

**Table D-8**

**WEAPON INVOLVEMENT OF DRUG TRAFFICKING OFFENDERS<sup>1</sup>**  
**Fiscal Year 2022**

<b>DRUG TYPE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>NO WEAPON INVOLVED</b>		<b>WEAPON INVOLVED</b>	
		<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>19,611</b>	<b>14,487</b>	<b>73.9</b>	<b>5,124</b>	<b>26.1</b>
<b>Powder Cocaine</b>	<b>3,419</b>	2,775	81.2	644	18.8
<b>Crack Cocaine</b>	<b>1,087</b>	658	60.5	429	39.5
<b>Heroin</b>	<b>1,599</b>	1,200	75.0	399	25.0
<b>Marijuana</b>	<b>802</b>	601	74.9	201	25.1
<b>Methamphetamine</b>	<b>9,553</b>	6,827	71.5	2,726	28.5
<b>Fentanyl</b>	<b>2,484</b>	1,893	76.2	591	23.8
<b>Other</b>	<b>667</b>	533	79.9	134	20.1

<sup>1</sup> Of the 64,142 cases, in 20,037 the offender was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (Drugs). Of these, 19,851 offenders were sentenced under §§2D1.1 (Drug Trafficking), 2D1.2 (Protected Locations), 2D1.5 (Continuing Criminal Enterprise), 2D1.6 (Use of a Communication Facility), 2D1.8 (Rent/Manage Drug Establishment), 2D1.10 (Endangering Human Life While Manufacturing), or 2D1.14 (Narco-Terrorism). Of these, 19,611 cases contained complete guideline application information. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2022 Datafile, USSCFY22.