

Table 30

**SENTENCE IMPOSED RELATIVE TO THE GUIDELINE RANGE
IN EACH CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT¹
Fiscal Year 2018**

| CIRCUIT District | TOTAL | WITHIN GUIDELINE RANGE | | DEPARTURE | | | | | | | | VARIANCE | |
|-----------------------|---------------|------------------------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| | | N | % | UPWARD | | §5K1.1 | | §5K3.1 | | DOWNWARD | | N | % |
| | | | | N | % | N | % | N | % | N | % | | |
| TOTAL | 68,902 | 35,127 | 51.0 | 396 | 0.6 | 6,948 | 10.1 | 6,259 | 9.1 | 2,972 | 4.3 | 17,200 | 25.0 |
| D.C. CIRCUIT | 217 | 85 | 39.2 | 1 | 0.5 | 27 | 12.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 24 | 11.1 | 80 | 36.9 |
| District of Columbia | 217 | 85 | 39.2 | 1 | 0.5 | 27 | 12.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 24 | 11.1 | 80 | 36.9 |
| FIRST CIRCUIT | 1,739 | 781 | 44.9 | 12 | 0.7 | 152 | 8.7 | 11 | 0.6 | 80 | 4.6 | 703 | 40.4 |
| Maine | 178 | 63 | 35.4 | 2 | 1.1 | 44 | 24.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 7 | 3.9 | 62 | 34.8 |
| Massachusetts | 527 | 166 | 31.5 | 4 | 0.8 | 53 | 10.1 | 11 | 2.1 | 38 | 7.2 | 255 | 48.4 |
| New Hampshire | 184 | 73 | 39.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 13 | 7.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 5 | 2.7 | 93 | 50.5 |
| Puerto Rico | 757 | 462 | 61.0 | 6 | 0.8 | 34 | 4.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 30 | 4.0 | 225 | 29.7 |
| Rhode Island | 93 | 17 | 18.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 8 | 8.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 68 | 73.1 |
| SECOND CIRCUIT | 3,458 | 1,130 | 32.7 | 15 | 0.4 | 585 | 16.9 | 19 | 0.5 | 165 | 4.8 | 1,544 | 44.7 |
| Connecticut | 322 | 124 | 38.5 | 1 | 0.3 | 43 | 13.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 37 | 11.5 | 117 | 36.3 |
| New York | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 662 | 168 | 25.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 145 | 21.9 | 2 | 0.3 | 71 | 10.7 | 276 | 41.7 |
| Northern | 373 | 188 | 50.4 | 3 | 0.8 | 71 | 19.0 | 3 | 0.8 | 9 | 2.4 | 99 | 26.5 |
| Southern | 1,438 | 367 | 25.5 | 3 | 0.2 | 196 | 13.6 | 14 | 1.0 | 37 | 2.6 | 821 | 57.1 |
| Western | 503 | 248 | 49.3 | 8 | 1.6 | 104 | 20.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 5 | 1.0 | 138 | 27.4 |
| Vermont | 160 | 35 | 21.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 26 | 16.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 6 | 3.8 | 93 | 58.1 |
| THIRD CIRCUIT | 2,114 | 869 | 41.1 | 8 | 0.4 | 465 | 22.0 | 22 | 1.0 | 64 | 3.0 | 686 | 32.5 |
| Delaware | 77 | 29 | 37.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 8 | 10.4 | 6 | 7.8 | 1 | 1.3 | 33 | 42.9 |
| New Jersey | 464 | 190 | 40.9 | 2 | 0.4 | 99 | 21.3 | 2 | 0.4 | 9 | 1.9 | 162 | 34.9 |
| Pennsylvania | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 637 | 213 | 33.4 | 2 | 0.3 | 211 | 33.1 | 3 | 0.5 | 20 | 3.1 | 188 | 29.5 |
| Middle | 470 | 258 | 54.9 | 2 | 0.4 | 73 | 15.5 | 11 | 2.3 | 19 | 4.0 | 107 | 22.8 |
| Western | 410 | 139 | 33.9 | 2 | 0.5 | 65 | 15.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 14 | 3.4 | 190 | 46.3 |
| Virgin Islands | 56 | 40 | 71.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 9 | 16.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 1.8 | 6 | 10.7 |
| FOURTH CIRCUIT | 5,501 | 3,084 | 56.1 | 65 | 1.2 | 721 | 13.1 | 6 | 0.1 | 216 | 3.9 | 1,409 | 25.6 |
| Maryland | 816 | 284 | 34.8 | 14 | 1.7 | 161 | 19.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 68 | 8.3 | 289 | 35.4 |
| North Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 693 | 408 | 58.9 | 18 | 2.6 | 156 | 22.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 11 | 1.6 | 100 | 14.4 |
| Middle | 403 | 236 | 58.6 | 6 | 1.5 | 41 | 10.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 4 | 1.0 | 116 | 28.8 |
| Western | 565 | 330 | 58.4 | 2 | 0.4 | 119 | 21.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 8 | 1.4 | 106 | 18.8 |
| South Carolina | 965 | 560 | 58.0 | 10 | 1.0 | 137 | 14.2 | 1 | 0.1 | 31 | 3.2 | 226 | 23.4 |
| Virginia | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 1,327 | 856 | 64.5 | 10 | 0.8 | 45 | 3.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 68 | 5.1 | 348 | 26.2 |
| Western | 235 | 106 | 45.1 | 4 | 1.7 | 43 | 18.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 16 | 6.8 | 66 | 28.1 |
| West Virginia | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern | 262 | 170 | 64.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 10 | 3.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 5 | 1.9 | 77 | 29.4 |
| Southern | 235 | 134 | 57.0 | 1 | 0.4 | 9 | 3.8 | 5 | 2.1 | 5 | 2.1 | 81 | 34.5 |

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| | | RANGE | | UPWARD | | §5K1.1 | | §5K3.1 | | DOWNWARD | | | |
| | | N | % | N | % | N | % | N | % | N | % | N | % |
| FIFTH CIRCUIT | 17,588 | 12,223 | 69.5 | 127 | 0.7 | 929 | 5.3 | 670 | 3.8 | 872 | 5.0 | 2,767 | 15.7 |
| Louisiana | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 275 | 137 | 49.8 | 3 | 1.1 | 34 | 12.4 | 3 | 1.1 | 10 | 3.6 | 88 | 32.0 |
| Middle | 153 | 90 | 58.8 | 2 | 1.3 | 26 | 17.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 35 | 22.9 |
| Western | 239 | 156 | 65.3 | 1 | 0.4 | 22 | 9.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 60 | 25.1 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern | 161 | 73 | 45.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 36 | 22.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 1.2 | 50 | 31.1 |
| Southern | 338 | 269 | 79.6 | 1 | 0.3 | 20 | 5.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 48 | 14.2 |
| Texas | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 753 | 534 | 70.9 | 3 | 0.4 | 14 | 1.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 10 | 1.3 | 192 | 25.5 |
| Northern | 1,479 | 948 | 64.1 | 13 | 0.9 | 178 | 12.0 | 1 | 0.1 | 54 | 3.7 | 285 | 19.3 |
| Southern | 6,136 | 3,628 | 59.1 | 93 | 1.5 | 343 | 5.6 | 423 | 6.9 | 599 | 9.8 | 1,050 | 17.1 |
| Western | 8,054 | 6,388 | 79.3 | 11 | 0.1 | 256 | 3.2 | 243 | 3.0 | 197 | 2.4 | 959 | 11.9 |
| SIXTH CIRCUIT | 4,648 | 2,072 | 44.6 | 19 | 0.4 | 855 | 18.4 | 15 | 0.3 | 253 | 5.4 | 1,434 | 30.9 |
| Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 392 | 220 | 56.1 | 3 | 0.8 | 55 | 14.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 11 | 2.8 | 103 | 26.3 |
| Western | 302 | 143 | 47.4 | 1 | 0.3 | 55 | 18.2 | 5 | 1.7 | 18 | 6.0 | 80 | 26.5 |
| Michigan | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 929 | 387 | 41.7 | 1 | 0.1 | 143 | 15.4 | 3 | 0.3 | 12 | 1.3 | 383 | 41.2 |
| Western | 359 | 193 | 53.8 | 8 | 2.2 | 61 | 17.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 15 | 4.2 | 82 | 22.8 |
| Ohio | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern | 716 | 314 | 43.9 | 3 | 0.4 | 176 | 24.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 29 | 4.1 | 194 | 27.1 |
| Southern | 574 | 158 | 27.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 100 | 17.4 | 5 | 0.9 | 128 | 22.3 | 183 | 31.9 |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 630 | 326 | 51.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 160 | 25.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 8 | 1.3 | 136 | 21.6 |
| Middle | 307 | 111 | 36.2 | 2 | 0.7 | 59 | 19.2 | 1 | 0.3 | 28 | 9.1 | 106 | 34.5 |
| Western | 439 | 220 | 50.1 | 1 | 0.2 | 46 | 10.5 | 1 | 0.2 | 4 | 0.9 | 167 | 38.0 |
| SEVENTH CIRCUIT | 2,433 | 907 | 37.3 | 10 | 0.4 | 331 | 13.6 | 2 | 0.1 | 161 | 6.6 | 1,022 | 42.0 |
| Illinois | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Central | 237 | 106 | 44.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 26 | 11.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 6 | 2.5 | 99 | 41.8 |
| Northern | 740 | 208 | 28.1 | 3 | 0.4 | 79 | 10.7 | 2 | 0.3 | 81 | 10.9 | 367 | 49.6 |
| Southern | 266 | 152 | 57.1 | 3 | 1.1 | 32 | 12.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 8 | 3.0 | 71 | 26.7 |
| Indiana | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern | 371 | 166 | 44.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 76 | 20.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 8 | 2.2 | 121 | 32.6 |
| Southern | 414 | 165 | 39.9 | 2 | 0.5 | 81 | 19.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 6 | 1.4 | 160 | 38.6 |
| Wisconsin | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 250 | 46 | 18.4 | 1 | 0.4 | 32 | 12.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.4 | 170 | 68.0 |
| Western | 155 | 64 | 41.3 | 1 | 0.6 | 5 | 3.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 51 | 32.9 | 34 | 21.9 |
| EIGHTH CIRCUIT | 4,795 | 2,168 | 45.2 | 38 | 0.8 | 658 | 13.7 | 54 | 1.1 | 132 | 2.8 | 1,745 | 36.4 |
| Arkansas | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 444 | 277 | 62.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 32 | 7.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 6 | 1.4 | 129 | 29.1 |
| Western | 238 | 106 | 44.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 27 | 11.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0.8 | 103 | 43.3 |
| Iowa | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern | 370 | 226 | 61.1 | 5 | 1.4 | 70 | 18.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.3 | 68 | 18.4 |
| Southern | 476 | 200 | 42.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 83 | 17.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 3 | 0.6 | 190 | 39.9 |
| Minnesota | 295 | 95 | 32.2 | 5 | 1.7 | 45 | 15.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 15 | 5.1 | 135 | 45.8 |
| Missouri | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 847 | 327 | 38.6 | 4 | 0.5 | 104 | 12.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 8 | 0.9 | 404 | 47.7 |
| Western | 779 | 286 | 36.7 | 4 | 0.5 | 123 | 15.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 51 | 6.5 | 315 | 40.4 |
| Nebraska | 494 | 243 | 49.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 16 | 3.2 | 43 | 8.7 | 4 | 0.8 | 188 | 38.1 |
| North Dakota | 370 | 118 | 31.9 | 4 | 1.1 | 143 | 38.6 | 10 | 2.7 | 14 | 3.8 | 81 | 21.9 |
| South Dakota | 482 | 290 | 60.2 | 16 | 3.3 | 15 | 3.1 | 1 | 0.2 | 28 | 5.8 | 132 | 27.4 |

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| | | RANGE | | UPWARD | | §5K1.1 | | §5K3.1 | | DOWNWARD | | | |
| | | N | % | N | % | N | % | N | % | N | % | N | % |
| NINTH CIRCUIT | 13,439 | 4,357 | 32.4 | 68 | 0.5 | 1,021 | 7.6 | 4,521 | 33.6 | 607 | 4.5 | 2,865 | 21.3 |
| Alaska | 196 | 63 | 32.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 35 | 17.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.5 | 97 | 49.5 |
| Arizona | 4,580 | 1,794 | 39.2 | 45 | 1.0 | 112 | 2.4 | 1,938 | 42.3 | 96 | 2.1 | 595 | 13.0 |
| California | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Central | 1,103 | 367 | 33.3 | 1 | 0.1 | 141 | 12.8 | 107 | 9.7 | 88 | 8.0 | 399 | 36.2 |
| Eastern | 476 | 202 | 42.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 81 | 17.0 | 22 | 4.6 | 20 | 4.2 | 151 | 31.7 |
| Northern | 532 | 177 | 33.3 | 3 | 0.6 | 91 | 17.1 | 4 | 0.8 | 24 | 4.5 | 233 | 43.8 |
| Southern | 3,887 | 632 | 16.3 | 9 | 0.2 | 213 | 5.5 | 2,355 | 60.6 | 295 | 7.6 | 383 | 9.9 |
| Guam | 44 | 26 | 59.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 10 | 22.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 2.3 | 7 | 15.9 |
| Hawaii | 153 | 79 | 51.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 39 | 25.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.7 | 34 | 22.2 |
| Idaho | 377 | 208 | 55.2 | 1 | 0.3 | 63 | 16.7 | 14 | 3.7 | 10 | 2.7 | 81 | 21.5 |
| Montana | 355 | 132 | 37.2 | 1 | 0.3 | 89 | 25.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 3 | 0.8 | 130 | 36.6 |
| Nevada | 454 | 196 | 43.2 | 1 | 0.2 | 32 | 7.0 | 11 | 2.4 | 19 | 4.2 | 195 | 43.0 |
| Northern Mariana Islands | 14 | 6 | 42.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 4 | 28.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 4 | 28.6 |
| Oregon | 418 | 114 | 27.3 | 4 | 1.0 | 47 | 11.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 28 | 6.7 | 225 | 53.8 |
| Washington | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 345 | 156 | 45.2 | 1 | 0.3 | 49 | 14.2 | 17 | 4.9 | 11 | 3.2 | 111 | 32.2 |
| Western | 505 | 205 | 40.6 | 2 | 0.4 | 15 | 3.0 | 53 | 10.5 | 10 | 2.0 | 220 | 43.6 |
| TENTH CIRCUIT | 6,515 | 3,832 | 58.8 | 24 | 0.4 | 359 | 5.5 | 921 | 14.1 | 302 | 4.6 | 1,077 | 16.5 |
| Colorado | 518 | 215 | 41.5 | 1 | 0.2 | 89 | 17.2 | 58 | 11.2 | 18 | 3.5 | 137 | 26.4 |
| Kansas | 479 | 193 | 40.3 | 4 | 0.8 | 94 | 19.6 | 1 | 0.2 | 9 | 1.9 | 178 | 37.2 |
| New Mexico | 3,945 | 2,803 | 71.1 | 12 | 0.3 | 50 | 1.3 | 680 | 17.2 | 144 | 3.7 | 256 | 6.5 |
| Oklahoma | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastern | 96 | 67 | 69.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 5 | 5.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 1.0 | 23 | 24.0 |
| Northern | 195 | 70 | 35.9 | 2 | 1.0 | 38 | 19.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 28 | 14.4 | 57 | 29.2 |
| Western | 378 | 198 | 52.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 30 | 7.9 | 2 | 0.5 | 7 | 1.9 | 141 | 37.3 |
| Utah | 687 | 212 | 30.9 | 3 | 0.4 | 34 | 4.9 | 159 | 23.1 | 78 | 11.4 | 201 | 29.3 |
| Wyoming | 217 | 74 | 34.1 | 2 | 0.9 | 19 | 8.8 | 21 | 9.7 | 17 | 7.8 | 84 | 38.7 |
| ELEVENTH CIRCUIT | 6,455 | 3,619 | 56.1 | 9 | 0.1 | 845 | 13.1 | 18 | 0.3 | 96 | 1.5 | 1,868 | 28.9 |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Middle | 238 | 124 | 52.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 45 | 18.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0.8 | 67 | 28.2 |
| Northern | 509 | 298 | 58.5 | 1 | 0.2 | 105 | 20.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 6 | 1.2 | 99 | 19.4 |
| Southern | 287 | 167 | 58.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 45 | 15.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 7 | 2.4 | 68 | 23.7 |
| Florida | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Middle | 1,540 | 798 | 51.8 | 1 | 0.1 | 253 | 16.4 | 12 | 0.8 | 28 | 1.8 | 448 | 29.1 |
| Northern | 295 | 160 | 54.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 52 | 17.6 | 5 | 1.7 | 2 | 0.7 | 76 | 25.8 |
| Southern | 2,148 | 1,231 | 57.3 | 4 | 0.2 | 207 | 9.6 | 1 | 0.0 | 26 | 1.2 | 679 | 31.6 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Middle | 419 | 317 | 75.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 35 | 8.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 4 | 1.0 | 63 | 15.0 |
| Northern | 557 | 174 | 31.2 | 1 | 0.2 | 48 | 8.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 19 | 3.4 | 315 | 56.6 |
| Southern | 462 | 350 | 75.8 | 2 | 0.4 | 55 | 11.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0.4 | 53 | 11.5 |

¹ Of the 69,425 cases, 523 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.

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