

## Circuit Criminal ♦ Overview

The Circuit Criminal division includes the following five categories of felony offenses: capital murder, serious crimes against persons, less serious crimes against persons, crimes against property, and drug offenses. Within these categories are the following case types:

**Capital Murder** - capital murder offenses

**Serious Crimes Against Persons** - non-capital murder (examples of non-capital murder cases include: negligent manslaughter, vehicular manslaughter, non-premeditated murder, commission of a felony which causes death, aggravated manslaughter, and other similar offenses) and sexual offenses

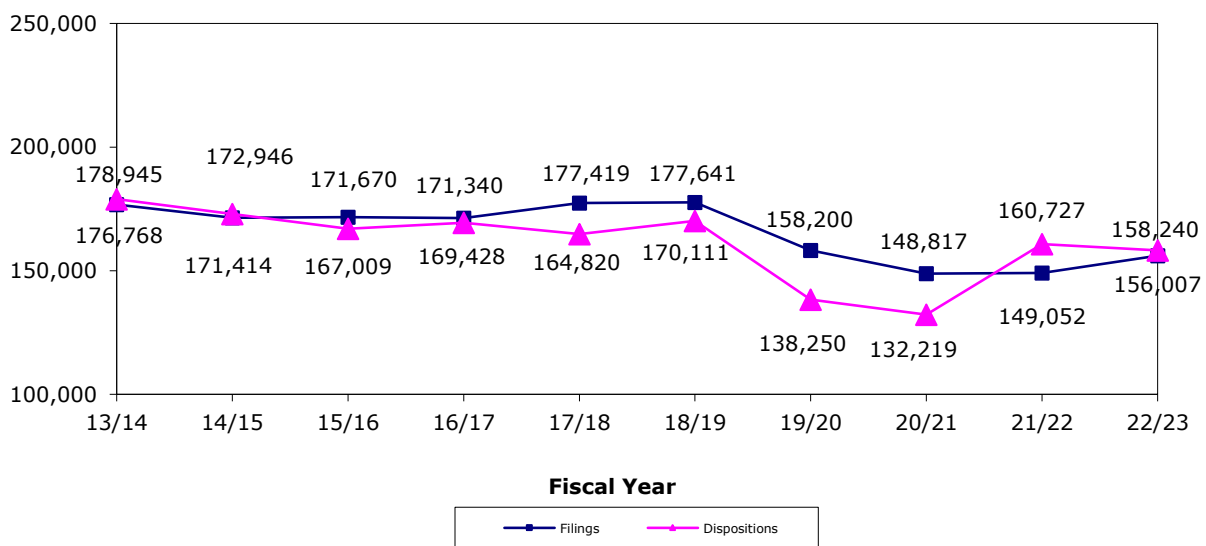
**Less Serious Crimes Against Persons** - robbery and other crimes against persons

**Crimes Against Property** - burglary, theft, forgery, fraud, worthless checks, other crimes against property, and other felony offenses (examples of other felony offenses are: weapon charges, resisting arrest, contempt of court, failure to appear, accessory after the fact, and book-making)

**Drug Offenses** - drug offenses

In the Circuit Criminal division, *filings* correspond to each defendant against whom an information or indictment is filed. *Dispositions* correspond to each defendant for whom a final judicial decision is rendered terminating a criminal proceeding by an acquittal, a dismissal, or a judgment stating the specific sentence (in the case of a conviction). *Charges (counts)* are defined as each individual offense with which a defendant is accused. These charges (counts) are tied directly to each filing. *Jury trials* are defined as trials in which a group of citizens is impaneled, selected, and sworn to determine the issues of fact in a case.

### CIRCUIT CRIMINAL FILINGS AND DISPOSITIONS FY 2013-14 to FY 2022-23

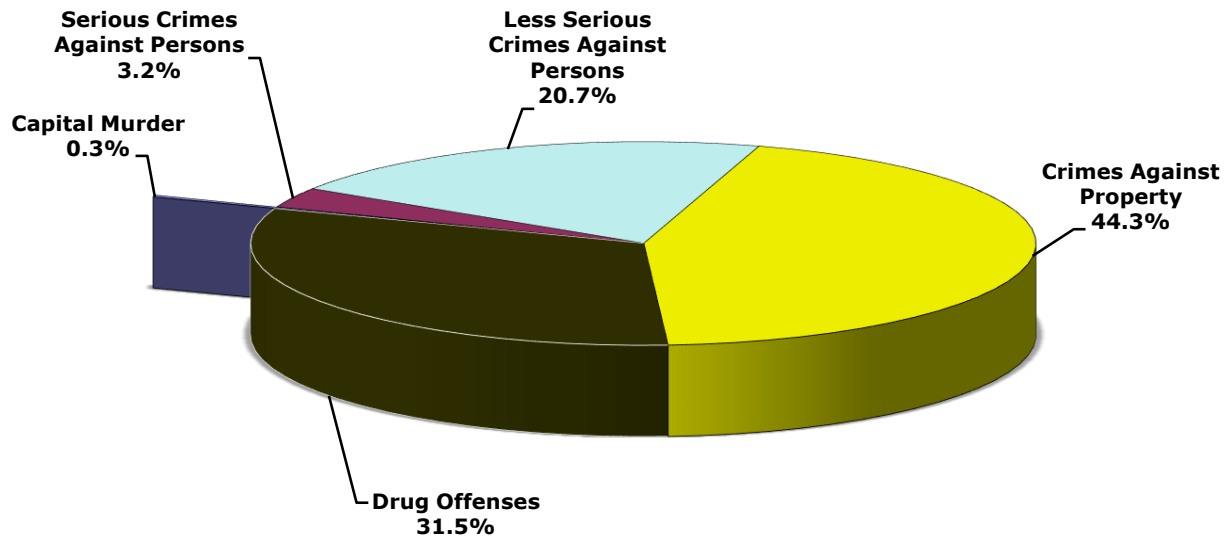


**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL FILINGS**  
**Statewide by Category/Case Type and Month**  
**FY 2022-23**

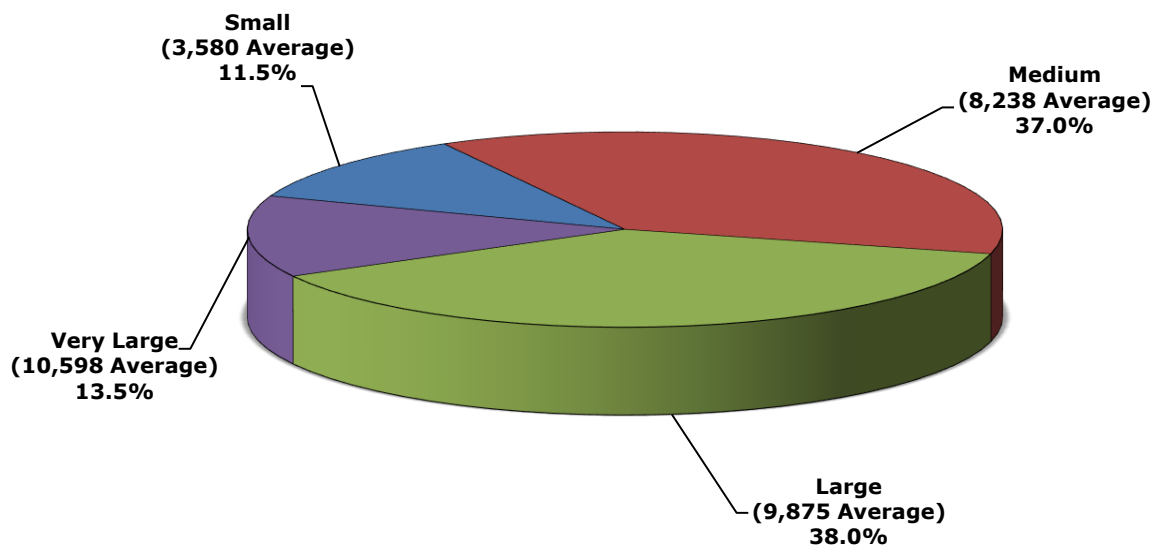
Category/ Case Type	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>A. Capital Murder</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>413</b>
1. Capital Murder	40	37	18	38	25	43	45	23	41	36	45	22	413
<b>B. Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>4,991</b>
1. Non-Capital Murder	118	169	130	159	152	159	170	157	156	128	164	179	1,841
2. Sexual Offenses	253	284	244	294	232	237	229	246	305	271	289	266	3,150
<b>C. Less Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>2,535</b>	<b>2,927</b>	<b>2,410</b>	<b>2,813</b>	<b>2,475</b>	<b>2,617</b>	<b>2,755</b>	<b>2,473</b>	<b>2,968</b>	<b>2,619</b>	<b>2,873</b>	<b>2,859</b>	<b>32,324</b>
1. Robbery	237	253	198	241	209	237	261	216	270	229	255	304	2,910
2. Other Crimes Against Persons	2,298	2,674	2,212	2,572	2,266	2,380	2,494	2,257	2,698	2,390	2,618	2,555	29,414
<b>D. Crimes Against Property</b>	<b>5,440</b>	<b>6,384</b>	<b>5,144</b>	<b>5,770</b>	<b>5,059</b>	<b>5,574</b>	<b>5,610</b>	<b>5,596</b>	<b>6,518</b>	<b>5,588</b>	<b>6,066</b>	<b>6,327</b>	<b>69,076</b>
1. Burglary	1,033	1,216	925	1,062	989	978	1,020	974	1,107	986	1,023	1,191	12,504
2. Theft, Forgery, Fraud	2,102	2,503	2,037	2,276	2,047	2,304	2,271	2,259	2,610	2,301	2,582	2,464	27,756
3. Worthless Checks	7	16	18	19	9	12	17	15	28	13	9	10	173
4. Other Crimes Against Property	163	167	133	188	155	155	158	187	200	186	168	200	2,060
5. Other	2,135	2,482	2,031	2,225	1,859	2,125	2,144	2,161	2,573	2,102	2,284	2,462	26,583
<b>E. Drug Offenses</b>	<b>3,817</b>	<b>4,666</b>	<b>3,569</b>	<b>4,106</b>	<b>3,524</b>	<b>3,772</b>	<b>4,231</b>	<b>3,969</b>	<b>4,658</b>	<b>3,874</b>	<b>4,365</b>	<b>4,652</b>	<b>49,203</b>
1. Drugs Offenses	3,817	4,666	3,569	4,106	3,524	3,772	4,231	3,969	4,658	3,874	4,365	4,652	49,203
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,203</b>	<b>14,467</b>	<b>11,515</b>	<b>13,180</b>	<b>11,467</b>	<b>12,402</b>	<b>13,040</b>	<b>12,464</b>	<b>14,646</b>	<b>12,516</b>	<b>13,802</b>	<b>14,305</b>	<b>156,007</b>

## Circuit Criminal ♦ Filings

### CIRCUIT CRIMINAL FILINGS by Category FY 2022-23



### CIRCUIT CRIMINAL FILINGS by Circuit Size\* FY 2022-23



\*Small Circuits - 2nd, 3rd, 8th, 14th, 16th;

Medium Circuits - 1st, 5th, 7th, 10th, 12th, 18th, 19th;

Large Circuits - 4th, 6th, 9th, 13th, 15th, 20th; and

Very Large Circuits - 11th, 17th (as defined in the Glossary).

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL FILINGS**  
by Circuit and Case Type  
FY 2022-23

Circuit	Capital Murder	Non-Capital Murder	Sexual Offenses	Robbery	Other Crimes Against Persons	Burglary	Theft Forgery Fraud	Worthless Checks	Other Crimes Against Property	Drugs	Other	Total
1	15	76	162	104	1,962	752	1,674	8	157	3,174	1,600	9,684
2	19	56	73	83	796	305	688	18	56	1,259	661	4,014
3	3	17	42	28	475	210	352	12	39	637	575	2,390
4	0	209	242	178	1,566	555	1,030	0	107	3,186	1,687	8,760
5	27	65	220	112	2,261	726	1,979	12	149	3,366	1,884	10,801
6	38	109	231	103	2,374	1,020	2,317	11	192	4,748	2,385	13,528
7	8	57	129	110	2,108	646	1,287	6	102	3,504	1,324	9,281
8	15	49	125	61	921	287	787	13	62	1,142	810	4,272
9	71	172	246	320	1,710	849	1,990	2	149	2,857	2,055	10,421
10	13	112	136	101	1,837	803	1,244	8	78	3,273	1,415	9,020
11	14	289	294	612	2,341	1,285	3,138	11	162	2,430	2,150	12,726
12	1	53	120	92	932	457	1,277	6	99	2,348	751	6,136
13	57	127	157	218	2,303	1,179	2,246	21	186	3,713	2,019	12,226
14	2	42	157	33	1,156	398	853	10	67	1,767	1,616	6,101
15	36	101	252	165	1,130	729	1,319	4	57	1,882	1,003	6,678
16	3	13	16	5	243	83	201	4	16	394	143	1,121
17	45	143	140	309	1,658	861	1,912	1	108	2,039	1,254	8,470
18	27	60	133	112	1,274	526	1,419	14	91	2,715	1,140	7,511
19	16	35	97	55	1,033	311	777	9	83	1,897	917	5,230
20	3	56	178	109	1,334	522	1,266	3	100	2,872	1,194	7,637
<b>Total</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>1,841</b>	<b>3,150</b>	<b>2,910</b>	<b>29,414</b>	<b>12,504</b>	<b>27,756</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>2,060</b>	<b>49,203</b>	<b>26,583</b>	<b>156,007</b>

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**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL FILINGS**  
by Circuit/County and Category  
FY 2022-23

Circuit/County	Capital Murder	Serious Crimes Against Persons	Less Serious Crimes Against Persons	Crimes Against Property	Drug Offenses	Total
<b>Circuit 1</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>2,066</b>	<b>4,191</b>	<b>3,174</b>	<b>9,684</b>
Escambia	5	107	955	1,927	1,300	4,294
Okaloosa	5	55	546	1,052	969	2,627
Santa Rosa	4	49	370	901	638	1,962
Walton	1	27	195	311	267	801
<b>Circuit 2</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>1,728</b>	<b>1,259</b>	<b>4,014</b>
Franklin	0	4	29	65	64	162
Gadsden	2	17	131	205	64	419
Jefferson	1	8	49	82	102	242
Leon	16	86	573	1,150	793	2,618
Liberty	0	6	33	47	79	165
Wakulla	0	8	64	179	157	408
<b>Circuit 3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>1,188</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>2,390</b>
Columbia	1	18	193	466	236	914
Dixie	1	9	47	158	79	294
Hamilton	1	3	47	110	24	185
Lafayette	0	1	15	32	27	75
Madison	0	6	46	84	65	201
Suwannee	0	17	88	190	170	465
Taylor	0	5	67	148	36	256
<b>Circuit 4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>1,744</b>	<b>3,379</b>	<b>3,186</b>	<b>8,760</b>
Clay	0	43	267	537	408	1,255
Duval	0	396	1,360	2,559	2,383	6,698
Nassau	0	12	117	283	395	807

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<b>Circuit 5</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>2,373</b>	<b>4,750</b>	<b>3,366</b>	<b>10,801</b>
Citrus	2	35	263	403	363	1,066
Hernando	2	50	363	882	461	1,758
Lake	15	67	572	1,014	921	2,589
Marion	8	106	861	1,953	1,107	4,035
Sumter	0	27	314	498	514	1,353
<b>Circuit 6</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>2,477</b>	<b>5,925</b>	<b>4,748</b>	<b>13,528</b>
Pasco	9	149	968	2,072	1,310	4,508
Pinellas	29	191	1,509	3,853	3,438	9,020
<b>Circuit 7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>2,218</b>	<b>3,365</b>	<b>3,504</b>	<b>9,281</b>
Flagler	0	27	181	268	327	803
Putnam	3	17	214	403	496	1,133
St. Johns	0	28	309	568	502	1,407
Volusia	5	114	1,514	2,126	2,179	5,938
<b>Circuit 8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>982</b>	<b>1,959</b>	<b>1,142</b>	<b>4,272</b>
Alachua	9	121	541	1,148	610	2,429
Baker	2	7	186	181	201	577
Bradford	0	20	89	224	134	467
Gilchrist	1	7	36	77	34	155
Levy	3	15	80	273	123	494
Union	0	4	50	56	40	150
<b>Circuit 9</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>2,030</b>	<b>5,045</b>	<b>2,857</b>	<b>10,421</b>
Orange	59	315	1,697	3,946	2,343	8,360
Osceola	12	103	333	1,099	514	2,061

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<b>Circuit/County</b>	<b>Capital Murder</b>	<b>Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>Less Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>Crimes Against Property</b>	<b>Drug Offenses</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Circuit 10</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>1,938</b>	<b>3,548</b>	<b>3,273</b>	<b>9,020</b>
Hardee	1	6	56	122	86	271
Highlands	0	53	255	617	310	1,235
Polk	12	189	1,627	2,809	2,877	7,514
<b>Circuit 11</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>2,953</b>	<b>6,746</b>	<b>2,430</b>	<b>12,726</b>
Miami-Dade	14	583	2,953	6,746	2,430	12,726
<b>Circuit 12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>1,024</b>	<b>2,590</b>	<b>2,348</b>	<b>6,136</b>
Desoto	0	15	75	271	189	550
Manatee	1	81	401	933	813	2,229
Sarasota	0	77	548	1,386	1,346	3,357
<b>Circuit 13</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>2,521</b>	<b>5,651</b>	<b>3,713</b>	<b>12,226</b>
Hillsborough	57	284	2,521	5,651	3,713	12,226
<b>Circuit 14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>1,189</b>	<b>2,944</b>	<b>1,767</b>	<b>6,101</b>
Bay	1	143	736	2,175	1,176	4,231
Calhoun	0	7	73	141	75	296
Gulf	0	0	31	69	43	143
Holmes	0	11	96	116	203	426
Jackson	1	23	149	271	159	603
Washington	0	15	104	172	111	402
<b>Circuit 15</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>1,295</b>	<b>3,112</b>	<b>1,882</b>	<b>6,678</b>
Palm Beach	36	353	1,295	3,112	1,882	6,678
<b>Circuit 16</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>1,121</b>
Monroe	3	29	248	447	394	1,121

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**FY 2022-23**

Circuit/County	Capital Murder	Serious Crimes Against Persons	Less Serious Crimes Against Persons	Crimes Against Property	Drug Offenses	Total
<b>Circuit 17</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>1,967</b>	<b>4,136</b>	<b>2,039</b>	<b>8,470</b>
Broward	45	283	1,967	4,136	2,039	8,470
<b>Circuit 18</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>1,386</b>	<b>3,190</b>	<b>2,715</b>	<b>7,511</b>
Brevard	15	142	1,072	2,137	1,979	5,345
Seminole	12	51	314	1,053	736	2,166
<b>Circuit 19</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>2,097</b>	<b>1,897</b>	<b>5,230</b>
Indian River	1	20	304	517	434	1,276
Martin	5	27	158	494	345	1,029
Okeechobee	0	24	132	289	293	738
St. Lucie	10	61	494	797	825	2,187
<b>Circuit 20</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>1,443</b>	<b>3,085</b>	<b>2,872</b>	<b>7,637</b>
Charlotte	1	30	244	553	688	1,516
Collier	0	47	278	668	558	1,551
Glades	0	3	19	65	22	109
Hendry	1	20	90	165	153	429
Lee	1	134	812	1,634	1,451	4,032
<b>Total</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>4,991</b>	<b>32,324</b>	<b>69,076</b>	<b>49,203</b>	<b>156,007</b>



**Circuit Criminal ♦ Filings**

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL CHARGES (COUNTS)**  
by Circuit/County  
FY 2022-23

<b>Circuit/County</b>	<b>Total Filings (Defendants)</b>	<b>Total Charges (Counts)</b>	<b>Number of Charges (Counts) per Filing</b>
<b>Circuit 1</b>	<b>9,684</b>	<b>22,481</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Escambia	4,294	10,680	2.5
Okaloosa	2,627	5,723	2.2
Santa Rosa	1,962	4,443	2.3
Walton	801	1,635	2.0
<b>Circuit 2</b>	<b>4,014</b>	<b>8,591</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Franklin	162	285	1.8
Gadsden	419	798	1.9
Jefferson	242	610	2.5
Leon	2,618	5,773	2.2
Liberty	165	285	1.7
Wakulla	408	840	2.1
<b>Circuit 3</b>	<b>2,390</b>	<b>4,704</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Columbia	914	1,694	1.9
Dixie	294	582	2.0
Hamilton	185	379	2.0
Lafayette	75	170	2.3
Madison	201	363	1.8
Suwannee	465	1,004	2.2
Taylor	256	512	2.0
<b>Circuit 4</b>	<b>8,760</b>	<b>21,399</b>	<b>2.4</b>
Clay	1,255	2,316	1.8
Duval	6,698	17,343	2.6
Nassau	807	1,740	2.2

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<b>Circuit 5</b>	<b>10,801</b>	<b>25,111</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Citrus	1,066	2,414	2.3
Hernando	1,758	4,069	2.3
Lake	2,589	5,695	2.2
Marion	4,035	9,494	2.4
Sumter	1,353	3,439	2.5
<b>Circuit 6</b>	<b>13,528</b>	<b>23,945</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Pasco	4,508	8,560	1.9
Pinellas	9,020	15,385	1.7
<b>Circuit 7</b>	<b>9,281</b>	<b>21,133</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Flagler	803	1,914	2.4
Putnam	1,133	2,712	2.4
St. Johns	1,407	3,258	2.3
Volusia	5,938	13,249	2.2
<b>Circuit 8</b>	<b>4,272</b>	<b>9,555</b>	<b>2.2</b>
Alachua	2,429	5,305	2.2
Baker	577	1,571	2.7
Bradford	467	944	2.0
Gilchrist	155	392	2.5
Levy	494	940	1.9
Union	150	403	2.7
<b>Circuit 9</b>	<b>10,421</b>	<b>18,550</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Orange	8,360	14,571	1.7
Osceola	2,061	3,979	1.9

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<b>Circuit 10</b>	<b>9,020</b>	<b>31,380</b>	<b>3.5</b>
Hardee	271	614	2.3
Highlands	1,235	6,276	5.1
Polk	7,514	24,490	3.3
<b>Circuit 11</b>	<b>12,726</b>	<b>24,823</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Miami-Dade	12,726	24,823	2.0
<b>Circuit 12</b>	<b>6,136</b>	<b>14,139</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Desoto	550	1,544	2.8
Manatee	2,229	4,727	2.1
Sarasota	3,357	7,868	2.3
<b>Circuit 13</b>	<b>12,226</b>	<b>29,882</b>	<b>2.4</b>
Hillsborough	12,226	29,882	2.4
<b>Circuit 14</b>	<b>6,101</b>	<b>12,406</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Bay	4,231	8,692	2.1
Calhoun	296	577	1.9
Gulf	143	262	1.8
Holmes	426	861	2.0
Jackson	603	1,273	2.1
Washington	402	741	1.8
<b>Circuit 15</b>	<b>6,678</b>	<b>14,155</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Palm Beach	6,678	14,155	2.1
<b>Circuit 16</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>2,723</b>	<b>2.4</b>
Monroe	1,121	2,723	2.4

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<b>Circuit 17</b>	<b>8,470</b>	<b>16,305</b>	<b>1.9</b>
Broward	8,470	16,305	1.9
<b>Circuit 18</b>	<b>7,511</b>	<b>15,884</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Brevard	5,345	10,832	2.0
Seminole	2,166	5,052	2.3
<b>Circuit 19</b>	<b>5,230</b>	<b>12,914</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Indian River	1,276	2,900	2.3
Martin	1,029	2,641	2.6
Okeechobee	738	1,699	2.3
St. Lucie	2,187	5,674	2.6
<b>Circuit 20</b>	<b>7,637</b>	<b>17,799</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Charlotte	1,516	3,702	2.4
Collier	1,551	3,905	2.5
Glades	109	240	2.2
Hendry	429	1,140	2.7
Lee	4,032	8,812	2.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>156,007</b>	<b>347,879</b>	<b>2.2</b>

# Circuit Criminal ♦ Dispositions

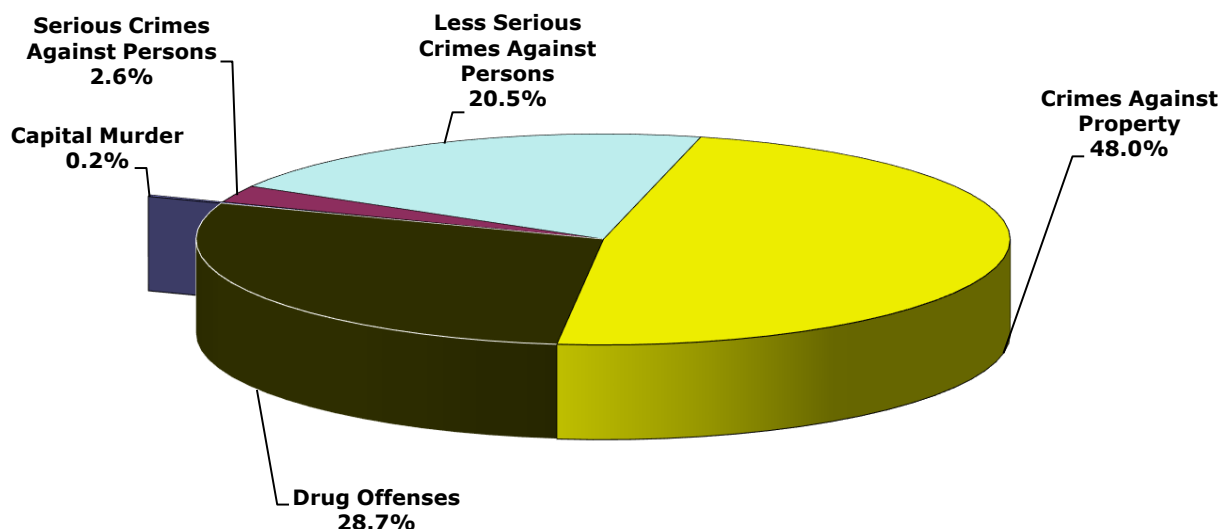
## CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS Statewide by Category/Case Type and Month FY 2022-23

Category/ Case Type	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>A. Capital Murder</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>225</b>
1. Capital Murder	11	28	18	17	19	16	19	14	24	21	16	22	225
<b>B. Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>4,146</b>
1. Non-Capital Murder	134	119	122	137	133	112	135	119	143	163	148	140	1,605
2. Sexual Offenses	175	241	205	205	193	171	224	201	242	217	257	210	2,541
<b>C. Less Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>2,489</b>	<b>2,884</b>	<b>2,397</b>	<b>2,680</b>	<b>2,517</b>	<b>2,217</b>	<b>2,810</b>	<b>2,728</b>	<b>3,188</b>	<b>2,615</b>	<b>3,004</b>	<b>2,884</b>	<b>32,413</b>
1. Robbery	246	226	209	226	233	201	234	226	300	245	225	229	2,800
2. Other Crimes Against Persons	2,243	2,658	2,188	2,454	2,284	2,016	2,576	2,502	2,888	2,370	2,779	2,655	29,613
<b>D. Crimes Against Property</b>	<b>5,752</b>	<b>7,080</b>	<b>5,727</b>	<b>6,047</b>	<b>5,965</b>	<b>5,099</b>	<b>6,628</b>	<b>6,444</b>	<b>7,276</b>	<b>5,988</b>	<b>7,013</b>	<b>6,946</b>	<b>75,965</b>
1. Burglary	934	1,186	918	959	931	826	1,073	1,062	1,159	936	1,064	1,015	12,063
2. Theft, Forgery, Fraud	2,147	2,534	2,050	2,267	2,191	1,925	2,376	2,296	2,811	2,219	2,598	2,709	28,123
3. Worthless Checks	23	19	21	26	25	50	94	65	137	102	109	29	700
4. Other Crimes Against Property	148	202	151	198	183	129	182	197	221	181	237	223	2,252
5. Other	2,500	3,139	2,587	2,597	2,635	2,169	2,903	2,824	2,948	2,550	3,005	2,970	32,827
<b>E. Drug Offenses</b>	<b>3,568</b>	<b>4,060</b>	<b>3,549</b>	<b>3,716</b>	<b>3,565</b>	<b>3,141</b>	<b>3,932</b>	<b>3,723</b>	<b>4,137</b>	<b>3,501</b>	<b>4,356</b>	<b>4,243</b>	<b>45,491</b>
1. Drugs Offenses	3,568	4,060	3,549	3,716	3,565	3,141	3,932	3,723	4,137	3,501	4,356	4,243	45,491
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,129</b>	<b>14,412</b>	<b>12,018</b>	<b>12,802</b>	<b>12,392</b>	<b>10,756</b>	<b>13,748</b>	<b>13,229</b>	<b>15,010</b>	<b>12,505</b>	<b>14,794</b>	<b>14,445</b>	<b>158,240</b>

## CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

by Category

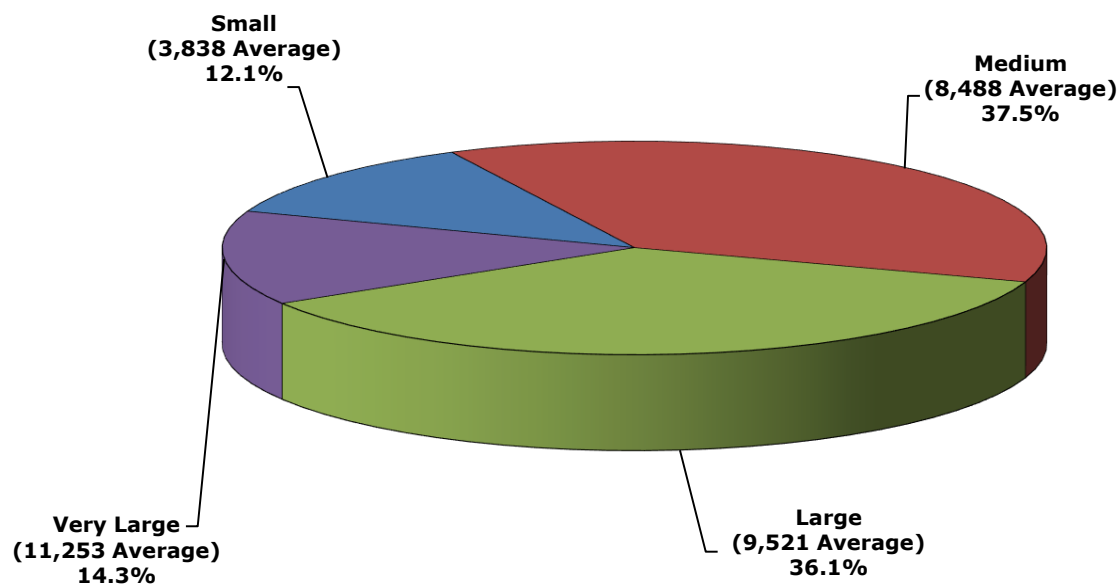
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## CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

by Circuit Size\*

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\*Small Circuits - 2nd, 3rd, 8th, 14th, 16th;

Medium Circuits - 1st, 5th, 7th, 10th, 12th, 18th, 19th;

Large Circuits - 4th, 6th, 9th, 13th, 15th, 20th; and

Very Large Circuits - 11th, 17th (as defined in the Glossary).

**Circuit Criminal ♦ Dispositions**

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS**  
**by Circuit and Case Type**  
**FY 2022-23**

<b>Circuit</b>	<b>Capital Murder</b>	<b>Non-Capital Murder</b>	<b>Sexual Offenses</b>	<b>Robbery</b>	<b>Other Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>Burglary</b>	<b>Theft Forgery Fraud</b>	<b>Worthless Checks</b>	<b>Other Crimes Against Property</b>	<b>Drugs</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>1</b>	13	69	148	82	2,016	693	1,736	15	192	2,887	2,236	10,087
<b>2</b>	17	43	66	83	975	371	699	17	85	1,400	804	4,560
<b>3</b>	3	14	49	32	486	198	388	10	54	525	457	2,216
<b>4</b>	5	209	225	209	1,579	562	1,055	9	106	2,854	1,843	8,656
<b>5</b>	14	78	206	124	2,317	744	2,078	16	142	3,360	2,301	11,380
<b>6</b>	14	97	175	142	2,512	958	2,515	49	186	4,551	2,486	13,685
<b>7</b>	9	66	86	109	2,030	665	1,322	27	128	3,264	1,627	9,333
<b>8</b>	3	31	106	51	871	282	775	8	78	1,072	920	4,197
<b>9</b>	20	101	200	260	1,520	707	1,825	4	157	2,572	2,245	9,611
<b>10</b>	12	94	113	124	1,963	839	1,379	2	119	1,886	3,487	10,018
<b>11</b>	11	235	178	511	2,461	1,358	3,157	20	178	2,614	2,425	13,148
<b>12</b>	8	50	105	75	986	403	1,279	11	104	2,349	927	6,297
<b>13</b>	18	84	114	200	2,117	978	2,013	21	180	3,263	2,069	11,057
<b>14</b>	3	40	108	37	1,149	419	969	442	86	1,878	1,858	6,989
<b>15</b>	24	103	177	180	1,142	645	1,274	10	61	1,905	1,201	6,722
<b>16</b>	2	2	26	11	255	80	202	11	23	426	190	1,228
<b>17</b>	24	134	106	317	1,664	868	2,214	3	100	1,984	1,943	9,357
<b>18</b>	7	48	93	85	1,200	437	1,294	14	86	2,174	1,310	6,748
<b>19</b>	14	49	86	61	1,074	318	767	6	86	2,005	1,089	5,555
<b>20</b>	4	58	174	107	1,296	538	1,182	5	101	2,522	1,409	7,396
<b>Total</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>2,541</b>	<b>2,800</b>	<b>29,613</b>	<b>12,063</b>	<b>28,123</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>2,252</b>	<b>45,491</b>	<b>32,827</b>	<b>158,240</b>

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS**  
**by Circuit/County and Category**  
**FY 2022-23**

Circuit/County	Capital Murder	Serious Crimes Against Persons	Less Serious Crimes Against Persons	Crimes Against Property	Drug Offenses	Total
<b>Circuit 1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>2,098</b>	<b>4,872</b>	<b>2,887</b>	<b>10,087</b>
Escambia	11	110	998	2,237	1,181	4,537
Okaloosa	2	43	525	1,239	889	2,698
Santa Rosa	0	39	374	1,000	576	1,989
Walton	0	25	201	396	241	863
<b>Circuit 2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,976</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>4,560</b>
Franklin	0	4	40	87	71	202
Gadsden	4	10	146	241	87	488
Jefferson	0	3	39	94	126	262
Leon	11	82	742	1,326	875	3,036
Liberty	1	9	39	59	86	194
Wakulla	1	1	52	169	155	378
<b>Circuit 3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>1,107</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>2,216</b>
Columbia	1	20	205	467	206	899
Dixie	1	6	34	108	49	198
Hamilton	0	5	46	89	20	160
Lafayette	0	1	18	36	30	85
Madison	0	5	40	79	49	173
Suwannee	0	18	95	189	145	447
Taylor	1	8	80	139	26	254
<b>Circuit 4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>1,788</b>	<b>3,575</b>	<b>2,854</b>	<b>8,656</b>
Clay	1	41	288	639	364	1,333
Duval	2	383	1,374	2,639	2,064	6,462
Nassau	2	10	126	297	426	861



**Circuit Criminal ♦ Dispositions**

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS**  
**by Circuit/County and Category**  
**FY 2022-23**

<b>Circuit/County</b>	<b>Capital Murder</b>	<b>Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>Less Serious Crimes Against Persons</b>	<b>Crimes Against Property</b>	<b>Drug Offenses</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Circuit 5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>2,441</b>	<b>5,281</b>	<b>3,360</b>	<b>11,380</b>
Citrus	0	43	294	445	456	1,238
Hernando	1	31	348	991	451	1,822
Lake	4	74	478	1,078	848	2,482
Marion	5	114	1,006	2,278	1,061	4,464
Sumter	4	22	315	489	544	1,374
<b>Circuit 6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>2,654</b>	<b>6,194</b>	<b>4,551</b>	<b>13,685</b>
Pasco	4	101	1,183	2,266	1,234	4,788
Pinellas	10	171	1,471	3,928	3,317	8,897
<b>Circuit 7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>2,139</b>	<b>3,769</b>	<b>3,264</b>	<b>9,333</b>
Flagler	0	19	180	263	296	758
Putnam	2	20	239	477	428	1,166
St. Johns	1	16	269	598	517	1,401
Volusia	6	97	1,451	2,431	2,023	6,008
<b>Circuit 8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>922</b>	<b>2,063</b>	<b>1,072</b>	<b>4,197</b>
Alachua	2	92	560	1,180	559	2,393
Baker	0	5	115	209	187	516
Bradford	1	18	78	223	137	457
Gilchrist	0	4	33	81	41	159
Levy	0	14	86	289	108	497
Union	0	4	50	81	40	175
<b>Circuit 9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>1,780</b>	<b>4,938</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>9,611</b>
Orange	17	228	1,493	3,783	2,087	7,608
Osceola	3	73	287	1,155	485	2,003

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS**  
**by Circuit/County and Category**  
**FY 2022-23**

Circuit/County	Capital Murder	Serious Crimes Against Persons	Less Serious Crimes Against Persons	Crimes Against Property	Drug Offenses	Total
<b>Circuit 10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>2,087</b>	<b>5,826</b>	<b>1,886</b>	<b>10,018</b>
Hardee	1	4	50	130	64	249
Highlands	1	29	215	646	230	1,121
Polk	10	174	1,822	5,050	1,592	8,648
<b>Circuit 11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>2,972</b>	<b>7,138</b>	<b>2,614</b>	<b>13,148</b>
Miami-Dade	11	413	2,972	7,138	2,614	13,148
<b>Circuit 12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>1,061</b>	<b>2,724</b>	<b>2,349</b>	<b>6,297</b>
Desoto	0	14	74	247	171	506
Manatee	4	76	462	1,130	921	2,593
Sarasota	4	65	525	1,347	1,257	3,198
<b>Circuit 13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>2,317</b>	<b>5,261</b>	<b>3,263</b>	<b>11,057</b>
Hillsborough	18	198	2,317	5,261	3,263	11,057
<b>Circuit 14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>3,774</b>	<b>1,878</b>	<b>6,989</b>
Bay	3	103	698	2,955	1,273	5,032
Calhoun	0	7	71	176	98	352
Gulf	0	7	57	117	69	250
Holmes	0	7	96	130	200	433
Jackson	0	12	156	259	152	579
Washington	0	12	108	137	86	343
<b>Circuit 15</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>3,191</b>	<b>1,905</b>	<b>6,722</b>
Palm Beach	24	280	1,322	3,191	1,905	6,722
<b>Circuit 16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>1,228</b>
Monroe	2	28	266	506	426	1,228

**Circuit Criminal ♦ Dispositions**

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS**  
by Circuit/County and Category  
FY 2022-23

Circuit/County	Capital Murder	Serious Crimes Against Persons	Less Serious Crimes Against Persons	Crimes Against Property	Drug Offenses	Total
<b>Circuit 17</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>1,981</b>	<b>5,128</b>	<b>1,984</b>	<b>9,357</b>
Broward	24	240	1,981	5,128	1,984	9,357
<b>Circuit 18</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>3,141</b>	<b>2,174</b>	<b>6,748</b>
Brevard	2	106	954	2,063	1,542	4,667
Seminole	5	35	331	1,078	632	2,081
<b>Circuit 19</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>1,135</b>	<b>2,266</b>	<b>2,005</b>	<b>5,555</b>
Indian River	4	25	266	546	437	1,278
Martin	7	36	188	527	366	1,124
Okeechobee	2	13	107	259	314	695
St. Lucie	1	61	574	934	888	2,458
<b>Circuit 20</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>3,235</b>	<b>2,522</b>	<b>7,396</b>
Charlotte	0	19	189	756	510	1,474
Collier	0	60	322	668	587	1,637
Glades	0	5	24	59	20	108
Hendry	0	9	128	196	131	464
Lee	4	139	740	1,556	1,274	3,713
<b>Total</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>4,146</b>	<b>32,413</b>	<b>75,965</b>	<b>45,491</b>	<b>158,240</b>

## CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

### Statewide by Disposition Type and Case Type

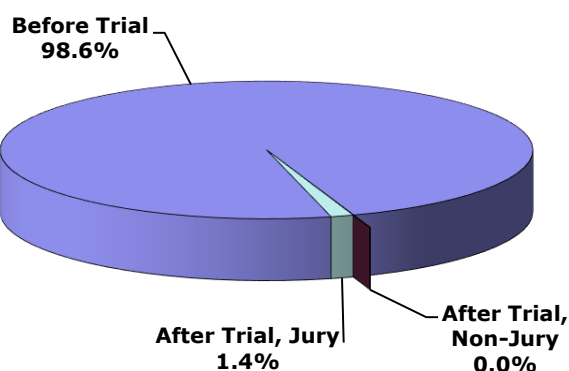
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Disposition Type	Capital Murder	Non-Capital Murder	Sexual Offenses	Robbery	Other Crimes Against Persons	Burglary	Theft Forgery Fraud	Worthless Checks	Other Crimes Against Property	Drugs	Other	Total
<b>A. Before Trial</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>1,332</b>	<b>2,244</b>	<b>2,705</b>	<b>29,067</b>	<b>11,941</b>	<b>27,988</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>2,239</b>	<b>45,211</b>	<b>32,485</b>	<b>156,002</b>
1. Speedy Trial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
2. Dismissed	18	165	421	453	5,112	1,282	3,209	237	309	4,164	2,478	17,848
3. Transferred	2	4	19	9	569	160	299	2	55	327	3,004	4,450
4. Plea	39	1,075	1,683	2,037	20,363	9,670	21,307	99	1,554	38,049	25,497	121,373
5. Other*	31	88	121	206	3,023	829	3,173	362	321	2,671	1,505	12,330
<b>B. After Trial, Non-Jury</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>69</b>
1. Acquittal/Dismissal	0	2	0	0	11	5	2	0	1	0	4	25
2. Plea	1	0	0	1	5	1	4	0	0	5	6	23
3. Conviction	1	1	4	0	6	3	1	0	0	2	3	21
<b>C. After Trial, Jury</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>2,169</b>
1. Acquittal/Dismissal	14	44	66	21	193	24	29	0	6	53	87	537
2. Plea	2	10	5	11	19	5	11	0	0	21	14	98
3. Conviction	117	216	222	62	312	84	88	0	6	199	228	1,534
<b>Total</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>2,541</b>	<b>2,800</b>	<b>29,613</b>	<b>12,063</b>	<b>28,123</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>2,252</b>	<b>45,491</b>	<b>32,827</b>	<b>158,240</b>

## CIRCUIT CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

### by Disposition Type

#### FY 2022-23



\*The disposition type "Other" is used to report cases disposed for: defendants placed on deferred prosecution or other pretrial diversion or probation programs approved after an information or an indictment is filed, defendants declared mentally or physically unable to stand trial, cases disposed upon estreatment of a bond, cases that are nolle prosequi (no further prosecution) for administrative reasons, or similar matters.

**Circuit Criminal ♦ Dispositions**

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL JURY TRIAL DISPOSITIONS  
by Circuit  
FY 2022-23**

<b>Circuit (Circuit Seat)</b>	<b>Acquittals/Dismissals</b>	<b>Pleas</b>	<b>Convictions</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>First (Pensacola)</b>	34	8	102	144
<b>Second (Tallahassee)</b>	33	2	79	114
<b>Third (Lake City)</b>	10	0	32	42
<b>Fourth (Jacksonville)</b>	18	10	106	134
<b>Fifth (Tavares)</b>	26	1	120	147
<b>Sixth (Clearwater)</b>	17	7	99	123
<b>Seventh (Daytona Beach)</b>	16	9	16	41
<b>Eighth (Gainesville)</b>	16	8	44	68
<b>Ninth (Orlando)</b>	47	4	94	145
<b>Tenth (Bartow)</b>	70	4	142	216
<b>Eleventh (Miami-Dade)</b>	68	24	129	221
<b>Twelfth (Sarasota)</b>	12	6	70	88
<b>Thirteenth (Tampa)</b>	24	3	92	119
<b>Fourteenth (Panama City)</b>	16	1	62	79
<b>Fifteenth (West Palm Beach)</b>	19	2	80	101
<b>Sixteenth (Key West)</b>	3	0	3	6
<b>Seventeenth (Ft. Lauderdale)</b>	32	1	56	89
<b>Eighteenth (Sanford)</b>	13	4	24	41
<b>Nineteenth (Ft. Pierce)</b>	30	3	82	115
<b>Twentieth (Ft. Myers)</b>	33	1	102	136
<b>Total</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>1,534</b>	<b>2,169</b>

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL JURY TRIAL and  
GUILTY DISPOSITION RATES\*  
by Circuit  
FY 2022-23**

Circuit (Circuit Seat)	Jury Trials (includes Acquittal/ Dismissal, Pleas, and Convictions)	Total Dispositions	Jury Trial Rates	Guilty Dispositions (includes Pleas and Convictions)	Total Dispositions (excludes Transferred and Other)	Guilty Disposition Rates
First (Pensacola)	144	10,087	1.4%	7,429	9,251	80.3%
Second (Tallahassee)	114	4,560	2.5%	3,769	4,368	86.3%
Third (Lake City)	42	2,216	1.9%	1,480	1,949	75.9%
Fourth (Jacksonville)	134	8,656	1.5%	7,018	7,819	89.8%
Fifth (Tavares)	147	11,380	1.3%	8,897	10,165	87.5%
Sixth (Clearwater)	123	13,685	0.9%	11,452	12,030	95.2%
Seventh (Daytona Beach)	41	9,333	0.4%	8,452	8,786	96.2%
Eighth (Gainesville)	68	4,197	1.6%	3,298	3,702	89.1%
Ninth (Orlando)	145	9,611	1.5%	5,846	8,519	68.6%
Tenth (Bartow)	216	10,018	2.2%	8,223	9,279	88.6%
Eleventh (Miami-Dade)	221	13,148	1.7%	8,889	10,045	88.5%
Twelfth (Sarasota)	88	6,297	1.4%	5,407	5,892	91.8%
Thirteenth (Tampa)	119	11,057	1.1%	8,376	9,764	85.8%
Fourteenth (Panama City)	79	6,989	1.1%	4,654	5,205	89.4%
Fifteenth (West Palm Beach)	101	6,722	1.5%	5,579	5,897	94.6%
Sixteenth (Key West)	6	1,228	0.5%	748	1,103	67.8%
Seventeenth (Ft. Lauderdale)	89	9,357	1.0%	7,526	9,330	80.7%
Eighteenth (Sanford)	41	6,748	0.6%	5,776	6,363	90.8%
Nineteenth (Ft. Pierce)	115	5,555	2.1%	4,370	5,040	86.7%
Twentieth (Ft. Myers)	136	7,396	1.8%	5,860	6,953	84.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,169</b>	<b>158,240</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>123,049</b>	<b>141,460</b>	<b>87.0%</b>

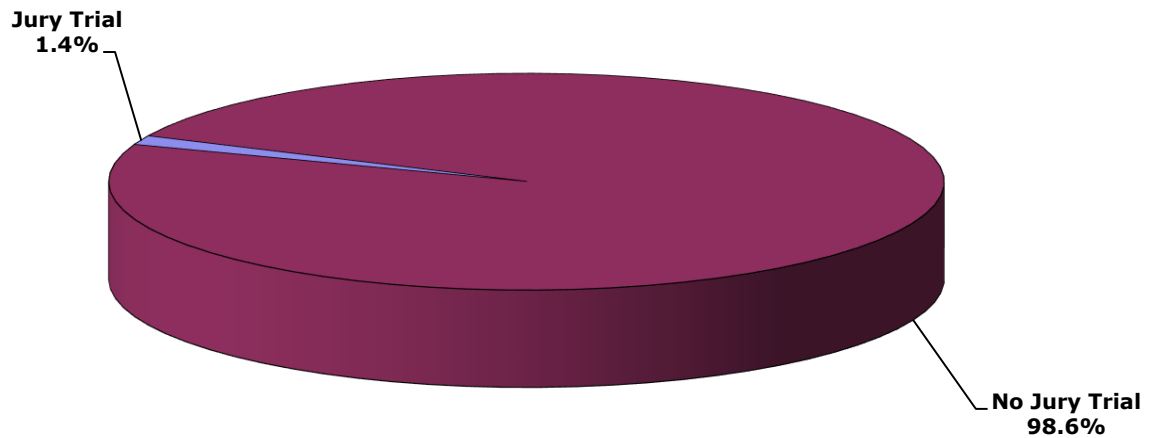
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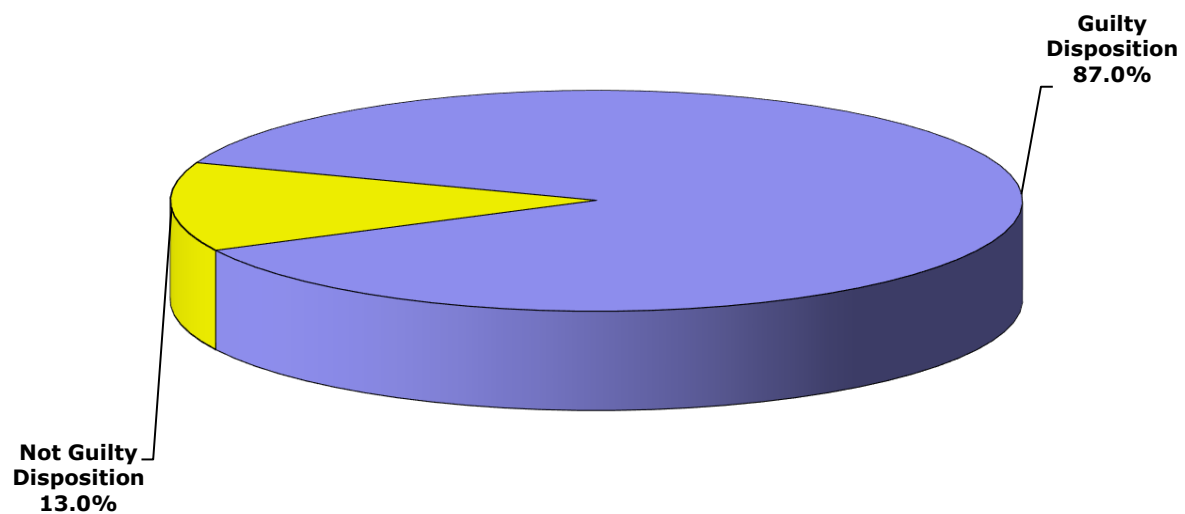
**Circuit Criminal ♦ Dispositions**

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**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL JURY TRIAL RATE  
FY 2022-23**



**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL GUILTY DISPOSITION RATE  
FY 2022-23**



The Circuit Criminal division also includes other statistics such as clearance rates, reopenings, no files, select appeals filed from county court, post conviction relief motions, probation revocation hearings, bond hearings, and adversary preliminary hearings. **These data are provided by the 67 clerks of court.**

**Clearance Rates** - The clearance rate is a useful measure of the responsiveness of a court to the demand for services, and is nationally recognized as a measure of court performance. The rate is determined by dividing the total number of cases *disposed* by the total number of cases *filed* during a specific time period. If a court received 1,000 new cases a month and disposed of 900 cases within the same month, the clearance rate for that month would be 90%. A 100% clearance rate means that a court is disposing of at least as many cases as have been filed during the reporting period. Thus, where clearance rates exceed 100%, those circuits are actually disposing of cases more quickly than cases are being filed for the period in question.

**Reopenings** - A reopening occurs when a case that has previously been reported as disposed is resubmitted to the court through a motion or petition.

**No Files** - A no file occurs when all charges against a defendant are dropped and the prosecutor did not file an information or seek an indictment.

**Appeals Filed From County Court** - Pursuant to ch. 2020-61, Laws of Fla., effective January 1, 2021, the circuit court's general statutory authority in § 26.012, Fla. Stat., to hear appeals from county court final orders and judgments was repealed as was its specific authority in § 924.08, Fla. Stat., to hear appeals from county court final judgments in misdemeanor cases. Due to this legislation, the district courts of appeal will have jurisdiction. Circuit courts will continue, however, to have appellate jurisdiction for certain types of cases under statutes that were not amended.

**Post Conviction Relief Motions** - A post conviction relief motion is a motion to vacate, set aside, or correct a sentence pursuant to rule 3.850, Florida Rules of Criminal Procedure.

**Probation Revocation Hearings** - A probation revocation hearing is a proceeding in which a judge determines whether a defendant's probation should be modified or revoked following an alleged violation.

**Bond Hearings** - A bond hearing is a proceeding in which a judge considers a defendant's pretrial release status for the purpose of setting or modifying bond or other pretrial release status.

**Adversary Preliminary Hearings** - An adversary preliminary hearing is a proceeding in which a judge considers evidence presented to determine whether there is sufficient cause to hold the accused for trial.



**Circuit Criminal ♦ Other Statistics**

**CIRCUIT CRIMINAL CLEARANCE RATES**  
**by Circuit**  
**FY 2022-23**

<b>Circuit</b>	<b>Filings</b>	<b>Dispositions</b>	<b>Clearance Rates</b>
<b>1</b>	9,684	10,087	104.2%
<b>2</b>	4,014	4,560	113.6%
<b>3</b>	2,390	2,216	92.7%
<b>4</b>	8,760	8,656	98.8%
<b>5</b>	10,801	11,380	105.4%
<b>6</b>	13,528	13,685	101.2%
<b>7</b>	9,281	9,333	100.6%
<b>8</b>	4,272	4,197	98.2%
<b>9</b>	10,421	9,611	92.2%
<b>10</b>	9,020	10,018	111.1%
<b>11</b>	12,726	13,148	103.3%
<b>12</b>	6,136	6,297	102.6%
<b>13</b>	12,226	11,057	90.4%
<b>14</b>	6,101	6,989	114.6%
<b>15</b>	6,678	6,722	100.7%
<b>16</b>	1,121	1,228	109.5%
<b>17</b>	8,470	9,357	110.5%
<b>18</b>	7,511	6,748	89.8%
<b>19</b>	5,230	5,555	106.2%
<b>20</b>	7,637	7,396	96.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>156,007</b>	<b>158,240</b>	<b>101.4%</b>

### CIRCUIT CRIMINAL SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS by Circuit FY 2022-23

Circuit	Reopenings	No Files	Appeal Filed From County Court*	Post Conviction Relief Motions	Probation Revocation Hearings	Bond Hearings	Adversary Preliminary Hearings	Total
1	6,031	1,023	12	362	3,972	688	9	12,097
2	1,172	554	1	102	1,351	31	0	3,211
3	558	580	3	106	1,556	444	51	3,298
4	1,016	4,716	30	136	1,877	409	5	8,189
5	6,040	2,668	7	380	3,121	500	2	12,718
6	3,570	3,810	45	273	3,300	6,233	599	17,830
7	2,550	2,385	16	174	4,143	230	4	9,502
8	1,596	1,817	12	84	2,175	1,694	0	7,378
9	3,512	7,368	16	199	2,599	7	2	13,703
10	7,418	1,734	19	467	3,687	376	17	13,718
11	1,851	9,320	0	219	4,777	7,796	28	23,991
12	4,715	1,258	3	149	3,168	1,193	19	10,505
13	729	3,250	0	1	4,188	412	0	8,580
14	984	423	4	264	3,190	429	0	5,294
15	3,668	3,951	1	117	1,392	843	4	9,976
16	0	167	0	0	543	8	0	718
17	638	0	0	135	3,244	1,415	17	5,449
18	3,978	1,797	13	241	1,541	561	13	8,144
19	2,901	1,213	20	72	1,201	241	0	5,648
20	2,230	2,145	8	131	3,138	502	2	8,156
<b>Total</b>	<b>55,157</b>	<b>50,179</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>3,612</b>	<b>54,163</b>	<b>24,012</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>188,105</b>

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