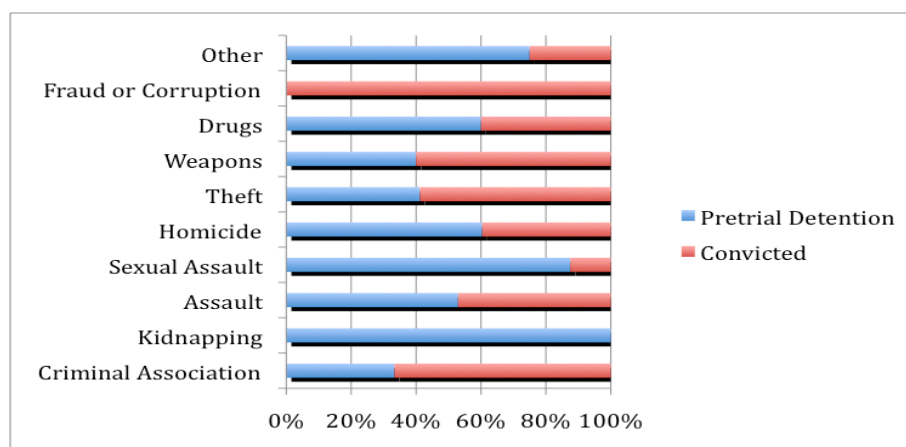


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Fast Facts

- Legal survey of prisons at Hinche, Mirebalais, St. Marc
- 174 respondents
- 144 males, 30 females; 4 minors
- 56.9% pretrial detainees vs. 83% nationally
- 63% of females charged with a violent crime vs. 44% of males
- 51% of pretrial detainees charged with a violent crime vs. 47%
- Median length of pretrial detention is 135 days vs. 408 days nationally
- Minimum is 1 day but maximum is 1573 days
- St Marc is the worst of the prisons for all measures of pretrial detention
- 40.8% had a lawyer and 54.0% did not; highest rate of lawyers at St. Marc
- 42.9% of those who requested pretrial release had lawyers
- 44.3% reported abuse and 52.3% did not
- Most of the reported abuse occurred during arrest
- 94.8% supported dependents before they were arrested
- 78.7% received visitors in prison, on average once every 35.7 days
- Visits cost family members an average of 148 HTG (3.68 USD)

Distribution of Charges of Pretrial Detainees vs. Convicted Detainees (n=174)



Length of Pretrial Detention in Days (n=174)

	Pretrial Detainees	Mean Time	25%	50% Median	75%	Min. Time	Max. Time
Hinche	15	256	24	168	303	4	1562
Mirebalais	44	95	16	59	108	1	930
St Marc	40	370	130	310	530	17	1573
Total	99	249	35	135	353	1	1573