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Federal Justice Statistics Program: Arrests and Bookings for Federal Offenses, 2010

Description

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Scope of Study

Summary: The data contain records of arrests and bookings for federal offenses in the United States during fiscal year 2010. The data were constructed from the United States Marshals Service (USMS) Prisoner Tracking System database. Records include arrests made by federal law enforcement agencies (including the USMS), state and local agencies, and self-surrenders. Offenders arrested for federal offenses are transferred to the custody of the USMS for processing, transportation, and detention. The Prisoner Tracking System contains data on all offenders within the custody of the USMS. The data file contains variables from the original USMS files as well as additional analysis variables, or "SAF" variables, that denote subsets of the data. These SAF variables are related to statistics reported in the Compendium of Federal Justice Statistics, Tables 1.1-1.3. Variables containing identifying information (e.g., name, Social Security Number) were replaced with blanks, and the day portions of date fields were also sanitized in order to protect the identities of individuals. These data are part of a series designed by the Urban Institute (Washington, DC) and the Bureau of Justice Statistics. Data and documentation were prepared by the Urban Institute.

Subject Term(s): arrest records, arrests, federal offenses, federal prisoners, offenders

Geographic Coverage: United States

- Time Period: • October 1, 2009 - September 30, 2010, Fiscal year 2010
- Date(s) of Collection: • October 1, 2009 - September 30, 2010, Fiscal year 2010
- Unit of Observation: federal prisoners
- Universe: Federal offenders in the custody of the United States Marshals Service during fiscal year 2010.
- Data Type: event/transaction data

Methodology

- Data Source: extracts from the USMS Prisoner Tracking System file
- Extent of Processing: Created variable labels and/or value labels.

Access and Availability

- Note: A list of the data formats available for this study can be found in the [summary of holdings](#). Detailed file-level information (such as record length, case count, and variable count) is listed in the [file manifest](#).
- Restrictions: Access to these data is restricted. Users interested in obtaining these data must complete a Restricted Data Use Agreement, specify the reasons for the request, and obtain IRB approval or notice of exemption for their research.
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