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JUVENILES IN CUSTODY

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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	14	20	15	57	56	64	66	14	2	308
Non-Aboriginal	0	3	25	58	76	100	109	113	17	6	507
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	4
Total	0	17	45	73	133	156	173	180	33	9	819

Racial identity	Females										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Aboriginal	0	0	0	0	15	22	15	18	2	3	75
Non-Aboriginal	0	5	1	8	24	46	21	14	2	2	123
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	5	1	8	39	68	36	32	4	5	198

Racial identity	Total										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Aboriginal	0	14	20	15	72	78	79	84	16	5	383
Non-Aboriginal	0	8	26	66	100	146	130	127	19	8	630
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	5
Total	0	22	46	81	172	224	209	213	37	14	1,018

Racial identity has been assigned by social workers. Age is at date of admission.

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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*	0	17	41	65	73	67	59	66	6	2	396
Employed	0	0	0	0	3	8	20	28	4	0	63
Unemployed	0	0	4	8	55	70	89	83	23	7	339
Other	0	0	0	0	2	11	5	3	0	0	21
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	17	45	73	133	156	173	180	33	9	819

	Females										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Student*	0	5	1	6	17	40	18	7	2	0	96
Employed	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	3	0	0	9
Unemployed	0	0	0	2	19	22	16	22	2	5	88
Other	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	5
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	5	1	8	39	68	36	32	4	5	198

	Total										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Student*	0	22	42	71	90	107	77	73	8	2	492
Employed	0	0	0	0	4	11	22	32	4	0	73
Unemployed	0	0	4	10	74	92	105	105	25	12	427
Other	0	0	0	0	4	14	5	3	0	0	26
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	22	46	81	172	224	209	213	37	14	1,018

* 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 reports prior to 2001 was 'attends school', which is not directly comparable with the new category. Age is at date of admission.

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TABLE 5.3a Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2007: 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	1	7	7	4	2	5	27
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	2	8	3	11	8	1	1	34
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
Total	0	0	0	3	9	11	18	12	3	12	68

Most serious authority	Females										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
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	2	0	0	0	0	5
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	3	2	1	0	0	0	6

Age is at date of admission. This table does not represent the result of a census taken at a particular time on 30/6/07. Rather, it presents the number of young people who spent any part of 30/6/07 in custody. Prior to 2001, 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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TABLE 5.3b Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2007: 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	1	7	8	4	2	5	28
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	2	11	5	11	8	1	1	39
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
Total	0	0	0	3	12	13	19	12	3	12	74

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TABLE 5.4 Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2007: racial identity and sex by most serious authority

Most serious authority	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Unknown		
	Male	Female	Unknown	Male	Female	Unknown	Male	Female	Unknown
Detention	15	1	0	11	0	0	1	0	0
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant in default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remanded for assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	16	4	0	18	1	0	0	0	0
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
Total	33	5	0	34	1	0	1	0	0

Racial identity has been assigned by social workers. This table does not represent the result of a census taken at a particular time on 30/6/07. Rather, it presents the number of young people who spent any part of 30/6/07 in custody. Prior to 2001, 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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TABLE 5.5 Juveniles in custody on 30 June 2007: 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	1	4	5	3	1	2	16
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	5	3	4	6	1	1	20
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police custody	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total	0	0	0	0	6	8	9	9	2	4	38

Most serious authority	Non-Aboriginal										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	1	0	3	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	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remand	0	0	0	2	6	2	7	2	0	0	19
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	5	5
Total	0	0	0	3	6	5	10	3	0	8	35

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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	0.26	2.49	3.67	6.80	5.90	1.09	8.89	29.11
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.14	0	0.16
Return to centre	0	0.01	0.03	0.08	0.14	0.23	0.18	0.06	0.01	0.04	0.79
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	0.46	0.32	1.40	4.03	4.08	4.73	5.93	0.58	1.80	23.33
First instance warrant	0	0	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.10	0.12	0.06	0.01	0.38
Police custody	0	0.01	0.08	0.12	0.16	0.29	0.22	0.25	0.01	0.01	1.15
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0.06	0.39	0.01	0	0.04	6.38	6.89
Total	0	0.48	0.44	1.88	6.93	8.70	12.05	12.26	1.93	17.13	61.81

Most serious authority	Females										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	0	0.18	0.46	0.52	0.01	0	0.01	1.18
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Return to centre	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.04	0	0	0.10
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	0.03	0	0.21	0.85	0.86	0.70	0.27	0	0.15	3.07
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.01	0	0.14
Police custody	0	0	0	0.02	0.07	0.13	0.04	0.04	0	0	0.31
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0	0	0	0.01
Total	0	0.03	0	0.23	1.13	1.51	1.34	0.38	0.01	0.17	4.81

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

Most serious authority	Total										Total
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	
Detention	0	0	0	0.26	2.67	4.13	7.32	5.91	1.09	8.90	30.29
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.14	0	0.16
Return to centre	0	0.01	0.03	0.08	0.15	0.26	0.21	0.10	0.01	0.04	0.88
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	0.49	0.32	1.61	4.88	4.93	5.44	6.20	0.58	1.95	26.40
First instance warrant	0	0	0.01	0.02	0.07	0.05	0.13	0.15	0.08	0.01	0.52
Police custody	0	0.02	0.08	0.14	0.23	0.43	0.27	0.29	0.01	0.01	1.47
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0.06	0.39	0.02	0	0.04	6.38	6.89
Total	0	0.52	0.44	2.11	8.06	10.21	13.39	12.65	1.95	17.29	66.62

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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										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Detention	0	0	0	0	1.12	2.64	4.11	4.87	0.39	3.42	16.55
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.10	0	0.13
Return to centre	0	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.07	0.16	0.16	0.08	0.01	0.03	0.55
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	0.44	0.09	0.19	2.18	1.70	2.12	3.02	0.47	1.15	11.35
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.17
Police custody	0	0.01	0.05	0.03	0.09	0.12	0.05	0.11	0	0.01	0.47
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0.02	0.20	0.01	0	0.04	1.05	1.32
Total	0	0.46	0.16	0.25	3.52	4.84	6.49	8.13	1.03	5.65	30.54

	Non-Aboriginal										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Detention	0	0	0	0.26	1.55	1.50	3.21	1.04	0.11	5.48	13.15
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.04	0	0.04
Return to centre	0	0	0.02	0.06	0.07	0.10	0.05	0.02	0	0.01	0.33
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	0.05	0.23	1.42	2.70	3.23	3.18	3.18	0.11	0.81	15.05
First instance warrant	0	0	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.09	0.05	0	0.34
Police custody	0	0.01	0.03	0.10	0.14	0.31	0.21	0.18	0.01	0.01	0.99
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0.03	0.20	0.01	0	0	5.33	5.57
Total	0	0.05	0.28	1.86	4.54	5.37	6.89	4.51	0.32	11.64	35.47

	Unknown										
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Over 17	Unknown	Total
Detention	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Review board warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.59	0	0.59
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	0	0	0	0	0
First instance warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0	0.01
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	0	0	0	0.01	0.60	0	0.61

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