed a crime and as a consequence are imprisoned by a court decision.

### **Sentenced prisoners**

Those sentenced to a sanction involving deprivation of liberty and who are serving their sentence inside or outside a prison establishment. In Norway, persons serving in open, low security prisons called “overgangsbolig” are included in this category.

## **Staff**

Refers to the sum total of staff resources expressed in full time equivalents (FTEs), which were employed and available if not on sick leave. Thus, a half-time staff member who has worked for six months during a given year is counted as 0.25 staff resource. In Norway and Iceland librarians, teachers and health staff are not employed by the correctional service. Except in one prison, kitchen staff in Iceland is not employed by the correctional service. In Sweden, this is the case with doctors. In Finland, there is a mixed practice. In Denmark, both teachers and health personnel are employed by the correctional service. From 2008, teachers are employed by the correctional service in Sweden.

## **Supervision**

In Sweden, this refers to persons sentenced to supervision for normally a year, but with a probation period of three years. Conditions may be added, e.g. staying in an institution for substance abusers.

## **Supervision with a treatment plan**

In Sweden, this is a conditional prison sentence primarily for substance abusers, which replaces a prison sentence up to two years. The offender will be supervised by the probation service for at least one year. He has to consent to participate in the treatment. The treatment takes place in a treatment centre or polyclinic.

## **Supervision with electronic monitoring**

This order implies serving a prison sentence outside the prison establishment. Having a residence, a job and consent from any cohabitants are minimum requirements for all participants serving electronic monitoring in the Nordic countries. Initially the target group in Sweden was those sentenced to a maximum of three months in prison. 1 April 2005 the target group was widened in Sweden, including prison sentences up to six months. The order includes a prohibition to leave one's residence except at specified times and for specified reasons, for example to go to work or to buy necessities. Those serving electronic monitoring in Sweden may participate in programmes or other kinds of treatment. Electronic equipment is used to check whether there is a breach of

restrictions. Until July 2005, Sweden was the only Nordic country using this type of sanction. Since 1 October 2001, the tag has also been applied as a “back door” order for Swedish inmates serving a sentence of at least two years imprisonment. Since 2007 inmates may be allowed to serve a maximum of six months immediately prior to conditional release in order to support reintegration into society. Denmark introduced electronic monitoring 1 July 2005 for persons sentenced to prison for a maximum of three months. The target group for the Danish order was initially drink drivers and persons who have been driving without a driving license. From spring 2006, the order includes sentenced persons under the age of 25 years with a prison sentence up to three months. July 2008, the condition that the participant must be under the age of 25 was repealed. From July 2010, the order includes sentenced persons with a prison sentence up to five months. 1 October 2006 Finland introduced electronic monitoring as a “back door” order supervised by prison officers and the clients are counted as prisoners. 1 November 2011 electronic monitoring in Finland recruited prisoners with a prison sentence up to a maximum of six months. 1 October 2011 Iceland introduced back door supervision with electronic monitoring for prisoners. If the prison sentence is 12 months, the prisoner can complete serving his sentence outside prison with electronic monitoring for 30 days. If the prison sentence is longer than 12 months, the prisoner will get 2.5 days on electronic monitoring for each month exceeding 12 months, though in total not more than 240 days. 1 August 2008 Norway introduced electronic monitoring. The target group in Norway is those sentenced to prison for four months or those who have four months left to serve.

### **Supervision of mentally disturbed persons**

Persons, who at the time of the crime were irresponsible due to mental illness or severe mental defect, are not liable to punishment according to the penal code in Denmark. Still the court may decide that they shall be under supervision by the probation service.

### **Supervision with treatment of alcohol problems**

In Denmark, supervision with treatment of alcohol problems is a conditional prison sentence that can be imposed if the sentenced person’s blood alcohol concentration is



higher than 2 per thousand litre or if he is a reoffender in drink driving. The length of the treatment period is decided by the Court, based on a pre-sentence report carried out by the probation service. Usually it will last for a year. The treatment will normally consist of a cure of Antabuse twice a week and medical and social counselling. In Norway, drivers under the influence of drink, drugs or medication can be sentenced to a conditional prison sentence provided that the offender participate in a treatment programme, which includes assessment of the need for treatment, individual talks at least once a fortnight and a total of 20 to 30 hours of lessons, normally in groups. The offender has to consent to participate in the programme. The majority of the participants will be drink drivers.

### **Unit**

This term refers to an entire prison or a separate part of a prison. A prison with a closed and open section is counted as having two units. A prison with two geographically separate sections, of which one is closed and the other is open, is also counted as two units.

### **Explanation of symbols**

- Zero
- 0 Less than 0.5
- . No adequate information
- .. No information

## 2 Tables

### New entries to the correctional services

<b>2.1.1 Denmark</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
New entries to prison sentences <sup>1</sup>	6 105	6 330	6 474	6 277	6 223
New entries to the probation service	10 047	10 742	11 359	11 579	11 693
of which					
community service	3 595	3 724	3 888	3 739	3 722
community sentence	.	.	.	.	.
conditional release with supervision	1 952	1 982	1 982	1 971	2 053
conditional sentence with supervision	1 641	1 772	1 991	2 213	2 114
supervision of mentally disturbed persons	765	709	703	731	704
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	633	607	636	548	507
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with electronic monitoring	1 175	1 694	1 898	2 164	2 419
Others <sup>2</sup>	286	254	261	213	174
<i>New entries to prison sentences per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>137</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>137</i>	<i>135</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>112</i>	<i>114</i>	<i>117</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>112</i>
<i>New entries to the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>225</i>	<i>237</i>	<i>251</i>	<i>254</i>	<i>255</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>184</i>	<i>194</i>	<i>205</i>	<i>208</i>	<i>210</i>

<sup>1</sup> Revised figures for all years due to change in data collection procedure.

<sup>2</sup> Supervision of sentenced to treatment, sexual offenders in treatment and supervision in connection with waiver of prosecution.

<b>2.1.2 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
New entries to prison sentences	4 603	4 518	4 258	4 093	3 789
New entries to the probation service	5 194	4 945	4 568	4 461	4 589
of which					
community service	3 609	3 370	3 076	2 927	2 741
community sentence	.	.	.	.	.
conditional release with supervision	934	860	830	768	739
conditional sentence with supervision	634	705	644	751	901
supervision of the mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision					
supervision with electronic monitoring	.	.	.	.	198
Others <sup>3</sup>	17	10	18	15	10
<i>New entries to prison sentences per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	104	102	95	91	84
<i>total population</i>	87	85	80	76	70
<i>New entries to the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	118	111	102	99	102
<i>total population</i>	98	93	85	83	85

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<sup>3</sup> People serving juvenile punishment

<b>2.1.3 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
New entries to prison sentences	187	209	199	214	234
New entries to the probation service	382	386	308	321	405
of which					
community service	238	231	182	142	202
community sentence	.	.	.	.	.
conditional release with supervision <sup>4</sup>	77	90	50	70	66
conditional sentence with supervision	4	4	5	6	1
supervision of the mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with electronic monitoring <sup>5</sup>	.	.	.	.	32
others	-	-	-	-	-
<i>New entries to prison sentences per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	75	83	79	85	92
<i>total population</i>	59	65	63	67	73
<i>New entries to the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	153	153	123	127	160
<i>total population</i>	121	121	97	101	127

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<sup>4</sup> Pardoned to supervision and conditional release without supervision (approx. 20 %) included.

<sup>5</sup> First offender serving this way was in February 2012.

<b>2.1.4 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
New entries to prison sentences	9 449	8 447	8 438	8 030	7 332
New entries to the probation service	4 449	5 238	5 104	5 175	5 356
of which					
community service	2	-	-	-	-
community sentence	2 812	2 912	2 647	2 545	2 437
conditional release with supervision	950	897	820	859	792
conditional sentence with supervision	8	16	13	7	6
supervision of the mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems <sup>6</sup>	489	540	531	574	523
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with electronic monitoring	99	784	1 001	1 064	1490
others	89	89	92	126	108
<i>New entries to prison sentences per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>247</i>	<i>217</i>	<i>214</i>	<i>204</i>	<i>180</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>199</i>	<i>176</i>	<i>174</i>	<i>163</i>	<i>147</i>
<i>New entries to the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>116</i>	<i>135</i>	<i>130</i>	<i>132</i>	<i>132</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>109</i>	<i>105</i>	<i>105</i>	<i>107</i>

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<sup>6</sup> Driving under the influence of other kinds of intoxicants than alcohol is also accepted, but the majority would be drink drivers.

<b>2.1.5 Sweden</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
New entries to prison sentences	10 370	9 805	9 679	9 463	9 500
New entries to the probation service	21 095	21 388	20 493	20 305	20 007
of which					
community service <sup>7</sup>	5 632	5 857	5 641	6 309	6555
community sentence	.	.	.	.	.
conditional release with supervision	5 589	5 399	5 042	4 841	4 943
conditional sentence with supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision of the mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with a treatment plan	1 452	1 491	1 342	1 250	1 051
supervision	4 629	4 792	4 795	4 854	4 553
supervision with electronic monitoring <sup>8</sup>	3 793	3 849	3 673	3 051	2 905
others	-	-	-	-	-
<i>New entries to prison sentences per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>134</i>	<i>126</i>	<i>123</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>120</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>112</i>	<i>105</i>	<i>103</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>99</i>
<i>New entries to the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>273</i>	<i>275</i>	<i>261</i>	<i>257</i>	<i>252</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>228</i>	<i>229</i>	<i>218</i>	<i>214</i>	<i>209</i>

<sup>7</sup> Conditional prison sentences with community service are included.

<sup>8</sup> Prisoners serving the latest part of their prison sentence with electronic monitoring are included.

## Average number of inmates by category

<b>2.1.6 Denmark</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average number of registered inmates <sup>9</sup>	3 717	3 873	4 143	4 253	4 178
of which					
remand custody	1 199	1 317	1 384	1 384	1 362
<i>percent</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>33</i>
sentenced to prison	2 418	2 445	2 643	2 731	2 629
<i>percent</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>63</i>
fine defaulters	-	-	1	1	1
preventive detention	33	33	36	39	43
others <sup>10</sup>	67	79	80	100	144
<i>Sentenced per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>57</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>47</i>
<i>Total number of registered inmates per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>86</i>	<i>91</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>91</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>75</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>75</i>

<sup>9</sup> Inmates measured every day.

<sup>10</sup> Mainly violators of Immigration law.



<b>2.1.7 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average number of registered inmates <sup>11</sup>	3 526	3 492	3 291	3 262	3 236
of which					
remand custody <sup>12</sup>	559	569	599	598	626
<i>percent</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i>
sentenced to prison <sup>13</sup>	2 845	2 840	2 635	2 612	2 561
<i>percent</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>79</i>
fine defaulters	121	83	57	53	49
preventive detention	.	.	.	.	.
others	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Sentenced per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>57</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>47</i>
<i>Total number of registered inmates per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>72</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>60</i>

<sup>11</sup> Inmates measured twice a month. Inmates illegally absent from prison (about 50) are included in the table.

<sup>12</sup> In addition there were 101 (2008), 95 (2009), 95 (2010), 97 (2011) and 95 (2012) remand prisoners in police custody.

<sup>13</sup> Includes 50 (2008), 85 (2009), 102 (2010), 113 (2011) and 150 (2012) offenders serving electronic monitoring (back door).

<b>2.1.8 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average number of registered inmates <sup>14</sup>	155	160	171	177	182
of which					
remand custody	15	20	18	16	22
<i>percent</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>12</i>
sentenced to prison	126	123	138	139	133
<i>percent</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>73</i>
fine defaulters	2	3	1	2	4
preventive detention	.	.	.	.	.
others <sup>15</sup>	13	15	13	19	23
<i>Sentenced per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>53</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>42</i>
<i>Total number of registered inmates per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>62</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>72</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>57</i>

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<sup>14</sup> Inmates measured every day.

<sup>15</sup> Registered inmates in a private half way house.

<b>2.1.9 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average number of registered inmates <sup>16</sup>	3 449	3 459	3 681	3 789	3 753
of which					
remand custody	717	791	973	904	907
<i>percent</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i>
sentenced to prison	2 526	2 474	2 536	2 696	2 639
<i>percent</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>70</i>
fine defaulters	113	106	77	75	77
preventive detention	76	72	71	79	84
others <sup>17</sup>	16	16	24	35	47
<i>Sentenced per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>65</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>53</i>
<i>Total number of registered inmates per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>92</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>75</i>

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<sup>16</sup> Inmates measured every day.

<sup>17</sup> Mainly violators of Immigration law.

<b>2.1.10 Sweden</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average number of registered inmates <sup>18</sup>	6 884	7 012	6 902	6 753	6 558
of which					
remand custody	1 452	1 462	1 514	1 566	1 571
<i>percent</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>24</i>
sentenced to prison	5 318	5 434	5 283	5 099	4 905
<i>percent</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>75</i>
fine defaulters	..	..	..	..	..
preventive detention	.	.	.	.	.
others	114	116	106	88	82
<i>Sentenced per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>62</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>51</i>
<i>Total number of registered inmates per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>88</i>	<i>85</i>	<i>83</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>75</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>69</i>

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<sup>18</sup> Inmates measured once a month.

## Average number of registered people in the probation service

<b>2.1.11 Denmark</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average of registered clients in the probation service <sup>19</sup>	7 829	8 208	8 862	9 484	9 634
of which					
community service	1 951	2 005	2 223	2 301	2 304
community sentence					
conditional release with supervision	1 604	1 594	1 664	1 662	1 675
conditional sentence with supervision	1 396	1 589	1 826	2 184	2 212
supervision of mentally disturbed persons	2 070	2 177	2 373	2 438	2 596
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	595	582	561	564	481
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with electronic monitoring	111	173	188	246	288
Others <sup>20</sup>	102	88	91	88	78
<i>Total average of registered clients in the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>175</i>	<i>181</i>	<i>195</i>	<i>208</i>	<i>210</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>148</i>	<i>160</i>	<i>171</i>	<i>173</i>

<sup>19</sup> Clients measured once a month.

<sup>20</sup> Offenders conditionally sentenced to treatment for traffic or sex offences and waiver of prosecution.

<b>2.1.12 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average of registered clients in the probation service <sup>21</sup>	4 713	4 308	3 970	3 859	3 645
of which					
community service	1 679	1 557	1 428	1 490	1 458
community sentence	.	.	.	.	.
conditional release with supervision	1 772	1 531	1 316	1 177	1 074
conditional sentence with supervision	1 246	1 209	1 214	1 178	1 084
supervision of mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with electronic monitoring	.	.	.	.	18
others <sup>22</sup>	15	9	12	14	10
<i>Total average of registered clients in the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	107	97	89	86	81
<i>total population</i>	89	81	74	72	67

<sup>21</sup> Clients measured once a month.

<sup>22</sup> People serving juvenile punishment.

<b>2.1.13 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average of registered clients in the probation service <sup>23</sup>	268	278	269	268	320
of which					
community service	88	95	91	72	91
community sentence	.	.	.	.	.
conditional release with supervision <sup>24</sup>	112	107	89	81	90
conditional sentence with supervision	5	6	6	9	10
supervision of mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with electronic monitoring	.	.	.	.	5
others <sup>25</sup>	16	3	4	15	12
<i>Total average of registered clients in the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>107</i>	<i>110</i>	<i>107</i>	<i>106</i>	<i>126</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>85</i>	<i>87</i>	<i>85</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>100</i>

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<sup>23</sup> Clients measured once a month.

<sup>24</sup> Includes conditional pardon with supervision.

<sup>25</sup> Includes waiver of prosecution with supervision.



<b>2.1.14 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average of registered clients in the probation service <sup>26</sup>	2 420	2 491	2 410	2 493	2 555
of which					
community service	3	.	.	.	.
community sentence	1 484	1 502	1 402	1 427	1 431
conditional release with supervision	423	403	393	398	394
conditional sentence with supervision	11	9	8	6	6
supervision of mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems <sup>27</sup>	439	450	466	498	518
supervision with a treatment plan	.	.	.	.	.
supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with electronic monitoring	7	66	87	98	134
others <sup>28</sup>	53	60	55	66	72
<i>Total average of registered clients in the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	63	64	61	63	63
<i>total population</i>	51	52	50	51	51

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<sup>26</sup> Clients measured every day.

<sup>27</sup> Cf. footnote 6.

<sup>28</sup> For the most part supervision of people released from preventive detention in prison.

<b>2.1.15 Sweden</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Total average of registered clients in the probation service <sup>29</sup>	13 738	14 239	14 184	14 021	13 872
of which					
community service <sup>30</sup>	2 191	2 393	2 390	2 545	2 640
community sentence	.	.	.	.	.
conditional release with supervision	4 740	4 666	4 438	4 252	4 211
conditional sentence with supervision	.	.	.	.	.
supervision of mentally disturbed persons	.	.	.	.	.
supervision with treatment of alcohol problems	.	.	.	.	.
contract ward	1 440	1 522	1 500	1 402	1 229
supervision	4 784	5 090	5 324	5 369	5 335
supervision with electronic monitoring <sup>31</sup>	583	568	532	453	457
others	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Total average of registered clients in the probation service per 100.000 of</i>					
<i>population 15 years of age or more</i>	<i>178</i>	<i>183</i>	<i>181</i>	<i>178</i>	<i>175</i>
<i>total population</i>	<i>148</i>	<i>152</i>	<i>151</i>	<i>148</i>	<i>145</i>

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<sup>29</sup> Clients measured every day.

<sup>30</sup> Conditional prison sentences with community service are included.

<sup>31</sup> Persons, who serve the late part of a prison sentence under supervision with electronic monitoring, are included in the figures.

## Sentenced prisoners on a certain day

<b>2.1.16 Denmark</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total number of sentenced to prison on a certain day</b> <sup>32</sup>	2 222	2 301	2 535	2 565	2 442
of which					
<b>Women</b>					
number	73	92	83	111	81
<i>percent</i>	3,3	4,0	3,3	4,3	3,3
<b>Foreign citizens</b>					
number	347	341	373	406	427
<i>percent</i>	15,6	14,8	14,7	15,8	17,5
of which Nordic people	11	10	16	15	23
<i>percent</i>	0,5	0,4	0,6	0,6	0,9
<b>15 – 17 years of age</b>					
number	8	5	7	6	4
<i>percent</i>	0,4	0,2	0,3	0,2	0,2
<b>Life sentenced prisoners</b>					
number	19	20	25	23	25
<i>percent</i>	0,9	0,9	1,0	0,9	1,0

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<sup>32</sup> Measured 1 September.

<b>2.1.17 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total number of sentenced to prison on a certain day</b> <sup>33</sup>	2 739	2 555	2 473	2 423	2 336
of which					
<b>Women</b>					
number	163	170	158	163	161
<i>percent</i>	6,0	6,7	6,4	6,7	6,9
<b>Foreign citizens</b>					
number	181	227	209	266	239
<i>percent</i>	6,6	8,9	8,5	11,0	10,2
of which Nordic people	11	12	10	14	11
<i>percent</i>	0,4	0,5	0,4	0,6	0,5
<b>15 – 17 years of age</b>					
number	2	6	1	5	4
<i>percent</i>	0,1	0,2	0,0	0,2	0,2
<b>Life sentenced prisoners</b>					
number	151	155	163	174	198
<i>percent</i>	5,5	6,1	6,6	7,2	8,5

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<sup>33</sup> Measured 31 December.

<b>2.1.18 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total number of sentenced to prison on a certain day</b> <sup>34</sup>	126	122	151	134	125
of which					
<b>Women</b>					
number	8	7	5	8	4
<i>percent</i>	6,3	5,7	3,3	5,8	3,9
<b>Foreign citizens</b>					
number	23	21	24	25	26
<i>percent</i>	18,3	17,2	15,9	18,2	20,5
of which Nordic people	-	-	-	-	-
<i>percent</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>15 – 17 years of age</b>					
number	1	2	-	1	1
<i>percent</i>	0,8	1,6	-	0,7	0,8
<b>Life sentenced prisoners</b>					
number	-	-	-	-	-
<i>percent</i>	-	-	-	-	-

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<sup>34</sup> Measured 1 September.

<b>2.1.19 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total number of sentenced to prison on a certain day</b> <sup>35</sup>	2 403	2 363	2 640	2 730	2 514
of which					
<b>Women</b>					
number	150	134	149	162	124
<i>percent</i>	6,2	5,7	5,6	5,9	4,9
<b>Foreign citizens</b>					
number	447	508	538	671	573
<i>percent</i>	18,6	21,5	20,4	24,6	22,8
of which Nordic people	31	38	38	42	37
<i>percent</i>	1,3	1,6	1,4	1,5	1,5
<b>15 – 17 years of age</b>					
number	1	3	1	1	3
<i>percent</i>	0,0	0,1	0,0	0,0	0,1
<b>Life sentenced prisoners</b>					
number	.	.	.	.	.
<i>percent</i>	.	.	.	.	.

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<sup>35</sup> Measured 11 November.

<b>2.1.20 Sweden</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total number of sentenced to prison on a certain day</b> <sup>36</sup>	4 973	4 960	4 904	4 729	4 451
of which					
<b>Women</b>					
number	262	253	251	275	249
<i>percent</i>	5,3	5,1	5,1	5,8	5,6
<b>Foreign citizens</b>					
number	1 408	1 455	1 430	1 351	1 396
<i>percent</i>	28,3	29,3	29,2	28,6	31,4
of which Nordic people	204	181	172	167	136
<i>percent</i>	4,1	3,6	3,5	3,5	3,1
<b>15 – 17 years of age</b> <sup>37</sup>					
number	-	1	-	-	-
<i>percent</i>	-	0,0	-	-	-
<b>Life sentenced prisoners</b>					
number	154	155	159	159	155
<i>percent</i>	3,1	3,1	3,2	3,4	3,5

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<sup>36</sup> Measured 1 October.

<sup>37</sup> From 1999, young offenders are sentenced to closed youth ward ("Care for Young Persons in a Closed Institutions Act") under the administration of a non-correctional administration called "The National Board of Institutional Care".



## Escapes from prisons

<b>2.1.21 Denmark</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
Number of escapes	90	68	88	77	87
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	20	15	18	16	18
<b>Closed prisons and remand centres</b>					
Number of escapes	2	5	8	3	9
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	0	1	1	0	1

<b>2.1.22 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
Number of escapes	56	69	56	85	65
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	18	22	18	26	22
<b>Closed prisons and remand centres</b>					
Number of escapes	8	1	1	1	6
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	1	0	0	0	1

<b>2.1.23 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
Number of escapes	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Closed prisons and remand centres</b>					
Number of escapes	1	2	-	-	1
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	2	5	-	-	3

<b>2.1.24 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
Number of escapes	27	90	58	78	64
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	6	20	12	16	14
<b>Closed prisons and remand centres</b>					
Number of escapes	4	4	5	3	4
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	1	1	1	0	0

<b>2.1.25 Sweden</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
Number of escapes	61	40	35	24	25
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>
<b>Closed prisons and remand centres</b>					
Number of escapes	9	2	-	-	1
<i>Escapes per 100.000 custody-days</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>0</i>

## Deaths in prisons and remand centres

<b>2.1.26 Denmark</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Suicides	5	5	2	5	4
Other	1	6	9	8	1

<b>2.1.27 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Suicides	4	1	4	7	2
Other	5	5	2	2	3

<b>2.1.28 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Suicides	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	1

<b>2.1.29 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Suicides	7	1	2	4	5
Other	5	1	1	2	2

<b>2.1.30 Sweden</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Suicides	6	2	3	7	7
Other <sup>38</sup>	1	4	3	3	4

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<sup>38</sup> Revised figures for all years.

## Units and prison capacity by the end of the year

<b>2.1.31 Denmark</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prison units</b>					
number of units	9	9	9	9	9
number of places	1 280	1 390	1 378	1 316	1 321
number of places by					
largest unit	204	204	204	204	204
smallest unit	15	15	15	15	20
<b>Closed prison units</b>					
number of units	7	7	7	7	7
number of places	940	952	944	938	938
number of places by					
largest unit	208	207	200	200	200
smallest unit	24	50	50	50	50
<b>Remand centres</b>					
number of units	41	44	45	46	46
number of places	1 638	1 756	1 812	1 880	1 844
number of places by					
largest unit	429	429	429	429	429
smallest unit	7	7	7	7	7
<b>Total number of places</b>	<b>3 858</b>	<b>4 098</b>	<b>4 134</b>	<b>4 134</b>	<b>4 103</b>

<b>2.1.32 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prison units</b>					
number of units	17	18	18	18	16
number of places	973	1002	1022	1030	910
number of places by					
largest unit	101	101	101	101	103
smallest unit	16	7	7	7	14
<b>Closed prison units</b>					
number of units	16	16	16	15	16
number of places	2544	2296	2091	2062	2179
number of places by					
largest unit	346	328	284	284	284
smallest unit	50	50	20	56	60
<b>Remand centres</b>					
number of units	.	.	.	.	.
number of places	.	.	.	.	.
number of places by					
largest unit	.	.	.	.	.
smallest unit	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total number of places</b>	3 517	3 298	3 113	3 092	3 089

<b>2.1.33 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prison units</b>					
number of units	1	1	2	2	2
number of places	20	20	36	38	40
number of places by					
largest unit	20	20	20	22	22
smallest unit	20	20	16	16	18
<b>Closed prison units</b>					
number of units	4	4	4	4	4
number of places	122	124	125	123	123
number of places by					
largest unit	87	87	87	87	87
smallest unit	10	10	10	10	10
<b>Remand centres</b> <sup>39</sup>					
number of units	.	.	.	.	.
number of places	.	.	.	.	.
number of places by					
largest unit	.	.	.	.	.
smallest unit	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total number of places</b>	142	144	161	161	163

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<sup>39</sup> In Iceland, there are no remand centres, but in two closed prisons up to 12 places are reserved for remand custody.

<b>2.1.34 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prison units</b> <sup>40</sup>					
number of units	35	35	34	39	39
number of places	1 352	1 379	1 417	1 414	1 389
number of places by					
largest unit	115	115	115	115	115
smallest unit	6	6	6	6	6
<b>Closed prison units</b>					
number of units	32	32	35	35	35
number of places	2 222	2 187	2 409	2 419	2 411
number of places by					
largest unit	392	392	392	392	392
smallest unit	12	15	13	13	15
<b>Remand centres</b>					
number of units	.	.	.	.	.
number of places	.	.	.	.	.
number of places by					
largest unit	.	.	.	.	.
smallest unit	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total number of places</b>	3 574	3 566	3 826	3 833	3 800

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<sup>40</sup> Low security prison units called "overgangsboliger" (transitional houses) are included.



<b>2.1.35 Sweden</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prison units</b>					
number of units	25	24	24	23	23
number of places	1 335	1 219	1 219	1 095	1 009
number of places by					
largest unit	150	150	150	150	120
smallest unit	6	6	6	6	6
<b>Closed prison units</b>					
number of units	40	40	39	38	38
number of places	3 841	3802	3 839	3 824	3 951
number of places by					
largest unit	234	235	330	330	463
smallest unit	5	5	5	5	5
<b>Remand centres</b>					
number of units	30	30	30	32	32
number of places	1 931	1 966	1 950	2 392	2 471
number of places by					
largest unit	301	301	269	321	350
smallest unit	10	14	14	14	14
<b>Total number of places</b>	<b>7 107</b>	<b>6 987</b>	<b>7 008</b>	<b>7 311</b>	<b>7 431</b>

## Average number of places and occupancy

<b>2.1.36 Denmark<sup>41</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	1 376	1 346	1 395	1 371	1 318
occupancy	1 206	1 230	1 343	1 335	1 309
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	88	91	96	97	99
<b>Closed prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	921	958	944	943	937
occupancy	823	868	891	908	884
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	89	91	94	96	94
<b>Remand centres</b>					
capacity in number of places	1 605	1 714	1 778	1 820	1 868
occupancy	1 500	1 617	1 731	1 794	1 792
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	93	94	97	99	96
<b>Total</b>					
capacity in number of places	3 902	4 019	4 117	4 134	4 123
occupancy	3 530	3 715	3 965	4 037	3 984
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	90	92	96	98	97

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<sup>41</sup> Measured every day. In addition, there are hostels for clients under supervision and sentenced people serving an unconditional prison sentence. In 2012, the average capacity was 180, and the average number of residents was 167.

<b>2.1.37 Finland<sup>42</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	1003	992	1006	1024	1009
occupancy	834	867	856	880	813
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	83	87	85	86	81
<b>Closed prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	2 519	2 461	2 205	2 074	2 093
occupancy	2642	2 539	2 333	2 270	2 260
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	105	103	106	109	108
<b>Remand centres</b>					
capacity in number of places	.	.	.	.	.
occupancy	.	.	.	.	.
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total</b>					
capacity in number of places	3 522	3 453	3 211	3 098	3 102
occupancy	3 476	3 407	3 189	3 149	3 074
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	99	99	99	102	99

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<sup>42</sup> Measured twice a month.

<b>2.1.38 Iceland</b> <sup>43</sup>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	20	20	30	38	40
occupancy	20	20	34	39	39
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>102</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>103</i>	<i>98</i>
<b>Closed prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	110	112	112	114	114
occupancy	109	113	114	110	106
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>99</i>	<i>101</i>	<i>102</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>93</i>
<b>Remand centres</b> <sup>44</sup>					
capacity in number of places	12	12	12	9	9
occupancy	4	4	3	3	3
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>28</i>
<b>Total</b>					
capacity in number of places	142	144	154	161	163
occupancy	133	137	152	152	148
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>99</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>91</i>

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<sup>43</sup> Measured every day.

<sup>44</sup> Remand prisoners who are allowed to have contact with other prisoners will be in a closed or open prison.

<b>2.1.39 Norway<sup>45</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places <sup>46</sup>	1 325	1 343	1 368	1 412	1 407
occupancy	1 191	1 203	1 275	1 310	1 290
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>92</i>
<b>Closed prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	2 218	2 218	2 336	2 401	2 391
occupancy	2 104	2 105	2 262	2 312	2 301
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>96</i>
<b>Remand centres</b>					
capacity in number of places	.	.	.	.	.
occupancy	.	.	.	.	.
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total</b>					
capacity in number of places	3 543	3 561	3 704	3 813	3 798
occupancy	3 295	3 309	3 537	3 622	3 591
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>95</i>

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<sup>45</sup> Measured every day.

<sup>46</sup> Low security prison units called “overgangsboliger” (transitional houses) are included.

<b>2.1.40 Sweden<sup>47</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Open prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	1 260	1 271	1 214	1 143	1 085
occupancy	1 167	1 127	1 066	948	875
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>88</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>81</i>
<b>Closed prisons</b>					
capacity in number of places	3 810	3 779	3 681	3 752	3 788
occupancy	3 506	3 541	3 495	3 533	3 461
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>92</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>91</i>
<b>Remand centres</b>					
capacity in number of places	1 824	1 864	1 860	2 021	2 000
occupancy	1 708	1 725	1 796	1 759	1 743
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>87</i>	<i>87</i>
<b>Total</b>					
capacity in number of places	6 894	6 914	6 755	6 916	6 873
occupancy	6 381	6 393	6 357	6 240	6 079
<i>occupancy in percent of capacity</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>92</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>88</i>

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<sup>47</sup> Measured every day.

## Staff in absolute numbers and in relation to inmates and clients

<b>2.1.41 Denmark<sup>48</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Central administration<sup>49</sup></b>	199	223	223	234	270
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	6	6	6	6	7
<b>Prisons and remand centres</b>	3 750	3 791	3 801	3 775	3 763
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	106	102	96	94	94
<b>Probation service</b>	415	437	441	459	474
<i>Staff per 100 clients in the probation service</i>	5	5	5	5	5

<b>2.1.42 Finland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Central administration</b>	86	84	83	82	83
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	2	2	3	3	3
<b>Prisons and remand centres<sup>50</sup></b>	2 696	2 654	2 585	2 534	2 458
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	78	78	81	80	80
<b>Probation service</b>	271	266	252	243	260
<i>Staff per 100 clients in the probation service</i>	6	6	6	6	7

<sup>48</sup> In 2011 all figures in this table were recalculated. In 2012 238 FTEs working in half-way houses.

<sup>49</sup> Teachers and administration at the Correctional Staff Academy (60 FTEs) and workers taking care of general tasks for all services (60 FTEs) not included.

<sup>50</sup> Teachers and health care personnel not included (approx. 55 FTEs).

<b>2.1.43 Iceland</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Central administration</b>	11	11	11	11	12
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	8	8	7	7	8
<b>Prisons and remand centres</b> <sup>51</sup>	92	92	100	105	105
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	69	67	66	69	71
<b>Probation service</b>	4	4	4	4	4
<i>Staff per 100 clients in the probation service</i>	1	1	1	1	1

<b>2.1.44 Norway</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Central administration</b> <sup>52</sup>	199	204	213	207	207
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	6	6	6	6	6
<b>Prisons and remand centres</b> <sup>53</sup>	2 933	2 976	3 173	3 323	3 428
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	89	90	90	92	95
<b>Probation service</b>	332	332	356	358	391
<i>Staff per 100 clients in the probation service</i>	14	13	15	14	15

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<sup>51</sup> Transport service included. Teachers for inmates and staff and health care personnel not included, in total 12 FTEs.

<sup>52</sup> Regional offices are counted as central administration.

<sup>53</sup> Transport service for sentenced prisoners included. In 2010 work equivalent to around 730 FTEs were carried out in prisons by personnel not employed by the correctional services; approx. 280 teachers for inmates, 60 teachers for officers under education, 170 officers in training, 100 health care personnel and 20 librarians. If these were employed by the correctional services in 2012, staff per 100 inmates would increase to 116.



<b>2.1.45 Sweden</b> <sup>54</sup>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Central administration</b>	550	575	595	606	601
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	9	9	9	10	10
<b>Prisons and remand centres</b> <sup>55</sup>	6 288	6 506	6471	6 516	6 322
<i>Staff per 100 inmates</i>	99	102	102	104	104
<b>Probation service</b>	982	1 004	1 034	1 043	1 032
<i>Staff per 100 clients in the probation service</i>	7	7	7	7	7

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<sup>54</sup> The apportionment of personnel in prisons, remand centres and probation is estimated.

<sup>55</sup> Includes prison officers under education (approx. 150), transport service (approx. 340), teachers for inmates (approx. 120), teachers for staff under education (approx. 50) and health care personnel (approx. 150).

## Occupancy in percent of sentenced prisoners by sex and principal crime on a certain day

2.1.46 Denmark	2008			2009			2010			2011			2012		
	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total
	<i>Major crime</i> <sup>56</sup>														
Murder	8	19	8	8	15	8	7	18	8	8	16	8	8	20	8
Violence	26	15	25	21	24	21	20	17	20	18	24	18	18	22	18
Drug crimes	24	30	24	23	32	23	21	29	21	23	22	23	22	20	22
Thefts	10	12	10	11	8	10	10	4	10	11	12	11	11	9	11
Robbery	11	5	11	13	8	13	15	13	15	13	9	13	14	6	13
Sex crimes	6	0	6	5	2	5	6	1	6	6	3	6	6	-	6
Economic crimes	3	8	3	3	4	3	2	6	3	2	7	3	2	6	3
Traffic crimes	5	3	5	6	1	6	5	1	5	5	1	5	6	4	6
Other	8	7	8	11	7	11	14	11	13	13	6	13	13	14	13
<i>Percent of all</i>	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
N	2 149	73	2 222	2 209	92	2 301	2 452	83	2 535	2 454	111	2 565	2 361	81	2 442

<sup>56</sup> Measured 1 September.

2.1.47 Finland	2008			2009			2010			2011			2012		
	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total
<i>Major crime</i> <sup>57</sup>															
Murder	19	33	20	20	28	20	21	29	22	22	32	23	23	35	23
Violence	20	15	20	20	20	20	21	20	21	21	17	21	21	14	20
Drug crimes	16	16	16	14	16	14	15	15	15	17	16	17	18	20	18
Thefts	14	10	13	12	11	12	11	10	11	11	6	10	11	12	11
Robbery	6	3	6	7	5	7	8	8	8	7	7	7	7	6	6
Sex crimes	3	-	3	3	1	3	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	2	4
Economic crimes	6	11	6	4	6	4	5	8	5	5	8	6	6	7	6
Traffic crimes	14	13	14	15	10	15	13	6	13	11	7	11	10	4	10
Other	2	-	2	5	5	5	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	1
<i>Percent of all</i>	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
N	2 652	160	2 812	2 661	174	2 835	2 439	182	2 621	2 339	171	2 510	2 299	162	2 461

<sup>57</sup> Measured 1 May.

2.1.48 Iceland	2008			2009			2010			2011			2012		
	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total
<i>Major crime</i> <sup>58</sup>															
Murder	13	-	13	15	14	15	12	20	12	9	13	9	12	25	12
Violence	16	20	16	12	14	12	10	-	10	17	0	16	12	-	12
Drug crimes	25	60	27	29	29	29	34	20	34	26	50	28	21	50	22
Thefts	13	20	14	7	14	7	12	20	12	15	25	16	17	-	16
Robbery	8	-	7	5	14	6	5	-	5	7	-	7	6	-	6
Sex crimes	17	-	16	17	-	16	20	-	19	18	-	17	20	-	19
Economic crimes	3	-	2	10	14	11	1	-	1	1	13	1	8	25	9
Traffic crimes	4	-	4	3	-	3	7	40	8	6	-	5	5	-	5
Other	1	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-
<i>Percent of all</i>	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
N	119	5	124	115	7	122	146	5	151	126	8	134	121	4	125

<sup>58</sup> Measured 1 September.

2.1.49 Norway	2008			2009			2010			2011			2012		
	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total
	<i>Major crime</i> <sup>59</sup>														
Murder	7	8	7	7	10	7	7	12	7	7	6	7	7	7	7
Violence	14	11	14	16	11	16	16	7	16	17	10	17	18	17	18
Drug crimes	29	39	30	31	39	31	26	34	26	28	46	29	27	32	27
Thefts	9	9	9	9	8	9	10	9	10	9	7	9	9	6	9
Robbery	6	1	6	6	3	6	6	1	5	7	5	7	8	5	8
Sex crimes	12	1	11	12	1	11	13	1	13	13	2	12	13	2	13
Economic crimes	6	12	6	8	13	8	7	14	8	5	10	5	7	7	7
Traffic crimes	7	13	8	7	9	7	7	12	7	6	6	6	4	7	4
Other	9	6	9	5	7	6	8	10	8	8	7	8	6	17	7
<i>Percent of all</i>	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
N	2 271	149	2 420	2 271	139	2 410	2 413	147	2 560	2 476	141	2 617	2 436	121	2 557

<sup>59</sup> Measured 1 September.

2.1.50 Sweden	2008			2009			2010			2011			2012		
	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total	M	K	Total
	<i>Major crime</i> <sup>60</sup>	10	13	11	10	12	11	11	14	11	11	13	11	12	13
Murder															
Violence	17	13	17	16	14	16	15	12	15	15	10	15	16	16	16
Drug crimes	30	38	30	30	37	30	31	39	32	31	39	31	28	35	28
Thefts	7	13	7	6	11	7	6	9	6	7	12	7	7	8	7
Robbery	10	3	9	10	3	10	10	5	10	11	5	11	11	6	11
Sex crimes	9	1	9	9	1	8	9	1	8	9	1	8	9	2	9
Economic crimes	6	8	6	9	7	9	8	11	8	8	8	8	7	10	7
Traffic crimes	4	3	4	3	7	3	3	4	3	2	6	3	3	4	3
Other	7	7	7	6	8	6	6	5	6	6	4	6	6	7	6
<i>Percent of all</i>	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
N	4 711	262	4 973	4 707	253	4 960	4 653	251	4 904	4 454	275	4 729	4 202	249	4 451

<sup>60</sup> Measured 1 October.







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