

Table 6.41

Characteristics of U.S. military confinement facilities and legal status of prisoners in custody

By branch of service holding prisoners, and type and location of facility, on Dec. 31, 1995

Branch of service holding prisoners, and type and location of facility	Number of facilities	Design capacity	Operational capacity	Number of prisoners		
				Total	Pre-trial	Post-trial
All branches						
Total ^a	28	5,356	4,410	2,838	455	2,383
Inside continental U.S.						
Local facilities	9	489	269	166	102	64
Regional facilities	10	2,617	2,107	1,394	284	1,110
Long-term facilities	1	1,503	1,503	1,103	0	1,103
Outside continental U.S.	8	747	531	175	69	106
Army						
Total	10	2,882	2,295	1,582	54	1,528
Inside continental U.S.						
Local facilities	2	280	60	24	11	13
Regional facilities	4	678	527	406	32	374
Long-term facilities	1	1,503	1,503	1,103	0	1,103
Outside continental U.S.	3	421	205	49	11	38
Marine Corps						
Total	6	1,195	1,195	591	215	376
Inside continental U.S.						
Local facilities	1	49	49	15	8	7
Regional facilities	3	949	949	509	175	334
Outside continental U.S.	2	197	197	67	32	35
Navy						
Total	12	1,279	920	665	186	479
Inside continental U.S.						
Local facilities	6	160	160	127	83	44
Regional facilities	3	990	631	479	77	402
Outside continental U.S.	3	129	129	59	26	33

Note: Local facilities hold unsentenced persons and prisoners with sentences of less than 90 days. Regional facilities hold prisoners with sentences of less than 5 years. The U.S. Disciplinary Barracks, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, the only long-term military confinement facility, holds prisoners with sentences of more than 5 years. These data exclude persons who receive nonjudicial punishment for less serious infractions, based on the Uniform Code of Military Justice; nonjudicial punishment may include reduction in grade, forfeiture of pay, restriction to quarters, extra duty, cancellation of leave, or other penalties. For information on methodology and explanatory notes, see Appendix 4.

^aData for Air Force confinement facilities were not reported. The Coast Guard does not operate confinement facilities.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Correctional Populations in the United States, 1995*, NCJ-163916 (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, 1997), Table 8.1.