

**Texas Department of Criminal Justice
Parole and DMS Considerations
Fiscal Year 2013**

FY 2013 Parole Approval Rates by Offense Type

Offense	Votes	Sep-12	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	FY Total To Date	FY Total Estimated
Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	932	1213	922	734	995	870	926	891	968	900	729	902	10,982	10,982
	Approved	296	409	273	264	332	292	279	223	288	277	230	297	3,460	3,460
	Approval Rate	31.76%	33.72%	29.61%	35.97%	33.37%	33.56%	30.13%	25.03%	29.75%	30.78%	31.55%	32.93%	31.51%	31.51%
Aggravated-Sex Offense	Considered	294	535	300	261	346	339	418	266	442	340	331	286	4,158	4,158
	Approved	126	296	102	144	156	147	201	90	209	130	146	110	1,857	1,857
	Approval Rate	42.86%	55.33%	34.00%	55.17%	45.09%	43.36%	48.09%	33.83%	47.29%	38.24%	44.11%	38.46%	44.66%	44.66%
Violent-Not Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	1104	1323	1094	896	1268	976	1180	1190	1438	1250	1130	1211	14,060	14,060
	Approved	296	343	306	251	329	266	334	293	383	346	287	309	3,743	3,743
	Approval Rate	26.81%	25.93%	27.97%	28.01%	25.95%	27.25%	28.31%	24.62%	26.63%	27.68%	25.40%	25.52%	26.62%	26.62%
Not Aggravated Sex Offense	Considered	187	243	233	151	230	184	218	198	261	225	233	228	2,591	2,591
	Approved	60	77	74	50	89	46	63	48	72	67	74	66	786	786
	Approval Rate	32.09%	31.69%	31.76%	33.11%	38.70%	25.00%	28.90%	24.24%	27.59%	29.78%	31.76%	28.95%	30.34%	30.34%
Nonviolent-No Sex Offense	Considered	3715	4348	3810	2944	3892	3220	3541	3750	4507	3698	3631	3668	44,724	44,724
	Approved	1401	1768	1558	1205	1618	1263	1382	1431	1761	1519	1412	1455	17,773	17,773
	Approval Rate	37.71%	40.66%	40.89%	40.93%	41.57%	39.22%	39.03%	38.16%	39.07%	41.08%	38.89%	39.67%	39.74%	39.74%
Total	Considered	6232	7662	6359	4986	6731	5589	6283	6295	7616	6413	6054	6295	76,515	76,515
	Approved	2179	2893	2313	1914	2524	2014	2259	2085	2713	2339	2149	2237	27,619	27,619
	Approval Rate	34.96%	37.76%	36.37%	38.39%	37.50%	36.04%	35.95%	33.12%	35.62%	36.47%	35.50%	35.54%	36.10%	36.10%

FY 2013 Discretionary MS Approval Rates by Offense Type

Offense	Votes	Sep-12	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	FY Total To Date	FY Total Estimated
Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	5
	Approved	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	4
	Approval Rate	-----	100.00%	50.00%	-----	-----	100.00%	-----	-----	-----	-----	100.00%	-----	80.00%	80.00%
Aggravated-Sex Offense	Considered	2	0	2	4	2	0	0	0	5	1	1	0	17	17
	Approved	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	4
	Approval Rate	50.00%	-----	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	-----	-----	-----	0.00%	100.00%	100.00%	-----	23.53%	23.53%
Violent-Not Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	312	394	299	256	426	317	327	365	366	332	308	383	4,085	4,085
	Approved	129	171	125	109	213	140	144	146	165	149	132	173	1,796	1,796
	Approval Rate	41.35%	43.40%	41.81%	42.58%	50.00%	44.16%	44.04%	40.00%	45.08%	44.88%	42.86%	45.17%	43.97%	43.97%
Not Aggravated Sex Offense	Considered	22	29	30	21	46	19	31	28	28	30	28	32	344	344
	Approved	12	13	10	10	26	9	11	13	8	10	7	12	141	141
	Approval Rate	54.55%	44.83%	33.33%	47.62%	56.52%	47.37%	35.48%	46.43%	28.57%	33.33%	25.00%	37.50%	40.99%	40.99%
Nonviolent-No Sex Offense	Considered	978	1305	1053	880	1418	1034	1117	1096	1208	1093	963	1149	13,294	13,294
	Approved	589	713	626	529	889	603	627	567	668	587	512	636	7,546	7,546
	Approval Rate	60.22%	54.64%	59.45%	60.11%	62.69%	58.32%	56.13%	51.73%	55.30%	53.71%	53.17%	55.35%	56.76%	56.76%
Total	Considered	1314	1729	1386	1161	1892	1371	1475	1489	1607	1456	1301	1564	17,745	17,745
	Approved	731	898	762	649	1128	753	782	726	841	747	653	821	9,491	9,491
	Approval Rate	55.63%	51.94%	54.98%	55.90%	59.62%	54.92%	53.02%	48.76%	52.33%	51.30%	50.19%	52.49%	53.49%	53.49%

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FY 2013 Parole Approval Rates by Guidelines Level

Guideline Score	Votes	Sep-12	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	FY Total To Date	FY Total Estimated
1	Considered	7	6	1	2	1	4	0	0	1	1	2	1	26	26
	Approved	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	Approval Rate	28.57%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%	-----	-----	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	11.54%	11.54%
2	Considered	689	856	720	579	797	704	732	720	822	729	590	670	8608	8608
	Approved	171	229	179	158	209	191	185	156	222	188	167	169	2224	2224
	Approval Rate	24.82%	26.75%	24.86%	27.29%	26.22%	27.13%	25.27%	21.67%	27.01%	25.79%	28.31%	25.22%	25.84%	25.84%
3	Considered	628	870	618	487	675	542	648	569	758	618	548	633	7594	7594
	Approved	214	343	177	185	230	198	229	148	255	227	168	209	2583	2583
	Approval Rate	34.08%	39.43%	28.64%	37.99%	34.07%	36.53%	35.34%	26.01%	33.64%	36.73%	30.66%	33.02%	34.01%	34.01%
4	Considered	1920	2380	1969	1532	1971	1557	1720	1818	2090	1843	1876	2011	22687	22687
	Approved	526	702	559	450	573	422	467	410	543	480	465	538	6135	6135
	Approval Rate	27.40%	29.50%	28.39%	29.37%	29.07%	27.10%	27.15%	22.55%	25.98%	26.04%	24.79%	26.75%	27.04%	27.04%
5	Considered	1556	1813	1603	1225	1750	1391	1626	1597	2004	1692	1672	1651	19580	19580
	Approved	524	677	612	479	674	464	584	571	748	641	624	619	7217	7217
	Approval Rate	33.68%	37.34%	38.18%	39.10%	38.51%	33.36%	35.92%	35.75%	37.33%	37.88%	37.32%	37.49%	36.86%	36.86%
6	Considered	1125	1353	1130	869	1187	1040	1198	1219	1495	1213	1093	1067	13989	13989
	Approved	525	666	544	413	580	496	560	554	659	596	546	523	6662	6662
	Approval Rate	46.67%	49.22%	48.14%	47.53%	48.86%	47.69%	46.74%	45.45%	44.08%	49.13%	49.95%	49.02%	47.62%	47.62%
7	Considered	306	383	317	291	349	349	356	371	440	317	272	260	4011	4011
	Approved	216	275	241	227	257	241	231	245	283	207	178	178	2779	2779
	Approval Rate	70.59%	71.80%	76.03%	78.01%	73.64%	69.05%	64.89%	66.04%	64.32%	65.30%	65.44%	68.46%	69.28%	69.28%
Total with Guidelines	Considered	6231	7661	6358	4985	6730	5587	6280	6294	7610	6413	6053	6293	76495	76495
	Approved	2178	2892	2312	1913	2523	2012	2256	2084	2710	2339	2148	2236	27603	27603
	Approval Rate	34.95%	37.75%	36.36%	38.38%	37.49%	36.01%	35.92%	33.11%	35.61%	36.47%	35.49%	35.53%	36.08%	36.08%
Total without Guidelines*	Considered	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	6	0	1	2	20	20
	Approved	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	3	0	1	1	16	16
	Approval Rate	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	50.00%	-----	100.00%	50.00%	80.00%	80.00%

*Guideline scores for some offenders were not available electronically as of the date of this report. Board members have access to all guidelines when voting.

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FY 2013 Cases Approved for Parole by FI Types

Month	FI-1	FI-2	FI-4	FI-5	FI-6	FI-3R	FI-4R	FI-6R	FI-7R	FI-9R	FI-18R	TOTAL	# Tier Votes To Date	% Tier Votes To Date	# Tier Votes Estimated
Sep-12	959 44%	301 14%	0 0%	268 12%	54 2%	261 12%	32 1%	230 11%	8 0%	58 3%	8 0%	2,179	597	27%	597
Oct-12	1232 43%	371 13%	2 0%	334 12%	76 3%	333 12%	111 4%	279 10%	7 0%	129 4%	19 1%	2,893	1,475	29%	1,475
Nov-12	874 38%	387 17%	4 0%	268 12%	78 3%	300 13%	45 2%	299 13%	6 0%	46 2%	6 0%	2,313	2,177	29%	2,177
Dec-12	765 40%	291 15%	1 0%	231 12%	45 2%	251 13%	46 2%	201 11%	1 0%	74 4%	8 0%	1,914	2,758	30%	2,758
Jan-13	983 39%	394 16%	3 0%	283 11%	49 2%	315 12%	85 3%	316 13%	8 0%	77 3%	11 0%	2,524	3,570	30%	3,570
Feb-13	799 40%	303 15%	1 0%	249 12%	49 2%	267 13%	61 3%	216 11%	3 0%	60 3%	6 0%	2,014	4,183	30%	4,183
Mar-13	811 36%	376 17%	0 0%	261 12%	54 2%	292 13%	95 4%	271 12%	8 0%	83 4%	8 0%	2,259	4,940	31%	4,940
Apr-13	761 36%	383 18%	1 0%	198 9%	45 2%	335 16%	44 2%	245 12%	11 1%	55 3%	7 0%	2,085	5,637	31%	5,637
May-13	898 33%	512 19%	1 0%	318 12%	70 3%	398 15%	94 3%	329 12%	6 0%	76 3%	11 0%	2,713	6,551	31%	6,551
Jun-13	843 36%	407 17%	3 0%	283 12%	50 2%	304 13%	72 3%	302 13%	12 1%	56 2%	7 0%	2,339	7,304	31%	7,304
Jul-13	697 32%	397 18%	0 0%	278 13%	43 2%	293 14%	74 3%	298 14%	6 0%	55 3%	8 0%	2,149	8,038	32%	8,038
Aug-13	721 32%	423 19%	0 0%	301 13%	53 2%	276 12%	78 3%	303 14%	21 1%	52 2%	9 0%	2,237	8,777	32%	8,777
FY Total to date	10,343 37%	4,545 16%	16 0%	3,272 12%	666 2%	3,625 13%	837 3%	3,289 12%	97 0%	821 3%	108 0%	27,619			

*Note - The above numbers are based on preliminary data and are subject to change. Approvals for offenders to begin serving additional consecutive sentences are not included. Withdrawal considerations are not considered in these figures.