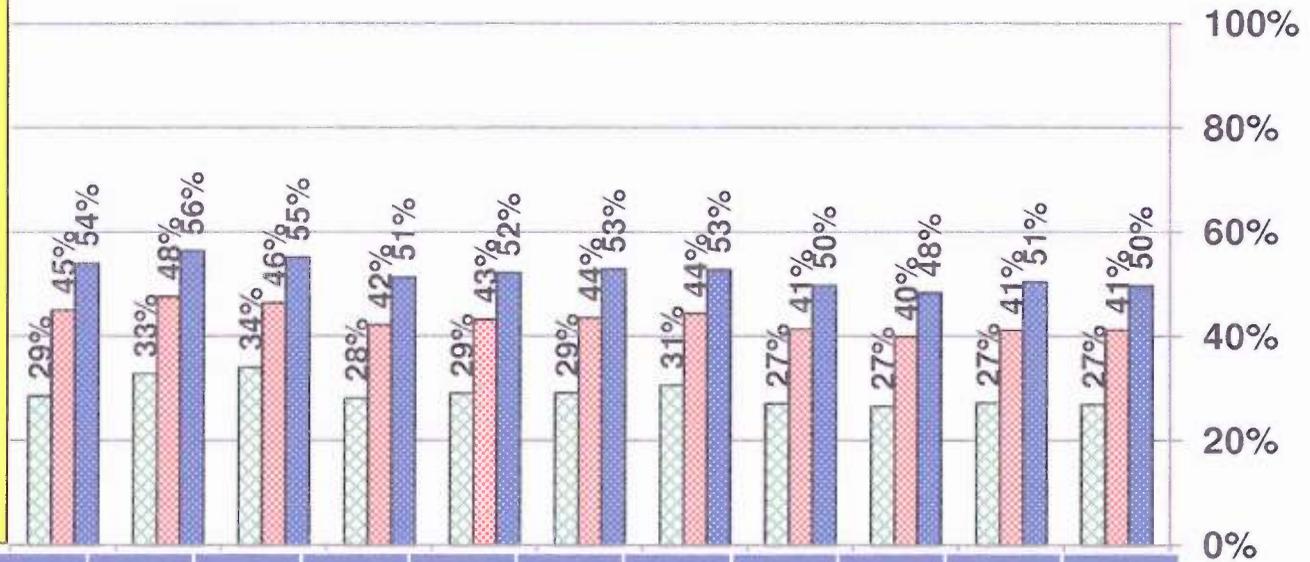


# Recidivism (Reconviction) of Released Inmates

## By Year - Cumulative Rate in First 3 years after Release

Vermont sentenced inmates released in 2000-2010 and followed for 3 years in Court disposition records.

Persons for whom the previous conviction(s) could not be found (by name and birthdate) were excluded from these analyses.



Cohort year →	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	
Persons Released	2439	2309	2488	2591	2794	2852	3019	3125	3116	2865	2834	
Reoffend in 1st year	698	759	849	731	814	832	925	850	831	784	767	Shown as Cumulative % above
Reoffend in 2nd year	400	341	306	364	396	412	418	444	416	397	405	
Reoffend in 3rd year	218	201	216	235	248	266	251	263	261	267	239	

Source: VTDOC Daily Snapshot and VT District Court Disposition (inloaded to VTDOC for probable matches). Recidivism is defined as the presence of an offense committed after a release from incarceration that lead to a Court disposition of guilt by plea or verdict. Although a person might reoffend more than once, only the first reoffense is captured in these calculations for a given year's releases.