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DRUG OFFENDERS RECEIVING SAFETY VALVE AND MANDATORY MINIMUMS FOR EACH DRUG TYPE¹
Fiscal Year 2001

DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	No Drug Mandatory Minimum/No Safety Valve		No Drug Mandatory Minimum/Received Safety Valve		Drug Mandatory Minimum/No Safety Valve		Drug Mandatory Minimum/Received Safety Valve	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
TOTAL	21,836	7,902	36.2	800	3.7	8,379	38.4	4,755	21.8
Powder Cocaine	4,790	1,064	22.2	220	4.6	1,914	40.0	1,592	33.2
Crack Cocaine	4,411	911	20.7	72	1.6	2,859	64.8	569	12.9
Heroin	1,552	409	26.4	160	10.3	449	28.9	534	34.4
Marijuana	7,375	4,478	60.7	131	1.8	1,511	20.5	1,255	17.0
Methamphetamine	3,061	605	19.8	92	3.0	1,587	51.8	777	25.4
Other	647	435	67.2	125	19.3	59	9.1	28	4.3

¹Of the 59,897 cases, 24,492 were sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (Drugs), regardless of eligibility for the Safety Valve (§5C1.2). Of these, 24,349 were sentenced under §§2D1.1 (Drug Trafficking), 2D1.2 (Protected Locations), 2D1.5 (Continuing Criminal Enterprise), 2D1.6 (Communication Facility), 2D1.8 (Rent/Manage Drug Establishment), or 2D2.1 (Simple Possession). Of these, 22,594 contained complete guideline application information. Of these 22,594 cases, 758 were excluded due to one or more of the following reasons: missing safety valve or mandatory minimum information (720) or missing drug type (42). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2001 Datafile, USSCFY01.