Table 42

MEAN AND MEDIAN DRUG AMOUNTS (IN GRAMS)

FOR SELECTED BASE OFFENSE LEVELS AND DRUG TYPES¹

Fiscal Year 2001

Base Offense Level and Quantity Range

DRUG TYPE	12	26	32	38
Powder Cocaine	Less than 25G	500G - 1,999G	5,000G - 14,999G	At Least 150,000G
Number	30	787	539	231
Mean	18.8	1,109.6	9,045.9	1,181,272.0
Median	18.8	1,000.0	9,000.0	484,000.0
Crack Cocaine	Less than 0.25G	5G - 19G	50G - 149G	At Least 1,500G
Number	10	546	657	236
Mean	0.2	11.1	89.1	7,022.0
Median	0.2	10.7	82.3	1,936.3
Heroin	Less than 5G	100G - 399G	1,000G - 2,999G	At Least 30,000G
Number	16	184	207	19
Mean	3.5	247.6	1,719.5	155,602.1
Median	3.3	254.4	1,680.0	46,000.0
Marijuana	Less than 5,000G	100,000G - 399,999G	1,000,000G - 2,999,999G	At Least 30,000,000G
Number	50	1,345	290	49
Mean	3,733.4	206,820.7	1,711,955.1	177,939,431.0
Median	3,850.0	186,360.0	1,550,710.0	76,897,000.0
Methamphetamine	Less than 0.5G	10G - 39G	100G - 299G	At Least 3,000G
Number	5	314	371	161
Mean	0.2	15.8	137.1	9,178.0
Median	0.2	13.5	123.8	4,474.0

Of the 59,897 cases, 23,524 were sentenced under Drug Trafficking (§2D1.1). Of these, 21,870 had complete guideline application information. Of these 21,870 cases, 21,169 involved powder cocaine, crack cocaine, heroin, marijuana, or methamphetamine. Of these 21,169 cases, 9,136 had a base offense level of 12, 26, 32, or 38. Of these 9,136 cases, 3,089 were excluded due to one or more of the following reasons: involvement of more than one drug type (891), missing drug amount or range (2,265), or logical criteria (94). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

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