



Thinking of Drinking and Driving?

Check your bank account first!

Do you have an extra \$7,000-\$20,000 handy?

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That's how much you will spend on a routine DUI. That's without crashing your car or hurting anybody.

Take a look at our breakdown of the cost of a DUI and remember, our figures are for a simple DUI arrest with no auto repairs, hospitals, lawsuits, or loss of work from time in jail.



Our mission is to promote DUI prevention through education and to provide easy access to DUI-related services.

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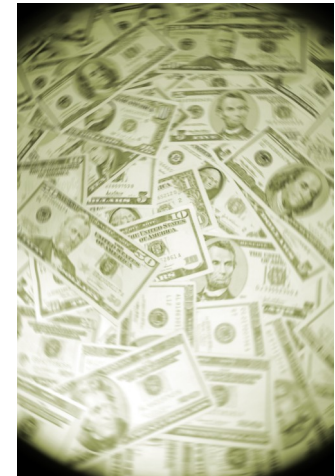
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It's Just A Routine DUI

You've been pulled over and arrested for DUI. Fortunately, you didn't crash, damage any property, or hurt anybody. One of the biggest concerns facing you now is financial.

A routine DUI without any damage or injury is Very Expensive. Using California as an example, let's break down how much this is going to cost.

Variable Costs

Three of the bills you will pay are variable. At their low end, each is very expensive.

Fine

\$390 - \$1,200

Your fine depends on the circumstances of your case and the personal decision of your Judge.

Attorney Fees

\$500 - \$10,000

Lawyers charge higher prices in highly populated areas. Quality is a huge factor in price too!

Insurance Rate Increase

\$3,600—\$6,600

A DUI will increase your rates significantly for at least 3 years.

SUBTOTAL

\$4,490 - \$17,800

But wait, there's more!

Standard Costs

There is also a list of smaller Standard fees and bills you have to pay which add up considerably.

Penalty Assessment	\$666
State Restitution Fund	\$100
Alcohol-Abuse Education Fund	\$50
Blood or Breath Testing Fee	\$37
Jail Cite and Release Fee	\$10
Driving/Alcohol Awareness School	\$500
License Reissue Fee	\$100
Towing and Storage	\$187
Total	\$1,650

Grand Total

\$6,140 - \$19,450

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