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**Offenders sentenced in U.S. District Courts under the U.S. Sentencing Commission guidelines**

By primary offense and age, fiscal year 2005

Primary offense	Total cases	Age												Mean age (in years)		
		Under 21 years		21 to 25 years		26 to 30 years		31 to 35 years		36 to 40 years		41 to 50 years			Over 50 years	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent		Number	Percent
Total	70,080	2,638	3.8%	12,102	17.3%	14,337	20.5%	12,609	18.0%	9,679	13.8%	12,455	17.8%	6,260	8.9%	34.7
Murder	91	9	9.9	22	24.2	25	27.5	13	14.3	4	4.4	12	13.2	6	6.6	31.3
Manslaughter	51	10	19.6	13	25.5	6	11.8	5	9.8	7	13.7	5	9.8	5	9.8	31.0
Kidnaping, hostage-taking	42	2	4.8	6	14.3	14	33.3	5	11.9	2	4.8	11	26.2	2	4.8	33.9
Sexual abuse	336	22	6.5	60	17.9	55	16.4	39	11.6	49	14.6	67	19.9	44	13.1	36.0
Assault	571	50	8.8	118	20.7	102	17.9	89	15.6	77	13.5	95	16.6	40	7.0	33.2
Robbery	1,356	71	5.2	225	16.6	227	16.7	220	16.2	206	15.2	286	21.1	121	8.9	35.1
Arson	50	4	8.0	9	18.0	7	14.0	10	20.0	5	10.0	8	16.0	7	14.0	35.3
<b>Drug offenses</b>																
Trafficking	24,217	975	4.0	4,766	19.7	5,714	23.6	4,576	18.9	3,023	12.5	3,767	15.6	1,396	5.8	33.1
Communication facility	382	7	1.8	68	17.8	74	19.4	92	24.1	50	13.1	71	18.6	20	5.2	34.2
Simple possession	689	72	10.4	176	25.5	141	20.5	100	14.5	68	9.9	102	14.8	30	4.4	31.2
Firearms	8,606	345	4.0	2,021	23.5	1,986	23.1	1,443	16.8	972	11.3	1,276	14.8	563	6.5	32.8
Burglary, breaking and entering	39	15	38.5	9	23.1	2	5.1	3	7.7	4	10.3	6	15.4	0	X	27.5
Auto theft	67	6	9.0	12	17.9	9	13.4	13	19.4	11	16.4	8	11.9	8	11.9	34.7
Larceny	1,797	105	5.8	257	14.3	236	13.1	254	14.1	273	15.2	379	21.1	293	16.3	37.6
Fraud	6,537	89	1.4	525	8.0	827	12.7	1,051	16.1	1,027	15.7	1,682	25.7	1,336	20.4	40.5
Embezzlement	553	11	2.0	57	10.3	72	13.0	71	12.8	72	13.0	153	27.7	117	21.2	40.4
Forgery, counterfeiting	1,050	42	4.0	225	21.4	234	22.3	171	16.3	142	13.5	171	16.3	65	6.2	33.3
Bribery	197	0	X	4	2.0	10	5.1	21	10.7	24	12.2	61	31.0	77	39.1	47.4
Tax	597	0	X	5	0.8	16	2.7	41	6.9	68	11.4	203	34.0	264	44.2	49.3
Money laundering	930	1	0.1	71	7.6	127	13.7	157	16.9	156	16.8	227	24.4	191	20.5	40.8
Racketeering, extortion	705	21	3.0	111	15.7	108	15.3	111	15.7	99	14.0	117	16.6	138	19.6	38.5
Gambling, lottery	103	0	X	0	X	10	9.7	12	11.7	19	18.4	27	26.2	35	34.0	46.3
Civil rights	72	2	2.8	11	15.3	10	13.9	10	13.9	8	11.1	19	26.4	12	16.7	38.1
Immigration	17,037	656	3.9	2,846	16.7	3,768	22.1	3,537	20.8	2,749	16.1	2,764	16.2	717	4.2	33.3
Pornography, prostitution	1,192	14	1.2	114	9.6	133	11.2	150	12.6	165	13.8	313	26.3	303	25.4	41.7
Prison offenses	355	3	0.8	45	12.7	99	27.9	91	25.6	49	13.8	54	15.2	14	3.9	33.5
Administration of justice offenses	995	43	4.3	149	15.0	155	15.6	154	15.5	141	14.2	206	20.7	147	14.8	37.0
Environmental, wildlife	159	1	0.6	9	5.7	7	4.4	15	9.4	25	15.7	40	25.2	62	39.0	46.3
National defense	26	1	3.8	1	3.8	2	7.7	5	19.2	3	11.5	5	19.2	9	34.6	42.9
Antitrust	17	0	X	0	X	0	X	1	5.9	1	5.9	8	47.1	7	41.2	52.2
Food and drug	72	0	X	0	X	3	4.2	8	11.1	9	12.5	28	38.9	24	33.3	47.5
Other	1,189	61	5.1	167	14.0	158	13.3	141	11.9	171	14.4	284	23.9	207	17.4	38.2

Note: See Note, table 5.26.2005. Of the 72,462 guideline cases, 2,382 cases were excluded due to one or both of the following conditions: missing primary offense category, 54; and missing date of birth, 2,348.

Source: U.S. Sentencing Commission, *2005 Sourcebook of Federal Sentencing Statistics* (Washington, DC: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2006), p. 18.