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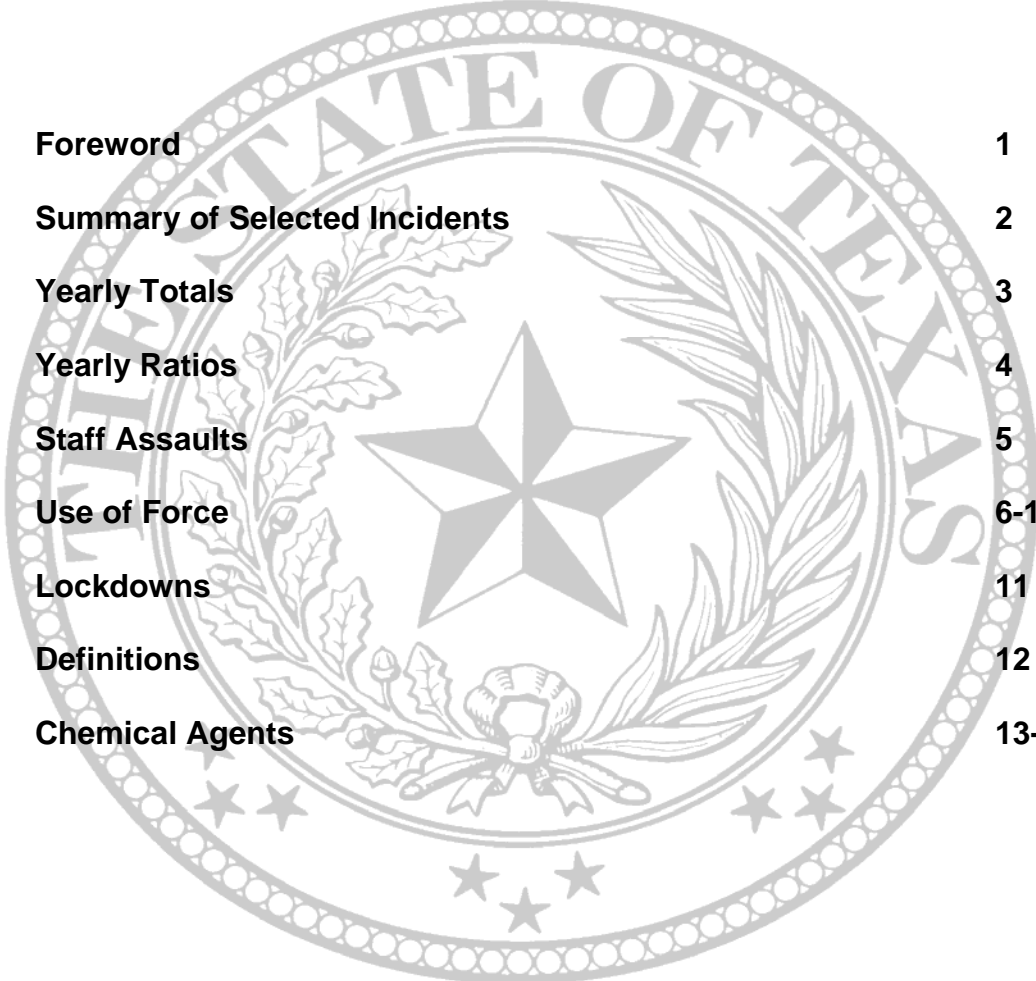
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The Select Statistics are based on incidents reported to the Emergency Action Center (EAC) by each TDCJ unit / facility (including privately-operated facilities) and administrative department. Offender Disciplinary and Use of Force information is also included.

In areas of the report that provide a breakdown by month, please note that data for 13 months is provided. Yearly totals and averages are based on calendar year.

**TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE
EMERGENCY ACTION CENTER**

May 2008

FOREWORD

The mission of the Emergency Action Center is to provide trained, professional staff to manage information regarding potential risks to the people of the State of Texas and to provide a consistent, valid, reliable, and timely source of information to Agency managers to ensure they possess the information necessary to make critical management decisions.

During the month of May 2008, there were 1,927 serious or unusual incidents reported to the Emergency Action Center. Incidents showing the most significant increase from 2007 – 2008 are use of carry-on-person chemical agents, use of chemical agents (non-COP), offender natural death, visitor arrest, misconduct or injury, and private property damage. Incidents that decreased include intentional exposure to body fluids (chunking), contract employee arrest, serious offender assault, serious staff assault, and natural disaster.

Events occurring in the month of May 2008 indicated a decrease in activity among Security Threat Groups with regard to the number of incidents reported to EAC. There were 208 incidents involving Security Threat Groups (STG) reported in May 2008 and there were 214 such incidents in April 2008. During May 2008, there were 9,301 confirmed members (Source: TDCJ Security Threat Group Management Office). Hispanic offenders accounted for 51% of the STG population, and were involved in 34% of reported incidents. White offenders accounted for 20% of the STG population and were involved in 18% of reported incidents. Black offenders accounted for 29% of the STG population and were involved in 46% of reported incidents.

Summary of Selected Incidents

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08	Total 2007	Monthly Average 2007	Year to Date 2008	Monthly Average 2008 Year to Date
Absconders	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.3	0	0.0
Attempted Escape	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	5	0.4	1	0.2
Escape (by incident)	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0.4	1	0.2
Escape (by person)	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	6	0.5	2	0.4
Attempted Suicide	67	68	94	83	64	71	51	44	71	54	49	72	80	736	61.3	326	65.2
Suicide	2	3	6	4	2	0	1	3	3	2	0	1	3	32	2.7	9	1.8
Accidental Death	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0.5	0	0.0
Offender Natural Death	46	33	32	36	24	41	38	24	39	33	41	41	37	393	32.8	191	38.2
Offender Death by Homicide	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	0.3	1	0.2
Execution	1	4	1	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	2.2	0	0.0
Major Use of Force	491	549	529	586	469	529	441	457	534	464	515	481	565	6,026	502.2	2,559	511.8
Use of Chemical Agents (non-COP)	93	128	132	133	95	113	109	100	132	105	155	118	116	1,389	115.8	626	125.2
Use of Carry-on-Person Chemical Agents	122	143	150	155	146	160	120	146	145	130	151	147	192	1,651	137.6	765	153.0
Disturbance (7 or more offenders)	3	7	7	11	12	9	4	9	6	6	11	7	7	94	7.8	37	7.4
Lockdown	18	19	48	19	26	26	25	26	29	14	45	19	23	320	26.7	130	26.0
Hostage Situation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.1	0	0.0
**Alleged Sexual Assault	26	15	22	25	15	20	19	18	12	16	9	16	14	234	19.5	53	10.6
Possession of a Weapon	93	108	97	95	89	101	75	70	97	85	104	102	82	1,080	90.0	470	94.0
Employee Death while on Duty	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	6	0.5	1	0.2
Accident (State Vehicle)	6	4	11	11	10	11	8	8	13	10	10	22	10	114	9.5	65	13.0
Fire	5	6	7	6	5	3	4	6	2	3	12	6	6	61	5.1	29	5.8
Private Property Damage	18	10	23	16	22	13	12	14	22	18	19	30	21	212	17.7	110	22.0
State Property Damage	10	13	9	8	7	10	3	6	8	12	8	10	7	93	7.8	45	9.0
Theft of Property	1	2	6	6	0	6	1	3	4	2	4	3	0	31	2.6	13	2.6
*Employee Arrest														54	54.0	0	0.0
Contract Employee Arrest	3	4	2	10	6	8	5	5	4	4	6	4	3	60	6.0	21	2.1
Visitor Arrest, Misconduct or Injury	11	18	14	13	10	7	12	4	21	19	20	16	9	141	11.8	85	17.0
Discharge of Weapon (including accidental)	1	5	5	3	7	3	2	2	6	2	1	1	1	36	3.0	11	2.2
Weapon Drawn	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0.5	2	0.4
Natural Disaster	1	4	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	27	2.3	4	0.8
Suspicious Mail/Bomb Threat	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	9	0.8	1	0.2
Serious Staff Assault	5	11	4	13	4	8	6	5	7	4	2	5	6	78	6.5	24	4.8
Serious Offender Assault	93	93	94	125	88	93	82	83	104	84	79	77	95	1,095	91.3	439	87.8
Intentional Exposure to Body Fluids (Chunking)	34	42	36	48	49	34	29	34	32	25	39	33	32	442	36.8	161	32.2
Disciplinary Convictions for Staff Assaults	426	479	503	493	404	410	408	352	451	394	421	423	420	5,180	431.7	2,109	421.8
Disciplinary Convictions for Offender Assaults	1,349	1,290	1,223	1,374	1,102	1,352	1,038	1,054	1,359	1,067	1,099	1,201	1,091	14,752	1,229.3	5,817	1,163.4
Reported Incidents	1,325	1,393	1,451	1,493	1,306	1,386	1,169	1,253	1,329	1,287	1,392	1,437	1,514	15,721	1,310.1	6,959	1,391.8

A more complete list of definitions of these incidents may be found on page 12.

The sum of the incidents listed above will not equal the total number of reported incidents. An incident may be reported in more than one category and not all incident categories are listed above.

*Effective February 2007, employee arrests are tracked by the Human Resources Division. Only arrests of contract employees are reported to EAC.

**Effective June 2007, alleged sexual assaults represent the number of incidents reported to the Office of the Inspector General. Incidents where cases were opened on multiple assailants are only counted as one incident. Incidents occurring at non secure facilities (i.e. halfway houses) are not included.

Yearly Totals

Type of Incident	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	Year to Date 2008
Absconders	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Attempted Escape	27	21	16	12	4	11	4	2	5	1
Escape (by incident)	5	8	1	2	4	4	2	1	5	1
Escape (persons)	6	16	1	2	4	4	2	2	6	2
Attempted Suicide	619	478	355	408	398	480	559	694	736	326
Suicide	22	31	21	29	17	25	22	30	32	9
Offender Accidental Death	5	1	3	1	3	4	4	6	7	0
Offender Natural Death	375	414	381	362	363	365	324	400	393	191
Offender Death by Homicide	7	8	4	6	1	3	3	7	4	1
Executions	35	40	17	33	24	23	19	24	26	0
Major Use of Force	8,106	7,222	6,089	5,569	5,736	5,951	6,071	6,373	6,026	2,559
Disturbance	178	117	97	91	97	102	117	94	94	37
Hostage Situation	2	7	3	0	1	1	0	1	1	0
*Employee Arrest	560	632	630	666	781	704	760	838	54	0
Contract Employee Arrest									60	21
Alleged Sexual Assault ¹³	237	234	292	460	425	609	511	210	234	53
Reported Incidents	14,669	14,632	10,136	10,783	13,072	14,191	14,309	15,111	15,721	6,959
Offender Population	146,574	150,309	146,859	146,244	152,602	154,978	156,620	156,760	157,424	157,720
Serious Staff Assault⁸			61	54	44	47	54	62	78	24
Staff Assault⁸	2,044	2,267								
Serious Offender Assault¹⁰			673	826	991	992	1,025	1,027	1,095	439
Offender Assault¹⁰	1,704	1,618								
Disciplinary Convictions for Staff Assaults	6,598	5,707	4,724	4,381	4,959	4,864	5,024	5,129	5,180	2,109
Disciplinary Convictions for Offender Assaults	16,105	15,464	15,457	14,803	15,496	13,725	14,611	14,645	14,752	5,817

Offender Population is the yearly average for each year. Effective February 2003, Offender Population includes all Pre-Parole Transfer, and Intermediate Sanction Facilities.

¹³Alleged Sexual Assault - Allegations of offender on offender sexual abuse which have been investigated by the Office of the Inspector General and determined to have met the elements of §22.021 or 22.011 of the Texas Penal Code. *Prior to September 2005, this category included all reported alleged sexual assaults, even those that did not meet the elements of the Texas Penal Code.*

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**Yearly Ratios
Per 10,000 Offenders**

Type of Incident	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Absconders	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2
Attempted Escape	1.4	1.1	0.8	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.3
Escape (by incident)	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3
Escape (persons)	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4
Attempted Suicide	31.8	24.2	27.9	26.1	31.0	35.7	44.3	46.8
Offender Accidental Death	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Offender Natural Death	27.5	25.9	24.8	23.8	23.6	20.7	25.5	25.0
Suicide	2.1	1.4	2.0	1.1	1.6	1.4	1.9	2.0
Offender Death by Homicide	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3
Executions	2.7	1.2	2.3	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.7
Major Use of Force	480.5	414.6	380.8	375.9	384.0	387.6	406.5	382.8
Disturbance	7.8	6.6	6.2	6.4	6.6	7.5	6.0	6.0
Hostage Situation	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
Alleged Sexual Assault	15.6	19.9	31.5	27.9	39.3	32.6	13.4	14.9
Employee Arrest*	42.0	42.9	45.5	51.2	45.4	48.5	53.5	

Reported Incidents	973	690	737	857	916	914	964	999
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Offender Population	150,309	146,859	146,244	152,602	154,978	156,620	156,760	157,424
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Serious Staff Assault ⁸		4.2	3.7	2.9	3.0	3.4	4.0	5.0
Staff Assault ⁸	151							
Serious Offender Assault ¹⁰		45.8	56.5	64.9	64.0	65.4	65.5	69.6
Offender Assault ¹⁰	108							

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Staff Assaults

Serious Staff Assaults

Custody	Serious Assaults to Staff
Administrative Segregation	1
G5/J5 (General Population/State Jail - Level 5))	1
G2/J2 (General Population/State Jail - Level 2)	4
Total	6

Location	Serious Assaults to Staff
G5/J5 (General Population/State Jail - Level 5)) Shower	1
G2 (General Population - Level 2) Cell/Hallway/Rotunda/Cubicle/Turnout/Dayroom	3
G2/J2 (General Population/State Jail - Level 2) Dorm	1
Mental Health Cell/Housing Area	1
Total	6

Offender's Race	Employee's Race				
	Black	White	Hispanic	Other	Multiple
Black		2			1
White		1			
Hispanic			1		
Assailant Unknown		1			
Total	0	4	1	0	1

Intentional Exposure to Body Fluids

Custody	Intentional Exposure to Body Fluids
Administrative Segregation	15
G5/J5 (General Population/State Jail - Level 5)	3
G4/J4 (General Population/State Jail - Level 4)	6
G2/J2 (General Population/State Jail - Level 2)	4
Youthful Offender Program	2
Mental Health	1
Other	1
Total	32

Location	Intentional Exposure to Body Fluids
Administrative Segregation Pod Dayroom	4
Administrative Segregation Cell/Run	11
Mental Health Cell/Housing Area	1
Youthful Offender Program - Cell	1
Youthful Offender Program - Pipe case	1
General Population Cell	6
General Population Observation Cell	1
General Population Row/Run/Hallway/Sallyport	4
General Population Building - Administrative Segregation	1
Other: Cell	1
General Population Shower	1
Total	32

Offender's Race	Employee's Race				
	Black	White	Hispanic	Other	Multiple
Black	1	11	1		2
White	1	7	1		
Hispanic	3	3	1		
Multiple		1			
Total	5	22	3	0	2

Major Use of Force

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08
Region I													
Byrd		4	3	6	2	1	2	1		2	5	2	2
Duncan					1						1		
Eastham	6	8	8	14	6	4	3	5	5	15	9	8	16
Ellis	7	6	8	3	10	9	5	8	3	4	3	5	9
Estelle	18	20	15	22	9	23	9	10	16	17	18	12	15
Estelle Expansion Cellblock	8	5	5	1	6	3	4	8	12	4	11	4	5
Ferguson	11	21	27	34	15	17	13	15	11	13	14	10	14
Goodman		1											
Goree	2	2	1		3	2	3	1	3	7	4	2	1
Holliday		1	2	4	1	1			2	3	2	1	3
Huntsville	6	6	4	7	4	8	5	5	1	3	2	4	5
Lewis	12	5	6	14	15	9	15	6	11	10	9	14	14
Lewis Expansion Cellblock	4	7	9	6	3	3	5	9	9	6	15	7	5
Polunsky	8	16	14	19	16	14	11	15	6	6	21	13	16
Wynne	4	11	5	2	8	8	5	4	9	3	8	2	2
Region I Total	86	113	107	132	99	102	80	87	88	93	122	84	107

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08
Region II													
Beto	23	13	16	20	16	23	12	18	16	17	11	12	14
Boyd	4	9	2	8	4	2	2		3	2	4	1	7
Coffield	9	13	12	19	8	7	9	6	14	9	8	13	9
Cole	3				2	5	2				2		
Gurney	1		3	3	2	3				5	1		4
Hodge	4	2	13	5	6	3	5	8	3		4	1	7
Hutchins	5	7	3	7	2	1	2	4	2	6	3	5	3
Johnston					1								
Michael	17	10	11	21	13	26	28	24	14	17	24	14	29
Moore, C.	1		2	1		1			2	2			
Powledge	1				2					1			
Skyview	2	8	5	5	6	5	10	7	4	8	3	1	7
Telford	13	12	17	18	15	12	11	12	12	9	13	9	17
Region II Total	83	74	84	107	77	88	81	79	70	76	73	56	97

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Major Use of Force

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08
Region III													
Central	1		3					3	2				
Clemens	7	11	10	7	4	5	17	6	8	4	4	6	8
Darrington	9	8	9	8	8	15	15	11	13	17	20	12	11
Gist	1	3	3	1	1	2	5	1	5	5	1	5	1
Henley						1	1				1		
Hightower	5	6	2	5	1	4	5	7	7	6	5	2	8
Hospital Galveston		1	1					1					
Jester I									1		1		
Jester III											1		
Jester IV	16	21	8	16	11	12	5	9	13	11	4	12	9
Kegans		2	1	1	1			1				2	
LeBlanc										1			
Lychner	8	8	12	8	18	15	16	12	13	10	5	7	9
Plane	3	5		1	4	2	1	3	5	3	1	1	1
Ramsey		1	2	1			1	1		2			1
Stringfellow	2		2	2		2		1	2	1	1		
Scott	2	1	1	3	1		2	1		4	1	1	2
Stiles	16	13	16	17	13	17	12	19	17	16	14	16	12
Terrell, C.T.	1	2	4	1	3	1				3	1		4
Young		1										1	1
Region III Total	71	83	74	71	65	76	80	73	87	85	60	65	67

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08
Region IV													
Briscoe	2	4	2	2	1	3	2	2	2		2	4	
Connally	18	12	17	13	17	13	5	12	14	11	15	13	11
Cotulla		1							1				
Dominguez	4	3	9	3	3	2	4	9	2	3	8	6	11
Ft. Stockton			1	2			2						1
Garza East		1	2	2	1			1	2		2	2	4
Garza West	2	3		1	1	1	3	3	2	2	2	4	2
Glossbrenner			2					1		1			2
Lopez	1	1	4	2		1	1	3		2	1	1	
Lynaugh	4	2	3	2	4			2	1	1	2	1	2
McConnell	15	15	11	17	11	29	18	6	20	12	19	27	25
Ney				1		1	1						2
Sanchez	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1			1	3
Segovia		1		2			1	1	1	1			1
Stevenson			1	2	3		1		2	4	2		
Torres	1	1	3	7	1	3	4	5	4	5	5	4	4
Region IV Total	48	47	58	57	43	54	43	46	52	42	58	63	68

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Major Use of Force

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08
Region V													
Allred	22	23	30	24	15	26	11	28	29	20	22	20	16
Allred Expansion Cellblock	7	4	4	4	3	4	5	8	11	5	12	1	9
Baten ISF	1					1	1						
Clements	29	38	17	19	35	21	17	14	25	12	22	27	18
Clements Expansion Cellblock	3	8	10	8	6	8	4	2	6	1	8	3	1
Dalhart	2	7	2	7		3	1	1		1	1	2	1
Daniel	2	3	5	6	4	5	4		6	4	3	2	7
Formby	4	3	1	2	3		7	1	3	1	1	6	2
Jordan	3	6	3	1	2	3	4			3	3	2	4
Montford	11	9	11	2	3	9	7	11	9	4	8	7	10
Neal	2	3	6	5	5	2	1	1	2		3	5	2
Roach	3	2	11	5	2	1	1	1	4	7	4	5	4
Rudd	1				1		1						
Smith	4	10	11	5	8	7	4	3	8	8	7	10	11
Smith Expansion Cellblock	4	7	4	3	2	4	2	3	5	4	6	3	9
Tulia			1						1		1		1
Wallace	2	5	5	4	3	5		5	2	2	1	4	4
Ware		2	1	3		1		2		2	1	1	
Wheeler	1				1	1				1			
Region V Total	101	130	122	98	93	101	70	80	111	75	103	98	99

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Major Use of Force

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08
Region VI													
Gatesville	4	3	3	7	3	2	3	9	6	1	5	3	7
Halbert	1									1			
Hamilton												1	
Havins			3	3	3								
Hilltop						1	1	1			1		2
Hobby	5	7	3	10	3	8	5	7	8	14	9	5	7
Hughes	10	12	7	16	9	14	12	13	13	13	20	13	22
Luther	1		1			4	6		2	1	3	1	2
Marlin													1
Middleton	1	4	1	2	1	1	4	3	1	3	1		1
Mt. View	4	2	5	2	6	5	4	3	10	5	5	10	6
Murray	13	12	9	9	9	9	6	5	11	13	2	10	7
Pack	1			2	1	2					2		2
Robertson	17	28	13	25	24	22	13	18	34	12	7	22	12
San Saba											1	4	
Sayle		1				1					1		1
Travis Co.	5	4	4	3	1	3	6	2	5	4	8	4	7
Woodman			2	3		2		1	2		1	1	11
Region VI Total	62	73	51	82	60	74	60	62	92	67	66	74	88

Private, Pre-Release & Contract Transfer													
Bartlett	7	3	13	4	11	3	9	4	2	3	7	4	9
Bowie County	1	1		1									
Bradshaw	2	2	1	2	1	1		7	1	1	2	4	1
Bridgeport	2	1								1	1	2	1
Bridgeport PPT												1	
Cleveland	1	1		1			1						
Dawson	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	3	2	2	4
East Texas ISF	2	1		1	1							3	5
Estes	1			1			1				1	1	2
Jefferson County									1	1			1
Kyle									1				
Limestone County				1		3		1	2		1		
Lindsey	3	1	2	4	1	1	1	2	2			2	1
Lockhart					1								
Mineral Wells PPT	2	1		7		1	2		1	1	1	3	2
Moore, B.						1			1				1
Newton County			1	1		2							
North Texas ISF	2					1			1		1		
South Texas ISF			1	1	1	1	1			1		1	1
West Texas ISF			1										1
Willacy County		2	1	2	1	1		4	2	1	1		
Private, Pre-Release & Contract Transfer Total	24	14	22	27	19	17	16	19	16	12	17	23	29

Units without major uses of force during the last 13 months have been excluded from this table.

Major Use of Force

	May 07	Jun 07	Jul 07	Aug 07	Sep 07	Oct 07	Nov 07	Dec 07	Jan 08	Feb 08	Mar 08	Apr 08	May 08
Medically Ordered													
Allred			1			1							
Beto				1									
Byrd	1												
Clements	4	3	2	4	3		1	2	4	1	2	4	
Clements Expansion Cellblock											3		
Ellis		1								1			
Estelle Expansion Cellblock							1	3	1	1			
Gatesville		1											
Hilltop							1						
Hobby									1				
Jester I													1
Jester III							1						
Jester IV	2	1	3	3	3	6	1	1		2			1
Lewis						1							
Luther					1							1	
Lockhart			1										
Middleton						1							
Montford	9	6	4	3	4	6	5	2	9	7	10	11	8
Mountain View					1		1		1				
Neal				1								1	
North Texas ISF							1	3		1			
Plane		1											
Polunsky									1				
Robertson					1								
Skyview		2				2	1					1	
Telford						1							
Medically Ordered Total	16	15	11	12	13	17	11	11	18	14	16	18	10
Agency Total	491	549	529	586	469	529	441	457	534	464	515	481	565

Medically Ordered Major Uses of Force are listed separately and are not included in each unit's total by region.

Units without Medically Ordered Major Uses of Force during the last 13 months have been excluded from this table.

Lockdowns

Date Initiated	Unit	Custody Levels Affected	Reason for Lockdown	Length of Lockdown (in days)
5/1/2008	Bartlett	J4	Property Damage	9
5/2/2008	Dominguez	J2	Offender Aggression	Still in Effect
5/6/2008	Bradshaw	J1, J2, J5 and NR	Disruptive Behavior/Property Damage	10
5/6/2008	Connally	G2, G3, G4, G5, 1A, 2A and 3A	Offender Assault	Still in Effect
5/7/2008	Gatesville	G2	Staff Assault	8
5/7/2008	Diboll	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	3
5/7/2008	Terrell	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	9
5/12/2008	Bartlett	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	5
5/12/2008	Cole	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	3
5/12/2008	Allred	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	15
5/13/2008	Clements	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	Still in Effect
5/13/2008	Darrington	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	7
5/19/2008	Moore, C	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	4
5/19/2008	Connally	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	11
5/21/2008	Neal	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	Still in Effect
5/21/2008	Dominguez	J2	Disruptive Behavior	Still in Effect
5/22/2008	Central	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	4
5/26/2008	Beto	G2	Disturbance	Still in Effect
5/27/2008	Vance	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	3
5/27/2008	Jester III	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	3
5/27/2008	East Texas ISF	Unit	Semi Annual Shakedown	4
5/30/2008	McConnell	3A	Disruptive Behavior	Still in Effect
5/30/2008	Robertson	G2, G3 and G4	Disruptive Behavior	Still in Effect

May incidents included 23 lockdowns. At the end of May, twelve (12) lockdowns were in effect involving 6,646 offenders. Of the twelve (12) lockdowns still in effect, six (6) involved less than 100 offenders.

Definitions

¹Escape & Absconders: An intentional, overt act resulting in unauthorized departure from custody, failure to return to custody following an authorized temporary leave, or unauthorized departure from a work assignment or the extended limits of a unit/facility. Absconders category includes unauthorized departures from pre-parole transfer facilities and intermediate sanction facilities.

²Offender Natural Death: A death other than a homicide, suicide, or accidental death.

³Homicide: A death caused intentionally, knowingly, recklessly, or with criminal negligence.

⁴Offender Accidental Death: A death that is the result of the decedent's or another person's carelessness, inattention, ignorance, or similar causes.

⁵Offender Suicide: A death intentionally caused by the decedent, as evidenced by a note or other clear indication of suicide.

⁶Offender Attempted Suicide: An unsuccessful suicide.

⁷Disturbance: An incident involving seven (7) or more offenders that may jeopardize the safe, orderly operation of a correctional unit/facility, and may include destruction of State property or the property of a private vendor or serious injury to staff or offenders.

⁸Serious Staff Assault: Assault to staff resulting in injury that requires treatment beyond first aid as determined by medical staff. ** Prior to February 2001, this category did not exist, and the category "Staff Assault" included all reported staff assaults, even those with little or no injuries.*

⁹Intentional Exposure to Body Fluids: When an offender, with intent to harass, alarm, or annoy another person, causes the other person to contact the blood, seminal fluid, urine, feces or saliva of the offender or any other person. **Prior to February 2001, this category did not exist, and these incidents were included in the category "Staff Assault." Effective January 2004, saliva was added to the definition of body fluids.*

¹⁰Serious Offender Assault: Assault to an offender resulting in injury that requires treatment beyond first aid as determined by medical staff. ** Prior to 2001, this category did not exist, and the category "Offender Assault" included all reported offender assaults, even those with little or no injuries.*

¹¹Lockdown: The temporary suspension of ordinary and routine unit/facility activities (as described in AD-03.31, "Procedures Relating to Unit/Facility Lockdowns") that exceeds 24 hours.

¹²Hostage Situation: Nonconsensual restraint, movement, or confinement of another person by force, intimidation, deception, or other means, substantially interfering with his liberty.

¹³Alleged Sexual Assault: Allegations of offender on offender sexual abuse which have been investigated by the Office of the Inspector General and determined to have met the elements of §22.021 or 22.011 of the Texas Penal Code. **Prior to September 2005, this category included all reported alleged sexual assaults, even those that did not meet the elements of the Texas Penal Code.*

¹⁴Employee Death while On-duty: The death of an employee while on duty or on State property, to include the death of an employee while traveling to or from work or while in travel status.

¹⁵Natural Disaster: Damage or destruction caused by nature (e.g., lightning, tornado, hail, flood, hurricane, or similar events).

¹⁶Incident: Any incident deemed by the Warden/Supervisor or ranking employee on duty, to be an event which has disrupted or may disrupt the normal, secure, and orderly operation of the TDCJ, in accordance with AD-02.15, "Operations of the Emergency Action Center and Reporting Procedures for Serious or Unusual Incidents."

¹⁷Custody Levels: Custody levels were changed according to the definitions provided by the revised Classification Plan. The new custody levels are defined as: G1 - previously minimum-out, G2 - previously minimum-in (least restrictive), G3 - previously minimum-in (most restrictive), G4 - previously medium, and G5 - previously close.

Chemical Agent Usage

Number of Offenders Involved in Each Incident	Non-COP	Carry-on-Person
One Offender	110	130
Two or More Offenders	6	62
Total	116	192

Custody of Involved Offenders	Non-COP	Carry-on-Person
Administrative Segregation	61	30
Mental Health	19	11
G5/J5/P5 (General Population/State Jail - Level 5)	12	28
G4/J4/P4 (General Population/State Jail/Safekeeping - Level 4)	8	48
G2,G1,J2,P2 (General Population/State Jail/Safekeeping - Level 1 and 2)	15	64
G3 (General Population - Level 3)		2
Outside Trusty		1
Youthful Offenders		1
Other Custodies	1	7
Total	116	192

Reasons for Administration of Chemical Agents	Non-COP	Carry-on-Person
Refusing Proper Strip & Handcuff Procedures	47	
Obstructing Tray Slot/Covering Cell Door	25	
Refusing to Exit Rec Yard/Dayroom/ Shower/Cell/Chow Hall	17	2
Refusing Cell Move/New Housing/Transfer of Unit	17	
Disturbances/Offender Assaults	5	60
All Other Uses	1	6
Offender Aggression towards Staff		64
Attempting Suicide or Cutting	4	60
Total	116	192

Carry-On-Person Chemical Agents

Region	Uses	Ounces
Region I	36	63.66
Region II	37	80.98
Region III	16	19.44
Region IV	22	53.06
Region V	34	71.80
Region VI	36	73.33
Private & Pre-Release	11	10.12
Total	192	372.39

There was a small increase in the number of incidents of accidental discharge of carry-on-person chemical agents compared to last month. There were 27 incidents of accidental discharge in May 2008 and 26 such incidents in April 2008.

Chemical Agents

	Number of Uses	2008 Total Uses	Ounces of OC Aerosol	2008 Total OC	Ounces of CS Aerosol	2008 Total CS	Blast Dispersion Grenade	2008 Total Blast Dispersion	Continuous Discharge Grenade	2008 Total Cont. Discharge	Pepper Ball	2008 Total Pepper Ball	Rubberball Grenade	2008 Total Rubberball	Muzzle Blast	2008 Total Muzzle Blast	Skat Shell	2008 Total Skat Shell	Triple Charge	2008 Total Triple Charge	Pepper Fogger	2008 Total Pepper Fogger
Region I																						
Byrd	1	6	2.60	7.00																		
Duncan		1		3.25																		
Eastham	6	25	41.90	236.44	5.30																	
Ellis	4	10	17.00	63.40									2	2								
Estelle	4	24	7.50	68.03																		
Estelle Expansion Cellblock	7	35	35.30	240.80	2.40	6.20																
Ferguson	10	35	43.00	197.60																		
Goree	1	5	1.80	16.22																		
Holliday	2	3	0.70	2.08																		
Huntsville	4	10	15.85	32.25																		
Lewis	1	6	0.60	15.01																		
Lewis Expansion Cellblock	8	56	30.90	467.93	27.40				4	4					2							
Polunsky	6	20	41.64	107.42	2.25	5.38				11												
Wynne	1	9	0.70	62.33										1								
<i>Region I Total</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>245</i>	<i>239.49</i>	<i>1,519.76</i>	<i>4.65</i>	<i>44.28</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
Region II																						
Beto	3	25	6.40	96.50																		
Boyd	3	10	4.00	12.50																		
Coffield	4	25	12.10	105.50						1				3								
Cole		2		1.00																		
Gurney	1	2	5.04	11.24																		
Hodge	4	7	18.20	32.90	2.10	4.20																
Hutchins		8		19.53																		
Michael	14	50	44.60	193.05	3.40	4.40																
C. Moore		1		0.25																		
Skyview		7		21.60																		
Telford	12	38	32.14	120.94	3.25	4.38											1					
<i>Region II Total</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>175</i>	<i>122.48</i>	<i>615.01</i>	<i>8.75</i>	<i>12.98</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>

Chemical Agents

	Number of Uses	2008 Total Uses	Ounces of OC Aerosol	2008 Total OC	Ounces of CS Aerosol	2008 Total CS	Blast Dispersion Grenade	2008 Total Blast Dispersion	Continuous Discharge Grenade	2008 Total Cont. Discharge	Pepper Ball	2008 Total Pepper Ball	Rubberball Grenade	2008 Total Rubberball	Muzzle Blast	2008 Total Muzzle Blast	Skat Shell	2008 Total Skat Shell	Triple Charge	2008 Total Triple Charge	Pepper Fogger	2008 Total Pepper Fogger
Region III																						
Central		3		6.25																		
Clemens	2	12	0.88	26.54																		
Darrington	8	44	20.93	177.70													1					
Gist		8		15.90					1													
Hightower	1	6	1.50	9.91																		
Jester IV	5	22	30.60	74.38	0.50	0.50																
Lychner	3	19	3.30	57.46					1													
Plane	1	4	0.70	6.40																		
Ramsey	1	4	1.13	8.43		1.10																
Stringfellow		2		3.76																		
Scott	1	3	1.63	14.51																		
Stiles	5	34	29.55	138.23	0.80	3.10				7				2								
C.T. Terrell	1	2	0.13	0.76																		
<i>Region III Total</i>	28	163	90.35	540.23	1.30	4.70	0	0	0	2	0	7	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Region IV																						
Briscoe		5		12.20																		
Connally	7	40	36.60	181.30		0.50			2					2		3						
Dominguez	7	17	25.50	65.95			3	3				2	4									
Garza East		3		11.60																		
Garza West	1	3	0.60	1.80																		
Lopez		2		1.10																		
Lynaugh	1	3	2.75	6.25																		
McConnell	18	74	98.50	338.64		0.38						1		1		1						
Ney	2	2	2.30	2.30																		
Sanchez	2	4	1.10	5.11																		
Segovia	1	3	0.40	1.70																		
Stevenson		7		10.30												1						
Torres	4	12	10.80	22.13												4						
<i>Region IV Total</i>	43	175	178.55	660.38	0.00	0.88	3	3	0	2	0	0	2	5	2	9	0	1	0	0	0	0

Chemical Agents

	Number of Uses	2008 Total Uses	Ounces of OC Aerosol	2008 Total OC	Ounces of CS Aerosol	2008 Total CS	Blast Dispersion Grenade	2008 Total Blast Dispersion	Continuous Discharge Grenade	2008 Total Cont. Discharge	Pepper Ball	2008 Total Pepper Ball	Rubberball Grenade	2008 Total Rubberball	Muzzle Blast	2008 Total Muzzle Blast	Skat Shell	2008 Total Skat Shell	Triple Charge	2008 Total Triple Charge	Pepper Fogger	2008 Total Pepper Fogger
Region V																						
Allred	13	58	40.60	261.23	1.90	4.80				11		1	7									
Allred Expansion Cellblock	9	38	59.50	230.34		3.00																
Clements	4	53	22.80	260.90		12.10				12			5									
Clements Expansion Cellblock	3	37	9.60	195.40		1.30																
Dalhart	1	3	1.70	6.80																		
Daniel	5	17	19.85	54.75																		
Formby	2	9	1.80	15.70																		
Jordan	2	5	1.50	12.44																		
Montford	14	56	87.90	357.15	2.70	7.40																
Neal	1	6	1.80	12.10																		
Roach	2	14	4.40	39.90				1														
Smith	4	19	13.30	53.90		0.40																
Smith Expansion Cellblock	7	24	57.83	118.83		0.90							1									
Tulia	1	2	0.90	4.00																		
Wallace	1	2	4.45	7.60																		
<i>Region V Total</i>	69	343	327.93	1,631.04	4.60	29.90	0	0	0	1	0	23	0	0	1	13	0	0	0	0	0	0
Region VI																						
Gatesville	3	8	5.00	30.50																		
Hilltop	1	2	1.90	4.60																		
Hobby	3	16	2.78	29.98																		
Hughes	19	53	63.00	170.20	3.40	10.80				6	8											
Luther	1	5	0.10	13.80																		
Marlin	1	1	2.20	2.20																		
Middleton	1	2	1.00	2.50																		
Mountain View	5	26	17.25	88.50																		
Murray	4	17	8.95	41.22																		
Robertson	9	66	38.00	427.40		4.50				12	45											
San Saba		2		7.00																		
Sayle		1		8.60																		
Travis Co.	4	11	18.10	42.10																		
Woodman	2	2	3.20	3.20																		
<i>Region VI Total</i>	53	212	161.48	871.80	3.40	15.30	0	0	0	0	18	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Chemical Agents

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Private Facilities																						
Bartlett	6	17	3.22	13.95																		
Bradshaw	1	8	0.40	29.70																		
Bridgeport		1		6.60																		
Bridgeport PPT		1		1.00																		
Dawson	2	6	6.30	16.90																		
Estes	2	3	5.80	17.90																		
Kyle		1		3.00																		
Limestone County		2		2.40																		
Lindsey		2		2.50																		
Mineral Wells	1	4	3.00	27.50																		
B. Moore	1	2	1.80	3.00																		
North Texas ISF		1		11.95																		
East Texas ISF	1	2	4.30	7.40																		
South Texas ISF		1		1.30																		
Willacy County		1		0.50																		
Private Facilities Total	14	52	24.82	145.60	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Agency Total	303	1,365	1,145.10	5,983.82	22.70	108.04	3	3	0	5	22	99	2	5	5	32	0	3	0	0	0	0

Units without chemical agent usage during the current calendar year have been excluded from this table.

* Pepper balls replaced OC Grenades prior to the beginning of CY08.