

Global Detention Project, Switzerland Detention Profile, October 2011

Chart I. Detention Information Provided by Swiss Cantons

Abr.	Canton	Facilities used by cantons for immigration-related detention	Total no. of people detained (Year)
AG	Aargau	- Aarau District Prison, Canton Aargau	108 (2009) 122 (2010)
AI	Appenzell-Innerrhoden	- Appenzell-Innerrhoden Cantonal Police Prison (Kantonales Polizeigefängnis) - Altstätten Regional Prison (Regionalgefängnis Altstätten), St. Gallen	5 (2010)
AR	Appenzell-Ausserrhoden	Appenzell-Ausserrhoden Cantonal Prison (Gefängnis Appenzell), Appenzell-Ausserrhoden	18 (2009) 17 (2010)
BE	Bern	No response	No response
BL	Basel-Landschaft	- Basel City Deportation Prison (Ausschaffungsgefängnis Basel-Stadt), Basel-Stadt	24 (average occupancy by BL)
BS	Basel-Stadt	- Basel City Deportation Prison (Ausschaffungsgefängnis Basel-Stadt), Basel-Stadt	916 (2009) 831 (2010)
FR	Fribourg	- Fribourg Central Prison (Prison centrale de Fribourg), Fribourg	144 (2009) 115 (2010)
GE	Geneva	- Frambois Certified Establishment for Administrative Detention (Etablissement concordataire de détention administratif de Frambois), Geneva;	143 (2009) 123 (2010)
GL	Glarus	- Glarus Cantonal Prison (Kantonales Gefängnis Glarus), Glarus	31 (2009) 26 (2010)
GR	Grison	No response	No response
JU	Jura	No response	No response
LU	Lucerne	- Egolzwil Deportation Prison, Canton Lucerne	45 (2009) 55 (2010)
NE	Neuchâtel	- Etablissements de Détention de La Promenade, Neuchâtel (for detention up to 72 hours); - Frambois Certified Establishment for Administrative Detention (Etablissement concordataire de détention administratif de Frambois), Geneva; - Witzwil Penitentiary (Anstalten Witzwil), Bern; - Bern Regional Prison (Regionalgefängnis Bern), Bern; - Fribourg Central Prison (Prison centrale de Fribourg), Fribourg.	97 (2009) 84 (2010)
NW	Nidwalden	Declined to provide information	Declined to provide information
OW	Obwalden	- Sarnen Police Detention Facility, Obwalden (for detention up to 10 days); - Correspondence indicated that "prolonged deportations are carried out in appropriate places of detention such as in Chur, Thun, Basel, Zurich, Stans, etc." Details of precise facilities used were not provided.	16 (2009) 25 (2010)
SG	St. Gallen	- Widnau Deportation Prison (Gefängnis Widnau), St. Gallen; - Bazenheid Deportation Prison (Ausschaffungsgefängnis Bazenheid), St. Gallen	217 (2009) 256 (2010)
SH	Schaffhausen	- Schaffhausen Cantonal Prison (Kantonales Gefängnis Schaffhausen), Schaffhausen	16 (2009) 21 (2010)
SO	Solothurn	- Solothurn Remand Centre (Untersuchungsgefängnis Solothurn)	Requested that this info remain confidential
SZ	Schwyz	- Biberbrugg Security Base Cantonal Prison (Kantonsgefängnis Sicherheitsstützpunkt Biberbrugg, Bennau), Schwyz	52 (2009) 64 (2010)
TG	Thurgau	- Thurgau Cantonal Prison, Thurgau	29 (2009) 9 (2010)
TI	Ticino	- Justizvollzugsanstalt Realta Prison, Canton Grison	Failed to provide this info
UR	Uri	- Stans Remand and Criminal Prison (Untersuchungs-und Strafgefängnis Stans), Canton Nidwalden	36 (2009) 34 (2010)
VD	Vaud	- Frambois Certified Establishment for Administrative Detention (Etablissement concordataire de détention administratif de Frambois), Geneva; - Fribourg Central Prison (Prison centrale de Fribourg), Fribourg; - Witzwil Penitentiary (Anstalten Witzwil), Bern; - Basel City Deportation Prison (Ausschaffungsgefängnis Basel-Stadt), Basel-Stadt; - Zurich Airport Prison (Flughafengefängnis Abt. Ausschaffungshaft), Zurich	Failed to provide this info
VS	Valais	No response	No response
ZG	Zug	- Zug Cantonal Prison (Kantonale Strafanstalt Zug), Zug	53 deported (2009) 82 deported (2010)
ZH	Zurich	- Zurich Airport Prison (Flughafengefängnis Abt. Ausschaffungshaft), Zurich	473 (2009) 477 (2010)

