

Table 29

**WITHIN RANGE CASES: POSITION OF SENTENCE FOR OFFENDERS
IN EACH PRIMARY OFFENSE CATEGORY¹
Fiscal Year 2014**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	TOTAL	Guideline Minimum		Lower Half of Range		Midpoint of Range		Upper Half of Range		Guideline Maximum	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	27,842	13,877	49.8	6,181	22.2	2,417	8.7	2,201	7.9	3,166	11.4
Murder	23	5	21.7	7	30.4	1	4.3	2	8.7	8	34.8
Manslaughter	27	12	44.4	2	7.4	6	22.2	2	7.4	5	18.5
Kidnapping/Hostage Taking	11	7	63.6	3	27.3	0	0.0	1	9.1	0	0.0
Sexual Abuse	209	91	43.5	40	19.1	26	12.4	17	8.1	35	16.7
Assault	324	144	44.4	50	15.4	30	9.3	36	11.1	64	19.8
Robbery	377	178	47.2	60	15.9	27	7.2	47	12.5	65	17.2
Arson	14	9	64.3	2	14.3	1	7.1	0	0.0	2	14.3
Drugs - Trafficking	5,224	3,600	68.9	712	13.6	295	5.6	261	5.0	356	6.8
Drugs - Communication Facility	54	29	53.7	4	7.4	3	5.6	6	11.1	12	22.2
Drugs - Simple Possession	133	89	66.9	15	11.3	10	7.5	7	5.3	12	9.0
Firearms	3,696	1,973	53.4	526	14.2	377	10.2	259	7.0	561	15.2
Burglary/B&E	23	9	39.1	3	13.0	3	13.0	2	8.7	6	26.1
Auto Theft	46	14	30.4	10	21.7	4	8.7	5	10.9	13	28.3
Larceny	662	451	68.1	74	11.2	33	5.0	33	5.0	71	10.7
Fraud	2,779	1,565	56.3	420	15.1	219	7.9	226	8.1	349	12.6
Embezzlement	176	134	76.1	20	11.4	7	4.0	7	4.0	8	4.5
Forgery/Counterfeiting	401	200	49.9	56	14.0	41	10.2	33	8.2	71	17.7
Bribery	71	45	63.4	13	18.3	2	2.8	2	2.8	9	12.7
Tax	181	129	71.3	19	10.5	14	7.7	3	1.7	16	8.8
Money Laundering	225	151	67.1	31	13.8	15	6.7	12	5.3	16	7.1
Racketeering/Extortion	269	124	46.1	47	17.5	26	9.7	34	12.6	38	14.1
Gambling/Lottery	50	35	70.0	2	4.0	5	10.0	2	4.0	6	12.0
Civil Rights	15	7	46.7	4	26.7	0	0.0	2	13.3	2	13.3
Immigration	10,688	3,581	33.5	3,739	35.0	1,130	10.6	1,063	9.9	1,175	11.0
Child Pornography	450	269	59.8	77	17.1	20	4.4	34	7.6	50	11.1
Prison Offenses	257	117	45.5	54	21.0	23	8.9	23	8.9	40	15.6
Administration of Justice Offenses	620	344	55.5	75	12.1	58	9.4	36	5.8	107	17.3
Environmental/Wildlife	81	73	90.1	5	6.2	2	2.5	0	0.0	1	1.2
National Defense	35	21	60.0	5	14.3	0	0.0	4	11.4	5	14.3
Antitrust	2	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	50.0
Food & Drug	59	50	84.7	5	8.5	2	3.4	0	0.0	2	3.4
Other Miscellaneous Offenses	660	420	63.6	101	15.3	37	5.6	42	6.4	60	9.1

¹ Of the 75,836 cases, 34,117 were sentenced within the applicable guideline range. Of those, 29,516 cases had complete guideline application information. An additional 1,674 cases were excluded due to several logical criteria. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

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