

MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
**ADULT PRISON POPULATION SUMMARY**

AS OF 07/01/2024 *(unless noted)*



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## **Section 1. Adult Prison Population Summary as of 07/01/2024**

### **POPULATION:**

Males	7,707	92.8%
Females	<u>599</u>	7.2%
Total	8,306	

### **OFFENSES (top six total 6,557):**

Homicide	1,659	20.0%
Criminal Sexual Conduct	1,616	19.5%
Drugs	1,300	15.7%
Weapons	851	10.2%
Assault	712	8.6%
DWI	419	5.0%

Note: Percentages are based on the total population of 8,306.

### **TYPE OF OFFENSES:**

Person	4,724	59.6%
Drugs	1,300	15.7%
Weapons	851	10.2%
Property	566	6.8%
Other	427	5.1%
DWI	419	5.0%
IOCC Holds	<u>19</u>	0.2%
Total	8,306	

### **NUMBER OF LIFERS: 626 (648 including Non-Minnesota)**

Note: Of the 626 Minnesota lifers:

- 172 have a sentence of life without parole; and
- 103 were not incarcerated in a Minnesota prison.

**AVERAGE AGE (in years): 39.9**

**CURRENT INCARCERATED PERSONS AGE 50 OR OLDER: 1,578**

**CURRENT INCARCERATED PERSONS UNDER AGE 18: 4**

**AVERAGE POPULATION CY2023: 8,320**

**INCARCERATED PERSONS CERTIFIED AS ADULTS AT SENTENCING: 142**

**MINNCOR INDUSTRY – INCARCERATED PERSONS EMPLOYED: 1,035**

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**RACE:**

White	4,084	49.2%
Black	3,196	38.5%
American Indian	775	9.3%
Asian	227	2.7%
Unknown/Other	24	0.3%
Total	<u>8,306</u>	

Note: 419 (5.0%) of the above are of Hispanic ethnicity.

**EDUCATIONAL LEVEL:**

Less than Secondary Certificate/Degree	673	8.1%
Secondary Degree	4,339	52.2%
Post Secondary Certificate/Degree	3,249	39.1%
Unknown	45	0.5%
Total	<u>8,306</u>	

**MARITAL STATUS:**

Single	5,904	71.1%
Married	1,050	12.6%
Divorced/Separated	984	11.8%
Other/Unknown	368	4.4%
Total	<u>8,306</u>	

**RELIGION:**

Other Christian	2,473	29.8%
Unknown/No Preference	2,437	29.3%
Other Religions	1,048	12.6%
Muslim	741	8.9%
Catholic	601	7.2%
Native American Religions	454	5.5%
Lutheran	338	4.1%
Baptist	214	2.6%
Total	<u>8,306</u>	

**COUNTY OF COMMITMENT (top six total 4,505):**

Hennepin	2,147	25.8%
Ramsey	963	11.6%
St. Louis	400	4.8%
Stearns	349	4.2%
Anoka	333	4.0%
Dakota	313	3.8%

Note: Percentages are based on total population of 8,306.

**POPULATION BY FACILITY/LOCATION:**

Faribault	1,865	22.5%
Stillwater	1,179	14.2%
Moose Lake	1,047	12.6%
Lino Lakes	1,027	12.4%
St. Cloud	952	11.5%
Rush City	949	11.4%
Shakopee	576	6.9%
Oak Park Heights	264	3.2%
Willow River	142	1.7%
Togo	73	0.9%
Red Wing	44	0.5%
Work Release	147	1.8%
County Jail/Federal Prison (Contract)	0	0.0%
Institution Community Work Crews	26	0.3%
Non-DOC Correctional Facility (Short Term)	15	0.2%
Total	<u>8,306</u>	

## **Section 2. Admissions and Releases for FY2024**

### **ADMISSIONS (FY2024):**

New Commitments	3,003	66.1%
Release Return Without New Sentence	1,237	27.2%
Release Return With New Sentence	<u>304</u>	6.7%
Total	4,544	

Note: The above includes admissions of all offenders committed to the commissioner of corrections. Because offenders can be admitted more than once in a given year, the above measures the total number of prison admissions, not the total number of individual offenders admitted to prison.

<b>COMMITMENTS</b>	<u>FY2023</u>	<u>FY2024</u>	<i>Change</i>
July-December	1,865	1,682	-9.8%
January-June	<u>1,801</u>	<u>1,625</u>	-9.8%
Total	3,666	3,307	-9.8%

Note: Includes new commitments and release return with new sentence by fiscal year.

### **RELEASES (FY2024):**

Supervised Release/Parole	3,698	78.2%
Community Programs	692	14.6%
Discharge	281	5.9%
Work Release - Covid	0	0.0%
Cond Med Rel/Supv Release - Covid	0	0.0%
Other	<u>59</u>	1.2%
Total	4,730	

Note: The above includes releases from prison as well as releases from community programs (i.e., work release) to supervised release. Because offenders can be released from either prison or a community program more than once in a given year, the above measures the total number of transitions to a release status, not the total number of individual offenders who exit a prison facility.