

**MOST SERIOUS OFFENSE DISTRIBUTION OF SCDC TOTAL INMATE POPULATION
AS OF JUNE 30, FISCAL YEARS 2016 - 2020**

OFFENSE CLASSIFICATION	FY 2016		FY 2017		FY 2018		FY 2019		FY 2020	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
HOMICIDE	3,989	18.7%	4,043	19.9%	4,076	21.0%	4,151	21.6%	4,169	23.5%
DANGEROUS DRUGS	3,467	16.3%	3,246	16.0%	3,074	15.9%	3,214	16.7%	3,023	17.1%
BURGLARY	3,070	14.4%	2,780	13.7%	2,586	13.3%	2,356	12.2%	2,064	11.7%
ROBBERY	2,763	13.0%	2,654	13.0%	2,486	12.8%	2,374	12.3%	2,142	12.1%
SEXUAL ASSAULT	1,538	7.2%	1,595	7.8%	1,613	8.3%	1,622	8.4%	1,586	9.0%
ASSAULT	1,526	7.2%	1,414	7.0%	1,354	7.0%	1,343	7.0%	1,134	6.4%
KIDNAPPING	1,147	5.4%	1,159	5.7%	1,150	5.9%	1,140	5.9%	1,117	6.3%
LARCENY	670	3.1%	604	3.0%	473	2.4%	457	2.4%	362	2.0%
FAMILY OFFENSE	517	2.4%	545	2.7%	544	2.8%	628	3.3%	541	3.1%
TRAFFIC OFFENSE	564	2.6%	540	2.7%	471	2.4%	504	2.6%	440	2.5%
SEX OFFENSES	414	1.9%	318	1.6%	241	1.2%	211	1.1%	156	0.9%
WEAPON OFFENSE	298	1.4%	259	1.3%	242	1.2%	249	1.3%	198	1.1%
STOLEN VEHICLE	285	1.3%	260	1.3%	262	1.4%	248	1.3%	189	1.1%
FRAUDULENT ACTIVITY	228	1.1%	201	1.0%	164	0.8%	141	0.7%	109	0.6%
FORGERY/COUNTERFEITING	160	0.8%	136	0.7%	123	0.6%	110	0.6%	77	0.4%
OBSTRUCTING POLICE	142	0.7%	118	0.6%	102	0.5%	96	0.5%	75	0.4%
ACCESSORY TO FELONY	100	0.5%	82	0.4%	67	0.3%	68	0.4%	69	0.4%
ARSON	91	0.4%	81	0.4%	71	0.4%	62	0.3%	67	0.4%
STOLEN PROPERTY	81	0.4%	64	0.3%	52	0.3%	48	0.2%	33	0.2%
FLIGHT/ESCAPE	50	0.2%	49	0.2%	57	0.3%	40	0.2%	28	0.2%
DAMAGED PROPERTY	27	0.1%	38	0.2%	22	0.1%	14	0.1%	9	0.1%
SMUGGLING	19	0.1%	26	0.1%	21	0.1%	24	0.1%	16	0.1%
CRIMINAL CONSPIRACY	27	0.1%	15	0.1%	16	0.1%	14	0.1%	10	0.1%
INVASION OF PRIVACY	20	0.1%	21	0.1%	8	0.0%	21	0.1%	17	0.1%
CRIME AGAINST PERSON	13	0.1%	17	0.1%	20	0.1%	15	0.1%	14	0.1%
PROPERTY CRIME	15	0.1%	13	0.1%	8	0.0%	15	0.1%	3	0.0%
PUBLIC PEACE	6	0.0%	8	0.0%	6	0.0%	18	0.1%	13	0.1%
POSSESSION OF TOOLS	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	6	0.0%	3	0.0%	4	0.0%
MISPRISON TO FELONY	3	0.0%	7	0.0%	6	0.0%	6	0.0%	2	0.0%
OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE	2	0.0%	5	0.0%	6	0.0%	6	0.0%	3	0.0%
CONSERVATION	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	4	0.0%	2	0.0%	1	0.0%
COMMERCIALIZED SEX	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	3	0.0%
EXTORTION	2	0.0%	1	0.0%	3	0.0%	2	0.0%	1	0.0%
OBSCENE MATERIALS	4	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	2	0.0%	3	0.0%
EMBEZZLEMENT	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%
GAMBLING	1	0.0%	2	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%
COMPUTER CRIMES	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%
MISCONDUCT IN OFFICE	1	0.0%	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
DRUNKENNESS	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%
TAX REVENUE	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<i>Non-Jurisdictional Inmates*</i>	34	0.2%	30	0.1%	32	0.2%	32	0.2%	32	0.2%
TOTAL	21,290	100.0%	20,345	100.0%	19,372	100.0%	19,242	100.0%	17,712	100.0%

* Includes Interstate Corrections Compact, county safekeepers, and pre-sentence observation.

** Highlighted areas indicate most common offenses for each fiscal year. Inmates often are committed to SCDC with many offenses, with each carrying a specific sentence, county of commitment, etc. To facilitate statistical reporting, SCDC determines a single "most serious offense" (MSO) for each inmate. Before August 2005, the offense with the longest sentence determined MSO. Effective August 2005, inmates' MSO is the offense with the highest severity level (i.e. offenses are classified between severity level 1 and 5, with 5 as the most severe). In cases where an inmate has multiple offenses at the same severity level, SCDC considers the category of each offense, where homicide offenses take precedence, followed by sex offenses and violent offenses. If multiple offenses exist within the same category, the offense with the longest sentence then determines MSO. Because of this definitional change, post-2005 MSO data cannot be compared to pre-2005 MSO data.

Note: Percentages may not add up due to rounding.