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Median number of cases closed by full- and part-time prosecutors' offices

By size of population served, United States, 2005

Type of case closed	All offices	Full-time offices (population served)			Part-time offices
		Large (1,000,000 or more)	Medium (250,000 to 999,999)	Small (under 250,000)	
Criminal, felonies and misdemeanors ^a	1,100	42,953	11,235	1,435	375
Felony ^b	250	11,801	3,106	310	75
Misdemeanor ^c	630	37,308	6,700	800	300
Felony jury trial verdicts	6	230	60	10	2

Note: See Note, [table 1.85.2005](#). A case closed was defined as any case with a judgment of conviction, acquittal, or dismissal with or without prejudice entered by the court. Data on the total number of criminal cases closed, the number of felony cases closed, and the number of misdemeanor cases closed were available for 93% of prosecutors' offices.

^aCase was defined by respondent.

^bRespondents categorized cases as felonies according to their State statutes.

^cMisdemeanor cases refer to those in which criminal defendants had no felony charges against them.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Prosecutors in State Courts, 2005*, Bulletin NCJ 213799 (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, July 2006), p. 6, Table 8.