

Table 6.81

Prisoners received from court under sentence of death

By age, legal status at time of capital offense, and region, United States, 1995

(- represents zero)

Region	Total	Age							Legal status at time of capital offense						
									Not under sentence		Under sentence				
		Under 20 years	20 to 24 years	25 to 29 years	30 to 34 years	35 to 39 years	40 to 54 years	55 years and older	No charges pending	Charges pending	On probation	On parole	Escaped from prison	Imprisoned	Not reported
United States, total	310	19	83	62	49	48	45	4	175	24	32	51	3	9	16
Northeast	23	1	3	7	2	6	4	-	9	3	4	3	-	-	4
Midwest	43	1	14	9	8	6	4	1	28	4	-	6	-	4	1
South	184	16	49	36	30	26	25	2	111	11	19	26	3	5	9
West	58	1	16	10	9	10	11	1	26	6	9	16	-	-	1

Note: See Note, table 6.77. Of the 38 jurisdictions with a death penalty statute, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, South Dakota, Utah, and Wyoming reported receiving no prisoners under sentence of death in 1995. For information on methodology, definitions of terms, and explanatory notes, see Appendix 4.

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), Tables 7.11 and 7.14. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.