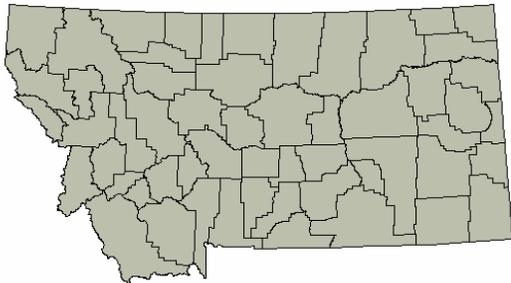


Fiscal Year 2003 Guideline Sentences

MONTANA



Gender, Race, and Ethnicity¹

	TOTAL		Male		Female	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
TOTAL	342	100.0%	280	81.9%	62	18.1%
White	172	50.3%	139	80.8%	33	19.2%
Black	23	6.7%	19	82.6%	4	17.4%
Hispanic	52	15.2%	49	94.2%	3	5.8%
Other	95	27.8%	73	76.8%	22	23.2%

Departure Status²

	Count	Percentage
TOTAL	343	100.0%
Sentenced Within Guideline Range	287	83.7%
Substantial Assistance Departure	34	9.9%
Government Initiated Downward Departure	1	0.3%
Other Downward Departure	15	4.4%
Upward Departure	6	1.7%

Average Age³

	Mean	Median
TOTAL	34.5	32.0
Male	34.3	32.0
Female	35.4	33.5

Mode of Conviction⁴

	Count	Percentage
TOTAL	346	100.0%
Plea	305	88.2%
Trial	41	11.8%

SENTENCING INFORMATION BY PRIMARY OFFENSE⁵

	TOTAL	Robbery	Larceny	Embezzlmt	Fraud	Drug Traffck	Counterftng	Firearms	Immigratr	All Other
	346	2	15	5	21	121	16	40	29	97

CASES INVOLVING PRISON⁶

Total Receiving Prison	289	2	6	1	15	111	12	36	28	78
Prison	280	2	5	1	14	109	12	36	26	75
Prison/Community Split	9	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	2	3
Prison Term Ordered										
Up to 12 Months	46	0	3	1	7	7	6	1	9	12
13-24 Months	55	0	1	0	5	12	4	6	8	19
25-36 Months	30	0	1	0	1	5	1	5	4	13
37-60 Months	63	2	1	0	1	25	0	11	5	18
Over 60 Months	95	0	0	0	1	62	1	13	2	16
Mean Sentence	65.9	40.5	19.8	10.0	18.5	99.9	18.2	61.6	26.9	54.9
Median Sentence	40.0	40.5	15.0	10.0	12.0	71.0	11.0	51.5	24.0	33.0

CASES INVOLVING PROBATION

Total Receiving Probation	55	0	9	4	6	10	4	2	1	19
Probation Only	34	0	9	3	5	3	2	2	0	10
Probation and Confinement	21	0	0	1	1	7	2	0	1	9

CASES INVOLVING FINES AND RESTITUTION⁷

Total Receiving Fines and Restitution	102	1	10	5	16	22	9	5	2	32
Median Dollar Amount	\$4,510	\$13,000	\$4,556	\$4,945	\$10,638	\$4,488	\$3,600	\$7,965	\$2,081	\$2,500

Footnotes and a complete description of all variables in this table are provided in Appendix A.
SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, FY2003 Data File, USSCFY03