Table 35

GENDER OF DRUG OFFENDERS FOR EACH DRUG TYPE¹ Fiscal Year 2002

		MALE		FEMALE	
DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
TOTAL	25,652	22,246	86.7	3,406	13.3
Powder Cocaine	5,874	5,033	85.7	841	14.3
Crack Cocaine	5,177	4,737	91.5	440	8.5
Heroin	1,817	1,505	82.8	312	17.2
Marijuana	7,394	6,384	86.3	1,010	13.7
Methamphetamine	3,938	3,360	85.3	578	14.7
Other	1,452	1,227	84.5	225	15.5

¹Of the 64,366 cases, 25,920 were sentenced under USSG Chapter Two, Part D (Drugs). Of these, 25,692 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 25,692 cases, 40 were excluded due to one of the following reasons: missing information on offender's gender (14) or missing information on drug type (26). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2002 Datafile, USSCFY02.