

Table 5.28.2006

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

By primary offense and education level, fiscal year 2006

Primary offense	Total cases	Education level							
		Less than high school graduate		High school graduate		Some college		College graduate	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	66,073	32,200	48.7%	19,870	30.1%	10,263	15.5%	3,740	5.7%
Murder	80	36	45.0	28	35.0	11	13.8	5	6.3
Manslaughter	59	24	40.7	30	50.8	3	5.1	2	3.4
Kidnaping, hostage-taking	59	33	55.9	18	30.5	5	8.5	3	5.1
Sexual abuse	261	92	35.2	91	34.9	49	18.8	29	11.1
Assault	544	253	46.5	193	35.5	70	12.9	28	5.1
Robbery	1,152	362	31.4	505	43.8	254	22.0	31	2.7
Arson	69	24	34.8	28	40.6	15	21.7	2	2.9
<b>Drug offenses</b>									
Trafficking	24,416	12,145	49.7	8,016	32.8	3,623	14.8	632	2.6
Communication facility	393	166	42.2	138	35.1	75	19.1	14	3.6
Simple possession	458	142	31.0	192	41.9	107	23.4	17	3.7
Firearms	8,254	3,772	45.7	3,354	40.6	995	12.1	133	1.6
Burglary, breaking and entering	46	20	43.5	19	41.3	6	13.0	1	2.2
Auto theft	60	25	41.7	26	43.3	7	11.7	2	3.3
Larceny	1,405	334	23.8	542	38.6	383	27.3	146	10.4
Fraud	6,481	1,320	20.4	1,949	30.1	1,907	29.4	1,305	20.1
Embezzlement	544	64	11.8	217	39.9	192	35.3	71	13.1
Forgery, counterfeiting	1,124	342	30.4	473	42.1	264	23.5	45	4.0
Bribery	178	13	7.3	48	27.0	63	35.4	54	30.3
Tax	588	70	11.9	134	22.8	185	31.5	199	33.8
Money laundering	890	238	26.7	252	28.3	232	26.1	168	18.9
Racketeering, extortion	602	249	41.4	186	30.9	117	19.4	50	8.3
Gambling, lottery	112	26	23.2	40	35.7	32	28.6	14	12.5
Civil rights	67	14	20.9	25	37.3	18	26.9	10	14.9
Immigration	14,431	11,540	80.0	2,033	14.1	660	4.6	198	1.4
Pornography, prostitution	1,260	139	11.0	453	36.0	414	32.9	254	20.2
Prison offenses	321	141	43.9	137	42.7	38	11.8	5	1.6
Administration of justice offenses	1,025	358	34.9	330	32.2	215	21.0	122	11.9
Environmental, wildlife	134	27	20.1	50	37.3	35	26.1	22	16.4
National defense	33	12	36.4	7	21.2	3	9.1	11	33.3
Antitrust	9	0	X	2	22.2	3	33.3	4	44.4
Food and drug	56	3	5.4	10	17.9	20	35.7	23	41.1
Other	962	216	22.5	344	35.8	262	27.2	140	14.6

Note: See Note, table 5.26.2006. Of the 72,585 guideline cases, 6,512 were excluded due to one or both of the following conditions: missing primary offense category, 67; or missing education information, 6,512.

Source: U.S. Sentencing Commission, *2006 Sourcebook of Federal Sentencing Statistics*, Table 8 [Online]. Available: <http://www.ussc.gov/ANNRPT/2006/table8.pdf> [Mar. 15, 2007].