

TABLE 12.2  
Prisoners by Type in West Bengal (As on 31st December)

	Number									
Type of Jails	1980	1990	1997	2000	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
<b>Central CH</b>	5210	5068	3607	4728	9702	9711	10945	12085	10722	11607
Convicts	1840	1965	1560	1786	4274	4284	4644	4764	4399	4737
Under trails	2273	2256	2026	2677	5038	5159	6287	6911	5696	6441
Non-criminal Lunatics	1077	796	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A.
Others	20	51	17	265	390	268	14	410	627	429
<b>District CH</b>	2367	2481	2357	2579	4416	4903	4695	4684	4263	4886
Convicts	304	220	275	268	1200	953	990	707	601	649
Under trails	2009	2150	2078	2171	3096	3939	3703	3973	3654	4233
Non-criminal Lunatics	54	96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A.
Others	-	15	4	140	120	11	2	4	8	4
<b>Special CH</b>	979	669	568	549	872	866	961	966	839	449
Convicts	78	36	28	67	121	124	108	72	56	26
Under trails	716	469	302	362	724	740	853	894	781	423
Non-criminal Lunatics	68	164	235	120	-	-	-	-	-	N.A.
Others	117	-	3	-	27	2	-	-	2	-
<b>Sub- CH</b>	2395	2360	3607	2618	3435	3599	3659	4596	3780	4118
Convicts	159	149	308	93	69	48	63	106	66	108
Under trails	2221	2174	3254	2218	3336	3551	3596	4487	3714	4010
Non-criminal Lunatics	15	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A.
Others	-	15	45	307	30	-	-	3	-	-
<b>Open Air CH</b>	-	-	-	28	68	99	99	91	156	143
Convicts	-	-	-	28	68	99	99	91	156	143
Under trails	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-criminal Lunatics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A.
Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Alipore &amp; Purulia Women CH</b>	-	-	-	33	270	330	327	356	309	330
Convicts	-	-	-	23	113	152	143	150	103	93
Under trails	-	-	-	10	157	178	184	206	205	237
Non-criminal Lunatics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A.
Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
<b>Grand Total</b>	10951	10578	10139	10535	18763	19508	20686	22778	20069	21523

Note: CH = Correctional Home  
N.A. = Not Applicable

Source : Inspector General of Correctional Services,  
Government of West Bengal.