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Which of the following, if any, do you think should be the typical punishment for someone convicted of each of the following crimes?

Murder

A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1-2 years prison sentence	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
3-4 years prison sentence	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5-9 years prison sentence	**1**	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0
10-14 years prison sentence	**2**	1	3	2	0	2	3	1	3	1	4	2	1	2	3	1
15-20 years prison sentence	**6**	4	8	8	3	16	9	4	7	6	8	6	6	6	7	5
Over 20 years prison sentence	**82**	86	81	83	77	76	81	81	78	84	80	82	83	79	81	82
Other	**6**	6	4	4	16	2	4	10	8	5	4	5	7	9	6	8
Don't know	**3**	1	3	1	2	4	3	3	2	3	3	3	2	2	3	3

Rape

A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1-2 years prison sentence	**1**	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	1	0	1	1
3-4 years prison sentence	**3**	5	2	2	2	0	2	3	3	3	2	2	3	4	3	2
5-9 years prison sentence	**10**	13	10	10	9	7	11	11	10	10	6	10	9	13	9	11
10-14 years prison sentence	**17**	17	17	19	17	15	18	16	15	18	9	16	18	21	16	18
15-20 years prison sentence	**20**	20	21	22	21	25	23	21	19	21	13	20	21	22	21	20
Over 20 years prison sentence	**43**	39	44	43	42	47	40	41	43	43	62	44	43	33	45	40
Other	**2**	1	2	1	5	1	2	3	3	2	4	3	3	1	2	3
Don't know	**4**	3	4	2	3	4	3	5	5	3	3	6	3	4	3	5

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1-2 years prison sentence	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
3-4 years prison sentence	**0**	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
5-9 years prison sentence	**1**	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	0
10-14 years prison sentence	**2**	2	3	3	6	2	2	2	2
15-20 years prison sentence	**6**	6	7	5	81	6	6	7	6
Over 20 years prison sentence	**82**	81	81	88	7	80	79	84	82
Other	**6**	7	8	3	3	8	9	2	6
Don't know	**3**	3	1	1	0	3	3	3	3

Rape

A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1-2 years prison sentence	**1**	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1
3-4 years prison sentence	**3**	3	4	3	3	2	3	2	3
5-9 years prison sentence	**10**	10	9	11	10	10	9	10	10
10-14 years prison sentence	**17**	16	22	17	17	20	18	13	15
15-20 years prison sentence	**20**	21	18	12	21	18	22	22	22
Over 20 years prison sentence	**43**	43	36	52	42	42	42	49	41
Other	**2**	2	3	2	3	3	2	1	3
Don't know	**4**	4	6	3	4	4	4	3	4

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Burglary of the home																
A fine	**0**	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**3**	3	4	3	2	5	4	2	3	4	4	3	3	3	4	2
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**6**	6	6	4	6	3	7	5	7	4	3	5	6	7	6	6
1-2 years prison sentence	**18**	18	19	18	16	25	20	16	17	19	20	16	18	19	17	19
3-4 years prison sentence	**25**	27	23	33	27	21	24	28	26	24	25	22	24	31	25	25
5-9 years prison sentence	**23**	23	25	23	18	28	22	23	22	23	24	25	22	19	23	22
10-14 years prison sentence	**12**	12	10	8	16	6	11	12	11	12	8	13	13	10	12	12
15-20 years prison sentence	**4**	6	3	5	6	2	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	5	3
Over 20 years prison sentence	**3**	1	2	1	5	0	2	4	4	2	3	4	3	1	3	3
Other	**1**	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1
Don't know	**6**	3	6	3	3	8	5	5	6	6	6	7	5	4	5	7
Shoplifting																
A fine	**8**	6	9	8	7	7	9	5	9	7	16	8	7	5	7	8
Community service	**35**	26	44	50	21	49	44	27	31	38	37	36	38	29	40	29
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**20**	24	16	15	28	20	17	25	22	18	16	18	18	25	17	23
1-2 years prison sentence	**18**	23	15	15	24	13	14	21	19	18	15	17	18	23	18	18
3-4 years prison sentence	**7**	8	6	6	10	4	6	10	6	8	5	6	8	9	7	8
5-9 years prison sentence	**4**	7	2	1	5	1	2	4	4	4	1	4	4	5	3	4
10-14 years prison sentence	**1**	1	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
15-20 years prison sentence	**0**	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	1
Other	**1**	2	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1
Don't know	**6**	3	6	2	4	6	4	5	6	5	6	8	4	3	5	6
Serious violent assault																
A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**1**	1	1	0	2	0	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
1-2 years prison sentence	**3**	3	4	5	5	4	4	2	5	2	6	4	3	3	4	3
3-4 years prison sentence	**9**	10	9	11	8	6	9	8	10	8	7	9	8	10	8	9
5-9 years prison sentence	**20**	22	18	20	22	27	22	20	23	18	22	18	22	22	21	20
10-14 years prison sentence	**22**	22	25	21	22	25	22	24	21	23	24	21	23	23	23	21
15-20 years prison sentence	**20**	22	19	21	17	22	21	19	18	22	19	17	20	24	21	19
Over 20 years prison sentence	**18**	18	16	19	20	11	15	19	15	21	17	21	18	13	17	20
Other	**1**	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Don't know	**5**	3	6	2	3	5	4	5	5	4	4	6	4	3	4	6

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Community service	**3**	3	3	4	3	4	2	2	4
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**6**	5	4	8	5	5	6	9	4
1-2 years prison sentence	**18**	18	21	15	18	21	16	14	18
3-4 years prison sentence	**25**	25	22	22	25	27	23	28	25
5-9 years prison sentence	**23**	23	22	19	23	20	26	21	25
10-14 years prison sentence	**12**	11	14	12	12	11	11	12	12
15-20 years prison sentence	**4**	4	4	6	4	3	6	7	3
Over 20 years prison sentence	**3**	3	4	5	3	3	3	2	3
Other	**1**	1	2	1	1	1	1	0	1
Don't know	**6**	6	5	7	6	6	6	5	5
Shoplifting									
A fine	**8**	8	9	8	8	7	4	13	8
Community service	**35**	34	38	39	35	34	30	33	37
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**20**	20	20	19	20	23	23	14	18
1-2 years prison sentence	**18**	19	12	17	18	20	19	17	18
3-4 years prison sentence	**7**	7	9	5	7	8	8	7	6
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10-14 years prison sentence	**1**	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
15-20 years prison sentence	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	1	2	1	1	0	2	0	1
Other	**1**	1	3	2	1	1	1	0	2
Don't know	**6**	5	6	7	5	5	7	6	5
Serious violent assault									
A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**1**	1	4	2	1	1	0	2	1
1-2 years prison sentence	**3**	4	4	2	4	3	5	3	3
3-4 years prison sentence	**9**	9	8	7	9	7	10	7	11
5-9 years prison sentence	**20**	20	23	21	20	25	14	20	20
10-14 years prison sentence	**22**	22	25	21	22	22	22	26	21
15-20 years prison sentence	**20**	20	17	22	20	18	23	20	20
Over 20 years prison sentence	**18**	18	15	18	18	19	19	19	18
Other	**1**	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1
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Anti-social behaviour																
A fine	**5**	5	5	6	2	5	6	4	7	5	10	6	4	3	6	5
Community service	**46**	44	53	56	42	57	53	40	46	47	51	48	47	41	48	45
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**13**	16	12	14	15	10	11	19	13	13	8	12	14	17	13	13
1-2 years prison sentence	**14**	17	12	8	18	15	12	16	13	15	11	12	14	19	14	14
3-4 years prison sentence	**7**	9	7	7	8	2	7	8	6	8	5	6	9	9	8	7
5-9 years prison sentence	**3**	3	2	2	7	1	3	5	3	3	1	3	4	5	3	4
10-14 years prison sentence	**1**	0	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	1
15-20 years prison sentence	**0**	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
Other	**1**	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1
Don't know	**7**	2	7	3	4	8	5	5	7	6	12	9	4	3	5	8
Sexual assault																
A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**1**	1	1	2	1	0	1	2	2	1	0	1	2	2	1	1
1-2 years prison sentence	**4**	5	4	4	4	5	3	4	4	3	3	3	3	5	3	3
3-4 years prison sentence	**11**	17	9	11	11	6	12	12	12	11	9	10	10	16	10	13
5-9 years prison sentence	**19**	18	22	20	22	19	22	19	20	18	13	19	19	21	19	20
10-14 years prison sentence	**18**	20	19	19	17	19	19	19	20	17	15	17	19	23	18	19
15-20 years prison sentence	**15**	16	16	15	16	16	16	15	12	17	11	13	18	15	16	13
Over 20 years prison sentence	**24**	19	22	24	23	27	19	22	23	25	40	27	23	12	25	22
Other	**2**	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	1
Don't know	**6**	3	5	4	4	7	5	5	7	5	5	8	5	4	5	7
Phone/internet scams																
A fine	**4**	2	5	4	4	6	5	3	4	4	3	5	3	2	4	4
Community service	**5**	4	5	4	3	6	6	3	5	4	9	4	4	4	5	4
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**7**	9	9	8	6	7	8	6	8	7	11	7	6	7	8	6
1-2 years prison sentence	**17**	15	16	17	19	19	16	16	19	15	19	17	17	15	16	17
3-4 years prison sentence	**21**	23	22	24	18	23	23	20	21	22	24	21	20	22	23	20
5-9 years prison sentence	**19**	20	19	16	22	15	18	23	16	21	9	18	22	22	18	20
10-14 years prison sentence	**11**	14	8	13	13	6	10	12	10	12	9	10	9	15	10	12
15-20 years prison sentence	**3**	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	4	3	4	2	3	4	4	3
Over 20 years prison sentence	**5**	4	4	5	6	3	4	7	6	4	1	5	6	4	4	6
Other	**1**	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	1
Don't know	**7**	4	7	5	4	12	6	6	7	7	11	8	6	5	6	8

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A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**13**	13	11	14	13	15	14	9	13
1-2 years prison sentence	**14**	14	13	14	14	17	13	15	12
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5-9 years prison sentence	**3**	3	1	5	3	4	4	3	3
10-14 years prison sentence	**1**	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	1
15-20 years prison sentence	**0**	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	1	2	1	1	0	2	1	1
Other	**1**	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2
Don't know	**7**	7	5	8	6	6	7	7	7
Sexual assault									
A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**1**	1	0	1	1	2	0	1	1
1-2 years prison sentence	**4**	4	5	3	4	3	3	3	5
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15-20 years prison sentence	**15**	15	17	12	15	16	17	15	13
Over 20 years prison sentence	**24**	24	16	29	24	23	25	23	24
Other	**2**	2	2	0	2	3	1	1	1
Don't know	**6**	6	5	7	6	6	7	3	6
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15-20 years prison sentence	**3**	3	2	2	5	2	5	7	3
Over 20 years prison sentence	**5**	5	7	5	1	5	6	3	5
Other	**1**	1	2	1	7	1	1	0	1
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Dangerous driving																
A fine	**10**	9	8	11	10	8	10	7	12	8	18	10	10	5	9	9
Community service	**13**	13	16	16	8	14	15	12	15	11	15	13	13	12	14	11
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**12**	11	13	12	13	12	13	11	12	12	11	12	12	11	12	12
1-2 years prison sentence	**18**	22	18	17	14	16	18	19	19	17	14	15	17	23	18	17
3-4 years prison sentence	**15**	13	17	13	18	17	15	16	13	18	17	14	15	18	15	16
5-9 years prison sentence	**12**	13	11	12	16	9	11	15	9	14	9	13	11	13	12	12
10-14 years prison sentence	**7**	7	6	4	7	7	6	6	6	7	2	6	9	7	7	6
15-20 years prison sentence	**2**	2	2	2	5	2	2	2	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	2
Over 20 years prison sentence	**3**	3	3	3	3	1	2	4	4	2	1	4	3	1	3	3
Other	**2**	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	2	1
Don't know	**8**	6	7	6	6	12	6	7	8	7	10	9	7	6	6	9
Robbery (stealing from a person using force or the threat of force)																
A fine	**0**	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**1**	1	2	3	3	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	1
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**5**	3	5	4	3	4	5	3	6	3	8	6	3	2	5	4
1-2 years prison sentence	**12**	12	15	14	10	14	16	10	13	12	11	13	13	11	13	12
3-4 years prison sentence	**21**	18	20	24	20	21	21	19	18	23	23	21	18	22	20	21
5-9 years prison sentence	**24**	25	24	24	26	35	23	26	24	24	26	23	23	28	24	24
10-14 years prison sentence	**16**	22	14	15	19	9	15	18	15	16	14	14	18	18	16	16
15-20 years prison sentence	**8**	7	8	8	9	6	7	9	8	9	6	7	10	10	9	8
Over 20 years prison sentence	**6**	8	5	5	7	1	5	8	8	5	3	7	8	5	6	7
Other	**1**	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Don't know	**5**	3	6	3	2	7	5	4	5	5	8	7	4	4	5	6

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Dangerous driving									
A fine	**10**	10	6	11	9	9	7	11	11
Community service	**13**	13	15	13	13	12	12	16	13
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**12**	12	12	12	12	9	12	14	12
1-2 years prison sentence	**18**	18	18	17	18	17	16	14	20
3-4 years prison sentence	**15**	16	15	9	16	16	16	18	15
5-9 years prison sentence	**12**	12	11	13	12	14	14	11	10
10-14 years prison sentence	**7**	6	8	9	6	7	6	5	6
15-20 years prison sentence	**2**	2	1	1	2	3	3	2	2
Over 20 years prison sentence	**3**	3	3	3	3	3	5	1	3
Other	**2**	1	3	2	2	2	1	1	1
Don't know	**8**	8	7	10	8	7	9	8	7
Robbery (stealing from a person using force or the threat of force)									
A fine	**0**	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**1**	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	2
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**5**	4	4	7	4	4	3	6	4
1-2 years prison sentence	**12**	12	13	12	12	15	7	15	12
3-4 years prison sentence	**21**	21	23	18	21	18	23	19	22
5-9 years prison sentence	**24**	25	24	19	25	27	26	24	23
10-14 years prison sentence	**16**	16	15	13	16	13	16	15	19
15-20 years prison sentence	**8**	8	5	10	8	10	10	10	6
Over 20 years prison sentence	**6**	6	6	8	6	6	8	5	6
Other	**1**	1	3	0	1	1	1	1	1
Don't know	**5**	5	6	9	5	5	5	5	5

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Theft (taking someone's property but without the use or threat of force)																
A fine	**3**	2	4	3	1	1	3	2	3	2	2	4	3	1	3	3
Community service	**16**	13	18	19	12	28	20	12	14	17	13	15	17	16	16	15
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**17**	19	16	14	17	18	18	17	17	16	17	17	13	19	16	17
1-2 years prison sentence	**25**	27	24	25	24	19	24	25	24	26	29	24	24	25	24	25
3-4 years prison sentence	**16**	18	17	15	21	17	15	18	15	18	15	14	17	20	18	15
5-9 years prison sentence	**11**	11	9	14	11	6	9	13	12	10	12	11	12	9	12	11
10-14 years prison sentence	**4**	4	2	3	7	2	3	4	4	3	2	4	5	3	3	4
15-20 years prison sentence	**1**	2	2	2	0	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	1
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1
Other	**1**	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	1
Don't know	**6**	3	6	3	3	8	5	5	6	6	7	7	4	4	5	7
Minor violent assault																
A fine	**2**	2	1	2	3	0	2	2	2	1	0	2	2	1	1	2
Community service	**10**	10	12	11	8	9	11	10	11	9	8	9	11	10	10	9
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**16**	18	17	14	19	18	17	16	18	15	18	14	18	18	17	16
1-2 years prison sentence	**23**	22	20	30	16	23	24	24	24	22	18	25	21	24	22	24
3-4 years prison sentence	**20**	21	20	19	21	26	19	20	19	21	29	18	17	22	20	19
5-9 years prison sentence	**12**	14	13	9	18	10	11	14	10	14	10	11	16	11	12	13
10-14 years prison sentence	**6**	6	5	6	4	7	6	5	5	7	5	7	5	6	7	5
15-20 years prison sentence	**2**	2	2	3	2	2	3	2	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	1
Over 20 years prison sentence	**2**	1	2	1	3	0	1	2	3	1	1	2	2	1	2	3
Other	**1**	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0
Don't know	**6**	3	7	5	4	6	6	5	6	6	6	8	4	4	6	7
Attacking someone with a knife																
A fine	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**1**	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1
1-2 years prison sentence	**4**	5	4	4	5	6	4	4	6	3	9	3	4	5	4	4
3-4 years prison sentence	**9**	8	10	12	6	9	10	7	8	10	7	9	9	9	9	9
5-9 years prison sentence	**20**	16	23	23	17	29	24	18	21	19	24	21	18	18	20	20
10-14 years prison sentence	**22**	24	23	24	22	18	23	22	22	22	21	20	23	25	22	22
15-20 years prison sentence	**16**	17	15	13	18	16	16	17	14	18	15	15	16	19	17	15
Over 20 years prison sentence	**22**	27	18	19	27	14	16	27	23	22	18	25	23	19	22	23
Other	**1**	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1
Don't know	**5**	2	5	3	2	6	4	4	5	5	5	6	4	3	4	5

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A fine	**3**	3	2	4	3	2	2	3	4
Community service	**16**	15	21	18	15	16	11	13	17
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**17**	17	12	10	17	18	15	17	18
1-2 years prison sentence	**25**	24	23	29	24	23	28	24	24
3-4 years prison sentence	**16**	17	17	13	17	18	22	14	14
5-9 years prison sentence	**11**	11	10	10	11	12	9	17	11
10-14 years prison sentence	**4**	4	2	1	4	3	4	3	5
15-20 years prison sentence	**1**	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1
Other	**1**	1	3	2	1	0	1	0	1
Don't know	**6**	5	6	10	5	5	5	5	5
Minor violent assault									
A fine	**2**	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	2
Community service	**10**	10	10	10	10	9	12	12	9
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**16**	17	22	10	17	21	12	12	18
1-2 years prison sentence	**23**	22	20	35	22	21	26	19	22
3-4 years prison sentence	**20**	20	19	16	20	20	23	20	20
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10-14 years prison sentence	**6**	6	5	6	6	7	6	8	5
15-20 years prison sentence	**2**	2	2	3	2	2	1	1	2
Over 20 years prison sentence	**2**	2	2	3	2	1	2	3	2
Other	**1**	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	1
Don't know	**6**	6	6	7	6	6	7	6	6
Attacking someone with a knife									
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Community service	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**1**	1	1	0	4	0	0	3	1
1-2 years prison sentence	**4**	4	6	8	9	3	4	5	4
3-4 years prison sentence	**9**	9	5	11	20	8	6	10	11
5-9 years prison sentence	**20**	20	21	20	22	20	21	20	20
10-14 years prison sentence	**22**	23	19	17	16	24	24	25	20
15-20 years prison sentence	**16**	16	13	17	22	17	18	11	16
Over 20 years prison sentence	**22**	22	26	22	1	21	22	21	23
Other	**1**	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	2
Don't know	**5**	5	7	5	1	5	5	4	5

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Supplying illegal drugs																
A fine	**1**	1	1	2	2	1	3	1	2	1	0	2	1	1	1	2
Community service	**4**	2	7	6	4	9	6	2	4	4	3	5	5	3	5	4
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**4**	5	5	2	2	3	4	3	4	4	5	4	4	4	5	3
1-2 years prison sentence	**11**	8	14	11	11	11	12	8	12	9	20	9	10	9	11	10
3-4 years prison sentence	**16**	15	19	17	14	24	17	14	14	18	18	18	15	14	16	16
5-9 years prison sentence	**18**	18	17	23	17	15	18	19	18	18	16	16	19	22	18	18
10-14 years prison sentence	**17**	22	14	16	19	15	15	19	17	17	10	16	17	21	17	17
15-20 years prison sentence	**8**	9	7	7	14	4	6	11	7	9	9	6	9	10	8	8
Over 20 years prison sentence	**11**	13	8	10	12	5	9	13	12	10	7	10	13	11	10	12
Other	**2**	2	1	2	2	0	2	1	2	1	1	2	3	1	2	2
Don't know	**8**	4	8	4	5	14	7	7	7	9	11	10	6	5	7	9
Vandalism																
A fine	**6**	5	6	6	4	7	7	5	6	6	12	7	5	3	6	6
Community service	**47**	40	54	60	34	58	56	38	45	48	51	51	46	37	50	42
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**12**	14	12	12	17	14	11	15	13	12	10	10	13	17	12	13
1-2 years prison sentence	**13**	17	9	9	22	5	10	17	12	14	6	11	14	19	13	14
3-4 years prison sentence	**8**	12	7	5	8	5	6	11	8	9	10	6	9	11	7	10
5-9 years prison sentence	**4**	5	2	3	8	2	3	5	4	3	1	3	5	5	3	5
10-14 years prison sentence	**2**	2	2	0	3	1	1	2	1	2	0	2	2	2	2	1
15-20 years prison sentence	**0**	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	0	1	1
Other	**1**	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1
Don't know	**6**	2	6	2	3	6	4	5	6	5	9	7	4	4	5	6

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Community service	**4**	4	8	3	4	3	5	5	4
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**4**	4	4	4	4	4	5	5	4
1-2 years prison sentence	**11**	10	11	13	10	12	8	14	9
3-4 years prison sentence	**16**	17	9	16	16	16	21	15	17
5-9 years prison sentence	**18**	18	18	15	18	20	15	21	17
10-14 years prison sentence	**17**	18	11	12	17	18	19	15	18
15-20 years prison sentence	**8**	8	9	9	8	6	9	9	8
Over 20 years prison sentence	**11**	10	11	16	10	12	11	4	10
Other	**2**	2	0	2	2	1	0	3	2
Don't know	**8**	8	14	9	8	8	6	7	9
Vandalism									
A fine	**6**	6	6	9	6	5	7	8	5
Community service	**47**	45	59	53	46	47	39	42	48
A prison sentence of less than 1 year	**12**	13	5	11	13	15	15	10	11
1-2 years prison sentence	**13**	14	12	7	14	12	16	12	15
3-4 years prison sentence	**8**	8	9	7	8	6	8	14	8
5-9 years prison sentence	**4**	4	2	4	4	5	4	6	3
10-14 years prison sentence	**2**	2	0	1	2	1	3	2	1
15-20 years prison sentence	**0**	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Over 20 years prison sentence	**1**	1	2	1	1	0	2	0	1
Other	**1**	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
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