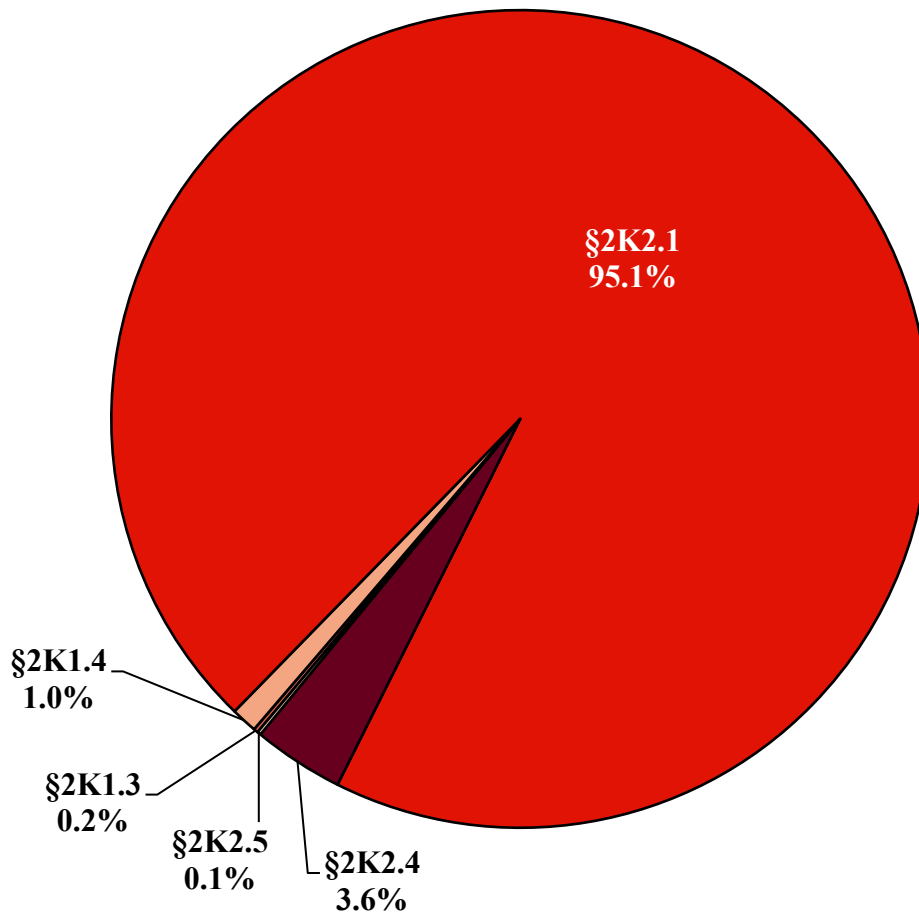


Figure F-1

**DISTRIBUTION OF FIREARMS CASES
BY GUIDELINE^{1,2}
Fiscal Year 2024**



¹ Of the 61,678 cases, in 8,152 the individual was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part K (Firearms). Of these, 8,145 individuals 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). Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.

² In the §2K2.4 cases, the sentenced individual 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, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

Table F-1

RACE OF SENTENCED INDIVIDUALS IN FIREARMS CASES¹
Fiscal Year 2024

GUIDELINE	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK		HISPANIC		OTHER	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	8,137	1,732	21.3	4,539	55.8	1,535	18.9	331	4.1
§2K1.3	14	10	71.4	2	14.3	1	7.1	1	7.1
§2K1.4	84	27	32.1	32	38.1	3	3.6	22	26.2
§2K2.1	7,734	1,649	21.3	4,326	55.9	1,472	19.0	287	3.7
§2K2.4²	293	45	15.4	171	58.4	57	19.5	20	6.8
§2K2.5	12	1	8.3	8	66.7	2	16.7	1	8.3

¹ Of the 61,678 cases, in 8,152 the individual was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part K (Firearms). Of these, 8,145 individuals 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 8,145 cases, eight were excluded due to missing information on the individual's race. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

² In these cases, the sentenced individual 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, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

Table F-2

GENDER OF SENTENCED INDIVIDUALS IN FIREARMS CASES¹
Fiscal Year 2024

GUIDELINE	TOTAL	MALE		FEMALE	
		N	%	N	%
TOTAL	8,145	7,820	96.0	325	4.0
§2K1.3	14	14	100.0	0	0.0
§2K1.4	84	76	90.5	8	9.5
§2K2.1	7,742	7,438	96.1	304	3.9
§2K2.4²	293	280	95.6	13	4.4
§2K2.5	12	12	100.0	0	0.0

¹ Of the 61,678 cases, in 8,152 the individual was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part K (Firearms). Of these, 8,145 individuals 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). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

² In these cases, the sentenced individual 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, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

Table F-3

AGE OF SENTENCED INDIVIDUALS IN FIREARMS CASES¹
Fiscal Year 2024

GUIDELINE	TOTAL	Under 21		21 to 25		26 to 30		31 to 35		36 to 40		41 to 50		51 to 60		Over 60	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	8,145	228	2.8	1,336	16.4	1,619	19.9	1,651	20.3	1,246	15.3	1,488	18.3	441	5.4	136	1.7
§2K1.3	14	0	0.0	4	28.6	2	14.3	1	7.1	0	0.0	2	14.3	5	35.7	0	0.0
§2K1.4	84	3	3.6	15	17.9	18	21.4	10	11.9	12	14.3	17	20.2	4	4.8	5	6.0
§2K2.1	7,742	201	2.6	1,232	15.9	1,544	19.9	1,594	20.6	1,204	15.6	1,424	18.4	415	5.4	128	1.7
§2K2.4²	293	23	7.8	79	27.0	54	18.4	45	15.4	29	9.9	43	14.7	17	5.8	3	1.0
§2K2.5	12	1	8.3	6	50.0	1	8.3	1	8.3	1	8.3	2	16.7	0	0.0	0	0.0

¹ Of the 61,678 cases, in 8,152 the individual was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part K (Firearms). Of these, 8,145 individuals 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). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

² In these cases, the sentenced individual 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, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

Table F-4

CITIZENSHIP OF SENTENCED INDIVIDUALS IN FIREARMS CASES¹
Fiscal Year 2024

GUIDELINE	TOTAL	U.S. CITIZEN		NON-U.S. CITIZEN	
		N	%	N	%
TOTAL	8,144	7,814	95.9	330	4.1
§2K1.3	14	14	100.0	0	0.0
§2K1.4	84	81	96.4	3	3.6
§2K2.1	7,741	7,422	95.9	319	4.1
§2K2.4²	293	285	97.3	8	2.7
§2K2.5	12	12	100.0	0	0.0

¹ Of the 61,678 cases, in 8,152 the individual was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part K (Firearms). Of these, 8,145 individuals 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 8,145 cases, one was excluded due to missing information on the individual's citizenship status. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

² In these cases, the sentenced individual 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, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

Table F-5

EDUCATION OF SENTENCED INDIVIDUALS IN FIREARMS CASES¹
Fiscal Year 2024

GUIDELINE	TOTAL	LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE		HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE		SOME COLLEGE		COLLEGE GRADUATE	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	8,131	2,838	34.9	3,719	45.7	1,421	17.5	153	1.9
§2K1.3	14	2	14.3	8	57.1	4	28.6	0	0.0
§2K1.4	83	20	24.1	36	43.4	22	26.5	5	6.0
§2K2.1	7,729	2,701	34.9	3,537	45.8	1,352	17.5	139	1.8
§2K2.4²	293	110	37.5	135	46.1	40	13.7	8	2.7
§2K2.5	12	5	41.7	3	25.0	3	25.0	1	8.3

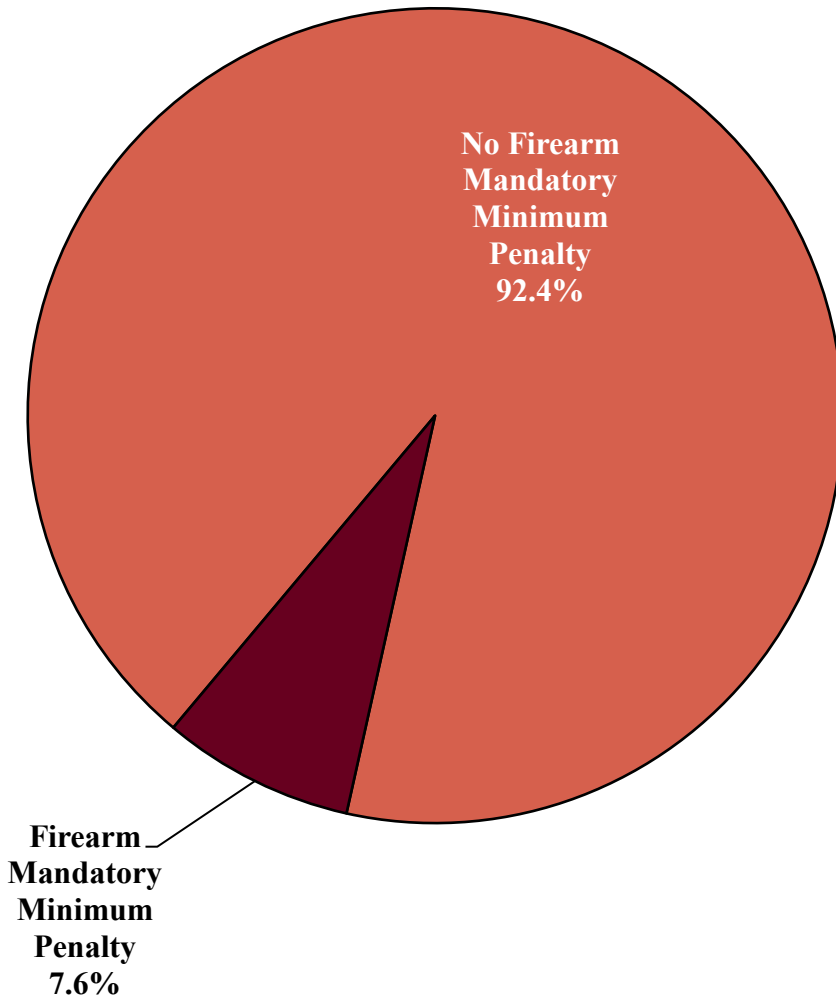
¹ Of the 61,678 cases, in 8,152 the individual was sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part K (Firearms). Of these, 8,145 individuals were sentenced under §§2K1.3 (Unlawful Receipt, Possession, or Transportation of Explosive Materials), 2K1.4 (Arson or Property Damage by Use of Explosives), 2K2.1 (Unlawful 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 8,145 cases, 14 were excluded due to missing information on the individual's education. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

² In these cases, the sentenced individual 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, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

Figure F-2

FIREARM MANDATORY MINIMUM PENALTIES¹
Fiscal Year 2024



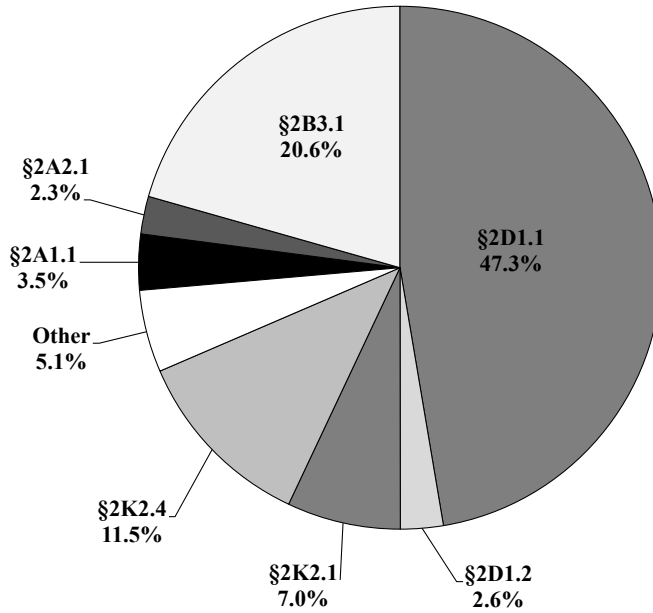
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SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

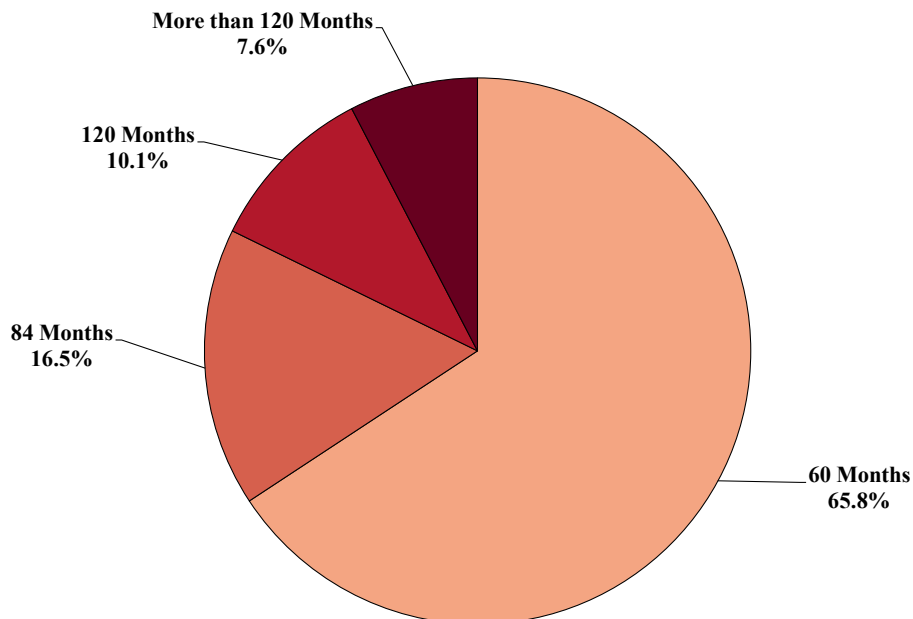
Figure F-3

**CONVICTIONS UNDER 18 U.S.C. § 924(c)¹
Fiscal Year 2024**

DISTRIBUTION OF APPLICABLE GUIDELINES²



LENGTH OF MANDATORY MINIMUM PENALTY



¹ Of the 61,678 cases, in 2,560 the sentenced individuals were convicted of one or more counts of violating 18 U.S.C. § 924(c). Of these, two were missing mandatory minimum penalty information. Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.

² In the §2K2.4 cases, the sentenced individual 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.

Table F-6

SENTENCE IMPOSED RELATIVE TO THE GUIDELINE RANGE FOR FIREARMS CASES¹
Fiscal Year 2024

GUIDELINE	TOTAL	WITHIN GUIDELINE RANGE		DEPARTURE								VARIANCE	
		N	%	UPWARD		§5K1.1		§5K3.1		DOWNWARD		N	%
				N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		
TOTAL	8,144	4,134	50.8	65	0.8	454	5.6	8	0.1	244	3.0	3,239	39.8
§2K1.3	14	2	14.3	0	0.0	4	28.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	57.1
§2K1.4	84	34	40.5	4	4.8	7	8.3	0	0.0	8	9.5	31	36.9
§2K2.1	7,741	3,864	49.9	54	0.7	423	5.5	8	0.1	235	3.0	3,157	40.8
§2K2.4 ²	293	225	76.8	6	2.0	20	6.8	0	0.0	1	0.3	41	14.0
§2K2.5	12	9	75.0	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	16.7

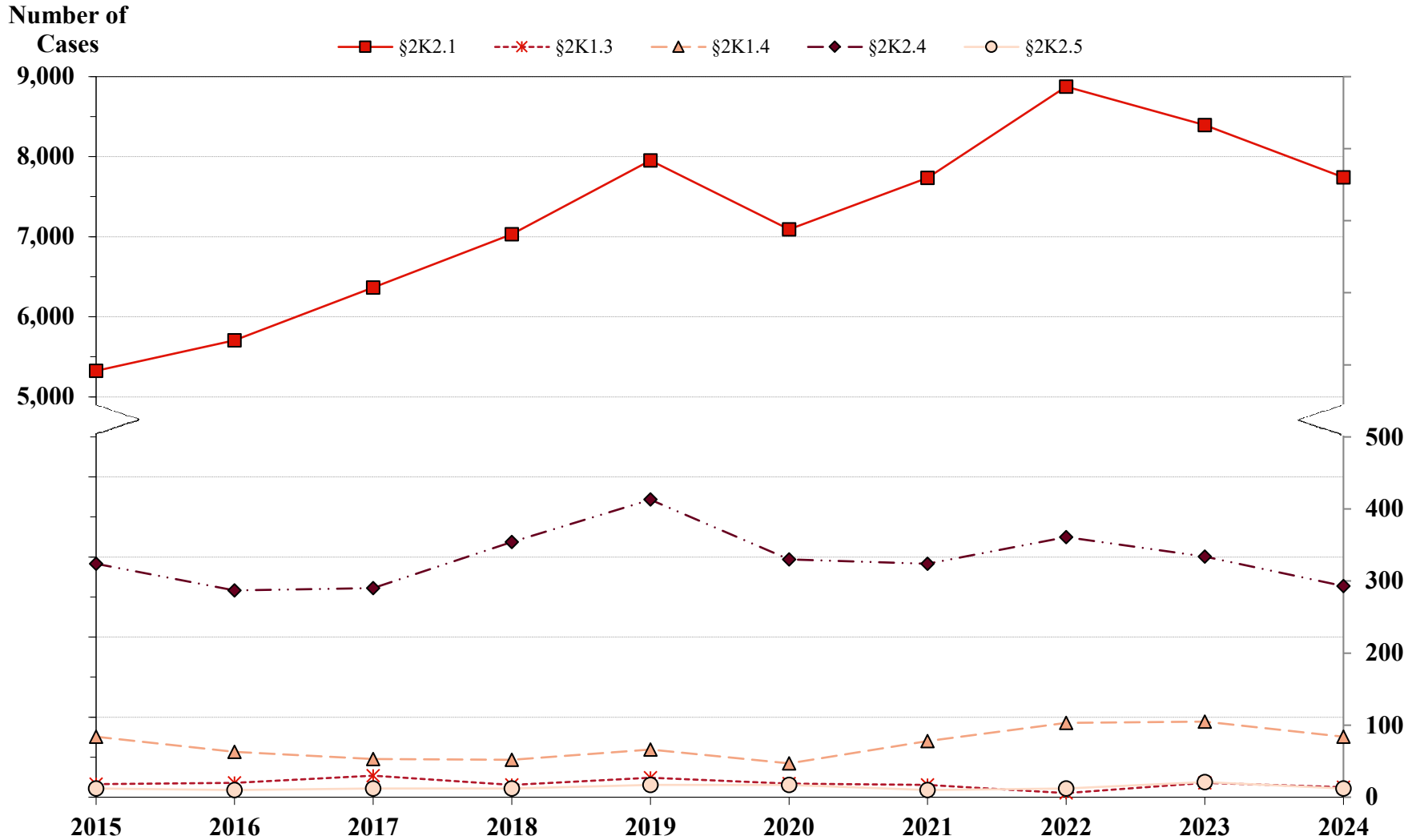
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² In these cases, the sentenced individual was convicted of violating 18 U.S.C. § 924(c) (Use of Firearm, Armor-Piercing Ammunition, or Explosives During or in Relation to Certain Crimes) as the only count or counts of conviction. The *Guidelines Manual*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

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2024 Datafile, USSCFY24.

Figure F-4

NUMBER OF FIREARMS CASES OVER TIME^{1,2}
Fiscal Years 2015 - 2024



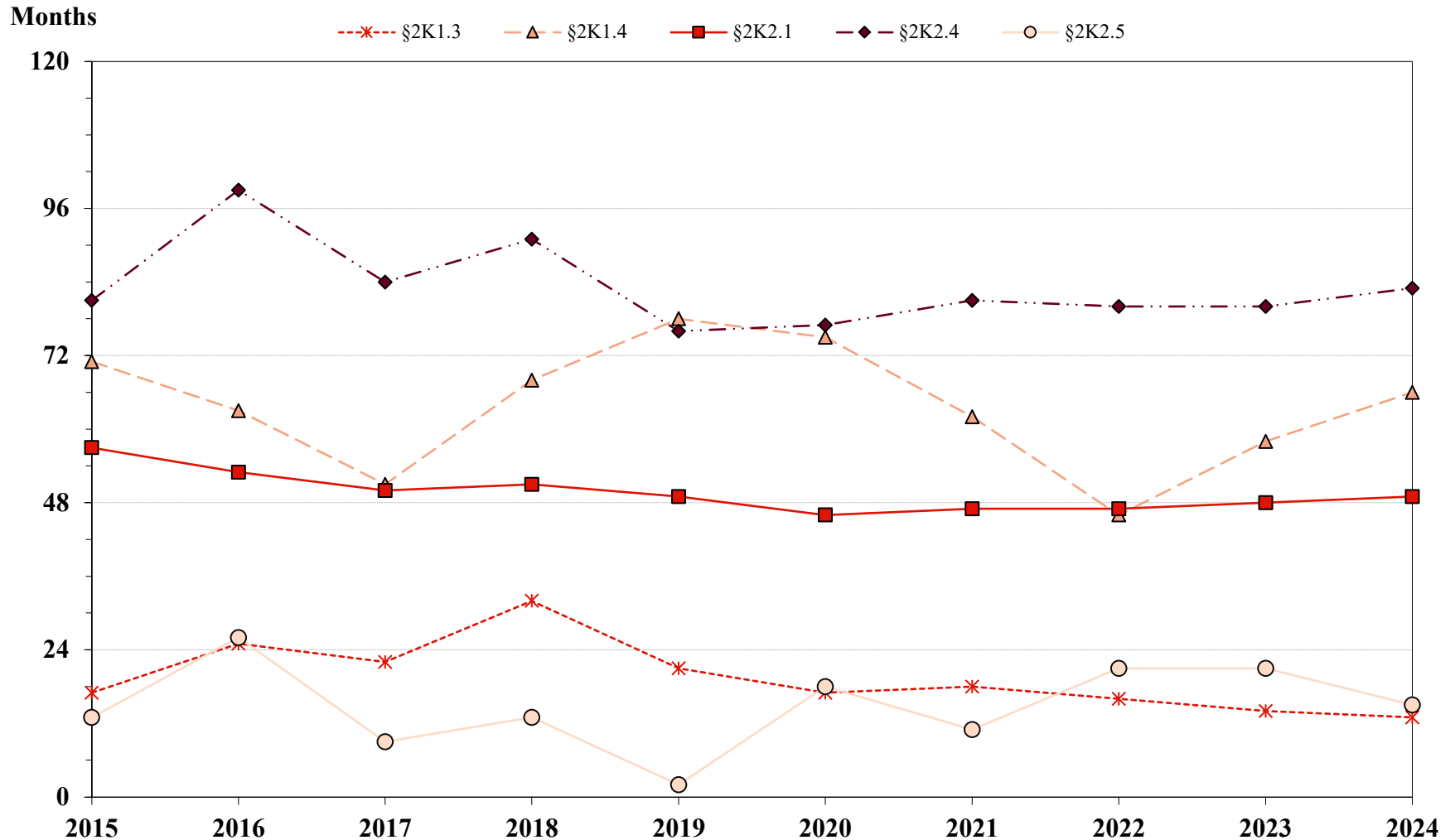
¹ Only individuals sentenced under §§2K1.3 (Unlawful Receipt, Possession, or Transportation of Explosive Materials), 2K1.4 (Arson or Property Damage by Use of Explosives), 2K2.1 (Unlawful Receipt, Possession, or Transportation of Firearms or Ammunition), 2K2.4 (Use of Firearm During or in Relation to Certain Crimes), or 2K2.5 (Possession of Firearm or Dangerous Weapon in Federal Facility or in School Zone) are depicted in this figure. Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.

² In the §2K2.4 cases, the sentenced individual 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, 2015 - 2024 Datafiles, USSCFY15 - USSCFY24.

Figure F-5

SENTENCE LENGTH IN FIREARMS CASES OVER TIME^{1,2}
Fiscal Years 2015 - 2024



¹ Only individuals 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) are depicted in this figure. Sentences of 470 months or greater (including life) and probation were included in the sentence average computations as 470 months and zero months, respectively. The information in this figure includes conditions of confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1. Cases missing sentencing information were also excluded. Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.

² In the §2K2.4 cases, the sentenced individual 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.