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Adult perpetrators of criminal offences, 2023

In this statistical release, the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia publishes the basic data on criminal offences of adult perpetrators in 2023: 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 2019-2023.

In the Republic of Serbia, in 2023, the procedure upon criminal reports was completed for 74 504 adult perpetrators of criminal offenses, which is by 10% less than in 2022. 26 919 adult persons were convicted, which is by 3% mоrе when compared to the previous year. In 2023, the largest number of criminal offenses for which adult persons were legally convicted concerned criminal offenses against property (23.1%), family and marriage (12.8%), and human health (20.1%). One person was sentenced to life imprisonment, and three persons were sentenced to a prison sentence of 40 years, as well as to a prison sentence of 30-40 years. The prison sentence makes up 27.5% of all sentences, and the conditional sentence (imprisonment) makes up 43.7%.

1. Adult perpetrators of criminal offences, 2019–2023

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Total number | | | | | Indices | | | | |
| 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2020  2019 | 2021  2020 | 2022  2021 | 2023  2022 | 2023  2019 |
| **Crime reports** | | | | | | | | | | |
| REPUBLIC OF SERBIA | **92797** | **74394** | **80632** | **82958** | **74504** | **80** | **108** | **103** | **90** | **80** |
| Perpetrator known | 64695 | 51863 | 54240 | 51414 | 47754 | 80 | 105 | 95 | 93 | 74 |
| Perpetrator unknown | 28102 | 22531 | 26392 | 31544 | 26750 | 80 | 117 | 120 | 85 | 95 |
| **Accused** | | | | | | | | | | |
| Republic of Serbia | 32360 | 29389 | 31870 | 30406 | 31101 | 91 | 108 | 95 | 102 | 96 |
| **Convictions** | | | | | | | | | | |
| Republic of Serbia | 28112 | 25487 | 27508 | 26200 | 26919 | 91 | 108 | 95 | 103 | 96 |

2. Crime reports against adult perpetrators, by sorts of criminal offences, 2019–2023

Republic of Serbia

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | 2019 | | 2020 | | 2021 | | 2022 | | 2023 | |
| Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % |
| **Total** | **92797** | **100** | **74394** | **100** | **80632** | **100** | **82958** | **100** | **74504** | **100** |
| Criminal offences against life and limb | 3064 | 3.3 | 2482 | 3.3 | 2588 | 3.2 | 2604 | 3.1 | 2399 | 3.2 |
| Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights | 4390 | 4.7 | 3643 | 4.9 | 3811 | 4.7 | 3779 | 4.6 | 3353 | 4.5 |
| Criminal offences against honour and reputation | 43 | 0.0 | 52 | 0.1 | 58 | 0.1 | 48 | 0.1 | 33 | 0.0 |
| Criminal offences against sexual freedom | 498 | 0.5 | 411 | 0.6 | 498 | 0.6 | 499 | 0.6 | 500 | 0.7 |
| Criminal offences against family and marriage | 10063 | 10.8 | 8208 | 11.0 | 8219 | 10.2 | 7705 | 9.3 | 7034 | 9.4 |
| Criminal offences against property | 38713 | 41.7 | 29787 | 40.0 | 34761 | 43.1 | 39202 | 47.3 | 33474 | 44.9 |
| Criminal offences against economy | 2461 | 2.7 | 1814 | 2.4 | 1946 | 2.4 | 1921 | 2.3 | 2172 | 2.9 |
| Criminal offences against human health | 6693 | 7.2 | 7328 | 9.9 | 6810 | 8.4 | 6942 | 8.4 | 6654 | 8.9 |
| Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property | 1291 | 1.4 | 1010 | 1.4 | 1030 | 1.3 | 1071 | 1.3 | 995 | 1.3 |
| Criminal offences against safety of public traffic | 8701 | 9.4 | 7302 | 9.8 | 7852 | 9.7 | 7386 | 8.9 | 6544 | 8.8 |
| Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia | 34 | 0.0 | 32 | 0.0 | 36 | 0.0 | 32 | 0.0 | 83 | 0.1 |
| Criminal offences against jurisdiction | 1048 | 1.1 | 892 | 1.2 | 964 | 1.2 | 884 | 1.1 | 770 | 1.0 |
| Criminal offences against public peace and order | 3154 | 3.4 | 2512 | 3.4 | 2733 | 3.4 | 2660 | 3.2 | 2721 | 3.7 |
| Criminal offences against legal transactions | 3236 | 3.5 | 2389 | 3.2 | 3069 | 3.8 | 2809 | 3.4 | 2558 | 3.4 |
| Criminal offences against official duty | 1429 | 1.5 | 1384 | 1.9 | 1396 | 1.7 | 1187 | 1.4 | 1151 | 1.5 |
| Other criminal offences | 7979 | 8.6 | 5148 | 6.9 | 4861 | 6.0 | 4229 | 5.1 | 4063 | 5.5 |

3. Accused adult perpetrators, by sorts of criminal offences, 2019–2023

Republic of Serbia

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | 2019 | | 2020 | | 2021 | | 2022 | | 2023 | |
| Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % |
| **Total** | **32360** | **100** | **29389** | **100** | **31870** | **100** | **30406** | **100** | **31101** | **100** |
| Criminal offences against life and limb | 1736 | 5.4 | 1643 | 5.6 | 1796 | 5.6 | 1661 | 5.5 | 1903 | 6.1 |
| Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights | 1254 | 3.9 | 1122 | 3.8 | 1351 | 4.2 | 1354 | 4.5 | 1486 | 4.8 |
| Criminal offences against honour and reputation | 828 | 2.6 | 693 | 2.4 | 865 | 2.7 | 800 | 2.6 | 926 | 3.0 |
| Criminal offences against sexual freedom | 286 | 0.9 | 249 | 0.8 | 277 | 0.9 | 326 | 1.1 | 321 | 1.0 |
| Criminal offences against family and marriage | 4666 | 14.4 | 4161 | 14.2 | 4225 | 13.3 | 3844 | 12.6 | 3926 | 12.6 |
| Criminal offences against property | 8879 | 27.4 | 7440 | 25.3 | 7705 | 24.2 | 7351 | 24.2 | 7173 | 23.1 |
| Criminal offences against economy | 1345 | 4.2 | 1166 | 4.0 | 1207 | 3.8 | 1070 | 3.5 | 1087 | 3.5 |
| Criminal offences against human health | 4688 | 14.5 | 5133 | 17.5 | 5609 | 17.6 | 5553 | 18.3 | 5671 | 18.2 |
| Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property | 242 | 0.7 | 225 | 0.8 | 266 | 0.8 | 215 | 0.7 | 249 | 0.8 |
| Criminal offences against safety of public traffic | 2299 | 7.1 | 2070 | 7.0 | 2452 | 7.7 | 2637 | 8.7 | 2726 | 8.8 |
| Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia | 16 | 0.0 | 11 | 0.0 | 3 | 0.0 | 6 | 0.0 | 9 | 0.0 |
| Criminal offences against jurisdiction | 217 | 0.7 | 212 | 0.7 | 241 | 0.8 | 252 | 0.8 | 274 | 0.9 |
| Criminal offences against public peace and order | 1753 | 5.4 | 1608 | 5.5 | 1901 | 6.0 | 1820 | 6.0 | 1829 | 5.9 |
| Criminal offences against legal transactions | 1130 | 3.5 | 1101 | 3.7 | 1418 | 4.4 | 1333 | 4.4 | 1290 | 4.1 |
| Criminal offences against official duty | 582 | 1.8 | 515 | 1.8 | 435 | 1.4 | 315 | 1.0 | 375 | 1.2 |
| Other criminal offences | 2439 | 7.5 | 2040 | 6.9 | 2119 | 6.6 | 1869 | 6.1 | 1856 | 6.0 |

4. Convicted adult perpetrators, by sorts of criminal offences, 2019–2023

Republic of Serbia

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | 2019 | | 2020 | | 2021 | | 2022 | | 2023 | |
| Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % |
| **Total** | **28112** | **100** | **25487** | **100** | **27508** | **100** | **26200** | **100** | **26919** | **100** |
| Criminal offences against life and limb | 1403 | 5.0 | 1320 | 5.2 | 1432 | 5.2 | 1320 | 5.0 | 1494 | 5.5 |
| Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights | 1027 | 3.7 | 888 | 3.5 | 1051 | 3.8 | 1086 | 4.1 | 1164 | 4.3 |
| Criminal offences against honour and reputation | 364 | 1.3 | 299 | 1.2 | 357 | 1.3 | 319 | 1.2 | 401 | 1.5 |
| Criminal offences against sexual freedom | 251 | 0.9 | 210 | 0.8 | 241 | 0.9 | 273 | 1.0 | 274 | 1.0 |
| Criminal offences against family and marriage | 4173 | 14.8 | 3650 | 14.3 | 3725 | 13.5 | 3343 | 12.8 | 3446 | 12.8 |
| Criminal offences against property | 7877 | 28.0 | 6519 | 25.6 | 6708 | 24.4 | 6356 | 24.3 | 6231 | 23.1 |
| Criminal offences against economy | 1008 | 3.6 | 842 | 3.3 | 885 | 3.2 | 762 | 2.9 | 859 | 3.2 |
| Criminal offences against human health | 4520 | 16.1 | 4934 | 19.4 | 5315 | 19.3 | 5277 | 20.1 | 5413 | 20.1 |
| Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property | 191 | 0.7 | 185 | 0.7 | 212 | 0.8 | 181 | 0.7 | 193 | 0.7 |
| Criminal offences against safety of public traffic | 2134 | 7.6 | 1917 | 7.5 | 2287 | 8.3 | 2458 | 9.4 | 2547 | 9.5 |
| Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia | 7 | 0.0 | 9 | 0.0 | 2 | 0.0 | 3 | 0.0 | 6 | 0.0 |
| Criminal offences against jurisdiction | 172 | 0.6 | 167 | 0.7 | 193 | 0.7 | 190 | 0.7 | 198 | 0.7 |
| Criminal offences against public peace and order | 1489 | 5.3 | 1420 | 5.6 | 1664 | 6.0 | 1643 | 6.3 | 1637 | 6.1 |
| Criminal offences against legal transactions | 940 | 3.3 | 992 | 3.9 | 1323 | 4.8 | 1219 | 4.7 | 1183 | 4.4 |
| Criminal offences against official duty | 423 | 1.5 | 355 | 1.4 | 294 | 1.1 | 206 | 0.8 | 269 | 1.0 |
| Other criminal offences | 2133 | 7.6 | 1780 | 7.0 | 1819 | 6.6 | 1564 | 6.0 | 1604 | 6.0 |

5. Convicted adult perpetrators, by age and sex, 2019–2023

Republic of Serbia

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | | 2019 | | 2020 | | 2021 | | 2022 | | 2023 | |
| Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total** |  | **28112** | **100** | **25487** | **100** | **27508** | **100** | **26200** | **100** | **26919** | **100** |
|  | Females | **2826** | **100** | **2750** | **100** | **2853** | **100** | **2690** | **100** | **2920** | **100** |
| 18 - 20 years | All | 2166 | 7.7 | 1917 | 7.5 | 2140 | 7.8 | 1880 | 7.2 | 1969 | 7.3 |
|  | Females | 148 | 5.2 | 127 | 4.6 | 157 | 5.5 | 142 | 5.3 | 146 | 5.0 |
| 21 - 24 years | All | 3487 | 12.4 | 3065 | 12.0 | 3349 | 12.2 | 3142 | 12.0 | 3052 | 11.3 |
|  | Females | 242 | 8.6 | 249 | 9.1 | 281 | 9.8 | 234 | 8.7 | 263 | 9.0 |
| 25 - 29 years | All | 3761 | 13.4 | 3493 | 13.7 | 3831 | 13.9 | 3631 | 13.9 | 3724 | 13.8 |
|  | Females | 325 | 11.5 | 325 | 11.8 | 353 | 12.4 | 343 | 12.8 | 379 | 13.0 |
| 30 - 39 years | All | 7734 | 27.5 | 6880 | 27.0 | 7417 | 27.0 | 7068 | 27.0 | 7118 | 26.4 |
|  | Females | 783 | 27.7 | 775 | 28.2 | 777 | 27.2 | 751 | 27.9 | 821 | 28.1 |
| 40 - 49 years | All | 5194 | 18.5 | 4734 | 18.6 | 5265 | 19.1 | 5074 | 19.4 | 5454 | 20.3 |
|  | Females | 593 | 21.0 | 563 | 20.5 | 599 | 21.0 | 529 | 19.7 | 598 | 20.5 |
| 50 - 59 years | All | 3223 | 11.5 | 2877 | 11.3 | 2976 | 10.8 | 2739 | 10.5 | 2871 | 10.7 |
|  | Females | 432 | 15.3 | 373 | 13.6 | 349 | 12.2 | 334 | 12.4 | 393 | 13.5 |
| 60 years and over | All | 2328 | 8.3 | 2279 | 8.9 | 2297 | 8.4 | 2218 | 8.5 | 2354 | 8.7 |
|  | Females | 277 | 9.8 | 295 | 10.7 | 299 | 10.5 | 294 | 10.9 | 264 | 9.0 |
| Unknown | All | 219 | 0.8 | 242 | 0.9 | 233 | 0.8 | 448 | 1.7 | 377 | 1.4 |
|  | Females | 26 | 0.9 | 43 | 1.6 | 38 | 1.3 | 63 | 2.3 | 56 | 1.9 |

6. Convicted adult perpetrators, by pronounced criminal sanctions, 2019–2023

Republic of Serbia

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | 2019 | | 2020 | | 2021 | | 2022 | | 2023 | |
| Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % | Number | % |
| **Total** | **28112** | **100** | **25487** | **100** | **27508** | **100** | **26200** | **100** | **26919** | **100** |
| Prison | 6772 | 24.1 | 6150 | 24.1 | 6368 | 23.1 | 7212 | 27.5 | 7399 | 27.5 |
| Life imprisonment | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.0 |
| 40 years | 4 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 3 | 0.0 |
| 30 to 40 years | 4 | 0.0 | 8 | 0.0 | 6 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.0 | 3 | 0.0 |
| Over 15 to 20 | 13 | 0.0 | 14 | 0.1 | 14 | 0.1 | 9 | 0.0 | 19 | 0.1 |
| 10–15 | 36 | 0.1 | 50 | 0.2 | 35 | 0.1 | 41 | 0.2 | 37 | 0.1 |
| 5–10 | 150 | 0.5 | 136 | 0.5 | 198 | 0.7 | 214 | 0.8 | 222 | 0.8 |
| 3–5 | 589 | 2.1 | 482 | 1.9 | 592 | 2.2 | 653 | 2.5 | 602 | 2.2 |
| 2–3 | 798 | 2.8 | 631 | 2.5 | 628 | 2.3 | 646 | 2.5 | 715 | 2.7 |
| 1–2 years | 1293 | 4.6 | 1137 | 4.5 | 1159 | 4.2 | 1289 | 4.9 | 1450 | 5.4 |
| Over 6–12 months | 1664 | 5.9 | 1562 | 6.1 | 1618 | 5.9 | 1791 | 6.8 | 1896 | 7.0 |
| 3–6 | 1498 | 5.3 | 1481 | 5.8 | 1456 | 5.3 | 1719 | 6.6 | 1747 | 6.5 |
| 2–3 | 586 | 2.1 | 511 | 2.0 | 483 | 1.8 | 685 | 2.6 | 620 | 2.3 |
| Up to 2 months | 137 | 0.5 | 138 | 0.5 | 175 | 0.6 | 163 | 0.6 | 84 | 0.3 |
| Fine | 2581 | 9.2 | 2683 | 10.5 | 3432 | 12.5 | 3727 | 14.2 | 4181 | 15.5 |
| Conditional sentence - prison | 16093 | 57.2 | 14179 | 55.6 | 14488 | 52.7 | 11913 | 45.5 | 11753 | 43.7 |
| In house arrest | 2092 | 7.4 | 2113 | 8.3 | 2757 | 10.0 | 2934 | 11.2 | 3171 | 11.8 |
| Judicial admonition | 250 | 0.9 | 136 | 0.5 | 157 | 0.6 | 135 | 0.5 | 130 | 0.5 |
| Educational measures | 49 | 0.2 | 46 | 0.2 | 68 | 0.2 | 57 | 0.2 | 69 | 0.3 |
| Pronounced guilty but acquitted of punishment | 62 | 0.2 | 53 | 0.2 | 76 | 0.3 | 53 | 0.2 | 58 | 0.2 |
| Public utility work | 209 | 0.7 | 123 | 0.5 | 159 | 0.6 | 167 | 0.6 | 157 | 0.6 |
| Withdrawal of driving license | 4 | 0.0 | 4 | 0.0 | 3 | 0.0 | 2 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.0 |

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2023

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|  | 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** | **74504** | **22412** | **18519** | **18141** | **15432** | **...** |
| **Criminal offences against life and limb** | **2399** | **469** | **602** | **683** | **645** | **...** |
| Murder | 119 | 43 | 39 | 21 | 16 | ... |
| Aggravated murder | 106 | 67 | 12 | 13 | 14 | ... |
| Manslaughter in a heat of passion | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Infanticide on childbirth | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Negligent homicide | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Inciting and assisting suicide | 6 | 1 | - | 1 | 4 | ... |
| Illegal termination of pregnancy | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | ... |
| Serious bodily harm | 860 | 141 | 225 | 307 | 187 | ... |
| Light bodily harm | 1059 | 188 | 235 | 281 | 355 | ... |
| Brawling | 138 | 19 | 47 | 33 | 39 | ... |
| Imperilling with serious weapons in brawls or quarrels | 94 | 7 | 36 | 25 | 26 | ... |
| Endangerment | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Abandonment of a helpless person | 5 | - | 4 | - | 1 | ... |
| Failure to render help | 4 | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights** | **3353** | **552** | **887** | **879** | **1035** | **...** |
| Violation of equality | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Violation of the right to use language and letters | 3 | - | - | - | 3 | ... |
| Violation of freedom of expression of national or ethnic affiliation | 6 | - | 3 | - | 3 | ... |
| Violation of the freedom to profess one's religion and perform religious rites | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Unlawful deprivation of liberty | 30 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 12 | ... |
| Violation of freedom of movement and residence | 6 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | ... |
| Kidnapping | 13 | 4 | 3 | 6 | - | ... |
| Coercion | 53 | 10 | 25 | 15 | 3 | ... |
| Extortion of confession | 2 | - | 1 | 1 | - | ... |
| Maltreatment and torture | 381 | 79 | 121 | 91 | 90 | ... |
| Persecution | 388 | 77 | 75 | 117 | 119 | ... |
| Endangerment of safety | 2354 | 329 | 628 | 627 | 770 | ... |
| Infringement of inviolability of home | 33 | 24 | 4 | 1 | 4 | ... |
| Illegal search | 3 | - | - | - | 3 | ... |
| Unauthorized disclosure of secrets | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | ... |
| Violation of the secrecy of letters and other consignments | 7 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | ... |
| Unauthorised wiretapping and recording | 4 | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | ... |
| Unauthorized photography | 19 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 7 | ... |

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2023 (continued)

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|  | 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 |
| Unauthorised publishing and display of someone else's manuscript, portrait or recording | 8 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | ... |
| Unauthorised collection of personal data | 27 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 7 | ... |
| Violation of the right to submit legal remedies | 3 | - | - | 1 | 2 | ... |
| Violation of freedom of speech and public appearance | 3 | 3 | - | - | - | ... |
| Prevention of printing and distribution of printed matter and broadcast of programs | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | ... |
| Prevention of political, trade union and other organisation and action | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | - | ... |
| **Criminal offences against electoral rights** | **26** | **3** | **8** | **10** | **5** | **...** |
| Violation of the right to run in elections | 2 | - | 1 | 1 | - | ... |
| Violation of the right tovote | 4 | - | 2 | 2 | - | ... |
| Giving and accepting bribes in connection with voting | 3 | - | 3 | - | - | ... |
| Abuse of the right to vote | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | ... |
| Violating the secrecy of voting | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | ... |
| Ballot and election fraud | 7 | 1 | - | 3 | 3 | ... |
| Destroying of documentation on voting | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | ... |
| **Criminal offences against labour law** | **127** | **4** | **31** | **59** | **33** | **...** |
| Violation of labour rights and social security rights | 110 | 4 | 25 | 54 | 27 | ... |
| Violation of the right to employment and during unemployment | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Violation of the right to manage | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | ... |
| Violation of the right to strike | 3 | - | 3 | - | - | ... |
| Abuse of the right to social security benefits | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Disregard of safety measures at work | 10 | - | 2 | 3 | 5 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against honour and reputation** | **33** | **6** | **7** | **11** | **9** | **...** |
| Insult | 15 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 5 | ... |
| Disclosure of personal and family matters | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Disparaging the reputation of Serbia | 4 | - | 2 | 2 | - | ... |
| Ruining the reputation of racial, religious, national or other affiliation | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | ... |
| Ruining the reputation of a foreign country or international organisation | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against sexual freedom** | **500** | **115** | **158** | **98** | **129** | **...** |
| Rape | 75 | 6 | 25 | 18 | 26 | ... |
| Sexual intercourse with a helpless person | 14 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 1 | ... |
| Sexual intercourse with a child | 20 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 7 | ... |
| Sexual intercourse through abuse of position | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Prohibited sexual acts | 123 | 21 | 53 | 15 | 34 | ... |
| Sexual harassment | 210 | 37 | 59 | 55 | 59 | ... |
| Mediation in prostitution | 16 | 12 | 2 | - | 2 | ... |
| Showing, procuring and possessing pornographic materials and exploitation of a minor for pornography | 40 | 34 | 5 | 1 | - | ... |
| Abuse of computer networks or other technical means of communication for committing criminal offences against sexual freedom of the minor | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | ... |
| **Criminal offences against family and marriage** | **7034** | **627** | **2183** | **1937** | **2287** | **...** |
| Bigamy | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | ... |
| Cohabitation with a minor | 101 | 8 | 35 | 20 | 38 | ... |
| Taking away of a minor | 271 | 46 | 75 | 70 | 80 | ... |
| Change of family status | 27 | 5 | 3 | 18 | 1 | ... |
| Neglecting and abusing of a minor | 120 | 9 | 53 | 17 | 41 | ... |
| Domestic violence | 5015 | 427 | 1512 | 1347 | 1729 | ... |
| Failure to pay alimony | 1488 | 130 | 501 | 463 | 394 | ... |
| Breach of family duties | 10 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against intellectual property** | **61** | **21** | **6** | **18** | **16** | **...** |
| Violation of moral rights of authors and performers | 16 | 6 | - | 5 | 5 | ... |
| Unauthorised use of copyrighted work or other work protected by similar right | 27 | 9 | 2 | 7 | 9 | ... |
| Unauthorised removal or altering of electronic information on copyright and similar rights | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | - | ... |
| Violation of patent right | 5 | - | 2 | 2 | 1 | ... |
| Unauthorised usage of another’s design | 10 | 5 | - | 4 | 1 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against property** | **33474** | **14694** | **8172** | **5941** | **4667** | **...** |
| Theft | 16222 | 7521 | 4223 | 2418 | 2060 | ... |
| Aggravated theft | 7632 | 2975 | 2268 | 1363 | 1026 | ... |
| Grand larceny | 55 | 25 | 9 | 9 | 12 | ... |
| Robbery | 552 | 277 | 118 | 73 | 84 | ... |
| Embezzlement | 2663 | 1415 | 347 | 553 | 348 | ... |
| Fraud | 2531 | 595 | 617 | 739 | 580 | ... |

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2023 (continued)

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|  | 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 |
| Obtaining and using credit and other benefits under false pretences | 116 | 33 | 11 | 51 | 21 | ... |
| Petty theft, embezzlement and fraud | 624 | 440 | 75 | 72 | 37 | ... |
| Appropriation of someone else's property | 110 | 53 | 45 | 7 | 5 | ... |
| Destroying and damaging someone else's property | 1423 | 916 | 163 | 195 | 149 | ... |
| Unauthorised use of someone else's vehicle | 393 | 153 | 77 | 100 | 63 | ... |
| Extortion | 131 | 18 | 27 | 39 | 47 | ... |
| Blackmail | 97 | 36 | 18 | 35 | 8 | ... |
| Abuse of trust | 140 | 14 | 34 | 19 | 73 | ... |
| Usury | 32 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 13 | ... |
| Squatting | 197 | 19 | 50 | 83 | 45 | ... |
| Illicit moving in | 63 | 25 | 18 | 11 | 9 | ... |
| Connecting a facility built without a building permit to utilities | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Construction with no building permit | 329 | 121 | 26 | 130 | 52 | ... |
| Infringement of someone else’s rights | 24 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 10 | ... |
| Reset | 139 | 54 | 32 | 28 | 25 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against economy** | **2172** | **639** | **661** | **559** | **313** | **...** |
| Fraud in performing an economic activity | 62 | 17 | 20 | 24 | 1 | ... |
| Insurance fraud | 12 | 9 | 1 | 2 | - | ... |
| Embezzlement in performing economic activity | 114 | 25 | 34 | 39 | 16 | ... |
| Abuse of trust in performing an economic activity | 11 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | ... |
| Tax evasion | 416 | 113 | 106 | 86 | 111 | ... |
| Unpaid withholding tax | 3 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Misfeasance in business by responsible person | 225 | 71 | 63 | 81 | 10 | ... |
| Abuse regarding public procurement | 25 | 1 | 5 | 16 | 3 | ... |
| Abuse in privatisation procedure | 4 | - | - | 4 | - | ... |
| Conclusion of a restrictive agreement | 7 | 1 | 6 | - | - | ... |
| Accepting bribe in performing an economic activity | 18 | 2 | 14 | - | 2 | ... |
| Giving bribe in performing an economic activity | 5 | 3 | - | - | 2 | ... |
| Causing bankruptcy | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Damaging creditors | 16 | 1 | 8 | 6 | 1 | ... |
| Illegal production | 28 | 5 | 8 | 14 | 1 | ... |
| Illegal trade | 177 | 34 | 59 | 46 | 38 | ... |
| Smuggling | 8 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | ... |
| Preventing control | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | - | ... |
| Unauthorised usage of business name of another or other particular marks of goods and services | 139 | 21 | 34 | 66 | 18 | ... |
| Damaging business reputation and credit rating | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | - | ... |
| Disclosing of a business secret | 11 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 6 | ... |
| Money counterfeiting | 51 | 6 | 8 | 30 | 7 | ... |
| Securities counterfeiting | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Payment cards counterfeiting and abuse | 756 | 270 | 278 | 135 | 73 | ... |
| Forging value tokens | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Money laundering | 62 | 42 | 2 | 1 | 17 | ... |
| Abusing authority in economy | 8 | 5 | 2 | - | 1 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against human’s health** | **6654** | **1867** | **1484** | **2051** | **1252** | **...** |
| Unlawful possession of narcotics | 5192 | 1407 | 1017 | 1743 | 1025 | ... |
| Unlawful production and circulation of narcotics | 1249 | 436 | 416 | 226 | 171 | ... |
| Facilitating the taking of narcotics | 52 | 11 | 7 | 17 | 17 | ... |
| Failure to act pursuant to health regulations during epidemic | 26 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 12 | ... |
| Transmitting contagious disease | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | ... |
| Medical malpractice | 85 | 8 | 18 | 42 | 17 | ... |
| Failure to provide medical assistance | 7 | - | 1 | 4 | 2 | ... |
| Quackery | 6 | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | ... |
| Malpractice in preparing and issuing medicaments | 2 | - | 1 | 1 | - | ... |
| Production and putting in circulation of harmful products | 19 | 2 | 10 | 6 | 1 | ... |
| Unconscientious inspection of foodstuffs | 6 | - | 5 | - | 1 | ... |
| Pollution of drinking water and foodstuffs | 8 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against environment** | **2047** | **119** | **261** | **785** | **882** | **...** |
| Environmental pollution | 29 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 7 | ... |
| Failure to undertake environmental protection measures | 12 | - | 1 | 7 | 4 | ... |
| Illegal construction and operation of facilities and installations polluting the environment | 3 | - | - | 2 | 1 | ... |
| Damaging the environment | 17 | - | 8 | 2 | 7 | ... |
| Destroying, damaging and taking abroad or in Serbia a protected natural asset | 12 | - | 6 | 2 | 4 | ... |
| Bringing dangerous substances into Serbia and unlawful processing, depositing stockpiling dangerous substances | 107 | 4 | 31 | 26 | 46 | ... |
| Violation of the right to be informed on the state of the environment | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | ... |

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2023 (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 |
| Killing and cruelty to animals | 196 | 27 | 52 | 54 | 63 | ... |
| Transmitting of contagious animal and plant diseases | 2 | - | - | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Malpractice in veterinary services | 3 | - | 1 | 2 | - | ... |
| Producing harmful products for treating animals | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | ... |
| Pollution of livestock fodder and water | 7 | 1 | - | 1 | 5 | ... |
| Forests devastation | 50 | 4 | 6 | 27 | 13 | ... |
| Forest theft | 1530 | 77 | 139 | 626 | 688 | ... |
| Poaching game | 53 | - | 2 | 19 | 32 | ... |
| Poaching fish | 22 | 1 | 11 | - | 10 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property** | **995** | **224** | **272** | **261** | **238** | **...** |
| Causing general danger | 733 | 149 | 216 | 184 | 184 | ... |
| Destroying and damaging public infrastructure | 169 | 71 | 10 | 47 | 41 | ... |
| Causing danger by failing to ensure occupational safety measures | 30 | 3 | 6 | 10 | 11 | ... |
| Construction work which does not comply with regulations and standards | 22 | - | 16 | 6 | - | ... |
| Damage to dams, embankments and water supply facilities | 6 | - | 3 | 2 | 1 | ... |
| Destroying, damaging and removing danger warning signs | 10 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | ... |
| Abuse of telecommunication signals | 8 | - | 7 | 1 | - | ... |
| Failure to eliminate danger | 9 | - | 7 | 2 | - | ... |
| Unauthorised handling of explosives and flammable materials | 3 | - | - | 3 | - | ... |
| Unlawful acquiring nuclear materials and endangering safety | 5 | - | 5 | - | - | ... |
| **Criminal offences against safety of public traffic** | **6544** | **1604** | **1597** | **1943** | **1400** | **...** |
| Public traffic endangering | 6390 | 1594 | 1491 | 1937 | 1368 | ... |
| Endangering traffic by dangerous acts and dangerous means | 29 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 18 | ... |
| Endangering air traffic safety | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | ... |
| Improper supervision of public traffic | 95 | - | 91 | 1 | 3 | ... |
| Failure to render aid to a person injured in a traffic accident | 29 | 3 | 12 | 3 | 11 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against safety of computer data** | **13** | **1** | **9** | **1** | **2** | **...** |
| Damaging computer data and programs | 4 | - | 4 | - | - | ... |
| Computer sabotage | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | ... |
| Creating and introducing of computer viruses | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Computer fraud | 3 | - | 2 | 1 | - | ... |
| Unauthorised access to computer, computer network or electronic data processing | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Preventing or restricting access to public computer network | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | ... |
| **Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia** | **83** | **58** | **16** | **6** | **3** | **...** |
| Attack against the constitutional order | 5 | 5 | - | - | - | ... |
| Sedition | 52 | 52 | - | - | - | ... |
| Espionage | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | ... |
| Instigating national, racial and religious hatred and intolerance | 25 | 1 | 16 | 5 | 3 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against government authorities** | **700** | **69** | **116** | **148** | **367** | **...** |
| Preventing an official in discharge of duty | 50 | 14 | 3 | 15 | 18 | ... |
| Attack on an official in discharge of duty | 113 | 15 | 22 | 43 | 33 | ... |
| Participating in a group preventing an official in performance of duty | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | ... |
| Calling for resistance | 2 | - | - | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Removal and destroying of an official stamp and sign | 176 | 20 | 24 | 20 | 112 | ... |
| Seizure and destruction of official seal and document | 5 | - | - | 2 | 3 | ... |
| Impersonation | 20 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | ... |
| Vigilantism | 333 | 15 | 62 | 61 | 195 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against jurisdiction** | **770** | **104** | **167** | **227** | **272** | **...** |
| Failure to report preparation of a criminal offence | 4 | - | 1 | 3 | - | ... |
| Failure to report a criminal offence and perpetrator | 24 | 7 | 4 | 9 | 4 | ... |
| Accessory after the act | 20 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 7 | ... |
| False reporting | 286 | 38 | 58 | 80 | 110 | ... |
| Perjury | 263 | 35 | 46 | 79 | 103 | ... |
| Assault on a lawyer | 2 | - | - | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Obstruction of justice | 32 | 5 | 9 | 6 | 12 | ... |
| Preventing and obstructing proof | 47 | 7 | 7 | 19 | 14 | ... |
| Violation of proceedings confidentiality | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | ... |
| Prison riot | 2 | - | - | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Escape and facilitating escape of person in custody | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | ... |
| Violation of a ban laid down in a safety measure | 40 | 5 | 21 | 10 | 4 | ... |
| Failure to enforce a decision | 39 | 4 | 14 | 9 | 12 | ... |
| Unlicensed practise of law | 4 | - | - | 2 | 2 | ... |

7. Reported adult perpetrators by criminal offences, 2023 (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 public peace and order** | **2721** | **479** | **619** | **823** | **800** | **...** |
| Causing panic and disorder | 73 | 21 | 35 | 14 | 3 | ... |
| Violent behaviour | 854 | 114 | 133 | 324 | 283 | ... |
| Violent behaviour at sports events | 78 | 16 | 19 | 34 | 9 | ... |
| Conspiracy to commit a crime | 5 | 5 | - | - | - | ... |
| Alliance to commit crime | 85 | 82 | 1 | 2 | - | ... |
| Making and obtaining weapons and tools intended for commission of an offence | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | ... |
| Illegal production, possession, carrying and circulation of weapons and explosives | 961 | 137 | 230 | 321 | 273 | ... |
| Participating in a group committing crime | 12 | 4 | 7 | - | 1 | ... |
| Illegal state border crossing and human smuggling | 332 | 82 | 81 | 24 | 145 | ... |
| Abuse of warning signs and signs for help | 7 | - | 5 | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Illegal organization of lottery | 62 | - | 18 | 17 | 27 | ... |
| Illegal engagement in particular activity | 180 | 4 | 74 | 67 | 35 | ... |
| Illegal archaeological works | 4 | - | 3 | 1 | - | ... |
| Desecration of grave | 66 | 14 | 12 | 18 | 22 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against legal transactions** | **2558** | **445** | **799** | **689** | **625** | **...** |
| Particular cases of document counterfeiting | 271 | 19 | 192 | 33 | 27 | ... |
| Document counterfeiting | 1681 | 348 | 410 | 509 | 414 | ... |
| Official document counterfeiting | 220 | 18 | 27 | 64 | 111 | ... |
| Incitement to certification of false content | 386 | 60 | 170 | 83 | 73 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against official duty** | **1151** | **100** | **224** | **628** | **199** | **...** |
| Abuse of office | 541 | 62 | 133 | 299 | 47 | ... |
| Violation of law by a judge, public prosecutor and his deputy | 433 | 1 | 48 | 255 | 129 | ... |
| Dereliction of duty | 46 | 3 | 12 | 30 | 1 | ... |
| Improper use of budget funds | 9 | 1 | - | 8 | - | ... |
| Unlawful collection and payment | 5 | - | 4 | 1 | - | ... |
| Fraud in service | 10 | - | 4 | 5 | 1 | ... |
| Embezzlement | 22 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 4 | ... |
| Unauthorised use | 7 | - | 3 | 3 | 1 | ... |
| Trading in influence | 16 | 5 | 3 | 8 | - | ... |
| Soliciting and accepting bribes | 21 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 4 | ... |
| Bribery | 38 | 15 | 11 | 3 | 9 | ... |
| Revealing of official secret | 3 | - | - | - | 3 | ... |
| **Criminal offences against humanity and other properties protected by international law** | **107** | **59** | **32** | **6** | **10** | **...** |
| War crime against civilian population | 29 | 29 | - | - | - | ... |
| War crimes against the wounded and sick | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | ... |
| War crime against prisoners*of*war | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | ... |
| Unlawful killing and wounding of enemy | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | ... |
| Destroying cultural heritage | 3 | - | 3 | - | - | ... |
| Racial and other discrimination | 8 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | ... |
| Human trafficking | 35 | 8 | 17 | 4 | 6 | ... |
| Trafficking of minors for adoption | 11 | - | 10 | - | 1 | ... |
| Terrorism | 13 | 13 | - | - | - | ... |
| Public inciting to commission of terrorist offences | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | - | ... |
| Jeopardizing persons under international protection | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | ... |
| **Criminal offences against the Army of Serbia** | **10** | **3** | **4** | **2** | **1** | **...** |
| Evasion of military service | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | ... |
| Evasion of military service by self-disablement or deceit | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | ... |
| Unlawful exemption from military service | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | ... |
| Absence without leave and desertion from the Army of Serbia | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | ... |
| Assault against a serviceman on duty | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | ... |
| Unauthorised access to military facilities | 4 | - | 2 | 2 | - | ... |
| **Other criminal offences (particular laws)** | **972** | **150** | **204** | **376** | **242** | **...** |

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2023

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | 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** | **26919** | **7399** | **4181** | **11753** | **3171** | **158** | **130** | **69** | **58** |
| **Criminal offences against life and limb** | **1494** | **447** | **171** | **672** | **174** | **14** | **9** | **6** | **1** |
| Murder | 66 | 65 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| Aggravated murder | 37 | 37 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Manslaughter in the heat of passion | 3 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Negligent homicide | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Illegal termination of pregnancy | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Serious bodily harm | 531 | 157 | 1 | 250 | 119 | - | - | 4 | - |
| Light bodily harm | 691 | 157 | 149 | 329 | 39 | 10 | 6 | - | 1 |
| Brawling | 108 | 16 | 11 | 66 | 12 | - | 2 | 1 | - |
| Imperilling with serious weapons in brawls or quarrels | 52 | 11 | 10 | 24 | 2 | 4 | 1 | - | - |
| Endangerment | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Abandonment of a helpless person | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against civil freedoms and rights** | **1164** | **289** | **170** | **564** | **118** | **2** | **13** | **7** | **1** |
| Violation of equality | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of the freedom of religion and performing religious service | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| Unlawful deprivation of liberty | 21 | 10 | - | 6 | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of freedom of movement and residence | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Kidnapping | 15 | 7 | - | 6 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| Coercion | 33 | 12 | 4 | 12 | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| Maltreatment and torture | 108 | 33 | 13 | 48 | 12 | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| Stalking | 141 | 30 | 20 | 77 | 13 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Endangerment of safety | 828 | 197 | 121 | 412 | 81 | 1 | 9 | 6 | 1 |
| Infringement of inviolability of home | 3 | - | 1 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - |
| Illegal search | 5 | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised disclosure of secret | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of the secrecy of letters and other consignments | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised wiretapping and recording | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorized photography | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised publishing and display of someone else's manuscript, portrait or recording | 5 | - | 4 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised collection of personal data | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Prevention of printing and distribution of printed material | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against electoral rights** | **5** | **-** | **1** | **4** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| Prevention of voting | 3 | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Destroying of documentation on voting | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against labour law** | **21** | **5** | **9** | **7** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| Violation of labour rights and social security rights | 13 | 2 | 7 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of the right to employment and during unemployment | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of the right to manage | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of the right to strike | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disregard of safety measures at work | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against honour and reputation** | **401** | **2** | **336** | **5** | **1** | **1** | **49** | **-** | **7** |
| Insult | 390 | - | 333 | - | - | 1 | 49 | - | 7 |
| Disclosure of personal and family matters | 6 | - | 1 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Ruining the reputation of Serbia | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Ruining the reputation for racial, religious, ethnic or other affiliation | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Ruining the reputation of a foreign country or international organisation | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against sexual freedom** | **274** | **119** | **12** | **74** | **67** | **-** | **-** | **2** | **-** |
| Rape | 21 | 21 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sexual intercourse with a helpless person | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sexual intercourse with a child | 14 | 12 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - |
| Sexual intercourse through abuse of position | 3 | 2 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2023 (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 |
| Prohibited sexual acts | 73 | 39 | 2 | 16 | 16 | - | - | - | - |
| Sexual harassment | 113 | 31 | 10 | 48 | 24 | - | - | - | - |
| Pimping and procuring | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Mediation in prostitution | 15 | 3 | - | 4 | 8 | - | - | - | - |
| Showing, procuring and possessing pornographic materials and exploitation of a minor for pornography | 31 | 8 | - | 6 | 17 | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against family and marriage** | **3446** | **966** | **151** | **1931** | **347** | **27** | **11** | **4** | **9** |
| Bigamy | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cohabitation with a minor | 37 | - | 2 | 32 | - | 1 | 2 | - | - |
| Taking away of a minor | 44 | 5 | 9 | 30 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Change of family status | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Neglecting and abusing of a minor | 52 | 10 | - | 36 | 6 | - | - | - | - |
| Domestic violence | 2139 | 765 | 15 | 1130 | 210 | 12 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Failure to pay alimony | 1169 | 184 | 125 | 700 | 131 | 14 | 7 | - | 8 |
| Breach of family duties | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against intellectual property** | **11** | **-** | **3** | **7** | **1** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| Violation of moral rights of authors and performers | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised use of copyrighted work or other work protected by similar right | 7 | - | 3 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of patent right | 3 | - | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against property** | **6231** | **2616** | **531** | **2110** | **886** | **65** | **11** | **10** | **2** |
| Theft | 2814 | 1070 | 327 | 1082 | 276 | 55 | 3 | - | 1 |
| Aggravated theft | 1455 | 872 | 5 | 232 | 341 | - | - | 4 | 1 |
| Grand larceny | 29 | 24 | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| Robbery | 269 | 210 | - | 1 | 54 | - | - | 4 | - |
| Embezzlement | 169 | 26 | 32 | 88 | 18 | 4 | 1 | - | - |
| Fraud | 674 | 234 | 25 | 317 | 98 | - | - | - | - |
| Obtaining and using credit and other benefits under false pretences | 52 | 7 | 5 | 34 | 6 | - | - | - | - |
| Petty theft, embezzlement and fraud | 59 | 14 | 24 | 14 | 4 | 2 | 1 | - | - |
| Appropriation of someone else's property | 4 | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| Destroying and damaging someone else's property | 109 | 13 | 45 | 40 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 2 | - |
| Unauthorised use of someone else's vehicle | 159 | 61 | 23 | 49 | 25 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Extortion | 32 | 19 | - | 5 | 8 | - | - | - | - |
| Blackmail | 23 | 3 | - | 14 | 6 | - | - | - | - |
| Abuse of trust | 18 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Usury | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Squatting | 6 | - | - | 6 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Construction with no building permit | 266 | 46 | 15 | 176 | 29 | - | - | - | - |
| Unlawful occupation of premises | 11 | - | 3 | 6 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Infringement of someone else’s rights | 7 | - | 4 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorized exporting and importing of cultural resources | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Reset | 73 | 15 | 19 | 31 | 7 | 1 | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against economy** | **859** | **207** | **63** | **393** | **193** | **1** | **-** | **1** | **1** |
| Fraud in performing an economic activity | 26 | 11 | - | 8 | 7 | - | - | - | - |
| Fraud in insurance | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Abuse of trust in conducting business activity | 13 | 1 | - | 8 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Fraud in conducting business activity | 88 | 9 | - | 58 | 21 | - | - | - | - |
| Tax avoidance | 199 | 48 | 13 | 97 | 41 | - | - | - | - |
| Unpaid withholding tax | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Misfeasance in business by responsible person | 79 | 27 | - | 27 | 25 | - | - | - | - |
| Abuse regarding public procurement | 20 | 5 | - | 14 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Conclusion of a restrictive agreement | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Accepting bribe in performing an economic activity | 3 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Giving bribe in conducting of business activity | 24 | 1 | 1 | 22 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Causing bankruptcy | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Damaging creditors | 4 | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Illegal production | 28 | 8 | 3 | 13 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Illegal trade | 88 | 5 | 23 | 54 | 5 | 1 | - | - | - |

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2023 (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 |
| Smuggling | 21 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| Preventing control | 10 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised usage of business name of another or other particular marks of goods and services | 48 | 10 | 7 | 24 | 7 | - | - | - | - |
| Damaging of business reputation and credit rating | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disclosing of a business secret | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Money counterfeiting | 18 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| Securities counterfeiting | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Payment cards counterfeiting and abuse | 123 | 47 | 6 | 7 | 62 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Forging value tokens | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Abusing authority in economy | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Deceiving purchasers | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Money laundering | 47 | 7 | 2 | 34 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against human’s health** | **5413** | **1350** | **1955** | **1668** | **373** | **21** | **2** | **23** | **21** |
| Unlawful production and circulation of narcotics | 521 | 412 | 24 | 27 | 51 | - | - | 7 | - |
| Unlawful possession of narcotics | 4816 | 912 | 1921 | 1609 | 314 | 21 | 2 | 16 | 21 |
| Facilitating the taking of narcotics | 41 | 18 | 2 | 14 | 7 | - | - | - | - |
| Failure to act pursuant to health regulations during epidemic | 17 | 3 | 8 | 6 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transmitting HIV infection | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Medical malpractice | 4 | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Quackery | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Malpractice in preparing and issuing medicaments | 3 | - | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Production and putting in circulation of harmful products | 5 | 1 | - | 3 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Pollution of drinking water and foodstuffs | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against environment** | **378** | **47** | **101** | **194** | **25** | **10** | **1** | **-** | **-** |
| Environmental pollution | 3 | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Failure to undertake environmental protection measures | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Damaging the environment | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Destroying, damaging and taking abroad or in Serbia a protected natural asset | 7 | 2 | - | 4 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Bringing dangerous substances into Serbia and unlawful processing, depositing and stockpiling of dangerous substances | 36 | 3 | - | 32 | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| Killing and cruelty to animals | 22 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Transmitting of contagious animal and plant diseases | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Forests devastation | 17 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Forest theft | 259 | 33 | 82 | 119 | 16 | 8 | 1 | - | - |
| Poaching game | 14 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| Poaching fish | 17 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property** | **193** | **51** | **7** | **103** | **28** | **1** | **-** | **-** | **3** |
| Causing general danger | 171 | 50 | 7 | 88 | 22 | 1 | - | - | 3 |
| Destroying and damaging public infrastructure | 6 | - | - | 6 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Endangering of safety at workplace by failing to ensure safety measures | 10 | 1 | - | 5 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Construction work, which does not comply with regulations and standards | 3 | - | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Damage to dams and water economy facilities | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Destroying, damaging or removing danger warning signs | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised handling of explosive and flammable material | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against public safety of persons and property** | **2547** | **276** | **439** | **1544** | **263** | **4** | **11** | **2** | **8** |
| Endangering road traffic | 2485 | 271 | 431 | 1507 | 251 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 8 |
| Endangering air traffic safety | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Dereliction of duty in supervising public traffic | 38 | 3 | 4 | 22 | 9 | - | - | - | - |
| Failure to render aid to person injured in traffic accident | 23 | 2 | 4 | 15 | 2 | - | - | - | - |

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2023 (continued)

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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** | **2** | **-** | **-** | **1** | **1** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| Computer fraud | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Preventing or restricting access to public computer network | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against constitutional order and security of the Republic of Serbia** | **6** | **1** | **-** | **4** | **1** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| Sedition | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Instigating national, racial and religious hatred and intolerance | 4 | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against government authorities** | **300** | **91** | **19** | **114** | **48** | **3** | **22** | **2** | **1** |
| Preventing an official in discharge of duty | 62 | 23 | 1 | 24 | 14 | - | - | - | - |
| Attack on an official in discharge of duty | 110 | 51 | - | 29 | 27 | - | - | 2 | 1 |
| Removal and damaging of official seal and sign | 15 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 1 | - | 2 | - | - |
| Seizure and destruction of official seal and document | 4 | - | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| Impersonation | 4 | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| Vigilantism | 105 | 12 | 15 | 53 | 2 | 3 | 20 | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against jurisdiction** | **198** | **42** | **37** | **93** | **22** | **2** | **-** | **-** | **2** |
| Failure to report preparation of a criminal offence | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Failure to report a criminal offence and perpetrator | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Accessory after the act | 10 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| False reporting | 62 | 10 | 8 | 35 | 9 | - | - | - | - |
| Perjury | 44 | 8 | 7 | 26 | 1 | - | - | - | 2 |
| Obstruction of justice | 11 | 3 | - | 8 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subornation of perjury | 27 | 4 | 2 | 17 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of a ban laid down in a safety measure | 38 | 15 | 15 | 1 | 5 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Failure to enforce a decision | 4 | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unlicensed practise of law | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against public peace and order** | **1637** | **458** | **134** | **700** | **333** | **1** | **-** | **9** | **2** |
| Causing panic and disorder | 9 | 2 | - | 6 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Violent behaviour | 389 | 92 | 19 | 227 | 49 | - | - | 2 | - |
| Violent behaviour at sports events | 44 | 4 | 9 | 24 | 7 | - | - | - | - |
| Alliance to commit crime | 30 | 7 | - | 13 | 10 | - | - | - | - |
| IIllegal production, possession, carrying and circulation of weapons and explosives | 843 | 207 | 35 | 382 | 213 | - | - | 5 | 1 |
| Participating in a group committing crime | 12 | 2 | - | 4 | 6 | - | - | - | - |
| Illegal state border crossing and human smuggling | 178 | 131 | - | 4 | 41 | - | - | 2 | - |
| Enabling abuse of the right to asylum in a foreign state | 4 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Abuse of warning signs and signs for help | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Illegal organization of lottery | 65 | 4 | 40 | 16 | 3 | 1 | - | - | 1 |
| Illegal engagement in particular activity | 52 | 4 | 31 | 15 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| Illegal archaeological works | 6 | 1 | - | 4 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Desecration of grave | 5 | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against legal transactions** | **1183** | **197** | **20** | **849** | **115** | **-** | **-** | **2** | **-** |
| Particular cases of document counterfeiting | 593 | 120 | 6 | 401 | 65 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Document counterfeiting | 309 | 52 | 14 | 203 | 39 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Official document counterfeiting | 42 | 5 | - | 35 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| Incitement to certification of false content | 239 | 20 | - | 210 | 9 | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against official duty** | **269** | **46** | **2** | **158** | **63** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| Abuse of office | 116 | 18 | - | 71 | 27 | - | - | - | - |
| Violation of law by a judge, public prosecutor or his deputy | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Dereliction of duty | 5 | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Improper use of budget funds | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |

8. Convicted adult perpetrators, by criminal offences and pronounced criminal sanctions, 2023 (continued)

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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 |
| Unlawful collection and payment | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Fraud in service | 8 | 2 | - | 2 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Embezzlement | 18 | 5 | - | 9 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised use | 5 | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Trading in influence | 16 | 2 | - | 9 | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| Soliciting and accepting bribes | 29 | 13 | - | - | 16 | - | - | - | - |
| Bribery | 70 | 6 | 1 | 57 | 6 | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against humanity and other properties protected by international law** | **18** | **15** | **-** | **1** | **2** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| War crime against civilian population | 4 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unlawful production, trading and keeping of forbidden weapons | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Participation in war or armed conflict in a foreign country | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Racial and other discrimination | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Human trafficking | 11 | 11 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Criminal offences against the Army of Serbia** | **7** | **4** | **-** | **3** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **-** |
| Absence without leave and desertion from the Army of Serbia | 3 | - | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Failure to undertake measures for security of a military unit | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disclosing a military secret | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unauthorised access to military facilities | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| **Other criminal offences (particular laws)** | **862** | **170** | **20** | **554** | **110** | **6** | **1** | **1** | **-** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SRBIJA – SEVER | 13026 | 3352 | 1751 | 6166 | 1574 | 99 | 37 | 16 | 31 |
| **Beogradski region** | **5998** | **1754** | **751** | **2677** | **748** | **23** | **14** | **9** | **22** |
| **Region Vojvodine** | **7028** | **1598** | **1000** | **3489** | **826** | **76** | **23** | **7** | **9** |
| SRBIJA – JUG | 13893 | 4047 | 2430 | 5587 | 1597 | 59 | 93 | 53 | 27 |
| **Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije** | **6557** | **1729** | **1080** | **2805** | **845** | **7** | **38** | **43** | **10** |
| **Region Južne i Istočne Srbije** | **7336** | **2318** | **1350** | **2782** | **752** | **52** | **55** | **10** | **17** |
| **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.

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