

**Preliminary 2016 Jury Verdicts Statewide  
in Iowa District Courts\***

*Civil*

Torts	Jury verdicts
P.I. - Med/dental malp	14
P.I. - Motor vehicle	45
P.I. - Premises liability	19
P.I. - Prod liab & toxic	2
P.I. - Other negl/intent.	19
Profess. malp (no PI)	2
Prop/financ dmg (no PI)	11
<b>Contract/Commercial</b>	
Contract - Debt Collec	2
Fraud/Misrep.	6
Employment claim	11
Cont/commrc: other	10
<b>Equity</b>	
Mortgage Foreclosure	0
Other Real Property	1
Other Equity	3
<b>Other Civil</b>	
Admin Appeals to DCt	17
Distress warrants	0
Foreign judgments	0
Liens	0
Post conviction relief	0
Other actions	0
<b>Total Reg. Civil</b>	<b>162</b>

*Criminal*

Felonies	Jury verdicts
Sex assault	47
Dom abuse assault	15
Other violent	70
Property (B&T)	2
Drugs	25
OWI 3+	11
Other nonviol. Felony	69
<b>Total Felonies</b>	<b>239</b>
<b>INDICTABLE MISDS.</b>	
Dom abuse assault	46
Other violent	45
Property	7
Drugs	14
OWI - 2nd	8
OWI - 1st	28
Drv W Lic Rev/Bar	10
Other nonviol. Indmsd	28
<b>Total Serious/Agrv Misds</b>	<b>186</b>
<b>Simple Misdems.</b>	
Dom abuse assault	10
State traf-c-sec 321	21
Other State	38
Ordinance	10
<b>Total Simple Misds</b>	<b>79</b>
<b>TOTAL CRIM.</b>	<b>504</b>

\*These are **PRELIMINARY (NOT FOR PUBLICATION)** year-end statistics for CY 2016. They will not be considered "final" until mid-March 2017. Note: These statistics represent "verdicts entered." They do not represent the number of cases that began a jury trial. An estimated 20% of cases that begin a jury trial end in a settlement (civil cases) or a guilty plea (criminal) before a verdict is entered.

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