

**Table 14**

**AVERAGE LENGTH OF IMPRISONMENT FOR OFFENDERS  
IN EACH CRIMINAL HISTORY CATEGORY BY PRIMARY OFFENSE CATEGORY<sup>1</sup>  
Fiscal Year 2001**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	CRIMINAL HISTORY CATEGORY											
	TOTAL			I			II			III		
	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>55.6</b>	<b>34.0</b>	<b>48,509</b>	<b>40.3</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>21,934</b>	<b>54.1</b>	<b>33.0</b>	<b>5,640</b>	<b>55.9</b>	<b>36.0</b>	<b>7,903</b>
Murder	210.6	153.5	86	167.1	108.0	42	247.5	240.0	11	250.2	216.0	17
Manslaughter	34.3	21.0	49	26.7	14.0	33	41.3	31.5	6	--	--	2
Kidnapping/Hostage Taking	184.8	127.5	52	147.5	90.0	31	159.3	135.0	7	185.6	195.0	5
Sexual Abuse	65.2	36.0	189	58.4	36.0	137	77.8	87.0	19	80.5	24.0	20
Assault	37.7	30.0	348	31.2	27.0	161	26.3	24.0	35	35.2	30.0	55
Robbery	95.2	70.0	1,578	66.7	51.0	425	72.1	51.0	157	72.5	57.0	248
Arson	97.3	60.0	57	93.1	60.0	22	74.0	60.0	7	162.6	97.0	11
Drugs - Trafficking	72.7	51.0	22,511	50.9	37.0	12,368	76.7	60.0	2,703	84.0	62.0	3,291
Drugs - Communication Facility	47.8	48.0	386	43.5	48.0	151	46.0	48.0	54	55.2	48.0	74
Drugs - Simple Possession	17.1	6.0	213	9.9	6.0	80	9.8	3.5	28	14.1	5.5	40
Firearms	72.0	46.0	4,003	44.7	21.0	700	53.6	27.0	430	50.2	33.0	858
Burglary/B&E	24.1	20.0	35	27.4	19.5	10	16.7	18.0	3	20.0	19.5	8
Auto Theft	59.7	24.0	132	35.0	12.0	47	67.1	18.0	21	70.1	21.0	26
Larceny	15.8	12.0	967	14.3	10.0	408	12.9	10.0	126	13.9	12.0	148
Fraud	18.8	15.0	4,336	16.0	12.0	2,495	18.2	14.0	481	19.3	15.0	577
Embezzlement	8.0	5.0	418	7.7	5.0	374	9.7	8.0	17	10.8	10.0	17
Forgery/Counterfeiting	17.0	15.0	775	13.9	12.0	264	12.9	11.0	91	14.9	12.0	138
Bribery	19.0	12.0	91	17.8	12.0	77	14.0	11.5	4	34.0	16.5	4
Tax	16.6	12.0	294	15.0	12.0	228	19.1	15.0	33	21.3	21.0	19
Money Laundering	47.7	37.0	698	43.5	34.0	523	48.6	39.0	66	64.7	45.0	59
Racketeering/Extortion	105.4	60.0	570	76.2	55.0	279	105.4	60.0	79	109.1	63.0	77
Gambling/Lottery	12.1	9.0	48	10.4	9.0	26	12.8	8.0	15	6.7	6.0	3
Civil Rights	29.2	19.5	46	29.1	16.0	27	17.8	15.0	4	26.2	22.0	9
Immigration	28.7	24.0	8,876	12.1	7.0	2,101	20.8	15.0	1,062	26.4	24.0	1,968
Pornography/Prostitution	59.1	36.0	499	50.0	30.0	378	68.4	40.0	51	88.1	53.0	34
Prison Offenses	18.0	12.0	268	18.8	7.5	12	9.7	4.0	7	10.4	12.0	56
Administration of Justice Offenses	25.3	18.0	593	22.3	15.0	324	24.7	18.0	67	20.4	15.0	98
Environmental/Wildlife	14.1	12.0	53	13.8	10.0	41	16.5	8.5	8	--	--	2
National Defense	35.8	35.5	4	35.8	35.5	4	--	--	0	--	--	0
Antitrust	8.4	6.0	7	7.8	6.0	6	--	--	0	--	--	0
Food & Drug	20.0	15.0	18	16.9	12.0	14	--	--	2	--	--	2
Other Miscellaneous Offenses	24.5	12.0	309	20.0	10.5	146	17.8	10.0	46	20.3	12.0	37

<sup>1</sup>Of the 59,897 cases, 9,247 with zero months prison ordered were excluded. In addition, 2,141 cases were excluded due to one or more of the following reasons: missing primary offense category (85), missing criminal history category (1,272), or missing or indeterminable sentencing information (977). The information in this table does not include any time of confinement as defined in USSG §5C1.1. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

**Table 14 (cont.)**

**CRIMINAL HISTORY CATEGORY**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	IV			V			VI (non-career offender)			VI (career offender) <sup>2</sup>		
	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n	Mean Mths	Median Mths	n
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>63.8</b>	<b>46.0</b>	<b>4,879</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>2,830</b>	<b>80.9</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>3,950</b>	<b>173.7</b>	<b>151.0</b>	<b>1,373</b>
<b>Murder</b>	211.8	168.0	5	231.5	169.0	4	--	--	1	335.2	445.0	6
<b>Manslaughter</b>	--	--	2	46.0	34.0	3	--	--	1	--	--	2
<b>Kidnapping/Hostage Taking</b>	--	--	2	--	--	1	421.3	470.0	3	258.7	240.0	3
<b>Sexual Abuse</b>	64.2	32.0	6	--	--	2	135.5	98.0	4	--	--	1
<b>Assault</b>	32.7	18.0	27	37.3	39.0	18	59.6	60.0	37	98.0	84.0	15
<b>Robbery</b>	89.0	70.0	216	105.8	87.0	115	118.7	87.0	185	169.3	151.0	232
<b>Arson</b>	76.4	60.0	5	69.0	58.5	4	61.3	60.0	6	--	--	2
<b>Drugs - Trafficking</b>	100.1	83.0	1,607	116.8	96.0	757	132.7	115.0	820	172.6	151.0	965
<b>Drugs - Communication Facility</b>	41.4	47.0	34	49.2	48.0	19	50.6	48.0	37	65.2	48.0	17
<b>Drugs - Simple Possession</b>	19.6	6.0	21	42.1	12.0	19	32.0	12.0	24	--	--	1
<b>Firearms</b>	65.0	46.0	718	75.0	60.0	440	115.3	86.0	787	293.1	250.5	70
<b>Burglary/B&amp;E</b>	21.0	15.0	3	--	--	2	27.6	27.0	9	--	--	0
<b>Auto Theft</b>	75.3	61.0	12	52.4	36.0	5	87.9	41.0	21	--	--	0
<b>Larceny</b>	15.4	12.0	86	19.9	18.0	77	23.7	19.5	122	--	--	0
<b>Fraud</b>	23.1	16.0	289	25.5	24.0	195	33.4	28.0	299	--	--	0
<b>Embezzlement</b>	13.1	12.0	7	--	--	2	--	--	1	--	--	0
<b>Forgery/Counterfeiting</b>	19.6	18.0	110	21.0	18.0	64	26.0	24.0	108	--	--	0
<b>Bribery</b>	--	--	2	--	--	1	41.7	41.0	3	--	--	0
<b>Tax</b>	25.1	27.0	11	47.0	24.0	3	--	--	0	--	--	0
<b>Money Laundering</b>	71.5	48.0	23	79.9	70.0	11	58.8	60.0	15	--	--	1
<b>Racketeering/Extortion</b>	165.1	120.0	54	136.8	96.0	31	185.5	108.0	25	171.2	151.0	25
<b>Gambling/Lottery</b>	22.0	10.0	3	--	--	0	--	--	1	--	--	0
<b>Civil Rights</b>	39.3	36.5	4	--	--	0	--	--	2	--	--	0
<b>Immigration</b>	35.5	37.0	1,466	42.7	41.0	973	47.3	42.0	1,306	--	--	0
<b>Pornography/Prostitution</b>	116.6	74.0	14	98.3	89.0	8	106.8	77.0	12	--	--	2
<b>Prison Offenses</b>	13.2	10.0	67	17.6	12.0	44	24.0	18.0	60	38.5	37.0	22
<b>Administration of Justice Offenses</b>	33.8	26.0	57	38.6	30.0	19	44.3	36.0	25	117.3	112.0	3
<b>Environmental/Wildlife</b>	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	0	--	--	0
<b>National Defense</b>	--	--	0	--	--	0	--	--	0	--	--	0
<b>Antitrust</b>	--	--	1	--	--	0	--	--	0	--	--	0
<b>Food &amp; Drug</b>	--	--	0	--	--	0	--	--	0	--	--	0
<b>Other Miscellaneous Offenses</b>	29.6	25.5	26	21.8	19.5	12	47.1	33.0	36	61.8	54.0	6

<sup>2</sup>Career offender information is based on the recommendation of the probation officer in the PSR, if information from the sentencing court was missing or unavailable. As a result, the number of career offenders represented here is higher than the number reported in Tables 20 and 22.

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