

**Table 10**

**GUILTY PLEAS AND TRIALS IN EACH CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT<sup>1</sup>**  
**Fiscal Year 2008**

CIRCUIT District	TOTAL	PLEA		TRIAL	
		N	%	N	%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>76,427</b>	<b>73,617</b>	<b>96.3</b>	<b>2,810</b>	<b>3.7</b>
<b>D.C. CIRCUIT</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>8.1</b>
District of Columbia	409	376	91.9	33	8.1
<b>FIRST CIRCUIT</b>	<b>1,748</b>	<b>1,643</b>	<b>94.0</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>6.0</b>
Maine	210	198	94.3	12	5.7
Massachusetts	472	436	92.4	36	7.6
New Hampshire	223	209	93.7	14	6.3
Puerto Rico	754	716	95.0	38	5.0
Rhode Island	89	84	94.4	5	5.6
<b>SECOND CIRCUIT</b>	<b>4,607</b>	<b>4,418</b>	<b>95.9</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>4.1</b>
Connecticut	419	408	97.4	11	2.6
New York					
Eastern	1,246	1,185	95.1	61	4.9
Northern	533	523	98.1	10	1.9
Southern	1,588	1,495	94.1	93	5.9
Western	657	644	98.0	13	2.0
Vermont	164	163	99.4	1	0.6
<b>THIRD CIRCUIT</b>	<b>3,173</b>	<b>2,961</b>	<b>93.3</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>6.7</b>
Delaware	146	135	92.5	11	7.5
New Jersey	1,000	955	95.5	45	4.5
Pennsylvania					
Eastern	752	655	87.1	97	12.9
Middle	649	638	98.3	11	1.7
Western	544	514	94.5	30	5.5
Virgin Islands	82	64	78.0	18	22.0
<b>FOURTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>7,025</b>	<b>6,723</b>	<b>95.7</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>4.3</b>
Maryland	782	728	93.1	54	6.9
North Carolina					
Eastern	692	668	96.5	24	3.5
Middle	355	346	97.5	9	2.5
Western	807	771	95.5	36	4.5
South Carolina	1,212	1,174	96.9	38	3.1
Virginia					
Eastern	2,032	1,936	95.3	96	4.7
Western	404	381	94.3	23	5.7
West Virginia					
Northern	469	456	97.2	13	2.8
Southern	272	263	96.7	9	3.3

**Table 10 (cont.)**

CIRCUIT District	TOTAL	PLEA		TRIAL	
		N	%	N	%
<b>FIFTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>17,509</b>	<b>17,175</b>	<b>98.1</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>1.9</b>
Louisiana					
Eastern	480	470	97.9	10	2.1
Middle	204	198	97.1	6	2.9
Western	340	318	93.5	22	6.5
Mississippi					
Northern	185	180	97.3	5	2.7
Southern	453	431	95.1	22	4.9
Texas					
Eastern	1,016	983	96.8	33	3.2
Northern	1,083	1,028	94.9	55	5.1
Southern	6,516	6,427	98.6	89	1.4
Western	7,232	7,140	98.7	92	1.3
<b>SIXTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>5,409</b>	<b>5,190</b>	<b>96.0</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>4.0</b>
Kentucky					
Eastern	681	652	95.7	29	4.3
Western	497	475	95.6	22	4.4
Michigan					
Eastern	737	699	94.8	38	5.2
Western	455	430	94.5	25	5.5
Ohio					
Northern	905	886	97.9	19	2.1
Southern	627	603	96.2	24	3.8
Tennessee					
Eastern	593	572	96.5	21	3.5
Middle	308	299	97.1	9	2.9
Western	606	574	94.7	32	5.3
<b>SEVENTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>3,068</b>	<b>2,856</b>	<b>93.1</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>6.9</b>
Illinois					
Central	392	370	94.4	22	5.6
Northern	928	846	91.2	82	8.8
Southern	312	289	92.6	23	7.4
Indiana					
Northern	455	420	92.3	35	7.7
Southern	295	283	95.9	12	4.1
Wisconsin					
Eastern	492	468	95.1	24	4.9
Western	194	180	92.8	14	7.2
<b>EIGHTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>5,428</b>	<b>5,201</b>	<b>95.8</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>4.2</b>
Arkansas					
Eastern	434	419	96.5	15	3.5
Western	209	206	98.6	3	1.4
Iowa					
Northern	590	567	96.1	23	3.9
Southern	472	442	93.6	30	6.4
Minnesota	579	546	94.3	33	5.7
Missouri					
Eastern	1,015	986	97.1	29	2.9
Western	779	743	95.4	36	4.6
Nebraska	642	626	97.5	16	2.5
North Dakota	254	239	94.1	15	5.9
South Dakota	454	427	94.1	27	5.9

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CIRCUIT District	TOTAL	PLEA		TRIAL	
		N	%	N	%
<b>NINTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>14,621</b>	<b>14,251</b>	<b>97.5</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Alaska	169	156	92.3	13	7.7
Arizona	3,869	3,810	98.5	59	1.5
California					
Central	1,848	1,808	97.8	40	2.2
Eastern	891	870	97.6	21	2.4
Northern	717	701	97.8	16	2.2
Southern	3,822	3,744	98.0	78	2.0
Guam	68	66	97.1	2	2.9
Hawaii	279	265	95.0	14	5.0
Idaho	267	251	94.0	16	6.0
Montana	420	384	91.4	36	8.6
Nevada	433	418	96.5	15	3.5
Northern Mariana Islands	18	16	88.9	2	11.1
Oregon	644	625	97.0	19	3.0
Washington					
Eastern	338	326	96.4	12	3.6
Western	838	811	96.8	27	3.2
<b>TENTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>6,140</b>	<b>5,977</b>	<b>97.3</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>2.7</b>
Colorado	488	473	96.9	15	3.1
Kansas	679	652	96.0	27	4.0
New Mexico	2,905	2,893	99.6	12	0.4
Oklahoma					
Eastern	89	86	96.6	3	3.4
Northern	214	194	90.7	20	9.3
Western	556	518	93.2	38	6.8
Utah	870	833	95.7	37	4.3
Wyoming	339	328	96.8	11	3.2
<b>ELEVENTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>7,290</b>	<b>6,846</b>	<b>93.9</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>6.1</b>
Alabama					
Middle	269	252	93.7	17	6.3
Northern	493	458	92.9	35	7.1
Southern	556	533	95.9	23	4.1
Florida					
Middle	1,669	1,570	94.1	99	5.9
Northern	351	314	89.5	37	10.5
Southern	2,272	2,156	94.9	116	5.1
Georgia					
Middle	443	431	97.3	12	2.7
Northern	720	638	88.6	82	11.4
Southern	517	494	95.6	23	4.4

<sup>1</sup>Of the 76,478 cases, 51 were excluded due to missing information on mode of conviction. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2008 Datafile, USSCFY08.