



**MA DOC Ages of Criminally Sentenced Populations  
by Life Without Parole (LWOP) or All Other Sentences  
January 1, 2011 through January 1 2020**

Age in Years	2011				2012				2013				2014				2015					
	LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others		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%	0	0%	0	0%	17	0%
20-29	87	9%	2434	27%	90	9%	2536	27%	95	9%	2280	26%	105	10%	2112	25%	83	8%	2099	25%	83	8%
30-39	247	26%	2750	30%	244	25%	2826	30%	223	22%	2724	31%	219	21%	2579	31%	189	19%	2552	31%	189	19%
40-49	263	27%	2276	25%	276	28%	2275	25%	300	30%	2142	24%	301	29%	1965	23%	303	30%	1943	23%	303	30%
50-59	202	21%	1070	12%	194	20%	1144	12%	200	20%	1235	14%	205	20%	1248	15%	200	20%	1231	15%	200	20%
60-69	125	13%	338	4%	141	14%	347	4%	150	15%	344	4%	162	16%	366	4%	169	17%	384	5%	169	17%
70-79	29	3%	70	1%	31	3%	78	1%	36	4%	81	1%	38	4%	89	1%	44	4%	93	1%	44	4%
80-89	4	0%	18	0%	4	0%	20	0%	7	1%	20	0%	8	1%	18	0%	11	1%	18	0%	11	1%
90-99	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%
Subtotal <50 years old	599	62%	7530	83%	610	62%	7682	83%	619	61%	7185	81%	625	60%	6693	80%	575	58%	6611	79%	575	58%
Subtotal 50+ years old	360	38%	1496	17%	370	38%	1589	17%	393	39%	1680	19%	414	40%	1721	20%	425	43%	1726	21%	425	43%
Total for each Population	959	100%	9026	100%	980	100%	9271	100%	1012	100%	8865	100%	1039	100%	8414	100%	1000	100%	8337	100%	1000	100%
Percent of Total Pop.		9.6%				9.6%				10.2%				11.0%				10.7%				10.7%

Age in Years	2016				2017				2019				2020									
	LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others		LWOP		All Others		Total					
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%				
19 & Under	0	0%	9	0%	0	0%	11	0%	0	0%	24	0%	0	0%	17	0%	17	0%	17	0%		
20-29	78	8%	1828	24%	73	7%	1634	23%	69	6%	1446	21%	62	6%	1364	21%	1426	19%	1426	19%		
30-39	179	18%	2326	31%	185	18%	2247	31%	193	18%	2198	32%	183	17%	2025	31%	2208	29%	2208	29%		
40-49	299	30%	1749	23%	295	29%	1624	23%	286	26%	1548	22%	280	26%	1478	23%	1758	23%	1758	23%		
50-59	206	21%	1213	16%	223	22%	1173	16%	248	23%	1145	16%	264	24%	1023	16%	1287	17%	1287	17%		
60-69	179	18%	390	5%	179	18%	391	5%	192	18%	452	6%	190	18%	449	7%	639	8%	639	8%		
70-79	53	5%	97	1%	56	5%	117	2%	81	7%	138	2%	95	9%	148	2%	243	3%	243	3%		
80-89	9	1%	14	0%	8	1%	16	0%	10	1%	12	0%	9	1%	14	0%	23	0%	23	0%		
90-99	1	0%	0	0%	2	0%	0	0%	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	1	0%	1	0%		
Subtotal <50 years old	556	55%	5912	78%	553	54%	5516	76%	548	51%	5216	75%	525	48%	4884	75%	5409	71%	5409	71%		
Subtotal 50+ years old	448	45%	1714	22%	468	46%	1697	24%	533	49%	1747	25%	558	52%	1635	25%	2193	29%	2193	29%		
Total for each Population	1004	100%	7626	100%	1021	100%	7213	100%	1081	100%	6963	100%	1083	100%	6519	100%	7602	100%	7602	100%		
Percent of Total Pop.		11.6%				12.4%				13.4%				14.2%				10.7%				10.7%

Source: MA DOC Research & Planning Division, Public Records Requests 2015,2017,2019,2020