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**DRUG OFFENDERS RECEIVING SAFETY VALVE AND MANDATORY MINIMUMS FOR EACH DRUG TYPE¹
Fiscal Year 1999**

DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	No Drug Mandatory/ No Safety Valve		No Drug Mandatory/ Received Safety Valve		Drug Mandatory/ No Safety Valve		Drug Mandatory/ Received Safety Valve	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
TOTAL	20,214	6,986	34.6	635	3.1	8,180	40.5	4,413	21.8
Powder Cocaine	4,532	956	21.1	152	3.4	1,903	42.0	1,521	33.6
Crack Cocaine	4,597	769	16.7	64	1.4	3,080	67.0	684	14.9
Heroin	1,591	329	20.7	181	11.4	465	29.2	616	38.7
Marijuana	6,394	4,130	64.6	115	1.8	1,205	18.8	944	14.8
Methamphetamine	2,600	469	18.0	59	2.3	1,459	56.1	613	23.6
Other	500	333	66.6	64	12.8	68	13.6	35	7.0

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¹Of the 55,557 cases, 22,682 were sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (drugs), regardless of eligibility for the Safety Valve (§5C1.2). Of these, 22,566 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, 21,068 contained complete guideline application information. Of these 21,068 cases, 854 were excluded due to one or more of the following reasons: missing safety valve or mandatory minimum information (807) or missing drug type (60).

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 1999 Datafile, USSCFY99.