

**Table 37**

**EXTENT OF §5K1.1 SUBSTANTIAL ASSISTANCE DEPARTURES  
BY TYPE OF CRIME<sup>1</sup>  
Fiscal Year 2020**

TYPE OF CRIME	N	Mean			Median		
		Sentence In Months	Decrease In Months	Percent Decrease	Sentence In Months	Decrease In Months	Percent Decrease
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,165</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>54.4</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>50.0</b>
Administration of Justice	38	2	12	84.9	0	12	100.0
Antitrust	5	2	10	86.6	0	8	100.0
Arson	3	21	28	64.3	26	27	56.3
Assault	21	77	116	56.6	35	67	50.0
Bribery/Corruption	81	10	32	77.1	3	22	94.5
Burglary/Trespass	3	13	7	36.5	13	6	35.2
Child Pornography	22	98	60	40.9	91	45	32.0
Commercialized Vice	6	3	15	86.1	0	12	99.9
Drug Possession	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Drug Trafficking	3,265	64	61	51.0	54	48	47.6
Environmental	9	2	12	87.0	0	8	100.0
Extortion/Racketeering	26	7	27	87.8	0	16	100.0
Firearms	404	36	32	53.7	24	23	47.8
Food and Drug	0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forgery/Counter/Copyright	17	9	27	67.3	8	21	67.5
Fraud/Theft/Embezzlement	509	16	26	64.2	12	21	63.5
Immigration	173	13	13	57.5	11	10	51.4
Individual Rights	10	38	40	52.9	36	29	55.0
Kidnapping	7	99	117	51.0	120	94	34.9
Manslaughter	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Money Laundering	262	47	61	61.4	36	37	60.3
Murder	25	109	170	60.4	121	144	56.7
National Defense	21	21	29	54.8	18	22	56.2
Obscenity/Other Sex Offenses	3	22	7	24.3	19	5	20.8
Prison Offenses	4	4	7	73.2	3	8	83.1
Robbery	152	74	63	47.4	60	46	44.0
Sexual Abuse	47	113	101	47.8	105	96	48.9
Stalking/Harassing	3	22	15	59.3	12	12	50.0
Tax	43	10	19	66.3	8	15	66.6
Other	2	--	--	--	--	--	--

<sup>1</sup> Of the 64,565 cases, in 5,270 the offender received a §5K1.1 substantial assistance departure below the guideline range. Due to an inability to calculate the extent of departure for cases with a guideline minimum of life, 57 offenders were excluded from this table. Also, 48 offenders were excluded due to several logical criteria. Sentences greater than 470 months and probation were included in the sentence average computations as 470 months and zero months, respectively. The information in this table includes conditions of confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2020 Datafile, USSCFY20.