

**902.9 Maximum sentence for felons.**

1. The maximum sentence for any person convicted of a felony shall be that prescribed by statute or, if not prescribed by statute, if other than a class “A” felony shall be determined as follows:

a. A felon sentenced for a first conviction for a violation of [section 124.401D](#), shall be confined for no more than ninety-nine years.

b. A class “B” felon shall be confined for no more than twenty-five years.

c. An habitual offender shall be confined for no more than fifteen years.

d. A class “C” felon, not an habitual offender, shall be confined for no more than ten years, and in addition shall be sentenced to a fine of at least one thousand three hundred seventy dollars but not more than thirteen thousand six hundred sixty dollars.

e. A class “D” felon, not an habitual offender, shall be confined for no more than five years, and in addition shall be sentenced to a fine of at least one thousand twenty-five dollars but not more than ten thousand two hundred forty-five dollars.

2. The surcharges required by [sections 911.1](#), [911.2A](#), and [911.5](#) shall be added to a fine imposed on a class “C” or class “D” felon, as provided by those sections, and are not a part of or subject to the maximums set in [this section](#).

[C79, 81, §902.9]

[84 Acts, ch 1134, §1](#); [84 Acts, ch 1219, §38](#); [86 Acts, ch 1220, §44](#); [92 Acts, ch 1163, §121](#); [93 Acts, ch 110, §9](#); [99 Acts, ch 12, §17](#); [99 Acts, ch 65, §6, 7](#); [2001 Acts, ch 168, §4](#); [2002 Acts, ch 1042, §3](#); [2002 Acts, ch 1050, §55](#); [2004 Acts, ch 1111, §7](#); [2013 Acts, ch 30, §224](#); [2014 Acts, ch 1097, §12](#); [2020 Acts, ch 1074, §16, 45, 93](#)

Referred to in [§48A.11](#), [124.401](#), [124.401D](#), [321J.2](#), [707.3](#), [708A.2](#), [709.23](#), [716.10](#), [716.12](#), [724.4A](#), [726.6](#), [726.6A](#), [728.12](#), [811.1](#), [901.2](#), [901.5A](#), [901.10](#), [902.3](#), [906.5](#), [907.14](#)

Enhanced penalties in weapons free zones, see [§724.4A](#)

Habitual offender, [§902.8](#)

Fines, see [chapter 909](#)

Surcharge on penalty, [chapter 911](#)

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Subsection 1, paragraphs d and e amended

Subsection 2 amended