

# SUPERIOR COURT

## Performance Summary Fiscal Year 2023 - Criminal Cases - Elapsed Time

	Total Number of Cases Disposed	Average Time from Arrest to Disposition	Average Time from Indictment to Disposition
New Castle County	3,331	398.2 days	257.3 days
Kent County	920	270.9 days	153.2 days
Sussex County	1,617	311.0 days	231.8 days
<b>State</b>	<b>5,868</b>	<b>354.2 days</b>	<b>233.9 days</b>

## Performance Summary Fiscal Year 2023 - Criminal Cases - Compliance with Speedy Trial Standards

	Total Number of Cases Disposed	Disposed of within 120 Days of Indictment (90%)		Disposed of within 180 Days of Indictment (98%)		Disposed of within 365 Days of Indictment (100%)	
New Castle County	3,331	1,233	37.0%	1,461	43.9%	2,652	79.6%
Kent County	920	481	52.3%	653	71.0%	837	91.0%
Sussex County	1,617	571	35.3%	820	50.7%	1,352	83.6%
<b>State</b>	<b>5,868</b>	<b>2,285</b>	<b>38.9%</b>	<b>2,934</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>4,841</b>	<b>82.5%</b>

### Criminal Cases Performance Explanatory Notes - Fiscal Year 2023

1. The performance summary charts measure the average time from the date of arrest to the date of disposition as well as the average time from the date of indictment/information to the date of disposition.
2. In measuring the elapsed time for defendants for the purpose of determining the rate of compliance with the speedy trial standards, the following are excluded by the Court:
  - a) For all capiases, the time between the date that the capias is issued and the date that it is executed.
  - b) For all Rule 9 summonses and Rule 9 warrants, the time between the arrest and the indictment/information, if any.
  - c) For all mental examinations, the time between the date that the examination is ordered and the date of the receipt of the results.
  - d) For all defendants deemed to be incompetent, the period in which the defendant is considered incompetent.

Source: Court Administrator and Case Scheduling Office, Superior Court; Administrative Office of the Courts.