

HISTORICAL TRENDS

INSTITUTION AND PAROLE POPULATION

1970 - 1990

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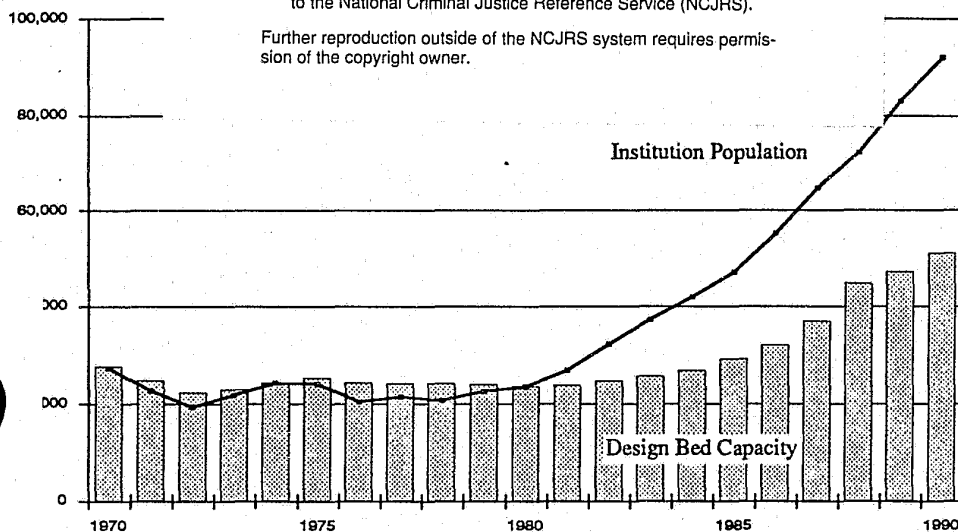
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This report presents some basic information about the California Department of Corrections' (CDC) prison and parole system. Historical trend information covering the past twenty years is presented in graphic and tabular form for various offender demographic characteristics and institutional design bed capacity.

Institution Population

Figure/Table 1 show the number of offenders incarcerated in a California state prison, conservation camp, community based facility, or Department of Mental Health hospital. The institution population grew from 25,033 inmates in 1970 to 97,309 inmates in 1990. The inmate population remained under 30,000 inmates from 1970 to 1981. After 1981 the population increased from under 29,000 to over 97,000 inmates in 1990.

Racial/Ethnic Composition

Figure/Table 2 present information on the racial/ethnic composition of the institution population during the 1970 to 1990 time period. White male inmates dropped from 52 percent of the male institution population in 1970 to 29 percent in 1990. Most of this shift in racial composition was related to the large increase in the percentage of Hispanic (Mexican) (16 percent to 30 percent). There were also smaller percentage increases in the Black and Other racial/ethnic groups.

Institution Population by Offense Category

Figure/Table 3 show the change in the percentage of felon inmates incarcerated for violent, property, drug and other offenses. The percentage of inmates incarcerated for violent crimes during 1970 through 1990 decreased from 54 percent to 43 percent for male felons and from 34 percent to 24 percent for female felons. For drug offenses, the percentages increased from 15 percent to 24 percent for male felons and 26 percent to 38 percent for female felons. The percentage of both male and female felons showed little change in admissions for property or other offenses.

New Admissions by Offense Category

Figure/Table 4 show the per capita rate of felon new admissions by offense category. From 1970 to 1990 the per capita rate of felon new admissions increased from 23.4 to 131.0 per 100,000 California population. For male drug offenses the per capita rate increased steadily from 1979, but began to climb sharply each year since 1983. The 1990 male drug offense per capita rate is unique in that the rate is almost level with 1989, yet the five previous years had the highest rate increases ever. The male violent offense per capita rate was fairly constant (at an average of 28.4) from 1985 through 1989, but increased to 32.6 in 1990.

Parole Violators Returned to Prison

Figure/Table 5 present information on the number of parole violators (PV) returned to prison. The number of PVs returned to prison increased from 2,563 to 54,379 during the 1970 to 1990 time period. From 1970 through 1981, the number of PVs remained under 4,000, but increased rapidly to 54,379 during the 1982 to 1990 time period.

Admission/Return Status

Figure/Table 6 indicate the percentage composition of the felon institution population with respect to admission/return status. New admissions, Parole Violators-Returned to Custody (PV-RTCs) and Parole Violators-With New Terms (PV-WNTs) are shown as a percentage of the overall felon population. From 1975 to 1984, male felon new admissions exceeded 75 percent, while the percentage of male PV-RTCs decreased to less than 5 percent during the 1975 to 1982 time period. However, as the new admission percentage decreased to 63 percent in 1990, the PV-RTC percentage increased and reached 14 percent by 1990.

Felon Parole and Civil Narcotic Population

Figure/Table 7 show the growth in the felon parole and civil narcotic addict (CNA) outpatient population from 18,928 in 1970 to 69,771 in 1990. From 1970 through 1982, the population fluctuated from year-to-year. Beginning in 1983, the parole/outpatient population significantly increased and continued to increase. In 1990 alone, the parole/outpatient population increased by almost 11,000 offenders.

Releases to Parole

Figure/Table 8 present information on the total number of felons annually released to parole. Since 1970 the number of annual releases to parole has increased from 8,516 to 82,419 in 1990.

Average Time Served in CDC Institutions

Figure/Table 9 show the change in the average (median) months of time served in CDC institutions by felons first released to parole. For male felons the time served decreased from 36 months to 12 months and for female felons from 18 months to 10 months during the 1970 to 1990 time period. Time served in jail prior to commitment to prison is not included in these calculations.

Design Bed Capacity and Overcrowding

Figure/Table 10 show the change in the design bed capacity of CDC facilities and the institution population from June 30, 1970 to June 30, 1990. From 1970 to 1990, design bed capacity increased from 27,768 to 51,013 while the institution population increased from 27,282 to 91,892. Overcrowding of design beds began in 1981 and continued through 1990. Note: Institution population on this table differs from Figure/Table 1. Fiscal year data were used for Figure/Table 10 because calendar year data (as used in Figure/Table 1) were not available for all years covered in this report.

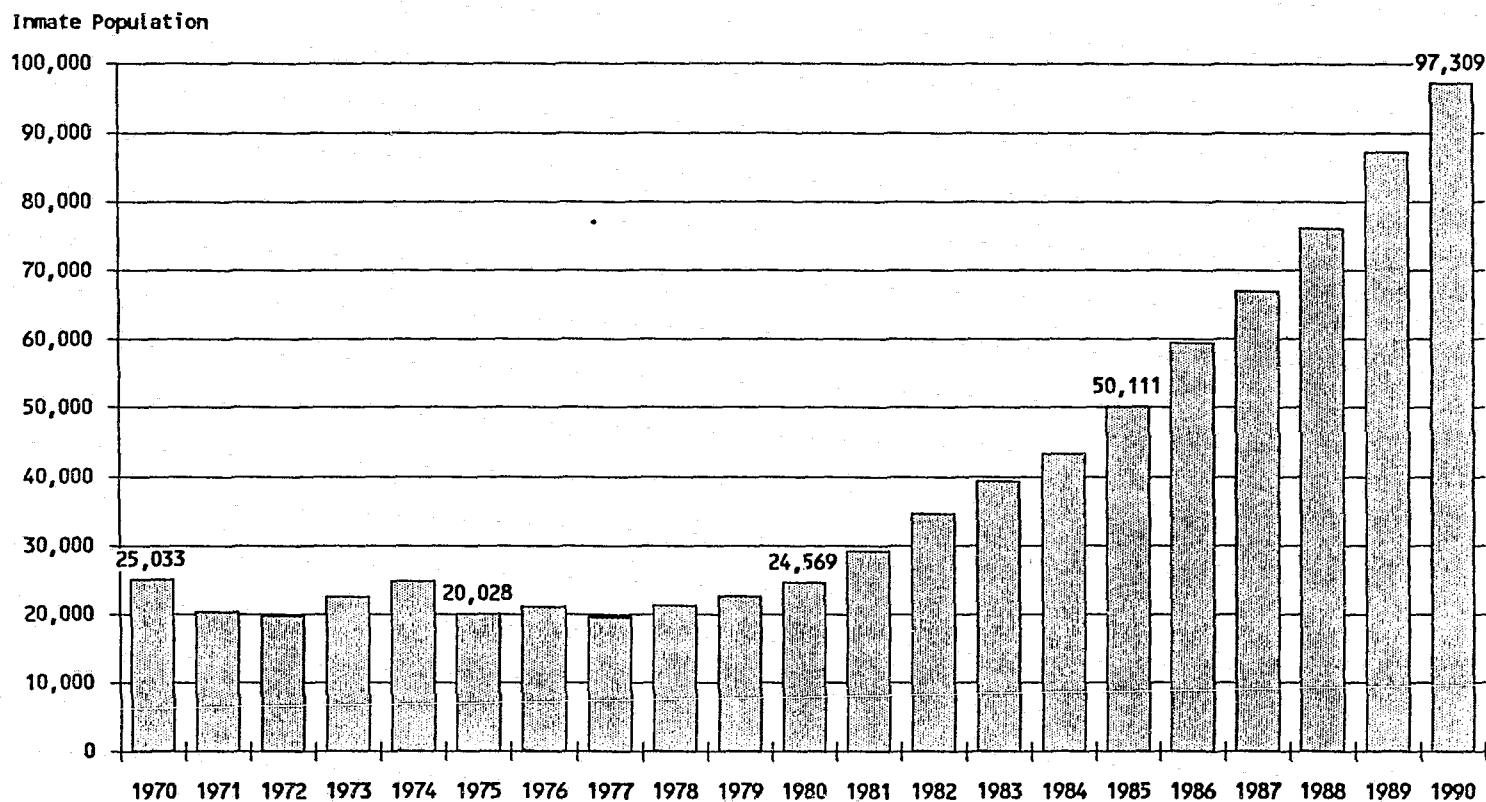
Most of the information for this historical trend report was compiled from California Prisoners and Parolees publications from 1970 to 1989. The 1990 data are based upon recently published or soon-to-be published reports. In summarizing the data, efforts were made to maintain a reasonable consistency between years as various definitions of data elements changed. Some of the information, such as the percentage of PV-RTC and PV-WNT in Table 7 for the years 1970 through 1985, was derived from old computer files. Numbers used in the report may not add due to rounding. The author would like to thank Paula Burbach, Data Analysis Unit, for the previously unpublished data she developed on the new admission offense groups for 1985, and Richard Bass, Data Analysis Unit, for the information and help he provided in determining which tables to develop and in locating other reports which contained additional data.

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FIGURE 1

ADULT CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION POPULATION*
FELONS AND NON-FELONS

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990



*INSTITUTION POPULATION includes offenders incarcerated in a state prison, conservation camp, community based facility, or Department of Mental Health hospital.

TABLE 1

ADULT CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION POPULATION*
FELONS AND NON-FELONS

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990

AS OF DECEMBER 31	TOTAL POP.	CHANGE IN POP.	MEN			WOMEN		
			TOTAL	FELONS	OTHER**	TOTAL	FELONS	OTHER**
1970	25,033	-	24,105	20,460	3,645	928	588	340
1971	20,294	-4,739	19,449	16,952	2,497	845	522	323
1972	19,773	-521	18,994	16,573	2,421	779	500	279
1973	22,486	2,713	21,557	19,247	2,310	929	627	302
1974	24,741	2,255	23,786	21,370	2,416	955	614	341
1975	20,028	-4,713	19,008	16,662	2,346	1,020	698	322
1976	21,088	1,060	19,964	17,511	2,453	1,124	654	470
1977	19,623	-1,465	18,576	16,713	1,863	1,047	671	376
1978	21,325	1,702	20,178	18,751	1,427	1,147	847	300
1979	22,632	1,307	21,400	20,255	1,145	1,232	1,027	205
1980	24,569	1,937	23,253	22,197	1,056	1,316	1,087	229
1981	29,202	4,633	27,775	26,681	1,094	1,427	1,232	195
1982	34,640	5,438	32,987	32,124	863	1,653	1,459	194
1983	39,373	4,733	37,353	36,275	1,078	2,020	1,750	270
1984	43,328	3,955	41,018	39,749	1,269	2,310	2,034	276
1985	50,111	6,783	47,205	45,761	1,444	2,906	2,518	388
1986	59,484	9,373	55,920	54,512	1,408	3,564	3,213	351
1987	66,975	7,491	62,823	61,105	1,718	4,152	3,708	444
1988	76,171	9,196	71,278	69,379	1,899	4,893	4,401	492
1989	87,297	11,126	81,297	78,911	2,386	6,000	5,427	573
1990	97,309	10,012	90,807	88,264	2,543	6,502	5,858	644

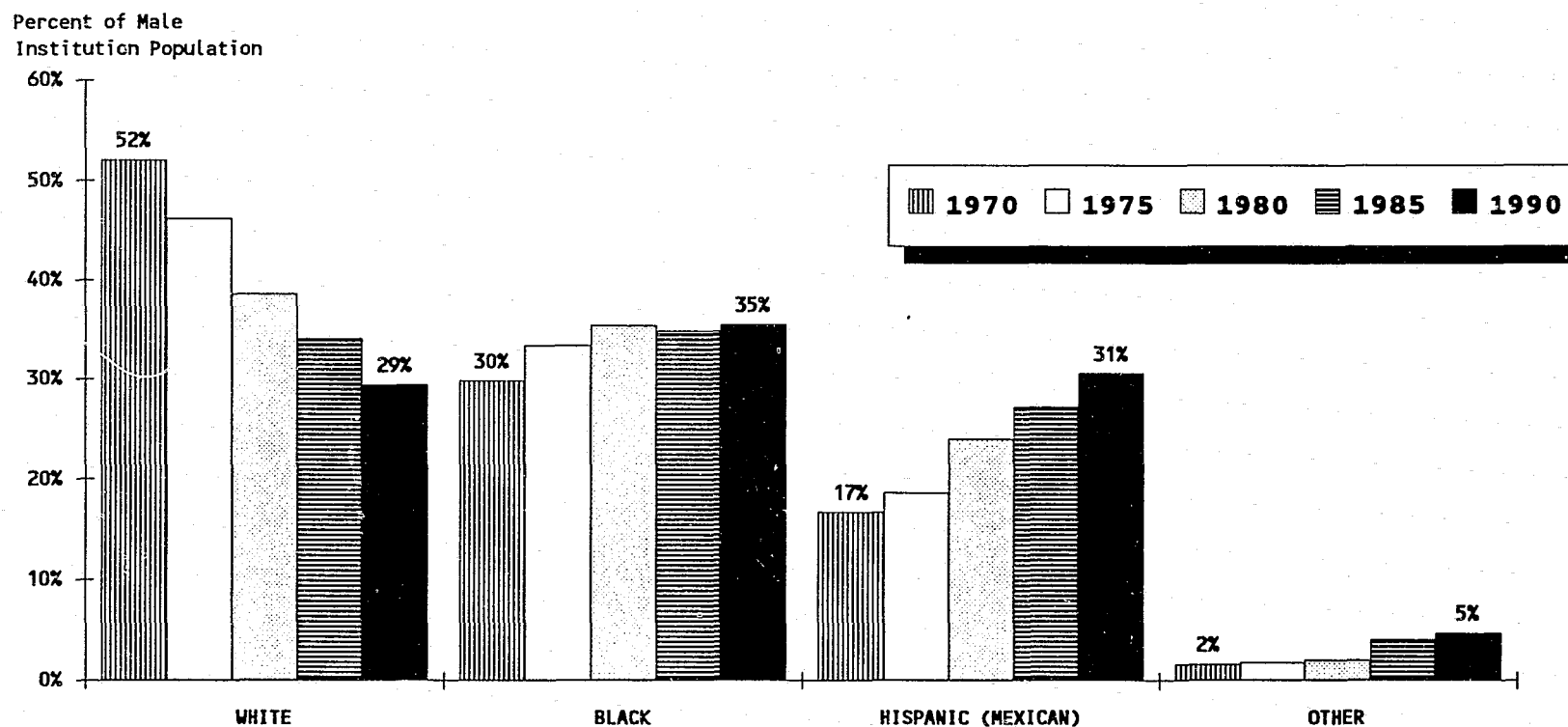
*INSTITUTION POPULATION includes offenders incarcerated in a state prison, conservation camp, community based facility, or Department of Mental Health hospital.

**OTHER includes civil narcotic addicts, Youth Authority wards, county diagnostic cases, and others.

FIGURE 2

**RACIAL/ETHNIC COMPOSITION
MALE INSTITUTION POPULATION
FELONS AND NON-FELONS**

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990



Note: Percents may add to more than 100% due to rounding.

TABLE 2

**RACIAL/ETHNIC COMPOSITION
INSTITUTION POPULATION
FELONS AND NON-FELONS
DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990**

AS OF DECEMBER 31	TOTAL POP.	MEN					WOMEN				
		TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC (MEXICAN)	OTHER	TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC (MEXICAN)	OTHER
1970	25,033	24,105	52.0%	29.8%	16.6%	1.6%	928	53.5%	34.2%	7.8%	4.5%
1971	20,294	19,449	51.1%	30.8%	16.5%	1.6%	845	55.5%	31.6%	7.7%	5.2%
1972	19,773	18,994	49.8%	32.0%	16.7%	1.5%	779	56.0%	30.2%	11.7%	2.1%
1973	22,486	21,557	48.5%	32.3%	17.6%	1.6%	929	56.6%	30.1%	10.8%	2.5%
1974	24,741	23,786	47.2%	33.0%	18.1%	1.7%	955	56.8%	31.8%	9.1%	2.3%
1975	20,028	19,008	46.2%	33.4%	18.6%	1.8%	1,020	50.7%	36.2%	10.8%	2.3%
1976	21,088	19,964	44.7%	34.0%	19.4%	1.9%	1,124	45.4%	35.8%	14.9%	3.9%
1977	19,623	18,576	43.1%	34.0%	21.1%	1.8%	1,047	47.9%	34.8%	15.2%	2.1%
1978	21,325	20,178	41.2%	34.6%	22.2%	2.0%	1,147	42.7%	36.9%	16.8%	3.6%
1979	22,632	21,400	39.8%	35.1%	23.2%	1.9%	1,232	41.0%	36.9%	18.4%	3.7%
1980	24,569	23,253	38.6%	35.4%	24.0%	2.0%	1,316	43.1%	36.2%	17.3%	3.4%
1981	29,202	27,775	36.2%	35.9%	25.5%	2.4%	1,427	40.3%	37.6%	16.4%	5.7%
1982	34,640	32,987	35.9%	35.8%	25.8%	2.5%	1,653	40.7%	35.5%	16.8%	7.0%
1983	39,373	37,353	34.9%	35.9%	26.1%	3.1%	2,020	40.2%	32.4%	20.0%	7.4%
1984	43,328	41,018	34.9%	34.8%	26.7%	3.6%	2,310	37.9%	30.2%	22.7%	9.2%
1985	50,111	47,205	34.1%	34.8%	27.1%	4.0%	2,906	36.1%	30.3%	25.1%	8.5%
1986	59,484	55,920	32.5%	35.0%	28.4%	4.2%	3,564	37.5%	27.6%	26.4%	8.5%
1987	66,975	62,823	32.1%	35.3%	28.3%	4.3%	4,152	38.2%	28.9%	24.9%	8.0%
1988	76,171	71,278	30.8%	37.1%	27.8%	4.3%	4,893	36.2%	31.1%	24.4%	8.4%
1989	87,297	81,297	29.9%	37.0%	28.5%	4.6%	6,000	34.1%	36.2%	22.6%	7.1%
1990	97,309	90,807	29.4%	35.4%	30.5%	4.6%	6,502	34.7%	35.9%	23.0%	6.4%

FIGURE 3

**FELON INSTITUTION POPULATION
VIOLENT AND DRUG OFFENSES**

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990

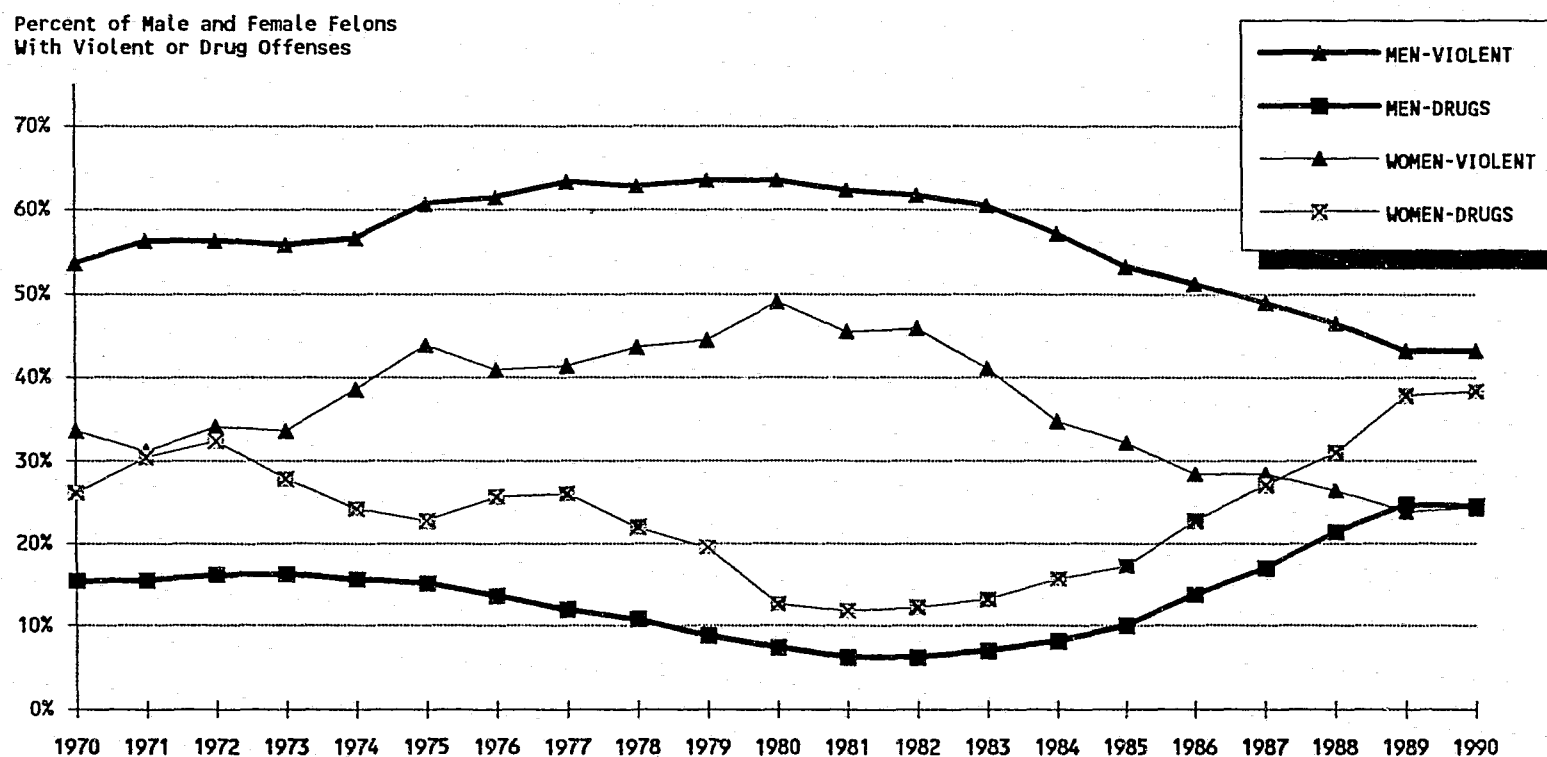


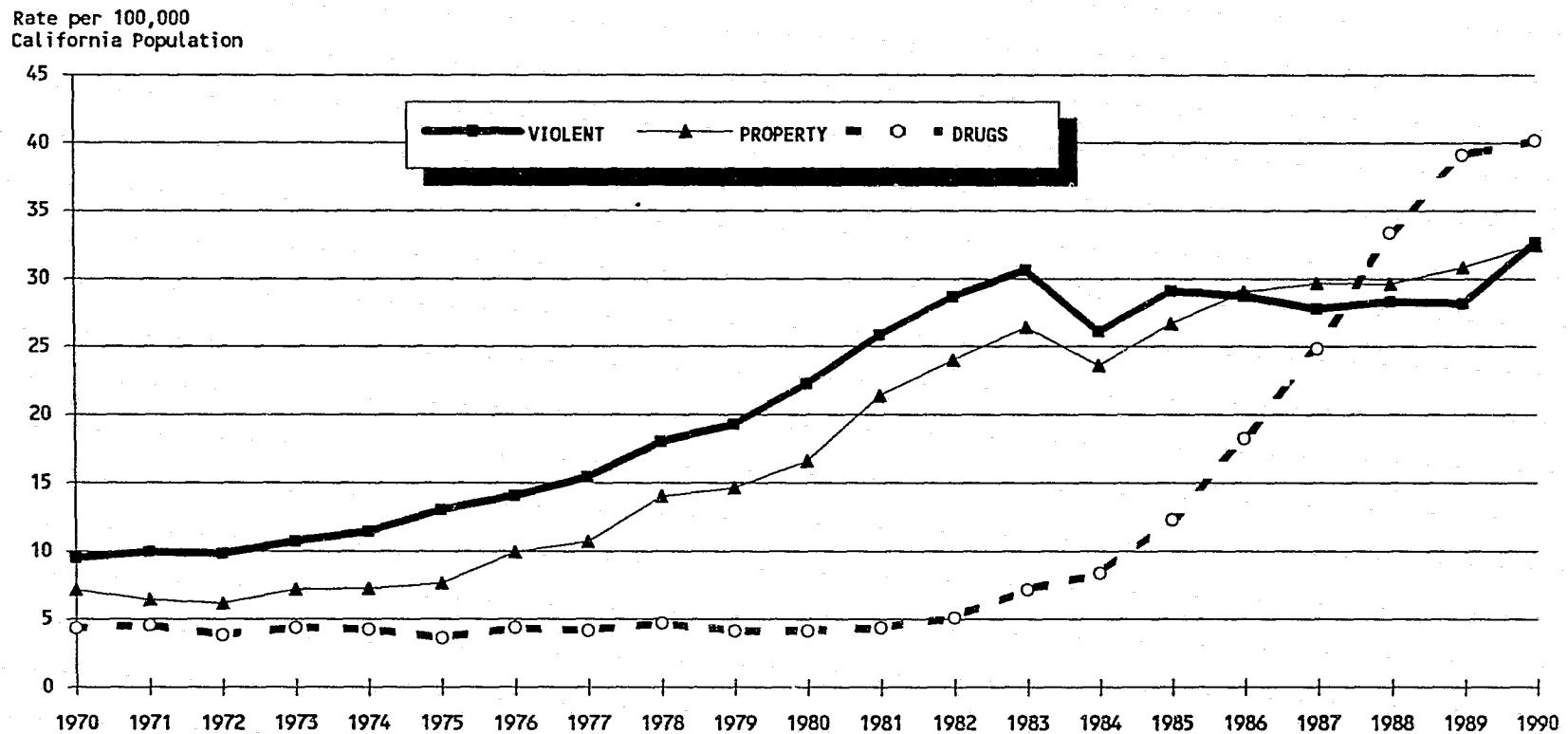
TABLE 3
**FELON INSTITUTION POPULATION
BY OFFENSE**

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990

AS OF DECEMBER 31	MEN					WOMEN				
	POPULATION	VIOLENT	PROPERTY	DRUGS	OTHER	POPULATION	VIOLENT	PROPERTY	DRUGS	OTHER
		%	%	%	%		%	%	%	%
1970	20,460	53.7%	25.7%	15.4%	5.2%	588	33.7%	35.0%	26.1%	5.2%
1971	16,952	56.3%	23.3%	15.5%	4.9%	522	31.2%	33.2%	30.4%	5.2%
1972	16,573	56.4%	22.5%	16.1%	5.0%	500	34.1%	27.5%	32.4%	6.0%
1973	19,247	55.8%	23.3%	16.3%	4.6%	627	33.7%	32.8%	27.9%	5.6%
1974	21,370	56.6%	23.3%	15.6%	4.5%	614	38.6%	32.4%	24.2%	4.8%
1975	16,662	60.7%	20.1%	15.1%	4.1%	698	43.9%	30.0%	22.8%	3.3%
1976	17,511	61.5%	20.9%	13.6%	4.0%	654	40.9%	30.1%	25.6%	3.4%
1977	16,713	63.3%	20.5%	11.9%	4.3%	671	41.4%	29.3%	26.0%	3.3%
1978	18,751	62.8%	22.2%	10.7%	4.3%	847	43.6%	30.4%	21.9%	4.1%
1979	20,255	63.5%	23.5%	8.8%	4.2%	1,027	44.5%	31.3%	19.5%	4.7%
1980	22,197	63.5%	24.2%	7.4%	4.9%	1,087	49.1%	33.8%	12.6%	4.5%
1981	26,681	62.3%	27.4%	6.2%	4.1%	1,232	45.5%	38.1%	11.8%	4.6%
1982	32,124	61.7%	28.2%	6.2%	3.9%	1,459	45.9%	37.8%	12.2%	4.1%
1983	36,275	60.5%	28.7%	7.0%	3.8%	1,750	41.1%	41.5%	13.2%	4.2%
1984	39,749	57.2%	29.4%	8.2%	5.2%	2,034	34.8%	43.5%	15.7%	6.0%
1985	45,761	53.3%	29.9%	10.0%	6.8%	2,518	32.2%	44.4%	17.2%	6.2%
1986	54,512	51.2%	31.8%	13.7%	3.3%	3,213	28.4%	45.0%	22.8%	3.7%
1987	61,105	49.0%	30.3%	17.0%	3.7%	3,708	28.4%	40.8%	27.1%	3.8%
1988	69,379	46.5%	28.8%	21.4%	3.3%	4,401	26.4%	39.2%	31.0%	3.3%
1989	78,911	43.2%	27.4%	24.7%	4.7%	5,427	23.9%	35.1%	37.9%	3.1%
1990	88,264	43.1%	26.3%	24.5%	6.1%	5,858	24.3%	33.9%	38.4%	3.4%

FIGURE 4

**MALE FELON NEW ADMISSIONS FROM COURT
VIOLENT, PROPERTY AND DRUG OFFENSES
RATE PER 100,000 CALIFORNIA POPULATION***
CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990



*Population estimates are from the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance.

TABLE 4
**FELON NEW ADMISSIONS FROM COURT
BY OFFENSE
RATE PER 100,000 CALIFORNIA POPULATION***
CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION		MEN								WOMEN							
			VIOLENT		PROPERTY		DRUGS		OTHER**		VIOLENT		PROPERTY		DRUGS		OTHER**	
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE
1970	4,690	23.40	1,905	9.51	1,432	7.15	864	4.31	225	1.12	67	0.33	113	0.56	63	0.31	21	0.10
1971	4,788	23.53	2,025	9.95	1,309	6.43	921	4.53	217	1.07	88	0.43	116	0.57	80	0.39	32	0.16
1972	4,579	22.24	2,023	9.83	1,263	6.14	781	3.79	205	1.00	85	0.41	110	0.53	83	0.40	29	0.14
1973	5,147	24.66	2,233	10.70	1,497	7.17	904	4.33	205	0.98	96	0.46	118	0.57	69	0.33	25	0.12
1974	5,359	25.31	2,425	11.45	1,535	7.25	889	4.20	232	1.10	100	0.47	95	0.45	69	0.33	14	0.07
1975	5,765	26.77	2,801	13.00	1,646	7.64	765	3.55	221	1.03	131	0.61	124	0.58	61	0.28	16	0.07
1976	6,910	31.50	3,089	14.08	2,182	9.95	952	4.34	240	1.09	126	0.57	178	0.81	127	0.58	16	0.07
1977	7,558	33.81	3,447	15.42	2,398	10.73	924	4.13	296	1.32	157	0.70	192	0.86	115	0.51	29	0.13
1978	9,325	40.83	4,114	18.02	3,203	14.03	1,065	4.66	371	1.62	179	0.78	225	0.99	130	0.57	38	0.17
1979	9,874	42.46	4,480	19.26	3,408	14.65	949	4.08	366	1.57	217	0.93	288	1.24	122	0.52	44	0.19
1980	11,347	47.72	5,286	22.23	3,949	16.61	975	4.10	447	1.88	230	0.97	327	1.38	88	0.37	45	0.19
1981	13,932	57.41	6,266	25.82	5,191	21.39	1,051	4.33	602	2.48	254	1.05	400	1.65	131	0.54	37	0.15
1982	15,932	64.28	7,112	28.69	5,948	24.00	1,257	5.07	697	2.81	300	1.21	445	1.80	130	0.52	43	0.17
1983	18,401	72.71	7,752	30.63	6,685	26.41	1,814	7.17	904	3.57	349	1.38	636	2.51	199	0.79	62	0.24
1984	17,602	68.28	6,725	26.09	6,090	23.62	2,153	8.35	1,274	4.94	292	1.13	703	2.73	247	0.96	118	0.46
1985	20,505	77.79	7,662	29.07	7,030	26.67	3,238	12.28	897	3.40	370	1.40	859	3.26	371	1.41	78	0.30
1986	23,532	87.16	7,759	28.74	7,841	29.04	4,921	18.23	1,037	3.84	374	1.39	957	3.54	546	2.02	97	0.36
1987	26,649	96.36	7,677	27.76	8,208	29.68	6,867	24.83	1,548	5.60	417	1.51	1,006	3.64	770	2.78	156	0.56
1988	29,551	104.34	8,015	28.30	8,394	29.64	9,433	33.31	1,159	4.09	431	1.52	1,035	3.65	1,012	3.57	72	0.25
1989	34,226	117.76	8,187	28.17	8,961	30.83	11,364	39.10	2,360	8.12	491	1.69	1,136	3.91	1,598	5.50	129	0.44
1990	39,272	131.01	9,779	32.62	9,735	32.48	12,051	40.20	4,104	13.69	483	1.61	1,255	4.19	1,690	5.64	175	0.58

*Population estimates are from the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance.

**OTHER includes all other cases and any cases with missing offense data.

TABLE 4
**FELON NEW ADMISSIONS FROM COURT
BY OFFENSE
RATE PER 100,000 CALIFORNIA POPULATION***
CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION		MEN								WOMEN							
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1971	4,788	23.53	2,025	9.95	1,309	6.43	921	4.53	217	1.07	88	0.43	116	0.57	80	0.39	32	0.16
1972	4,579	22.24	2,023	9.83	1,263	6.14	781	3.79	205	1.00	85	0.41	110	0.53	83	0.40	29	0.14
1973	5,147	24.66	2,233	10.70	1,497	7.17	904	4.33	205	0.98	96	0.46	118	0.57	69	0.33	25	0.12
1974	5,359	25.31	2,425	11.45	1,535	7.25	889	4.20	232	1.10	100	0.47	95	0.45	69	0.33	14	0.07
1975	5,765	26.77	2,801	13.00	1,646	7.64	765	3.55	221	1.03	131	0.61	124	0.58	61	0.28	16	0.07
1976	6,910	31.50	3,089	14.08	2,182	9.95	952	4.34	240	1.09	126	0.57	178	0.81	127	0.58	16	0.07
1977	7,558	33.81	3,447	15.42	2,398	10.73	924	4.13	296	1.32	157	0.70	192	0.86	115	0.51	29	0.13
1978	9,325	40.83	4,114	18.02	3,203	14.03	1,065	4.66	371	1.62	179	0.78	225	0.99	130	0.57	38	0.17
1979	9,874	42.46	4,480	19.26	3,408	14.65	949	4.08	366	1.57	217	0.93	288	1.24	122	0.52	44	0.19
1980	11,347	47.72	5,286	22.23	3,949	16.61	975	4.10	447	1.88	230	0.97	327	1.38	88	0.37	45	0.19
1981	13,932	57.41	6,266	25.82	5,191	21.39	1,051	4.33	602	2.48	254	1.05	400	1.65	131	0.54	37	0.15
1982	15,932	64.28	7,112	28.69	5,948	24.00	1,257	5.07	697	2.81	300	1.21	445	1.80	130	0.52	43	0.17
1983	18,401	72.71	7,752	30.63	6,685	26.41	1,814	7.17	904	3.57	349	1.38	636	2.51	199	0.79	62	0.24
1984	17,602	68.28	6,725	26.09	6,090	23.62	2,153	8.35	1,274	4.94	292	1.13	703	2.73	247	0.96	118	0.46
1985	20,505	77.79	7,662	29.07	7,030	26.67	3,238	12.28	897	3.40	370	1.40	859	3.26	371	1.41	78	0.30
1986	23,532	87.16	7,759	28.74	7,841	29.04	4,921	18.23	1,037	3.84	374	1.39	957	3.54	546	2.02	97	0.36
1987	26,649	96.36	7,677	27.76	8,208	29.68	6,867	24.83	1,548	5.60	417	1.51	1,006	3.64	770	2.78	156	0.56
1988	29,551	104.34	8,015	28.30	8,394	29.64	9,433	33.31	1,159	4.09	431	1.52	1,035	3.65	1,012	3.57	72	0.25
1989	34,226	117.76	8,187	28.17	8,961	30.83	11,364	39.10	2,360	8.12	491	1.69	1,136	3.91	1,598	5.50	129	0.44
1990	39,272	131.01	9,779	32.62	9,735	32.48	12,051	40.20	4,104	13.69	483	1.61	1,255	4.19	1,690	5.64	175	0.58

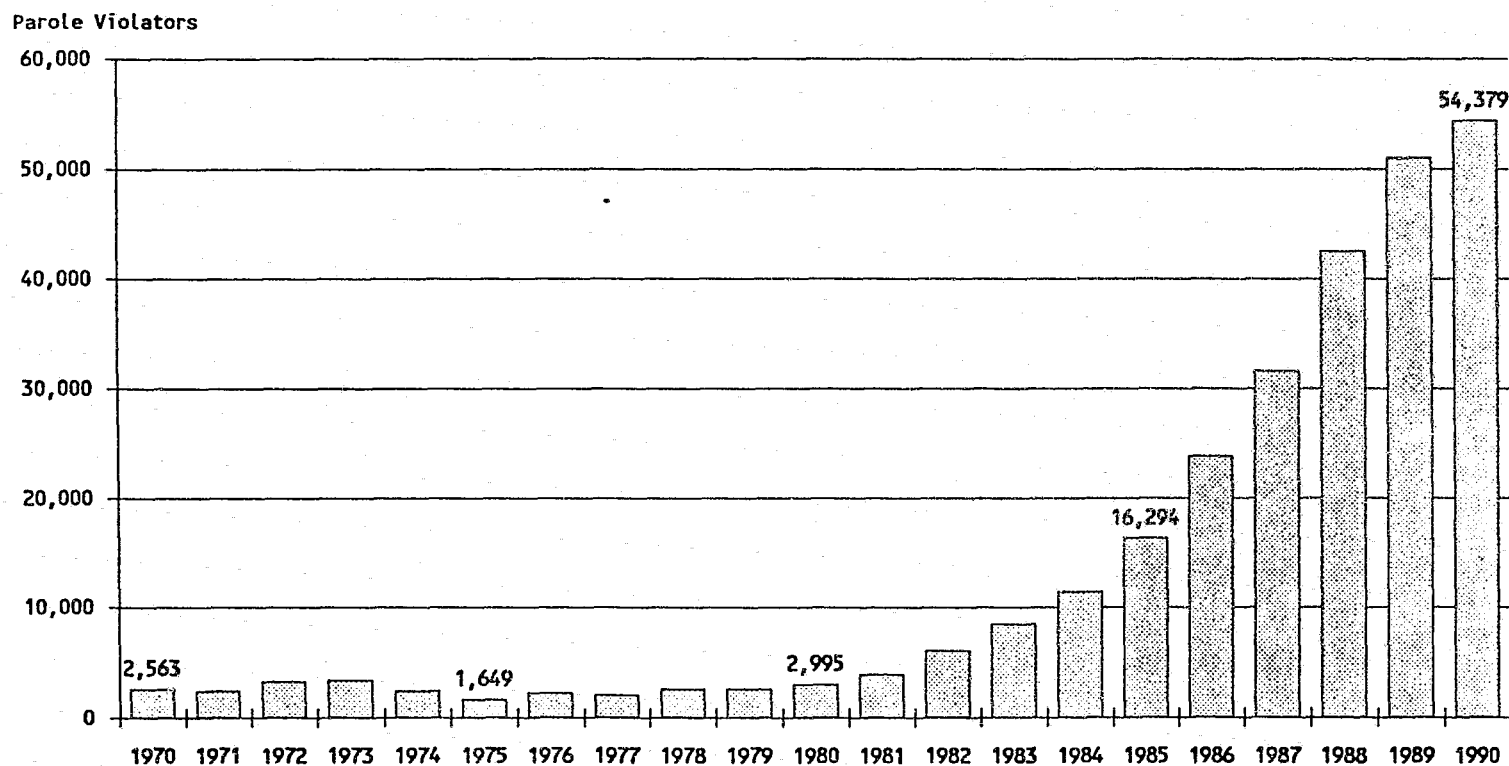
*Population estimates are from the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance.

**OTHER includes all other cases and any cases with missing offense data.

FIGURE 5

PAROLE VIOLATORS (PV) RETURNED TO PRISON*

CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990



*Parole violators include: PV-Returned to Custody, i.e., parolees who have violated conditions of parole; and PV-With New Term, i.e., parolees who were returned for being convicted of committing another offense.

TABLE 5

PAROLE VIOLATORS (PV) RETURNED TO PRISON*

CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990

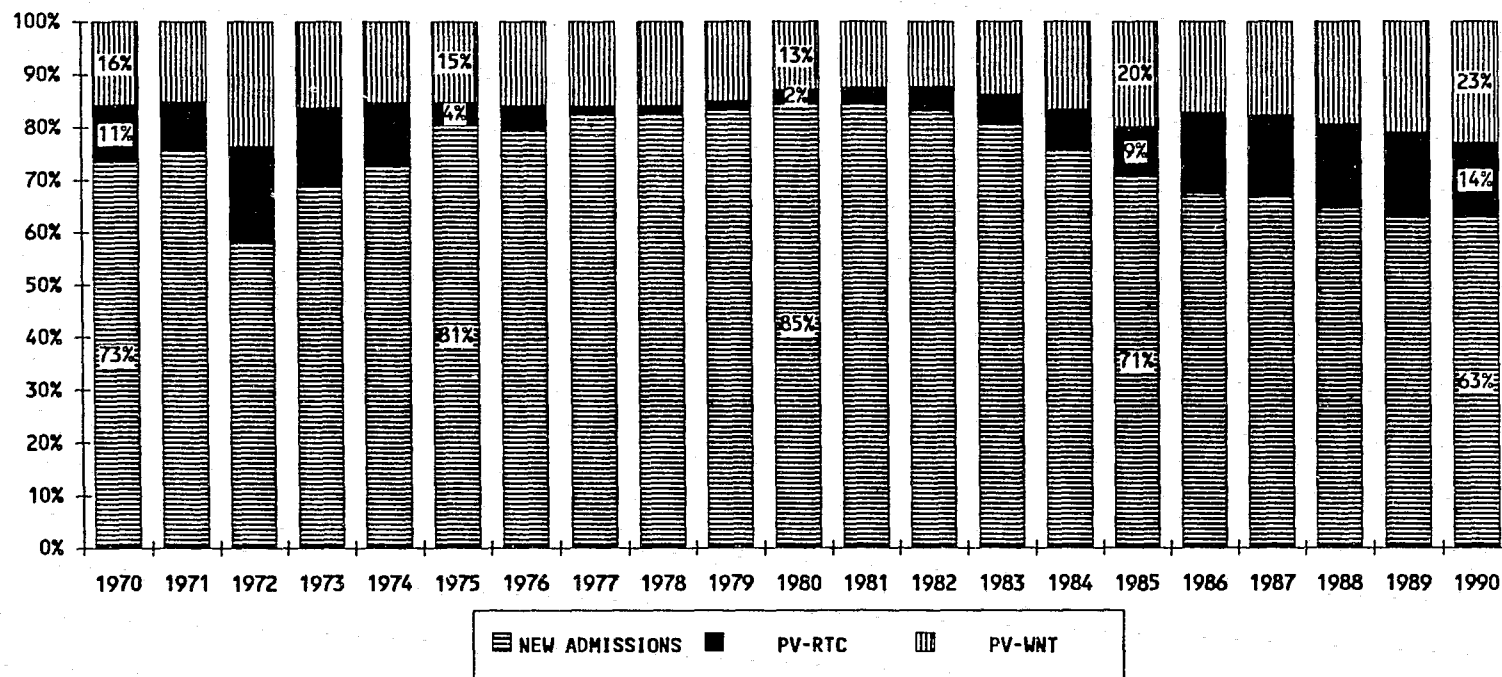
CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL PVs	PV-RETURNED TO CUSTODY			PV-WITH NEW TERMS		
		Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
1970	2,563	1,878	1,699	179	685	651	34
1971	2,396	1,623	1,455	168	773	743	30
1972	3,245	2,212	2,081	131	1,033	1,006	27
1973	3,345	2,390	2,238	152	955	914	41
1974	2,383	1,626	1,533	93	757	727	30
1975	1,649	883	808	75	766	732	34
1976	2,233	978	967	11	1,255	1,222	33
1977	2,031	788	770	18	1,243	1,212	31
1978	2,585	1,011	972	39	1,574	1,538	36
1979	2,558	1,196	1,147	49	1,362	1,325	37
1980	2,995	1,602	1,547	55	1,393	1,354	39
1981	3,885	2,113	2,011	102	1,772	1,714	58
1982	6,009	3,778	3,589	189	2,231	2,141	90
1983	8,435	5,275	5,018	257	3,160	3,022	138
1984	11,409	7,421	6,982	439	3,988	3,816	172
1985	16,294	11,252	10,619	633	5,042	4,778	264
1986	23,849	18,059	16,910	1,149	5,790	5,433	357
1987	31,584	25,207	23,495	1,712	6,377	6,029	348
1988	42,472	34,014	31,664	2,350	8,458	7,962	496
1989	51,016	39,976	37,058	2,918	11,040	10,341	699
1990	54,379	40,309	37,214	3,095	14,070	13,194	876

*Parole violators include: PV-Returned to Custody, i.e., parolees who have violated conditions of parole; and PV-With New Term, i.e., parolees who were returned for being convicted of committing another offense.

FIGURE 6

MALE FELON INSTITUTION POPULATION BY RETURN STATUS

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990



* Percentages were calculated based upon populations identified as New Admission, Parole Violator-Returned to Custody (PV-RTC), or Parole Violator-With New Term (PV-WNT).

TABLE 6

FELON INSTITUTION POPULATION BY RETURN STATUS

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990

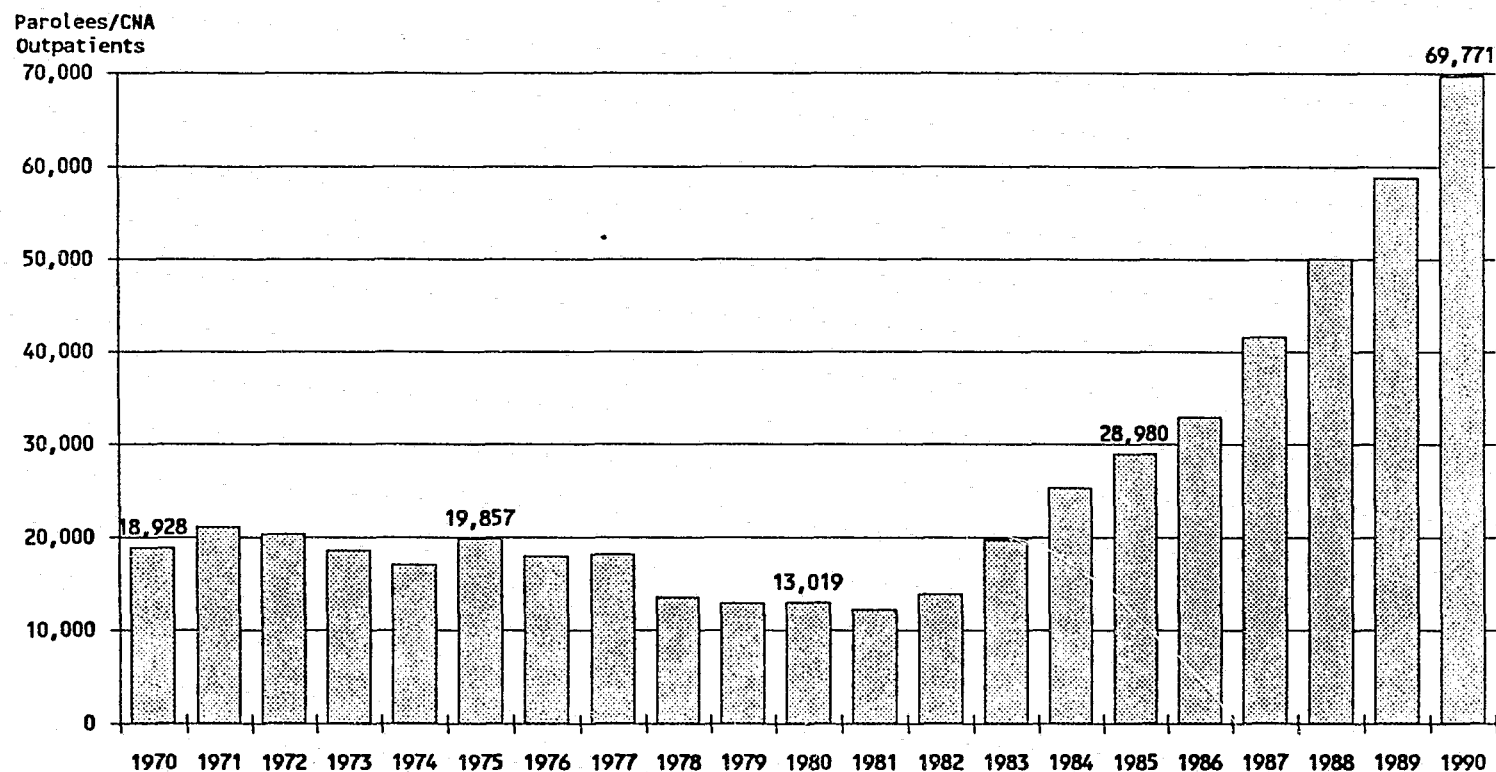
AS OF DECEMBER 31	MEN				WOMEN			
	POPULATION	NEW	PV-RTC	PV-WNT	POPULATION	NEW	PV-RTC	PV-WNT
		ADMISSIONS (%)	(%)	(%)		ADMISSIONS (%)	(%)	(%)
1970	20,460	73.4%	10.7%	15.9%	1,519	69.6%	21.9%	8.5%
1971	16,952	75.8%	8.9%	15.3%	1,653	72.9%	18.8%	8.3%
1972	16,573	58.4%	17.9%	23.7%	1,724	77.1%	15.6%	7.3%
1973	19,247	68.9%	14.7%	16.4%	1,620	75.8%	15.0%	9.2%
1974	21,370	72.5%	12.2%	15.3%	1,562	79.8%	11.1%	9.1%
1975	16,662	80.6%	4.1%	15.3%	1,391	84.2%	7.1%	8.7%
1976	17,511	79.2%	4.8%	16.0%	1,402	90.4%	1.1%	8.5%
1977	16,713	82.4%	1.5%	16.1%	1,553	91.5%	0.9%	7.6%
1978	18,751	82.5%	1.5%	16.0%	1,322	93.1%	1.5%	5.4%
1979	20,255	83.2%	1.6%	15.2%	1,332	92.5%	1.6%	5.9%
1980	22,197	84.8%	2.1%	13.1%	1,209	93.4%	1.4%	5.2%
1981	26,681	84.6%	2.8%	12.6%	1,010	89.7%	3.4%	6.9%
1982	32,124	83.1%	4.5%	12.4%	1,006	88.1%	4.2%	7.7%
1983	36,275	80.5%	5.6%	13.9%	1,376	85.9%	4.9%	9.2%
1984	39,749	76.1%	7.1%	16.8%	1,794	81.6%	8.2%	10.2%
1985	45,761	71.0%	9.0%	20.0%	2,240	76.6%	9.3%	14.2%
1986	54,512	67.5%	15.2%	17.3%	2,745	71.4%	16.0%	12.6%
1987	61,105	67.1%	15.1%	17.8%	3,614	72.8%	15.3%	11.9%
1988	69,379	64.6%	15.8%	19.6%	4,307	69.4%	16.4%	14.2%
1989	78,911	63.4%	15.5%	21.1%	5,317	69.7%	15.6%	14.7%
1990	88,264	63.0%	14.0%	23.0%	5,317	68.7%	14.6%	16.6%

* Percentages were calculated based upon populations identified as New Admission, Parole Violator-Returned to Custody (PV-RTC), or Parole Violator-With New Term (PV-WNT).

FIGURE 7

FELON PAROLE* AND CIVIL NARCOTIC ADDICT (CNA) OUTPATIENT POPULATION

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990



*Felon parole population includes Interstate Parole Unit (ISPU) parolees receiving parole supervision in other states. Parolees from other states being supervised by California under the Interstate Cooperative Parole Agreement (ICOP) are not included in the felon parole population.

TABLE 7

FELON PAROLE* AND CIVIL NARCOTIC ADDICT (CNA) OUTPATIENT POPULATION

DECEMBER 31, 1970 - DECEMBER 31, 1990

AS OF DECEMBER 31	PAROLE/CNA OUTPATIENT				MEN			WOMEN		
	TOTAL POP.	CHANGE IN POP.	TOTAL FELON PAROLEES	TOTAL CNA OUTPT.	TOTAL	FELON PAROLEES	CNA OUTPT.	TOTAL	FELON PAROLEES	CNA OUTPT.
1970	18,928	-	14,927	4,001	17,409	13,943	3,466	1,519	984	535
1971	21,159	2,231	15,808	5,351	19,506	14,779	4,727	1,653	1,029	624
1972	20,352	-807	14,848	5,504	18,628	13,827	4,801	1,724	1,021	703
1973	18,638	-1,714	12,996	5,642	17,018	12,164	4,854	1,620	832	788
1974	17,074	-1,564	11,549	5,525	15,512	10,787	4,725	1,562	762	800
1975	19,857	2,783	14,556	5,301	18,466	13,994	4,472	1,391	562	829
1976	17,988	-1,869	13,049	4,939	16,586	12,451	4,135	1,402	598	804
1977	18,214	226	13,258	4,956	16,661	12,646	4,015	1,553	612	941
1978	13,578	-4,636	9,102	4,476	12,256	8,685	3,571	1,322	417	905
1979	12,968	-610	9,382	3,586	11,636	8,867	2,769	1,332	515	817
1980	13,019	51	10,460	2,559	11,810	9,853	1,957	1,209	607	602
1981	12,281	-738	11,009	1,272	11,271	10,283	988	1,010	726	284
1982	13,961	1,680	13,176	785	12,955	12,337	618	1,006	839	167
1983	19,780	5,819	19,133	647	18,404	17,922	482	1,376	1,211	165
1984	25,309	5,529	24,546	763	23,515	22,956	559	1,794	1,590	204
1985	28,980	3,671	28,075	905	26,740	26,066	674	2,240	2,009	231
1986	32,956	3,976	31,730	1,226	30,211	29,317	894	2,745	2,413	332
1987	41,646	8,690	40,242	1,404	38,032	36,980	1,052	3,614	3,262	352
1988	50,121	8,475	48,427	1,694	45,814	44,552	1,262	4,307	3,875	432
1989	58,823	8,702	56,746	2,077	53,506	51,960	1,546	5,317	4,786	531
1990	69,771	10,948	66,953	2,818	63,066	60,938	2,128	6,705	6,015	690

*Felon parole population includes Interstate Parole Unit (ISPU) parolees receiving parole supervision in other states. Parolees from other states being supervised by California under the Interstate Cooperative Parole Agreement (ICOOP) are not included in the felon parole population.

FIGURE 8

FELONS RELEASED TO PAROLE

CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990

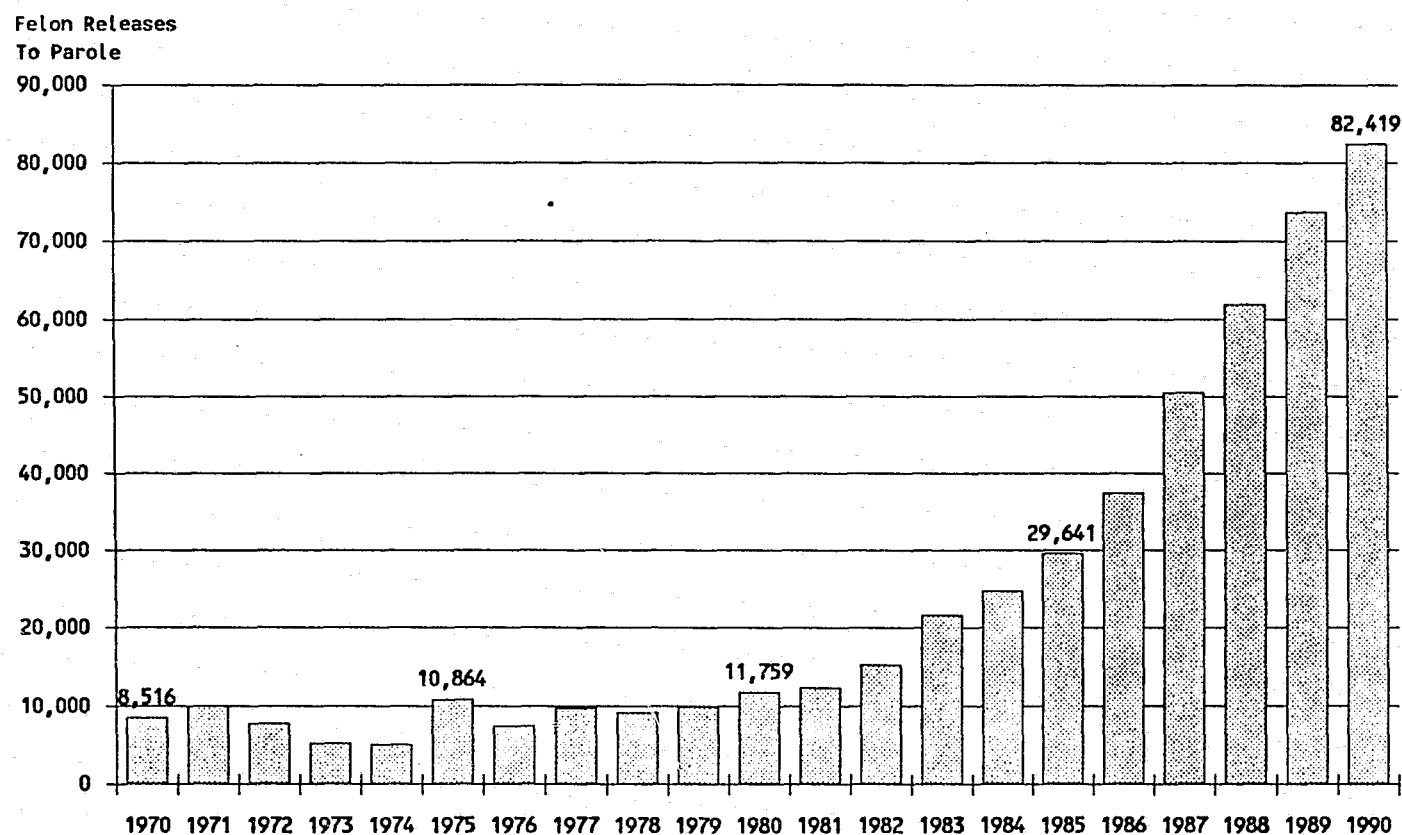


TABLE 8
FELONS RELEASED TO PAROLE

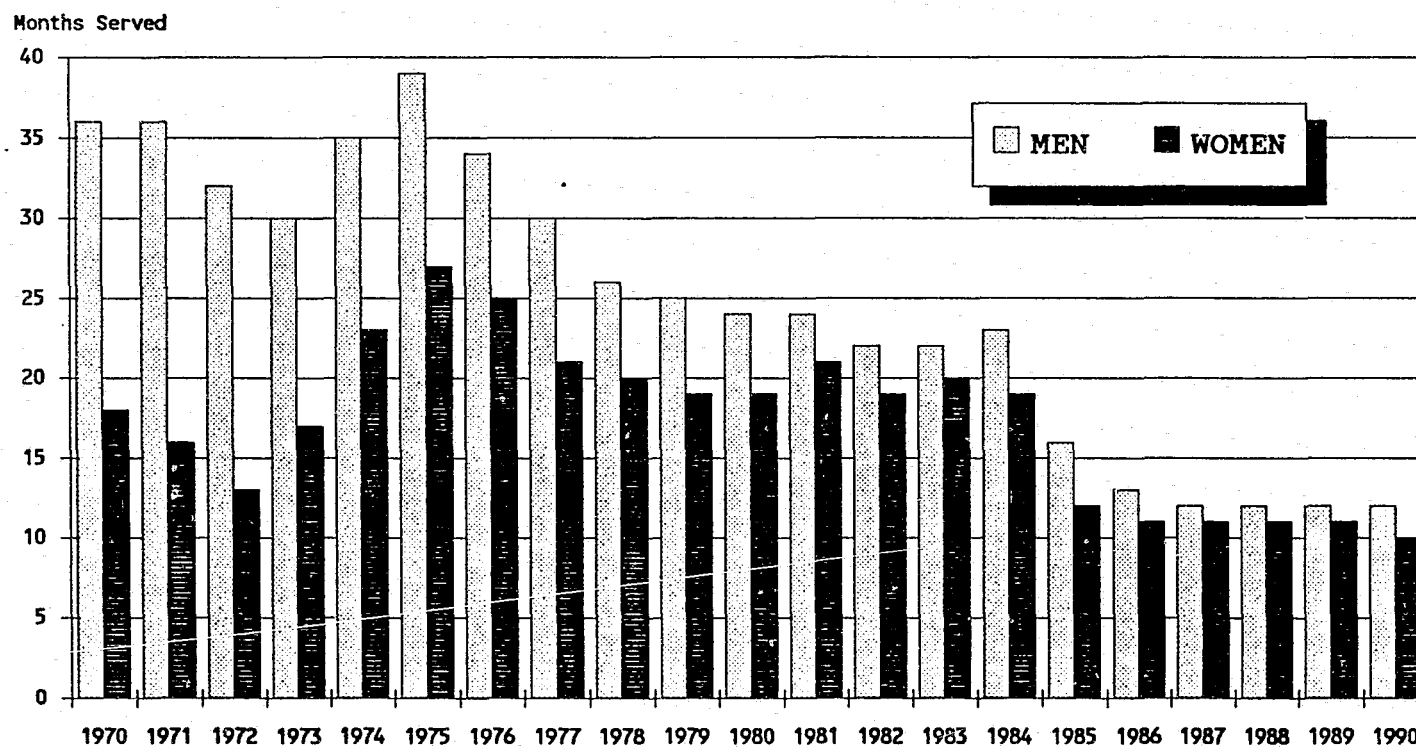
CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990

YEAR	RELEASES TO PAROLE		TOTAL RELEASED TO PAROLE	CHANGE IN RELEASES TO PAROLE	
	MEN	WOMEN		NUMBER	%
1970	8,016	500	8,516	-	-
1971	9,489	525	10,014	1,498	18%
1972	7,288	464	7,752	-2,262	-23%
1973	4,899	331	5,230	-2,522	-33%
1974	4,717	341	5,058	-172	-3%
1975	10,578	286	10,864	5,806	115%
1976	6,958	468	7,426	-3,438	-32%
1977	9,310	466	9,776	2,350	32%
1978	8,783	427	9,210	-566	-6%
1979	9,422	531	9,953	743	8%
1980	11,080	679	11,759	1,806	18%
1981	11,580	786	12,366	607	5%
1982	14,360	902	15,262	2,896	23%
1983	20,332	1,287	21,619	6,357	42%
1984	23,109	1,602	24,711	3,092	14%
1985	27,571	2,070	29,641	4,930	20%
1986	34,740	2,734	37,474	7,833	26%
1987	46,631	3,881	50,512	13,038	35%
1988	57,407	4,570	61,977	11,465	23%
1989	67,795	5,868	73,663	11,686	19%
1990	75,428	6,991	82,419	8,756	12%

FIGURE 9

**AVERAGE (MEDIAN) TIME SERVED IN CDC INSTITUTIONS*
FELONS FIRST RELEASED TO PAROLE**

CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990



* Time served does not include time spent in custody prior to reception by CDC.

TABLE 9

**AVERAGE (MEDIAN) TIME SERVED IN CDC INSTITUTIONS*
FELONS FIRST RELEASED TO PAROLE**

CALENDAR YEARS 1970 - 1990

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL FELONS FIRST RELEASED TO PAROLE**	MEN		WOMEN	
		TOTAL RELEASES	TIME SERVED (months)	TOTAL RELEASES	TIME SERVED (months)
1970	5,258	5,007	36	251	18
1971	6,564	6,261	36	303	16
1972	5,191	4,914	32	277	13
1973	3,128	2,939	30	189	17
1974	2,922	2,694	35	228	23
1975	7,102	6,918	39	184	27
1976	5,829	5,430	34	399	25
1977	7,164	6,747	30	417	21
1978	7,089	6,726	26	363	20
1979	7,739	7,269	25	470	19
1980	8,999	8,410	24	589	19
1981	9,367	8,679	24	688	21
1982	10,966	10,285	22	681	19
1983	15,110	14,121	22	989	20
1984	16,112	14,965	23	1,147	19
1985	18,407	17,012	16	1,395	12
1986	23,898	22,019	13	1,879	11
1987	28,134	25,834	12	2,300	11
1988	31,883	29,376	12	2,507	11
1989	37,224	34,057	12	3,167	11
1990	44,403	40,339	12	4,064	10

* Time served does not include time spent in custody prior to reception by CDC.

** From 1970 to 1984, first releases to parole only included new admissions. From 1985 to the present, first releases to parole include new admissions and parole violators with new terms.

TABLE 10
INSTITUTION AND CAMP DESIGN BED CAPACITY AND POPULATION

JUNE 30, 1970 - JUNE 30, 1990

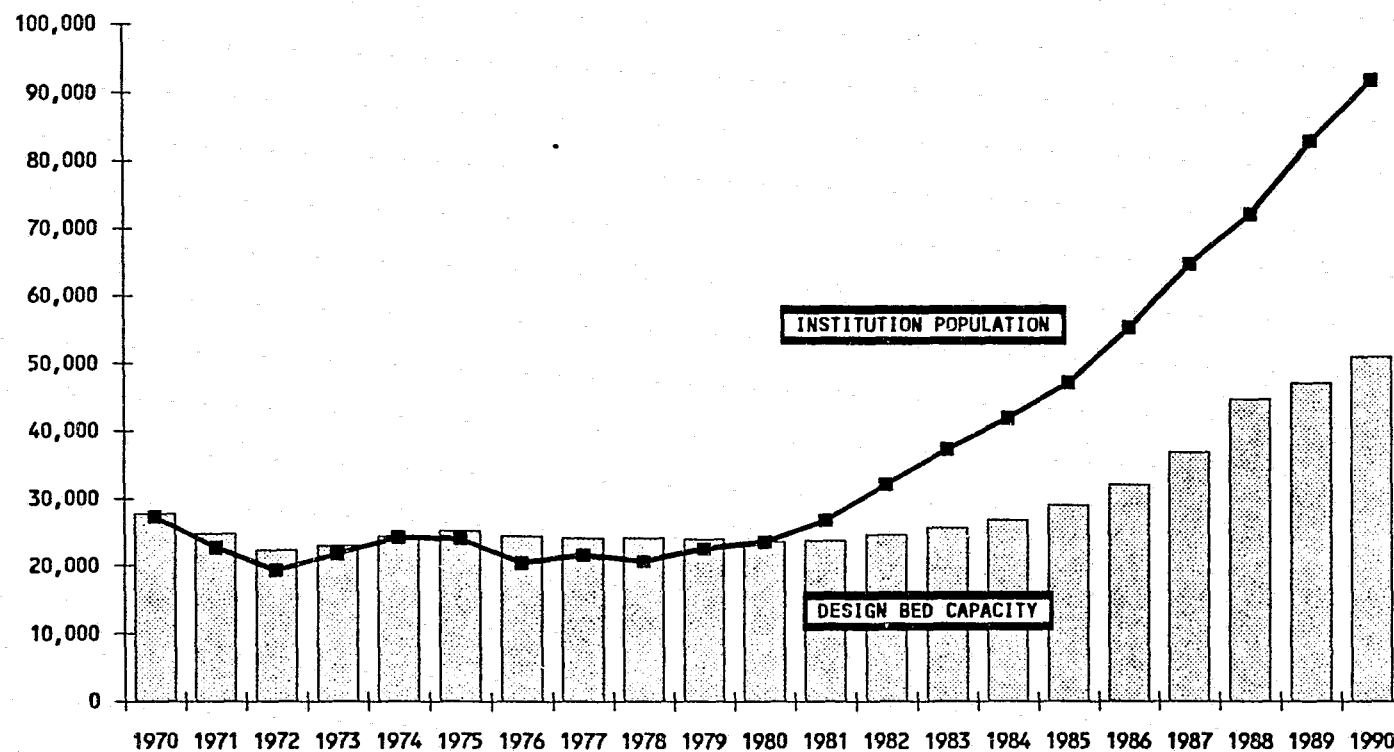


TABLE 10

**INSTITUTION AND CAMP DESIGN BED CAPACITY* AND POPULATION
-RATE OF OVERCROWDING-**

JUNE 30, 1970 - JUNE 30, 1990

AS OF JUNE 30	INSTITUTION POPULATION	TOTAL DESIGN BED CAPACITY	DESIGN BED CAPACITY		RATE OF OVERCROWDING (POP./DESIGN BEDS)
			MEN	WOMEN	
1970	27,282	27,768	N/A	N/A	98.2%
1971	22,680	24,819	23,429	1,390	91.4%
1972	19,243	22,296	21,259	1,037	86.3%
1973	21,708	22,968	21,674	1,294	94.5%
1974	24,233	24,382	23,068	1,314	99.4%
1975	23,998	25,238	23,901	1,337	95.1%
1976	20,345	24,399	23,069	1,330	83.4%
1977	21,525	24,140	22,810	1,330	89.2%
1978	20,629	24,140	22,810	1,330	85.5%
1979	22,534	23,945	22,615	1,330	94.1%
1980	23,511	23,534	22,204	1,330	99.9%
1981	26,768	23,800	22,470	1,330	112.5%
1982	32,151	24,611	23,281	1,330	130.6%
1983	37,243	25,703	24,373	1,330	144.9%
1984	41,879	26,792	25,286	1,506	156.3%
1985	47,055	29,042	27,536	1,506	162.0%
1986	55,238	32,097	30,491	1,606	172.1%
1987	64,737	36,916	34,894	2,022	175.4%
1988	72,121	44,675	42,253	2,422	161.4%
1989	82,872	47,120	44,358	2,762	175.9%
1990	91,892	51,013	47,735	3,278	180.1%

*Design capacity is the number of inmates a facility was originally designed to house. Increases or decreases indicate beds lost or gained due to later conversions, additions or deactivations.