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WEAPON INVOLVEMENT OF DRUG OFFENDERS IN EACH DRUG TYPE¹
Fiscal Year 2014

DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	NO WEAPON INVOLVED		WEAPON INVOLVED	
		N	%	N	%
TOTAL	21,257	17,804	83.8	3,453	16.2
Powder Cocaine	4,809	4,003	83.2	806	16.8
Crack Cocaine	2,372	1,689	71.2	683	28.8
Heroin	2,358	2,035	86.3	323	13.7
Marijuana	3,886	3,452	88.8	434	11.2
Methamphetamine	6,079	5,059	83.2	1,020	16.8
Other	1,753	1,566	89.3	187	10.7

¹ Of the 75,836 cases, 22,193 were sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (Drugs). Of these, 21,907 cases were sentenced under §§2D1.1 (Drug Trafficking), 2D1.2 (Protected Locations), 2D1.5 (Continuing Criminal Enterprise), 2D1.6 (Use of a Communication Facility), 2D1.8 (Rent/Manage Drug Establishment), or 2D2.1 (Simple Possession). Of these, 21,257 cases contained complete guideline application information. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2014 Datafile, USSCFY14.