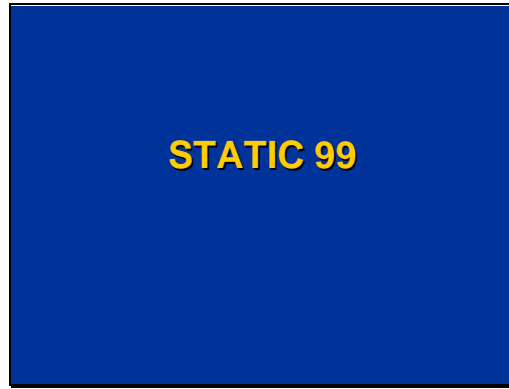


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RRASOR

- 1) Prior sexual charges or convictions
- 2) Victim gender
- 3) Age
- 4) Relationship to victim

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Static99

RRASOR plus 6 items

1. Prior sentencing dates
2. Noncontact offenses
3. Index nonsexual violence
4. Prior non-sexual violence
5. Stranger victim
6. Single

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Recidivism Criteria?

Reconviction

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What's Charge

Static99	MnSOST-R
Conviction	
Yes	Yes
Plea Bargain	
Yes	Yes

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What's Charge	
Static99	MnSOST-R
Dismissed – lack of evidence	
Yes	No
Acquittal	
Yes	No
Overturned on Appeal	
Yes	No

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Who can be scored?	
Yes	No
■ Males	■ Females
■ Not necessarily convicted	■ Adolescents (< 18 at release)
■ Sex Offenders	■ Alleged sex offenders
■ Mentally Ill	■ Prostitution related offenses only ones
■ Developmentally Delayed	■ Pornography only
■ Non contact offenders	■ Statutory rape (if ages close)
■ Sex with animals	■ Public sex
■ Different races	

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When to Score Juveniles

- | | |
|--|-----|
| ■ Committed juvenile & adult offenses | Yes |
| ■ Incarcerated as juvenile – offenses at 16 or 17; young adult now | Yes |
| ■ Incarcerated as juvenile – offenses at 14 or 15, young adult now | No |
| ■ Incarcerated as juvenile – offenses committed as old juvenile; older adult now | ? |

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Scoring Adults with Only Juvenile Offenses

Take into account how “adult-like” offenses are

And age of juvenile at time

Use cautiously

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Juvenile Offenses

- Official records, not self report
- Count under priors

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Self Report?

Preferably not on criminal history

- 3) Index non-sexual violence
- 4) Prior non-sexual violence
- 5) Prior sex offenses
- 6) Prior sentencing dates
- 7) Any convictions for noncontact sex offenses

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Self Report?

Yes
(If credible)

8) Any unrelated victims

9) Any stranger victims

10) Any male victims

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Missing Items

Only 1 can be omitted

“Ever lived with a lover”

If no info, score as “0”

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What is a Sexual Offense

- Count juvenile & adult offenses
- Do not count self report for what is a sexual offense
- Count sex-related: kidnapping even if planned assault didn't take place; murder for sexual killers – if so, count as 2 sexual offenses
- Institutional rule violations, parole or probation violations if would have been a sexual offense

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Static99: General Instructions Do Not Count

- Consensual sexual activity in prison
- Failure to register
- Stalking (unless sexual offense likely)
- Reports to child protection service (without charges)

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What is a Sex Charge or Conviction?

- Arrests
- Charges
- Parole and probation violations
- Criminal convictions
- Alternative resolutions agreements
- Institutional rule violations (not consenting)

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What is a Sex Offense?

- Must be serious enough that could be

Fined

Imprisoned

Put under supervision

Result in alternative resolution agreement

Lost of good time in prison

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Count as Sexual Offenses

- Burglary, assault, etc. if pled from rape
- Murder if rape was part of it
- Assault if strangled to force a rape
- Kidnapping if intent was rape

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Do Not Count as Sexual Offenses

- Assault, threats and stalking motivated by jealousy, where no sexual assault took place

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Count as two sexual offenses

- Sexual assault and false imprisonment
- Sexual assault and kidnapping
- Sexual assault and battery

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Current Offense Nonsexual

- Can score if has previous sexual offenses
- Count last sexual offense as index
- Do not score if 10 years at liberty since last sexual offense then arrested for new nonsexual offense
- Can use if latest offense is technical or minor non-violent if no more than 10 years has elapsed since sexual offense
- If new violent offense, no credit for time free
- Adjust for time free

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Category A

- Child molestation
- Rape
- Exhibitionism
- Voyeurism
- Invitation to sexual touching
- Sex with animals & dead bodies
- Creating child porn
- Attempted sexual assault
- Attempted sex offenses
- Lewd and lascivious with child
- Sexual homicide

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Category B

- Prostitution
 - Soliciting prostitution
 - Pimping
 - Consenting sex in public places
 - Possession of child pornography
 - Indecent Exposure without sexual motive

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Category B

To count

Must be illegal where it took place
&
Where risk assessment takes place

e.g., prostitution

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Category B

Only considered sexual offenses if have at
least one category A
(then count them)

Not recommended if only category B

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Do Not Count Category B

- If no Category A
- For victim items

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Not Sexual Offenses

- Annoying children
- Possession of children's clothing, toys
- Stalking (unless offense imminent)
- Reports to child protection (without charges)
- Being in presence of children, loitering at schools

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Probation, Parole or Conditional Release Violations

- Only if could have been a legal charge if not under supervision

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Violations That Aren't Sex Offenses

- Loitering in the presence of children

Test:

Could someone be arrested for the behavior who had no history of sexual offenses?

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Exceptions

- When offense appears “truly imminent”
- Ex: Offender with history of abducting teenage girls being apprehended for attempting to lure girls into his car
- Ex: Child molester alone with a child about to start “wrestling”

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Similar Fact Cases

- 2 convictions for dragging women into bushes and raping them
- 3rd time woman fights so hard he beats her and leaves
- 3rd counts as a sexual offense (and nonsexual violence)

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Institutional Rule Violations

- Only a sexual offense if he could have gotten charged if not locked up

Rape	Yes
Consenting sex	No
Public Masturbation	Maybe

- Must be a sanction to count

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Institutional Rules Violations

- Count as charges
- Count as one charge per sentence even if multiple incidents

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What Counts as a Sexual Charge or Conviction?

Developmentally Delayed

- Count informal hearings and sanctions or placement in treatment facilities as a charge & conviction

Members of Clergy or Military

- Publicly denounced and sent to treatment count as an arrest and conviction

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Does Not Count

- Teachers
- Priests
- Military

Being sent to new school, church or base

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Static99: General Instructions

Juveniles

- If 12 - 15 and placed into residential care for sexual aggression
- 11 and under does not count unless a formal charge or conviction

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1) Age

Age 25 or older 0

Age 18 to 24 1

(At time of release. Not intended for less than age 18.)

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2) Ever Lived with an Intimate Partner

- Count "marriage" as two adults living together as lovers continuously for at least 2 years

Yes	0
No	1

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2) Ever Lived with an Intimate Partner

Still count as a 1

- Very young
- In prison since adolescence
- Priest

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2) Ever Lived with an Intimate Partner	
■ Legal marriages in prison	Count? No
■ Legal marriages < 2 years	No
■ Non-human species	No
■ Relationship with victim	No

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3) Index Nonsexual Assault Conviction	
■ Index sentencing occasion includes conviction for "non-sexual assault" (not charges or self report)	
■ Based on the formal conviction, not behavior	
■ Homicide, Kidnapping, Assault , Robbery etc	
■ Could be different victim but same sentencing occasion	
■ Possession of weapons doesn't count unless used	
No	0
Yes	1

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Nonsexual Assault

- If behavior sexual, but offender convicted of non-sexual violence, same conviction counts as sexual and nonsexual
- Rape and forcible confinement: 2 sexual offenses and one non-sexual violent offense

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What counts

- Grand Theft Person
- Attempted Robbery
- Attempted Abduction
- Arson
- Giving Noxious Substance
- PINS (if for violence)
- Robbery
- Threatening
- Using/pointing a weapon

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What Doesn't Count

- Arrests/charges
- Convictions overturned on appeal
- Non-sexual violence after Index
- Institutional rules violations even if violent
- Driving accidents
- Convictions for negligence causing death or injury
- Resisting Arrest

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What Doesn't Count

- Sexual assault with a weapon
- Aggravated sexual assault
- Sexual battery

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How to count?	
Sexual Offense, Nonsexual or Both	
Charge	Conviction
■ Forcible confinement	Forcible confinement
■ Forcible confinement Sexual assault	Forcible confinement Sexual assault
■ Murder (with sex)	Murder (with sex)

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Charge	Conviction	Sexual/Viol
■ Forcible confinement	Forcible confinement	Maybe/1
■ Forcible confinement ■ Sexual assault	Forcible confinement Sexual assault	2/1
■ Murder ■ (with sex)	Murder (with sex)	1/1

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4) Prior Nonsexual Assault Convictions

- Conviction for nonsexual assault incurred on any sentencing occasion prior to Index
- Not arrests or charges

No	0
Yes	1

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5) Prior Sex Offense Convictions/Charges

- Index offense is most recent with a sexual element (Do not count)
- Convictions Charges Points
- 0 0 0
- 1 1-2 1
- 2-3 3-5 2
- 4+ 6+ 3

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	Offense	Conviction
#1	1988	1989
#2	1986	1990

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Index Cluster
<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ “Historical offenses that are detected after the offender is convicted of a more recent sexual offense would be considered part of the index offense . . .”■ “For two offenses to be considered separate offenses, the second offense must have been committed after the offender was sanctioned for the previous offense.”

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Index Offense **Index is most recent sexual offense**

Index is most recent sexual charge or conviction

Can be sex offense charge, conviction or rule violation (if could have resulted in a new charge)

If spree of offending, even if multiple convictions in multiple places, count as part of index

Old offenses prosecuted later count as part of index

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Prior Offense

- If violated several conditions of parole during one parole violation, count as one
- All charges and convictions are coded, even if same victim or multiple counts of same offense
- If arrested but no formal charge, count 1

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Index Offense

Count

Count convictions overturned on appeal

Charges dropped for lack of evidence

Acquittals

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6) Prior Sentencing Dates

- Convicted on 4 or more occasions excluding index offense
 - No = 0
 - Yes = 1

(Do not count charges & convictions; only sentencing dates.)

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6) Prior Sentencing Dates

- Do not count if overturned on appeal
- Revocations count if a new offense for which he would have been sentenced
- Technical violations do not count
- Institutional rule violations do not count
- Driving offenses do not count unless serious

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7) Any Non-Contact Sex Offenses

- Any **conviction** for a non-contact sex offense
- Flashing, possession of obscene material, illicit sexual use of internet

None 0

Any 1

(Do not count self report.)

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8) Unrelated Victim

- A related victim is someone too close to marry. Step-relationships lasting less than 2 years would be considered unrelated

No 0

Yes 1

(Can include self-report, victim accounts & collateral contacts.)

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Unrelated victim

Do not score info from pornography or prostitution

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9) Any Stranger Victims

- Victim did not know the offender 24 hours before the offense

No 0

Yes 1

(Can include self-report, victim accounts & collateral contacts.)

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10) Male Victim

- Sexual offenses against males under 16
- Violent sexual assaults on males aged 16+

No 0

Yes 1

(Can include self-report, victim accounts & collateral contacts. Do not count male child pornography.)

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Scores Versus Recidivism				
Score	Risk	Years		
		5	10	15
0,1	Low	6%	9%	10%
2,3	Med/Low	10%	14%	18%
4,5	Med/High	29%	33%	38%
6+	High	39%	45%	52%

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SRA Static: Outcome over Time				
<i>Risk Level</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>5 Years</i>	<i>10 Years</i>	<i>15 Years</i>
Low	257	6%	9%	10%
Med-Low	410	10%	14%	18%
Med-High	290	29%	33%	38%
High	129	39%	45%	52%

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SRA Static: Outcome over Time

Score	5 years	10 years	15 years
0	5%	11%	13%
1	6	7	7
2	9	13	16
3	12	14	19
4	26	31	36
5	33	38	40
6	39	45	52

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Score Higher Than 6?

No Difference in Recidivism

But

More Confidence He's High Risk

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What Else Should Count?

- Psychopathy
- Intent
- Deviant Arousal?

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RRASOR Research Development

www.sgc.gc.ca

To Corrections

Reports

Hanson

[www.sgc.gc.ca/EPub/corr/e199704/3199704
.htm](http://www.sgc.gc.ca/EPub/corr/e199704/3199704.htm)

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RRASOR: Inter-rater reliability

Tested 3 times – Very high

Sjostedt & Langstrom (1999) – 2 studies

Barbaree et al (2001)

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RRASOR: Validity

17 Studies

16 Supportive

1 Less So (Epperson et al., 1995)

but

Epperson – no incest offenders; restricted
range

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RRASOR: Use

Support for validity

Canada
England
Ireland
New Zealand
Sweden
US
Wales

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RRASOR: Validity

Correlation coefficients

From

.13 to .58

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Static99: Reliability

Tested 3 times – High

Sjostedt & Langstrom (2000)

Barbaree et al. (2001)

Wong et al. (2000)

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Static99: Validity

15 studies

All supportive

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Static99: Use

Support for Validity

Canada
US
England
Ireland
Sweden
Wales

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**No Actuarials:
How Many High Risk?**

Risk Level	Clinical Judgment %	Rrasor %
■ Low	12	54.5
■ Medium	28.5	35.6
■ High	62.2	9.8

(Nicholaichuk et a., 1998)

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**Low Risk Vs. High Risk
Offenders:
Who Produces More Offenses**

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**Low Risk Vs. High Risk
Offenders:**

	N	Relapse Rates	Total Offenses
■ Low Risk	900	30%	270
■ High Risk	100	90%	90
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			360