

## PRISON

**TABLE 7.34 : NUMBER OF JAILS, CAPACITY, POPULATION AND OCCUPANCY RATE**

(In Number)

Year	Number of Jails	Capacity	Population of Inmates	Occupancy Rate (In %)
1	2	3	4	5
1995	729	138347	261731	116.8
1996	1010	179123	300470	127.9
1997	1065	193400	248474	128.4
1998	1133	217021	275605	127.0
1999	1116	219844	281380	128.0
2000	1058	211720	272079	128.5
2001	1119	229713	313635	136.5
2002	1135	229874	322357	140.2
2003	1140	233543	326519	139.8
2004	1147	235012	331391	141.0
2005	1328	246497	358368	145.4
2006	1336	263911	373271	141.4
2007	1276	277304	376396	135.7

Source: National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs

Note: Population of inmates varies due to non-reporting of some states.