

Downtown Crime Comparison: Dallas vs. Ft. Worth

In April '24,
Downtown Dallas'
Crime Score was
9x higher than
Downtown Ft.
Worth and
experienced:

- 16x more motor vehicle thefts
- 8x more thefts
- -8x more assaults

Assessed Crime	Crime Category (2) (3)	April '24		Trailing 3- Month Avg		Trailing 6- Month Avg		Trailing 12- Month Avg	
Value (1)		Dallas	Ft. Worth	Dallas	Ft. Worth	Dallas	Ft. Worth	Dallas	Ft. Worth
100	Homicide Offenses	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
90	Human Trafficking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
90	Sex Offenses, Forcible	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
85	Kidnapping/Abduction	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
65	Robbery	4	0	4	0	4	0	5	1
50	Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50	Assault Offenses	70	9	68	6	62	8	65	10
40	Burglary/Breaking & Entering	4	3	8	5	10	7	8	6
40	Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
40	Motor Vehicle Theft	47	3	56	2	61	3	66	3
35	Counterfeiting/Forgery	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
30	Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Prop.	25	0	23	2	28	1	30	1
30	Drug/Narcotic Violations	24	0	30	0	25	0	25	1
30	Fraud Offenses	7	3	7	2	6	2	7	2
30	Larceny/Theft Offenses	116	14	91	14	99	16	100	17
20	Animal Offenses	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Pornography/Obscene Material	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Stolen Property Offenses	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
20	Weapon Law Violations	5	0	4	0	3	0	3	0
20	Prostitution Offenses	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0
	Total Crimes Committed	304	32	293	32	303	40	315	41
	Total Crime Score	11,170	1,200	10,932	1,185	11,252	1,483	11,825	1,555
	Crime Score Delta	9,970		9,747		9,769		10,270	

Notes:

- (1) For ease of comparison, the Metroplex Civic & Business Association uses the crime score weightings used by The Dallas Express news publication: https://dallasexpress.com/crime-methodology/
- (2) Given a lack of granularity in the Fort Worth crime data, crimes of a similar nature in Dallas have been summed into the above crime categories for a more accurate comparison
- (3) Crime types not included in both City's datasets were excluded so as to provide the most comparative analysis possible (Disorderly Conduct, Extortion / Blackmail, Traffic Violation Hazardous, and Trespass of Real Property)

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