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JUVENILES IN CUSTODY

Juvenile offenders
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TABLE 5.1 Juveniles admitted into custody: sex and age by racial identity

Racial identity	Males										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Aboriginal	0	6	13	23	39	46	55	45	23	0	250
Non-Aboriginal	4	0	6	39	86	93	164	160	42	6	600
Unknown	0	0	0	0	2	2	4	5	1	0	14
Total	4	6	19	62	127	141	223	210	66	6	864

Racial identity	Females										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Aboriginal	0	0	4	12	6	17	21	15	6	2	83
Non-Aboriginal	2	0	1	9	18	27	35	27	4	1	124
Unknown	0	0	1	0	1	0	7	0	0	0	9
Total	2	0	6	21	25	44	63	42	10	3	216

Racial identity	Total										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Aboriginal	0	6	17	35	45	63	76	60	29	2	333
Non-Aboriginal	6	0	7	48	104	120	199	187	46	7	724
Unknown	0	0	1	0	3	2	11	5	1	19	42
Total	6	6	25	83	152	185	286	252	76	28	1,099*

Total includes 19 admissions for which sex and age were not recorded. Racial identity has been assigned by social workers. Age is at date of admission. During 2001 there were substantial modifications to the 'juveniles in custody' component of the FAYS computer system. As it has not been possible to investigate all issues associated with those changes, the results presented here are preliminary.

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TABLE 5.2 Juveniles admitted into custody: sex and age by employment status

Employment status	Males										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Student*	2	4	8	27	62	34	34	31	2	1	205
Employed	0	0	0	1	1	3	14	16	10	0	45
Unemployed	2	2	9	28	55	87	150	153	46	5	537
Other	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	5
Unknown	0	0	2	5	9	15	23	10	8	0	72
Total	4	6	19	62	127	141	223	210	66	6	864
	Females										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Student*	1	0	4	10	10	15	14	6	0	1	61
Employed	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	1	0	0	8
Unemployed	1	0	2	10	11	23	40	27	9	2	125
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	1	3	6	3	8	1	0	22
Total	2	0	6	21	25	44	63	42	10	3	216
	Total										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Student*	3	4	12	37	72	49	48	37	2	9	273
Employed	0	0	0	1	2	3	20	17	10	2	55
Unemployed	3	2	11	38	66	110	190	180	55	17	672
Other	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	5
Unknown	0	0	2	6	12	21	26	18	9	0	94
Total	6	6	25	83	152	185	286	252	76	28	1,099*

* The 'student' category covers those studying at primary or secondary school, a technical or further education college, university or other tertiary institution. The equivalent category used in previous reports was 'attends school', which is not directly comparable with the new category.** The total includes 19 admissions for which sex and age were not recorded: 7 were students, 2 were employed and 10 were unemployed. Age is at date of admission. During 2001 there were substantial modifications to the 'juveniles in custody' component of the FAYS computer system. As it has not been possible to investigate all issues associated with those changes, the results presented here are preliminary.

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TABLE 5.3a Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2001: age by most serious authority for males and females

Most serious authority	Males										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	1	3	8	7	10	7	0	36
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0	0	0	0	3	6	9	7	2	0	27
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	0	0	0	1	6	14	17	17	9	0	64

Most serious authority	Females										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	4
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	4
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	4	0	0	8

Age is at date of admission. This table does not represent the result of a census taken at a particular time on 30/6/01. Rather, it presents the number of young people who spent any part of 30/6/01 in custody. In previous years, a category of 'invoked suspended sentence' was included. It has now been deleted because it is no longer used as a coding option. All invoked suspended sentences are now recorded as detention. During 2001 there were substantial modifications to the 'juveniles in custody' component of the FAYS computer system. As it has not been possible to investigate all issues associated with those changes, the results presented here are preliminary.

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TABLE 5.3b Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2001: age by most serious authority for all persons

Most serious authority	Total										Total No.
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	1	5	8	8	11	7	0	40
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0	0	0	0	3	6	10	10	2	0	31
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	0	0	0	1	8	14	19	21	9	0	72

Age is at date of admission. This table does not represent the result of a census taken at a particular time on 30/6/01. Rather, it presents the number of young people who spent any part of 30/6/01 in custody. In previous years, a category of 'invoked suspended sentence' was included. It has now been deleted because it is no longer used as a coding option. All invoked suspended sentences are now recorded as detention. During 2001 there were substantial modifications to the 'juveniles in custody' component of the FAYS computer system. As it has not been possible to investigate all issues associated with those changes, the results presented here are preliminary.

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TABLE 5.4 Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2001: racial identity and sex by most serious authority

Most serious authority	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal		
	Male	Female	Unknown	Male	Female	Unknown
Detention	10	1	0	26	3	0
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	2	0
Remand	3	1	0	24	0	0
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	1	0	0
Total	13	2*	0	51	5*	0

* There was an additional female for whom racial identity was not recorded. Racial identity has been assigned by social workers. This table does not represent the result of a census taken at a particular time on 30/6/01. Rather, it presents the number of young people who spent any part of 30/6/01 in custody. In previous years, a category of 'invoked suspended sentence' was included. It has now been deleted because it is no longer used as a coding option. All invoked suspended sentences are now recorded as detention. During 2001 there were substantial modifications to the 'juveniles in custody' component of the FAYS computer system. As it has not been possible to investigate all issues associated with those changes, the results presented here are preliminary.

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TABLE 5.5 Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2001: age by most serious authority for Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal persons

Most serious authority	Aboriginal										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Detention	0	0	0	0	2	4	1	1	3	0	11
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	4
Remand	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0		2	5	3	2	3	0	15

Most serious authority	Non-Aboriginal										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Detention	0	0	0	1	3	4	7	10	4	0	29
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0	0	0	0	3	5	7	9	2	0	26
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	0	0	0	1	6	9	15	19	6	0	56*

* There was an additional person on remand for whom neither age nor racial identity were recorded. Racial identity has been assigned by social workers. Age is at date of admission. This table does not represent the result of a census taken at a particular time on 30/6/01. Rather, it presents the number of young people who spent any part of 30/6/01 in custody. In previous years, a category of 'invoked suspended sentence' was included. It now has been deleted because it is no longer used as a coding option. All invoked suspended sentences are now recorded as detention. During 2001 there were substantial modifications to the 'juveniles in custody' component of the FAYS computer system. As it has not been possible to investigate all issues associated with those changes, the results presented here are preliminary.

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TABLE 5.6a Average daily occupancy: age by most serious authority for males and females

Most serious authority	Males										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0.08	0.79	1.26	8.24	8.66	10.79	3.72	0.02	33.56
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0.02
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0	0.02
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0.03	0.02	0.37	0.90	3.76	5.01	7.19	7.84	2.32	0.04	27.49
First instance warrant	0	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.09	0.32	0.27	0.10	0.01	0.88
Police custody	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.12	0.39	0.45	0.78	0.70	0.04	0	2.55
Unknown	0	0	0.01	0.07	0.02	0.25	0.60	0.48	0.05	0.02	1.49
Total	0.04	0.03	0.51	1.91	5.50	14.03	17.56	20.10	6.24	0.09	66.01

Most serious authority	Females										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	0	0.68	0.30	0.95	0.85	0.26	0	3.04
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0.01	0	0.03	0.27	0.52	0.62	0.85	1.25	0.04	0	3.60
First instance warrant	0	0	0.00	0.01	0	0.05	0.08	0.05	0.03	0.01	0.24
Police custody	0	0	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.10	0.13	0.04	0	0	0.35
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.05	0.04	0	0	0	0.10
Total	0.01	0	0.04	0.31	1.25	1.12	2.05	2.19	0.33	0.01	7.32

Age is at date of admission. Due to the effects of rounding which occur when averages are calculated, the column and row totals do not always equal the sum of the individuals column/row figures.

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TABLE 5.6b Average daily occupancy: age by most serious authority for all persons

Most serious authority	Total										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Detention	0	0	0.08	0.79	1.95	8.53	9.61	11.64	3.98	0.02	36.60
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0.02
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0	0.02
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0.04	0.02	0.40	1.18	4.28	5.63	8.05	9.09	2.87	0.17	31.72
First instance warrant	0	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.05	0.14	0.41	0.32	0.13	0.02	1.13
Police custody	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.14	0.43	0.55	0.91	0.75	0.04	0.03	2.92
Unknown	0	0	0.01	0.07	0.04	0.29	0.64	0.48	0.05	0.02	1.59
Total	0.05	0.03	0.56	2.22	6.76	15.15	19.61	22.29	7.07	0.26	73.99

Age is at date of admission. Total includes a daily occupancy of 0.01 on remand where the sex of the young person was not recorded. As daily average occupancy figures have been rounded, totals may not correspond exactly with the sum of the daily averages for individual authorities. Due to the effects of rounding which occur when averages are calculated, the column and row totals do not always equal the sum of the individuals column/row figures. In previous years, a category of 'invoked suspended sentence' was included. It has now been deleted because it is no longer used as a coding option. All invoked suspended sentences are now recorded as detention. During 2001 there were substantial modifications to the 'juveniles in custody' component of the FAYS computer system. As it has not been possible to investigate all issues associated with those changes, the results presented here are preliminary.

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TABLE 5.7 Average daily occupancy: age by most serious authority for Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal persons

Most serious authority	Aboriginal										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	0	0.68	2.98	2.20	2.99	1.96	0	10.81
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0	0.02	0.38	0.53	1.21	1.26	1.75	1.98	0.85	0	7.99
First instance warrant	0	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.04	0.04	0.01	0.27
Police custody	0	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.19	0.15	0.22	0.12	0.03	0	0.76
Unknown	0	0	0	0.05	0	0.16	0.07	0	0.05	0	0.33
Total	0	0.03	0.40	0.62	2.11	4.62	4.32	5.12	2.93	0.01	20.15

Most serious authority	Non-Aboriginal										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0.08	0.79	1.27	5.56	7.40	8.65	2.02	0.02	25.79
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0.02
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0	0.02
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0.04	0	0.02	0.65	3.01	4.36	6.19	7.09	1.51	0.04	22.92
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0.02	0.03	0.07	0.34	0.25	0.09	0.01	0.82
Police custody	0.01	0	0.04	0.11	0.24	0.40	0.65	0.62	0.01	0	2.08
Unknown	0	0	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.13	0.57	0.48	0.00	0.02	1.26
Total	0.05	0	0.15	1.60	4.60	10.53	15.15	17.11	3.64	0.09	52.91

Racial identity has been assigned by social workers. Age is at date of admission. There was a daily occupancy of 0.93 where the racial identity of the youths was not recorded. These have not been included. As daily average occupancy figures have been rounded, totals may not correspond exactly with the sum of the daily averages for individual authorities. Due to the effects of rounding which occur when averages are calculated, the column and row totals do not always equal the sum of the individuals column/row figures. In previous years, a category of 'invoked suspended sentence' was included. It has now been deleted because it is no longer used as a coding option. All invoked suspended sentences are now recorded as detention.

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