

Table 11

GUILTY PLEAS AND TRIALS IN EACH CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT¹
Fiscal Year 2018

CIRCUIT District	TOTAL	PLEA		TRIAL	
		N	%	N	%
TOTAL	69,425	67,610	97.4	1,815	2.6
D.C. CIRCUIT	219	203	92.7	16	7.3
District of Columbia	219	203	92.7	16	7.3
FIRST CIRCUIT	1,744	1,678	96.2	66	3.8
Maine	178	168	94.4	10	5.6
Massachusetts	529	502	94.9	27	5.1
New Hampshire	184	178	96.7	6	3.3
Puerto Rico	760	738	97.1	22	2.9
Rhode Island	93	92	98.9	1	1.1
SECOND CIRCUIT	3,479	3,314	95.3	165	4.7
Connecticut	322	313	97.2	9	2.8
New York					
Eastern	663	632	95.3	31	4.7
Northern	384	365	95.1	19	4.9
Southern	1,446	1,370	94.7	76	5.3
Western	503	476	94.6	27	5.4
Vermont	161	158	98.1	3	1.9
THIRD CIRCUIT	2,123	2,024	95.3	99	4.7
Delaware	77	73	94.8	4	5.2
New Jersey	467	454	97.2	13	2.8
Pennsylvania					
Eastern	640	603	94.2	37	5.8
Middle	471	441	93.6	30	6.4
Western	411	403	98.1	8	1.9
Virgin Islands	57	50	87.7	7	12.3
FOURTH CIRCUIT	5,587	5,387	96.4	200	3.6
Maryland	838	797	95.1	41	4.9
North Carolina					
Eastern	744	724	97.3	20	2.7
Middle	403	398	98.8	5	1.2
Western	566	541	95.6	25	4.4
South Carolina	966	944	97.7	22	2.3
Virginia					
Eastern	1,331	1,270	95.4	61	4.6
Western	238	222	93.3	16	6.7
West Virginia					
Northern	262	256	97.7	6	2.3
Southern	239	235	98.3	4	1.7

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CIRCUIT District	TOTAL	PLEA		TRIAL	
		N	%	N	%
FIFTH CIRCUIT	17,658	17,459	98.9	199	1.1
Louisiana					
Eastern	275	255	92.7	20	7.3
Middle	154	147	95.5	7	4.5
Western	252	238	94.4	14	5.6
Mississippi					
Northern	173	167	96.5	6	3.5
Southern	342	338	98.8	4	1.2
Texas					
Eastern	753	736	97.7	17	2.3
Northern	1,484	1,453	97.9	31	2.1
Southern	6,138	6,077	99.0	61	1.0
Western	8,087	8,048	99.5	39	0.5
SIXTH CIRCUIT	4,699	4,550	96.8	149	3.2
Kentucky					
Eastern	392	351	89.5	41	10.5
Western	303	293	96.7	10	3.3
Michigan					
Eastern	934	906	97.0	28	3.0
Western	359	349	97.2	10	2.8
Ohio					
Northern	716	695	97.1	21	2.9
Southern	574	569	99.1	5	0.9
Tennessee					
Eastern	655	644	98.3	11	1.7
Middle	321	312	97.2	9	2.8
Western	445	431	96.9	14	3.1
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	2,442	2,338	95.7	104	4.3
Illinois					
Central	241	233	96.7	8	3.3
Northern	740	695	93.9	45	6.1
Southern	266	262	98.5	4	1.5
Indiana					
Northern	373	360	96.5	13	3.5
Southern	414	400	96.6	14	3.4
Wisconsin					
Eastern	252	241	95.6	11	4.4
Western	156	147	94.2	9	5.8
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	4,805	4,666	97.1	139	2.9
Arkansas					
Eastern	453	446	98.5	7	1.5
Western	238	235	98.7	3	1.3
Iowa					
Northern	370	356	96.2	14	3.8
Southern	477	466	97.7	11	2.3
Minnesota	295	274	92.9	21	7.1
Missouri					
Eastern	847	834	98.5	13	1.5
Western	779	758	97.3	21	2.7
Nebraska	494	477	96.6	17	3.4
North Dakota	370	360	97.3	10	2.7
South Dakota	482	460	95.4	22	4.6

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CIRCUIT District	TOTAL	PLEA		TRIAL	
		N	%	N	%
NINTH CIRCUIT	13,532	13,228	97.8	304	2.2
Alaska	197	190	96.4	7	3.6
Arizona	4,649	4,594	98.8	55	1.2
California					
Central	1,110	1,052	94.8	58	5.2
Eastern	477	455	95.4	22	4.6
Northern	535	507	94.8	28	5.2
Southern	3,889	3,837	98.7	52	1.3
Guam	44	43	97.7	1	2.3
Hawaii	153	152	99.3	1	0.7
Idaho	377	369	97.9	8	2.1
Montana	356	345	96.9	11	3.1
Nevada	458	438	95.6	20	4.4
Northern Mariana Islands	14	10	71.4	4	28.6
Oregon	421	410	97.4	11	2.6
Washington					
Eastern	345	336	97.4	9	2.6
Western	507	490	96.6	17	3.4
TENTH CIRCUIT	6,541	6,479	99.1	62	0.9
Colorado	525	502	95.6	23	4.4
Kansas	486	480	98.8	6	1.2
New Mexico	3,950	3,941	99.8	9	0.2
Oklahoma					
Eastern	96	95	99.0	1	1.0
Northern	195	191	97.9	4	2.1
Western	378	374	98.9	4	1.1
Utah	692	684	98.8	8	1.2
Wyoming	219	212	96.8	7	3.2
ELEVENTH CIRCUIT	6,596	6,284	95.3	312	4.7
Alabama					
Middle	238	216	90.8	22	9.2
Northern	517	511	98.8	6	1.2
Southern	287	278	96.9	9	3.1
Florida					
Middle	1,542	1,445	93.7	97	6.3
Northern	300	277	92.3	23	7.7
Southern	2,251	2,140	95.1	111	4.9
Georgia					
Middle	429	422	98.4	7	1.6
Northern	570	539	94.6	31	5.4
Southern	462	456	98.7	6	1.3

[†] Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2018 Datafile, USSCFY18.