

**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, 2019**

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>85,478</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6,424</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>77,104</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>1,689</b>	<b>17.9</b>
<b>Violent Offenses</b>	<b>2,918</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>2,372</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>17.2</b>
Homicide	137	13.1	14	12.7	107	12.6	1	-	15	17.0
<b>Robbery, Total</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>20.9</b>
Bank	615	10.2	17	14.5	566	9.7	5	-	27	20.9
Other Robbery Offenses	48	9.0	-	-	48	9.0	-	-	-	-
Assault	1,069	7.4	243	3.9	758	8.1	15	8.4	53	9.4
Kidnapping	80	19.8	6	-	53	18.1	-	-	21	43.5
Racketeering	688	14.0	14	15.2	621	13.5	1	-	52	19.4
Carjacking	127	14.3	22	7.3	99	14.3	2	-	4	-
Terrorism	53	21.4	7	-	39	21.1	2	-	5	-
Other Violent Offenses	101	11.1	13	7.0	81	11.6	-	-	7	-
<b>Property Offenses</b>	<b>9,995</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>1,059</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>8,560</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>20.6</b>
<b>Burglary</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Larceny and Theft, Total</b>	<b>1,538</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>1,043</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>19.1</b>
Bank	25	10.8	5	-	20	9.0	-	-	-	-
Postal Service	234	8.6	17	15.6	216	8.4	-	-	1	-
Interstate Shipments	11	15.8	1	-	9	-	-	-	1	-
Theft of U.S. Property	1,083	6.4	358	6.3	708	6.3	3	-	14	17.6
Theft Within Maritime Jurisdiction	117	6.9	68	12.9	47	6.2	-	-	2	-
Transportation of Stolen Property	60	15.0	16	13.1	37	14.7	-	-	7	-
Other Larceny and Theft Offenses	8	-	2	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Embezzlement, Total</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>19.1</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	44	7.1	3	-	38	6.1	1	-	2	-
Postal Service	136	5.8	16	4.1	120	6.2	-	-	-	-
Financial Institutions	9	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-
Other Embezzlement Offenses	128	9.0	7	-	113	8.9	-	-	8	-
<b>Fraud, Total</b>	<b>7,677</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>6,859</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>20.8</b>
Tax	401	9.2	15	21.6	369	8.5	1	-	16	27.3
Financial Institutions	377	12.3	26	99.9	341	11.6	-	-	10	17.7
Securities and Exchange	75	18.9	5	-	51	15.5	2	-	17	23.0
Mail	188	13.6	11	165.3	161	12.2	-	-	16	20.1
Wire, Radio, or Television	645	10.5	18	20.9	597	10.2	4	-	26	24.5
Bankruptcy	46	11.1	8	-	35	10.7	1	-	2	-
Social Security	220	6.2	15	7.8	200	6.1	1	-	4	-
False Personation	17	5.6	1	-	16	6.3	-	-	-	-
Citizenship and Naturalization	61	7.2	7	-	53	6.9	-	-	1	-
Passport	563	2.4	39	1.4	520	2.6	-	-	4	-
Identification Documents and Information	1,045	7.5	41	12.0	987	7.4	2	-	15	12.2
False Claims of Government Services	100	15.0	7	-	87	14.8	-	-	6	-
False Statements	464	5.8	41	17.2	400	5.3	2	-	21	13.1
Conspiracy to Defraud the United States	1,354	12.2	51	24.6	1,261	11.6	3	-	39	23.3
Unauthorized Access Devices	417	10.4	35	18.0	370	9.9	3	-	9	-

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	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)
Computer	61	9.5	9	-	48	9.5	-	-	4	-
Health Care	269	12.0	43	6.2	200	12.0	-	-	26	19.4
Attempt and Conspiracy to Defraud	1,314	14.5	106	17.4	1,112	13.3	5	-	91	21.9
Other Fraud Offenses	60	10.5	8	-	51	9.9	-	-	1	-
<b>Forgery and Counterfeiting</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Auto Theft</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9.6</b>		-	<b>11</b>	<b>9.6</b>	-	-	-	-
<b>Other Property Offenses</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>7.8</b>	-	-	-	-
<b>Drug Offenses</b>	<b>22,389</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>1,954</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>19,889</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>19.1</b>
<b>Marijuana, Total</b>	<b>2,271</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>1,811</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>12.4</b>
Sell, Distribute, or Dispense	1,260	8.5	95	43.8	1,143	8.3	1	-	21	18.9
Import/Export	280	5.4	25	101.0	250	5.3	-	-	5	-
Manufacture	52	16.8	2	-	50	16.2	-	-	-	-
Possession	679	3.0	311	3.9	368	2.1	-	-	-	-
<b>All Other Drugs, Total</b>	<b>20,036</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>1,504</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>18,021</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>19.3</b>
Sell, Distribute, or Dispense	17,612	11.9	1,104	16.1	16,019	11.7	29	12.6	460	19.8
Import/Export	1,822	6.9	179	5.1	1,625	7.0	1	-	17	13.5
Manufacture	160	14.0	13	43.8	144	13.5	-	-	3	-
Possession	442	4.9	208	4.9	233	4.9	1	-	-	-
<b>Other Drug Offenses</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Firearms and Explosives Offenses</b>	<b>10,676</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>9,603</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>15.9</b>
<b>Firearms, Total</b>	<b>10,552</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>739</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>9,499</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>15.9</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	6,715	8.7	480	6.3	6,060	8.8	17	10.9	158	12.8
Furtherance of Violent/Drug-Trafficking Crimes	2,000	12.0	140	9.1	1,773	12.0	7	-	80	20.4
Other Firearms Offenses	1,837	9.2	119	7.0	1,666	9.2	6	-	46	16.0
<b>Explosives</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Sex Offenses</b>	<b>3,031</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>2,773</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>18.4</b>
Sexual Abuse of Adults	70	10.6	4	-	56	10.1	1	-	9	-
Sexual Abuse of Minors	740	12.9	51	12.9	630	12.2	6	-	53	18.1
Sexually Explicit Material	1,486	10.4	38	9.6	1,415	10.2	6	-	27	18.8
Transportation for Illegal Sexual Activity	329	11.3	13	12.2	292	10.5	3	-	21	20.7
Sex Offender Registry	398	7.2	20	5.4	372	7.2	1	-	5	-
Other Sex Offenses	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Justice System Offenses</b>	<b>1,100</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>974</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>13.2</b>
Aiding, Abetting, or Accessory	423	7.9	7	-	416	7.9	-	-	-	-
Obstruction of Justice	199	11.3	30	14.7	136	10.4	2	-	31	12.5
Escape from Custody	352	5.5	13	11.1	335	5.5	1	-	3	-
Failure to Appear	80	16.0	25	198.1	54	9.0	-	-	1	-
Perjury	20	11.8	1	-	16	10.4	-	-	3	-
Contempt	26	9.9	6	-	17	8.5	1	-	2	-
<b>Immigration Offenses</b>	<b>30,123</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>29,112</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>8.4</b>
Alien Smuggling	3,906	4.8	233	4.3	3,625	4.8	14	8.4	34	8.0
Improper Entry by Alien	859	1.4	40	2.5	797	1.4	19	1.6	3	-
Improper Reentry by Alien	24,530	3.6	554	2.2	23,916	3.6	34	4.8	26	7.1

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Fraud and Misuse of Visa/Permits	773	1.3	39	1.8	728	1.3	2	-	4	-
Other Immigration Offenses	55	6.0	5	-	46	5.6	1	-	3	-
<b>General Offenses</b>	<b>2,009</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>1,592</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>25.2</b>
Bribery	82	10.5	8	-	68	10.1	-	-	6	-
Money Laundering	638	14.4	79	14.5	528	13.8	2	-	29	22.1
RICO (Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act)	371	27.8	8	-	335	26.9	1	-	27	34.0
Racketeering	92	12.9	5	-	86	12.7	-	-	1	-
Extortion and Threats	123	11.1	12	9.7	99	10.9	2	-	10	17.0
Gambling and Lottery	17	26.5	1	-	16	23.2	-	-	-	-
Failure to Pay Child Support	7	-	1	-	5	-	-	-	1	-
Other General Offenses	679	3.4	209	3.8	455	3.1	11	3.1	4	-
<b>Regulatory Offenses</b>	<b>1,318</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>1,097</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>16.9</b>
Civil Rights	106	11.4	15	10.3	67	10.0	-	-	24	16.1
Copyright	11	14.7	1	-	10	14.7	-	-	-	-
Food and Drug	86	8.4	7	-	77	6.1	-	-	2	-
Hazardous Waste Treatment, Disposal, and Storage	27	11.1	4	-	23	13.0	-	-	-	-
Telegraph, Telephone, and Radiograph	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-
National Defense	34	14.1	15	16.4	17	13.8	-	-	2	-
Antitrust	34	9.3	2	-	29	7.8	-	-	3	-
Labor	28	8.1	3	-	25	7.5	-	-	-	-
Game and Conservation	130	4.2	24	13.4	102	3.7	4	-	-	-
National Parks/Recreation	53	3.3	17	3.3	35	2.9	-	-	1	-
Customs	280	5.9	13	5.5	264	5.9	1	-	2	-

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	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)	Number	Median (In Months)
Postal Service	105	5.3	4	-	99	5.2	1	-	1	-
Reporting of Monetary Transactions	146	8.4	20	13.6	122	7.0	-	-	4	-
Migratory Bird	29	1.2	2	-	26	1.2	-	-	1	-
Maritime and Shipping	69	4.5	2	-	63	4.3	-	-	4	-
Aircraft Regulations	50	6.7	6	-	42	6.1	1	-	1	-
Other Regulatory Offenses	122	7.7	29	8.8	88	7.1	2	-	3	-
<b>Traffic Offenses</b>	<b>1,919</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>759</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>1,132</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>
Drunk Driving	694	3.1	152	4.7	526	2.7	12	7.6	4	-
Other Traffic Offenses	1,225	2.3	607	2.8	606	2.1	12	4.6	-	-

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.

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