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ROLE ADJUSTMENT OF DRUG OFFENDERS FOR EACH DRUG TYPE¹
Fiscal Year 2002

DRUG TYPE	TOTAL	No Role Adjustment		Mitigating Role Adjustment		Aggravating Role Adjustment	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
TOTAL	22,961	15,585	67.9	5,975	26.0	1,401	6.1
Powder Cocaine	5,142	3,449	67.1	1,286	25.0	407	7.9
Crack Cocaine	4,583	3,998	87.2	306	6.7	279	6.1
Heroin	1,550	915	59.0	526	33.9	109	7.0
Marijuana	6,844	3,430	50.1	3,098	45.3	316	4.6
Methamphetamine	3,578	2,832	79.2	537	15.0	209	5.8
Other	1,264	961	76.0	222	17.6	81	6.4

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, 22,979 contained complete guideline application information. Of these 22,979 cases, 18 were excluded due to missing drug type. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

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