

Table 39

**EXTENT OF OTHER DOWNWARD DEPARTURES
BY TYPE OF CRIME¹
Fiscal Year 2023**

TYPE OF CRIME	N	Mean			Median		
		Sentence In Months	Decrease In Months	Percent Decrease	Sentence In Months	Decrease In Months	Percent Decrease
TOTAL	2,371	44	33	45.8	24	18	41.5
Administration of Justice	29	8	11	64.3	6	8	66.7
Antitrust	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Arson	5	24	22	51.2	30	25	47.4
Assault	64	40	22	45.4	24	15	35.2
Bribery/Corruption	12	18	28	62.1	17	29	67.9
Burglary/Trespass	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Child Pornography	45	81	46	36.1	66	37	31.1
Commercialized Vice	7	13	8	33.9	12	3	19.8
Drug Possession	0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Drug Trafficking	876	65	51	47.0	52	40	47.1
Environmental	3	1	11	77.8	0	12	100.0
Extortion/Racketeering	7	13	27	53.5	9	9	39.8
Firearms	290	35	20	42.6	24	14	34.0
Food and Drug	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forgery/Counter/Copyright	4	10	21	83.7	0	19	100.0
Fraud/Theft/Embezzlement	146	19	22	63.2	10	14	66.6
Immigration	571	13	8	38.6	12	6	33.3
Individual Rights	4	45	39	80.8	0	32	95.9
Kidnapping	12	126	69	34.4	120	57	37.2
Manslaughter	4	34	20	33.9	29	11	35.0
Money Laundering	77	44	47	58.1	27	24	59.5
Murder	9	165	136	48.3	180	116	48.5
National Defense	14	24	19	43.3	27	16	37.4
Obscenity/Other Sex Offenses	15	11	11	54.5	13	10	40.0
Prison Offenses	21	8	8	54.9	5	6	50.0
Robbery	51	75	29	28.8	57	17	22.5
Sexual Abuse	59	131	84	40.1	120	60	36.4
Stalking/Harassing	20	12	14	63.4	7	12	60.0
Tax	20	10	16	64.1	11	15	60.0
Other	0	--	--	--	--	--	--

¹ Of the 64,124 cases, in 2,421 the sentence was a downward departure from the guideline range, either due to a government motion for a departure (1,310) or a non-government departure (1,111). Due to an inability to calculate the extent of departure for cases with a guideline minimum of life, 26 sentenced individuals were excluded from this table. Also, 24 individuals 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 conditions 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, 2023 Datafile, USSCFY23.