

**FISCAL YEAR 1997 GUIDELINE SENTENCES**

**LOUISIANA, Middle**



**Gender, Race, and Ethnicity <sup>1</sup>**

	TOTAL	Male	Female
TOTAL	98 (100.0%)	79 (80.6%)	19 (19.4%)
White	34 (34.7%)	27 (79.4%)	7 (20.6%)
Black	48 (49.0%)	37 (77.1%)	11 (22.9%)
Hispanic	15 (15.3%)	14 (93.3%)	1 (6.7%)
Other	1 (1.0%)	1 (100.0%)	0 (0.0%)

**Departure Status <sup>2</sup>**

Sentenced within Guideline Range	78 (79.6%)
Substantial Assistance Departure	16 (16.3%)
Other Downward Departure	1 (1.0%)
Upward Departure	3 (3.1%)

**Average Age <sup>3</sup>**

	Mean	Median
TOTAL	36.3	36.0
Male	35.9	34.0
Female	37.7	38.0

**Mode of Conviction <sup>4</sup>**

TOTAL	98 (100.0%)
Plea	87 (88.8%)
Trial	11 (11.2%)

**SENTENCING INFORMATION BY PRIMARY OFFENSE <sup>5</sup>**

	TOTAL	Robbery	Larceny	Embezmnt	Fraud	Drug Trafck	Counterftng	Firearms	Immigratn	All Other
	97 (100.0)	3 (100.0)	12 (100.0)	5 (100.0)	35 (100.0)	12 (100.0)	0 (100.0)	3 (100.0)	12 (100.0)	15 (100.0)

**CASES INVOLVING PRISON <sup>6</sup>**

Total Receiving Prison	69 (71.1)	3 (100.0)	7 (58.3)	4 (80.0)	18 (51.4)	10 (83.3)	0 (--)	3 (100.0)	12 (100.0)	12 (80.0)
Prison	60 (61.9)	3 (100.0)	7 (58.3)	2 (40.0)	12 (34.3)	10 (83.3)	0 (--)	3 (100.0)	12 (100.0)	11 (73.3)
Prison/Community Split	9 (9.3)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	2 (40.0)	6 (17.1)	0 (0.0)	0 (--)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (6.7)

**Prison Term Ordered**

Up to 12 months	34	0	2	2	16	0	0	0	11	3
13-24 months	9	0	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	1
25-36 months	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
37-60 months	8	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	3
Over 60 months	16	3	0	0	0	7	0	2	0	4
Mean Sentence	61.1	132.0	22.7	9.0	6.8	182.1	--	148.0	5.0	98.0
Median Sentence	14.0	71.0	18.0	9.5	4.5	121.5	--	87.0	2.0	51.5

**CASES INVOLVING PROBATION**

Total Receiving Probation	28 (28.9)	0 (0.0)	5 (41.7)	1 (20.0)	17 (48.6)	2 (16.7)	0 (--)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	3 (20.0)
Probation Only	19 (19.6)	0 (0.0)	3 (25.0)	1 (20.0)	15 (42.9)	0 (0.0)	0 (--)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
Probation and Confinement	9 (9.3)	0 (0.0)	2 (16.7)	0 (0.0)	2 (5.7)	2 (16.7)	0 (--)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	3 (20.0)

**CASES INVOLVING FINES AND RESTITUTION <sup>7</sup>**

Total Receiving Fines and Restitution	58 (59.2)	2 (66.7)	11 (91.7)	3 (60.0)	31 (88.6)	3 (25.0)	0 (--)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	8 (50.0)
Median Dollar Amount	\$4,384	\$7,696	\$3,050	\$40,750	\$4,163	\$15,000	\$--	\$--	\$--	\$3,364

Footnotes and a complete description of all variables in this table are provided in Appendix A.  
SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, FY1997 Data File, MONFY97