

## Case Statistics for Firearms – Related Offenses (Dispositions)

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### Issue

This report provides statistics on the disposition of firearms-related offenses in Connecticut for fiscal years (FY) 2013 through 2021. (It updates OLR Report [2020-R-0088](#) by adding case outcomes for FYs 20 and 21.)

### Summary

Using information provided by the Judicial Branch, we (1) identified about 60 firearms-related offenses and (2) compiled statistics on the disposition of these offenses for FYs 2013 through 2021. We did not include hunting offenses.

The offenses range from permit-related violations to committing manslaughter with a firearm. The total disposition of these firearms-related offenses ranges from a high of 4,232 in FY 13 to a low of 2,382 in FY 20 followed by 3,205 in FY 21.

### Background – Understanding the Statistics

The data shown in this report is the disposition of individual charges by the courts each fiscal year, not individual cases. An individual may (1) be charged with multiple offenses in the same case and (2) have multiple charges and cases during a given year. The data shows initial charges for crimes and does not include any substitute charges that prosecutors might add later in a case. The data does not show the total arrests made in each year. For each year it shows the total outcomes for charges, including those related to arrests from previous years.

Offenses can be disposed of in several ways. In some cases, an initial charge may be dismissed when a substitute charge is added. In many cases, an individual is charged with multiple offenses in the same case and some charges will be dismissed or nolle (i.e., the prosecutor declines to prosecute the charge) as part of an agreement to plead guilty to other charges. This report does not include data on individual cases and the impact plea bargaining has on charges. In addition, some charges may be dismissed when an offender satisfactorily completes a diversionary program. For example, an offender who is allowed to participate in accelerated rehabilitation and successfully completes the program can have his or her charges dismissed ([CGS § 54-56e](#)).

In this data, “dismissed” includes discharged charges and “not guilty” includes not guilty by mental disease or defect.

## Statistics on Firearms – Related Offenses

Table 1 provides the number of firearms-related offenses disposed of in fiscal years 2013 through 2021 and the various case outcomes, listed in order by statutory citation. For each statute, the table only includes those fiscal years in which a charge was disposed of. Statutes for which there were no dispositions during this time period are excluded (e.g., [CGS § 53-202j](#)).

**Table 1: Firearms-Related Offenses – Dispositions From FY 13 Through FY 21**

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>VIOLATING PISTOL OR REVOLVER PERMIT REQUIREMENTS (<a href="#">CGS § 29-28</a>)</b>					
2013	1	0	0	3	4
2014	1	0	0	2	3
2015	0	2	0	2	4
2016	2	0	0	3	5
2017	0	0	0	10	10
2018	1	0	0	2	3
2019	0	0	0	5	5
2020	2	1	0	9	12
2021	3	1	0	12	16
<b>FAILING TO DISPLAY PERMIT TO SELL A PISTOL OR REVOLVER (<a href="#">CGS § 29-31</a>)</b>					
2019	0	1	0	1	2
<b>FAILING TO SURRENDER REVOKED PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL OR REVOLVER (<a href="#">CGS § 29-32</a>)</b>					
2013	1	0	0	0	1
2019	0	0	0	1	1
2021	0	0	0	2	2

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>ILLEGALLY TRANSFERRING OR PURCHASING A PISTOL OR REVOLVER (CGS § 29-33)</b>					
2013	6	25	0	55	86
2014	21	18	0	27	66
2015	11	49	0	39	99
2016	9	3	0	45	57
2017	5	16	0	44	65
2018	8	14	0	51	73
2019	9	13	1	98	121
2020	7	9	0	51	67
2021	12	6	0	72	90
<b>ILLEGALLY TRANSFERRING A STOLEN PISTOL OR REVOLVER (CGS § 29-33)</b>					
2020	0	0	0	3	3
2021	0	3	0	6	9
<b>MAKING FALSE STATEMENTS RELATED TO A PISTOL OR REVOLVER TRANSFER (CGS § 29-34(a))</b>					
2015	1	0	0	0	1
2017	0	0	0	2	2
2019	1	0	0	0	1
<b>TRANSFERRING A PISTOL OR REVOLVER TO SOMEONE UNDER AGE 21 (CGS § 29-34(b))</b>					
2014	0	0	0	1	1
2015	0	1	0	0	1
2016	0	1	0	1	2
2020	1	0	0	0	1
<b>CARRYING A PISTOL OR REVOLVER WITHOUT A PERMIT (CGS § 29-35(a))</b>					
2013	31	208	1	236	476
2014	34	204	5	171	414
2015	45	182	3	227	*458
2016	36	166	5	226	433
2017	32	211	5	252	500
2018	37	191	4	236	468
2019	40	193	3	274	510
2020	34	77	0	140	251
2021	57	130	0	206	393
*Includes one conviction vacated in 2015					

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>FAILING TO CARRY A PISTOL OR REVOLVER PERMIT</b> <b>(CGS § 29-35(b))</b>					
2013	0	0	0	5	5
2014	1	1	0	4	6
2015	4	4	0	3	11
2016	3	0	0	4	7
2017	2	1	0	6	9
2018	2	1	0	5	8
2019	2	3	0	5	10
2020	0	0	0	3	3
2021	0	0	0	1	1
<b>ALTERING FIREARM IDENTIFICATION MARK, NUMBER, OR NAME</b> <b>(CGS § 29-36)</b>					
2013	1	7	1	55	64
2014	5	9	0	41	55
2015	8	8	0	58	74
2016	2	13	0	53	68
2017	6	15	0	66	87
2018	3	8	0	62	73
2019	8	15	0	53	76
2020	6	1	0	27	34
2021	9	4	0	39	52
<b>FAILURE TO SURRENDER REVOKED GUN PERMIT</b> <b>(CGS § 29-36i)</b>					
2015	0	1	0	0	1
<b>FAILING TO TRANSFER, DELIVER, OR SURRENDER FIREARM OR AMMUNITION WHEN</b> <b>INELIGIBLE TO POSSESS</b> <b>(CGS § 29-36k)</b>					
2019	0	0	0	1	1
2021	1	0	0	0	1
<b>ILLEGAL SALE, DELIVERY, OR TRANSFER OF LONG GUNS</b> <b>(CGS § 29-37a)</b>					
2013	0	0	0	1	1
2015	0	5	0	0	5
2016	0	2	0	2	4
2017	3	2	0	13	18
2018	6	3	0	6	15
2019	0	1	0	3	4
2020	1	0	0	0	1
2021	50	1	0	6	57

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>FAILURE TO PROVIDE LOCKING DEVICE AND WARNING AT SALE (CGS § 29-37b)</b>					
2019	2	0	0	0	2
<b>MAKING A FALSE STATEMENT RELATED TO TRANSFERRING A FIREARM OTHER THAN A PISTOL OR REVOLVER (CGS § 29-37e)</b>					
2013	0	4	0	4	8
2014	0	2	0	2	4
2015	0	3	0	1	4
2016	4	1	0	1	6
2017	0	2	0	2	4
2018	1	0	0	1	2
<b>VIOLATING LOADED FIREARM SAFE STORAGE REQUIREMENTS WITH RESPECT TO MINORS (CGS § 29-37i)</b>					
2013	0	0	0	9	9
2014	1	0	0	10	11
2015	2	1	0	7	10
2016	3	0	0	4	7
2017	0	2	0	11	13
2018	3	0	0	12	15
2019	4	0	0	14	18
2020	8	1	0	13	22
2021	6	1	0	14	21
<b>PURCHASING A FIREARM FOR TRANSFER TO A PROHIBITED PERSON (CGS § 29-37(a))</b>					
2015	0	0	0	1	1
2016	4	0	0	0	4
2018	1	0	0	0	1
2019	0	0	0	1	1
2021	0	0	0	1	1
<b>ASSISTING IN THE PURCHASE OF A FIREARM FOR TRANSFER TO A PROHIBITED PERSON (CGS § 29-37(b))</b>					
2019	1	0	0	0	1
<b>ILLEGAL SALE OF AMMUNITION OR AMMUNITION MAGAZINE (CGS § 29-38m)</b>					
2016	0	0	0	1	1
2019	0	0	0	1	1

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>USING A MACHINE GUN IN A VIOLENT CRIME</b> <b>(CGS § 53-202(b))</b>					
2014	0	0	0	1	1
2015	0	0	0	1	1
2016	1	0	0	0	1
2017	0	0	0	2	2
2019	0	0	0	4	4
<b>USING A MACHINE GUN FOR AN AGGRESSIVE PURPOSE OR GIVING ONE TO SOMEONE UNDER AGE 16</b> <b>(CGS § 53-202(c))</b>					
2013	0	1	0	0	1
2014	1	0	0	5	6
2015	1	0	0	8	9
2016	0	0	0	1	1
2017	0	0	0	2	2
2018	0	0	0	1	1
2019	0	0	0	2	2
2020	1	0	0	0	1
2021	1	1	0	0	2
<b>MANUFACTURER-FAILING TO KEEP MACHINE GUN REGISTER</b> <b>(CGS § 53-202(f))</b>					
2013	1	0	0	0	1
2015	0	0	0	1	1
<b>FAILING TO REGISTER MACHINE GUN ADAPTED TO USE PROJECTILES OF ANY CALIBER</b> <b>(CGS § 53-202(g))</b>					
2016	1	0	0	0	1
2019	0	0	0	3	3
2020	1	0	0	0	1
2021	0	1	0	0	1
<b>ILLEGALLY TRANSFERRING AN ASSAULT WEAPON</b> <b>(CGS § 53-202b(a)(1))</b>					
2013	0	1	0	2	3
2014	0	2	0	0	2
2015	0	10	0	8	18
2016	4	5	0	7	16
2017	0	1	0	1	2
2018	1	3	0	1	5
2020	12	0	0	1	13
<b>ILLEGALLY TRANSFERRING, SELLING, OR GIVING AN ASSAULT WEAPON TO SOMEONE UNDER AGE 18</b> <b>(CGS § 53-202b(a)(2))</b>					
2014	1	0	0	0	1

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>ILLEGALLY POSSESSING AN ASSAULT WEAPON – 1ST TIME VIOLATOR WHOSE POSSESSION WAS PREVIOUSLY LEGAL (CGS § 53-202c)</b>					
2013	10	3	0	7	20
2014	1	7	0	8	16
2015	6	5	0	15	26
2016	7	8	0	43	58
2017	4	7	0	18	29
2018	12	6	0	10	28
2019	12	4	0	11	27
2020	7	1	0	14	22
2021	13	8	0	4	25
<b>ILLEGALLY POSSESSING AN ASSAULT WEAPON (CGS § 53-202c)</b>					
2013	2	7	0	2	11
2014	3	4	0	3	10
2015	1	9	0	13	23
2016	3	5	0	6	14
2017	1	7	0	5	13
2018	8	1	0	4	13
2019	3	6	0	2	11
2020	4	0	0	1	5
2021	3	3	0	12	18
<b>ILLEGALLY TRANSPORTING AN ASSAULT WEAPON (CGS § 53-202f)</b>					
2013	0	1	0	0	1
2015	0	0	0	2	2
2016	1	0	0	2	3
2017	0	3	0	4	7
2019	1	0	0	0	1
2020	1	0	0	0	1

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>FAILING TO REPORT A LOST OR STOLEN ASSAULT WEAPON (CGS § 53-202g) **</b>					
2013	0	0	0	4	4
2014	0	0	0	4	4
2015	0	1	0	1	2
2016	2	0	0	1	3
2017	1	1	0	1	3
2018	0	1	0	0	1
2019	2	2	0	1	5
2020	1	2	0	3	6
2021	0	2	0	6	8
**First unintentional violation of this statute is an infraction.					
<b>USING A FIREARM TO COMMIT A CLASS A, B, OR C FELONY (CGS § 53-202k)</b>					
2013	0	8	1	11	20
2014	0	2	0	2	4
2015	1	0	0	0	1
2016	0	0	0	2	2
2017	1	6	0	3	10
2018	0	0	0	2	2
2019	0	1	0	2	3
2020	0	0	0	3	3
2021	0	0	0	1	1
<b>TRANSFERRING AMOR PIERCING OR INCENDIARY AMMUNITION (CGS § 53-202l)</b>					
2014	0	0	0	1	1
2020	0	0	0	10	10
2021	0	0	0	1	1
<b>ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF A LARGE CAPACITY MAGAZINE (CGS § 53-202w) **</b>					
2014	0	1	0	1	2
2015	2	9	0	31	42
2016	6	8	0	97	111
2017	7	12	0	86	105
2018	61	5	0	65	131
2019	27	7	0	115	149
2020	75	12	0	98	185
2021	67	25	0	109	201
**Possession on or after January 1, 2014, of a large capacity magazine obtained prior to April 5, 2013, is an infraction.					



Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF A DECLARED LARGE CAPACITY MAGAZINE (CGS § 53-202x)</b>					
2014	0	0	0	1	1
2015	1	0	0	5	6
2016	2	2	0	4	8
2017	7	6	0	42	55
2018	2	0	0	4	6
2019	3	0	0	8	11
2020	20	0	0	10	30
2021	4	1	0	28	33
<b>TRAFFICKING IN FIREARMS (CGS § 53-202aa)</b>					
2013	0	3	0	10	13
2014	0	2	0	3	5
2015	1	12	0	4	17
2016	0	0	0	16	16
2017	0	3	0	6	9
2018	0	3	0	4	7
2019	0	0	0	3	3
2021	0	0	0	1	1
<b>ILLEGALLY DISCHARGING A FIREARM (CGS § 53-203)</b>					
2013	33	27	0	78	138
2014	44	33	0	99	176
2015	43	19	0	79	141
2016	38	25	0	63	126
2017	39	26	0	84	149
2018	46	30	1	131	208
2019	37	25	1	67	130
2020	34	13	0	52	99
2021	19	27	1	92	139
<b>HUNTING OR DISCHARGING A FIREARM FROM A PUBLIC HIGHWAY (CGS § 53-204)</b>					
2013	2	0	0	2	4
2014	2	0	0	16	18
2015	5	1	0	4	10
2017	1	0	0	1	2
2018	0	0	0	1	1
2019	0	0	0	1	1
2020	1	0	0	0	1
2021	1	0	0	0	1

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>CARRYING A LOADED SHOTGUN, RIFLE, OR MUZZLELOADER IN A VEHICLE OR SNOWMOBILE (CGS § 53-205)</b>					
2013	7	0	0	7	14
2014	1	1	0	5	7
2015	5	1	0	2	8
2016	1	1	0	3	5
2017	3	0	0	0	3
2018	3	2	0	1	6
2019	2	0	0	1	3
2020	0	1	0	0	1
2021	3	0	0	5	8
<b>ILLEGAL TRAINING OF WEAPONS USE (CGS § 53-206b)</b>					
2014	0	0	0	1	1
<b>SELLING, CARRYING, BRANDISHING A FACSIMILE FIREARM (CGS § 53-206c)</b>					
2013	9	17	0	48	74
2014	12	14	0	42	68
2015	13	14	0	35	62
2016	10	17	0	46	73
2017	13	17	0	32	62
2018	17	16	0	34	67
2019	13	11	0	39	63
2020	11	6	0	14	31
2021	9	8	0	35	52
<b>CARRYING A LOADED FIREARM UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS OR ALCOHOL (CGS § 53-206d(a))</b>					
2013	38	6	0	45	89
2014	26	8	0	39	73
2015	38	9	0	41	88
2016	28	15	0	34	77
2017	34	14	0	39	87
2018	46	15	0	54	115
2019	37	14	0	36	87
2020	34	3	0	30	67
2021	19	14	0	23	56

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>1ST DEGREE MANSLAUGHTER WITH A FIREARM</b> (CGS § 53a-55a)					
2013	1	10	0	2	13
2014	0	11	1	1	*14
2015	1	16	1	0	18
2016	0	14	6	2	22
2017	1	7	1	2	11
2018	0	12	0	1	13
2019	0	9	0	2	11
2020	0	5	0	0	5
2021	0	4	0	0	4
*Includes one conviction vacated in 2014					
<b>2ND DEGREE MANSLAUGHTER WITH A FIREARM</b> (CGS § 53a-56a)					
2013	1	1	0	0	2
2014	0	1	0	0	1
2017	0	1	0	0	1
2018	0	1	0	0	1
<b>1ST DEGREE ASSAULT – DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM</b> (CGS § 53a-59(a)(5))					
2013	0	37	6	26	69
2014	0	53	3	14	70
2015	8	37	4	23	72
2016	1	41	3	31	76
2017	0	46	8	27	*82
2018	2	29	1	22	54
2019	0	41	8	14	63
2020	1	20	0	8	29
2021	0	19	1	8	28
*Includes one conviction vacated in 2017					
<b>2ND DEGREE ASSAULT – SERIOUS PHYSICAL INJURY WITH WEAPON</b> (CGS § 53a-60(a)(3))					
2013	1	9	0	2	12
2014	1	10	1	3	15
2015	3	8	0	5	16
2016	2	7	0	3	*15
2017	2	16	1	6	25
2018	3	15	1	4	23
2019	1	14	1	8	24
2020	4	9	0	3	16
2021	0	8	0	0	8
*Includes three convictions vacated in 2016					

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>2ND DEGREE ASSAULT WITH A FIREARM</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-60a)</b>					
2013	3	4	0	6	13
2014	0	2	0	3	5
2015	2	2	0	7	11
2016	2	4	0	5	11
2017	2	3	0	8	13
2018	1	5	0	7	13
2019	1	5	0	7	13
2020	3	1	0	0	4
2021	0	1	0	6	7
<b>2ND DEGREE ASSAULT OF AN ELDERLY, BLIND, DISABLED, PREGNANT, OR INTELLECTUALLY DISABLED PERSON WITH A FIREARM</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-60c)</b>					
2013	0	1	0	1	2
2017	0	0	0	1	1
2018	1	0	0	2	3
2019	0	0	0	1	1
2020	0	0	0	1	1
<b>3RD DEGREE ASSAULT - NEGLIGENCE/INJURY WITH A WEAPON</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-61(a)(3))</b>					
2013	0	4	0	4	8
2014	1	6	0	2	9
2015	1	3	0	3	7
2016	1	1	0	5	7
2017	1	5	0	2	8
2018	2	7	0	6	15
2019	2	7	1	3	13
2020	1	0	0	0	1
2021	3	4	0	4	11
<b>3RD DEGREE SEXUAL ASSAULT WITH A FIREARM</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-72b)</b>					
2013	0	1	0	0	1
2017	0	2	0	0	2
2018	0	1	0	0	1

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>1ST DEGREE KIDNAPPING WITH A FIREARM</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-92a)</b>					
2013	0	6	4	14	24
2014	0	0	0	2	2
2015	0	1	0	7	8
2016	0	1	0	12	13
2017	1	0	3	0	4
2018	0	2	0	7	9
2019	0	1	0	4	5
2020	0	0	0	12	12
2021	0	0	0	4	4
<b>2ND DEGREE KIDNAPPING WITH A FIREARM</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-94a)</b>					
2014	2	3	0	1	6
2015	0	0	0	1	1
2016	0	1	0	0	1
2017	1	2	0	2	5
2019	0	2	0	1	3
<b>1ST DEGREE BURGLARY WITH A DEADLY WEAPON</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-101(a)(1))</b>					
2013	0	17	2	11	30
2014	1	10	0	5	*17
2015	4	12	3	5	24
2016	0	17	1	7	25
2017	0	15	0	8	23
2018	1	8	0	3	12
2019	0	8	2	5	15
2020	0	3	0	2	5
2021	0	7	0	2	9
*Includes one conviction vacated in 2014					
<b>2ND DEGREE BURGLARY WITH A FIREARM</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-102a)</b>					
2013	0	2	0	0	2
2014	0	4	0	1	5
2015	0	1	0	0	1
2016	0	2	0	0	2
2017	0	1	0	0	1
2019	0	1	0	1	2
2020	0	1	0	0	1

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Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>3RD DEGREE BURGLARY WITH A FIREARM</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-103a)</b>					
2013	0	0	0	1	1
2014	0	0	0	4	4
2017	1	0	0	0	1
2018	1	2	0	1	4
2019	0	1	0	2	3
2020	0	0	0	1	1
2021	0	1	0	0	1
<b>1ST DEGREE ROBBERY – DEADLY WEAPON</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-134(a)(2))</b>					
2013	2	53	5	56	116
2014	7	43	8	49	107
2015	10	50	5	33	*99
2016	1	49	1	37	88
2017	1	21	4	41	*69
2018	12	35	4	21	72
2019	0	54	3	29	86
2020	1	17	0	13	31
2021	2	18	0	12	32
*Includes vacated convictions: one in 2015 and two in 2017					
<b>1ST DEGREE ROBBERY – FIREARM THREAT</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-134(a)(4))</b>					
2013	8	248	12	133	401
2014	3	173	7	88	271
2015	11	130	0	74	215
2016	1	164	4	66	235
2017	5	139	1	44	189
2018	0	95	0	49	144
2019	6	73	1	39	119
2020	0	49	0	24	73
2021	2	42	1	14	59

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Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>2ND DEGREE ROBBERY - DEADLY WEAPON OR DANGEROUS INSTRUMENT</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-135(a)(1)(B))</b>					
2013	0	7	0	0	7
2014	0	16	0	1	17
2015	0	32	0	2	34
2016	0	28	0	0	28
2017	0	46	0	0	46
2018	0	40	0	0	40
2019	0	43	0	0	43
2020	2	14	0	4	20
2021	2	27	0	0	29
<b>POSSESSION OF WEAPON IN A CORRECTIONS INSTITUTION</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-174a)</b>					
2013	3	17	0	7	27
2014	6	31	0	9	46
2015	0	25	0	8	33
2016	1	24	0	16	41
2017	1	23	0	7	31
2018	0	21	0	10	31
2019	0	17	0	7	24
2020	0	11	0	4	15
2021	1	10	0	6	17
<b>POSSESSING A SAWED-OFF SHOTGUN OR SILENCER</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-211)</b>					
2013	9	10	1	17	37
2014	2	21	0	17	40
2015	6	6	0	12	24
2016	3	8	0	8	19
2017	2	8	0	12	22
2018	4	6	0	14	24
2019	4	7	0	4	15
2020	0	1	0	0	1
2021	3	6	0	8	17

Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>STEALING A FIREARM (CGS § 53a-212)</b>					
2013	7	65	0	187	259
2014	12	56	0	132	200
2015	37	83	1	231	352
2016	11	56	1	192	260
2017	14	52	0	169	235
2018	11	51	0	145	207
2019	15	55	0	165	235
2020	11	25	0	102	138
2021	16	19	0	133	168
<b>CRIMINAL USE OF A FIREARM OR ELECTRONIC DEFENSE WEAPON (CGS § 53a-216)</b>					
2013	1	0	0	30	31
2014	4	0	1	25	30
2015	4	0	0	23	27
2016	0	2	0	27	29
2017	3	0	0	20	23
2018	1	0	0	28	29
2019	2	1	0	20	23
2020	1	0	0	14	15
2021	2	1	0	22	25
<b>CRIMINAL POSSESSION OF A FIREARM OR ELECTRONIC DEFENSE WEAPON (CGS § 53a-217)</b>					
2013	45	198	5	182	430
2014	21	271	3	175	470
2015	13	207	0	238	458
2016	21	181	2	265	469
2017	14	210	3	258	485
2018	37	192	3	300	532
2019	14	211	2	241	468
2020	15	93	0	145	253
2021	21	133	0	238	392



Table 1 (continued)

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>CRIMINALLY NEGLIGENT STORAGE OF A FIREARM</b> (CGS § 53a-217a)					
2013	0	0	0	14	14
2014	3	0	0	12	15
2015	2	1	0	1	4
2016	6	0	0	4	10
2017	2	1	0	1	4
2018	0	0	0	8	8
2019	1	1	0	2	4
2020	4	0	0	5	9
2021	1	0	0	7	8
<b>CRIMINAL POSSESSION OF A PISTOL OR REVOLVER</b> (CGS § 53a-217c)					
2013	13	107	0	113	233
2014	4	117	0	96	217
2015	7	95	2	127	231
2016	9	108	1	114	232
2017	2	103	2	117	224
2018	8	116	1	115	240
2019	7	135	0	129	271
2020	0	69	2	92	163
2021	5	85	0	91	181
<b>FAILURE TO REGISTER WHEN CONVICTED OF A CRIME WITH A DEADLY WEAPON</b> (CGS § 54-280a)					
2015	1	4	0	2	7
2016	0	11	0	17	28
2017	1	14	0	14	29
2018	0	9	0	5	14
2019	0	7	0	15	22
2020	1	4	0	7	12
2021	1	3	0	21	25

Other statutes punish possessing or carrying a variety of weapons including metal knuckles, certain knives, and firearms. We include these offenses separately, in Table 2, because it is likely that some of these charges involve firearms, but it is unclear how many.

**Table 2: Weapons-Related Offenses That May Include Firearms Dispositions  
From FY 13 Through FY 19**

Fiscal Year	Dismissed	Guilty	Not Guilty	Nolle	Total
<b>INTERFERENCE WITH THE LEGISLATIVE PROCESS</b> <b>(CGS § 2-1e(c))</b>					
2021	0	0	0	1	1
<b>ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF WEAPON IN A VEHICLE</b> <b>(CGS § 29-38)</b>					
2013	152	141	1	437	731
2014	140	143	0	427	710
2015	165	132	4	414	715
2016	148	143	2	421	714
2017	147	156	1	487	791
2018	152	148	0	482	782
2019	156	152	0	482	790
2020	122	86	0	231	439
2021	126	106	0	362	594
<b>CARRYING A DANGEROUS WEAPON</b> <b>(CGS § 53-206)</b>					
2013	128	151	2	419	700
2014	125	113	0	357	595
2015	177	132	2	364	675
2016	114	145	2	325	586
2017	89	121	0	282	492
2018	86	126	0	301	513
2019	97	141	0	278	516
2020	76	45	0	141	262
2021	72	74	0	253	399
<b>POSSESSING A FIREARM OR DEADLY WEAPON ON SCHOOL GROUNDS</b> <b>(CGS § 53a-217b)</b>					
2013	10	1	0	11	22
2014	4	0	0	3	7
2015	3	2	0	6	11
2016	7	2	0	8	17
2017	5	1	0	7	13
2018	6	0	0	5	11
2019	5	0	0	4	9
2020	5	0	0	4	9
2021	5	0	0	0	5

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