

Table 11

**GUILTY PLEAS AND TRIALS IN EACH PRIMARY OFFENSE CATEGORY<sup>1</sup>**  
**Fiscal Year 2002**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	TOTAL	PLEA		TRIAL	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>63,935</b>	<b>62,084</b>	<b>97.1</b>	<b>1,851</b>	<b>2.9</b>
Murder	84	67	79.8	17	20.2
Manslaughter	59	56	94.9	3	5.1
Kidnapping/Hostage Taking	64	57	89.1	7	10.9
Sexual Abuse	212	202	95.3	10	4.7
Assault	492	450	91.5	42	8.5
Robbery	1,631	1,579	96.8	52	3.2
Arson	64	53	82.8	11	17.2
Drugs - Trafficking	25,361	24,595	97.0	766	3.0
Drugs - Communication Facility	459	458	99.8	1	0.2
Drugs - Simple Possession	592	583	98.5	9	1.5
Firearms	5,173	4,923	95.2	250	4.8
Burglary/B&E	43	41	95.3	2	4.7
Auto Theft	162	153	94.4	9	5.6
Larceny	2,250	2,220	98.7	30	1.3
Fraud	7,107	6,880	96.8	227	3.2
Embezzlement	734	729	99.3	5	0.7
Forgery/Counterfeiting	1,466	1,449	98.8	17	1.2
Bribery	168	159	94.6	9	5.4
Tax	622	600	96.5	22	3.5
Money Laundering	939	870	92.7	69	7.3
Racketeering/Extortion	828	769	92.9	59	7.1
Gambling/Lottery	104	104	100.0	0	0.0
Civil Rights	93	82	88.2	11	11.8
Immigration	11,730	11,612	99.0	118	1.0
Pornography/Prostitution	664	643	96.8	21	3.2
Prison Offenses	318	313	98.4	5	1.6
Administration of Justice Offenses	1,107	1,076	97.2	31	2.8
Environmental/Wildlife	140	131	93.6	9	6.4
National Defense	10	8	80.0	2	20.0
Antitrust	17	15	88.2	2	11.8
Food & Drug	91	91	100.0	0	0.0
Other Miscellaneous Offenses	1,151	1,116	97.0	35	3.0

<sup>1</sup>Of the 64,366 cases, 431 were excluded due to one or both of the following reasons: missing primary offense category (393) or missing information on mode of conviction (370). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2002 Datafile, USSCFY02.