1 in 42 adults\textsuperscript{1,2} is under correctional control

- **Growth over time:** In 1982, the figure was 1 in 90 adults\textsuperscript{1,2}

- **Percent behind bars:** At year end 2007, 55 percent of the correctional population was in prison or jail (national rank: 2); the figure for 1982 was 33 percent (national rank: 19)\textsuperscript{1}

### POPULATION, RATES AND RANKS (YEAR END 2007)

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### TOTAL CORRECTIONAL POPULATION

![Graph showing total correctional population from 1982 to 2007.](image)

### CORRECTIONS COSTS

#### TOTAL SPENDING PER YEAR

- Prison: \$518.05
- Probation and parole: \$32.41

#### PER OFFENDER PER DAY

- Prison: \$52.10
- Probation and parole: \$2.75

### SOURCES:

1) Bureau of Justice Statistics, Correctional Surveys (U.S. Department of Justice); 2) U.S. Census, State Population Estimates; 3) Administrative Office of U.S. Courts; 4) Bureau of Prisons (U.S. Department of Justice); 5) Pew, Original Data; 6) National Association of State Budget Officers, State Expenditure Reports

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