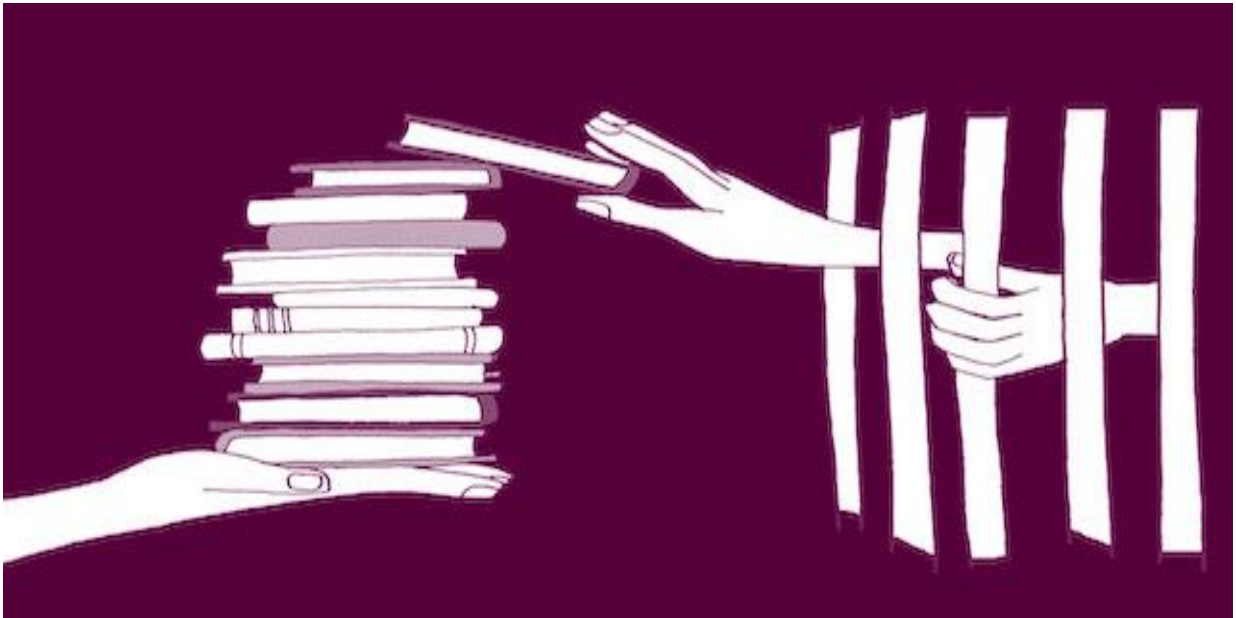




# Active for Education in Prison 2.0



## CURRENT SITUATION OF EDUCATION OF PRISONERS/INMATES IN THE PENITENTIARY INSTITUTIONS OF THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA

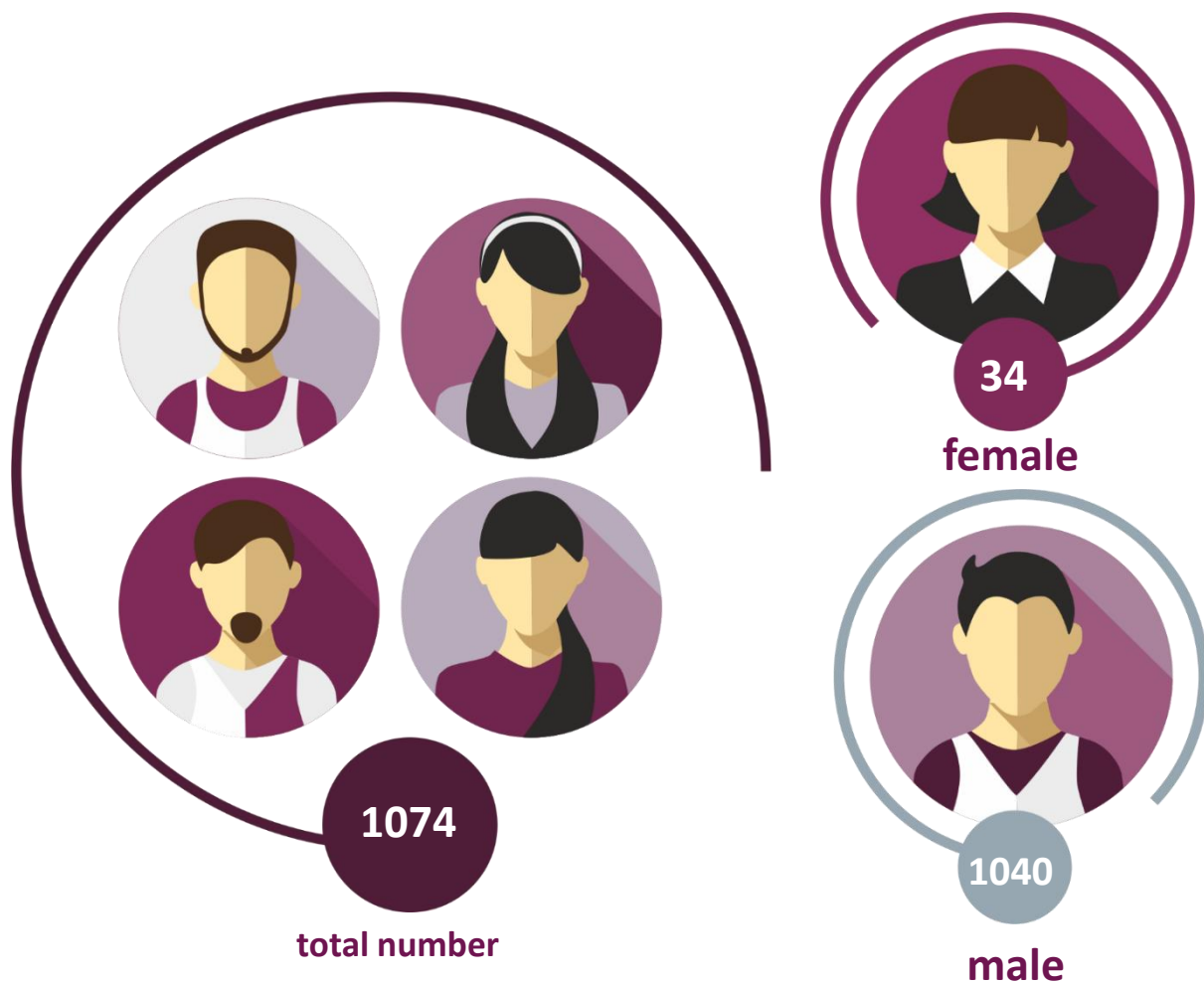


## General information:

There are 12 penitentiary institutions in RA with capacity to accommodate 5346 prisoners or detained persons.

Only 3 offer educational programs.

### # of Inmates/prisoners



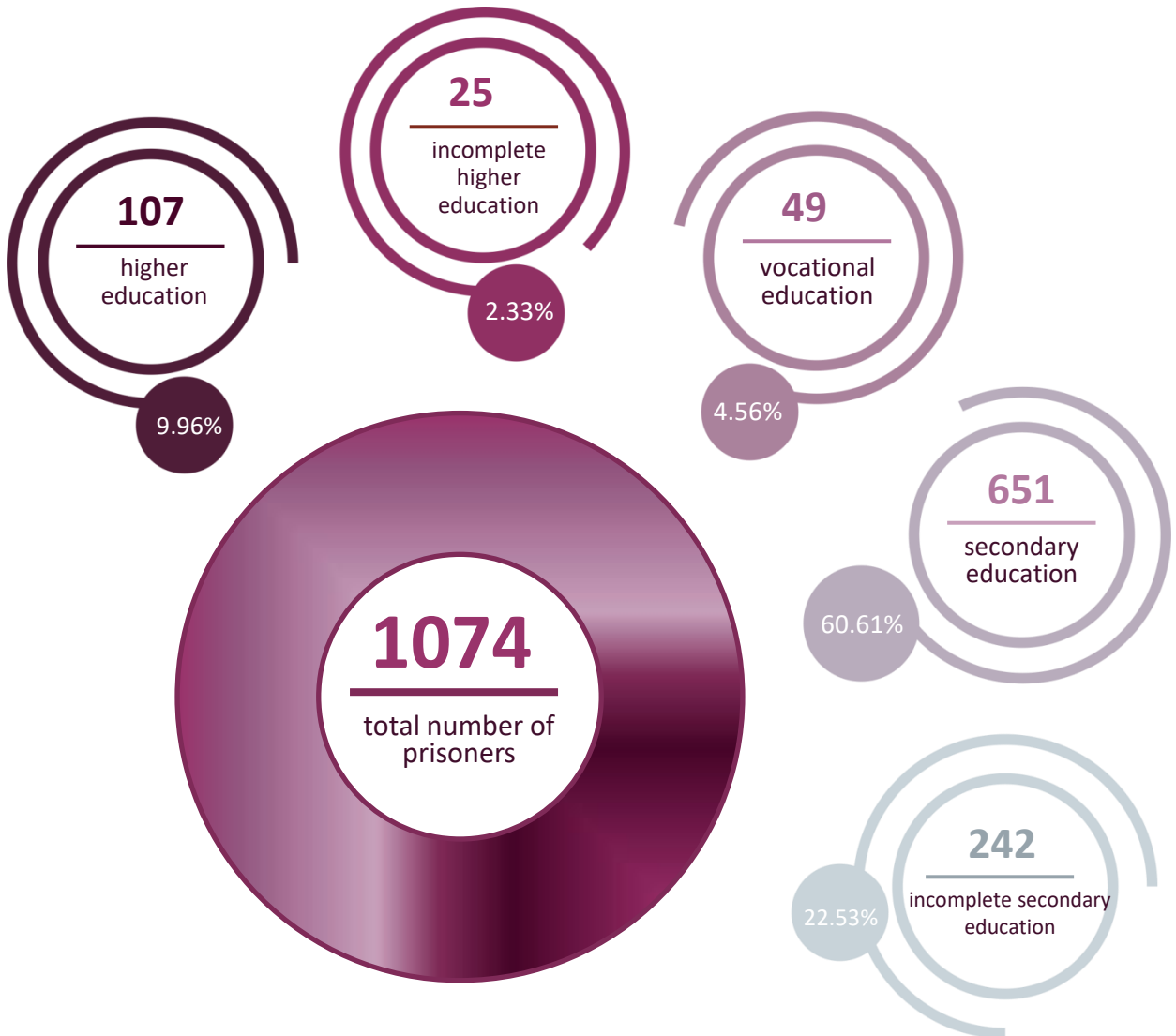
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The data apply only to persons whose sentences have entered into force.



## Inmates/Prisoners by level of education





# Educational programs



General education  
(for persons under 19)

1

General education

2

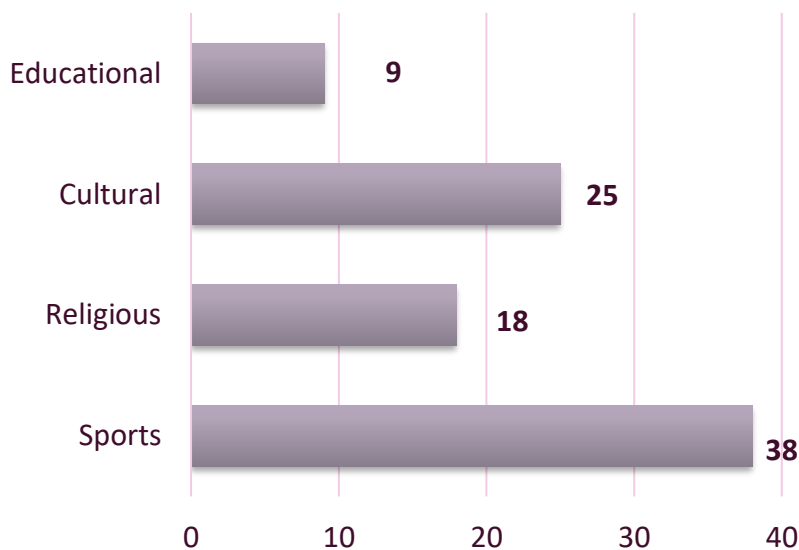
Aesthetic upbringing and education

- Business Literacy
- Armenian language and literature
- Decorative applied art
- Computer skills
- Foreign Language (English)

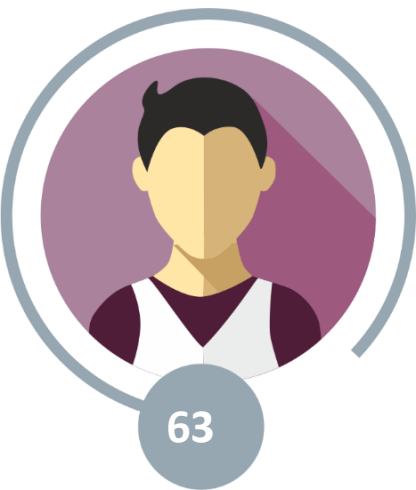
Total number of participants:  
**167 (11 in general education)**



# Inmate/prisoner involvement in self-initiated associations



Out of 1074 only 90 inmates participate 8,4 % participation



Male

No participation in awareness rising/self-development associations



Female

No participation in religious associations



## Education/Type of crime

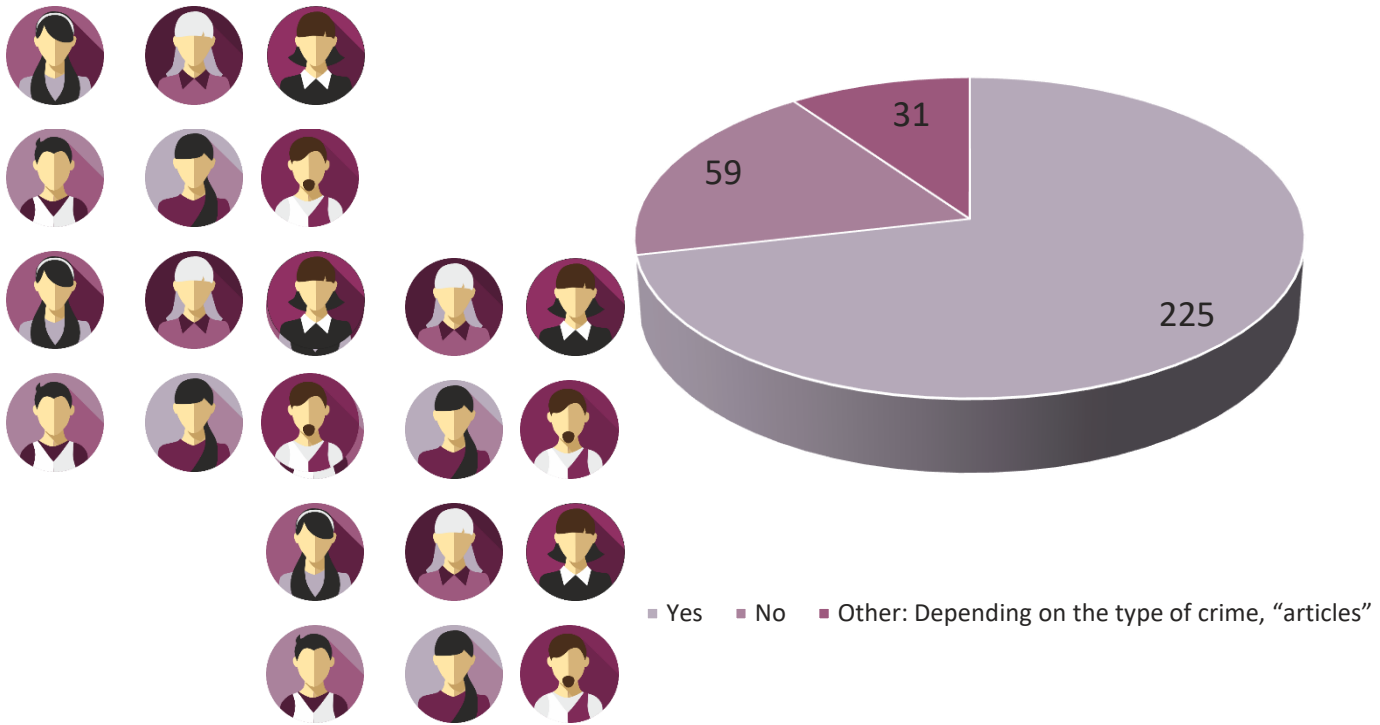


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## Would you agree to study with prisoners/former prisoners?



97.5% of respondents believe that convicts need education, but 29% are not ready to study with convicts.

Public perception and attitude towards the right to education of prisoners: RA  
Online survey results:



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