

Ontario Court of Justice
Statistical Data for Criminal Proceedings
West Region
January 2008 to December 2008

OFFENCE GROUP	OFFENCE TYPE	Charges Received	Charges Disposed	Average Days to Disposition	Average Days to Disposition, Net of Bench Warrant Days ⁴	Average Appearances to Disposition
Crimes Against the Person	TOTAL	20,596	19,794	189	164	9.2
	Homicide	32	92	319	318	32.8
	Attempted Murder	42	39	198	196	15.6
	Robbery	934	808	184	165	12.3
	Sexual Assault	1,120	895	281	252	11.4
	Other Sexual Offences	685	596	360	248	11.6
	Major Assault	4,110	3,843	207	173	9.9
	Common Assault	8,059	8,120	175	152	8.0
	Uttering Threats	3,783	3,640	163	149	8.8
	Criminal Harassment	994	909	151	138	8.2
Other Crimes Against Persons	837	852	179	176	10.6	
Crimes Against Property	TOTAL	26,692	26,077	176	137	7.8
	Theft	8,246	8,227	165	116	6.6
	Break and Enter	2,916	2,805	139	119	8.9
	Fraud	4,913	4,406	277	199	9.6
	Mischief	4,235	4,202	150	130	7.3
	Possess Stolen Property	6,040	6,186	156	135	8.1
	Other Property Crimes	342	251	152	142	7.9
Administration of Justice	TOTAL	24,913	24,920	116	93	7.2
	Fail to Appear	1,646	1,770	119	80	6.3
	Breach of Probation	7,686	7,574	128	106	8.0
	Unlawfully at Large	397	420	100	78	7.0
	Fail to Comply With Order	14,148	14,169	105	87	6.9
Other Admin. Justice	1,036	987	175	116	7.9	
Other Criminal Code	TOTAL	9,966	9,498	202	163	9.9
	Weapons	4,180	3,599	199	173	11.5
	Prostitution	296	356	176	127	5.2
	Disturbing the Peace	493	574	289	113	5.7
	Residual Criminal Code	4,997	4,969	196	165	9.5
Criminal Code Traffic	TOTAL	8,158	7,920	251	194	7.0
	Impaired Driving	6,222	6,039	257	198	6.3
	Other C.C. Traffic	1,936	1,881	231	182	9.1
Federal Statute	TOTAL	14,243	13,912	169	150	8.5
	Drug Possession	5,353	5,805	159	135	7.7
	Drug Trafficking	3,984	3,284	233	211	11.8
	Youth Criminal Justice Act	3,350	3,484	93	86	6.7
	Other Federal Statutes	1,556	1,339	252	234	8.5
TOTAL CHARGES		104,568	102,121	171	140	8.2

Please Note:

1. Offence groups and types are based on Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics offence type categories.
2. Care should be used when interpreting the charge-based information provided on this website. This data does not reflect crime rates or incidents within a particular community. These statistics include cases where more than one charge is laid against the same person as a result of a single incident, as well as cases where several individuals are charged as a result of a single incident.
3. "Federal Statutes, Youth Criminal Justice Act" offences include charges laid under sections 136, 137, 138 and 139 (e.g. failure to comply and publication of offender identity).
4. The days to disposition in this column do not include bench warrant days. Bench warrant days are counted from the date of the appearance where the accused failed to appear and a bench warrant was issued, to the first date the charge is brought back to court. This removes from the statistics the days where the charge cannot proceed for some time because the accused is unaccounted for.
5. The total number of charges received and disposed does not include a small number of charges that could not be classified into an offence category. For the total number of charges received and disposed please consult the Court Services Division Annual Report.