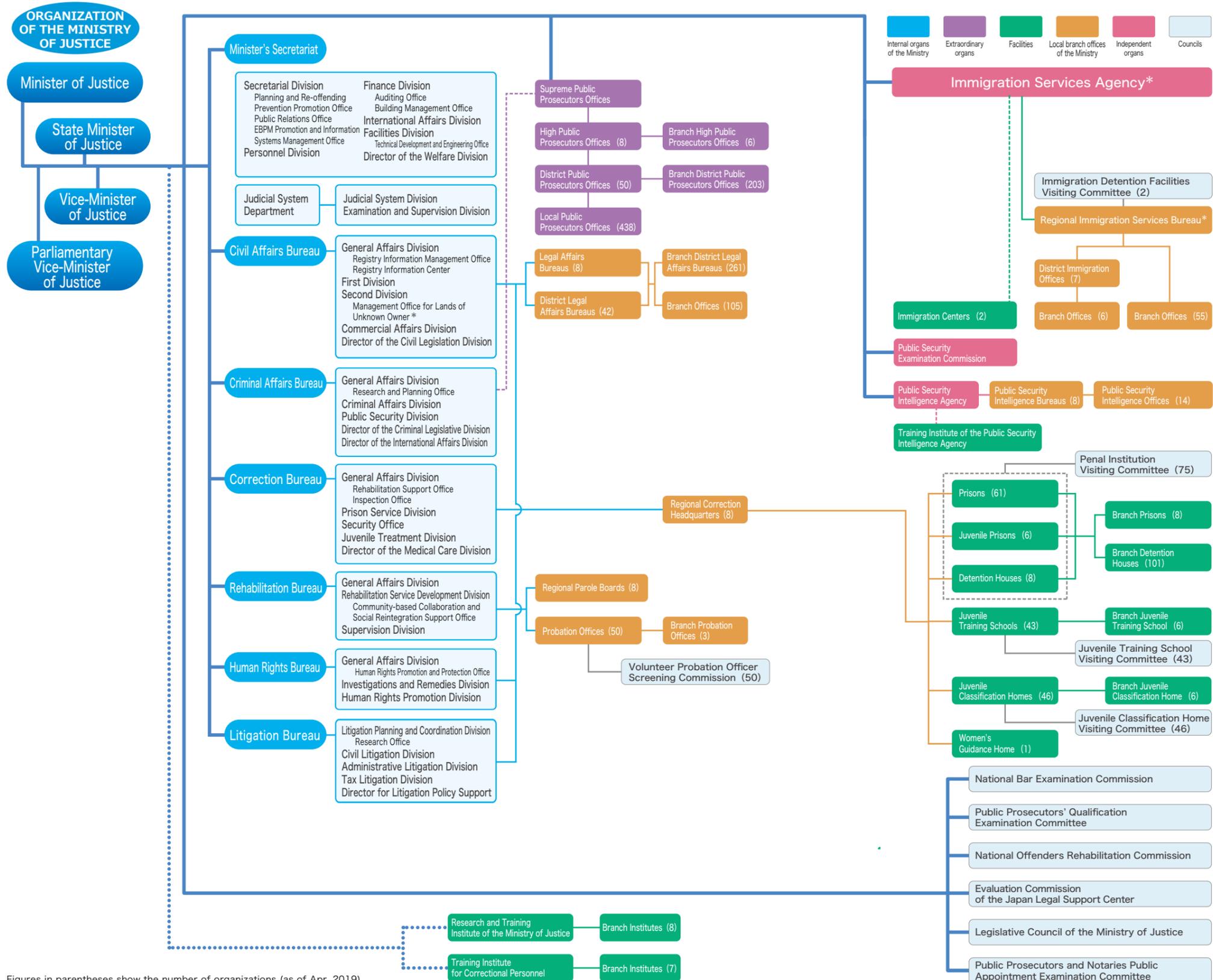


About the Ministry of Justice

Structure, Historical Background, Number of Personnel of budget base, and Budget



Figures in parentheses show the number of organizations (as of Apr. 2019)
*Founded in Apr. 2019 (Organization name provisional as of Jan. 2019)

Historical Background

- 1871 ● Shihosho established
- 1947 ● Separated from Shihosho, came under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court
- 1948 ● Homucho established (Shihosho abolished)
- 1949 ● Renamed Homofu (with 3 director-generals and 11 bureaus)
- 1952 ● Renamed the Ministry of Justice (with Minister's Secretariat and 7 bureaus)
- 2001 ● Reorganization of the central government (with Minister's Secretariat and 6 bureaus)
- 2015 ● Litigation Bureau established (with Minister's Secretariat and 7 bureaus)
- 2019 ● New Establishment of Immigration Services Agency (Minister's Secretariat, 6 Bureaus)

Number of Personnel of budget base (FY 2019)

Organization Name	Personnel
Ministry of Justice	778
Research and Training Institute of the Ministry of Justice	84
Legal Affairs Bureaus	8,894
Public Prosecutors Offices	11,860
Correctional Institutions	23,613
Probation Offices and Regional Parole Boards	1,843
Immigration Services Agency	5,432
Public Security Examination Commission	4
Public Security Intelligence Agency	1,650
Total	54,158

Note: Special officers are included in the Ministry of Justice.

Budget (FY 2019)

The MOJ FY 2019 Budget comprises a general budget of 820.0 billion yen and 3.2 billion yen for the "Special Account for Reconstruction from the Great East Japan Earthquake". Personnel costs comprise 63.2% of the general budget.

