

Table 36

**EXTENT OF UPWARD VARIANCES
BY TYPE OF CRIME¹
Fiscal Year 2018**

TYPE OF CRIME	N	Mean			Median		
		Sentence In Months	Increase In Months	Percent Increase	Sentence In Months	Increase In Months	Percent Increase
TOTAL	1,393	76	22	62.9	58	12	37.5
Administration of Justice	28	37	13	80.0	36	11	45.0
Antitrust	0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Arson	6	92	32	61.0	94	27	48.1
Assault	27	88	32	67.5	78	15	50.0
Bribery/Corruption	4	147	23	28.1	60	17	22.4
Burglary/Trespass	3	64	4	8.1	60	3	5.3
Child Pornography	24	169	44	42.8	144	32	22.9
Commercialized Vice	17	47	22	108.6	42	12	68.4
Drug Possession	52	7	1	21.2	7	1	15.0
Drug Trafficking	222	107	28	79.5	90	18	33.3
Environmental	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Extortion/Racketeering	13	85	19	29.2	60	12	23.9
Firearms	321	79	23	51.5	72	15	33.3
Food and Drug	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forgery/Counter/Copyright	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fraud/Theft/Embezzlement	110	71	25	69.7	59	13	37.9
Immigration	355	27	10	75.9	24	8	50.0
Individual Rights	0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Kidnapping	4	346	78	32.8	370	57	18.1
Manslaughter	10	89	28	58.4	84	21	67.4
Money Laundering	13	97	31	51.0	72	21	50.0
Murder	4	240	25	13.7	270	27	14.4
National Defense	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Obscenity/Other Sex Offenses	12	48	17	63.3	48	10	35.2
Prison Offenses	15	30	14	83.0	24	6	50.0
Robbery	84	192	49	37.6	185	37	28.6
Sexual Abuse	31	145	33	36.1	96	16	27.7
Stalking/Harassing	15	49	14	39.6	48	11	30.4
Tax	11	51	10	45.0	36	10	25.0
Other	6	19	6	52.8	11	4	50.0

¹ Of the 69,425 cases, in 1,404 the sentence was a variance above the guideline range. Due to an inability to calculate the extent of departure for cases with a sentence of life, two offenders were excluded from this table. Also, nine offenders were excluded due to several logical criteria. Sentences greater than 470 months and probation were included in the sentence average computations as 470 months and zero months, respectively. The information in this table includes time of confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2018 Datafile, USSCFY18.