

Table 43

DRUG OFFENDERS RECEIVING MANDATORY MINIMUMS FOR EACH DRUG TYPE¹
Fiscal Year 2008

DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	No Drug Mandatory Minimum ²		Five-Year Drug Mandatory Minimum		Ten-Year Drug Mandatory Minimum ³	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	25,337	8,550	33.7	6,905	27.3	9,882	39.0
Powder Cocaine	5,889	1,224	20.8	1,428	24.2	3,237	55.0
Crack Cocaine	6,168	1,275	20.7	1,956	31.7	2,937	47.6
Heroin	1,476	464	31.4	422	28.6	590	40.0
Marijuana	6,337	3,771	59.5	1,984	31.3	582	9.2
Methamphetamine	4,347	813	18.7	1,079	24.8	2,455	56.5
Other	1,120	1,003	89.6	36	3.2	81	7.2

¹Of the 76,478 cases, 25,500 were sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (Drugs). Of these, 25,337 were sentenced under §§2D1.1 (Drug Trafficking), 2D1.2 (Protected Locations), 2D1.5 (Continuing Criminal Enterprise), 2D1.6 (Communication Facility), 2D1.8 (Rent/Manage Drug Establishment), or 2D2.1 (Simple Possession). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

²Includes 145 cases that had a drug mandatory minimum of 12 months or less.

³Includes 916 cases that had a drug mandatory minimum greater than ten years.

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