

Provincial Offences Court Fines by Statute (Part I and III only)
Fine Amounts/Fines Collected/Fines in Default*
Provincial Overview
January 2016 to December 2016

*In Ontario, municipalities are responsible for administering the courts in which *Provincial Offences Act* matters, like traffic tickets, are heard. Municipalities are also responsible for the enforcement and collection of any resulting fines.

Statute	Offence Description	Fine Amount	Fines Collected	Total Number of Charges with Fine Amounts in Default	Percent of Total	Fine Amounts in Default (as of June 30, 2016)	Percent of Total
HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT	s.130 Careless driving	\$ 3,825,245		19,808	0.6%	\$ 7,716,452	0.8%
	s.182 Disobey sign	\$ 3,792,780		10,035	0.3%	\$ 867,448	0.1%
	s.136 Disobey stop sign — fail to stop	\$ 2,254,303		17,236	0.6%	\$ 1,505,317	0.2%
	s.78.1 Drive — hand-held communication device	\$ 11,693,992		8,602	0.3%	\$ 1,846,151	0.2%
	s.32 Drive motor vehicle — improper licence	\$ 7,029,810		113,251	3.7%	\$ 30,206,833	3.1%
	s.7 Drive motor vehicle, no currently validated permit	\$ 7,724,068		105,312	3.4%	\$ 9,651,657	1.0%
	s.33 Driver fail to surrender licence	\$ 1,520,848		40,074	1.3%	\$ 3,546,818	0.4%
	s.53 Driving while under suspension	\$ 14,552,943		115,338	3.8%	\$ 138,169,262	14.1%
	s.7 Fail to surrender permit for motor vehicle	\$ 1,046,337		35,336	1.1%	\$ 3,229,494	0.3%
	s.144 Red light — proceed before green	\$ 26,276,311		53,994	1.8%	\$ 9,927,018	1.0%
	s.106 Seat Belt offences	\$ 4,707,795		68,437	2.2%	\$ 8,154,734	0.8%
	s.128 Speeding	\$ 34,714,417		197,386	6.4%	\$ 23,583,033	2.4%
	s.172 Stunt Driving/Racing	\$ 2,643,999		2,480	0.1%	\$ 4,589,795	0.5%
	s.142 Turn — not in safety	\$ 1,621,155		8,661	0.3%	\$ 811,554	0.1%
Other Highway Traffic Act Charges	\$ 26,659,048		552,417	18.0%	\$ 67,073,002	6.8%	
HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT Total	\$ 150,063,048	\$ 131,267,771	1,348,367	43.8%	\$ 310,878,568	31.7%	
COMPULSORY AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE ACT	\$ 39,522,710	\$ 25,536,179	210,801	6.9%	\$ 377,401,586	38.4%	
LIQUOR LICENCE ACT	\$ 3,462,005	\$ 2,005,791	604,071	19.6%	\$ 48,571,358	4.9%	
MUNICIPAL BY-LAWS	\$ 6,458,701	\$ 4,647,786	262,285	8.5%	\$ 41,105,113	4.2%	
SAFE STREETS ACT	\$ 399,340	\$ 13,967	141,115	4.6%	\$ 7,372,617	0.8%	
SMOKE-FREE ONTARIO ACT	\$ 562,570	\$ 408,919	7,369	0.2%	\$ 2,111,855	0.2%	
OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT	\$ 11,634,530	\$ 9,649,055	5,416	0.2%	\$ 24,220,735	2.5%	
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT	\$ 9,012,060	\$ 1,395,515	7,272	0.2%	\$ 15,995,815	1.6%	
DOG OWNERS' LIABILITY ACT	\$ 53,250	\$ 33,925	808	0.0%	\$ 364,029	0.0%	
EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ACT	\$ 955,415	\$ 198,763	1,143	0.0%	\$ 2,797,847	0.3%	
OTHER STATUTES	\$ 15,770,058	\$ 10,760,216	486,712	15.8%	\$ 150,872,972	15.4%	
Total POA Charges	\$ 237,893,686	\$ 185,917,887	3,075,359	100.0%	\$ 981,692,495	100.0%	

Fine Amount: Payment amount ordered by the court or voluntarily prepaid by the person charged, excluding fee, court cost, victim fine surcharge, and collection agency costs.

Fines Collected: Payment amount made in a year by the person charged, excluding fee, court cost, victim fine surcharge, and collection agency costs. HTA fines data is not available by specific offence. Fines collected in a year may represent fines imposed in prior years.

Fine Amounts in Default: Amounts include the fine amount that went into default, excluding fee, court cost, victim fine surcharge payable and collection agency costs. 'Fine Amounts in Default' do not include unpaid fines that have not yet been noted as being in default and also do not include unpaid fines that have been written-off by Municipal Partners.