

Table 4.3. Dispositions by U.S. magistrates, October 1, 2006-September 30, 2007

Most serious offense charged	Defendants in criminal cases concluded by U.S. magistrates			
	Total	Convicted	Not convicted	Percent convicted
All offenses	10,184	6,535	3,649	64.2 %
Violent offenses*	371	199	172	53.6 %
Assault	363	193	170	53.2
Robbery	4	2	2	^
Sexual abuse	4	4	0	^
Property offenses	2,946	2,146	800	72.8 %
Fraudulent	1,388	1,273	115	91.7
Embezzlement	67	60	7	89.6
Fraud	1,303	1,200	103	92.1
Forgery	7	3	4	^
Counterfeiting	11	10	1	90.9
Other	1,558	873	685	56
Burglary	1	0	1	^
Larceny	1,367	763	604	55.8
Arson and explosives	12	12	0	100
Other property offenses	178	98	80	55.1
Drug offenses	1,295	799	496	61.7 %
Trafficking	130	67	63	51.5
Possession and other drug offenses	1,165	732	433	62.8
Public-order offenses	5,361	3,216	2,145	60 %
Regulatory	412	307	105	74.5
Agriculture	1	1	0	^
Food and drug	22	20	2	90.9
Transportation	25	24	1	96
Civil rights	6	6	0	^
Communications	6	6	0	^
Customs laws	5	5	0	^
Postal laws	58	53	5	91.4
Other regulatory offenses	289	192	97	66.4
Other	4,949	2,909	2,040	58.8
Tax law violations	55	53	2	96.4
Bribery	2	2	0	^
Perjury, contempt, and intimidation	13	12	1	92.3
National defense	39	24	15	61.5
Escape	32	13	19	40.6
Racketeering and extortion	2	2	0	^
Non-violent sex offenses	5	3	2	^
Wildlife	222	196	26	88.3
Environmental	7	5	2	^
Traffic offenses	4,107	2,378	1,729	57.9
Liquor offenses	2	2	0	^
All other offenses	463	219	244	47.3
Weapon offenses	59	38	21	64.4 %
Immigration offenses	152	137	15	90.1 %

Note: In this table "Sexual abuse" includes only violent sex offenses; "Fraud" excludes tax fraud; "Larceny" excludes transportation of stolen property; "Other property offenses" exclude fraudulent property offenses and include destruction of property and trespassing; "Tax law violations" include tax fraud; and "All other offenses" include offenses with unclassifiable offense type.

^ Too few cases to obtain statistically reliable data.

*May include some nonviolent offenses.

Source: Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts criminal master file, fiscal year.