

Table 1A

DOCUMENT SUBMISSION RATE OF EACH CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT¹
Fiscal Year 2004

CIRCUIT District	Number of Cases	Indictment/Information				Plea Agreement ²					
		Received		Not Received		Received		Not Received		No Written Agreement/Trial	
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TOTAL	70,068	68,426	97.7	1,642	2.3	53,053	76.3	1,642	2.4	14,830	21.3
D.C. CIRCUIT	570	566	99.3	4	0.7	486	85.4	7	1.2	76	13.4
District of Columbia	570	566	99.3	4	0.7	486	85.4	7	1.2	76	13.4
FIRST CIRCUIT	1,757	1,742	99.1	15	0.9	1,317	75.4	42	2.4	387	22.2
Maine	243	242	99.6	1	0.4	172	70.8	0	0.0	71	29.2
Massachusetts	498	489	98.2	9	1.8	278	56.7	40	8.2	172	35.1
New Hampshire	220	219	99.5	1	0.5	205	93.2	0	0.0	15	6.8
Puerto Rico	657	653	99.4	4	0.6	530	81.0	2	0.3	122	18.7
Rhode Island	139	139	100.0	0	0.0	132	95.0	0	0.0	7	5.0
SECOND CIRCUIT	4,553	4,496	98.7	57	1.3	3,503	77.7	133	3.0	870	19.3
Connecticut	363	361	99.4	2	0.6	334	92.0	3	0.8	26	7.2
New York											
Eastern	1,444	1,439	99.7	5	0.3	1,318	91.4	6	0.4	118	8.2
Northern	511	495	96.9	16	3.1	336	66.7	10	2.0	158	31.3
Southern	1,462	1,435	98.2	27	1.8	768	53.9	113	7.9	544	38.2
Western	568	562	98.9	6	1.1	549	96.8	0	0.0	18	3.2
Vermont	205	204	99.5	1	0.5	198	96.6	1	0.5	6	2.9
THIRD CIRCUIT	2,831	2,653	93.7	178	6.3	2,386	85.4	95	3.4	314	11.2
Delaware	116	115	99.1	1	0.9	108	93.1	0	0.0	8	6.9
New Jersey	813	698	85.9	115	14.1	669	84.0	58	7.3	69	8.7
Pennsylvania											
Eastern	956	908	95.0	48	5.0	762	81.1	30	3.2	148	15.7
Middle	504	503	99.8	1	0.2	479	95.2	2	0.4	22	4.4
Western	350	337	96.3	13	3.7	304	87.4	4	1.1	40	11.5
Virgin Islands	92	92	100.0	0	0.0	64	69.6	1	1.1	27	29.3
FOURTH CIRCUIT	6,324	5,733	90.7	591	9.3	4,627	73.6	157	2.5	1,500	23.9
Maryland	576	561	97.4	15	2.6	483	84.1	5	0.9	86	15.0
North Carolina											
Eastern	590	580	98.3	10	1.7	429	74.0	20	3.4	131	22.6
Middle	365	364	99.7	1	0.3	322	88.2	3	0.8	40	11.0
Western	541	534	98.7	7	1.3	389	72.0	13	2.4	138	25.6
South Carolina	1,203	1,172	97.4	31	2.6	896	75.5	98	8.3	192	16.2
Virginia											
Eastern	2,097	1,586	75.6	511	24.4	1,282	61.3	10	0.5	800	38.2
Western	474	463	97.7	11	2.3	402	85.2	5	1.1	65	13.8
West Virginia											
Northern	252	252	100.0	0	0.0	233	92.8	0	0.0	18	7.2
Southern	226	221	97.8	5	2.2	191	85.3	3	1.3	30	13.4

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FIFTH CIRCUIT	13,793	13,562	98.3	231	1.7	8,817	64.9	496	3.6	4,281	31.5
Louisiana											
Eastern	383	359	93.7	24	6.3	218	57.1	51	13.4	113	29.6
Middle	176	176	100.0	0	0.0	107	61.5	7	4.0	60	34.5
Western	389	389	100.0	0	0.0	322	82.8	3	0.8	64	16.5
Mississippi											
Northern	167	164	98.2	3	1.8	146	87.4	7	4.2	14	8.4
Southern	361	274	75.9	87	24.1	271	75.1	52	14.4	38	10.5
Texas											
Eastern	872	861	98.7	11	1.3	745	86.7	10	1.2	104	12.1
Northern	1,087	1,086	99.9	1	0.1	877	80.7	2	0.2	208	19.1
Southern	5,122	5,112	99.8	10	0.2	3,045	59.8	71	1.4	1,977	38.8
Western	5,236	5,141	98.2	95	1.8	3,086	60.7	293	5.8	1,703	33.5
SIXTH CIRCUIT	4,829	4,778	98.9	51	1.1	3,917	81.5	107	2.2	785	16.3
Kentucky											
Eastern	481	473	98.3	8	1.7	437	91.6	5	1.0	35	7.3
Western	440	433	98.4	7	1.6	281	63.9	0	0.0	159	36.1
Michigan											
Eastern	779	774	99.4	5	0.6	661	85.2	17	2.2	98	12.6
Western	359	354	98.6	5	1.4	304	85.2	7	2.0	46	12.9
Ohio											
Northern	802	797	99.4	5	0.6	657	82.3	38	4.8	103	12.9
Southern	467	460	98.5	7	1.5	424	91.0	4	0.9	38	8.2
Tennessee											
Eastern	646	639	98.9	7	1.1	494	77.2	19	3.0	127	19.8
Middle	308	303	98.4	5	1.6	269	87.3	2	0.6	37	12.0
Western	547	545	99.6	2	0.4	390	71.3	15	2.7	142	26.0
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	2,885	2,817	97.6	68	2.4	2,381	82.8	24	0.8	472	16.4
Illinois											
Central	336	325	96.7	11	3.3	204	60.7	2	0.6	130	38.7
Northern	1,022	974	95.3	48	4.7	838	82.6	19	1.9	158	15.6
Southern	314	312	99.4	2	0.6	250	79.6	0	0.0	64	20.4
Indiana											
Northern	324	321	99.1	3	0.9	274	84.6	1	0.3	49	15.1
Southern	318	318	100.0	0	0.0	281	88.6	0	0.0	36	11.4
Wisconsin											
Eastern	373	372	99.7	1	0.3	356	95.4	1	0.3	16	4.3
Western	198	195	98.5	3	1.5	178	89.9	1	0.5	19	9.6
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	4,813	4,789	99.5	24	0.5	3,945	82.1	71	1.5	788	16.4
Arkansas											
Eastern	299	296	99.0	3	1.0	202	67.8	20	6.7	76	25.5
Western	191	190	99.5	1	0.5	177	93.2	3	1.6	10	5.3
Iowa											
Northern	498	498	100.0	0	0.0	339	68.1	25	5.0	134	26.9
Southern	348	343	98.6	5	1.4	237	68.1	2	0.6	109	31.3
Minnesota	428	427	99.8	1	0.2	375	87.6	5	1.2	48	11.2
Missouri											
Eastern	890	888	99.8	2	0.2	847	95.6	1	0.1	38	4.3
Western	761	761	100.0	0	0.0	540	71.0	0	0.0	221	29.0
Nebraska	810	803	99.1	7	0.9	757	93.6	7	0.9	45	5.6
North Dakota	223	220	98.7	3	1.3	181	81.5	7	3.2	34	15.3
South Dakota	365	363	99.5	2	0.5	290	79.7	1	0.3	73	20.1

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NINTH CIRCUIT	15,240	14,983	98.3	257	1.7	12,622	83.5	276	1.8	2,224	14.7
Alaska	193	190	98.4	3	1.6	116	60.7	10	5.2	65	34.0
Arizona	4,713	4,627	98.2	86	1.8	4,309	91.6	10	0.2	383	8.1
California											
Central	1,683	1,595	94.8	88	5.2	1,321	80.2	105	6.4	222	13.5
Eastern	932	926	99.4	6	0.6	850	91.7	12	1.3	65	7.0
Northern	707	698	98.7	9	1.3	580	83.8	27	3.9	85	12.3
Southern	3,427	3,401	99.2	26	0.8	2,496	73.1	24	0.7	893	26.2
Guam	83	82	98.8	1	1.2	77	92.8	1	1.2	5	6.0
Hawaii	386	385	99.7	1	0.3	270	70.5	18	4.7	95	24.8
Idaho	266	266	100.0	0	0.0	252	94.7	0	0.0	14	5.3
Montana	389	386	99.2	3	0.8	309	79.4	2	0.5	78	20.1
Nevada	628	616	98.1	12	1.9	421	67.8	43	6.9	157	25.3
Northern Mariana Islands	34	33	97.1	1	2.9	28	82.4	2	5.9	4	11.8
Oregon	629	621	98.7	8	1.3	604	96.5	0	0.0	22	3.5
Washington											
Eastern	405	395	97.5	10	2.5	292	72.3	13	3.2	99	24.5
Western	765	762	99.6	3	0.4	697	93.8	9	1.2	37	5.0
TENTH CIRCUIT	5,597	5,525	98.7	72	1.3	3,974	71.5	93	1.7	1,493	26.9
Colorado	548	544	99.3	4	0.7	518	95.0	0	0.0	27	5.0
Kansas	702	701	99.9	1	0.1	633	90.4	5	0.7	62	8.9
New Mexico	2,232	2,200	98.6	32	1.4	1,412	63.5	54	2.4	756	34.0
Oklahoma											
Eastern	151	150	99.3	1	0.7	53	35.1	7	4.6	91	60.3
Northern	189	183	96.8	6	3.2	135	71.4	2	1.1	52	27.5
Western	623	595	95.5	28	4.5	186	30.0	12	1.9	421	68.0
Utah	868	868	100.0	0	0.0	778	91.5	13	1.5	59	6.9
Wyoming	284	284	100.0	0	0.0	259	91.2	0	0.0	25	8.8
ELEVENTH CIRCUIT	6,876	6,782	98.6	94	1.4	5,078	74.0	141	2.1	1,640	23.9
Alabama											
Middle	179	179	100.0	0	0.0	155	86.6	6	3.4	18	10.1
Northern	575	573	99.7	2	0.3	494	85.9	4	0.7	77	13.4
Southern	295	295	100.0	0	0.0	231	78.3	2	0.7	62	21.0
Florida											
Middle	1,694	1,659	97.9	35	2.1	1,194	70.6	59	3.5	439	25.9
Northern	455	452	99.3	3	0.7	315	69.2	3	0.7	137	30.1
Southern	2,080	2,073	99.7	7	0.3	1,689	81.6	44	2.1	336	16.2
Georgia											
Middle	459	455	99.1	4	0.9	267	58.2	15	3.3	177	38.6
Northern	749	711	94.9	38	5.1	480	64.2	6	0.8	262	35.0
Southern	390	385	98.7	5	1.3	253	65.4	2	0.5	132	34.1

¹Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

²The figures presented in Table 1A regarding Plea Agreement Submission exclude from the analysis 456 cases for which the Commission was unable to determine definitively whether the defendant's guilty plea was entered pursuant to a written plea agreement.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2004 Datafile, USSCFY04.