

Table F-5

EDUCATION OF FIREARMS OFFENDERS¹
Fiscal Year 2018

GUIDELINE	TOTAL	LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE		HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE		SOME COLLEGE		COLLEGE GRADUATE	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	7,447	2,747	36.9	3,461	46.5	1,126	15.1	113	1.5
§2K1.3	17	4	23.5	8	47.1	4	23.5	1	5.9
§2K1.4	52	17	32.7	20	38.5	8	15.4	7	13.5
§2K2.1	7,014	2,577	36.7	3,279	46.7	1,057	15.1	101	1.4
§2K2.4²	352	148	42.0	145	41.2	56	15.9	3	0.9
§2K2.5	12	1	8.3	9	75.0	1	8.3	1	8.3

¹ Of the 69,425 cases, in 7,473 the offender was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part K (Firearms). Of these, 7,467 offenders were sentenced under §§2K1.3 (Unlawful Receipt, Possession, or Transportation of Explosive Materials), 2K1.4 (Arson or Property Damage by Use of Explosives), 2K2.1 (Unlawful Receipt, Possession, or Transportation of Firearms or Ammunition), 2K2.4 (Use of Firearm During or in Relation to Certain Crimes), or 2K2.5 (Possession of Firearm or Dangerous Weapon in Federal Facility or in School Zone). Of these 7,467 cases, 20 were excluded due to missing information on offender's education. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

² In these cases, the offender was convicted of violating 18 U.S.C. § 924(c) (Use of Firearm, Armor-Piercing Ammunition, or Explosives During or in Relation to Certain Crimes) as the only count or counts of conviction. The *Guidelines Manual* provides punishment for this type of offense under §2K2.4.

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