



# Rearrest within 7 days

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# Data source

AS 44.19.645 requires agencies to report individually-identified data to the Alaska Criminal Justice Commission

Among those data are arrest & citation data, reported by DPS

# DPS arrest & citation

## Charge-level data

### Includes:

- Felony arrests
- Felony citations
- Misdemeanor arrests
- Misdemeanor citations

### Does NOT include:

- Infractions
- Violations
- Charges with no arrest tracking number

# Methods

DPS provides one record per charge

222,313 charges July 1, 2014 – December 31, 2018

Fields used for this analysis:

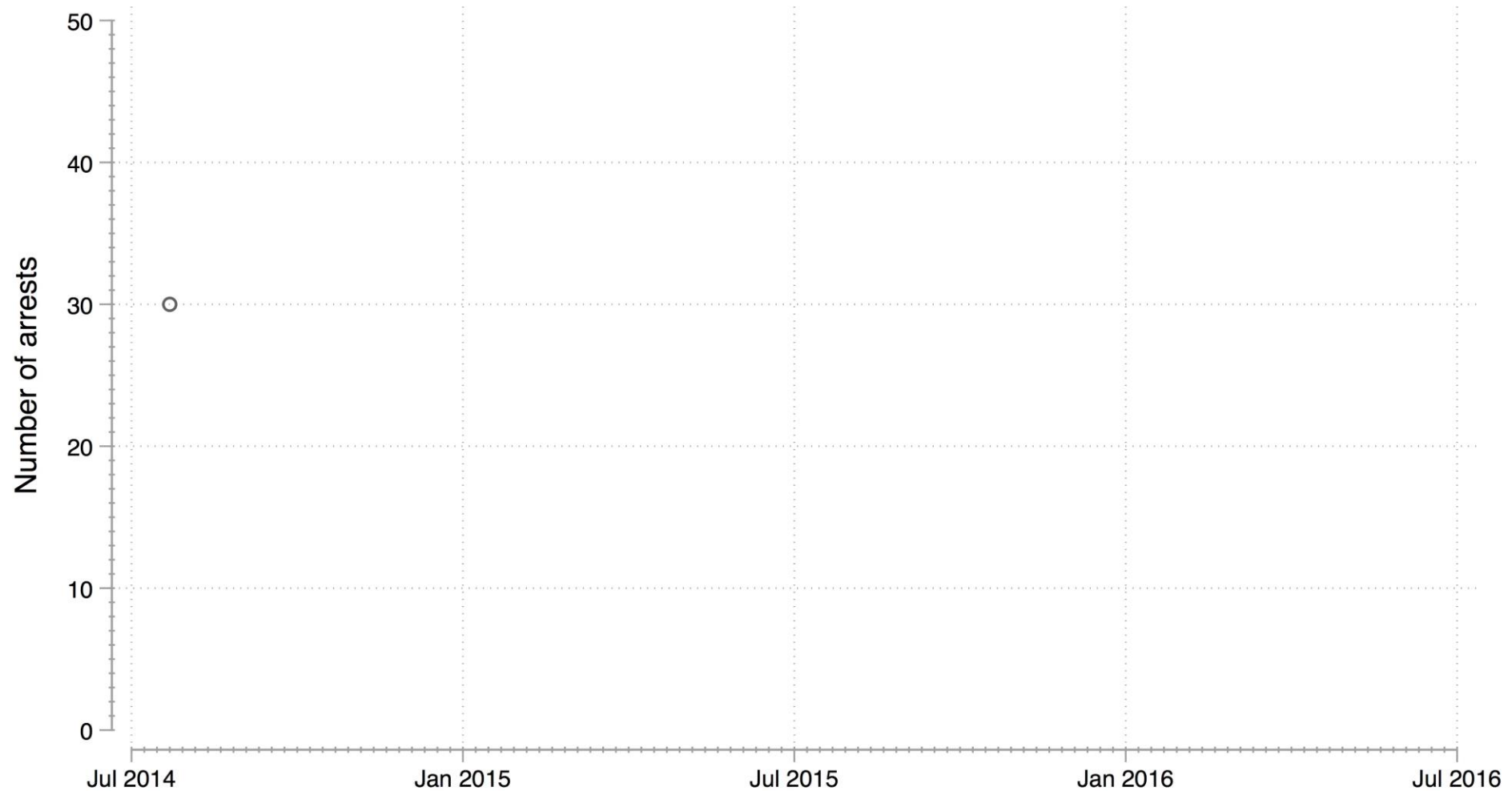
- APSIN ID
- Arrest date
- Arrest statute
- ATN

# Methods

## Calculate days to next arrest

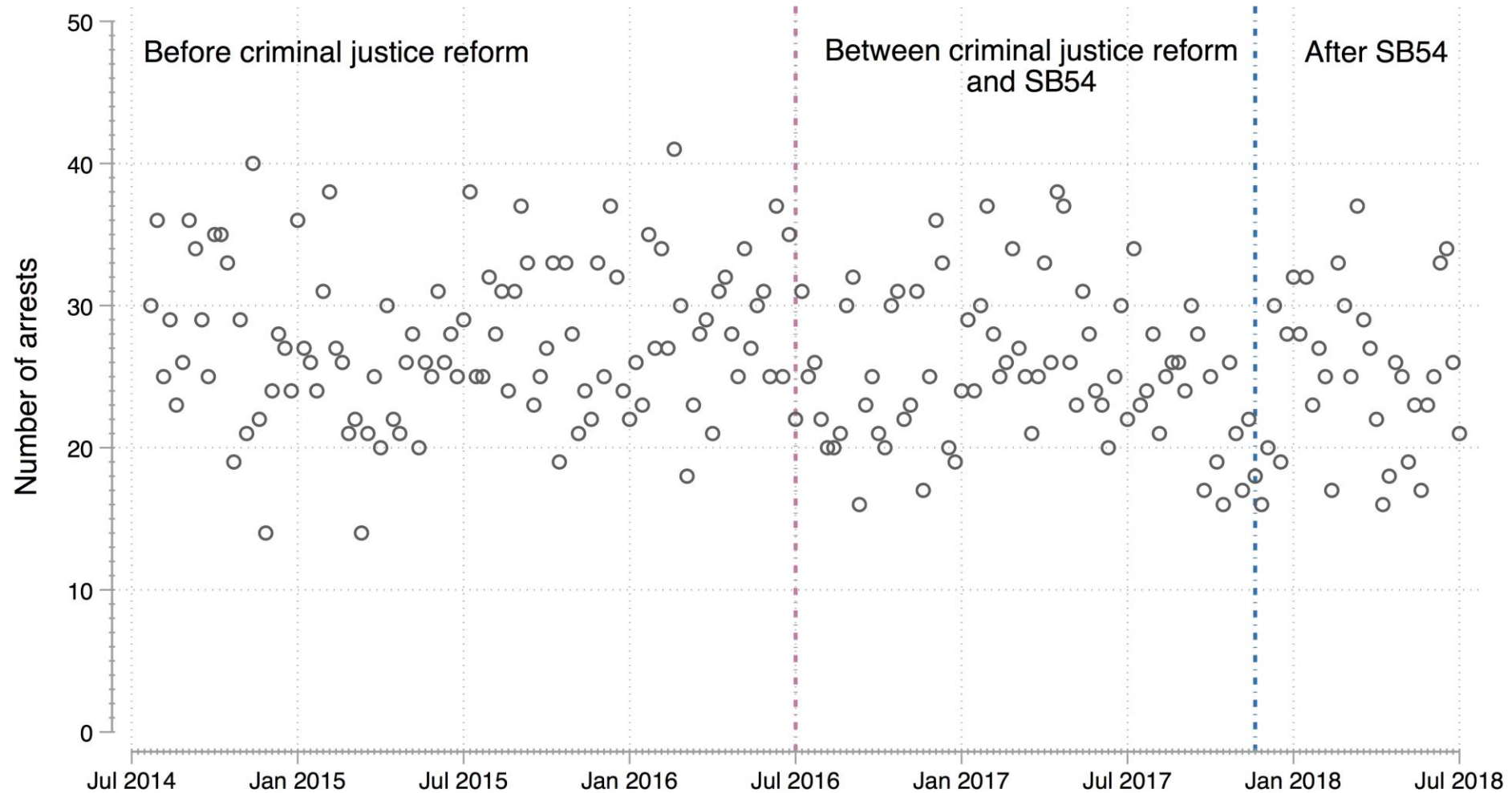
1. Days between each arrest and the next arrest (date difference).
2. Is difference between arrest and next arrest 7 days or less?
3. Count the number of people rearrested per week.

# Number of people rearrested within 7 days



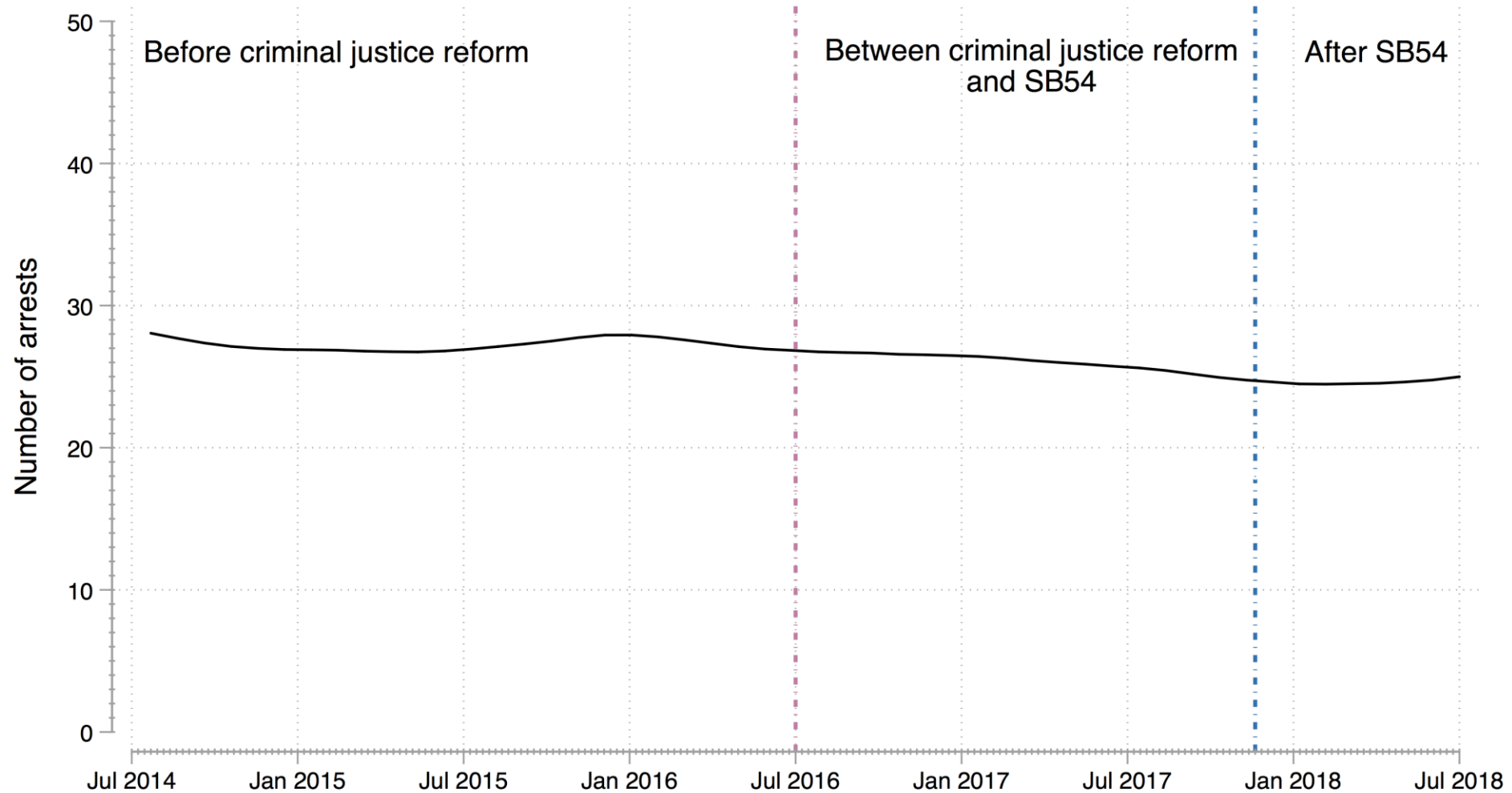
Source: Alaska Department of Public Safety

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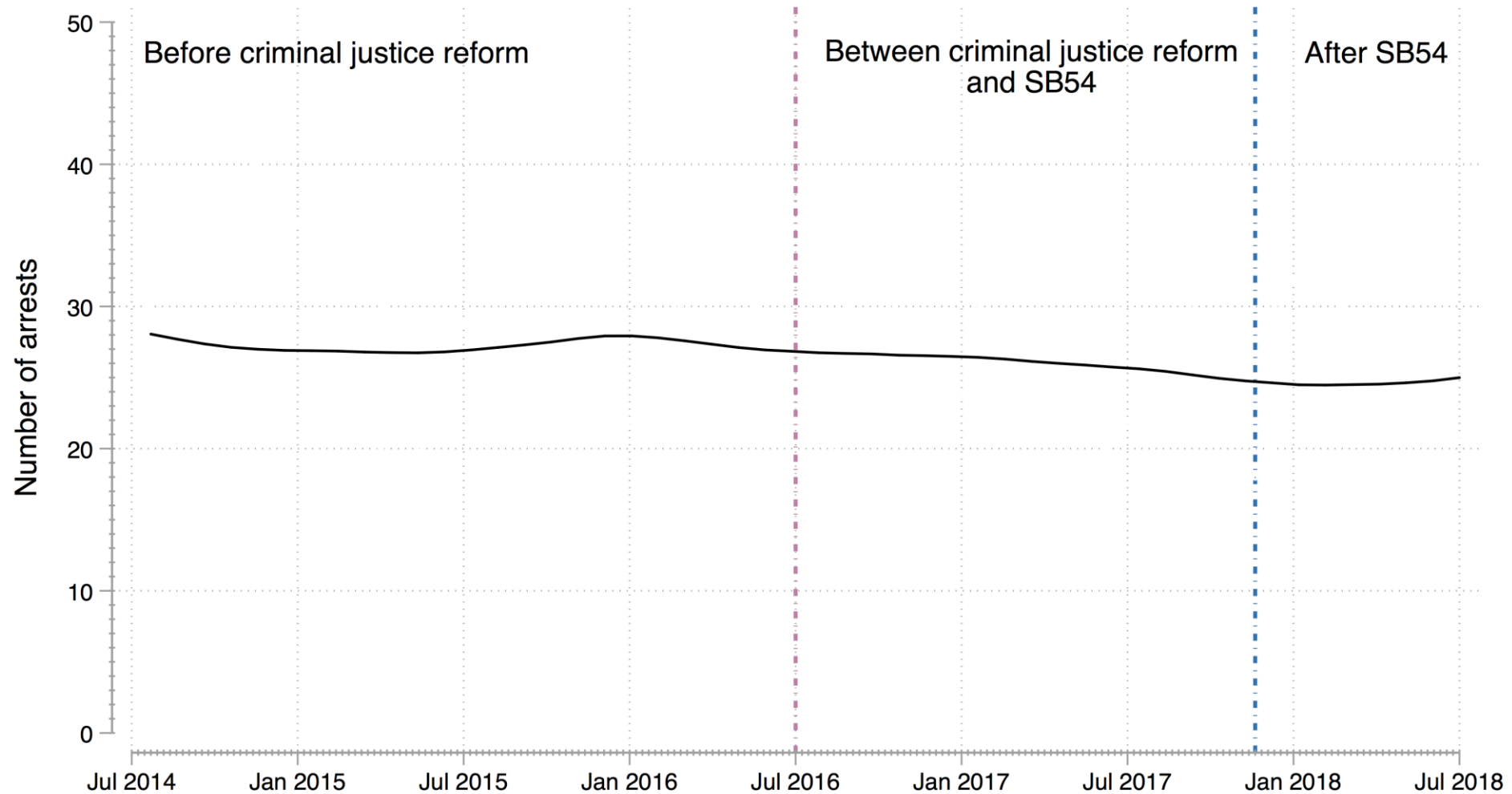
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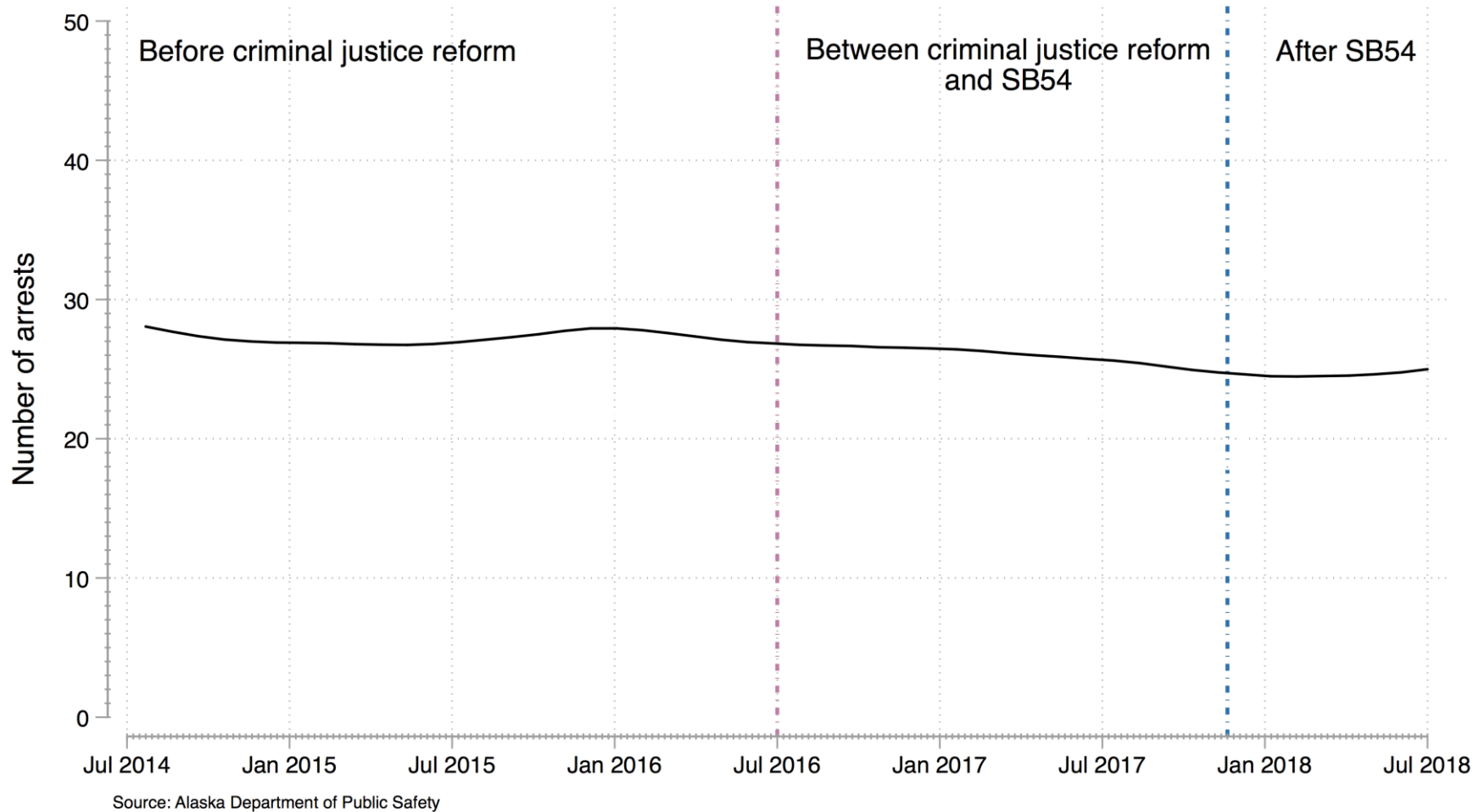
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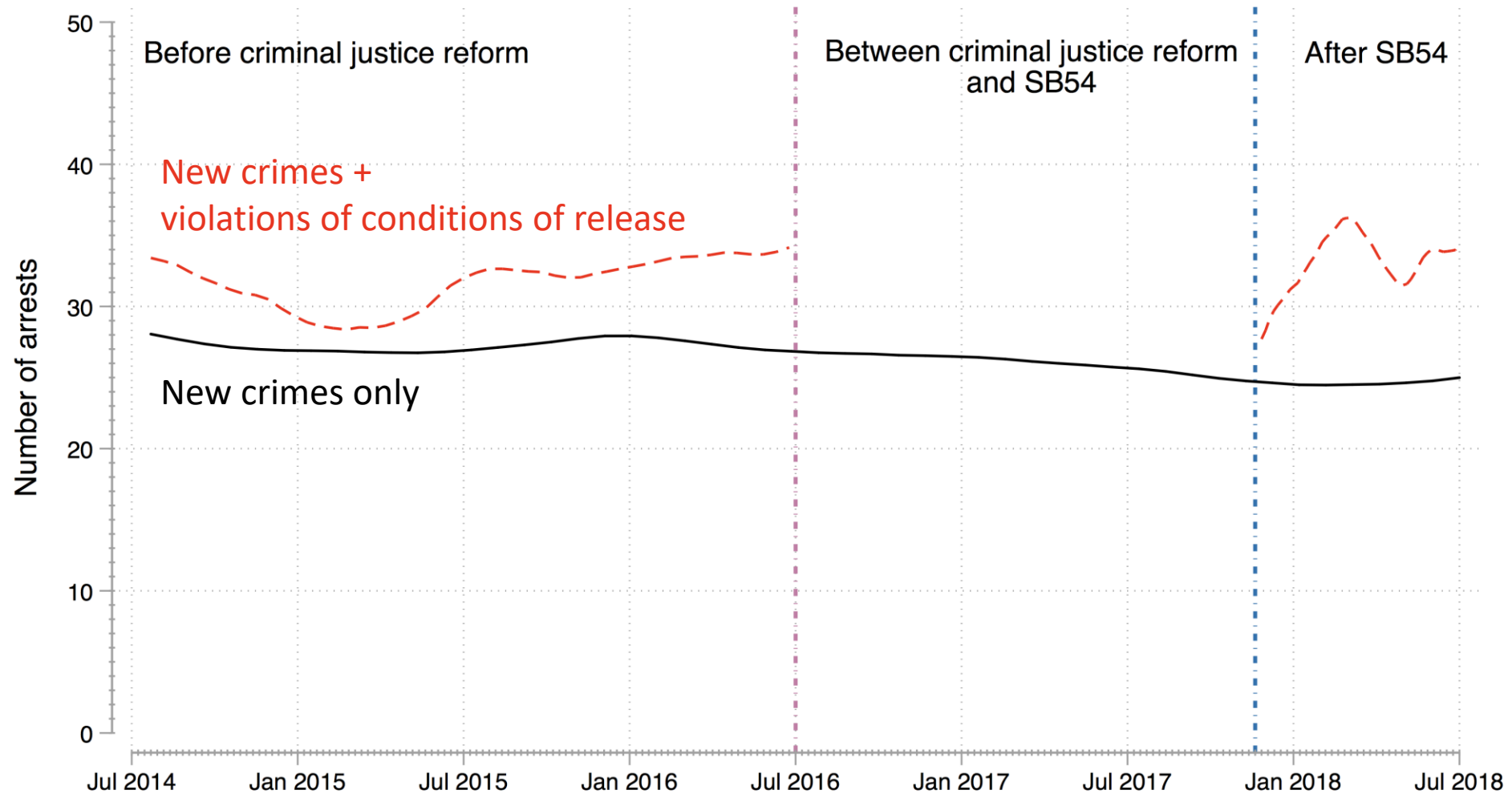
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So far, we've not included VCOR.

What happens when we do?

# Number of people rearrested within 7 days



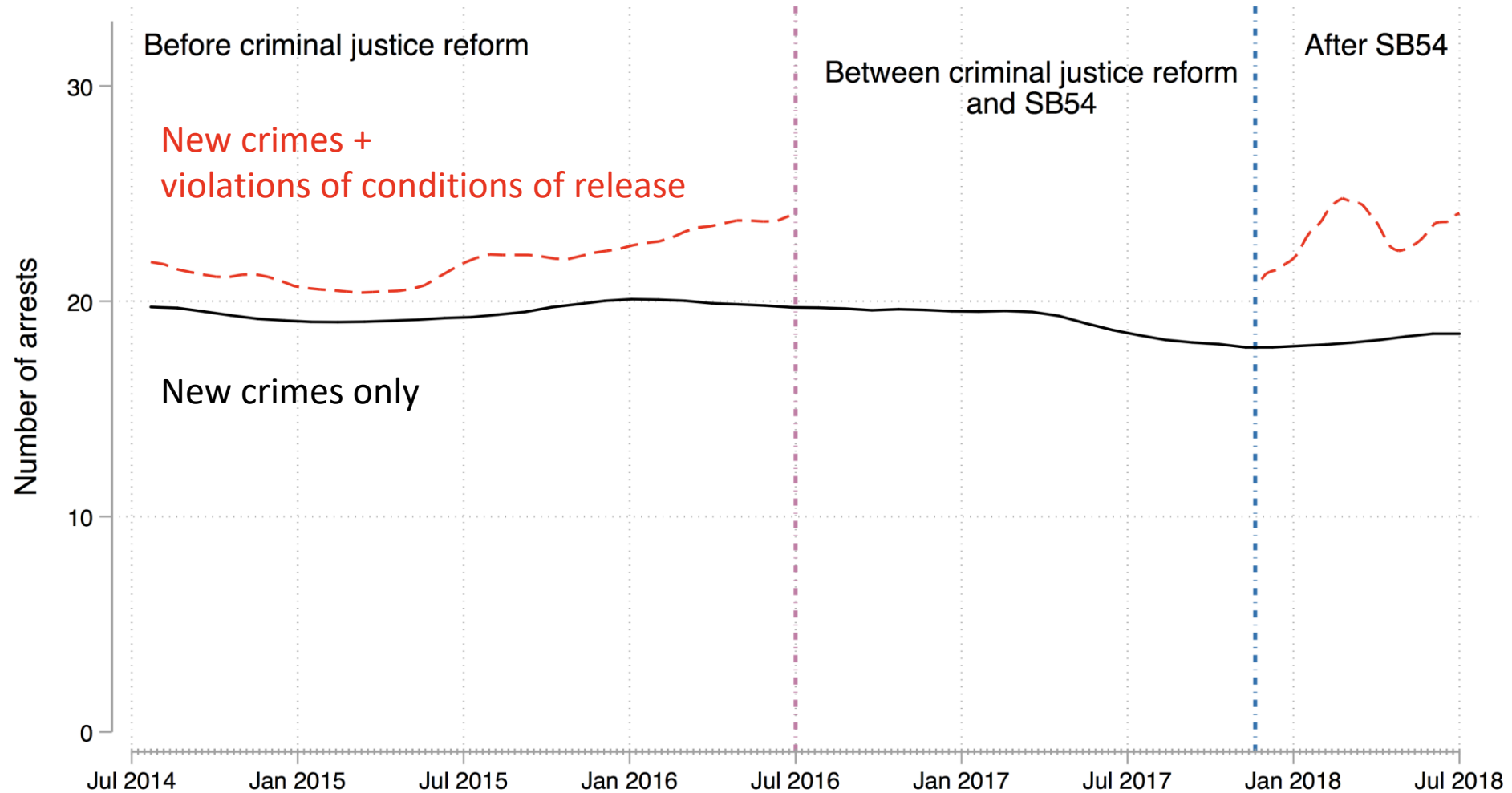
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# Summary

Each week, about 26 people are rearrested within 7 days.

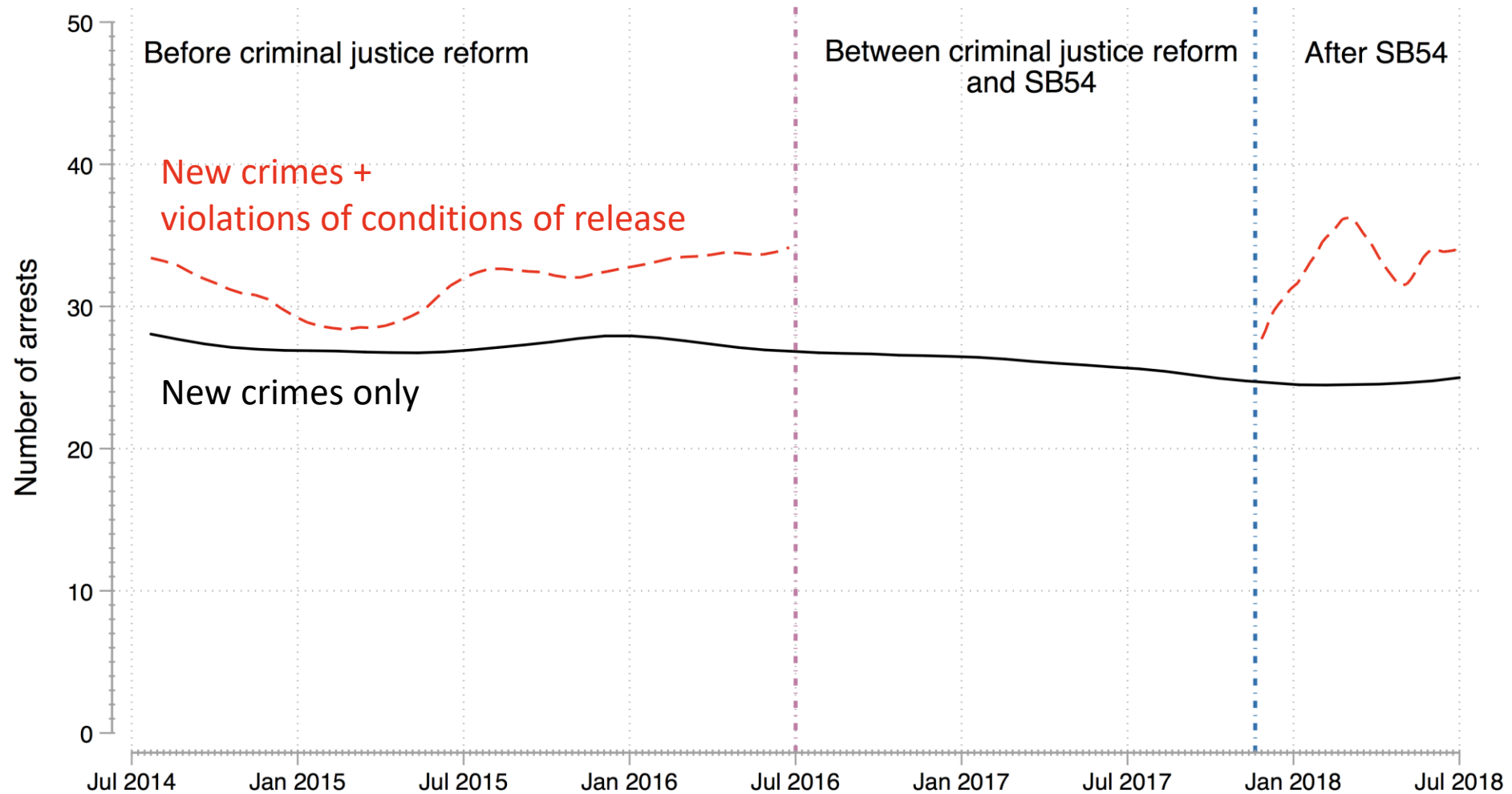
No evidence of change in the number of people rearrested within 7 days pre/post criminal justice reform.

# Number of people rearrested within 3 days



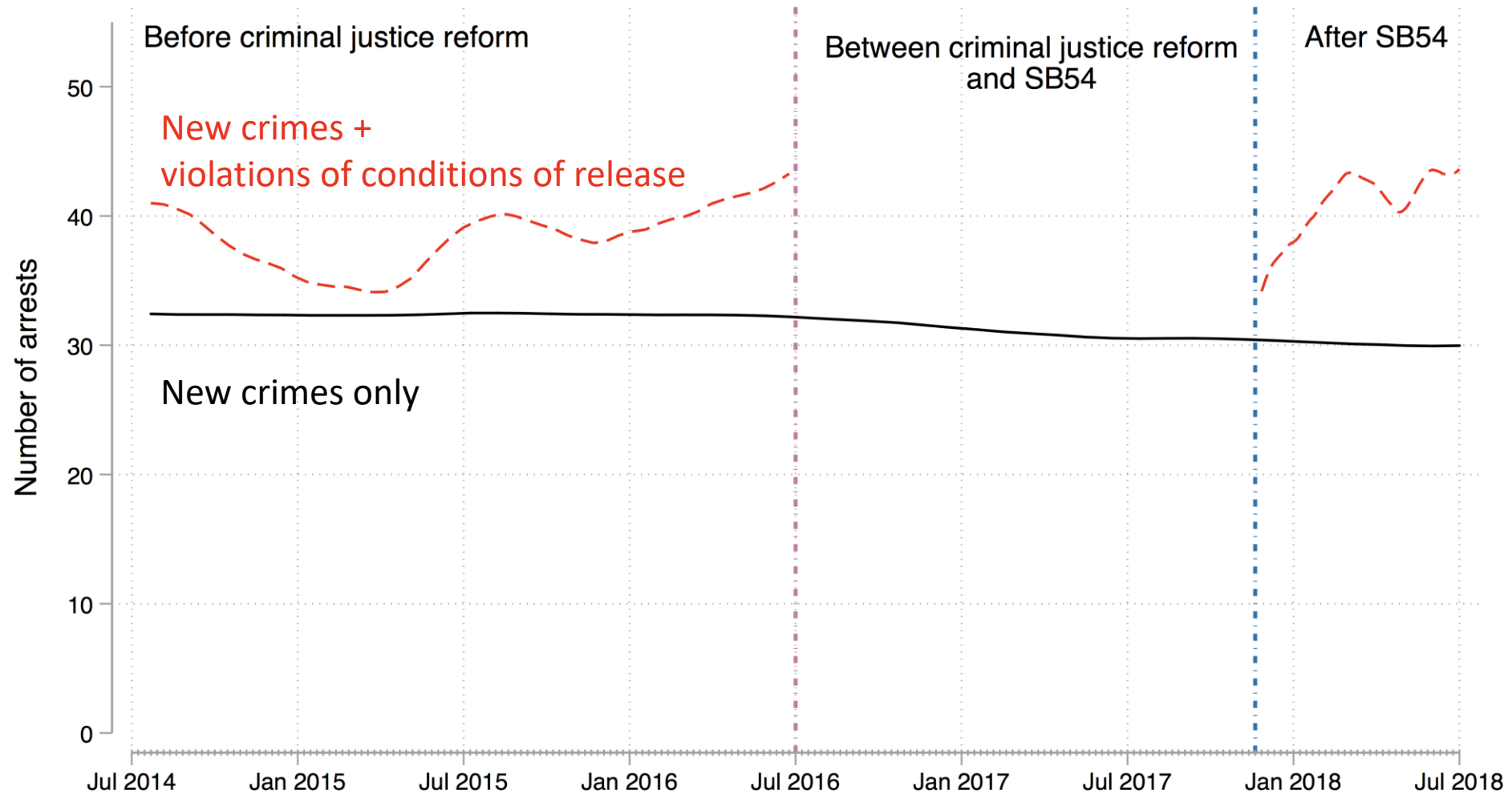
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# Number of people rearrested within 7 days



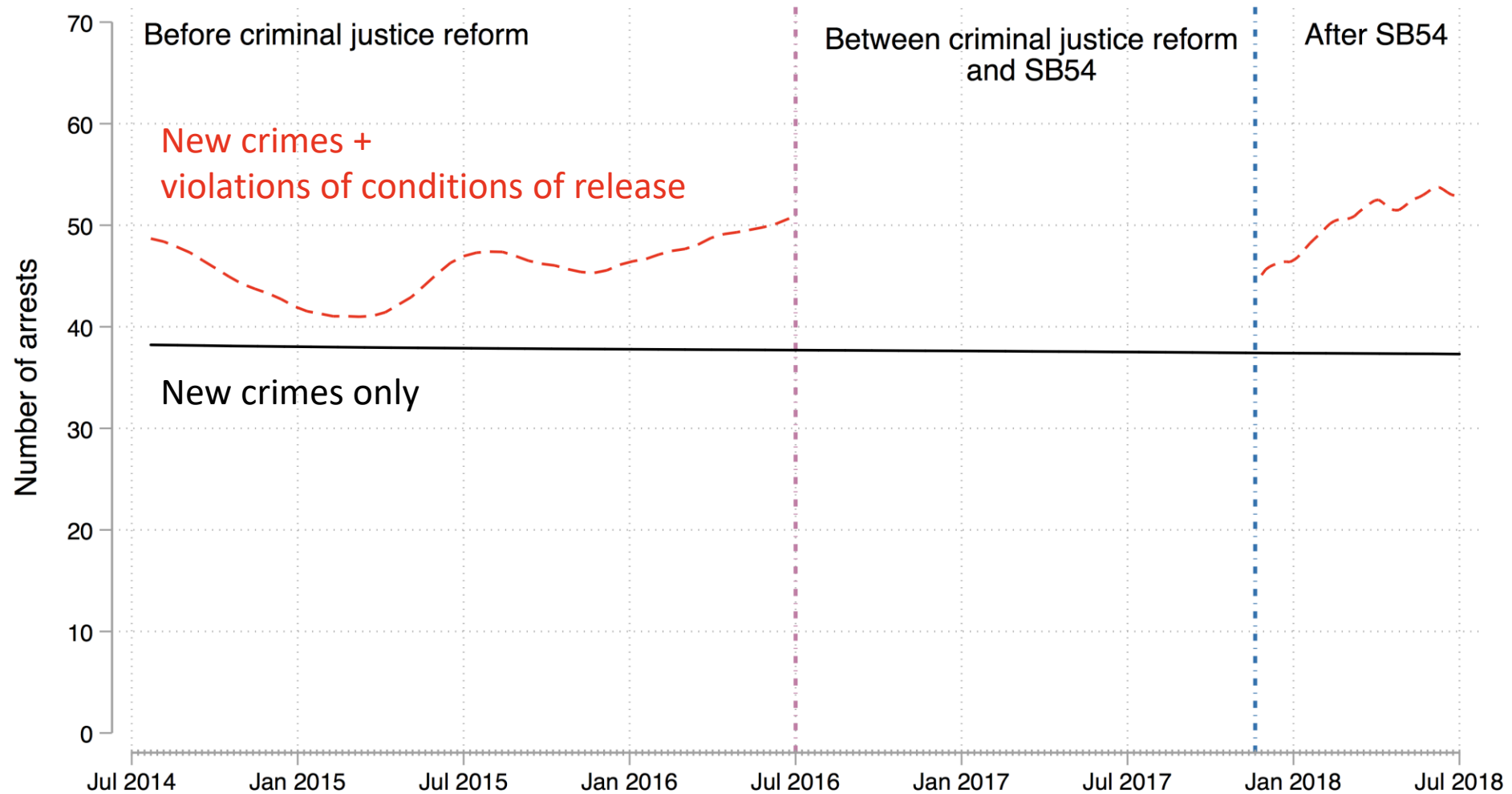
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# Number of people rearrested within 10 days



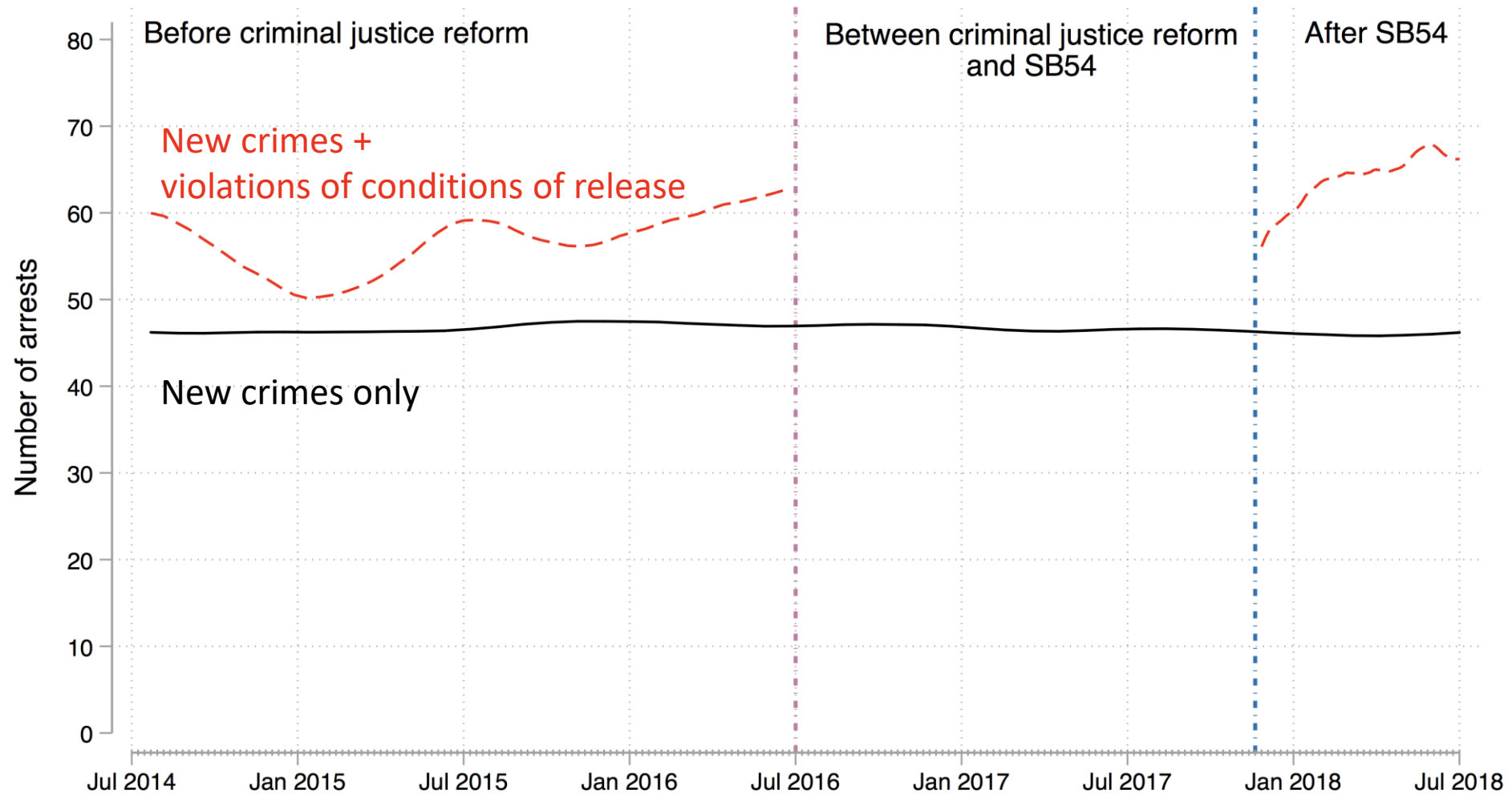
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# Number of people rearrested within 14 days



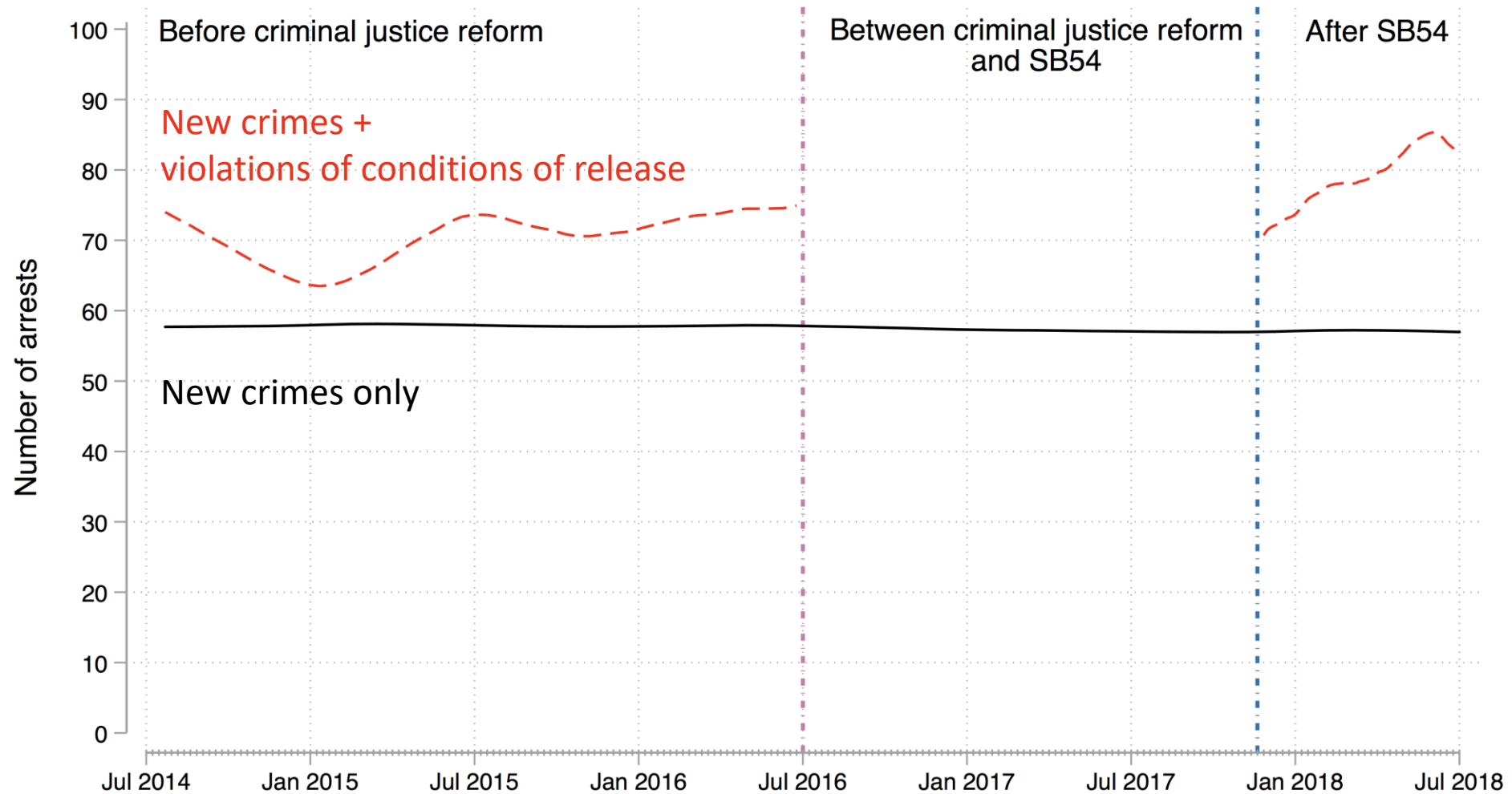
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# Number of people rearrested within 21 days



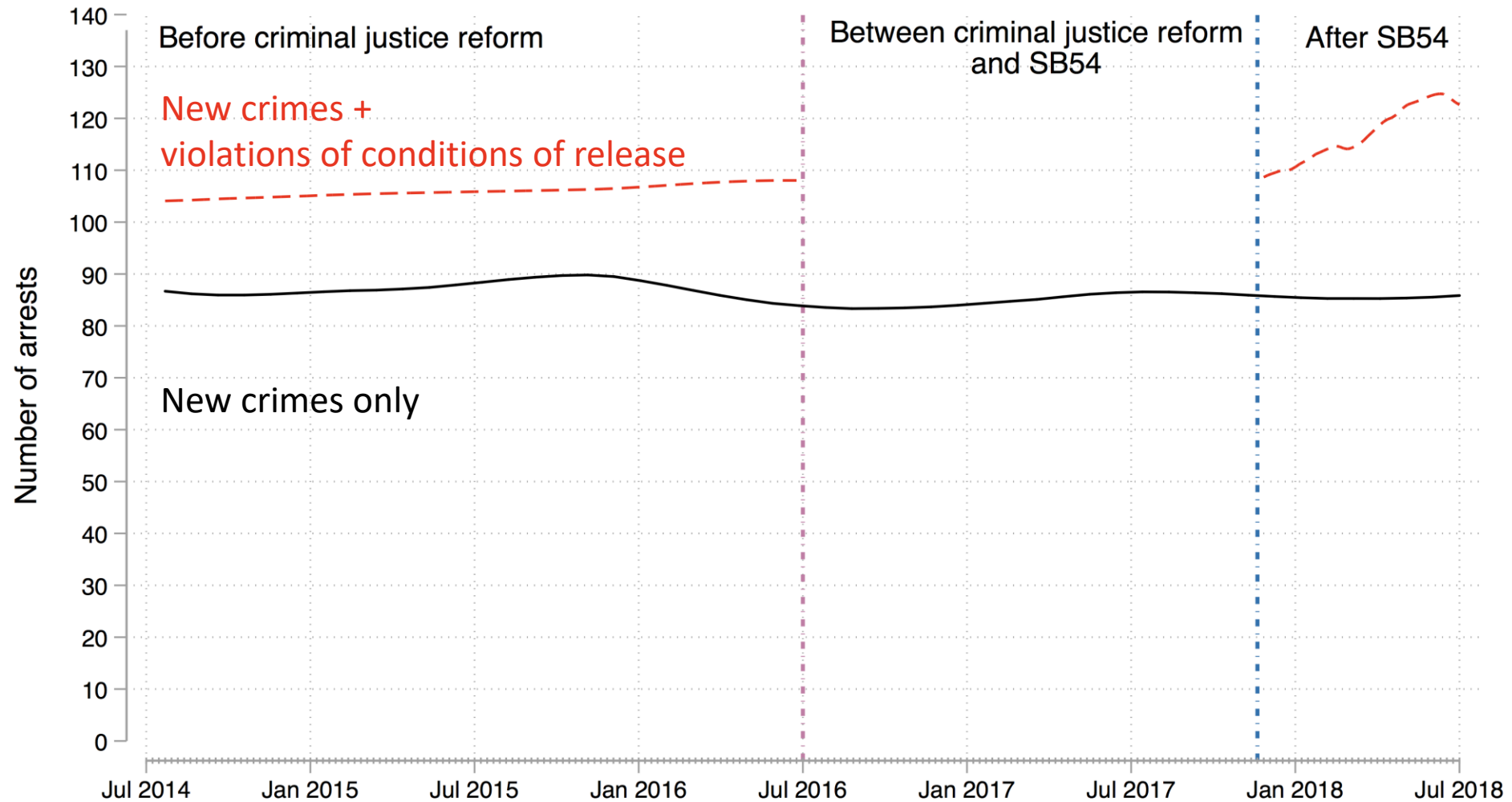
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# Number of people rearrested within 30 days



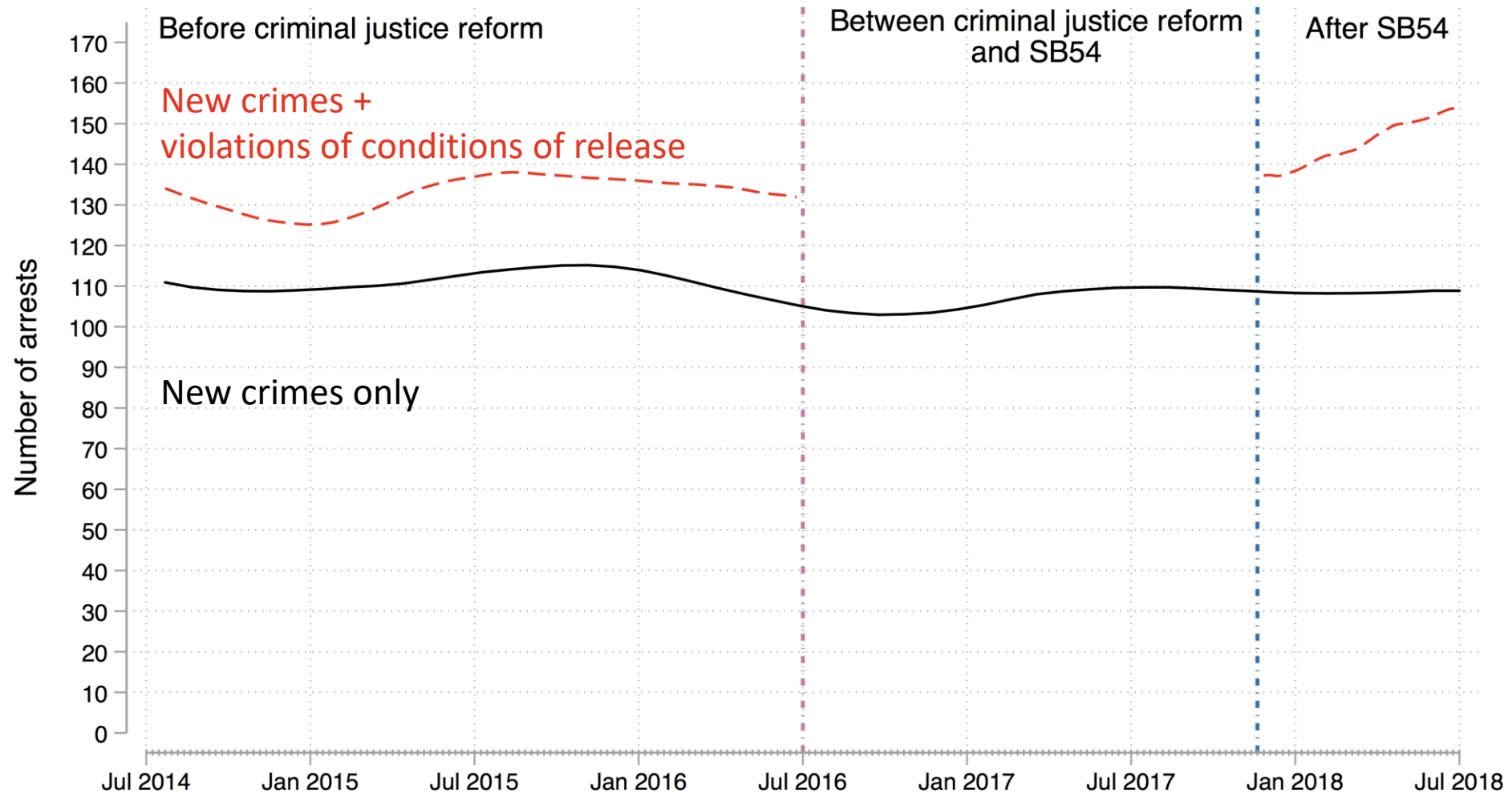
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# Number of people rearrested within 60 days



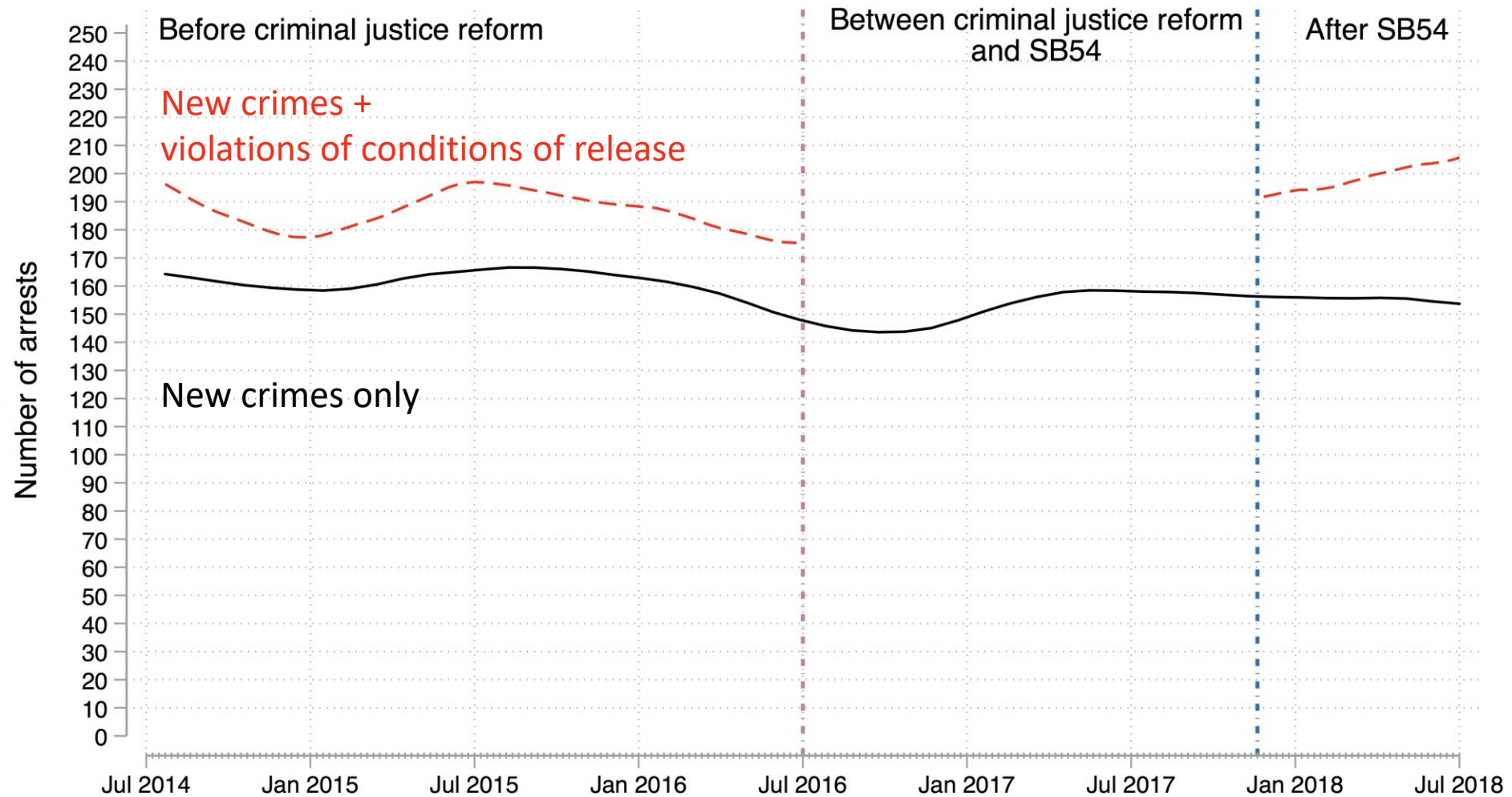
Source: Alaska Department of Public Safety

# Number of people rearrested within 90 days



Source: Alaska Department of Public Safety

# Number of people rearrested within 180 days



Source: Alaska Department of Public Safety

# Methods

## Categorize charges

1. VCOR calculated from arrest statute field, where VCOR is:

1. CBJ42.05.110
2. AS11.56.757(B)(1)
3. AS11.56.757(B)(2)
4. AS11.56.757(A)
5. AS11.56.757(A)(MISDA)
6. AS11.56.757(A)(MISDB)
7. AMC8.30.110(A)

# Methods

## Combine charges into arrests

"Arrest" is defined as a unique combination of APSIN ID, arrest date, and arrest tracking number (ATN).

Different ATNs on the same date are counted as same-day re-arrests, i.e., zero days to next arrest.

ATNs with multiple arrest dates are counted as separate arrest events.



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