

South Carolina Department of Corrections
Recidivism Rates of Inmates Released during FY2006 - FY2008

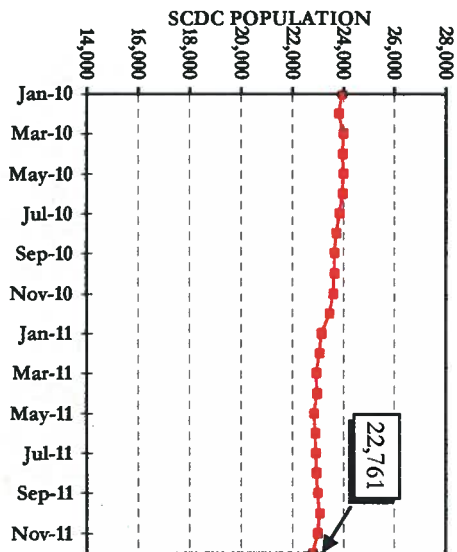
Characteristics		Male Population	Female Population	Total Population
TOTAL	Inmates Population	21,824	1,482	23,306
		%	%	%
Current Age				
	Average Current Age	35.9	37.0	36.0
	21 & Under	8%	4%	6%
	22-25	13%	11%	13%
	26-35	34%	33%	34%
	36-45	40%	40%	40%
	46 and Over	6%	5%	6%

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SCDC Average Daily Facility Count per Month January 2010 – December 2011



SCDC Count and Capacity as of December 15th 2011

	Operating Cap.	Physical Count	% of Capacity
Minimum Security	3,609	3,154	87.4%
Medium Security	10,073	9,993	99.2%
Maximum Security	8,954	8,231	91.9%
Female Institutions	1,784	1,430	80.2%
Agency Total	24,420	22,808	93.4%

Average Daily Inmate Population Fiscal Year 2005 - 2011			
Fiscal Year	SCDC Facilities	Other ¹ Jurisdiction	Change over Last Year
2005	22,905	855	-265
2006	22,897	789	-74
2007	23,375	763	-452
2008	23,889	748	499
2009	24,017	717	97
2010	24,040	670	-24
2011	23,293	646	-771

¹ Other Placements = Special Placements + Designated Facilities

Admissions to SCDC Fiscal Years 2009 - 2011

ADMISSIONS	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
NEW ADMISSIONS FROM COURT	9,778	74.1%	9,410	74.8%	8,250	75.8%
Indeterminate Sentence (YOY) ¹	932	7.1%	926	7.4%	725	6.7%
Straight Sentence (Non YOY)	8,799	66.7%	8,436	67.0%	7,489	68.8%
Other Jurisdiction	47	0.4%	48	0.4%	36	0.3%
PROBATION REVOCATIONS***	1,856	14.3%	1,766	14.0%	1,497	13.7%
PAROLE REVOCATIONS	1,064	8.1%	999	7.9%	835	7.7%
Youthful Offender Act (YOY)	706	5.3%	647	5.1%	510	4.7%
NON YOY	358	2.7%	352	2.8%	325	3.0%
SF/ERA REVOCATIONS	38	0.3%	30	0.2%	28	0.3%
COMMUNITY SUPV. REVOCATIONS	285	2.2%	269	2.1%	215	2.0%
RE-SENTENCED	174	1.3%	111	0.9%	62	0.6%
DEATH ROW	3	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%
OTHER **	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
TOTAL ADMISSIONS	13,199	100.0%	12,586	100.0%	10,888	100.0%

¹ The Youthful Offender Act provided for indeterminate sentences of 1 - 6 years for offenders aged 17-21.
 ** These inmates include appeal bond denied, ICC, and other time inmates.
 *** Includes only those inmates released to probation from SCDC.

Most Serious Offense of SCDC Admissions Fiscal Years 2009 - 2011

OFFENSE CLASSIFICATION	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011
DANGEROUS DRUGS	19.9%	19.5%	18.8%
BURGLARY	15.4%	15.1%	16.0%
ASSAULT	10.2%	10.4%	10.0%
TRAFFIC OFFENSE	7.9%	8.2%	7.5%
ROBBERY	6.2%	6.5%	6.5%
LARCENY	6.3%	6.4%	7.2%
FRAUDULENT ACTIVITY	5.6%	5.2%	4.8%
ALL OTHERS	28.5%	28.1%	29.2%
TOTAL ADMISSIONS	13,199	12,586	10,888

* Highlighted areas indicate most common offenses for each fiscal year. Inmates often are committed to SCDC with many offenses, with each carrying a specific sentence. County of commitment, etc. To facilitate statistical reporting, SCDC determines a single "most serious offense" (MSO) for each inmate. Inmates MSO is the offense with the highest severity level (i.e., offenses are classified between severity level 1 and 5, with 5 as the most severe).

Average Sentence Length of SCDC Admissions Fiscal Years 2009 - 2011

	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011
Average Sentence Length	4 Yrs. 1 Mos.	4 Yrs. 2 Mos.	4 Yrs. 2 Mos.

Time Served by SCDC Inmates Released Fiscal Years 2009 - 2011

TIME SERVED	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
3 Months or Less	1,601	11.9%	1,505	11.8%	1,384	11.5%
3 Months 1 Day-6 Months	2,453	18.2%	2,253	17.7%	1,974	16.4%
6 Months 1 Day-9 Months	1,680	12.5%	1,527	12.0%	1,302	10.8%
9 Months 1 Day-1 Year	1,743	13.0%	1,552	12.2%	1,474	12.3%
1 Year 1 Day-2 Years	4,886	36.2%	4,768	37.4%	4,693	39.0%
5 Years 1 Day-10 Years	766	5.7%	751	5.9%	788	6.6%
10 Years 1 Day-15 Years	226	1.7%	248	1.9%	285	2.4%
15 Years 1 Day-20 Years	84	0.6%	97	0.8%	87	0.7%
20 Years 1 Day-25 Years	16	0.1%	28	0.2%	22	0.2%
25 Years 1 Day-30 Years	13	0.1%	9	0.1%	10	0.1%
Over 30 Years	4	0.0%	6	0.0%	5	0.0%
TOTAL RELEASES	13,454	100.0%	12,744	100.0%	12,024	100.0%

This average does not include inmates with life, death, you sentences and inmates released on paid fine, remanded appeal, court order, pardon, resentenced, or death.

Releases from SCDC by Type Fiscal Years 2009 - 2011

RELEASES	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EXPIRATION OF SENTENCE/ LESS GOOD TIME	7,158	53.2%	6,761	53.1%	6,111	50.8%
MAXOUT - YOY	1,530	11.3%	1,481	11.3%	1,251	10.4%
PLACED ON PROBATION	2,809	20.9%	2,720	21.3%	2,448	20.4%
PAROLED BY YOY PAROLE BOARD	1,576	11.7%	1,458	11.4%	1,367	11.3%
PAROLED BY DPPRS*	467	3.5%	447	3.5%	779	6.5%
RE-SENTENCED	146	1.1%	104	0.8%	57	0.5%
RELEASED FROM DEPT/11	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
COMMUNITY SUPERVISION	1,044	7.8%	1,014	8.0%	1,026	8.5%
DEATH	57	0.4%	63	0.5%	63	0.5%
IDENTITY-EXERCISED	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	1	0.0%
OTHER **	44	0.3%	29	0.2%	27	0.2%
TOTAL RELEASES	13,454	100.0%	12,744	100.0%	12,024	100.0%

* Department of Probation, Parole, and Pardon Services.
 ** These releases include court ordered, paid fine, appeal bond, pardon, remanded to county and released on footcage.

South Carolina Department of Corrections Cost Per Inmate*

Fiscal Year	Based on State Funds Spent		Based on All Funds Spent**	
	Annual Cost Per Inmate	Daily Cost Per Inmate	Annual Cost Per Inmate	Daily Cost Per Inmate
2007	\$14,093	\$38.61	\$16,432	\$45.02
2008	\$14,344	\$39.19	\$16,462	\$44.98
2009	\$14,545	\$39.85	\$16,312	\$44.69
2010	\$14,445 **	\$39.58 **	\$15,963	\$43.73
2011	\$14,409 **	\$39.48 **	\$16,406	\$44.95

* Calculated as SCDC per inmate cost, based on the average number of inmates in SCDC facilities and a small number of authorized detainees and does not include state inmates held in designated facilities, institutional correctional programs, or other non-SCDC facilities.

** In FY 2010 and FY 2011 SCDC received \$21,000,000 and \$20,480,000, respectively, from funds dedicated to the state via the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009. These funds were included in the State Fund figures shown above. The FY 2010 cost figures have been revised from previous postings.

**State, Federal and Special Revenues (Includes Insurance Premiums, Payments for Recalls, Canteen, Prison Industries, Inmate Entertainment Funds, and Inmate and Prisoner Payments)

Based on 365 days per year, except day year when 366 days are used.