

SEVERITY OF OFFENSE SCALE

A. GREATEST

1. Murder*
2. Rape*
3. Armed robbery*
4. Assault, Aggravated*
5. Aggravated sodomy*
6. Kidnapping for ransom or bodily harm*
7. Child molestation, Aggravated*
8. Voluntary manslaughter*
9. Aggravated battery*
10. Escape from prison, detention center, jail
11. Aggravated Sexual Battery*

B. HIGH

1. Arson, Attempted Murder*
2. Explosives, possession or transportation
3. Robbery by intimidation
4. Sex offenses, other than forcible
5. Assaults, general*
6. Cruelty to children*
7. Kidnapping
8. Terroristic threat
9. Manslaughter, involuntary
10. Vehicular Homicide*
11. Aggravated Stalking*

C. MODERATE

1. Drugs, sentence of five years or higher
Property crimes with sentence of five years or higher to include:
2. Burglary, theft
3. Credit card fraud
4. Criminal damage to property with life in danger
5. Forgery, over 10 counts
6. Fraud and embezzlement
7. Theft of a motor vehicle
8. Bribery
9. Simple assault, or battery*
10. Firearms violations, possession of a deadly weapon
11. Arson, Related cases
12. Escape from diversion or transitional center.

D. LOW MODERATE

1. Drugs, sentence of less than five years
2. Property offenses with sentence less than five years
3. Soliciting for sexual activity (prostitution, pandering)

E. LOWEST

- 1. Misdemeanor, excluding assaultive and sex-related**
- 2. DUI's**
- 3. Drivers license violations**
- 4. Possession of tools to commit a crime**
- 5. Habitual violator**
- 6. Forgery, under ten counts**
- 7. Credit card theft**
- 8. VGCSA, possession, single offense, sentence one year or less**
- 9. Property offenses, sentence of two years or less**

*** *Denotes Assaultive Offenses***