

Table 5.4
U.S. District Courts—Criminal Non-Felony Defendants Disposed of, by Method of Disposition,
During the 12-Month Periods Ending June 30, 1990, and September 30, 1995 Through 2025

Fiscal Year	Total Defendants	Not Convicted					Convicted and Sentenced				
		Total	Percent of Total Defendants	Dismissed	Acquitted by		Total	Percent of Total Defendants	Plea of Guilty ¹	Convicted by	
					Bench Trial	Jury Trial				Bench Trial	Jury Trial
2025	13,689	1,452	11	1,440	5	7	12,237	89	12,190	38	9
2020	4,555	1,627	36	1,614	11	2	2,928	64	2,896	23	9
2015	10,604	3,400	32	3,364	30	6	7,204	68	7,136	47	21
2010	12,411	3,246	26	3,185	53	8	9,165	74	9,017	131	17
2005	10,080	2,927	29	2,870	51	6	7,153	71	7,009	121	23
1995	54,980	8,207	15	7,112	482	613	46,773	85	43,103	467	3,203
1990 ²	56,519	9,794	17	8,193	630	971	46,725	83	40,452	1,063	5,210

Note: Due to a change in methodology, numbers for years prior to 2015 may not match numbers previously published in this table.

¹ Includes nolo contendere cases.

² Twelve-month period ending June 30.

Source: Table D-4, *Annual Report of the Director: Judicial Business of the United States Courts*.