

Table 27A

**SENTENCES RELATIVE TO THE GUIDELINE RANGE
BY EACH PRIMARY OFFENSE CATEGORY¹
Fiscal Year 2015**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	TOTAL	WITHIN GUIDELINE RANGE		ABOVE GUIDELINE RANGE ²		GOVERNMENT SPONSORED BELOW RANGE		NON-GOVERNMENT SPONSORED BELOW RANGE ³	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	68,270	32,262	47.3	1,506	2.2	19,988	29.3	14,514	21.3
Murder	91	47	51.6	5	5.5	30	33.0	9	9.9
Manslaughter	52	22	42.3	17	32.7	5	9.6	8	15.4
Kidnapping/Hostage Taking	43	18	41.9	4	9.3	9	20.9	12	27.9
Sexual Abuse	527	235	44.6	34	6.5	144	27.3	114	21.6
Assault	718	411	57.2	63	8.8	108	15.0	136	18.9
Robbery	738	349	47.3	47	6.4	146	19.8	196	26.6
Arson	59	20	33.9	7	11.9	26	44.1	6	10.2
Drugs - Trafficking	20,027	7,028	35.1	282	1.4	8,212	41.0	4,505	22.5
Drugs - Communication Facility	316	159	50.3	5	1.6	67	21.2	85	26.9
Drugs - Simple Possession	448	429	95.8	3	0.7	7	1.6	9	2.0
Firearms	7,049	3,713	52.7	349	5.0	1,412	20.0	1,575	22.3
Burglary/B&E	36	20	55.6	4	11.1	2	5.6	10	27.8
Auto Theft	62	37	59.7	4	6.5	14	22.6	7	11.3
Larceny	873	486	55.7	16	1.8	125	14.3	246	28.2
Fraud	7,047	2,836	40.2	141	2.0	1,947	27.6	2,123	30.1
Embezzlement	329	182	55.3	2	0.6	44	13.4	101	30.7
Forgery/Counterfeiting	511	302	59.1	14	2.7	73	14.3	122	23.9
Bribery	216	65	30.1	2	0.9	84	38.9	65	30.1
Tax	559	152	27.2	6	1.1	124	22.2	277	49.6
Money Laundering	667	197	29.5	4	0.6	252	37.8	214	32.1
Racketeering/Extortion	1,005	381	37.9	14	1.4	352	35.0	258	25.7
Gambling/Lottery	76	38	50.0	1	1.3	23	30.3	14	18.4
Civil Rights	46	15	32.6	2	4.3	12	26.1	17	37.0
Immigration	20,608	11,822	57.4	332	1.6	5,723	27.8	2,731	13.3
Child Pornography	1,903	584	30.7	35	1.8	449	23.6	835	43.9
Prison Offenses	468	323	69.0	14	3.0	53	11.3	78	16.7
Administration of Justice Offenses	1,165	633	54.3	51	4.4	187	16.1	294	25.2
Environmental/Wildlife	140	63	45.0	1	0.7	35	25.0	41	29.3
National Defense	99	29	29.3	2	2.0	37	37.4	31	31.3
Antitrust	15	1	6.7	0	0.0	12	80.0	2	13.3
Food & Drug	141	92	65.2	7	5.0	17	12.1	25	17.7
Other Miscellaneous Offenses	2,236	1,573	70.3	38	1.7	257	11.5	368	16.5

¹ Of the 71,003 cases, 2,733 were excluded because information was missing from the submitted documents that prevented the comparison of the sentence and the guideline range. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

² See Tables 24-24B for a list of departure reasons comprising these categories.

³ See Tables 25-25B for a list of departure reasons comprising these categories.