

**Table D-10.**  
**U.S. District Courts—Median Time Intervals From Commencement to Termination for Criminal Defendants**  
**Disposed of, by Offense, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2023**

Offense	Total		Dismissed		Plea of Guilty		Bench Trial		Jury Trial	
	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)
<b>Total</b>	<b>72,255</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>6,249</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>64,166</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>1,596</b>	<b>25.9</b>
<b>Violent Offenses</b>	<b>2,863</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>2,346</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>30.1</b>
Homicide	206	19.5	26	18.6	153	18.5	-	-	27	27.1
<b>Robbery, Total</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>23.4</b>
Bank	390	14.2	15	19.7	358	13.8	2	-	15	30.4
Other Robbery Offenses	67	15.0	-	-	62	14.7	2	-	3	-
Assault	941	11.2	165	7.6	724	11.5	13	8.0	39	13.9
Kidnapping	173	29.2	14	26.5	117	27.3	3	-	39	41.4
Racketeering	676	24.1	16	27.1	594	22.3	7	-	59	46.0
Carjacking	190	21.7	17	20.9	156	20.6	1	-	16	30.2
Terrorism	42	23.8	4	-	33	21.2	-	-	5	-
Other Violent Offenses	178	16.5	16	17.4	149	16.1	1	-	12	24.4
<b>Property Offenses</b>	<b>7,982</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>25.7</b>	<b>6,708</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>25.5</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>32.2</b>
<b>Burglary</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Larceny and Theft, Total</b>	<b>1,055</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>35.8</b>
Bank	50	16.3	4	-	46	16.8	-	-	-	-
Postal Service	182	10.5	16	30.7	165	9.6	-	-	1	-
Interstate Shipments	9	-	1	-	6	-	-	-	2	-
Theft of U.S. Property	673	8.2	192	7.3	466	8.3	2	-	13	30.8
Theft Within Maritime Jurisdiction	52	11.5	27	18.4	22	10.0	1	-	2	-
Transportation of Stolen Property	76	15.1	7	-	63	13.5	-	-	6	-
Other Larceny and Theft Offenses	13	6.7	1	-	12	6.3	-	-	-	-
<b>Embezzlement, Total</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>

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Offense	Total		Dismissed		Plea of Guilty		Bench Trial		Jury Trial	
	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)
Bank	25	7.2	-	-	24	7.3	1	-	-	-
Postal Service	101	8.3	17	9.0	84	8.1	-	-	-	-
Financial Institutions	7	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-
Other Embezzlement Offenses	97	11.8	8	-	85	11.2	-	-	4	-
<b>Fraud, Total</b>	<b>6,406</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>31.9</b>	<b>5,500</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25.8</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>32.2</b>
Tax	372	11.5	17	18.5	334	10.4	3	-	18	23.0
Financial Institutions	334	15.6	22	193.7	308	14.8	1	-	3	-
Securities and Exchange	61	13.8	2	-	53	10.1	1	-	5	-
Mail	116	19.8	11	74.4	99	17.6	-	-	6	-
Wire, Radio, or Television	764	11.3	38	19.2	695	10.8	2	-	29	33.1
Bankruptcy	22	31.1	4	-	17	24.6	-	-	1	-
Social Security	126	23.3	47	96.7	78	9.9	-	-	1	-
False Personation	16	6.5	5	-	10	6.5	-	-	1	-
Citizenship and Naturalization	53	7.0	10	23.8	36	4.1	1	-	6	-
Passport	135	6.4	27	127.8	106	4.5	-	-	2	-
Identification Documents and Information	435	14.1	31	59.3	391	13.5	5	-	8	-
False Claims of Government Services	48	22.8	8	-	37	9.9	-	-	3	-
False Statements	520	7.6	69	23.8	443	7.0	-	-	8	-
Conspiracy to Defraud the United States	1,401	16.4	73	81.3	1,289	15.4	-	-	39	31.3
Unauthorized Access Devices	198	16.6	23	61.6	173	15.3	-	-	2	-

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Offense	Total		Dismissed		Plea of Guilty		Bench Trial		Jury Trial	
	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)
Computer	52	19.7	8	-	41	17.2	-	-	3	-
Health Care	245	22.0	44	23.0	167	19.4	2	-	32	39.3
Attempt and Conspiracy to Defraud	1,476	21.4	169	24.3	1,196	20.0	9	-	102	33.9
Other Fraud Offenses	32	30.6	5	-	27	27.8	-	-	-	-
<b>Forgery and Counterfeiting</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>127.3</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>13.4</b>	-	-	<b>3</b>	-
<b>Auto Theft</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>3</b>	-	<b>22</b>	<b>12.5</b>	-	-	<b>1</b>	-
<b>Other Property Offenses</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>1</b>	-	<b>4</b>	-
<b>Drug Offenses</b>	<b>21,137</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>2,122</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>18,579</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>25.3</b>
<b>Marijuana, Total</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>1</b>	-	<b>9</b>	-
Sell, Distribute, or Dispense	553	16.5	70	45.9	475	14.5	1	-	7	-
Import/Export	40	32.6	17	394.3	21	12.4	-	-	2	-
Manufacture	20	44.7	3	-	17	34.0	-	-	-	-
Possession	265	4.4	252	4.6	13	3.2	-	-	-	-
<b>All Other Drugs, Total</b>	<b>20,175</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>1,759</b>	<b>26.0</b>	<b>17,995</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>25.2</b>
Sell, Distribute, or Dispense	17,755	16.8	1,218	28.4	16,152	16.3	36	20.6	349	26.2
Import/Export	1,885	10.0	277	27.7	1,579	9.2	2	-	27	11.5
Manufacture	173	25.5	28	39.6	140	22.1	2	-	3	-
Possession	362	7.0	236	6.8	124	7.0	-	-	2	-
<b>Other Drug Offenses</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>94.8</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>7.2</b>	-	-	<b>5</b>	-
<b>Firearms and Explosives Offenses</b>	<b>10,781</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>9,809</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>21.0</b>
<b>Firearms, Total</b>	<b>10,638</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>9,689</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>21.0</b>

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Offense	Total		Dismissed		Plea of Guilty		Bench Trial		Jury Trial	
	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)
Possession by Prohibited Persons	6,617	12.0	409	10.8	6,044	12.0	19	13.6	145	17.5
Furtherance of Violent/Drug-Trafficking Crimes	1,746	18.5	120	14.0	1,547	18.2	8	-	71	28.9
Other Firearms Offenses	2,275	12.7	120	14.6	2,098	12.5	10	22.3	47	29.6
<b>Explosives</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>26.7</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Sex Offenses</b>	<b>3,228</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>2,917</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>23.4</b>
Sexual Abuse of Adults	101	15.9	12	7.5	64	17.5	1	-	24	17.6
Sexual Abuse of Minors	883	17.1	41	15.4	771	16.8	3	-	68	22.9
Sexually Explicit Material	1,585	12.5	51	13.6	1,496	12.2	8	-	30	26.9
Transportation for Illegal Sexual Activity	330	16.3	18	17.3	286	15.7	4	-	22	22.2
Sex Offender Registry	319	8.0	23	4.6	291	8.3	2	-	3	-
Other Sex Offenses	10	27.5		-	9	-	-	-	1	-
<b>Justice System Offenses</b>	<b>1,034</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>180.9</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>26.6</b>
Aiding, Abetting, or Accessory	272	11.6	3	-	267	11.6	-	-	2	-
Obstruction of Justice	251	22.0	37	24.3	131	18.6	16	23.3	67	27.7
Escape from Custody	364	6.7	22	141.7	340	6.5	1	-	1	-
Failure to Appear	97	156.5	54	347.0	42	10.0	-	-	1	-
Perjury	21	14.1	3	-	18	15.9	-	-	-	-
Contempt	29	268.1	15	384.6	13	44.0	-	-	1	-
<b>Immigration Offenses</b>	<b>19,616</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>19,118</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>14.5</b>
Alien Smuggling	5,047	5.8	128	3.8	4,880	5.8	9	-	30	16.2
Improper Entry by Alien	444	1.4	23	244.4	421	1.2	-	-	-	-
Improper Reentry by Alien	13,792	4.1	266	4.2	13,508	4.1	9	-	9	-

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Fraud and Misuse of Visa/Permits	297	1.6	13	48.0	282	1.5	-	-	2	-
Other Immigration Offenses	36	8.2	7	-	27	6.0	1	-	1	-
<b>General Offenses</b>	<b>1,894</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>26.0</b>	<b>1,491</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>26.1</b>
Bribery	83	13.7	5	-	72	11.3	-	-	6	-
Money Laundering	857	22.5	142	49.9	672	21.1	2	-	41	27.4
RICO (Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act)	281	31.0	11	421.7	252	29.2	1	-	17	43.8
Racketeering	55	14.5	2	-	53	14.5	-	-	-	-
Extortion and Threats	142	11.2	13	27.1	118	10.4	2	-	9	-
Gambling and Lottery	29	24.0	11	26.1	18	18.8	-	-	-	-
Failure to Pay Child Support	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other General Offenses	446	6.9	111	5.1	306	7.6	16	8.5	13	15.6
<b>Regulatory Offenses</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>36.2</b>	<b>1,278</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>18.8</b>
Civil Rights	142	21.1	7	-	104	18.0	2	-	29	29.8
Copyright	5	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
Food and Drug	62	9.6	2	-	59	9.6	-	-	1	-
Hazardous Waste Treatment, Disposal, and Storage	20	8.1	2	-	18	8.7	-	-	-	-
Telegraph, Telephone, and Radiograph	5	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-
National Defense	67	5.8	17	3.1	44	5.9	-	-	6	-
Antitrust	47	16.4	5	-	28	17.2	6	-	8	-
Labor	30	15.0	3	-	26	13.3	1	-	-	-
Game and Conservation	97	7.6	9	-	87	6.7	1	-	-	-
National Parks/Recreation	23	4.7	4	-	19	4.4	-	-	-	-
Customs	437	7.8	17	28.7	412	7.7	2	-	6	-

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Postal Service	65	6.7	7	-	58	6.1	-	-	-	-
Reporting of Monetary Transactions	121	15.0	12	77.2	107	12.0	-	-	2	-
Migratory Bird	23	8.3		-	23	8.3	-	-	-	-
Maritime and Shipping	93	15.6	23	43.8	67	10.9	-	-	3	-
Aircraft Regulations	55	11.7	11	13.1	42	11.2	-	-	2	-
Other Regulatory Offenses	208	9.1	25	37.0	177	7.8	1	-	5	-
<b>Traffic Offenses</b>	<b>2,220</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1,089</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1,109</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>
Drunk Driving	706	3.5	198	3.9	493	3.3	14	10.0	1	-
Other Traffic Offenses	1,514	3.0	891	3.0	616	3.0	5	-	2	-

NOTE: This table includes defendants in all cases filed as felonies or Class A misdemeanors, but includes only those defendants in cases filed as petty offenses that were assigned to district judges rather than magistrate judges. Median computed only for 10 or more defendants. Beginning in March 2012, the median time interval is computed from the proceeding date for a defendant (e.g., the date an indictment or information was filed) to the date on which the defendant was found not guilty or was sentenced. Previously, the median time interval was computed beginning with the defendant's filing date. Therefore, data for March 2012 and thereafter are not comparable to data for previous periods.

**Sub Group Desc**

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