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**Annual Penal Statistics of the Council of Europe
SPACE I: 1999 enquiry on prison populations**

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The SPACE I data published below was obtained by means of a new questionnaire devised for the 1997 survey, in its simplified version. They relate to the situation of the prison population at 1 September 1999, prison entry flows, lengths of imprisonment, and incidents in 1998 (escapes, prisoners absconding, deaths and suicides).

I. PRISON POPULATIONS

I.1. State of prison populations at 1 September 1999

The situation of prison populations at a given date ("stock statistics") is set out in seven tables.

Table 1 Situation of penal institutions

- a. *Total number of prisoners (including pre-trial detainees)*
- b. *Prison population rate (per 100,000 inhabitants): number of prisoners (including pre-trial detainees) present at 1 September 1999 in proportion to the number of inhabitants at the same date*
- c. *Total prison capacity*
- d. *Rate of occupancy (per 100 places): number of prisoners (including pre-trial detainees) in relation to the number of places available*

The year-on-year rates of increase are as follows:

Less than -5%: Albania (-62%), Northern Ireland (-17,6%), Iceland (-9,7%), Croatia (-9,0% between 31.12.1998 and 31.12.1999), Latvia (-9,0% between 1.10.1998 and 1.07.1999), Bulgaria (-8,4%), Estonia (-6,8%)

Between -5% and +5%: England and Wales (-1,9%), Austria (-1,2%), Scotland (-1,2%), Netherlands (-0,8%), Moldova (-0,6%), Romania (0,0%), Spain (0,5%), France (0,6%), Finland (1,1%), Belgium (1,7%), Germany (2,6%), Lithuania (2,9%), Norway (3,3%), Ireland (3,5%), Sweden (3,7%), Slovakia (4,2%), Switzerland (4,2%), Denmark (4,3%), Czech Republic (4,5% between 31.12.1998 and 31.12.1999), Italy (4,8%).

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Over 5%: Greece (5,5%), Turkey (6,7%), Hungary (7,1%), “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia” (10,4%), Slovenia (17,9%).

Data unavailable for either date or difficult to ascertain: Luxembourg, Poland.

Table 2. Age structure

- a. *Median age of prison population (including pre-trial detainees) at the date of the statistics*
- b. *Prisoners under 18 years of age (including pre-trial detainees): number and percentage*
- c. *Prisoners between 18 and 21 years of age (including pre-trial detainees): number and percentage*
- d. *Prisoners under 21 years of age (including pre-trial detainees): number and percentage*

Data not collected

Table 3. Women and foreigners

- a. *Female prisoners (including pre-trial detainees): number and percentage*
- b. *Foreign prisoners (including pre-trial detainees): number and percentage*

Data not collected

Table 4.1 Legal structure (numbers)

- a. *Untried prisoners (not yet convicted)*
- b. *Prisoners convicted but not yet sentenced*
- c. *Sentenced prisoners who have appealed or who are within the statutory time-limit for doing so*
- d. *Sentenced prisoners (final sentence)*
- e. *Other cases*

Table 4.2 Legal structure (rates)

We have selected four indicators as a basis for comparing the situations of the various populations:

- a. *Percentage of prisoners not serving a final sentence at 1 September 1999 (often inaccurately referred to as the percentage of unconvicted prisoners): the number of prisoners whose sentence is not final, present at that date, expressed as a percentage of the total number of prisoners at the same date*
- b. *Prisoners not serving a final sentence per 100,000 inhabitants at 1 September 1999: the number of prisoners whose sentence is not final, present at that date, in relation to the number of inhabitants at the same date - expressed per 100,000 inhabitants*

- c. *Proportion of untried prisoners (not yet convicted) at 1 September 1999: the number of untried prisoners (not yet convicted), present at that date, expressed as a percentage of the total number of prisoners at the same date*
- d. *Untried prisoners (not yet convicted) per 100,000 inhabitants: the number of untried prisoners (not yet convicted), present at that date, in relation to the number of inhabitants at the same date - expressed per 100,000 inhabitants*

Only prisoners included under the heading "untried prisoners" in the questionnaire are taken into account in calculating the last two rates.

- Where the item "***Sentenced prisoners who have appealed or who are within the statutory time-limit for doing so***" is left blank in the questionnaire for lack of available data - without any further information being provided - it is assumed that prisoners in this situation are included among "***sentenced prisoners (final sentence)***". In this case, neither rate (a) - *percentage of prisoners not serving a final sentence* - nor rate (b) - *prisoners not serving a final sentence per 100,000 inhabitants* - can be calculated.

- Where the item "***Prisoners convicted but not yet sentenced***" is left blank in the questionnaire for lack of available data - without any further information being provided - it is assumed that prisoners in this situation are included among "***untried prisoners (not yet convicted)***". In this case, neither rate (c) - *proportion of untried prisoners (not yet convicted), as a percentage* - nor rate (d) - *untried prisoners (not yet convicted) per 100,000 inhabitants* - can be calculated.

Table 5. Convicted prisoners: breakdown by offence

Offences have been classified under seven headings: homicide, wounding with intent to harm, rape, robbery with violence, other categories of theft, drug-related offences, other cases.

Table 6. Convicted prisoners: breakdown by length of sentence

Table 7. Prisoners sentenced to less than one year: breakdown by length of sentence

I.2. Flow of entries, length of imprisonment, escapes and deaths in 1998

Table 8. Flow of entries

- a. *Total number of entries in 1998*
- b. *Rate of entries (per 100,000 inhabitants): the number of entries for 1998 in relation to the average number of inhabitants during the period under review. In view of the information available, the figure actually used was the number of inhabitants at 1 September 1998, as supplied by the authorities.*
- c. *Entries before final sentence: number and percentage*

The term "entry" refers to all entries into penal institutions, except in the following situations:

- entry following a transfer between penal institutions;
- entry following a prisoner's removal with a view to an appearance before a judicial authority (investigating judge, trial court, etc);
- entry following prison leave or a period of permitted absence;
- entry of an escaped prisoner recaptured by the police.

The figures do not relate to the number of individuals but to the number of events (entries). The same individual may be committed to prison several times in the same year for the same case. This applies, for instance, to an individual who is placed in pre-trial detention during year n (first entry), released by the investigating judge at the pre-trial investigation stage, tried without being re-detained, convicted and sentenced to a term of imprisonment exceeding the period of pre-trial detention, and re-imprisoned during year n to serve the remainder of the sentence (second entry). A fortiori, the same individual may be committed to prison several times in the same year for different cases.

Only entries of untried prisoners (not yet convicted), prisoners convicted but not yet sentenced, or sentenced prisoners who have appealed or who are within the statutory time limit for doing so are recorded under (c). This figure therefore corresponds to part of the entries recorded under (a). These of course include entries for pre-trial detention.

Table 9. Indicator of average length of imprisonment

- a. *Total number of days spent in penal institutions in 1998*
- b. *Average number of prisoners in 1998: $(b) = (a)/365$*
- c. *Indicator of average length of imprisonment (D): quotient of the average number of prisoners in 1998 (P) divided by the flow of entries during that period (E): $D = 12 \times P/E$ - length expressed in months*

Figure (a) corresponds to the total number of days spent in penal institutions by all persons placed in detention for at least one day during the reference year (1998). This may be time spent in pre-trial detention or time spent serving a prison sentence, or may even correspond to other circumstances (detention for failure to pay a fine, for instance). No distinction is made here.

Data of this type are usually prepared by the departments responsible for prison budgets. They are used by the authorities to calculate an average daily cost of imprisonment.

In our case, this indicator yields the best possible estimate of the average number of inmates in a given year, by dividing the number of days spent in penal institutions by 365 (or 366 for a leap year). The resulting figure is what demographers call the number of "prisoners/year" (b). We use this indicator to work out various other figures (for instance the suicide rate and the ratio of inmates to custodial staff).

Table 10. Escapes

This only corresponds to escapes by convicted prisoners or pre-trial detainees (in the custody of the prison authorities) from closed penal institutions or during administrative transfers (for example, to or from a court, another penal institution, or a hospital). In the event of a group breakout, the number of escapes is equal to the number of inmates involved.

- a. *Number of escapes in 1998*
- b. *Number of prisoners/year in 1998 (see table 9)*
- c. *Escape rate per 10,000 prisoners: $10,000 \times (a)/(b)$*

Table 11. Other forms of escape (absconding or running off)

Examples are escapes from open institutions (such as work farms) or from semi-detention, and escapes during authorised short-term absence (or leave) from all kinds of institutions (including closed institutions).

- a. *Number of escapes in 1998*
- b. *Number of prisoners/year in 1998 (see table 9)*
- c. *Escape rate per 10,000 prisoners: $10,000 \times (a)/(b)$*

We have not worked out the rate here, as that would amount to calculating the ratio of escapes (other forms) to the average number of prisoners, without taking account of the proportion of inmates in "open institutions".

Table 12. Deaths in penal institutions

- a. *Number of deaths in penal institutions in 1998*
- b. *Number of prisoners/year in 1998 (see table 9)*
- c. *Mortality rate per 10,000 prisoners: $10,000 \times (a)/(b)$*

Deaths of convicted prisoners and pre-trial detainees while in hospital are included.

Table 13. Suicides in penal institutions

- a. *Number of suicides in 1998*
- b. *Number of prisoners/year in 1998 (see table 9)*
- c. *Suicide rate per 10,000 prisoners: $10,000 \times a/b$*

Deaths of convicted prisoners and pre-trial detainees while in hospital are included.

Table 14. Deaths in penal institutions – other than suicides

- a. *Number of deaths in penal institutions, other than suicides, in 1998*
- b. *Number of prisoners/year in 1998 (see table 9)*
- c. *Non-suicide mortality rate per 10,000 prisoners: $10,000 \times a/b$*

Deaths of convicted prisoners and pre-trial detainees while in hospital are included.

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STATISTICAL TABLES

I.1 PRISON POPULATIONS
State of prison populations on 1 September 1999

Table 1. Situation of penal institutions on 1 September 1999

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.1

| | Total number of prisoners (inc. pre-trial detainees) | Prison population rate per 100 000 inhabitants | Capacity of penal institutions | Prison density per 100 places |
|--------------------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Albania | 1 112 | 33,0 | 1 300 | 85 |
| Andorra | | | | |
| Austria | 6 877 | 85,1 | 8 000 | 86 |
| Belgium | 8 411 | 82,3 | 7 667 | 110 |
| Bulgaria | 10 787 | 132 | ... | ... |
| Croatia | 2 027 | 44,5 | 3 475 | 58 |
| Cyprus | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 23 060 | 224 | 19 632 | 117 |
| Denmark | 3 560 | 67,0 | 3 748 | 95 |
| Estonia | 4 332 | 300 | 5 220 | 83 |
| Finland | 2 598 | 50,4 | 3 494 | 74 |
| France | 53 948 | 88,5 | 49 076 | 110 |
| Germany | 80 610 | 98,3 | 75 102 | 107 |
| Greece | 7 525 | 71,4 | 4 700 | 160 |
| Hungary | 15 228 | 151 | 10 026 | 152 |
| Iceland | 93 | 33,8 | ... | ... |
| Ireland | 2 741 | ... | 2 382 | 115 |
| Italy | 51 427 | 89,3 | 42 542 | 121 |
| Latvia | 8 665 | 355 | 11 260 | 77 |
| Lithuania | 14 207 | 384 | 13 747 | 103 |
| Luxembourg | 387 | 90,2 | ... | ... |
| Malta | | | | |
| Moldova | 10 188 | ... | 11 540 | 88 |
| Netherlands | 13 231 | 84,0 | 15 857 | 83 |
| Norway | 2 602 | 58,5 | 2 922 | 89 |
| Poland | 54 842 | 141 | 64 157 | 85 |
| Portugal | | | | |
| Romania | 51 396 | 229 | 33 272 | 154 |
| Russia | | | | |
| Slovakia | 6 904 | 128 | 8 937 | 77 |
| Slovenia | 935 | 47,3 | 1 056 | 88 |
| Spain | 45 004 | 114 | 41 310 | 109 |
| Sweden | 5 484 | 61,9 | 5 582 | 98 |
| Switzerland | 6 294 | 88,5 | 6 633 | 95 |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 1 238 | 61,4 | 2 463 | 50 |
| Turkey | 69 277 | 108 | 72 903 | 95 |
| Ukraine | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | |
| England and Wales | 64 529 | 122 | 62 369 | 103 |
| Northern Ireland | 1 262 | ... | 1 928 | 65 |
| Scotland | 6 018 | ... | 6 497 | 93 |

Notes - Table 1.

Austria: Collective pardon every year at Christmas.

Croatia: Situation at 31 December 1999.

Czech Republic: Situation at 31 December 1999. Presidential pardon in February 1998 concerning 955 persons.

Latvia: Situation at 1 July 1999.

Netherlands: The data on the number of prisoners and prison capacity include the figures for TBS clinics and institutions caring for juvenile delinquents. The following tables do not include these two categories and so relate to a total of 10 706 prisoners.

Slovakia: Presidential pardon of 14 July 1999.

Switzerland: Number of unconvicted prisoners at 24 March 1999. These are the only figures available for 1999. They cover people in police custody, remanded pending trial, or detained pending deportation or extradition. Unconvicted prisoners at 24 March 1999 = 1786. Sentenced prisoners at 1 September 1999 = 4 508. Total = 6 294.

United Kingdom

England and Wales: Numbers at 30 July 1999.

Table 2. Population of penal institutions on 1 September 1999: age

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.2

| | Median age | Prisoners under 18 years of age | | Prisoners 18 to less than 21 years | | Prisoners under 21 years | |
|--------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|-----|------------------------------------|-----|--------------------------|-----|
| | | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % |
| Albania | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Andorra | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Austria | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Belgium | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Bulgaria | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Croatia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Cyprus | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Czech Republic | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Estonia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| France | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Iceland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Latvia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Lithuania | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Luxembourg | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Malta | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Moldova | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Netherlands | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Norway | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Portugal | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Spain | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Sweden | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Turkey | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ukraine | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | | | |
| England and Wales | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Northern Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Scotland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

Table 3. Population of penal institutions on 1 September 1999: female prisoners and foreign prisoners

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.3

| | Female prisoners | | Foreign prisoners | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-----|-------------------|-----|
| | Number | % | Number | % |
| Albania | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Andorra | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Austria | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Belgium | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Bulgaria | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Croatia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Cyprus | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Czech Republic | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Estonia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| France | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Iceland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Latvia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Lithuania | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Luxembourg | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Malta | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Moldova | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Netherlands | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Norway | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Portugal | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Spain | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Sweden | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Turkey | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ukraine | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | |
| England and Wales | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Northern Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Scotland | ... | ... | ... | ... |

Table 4.1 Population of penal institutions on 1 September 1999: legal status (numbers)

(a) *Untried prisoners (i.e. no court decision yet reached)*

(b) *Convicted prisoners, but not yet sentenced*

(c) *Sentenced prisoners who have appealed or who are within the statutory limit to do so*

(d) *Sentenced prisoners (final sentence)*

(e) *Other cases*

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.41

| | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Albania | 340 | ... | ... | 772 | 0 |
| Andorra | | | | | |
| Austria | 1 570 | *** | ... | 4 731 | 576 |
| Belgium | 1 672 | *** | 412 | 5 315 | 1 012 |
| Bulgaria | 720 | 1 502 | ... | 8 565 | 0 |
| Croatia | 766 | ... | ... | 1 261 | 0 |
| Cyprus | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 3 430 | 3 390 | ... | 16 126 | 114 |
| Denmark | 703 | 201 | | 2 620 | 36 |
| Estonia | 1 304 | ... | ... | 3 028 | 0 |
| Finland | 370 | ... | ... | 2 131 | 97 |
| France | 16 922 | *** | 1 864 | 34 922 | 240 |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | 3 309 | 1 013 | ... | 10 706 | 200 |
| Iceland | 8 | *** | ... | 85 | 0 |
| Ireland | 300 | ... | ... | 2 441 | ... |
| Italy | 17 828 | *** | 9 616 | 26 983 | *** |
| Latvia | 1 474 | 325 | 645 | 5 434 | 787 |
| Lithuania | 2 155 | 181 | 197 | 11 674 | 0 |
| Luxembourg | 148 | *** | 10 | 218 | 11 |
| Malta | | | | | |
| Moldova | 417 | 1 589 | 1057 | 7125 | *** |
| Netherlands | 4 165 | ... | ... | 4 840 | 1 701 |
| Norway | 628 | *** | ... | 1 926 | 48 |
| Poland | 13 217 | *** | ... | 41 120 | 505 |
| Portugal | | | | | |
| Romania | 5 330 | ... | 5 501 | 40 467 | 98 |
| Russia | | | | | |
| Slovakia | 1 852 | ... | ... | 5 052 | *** |
| Slovenia | 57 | 139 | 103 | 575 | 61 |
| Spain | 10 781 | *** | ... | 34 223 | *** |
| Sweden | | 1 332 | | 4 116 | 36 |
| Switzerland | 1 786 | 505 | ... | 4 003 | 0 |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 79 | 68 | 49 | 1 042 | *** |
| Turkey | 22 824 | *** | 2 999 | 43 454 | *** |
| Ukraine | | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | |
| England and Wales | 7 932 | 4 657 | ... | 51 392 | 548 |
| Northern Ireland | 430 | ... | ... | 799 | 33 |
| Scotland | 845 | 103 | ... | 5 000 | 70 |

***: not applicable

Notes - Table 4.1

Albania: Untried prisoners are held on police premises placed under the responsibility of the Ministry of the Interior. There is only one penitentiary, located in Tirana, where pre-trial detainees can be taken in. This prison is under the responsibility of the prison administration (that is dependent on the Ministry of Justice). The data presented here only relate to the populations placed under the responsibility of the prison administration. We have no data concerning pre-trial detainees placed under the responsibility of the Ministry of the Interior.

Austria: (e) = 488 mentally ill under specific treatment and 88 “civil” prisoners or awaiting a transfer to their own country.

Belgium: (e) = Internees (Social Protection Law); foreigners subject to administrative measures, vagrants; minors under 18 years of age in provisional custody; recidivists or habitual offenders detained at the government’s pleasure.

Czech Republic: (e) Persons detained pending expulsion.

Denmark: (e) = Persons detained under immigration law.

Finland: (e) = Persons detained for failing to pay administrative fines.

France: (e) = Civil imprisonment and prisoners awaiting extradition.

Hungary: (e) = 183 persons detained for psychiatric treatment and 17 persons detained for failing to pay administrative fines.

Latvia: (e) = Convicted prisoners awaiting transfer to a penal institution for juvenile delinquents, convicted prisoners detained in a prison hospital, convicted prisoners working for the general service of an establishment for pre-trial detainees.

Netherlands: (e) “detention” = 300; persons detained under immigration law = 973; persons awaiting admission to a TBS clinic = 201; persons of unknown status = 227.

Norway: (e) = Persons detained for failing to pay administrative fines.

Romania: “Other cases” = sanctions for administrative or summary offences.

Slovenia: “Other cases”: the prison authorities are also responsible for persons sentenced for minor offences in juvenile courts and serving their sentences in education centres or correctional homes. The young people detained in these institutions are between 16 and 21 years of age, although some may be as old as 23. These sentences are not final – which is why this figure is not included in the figure for convicted prisoners whose sentences are final.

Sweden: “Other cases” relates to certain prisoners who are drug addicts, juveniles kept in special detention, illegal immigrants awaiting deportation, persons awaiting placement in psychiatric institutions, and persons who have broken probation rules.

United Kingdom

England and Wales: The number of convicted prisoners includes persons detained for failing to pay a fine.

Northern Ireland: (e) = civil prisoners detained for failing to pay fines

Scotland: (e) = Persons detained for failing to pay fines.

Table 4.2 Population of penal institutions on 1 September 1999: legal status (rates)

- (a) Percentage of prisoners without final sentence
 (b) Rate of prisoners without final sentence per 100 000 inhabitants
 (c) Percentage of untried prisoners (i.e. no court decision yet reached)
 (d) Rate of untried prisoners (i.e. no court decision yet reached) per 100 000 inhabitants

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.42

| | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| Albania | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Andorra | | | | |
| Austria | ... | ... | 22,8 | 19,4 |
| Belgium | 36,8 | 30,3 | 19,9 | 16,4 |
| Bulgaria | ... | ... | 6,7 | ... |
| Croatia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Cyprus | | | | |
| Czech Republic | ... | ... | 14,9 | 33,3 |
| Denmark | 26,4 | 17,7 | 19,7 | 13,2 |
| Estonia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| France | 35,3 | 31,2 | 31,4 | 27,8 |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | ... | ... | 21,7 | 32,8 |
| Iceland | ... | ... | 8,6 | ... |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 47,5 | 42,4 | 28,8 | 25,7 |
| Latvia | 37,3 | 132 | 17,0 | 60,3 |
| Lithuania | 17,8 | 68,5 | 15,2 | 58,2 |
| Luxembourg | 43,7 | 39,4 | 38,1 | 34,5 |
| Malta | | | | |
| Moldova | 30,1 | ... | 4,1 | ... |
| Netherlands | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Norway | ... | ... | 24,1 | 14,1 |
| Poland | ... | ... | 24,1 | 34,0 |
| Portugal | | | | |
| Romania | 21,3 | 48,7 | ... | ... |
| Russia | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 38,5 | 18,2 | 6,1 | 2,9 |
| Spain | ... | ... | 24,0 | ... |
| Sweden | 24,9 | 15,4 | ... | ... |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | 28,4 | 25,1 |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 15,8 | ... | 6,4 | ... |
| Turkey | 37,3 | 40,3 | 32,9 | 35,6 |
| Ukraine | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | |
| England and Wales | ... | ... | 12,3 | ... |
| Northern Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Scotland | ... | ... | 14,0 | ... |

Notes - Table 4.2

Switzerland: Ambiguous data.

REMINDER

- Where the item "***Sentenced prisoners who have appealed or who are within the statutory time-limit for doing so***" is left blank in the questionnaire for lack of available data - without any further information being provided - it is assumed that prisoners in this situation are included among "***sentenced prisoners (final sentence)***". In this case, neither rate (a) - *percentage of prisoners not serving a final sentence* - nor rate (b) - *prisoners not serving a final sentence per 100,000 inhabitants* - can be calculated.

This applies to Albania, Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, Hungary, Iceland, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Slovakia, Spain, England and Wales, Northern Ireland.

- Where the item "***Prisoners convicted but not yet sentenced***" is left blank in the questionnaire for lack of available data - without any further information being provided - it is assumed that prisoners in this situation are included among "***untried prisoners (not yet convicted)***". In this case, neither rate (c) - *proportion of untried prisoners (not yet convicted), as a percentage* - nor rate (d) - *untried prisoners (not yet convicted) per 100,000 inhabitants* - can be calculated.

This applies to: Albania, Croatia, Estonia, Finland, Netherlands, Romania, Slovakia, Sweden, Northern Ireland.

Table 5.1. Breakdown of sentenced prisoners (final sentence) by the main offence on 1 September 1999 (numbers)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.51

| | Homicide | Assault | Rape | Violent robbery | Other types of theft | Drug offences | Other cases |
|--------------------------|----------|---------|-------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Albania | 384 | 23 | 21 | 187 | 59 | 15 | 83 |
| Andorra | | | | | | | |
| Austria | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Belgium | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Bulgaria | 1 240 | 91 | 507 | 1 081 | 3 600 | 2 046 | |
| Croatia | 381 | 32 | 66 | 107 | 186 | 115 | 374 |
| Cyprus | | | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Estonia | 537 | 322 | 123 | 292 | 1 269 | 21 | 464 |
| Finland | 459 | 290 | 49 | 183 | 521 | 340 | 386 |
| France | 3 414 | 3 089 | 7 073 | 4 350 | 5 129 | 5 007 | 6 860 |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | 1 505 | 780 | 475 | 2 347 | 3 384 | 106 | 2 109 |
| Iceland | 7 | 10 | 5 | 1 | 21 | 15 | 26 |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 4 580 | 98 | 492 | 4 248 | 1 363 | 9 964 | 6 238 |
| Latvia | 760 | 516 | 234 | 878 | 2 365 | 681 | |
| Lithuania | 1 566 | 319 | 554 | 2 058 | 5 085 | 249 | 1 843 |
| Luxembourg | 37 | 5 | 24 | 24 | 29 | 71 | 28 |
| Malta | | | | | | | |
| Moldova | 1 380 | 1 303 | 447 | 429 | 2 741 | 170 | 655 |
| Netherlands | | 1 452 | | | 1 355 | 823 | 1 210 |
| Norway | 143 | 228 | 34 | 77 | 315 | 550 | 579 |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Portugal | | | | | | | |
| Romania | 6 190 | 592 | 1 483 | 4 130 | 24 136 | 120 | 3 816 |
| Russia | | | | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 97 | 31 | 54 | 77 | 107 | 52 | 157 |
| Spain | 1 859 | 843 | 1 545 | 15 691 | 1 340 | 10 955 | 1 990 |
| Sweden | 252 | 230 | 109 | 320 | 705 | 827 | 1 673 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 142 | 35 | 22 | 84 | 383 | 116 | 260 |
| Turkey | 9 090 | 1 771 | 2 026 | 4 027 | 7 643 | 1 866 | 17 031 |
| Ukraine | | | | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | | | |
| England and Wales | 4 620 | 5 328 | 2 576 | 6 331 | 13 191 | 8 169 | 11 177 |
| Northern Ireland | 198 | 103 | 48 | 82 | 76 | 47 | 245 |
| Scotland | 657 | 716 | 185 | 638 | 838 | 737 | 1 229 |

Notes - Table 5.1

France: “Rape” includes rape and indecent assault.

Turkey: “Rape” includes all sexual assaults.

Table 5.2 Breakdown of sentenced prisoners (final sentence) by the main offence on 1 September 1999 (%)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.52

| | Homicide | Assault | Rape | Violent robbery | Other types of theft | Drug offences | Other cases |
|--------------------------|----------|---------|------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Albania | 49,7 | 3,0 | 2,7 | 24,2 | 7,6 | 1,9 | 10,8 |
| Andorra | | | | | | | |
| Austria | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Belgium | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Bulgaria | 14,5 | 1,1 | 5,9 | 12,6 | 42,0 | 23,9 | |
| Croatia | 30,2 | 2,5 | 5,2 | 8,5 | 14,8 | 9,1 | 29,7 |
| Cyprus | | | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Estonia | 17,7 | 10,6 | 4,1 | 9,6 | 41,9 | 0,7 | 15,3 |
| Finland | 20,6 | 13,0 | 2,2 | 8,2 | 23,4 | 15,3 | 17,3 |
| France | 9,8 | 8,8 | 20,3 | 12,5 | 14,7 | 14,3 | 19,6 |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | 14,1 | 7,3 | 4,4 | 21,9 | 31,6 | 1,0 | 19,7 |
| Iceland | 8,2 | 11,8 | 5,9 | 1,2 | 24,7 | 17,6 | 30,6 |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 17,0 | 0,4 | 1,8 | 15,7 | 5,1 | 36,9 | 23,1 |
| Latvia | 14,0 | 9,5 | 4,3 | 16,2 | 43,5 | --- | 12,5 |
| Lithuania | 13,4 | 2,7 | 4,7 | 17,6 | 43,6 | 2,1 | 15,8 |
| Luxembourg | 17,0 | 2,3 | 11,0 | 11,0 | 13,3 | 32,6 | 12,8 |
| Malta | | | | | | | |
| Moldova | 19,4 | 18,3 | 6,3 | 6,0 | 38,5 | 2,4 | 9,2 |
| Netherlands | 30,0 | | | | 28,0 | 17,0 | 25,0 |
| Norway | 7,4 | 11,8 | 1,8 | 4,0 | 16,4 | 28,6 | 30,1 |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Portugal | | | | | | | |
| Romania | 15,3 | 1,5 | 3,7 | 10,2 | 59,6 | 0,3 | 9,4 |
| Russia | | | | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 16,9 | 5,4 | 9,4 | 13,4 | 18,6 | 9,0 | 27,3 |
| Spain | 5,4 | 2,5 | 4,5 | 45,8 | 3,9 | 32,0 | 5,8 |
| Sweden | 6,1 | 5,6 | 2,6 | 7,8 | 17,1 | 20,1 | 40,6 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 13,6 | 3,4 | 2,1 | 8,1 | 36,8 | 11,1 | 25,0 |
| Turkey | 20,9 | 4,1 | 4,7 | 9,3 | 17,6 | 4,3 | 39,2 |
| Ukraine | | | | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | | | |
| England and Wales | 9,0 | 10,4 | 5,0 | 12,3 | 25,7 | 15,9 | 21,7 |
| Northern Ireland | 24,8 | 12,9 | 6,0 | 10,3 | 9,5 | 5,9 | 30,7 |
| Scotland | 13,1 | 14,3 | 3,7 | 12,8 | 16,8 | 14,7 | 24,6 |

Table 6.1 Breakdown of sentenced prisoners (final sentence) by length of the sentence on 1 September 1999 (numbers)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.61

| | Less than 1 year | 1 year to less than 3 years | 3 to less than 5 years | 5 to less than 10 years | 10 years and over | Life imprisonment | Death sentenced prisoners |
|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| Albania | 19 | 34 | 146 | 256 | 287 | 25 | 5 |
| Andorra | | | | | | | |
| Austria | 1 581 | 1 631 | 712 | 612 | 375 | 161 | *** |
| Belgium | 376 | 1 107 | 1 376 | 1 364 | 328 | 285 | 2 |
| Bulgaria | 703 | 2 730 | 2 081 | 1 561 | 1490 | | *** |
| Croatia | 187 | 319 | 211 | 311 | 233 | *** | *** |
| Cyprus | | | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 5 437 | 5 589 | 2 078 | 2 031 | 975 | 16 | *** |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Estonia | 118 | 728 | 613 | 1 228 | 321 | 20 | *** |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 59 | *** |
| France | 10 388 | 7 336 | 4 012 | 6 150 | 6 493 | 543 | *** |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Hungary | 1 640 | 3 579 | 1 947 | 2 344 | 997 | 199 | 0 |
| Iceland | 29 | 29 | 13 | 7 | 7 | ... | *** |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 2 390 | 6 079 | 5 747 | 6 488 | 5 627 | 652 | *** |
| Latvia | 50 | 1 396 | 1 548 | 2 061 | 370 | 9 | --- |
| Lithuania | 339 | 3 258 | 3 871 | 3 380 | 765 | 61 | *** |
| Luxembourg | 24 | 59 | 30 | 40 | 45 | 20 | *** |
| Malta | | | | | | | |
| Moldova | 104 | 683 | 1 636 | 3 308 | 1 366 | 28 | *** |
| Netherlands | 1 906 | 1 385 | 677 | 864 | | 8 | *** |
| Norway | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** | *** |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Portugal | | | | | | | |
| Romania | 3 599 | 5 260 | 20 317 | 6 151 | 5 068 | 72 | *** |
| Russia | | | | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 124 | 183 | 106 | 112 | 50 | *** | *** |
| Spain | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** | *** |
| Sweden | 1 397 | 1 278 | 520 | 582 | 252 | 87 | *** |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 149 | 561 | 140 | 125 | 65 | 2 | *** |
| Turkey | 5 719 | 7 551 | 5 545 | 6 184 | 16 289 | 2 049 | 117 |
| Ukraine | | | | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | | | |
| England and Wales | 7 479 | 16 564 | 11 732 | 9 114 | 2 297 | 4 206 | *** |
| Northern Ireland | 107 | 163 | 110 | 138 | 140 | 141 | *** |
| Scotland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

*** not applicable

Notes - Table 6.1

Austria: The data relate to the situation at 30 November 1999 (5 072 convicted prisoners).

Belgium: The data provided do not relate to the total number of convicted prisoners. Figures by length of sentence are not available for convicted persons who have been sentenced to terms of imprisonment (401), prisoners sentenced only to imprisonment in default (64) and prisoners on parole who have been temporarily recalled (12).

Slovenia: The minimum term is fifteen days and the maximum fifteen years. A twenty-year sentence may be ordered only for the most serious crimes (first degree murder, genocide, war crimes), but this is exceptional. The Criminal Code does not provide for terms of more than twenty years or for life sentences.

Spain: The data provided have been broken down according to different time brackets:

- Prisoners sentenced under the old Criminal Code (1973): one month to less than six months (1 392), six months to less than six years (6 535), six years to less than twelve years (3 741), twelve years to less than twenty years (1 751), twenty to thirty years (1 092).

- Prisoners sentenced under the new Criminal Code (1995): six months to less than three years (8 453), three years to less than eight years (7 122), eight years to less than fifteen years (2 663), fifteen to twenty years (599) more than twenty years (205), sentence of weekend arrest (330), pecuniary punishment (30), security measure (not imposed) (310).

United Kingdom

England and Wales: The time brackets are “1 year and less”, “more than a year to 3 years”, “more than five years to ten years”, “more than ten years”.

Table 6.2 Breakdown of sentenced prisoners (final sentence) by length of the sentence on 1 September 1999 (%)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.62

| | Less than 1 year | 1 year to less than 3 years | 3 to less than 5 years | 5 to less than 10 years | 10 years and over | Life imprisonment | Death sentenced prisoners |
|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| Albania | 2,5 | 4,4 | 18,9 | 33,2 | 37,2 | 3,2 | 0,6 |
| Andorra | | | | | | | |
| Austria | 31,2 | 32,2 | 14,0 | 12,1 | 7,4 | 3,2 | *** |
| Belgium | 7,8 | 22,9 | 28,4 | 28,2 | 6,8 | 5,9 | 0,0 |
| Bulgaria | 8,2 | 31,9 | 24,3 | 18,2 | 17,4 | | *** |
| Croatia | 14,8 | 25,3 | 16,7 | 24,7 | 18,5 | *** | *** |
| Cyprus | | | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 33,7 | 34,7 | 12,9 | 12,6 | 6,0 | 0,1 | *** |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Estonia | 3,9 | 24,0 | 20,2 | 40,6 | 10,6 | 0,7 | *** |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| France | 29,7 | 21,0 | 11,5 | 17,6 | 18,6 | 1,6 | *** |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Hungary | 15,3 | 33,4 | 18,2 | 21,9 | 9,3 | 1,9 | 0,0 |
| Iceland | 34,1 | 34,1 | 15,3 | 8,2 | 8,2 | 0,0 | *** |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 8,9 | 22,5 | 21,3 | 24,0 | 20,9 | 2,4 | *** |
| Latvia | 0,9 | 25,7 | 28,5 | 37,9 | 6,8 | 0,2 | *** |
| Lithuania | 2,9 | 27,9 | 33,2 | 29,0 | 6,6 | 0,5 | *** |
| Luxembourg | 11,0 | 27,1 | 13,8 | 18,3 | 20,6 | 9,2 | *** |
| Malta | | | | | | | |
| Moldova | 1,5 | 9,6 | 23,0 | 46,4 | 19,2 | 0,4 | *** |
| Netherlands | 39,4 | 28,6 | 14,0 | 17,9 | | 0,2 | *** |
| Norway | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** | *** |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Portugal | | | | | | | |
| Romania | 8,9 | 13,0 | 50,2 | 15,2 | 12,5 | 0,2 | *** |
| Russia | | | | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 21,6 | 31,8 | 18,4 | 19,5 | 8,7 | *** | *** |
| Spain | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** | *** |
| Sweden | 33,9 | 31,0 | 12,6 | 14,1 | 6,1 | 2,1 | *** |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 14,3 | 53,8 | 13,4 | 12,0 | 6,2 | 0,2 | *** |
| Turkey | 13,2 | 17,4 | 12,8 | 14,2 | 37,5 | 4,7 | 0,3 |
| Ukraine | | | | | | | |
| United Kingdom | | | | | | | |
| England and Wales | 14,6 | 32,2 | 22,8 | 17,7 | 4,5 | 8,2 | *** |
| Northern Ireland | 13,4 | 20,4 | 13,8 | 17,2 | 17,5 | 17,6 | *** |
| Scotland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

***not applicable

Table 6.3 Breakdown of sentenced prisoners (final sentence) by length of the sentence on 1 September 1999: cumulative %

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.63

| | Time sentence | 1 year and over | 3 years and over | 5 years and over | 10 years and over | Life imprisonment | Death sentenced prisoners |
|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| Albania | 96,2 | 93,7 | 89,3 | 70,4 | 37,2 | 3,2 | 0,6 |
| Andorra | | | | | | | |
| Austria | 96,9 | 65,7 | 33,5 | 19,5 | 7,4 | 3,2 | *** |
| Belgium | 94,1 | 86,3 | 63,4 | 35,0 | 6,8 | 5,9 | 0,0 |
| Bulgaria | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Croatia | 100,0 | 85,2 | 59,9 | 43,2 | 18,5 | *** | *** |
| Cyprus | | | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 99,9 | 66,2 | 31,5 | 18,6 | 6,0 | 0,1 | *** |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Estonia | 99,3 | 95,4 | 71,4 | 51,2 | 10,6 | 0,7 | *** |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| France | 98,4 | 68,7 | 47,7 | 36,2 | 18,6 | 1,6 | *** |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Hungary | 98,1 | 82,8 | 49,4 | 31,2 | 9,3 | 1,9 | 0,0 |
| Iceland | 100,0 | 65,8 | 31,7 | 16,4 | 8,2 | 0,0 | *** |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 97,6 | 88,7 | 66,2 | 44,9 | 20,9 | 2,4 | *** |
| Latvia | 99,8 | 98,9 | 73,2 | 44,7 | 6,8 | 0,2 | *** |
| Lithuania | 99,6 | 96,7 | 68,8 | 35,6 | 6,6 | 0,5 | *** |
| Luxembourg | 90,8 | 79,8 | 52,7 | 38,9 | 20,6 | 9,2 | *** |
| Malta | | | | | | | |
| Moldova | 76,7 | 75,2 | 65,6 | 46,4 | 19,2 | 0,4 | *** |
| Netherlands | 99,8 | 60,5 | 31,8 | 17,9 | ... | 0,2 | *** |
| Norway | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** | *** |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| Portugal | | | | | | | |
| Romania | 99,8 | 90,9 | 77,9 | 27,7 | 12,5 | 0,2 | *** |
| Russia | | | | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 100,0 | 78,4 | 46,6 | 28,2 | 8,7 | *** | *** |
| Spain | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** | *** |
| Sweden | 97,8 | 63,8 | 32,8 | 20,2 | 6,1 | 2,1 | *** |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | *** |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 99,8 | 85,4 | 31,6 | 18,2 | 6,2 | 0,2 | *** |
| Turkey | 95,1 | 81,9 | 64,5 | 51,7 | 37,5 | 4,7 | 0,3 |
| Ukraine | | | | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | | | |
| England and Wales | 91,8 | 77,2 | 45,0 | 22,2 | 4,5 | 8,2 | *** |
| Northern Ireland | 82,3 | 68,9 | 48,5 | 34,7 | 17,5 | 17,6 | *** |
| Scotland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

***not applicable

Table 7.1 Breakdown of sentenced prisoners (final sentence) by length of the sentence on 1 September 1999: less than one year (numbers)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.71

| | Moins d'un mois | Un mois à moins de 3 mois | 3 mois à moins de 6 mois | 6 mois à moins d'un an | Ensemble moins d'un an |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Albania | 0 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 19 |
| Andorra | | | | | |
| Austria | 0 | 389 | 521 | 671 | 1 581 |
| Belgium | 19 | 44 | 98 | 215 | 376 |
| Bulgaria | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Croatia | | 75 | | 112 | 187 |
| Cyprus | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 0 | 185 | 974 | 4 278 | 5 437 |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Estonia | | 9 | | 109 | 118 |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| France | | 5 326 | | 5 152 | 10 388 |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | 72 | 45 | 371 | 1 152 | 1 640 |
| Iceland | 0 | 3 | 9 | 17 | 29 |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 99 | 149 | 562 | 1 580 | 2 390 |
| Latvia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 50 |
| Lithuania | 0 | 0 | 103 | 236 | 339 |
| Luxembourg | 3 | 1 | 6 | 14 | 24 |
| Malta | | | | | |
| Moldova | *** | *** | *** | 104 | 104 |
| Netherlands | 272 | 404 | 553 | 677 | 1 906 |
| Norway | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Portugal | | | | | |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 599 |
| Russia | | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 0 | 5 | 37 | 82 | 124 |
| Spain | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Sweden | 9 | 227 | 432 | 729 | 1 397 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| "The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia" | 8 | 18 | 45 | 78 | 149 |
| Turkey | 1 171 | 849 | 1 247 | 2 452 | 5 719 |
| Ukraine | | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | |
| England and Wales | *** | 1 743 | 3 546 | 2 190 | 7 479 |
| Northern Ireland | 4 | 8 | 55 | 40 | 107 |
| Scotland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

*** not applicable

Notes - Table 7.1

Czech Republic: Sentences of less than one month are not enforceable.

United Kingdom

England and Wales: The time brackets are “1 month and less”, “more than a month to three months”, “more than three months to six months”, “more than six months to a year.”

Table 7.2 Breakdown of sentenced prisoners (final sentence) by length of the sentence on 1 September 1999: less than one year (%)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.72

| | Less than 1 month | 1 month to less than 3 months | 3 months to less than 6 months | 6 months to less than 1 year | Total less than 1 year |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| Albania | 0,0 | 42,1 | 26,3 | 31,6 | 100,0 |
| Andorra | | | | | |
| Austria | 0,0 | 24,6 | 33,0 | 42,4 | 100,0 |
| Belgium | 5,1 | 11,7 | 26,1 | 57,2 | 100,0 |
| Bulgaria | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Croatia | | 40,1 | | 59,9 | 100,0 |
| Cyprus | | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 0,0 | 3,4 | 17,9 | 78,7 | 100,0 |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Estonia | | 7,6 | | 92,4 | 100,0 |
| Finland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| France | | 50,4 | | 49,6 | 100,0 |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | 4,4 | 2,7 | 22,6 | 70,2 | 100,0 |
| Iceland | 0,0 | 10,3 | 31,0 | 58,6 | 100,0 |
| Ireland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Italy | 4,1 | 6,2 | 23,5 | 66,1 | 100,0 |
| Latvia | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 100,0 | 100,0 |
| Lithuania | 0,0 | 0,0 | 30,4 | 69,6 | 100,0 |
| Luxembourg | 12,5 | 4,2 | 25,0 | 58,3 | 100,0 |
| Malta | | | | | |
| Moldova | *** | *** | *** | 100,0 | 100,0 |
| Netherlands | 14,3 | 21,2 | 29,0 | 35,5 | 100,0 |
| Norway | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Poland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Portugal | | | | | |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | | | | | |
| Slovakia | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Slovenia | 0,0 | 4,0 | 29,8 | 66,1 | 100,0 |
| Spain | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Sweden | 0,6 | 16,2 | 30,9 | 52,2 | 100,0 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 5,4 | 12,1 | 30,2 | 52,3 | 100,0 |
| Turkey | 20,5 | 14,8 | 21,8 | 42,9 | 100,0 |
| Ukraine | | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | | |
| England and Wales | *** | 23,3 | 47,4 | 29,3 | 100,0 |
| Northern Ireland | 3,7 | 7,5 | 51,4 | 37,4 | 100,0 |
| Scotland | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

*** not applicable

I.2 PRISON POPULATIONS

Flow of entries, length of imprisonment, escapes and deaths in 1998

Table 8. Flow of entries to penal institutions (1998)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.8

| | Entries to penal institutions | Rate of entries to penal institutions per 100 000 inhabitants | Entries before final sentence | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|------|
| | | | Number | % |
| Albania | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Andorra | | | | |
| Austria | 8 337 | 103 | ... | ... |
| Belgium | 13 883 | 136 | 8 991 | 64,8 |
| Bulgaria | 6 777 | 79,4 | 3 986 | 58,8 |
| Croatia | 5 606 | 123 | ... | ... |
| Cyprus | | | | |
| Czech Republic | 19 952 | 193 | ... | ... |
| Denmark | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Estonia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Finland | 5 803 | 122 | 1 503 | 25,9 |
| France | 76 461 | 126 | 55 326 | 72,4 |
| Germany | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Greece | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Hungary | 27 016 | 270 | 5 083 | 18,8 |
| Iceland | 304 | 109 | 57 | 18,8 |
| Ireland | 11 307 | 303 | ... | ... |
| Italy | 87 019 | 151 | 77 235 | 88,8 |
| Latvia | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Lithuania | 47 584 | 1 280 | 32 704 | 68,7 |
| Luxembourg | 1 654 | 385 | 471 | 28,5 |
| Malta | | | | |
| Moldova | 8 429 | 226 | 1 880 | 22,3 |
| Netherlands | 28 698 | 183 | 15 389 | 53,6 |
| Norway | 10 956 | 248 | 3 703 | 33,8 |
| Poland | 82 876 | 213 | 27 200 | 32,8 |
| Portugal | | | | |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | | | | |
| Slovakia | 5 433 | 101 | 2 938 | 54,1 |
| Slovenia | 4 357 | 220 | 943 | 21,6 |
| Spain | 53 520 | 134 | 27 724 | 51,8 |
| Sweden | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Switzerland | 28 514 | 401 | 20 644 | 72,4 |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 4 444 | 228 | 1 138 | 25,6 |
| Turkey | 110 954 | 168 | ... | ... |
| Ukraine | | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | | |
| England and Wales | 132 100 | ... | 64 697 | 49,0 |
| Northern Ireland | 5 565 | 331 | 2 284 | 41,0 |
| Scotland | 37 367 | 731 | 15 098 | 40,4 |

Notes - Table 8.

Luxembourg: The rate of entries has been calculated on the basis of the number of inmates and the prison population at 1 September 1999.

Poland: The rate of entries has been calculated on the basis of the number of inmates and the prison population at 1 September 1999.

Table 9. Indicator of average length of imprisonment (1998)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.9

| | Total number of days spent in penal institutions | Average number of prisoners in year | Indicator of average length of imprisonment (in months) |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| Albania | ... | ... | ... |
| Andorra | | | |
| Austria | 2 564 490 | 7 026 | 10 |
| Belgium | 3 098 746 | 8 490 | 7,3 |
| Bulgaria | ... | 11 773 | 21 |
| Croatia | 807 745 | 2 213 | 4,7 |
| Cyprus | | | |
| Czech Republic | 8 024 160 | 21 984 | 13 |
| Denmark | 1 248 994 | 3 422 | ... |
| Estonia | ... | ... | ... |
| Finland | 1 025 285 | 2 809 | 5,8 |
| France | 20 225 404 | 55 412 | 8,7 |
| Germany | ... | 78 584 | ... |
| Greece | | 7 129 | ... |
| Hungary | ... | 14 218 | 6,3 |
| Iceland | 43 759 | 120 | 4,7 |
| Ireland | ... | 2 648 | 2,8 |
| Italy | ... | 49 050 | 6,8 |
| Latvia | ... | ... | ... |
| Lithuania | 5 061 455 | 13 867 | 3,5 |
| Luxembourg | 158 527 | 434 | 3,1 |
| Malta | | | |
| Moldova | ... | 10 250 | 14 |
| Netherlands | 4 255 900 | 11 660 | 4,9 |
| Norway | 849 238 | 2 327 | 2,5 |
| Poland | ... | 54 842 | 7,9 |
| Portugal | | | |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | | | |
| Slovakia | 2 419 220 | 6 628 | 14 |
| Slovenia | 295 606 | 810 | 2,2 |
| Spain | 16 221 315 | 44 442 | 10 |
| Sweden | 1 765 772 | 4 838 | ... |
| Switzerland | 2 273 392 | 6 228 | 2,6 |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 423 340 | 1 160 | 3,1 |
| Turkey | 168 532 304 | 46 173 | 5,0 |
| Ukraine | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | |
| England and Wales | 23 834 000 | 65 299 | 5,9 |
| Northern Ireland | ... | 1 531 | 3,3 |
| Scotland | 2 196 570 | 6 018 | 1,9 |

Notes - Table 9.

Bulgaria: The indicator of average length of imprisonment has been calculated on the basis of the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Germany: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Greece: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Hungary: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Ireland: The indicator of average length of imprisonment has been calculated on the basis of the total number of prisoners at 15 September 1998.

Italy: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Moldova: The indicator of average length of imprisonment has been calculated on the basis of the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Poland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

United Kingdom

Northern Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

Table 10. Number of Escapes (by convicted prisoners or pre-trial detainees under the supervision of the prison administration) from a closed penal institution or during administrative transfer (1998)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.10

| | Number of escapes in the year | Average number of prisoners in the year | Escapes per 10 000 prisoners |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| Albania | 0 | 2 922 | 0 |
| Andorra | | | |
| Austria | 11 | 7 026 | 16 |
| Belgium | 16 | 8 490 | 19 |
| Bulgaria | 32 | 11 773 | 27 |
| Croatia | 13 | 2 213 | 59 |
| Cyprus | | | |
| Czech Republic | 0 | 21 984 | 0,0 |
| Denmark | 81 | 3 422 | 24 |
| Estonia | 2 | 4 647 | 4,3 |
| Finland | 48 | 2 809 | 170 |
| France | 19 | 55 412 | 3,4 |
| Germany | 62 | 78 584 | 7,9 |
| Greece | 41 | 7 129 | 58 |
| Hungary | 2 | 14 218 | 1,4 |
| Iceland | 0 | 120 | 0,0 |
| Ireland | 2 | 2 648 | 7,6 |
| Italy | 29 | 49 050 | 5,9 |
| Latvia | 4 | 9 520 | 4,2 |
| Lithuania | 1 | 13 867 | 15 |
| Luxembourg | ... | 434 | ... |
| Malta | | | |
| Moldova | 13 | 10 250 | 1,3 |
| Netherlands | 23 | 11 660 | 20 |
| Norway | 37 | 2 327 | 160 |
| Poland | 10 | 54 842 | 1,8 |
| Portugal | | | |
| Romania | 10 | 51 418 | 1,9 |
| Russia | | | |
| Slovakia | 3 | 6 628 | 4,5 |
| Slovenia | 42 | 810 | 520 |
| Spain | 15 | 44 442 | 3,8 |
| Sweden | 57 | 4 838 | 118 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 32 | 2 827 | 110 |
| Turkey | 49 | 46 173 | 11 |
| Ukraine | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | |
| England and Wales | 95 | 65 299 | 14 |
| Northern Ireland | 0 | 1 531 | 0,0 |
| Scotland | 2 | 6 018 | 3,3 |

n.s. not significant

Notes - Table 10.

Albania: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Bulgaria: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Denmark: 42 escapes from institutions, 39 during transfer.

Estonia: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Germany: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Greece: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Hungary: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 15 September 1998.

Italy: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Latvia: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Moldova: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Poland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

Romania: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 30 September 1998.

United Kingdom

Northern Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

Table 11. Other forms of escape in 1998 (absconding or running off)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.11

| | Number of escapes in the year | Average number of prisoners in the year (for indication) |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Albania | 0 | 2 922 |
| Andorra | | |
| Austria | 21 | 7 026 |
| Belgium | 154 | 8 490 |
| Bulgaria | 25 | 11 773 |
| Croatia | 62 | 2 213 |
| Cyprus | | |
| Czech Republic | 29 | 21 984 |
| Denmark | 1 033 | 3 422 |
| Estonia | 4 | 4 647 |
| Finland | 94 | 2 809 |
| France | 192 | 55 412 |
| Germany | 955 | 78 584 |
| Greece | 85 | 7 129 |
| Hungary | 17 | 14 218 |
| Iceland | 0 | 120 |
| Ireland | 191 | 2 648 |
| Italy | 267 | 49 050 |
| Latvia | 6 | 9 520 |
| Lithuania | 0 | 13 867 |
| Luxembourg | 23 | 434 |
| Malta | | |
| Moldova | 45 | 10 250 |
| Netherlands | 894 | 11 660 |
| Norway | 3 | 2 327 |
| Poland | 70 | 54 842 |
| Portugal | | |
| Romania | 14 | 51 418 |
| Russia | | |
| Slovakia | 8 | 6 628 |
| Slovenia | 57 | 810 |
| Spain | 35 | 44 442 |
| Sweden | 629 | 4 838 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 100 | 2 827 |
| Turkey | 409 | 46 173 |
| Ukraine | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | |
| England and Wales | 936 | 65 299 |
| Northern Ireland | 57 | 1 531 |
| Scotland | 43 | 6 018 |

Notes - Table 11.

Denmark: 402 escapes from open institutions, 631 escapes during leave.

Finland: 52 escapes from open institutions, 42 escapes during leave.

Greece: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Poland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

United Kingdom

Northern Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

Table 12. Deaths in penal institutions (1998)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.12

| | Number of deaths in penal institutions in the year | Average number of prisoners in the year | Deaths per 10 000 prisoners |
|--------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------|
| Albania | 1 | 2 922 | 3,4 |
| Andorra | | | |
| Austria | 31 | 7 026 | 44 |
| Belgium | 50 | 8 490 | 59 |
| Bulgaria | 65 | 11 773 | 55 |
| Croatia | 5 | 2 213 | 23 |
| Cyprus | | | |
| Czech Republic | 33 | 21 984 | 15 |
| Denmark | 8 | 3 422 | 23 |
| Estonia | 10 | 4 647 | 21 |
| Finland | 15 | 2 809 | 53 |
| France | 214 | 55 412 | 39 |
| Germany | 155 | 78 584 | 20 |
| Greece | 34 | 7 129 | 48 |
| Hungary | 30 | 14 218 | 21 |
| Iceland | ... | 120 | ... |
| Ireland | 5 | 2 648 | 19 |
| Italy | 129 | 49 050 | 26 |
| Latvia | ... | ... | ... |
| Lithuania | 29 | 13 867 | 21 |
| Luxembourg | ... | 434 | ... |
| Malta | | | |
| Moldova | 111 | 10 250 | 110 |
| Netherlands | 28 | 11 660 | 24 |
| Norway | 9 | 2 327 | 39 |
| Poland | 110 | 54 842 | 20 |
| Portugal | | | |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | | | |
| Slovakia | 7 | 6 628 | 11 |
| Slovenia | 5 | 810 | 62 |
| Spain | 55 | 44 442 | 12 |
| Sweden | 14 | 4 838 | 29 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 4 | 2 827 | 14 |
| Turkey | 120 | 46 173 | 26 |
| Ukraine | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | |
| England and Wales | 133 | 65 299 | 20 |
| Northern Ireland | 1 | 1 531 | 6,5 |
| Scotland | 22 | 6 018 | 37 |

n.s. non significatif

Notes - Table 12.

Albania: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Bulgaria: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Estonia: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Germany: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Greece: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Hungary: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 15 September 1998.

Italy: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Moldova: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Poland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

United Kingdom

Northern Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

Table 13. Suicides in penal institutions (1998)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.13

| | Number of suicides in the year | Average number of prisoners in the year | Suicides per10 000 prisoners |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| Albania | 0 | 2 922 | 0 |
| Andorra | | | |
| Austria | 16 | 7 026 | 23 |
| Belgium | 29 | 8 490 | 34 |
| Bulgaria | 2 | 11 773 | 1,7 |
| Croatia | 5 | 2 213 | 23 |
| Cyprus | | | |
| Czech Republic | 11 | 21 984 | 5,0 |
| Denmark | 5 | 3 422 | 15 |
| Estonia | 0 | 4 647 | 0,0 |
| Finland | 9 | 2 809 | 32 |
| France | 118 | 55 412 | 21 |
| Germany | 78 | 78 584 | 9,9 |
| Greece | 5 | 7 129 | 7,0 |
| Hungary | 7 | 14 218 | 4,9 |
| Iceland | ... | 120 | ... |
| Ireland | 4 | 2 648 | 15 |
| Italy | 51 | 49 050 | 10 |
| Latvia | ... | ... | ... |
| Lithuania | 9 | 13 867 | 6,5 |
| Luxembourg | 1 | 434 | 23 |
| Malta | | | |
| Moldova | 6 | 10 250 | 5,9 |
| Netherlands | 10 | 11 660 | 8,6 |
| Norway | 2 | 2 327 | 8,6 |
| Poland | 39 | 54 842 | 7,1 |
| Portugal | | | |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | | | |
| Slovakia | 3 | 6 628 | 4,5 |
| Slovenia | 4 | 810 | 49 |
| Spain | 10 | 44 442 | 2,3 |
| Sweden | 10 | 4 838 | 21 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 1 | 2 827 | 3,5 |
| Turkey | 20 | 46 173 | 4,3 |
| Ukraine | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | |
| England and Wales | 83 | 65 299 | 13 |
| Northern Ireland | 1 | 1 531 | 6,5 |
| Scotland | 13 | 6 018 | 22 |

n.s. not significant

Notes - Table 13.

Albania: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Bulgaria: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Germany: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Greece: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Hungary: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 september 1998.

Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 15 September 1998.

Italy: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Moldova: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Poland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

United Kingdom

Northern Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

Table 14. Deaths in penal institutions – other than suicides (1998)

Reference: Council of Europe, SPACE 1999.14

| | Number of deaths in penal institutions (other than suicides) | Average number of prisoners in the year | Deaths per 10 000 prisoners (other than suicides) |
|--------------------------|--|---|---|
| Albania | 1 | 2 922 | 3,4 |
| Andorra | | | |
| Austria | 15 | 7 026 | 21 |
| Belgium | 21 | 8 490 | 25 |
| Bulgaria | 63 | 11 773 | 53 |
| Croatia | 0 | 2 213 | 0,0 |
| Cyprus | | | |
| Czech Republic | 22 | 21 984 | 10 |
| Denmark | 3 | 3 422 | 8,8 |
| Estonia | 10 | 4 647 | 21 |
| Finland | 6 | 2 809 | 21 |
| France | 96 | 55 412 | 17 |
| Germany | 77 | 78 584 | 9,8 |
| Greece | 29 | 7 129 | 41 |
| Hungary | 23 | 14 218 | 16 |
| Iceland | ... | 120 | ... |
| Ireland | 1 | 2 648 | 3,8 |
| Italy | 78 | 49 050 | 16 |
| Latvia | ... | ... | ... |
| Lithuania | 20 | 13 867 | 14 |
| Luxembourg | ... | 434 | ... |
| Malta | | | |
| Moldova | 105 | 10 250 | 100 |
| Netherlands | 18 | 11 660 | 15 |
| Norway | 7 | 2 327 | 30 |
| Poland | 71 | 54 842 | 13 |
| Portugal | | | |
| Romania | ... | ... | ... |
| Russia | | | |
| Slovakia | 4 | 6 628 | 6,0 |
| Slovenia | 1 | 810 | 12 |
| Spain | 45 | 44 442 | 10 |
| Sweden | 4 | 4 838 | 8,3 |
| Switzerland | ... | ... | ... |
| “The F.Y.R.O. Macedonia” | 3 | 2 827 | 11 |
| Turkey | 100 | 46 173 | 22 |
| Ukraine | | | |
| <i>United Kingdom</i> | | | |
| England and Wales | 50 | 65 299 | 7,7 |
| Northern Ireland | 0 | 1 531 | 0,0 |
| Scotland | 9 | 6 018 | 15 |

n.s. not significant

Notes - Table 14.

Albania: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Bulgaria: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Estonia: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Germany: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Greece: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Hungary: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 15 September 1998.

Italy: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Moldova: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1998.

Poland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

United Kingdom

Northern Ireland: The number of prisoners/year has been replaced by the number of prisoners at 1 September 1999 - no other data available.

Data concerning Canada.

The data only refer to the federal prisons that only take in prisoners convicted for more than one year (statistics at 27 August 1999).

Total number of prisoners: 12 729

Total capacity of the penitentiaries: 14 238

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