

**Status of Plea Agreements Received
by the U.S. Sentencing Commission
Nationwide -- Fiscal Years 2010-2016**

	Frequency	Percent
Not Received	529	.1
Received Written Plea Agreement	401350	73.1
Received Alternate Document	548	.1
Oral Plea Agreement	5101	.9
Straight up Plea; No Agreement	124701	22.7
Trial	16355	3.0
Guilty Plea; Type Indeterminable	352	.1
Total	548936	100.0

These data were extracted from the U.S. Sentencing Commission's Fiscal Year 2010 through 2016 Individual Offender Datafiles by Dr. Paul J. Hofer, Policy Analyst, Sentencing Resource Counsel Project, Federal Public and Community Defenders, and former Special Projects Director, U.S. Sentencing Commission.¹ This particular analysis has not been performed or published by the Commission. The underlying data are publicly available at the Commission's website,² and can be analyzed with standard statistical software, such as SAS or SPSS.

¹ For a description of the Datafiles, see U.S. Sent'g Comm'n, *Fifteen Years of Guideline Sentencing: An Assessment of How Well the Federal Criminal Justice System is Achieving the Goals of Sentencing Reform* app. D at 1 (2004).

² See Commission Datafiles, <http://www.ussc.gov/research-and-publications/commission-datafiles>.