

# United States Sentencing Commission

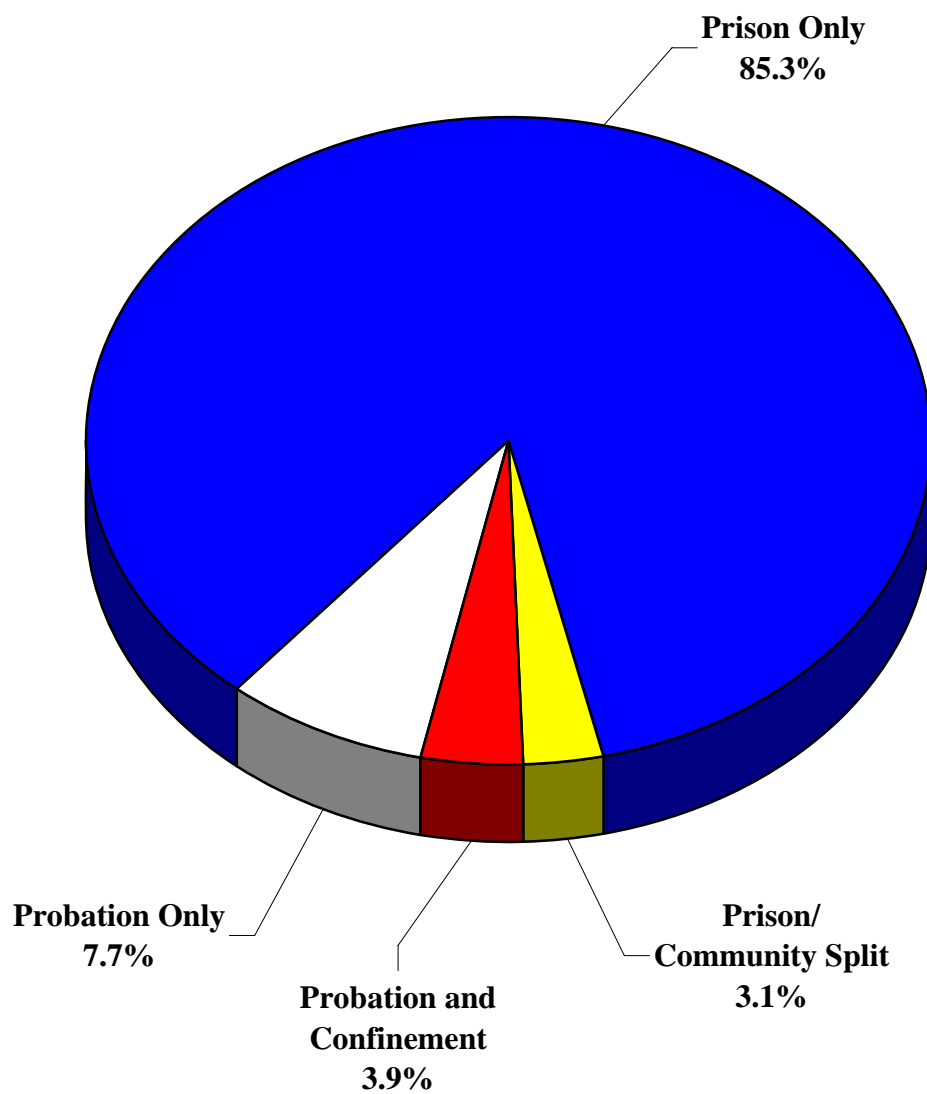


## *Selected Data on Alternative Sentences*

*Fiscal Year 2007*

**Figure D**

**DISTRIBUTION OF OFFENDERS  
RECEIVING SENTENCING OPTIONS<sup>1</sup>  
Fiscal Year 2007**



<sup>1</sup>Of the 72,865 cases, 800 were excluded due to one or both of the following reasons: cases in which the offender received no prison or probation (636) or missing sentencing information (164). Prison and Community Split includes all cases in which offenders received prison and conditions of confinement as defined in USSG §5C1.1. The number of cases in each category is reflected in Table 12. Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2007 Datafile, USSCFY07.

**Table 12**

**OFFENDERS RECEIVING SENTENCING OPTIONS IN EACH PRIMARY OFFENSE CATEGORY<sup>1</sup>**  
**Fiscal Year 2007**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	TOTAL	TOTAL RECEIVING IMPRISONMENT		Prison Only		Prison/Community Split Sentence <sup>2</sup>		TOTAL RECEIVING PROBATION		Probation and Confinement		Probation Only	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>72,061</b>	<b>63,724</b>	<b>88.4</b>	<b>61,498</b>	<b>85.3</b>	<b>2,226</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>8,337</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>2,789</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>5,548</b>	<b>7.7</b>
Murder	81	81	100.0	80	98.8	1	1.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Manslaughter	65	62	95.4	60	92.3	2	3.1	3	4.6	3	4.6	0	0.0
Kidnapping/Hostage Taking	48	48	100.0	48	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Sexual Abuse	381	368	96.6	358	94.0	10	2.6	13	3.4	6	1.6	7	1.8
Assault	567	477	84.1	450	79.4	27	4.8	90	15.9	30	5.3	60	10.6
Robbery	1,119	1,099	98.2	1,083	96.8	16	1.4	20	1.8	9	0.8	11	1.0
Arson	78	75	96.2	73	93.6	2	2.6	3	3.8	2	2.6	1	1.3
Drugs - Trafficking	24,304	23,642	97.3	23,081	95.0	561	2.3	662	2.7	305	1.3	357	1.5
Drugs - Communication Facility	372	313	84.1	304	81.7	9	2.4	59	15.9	24	6.5	35	9.4
Drugs - Simple Possession	599	257	42.9	248	41.4	9	1.5	342	57.1	28	4.7	314	52.4
Firearms	8,348	7,879	94.4	7,684	92.0	195	2.3	469	5.6	230	2.8	239	2.9
Burglary/B&E	41	37	90.2	33	80.5	4	9.8	4	9.8	0	0.0	4	9.8
Auto Theft	64	54	84.4	50	78.1	4	6.3	10	15.6	5	7.8	5	7.8
Larceny	1,621	698	43.1	618	38.1	80	4.9	923	56.9	249	15.4	674	41.6
Fraud	7,727	5,534	71.6	4,973	64.4	561	7.3	2,193	28.4	829	10.7	1,364	17.7
Embezzlement	462	219	47.4	155	33.5	64	13.9	243	52.6	77	16.7	166	35.9
Forgery/Counterfeiting	1,153	808	70.1	728	63.1	80	6.9	345	29.9	149	12.9	196	17.0
Bribery	243	175	72.0	152	62.6	23	9.5	68	28.0	35	14.4	33	13.6
Tax	642	386	60.1	313	48.8	73	11.4	256	39.9	110	17.1	146	22.7
Money Laundering	917	770	84.0	724	79.0	46	5.0	147	16.0	70	7.6	77	8.4
Racketeering/Extortion	620	566	91.3	557	89.8	9	1.5	54	8.7	27	4.4	27	4.4
Gambling/Lottery	112	27	24.1	21	18.8	6	5.4	85	75.9	50	44.6	35	31.3
Civil Rights	62	40	64.5	38	61.3	2	3.2	22	35.5	9	14.5	13	21.0
Immigration	17,574	16,963	96.5	16,683	94.9	280	1.6	611	3.5	169	1.0	442	2.5
Pornography/Prostitution	1,442	1,416	98.2	1,401	97.2	15	1.0	26	1.8	14	1.0	12	0.8
Prison Offenses	316	304	96.2	293	92.7	11	3.5	12	3.8	4	1.3	8	2.5
Administration of Justice Offenses	995	683	68.6	629	63.2	54	5.4	312	31.4	113	11.4	199	20.0
Environmental/Wildlife	159	38	23.9	25	15.7	13	8.2	121	76.1	32	20.1	89	56.0
National Defense	30	26	86.7	24	80.0	2	6.7	4	13.3	1	3.3	3	10.0
Antitrust	15	11	73.3	9	60.0	2	13.3	4	26.7	1	6.7	3	20.0
Food & Drug	62	19	30.6	17	27.4	2	3.2	43	69.4	3	4.8	40	64.5
Other Miscellaneous Offenses	1,842	649	35.2	586	31.8	63	3.4	1,193	64.8	205	11.1	988	53.6

<sup>1</sup>Of the 72,865 cases, 804 were excluded due to one or more of the following reasons: the offender received neither imprisonment nor probation (636), missing primary offense category (100), or missing sentencing information (164). Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

<sup>2</sup>Prison/Community Split Sentence includes all cases in which offenders received prison and conditions of confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1.

**Table 16****TYPE OF SENTENCE IMPOSED ON OFFENDERS IN EACH SENTENCING ZONE<sup>1</sup>  
Fiscal Year 2007**

SENTENCING ZONE	TOTAL	Prison Only		Prison/Community Split Sentence <sup>2</sup>		Probation and Confinement		Probation Only	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>63,767</b>	<b>55,211</b>	<b>86.6</b>	<b>2,083</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2,530</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3,943</b>	<b>6.2</b>
<b>Zone A</b>	<b>4,970</b>	2,406	48.4	32	0.6	157	3.2	2,375	47.8
<b>Zone B</b>	<b>4,322</b>	2,525	58.4	217	5.0	1,085	25.1	495	11.5
<b>Zone C</b>	<b>4,376</b>	2,905	66.4	762	17.4	392	9.0	317	7.2
<b>Zone D</b>	<b>50,099</b>	47,375	94.6	1,072	2.1	896	1.8	756	1.5

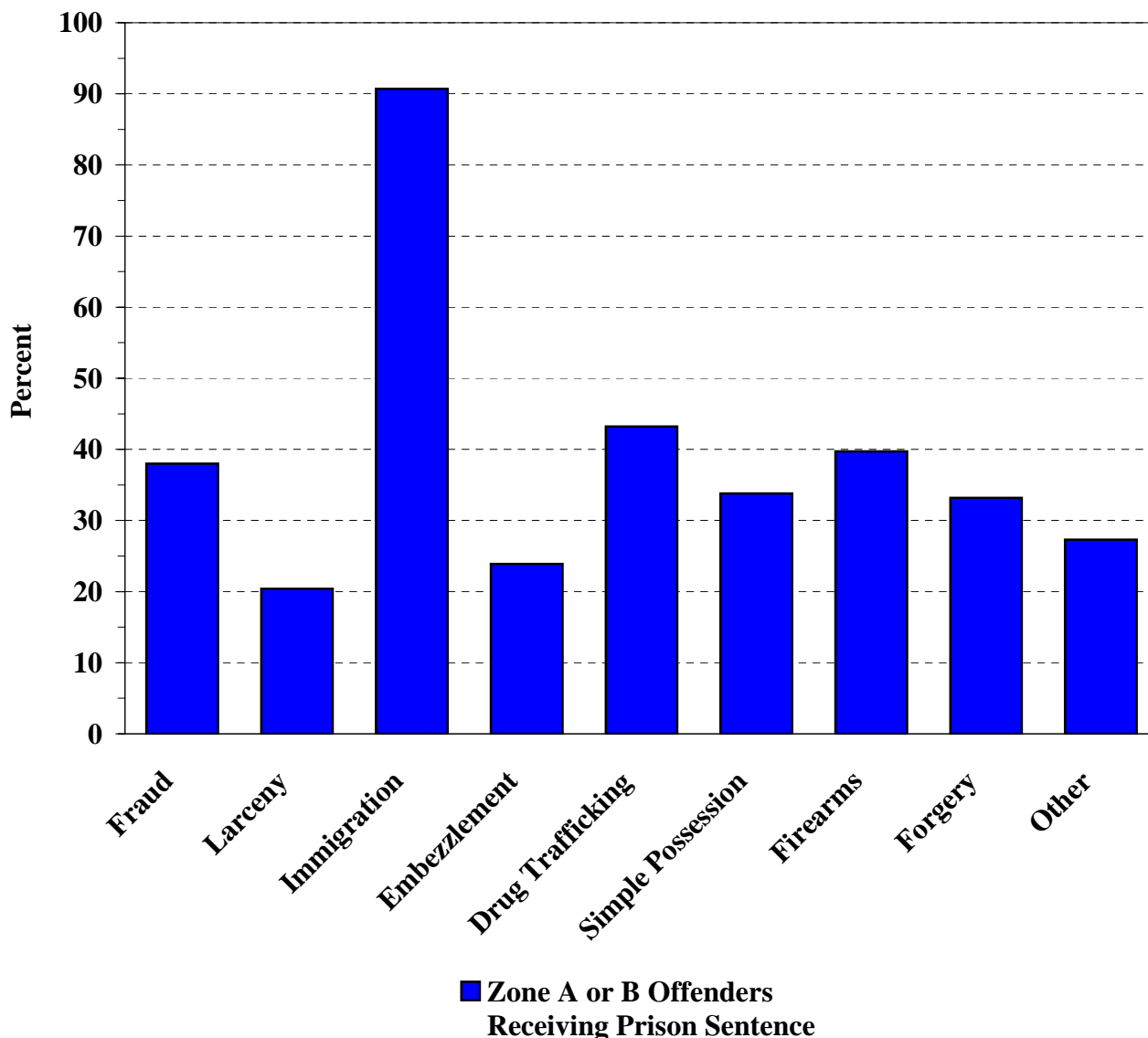
<sup>1</sup>Of the 72,865 cases, the Commission received complete guideline application information for 63,906 cases. Of these, 139 were excluded due to one or more of the following reasons: missing sentencing information (43), or cases in which offender received no imprisonment or probation (96). The zones indicated above correspond to the offense levels and criminal history categories established by the court and do not indicate the impact of mandatory minimums or statutory maximums constricting the sentence. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

<sup>2</sup>Prison/Community Split Sentence includes all cases in which offenders received prison and conditions of confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1.

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Figure F

**IMPRISONMENT RATES OF OFFENDERS ELIGIBLE FOR  
NON-PRISON SENTENCES IN SELECTED OFFENSE TYPES<sup>1</sup>**  
Fiscal Year 2007



<sup>1</sup>Of the 72,865 cases, the Commission received complete guideline application information for 63,906 cases. Of these 63,906 cases, 9,376 were eligible for non-prison sentences because their guideline sentence ranges were in zones A or B. Prison sentences include either prison alone or prison with conditions of alternative confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1. Non-prison sentences include either probation alone or probation with conditions of confinement. Descriptions of variables used in this figure are provided in Appendix A.

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