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CRIMINAL HISTORY CATEGORY OF SENTENCED INDIVIDUALS IN DRUG TRAFFICKING CASES¹
Fiscal Year 2023

DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	CRIMINAL HISTORY CATEGORY											
		I		II		III		IV		V		VI	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	18,939	8,050	42.5	2,247	11.9	2,789	14.7	1,876	9.9	1,145	6.0	2,832	15.0
Powder Cocaine	3,577	2,265	63.3	423	11.8	405	11.3	194	5.4	92	2.6	198	5.5
Crack Cocaine	862	178	20.6	117	13.6	185	21.5	127	14.7	61	7.1	194	22.5
Heroin	1,011	400	39.6	130	12.9	157	15.5	108	10.7	65	6.4	151	14.9
Marijuana	561	363	64.7	60	10.7	65	11.6	28	5.0	22	3.9	23	4.1
Methamphetamine	8,991	3,157	35.1	1,006	11.2	1,352	15.0	1,016	11.3	675	7.5	1,785	19.9
Fentanyl	3,354	1,352	40.3	441	13.1	553	16.5	359	10.7	206	6.1	443	13.2
Other	583	335	57.5	70	12.0	72	12.3	44	7.5	24	4.1	38	6.5

¹ Of the 64,124 cases, in 19,066 the individual was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (Drugs). Of these, 18,939 individuals 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). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2023 Datafile, USSCFY23.