

APCCA Statistics 1999

Correctional Statistics for Asia and the Pacific, 1999 (obtained for the 19th Asian and Pacific Conference of Correctional Administrators)

The statistical tables shown below were developed from information submitted by participants in the 19th Asia and Pacific Conference of Correctional Administrators, in Shanghai, China, October 1999.

Delegates were invited to suggest any changes that were needed to the statistics during the course of conference, or by mail or fax in the following two or three weeks. All suggested changes have been incorporated.

It should be noted that international comparisons must be made with caution, as it is not possible to ensure that all nations in the region have used the terminology in the same way.

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Table 1: Prisoners by Gender and Imprisonment Rates, Asia and the Pacific, mid 1999

	Male	Female	Total	General Population ('000)	Imprisonment Rate
Australia	19408	1248	20656	19017	108.8
Brunei Darussalam	272	14	286	323	88.0
Cambodia	3613	219	3832	10600	36.0
Canada	31322	1649	32971	30200	109.0
China	1364432	44428	1408860	1248000	112.0
Fiji	1155	25	1180	775.0	152.0
Hong Kong, China	9921	1294	11215	6826	164.0
India*	238657	8059	246716	980000	25.0
Indonesia	53834	1192	55026	207437	26.0
Japan	49907	2808	52715	126486	41.0
Korea, Rep.	64982	4120	69102	46858	147.0
Macau	721	57	778	430.5	180.0
Malaysia	25977	1171	27148	22000	123.0
Mongolia	6220	194	6414	2500	256.0
New Zealand	5540	238	5778	3797	152.0
Papua New Guinea	3428	138	3566	3762	94.0
Philippines (Nat'l)	20625	662	21287	74700	28.0

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Samoa*	172	4	176	161	109.3
Singapore	10971	887	11858	3737	317.0
Solomon Islands	133	1	134	420	31.0
Sri Lanka	17820	799	18619	18552	100.0
Thailand	16389	30825	197214	61466	320.0
Vietnam*	52000	3000	55000	78000	70.5
Yap State, FSM	18	0	18	12	150.0

* 1998 Data

From the figures in this table the weighted average imprisonment rate has been calculated as 76.7 per 100 000 population

Imprisonment Rates, Asia and the Pacific, mid 1997

Table 2: Unconvicted Remandees, Per Cent and Rate, Asia and the Pacific, mid 1999

	Unconvicted	Per cent	Remand Rate
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	Remandees		/ 100 000 pop.
Australia	3218	15.6	16.9
Brunei Darussalam	28	9.8	8.7
Cambodia	1380	36.0	13.0
Canada	6356	19.3	21.0
Fiji	70	5.9	9.0
Hong Kong, China	973	8.7	14.3
India*	180072	73	18.4
Indonesia	22828	41.5	11.0
Japan	9197	17.4	7.3
Korea, Rep.	29421	42.6	62.8
Macau	189	23.9	43.2
Malaysia	7890	29.1	35.9
New Zealand	712	12.3	18.8
Papua New Guinea	1055	29.6	28.1
Phillipines (Nat'l only)	1668	7.8	2.2
Singapore	546	4.6	14.6
Solomon Islands	42	31.3	10.0
Sri Lanka	8819	47.4	47.5
Thailand	50549	25.6	82.2
Vanuatu	9	19.6	4.9

* 1998 Data

Table 3: Prison Staff and Prisoners per Staff Member, Asia and the Pacific, mid 1999

	Total Prison Staff	Prisoners per Staff Member
Australia	6418	2.0
Brunei Darussalam	179	1.6
Cambodia	1105	3.5
Canada	24053	1.4

Fiji	332	3.6
Hong Kong, China	5393	2.1
Indonesia	22921	2.4
Japan	17077	3.1
Korea, Rep.	11751	5.9
Macau	462	1.7
Malaysia	8401	3.2
Mongolia	1314	4.9
New Zealand	2965	9.0
Philippines (Nat'l only)	2365	9.0
Samoa	36	4.9
Singapore	2076	5.7
Solomon Islands	158	0.8
Sri Lanka	4645	4.0
Thailand	10275	19.2
Vanuatu	30	1.5
Yap State, FSM	6	3.0

* 1998 Data

** The Australian data excludes Vic, WA and NT, and includes only staff in public prisons

Table 4: Probation and Parole Data, Asia and the Pacific, mid 1999

	Offenders Serving Probation Orders	Probation Rate	Offenders serving Parole Orders	Parole Rate
Australia**	41591	218.7	6904	36.3
Canada	105861	350.5	11702	38.7
China			29560	2.4
Fiji	130	16.8	13	1.7
Hong Kong, China	3960	58.0	3306	48.4
Indonesia	3867	1.9	1303	0.6
Japan	6304	5.0	14712	11.6
Korea, Rep.	52415	111.9	2099	4.5
Macau	44	10.2	109	25.3
New Zealand	22078	581.5	11655	307.0

Philippines (Nat'l only)	33971	45.5	15372	20.6
Solomon Islands			30	7.1
Sri Lanka			149	0.8
Thailand	516171	839.8	19784	32.2
Yap State, FSM	10	83.3		

** Excluding WA and NT