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RACE OF DRUG OFFENDERS IN EACH DRUG TYPE¹
Fiscal Year 2011

DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK		HISPANIC		OTHER	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	25,215	6,086	24.1	6,684	26.5	11,692	46.4	753	3.0
Powder Cocaine	6,022	949	15.8	1,474	24.5	3,518	58.4	81	1.3
Crack Cocaine	4,353	265	6.1	3,614	83.0	434	10.0	40	0.9
Heroin	1,804	268	14.9	608	33.7	911	50.5	17	0.9
Marijuana	6,942	1,567	22.6	555	8.0	4,614	66.5	206	3.0
Methamphetamine	4,546	2,161	47.5	105	2.3	2,051	45.1	229	5.0
Other	1,548	876	56.6	328	21.2	164	10.6	180	11.6

¹ Of the 86,201 cases, 25,664 were sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (Drugs). Of these, 25,278 cases were sentenced under §§2D1.1 (Drug Trafficking), 2D1.2 (Protected Locations), 2D1.5 (Continuing Criminal Enterprise), 2D1.6 (Use of a Communication Facility), 2D1.8 (Rent/Manage Drug Establishment), or 2D2.1 (Simple Possession). Of these 25,278 cases, 63 were excluded due to one or both of the following reasons: missing information on offender's race (61) or missing information on drug type (3). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2011 Datafile, USSCFY11.