



1 in 31: The Long Reach of American Corrections Oregon

POPULATION

1 in 33 adults^{1,2}

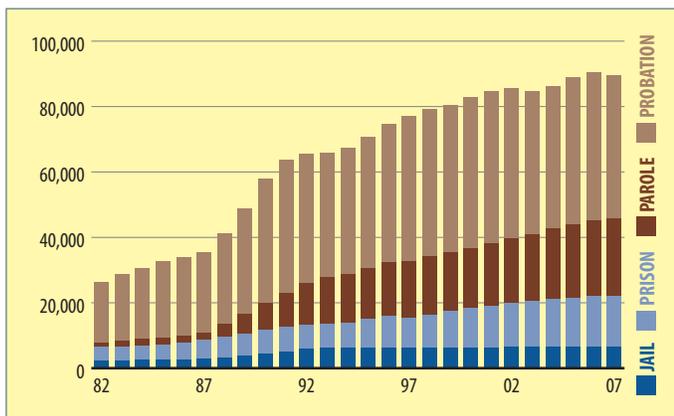
is under correctional control

- **Growth over time:** in 1982, the figure was 1 in 74 adults^{1,2}
- **Percent behind bars:** at year end 2007, 25 percent of the correctional population was in prison or jail (national rank: 42); the figure for 1982 was 24 percent (national rank: 35)¹

POPULATION, RATES AND RANKS (YEAR END 2007)

| | Population | | Combined Population | Share of adults | National rank |
|--------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| | State | Federal | | | |
| Probation | 43,732 ¹ | 224 ³ | 67,448 | 1 in 43 | 17 |
| Parole | 22,658 ¹ | 834 ³ | | | |
| Prison | 13,925 ¹ | 1,555 ⁴ | 22,141 | 1 in 132 | 36 |
| Jail | 6,661 ⁵ | | | | |
| Total | 89,589 | | | 1 in 33 | 21 |

TOTAL CORRECTIONAL POPULATION



COSTS

\$763 million⁶

spent on corrections

- **Share of general fund:** 10.6 percent in fiscal year 2008⁶
- **Ratio of spending:** For every dollar Oregon spent on prisons in 2008, it spent 27 cents on probation and parole⁵
- **Ratio of costs:** 1 day of prison (\$84.43) = 7 days of parole or 11 days of probation⁵

CORRECTIONS COSTS



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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