

Fiscal Year 2003 Guideline Sentences

NEW JERSEY



Gender, Race, and Ethnicity¹

	TOTAL		Male		Female	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
TOTAL	857	100.0%	735	85.8%	122	14.2%
White	288	33.6%	249	86.5%	39	13.5%
Black	256	29.9%	222	86.7%	34	13.3%
Hispanic	278	32.4%	237	85.3%	41	14.7%
Other	35	4.1%	27	77.1%	8	22.9%

Departure Status²

	Count	Percentage
TOTAL	866	100.0%
Sentenced Within Guideline Range	560	64.7%
Substantial Assistance Departure	229	26.4%
Government Initiated Downward Departure	2	0.2%
Other Downward Departure	73	8.4%
Upward Departure	2	0.2%

Average Age³

	Mean	Median
TOTAL	36.8	34.0
Male	36.7	34.0
Female	37.3	36.5

Mode of Conviction⁴

	Count	Percentage
TOTAL	871	100.0%
Plea	836	96.0%
Trial	35	4.0%

SENTENCING INFORMATION BY PRIMARY OFFENSE⁵

	TOTAL	Robbery	Larceny	Embezzlmt	Fraud	Drug Traffck	Counterftng	Firearms	Immigratr	All Other
	872	28	35	26	212	281	12	85	39	154

CASES INVOLVING PRISON⁶

Total Receiving Prison	645	27	19	9	110	278	8	79	34	81
Prison	620	27	15	8	100	276	8	79	34	73
Prison/Community Split	25	0	4	1	10	2	0	0	0	8
Prison Term Ordered										
Up to 12 Months	81	0	8	2	29	9	2	1	7	23
13-24 Months	137	2	9	4	48	30	5	11	12	16
25-36 Months	72	4	2	0	14	31	1	5	3	12
37-60 Months	187	3	0	1	19	118	0	21	9	16
Over 60 Months	167	18	0	2	0	89	0	41	3	14
Mean Sentence	54.3	144.3	14.2	27.3	20.8	66.8	14.4	67.6	29.7	41.0
Median Sentence	37.0	77.0	15.0	12.0	18.0	46.0	12.0	63.0	22.5	27.0

CASES INVOLVING PROBATION

Total Receiving Probation	219	1	15	17	101	2	4	6	5	68
Probation Only	144	0	7	13	75	2	1	3	5	38
Probation and Confinement	75	1	8	4	26	0	3	3	0	30

CASES INVOLVING FINES AND RESTITUTION⁷

Total Receiving Fines and Restitution	424	21	24	23	153	68	7	31	3	94
Median Dollar Amount	\$3,000	\$43,029	\$29,079	\$9,963	\$30,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$500	\$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