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Adult perpetrators of criminal offences, 2020

In this statistical release, the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia publishes the basic data on criminal offences of adult perpetrators in 2020: reported, accused and convicted adults by sorts of criminal offences, sex, age and criminal sanctions. Data are collected in regular statistical surveys based on individual questionnaires completed by the competent Basic / Senior Public Prosecutor's Offices and the relevant Basic / Higher courts. Aiming at complete coverage of the phenomena, presented are the main indicators for the period 2016-2020.

In the Republic of Serbia, in 2020, the procedure upon criminal reports was completed for 74 394 adult perpetrators of criminal offenses, which is by 20% less than in 2019. 25 487 adult persons were convicted, which is by 9% less when compared to the previous year. In 2020, the largest number of criminal offenses for which adult persons were legally convicted concerned criminal offenses against property (25.6%), marriage and family (14.3%), and human health (19.4%). Eight persons were sentenced to 30-40-year imprisonment. The prison sentence made up 24.1% of all sentences, and the conditional sentence (imprisonment) made up 55.6%.

1. Adult perpetrators of criminal offences, 2016–2020

	Total number					Indices				
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	<u>2017</u> 2016	<u>2018</u> 2017	<u>2019</u> 2018	<u>2020</u> 2019	<u>2020</u> 2016
Crime reports										
REPUBLIC OF SERBIA	96237	90348	92874	92797	74394	94	103	100	80	77
Perpetrator known	67089	61767	63903	64695	51863	92	103	101	80	77
Perpetrator unknown	29148	28581	28971	28102	22531	98	101	97	80	77
Accused										
Republic of Serbia	39610	37752	35146	32360	29389	95	93	92	91	74
Convictions										
Republic of Serbia	32525	31759	29750	28112	25487	98	94	94	91	78

2. Crime reports against adult perpetrators, by sorts of criminal offences, 2016–2020

Republic of Serbia

	2016		2017		2018		2019		2020	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	96237	100	90348	100	92874	100	92797	100	74394	100
Criminal offences against life and limb	3451	3.6	3278	3.6	3084	3.3	3064	3.3	2482	3.3
Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights	4046	4.2	4052	4.5	4264	4.6	4390	4.7	3643	4.9
Criminal offences against honour and reputation	41	0	37	0	65	0.1	43	0	52	0.1
Criminal offences against sexual freedom	367	0.4	338	0.4	435	0.5	498	0.5	411	0.6
Criminal offences against family and marriage	10190	10.6	10561	11.7	10729	11.6	10063	10.8	8208	11
Criminal offences against property	44000	45.7	40443	44.8	40595	43.7	38713	41.7	29787	40
Criminal offences against economy	3333	3.5	2939	3.3	2767	3	2461	2.7	1814	2.4
Criminal offences against human health	3687	3.8	4574	5.1	5546	6	6693	7.2	7328	9.9
Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property	1220	1.3	1135	1.3	1285	1.4	1291	1.4	1010	1.4
Criminal offences against safety of public traffic	7805	8.1	7724	8.5	8437	9.1	8701	9.4	7302	9.8
Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia	62	0.1	13	0	28	0	34	0	32	0
Criminal offences against jurisdiction	1039	1.1	994	1.1	974	1	1048	1.1	892	1.2
Criminal offences against public peace and order	3201	3.3	2882	3.2	3167	3.4	3154	3.4	2512	3.4
Criminal offences against legal transactions	2966	3.1	2436	2.7	3150	3.4	3236	3.5	2389	3.2
Criminal offences against official duty	2764	2.9	2612	2.9	1815	2	1429	1.5	1384	1.9
Other criminal offences	8065	8.4	6330	7	6533	7	7979	8.6	5148	6.9

3. Accused adult perpetrators, by sorts of criminal offences, 2016–2020

Republic of Serbia

	2016		2017		2018		2019		2020	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	39610	100	37752	100	35146	100	32360	100	29389	100
Criminal offences against life and limb	2577	6.5	2468	6.5	2173	6.2	1736	5.4	1643	5.6
Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights	1327	3.4	1220	3.2	1394	4	1254	3.9	1122	3.8
Criminal offences against honour and reputation	1137	2.9	1019	2.7	1062	3	828	2.6	693	2.4
Criminal offences against sexual freedom	266	0.7	227	0.6	217	0.6	286	0.9	249	0.8
Criminal offences against family and marriage	4230	10.7	4937	13.1	5216	14.8	4666	14.4	4161	14.2
Criminal offences against property	13017	32.9	11846	31.4	10050	28.6	8879	27.4	7440	25.3
Criminal offences against economy	2375	6.0	2015	5.3	1683	4.8	1345	4.2	1166	4
Criminal offences against human health	3446	8.7	3824	10.1	4300	12.2	4688	14.5	5133	17.5
Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property	356	0.9	292	0.8	275	0.8	242	0.7	225	0.8
Criminal offences against safety of public traffic	2518	6.4	2492	6.6	2162	6.2	2299	7.1	2070	7
Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia	45	0.1	19	0.1	7	0	16	0	11	0
Criminal offences against jurisdiction	267	0.7	198	0.5	198	0.6	217	0.7	212	0.7
Criminal offences against public peace and order	2274	5.7	2142	5.7	2208	6.3	1753	5.4	1608	5.5
Criminal offences against legal transactions	1148	2.9	1102	2.9	1022	2.9	1130	3.5	1101	3.7
Criminal offences against official duty	867	2.2	800	2.1	779	2.2	582	1.8	515	1.8
Other criminal offences	3760	9.5	3151	8.3	2400	6.8	2439	7.5	2040	6.9

4. Convicted adult perpetrators, by sorts of criminal offences, 2016–2020

Republic of Serbia

	2016		2017		2018		2019		2020	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	32525	100	31759	100	29750	100	28112	100	25487	100
Criminal offences against life and limb	1935	5.9	1913	6	1691	5.7	1403	5	1320	5.2
Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights	972	3	934	2.9	1090	3.7	1027	3.7	888	3.5
Criminal offences against honour and reputation	468	1.4	402	1.3	399	1.3	364	1.3	299	1.2
Criminal offences against sexual freedom	204	0.6	189	0.6	188	0.6	251	0.9	210	0.8
Criminal offences against family and marriage	3766	11.6	4400	13.9	4661	15.7	4173	14.8	3650	14.3
Criminal offences against property	11302	34.7	10307	32.5	8807	29.6	7877	28	6519	25.6
Criminal offences against economy	1592	4.9	1448	4.6	1144	3.8	1008	3.6	842	3.3
Criminal offences against human health	3234	9.9	3660	11.5	4127	13.9	4520	16.1	4934	19.4
Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property	241	0.7	227	0.7	212	0.7	191	0.7	185	0.7
Criminal offences against safety of public traffic	2176	6.7	2250	7.1	1974	6.6	2134	7.6	1917	7.5
Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia	36	0.1	17	0.1	6	0	7	0	9	0
Criminal offences against jurisdiction	155	0.5	127	0.4	149	0.5	172	0.6	167	0.7
Criminal offences against public peace and order	1871	5.8	1774	5.6	1889	6.3	1489	5.3	1420	5.6
Criminal offences against legal transactions	873	2.7	902	2.8	883	3	940	3.3	992	3.9
Criminal offences against official duty	489	1.5	490	1.5	466	1.6	423	1.5	355	1.4
Other criminal offences	3211	9.9	2719	8.6	2064	6.9	2133	7.6	1780	7

5. Convicted adult perpetrators, by age and sex, 2016–2020

Republic of Serbia

		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020	
		Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total		32525	100	31759	100	29750	100	28112	100	25487	100
18 - 20 years	Females	3048	100	2913	100	2968	100	2826	100	2750	100
	All	2630	8.1	2410	7.6	2396	8.1	2166	7.7	1917	7.5
21 - 24 years	Females	133	4.4	123	4.2	136	4.6	148	5.2	127	4.6
	All	4032	12.4	3871	12.2	3646	12.3	3487	12.4	3065	12
25 - 29 years	Females	235	7.7	255	8.8	232	7.8	242	8.6	249	9.1
	All	4889	15	4528	14.3	4102	13.8	3761	13.4	3493	13.7
30 - 39 years	Females	355	11.6	323	11.1	362	12.2	325	11.5	325	11.8
	All	8910	27.4	8782	27.7	8269	27.8	7734	27.5	6880	27
40 - 49 years	Females	893	29.3	822	28.2	812	27.4	783	27.7	775	28.2
	All	5689	17.5	5830	18.4	5421	18.2	5194	18.5	4734	18.6
50 - 59 years	Females	672	22	652	22.4	667	22.5	593	21	563	20.5
	All	3935	12.1	3790	11.9	3416	11.5	3223	11.5	2877	11.3
60 years and over	Females	451	14.8	422	14.5	408	13.7	432	15.3	373	13.6
	All	2294	7.1	2370	7.5	2335	7.8	2328	8.3	2279	8.9
Unknown	Females	294	9.6	295	10.1	326	11	277	9.8	295	10.7
	All	146	0.4	178	0.6	165	0.6	219	0.8	242	0.9
	Females	15	0.5	21	0.7	25	0.8	26	0.9	43	1.6

6. Convicted adult perpetrators, by pronounced criminal sanctions, 2016–2020

Republic of Serbia

	2016		2017		2018		2019		2020	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	32525	100	31759	100	29750	100	28112	100	25487	100
Prison	9419	29	8220	25.9	7408	24.9	6772	24.1	6150	24.1
40 years	5	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	-	-
30 to 40 years	9	0	11	0	7	0	4	0	8	0
Over 15 to 20	22	0.1	18	0.1	12	0	13	0	14	0.1
10–15	49	0.2	38	0.1	29	0.1	36	0.1	50	0.2
5–10	191	0.6	156	0.5	125	0.4	150	0.5	138	0.5
3–5	707	2.2	628	2	616	2.1	589	2.1	480	1.9
2–3	930	2.9	770	2.4	753	2.5	798	2.8	631	2.5
1–2 years	1520	4.7	1448	4.6	1256	4.2	1293	4.6	1137	4.5
Over 6 - 12 months	2424	7.5	2199	6.9	1860	6.3	1664	5.9	1562	6.1
3–6	2269	7	2000	6.3	1835	6.2	1498	5.3	1481	5.8
2–3	965	3	757	2.4	687	2.3	586	2.1	511	2
Up to 2 months	328	1	193	0.6	225	0.8	137	0.5	138	0.5
Fine	2581	7.9	2731	8.6	2628	8.8	2581	9.2	2683	10.5
Conditional sentence - prison	17541	53.9	17948	56.5	16880	56.7	16093	57.2	14179	55.6
In house arrest	1858	5.7	2122	6.7	2205	7.4	2092	7.4	2113	8.3
Judicial admonition	676	2.1	302	1	252	0.8	250	0.9	136	0.5
Educational measures	47	0.1	38	0.1	56	0.2	49	0.2	46	0.2
Pronounced guilty but acquitted of punishment	72	0.2	46	0.1	46	0.2	62	0.2	53	0.2
Public utility work	329	1	348	1.1	275	0.9	209	0.7	123	0.5
Withdrawal of driving license	2	0	4	0	-	-	4	0	4	0

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2020

	Republic of Serbia					
	Total	Srbija – sever		Srbija – jug		
		Beogradski region	Region Vojvodine	Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije	Region Južne i Istočne Srbije	Region Kosovo i Metohija
TOTAL	74394	16573	20312	19177	18332	...
Criminal offences against life and limb	2482	388	653	686	755	...
Murder	123	32	38	40	13	...
Aggravated murder	78	33	12	15	18	...
Manslaughter in the heat of passion	2	-	1	-	1	...
Infanticide on childbirth	3	1	1	1	-	...
Negligent homicide	4	-	2	-	2	...
Inciting and assisting suicide	1	-	-	-	1	...
Illegal termination of pregnancy	3	-	1	-	2	...
Serious bodily harm	805	144	209	257	195	...
Light bodily harm	1154	160	282	286	426	...
Brawling	151	10	45	45	51	...
Imperilling with serious weapons in brawls or quarrels	147	5	59	40	43	...
Abandonment of a helpless person	5	1	2	1	1	...
Failure to render help	6	2	1	1	2	...
Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights	3643	526	913	1033	1171	...
Violation of equality	5	1	1	2	1	...
Violation of the right to use a language of alphabet	8	-	-	8	-	...
Violation of the right to free expression of national or ethnic affiliation	1	-	-	-	1	...
Affiliation freedom of religion and performing religious service	2	1	1	-	-	...
Unlawful deprivation of liberty	84	27	18	17	22	...
Violation of freedom of movement and residence	6	-	-	5	1	...
Kidnapping	22	2	15	2	3	...
Coercion	70	17	23	15	15	...
Extortion of confession	23	2	-	4	17	...
Maltreatment and torture	345	61	107	72	105	...
Persecution	382	44	125	126	87	...
Endangerment of safety	2578	345	602	763	868	...
Infringement of inviolability of home	21	5	5	2	9	...
Unauthorized disclosure of secrets	5	5	-	-	-	...
Violation of the secrecy of letters and other consignments	8	2	-	2	4	...
Unauthorised telephone tapping and recording	4	2	-	-	2	...

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2020 (continued)

	Republic of Serbia						
	Total	Srbija – sever		Srbija – jug			
		Beogradski region	Region Vojvodine	Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije	Region Južne i Istočne Srbije		Region Kosovo i Metohija
Unauthorized photography	21	5	4	6	6	...	
Unauthorised publishing and display of someone else's manuscript, portrait or recording	11	1	3	3	4	...	
Unauthorised collection of personal data	24	4	7	2	11	...	
Violation of the right to submit legal remedies	11	-	1	3	7	...	
Prevention of printing and distribution of printed materials and broadcasting	5	-	-	-	5	...	
Prevention of public assembly	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Prevention of political, trade union and other organisation and action	6	2	1	-	3	...	
Criminal offences against electoral rights	24	2	6	5	11	...	
Violation of the right to vote	5	-	5	-	-	...	
Giving and accepting bribes in connection with voting	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Compiling of inaccurate voters' lists	1	-	-	-	1	...	
Prevention of voting	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Falsifying results of voting	10	-	-	-	10	...	
Compiling inaccurate electoral documentation	6	2	1	3	-	...	
Criminal offences against labour law	128	11	26	21	70	...	
Violation of labour rights and social security rights	114	8	26	20	60	...	
Violation of the right to employment and during unemployment	1	-	-	-	1	...	
Violation of the right to manage	2	-	-	-	2	...	
Abuse of the right to strike	7	-	-	-	7	...	
Abuse of the right to social security benefits	1	1	-	-	-	...	
Disregard of safety measures at work	3	2	-	1	-	...	
Criminal offences against honour and reputation	52	8	15	9	20	...	
Insult	23	5	6	4	8	...	
Disclosure of personal and family matters	11	3	2	2	4	...	
Disparaging the reputation of Serbia	6	-	-	-	6	...	
Ruining the reputation of racial, religious, national or other affiliation	3	-	3	-	-	...	
Ruining the reputation of a foreign country or international organisation	9	-	4	3	2	...	
Criminal offences against sexual freedom	411	75	138	104	94	...	
Rape	44	3	14	14	13	...	
Sexual intercourse with a helpless person	14	4	6	4	-	...	
Sexual intercourse with a child	21	3	6	5	7	...	
Sexual intercourse through abuse of position	7	1	4	2	-	...	
Prohibited sexual acts	114	18	36	32	28	...	
Sexual harassment	166	22	60	43	41	...	
Pimping and procuring	1	-	-	-	1	...	
Mediation in prostitution	14	4	7	1	2	...	
Showing, procuring and possessing pornographic materials and exploitation of a minor for pornography	29	20	5	3	1	...	
Abuse of computer networks and other methods of electronic communication to commit criminal offences against sexual freedom of minors	1	-	-	-	1	...	
Criminal offences against family and marriage	8207	565	2476	2296	2870	...	
Bigamy	2	-	1	1	-	...	
Cohabitation with a minor	118	5	43	31	39	...	
Taking away of a minor	274	35	82	76	81	...	
Change of family status	52	50	-	1	1	...	
Neglecting and abusing of a minor	117	6	52	21	38	...	
Domestic violence	5932	340	1699	1640	2253	...	
Failure to pay alimony	1695	129	592	523	451	...	
Breach of family duties	16	-	7	3	6	...	
Incest	1	-	-	-	1	...	
Criminal offences against intellectual property	66	9	5	26	26	...	
Violation of moral rights of authors and performers	14	2	-	10	2	...	
Unauthorised use of copyrighted work or other work protected by similar right	28	7	2	8	11	...	
Violation of patent right	2	-	2	-	-	...	
Unauthorised usage of another's design	22	-	1	8	13	...	

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2020 (continued)

	Republic of Serbia						
	Total	Srbija – sever		Srbija – jug			
		Beogradski region	Region Vojvodine	Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije	Region Južne i Istočne Srbije		Region Kosovo i Metohija
Criminal offences against property	29788	8918	8573	6777	5520	...	
Theft	14173	4163	4460	2980	2570	...	
Aggravated theft	7893	2680	2307	1715	1191	...	
Grand larceny	53	27	9	6	11	...	
Robbery	715	332	194	85	104	...	
Embezzlement	1619	143	403	653	420	...	
Fraud	2421	574	607	660	580	...	
Obtaining and using credit and other benefits under false pretences	41	9	6	9	17	...	
Petty theft, embezzlement and fraud	369	174	78	69	48	...	
Appropriation of someone else's property	39	2	25	8	4	...	
Destroying and damaging someone else's property	783	202	156	229	196	...	
Unauthorised use of someone else's vehicle	617	347	76	103	91	...	
Extortion	139	30	30	32	47	...	
Blackmail	66	11	24	19	12	...	
Abuse of trust	117	16	36	35	30	...	
Usury	33	1	13	8	11	...	
Squatting	133	16	69	30	18	...	
Illicit moving in	47	7	15	9	16	...	
Connecting a facility built without a building permit to utilities	7	-	1	6	-	...	
Construction with no building permit	338	136	34	83	85	...	
Infringement of someone else's rights	32	2	2	12	16	...	
Unauthorized transfer of cultural assets to a foreign country	4	-	2	-	2	...	
Reset	149	46	26	26	51	...	
Criminal offences against economy	1814	400	475	515	424	...	
Fraud in performing an economic activity	23	2	1	17	3	...	
Insurance fraud	15	1	14	-	-	...	
Embezzlement in performing economic activity	74	27	-	36	11	...	
Abuse of trust in performing an economic activity	3	2	-	1	-	...	
Tax evasion	574	57	141	167	209	...	
Unpaid withholding tax	20	-	2	2	16	...	
Misfeasance in business by responsible person	152	36	36	62	18	...	
Abuse regarding public procurement	18	3	-	7	8	...	
Abuse in a privatisation process	3	3	-	-	-	...	
Conclusion of a restrictive agreement	4	-	3	-	1	...	
Accepting bribe in performing an economic activity	6	-	1	5	-	...	
Giving bribe in performing an economic activity	2	1	-	1	-	...	
Causing false bankruptcy	2	-	-	2	-	...	
Causing bankruptcy	3	1	-	2	-	...	
Damaging creditors	19	1	8	9	1	...	
Illegal production	46	9	16	15	6	...	
Illegal trade	189	51	66	41	31	...	
Smuggling	13	-	1	2	10	...	
Preventing control	7	-	2	4	1	...	
Unauthorized usage of business name of another or other particular marks of goods and services	67	6	30	8	23	...	
Damaging business reputation and credit rating	4	-	-	1	3	...	
Money counterfeiting	86	7	11	51	17	...	
Securities counterfeiting	8	1	2	3	2	...	
Payment cards counterfeiting and abuse	425	177	129	78	41	...	
Counterfeiting symbols for marking goods, measures, weights and articles of precious metals	5	3	-	-	2	...	
Value tokens counterfeiting	2	-	2	-	-	...	
Money laundering	32	7	5	1	19	...	
Issuing of uncovered cheques and using uncovered credit cards	2	-	-	-	2	...	
Abusing authority in Economy	9	4	5	-	-	...	
Abuse of authority of economy Deceiving buyers	1	1	-	-	-	...	
Criminal offences against human's health	7329	2015	1902	1934	1478	...	
Unlawful possession of narcotics	4917	1481	1218	1311	907	...	
Unlawful production and circulation of narcotics	1336	427	422	259	228	...	
Facilitating the taking of narcotics	61	10	24	13	14	...	
Failure to act pursuant to health regulations during epidemic	880	88	200	324	268	...	
Transmitting contagious diseases	8	-	1	1	6	...	
Medical malpractice	65	1	9	11	44	...	
Illegal conduct of medical experiments and testing of medicaments	9	1	-	8	-	...	

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2020 (continued)

	Republic of Serbia						
	Total	Srbija – sever		Srbija – jug			
		Beogradski region	Region Vojvodine	Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije	Region Južne i Istočne Srbije		Region Kosovo i Metohija
Failure to provide medical assistance	5	2	-	-	3	...	
Quackery	6	2	-	-	4	...	
Malpractice in preparing and issuing medicaments/products	2	-	1	-	1	...	
Production and putting into circulation of harmful	35	3	26	4	2	...	
Pollution of drinking water and foodstuffs	5	-	1	3	1	...	
Criminal offences against environment	2153	151	242	636	1124	...	
Environmental pollution	20	5	3	11	1	...	
Failure to undertake environmental protection measures	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Damaging the environment	5	-	-	5	-	...	
Destroying, damaging and taking abroad or in Serbia a protected natural asset	11	-	5	2	4	...	
Bringing dangerous substances into Serbia and unlawful processing, depositing stockpiling dangerous substances	10	3	3	1	3	...	
Killing and cruelty to animals	192	31	52	58	51	...	
Malpractice in veterinary services	2	-	1	-	1	...	
Contamination of drinking water and feed for animals	1	-	-	-	1	...	
Forests devastation	61	7	2	28	24	...	
Forest theft	1745	100	147	498	1000	...	
Poaching game	85	5	18	30	32	...	
Poaching fish	20	-	11	2	7	...	
Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property	1010	281	269	243	217	...	
Causing general danger	816	220	247	190	159	...	
Destroying and damaging public infrastructure	145	47	16	34	48	...	
Causing danger by failing to ensure occupational safety measures	14	5	-	7	2	...	
Construction work which does not comply with regulations and standards	12	3	1	6	2	...	
Damage to dams, embankments and water supply facilities	6	-	2	-	4	...	
Destroying, damaging and removing danger warning signs	3	1	-	1	1	...	
Abuse of telecommunication signals	4	1	-	2	1	...	
Failure to eliminate danger	3	2	-	1	-	...	
Unauthorised handling of explosives and flammable materials	1	1	-	-	-	...	
Unlawful acquiring nuclear materials and endangering safety	6	1	3	2	-	...	
Criminal offences against safety of public traffic	7302	1851	2274	1827	1350	...	
Public traffic endangering	7271	1849	2257	1819	1346	...	
Endangering traffic by dangerous acts and dangerous means	8	-	4	3	1	...	
Improper supervision of public traffic	5	-	1	3	1	...	
Failure to render aid to a person injured in a traffic accident	18	2	12	2	2	...	
Criminal offences against safety of computer data	14	4	4	4	2	...	
Damaging computer data and programmes	4	-	4	-	-	...	
Computer fraud	2	-	-	1	1	...	
Unauthorised access to secured computer, computer network and electronic data processing	7	4	-	2	1	...	
Unauthorised use of computers or computer network	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia	32	6	15	10	1	...	
Instigating national, racial and religious hatred and intolerance	28	3	15	9	1	...	
Attack against the constitutional order	4	3	-	1	-	...	
Criminal offences against government authorities	1560	78	234	539	709	...	
Preventing an official in discharge of duty	71	4	5	31	31	...	
Attack on an official in discharge of duty	202	32	55	75	40	...	
Participating in a group preventing an official in performance of duty	2	2	-	-	-	...	
Inciting to resistance	1	-	1	-	-	...	
Removal and destroying of an official stamp and sign	388	3	37	46	302	...	
Seizure and destruction of official seal and document	18	3	8	4	3	...	
Impersonation	35	11	7	12	5	...	
Vigilantism	843	23	121	371	328	...	

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2020 (continued)

	Republic of Serbia						
	Total	Srbija – sever		Srbija – jug			
		Beogradski region	Region Vojvodine	Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije	Region Južne i Istočne Srbije		Region Kosovo i Metohija
Criminal offences against jurisdiction	892	88	234	239	331	...	
Failure to report preparation of a criminal offence	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Failure to report a criminal offence and perpetrator	24	3	14	3	4	...	
Accessory after the act	25	6	11	7	1	...	
False reporting	370	36	90	106	138	...	
Perjury	296	23	76	79	118	...	
Obstruction of justice	39	3	8	17	11	...	
Unauthorized public comment on court proceedings	2	-	2	-	-	...	
Preventing and obstructing proof	57	5	10	13	29	...	
Violation of proceedings confidentiality	8	-	4	-	4	...	
Failure to enforce a decision	44	8	6	10	20	...	
Violation of imposed security measure	20	4	12	1	3	...	
Unlawful facilitation of engagement in particular professions, functions, duties, tasks and activities	3	-	-	-	3	...	
Quasi notary	3	-	1	2	-	...	
Criminal offences against public peace and order	2512	521	502	686	803	...	
Causing panic and disorder	34	10	12	4	8	...	
Violent behaviour	990	182	125	325	358	...	
Violent behaviour at sports events	77	17	14	18	28	...	
Conspiracy to commit a crime	3	-	2	-	1	...	
Alliance to commit crime	78	77	1	-	-	...	
Unauthorized manufacture, possession and trafficking of firearms and explosives	900	156	222	253	269	...	
Participating in a group committing crime	9	3	3	-	3	...	
Illegal state border crossing and human smuggling	131	62	22	13	34	...	
Abuse of warning signs and signs for help	2	-	2	-	-	...	
Illegal organization of lottery	110	6	51	15	38	...	
Illegal archaeological works	14	-	5	4	5	...	
Illegal engagement in particular activity	104	7	26	28	43	...	
Desecration of grave	60	1	17	26	16	...	
Criminal offences against legal transactions	2389	378	782	538	691	...	
Document counterfeiting	1354	234	304	371	445	...	
Particular cases of document counterfeiting	451	41	254	53	103	...	
Official document counterfeiting	181	13	39	47	82	...	
Incitement to certification of false content	403	90	185	67	61	...	
Criminal offences against official duty	1384	153	234	664	333	...	
Abuse of power	397	89	40	220	48	...	
Violation of law by a judge, public prosecutor and his deputy	699	1	145	346	207	...	
Derelection of duty	61	2	7	42	10	...	
Spending funds from the budget for a purpose other than designated	10	1	-	7	2	...	
Unlawful collection and payment	11	10	-	-	1	...	
Fraud in service	9	-	3	2	4	...	
Embezzlement	60	20	6	22	12	...	
Unauthorized use	9	2	1	6	-	...	
Trading in influence	14	6	-	6	2	...	
Passive bribery	72	11	12	7	42	...	
Active bribery	42	11	20	6	5	...	
Criminal offences against humanity and other properties protected by international law	106	47	20	12	27	...	
War crime against civilian population	17	17	-	-	-	...	
War crime against prisoners of war	2	2	-	-	-	...	
Unlawful manufacture, trade in and keeping of prohibited weapons	1	-	-	-	1	...	
Racial and other discrimination	3	2	1	-	-	...	
Human trafficking	77	25	17	9	26	...	
Trafficking of minors in adoption	6	1	2	3	-	...	
Criminal offences against the Army of Serbia	6	-	1	5	-	...	
Evasion of military service	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Maltreating of subordinate or junior	1	-	-	1	-	...	
Failure to undertake measures for security of a military unit	2	-	-	2	-	...	
Unauthorized access to military facilities	2	-	1	1	-	...	
Other criminal offences (particular laws)	1090	98	319	368	305	...	

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2020

	Total	Prison	Fine	Conditional sentence	In house arrest	Public utility work and withdrawal of driving license	Judicial warning	Educational measures	Pronounced guilty but acquitted of punishment
REPUBLIC OF SERBIA	25487	6150	2683	14179	2113	127	136	46	53
Criminal offences against life and limb	1320	333	143	732	86	7	14	4	1
Murder	58	57	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Aggravated murder	28	27	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Manslaughter in the heat of passion	3	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Infanticide	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Negligent homicide	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inciting and assisting suicide	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Illegal termination of pregnancy	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Serious bodily harm	464	129	4	274	54	-	-	2	1
Light bodily harm	633	108	108	376	25	6	10	-	-
Brawling	58	6	12	37	2	1	-	-	-
Imperilling with serious weapons in brawls or quarrels	68	3	19	42	1	-	3	-	-
Endangerment	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Abandonment of a helpless person	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Failure to render help	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights	888	174	98	532	70	7	5	1	1
Violation of the freedom of religion and performing religious service	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Unlawful deprivation of liberty	25	12	-	12	1	-	-	-	-
Kidnapping	6	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Coercion	21	2	5	12	2	-	-	-	-
Extortion of confession	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Maltreatment and torture	60	19	2	34	3	2	-	-	-
Persecution	110	16	17	68	9	-	-	-	-
Endangerment of safety	654	120	73	395	54	5	5	1	1
Infringement of inviolability of home	3	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of the secrecy of letters and other consignments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unauthorized photography	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Unauthorized publishing and display of someone else's manuscript, portrait or recording	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Unauthorized collection of personal data	3	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-
Prevention of printing and distribution of printed materials and broadcasting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against electoral rights	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Prevention of voting	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against labour law	14	1	2	11	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of labour rights and social security rights	9	-	2	7	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of the right to employment and during unemployment	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of the right to management	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Abuse of the right to strike	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abuse of the right from social insurance scheme	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against honour and reputation	299	-	253	2	-	2	33	-	9
Insult	290	-	246	1	-	2	32	-	9
Defamation	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disclosure of personal and family matters	6	-	4	1	-	-	1	-	-
Ruining the reputation of the Republic of Serbia	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ruining the reputation of a foreign state or international organization	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against sexual freedom	210	102	6	69	32	-	-	1	-
Rape	24	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sexual intercourse with a helpless person	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sexual intercourse with a child	19	18	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sexual intercourse through abuse of position	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prohibited sexual acts	66	29	3	24	10	-	-	-	-

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2020

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	Total	Prison	Fine	Conditional sentence	In house arrest	Public utility work and withdrawal of driving license	Judicial warning	Educational measures	Pronounced guilty but acquitted of punishment
Sexual harassment	60	14	3	31	12	-	-	-	-
Mediation in prostitution	17	4	-	9	4	-	-	-	-
Showing, procuring and possession of pornographic material and juvenile pornography	17	6	-	5	6	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against family and marriage	3650	815	60	2529	210	21	6	3	6
Cohabitation with a minor	40	2	-	36	1	1	-	-	-
Taking away of a minor	46	1	7	36	1	-	1	-	-
Neglecting and abusing of a minor	37	6	-	28	3	-	-	-	-
Domestic violence	2337	669	6	1508	138	12	1	3	-
Failure to pay alimony	1184	135	47	917	67	8	4	-	6
Breach of family duties	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Incest	4	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against intellectual property	17	2	1	13	1	-	-	-	-
Violation of moral rights of authors and performers	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Unauthorised use of copyrighted work or other work protected by similar right	9	-	-	8	1	-	-	-	-
Unauthorised removal or altering electronic information on copyright and related rights	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of patent right	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Unauthorised usage of another's design	4	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against property	6519	2479	373	3049	537	45	16	15	5
Theft	2767	789	224	1532	174	39	1	5	3
Aggravated theft	1867	1060	5	593	206	-	-	3	-
Grand larceny	29	16	-	5	7	-	-	1	-
Robbery	327	261	-	9	49	-	-	6	2
Embezzlement	171	11	26	117	9	-	8	-	-
Fraud	642	203	24	357	58	-	-	-	-
Obtaining and using credit and other benefits under false pretences	9	-	1	8	-	-	-	-	-
Petty theft, embezzlement and fraud	41	9	8	15	4	3	2	-	-
Appropriation of someone else's property	4	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-
Destroying and damaging someone else's property	68	5	20	37	2	-	4	-	-
Unauthorised use of someone else's vehicle	144	60	23	51	9	1	-	-	-
Extortion	38	21	-	12	5	-	-	-	-
Blackmail	16	5	-	10	1	-	-	-	-
Abuse of trust	12	2	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Usury	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Squatting	18	-	6	12	-	-	-	-	-
Construction with no building permit	211	16	8	185	2	-	-	-	-
Connecting a facility built without a building permit to utilities	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Illicit moving in	28	3	-	24	1	-	-	-	-
Infringement of someone else's rights	15	-	5	9	1	-	-	-	-
Unauthorised export and import of a cultural good	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Reset	109	18	22	58	8	2	1	-	-
Criminal offences against economy	842	142	57	515	124	2	-	-	2
Fraud in performing an economic activity	11	3	1	5	2	-	-	-	-
Insurance fraud	4	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Abuse of trust in performing an economic activity	7	-	-	3	4	-	-	-	-
Embezzlement in performing an economic activity	97	8	-	77	12	-	-	-	-
Tax evasion	194	25	12	127	29	-	-	-	1
Unpaid withholding tax	13	2	-	10	1	-	-	-	-
Misfeasance in business by responsible person	105	39	-	40	26	-	-	-	-
Abuse regarding public procurement	13	-	-	12	1	-	-	-	-
Abuse in a privatization process	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Conclusion of a restrictive agreement	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Accepting bribe in performing an economic activity	10	1	-	8	1	-	-	-	-
Giving bribe in performing an economic activity	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Causing bankruptcy	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Damaging creditors	12	1	-	11	-	-	-	-	-

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2020

(continued)

	Total	Prison	Fine	Conditional sentence	In house arrest	Public utility work and withdrawal of driving license	Judicial warning	Educational measures	Pronounced guilty but acquitted of punishment
Illegal production	35	5	5	22	3	-	-	-	-
Illegal trade	106	11	20	69	5	-	-	-	1
Smuggling	22	5	2	13	2	-	-	-	-
Preventing control	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Unauthorised usage of business name of another or other particular marks of goods and services	24	3	4	12	4	1	-	-	-
Damaging business reputation and credit rating	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Money counterfeiting	48	16	7	14	10	1	-	-	-
Securities counterfeiting	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Payment cards counterfeiting and abuse	76	13	5	46	12	-	-	-	-
Value tokens counterfeiting	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Abuse of authority of economy	27	5	-	17	5	-	-	-	-
Money laundering	23	1	1	15	6	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against human health	4934	1119	1117	2267	366	27	5	19	14
Unlawful production and circulation of narcotics	875	579	60	171	47	1	2	14	1
Unlawful possession of narcotics	3639	481	1010	1928	173	26	3	5	13
Facilitating the taking of narcotics	48	15	1	18	14	-	-	-	-
Failure to act pursuant to health regulations during epidemic	343	43	44	124	132	-	-	-	-
Transmitting contagious diseases	7	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Medical malpractice	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Illegal conduct of medical experiments and testing of medicaments	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Production and putting into circulation of harmful products	16	-	1	15	-	-	-	-	-
Unconscientious inspection of foodstuffs	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Pollution of drinking water and foodstuffs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against environment	291	37	58	180	10	3	3	-	-
Damaging the environment	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Destroying, damaging and taking abroad or in Serbia a protected natural asset	3	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-
Bringing dangerous substances into Serbia and unlawful processing, depositing and stockpiling of dangerous substances	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Killing and cruelty to animals	14	2	-	10	-	-	2	-	-
Contamination of drinking water and feed for animals	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forests devastation	12	2	2	8	-	-	-	-	-
Forest theft	240	28	54	146	9	2	1	-	-
Poaching game	13	1	-	12	-	-	-	-	-
Poaching fish	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property	185	25	11	117	32	-	-	-	-
Causing general danger	170	25	8	109	28	-	-	-	-
Destroying and damaging public infrastructure	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Causing danger by failing to ensure occupational safety measures	7	-	1	3	3	-	-	-	-
Construction work which does not comply with regulations and standards	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Damage to dams, embankments and water supply facilities	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Failure to eliminate danger	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Unlawful acquiring nuclear materials and endangering safety	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against safety of public traffic	1917	144	309	1316	124	7	11	-	6
Public traffic endangering	1904	143	309	1305	123	7	11	-	6
Endangering traffic by dangerous acts and dangerous means	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Improper supervision of public traffic	4	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Failure to render aid to a person injured in a traffic accident	7	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2020

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	Total	Prison	Fine	Conditional sentence	In house arrest	Public utility work and withdrawal of driving license	Judicial warning	Educational measures	Pronounced guilty but acquitted of punishment
Criminal offences against safety of computer data	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Damaging Computer Data and Programmes	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia	9	1	-	5	3	-	-	-	-
Attack against the constitutional order	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Instigating national, racial and religious hatred and intolerance	8	1	-	4	3	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against government authorities	608	74	45	419	28	1	41	-	-
Preventing an official in discharge of duty	56	18	-	34	4	-	-	-	-
Attack on an official in discharge of duty	142	46	1	75	20	-	-	-	-
Removal and destroying of an official stamp and sign	43	1	4	36	-	-	2	-	-
Seizure and destruction of official seal and document	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Impersonation	10	2	1	5	2	-	-	-	-
Vigilantism	355	7	38	268	2	1	39	-	-
Criminal offences against jurisdiction	167	36	18	97	11	-	1	2	2
Failure to report preparation of a criminal offence	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Failure to report a criminal offence and perpetrator	17	4	3	10	-	-	-	-	-
Accessory after the act	19	5	-	8	4	-	-	2	-
False reporting	60	6	7	42	4	-	1	-	-
Perjury	28	5	2	20	1	-	-	-	-
Obstruction of justice	7	2	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
Preventing and obstructing proof	11	5	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of proceedings confidentiality	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of the prohibition established by the security measure	12	6	4	2	-	-	-	-	-
Failure to enforce a decision	9	2	1	3	1	-	-	-	2
Quasi notary	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against public peace and order	1420	381	103	660	270	-	1	-	5
Causing panic and disorder	8	2	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Violent behaviour	389	96	7	227	59	-	-	-	-
Violent behaviour at sports events	26	1	7	14	3	-	-	-	1
Alliance to commit crime	32	16	-	7	9	-	-	-	-
Unauthorised manufacture, possession and trafficking of firearms and explosives	681	181	26	310	161	-	-	-	3
Participation in a group committing an offence	3	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Illegal state border crossing and human smuggling	139	74	-	31	33	-	-	-	1
Abuse of warning signs and signs for help	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Illegal organization of lottery	84	8	48	27	1	-	-	-	-
Illegal engagement in particular activity	43	1	14	28	-	-	-	-	-
Illegal archaeological works	5	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-
Desecration of grave	9	1	1	7	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against legal transactions	992	129	8	799	54	1	-	-	1
Particular cases of document counterfeiting	398	47	2	324	24	1	-	-	-
Document counterfeiting	320	67	4	226	22	-	-	-	1
Official document counterfeiting	40	2	-	34	4	-	-	-	-
Incitement to certification of false content	234	13	2	215	4	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against official duty	355	54	4	221	76	-	-	-	-
Abuse of power	101	15	-	63	23	-	-	-	-
Violation of law by a judge, public prosecutor and his deputy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dereliction of duty	14	-	-	13	1	-	-	-	-
Spending funds from the budget for a purpose other than designated	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fraud in service	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Embezzlement	71	12	-	46	13	-	-	-	-

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2020

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	Total	Prison	Fine	Conditional sentence	In house arrest	Public utility work and withdrawal of driving license	Judicial warning	Educational measures	Pronounced guilty but acquitted of punishment
Unauthorised use	9	1	-	8	-	-	-	-	-
Trading in influence	6	3	-	2	1	-	-	-	-
Passive bribery	47	20	-	3	24	-	-	-	-
Active bribery	101	3	1	84	13	-	-	-	-
Revealing of official secret	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against humanity and other properties protected by international law	21	20	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Participation in a war or armed conflict in a foreign country	13	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Participation in war or armed conflict abroad	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Human trafficking	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Criminal offences against the Army of Serbia	3	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Absence without leave and desertion from the Army of Serbia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disobeying orders	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of weapons or parts of combat equipment	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unauthorised access to military facilities	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Service in the forces of a hostile power	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other criminal offences (particular laws)	824	81	17	641	79	4	-	1	1
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SRBIJA – SEVER	13698	3423	1189	7876	1016	96	59	21	18
Beogradski region	5522	1616	408	2959	471	32	18	7	11
Region Vojvodine	8176	1807	781	4917	545	64	41	14	7
SRBIJA – JUG	11789	2727	1494	6303	1097	31	77	25	35
Region Sumadije i Zapadne Srbije	6480	1450	768	3580	616	13	19	22	12
Region Južne i Istočne Srbije	5309	1277	726	2723	481	18	58	3	23
Region Kosovo i Metohija

Methodological explanations

Adult perpetrator of criminal offences is the person who at the moment of criminal offence committal was 18 years old and over and who committed the criminal offence as: perpetrator, co-perpetrator, agitator or assistant.

A **“reported person”** is taken to be an adult perpetrator of criminal offence against whom the proceedings by crime report and preliminary proceeding have been terminated by a decision, by which: a charge has been rejected, investigation interrupted/ suspended or a charge sheet submitted.

An **“accused person”** is considered to be an adult against whom an indictment, charge sheet or private suit has been submitted to a court; against whom criminal proceedings terminated by a finally binding court decision, by which: charge sheet, i.e. private suit has been rejected/ denied, proceedings suspended or charge rejected (when examining indictment); charge denied, proceedings suspended, pronounced refuted or acquitted judgement, security measure passed to a mentally incapacitated perpetrator, without stating sentence or the accused was pronounced guilty – convicted.

“Sentenced person” is an adult pronounced guilty, upon whom the sanctions have been imposed.

Starting from 1999 the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia has not at disposal and may not provide available certain data relative to AP Kosovo and Metohija and therefore these data are not included in the coverage for the Republic of Serbia (total).

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