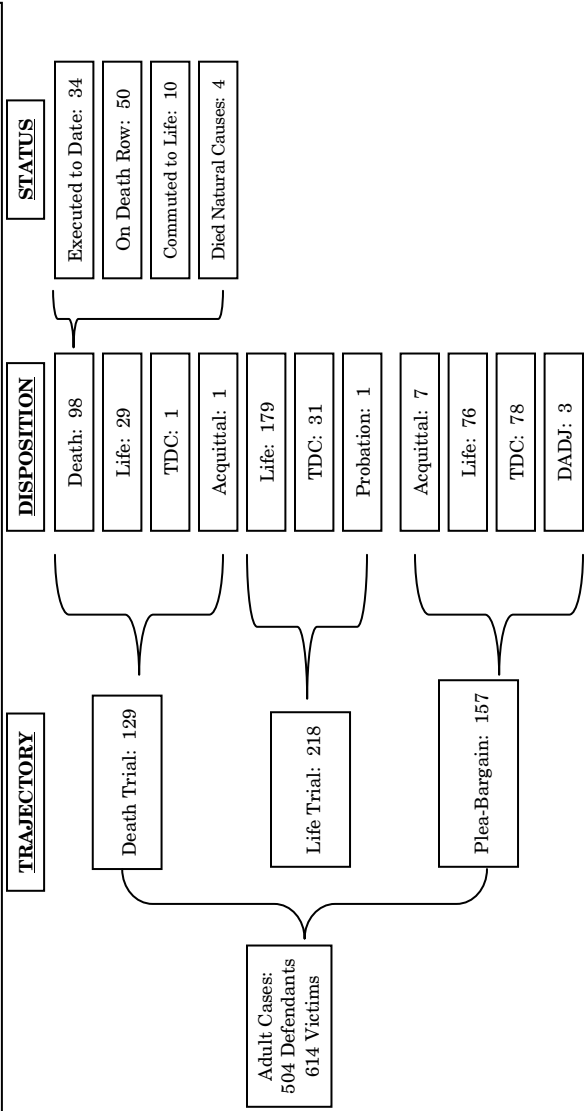


Figure 1: Trajectory, Disposition, and Status of Adult Defendants Indicted for Capital Murder in Harris County, Texas from 1992 to 1999 (status current as of August 28, 2008)



Abbreviations: TDC = Texas Department of Corrections; DADJ = Deferred Adjudication.

Table 4: Case Trajectory and Case Disposition by Race (N=504)											
	Trajectory (in percentages)					Disposition (in percentages)					(N)
	Plea Bargain	Life Trial	Death Trial	Acquit	Deferred Adjudication	Probation	TDC	Life	Death Sentence		
Panel A: Defendant Race											
White	38	35	27	2	2	0	24	52	21	122	
Hispanic	31	45	25	1	1	1	23	56	19	118	
Black	28	47	25	2	0	0	22	57	19	249	
Asian	33	40	27	0	0	0	0	80	20	15	
Panel B: Victim Race											
White	30	40	30	1	1	1	22	53	23	205	
Hispanic	30	45	26	3	1	0	21	55	21	121	
Black	29	48	23	2	0	0	24	56	18	141	
Asian	42	42	17	0	2	0	13	73	13	48	

Notes:

- Abbreviation: TDC refers to a period of confinement in the Texas Department of Corrections for some period less than life.
- 2. Panel A has 504 cases because the data include 504 defendants. Panel B has 515 cases because 11 defendants killed multiple victims of two different races.