



**NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**

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**NUMBER OF PRISONS** ..... 66  
**INMATE POPULATION** ..... 39,678  
 Prison population and demographic data as of 12/31/2011

**GENDER**  
 Male .....37,006 ..... 93%  
 Female ..... 2,267 ..... 7%

**RACE**  
 Black ..... 22,530 .....57%  
 White ..... 14,006 .....35%  
 Other ..... 3,142 ..... 8%

**MOST FREQUENT CRIMES OF 2011 PRISON ADMISSIONS**  
 Drug possession ..... 17% Traffic Violations ..... 6%  
 Larceny ..... 12% Robbery ..... 5%  
 Breaking & Entering..... 11% Sex Assault/Offense .... 5%  
 Assault ..... 11% Fraud ..... 4%  
 DWI ..... 9% Drug Trafficking ..... 3%

**EDUCATIONAL LEVEL OF PRISON ADMISSIONS IN 2011**

Grade	Highest Grade Claimed	Tested Reading Grade
0-6	1%	34%
7-12	75%	46%
12 & higher	24%	20%

**COST OF INCARCERATION (FY 10-11)**

	per day	per year
Minimum custody	\$64.35	\$23,491
Medium custody	\$77.30	\$28,214
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Female .....	27,038	25%

<b>RACE</b> White .....	51,087	47%
Black .....	49,326	45%
Other .....	8,107	8%

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