NSW CUSTODY STATISTICS
June 2024

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YOUTH DETENTION POPULATION

175 in June 2023

247 in June 2024

72 people

41.1%

CUSTODY STATUS
Between June 2023 and June 2024

44.3% Remand population increased 44.3% or 58 young people to 189

31.8% Sentenced population increased 31.8% or 14 young people to 58

GENDER
Between June 2023 and June 2024

140.0% Young female detainees increased 140.0% or 7 young people to 12

38.2% Young male detainees increased 38.2% or 65 young people to 235

ABORIGINAL OVER-REPRESENTATION

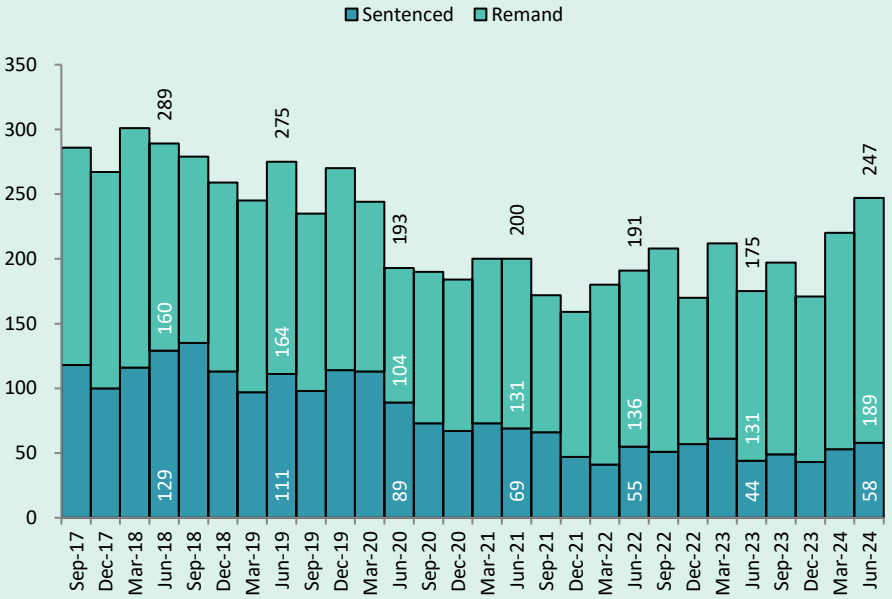
In Jun 2023	In Jun 2024
57.1% of young people in custody were Aboriginal	**58.7%** of young people in custody were Aboriginal

Between June 2023 and June 2024

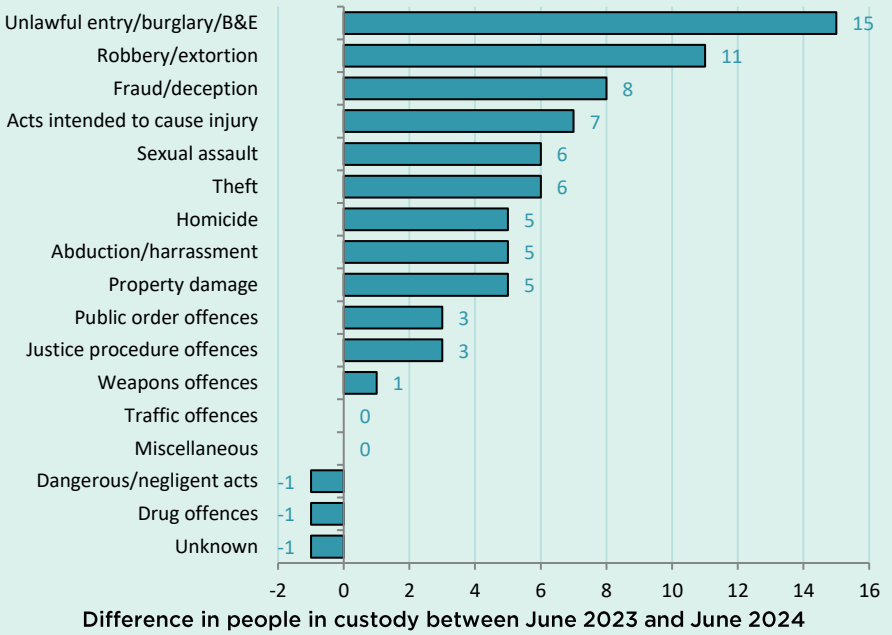
200.0% Young Aboriginal female detainees increased 200.0% or 4 young people to 6

41.8% Young Aboriginal male detainees increased 41.8% or 41 young people to 139

QUARTERLY TRENDS



CHANGE IN YOUTH CUSTODY BY OFFENCE



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PRISON POPULATION

12,279 in June 2023

12,917 in June 2024

638 people

5.2%

LEGAL STATUS
Between June 2023 and June 2024

19.3% Remand population increased 19.3% or 932 people to 5,763

3.9% Sentenced population decreased 3.9% or 294 people to 7,154

GENDER
Between June 2023 and June 2024

5.3% Female custody population increased 5.3% or 43 people to 855

5.2% Male custody population increased 5.2% or 595 people to 12,062

ABORIGINAL OVER-REPRESENTATION*

In Jun 2023	In Jun 2024
30.1% of prisoners were Aboriginal	**31.3%** of prisoners were Aboriginal

Between June 2023 and June 2024

15.3% Aboriginal female custody population increased 15.3% or 49 people to 369

8.7% Aboriginal male custody population increased 8.7% or 294 people to 3,670

*Due to delays in identification of Aboriginal status the number of Aboriginal persons in adult custody is potentially undercounted by up to 2% in more recent months.

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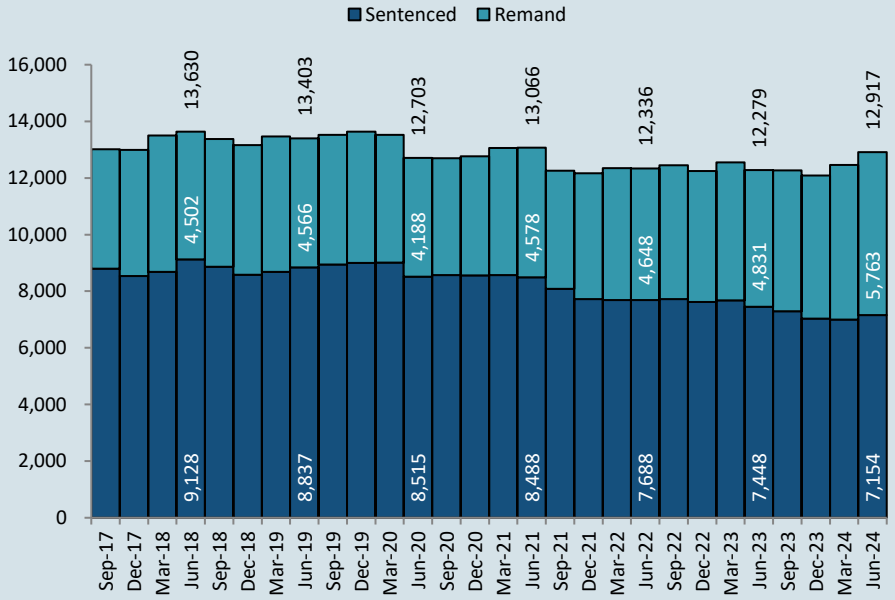
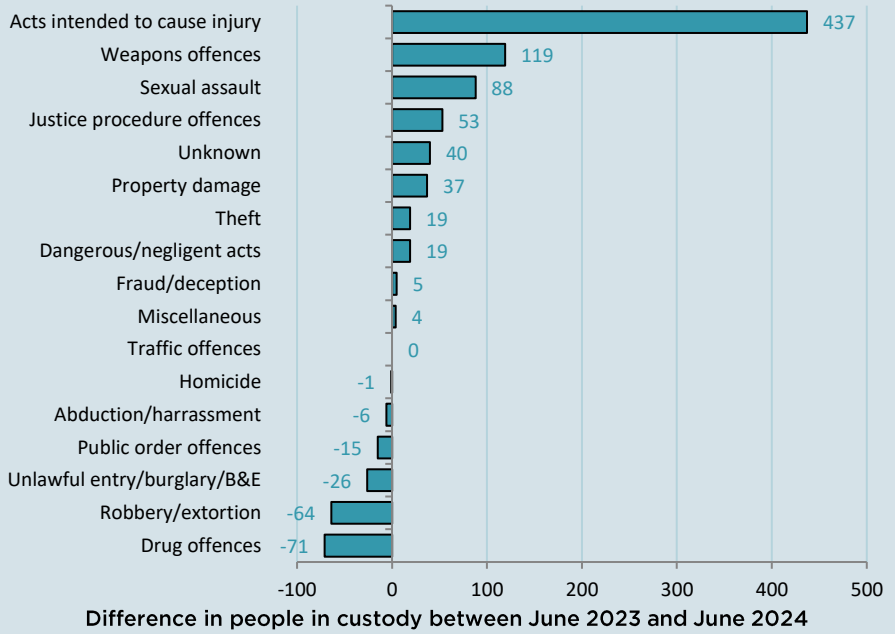


CHANGE IN PRISON NUMBERS BY OFFENCE



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