

**MA DOC Ages of Criminally Sentenced Populations by  
Life Without Parole (LWOP) or All Other Sentences  
January 1, 2011 through January 1 2019**

Age in Years	2011		2012		2013		2014									
	LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others					
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%				
19 & Under	2	0%	70	1%	0	0%	45	0%	1	0%	39	0%	0	0%	37	0%
20-29	87	9%	2434	27%	90	9%	2536	27%	95	9%	2280	26%	105	10%	2112	25%
30-39	247	26%	2750	30%	244	25%	2826	30%	223	22%	2724	31%	219	21%	2579	31%
40-49	263	27%	2276	25%	276	28%	2275	25%	300	30%	2142	24%	301	29%	1965	23%
50-59	202	21%	1070	12%	194	20%	1144	12%	200	20%	1235	14%	205	20%	1248	15%
60-69	125	13%	338	4%	141	14%	347	4%	150	15%	344	4%	162	16%	366	4%
70-79	29	3%	70	1%	31	3%	78	1%	36	4%	81	1%	38	4%	89	1%
80-89	4	0%	18	0%	4	0%	20	0%	7	1%	20	0%	8	1%	18	0%
90-99	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%
Subtotal <50 years old	599	62%	7530	83%	610	62%	7682	83%	619	61%	7185	81%	625	60%	6693	80%
Subtotal 50+ years old	360	38%	1496	17%	370	38%	1589	17%	393	39%	1680	19%	414	40%	1721	20%
Total for each Population	959	100%	9026	100%	980	100%	9271	100%	1012	100%	8865	100%	1039	100%	8414	100%
Percent of Total Pop.		10%				10%				10%				11%		

  

Age in Years	2015		2016		2017		2019									
	LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others					
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%				
19 & Under	0	0%	17	0%	0	0%	9	0%	0	0%	11	0%	0	0%	24	0%
20-29	83	8%	2099	25%	78	8%	1828	24%	73	7%	1634	23%	69	6%	1446	21%
30-39	189	19%	2552	31%	179	18%	2326	31%	185	18%	2247	31%	193	18%	2198	32%
40-49	303	30%	1943	23%	299	30%	1749	23%	295	29%	1624	23%	286	26%	1548	22%
50-59	200	20%	1231	15%	206	21%	1213	16%	223	22%	1173	16%	248	23%	1145	16%
60-69	169	17%	384	5%	179	18%	390	5%	179	18%	391	5%	192	18%	452	6%
70-79	44	4%	93	1%	53	5%	97	1%	56	5%	117	2%	81	7%	138	2%
80-89	11	1%	18	0%	9	1%	14	0%	8	1%	16	0%	10	1%	12	0%
90-99	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	2	0%	0	0%	2	0%	0	0%
Subtotal <50 years old	575	58%	6611	79%	556	55%	5912	78%	553	54%	5516	76%	548	51%	5216	75%
Subtotal 50+ years old	425	43%	1726	21%	448	45%	1714	22%	468	46%	1697	24%	533	49%	1747	25%
Total for each Population	1000	100%	8337	100%	1004	100%	7626	100%	1021	100%	7213	100%	1081	100%	6963	100%
Percent of Total Pop.		11%				12%				12%				13%		

**MA DOC Criminally Sentenced Population by Sentence and Age Group**

**January 1, 2019**

	1st Deg Life		2nd Deg Life		25 years or more		All Others		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
19 and under	0	0.0%	2	0.2%	0	0.0%	22	0.4%	24	0.3%
20-29	69	6.4%	85	8.7%	9	3.1%	1352	23.7%	1515	18.8%
30-39	193	17.9%	197	20.1%	39	13.5%	1962	34.4%	2391	29.7%
40-49	286	26.5%	205	21.0%	81	28.0%	1262	22.2%	1834	22.8%
50-59	248	22.9%	247	25.3%	86	29.8%	812	14.3%	1393	17.3%
60-69	192	17.8%	164	16.8%	58	20.1%	230	4.0%	644	8.0%
70-79	81	7.5%	71	7.3%	14	4.8%	53	0.9%	219	2.7%
80-89	10	0.9%	7	0.7%	2	0.7%	3	0.1%	22	0.3%
90-99	2	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
<b>Subtotal &lt;50 years old</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>50.7%</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>44.6%</b>	<b>4598</b>	<b>80.7%</b>	<b>5764</b>	<b>71.7%</b>
<b>Subtotal 50+ years old</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>49.3%</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>55.4%</b>	<b>1098</b>	<b>19.3%</b>	<b>2280</b>	<b>28.3%</b>
<b>Total for each Sentence</b>	<b>1081</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>5696</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>8044</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Percent of Total Population</b>		<b>13.4%</b>		<b>12.2%</b>		<b>3.6%</b>		<b>70.8%</b>		<b>100.0%</b>

Source: MA DOC Research & Planning Division, Public Records Request (Feb 2019)

**MA DOC Life Without Parole (LWOP)  
& Total Populations  
January 1, 2019**

	1st Deg Life		Total	
	#	%	#	%
19 and under	0	0.0%	24	0.3%
20-29	69	6.4%	1515	18.8%
30-39	193	17.9%	2391	29.7%
40-49	286	26.5%	1834	22.8%
50-59	248	22.9%	1393	17.3%
60-69	192	17.8%	644	8.0%
70-79	81	7.5%	219	2.7%
80-89	10	0.9%	22	0.3%
90-99	2	0.2%	2	0.0%
<b>Subtotal &lt;50 years old</b>	548	50.7%	5764	71.7%
<b>Subtotal 50+ years old</b>	533	49.3%	2280	28.3%
<b>Total for each Sentence</b>	1081	100.0%	8044	100.0%
<b>Percent of Total Population</b>		13.4%		100.0%

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