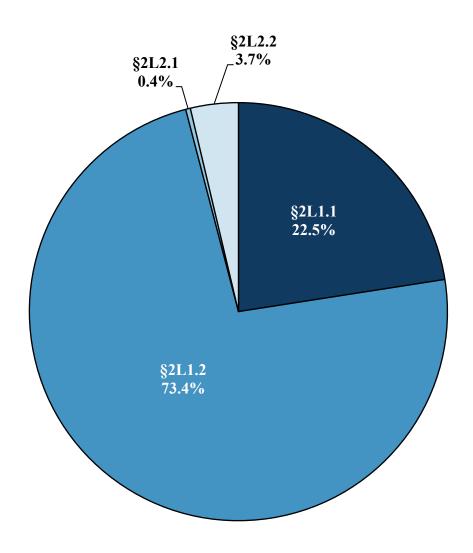
Figure I-1

DISTRIBUTION OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS
BY GUIDELINE¹
Fiscal Year 2021



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Table I-1

RACE OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS¹

Fiscal Year 2021

		WHIT	<u>E</u>	BLA	CK	HISPA	NIC	ОТН	OTHER	
GUIDELINE	TOTAL	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
TOTAL	15,649	452	2.9	221	1.4	14,863	95.0	113	0.7	
§2L1.1	3,546	359	10.1	151	4.3	2,949	83.2	87	2.5	
§2L1.2	11,465	64	0.6	39	0.3	11,353	99.0	9	0.1	
§2L2.1	57	11	19.3	9	15.8	28	49.1	9	15.8	
§2L2.2	581	18	3.1	22	3.8	533	91.7	8	1.4	

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Table I-2

GENDER OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS¹

Fiscal Year 2021

		MALE		FEMALE		
GUIDELINE	TOTAL	N	%	N	%	
TOTAL	15,745	14,453	91.8	1,292	8.2	
§2L1.1	3,550	2,704	76.2	846	23.8	
§2L1.2	11,556	11,296	97.8	260	2.2	
§2L2.1	57	39	68.4	18	31.6	
§2L2.2	582	414	71.1	168	28.9	

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Table I-3

AGE OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS¹
Fiscal Year 2021

_		Under 21		Under 21 21 to 25		26 to	to 30 31 to 35		36 to 40		41 to 50		51 to 60		Over 60		
GUIDELINE	TOTAL	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	15,755	535	3.4	1,755	11.1	2,479	15.7	2,931	18.6	2,969	18.8	3,697	23.5	1,172	7.4	217	1.4
§2L1.1	3,551	387	10.9	776	21.9	694	19.5	497	14.0	409	11.5	532	15.0	200	5.6	56	1.6
§2L1.2	11,565	108	0.9	885	7.7	1,686	14.6	2,342	20.3	2,481	21.5	3,013	26.1	914	7.9	136	1.2
§2L2.1	57	0	0.0	4	7.0	4	7.0	5	8.8	10	17.5	22	38.6	9	15.8	3	5.3
§2L2.2	582	40	6.9	90	15.5	95	16.3	87	14.9	69	11.9	130	22.3	49	8.4	22	3.8

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Table I-4

CITIZENSHIP OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS¹

Fiscal Year 2021

	_	U.S. CITIZ	EN	NON-U.S. CITIZEN		Resident/ Legal Alien	Illegal Alien	Extradited Alien	Alien Status Unknown
GUIDELINE	TOTAL	N	%	N	%	N	N	N	N
TOTAL	15,755	2,726	17.3	13,029	82.7	223	12,781	2	23
§2L1.1	3,551	2,658	74.9	893	25.1	182	705	1	5
§2L1.2	11,565	0	0.0	11,565	100.0	16	11,540	0	9
§2L2.1	57	28	49.1	29	50.9	8	19	1	1
§2L2.2	582	40	6.9	542	93.1	17	517	0	8

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Table I-5

CRIMINAL HISTORY CATEGORY AND CITIZENSHIP OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS¹
Fiscal Year 2021

		Tot	al	§2 L:	1.1	§2 L:	1.2	§2 L2	2.1	§2 L2	§2L2.2	
СНС	•	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
	Total	4,827	100.0	2,077	100.0	2,201	100.0	48	100.0	501	100.0	
I	U.S. Citizen	1,418	29.4	1,371	66.0	0	0.0	23	47.9	24	4.8	
	Non-U.S. Citizen	3,409	70.6	706	34.0	2,201	100.0	25	52.1	477	95.2	
	Total	3,592	100.0	489	100.0	3,064	100.0	3	100.0	36	100.0	
II	U.S. Citizen	407	11.3	395	80.8	0	0.0	1	33.3	11	30.6	
	Non-U.S. Citizen	3,185	88.7	94	19.2	3,064	100.0	2	66.7	25	69.4	
	Total	3,816	100.0	465	100.0	3,320	100.0	3	100.0	28	100.0	
Ш	U.S. Citizen	415	10.9	411	88.4	0	0.0	2	66.7	2	7.1	
	Non-U.S. Citizen	3,401	89.1	54	11.6	3,320	100.0	1	33.3	26	92.9	
	Total	1,978	100.0	264	100.0	1,705	100.0	0	100.0	9	100.0	
IV	U.S. Citizen	242	12.2	241	91.3	0	0.0	0		1	11.1	
	Non-U.S. Citizen	1,736	87.8	23	8.7	1,705	100.0	0		8	88.9	
	Total	978	100.0	138	100.0	835	100.0	1	100.0	4	100.0	
\mathbf{V}	U.S. Citizen	130	13.3	128	92.8	0	0.0	1	100.0	1	25.0	
	Non-U.S. Citizen	848	86.7	10	7.2	835	100.0	0	0.0	3	75.0	
	Total	564	100.0	118	100.0	440	100.0	2	100.0	4	100.0	
VI	U.S. Citizen	114	20.2	112	94.9	0	0.0	1	50.0	1	25.0	
	Non-U.S. Citizen	450	79.8	6	5.1	440	100.0	1	50.0	3	75.0	

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Table I-6

EDUCATION OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS¹
Fiscal Year 2021

		LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE		HIGH SCHOO GRADUA	OL	SOM COLLE		COLLEGE GRADUATE		
GUIDELINE	TOTAL	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
TOTAL	14,676	11,244	76.6	2,462	16.8	800	5.5	170	1.2	
§2L1.1	3,526	1,838	52.1	1,167	33.1	472	13.4	49	1.4	
§2L1.2	10,751	9,172	85.3	1,215	11.3	284	2.6	80	0.7	
§2L2.1	55	23	41.8	5	9.1	10	18.2	17	30.9	
§2L2.2	344	211	61.3	75	21.8	34	9.9	24	7.0	

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Table I-7

SENTENCE IMPOSED RELATIVE TO THE GUIDELINE RANGE FOR IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS¹
Fiscal Year 2021

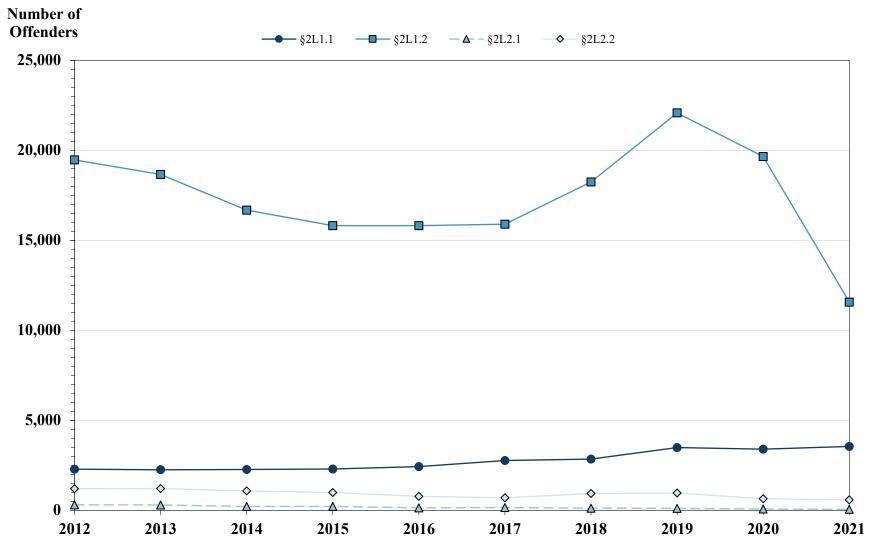
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GUIDELINE		RANG	GE	UPWARD		§5K1	.1 §5K3.1		3.1	DOWNWARD		VARIANCE	
	TOTAL	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	15,748	8,228	52.2	33	0.2	147	0.9	4,329	27.5	887	5.6	2,124	13.5
§2L1.1	3,550	1,536	43.3	6	0.2	111	3.1	1,202	33.9	120	3.4	575	16.2
§2L1.2	11,559	6,227	53.9	26	0.2	27	0.2	3,122	27.0	737	6.4	1,420	12.3
§2L2.1	57	22	38.6	0	0.0	9	15.8	0	0.0	4	7.0	22	38.6
§2L2.2	582	443	76.1	1	0.2	0	0.0	5	0.9	26	4.5	107	18.4

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Figure I-2

NUMBER OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS OVER TIME¹

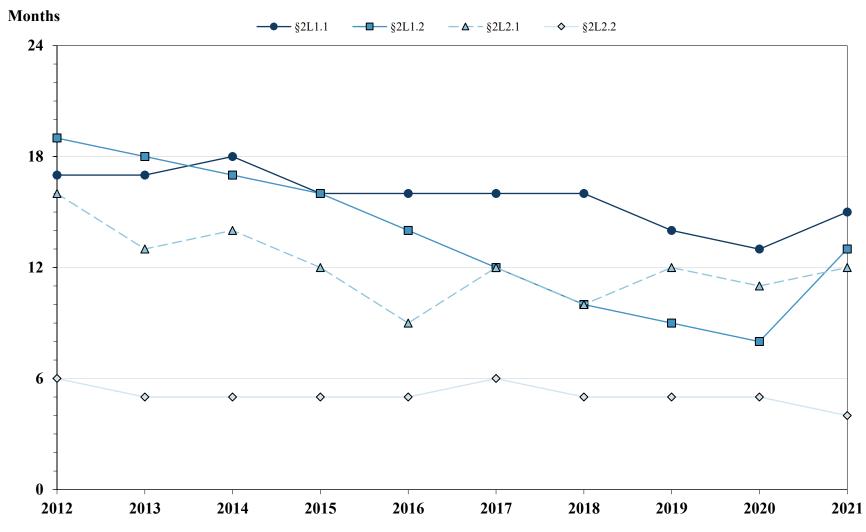
Fiscal Years 2012 - 2021



¹ Only offenders sentenced under §§2L1.1 (Alien Smuggling), 2L1.2 (Unlawful Entering or Remaining in the United States), 2L2.1 (Trafficking in Immigration Documents, or Making False or Fraudulent Immigration Statements), or 2L2.2 (Acquiring Fraudulent Immigration Documents) are depicted in this figure. Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2012 - 2021 Datafiles, USSCFY12 - USSCFY21.

Figure I-3
SENTENCE LENGTH OF IMMIGRATION OFFENDERS OVER TIME¹
Fiscal Years 2012 - 2021



¹ Only offenders sentenced under §§2L1.1 (Alien Smuggling), 2L1.2 (Unlawful Entering or Remaining in the United States), 2L2.1 (Trafficking in Immigration Documents, or Making False or Fraudulent Immigration Statements), or 2L2.2 (Acquiring Fraudulent Immigration Documents) are depicted in this figure. Sentences of 470 months or greater (including life) and probation were included in the sentence average computations as 470 months and zero months, respectively. The information in this figure includes conditions of confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1. Cases missing sentencing information were also excluded. Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.