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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates

Fiscal Year: 2014-2015 - Animal Care Center

EUTHANASIA 32,371 48%
ADOPTION 28,931 43%
BEHAVIOR 11 0%
RTO 5,310 8%
SPACE 20 0%

EUTHANASIA
LIVE RELEASE
EUTHANASIA
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### County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
#### Fiscal Year: 2013-2014 - Animal Care Center

#### Euthanasia vs. Live Release

- **Euthanasia**: 33,877 (48%)
- **Live Release**: 30,623 (44%)
- **Behavior**: 11 (0%)
- **RTO**: 5,096 (7%)
- **Space**: 29 (0%)

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#### Pie Chart

- **Euthanasia**: 33,877
- **Adoption**: 30,623
- **Behavior**: 11
- **RTO**: 5,096
- **Space**: 29

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2012-2013 - Animal Care Center

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EUTHANASIA
41,593
53%
ADOPTION
30,724
39%
BEHAVIOR
22
0%
RTO
5,320
7%
SPACE
39
0%

EUTHANASIA
LIVE RELEASE
EUTHANASIA
LIVE RELEASE
EUTHANASIA
LIVE RELEASE
Cat
Dog
Other

Cat
Dog
Other
EUTHANASIA
21,924
14,311
1,279
ADOPTION
7,253
22,275
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BEHAVIOR
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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2015-2016 - Agoura

EUTHANASIA 18%
ADOPTION 52%
BEHAVIOR 0%
RTO 19%
WILDLIFE 10%

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2015-2016 - Baldwin Park
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2015-2016 - Carson

EUTHANASIA 41%
ADOPTION 51%
EXCHANGE 0%
RTO 8%
SKIN COND 0%

EUTHANASIA
ADOPTION
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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2015-2016 - Castaic

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EUTHANASIA 33%
ADOPTION 47%
BEHAVIOR 1%
RTO 13%
TOO YOUNG 0%
WILDLIFE 6%

Cat 345 232 177
Dog 437 702 44
Other 2 17 0

EUTHANASIA
ADOPTION
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Cat Dog Other

819 1,281 338

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control
Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2015-2016 - Downey

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EUTHANASIA 48%
ADOPTION 44%
EXCHANGE 0%
RTO 8%
TOO YOUNG 0%

EUTHANASIA
ADOPTION
BEHAVIOR
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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2015-2016 - Lancaster

EUTHANASIA 42%
ADOPTION 49%
BEHAVIOR 0%
RTO 9%
SKIN COND 0%

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2014-2015 - Baldwin Park

Euthanasia: 54%
Adoption: 38%
Exchange: 0%
RTO: 8%
Space: 0%

Behavioral Reasons:
Euthanasia: 7,149
Adoption: 1,295
Exchange: 2
Injured: 0
Upper Resp: 55
Space: 0

Other Reasons:
Euthanasia: 7,826
Adoption: 4,954
Injured: 1
Upper Resp: 1
Wildlife: 33

Total:
Euthanasia: 8,502
Live Release: 7,826
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2014-2015 - Carson

EUTHANASIA 43%
ADOPTION 50%
DEAD 0%
RTO 6%
SPACE 0%

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## County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
### Fiscal Year: 2014-2015 - Lancaster

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2013-2014 - Agoura

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- Euthanasia: 14%
- Adoption: 53%
- Injured: 1%
- RTO: 24%
- Wildlife: 8%

Graph showing the distribution of animal outcomes:
- Euthanasia: 14%
- Adoption: 53%
- Injured: 1%
- RTO: 24%
- Wildlife: 8%

Table showing the live release and euthanasia rates by category and species:

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2013-2014 - Baldwin Park

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- Euthanasia: 51%
- Adoption: 41%
- Exchange: 0%
- RTO: 7%
- Wildlife: 0%

- Euthanasia: 8,311
- Live Release: 8,808
- Other: 592

Cat | Dog | Other
--- | --- | ---
Euthanasia | 6,483 | 2,174 | 312
Adoption | 1,770 | 5,347 | 244
Exchange | 10 | 7 | 0
Injured | 0 | 1 | 0
RTO | 48 | 1,277 | 8
Too Young | 0 | 1 | 0
Upper Resp | 0 | 1 | 0
Wildlife | 0 | 0 | 28

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### County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates

**Fiscal Year: 2013-2014 - Carson**

#### Euthanasia Rates
- **Euthanasia**: 49%
- **Adoption**: 45%
- **Dead**: 0%
- **RTO**: 6%
- **Space**: 0%

#### Causes of Euthanasia
- **Distemper**: 0
- **Parvo**: 0
- **Feral**: 0
- **Injured**: 0
- **Other Medical**: 0
- **Time**: 0
- **Too Young**: 0
- **Upper Resp**: 0
- **Utk**: 0
- **Wildlife**: 23

#### Live Release and Euthanasia

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Total: 5,633, 8,044, 405
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2013-2014 - Castaic

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EUTHANASIA 29%
ADOPTION 47%
BEHAVIOR 0%
RTO 16%
TIME 0%
WILDLIFE 7%

EUTHANASIA
ADOPTION
BEHAVIOR
DEAD
DISTEMPER
EXCHANGE
FERAL
INJURED
OTHER MED
PARVO
RTO
SKIN COND
SPACE
TIME
TOO YOUNG
UPPER RESP
UTK
WILDLIFE

Cat | Dog | Other
---|-----|-----
EUTHANASIA | 310 | 273 | 222
ADOPTION | 454 | 1,002 | 65
BEHAVIOR | 3 | 7 | 0
EXCHANGE | 2 | 1 | 0
FERAL | 1 | 0 | 0
INJURED | 0 | 1 | 0
OTHER MED | 4 | 5 | 0
RTO | 24 | 479 | 8
TIME | 0 | 6 | 0
UPPER RESP | 7 | 6 | 0
WILDLIFE | 1 | 1 | 161

Total Live Releases: 806, 1,781, 456
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates

Fiscal Year: 2013-2014 - Downey

EUTHANASIA: 51%
ADOPTION: 42%
EXCHANGE: 0%
RTO: 6%
SPACE: 0%

Euthanasia Rates by Reason:
- Dead: 0%
- Distemper: 0%
- Exchange: 0%
- Feral: 0%
- Injured: 0%
- Other Med: 0%
- Parvo: 0%
- RTO: 88
- Skin Cond: 0
- Space: 0
- Time: 0
- Too Young: 14
- Upper Resp: 0
- Utk: 0
- Wildlife: 22

Total Euthanasia: 7,407
Total Live Release: 8,530
Euthanasia/Live Release: 405
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2013-2014 - Lancaster

EUTHANASIA 49%
ADOPTION 44%
BEHAVIOR 0%
RTO 6%
SPACE 0%

Cat 3,725 2,938 34
Dog 1,472 5,384 83
OTHER 0 1 0

EXCHANGE 5 10 0
RTO 41 926 4
SPACE 0 1 0
TOO YOUNG 1 0 0
UPPER RESP 0 5 0
UTK 0 1 0
WILDLIFE 0 0 16

Total 5,244 9,266 137

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2012-2013 - Agoura

EUTHANASIA 17%
ADOPTION 55%
INJURED 0%
RTO 22%
WILDLIFE 6%

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Total: 537, 1,064, 306
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2012-2013 - Baldwin Park

EUTHANASIA 56%
ADOPTION 37%
EXCHANGE 0%
RTO 7%
WILDLIFE 0%

EUTHANASIA
ADOPTION
BEHAVIOR
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Cat  Dog  Other
EUTHANASIA 7,448 2,858 373
ADOPTION 1,397 5,655 188
EXCHANGE 8 5 0
INJURED 0 1 0
RTO 50 1,266 1
SKIN COND 0 1 0
TOO YOUNG 5 0 0
WILDLIFE 0 0 43

8,908 9,786 605

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2012-2013 - Carson

EUTHANASIA 59%
ADOPTION 36%
EXCHANGE 0%
RTO 5%
SPACE 0%

Animals by Type:
- EUTHANASIA: 5,877 (Cat: 3,990, Dog: 1,937, Other: 94)
- ADOPTION: 2,687 (Cat: 1,497, Dog: 4,638, Other: 106)
- EXCHANGE: 7 (Cat: 1, Dog: 23, Other: 0)
- RTO: 50 (Cat: 50, Dog: 794, Other: 10)
- SPACE: 8 (Cat: 8, Dog: 15, Other: 1)
- TIME: 1 (Cat: 1, Dog: 2, Other: 0)
- TOO YOUNG: 1 (Cat: 1, Dog: 0, Other: 0)
- UPPER RESP: 0 (Cat: 0, Dog: 2, Other: 0)
- WILDLIFE: 0 (Cat: 0, Dog: 0, Other: 25)

Total Live Releases: 5,555 (Cat: 5,525, Dog: 9,131, Other: 420)

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2012-2013 - Castaic

EUTHANASIA 31%
ADOPTION 47%
BEHAVIOR 1%
RTO 14%
SKIN COND 0%
WILDLIFE 5%

Cat Dog Other

Cat Dog Other

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Count of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2012-2013 - Downey

EUTHANASIA 57%
ADOPTION 37%
BEHAVIOR 0%
RTO 6%
TIME 0%

EUTHANASIA
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 5,867
Dog 4,078
Other 310

ADOPTION
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 2,017
Dog 4,689
Other 158

BEHAVIOR
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 0
Dog 1
Other 0

EXCHANGE
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 4
Dog 23
Other 0

FERAL
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 5
Dog 0
Other 0

RTO
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 74
Dog 957
Other 1

TIME
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 0
Dog 1
Other 0

TOO YOUNG
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 5
Dog 0
Other 1

UTK
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 0
Dog 2
Other 1

WILDLIFE
LIVE RELEASE
Cat 0
Dog 0
Other 490

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2012-2013 - Lancaster

EUTHANASIA 49%
ADOPTION 44%
BEHAVIOR 0%
RTO 7%
TIME 0%

EUTHANASIA
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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2011-2012 - Baldwin Park

EUTHANASIA 60%
ADOPTION 33%
EXCHANGE 0%
RTO 6%
WILDLIFE 0%

Graph showing the distribution of live releases and euthanasia rates.

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Total: 9,828 Cat, 10,342 Dog, 728 Other
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2011-2012 - Carson

EUTHANASIA 56%
ADOPTION 38%
DEAD 0%
RTO 5%
SPACE 0%
County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2011-2012 - Castaic

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EUTHANASIA 31%
ADOPTION 47%
BEHAVIOR 0%
RTO 15%
SKIN COND 0%
WILDLIFE 5%

EUTHANASIA
31%
ADOPTION
47%
BEHAVIOR
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RTO
15%
SKIN COND
0%
WILDLIFE
5%

EUTHANASIA
439
ADOPTION
690
BEHAVIOR
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EXCHANGE
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OTHER MED
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RTO
39
SKIN COND
3
SPACE
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TIME
2
UPPER RESP
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WILDLIFE
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WILDLIFE
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EUTHANASIA LIVE RELEASE
EUTHANASIA
LIVE RELEASE
EUTHANASIA
LIVE RELEASE

Cat
Dog
Other

1,193
2,485
522

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County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates
Fiscal Year: 2011-2012 - Downey

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EUTHANASIA 60%
ADOPTION 35%
EXCHANGE 0%
RTO SPACE 5%

EUTHANASIA
ADOPTION
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### County of Los Angeles Animal Care and Control Animal Live Release and Euthanasia Rates

#### Fiscal Year: 2011-2012 - Lancaster

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**Total:** 6,012 Cat, 11,170 Dog, 165 Other

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**Graph:**
- **Euthanasia:** 53%
- **Adoption:** 40%
- **Exchange:** 0%
- **RTO:** 6%
- **Wildlife:** 0%

**Bar Chart:**
- Graph shows data distribution for different categories.