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# **Criminal Victimization in the United States, 2002 Statistical Tables**

*National Crime Victimization Survey*

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Table 1. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Number, percent distribution, and rate of victimizations, by type of crime

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of all victimizations	Rate per 1,000 persons or households
<b>All crimes</b>	<b>23,036,030</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	...
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>5,496,810</b>	<b>23.9 %</b>	<b>23.7</b>
Crimes of violence	5,341,410	23.2	23.1
Completed violence	1,753,090	7.6	7.6
Attempted/threatened violence	3,588,320	15.6	15.5
Rape/Sexual assault	247,730	1.1	1.1
Rape/Attempted rape	167,860	0.7	0.7
Rape	90,390	0.4	0.4
Attempted rape/a	77,470	0.3	0.3
Sexual assault/b	79,870	0.3	0.3
Robbery	512,490	2.2	2.2
Completed/property taken	385,880	1.7	1.7
With injury	169,980	0.7	0.7
Without injury	215,890	0.9	0.9
Attempted to take property	126,610	0.5	0.5
With injury	42,600	0.2	0.2
Without injury	84,020	0.4	0.4
Assault	4,581,190	19.9	19.8
Aggravated	990,110	4.3	4.3
With injury	316,260	1.4	1.4
Threatened with weapon	673,850	2.9	2.9
Simple	3,591,090	15.6	15.5
With minor injury	906,580	3.9	3.9
Without injury	2,684,510	11.7	11.6
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	155,400	0.7	0.7
Completed purse snatching	55,400	0.2	0.2
Attempted purse snatching	2,140 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Pocket picking	97,860	0.4	0.4
Total population age 12 and over	231,589,260	...	...
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,539,220</b>	<b>76.1 %</b>	<b>159.0</b>
Household burglary	3,055,720	13.3	27.7
Completed	2,597,310	11.3	23.5
Forcible entry	1,017,660	4.4	9.2
Unlawful entry without force	1,579,650	6.9	14.3
Attempted forcible entry	458,410	2.0	4.2
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	4.3	9.0
Completed	780,630	3.4	7.1
Attempted	208,120	0.9	1.9
Theft	13,494,750	58.6	122.3
Completed	13,039,920	56.6	118.2
Less than \$50	4,186,570	18.2	37.9
\$50 - \$249	4,455,080	19.3	40.4
\$250 or more	3,270,530	14.2	29.6
Amount not available	1,127,740	4.9	10.2
Attempted	454,830	2.0	4.1
Total number of households	110,323,840	...	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Percent distribution is based on unrounded figures.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 2. Personal crimes, 2002:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and gender of victims

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
	Both genders		Male		Female	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>5,496,810</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>2,927,520</b>	<b>26.1</b>	<b>2,569,300</b>	<b>21.5</b>
Crimes of violence	5,341,410	23.1	2,857,930	25.5	2,483,480	20.8
Completed violence	1,753,090	7.6	816,240	7.3	936,850	7.8
Attempted/threatened violence	3,588,320	15.5	2,041,690	18.2	1,546,630	13.0
Rape/Sexual assault	247,730	1.1	31,640	0.3	216,090	1.8
Rape/Attempted rape	167,860	0.7	22,610	0.2	145,240	1.2
Rape	90,390	0.4	4,100	0.0	86,290	0.7
Attempted rape/a	77,470	0.3	18,520	0.2	58,950	0.5
Sexual assault/b	79,870	0.3	9,030	0.1	70,840	0.6
Robbery	512,490	2.2	323,530	2.9	188,960	1.6
Completed/property taken	385,880	1.7	237,350	2.1	148,530	1.2
With injury	169,980	0.7	102,860	0.9	67,130	0.6
Without injury	215,890	0.9	134,490	1.2	81,400	0.7
Attempted to take property	126,610	0.5	86,180	0.8	40,430	0.3
With injury	42,600	0.2	31,470	0.3	11,130	0.1
Without injury	84,020	0.4	54,710	0.5	29,300	0.2
Assault	4,581,190	19.8	2,502,760	22.3	2,078,440	17.4
Aggravated	990,110	4.3	588,430	5.2	401,670	3.4
With injury	316,260	1.4	166,930	1.5	149,330	1.3
Threatened with weapon	673,850	2.9	421,510	3.8	252,350	2.1
Simple	3,591,090	15.5	1,914,320	17.1	1,676,760	14.0
With minor injury	906,580	3.9	405,670	3.6	500,910	4.2
Without injury	2,684,510	11.6	1,508,650	13.4	1,175,860	9.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	155,400	0.7	69,590	0.6	85,810	0.7
Population age 12 and over	231,589,260	...	112,241,930	...	119,347,330	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 3. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and age of victims

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group						
	12-15	16-19	20-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65 and over
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>45.3</b>	<b>58.8</b>	<b>49.0</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>
Crimes of violence	44.4	58.2	47.4	26.3	18.1	10.7	3.4
Completed violence	12.8	20.7	16.4	9.0	5.5	3.5	1.2
Attempted/threatened violence	31.7	37.6	31.0	17.3	12.6	7.2	2.2
Rape/Sexual assault	2.1	5.5	2.9	0.6 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.1 *
Rape/Attempted rape	0.8 *	4.6	2.0	0.6 *	0.3 *	0.0 *	0.1 *
Rape	0.5 *	2.7	1.4 *	0.2 *	0.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted rape/a	0.2 *	2.0	0.6 *	0.4 *	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.1 *
Sexual assault/b	1.3 *	0.9 *	0.9 *	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.2 *	0.1 *
Robbery	3.0	4.0	4.7	2.8	1.5	1.6	1.0
Completed/property taken	1.8 *	3.1	3.6	2.1	1.2	1.2	0.8 *
With injury	0.9 *	1.6 *	1.8	0.7 *	0.5	0.6 *	0.2 *
Without injury	0.9 *	1.5 *	1.8	1.4	0.7	0.6 *	0.6 *
Attempted to take property	1.2 *	0.9 *	1.1 *	0.7 *	0.3 *	0.4 *	0.2 *
With injury	0.2 *	0.4 *	0.1 *	0.4 *	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.1 *
Without injury	1.0 *	0.5 *	1.0 *	0.3 *	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.1 *
Assault	39.3	48.6	39.8	22.8	16.1	8.9	2.2
Aggravated	5.0	11.9	10.1	5.2	3.5	1.7	0.7 *
With injury	1.0 *	3.9	3.8	1.9	0.9	0.6 *	0.1 *
Threatened with weapon	4.0	8.0	6.3	3.3	2.5	1.0	0.6 *
Simple	34.3	36.7	29.7	17.6	12.7	7.2	1.5
With minor injury	8.8	10.2	6.7	4.7	3.2	1.5	0.3 *
Without injury	25.6	26.5	23.0	12.9	9.4	5.7	1.3
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	0.9 *	0.6 *	1.6 *	0.5 *	0.7	0.3 *	0.6 *
Population in each age group	16,676,560	16,171,800	19,317,740	37,329,720	65,263,580	43,746,850	33,083,000

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.



Table 4. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by gender and age of victims and type of crime

Gender and age	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
						Total	With Injury	Without Injury
<b>Male</b>								
12-15	8,603,860	46.1	13.2	33.0	0.0 *	4.9	1.8 *	3.1 *
16-19	8,210,100	58.4	16.6	41.7	0.8 *	4.9	3.0 *	1.9 *
20-24	9,583,970	56.7	18.2	38.5	0.4 *	7.2	2.5 *	4.7
25-34	18,406,060	29.4	8.6	20.8	0.1 *	3.2	0.8 *	2.4
35-49	32,213,630	18.7	4.9	13.9	0.4 *	2.0	1.1	0.9 *
50-64	21,052,670	11.4	3.0	8.4	0.3 *	1.6	0.5 *	1.1 *
65 and over	14,171,630	3.9	1.0 *	2.9	0.0 *	1.0 *	0.6 *	0.3 *
<b>Female</b>								
12-15	8,072,700	42.6	12.3	30.3	4.3	0.9 *	0.3 *	0.6 *
16-19	7,961,700	58.1	24.8	33.2	10.4	3.2 *	1.0 *	2.2 *
20-24	9,733,770	38.3	14.6	23.7	5.4	2.2 *	1.3 *	0.9 *
25-34	18,923,660	23.2	9.3	13.9	1.1 *	2.4	1.4 *	1.0 *
35-49	33,049,950	17.6	6.2	11.4	0.6 *	1.1	0.3 *	0.8 *
50-64	22,694,180	10.0	3.9	6.1	0.1 *	1.5	0.8 *	0.7 *
65 and over	18,911,370	3.0	1.4 *	1.6	0.2 *	1.1 *	0.1 *	1.0 *

Gender and age	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group			
	Total	Assault		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
		Aggra- vated	Simple	
<b>Male</b>				
12-15	41.2	5.4	35.8	1.8 *
16-19	52.6	16.3	36.3	1.2 *
20-24	49.1	13.2	35.9	1.9 *
25-34	26.0	6.6	19.4	0.4 *
35-49	16.3	3.1	13.2	0.4 *
50-64	9.5	2.0	7.5	0.4 *
65 and over	2.9	1.2 *	1.7 *	0.0 *
<b>Female</b>				
12-15	37.3	4.5	32.8	0.0 *
16-19	44.5	7.4	37.1	0.0 *
20-24	30.7	7.0	23.7	1.3 *
25-34	19.8	3.9	15.9	0.7 *
35-49	16.0	3.9	12.1	1.0
50-64	8.4	1.4	7.0	0.3 *
65 and over	1.7	0.2 *	1.4 *	1.1 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 5. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over, by type of crime and race of victims

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
	White		Black		Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>4,525,090</b>	<b>23.5</b>	<b>824,530</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>147,190</b>	<b>15.1</b>
Crimes of violence	4,392,620	22.8	805,440	27.9	143,350	14.7
Completed violence	1,430,510	7.4	271,200	9.4	51,380	5.3
Attempted/threatened violence	2,962,110	15.4	534,230	18.5	91,980	9.4
Rape/Sexual assault	163,790	0.8	72,020	2.5	11,920 *	1.2 *
Rape/Attempted rape	103,350	0.5	55,460	1.9	9,050 *	0.9 *
Rape	65,440	0.3	20,980 *	0.7 *	3,980 *	0.4 *
Attempted rape/a	37,910	0.2	34,480	1.2	5,070 *	0.5 *
Sexual assault/b	60,440	0.3	16,560 *	0.6 *	2,870 *	0.3 *
Robbery	370,800	1.9	118,040	4.1	23,650 *	2.4 *
Completed/property taken	275,550	1.4	98,310	3.4	12,020 *	1.2 *
With injury	119,810	0.6	43,780	1.5	6,390 *	0.7 *
Without injury	155,740	0.8	54,520	1.9	5,630 *	0.6 *
Attempted to take property	95,250	0.5	19,740 *	0.7 *	11,630 *	1.2 *
With injury	34,750	0.2	5,230 *	0.2 *	2,620 *	0.3 *
Without injury	60,490	0.3	14,510 *	0.5 *	9,010 *	0.9 *
Assault	3,858,030	20.0	615,370	21.3	107,790	11.0
Aggravated	788,040	4.1	192,900	6.7	9,170 *	0.9 *
With injury	267,900	1.4	45,960	1.6	2,390 *	0.2 *
Threatened with weapon	520,140	2.7	146,930	5.1	6,780 *	0.7 *
Simple	3,069,990	15.9	422,480	14.6	98,620	10.1
With minor injury	780,230	4.0	93,360	3.2	32,990	3.4
Without injury	2,289,760	11.9	329,110	11.4	65,630	6.7
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	132,460	0.7	19,100 *	0.7 *	3,840 *	0.4 *
Population age 12 and over	192,956,980	...	28,871,440	...	9,760,850	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 6. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over, by type of crime and gender and race of victims

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White		Black		White		Black	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>2,459,570</b>	<b>26.1</b>	<b>386,130</b>	<b>29.3</b>	<b>2,065,520</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>438,400</b>	<b>27.9</b>
Crimes of violence	2,394,330	25.4	381,780	29.0	1,998,290	20.3	423,650	27.0
Completed violence	683,120	7.2	107,160	8.1	747,390	7.6	164,040	10.4
Attempted/threatened violence	1,711,210	18.1	274,620	20.9	1,250,900	12.7	259,610	16.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	19,160 *	0.2 *	9,610 *	0.7 *	144,630	1.5	62,410	4.0
Robbery	235,360	2.5	75,490	5.7	135,440	1.4	42,560	2.7
Completed/property taken	173,570	1.8	60,170	4.6	101,980	1.0	38,130	2.4
With injury	76,890	0.8	25,970 *	2.0 *	42,920	0.4	17,810 *	1.1 *
Without injury	96,680	1.0	34,210	2.6	59,060	0.6	20,320 *	1.3 *
Attempted to take property	61,790	0.7	15,310 *	1.2 *	33,460	0.3	4,420 *	0.3 *
With injury	25,720 *	0.3 *	3,130 *	0.2 *	9,040 *	0.1 *	2,100 *	0.1 *
Without injury	36,070	0.4	12,180 *	0.9 *	24,430 *	0.2 *	2,330 *	0.1 *
Assault	2,139,810	22.7	296,680	22.5	1,718,230	17.4	318,690	20.3
Aggravated	485,760	5.2	98,030	7.4	302,290	3.1	94,860	6.0
With injury	145,280	1.5	19,260 *	1.5 *	122,620	1.2	26,710 *	1.7 *
Threatened with weapon	340,480	3.6	78,770	6.0	179,660	1.8	68,160	4.3
Simple	1,654,050	17.5	198,650	15.1	1,415,940	14.4	223,820	14.3
With minor injury	357,970	3.8	27,730 *	2.1 *	422,250	4.3	65,630	4.2
Without injury	1,296,080	13.7	170,920	13.0	993,690	10.1	158,190	10.1
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	65,240	0.7	4,340 *	0.3 *	67,220	0.7	14,750 *	0.9 *
Population age 12 and over	94,313,900	...	13,164,830	...	98,643,080	...	15,706,600	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 7. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and ethnicity of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
	Total/a		Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>5,496,810</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>647,290</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>4,823,750</b>	<b>23.8</b>
Crimes of violence	5,341,410	23.1	637,320	23.6	4,678,330	23.0
Completed violence	1,753,090	7.6	235,600	8.7	1,501,500	7.4
Attempted/threatened violence	3,588,320	15.5	401,720	14.9	3,176,830	15.6
Rape/Sexual assault	247,730	1.1	19,670 *	0.7 *	228,060	1.1
Rape/Attempted rape	167,860	0.7	15,700 *	0.6 *	152,150	0.7
Rape	90,390	0.4	6,420 *	0.2 *	83,970	0.4
Attempted rape/b	77,470	0.3	9,280 *	0.3 *	68,190	0.3
Sexual assault/c	79,870	0.3	3,960 *	0.1 *	75,910	0.4
Robbery	512,490	2.2	85,490	3.2	424,820	2.1
Completed/property taken	385,880	1.7	63,830	2.4	322,050	1.6
With injury	169,980	0.7	14,690 *	0.5 *	155,290	0.8
Without injury	215,890	0.9	49,140	1.8	166,750	0.8
Attempted to take property	126,610	0.5	21,660 *	0.8 *	102,780	0.5
With injury	42,600	0.2	2,280 *	0.1 *	40,320	0.2
Without injury	84,020	0.4	19,380 *	0.7 *	62,460	0.3
Assault	4,581,190	19.8	532,160	19.7	4,025,440	19.8
Aggravated	990,110	4.3	163,510	6.1	826,590	4.1
With injury	316,260	1.4	62,160	2.3	254,090	1.3
Threatened with weapon	673,850	2.9	101,350	3.8	572,500	2.8
Simple	3,591,090	15.5	368,650	13.7	3,198,840	15.8
With minor injury	906,580	3.9	99,220	3.7	791,370	3.9
Without injury	2,684,510	11.6	269,430	10.0	2,407,480	11.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	155,400	0.7	9,980 *	0.4 *	145,420	0.7
Population age 12 and over	231,589,260	...	26,991,490	...	203,062,880	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained, which are not shown separately.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape.

c/Includes threats.

Table 8. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and ethnicity and gender of victims

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>25.1</b>	<b>21.1</b>
Completed violence	10.3	7.1	6.8	7.9
Attempted violence	17.5	12.1	18.3	13.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.3 *	1.2 *	0.3 *	1.9
Robbery	4.3	2.0 *	2.7	1.5
Completed/property taken	3.3	1.4 *	2.0	1.2
With injury	0.9 *	0.2 *	0.9	0.6
Without injury	2.4	1.2 *	1.0	0.6
Attempted to take property	1.0 *	0.6 *	0.7	0.3
With injury	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.3 *	0.1 *
Without injury	0.8 *	0.6 *	0.4	0.2 *
Assault	23.3	16.0	22.2	17.7
Aggravated	8.6	3.5	4.8	3.4
With injury	3.5	1.0 *	1.2	1.3
Threatened with weapon	5.0	2.4	3.6	2.1
Simple	14.7	12.6	17.3	14.3
With minor injury	3.1	4.2	3.6	4.2
Without injury	11.6	8.3	13.7	10.1
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	0.2 *	0.6 *	0.7	0.7
Total population age 12 and over	13,746,320	13,245,160	97,772,940	105,289,940

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
Excludes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained.  
\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 9. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by race and age of victims and type of crime**

Race and age	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
						Total	With Injury	Without Injury
<b>White</b>								
12-15	12,991,380	47.5	13.6	33.9	2.0 *	2.6	1.1 *	1.5 *
16-19	13,032,600	56.6	19.9	36.7	3.4	4.2	2.3 *	2.0 *
20-24	15,676,290	49.8	18.0	31.8	3.1	4.8	2.1	2.7
25-34	30,125,710	26.4	9.1	17.2	0.7 *	2.5	1.0 *	1.5
35-49	54,144,220	18.3	5.5	12.8	0.3 *	1.4	0.6 *	0.8
50-64	37,611,120	10.3	3.1	7.2	0.1 *	1.1	0.4 *	0.8 *
65 and over	29,375,650	2.8	0.7 *	2.1	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.3 *
<b>Black</b>								
12-15	2,937,540	39.6	9.7 *	29.8	3.0 *	4.5 *	1.5 *	3.0 *
16-19	2,405,340	73.9	28.9	45.0	18.1	4.3 *	1.3 *	3.0 *
20-24	2,670,870	34.5	7.3 *	27.2	1.5 *	2.8 *	0.0 *	2.8 *
25-34	5,223,930	31.9	10.6	21.3	0.7 *	5.6 *	2.2 *	3.5 *
35-49	8,261,960	19.5	6.0	13.6	1.0 *	2.1 *	1.3 *	0.8 *
50-64	4,513,150	14.4	6.5 *	7.9	0.9 *	5.1 *	3.3 *	1.8 *
65 and over	2,858,650	9.2 *	6.9 *	2.3 *	0.0 *	5.9 *	1.4 *	4.5 *

Race and age	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group			
	Total	Assault		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
		Aggra-vated	Simple	
<b>White</b>				
12-15	43.0	5.3	37.6	1.2 *
16-19	49.0	10.9	38.1	0.8 *
20-24	41.9	11.2	30.7	1.9 *
25-34	23.2	4.8	18.4	0.3 *
35-49	16.6	3.3	13.3	0.7
50-64	9.1	1.6	7.5	0.3 *
65 and over	2.2	0.6 *	1.6	0.7 *
<b>Black</b>				
12-15	32.0	4.7 *	27.4	0.0 *
16-19	51.5	21.1	30.4	0.0 *
20-24	30.3	7.1 *	23.1	0.0 *
25-34	25.5	9.2	16.3	1.9 *
35-49	16.5	5.9	10.5	0.8 *
50-64	8.4	1.7 *	6.6 *	0.0 *
65 and over	3.3 *	1.6 *	1.8 *	0.8 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 10. Violent crimes, 2002:

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Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over, by race, gender, and age of victims and type of crime

Race, gender, and age	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group								
		Crimes of violence/a		Robbery		Aggravated assault		Simple assault		
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	
<b>White</b>										
Male										
12-15	6,649,570	326,980	49.2	25,510	* 3.8	* 38,090	5.7	263,380	39.6	
16-19	6,679,400	413,470	61.9	32,880	4.9	105,200	15.8	268,530	40.2	
20-24	7,970,580	449,710	56.4	57,340	7.2	111,560	14.0	276,710	34.7	
25-34	15,044,240	458,460	30.5	47,770	3.2	90,200	6.0	317,960	21.1	
35-49	27,011,440	509,320	18.9	50,870	1.9	89,110	3.3	365,870	13.5	
50-64	18,288,270	197,470	10.8	18,720	* 1.0	* 33,950	1.9	142,600	7.8	
65 and over	12,670,390	38,920	3.1	2,280	* 0.2	* 17,640	* 1.4	* 19,000	* 1.5	
Female										
12-15	6,341,810	290,690	45.8	7,640	* 1.2	* 31,220	4.9	225,730	35.6	
16-19	6,353,200	323,940	51.0	22,130	* 3.5	* 37,070	5.8	227,850	35.9	
20-24	7,705,710	330,510	42.9	17,310	* 2.2	* 64,690	8.4	204,110	26.5	
25-34	15,081,470	335,830	22.3	27,190	* 1.8	* 54,580	3.6	236,850	15.7	
35-49	27,132,780	482,820	17.8	24,400	* 0.9	* 89,670	3.3	355,490	13.1	
50-64	19,322,850	190,340	9.9	24,170	* 1.3	* 25,060	* 1.3	* 138,830	7.2	
65 and over	16,705,260	44,160	2.6	12,600	* 0.8	* 0	* 0.0	* 27,090	* 1.6	
<b>Black</b>										
Male										
12-15	1,566,360	63,000	40.2	13,360	* 8.5	* 8,370	* 5.3	41,270	26.3	
16-19	1,174,220	59,410	50.6	7,340	* 6.2	* 28,950	* 24.7	* 23,120	* 19.7	
20-24	1,143,310	57,960	50.7	7,430	* 6.5	* 15,200	* 13.3	* 35,320	30.9	
25-34	2,357,460	74,770	31.7	11,930	* 5.1	* 28,980	* 12.3	* 33,870	14.4	
35-49	3,804,770	75,170	19.8	13,910	* 3.7	* 10,590	* 2.8	* 45,030	11.8	
50-64	1,968,080	37,510	19.1	12,630	* 6.4	* 5,950	* 3.0	* 14,970	* 7.6	
65 and over	1,150,640	13,960	* 12.1	* 8,900	* 7.7	* 0	* 0.0	* 5,070	* 4.4	
Female										
12-15	1,371,190	53,220	38.8	0	* 0.0	* 5,390	* 3.9	39,090	28.5	
16-19	1,231,120	118,290	96.1	3,050	* 2.5	* 21,880	* 17.8	* 49,900	40.5	
20-24	1,527,560	34,220	22.4	0	* 0.0	* 3,830	* 2.5	* 26,490	* 17.3	
25-34	2,866,470	91,840	32.0	17,510	* 6.1	* 19,170	* 6.7	* 51,310	17.9	
35-49	4,457,190	86,310	19.4	3,560	* 0.8	* 38,220	8.6	42,080	9.4	
50-64	2,545,070	27,320	* 10.7	* 10,460	* 4.1	* 1,890	* 0.7	* 14,960	* 5.9	
65 and over	1,708,010	12,450	* 7.3	* 7,970	* 4.7	* 4,480	* 2.6	* 0	* 0.0	

Note: Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 11. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and marital status of victims

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Never married	Married	Widowed	Divorced or separated
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>44.4</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>31.8</b>
Crimes of violence	43.3	10.6	7.1	30.7
Completed violence	14.5	2.7	2.5	12.2
Attempted/threatened violence	28.8	7.8	4.6	18.5
Rape/Sexual assault	2.6	0.2 *	0.3 *	1.1 *
Rape/Attempted rape	1.9	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.8 *
Rape	1.1	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.3 *
Attempted rape/a	0.7	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.5 *
Sexual assault/b	0.7	0.1 *	0.1 *	0.3 *
Robbery	3.7	0.9	2.0 *	4.0
Completed/property taken	2.8	0.6	1.6 *	3.3
With injury	1.3	0.2 *	0.8 *	1.7
Without injury	1.5	0.5	0.9 *	1.5
Attempted to take property	0.9	0.3	0.3 *	0.8 *
With injury	0.3 *	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.4 *
Without injury	0.7	0.2 *	0.1 *	0.4 *
Assault	37.0	9.5	4.8	25.6
Aggravated	7.3	2.2	2.2 *	5.9
With injury	2.4	0.6	0.4 *	2.4
Threatened with weapon	4.9	1.7	1.8 *	3.5
Simple	29.7	7.2	2.7	19.7
With minor injury	7.7	1.4	0.4 *	6.2
Without injury	22.0	5.8	2.3	13.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	1.1	0.3	0.6 *	1.1 *
Population age 12 and over	74,029,810	117,296,790	13,699,370	24,768,200

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on persons whose marital status was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.



Table 12. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by gender and marital status of victims and type of crime**

Gender and marital status	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Total	Robbery With injury	Without injury
<b>Male</b>								
Never married	39,330,360	46.5	14.4	32.1	0.5 *	5.3	2.2	3.1
Married	59,173,620	11.4	2.4	9.0	0.1 *	0.9	0.4 *	0.5
Widowed	2,695,670	17.0	4.5 *	12.5	0.0 *	4.1 *	1.6 *	2.5 *
Divorced or separated	10,251,890	27.7	8.1	19.6	0.7 *	4.9	2.1 *	2.8 *
<b>Female</b>								
Never married	34,699,450	39.6	14.6	25.0	4.9	2.0	0.9	1.0
Married	58,123,160	9.7	3.1	6.7	0.3 *	1.0	0.1 *	0.8
Widowed	11,003,700	4.7	2.0 *	2.7 *	0.4 *	1.4 *	0.8 *	0.6 *
Divorced or separated	14,516,310	32.9	15.2	17.7	1.3 *	3.4	2.1 *	1.4 *

Gender and marital status	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Total	Assault Aggravated	Simple	Purse snatching/Pocket picking
<b>Male</b>				
Never married	40.7	8.8	31.9	1.3
Married	10.4	2.7	7.8	0.1 *
Widowed	12.9	6.8 *	6.0 *	0.0 *
Divorced or separated	22.1	5.5	16.6	1.1 *
<b>Female</b>				
Never married	32.8	5.7	27.1	0.9 *
Married	8.4	1.8	6.7	0.5
Widowed	2.9	1.0 *	1.9 *	0.8 *
Divorced or separated	28.1	6.1	22.0	1.1 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Excludes data on persons whose marital status was not ascertained.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 13. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by gender of head of household, relationship  
of victims to head and type of crime**

Gender of head of household and relationship of victim to head	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
						Total	With injury	Without injury
<b>Households headed by males</b>								
All male heads	62,953,400	17.5	4.9	12.6	0.2 *	2.3	0.9	1.4
Male heads living alone	14,360,690	26.3	9.0	17.4	0.5 *	4.9	1.7 *	3.2
Male heads living with others	48,592,710	14.9	3.7	11.2	0.1 *	1.5	0.6	0.9
Wives	37,372,060	8.3	2.9	5.5	0.1 *	1.0	0.1 *	0.9
Own children under age 18	11,839,610	35.3	9.9	25.4	1.5 *	0.9 *	0.2 *	0.7 *
Own children age 18 and over	8,726,810	42.4	15.5	26.9	2.5 *	5.7	3.4 *	2.3 *
Other relatives	4,971,200	20.5	6.6	13.9	0.0 *	3.0 *	1.7 *	1.3 *
Nonrelatives	7,102,680	43.5	10.7	32.8	1.3 *	2.4 *	0.9 *	1.5 *
<b>Households headed by females</b>								
All female heads	51,453,510	21.8	8.4	13.5	1.0	1.9	0.9	1.0
Female heads living alone	17,672,510	18.9	7.6	11.3	0.8 *	1.6 *	0.8 *	0.8 *
Female heads living with others	33,781,000	23.4	8.8	14.6	1.1	2.1	1.0	1.1
Husbands	16,343,820	14.6	2.6	12.1	0.2 *	0.8 *	0.5 *	0.3 *
Own children under age 18	10,818,060	58.0	19.4	38.7	3.4	4.5	1.5 *	3.1
Own children age 18 and over	9,208,240	32.5	11.6	20.9	3.3	1.7 *	0.8 *	0.9 *
Other relatives	5,150,370	28.0	10.3	17.8	5.3 *	4.5 *	2.1 *	2.3 *
Nonrelatives	5,649,520	52.1	24.2	27.8	6.2	7.3	3.0 *	4.3 *

Gender of head of household and relationship of victim to head	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Total	Assault		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
		Aggra- vated	Simple	
<b>Households headed by males</b>				
All male heads	15.1	3.7	11.4	0.3 *
Male heads living alone	20.9	5.6	15.3	0.9 *
Male heads living with others	13.4	3.1	10.3	0.2 *
Wives	7.2	1.5	5.7	0.5 *
Own children under age 18	32.9	4.5	28.3	1.0 *
Own children age 18 and over	34.3	5.4	28.9	1.7 *
Other relatives	17.5	3.3 *	14.2	0.5 *
Nonrelatives	39.7	7.4	32.3	0.9 *
<b>Households headed by females</b>				
All female heads	18.9	4.1	14.8	0.9
Female heads living alone	16.5	3.0	13.5	1.4 *
Female heads living with others	20.2	4.8	15.5	0.6 *
Husbands	13.7	4.0	9.7	0.2 *
Own children under age 18	50.1	8.2	41.9	0.9 *
Own children age 18 and over	27.5	10.0	17.5	1.4 *
Other relatives	18.3	5.0 *	13.3	1.2 *
Nonrelatives	38.6	8.2	30.5	0.6 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 14. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and annual family income of victims

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
	Less than \$7,500	\$7,500- \$14,999	\$15,000- \$24,999	\$25,000- \$34,999	\$35,000- \$49,999	\$50,000- \$74,999	\$75,000 or more
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>47.2</b>	<b>32.0</b>	<b>30.8</b>	<b>27.4</b>	<b>26.0</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>19.7</b>
Crimes of violence	45.5	31.5	30.0	27.0	25.6	18.7	19.0
Completed violence	18.7	12.0	11.4	9.3	6.7	4.9	5.6
Attempted/threatened violence	26.8	19.5	18.6	17.7	18.8	13.8	13.4
Rape/Sexual assault	2.5 *	3.2	2.1	1.2 *	0.9 *	0.2 *	0.4 *
Rape/Attempted rape	2.3 *	2.7	1.3	0.8 *	0.3 *	0.1 *	0.2 *
Rape	0.6 *	1.4 *	1.0 *	0.3 *	0.1 *	0.1 *	0.1 *
Attempted rape/a	1.7 *	1.3 *	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.1 *
Sexual assault/b	0.3 *	0.4 *	0.8 *	0.4 *	0.6 *	0.1 *	0.2 *
Robbery	6.3	4.1	2.9	2.9	2.2	2.1	1.0
Completed/property taken	5.0	2.4	2.4	1.9	1.9	1.5	0.8
With injury	2.4 *	1.3 *	1.1 *	0.8 *	0.5 *	0.3 *	0.4 *
Without injury	2.7 *	1.1 *	1.3	1.1 *	1.4	1.2	0.4 *
Attempted to take property	1.3 *	1.7 *	0.5 *	1.0 *	0.3 *	0.6 *	0.2 *
With injury	0.3 *	0.9 *	0.1 *	0.4 *	0.0 *	0.2 *	0.1 *
Without injury	1.0 *	0.8 *	0.4 *	0.6 *	0.3 *	0.4 *	0.1 *
Assault	36.7	24.2	25.0	22.9	22.4	16.5	17.6
Aggravated	11.2	5.8	6.1	4.1	5.2	2.5	2.8
With injury	4.2	2.4	1.8	1.5	1.3	0.5 *	0.9
Threatened with weapon	7.0	3.3	4.3	2.5	3.9	2.0	1.9
Simple	25.5	18.4	18.9	18.9	17.2	14.0	14.8
With minor injury	8.6	5.6	5.7	5.2	3.1	2.8	3.7
Without injury	16.9	12.8	13.3	13.7	14.1	11.2	11.2
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	1.7 *	0.5 *	0.8 *	0.3 *	0.4 *	0.6 *	0.7
Population age 12 and over	8,347,650	15,608,210	23,872,200	24,104,810	31,655,160	33,713,640	43,139,380

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on persons whose family income level was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 15. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by race and annual family income of victims and type of crime

Race and income	Total population	Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group					
				Attempted/ threatened violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Total	Robbery With Injury	Without Injury	
<b>White</b>									
Less than \$7,500	5,679,410	47.2	20.3	26.9	3.3 *	5.5	2.8 *	2.7 *	
\$7,500-\$14,999	11,929,530	27.1	9.9	17.2	1.5 *	2.9	1.7 *	1.2 *	
\$15,000-\$24,999	18,787,050	29.2	11.0	18.2	1.9	2.9	1.6 *	1.3 *	
\$25,000-\$34,999	19,842,960	29.0	10.4	18.5	1.1 *	2.6	1.0 *	1.5 *	
\$35,000-\$49,999	26,902,090	25.4	6.5	18.9	0.7 *	1.9	0.4 *	1.5	
\$50,000-\$74,999	29,615,690	19.7	5.1	14.5	0.2 *	1.9	0.4 *	1.5	
\$75,000 or more	38,549,080	18.6	5.5	13.1	0.4 *	0.9	0.4 *	0.5 *	
<b>Black</b>									
Less than \$7,500	2,191,330	49.2	18.4	30.8	1.1 *	9.6 *	2.7 *	6.9 *	
\$7,500-\$14,999	3,040,800	46.7	19.6	27.1	9.7 *	8.9 *	4.6 *	4.3 *	
\$15,000-\$24,999	4,129,950	34.7	14.0	20.7	3.4 *	3.6 *	0.0 *	3.6 *	
\$25,000-\$34,999	3,458,330	16.3	3.5 *	12.8	2.5 *	2.8 *	1.8 *	0.9 *	
\$35,000-\$49,999	3,570,170	28.6	7.5 *	21.0	1.9 *	2.8 *	0.0 *	2.8 *	
\$50,000-\$74,999	2,707,200	12.7	4.9 *	7.8 *	0.0 *	4.9 *	1.6 *	3.3 *	
\$75,000 or more	2,316,180	33.7	6.3 *	27.4	0.0 *	3.0 *	3.0 *	0.0 *	

Race and income	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group			
	Total	Assault Aggra- vated	Simple	Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
<b>White</b>				
Less than \$7,500	38.4	11.0	27.4	2.5 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	22.7	5.1	17.6	0.6 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	24.4	5.3	19.1	0.8 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	25.4	4.9	20.4	0.4 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	22.8	5.4	17.4	0.3 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	17.6	2.6	14.9	0.7 *
\$75,000 or more	17.3	2.7	14.7	0.8
<b>Black</b>				
Less than \$7,500	38.5	14.3	24.2	0.0 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	28.1	9.7 *	18.5	0.0 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	27.7	9.2	18.5	0.0 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	11.0	0.0 *	11.0	0.0 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	23.9	5.4 *	18.5	0.6 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	7.8 *	1.3 *	6.5 *	0.0 *
\$75,000 or more	30.7	7.7 *	23.1	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
Excludes data on persons whose family income level was not ascertained and data on persons of "Other" races.  
\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 16. Property crimes, 2002:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates by type of crime and race of head of household**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	All Races		White		Black		Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,539,220</b>	<b>159.0</b>	<b>14,527,440</b>	<b>157.6</b>	<b>2,434,780</b>	<b>173.7</b>	<b>576,990</b>	<b>139.8</b>
Household burglary	3,055,720	27.7	2,396,810	26.0	578,880	41.3	80,030	19.4
Completed	2,597,310	23.5	2,080,340	22.6	444,040	31.7	72,930	17.7
Forcible entry	1,017,660	9.2	727,180	7.9	260,680	18.6	29,800 *	7.2 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,579,650	14.3	1,353,160	14.7	183,360	13.1	43,130	10.4
Attempted forcible entry	458,410	4.2	316,470	3.4	134,840	9.6	7,100 *	1.7 *
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	9.0	695,410	7.5	241,670	17.2	51,670	12.5
Completed	780,630	7.1	549,730	6.0	191,610	13.7	39,300	9.5
Attempted	208,120	1.9	145,690	1.6	50,060	3.6	12,380 *	3.0 *
Theft	13,494,750	122.3	11,435,220	124.1	1,614,240	115.2	445,290	107.9
Completed	13,039,920	118.2	11,054,970	119.9	1,556,620	111.1	428,320	103.8
Less than \$50	4,186,570	37.9	3,646,500	39.6	409,720	29.2	130,360	31.6
\$50 - \$249	4,455,080	40.4	3,717,980	40.3	598,290	42.7	138,810	33.6
\$250 or more	3,270,530	29.6	2,766,820	30.0	396,330	28.3	107,390	26.0
Amount not available	1,127,740	10.2	923,680	10.0	152,290	10.9	51,760	12.5
Attempted	454,830	4.1	380,240	4.1	57,620	4.1	16,970 *	4.1 *
Total number of households	110,323,840	...	92,182,320	...	14,013,850	...	4,127,670	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

Table 17. Property crimes, 2002:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates by type of crime and ethnicity of head of household**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households					
	Total/a		Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,539,220</b>	<b>159.0</b>	<b>2,207,780</b>	<b>210.1</b>	<b>15,192,540</b>	<b>153.3</b>
Household burglary	3,055,720	27.7	318,370	30.3	2,711,060	27.4
Completed	2,597,310	23.5	279,860	26.6	2,295,420	23.2
Forcible entry	1,017,660	9.2	134,410	12.8	873,960	8.8
Unlawful entry without force	1,579,650	14.3	145,460	13.8	1,421,460	14.3
Attempted forcible entry	458,410	4.2	38,510	3.7	415,640	4.2
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	9.0	185,660	17.7	789,290	8.0
Completed	780,630	7.1	156,750	14.9	618,020	6.2
Attempted	208,120	1.9	28,900 *	2.8 *	171,270	1.7
Theft	13,494,750	122.3	1,703,750	162.1	11,692,180	118.0
Completed	13,039,920	118.2	1,658,360	157.8	11,295,340	114.0
Less than \$50	4,186,570	37.9	372,100	35.4	3,781,860	38.2
\$50 - \$249	4,455,080	40.4	647,180	61.6	3,784,150	38.2
\$250 or more	3,270,530	29.6	480,070	45.7	2,769,960	27.9
Amount not available	1,127,740	10.2	159,010	15.1	959,360	9.7
Attempted	454,830	4.1	45,380	4.3	396,850	4.0
Total number of households	110,323,840	...	10,507,570	...	99,104,480	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained, which is not shown separately.

Table 18. Motor vehicle theft, 2002:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates on the basis of thefts per 1,000 households and of thefts per 1,000 vehicles owned, by selected household characteristics**

Characteristic	Based on households			Based on vehicles owned		
	Number of households	Number of thefts	Rate per 1,000	Number of vehicles owned	Number of thefts	Rate per 1,000
<b>Race of head of household</b>						
All races	110,323,840	988,760	9.0	207,059,460	1,038,580	5.0
White	92,182,320	695,410	7.5	180,197,020	735,470	4.1
Black	14,013,850	241,670	17.2	19,552,100	249,710	12.8
Other	4,127,670	51,670	12.5	7,310,350	53,400	7.3
<b>Age of head of household</b>						
12-19	1,041,190	10,690 *	10.3 *	1,350,580	18,960 *	14.0 *
20-34	25,241,920	351,090	13.9	43,854,050	361,520	8.2
35-49	36,311,160	395,010	10.9	75,478,780	415,820	5.5
50-64	25,786,270	158,620	6.2	54,376,910	164,770	3.0
65 and over	21,943,300	73,350	3.3	31,999,150	77,510	2.4
<b>Form of tenure</b>						
Owned or being bought	75,023,210	487,830	6.5	160,270,540	508,770	3.2
Rented	35,300,630	500,930	14.2	46,788,920	529,810	11.3
<b>Locality of residence</b>						
Urban	31,937,800	545,060	17.1	48,593,400	560,020	11.5
Suburban	51,446,980	384,280	7.5	103,242,550	410,510	4.0
Rural	26,939,060	59,420	2.2	55,223,520	68,050	1.2

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

The number of thefts based on vehicles owned is equal to or higher than the corresponding figure based on households because the former includes all completed or attempted vehicle thefts, regardless of the final classification of the event; personal crimes of contact and burglary occurring in conjunction with motor vehicle thefts take precedence in determining the final classification based on the number of households.

The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."

The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."

The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

Table 19. Property crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates by type of crime and age of head of household

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households				
	12-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 and over
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>389.0</b>	<b>208.6</b>	<b>194.7</b>	<b>131.1</b>	<b>64.6</b>
Household burglary	64.1	35.4	32.2	23.4	14.7
Completed	51.1	29.1	27.6	20.5	12.7
Forcible entry	12.0 *	13.1	11.3	7.1	3.7
Unlawful entry without force	39.2	16.0	16.3	13.4	9.1
Attempted forcible entry	12.9 *	6.2	4.6	3.0	2.0
Motor vehicle theft	10.3 *	13.9	10.9	6.2	3.3
Completed	8.2 *	11.1	8.7	4.6	2.6
Attempted	2.0 *	2.8	2.1	1.6	0.8 *
Theft	314.7	159.3	151.6	101.5	46.6
Completed	312.2	153.2	146.5	98.3	45.3
Less than \$50	99.6	40.0	50.6	32.6	17.9
\$50 - \$249	90.5	56.3	49.8	32.3	13.7
\$250 or more	96.3	45.2	33.7	24.2	8.3
Amount not available	25.8 *	11.7	12.3	9.2	5.4
Attempted	2.5 *	6.1	5.2	3.3	1.2 *
Total number of households	1,041,190	25,241,920	36,311,160	25,786,270	21,943,300

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.



Table 20. Property crimes, 2002:

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## Victimization rates by type of crime and annual family income

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households						
	Less than \$7,500	\$7,500- \$14,999	\$15,000- \$24,999	\$25,000- \$34,999	\$35,000- \$49,999	\$50,000- \$74,999	\$75,000 or more
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>188.9</b>	<b>166.7</b>	<b>172.1</b>	<b>161.7</b>	<b>175.4</b>	<b>158.3</b>	<b>169.8</b>
Household burglary	51.4	31.8	33.8	27.8	27.3	24.6	21.0
Completed	39.1	27.0	25.8	24.2	23.0	21.8	18.6
Forcible entry	16.8	11.9	12.4	9.3	8.6	7.0	4.5
Unlawful entry without force	22.3	15.1	13.5	14.9	14.4	14.8	14.1
Attempted forcible entry	12.3	4.8	7.9	3.7	4.2	2.8	2.4
Motor vehicle theft	3.2 *	8.1	9.9	12.6	11.3	9.2	5.9
Completed	3.2 *	6.8	8.2	9.2	8.6	7.0	4.5
Attempted	0.0 *	1.3 *	1.7 *	3.5	2.7	2.1	1.4 *
Theft	134.3	126.8	128.5	121.2	136.9	124.5	142.9
Completed	130.9	124.1	125.6	116.4	133.1	119.0	136.6
Less than \$50	34.5	37.5	42.0	40.2	44.7	40.2	44.4
\$50 - \$249	55.1	46.6	44.7	40.8	43.8	39.9	44.1
\$250 or more	32.8	28.7	30.1	26.3	33.8	26.1	36.5
Amount not available	8.4	11.3	8.8	9.0	10.8	12.9	11.5
Attempted	3.4 *	2.7 *	2.8	4.8	3.8	5.5	6.3
Total number of households	5,157,750	9,038,620	12,231,090	11,586,530	14,391,310	14,283,610	17,532,840

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained.

Table 21. Household burglary, 2002:

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**Victimization rates by race of head of household,  
annual family income and type of household burglary**

Race and income	Total households	Rate per 1,000 households			
		All household burglaries	Completed household burglary		Attempted forcible entry
			Forcible entry	Unlawful entry without force	
<b>White</b>					
Less than \$7,500	3,522,390	44.9	12.9	22.7	9.3
\$7,500-\$14,999	7,131,780	31.0	11.0	16.0	4.0 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	9,840,010	28.7	10.8	12.2	5.7
\$25,000-\$34,999	9,606,940	26.5	7.7	16.3	2.5 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	12,361,430	25.7	8.0	14.0	3.7
\$50,000-\$74,999	12,646,420	23.9	5.8	14.9	3.2
\$75,000 or more	15,806,500	21.7	4.5	14.9	2.4
<b>Black</b>					
Less than \$7,500	1,374,880	75.6	27.6	25.6	22.4
\$7,500-\$14,999	1,598,150	37.4	16.8 *	13.9 *	6.7 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,981,360	57.9	18.5	20.5	18.9
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,636,620	40.2	20.8	8.0 *	11.4 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	1,551,910	38.5	14.6 *	14.3 *	9.6 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	1,098,500	32.8	16.3 *	16.5 *	0.0 *
\$75,000 or more	880,330	18.0 *	7.8 *	5.5 *	4.7 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained and data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 22. Theft, 2002:

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annual family income and type of theft**

Race and income	Total households	Rate per 1,000 households				
		Theft/a	Completed theft			Attempted
			Less than \$50	\$50-\$249	\$250 or more	
<b>White</b>						
Less than \$7,500	3,522,390	148.0	39.9	59.3	36.3	3.2 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	7,131,780	130.3	40.0	47.4	28.9	2.0 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	9,840,010	120.9	40.1	42.7	28.2	2.9 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	9,606,940	124.4	44.0	41.1	26.4	4.2
\$35,000-\$49,999	12,361,430	140.2	46.0	44.6	34.8	4.2
\$50,000-\$74,999	12,646,420	126.8	42.4	39.2	26.6	5.6
\$75,000 or more	15,806,500	142.0	45.7	43.2	36.3	5.9
<b>Black</b>						
Less than \$7,500	1,374,880	102.6	23.6	45.4	26.6	2.9 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	1,598,150	113.5	28.3	41.7	29.1	5.3 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,981,360	160.0	48.8	54.7	37.5	3.0 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,636,620	109.1	21.3	42.3	27.5	7.4 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	1,551,910	118.4	36.8	41.3	29.0	1.7 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	1,098,500	114.8	14.2 *	54.8	25.2 *	4.4 *
\$75,000 or more	880,330	186.9	40.4	70.3	40.7	11.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained and data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data, not shown separately, on thefts for which the value of loss was not ascertained.

Table 23. Motor vehicle theft, 2002:

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**Victimization rates by race of head of household,  
annual family income and type of motor vehicle theft**

Race and income	Total households	Rate per 1,000 households		
		All vehicle thefts	Completed thefts	Attempted thefts
<b>White</b>				
Less than \$7,500	3,522,390	3.3 *	3.3 *	0.0 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	7,131,780	7.4	6.6	0.9 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	9,840,010	8.7	7.5	1.2 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	9,606,940	9.3	6.0	3.3
\$35,000-\$49,999	12,361,430	9.6	7.0	2.5
\$50,000-\$74,999	12,646,420	6.8	5.4	1.3 *
\$75,000 or more	15,806,500	5.4	4.3	1.2 *
<b>Black</b>				
Less than \$7,500	1,374,880	3.5 *	3.5 *	0.0 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	1,598,150	12.8 *	9.2 *	3.7 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,981,360	14.3 *	11.3 *	2.9 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,636,620	21.9	19.9	2.0 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	1,551,910	25.5	20.6	4.9 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	1,098,500	30.6	22.4 *	8.3 *
\$75,000 or more	880,330	16.4 *	9.5 *	6.9 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained and data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 24. Property crimes, 2002:

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## Victimization rates by type of crime and number of persons in household

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households			
	One	Two-three	Four-five	Six or more
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>101.4</b>	<b>148.1</b>	<b>242.8</b>	<b>316.5</b>
Household burglary	24.4	26.0	35.1	39.2
Completed	21.2	21.8	29.2	37.8
Forcible entry	9.8	8.1	10.7	12.5
Unlawful entry without force	11.4	13.6	18.5	25.3
Attempted forcible entry	3.2	4.2	5.8	1.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	6.6	7.9	13.2	21.4
Completed	4.9	6.4	10.6	15.8
Attempted	1.6	1.5	2.6	5.6 *
Theft	70.4	114.2	194.6	255.9
Completed	68.1	110.2	187.7	252.1
Less than \$50	21.7	36.3	59.2	74.1
\$50 - \$249	20.8	36.1	69.6	99.2
\$250 or more	19.0	27.5	44.6	63.7
Amount not available	6.6	10.3	14.3	15.1
Attempted	2.3	4.0	6.9	3.9 *
Total number of households	29,501,480	56,235,110	21,175,220	3,412,030

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on households where the number of persons was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 25. Property crimes, 2002:

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in structure occupied by household

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households						Other than housing unit
	One/a	Two	Three	Four	Five-nine	Ten or more	
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>146.3</b>	<b>215.5</b>	<b>178.5</b>	<b>193.0</b>	<b>185.7</b>	<b>175.8</b>	<b>302.0</b>
Household burglary	26.6	40.0	30.0	33.7	30.5	23.7	91.5
Completed	22.9	35.3	22.0	25.7	24.3	19.7	82.5
Forcible entry	8.8	15.1	14.4 *	10.1	10.4	8.4	5.8 *
Unlawful entry without force	14.1	20.2	7.6 *	15.6	13.8	11.3	76.7
Attempted forcible entry	3.7	4.7 *	8.1 *	8.0 *	6.3	4.0	9.1 *
Motor vehicle theft	6.9	15.0	13.7 *	8.9 *	13.2	15.7	9.1 *
Completed	5.5	10.5	9.6 *	7.5 *	11.5	12.5	0.0 *
Attempted	1.4	4.5 *	4.1 *	1.4 *	1.7 *	3.1	9.1 *
Theft	112.8	160.4	134.8	150.4	141.9	136.4	201.4
Completed	109.0	157.4	129.0	144.2	137.4	130.6	201.4
Less than \$50	37.3	43.6	32.7	41.7	36.7	34.9	91.2
\$50 - \$249	36.5	56.8	54.7	50.5	52.8	44.7	26.4 *
\$250 or more	26.2	38.7	35.1	41.2	35.5	38.9	72.0
Amount not available	9.0	18.3	6.6 *	10.8	12.4	12.0	11.8 *
Attempted	3.8	3.0 *	5.9 *	6.2 *	4.5 *	5.8	0.0 *
Total number of households	77,587,600	5,496,930	1,620,070	3,369,650	5,450,370	13,523,850	434,990

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on households for which the number of units in the structure was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on mobile homes, not shown separately.

Table 26. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Number of incidents and victimizations and ratio of victimizations to incidents, by type of crime**

Type of crime	Incidents	Victimizations	Ratio
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>5,077,230</b>	<b>5,496,810</b>	<b>1.08</b>
Crimes of violence	4,923,050	5,341,410	1.08
Completed violence	1,605,900	1,753,090	1.09
Attempted/threatened violence	3,317,150	3,588,320	1.08
Rape/Sexual assault	247,730	247,730	1.00
Rape/Attempted rape	167,860	167,860	1.00
Rape	90,390	90,390	1.00
Attempted rape/a	77,470	77,470	1.00
Sexual assault/b	79,870	79,870	1.00
Robbery	458,460	512,490	1.12
Completed/property taken	341,910	385,880	1.13
With injury	159,120	169,980	1.07
Without injury	182,790	215,890	1.18
Attempted to take property	116,550	126,610	1.09
With injury	39,040	42,600	1.09
Without injury	77,510	84,020	1.08
Assault	4,216,850	4,581,190	1.09
Aggravated	848,030	990,110	1.17
With injury	273,670	316,260	1.16
Threatened with weapon	574,360	673,850	1.17
Simple	3,368,820	3,591,090	1.07
With minor injury	845,940	906,580	1.07
Without injury	2,522,890	2,684,510	1.06
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	154,190	155,400	1.01
Completed purse snatching	54,190	55,400	1.02
Attempted purse snatching	2,140 *	2,140 *	1.00
Pocket picking	97,860	97,860	1.00

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 27. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Number and percent distribution of incidents,  
by type of crime and victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Percent of incidents					
	All incidents		Involving strangers		Involving nonstrangers	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,923,050</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2,403,050</b>	<b>48.8 %</b>	<b>2,520,000</b>	<b>51.2 %</b>
Completed violence	1,605,900	100	696,930	43.4	908,960	56.6
Attempted/threatened violence	3,317,150	100	1,706,110	51.4	1,611,040	48.6
Rape/Sexual assault	247,730	100	83,930	33.9	163,800	66.1
Rape/Attempted rape	167,860	100	56,010	33.4	111,850	66.6
Rape	90,390	100	33,400	37.0	56,990	63.0
Attempted rape/a	77,470	100	22,610 *	29.2 *	54,860	70.8
Sexual assault/b	79,870	100	27,920 *	35.0 *	51,950	65.0
Robbery	458,460	100	330,540	72.1	127,930	27.9
Completed/property taken	341,910	100	247,510	72.4	94,400	27.6
With injury	159,120	100	98,450	61.9	60,680	38.1
Without injury	182,790	100	149,060	81.6	33,720	18.4
Attempted to take property	116,550	100	83,020	71.2	33,530	28.8
With injury	39,040	100	24,610 *	63.0 *	14,430 *	37.0 *
Without injury	77,510	100	58,410	75.4	19,100 *	24.6 *
Assault	4,216,850	100	1,988,580	47.2	2,228,270	52.8
Aggravated	848,030	100	486,100	57.3	361,940	42.7
With injury	273,670	100	115,610	42.2	158,060	57.8
Threatened with weapon	574,360	100	370,480	64.5	203,880	35.5
Simple	3,368,820	100	1,502,490	44.6	1,866,340	55.4
With minor injury	845,940	100	283,650	33.5	562,280	66.5
Threatened without weapon	2,522,890	100	1,218,830	48.3	1,304,050	51.7

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.



Table 28. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over, by type of crime and victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Total Population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
		Total		Involving strangers		Involving nonstrangers	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>231,589,260</b>	<b>5,341,410</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>2,663,220</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>2,678,200</b>	<b>11.6</b>
Completed violence		1,753,090	7.6	792,810	3.4	960,280	4.1
Attempted/threatened violence		3,588,320	15.5	1,870,410	8.1	1,717,910	7.4
Rape/Sexual assault		247,730	1.1	83,930	0.4	163,800	0.7
Rape/Attempted rape		167,860	0.7	56,010	0.2	111,850	0.5
Rape		90,390	0.4	33,400	0.1	56,990	0.2
Attempted rape/a		77,470	0.3	22,610 *	0.1 *	54,860	0.2
Sexual assault/b		79,870	0.3	27,920 *	0.1 *	51,950	0.2
Robbery		512,490	2.2	374,160	1.6	138,330	0.6
Completed/property taken		385,880	1.7	284,520	1.2	101,360	0.4
With injury		169,980	0.7	105,720	0.5	64,260	0.3
Without injury		215,890	0.9	178,790	0.8	37,100	0.2
Attempted to take property		126,610	0.5	89,650	0.4	36,960	0.2
With injury		42,600	0.2	25,950 *	0.1 *	16,650 *	0.1 *
Without injury		84,020	0.4	63,700	0.3	20,320 *	0.1 *
Assault		4,581,190	19.8	2,205,120	9.5	2,376,070	10.3
Aggravated		990,110	4.3	581,560	2.5	408,550	1.8
With injury		316,260	1.4	142,540	0.6	173,710	0.8
Threatened with weapon		673,850	2.9	439,020	1.9	234,840	1.0
Simple		3,591,090	15.5	1,623,560	7.0	1,967,530	8.5
With minor injury		906,580	3.9	315,590	1.4	590,990	2.6
Without injury		2,684,510	11.6	1,307,970	5.6	1,376,540	5.9

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 29. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent of victimizations involving strangers,  
by gender and age of victims and type of crime**

Gender and age	Percent of victimizations involving strangers					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Total	Assault Aggravated	Simple
<b>Both genders</b>	<b>49.9 %</b>	<b>33.9 %</b>	<b>73.0 %</b>	<b>48.1 %</b>	<b>58.7 %</b>	<b>45.2 %</b>
12-15	40.5	44.3 *	66.6	38.3	38.7	38.3
16-19	42.2	24.9 *	41.7 *	44.3	65.2	37.5
20-24	55.8	30.6 *	77.9	55.0	71.5	49.4
25-34	52.1	62.2 *	70.7	49.5	59.3	46.6
35-49	51.3	32.2 *	75.6	49.5	49.1	49.6
50-64	55.8	53.1 *	90.6	49.7	56.2	48.2
65 and over	68.5	0.0 *	93.4	61.0	67.0 *	58.5 *
<b>Male</b>	<b>61.3 %</b>	<b>47.8 %*</b>	<b>82.4 %</b>	<b>58.7 %</b>	<b>66.3 %</b>	<b>56.3 %</b>
12-15	46.5	0.0 *	72.3	43.4	55.3 *	41.6
16-19	56.6	50.2 *	61.6 *	56.3	66.7	51.6
20-24	67.2	100.0 *	94.8	62.9	76.6	57.8
25-34	65.0	100.0 *	83.5	62.5	74.8	58.3
35-49	64.2	23.9 *	78.6	63.4	44.4	67.8
50-64	63.9	35.6 *	100.0	58.7	66.7 *	56.6
65 and over	68.4	0.0 *	83.5 *	63.4 *	84.0 *	48.3 *
<b>Female</b>	<b>36.7 %</b>	<b>31.8 %</b>	<b>56.9 %</b>	<b>35.4 %</b>	<b>47.6 %</b>	<b>32.5 %</b>
12-15	33.6	44.3 *	34.9 *	32.4	17.5 *	34.4
16-19	27.4	22.8 *	10.1 *	29.7	61.9	23.2
20-24	39.0	25.2 *	23.1 *	42.6	61.9	36.8
25-34	36.2	57.7 *	53.7 *	32.9	33.9 *	32.6
35-49	37.8	37.6 *	70.2 *	35.7	52.9	30.2
50-64	47.2	100.0 *	81.6 *	40.3	42.1 *	40.0
65 and over	68.6	0.0 *	100.0 *	57.9 *	0.0 *	67.5 *

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 30. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations involving strangers,  
by gender and race of victims and type of crime**

Gender and race	Percent of victimizations involving strangers					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Total	Assault Aggravated	Simple
<b>Both genders</b>						
White	50.0 %	38.6 %	71.2 %	48.4 %	58.3 %	45.9 %
Black	47.4	21.2 *	76.7	44.8	62.1	36.9
<b>Male</b>						
White	60.3	64.0 *	81.6	58.0	63.7	56.3
Black	61.0	0.0 *	82.1	57.6	80.2	46.5
<b>Female</b>						
White	37.6	35.3	53.1	36.6	49.6	33.8
Black	35.1	24.5 *	67.1 *	32.8	43.4	28.4

Note: Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 31. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations involving strangers,  
by gender and marital status of victims  
and type of crime**

Gender and marital status	Percent of victimizations involving strangers					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Assault		
				Total	Aggravated	Simple
<b>Both genders</b>						
Never married	49.2	34.8	71.4	48.0	62.4	44.4
Married	58.8	42.9 *	81.0	56.9	64.2	54.7
Widowed	60.1	0.0 *	83.7 *	54.4	52.5 *	56.0 *
Divorced or separated	36.5	17.0 *	65.8	32.7	37.5	31.3
<b>Male</b>						
Never married	59.4	51.8 *	83.4	56.4	70.1 *	52.6
Married	69.3	100.0 *	85.3	67.6	64.5	68.7
Widowed	75.6	0.0 *	79.5 *	74.3 *	83.9 *	63.6 *
Divorced or separated	52.1	0.0 *	76.2	48.5	44.1 *	50.0
<b>Female</b>						
Never married	35.6	32.9	34.8 *	36.1	49.0	33.4
Married	46.2	26.9 *	76.8	43.5	63.8	38.1
Widowed	46.3 *	0.0 *	86.7 *	32.6 *	0.0 *	50.0 *
Divorced or separated	27.3	23.7 *	55.6 *	24.0	33.3 *	21.4

Note: Excludes data on persons whose marital status was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 32. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victimizations by perceived drug or alcohol use by offender

Perceived drug or alcohol use by offender	Percent of victimizations					
	Crime of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Assault		
				Total	Aggravated	Simple
Total victimizations	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
Total (Perceived to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol)	29.0	46.2	18.2	29.3	35.7	27.5
Under the influence of alcohol	17.0	27.7	4.0 *	17.9	19.3	17.5
Under the influence of drugs	5.6	14.5	11.3	4.5	6.0	4.1
Under the influence of both drugs and alcohol	4.6	3.9 *	2.6 *	4.8	7.3	4.1
Under the influence of one, not sure which	1.5	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.8	2.5 *	1.6
Not available whether drugs or alcohol	0.4 *	0.0 *	0.4 *	0.4 *	0.5 *	0.3 *
Not on alcohol or drugs	27.7	16.5	17.7	29.4	17.8	32.6
Don't know or not ascertained	43.3	37.3	64.0	41.3	46.6	39.9

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 33. Family violence, 2002:

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## Number of victimizations, by type of crime and relationship to offender

Type of crime	Total number of victimizations	Number of victimizations					
		Total	Spouse	Ex-spouse	Parent	Own child	Other relatives
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,341,410</b>	<b>448,260</b>	<b>140,610</b>	<b>59,850</b>	<b>67,730</b>	<b>54,740</b>	<b>125,320</b>
Completed violence	1,753,090	220,460	87,070	22,490 *	37,680	24,950 *	48,260
Attempted/threatened violence	3,588,320	227,790	53,530	37,370	30,050 *	29,780 *	77,060
Rape/Sexual assault/b	247,730	5,530 *	1,680 *	0 *	0 *	0 *	3,850 *
Robbery	512,490	34,300	9,980 *	3,620 *	11,180 *	2,200 *	7,320 *
Completed/property taken	385,880	18,930 *	7,440 *	1,810 *	5,080 *	2,200 *	2,400 *
Attempted to take property	126,610	15,370 *	2,540 *	1,810 *	6,100 *	0 *	4,920 *
Assault	4,581,190	408,420	128,940	56,230	56,550	52,540	114,150
Aggravated	990,110	90,650	27,340 *	7,460 *	22,010 *	8,070 *	25,780 *
Simple	3,591,090	317,770	101,600	48,780	34,540	44,470	88,380

Type of crime	Well-known/a	Number of victimizations			
		Casual acquaintances	Don't know relationship	Strangers	Don't know number of offenders
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,465,980</b>	<b>738,140</b>	<b>227,180</b>	<b>2,370,490</b>	<b>91,360</b>
Completed violence	546,700	187,160	76,830	692,810	29,130 *
Attempted/threatened violence	919,280	550,990	150,360	1,677,680	62,220
Rape/Sexual assault/b	95,730	62,530	2,330 *	76,140	5,470 *
Robbery	93,650	10,370 *	41,210	320,240	12,710 *
Completed/property taken	72,060	10,370 *	28,810 *	242,990	12,710 *
Attempted to take property	21,590 *	0 *	12,400 *	77,250	0 *
Assault	1,276,600	665,240	183,650	1,974,120	73,180
Aggravated	208,820	102,770	60,560	500,590	26,710 *
Simple	1,067,770	562,470	123,090	1,473,520	46,470

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victims whose relationship to the victim could not be ascertained.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 34. Family violence, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victimizations, by type of crime and relationship to offender

Type of crime	Total number of victimizations	Total crimes	Percent of victimizations					
			Related					
			Total	Spouse	Ex-spouse	Parent	Own child	Other relatives
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,341,410</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>8.4 %</b>	<b>2.6 %</b>	<b>1.1 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>2.3 %</b>
Completed violence	1,753,090	100 %	12.6	5.0	1.3 *	2.1	1.4 *	2.8
Attempted/threatened violence	3,588,320	100 %	6.3	1.5	1.0	0.8 *	0.8 *	2.1
Rape/Sexual assault/b	247,730	100 %	2.2 *	0.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.6 *
Robbery	512,490	100 %	6.7	1.9 *	0.7 *	2.2 *	0.4 *	1.4 *
Completed/property taken	385,880	100 %	4.9 *	1.9 *	0.5 *	1.3 *	0.6 *	0.6 *
Attempted to take property	126,610	100 %	12.1 *	2.0 *	1.4 *	4.8 *	0.0 *	3.9 *
Assault	4,581,190	100 %	8.9	2.8	1.2	1.2	1.1	2.5
Aggravated	990,110	100 %	9.2	2.8 *	0.8 *	2.2 *	0.8 *	2.6 *
Simple	3,591,090	100 %	8.8	2.8	1.4	1.0	1.2	2.5

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations				
	Well-known/a	Casual acquaintances	Don't know relationship	Strangers	Don't know number of offenders
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>27.4 %</b>	<b>13.8 %</b>	<b>4.3 %</b>	<b>44.4 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>
Completed violence	31.2	10.7	4.4	39.5	1.7 *
Attempted/threatened violence	25.6	15.4	4.2	46.8	1.7
Rape/Sexual assault/b	38.6	25.2	0.9 *	30.7	2.2 *
Robbery	18.3	2.0 *	8.0	62.5	2.5 *
Completed/property taken	18.7	2.7 *	7.5 *	63.0	3.3 *
Attempted to take property	17.1 *	0.0 *	9.8 *	61.0	0.0 *
Assault	27.9	14.5	4.0	43.1	1.6
Aggravated	21.1	10.4	6.1	50.6	2.7 *
Simple	29.7	15.7	3.4	41.0	1.3

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victim whose relationship to the victim could not be ascertained.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 35. Family violence, 2002:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)Victimization rate by victim-offender relationship,  
by type of crime and selected victim characteristics

Characteristic	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over								
		Crimes of violence/a				Assault				
		Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers	Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers	
<b>Gender</b>										
Male	112,241,930	1.0	5.6	3.2	14.3	0.9	5.2	3.0	12.0	
Female	119,347,330	2.8	7.0	3.2	6.4	2.5	5.9	2.7	5.2	
<b>Race</b>										
White	192,956,980	2.0	6.0	3.2	10.2	1.8	5.4	3.0	8.7	
Black	28,871,440	1.9	9.4	3.4	11.3	1.9	7.3	2.6	8.4	
Other	9,760,850	0.9 *	3.1	1.9 *	7.5	0.9 *	2.1 *	1.9 *	5.3	
<b>Age</b>										
12-15	16,676,560	1.1 *	15.9	8.9	16.3	1.0 *	14.7	8.1	13.9	
16-19	16,171,800	3.1	19.6	10.1	22.9	2.4	15.5	8.3	19.8	
20-24	19,317,740	4.2	12.3	4.5	23.8	4.1	10.0	3.8	19.5	
25-34	37,329,720	2.6	6.6	3.5	12.6	2.3	5.8	3.5	10.6	
35-49	65,263,580	2.4	4.2	2.1	8.0	2.3	3.9	1.9	6.8	
50-64	43,746,850	0.9	2.5	1.4	5.2	0.8	2.3	1.4	3.9	
65 and over	33,083,000	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.4 *	1.5	0.2 *	0.4 *	0.3 *	1.0	
<b>Marital status/b</b>										
Married	117,296,790	1.3	2.0	1.0	5.6	1.3	1.7	1.0	4.9	
Widowed	13,699,370	0.8 *	1.9 *	0.2 *	3.7	0.7 *	1.3 *	0.2 *	2.5	
Divorced or separated	24,768,200	6.4	7.7	5.4	9.5	5.8	6.5	4.9	7.1	
Never married	74,029,810	1.6	13.7	6.4	19.1	1.4	11.9	5.6	15.9	
<b>Family income/c</b>										
Less than \$7,500	8,347,650	4.6	16.5	6.3	15.6	4.1	13.7	5.7	12.1	
\$7,500-\$14,999	15,608,210	2.8	9.4	4.6	12.6	2.3	6.8	3.7	10.3	
\$15,000-\$24,999	23,872,200	4.0	9.0	4.6	10.7	3.6	7.2	4.4	8.5	
\$25,000-\$34,999	24,104,810	1.9	8.0	4.5	10.4	1.9	7.1	3.9	8.2	
\$35,000-\$49,999	31,655,160	2.3	6.3	3.4	12.2	2.1	5.9	2.9	10.3	
\$50,000-\$74,999	33,713,640	1.5	3.9	3.1	9.5	1.2	3.6	3.0	8.1	
\$75,000 or more	43,139,380	1.1	5.5	2.2	9.5	1.0	5.3	2.1	8.6	

Characteristic	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over								
		Aggravated assault				Simple assault				
		Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers	Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers	
<b>Gender</b>										
Male	112,241,930	0.3 *	0.9	0.6	3.1	0.7	4.3	2.4	8.9	
Female	119,347,330	0.5	0.9	0.3	1.2	2.0	4.9	2.5	4.0	
<b>Race</b>										
White	192,956,980	0.4	0.8	0.5	2.0	1.4	4.6	2.5	6.7	
Black	28,871,440	0.6 *	1.6	0.3 *	3.6	1.2	5.7	2.3	4.8	
Other	9,760,850	0.0 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.2 *	0.9 *	1.6 *	1.6 *	5.1	
<b>Age</b>										
12-15	16,676,560	0.3 *	1.9	0.8 *	1.9	0.6 *	12.8	7.3	11.9	
16-19	16,171,800	0.6 *	1.6 *	1.6 *	6.6	1.8 *	14.0	6.7	13.2	
20-24	19,317,740	1.4 *	1.3 *	0.2 *	5.9	2.7	8.8	3.6	13.6	
25-34	37,329,720	0.3 *	1.3	0.5 *	3.1	2.0	4.5	2.9	7.5	
35-49	65,263,580	0.5	0.8	0.4 *	1.2	1.7	3.1	1.5	5.6	
50-64	43,746,850	0.0 *	0.4 *	0.3 *	0.8	0.8	1.8	1.1	3.1	
65 and over	33,083,000	0.1 *	0.1 *	0.0 *	0.4 *	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.3 *	0.5 *	
<b>Marital status/b</b>										
Married	117,296,790	0.2 *	0.3	0.3	1.3	1.1	1.4	0.7	3.6	
Widowed	13,699,370	0.3 *	0.7 *	0.0 *	1.1 *	0.4 *	0.7 *	0.2 *	1.3 *	
Divorced or separated	24,768,200	1.5	1.6	0.6 *	1.5	4.3	5.0	4.3	5.6	
Never married	74,029,810	0.3 *	1.6	0.7	4.0	1.1	10.3	4.9	12.0	
<b>Family income/c</b>										
Less than \$7,500	8,347,650	1.8 *	2.4 *	1.8 *	4.5	2.3 *	11.3	3.9	7.6	
\$7,500-\$14,999	15,608,210	0.3 *	1.5 *	0.3 *	3.3	2.0 *	5.2	3.4	7.0	
\$15,000-\$24,999	23,872,200	0.6 *	1.5	0.8 *	3.1	3.1	5.6	3.6	5.3	
\$25,000-\$34,999	24,104,810	0.3 *	0.7 *	0.7 *	1.9	1.6	6.4	3.3	6.4	
\$35,000-\$49,999	31,655,160	0.7 *	1.2	0.5 *	2.2	1.4	4.7	2.4	8.0	
\$50,000-\$74,999	33,713,640	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.4 *	1.6	1.1	3.3	2.6	6.5	
\$75,000 or more	43,139,380	0.2 *	0.4 *	0.4 *	1.5	0.9	4.8	1.7	7.1	

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Crimes of violence includes data on rape, sexual assault, and robbery, not shown separately.

b/Excludes data on persons whose marital status was not ascertained.

c/Excludes data on persons whose family income was not ascertained.



Table 36. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime and number of victims

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents				
		Total/a	Number of victims			
			One	Two	Three	Four or more
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,923,040</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>94.0 %</b>	<b>4.8 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>
Completed violence	1,605,890	100	93.7	4.8	0.9 *	0.6 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,317,140	100	94.1	4.7	0.6 *	0.6 *
Rape/Sexual assault/b	247,720	100	100.0	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	458,460	100	90.2	8.4	1.3 *	0.2 *
Completed/property taken	341,910	100	89.5	8.8 *	1.4 *	0.3 *
With injury	159,120	100	93.8	5.6 *	0.6 *	0.0 *
Without injury	182,780	100	85.8	11.6 *	2.2 *	0.5 *
Attempted to take property	116,550	100	92.1	7.1 *	0.7 *	0.0 *
With injury	39,030	100	90.9	9.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	77,510	100	92.7	6.2 *	1.1 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,216,850	100	94.0	4.6	0.7 *	0.7 *
Aggravated	848,030	100	89.7	6.9	1.9 *	1.5 *
Simple	3,368,820	100	95.1	4.1	0.4 *	0.4 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Excludes incidents for which the number of victims was not ascertained.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 37. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by victim-offender relationship, type of crime and number of offenders**

Relationship and type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	Number of offenders					Not known and not available
			One	Two	Three	Four or more		
<b>All incidents</b>								
Crimes of violence	4,923,050	100 %	79.5 %	8.1 %	3.6 %	5.5 %	3.3 %	
Completed violence	1,605,900	100	75.6	11.6	4.0	6.0	2.7	
Attempted/threatened violence	3,317,150	100	81.3	6.4	3.3	5.3	3.6	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	247,730	100	81.8	6.2 *	4.1 *	4.4 *	3.5 *	
Robbery	458,460	100	55.9	23.7	8.1	8.6	3.7 *	
Completed/property taken	341,910	100	50.3	24.8	9.8	10.5	4.5 *	
Attempted to take property	116,550	100	72.3	20.5 *	3.1 *	3.1 *	1.1 *	
Assault	4,216,850	100	81.9	6.5	3.0	5.3	3.3	
Aggravated	848,030	100	76.3	6.4	5.4	7.8	4.2	
Simple	3,368,820	100	83.3	6.5	2.5	4.6	3.1	
<b>Involving strangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	2,403,050	100 %	70.0	11.3	5.1	8.1	5.5	
Completed violence	696,930	100	57.8	19.4	7.7	9.3	5.8	
Attempted/threatened violence	1,706,110	100	75.0	8.0	4.1	7.6	5.4	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	83,930	100	76.3	3.4 *	5.1 *	8.6 *	6.5 *	
Robbery	330,540	100	48.8	30.0	10.5	6.0 *	4.7 *	
Completed/property taken	247,510	100	43.1	31.6	12.6	6.5 *	6.3 *	
Attempted to take property	83,020	100	66.0	25.4 *	4.3 *	4.3 *	0.0 *	
Assault	1,988,580	100	73.2	8.5	4.2	8.4	5.6	
Aggravated	486,100	100	66.9	7.4	6.2 *	12.3	7.2	
Simple	1,502,490	100	75.3	8.9	3.6	7.2	5.1	
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	2,520,000	100 %	88.5	5.0	2.1	3.1	1.3	
Completed violence	908,960	100	89.3	5.6	1.3 *	3.4	0.4 *	
Attempted/threatened violence	1,611,040	100	88.1	4.7	2.5	3.0	1.8 *	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	163,800	100	84.6	7.7 *	3.5 *	2.2 *	2.0 *	
Robbery	127,930	100	74.2	7.4 *	1.9 *	15.5 *	1.0 *	
Completed/property taken	94,400	100	69.3	7.2 *	2.5 *	21.0 *	0.0 *	
Attempted to take property	33,530	100	88.0 *	8.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	3.9 *	
Assault	2,228,270	100	89.6	4.7	2.0	2.5	1.2 *	
Aggravated	361,940	100	88.9	5.0 *	4.2 *	1.8 *	0.1 *	
Simple	1,866,340	100	89.8	4.6	1.5 *	2.6	1.4 *	

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 38. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, by type of crime and perceived gender of offender**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single offender victimizations			
		Perceived gender of offender			Not known and not available
		Total	Male	Female	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,158,290</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>79.5 %</b>	<b>19.9 %</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>
Completed violence	1,290,480	100	78.3	21.1	0.7 *
Attempted/threatened violence	2,867,810	100	80.0	19.4	0.6 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	202,670	100	96.3	3.7 *	0.0 *
Robbery	280,000	100	89.3	10.7 *	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	191,270	100	88.6	11.4 *	0.0 *
With injury	74,900	100	92.7	7.3 *	0.0 *
Without injury	116,360	100	85.9	14.1 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	88,730	100	90.7	9.3 *	0.0 *
With injury	34,610	100	84.4 *	15.6 *	0.0 *
Without injury	54,110	100	94.8	5.2 *	0.0 *
Assault	3,675,610	100	77.8	21.5	0.7 *
Aggravated	720,880	100	85.6	13.2	1.2 *
Simple	2,954,730	100	75.9	23.6	0.6 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 39. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, by type of crime and perceived age of offender**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations								
		Perceived age of offender								
		Total	Under 12	12-20				21-29	30 and over	Not known and not available
				Total	12-14	15-17	18-20			
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,158,290</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2.2 %</b>	<b>29.8 %</b>	<b>8.9 %</b>	<b>11.3 %</b>	<b>9.7 %</b>	<b>25.7 %</b>	<b>37.8 %</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>
Completed violence	1,290,480	100	2.8	28.7	8.8	9.1	10.8	27.4	35.5	5.6
Attempted/threatened violence	2,867,810	100	1.9	30.3	8.9	12.2	9.1	24.9	38.9	4.0
Rape/Sexual assault/a	202,670	100	0.0 *	21.2	3.3 *	5.1 *	12.8 *	49.9	28.8	0.0 *
Robbery	280,000	100	1.4 *	21.2	1.8 *	7.5 *	11.9	38.6	31.1	7.7 *
Completed/property taken	191,270	100	0.0 *	16.8	1.3 *	6.1 *	9.4 *	40.0	33.3	9.9 *
With injury	74,900	100	0.0 *	14.5 *	3.3 *	0.0 *	11.2 *	33.7 *	45.8	5.9 *
Without injury	116,360	100	0.0 *	18.3 *	0.0 *	10.1 *	8.2 *	44.0	25.3 *	12.5 *
Attempted to take property	88,730	100	4.5 *	30.8 *	3.0 *	10.5 *	17.2 *	35.6	26.4 *	2.8 *
With injury	34,610	100	0.0 *	25.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	25.1 *	32.1 *	35.6 *	7.2 *
Without injury	54,110	100	7.4 *	34.4 *	4.9 *	17.3 *	12.2 *	37.8 *	20.5 *	0.0 *
Assault	3,675,610	100	2.4	30.9	9.7	11.9	9.3	23.4	38.8	4.5
Aggravated	720,880	100	3.0 *	23.9	5.1	6.3	12.6	19.3	46.7	7.0
Simple	2,954,730	100	2.2	32.6	10.8	13.2	8.5	24.4	36.9	3.9

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 40. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, by type of crime and perceived race of offender**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations				
		Total	Perceived race of offender			Not known and not available
			White	Black	Other	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,158,290</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>63.3 %</b>	<b>22.8 %</b>	<b>13.0 %</b>	<b>0.9 %</b>
Completed violence	1,290,480	100	61.4	25.8	12.2	0.7 *
Attempted/threatened violence	2,867,810	100	64.2	21.5	13.4	1.0 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	202,670	100	55.8	35.8	8.4 *	0.0 *
Robbery	280,000	100	42.4	45.7	12.0	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	191,270	100	38.7	52.1	9.1 *	0.0 *
With injury	74,900	100	35.8 *	54.2	10.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	116,360	100	40.7	50.8	8.5 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	88,730	100	50.2	31.7 *	18.1 *	0.0 *
With injury	34,610	100	59.3 *	32.6 *	8.1 *	0.0 *
Without injury	54,110	100	44.4 *	31.1 *	24.5 *	0.0 *
Assault	3,675,610	100	65.3	20.4	13.3	1.0
Aggravated	720,880	100	58.0	24.1	17.5	0.5 *
Simple	2,954,730	100	67.1	19.4	12.3	1.2

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 41. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, by type of crime, age of victims and perceived age of offender**

Type of crime and age of victim	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations								
		Perceived age of offender								
		Total	Under 12	12-20				21-29	30 and over	Not known and not available
				Total	12-14	15-17	18-20			
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>										
12-19	1,240,060	100 %	2.7 %	68.7 %	24.7 %	29.4 %	14.7 %	15.1 %	9.2 %	4.3 %
20-34	1,467,250	100 %	1.0 *	14.3	0.9 *	3.1	10.3	43.5	36.0	5.2
35-49	980,400	100 %	3.3	10.7	2.8 *	3.9	4.0	17.1	64.5	4.3
50-64	387,230	100 %	2.5 *	13.7	5.2 *	4.6 *	3.9 *	16.5	64.5	2.7 *
65 and over	83,360	100 %	0.0 *	21.1 *	2.5 *	2.5 *	16.0 *	14.3 *	58.9	5.7 *
<b>Robbery</b>										
12-19	60,700	100 %	6.6 *	59.3	8.5 *	26.4 *	24.4 *	0.0 *	28.7 *	5.5 *
20-34	104,230	100 %	0.0 *	14.5 *	0.0 *	2.5 *	12.0 *	56.9	20.9 *	7.8 *
35-49	67,960	100 %	0.0 *	7.6 *	0.0 *	3.6 *	3.9 *	35.1 *	49.1	8.2 *
50-64	32,870	100 %	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	48.4 *	38.1 *	13.5 *
65 and over	14,240 *	100 %*	0.0 *	22.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	22.8 *	62.6 *	14.6 *	0.0 *
<b>Assault</b>										
12-19	1,084,030	100 %	2.7 *	72.3	27.1	31.4	13.8	13.0	7.4	4.6
20-34	1,293,860	100 %	1.2 *	14.4	1.0 *	3.3	10.1	40.9	38.2	5.3
35-49	887,170	100 %	3.7	11.0	3.1 *	3.8	4.1	15.6	65.6	4.2
50-64	345,910	100 %	2.8 *	15.3	5.8 *	5.1 *	4.4 *	13.9	66.2	1.7 *
65 and over	64,650	100 %	0.0 *	22.2 *	3.3 *	3.2 *	15.7 *	4.6 *	65.9	7.4 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 42. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, based on race of victims, by type of crime and perceived race of offender**

Type of crime and race of victim	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations				
		Perceived race of offender				Not known and not available
		Total	White	Black	Other	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>						
White	3,427,980	100 %	72.6 %	13.6 %	12.6 %	1.1 %
Black	617,970	100 %	16.2	74.5	9.3	0.0 *
Completed violence						
White	1,056,610	100 %	71.8	15.4	12.1	0.8 *
Black	186,240	100 %	8.6 *	84.6	6.7 *	0.0 *
Attempted/threatened violence						
White	2,371,370	100 %	73.0	12.8	12.9	1.2 *
Black	431,730	100 %	19.5	70.1	10.4	0.0 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a						
White	134,140	100 %	76.0	13.1 *	10.9 *	0.0 *
Black	59,490	100 %	14.2 *	85.8	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery						
White	194,910	100 %	54.4	31.5	14.1 *	0.0 *
Black	70,530	100 %	10.1 *	85.1	4.8 *	0.0 *
Completed/property taken						
White	128,460	100 %	47.8	38.7	13.6 *	0.0 *
Black	50,790	100 %	14.0 *	86.0	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury						
White	47,810	100 %	56.0 *	28.3 *	15.7 *	0.0 *
Black	20,700 *	100 %*	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury						
White	80,650	100 %	42.9	44.8	12.3 *	0.0 *
Black	30,090 *	100 %*	23.6 *	76.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property						
White	66,450	100 %	67.1	17.7 *	15.2 *	0.0 *
Black	19,740 *	100 %*	0.0 *	82.9 *	17.1 *	0.0 *
With injury						
White	29,390 *	100 %*	69.9 *	20.6 *	9.5 *	0.0 *
Black	5,230 *	100 %*	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury						
White	37,050	100 %	64.9 *	15.3 *	19.8 *	0.0 *
Black	14,510 *	100 %*	0.0 *	76.8 *	23.2 *	0.0 *
Assault						
White	3,098,930	100 %	73.6	12.5	12.6	1.2
Black	487,950	100 %	17.4	71.6	11.1	0.0 *
Aggravated						
White	565,180	100 %	68.8	12.4	18.2	0.6 *
Black	146,540	100 %	15.1 *	69.1	15.8 *	0.0 *
Simple						
White	2,533,760	100 %	74.7	12.5	11.4	1.4
Black	341,410	100 %	18.3	72.6	9.0	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 43. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, by type of crime and detailed victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations							
		Total	Related						
			Total	Spouse	Ex-spouse	Parent	Own child	Brother or sister	Other relative
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,158,300</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>11.2 %</b>	<b>3.6 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>	<b>2.2 %</b>
Completed violence	1,290,480	100	16.8	6.7	1.4 *	2.7	1.9 *	1.1 *	2.8
Attempted/threatened violence	2,867,810	100	8.7	2.1	1.3	1.2	0.9 *	1.3	1.9
Rape/Sexual assault/b	202,680	100	2.7 *	0.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.9 *	0.0 *
Robbery	280,010	100	11.4	3.6 *	1.3 *	4.0 *	0.8 *	0.9 *	0.8 *
Completed/property taken	191,270	100	8.6 *	3.9 *	0.9 *	2.7 *	1.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	88,730	100	17.3 *	2.9 *	2.0 *	6.9 *	0.0 *	2.9 *	2.6 *
Assault	3,675,610	100	11.6	3.7	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.2	2.4
Aggravated	720,880	100	12.5	3.8 *	1.0 *	3.1 *	0.7 *	1.3 *	2.6 *
Simple	2,954,730	100	11.4	3.7	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.2	2.3

  

Type of crime	Well known, not related/a	Casual acquaintance	Don't know	Stranger
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>27.6 %</b>	<b>16.8 %</b>	<b>0.9 %</b>	<b>43.5 %</b>
Completed violence	34.4	14.1	0.4 *	34.4
Attempted/threatened violence	24.5	18.1	1.1	47.6
Rape/Sexual assault/b	36.3	29.4	0.0 *	31.6
Robbery	20.5	3.7 *	1.0 *	63.4
Completed/property taken	21.5	5.4 *	1.4 *	63.0
Attempted to take property	18.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	64.4
Assault	27.6	17.1	0.9	42.7
Aggravated	22.5	13.4	0.7 *	50.9
Simple	28.9	18.1	1.0 *	40.6

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victim whose relationship could not be ascertained.  
 b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 43a. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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## Percent distribution of victimizations, by characteristics of victims, type of crime, and victim/offender relationship

Characteristic	Total victimizations	Percent of all victimizations						
		Nonstrangers				Stranger	Don't know relationship	
		Total	Intimate	Other relative	Friend or acquaintance			
<b>Both genders</b>	Crimes of violence	100 %	54.0 %	10.6 %	5.0 %	38.3 %	44.4 %	1.7 %
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	67.1	8.8 *	1.6 *	56.7	30.7	2.2 *
	Robbery	100	35.0	9.3	4.0 *	21.7	62.5	2.5 *
	Assault	100	55.4	10.9	5.3	39.2	43.1	1.5
	Aggravated	100	46.7	9.0	5.9	31.9	50.6	2.7 *
	Simple	100	57.8	11.4	5.2	41.2	41.0	1.2
<b>Male</b>	Crimes of violence	100	42.6	2.5	3.5	36.6	56.1	1.3
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	52.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	52.2 *	47.8 *	0.0 *
	Robbery	100	23.5	3.6 *	0.0 *	19.9	74.0	2.5 *
	Assault	100	44.9	2.4	3.9	38.5	53.9	1.2 *
	Aggravated	100	38.9	2.3 *	4.5 *	32.1	59.9	1.2 *
	Simple	100	46.8	2.5	3.8	40.5	52.0	1.2 *
<b>Female</b>	Crimes of violence	100	67.1	19.9	6.9	40.3	30.9	2.0
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	69.2	10.1 *	1.8 *	57.3	28.2	2.5 *
	Robbery	100	54.8	19.1	11.0 *	24.7	42.8	2.4 *
	Assault	100	68.0	21.0	7.0	40.0	30.1	1.9
	Aggravated	100	58.2	18.7	8.0	31.5	36.8	5.0 *
	Simple	100	70.3	21.5	6.8	42.0	28.5	1.2 *
<b>All Races</b>	Crimes of violence	100	54.0	10.6	5.0	38.3	44.4	1.7
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	67.1	8.8 *	1.6 *	56.7	30.7	2.2 *
	Robbery	100	35.0	9.3	4.0 *	21.7	62.5	2.5 *
	Assault	100	55.4	10.9	5.3	39.2	43.1	1.5
	Aggravated	100	46.7	9.0	5.9	31.9	50.6	2.7 *
	Simple	100	57.8	11.4	5.2	41.2	41.0	1.2
<b>White</b>	Crimes of violence	100	53.7	10.5	4.9	38.3	44.9	1.4
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	62.8	9.4 *	2.4 *	51.1	35.9	1.3 *
	Robbery	100	35.9	8.0 *	5.6 *	22.3	62.9	1.2 *
	Assault	100	55.0	10.8	5.0	39.3	43.5	1.4
	Aggravated	100	47.5	9.2	5.8	32.5	49.9	2.6 *
	Simple	100	57.0	11.2	4.8	41.0	41.9	1.1
<b>Black</b>	Crimes of violence	100	56.3	10.1	5.8	40.3	40.5	3.2 *
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	78.8	0.0 *	0.0 *	78.8	16.6 *	4.6 *
	Robbery	100	32.5	11.9 *	0.0 *	20.6 *	60.6	6.9 *
	Assault	100	58.2	11.0	7.6	39.6	39.4	2.4 *
	Aggravated	100	42.4	8.5 *	6.7 *	27.2	54.4	3.2 *
	Simple	100	65.4	12.1	8.1	45.2	32.6	2.0 *
<b>Other</b>	Crimes of violence	100	49.2	17.7 *	4.3 *	27.2	50.8	0.0 *
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	54.9 *	54.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	45.1 *	0.0 *
	Robbery	100 *	34.9 *	16.8 *	0.0 *	18.0 *	65.1 *	0.0 *
	Assault	100	51.8	13.8 *	5.7 *	32.3	48.2	0.0 *
	Aggravated	100 *	75.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	75.4 *	24.6 *	0.0 *
	Simple	100	49.6	15.1 *	6.2 *	28.3 *	50.4	0.0 *
<b>Ethnicity</b>	Crimes of violence	100	54.0	10.6	5.0	38.3	44.4	1.7
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	67.1	8.8 *	1.6 *	56.7	30.7	2.2 *
	Robbery	100	35.0	9.3	4.0 *	21.7	62.5	2.5 *
	Assault	100	55.4	10.9	5.3	39.2	43.1	1.5
	Aggravated	100	46.7	9.0	5.9	31.9	50.6	2.7 *
	Simple	100	57.8	11.4	5.2	41.2	41.0	1.2
<b>Hispanic</b>	Crimes of violence	100	50.2	7.2	7.0	35.9	49.4	0.4 *
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	30.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	30.7 *	69.3 *	0.0 *
	Robbery	100	31.0 *	6.0 *	0.0 *	24.9 *	69.0	0.0 *
	Assault	100	54.0	7.6	8.4	37.9	45.6	0.5 *
	Aggravated	100	49.6	2.2 *	9.2 *	38.3	48.8	1.6 *
	Simple	100	55.9	10.1	8.1 *	37.7	44.1	0.0 *
<b>Non-Hispanic</b>	Crimes of violence	100	54.4	11.0	4.8	38.6	43.8	1.8
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	70.2	9.6 *	1.7 *	58.9	27.4	2.4 *
	Robbery	100	36.0	10.0	4.9 *	21.2	61.0	3.0 *
	Assault	100	55.4	11.2	5.0	39.3	42.9	1.7
	Aggravated	100	46.2	10.3	5.3	30.6	50.9	2.9 *
	Simple	100	57.8	11.4	4.9	41.6	40.8	1.4

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 44. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations, by type of crime and perceived gender of offenders**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations				
		Perceived gender of offenders				
		Total	All male	All female	Male and female	Not known and not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,091,760</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>73.9 %</b>	<b>10.5 %</b>	<b>13.2 %</b>	<b>2.5 %*</b>
Completed violence	433,470	100	73.8	10.5	13.0	2.7 *
Attempted/threatened violence	658,280	100	74.0	10.5	13.2	2.3 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	39,580	100	85.5	0.0 *	14.5 *	0.0 *
Robbery	219,770	100	81.6	4.3 *	10.9 *	3.3 *
Completed/property taken	181,890	100	77.7	5.2 *	13.2 *	3.9 *
With injury	89,620	100	71.4	7.8 *	15.7 *	5.1 *
Without injury	92,260	100	83.9	2.6 *	10.7 *	2.9 *
Attempted to take property	37,870	100	100.0	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury	7,970 *	100 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	29,900 *	100 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	832,400	100	71.3	12.6	13.7	2.4 *
Aggravated	242,510	100	78.9	6.8 *	12.1 *	2.1 *
Simple	589,890	100	68.2	15.0	14.3	2.5 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 45. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations, by type of crime and perceived age of offenders**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations						
		Perceived age of offenders						
		Total	All under 12	All 12-20	All 21-29	All 30 and over	Mixed ages	Not known and not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,091,760</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>0.5 %*</b>	<b>37.9 %</b>	<b>16.4 %</b>	<b>6.6 %</b>	<b>26.0 %</b>	<b>12.6 %</b>
Completed violence	433,470	100	0.0 *	26.0	20.2	9.9	27.7	16.2
Attempted/threatened violence	658,280	100	0.8 *	45.7	13.8	4.5 *	24.9	10.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	39,580	100	0.0 *	38.3 *	10.9 *	0.0 *	43.6 *	7.3 *
Robbery	219,770	100	0.0 *	27.7	23.3	7.1 *	20.9	21.1
Completed/property taken	181,890	100	0.0 *	25.2	24.3	8.5 *	19.5	22.5
With injury	89,620	100	0.0 *	13.3 *	22.6 *	11.0 *	30.9 *	22.2 *
Without injury	92,260	100	0.0 *	36.7	25.9 *	6.1 *	8.4 *	22.8 *
Attempted to take property	37,870	100	0.0 *	39.7 *	18.6 *	0.0 *	27.5 *	14.2 *
With injury	7,970 *	100 *	0.0 *	65.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	34.2 *	0.0 *
Without injury	29,900 *	100 *	0.0 *	32.7 *	23.6 *	0.0 *	25.7 *	18.0 *
Assault	832,400	100	0.6 *	40.5	14.8	6.8	26.6	10.7
Aggravated	242,510	100	1.1 *	26.2	16.6	5.7 *	38.1	12.3 *
Simple	589,890	100	0.4 *	46.4	14.1	7.3	21.8	10.0

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 46. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations, by type of crime and perceived race of offenders**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations					
		Perceived race of offenders					
		Total	All white	All black	All other	Mixed races	Not known and not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,091,760</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>41.8 %</b>	<b>24.1 %</b>	<b>13.6 %</b>	<b>14.1 %</b>	<b>6.4 %</b>
Completed violence	433,470	100	34.0	32.4	13.1	15.0	5.5 *
Attempted/threatened violence	658,280	100	46.9	18.6	14.0	13.5	7.0
Rape/Sexual assault/a	39,580	100	39.8 *	29.3 *	10.9 *	20.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	219,770	100	22.8	42.8	12.0 *	14.7	7.6 *
Completed/property taken	181,890	100	22.2	43.5	8.9 *	16.3 *	9.2 *
With injury	89,620	100	21.1 *	41.2	10.6 *	16.2 *	11.0 *
Without injury	92,260	100	23.3 *	45.7	7.2 *	16.4 *	7.4 *
Attempted to take property	37,870	100	26.0 *	39.8 *	27.0 *	7.2 *	0.0 *
With injury	7,970 *	100 *	33.0 *	32.8 *	0.0 *	34.2 *	0.0 *
Without injury	29,900 *	100 *	24.1 *	41.7 *	34.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	832,400	100	46.9	18.9	14.2	13.6	6.4
Aggravated	242,510	100	37.8	22.5	18.5	14.0	7.1 *
Simple	589,890	100	50.6	17.3	12.5	13.5	6.1

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 47. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations, by type of crime, age of victims and perceived age of offenders**

Type of crime and age of victim	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations						
		Total	Perceived age of offenders					Not known and not available
			All under 12	All 12-20	All 21-29	All 30 and over	Mixed ages	
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>								
12-19	422,730	100 %	1.3 %*	64.4 %	6.7 %*	3.0 %*	17.0 %	7.6 %
20-34	411,610	100 %	0.0 *	18.0	31.8	5.1 *	32.6	12.5
35-49	168,920	100 %	0.0 *	27.8	3.0 *	14.2 *	35.3	19.8
50-64	71,220	100 %	0.0 *	19.8 *	20.6 *	20.6 *	19.5 *	19.5 *
65 and over	17,280 *	100 %*	0.0 *	34.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	25.5 *	40.0 *
<b>Robbery</b>								
12-19	54,810	100 %	0.0 *	44.3 *	10.2 *	10.5 *	15.5 *	19.5 *
20-34	88,250	100 %	0.0 *	29.3 *	41.1	0.0 *	10.7 *	18.9 *
35-49	31,770	100 %	0.0 *	15.1 *	0.0 *	8.9 *	60.2 *	15.8 *
50-64	29,800 *	100 %*	0.0 *	0.0 *	31.6 *	23.2 *	14.6 *	30.6 *
65 and over	15,140 *	100 %*	0.0 *	39.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	29.1 *	31.6 *
<b>Assault</b>								
12-19	342,030	100 %	1.6 *	68.9	5.3 *	2.0 *	15.9	6.3 *
20-34	312,550	100 %	0.0 *	14.5	30.3	6.7 *	37.4	11.1
35-49	134,270	100 %	0.0 *	31.4	3.7 *	15.7 *	30.2	19.0 *
50-64	41,420	100 %	0.0 *	34.0 *	12.7 *	18.6 *	23.1 *	11.6 *
65 and over	2,140 *	100 %*	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 48. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations  
by type of crime, race of victims and perceived race of offenders**

Type of crime and race of victim	Number of multiple- offender victimizations	Percent of multiple-offender victimizations					Not known and not available
		Total	Perceived race of offenders				
			All white	All black	All other	Mixed races	
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>							
White	902,260	100 %	45.7 %	16.4 %	15.3 %	15.8 %	6.7 %
Black	161,350	100 %	22.2	64.3	2.6 *	6.7 *	4.2 *
<b>Robbery</b>							
White	171,340	100 %	28.0	34.3	13.0 *	18.9	5.8 *
Black	39,350	100 %	0.0 *	72.2 *	10.5 *	0.0 *	17.2 *
<b>Assault</b>							
White	703,400	100 %	50.0	12.4	15.9	14.6	7.1
Black	112,800	100 %	31.8	58.6	0.0 *	9.6 *	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 49. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations, by type of crime and detailed victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of multiple-offender victimizations							
		Total	Some or all related					Brothers and sisters	Other relatives
			Total	Spouses and ex-spouses	Parents	Own children			
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,091,760</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>1.1 %</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>	<b>0.3 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>	
Completed violence	433,470	100	2.2 *	1.1 *	0.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.6 *	
Attempted/threatened violence	658,290	100	0.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Rape/Sexual assault/b	39,580	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Robbery	219,770	100	1.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.1 *	
Completed/property taken	181,890	100	1.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.3 *	
Attempted to take property	37,880	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Assault	832,400	100	1.2 *	0.5 *	0.3 *	0.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Aggravated	242,510	100	1.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Simple	589,890	100	1.2 *	0.8 *	0.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	

Type of crime	Some or all well known, not related/a	Some or all casual acquaintances	Don't know	Stranger
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>9.9 %</b>	<b>17.6 %</b>	<b>1.6 %*</b>	<b>69.8 %</b>
Completed violence	8.7	13.2	1.8 *	74.1
Attempted/threatened violence	10.7	20.5	1.4 *	66.9
Rape/Sexual assault/b	25.3 *	38.4 *	0.0 *	36.3 *
Robbery	3.8 *	11.5 *	0.0 *	83.6
Completed/property taken	1.6 *	13.9 *	0.0 *	83.2
Attempted to take property	14.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	85.9
Assault	10.8	18.2	2.0 *	67.7
Aggravated	5.1 *	13.4	2.2 *	78.0
Simple	13.2	20.2	1.9 *	63.5

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victim whose relationship to the victim was not ascertained.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 50. Violent crimes, 2002:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and number of years lived at current residence**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Total	Less than 6 months/a	6 months to 1 year	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years or more
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>62.4</b>	<b>45.0</b>	<b>27.7</b>	<b>29.8</b>	<b>23.8</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>14.2</b>
Completed violence	7.6	25.8	14.6	10.0	9.6	6.2	6.3	3.9
Attempted/threatened violence	15.5	36.6	30.3	17.7	20.2	17.6	9.8	10.3
Rape/Sexual assault/b	1.1	4.4	1.8 *	1.2 *	1.3 *	1.4 *	0.2 *	0.5
Robbery	2.2	6.5	3.9	2.4	3.1	2.3	1.6 *	1.3
Completed/property taken	1.7	5.2	3.1	1.8 *	2.5	1.6 *	0.8 *	1.0
Attempted to take property	0.6	1.4 *	0.8 *	0.6 *	0.7 *	0.8 *	0.8 *	0.3
Assault	19.8	51.5	39.2	24.2	25.4	20.1	14.3	12.4
Aggravated	4.3	12.3	8.7	7.7	4.5	3.7	3.0	2.5
With injury	1.4	6.8	2.2	2.5	1.3 *	0.5 *	1.1 *	0.5
Threatened with weapon	2.9	5.5	6.5	5.1	3.2	3.2	1.9 *	1.9
Simple	15.5	39.2	30.5	16.5	20.9	16.4	11.3	9.9
With minor injury	3.9	10.6	8.1	5.1	4.9	3.7	4.2	2.2
Without injury	11.6	28.6	22.4	11.4	16.0	12.6	7.1	7.7
Total population age 12 and over	230,192,000	18,272,270	14,254,430	15,643,060	20,387,820	17,525,070	13,173,330	130,936,020

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
Excludes data on persons whose mobility was not ascertained.  
\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
a/These numbers are unbounded estimates.  
b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 51. Property crimes, 2002:

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**Victimization rates by type of crime and number of years lived at current residence**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	Total	Less than 6 months/a	6 months to 1 year	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years or more
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>170.5</b>	<b>345.2</b>	<b>270.7</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>192.5</b>	<b>167.3</b>	<b>163.9</b>	<b>127.5</b>
Household burglary	29.7	66.6	49.7	34.6	28.4	27.3	29.7	22.5
Completed	25.2	59.2	38.0	29.3	24.5	23.5	26.5	19.0
Forcible entry	9.9	24.3	12.6	12.6	12.6	11.3	8.5	6.9
Unlawful entry without force	15.3	34.9	25.4	16.7	11.9	12.2	18.0	12.1
Attempted forcible entry	4.5	7.4	11.7	5.3	3.8	3.7 *	3.2 *	3.5
Motor vehicle theft	9.6	19.3	15.0	14.1	11.8	10.4	6.1	7.1
Completed	7.6	16.2	11.3	12.5	9.4	8.0	5.2 *	5.4
Attempted	2.0	3.1 *	3.7 *	1.7 *	2.5 *	2.4 *	0.9 *	1.7
Theft	131.2	259.4	206.0	173.7	152.3	129.5	128.0	97.9
Completed	126.8	253.4	199.9	167.2	148.0	125.4	120.8	94.3
Less than \$50	40.6	65.0	54.4	51.4	54.0	38.6	40.1	32.8
\$50 - \$249	43.4	89.5	78.2	59.8	46.8	46.7	46.7	30.1
\$250 or more	31.8	85.8	52.6	41.3	33.9	28.3	22.4	22.1
Amount not available	11.0	13.2	14.7	14.7	13.4	11.8	11.7	9.3
Attempted	4.4	5.9	6.1	6.6	4.2	4.1	7.2	3.5

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Excludes data on persons whose mobility was not ascertained.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/These numbers are unbounded estimates.

Table 52. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and locality of residence of victims**

Type of crime	Rates per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
	All areas	Total		50,000-249,999		250,000-499,999	
		Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban
<b>Personal Crimes</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>34.4</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>37.9</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>39.6</b>	<b>20.7</b>
Crimes of violence	23.1	33.1	20.0	37.5	15.9	38.3	19.9
Completed violence	7.6	11.6	6.3	11.9	5.0	17.0	6.0
Attempted/threatened violence	15.5	21.6	13.7	25.6	10.8	21.3	13.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.1	2.2	0.7	2.4	0.4 *	0.6 *	1.2
Robbery	2.2	4.3	1.8	2.6	1.8	7.6	1.6
Completed/property taken	1.7	3.3	1.3	2.0	1.3	6.8	1.2
With injury	0.7	1.2	0.7	0.8 *	0.9	3.4	0.7 *
Without injury	0.9	2.1	0.6	1.2 *	0.4 *	3.4	0.5 *
Attempted to take property	0.5	1.0	0.5	0.7 *	0.5 *	0.9 *	0.4 *
With injury	0.2	0.2 *	0.2 *	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.0 *	0.2 *
Without injury	0.4	0.8	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.9 *	0.2 *
Assault	19.8	26.7	17.6	32.6	13.7	30.1	17.1
Aggravated	4.3	6.5	3.5	6.3	3.4	9.7	2.6
With injury	1.4	2.0	1.1	1.5 *	0.9 *	4.3	1.2
Threatened with weapon	2.9	4.5	2.4	4.7	2.5	5.4	1.5
Simple	15.5	20.2	14.1	26.3	10.3	20.3	14.4
With minor injury	3.9	5.1	3.6	7.1	2.7	5.3	3.0
Without injury	11.6	15.1	10.5	19.2	7.6	15.0	11.4
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	0.7	1.2	0.6	0.4 *	0.3 *	1.3 *	0.8 *
Population age 12 and over	231,589,260	64,533,840	111,164,070	19,377,970	33,918,960	9,774,350	26,924,760

Personal Crimes	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over				
	500,000-999,999		1,000,000 or more		Rural
	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	
<b>Personal Crimes</b>	<b>34.4</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>28.7</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>17.6</b>
Crimes of violence	33.0	26.1	26.9	18.8	17.5
Completed violence	12.2	8.9	8.3	5.4	5.4
Attempted/threatened violence	20.8	17.2	18.5	13.3	12.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	2.7	0.6 *	2.4	0.5 *	0.6
Robbery	5.0	2.0	3.8	1.7	0.7
Completed/property taken	3.6	1.7	2.6	0.8 *	0.5 *
With injury	1.3 *	0.7 *	0.5 *	0.4 *	0.3 *
Without injury	2.3	1.1	2.2	0.4 *	0.2 *
Attempted to take property	1.4 *	0.3 *	1.2 *	0.9 *	0.1 *
With injury	0.5 *	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.3 *	0.0 *
Without injury	0.9 *	0.2 *	0.9 *	0.5 *	0.1 *
Assault	25.3	23.5	20.7	16.6	16.2
Aggravated	6.3	5.2	5.3	2.5	3.3
With injury	2.1 *	1.4	1.3 *	0.8 *	1.2
Threatened with weapon	4.2	3.8	4.0	1.7	2.1
Simple	19.0	18.3	15.4	14.1	12.9
With minor injury	4.5	5.4	3.5	3.6	3.1
Without injury	14.5	12.9	11.9	10.5	9.8
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	1.4 *	0.7 *	1.9	0.6 *	0.2 *
Population age 12 and over	14,047,610	28,545,860	21,333,930	21,774,480	55,891,360

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."

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The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

The population range categories shown for "Urban" and "Suburban" are based on the size of the core city of a Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) and do not reflect the population of the entire MSA.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 53. Property crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates by type of crime and locality of residence

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households						
	All areas	Total		50,000-249,999		250,000-499,999	
		Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>159.0</b>	<b>215.3</b>	<b>145.3</b>	<b>223.1</b>	<b>137.0</b>	<b>238.7</b>	<b>136.7</b>
Household burglary	27.7	40.5	22.4	45.1	20.7	39.3	22.7
Completed	23.5	34.1	19.1	37.8	17.2	33.8	18.4
Forcible entry	9.2	16.4	6.1	16.3	4.6	18.0	7.8
Unlawful entry without force	14.3	17.8	12.9	21.6	12.6	15.8	10.6
Attempted forcible entry	4.2	6.4	3.4	7.3	3.4	5.4 *	4.3
Motor vehicle theft	9.0	17.1	7.5	9.3	5.3	19.6	7.2
Completed	7.1	13.1	6.0	9.0	4.3	14.9	5.9
Attempted	1.9	4.0	1.4	0.3 *	1.0 *	4.7 *	1.3 *
Theft	122.3	157.7	115.4	168.7	111.1	179.9	106.7
Completed	118.2	151.5	111.6	164.3	105.7	170.6	103.8
Less than \$50	37.9	42.5	37.1	49.3	40.6	44.4	34.2
\$50 - \$249	40.4	55.3	36.5	62.2	35.4	57.9	32.0
\$250 or more	29.6	40.3	28.0	42.5	22.2	49.1	26.9
Amount not available	10.2	13.4	10.0	10.3	7.6	19.2	10.7
Attempted	4.1	6.2	3.8	4.4	5.4	9.3	2.9
Total number of households	110,323,840	31,937,800	51,446,980	9,207,710	15,382,280	4,982,290	12,670,550

Type of crime	Rates per 1,000 households				
	500,000-999,999		1,000,000 or more		Rural
	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>202.3</b>	<b>156.3</b>	<b>206.2</b>	<b>154.4</b>	<b>118.3</b>
Household burglary	45.6	22.2	33.5	25.2	22.6
Completed	38.0	19.9	28.3	21.6	19.5
Forcible entry	19.5	5.9	13.5	6.7	6.7
Unlawful entry without force	18.5	14.0	14.8	14.9	12.9
Attempted forcible entry	7.5	2.3 *	5.2	3.5	3.0
Motor vehicle theft	19.9	8.2	20.7	10.2	2.2
Completed	15.6	6.8	14.0	7.9	2.0
Attempted	4.4	1.4 *	6.6	2.3 *	0.3 *
Theft	136.8	125.9	152.0	119.0	93.5
Completed	130.7	121.9	145.6	116.6	91.3
Less than \$50	38.6	36.5	38.5	36.4	34.1
\$50 - \$249	47.4	40.4	53.5	38.5	30.1
\$250 or more	33.9	33.0	38.5	31.7	20.1
Amount not available	10.7	12.0	15.1	10.1	7.0
Attempted	6.2	4.0	6.3	2.4 *	2.2
Total number of households	7,195,150	13,385,490	10,552,650	10,008,660	26,939,060

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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Table 54. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by locality of residence, race, gender and ethnicity  
of victims and type of crime**

Locality of residence, race, gender and ethnicity	Total population	All personal crimes	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
			Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/ threatened violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
							Total	With injury	Without injury
<b>All areas</b>									
White male	94,313,900	26.1	25.4	7.2	18.1	0.2 *	2.5	1.1	1.4
White female	98,643,080	20.9	20.3	7.6	12.7	1.5	1.4	0.5	0.8
Black male	13,164,830	29.3	29.0	8.1	20.9	0.7 *	5.7	2.2 *	3.5
Black female	15,706,600	27.9	27.0	10.4	16.5	4.0	2.7	1.3 *	1.4 *
Hispanic male	13,746,320	28.0	27.9	10.3	17.5	0.3 *	4.3	1.1 *	3.2
Hispanic female	13,245,160	19.8	19.2	7.1	12.1	1.2 *	2.0 *	0.2 *	1.8 *
Non-Hispanic male	97,772,940	25.8	25.1	6.8	18.3	0.3 *	2.7	1.2	1.5
Non-Hispanic female	105,289,940	21.8	21.1	7.9	13.2	1.9	1.5	0.7	0.8
<b>Urban</b>									
White male	22,587,130	37.5	36.4	12.8	23.5	0.5 *	5.0	1.7	3.4
White female	23,524,140	33.2	31.4	11.4	20.0	2.6	2.9	1.0 *	1.9
Black male	6,458,570	37.6	37.6	10.1	27.5	1.5 *	8.5	2.3 *	6.2
Black female	8,056,700	34.3	32.9	12.9	20.0	6.4	2.6 *	1.2 *	1.4 *
Hispanic male	6,197,410	33.3	32.9	13.8	19.1	0.0 *	5.6	0.7 *	4.9 *
Hispanic female	6,212,580	28.4	27.5	10.0	17.5	1.9 *	3.8 *	0.4 *	3.4 *
Non-Hispanic male	24,543,570	37.6	36.7	11.4	25.3	0.7 *	5.8	2.1	3.8
Non-Hispanic female	27,149,150	33.2	31.5	11.6	19.8	3.9	2.7	1.2	1.5
<b>Suburban</b>									
White male	47,767,880	24.1	23.5	6.1	17.3	0.1 *	2.4	1.3	1.1
White female	49,270,350	17.3	16.8	6.6	10.2	1.1	1.1	0.5 *	0.6 *
Black male	4,275,780	25.9	24.9	5.5 *	19.4	0.0 *	3.5 *	2.6 *	0.9 *
Black female	4,900,090	23.9	23.1	8.2	14.9	2.2 *	3.1 *	1.6 *	1.5 *
Hispanic male	6,310,840	24.0	24.0	8.9	15.2	0.0 *	3.9 *	1.7 *	2.2 *
Hispanic female	5,876,360	12.5	12.2	4.4 *	7.8	0.6 *	0.5 *	0.0 *	0.5 *
Non-Hispanic male	47,802,700	23.7	23.0	5.6	17.4	0.2 *	2.2	1.3	1.0
Non-Hispanic female	50,403,600	18.2	17.6	6.8	10.8	1.2	1.3	0.7	0.6
<b>Rural</b>									
White male	23,958,890	19.3	18.9	4.2	14.7	0.0 *	0.3 *	0.2 *	0.1 *
White female	25,848,590	16.7	16.7	5.9	10.8	1.2 *	0.5 *	0.1 *	0.4 *
Black male	2,430,480	13.3	13.3	7.5 *	5.8 *	0.0 *	2.2 *	1.3 *	0.9 *
Black female	2,749,810	16.5	16.5	7.3 *	9.3 *	0.0 *	2.1 *	0.7 *	1.4 *
Hispanic male	1,238,070	21.9 *	21.9 *	0.0 *	21.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Hispanic female	1,156,220	10.3 *	10.3 *	5.1 *	5.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Non-Hispanic male	25,426,660	18.4	18.0	4.6	13.3	0.0 *	0.5 *	0.3 *	0.2 *
Non-Hispanic female	27,737,180	17.3	17.3	6.4	10.9	1.2	0.8 *	0.3 *	0.5 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."

The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."

The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races and data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 54. Personal crimes, 2002: (continued)

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Locality of residence, race, gender and ethnicity	Assault			Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
	Total	Aggra- vated	Simple	
<b>All areas</b>				
White male	22.7	5.2	17.5	0.7
White female	17.4	3.1	14.4	0.7
Black male	22.5	7.4	15.1	0.3 *
Black female	20.3	6.0	14.3	0.9 *
Hispanic male	23.3	8.6	14.7	0.2 *
Hispanic female	16.0	3.5	12.6	0.6 *
Non-Hispanic male	22.2	4.8	17.3	0.7
Non-Hispanic female	17.7	3.4	14.3	0.7
<b>Urban</b>				
White male	30.8	7.9	22.9	1.1 *
White female	25.9	4.1	21.8	1.7
Black male	27.6	9.6	18.1	0.0 *
Black female	23.8	9.6	14.3	1.4 *
Hispanic male	26.7	11.5	15.2	0.4 *
Hispanic female	21.8	4.0 *	17.8	1.0 *
Non-Hispanic male	30.2	7.1	23.1	0.9 *
Non-Hispanic female	24.8	5.5	19.4	1.8
<b>Suburban</b>				
White male	20.9	4.4	16.5	0.6 *
White female	14.6	2.8	11.8	0.5 *
Black male	21.3	6.7 *	14.6	1.0 *
Black female	17.8	1.6 *	16.2	0.7 *
Hispanic male	20.2	5.6	14.5	0.0 *
Hispanic female	11.1	2.9 *	8.2	0.3 *
Non-Hispanic male	20.6	4.3	16.3	0.7
Non-Hispanic female	15.1	2.6	12.5	0.6 *
<b>Rural</b>				
White male	18.5	4.0	14.5	0.5 *
White female	15.0	2.7	12.4	0.0 *
Black male	11.1 *	3.1 *	8.0 *	0.0 *
Black female	14.4	3.6 *	10.8 *	0.0 *
Hispanic male	21.9 *	9.0 *	13.0 *	0.0 *
Hispanic female	10.3 *	3.5 *	6.8 *	0.0 *
Non-Hispanic male	17.4	3.7	13.8	0.4 *
Non-Hispanic female	15.2	2.7	12.5	0.0 *

Table 55. Property crimes, 2002:

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race of head of household and type of crime**

Locality and race	Total households	Rate per 1,000 households			
		Property crimes	Household burglary	Motor vehicle theft	Theft
<b>All areas</b>					
White	92,182,320	157.6	26.0	7.5	124.1
Black	14,013,850	173.7	41.3	17.2	115.2
<b>Urban</b>					
White	22,867,860	220.0	37.0	15.0	168.1
Black	7,354,200	211.7	53.6	22.8	135.4
<b>Suburban</b>					
White	45,038,270	145.9	22.3	6.6	116.9
Black	4,390,810	150.4	28.9	15.8	105.7
<b>Rural</b>					
White	24,276,190	120.6	22.5	2.3	95.8
Black	2,268,840	95.7	25.5	2.1 *	68.1

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."

The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."

The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 56. Property crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates by type of crime, form of tenure, race of head of household, and locality of residence

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	All races/a				White			
	Owned or being bought				Owned or being bought			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>136.4</b>	<b>196.9</b>	<b>131.0</b>	<b>98.0</b>	<b>135.8</b>	<b>200.7</b>	<b>132.1</b>	<b>98.6</b>
Household burglary	23.9	39.1	20.0	19.2	23.3	36.4	20.5	19.4
Completed	20.8	33.9	16.9	17.5	20.4	32.2	17.3	18.1
Forcible entry	7.6	15.2	5.5	5.4	6.5	12.7	5.2	4.9
Unlawful entry without force	13.2	18.7	11.4	12.2	13.8	19.5	12.1	13.2
Attempted forcible entry	3.2	5.2	3.1	1.7	2.9	4.2	3.3	1.3 *
Motor vehicle theft	6.5	13.0	6.0	2.3	5.6	11.3	5.2	2.4
Completed	5.0	9.1	4.7	2.1	4.3	8.1	4.0	2.2
Attempted	1.5	3.9	1.2	0.2 *	1.3	3.2	1.2	0.1 *
Theft	105.9	144.9	105.0	76.5	106.9	153.0	106.4	76.8
Completed	102.2	138.3	101.5	74.5	103.1	145.4	103.0	74.7
Less than \$50	35.3	43.4	35.5	28.6	36.2	46.7	36.2	29.0
\$50 - \$249	33.7	49.5	32.1	23.8	33.8	51.9	32.5	23.8
\$250 or more	24.0	33.3	24.2	16.2	24.4	35.6	24.9	15.8
Amount not available	9.2	12.1	9.7	6.0	8.8	11.2	9.3	6.1
Attempted	3.7	6.6	3.5	1.9	3.8	7.6	3.4	2.1
Total number of households	75,023,210	16,337,340	38,340,760	20,345,100	66,051,630	12,666,220	34,661,180	18,724,230

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	Owned or being bought				Rented			
	Black				All races/a			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>148.3</b>	<b>189.2</b>	<b>135.0</b>	<b>86.2</b>	<b>207.0</b>	<b>234.5</b>	<b>187.3</b>	<b>181.0</b>
Household burglary	32.0	52.5	14.8	19.1 *	35.7	41.9	29.6	32.9
Completed	25.7	42.9	12.5 *	12.6 *	29.4	34.4	25.4	25.7
Forcible entry	18.4	29.6	8.3 *	12.6 *	12.7	17.6	8.0	10.6
Unlawful entry without force	7.3	13.3	4.1 *	0.0 *	16.7	16.7	17.4	15.1
Attempted forcible entry	6.3	9.5 *	2.3 *	6.5 *	6.2	7.6	4.2	7.2
Motor vehicle theft	13.7	17.7	15.9	1.4 *	14.2	21.4	11.8	1.9 *
Completed	10.4	12.6	13.8	0.0 *	11.6	17.2	9.9	1.6 *
Attempted	3.2 *	5.0 *	2.1 *	1.4 *	2.6	4.2	2.0 *	0.3 *
Theft	102.7	119.1	104.3	65.7	157.1	171.2	145.9	146.1
Completed	99.6	115.9	99.5	65.7	152.2	165.4	141.0	143.0
Less than \$50	28.3	30.0	29.9	22.0	43.5	41.7	41.9	51.2
\$50 - \$249	35.7	46.6	30.1	22.6	54.7	61.4	49.1	49.6
\$250 or more	21.8	25.4	20.9	15.8 *	41.7	47.7	39.3	32.3
Amount not available	13.8	13.9	18.6	5.3 *	12.3	14.6	10.7	10.0
Attempted	3.1 *	3.2 *	4.9 *	0.0 *	4.9	5.8	4.9	3.1 *
Total number of households	6,791,730	2,936,580	2,444,970	1,410,180	35,300,630	15,600,460	13,106,210	6,593,960

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	White				Black			
	Rented				Rented			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>212.7</b>	<b>244.0</b>	<b>191.8</b>	<b>194.4</b>	<b>197.6</b>	<b>226.7</b>	<b>169.9</b>	<b>111.2</b>
Household burglary	32.9	37.7	28.2	33.0	50.1	54.3	46.8	36.0
Completed	28.1	32.3	24.3	27.7	37.3	40.0	39.4	18.8 *
Forcible entry	11.3	15.4	7.4	11.1	18.8	22.9	13.4 *	9.6 *
Unlawful entry without force	16.8	16.8	16.9	16.6	18.6	17.1	26.0	9.2 *
Attempted forcible entry	4.8	5.4	3.9	5.3 *	12.7	14.2	7.4 *	17.2 *
Motor vehicle theft	12.5	19.5	11.3	1.8 *	20.6	26.2	15.6 *	3.1 *
Completed	10.2	16.1	9.1	1.4 *	16.7	20.4	14.3 *	3.1 *
Attempted	2.3	3.4	2.2	0.4 *	3.9 *	5.8 *	1.3 *	0.0 *
Theft	167.3	186.8	152.2	159.6	126.9	146.2	107.5	72.0
Completed	162.4	181.2	147.3	156.0	121.9	139.2	104.5	72.0
Less than \$50	48.1	46.5	45.8	55.2	30.1	34.0	22.8	26.7 *
\$50 - \$249	56.9	66.4	49.3	53.8	49.3	55.7	44.6	26.9 *
\$250 or more	44.2	51.1	41.5	36.7	34.4	39.6	32.9	10.8 *
Amount not available	13.2	17.2	10.7	10.3	8.1	9.9	4.2 *	7.6 *
Attempted	4.9	5.6	4.9	3.6 *	5.0	6.9	3.0 *	0.0 *
Total number of households	26,130,690	10,201,640	10,377,090	5,551,970	7,222,120	4,417,620	1,945,840	858,660

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

Table 57. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime, region and locality of residence

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	All regions				Northeast			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>34.4</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>23.5</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>25.3</b>
Crimes of violence	23.1	33.1	20.0	17.5	18.8	21.2	15.6	24.4
Completed violence	7.6	11.6	6.3	5.4	5.9	6.9	5.3	5.8
Attempted/threatened violence	15.5	21.6	13.7	12.1	13.0	14.3	10.3	18.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.1	2.2	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8 *	0.4 *	1.6 *
Robbery	2.2	4.3	1.8	0.7	1.5	2.1 *	1.4	0.8 *
Completed/property taken	1.7	3.3	1.3	0.5 *	1.1	1.4 *	1.1 *	0.3 *
With injury	0.7	1.2	0.7	0.3 *	0.9	0.7 *	1.1 *	0.3 *
Without injury	0.9	2.1	0.6	0.2 *	0.2 *	0.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	0.5	1.0	0.5	0.1 *	0.4 *	0.7 *	0.2 *	0.5 *
With injury	0.2	0.2 *	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.1 *	0.0 *
Without injury	0.4	0.8	0.2 *	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.5 *	0.1 *	0.5 *
Assault	19.8	26.7	17.6	16.2	16.7	18.3	13.8	22.0
Aggravated	4.3	6.5	3.5	3.3	2.7	3.6	2.1	3.2 *
With injury	1.4	2.0	1.1	1.2	0.6 *	1.0 *	0.7 *	0.0 *
Threatened with weapon	2.9	4.5	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.6	1.4	3.2 *
Simple	15.5	20.2	14.1	12.9	13.9	14.8	11.7	18.8
With minor injury	3.9	5.1	3.6	3.1	3.6	3.9	3.3	3.9
Without injury	11.6	15.1	10.5	9.8	10.3	10.8	8.4	14.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	0.7	1.2	0.6	0.2 *	1.2	2.3 *	0.6 *	1.0 *
Population age 12 and over	231,589,260	64,533,840	111,164,070	55,891,360	43,705,120	12,868,760	22,776,040	8,060,320

  

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Midwest				South			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>26.2</b>	<b>42.8</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>13.4</b>
Crimes of violence	25.7	41.7	22.0	18.3	19.7	27.1	19.7	13.3
Completed violence	9.1	15.2	7.5	6.5	6.8	9.8	5.9	5.6
Attempted/threatened violence	16.6	26.6	14.5	11.8	12.9	17.3	13.8	7.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.0	2.8	0.5 *	0.3 *	1.0	1.7	0.8 *	0.6 *
Robbery	2.2	5.5	1.6	0.4 *	2.6	4.6	2.6	0.8 *
Completed/property taken	1.7	4.4	1.0 *	0.4 *	2.0	3.8	1.8	0.7 *
With injury	0.8	1.6 *	0.7 *	0.2 *	0.6	0.8 *	0.6 *	0.4 *
Without injury	0.9	2.7	0.3 *	0.3 *	1.4	3.0	1.2	0.3 *
Attempted to take property	0.5 *	1.1 *	0.5 *	0.0 *	0.6	0.8 *	0.8 *	0.1 *
With injury	0.2 *	0.2 *	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.3 *	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.0 *
Without injury	0.4 *	0.9 *	0.3 *	0.0 *	0.3 *	0.6 *	0.3 *	0.1 *
Assault	22.6	33.5	20.0	17.5	16.2	20.8	16.4	11.9
Aggravated	4.3	7.6	3.6	2.6	4.7	7.0	3.9	3.9
With injury	1.7	3.0	1.5	0.9 *	1.5	2.0	0.8 *	2.0
Threatened with weapon	2.6	4.5	2.1	1.7 *	3.2	5.0	3.1	1.9
Simple	18.3	25.9	16.4	14.8	11.5	13.8	12.5	7.9
With minor injury	5.3	6.6	4.6	5.2	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.2
Without injury	13.0	19.4	11.8	9.7	8.8	11.0	9.5	5.7
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	0.5 *	1.1 *	0.5 *	0.0 *	0.6	1.0 *	0.7 *	0.1 *
Population age 12 and over	54,065,070	13,385,840	24,171,470	16,507,750	83,470,930	20,698,120	38,290,700	24,482,110

  

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	West			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>30.0</b>	<b>43.3</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>22.1</b>
Crimes of violence	29.4	42.4	22.6	22.1
Completed violence	8.7	14.3	6.7	1.6 *
Attempted/threatened violence	20.8	28.1	15.8	20.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.6	3.3	0.9 *	0.0 *
Robbery	2.3	4.6	1.3	0.4 *
Completed/property taken	1.7	3.2	1.0 *	0.4 *
With injury	0.8	1.5 *	0.5 *	0.4 *
Without injury	0.8	1.7 *	0.5 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	0.6	1.4 *	0.3 *	0.0 *
With injury	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	0.5 *	1.1 *	0.3 *	0.0 *
Assault	25.5	34.6	20.4	21.7
Aggravated	5.0	7.2	4.1	2.5 *
With injury	1.5	2.0	1.4	0.4 *
Threatened with weapon	3.5	5.2	2.7	2.1 *
Simple	20.6	27.4	16.3	19.2
With minor injury	4.7	7.5	3.9	0.8 *
Without injury	15.8	19.9	12.4	18.4
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	0.5 *	0.8 *	0.5 *	0.0 *
Population age 12 and over	50,348,150	17,581,120	25,925,860	6,841,170

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 58. Property crimes, 2002:

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Victimization rates by type of crime, region and locality of residence

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	All regions				Northeast			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>159.0</b>	<b>215.3</b>	<b>145.3</b>	<b>118.3</b>	<b>117.0</b>	<b>126.7</b>	<b>108.0</b>	<b>125.7</b>
Household burglary	27.7	40.5	22.4	22.6	18.4	23.2	14.0	22.7
Completed	23.5	34.1	19.1	19.5	15.0	18.8	11.3	19.3
Forcible entry	9.2	16.4	6.1	6.7	4.8	8.7	3.5	1.8 *
Unlawful entry without force	14.3	17.8	12.9	12.9	10.3	10.1	7.8	17.5
Attempted forcible entry	4.2	6.4	3.4	3.0	3.4	4.3 *	2.7 *	3.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	9.0	17.1	7.5	2.2	6.4	11.2	5.7	0.6 *
Completed	7.1	13.1	6.0	2.0	5.5	9.7	4.8	0.6 *
Attempted	1.9	4.0	1.4	0.3 *	0.9 *	1.5 *	0.9 *	0.0 *
Theft	122.3	157.7	115.4	93.5	92.1	92.3	88.3	102.4
Completed	118.2	151.5	111.6	91.3	88.3	88.0	84.9	98.3
Less than \$50	37.9	42.5	37.1	34.1	33.0	27.8	33.5	40.0
\$50 - \$249	40.4	55.3	36.5	30.1	28.9	28.6	28.3	30.9
\$250 or more	29.6	40.3	28.0	20.1	17.5	19.6	16.1	17.8
Amount not available	10.2	13.4	10.0	7.0	9.0	12.1	6.9	9.6
Attempted	4.1	6.2	3.8	2.2	3.8	4.3 *	3.4	4.1 *
Total number of households	110,323,840	31,937,800	51,446,980	26,939,060	20,821,680	6,354,700	10,628,640	3,838,340

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	Midwest				South			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>155.8</b>	<b>221.6</b>	<b>135.7</b>	<b>128.3</b>	<b>147.8</b>	<b>222.3</b>	<b>140.9</b>	<b>94.2</b>
Household burglary	30.7	57.1	19.4	24.4	28.2	45.3	22.2	22.3
Completed	25.9	46.9	17.1	20.4	24.1	38.8	18.4	19.9
Forcible entry	10.5	24.4	5.0	6.4	10.7	20.1	6.0	9.7
Unlawful entry without force	15.4	22.5	12.1	14.0	13.4	18.7	12.4	10.2
Attempted forcible entry	4.8	10.1	2.3 *	3.9	4.1	6.6	3.8	2.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	7.9	20.7	4.8	1.2 *	7.9	16.0	6.4	3.3
Completed	6.0	15.5	3.9	0.9 *	6.1	11.6	5.0	2.9
Attempted	1.8	5.2	1.0 *	0.3 *	1.8	4.4	1.4 *	0.4 *
Theft	117.2	143.8	111.5	102.7	111.8	161.0	112.3	68.6
Completed	113.4	137.0	108.1	100.8	108.0	155.4	107.5	67.8
Less than \$50	40.3	41.1	38.9	41.5	31.9	40.5	35.5	19.1
\$50 - \$249	38.5	50.8	35.1	33.0	37.6	58.7	35.5	22.7
\$250 or more	24.9	31.3	25.2	19.0	29.7	44.8	27.3	20.2
Amount not available	9.7	13.8	8.9	7.3	8.8	11.4	9.2	5.8
Attempted	3.8	6.8	3.4	1.9 *	3.8	5.6	4.8	0.8 *
Total number of households	26,238,340	6,822,000	11,482,180	7,934,160	40,202,070	10,310,590	17,922,400	11,969,080

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households			
	West			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>219.9</b>	<b>268.3</b>	<b>196.7</b>	<b>175.0</b>
Household burglary	31.9	34.2	33.8	19.0
Completed	27.6	29.6	29.3	16.5
Forcible entry	9.3	11.0	10.0	1.9 *
Unlawful entry without force	18.4	18.6	19.3	14.7
Attempted forcible entry	4.2	4.6	4.4	2.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	14.3	19.8	13.5	2.6 *
Completed	11.4	15.3	11.0	2.6 *
Attempted	2.9	4.5	2.4 *	0.0 *
Theft	173.8	214.2	149.5	153.4
Completed	168.5	206.3	146.4	147.5
Less than \$50	50.4	57.3	41.3	64.7
\$50 - \$249	57.6	75.0	46.9	50.0
\$250 or more	45.9	57.7	43.0	25.5
Amount not available	14.5	16.3	15.1	7.3 *
Attempted	5.3	7.9	3.1	5.9 *
Total number of households	23,061,760	8,450,520	11,413,760	3,197,480

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."  
 The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."  
 The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 59. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime and time of occurrence

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	Daytime	Nighttime			Not known	Not known and not available
			6 a.m.-6 p.m.	Total	6 p.m. - midnight	Midnight - 6 a.m.		
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,923,050</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>52.7 %</b>	<b>45.6 %</b>	<b>32.4 %</b>	<b>12.1 %</b>	<b>1.1 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>
Completed violence	1,605,900	100	45.7	53.1	35.1	16.9	1.2 *	1.1 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,317,150	100	56.1	42.0	31.1	9.9	1.0	1.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	247,730	100	35.0	63.2	32.4	27.9	2.9 *	1.8 *
Robbery	458,460	100	45.6	53.3	35.6	16.1	1.6 *	1.0 *
Completed/property taken	341,910	100	43.1	55.5	37.0	16.5	2.1 *	1.4 *
With injury	159,120	100	38.7	58.3	38.3	20.0	0.0 *	3.0 *
Without injury	182,790	100	46.9	53.1	35.8	13.4 *	3.9 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	116,550	100	53.0	47.0	31.8	15.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury	39,040	100	42.1 *	57.9 *	49.5 *	8.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	77,510	100	58.5	41.5	22.9 *	18.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,216,850	100	54.5	43.8	32.1	10.8	0.9	1.7
Aggravated	848,030	100	42.2	56.2	38.1	17.4	0.7 *	1.6 *
Simple	3,368,820	100	57.6	40.6	30.5	9.1	1.0	1.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	154,190	100	62.4	35.6	30.4	5.2 *	0.0 *	2.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,539,220</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>37.9 %</b>	<b>42.4 %</b>	<b>12.5 %</b>	<b>16.2 %</b>	<b>13.7 %</b>	<b>19.7 %</b>
Household burglary	3,055,720	100	41.2	32.3	11.6	11.9	8.8	26.5
Completed	2,597,310	100	43.4	29.9	11.1	10.5	8.3	26.6
Forcible entry	1,017,660	100	47.8	32.6	13.1	10.8	8.7	19.6
Unlawful entry without force	1,579,650	100	40.6	28.2	9.8	10.3	8.1	31.2
Attempted forcible entry	458,410	100	28.3	45.8	14.6	19.9	11.3	25.9
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	100	20.3	71.7	17.0	33.4	21.3	8.0
Completed	780,630	100	22.1	69.2	17.8	31.4	20.0	8.7
Attempted	208,120	100	13.5 *	81.0	13.9 *	40.7	26.4	5.4 *
Theft	13,494,750	100	38.4	42.6	12.4	16.0	14.2	19.0
Completed	13,039,920	100	38.8	41.7	12.2	15.4	14.1	19.5
Less than \$50	4,186,570	100	44.6	33.4	10.6	11.1	11.7	22.0
\$50 - \$249	4,455,080	100	38.8	42.6	12.9	14.6	15.2	18.6
\$250 or more	3,270,530	100	31.3	52.5	13.1	22.7	16.7	16.2
Amount not available	1,127,740	100	38.8	38.0	12.8	13.6	11.6	23.3
Attempted	454,830	100	27.4	67.1	17.9	32.0	17.2	5.4 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

**Table 60. Personal robbery and assault by armed or unarmed offenders, 2002:**

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime, type of offender and time of occurrence**

Type of crime and offender	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	Daytime 6 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Nighttime			Not known	Not known and not available
				Total	6 p.m.- midnight	Midnight - 6 a.m.		
<b>Robbery</b>								
By armed offenders	215,470	100 %	39.1 %	59.7 %	40.1 %	19.6 %	0.0 %*	1.1 %*
By unarmed offenders	189,230	100 %	51.3	47.4	30.6	14.5 *	2.4 *	1.2 *
<b>Assault</b>								
By armed offenders	814,050	100 %	43.1	55.2	37.6	16.9	0.8 *	1.7 *
By unarmed offenders	3,060,990	100 %	58.3	40.0	29.9	9.2	1.0 *	1.7

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Excludes data in which the presence of a weapon was not ascertained.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 61. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime and place of occurrence

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	At or in respondent's home	Near home	On the street near home	At, in, or near a friend's relative's or neighbor's home	Inside a restaurant, bar, or nightclub	Other commercial building
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,923,050</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>16.3 %</b>	<b>11.0 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>8.9 %</b>	<b>4.2 %</b>	<b>7.1 %</b>
Completed violence	1,605,900	100	23.0	9.3	3.5	13.0	3.6	4.2
Attempted/threatened violence	3,317,150	100	13.1	11.9	4.9	7.0	4.5	8.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	247,730	100	26.1	3.4 *	1.4 *	17.0	2.8 *	14.2
Robbery	458,460	100	21.8	7.8	4.4 *	5.6 *	1.0 *	3.0 *
Completed/property taken	341,910	100	22.1	7.1 *	4.2 *	6.4 *	1.4 *	4.0 *
With injury	159,120	100	23.6	6.1 *	6.4 *	6.2 *	0.7 *	6.2 *
Without injury	182,790	100	20.7	7.9 *	2.3 *	6.6 *	2.1 *	2.1 *
Attempted to take property	116,550	100	21.0 *	9.9 *	4.9 *	3.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury	39,040	100	33.6 *	0.0 *	6.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	77,510	100	14.7 *	14.8 *	4.0 *	4.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,216,850	100	15.2	11.8	4.6	8.8	4.6	7.1
Aggravated	848,030	100	15.8	15.0	3.2 *	9.3	3.5 *	7.9
Simple	3,368,820	100	15.0	11.0	5.0	8.7	4.9	7.0
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	154,190	100	3.7 *	3.7 *	1.4 *	10.0 *	9.6 *	14.9 *
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	100	1.3 *	27.3	18.1	3.6	...	...
Completed	780,630	100	1.2 *	28.0	15.3	4.2	...	...
Attempted	208,120	100	1.5 *	24.8	28.8	1.3 *	...	...
Theft	13,494,750	100	9.7	34.3	6.0	2.9	1.8	5.5

Type of crime	Percent of incidents					
	Parking lot or garage	Inside school building/on school property	In apartment yard, park, field, or playground	On street other than near own home	On public transportation or inside station	Other
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>7.6 %</b>	<b>15.1 %</b>	<b>2.5 %</b>	<b>14.0 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>7.7 %</b>
Completed violence	6.9	11.4	2.4	14.1	1.2 *	7.4
Attempted/threatened violence	8.0	16.9	2.6	13.9	0.9 *	7.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	2.1 *	3.8 *	1.6 *	13.5	1.2 *	13.0
Robbery	14.7	3.8 *	1.9 *	28.3	2.8 *	4.8 *
Completed/property taken	13.8	2.2 *	1.5 *	30.7	2.8 *	3.8 *
With injury	4.2 *	1.6 *	0.0 *	42.7	2.3 *	0.0 *
Without injury	22.1	2.8 *	2.9 *	20.2	3.2 *	7.2 *
Attempted to take property	17.5 *	8.4 *	2.9 *	21.4 *	3.0 *	7.8 *
With injury	30.2 *	8.0 *	0.0 *	12.4 *	9.1 *	0.0 *
Without injury	11.1 *	8.6 *	4.4 *	26.0 *	0.0 *	11.7 *
Assault	7.2	17.0	2.7	12.5	0.8	7.7
Aggravated	8.8	6.8	2.0 *	18.6	0.4 *	8.8
Simple	6.7	19.6	2.8	10.9	0.8 *	7.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	9.4 *	6.0 *	2.1 *	33.4	4.4 *	1.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	36.2	0.7 *	0.0 *	10.4	...	2.4 *
Completed	35.4	0.9 *	0.0 *	12.3	...	2.7 *
Attempted	39.3	0.0 *	0.0 *	3.2 *	...	1.1 *
Theft	15.6	10.9	1.3	3.9	0.8	7.3

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

**Table 62. Personal robbery and assault by armed or unarmed offenders, 2002:**

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime, type of offender and place of occurrence**

Type of crime and offender	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	At or in respondent's home	Near home	On the street near home	At, in, or near a friend's relative's or neighbor's home	Inside a restaurant, bar, or nightclub	Other commercial building
<b>Robbery</b>								
By armed offenders	215,470	100 %	14.4 %	9.2 %*	2.9 %*	4.9 %*	2.2 %*	3.1 %*
By unarmed offenders	189,230	100 %	32.3	8.4 *	1.3 *	8.0 *	0.0 *	3.7 *
<b>Assault</b>								
By armed offenders	814,050	100 %	15.8	15.4	3.3 *	9.0	3.0 *	8.2
By unarmed offenders	3,060,990	100 %	16.0	10.9	4.5	8.4	5.0	6.6

Type of crime and offender	Parking lot or garage	Percent of incidents					Other
		Inside school building/on school property	In apartment yard, park, field, or playground	On street other than near own home	On public transportation or inside station		
<b>Robbery</b>							
By armed offenders	24.5 %	1.5 %*	3.2 %*	24.7 %	4.4 %*	5.0 %*	
By unarmed offenders	3.8 *	7.5 *	0.9 *	27.8	1.9 *	4.5 *	
<b>Assault</b>							
By armed offenders	8.2	6.5	1.6 *	19.4	0.4 *	9.2	
By unarmed offenders	6.7	20.5	2.9	10.3	0.8 *	7.3	

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Excludes incidents in which the presence of a weapon was not ascertained.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 63. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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Percent distribution of incidents, by victim-offender relationship, type of crime and place of occurrence

Relationship and type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	At or in respondent's home	Near home	On the street near home	At, in, or near a friend's relative's or neighbor's home	Inside a restaurant, bar, or nightclub	Other commercial building
<b>Involving strangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	2,403,050	100 %	5.4 %	10.2 %	6.5 %	4.6 %	4.7 %	8.0 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	83,930	100 %	10.6 *	0.0 *	4.2 *	18.5 *	0.0 *	7.6 *
Robbery	330,540	100 %	13.2	6.5 *	5.3 *	2.3 *	1.5 *	3.2 *
Assault	1,988,580	100 %	3.8	11.2	6.8	4.4	5.4	8.8
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	2,520,000	100 %	26.8	11.8	2.5	13.0	3.8	6.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	163,800	100 %	34.0	5.2 *	0.0 *	16.2 *	4.3 *	17.6 *
Robbery	127,930	100 %	44.1	11.1 *	2.0 *	14.0 *	0.0 *	2.4 *
Assault	2,228,270	100 %	25.3	12.4	2.7	12.7	4.0	5.7

Relationship and type of crime	Percent of incidents					
	Parking lot or garage	Inside school building/on school property	In apartment yard, park, field, or playground	On street other than near own home	On public transportation or inside station	Other
<b>Involving strangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	11.5 %	10.5 %	3.3 %	23.3 %	2.0 %	10.1 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	2.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	28.9 *	3.4 *	24.0 *
Robbery	20.4	1.7 *	2.6 *	32.6	3.9 *	6.7 *
Assault	10.4	12.4	3.5	21.5	1.6	10.1
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	3.9	19.5	1.8	5.1	0.0 *	5.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.7 *	5.7 *	2.4 *	5.6 *	0.0 *	7.3 *
Robbery	0.0 *	9.1 *	0.0 *	17.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	4.2	21.1	1.9	4.4	0.0 *	5.7

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 64. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of incidents, by victim's activity at time of incident and type of crime

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents					
		Total	Working or on duty	On the way to or from work	On the way to or from school	On the way to or from some other place	Shopping or running errands
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,923,050</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>15.2 %</b>	<b>3.5 %</b>	<b>4.2 %</b>	<b>8.1 %</b>	<b>2.7 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	247,730	100 %	9.9 *	2.4 *	1.2 *	8.2 *	4.5 *
Robbery	458,460	100 %	3.1 *	7.7	7.7	20.2	2.7 *
Aggravated assault	848,030	100 %	17.3	3.1 *	4.5	7.7	3.0 *
Simple assault	3,368,820	100 %	16.7	3.1	3.9	6.5	2.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	154,190	100 %	0.0 *	9.0 *	0.0 *	22.2	25.8
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,539,220</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>13.0 %</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>
Household burglary	3,055,720	100 %	19.1	0.9 *	3.7	1.4	4.2
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	100 %	9.1	0.9 *	0.4 *	0.7 *	3.8
Theft	13,494,750	100 %	11.9	0.5	3.5	1.0	4.5

Type of crime	Percent of incidents						
	Attending school	Leisure activity away from home	Sleeping	Other activities at home	Other	Don't know	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>10.0 %</b>	<b>22.0 %</b>	<b>2.9 %</b>	<b>23.4 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>	<b>0.6 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	2.6 *	30.3	8.6 *	23.2	7.8 *	1.3 *	0.0 *
Robbery	1.7 *	20.8	8.0	15.7	11.1	1.4 *	0.0 *
Aggravated assault	4.3	25.1	4.4	23.6	6.6	0.3 *	0.0 *
Simple assault	13.1	20.8	1.4	24.4	7.0	0.6 *	0.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	6.0 *	25.0	5.6 *	1.4 *	4.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>6.3 %</b>	<b>15.0 %</b>	<b>25.5 %</b>	<b>11.4 %</b>	<b>4.8 %</b>	<b>14.7 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>
Household burglary	1.2	20.5	15.1	11.2	6.4	16.4	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	0.5 *	12.3	50.6	12.1	2.4 *	7.3	0.0 *
Theft	7.9	13.9	26.0	11.4	4.7	14.9	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 65. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of incidents, by distance from home and type of crime

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents			
		Total	Inside home or lodging	Near respondent's home	One mile from home or less
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,923,050</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>16.6 %</b>	<b>16.9 %</b>	<b>19.4 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	247,730	100	30.0	6.3 *	12.7
Robbery	458,460	100	21.8	15	29.1
Assault	4,216,850	100	15.2	17.8	18.7
Aggravated	848,030	100	15.8	18.2	18.4
Simple	3,368,820	100	15.1	17.7	18.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	154,190	100	3.7 *	7.0 *	22.3
<b>Property crimes</b>					
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	100	1.3 *	63.1	5.2
Theft	13,494,750	100	9.8	46.6	7.5

Type of crime	Percent of incidents			
	Five miles from home or less	Fifty miles from home or less	More than 50 miles from home	Don't know or not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>23.1 %</b>	<b>19.4 %</b>	<b>3.2 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	25.8	18.9	4.1 *	2.2 *
Robbery	12.5	19.2	2.2 *	0.0 *
Assault	24.1	19.4	3.3	1.4
Aggravated	23.0	20.6	4.0	0.0 *
Simple	24.3	19.2	3.1	1.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	38.8	16.2 *	12.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>				
Motor vehicle theft	13.7	13.8	1.9 *	0.9 *
Theft	15.1	14.9	3.8	2.3

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 66. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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Percent of incidents, by victim-offender relationship, type of crime and weapons use

All incidents	Percent of incidents						
	Total incidents		No weapon used	Weapon used			
	Number	Percent		Total	Total firearm	Hand gun	Other gun
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,923,050</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>70.3 %</b>	<b>21.3 %</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>	<b>6.0 %</b>	<b>1.1 %</b>
Completed violence	1,605,900	100	67.5	25.7	8.4	7.4	1.1 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,317,150	100	71.6	19.1	6.6	5.3	1.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	247,730	100	84.5	7.2 *	4.6 *	4.6 *	0.0 *
Robbery	458,460	100	41.3	47.0	25.6	20.5	5.1 *
Completed/property taken	341,910	100	40.3	47.2	26.8	22.8	4.0 *
With injury	159,120	100	48.1	39.2	11.0 *	10.3 *	0.7 *
Without injury	182,790	100	33.6	54.2	40.5	33.7	6.9 *
Attempted to take property	116,550	100	44.0	46.4	22.2 *	14.0 *	8.2 *
With injury	39,040	100	37.3 *	56.0 *	17.3 *	7.0 *	10.3 *
Without injury	77,510	100	47.4	41.6	24.7 *	17.6 *	7.1 *
Assault	4,216,850	100	72.6	19.3	5.3	4.5	0.7 *
Aggravated	848,030	100	4.0	96.0	26.5	22.4	3.5 *
With injury	273,670	100	12.4	87.6	13.1	11.8	1.3 *
Threatened with weapon	574,360	100	...	100.0	33.0	27.5	4.6 *
Simple/b	3,368,820	100	89.9	...	...	...	...
With minor injury	845,940	100	93.4	...	...	...	...
Without injury	2,522,890	100	88.7	...	...	...	...
<b>Involving strangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	2,403,050	100	59.9	28.2	11.3	9.5	1.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	83,930	100	70.6	13.5 *	13.5 *	13.5 *	0.0 *
Robbery	330,540	100	27.2	58.4	34.9	28.5	6.4 *
Aggravated assault	486,100	100	2.5 *	97.5	30.0	25.2	4.2 *
Simple assault/b	1,502,490	100	85.1	...	...	...	...
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	2,520,000	100	80.1	14.6	3.2	2.7	0.5 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	163,800	100	91.6	3.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	127,930	100	77.6	17.6 *	1.7 *	0.0 *	1.7 *
Aggravated assault	361,940	100	6.0 *	94.0	21.9	18.7	2.6 *
Simple assault/b	1,866,340	100	93.7	...	...	...	...

  

	Percent of incidents						
	Weapon used						
	Gun type unknown	Knife	Sharp object	Blunt object	Other weapon	Weapon type unknown	Don't know if weapon present
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>4.0 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>8.5 %</b>
Completed violence	0.0 *	3.6	1.7 *	5.1	5.9	1.1 *	6.8
Attempted/threatened violence	0.2 *	4.8	0.7 *	2.1	3.1	1.7	9.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	2.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	8.4 *
Robbery	0.0 *	10.2	1.2 *	2.3 *	4.4 *	3.3 *	11.7
Completed/property taken	0.0 *	9.9	0.6 *	2.7 *	3.6 *	3.7 *	12.5
With injury	0.0 *	12.8 *	1.3 *	4.1 *	5.4 *	4.7 *	12.7 *
Without injury	0.0 *	7.3 *	0.0 *	1.5 *	2.0 *	2.8 *	12.2 *
Attempted to take property	0.0 *	11.3 *	2.8 *	1.1 *	6.8 *	2.2 *	9.6 *
With injury	0.0 *	22.6 *	0.0 *	3.4 *	6.2 *	6.4 *	6.7 *
Without injury	0.0 *	5.6 *	4.2 *	0.0 *	7.2 *	0.0 *	11.1 *
Assault	0.1 *	3.9	1.1	3.3	4.2	1.4	8.1
Aggravated	0.6 *	19.4	5.4	16.6	20.9	7.1	0.0 *
With injury	0.0 *	7.2 *	9.1 *	26.3	30.2	1.8 *	0.0 *
Threatened with weapon	0.9 *	25.2	3.7 *	12.0	16.5	9.6	0.0 *
Simple/b	...	...	...	...	...	...	10.1
With minor injury	...	...	...	...	...	...	6.6
Without injury	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.3
<b>Involving strangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	0.1 *	5.5	1.0 *	4.2	4.0	2.1	11.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	15.9 *
Robbery	0.0 *	11.9	1.6 *	0.9 *	4.5 *	4.6 *	14.4
Aggravated assault	0.6 *	19.2	4.0 *	20.3	16.5	7.5	0.0 *
Simple assault/b	...	...	...	...	...	...	14.9
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	0.1 *	3.4	1.1 *	2.0	4.1	0.9 *	5.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	3.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	4.5 *
Robbery	0.0 *	5.8 *	0.0 *	6.1 *	4.0 *	0.0 *	4.8 *
Aggravated assault	0.6 *	19.7	7.4 *	11.6	26.8	6.6 *	0.0 *
Simple assault/b	...	...	...	...	...	...	6.3

Note: Responses for weapons use are tallied once, based upon a hierarchy. In previous editions, multiple responses for weapons were tallied.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

b/Simple assault, by definition, does not involve the use of a weapon.

Table 67. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of violent crime victimizations  
by who was first to use or threaten to use physical force**

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations					
	Total crimes using force	Respondent was first to use force	Offender was first to use force	Someone else was first to use force	Don't know who was first to use force	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>86.8 %</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>	<b>1.9 %*</b>	<b>6.0 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	0.0 *	87.0	0.0 *	0.0 *	13.0 *
Robbery	100	9.5 *	90.5	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	100	4.7 *	86.3	0.4 *	2.3 *	6.2
Aggravated	100	5.8 *	87.1	2.1 *	0.0 *	4.9 *
Simple	100	4.4 *	86.1	0.0 *	2.9 *	6.6 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 68. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent of victimizations in which victims took self-protective measures, by type of crime and victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations		
	All victimizations	Involving strangers	Involving nonstrangers
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>70.1 %</b>	<b>67.8 %</b>	<b>72.4 %</b>
Completed violence	71.1	61.4	79.1
Attempted/threatened violence	69.6	70.5	68.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	82.1	76.3	85.1
Robbery	60.9	51.4	86.7
Completed/property taken	51.0	39.4	83.6
With injury	72.7	63.8	87.4
Without injury	33.9	25.0	77.0 *
Attempted to take property	91.1	89.5	95.1
With injury	95.7	100.0 *	89.1 *
Without injury	88.8	85.2	100.0 *
Assault	70.5	70.2	70.7
Aggravated	72.1	70.5	74.4
With injury	71.9	73.0	71.0
Threatened with weapon	72.2	69.7	76.9
Simple	70.0	70.1	70.0
With minor injury	78.2	75.1	79.8
Without injury	67.3	68.9	65.7

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 69. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations in which victims took self-protective measures, by characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Percent of all victimizations					
					Robbery			Assault		
					Total	With injury	Without injury	Total	Aggravated	Simple
<b>Gender</b>										
Male	68.3 %	63.8 %	70.1 %	47.6 %*	60.2 %	77.8 %	47.8 %	69.6	74.2 %	68.2 %
Female	72.1	77.4	68.9	87.2	62.1	76.5	52.0	71.5	69.1	72.1
<b>Race</b>										
White	70.2	71.6	69.5	85.0	67.1	85.5	54.0	69.9	71.8	69.4
Black	69.5	65.0	71.8	76.6	38.9	47.3 *	32.9 *	74.5	75.5	74.1
<b>Age</b>										
12-19	69.9	75.0	67.5	82.6	69.9	79.6	62.2	68.8	69.8	68.6
20-34	68.4	71.3	67.0	90.0	60.7	87.1	43.2	68.3	73.3	66.7
35-49	75.0	77.0	74.1	64.8 *	64.3	87.3	46.9 *	76.3	75.4	76.5
50-64	65.3	51.3	72.1	53.1 *	50.0	46.0 *	53.0 *	68.2	58.6	70.5
65 and over	68.8	35.7 *	87.3	100.0 *	43.9 *	43.0 *	44.3 *	78.6	90.3 *	73.5

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 70. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of self-protective measures employed by victims, by type of measure and type of crime**

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures			
	Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a
<b>Total number of self-protective measures</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Attacked offender with weapon	0.8	0.5 *	0.9	0.0 *
Attacked offender without weapon	9.4	11.4	8.2	9.7
Threatened offender with weapon	0.8	0.0 *	1.3	0.0 *
Threatened offender without weapon	1.9	1.4 *	2.3	0.0 *
Resisted or captured offender	24.5	33.9	18.9	25.4
Scared or warned offender	9.3	8.8	9.5	10.8
Persuaded or appeased offender	11.0	8.6	12.4	13.0
Ran away or hid	14.1	10.5	16.2	17.3
Got help or gave alarm	12.0	9.5	13.5	7.3 *
Screamed from pain or fear	2.7	5.5	1.1	8.5
Took other measures	13.5	9.8	15.6	8.1

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures					
	Robbery			Assault		
	Total	With injury	Without injury	Total	Aggravated	Simple
<b>Total number of self-protective measures</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Attacked offender with weapon	1.8 *	1.2 *	2.7 *	0.7	1.2 *	0.6 *
Attacked offender without weapon	11.4	16.1	5.3 *	9.2	6.5	10.0
Threatened offender with weapon	1.2 *	0.0 *	2.7 *	0.9	1.4 *	0.7 *
Threatened offender without weapon	0.7 *	0.0 *	1.6 *	2.2	2.4 *	2.2
Resisted or captured offender	30.2	37.2	21.2	23.8	21.2	24.6
Scared or warned offender	12.0	11.5 *	12.7 *	8.9	9.9	8.5
Persuaded or appeased offender	10.5	5.3 *	17.1	10.9	9.9	11.2
Ran away or hid	11.4	8.8 *	14.7 *	14.1	17.2	13.1
Got help or gave alarm	11.3	10.5 *	12.2 *	12.5	14.0	12.1
Screamed from pain or fear	4.3 *	6.6 *	1.2 *	2.1	4.0	1.5
Took other measures	5.3 *	2.8 *	8.6 *	14.8	12.2	15.6

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Some respondents may have cited more than one self-protective measure employed.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 71. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of self-protective measures employed by victims, by selected characteristics of victims**

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures				
	Both genders	Gender Male	Female	Race/a White	Black
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Attacked offender with weapon	0.8	0.9 *	0.7 *	0.5 *	2.6 *
Attacked offender without weapon	9.4	11.4	7.4	9.0	11.4
Threatened offender with weapon	0.8	1.1 *	0.5 *	0.8	1.3 *
Threatened offender without weapon	1.9	2.2	1.6	1.7	3.4 *
Resisted or captured offender	24.5	27.4	21.4	23.8	28.0
Scared or warned offender	9.3	8.7	9.9	9.2	8.1
Persuaded or appeased offender	11.0	11.6	10.3	11.3	9.0
Ran away or hid	14.1	12.4	15.8	14.5	12.6
Got help or gave alarm	12.0	10.7	13.5	12.6	9.4
Screamed from pain or fear	2.7	1.0 *	4.6	2.3	4.3
Took other measures	13.5	12.6	14.4	14.4	9.9

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Some respondents may have cited more than one self-protective measure employed.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Table 72. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations in which self-protective measures were employed, by person taking the measure, outcome of action and type of crime**

Person taking action and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations						
		Total	Helped situation	Hurt situation	Both helped and hurt situation	Neither helped nor hurt situation	Don't know	Not available
<b>Measure taken by victim</b>								
Crimes of violence	3,744,110	100 %	64.8 %	9.7 %	4.9 %	11.8 %	8.2 %	0.6 %*
Rape/Sexual assault/a	203,400	100	51.2	24.2	8.2 *	10.4 *	6.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	312,260	100	51.2	13.3	6.7 *	14.6	13.2	0.9 *
Assault	3,228,450	100	67.0	8.5	4.5	11.6	7.8	0.6 *
Aggravated	714,150	100	65.9	8.1	6.8	11.5	7.4	0.4 *
Simple	2,514,300	100	67.3	8.6	3.9	11.6	8.0	0.6 *
<b>Measure taken by others</b>								
Crimes of violence	3,496,770	100 %	32.2	10.4 %	2.3 %	45.7 %	8.0	1.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	73,160	100	45.8	4.7 *	0.0 *	36.5 *	8.5 *	4.6 *
Robbery	272,320	100	35.4	7.8 *	1.0 *	48.6	7.2 *	0.0 *
Assault	3,151,290	100	31.6	10.7	2.4	45.7	8.1	1.5
Aggravated	695,320	100	35.6	11.1	1.2 *	41.1	9.0	2.1 *
Simple	2,455,970	100	30.4	10.6	2.8	47.0	7.8	1.4

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes victimizations in which no self-protective actions were taken. Of those victimizations in which a self-protective measure or measures was/were employed, the victim and/or someone else may have taken the action. Therefore, the above categories are not mutually exclusive.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 73. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations in which self-protective measures taken by the victim were helpful**

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations							
		Total	Avoided injury or greater injury	Scared offender off	Escaped	Protected property	Protected other people	In other ways	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>3,473,270</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>46.3 %</b>	<b>15.3 %</b>	<b>16.6 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>6.5 %</b>	<b>9.4 %</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	142,120	100	35.0	16.4 *	44.7	0.0 *	0.0 *	3.9 *	0.0 *
Robbery	283,060	100	48.3	15.3	14.3	14.2	6.0 *	1.9 *	0.0 *
Assault	3,048,080	100	46.7	15.3	15.5	4.6	6.8	10.4	0.7 *
Aggravated	715,630	100	48.7	10.3	17.2	6.8	8.9	7.3	0.7 *
Simple	2,332,450	100	46.1	16.8	14.9	4.0	6.2	11.4	0.7 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes victimizations in which no self-protective actions were taken.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 74. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations in which self-protective measures taken by the victim were harmful**

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations							
		Total	Made offender angrier, more aggressive	Led to injury or greater injury	Caused greater property damage	Caused others to get hurt	Let offender get away	Made situation worse in other ways	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>634,520</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>64.8 %</b>	<b>13.4 %</b>	<b>1.1 %*</b>	<b>2.9 %*</b>	<b>1.3 %*</b>	<b>16.0 %</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>
Robbery	83,860	100	58.5	23.2 *	2.4 *	3.4 *	6.7 *	5.8 *	0.0 *
Assault	478,740	100	64.2	12.4	1.0 *	3.3 *	0.5 *	18.6	0.0 *
Aggravated	132,480	100	62.8	20.5 *	1.7 *	4.4 *	0.0 *	10.7 *	0.0 *
Simple	346,250	100	64.7	9.3	0.8 *	2.9 *	0.7 *	21.6	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes victimizations in which no self-protective actions were taken.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 75. Personal robbery and assault, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations in which victims sustained physical injury, by selected characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of all victims who sustained physical injury		
	Robbery and assault	Robbery	Assault
<b>Gender</b>			
Both genders	28.2 %	41.5 %	26.7 %
Male	25.0	41.5	22.9
Female	32.1	41.4	31.3
<b>Age</b>			
12-15	25.6	36.4 *	24.8
16-19	30.6	50.0	29.0
20-34	29.1	39.9	27.8
35-49	27.4	43.1	25.9
50-64	27.4	43.2 *	24.6
65 and over	21.5 *	33.1 *	16.1 *
<b>Race/a</b>			
White	28.4	41.7	27.2
Black	25.7	41.5	22.6
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>			
Strangers	22.9	35.2	20.8
Nonstrangers	33.6	58.5	32.2
<b>Income/b</b>			
Less than \$7,500	36.0	42.1 *	34.9
\$7,500-\$14,999	36.1	53.2	33.3
\$15,000-\$24,999	31.0	42.3 *	29.7
\$25,000-\$34,999	30.8	42.4 *	29.3
\$35,000-\$49,999	20.0	21.8 *	19.9
\$50,000-\$74,999	20.7	24.9 *	20.2
\$75,000 or more	27.4	55.1 *	25.8

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

b/Excludes data on persons whose family income level was not ascertained.

Table 76. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victims receiving medical care, by type of crime and where care was received

Type of crime	Number of locations where victims received medical care	Percent distribution of where care was received							
		Total	At the scene	At home or neighbor's or friend's home	Health unit at work or first-aid station	Doctor's office or health clinic	Emergency room at hospital; emergency clinic	Hospital	Other
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>822,820</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>8.2 %</b>	<b>29.6 %</b>	<b>2.2 %*</b>	<b>8.1 %</b>	<b>31.0 %</b>	<b>15.9 %</b>	<b>4.7 %</b>
Completed violence	777,760	100	8.4	30.5	2.4 *	8.3	29.5	16.5	4.2
Attempted/threatened violence	45,060	100	5.0 *	14.0 *	0.0 *	5.6 *	57.8 *	5.8 *	11.8 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	75,810	100	8.7 *	23.2 *	6.5 *	12.9 *	21.4 *	19.5 *	7.8 *
Robbery	144,830	100	9.5 *	24.2	0.0 *	9.2 *	36.4	17.1 *	3.7 *
Completed/property taken	113,850	100	12.1 *	30.8	0.0 *	11.7 *	26.0 *	19.4 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	30,980	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	74.3 *	8.5 *	17.2 *
Assault	602,180	100	7.8	31.7	2.2 *	7.3	30.9	15.2	4.5 *
Aggravated	281,300	100	10.8 *	19.2	0.8 *	5.2 *	38.9	20.5	4.5 *
Simple	320,870	100	5.2 *	42.6	3.5 *	9.1 *	23.9	10.5	4.5 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Some respondents may have received medical attention at more than one location.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 77. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent of victimizations in which victims incurred medical expenses, by selected characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of victimizations		
	Crimes of violence/a	Robbery	Assault
<b>Race</b>			
All races/b	7.2 %	15.0 %	6.0 %
White	7.4	15.9	6.2
Black	7.1	15.4 *	5.9
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>			
Strangers	7.2	15.5	5.3
Nonstrangers	7.3	13.6 *	6.7

Note: Data includes victimizations in which the amount of medical expenses incurred was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

b/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

Table 78. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations in which injured victims had health insurance coverage or were eligible for public medical services, by selected characteristics of victims**

Characteristic	Percent of victimizations
<b>Race</b>	
All races/a	71.1 %
White	70.1
Black	77.0
<b>Annual family income/b</b>	
Less than \$7,500	71.6
\$7,500-\$14,999	79.5
\$15,000-\$24,999	47.9
\$25,000-\$34,999	78.1
\$35,000-\$49,999	72.9
\$50,000-\$74,999	89.4
\$75,000 or more	81.3
<b>Gender</b>	
Male	66.2
Female	76.3
<b>Age</b>	
12-15	73.7
16-19	73.9
20-24	55.6
25-34	70.2
35-49	71.5
50-64	90.8
65 and over	100.0 *

Note: Data includes only those victimizations in which the victim received medical attention.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

b/Excludes data on persons whose family income level was not ascertained.

Table 79. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent of victimizations in which victims received hospital care,  
by selected characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of victimizations		
	Crimes of violence/a	Robbery	Assault
<b>Gender</b>			
Both genders	5.5 %	11.6 %	4.5 %
Male	5.1	13.2	4.0
Female	6.0	8.9 *	5.1
<b>Age</b>			
12-19	3.5	5.3 *	2.7
20-34	7.3	14.9 *	6.0
35-49	5.1	9.1 *	4.6
50-64	6.9	15.8 *	5.5 *
65 and over	4.1 *	13.5 *	0.0 *
<b>Race/a</b>			
White	5.6	12.0	4.6
Black	6.0	12.7 *	4.9 *
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>			
Strangers	5.4	12.4	3.7
Nonstrangers	5.6	9.5 *	5.2

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

b/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Table 80. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations in which injured victims received hospital care, by selected characteristics of victims, type of crime and type of hospital care**

Characteristic and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of injured victims receiving care						
		Total	Emergency room care	Inpatient care				Not available
				Total	Less than 1 day	1-3 days	4 days or more	
<b>Gender</b>								
Both genders								
Crimes of violence/a	293,920	100 %	55.4 %	44.6 %	36.1 %	3.3 %*	4.2 %*	1.1 %*
Robbery	59,620	100 %	58.5	41.5 *	31.5 *	6.1 *	3.9 *	0.0 *
Assault	205,730	100 %	55.5	44.5	36.8	2.9 *	4.8 *	0.0 *
Male								
Crimes of violence/a	145,860	100 %	52.4	47.6	35.9	6.6 *	5.1 *	0.0 *
Robbery	42,770	100 %	52.4 *	47.6 *	39.2 *	8.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	98,990	100 %	50.4	49.6	36.0	6.0 *	7.5 *	0.0 *
Female								
Crimes of violence/a	148,060	100 %	58.3	41.7	36.3	0.0 *	3.2 *	2.1 *
Robbery	16,850 *	100 %*	74.0 *	26.0 *	12.0 *	0.0 *	13.9 *	0.0 *
Assault	106,740	100 %	60.2	39.8	37.5	0.0 *	2.3 *	0.0 *
<b>Race/b</b>								
White								
Crimes of violence/a	245,850	100 %	54.8	45.2	37.4	1.5 *	5.0 *	1.3 *
Robbery	44,600	100 %	68.0 *	32.0 *	18.7 *	8.1 *	5.3 *	0.0 *
Assault	175,710	100 %	53.3	46.7	41.0	0.0 *	5.6 *	0.0 *
Black								
Crimes of violence/a	48,070	100 %	58.3 *	41.7 *	29.3 *	12.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	15,020 *	100 %*	30.4 *	69.6 *	69.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	30,020 *	100 %*	68.1 *	31.9 *	12.1 *	19.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>								
Involving strangers								
Crimes of violence/a	142,760	100 %	62.2	37.8	25.3	4.2 *	6.1 *	2.2 *
Robbery	46,460	100 %	64.6 *	35.4 *	30.4 *	0.0 *	5.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	82,410	100 %	58.3	41.7	26.8 *	7.2 *	7.7 *	0.0 *
Involving nonstrangers								
Crimes of violence/a	151,170	100 %	49.0	51.0	46.3	2.4 *	2.3 *	0.0 *
Robbery	13,170 *	100 %*	37.1 *	62.9 *	35.4 *	27.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	123,320	100 %	53.6	46.4	43.5	0.0 *	2.9 *	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

b/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Table 81. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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## Percent of victimizations resulting in economic loss, by type of crime and type of loss

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations resulting in economic loss						
	All economic losses	Theft losses			Damage losses		
		All theft losses	With damage	Without damage	All damage losses	With theft	Without theft
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>16.2 %</b>	<b>10.0 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>9.2 %</b>	<b>7.0 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>6.2 %</b>
Crimes of violence	13.8	7.4	0.8	6.6	7.2	0.8	6.4
Completed violence	31.4	22.4	2.5	19.9	11.4	2.5	8.9
Attempted/threatened violence	5.3	0.1 *	0.0 *	0.1 *	5.1	0.0 *	5.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	11.4 *	4.6 *	1.7 *	2.8 *	8.5 *	1.7 *	6.8 *
Robbery	77.8	75.3	7.8	67.5	10.4	7.8	2.5 *
Completed/property taken	100.0	100.0	10.4	89.6	10.4	10.4	...
With injury	100.0	100.0	12.8 *	87.2	12.8 *	12.8 *	...
Without injury	100.0	100.0	8.5 *	91.5	8.5 *	8.5 *	...
Attempted to take property	10.3 *	...	...	...	10.3 *	...	10.3 *
With injury	6.1 *	...	...	...	6.1 *	...	6.1 *
Without injury	12.4 *	...	...	...	12.4 *	...	12.4 *
Assault	6.8	...	...	...	6.8	...	6.8
Aggravated	12.8	...	...	...	12.8	...	12.8
Simple	5.2	...	...	...	5.2	...	5.2
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	98.6	98.6	0.0 *	98.6	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>96.4 %</b>	<b>91.8 %</b>	<b>14.1 %</b>	<b>77.8 %</b>	<b>18.6 %</b>	<b>14.1 %</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>
Household burglary	88.6	74.9	19.7	55.2	33.4	19.7	13.7
Completed	92.0	87.9	23.1	64.8	27.2	23.1	4.2
Forcible entry	94.0	85.3	54.6	30.7	63.3	54.6	8.7
Unlawful entry without force	90.8	89.5	2.7	86.8	4.0	2.7	1.2 *
Attempted forcible entry	69.2	1.2 *	0.6 *	0.5 *	68.7	0.6 *	68.1
Motor vehicle theft	93.5	79.0	14.9	64.0	29.5	14.9	14.6
Completed	100.0	100.0	18.9	81.1	18.9	18.9	...
Attempted	69.3	...	...	...	69.3	...	69.3
Theft	98.3	96.6	12.7	83.9	14.4	12.7	1.7
Completed	100.0	100.0	13.2	86.8	13.2	13.2	...
Less than \$50	100.0	100.0	4.1	95.9	4.1	4.1	...
\$50 - \$249	100.0	100.0	12.0	88.0	12.0	12.0	...
\$250 or more	100.0	100.0	26.7	73.3	26.7	26.7	...
Amount not available	100.0	100.0	12.1	87.9	12.1	12.1	...
Attempted	49.9	...	...	...	49.9	...	49.9

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Because both theft and damage losses occurred in some victimizations, the sum of entries under "All theft losses" and "All damage losses" does not equal the entry shown under "All economic losses."

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 82. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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**Total economic loss to victims of crime**

Type of crime	All crimes				Crimes involving loss of \$1 or more			Crimes involving loss-no monetary value specified
	Gross loss (in millions of dollars)	Total crimes	Mean dollar loss	Median dollar loss	Total crimes	Mean dollar loss	Median dollar loss	Total crimes
<b>All crimes</b>	15,568	23,036,030	676	100	16,045,360	970	147	2,295,140
<b>Personal crimes</b>	1,370	5,496,810	249	100	968,810	1,414	180	468,170
Crimes of violence	1,341	5,341,410	251	100	826,320	1,623	200	457,400
Rape/Sexual assault	18	247,730	72	100	53,370	332	180	22,180 *
Rape/Attempted rape	17	167,860	104	100	49,400	354	180	22,180 *
Rape	15	90,390	168	100	33,250	458	400	19,920 *
Attempted rape/a	2	77,470	29	150	16,150 *	140	150	2,250 *
Sexual assault/b	0	79,870	3	65	3,960 *	65	65	0 *
Robbery	496	512,490	969	150	383,270	1,295	175	44,190
Assault	827	4,581,190	180	70	389,680	2,121	240	391,040
Purse snatching	14	57,540	236	110	52,820	257	140	2,580 *
Pocket picking	16	97,860	162	70	89,670	177	80	8,190 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	14,198	17,539,220	810	100	15,076,550	942	140	1,826,960
Household burglary	3,341	3,055,720	1,093	290	2,314,710	1,443	300	396,950
Motor vehicle theft	6,214	988,760	6,285	3,500	789,810	7,868	4,000	135,070
Theft	4,643	13,494,750	344	89	11,972,020	388	100	1,294,940
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	8,512	12,017,780	708	100	8,455,330	1,007	150	1,046,060
Female	7,057	11,018,260	640	100	7,590,030	930	138	1,249,080
<b>Race</b>								
White	12,392	19,052,530	650	100	13,363,660	927	129	1,827,070
Black	2,445	3,259,320	750	120	2,174,530	1,124	200	367,120
Other	732	724,190	1,010	138	507,170	1,443	200	100,950
<b>Ethnicity</b>								
Hispanic	1,860	2,855,070	651	150	2,088,640	890	200	268,790
Non-Hispanic	13,552	20,016,290	677	100	13,844,510	979	130	2,008,040
<b>Age</b>								
12-15	5	756,200	7	10	77,630	68	30	49,240
16-19	322	1,356,460	237	100	479,560	671	200	142,110
20-24	1,940	2,695,640	720	150	1,723,850	1,125	200	239,040
25-34	3,693	4,517,400	818	120	3,211,330	1,150	175	454,900
35-49	5,780	8,297,400	697	100	6,358,050	909	120	776,220
50-64	2,890	3,861,600	748	100	3,004,730	962	125	402,980
65 and over	938	1,551,350	605	50	1,190,230	788	100	230,640
<b>Income</b>								
Less than \$7,500	511	1,368,220	373	100	918,480	556	150	162,470
\$7,500-\$14,999	737	2,006,550	367	70	1,322,690	557	120	291,750
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,430	2,839,910	504	100	1,956,230	731	135	270,450
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,546	2,533,240	610	100	1,763,970	876	125	216,970
\$35,000-\$49,999	2,264	3,346,470	677	100	2,327,630	973	120	299,850
\$50,000-\$74,999	2,569	2,911,870	882	100	2,065,610	1,244	125	258,690
\$75,000 or more	2,796	3,826,750	731	100	2,727,580	1,025	135	326,250

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 83. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in economic loss, by race of victims, type of crime and value of loss

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations								
		Total	No monetary value	Less than \$50	\$50-\$99	\$100-\$249	\$250-\$499	\$500-\$999	\$1000 or more	Not known and not available
<b>All races/a</b>										
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>891,510</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>21.4 %</b>	<b>9.6 %</b>	<b>16.9 %</b>	<b>6.1 %</b>	<b>7.7 %</b>	<b>11.2 %</b>	<b>22.6 %</b>
Crimes of violence/b	738,250	100	5.6	22.3	8.8	15.7	6.0	7.9	12.8	21.0
Completed violence	549,640	100	6.4	20.2	10.0	15.4	4.9 *	8.1	15.0	19.9
Attempted/threatened violence	188,610	100	3.2 *	28.4	5.4 *	16.4	9.1 *	7.4 *	6.1 *	24.0
Robbery	398,930	100	2.1 *	23.8	7.4 *	15.4	5.7 *	10.4	17.7	17.5
Completed/property taken	385,880	100	2.2 *	22.1	7.6 *	15.0	5.8 *	10.7	18.3	18.1
With injury	169,980	100	3.7 *	21.9	5.5 *	16.9 *	8.7 *	6.6 *	19.5	17.2 *
Without injury	215,890	100	0.9 *	22.3	9.3 *	13.6 *	3.6 *	14.0 *	17.4	18.8
Attempted to take property	13,050 *	100 *	0.0 *	75.3 *	0.0 *	24.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury	2,610 *	100 *	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	10,440 *	100 *	0.0 *	69.1 *	0.0 *	30.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	311,200	100	9.8	20.3	7.6 *	16.5	6.9 *	5.4 *	7.5 *	25.9
Aggravated	126,260	100	6.2 *	14.6 *	12.3 *	17.7 *	6.5 *	11.0 *	11.7 *	20.1 *
Simple	184,940	100	12.3 *	24.2	4.4 *	15.7 *	7.2 *	1.6 *	4.7 *	29.9
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	153,260	100	0.0 *	17.0 *	13.4 *	22.6	6.6 *	6.6 *	3.4 *	30.4
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>16,899,070</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>23.6 %</b>	<b>10.5 %</b>	<b>18.3 %</b>	<b>10.3 %</b>	<b>7.3 %</b>	<b>14.4 %</b>	<b>12.6 %</b>
Household burglary	2,707,230	100	3.4	11.1	6.6	15.4	12.4	10.0	24.6	16.5
Completed	2,389,820	100	2.6	10.0	6.2	17.0	13.0	11.2	27.4	12.5
Forcible entry	956,120	100	2.0 *	4.2	2.7 *	11.0	9.6	8.3	41.8	20.3
Unlawful entry without force	1,433,700	100	3.0	13.9	8.5	21.0	15.3	13.2	17.8	7.4
Attempted forcible entry	317,400	100	9.6	19.3	9.4 *	3.8 *	7.8 *	0.7 *	3.2 *	46.1
Motor vehicle theft	924,880	100	0.2 *	0.8 *	1.4 *	3.7	3.8	4.0	70.3	15.8
Completed	780,630	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.5 *	2.2 *	3.4 *	81.6	12.4
Attempted	144,250	100	1.6 *	4.9 *	9.0 *	21.5	12.6 *	7.1 *	9.2 *	34.1
Theft	13,266,970	100	3.2	27.8	11.9	19.8	10.3	6.9	8.5	11.6
Completed	13,039,920	100	3.1	28.0	12.0	19.8	10.2	7.0	8.4	11.5
Attempted	227,050	100	6.5 *	15.8	4.1 *	23.4	15.6	5.4 *	12.7 *	16.5

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

b/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 84. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in theft loss, by type of crime and type of property stolen

Type of property loss	Percent of property stolen							
	Personal crimes		Crimes of violence/a		Robbery		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,163,370</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>762,640</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>738,400</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>400,730</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Cash	332,900	28.6	199,230	26.1	199,230	27.0	133,670	33.4
Purse, wallet, credit cards	406,350	34.9	191,730	25.1	187,420	25.4	214,620	53.6
Vehicle or parts	34,270	2.9	34,270	4.5	34,270	4.6	0 *	0.0 *
Motor vehicles	21,500 *	1.8 *	21,500 *	2.8 *	21,500 *	2.9 *	0 *	0.0 *
Vehicle parts	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *
Unattached vehicle accessories	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *
Bicycle or parts	12,760 *	1.1 *	12,760 *	1.7 *	12,760 *	1.7 *	0 *	0.0 *
Household furnishings	35,940	3.1	35,940	4.7	31,630	4.3	0 *	0.0 *
Personal effects	316,720	27.2	269,680	35.4	254,050	34.4	47,050	11.7
Portable electronic, photographic gear	88,090	7.6	68,780	9.0	61,310	8.3	19,310 *	4.8 *
Jewelry, clothing	126,760	10.9	119,510	15.7	115,660	15.7	7,250 *	1.8 *
Other personal effects	101,870	8.8	81,390	10.7	77,080	10.4	20,490 *	5.1 *
Firearms	4,920 *	0.4 *	4,920 *	0.6 *	4,920 *	0.7 *	0 *	0.0 *
Tools, machinery	9,760 *	0.8 *	9,760 *	1.3 *	9,760 *	1.3 *	0 *	0.0 *
Other	22,500 *	1.9 *	17,110 *	2.2 *	17,110 *	2.3 *	5,390 *	1.3 *
Don't know	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *

Type of property loss	Percent of victimizations resulting in theft loss							
	Property crimes		Household burglary		Motor vehicle theft		Theft	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,934,580</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>4,095,260</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>1,145,720</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>17,693,600</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Cash	2,361,890	10.3	412,960	10.1	20,420 *	1.8 *	1,928,510	10.9
Purse, wallet, credit cards	2,660,210	11.6	317,990	7.8	48,620	4.2	2,293,600	13.0
Vehicle or parts	4,779,020	20.8	281,440	6.9	846,790	73.9	3,650,800	20.6
Motor vehicles	809,380	3.5	23,850 *	0.6 *	785,530	68.6	0 *	0.0 *
Vehicle parts	2,308,250	10.1	31,280	0.8	37,470	3.3	2,239,500	12.7
Unattached vehicle accessories	408,970	1.8	30,630	0.7	21,450 *	1.9 *	356,880	2.0
Bicycle or parts	1,252,420	5.5	195,670	4.8	2,340 *	0.2 *	1,054,410	6.0
Household furnishings	1,077,870	4.7	550,150	13.4	3,020 *	0.3 *	524,700	3.0
Personal effects	8,014,120	34.9	1,669,460	40.8	178,890	15.6	6,165,770	34.8
Portable electronic, photographic gear	2,766,900	12.1	507,130	12.4	61,320	5.4	2,198,450	12.4
Jewelry, clothing	2,242,680	9.8	597,120	14.6	48,140	4.2	1,597,420	9.0
Other personal effects	3,004,550	13.1	565,210	13.8	69,430	6.1	2,369,910	13.4
Firearms	157,040	0.7	90,260	2.2	6,000 *	0.5 *	60,780	0.3
Tools, machinery	1,731,490	7.5	475,370	11.6	32,980	2.9	1,223,140	6.9
Other	2,152,920	9.4	297,630	7.3	9,000 *	0.8 *	1,846,290	10.4
Don't know	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Some respondents may have cited multiple items as being stolen.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Crimes of violence includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 85. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in theft loss, by race of victims, type of crime and value of loss

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations resulting in theft loss								
		Total	No monetary value	Less than \$50	\$50-\$99	\$100-\$249	\$250-\$499	\$500-\$999	\$1,000 or more	Not known and not available
<b>All races/a</b>										
<b>All personal crimes/b</b>	<b>550,460</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>1.5 %*</b>	<b>20.9 %</b>	<b>9.7 %</b>	<b>18.5 %</b>	<b>6.4 %</b>	<b>9.8 %</b>	<b>13.3 %</b>	<b>19.8 %</b>
Robbery	385,880	100	2.2 *	22.1	8.5	15.5	6.4 *	11.4	17.7	16.1
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	153,260	100	0.0 *	17.0 *	13.4 *	22.6	6.6 *	6.6 *	3.4 *	30.4
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>16,107,910</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2.9 %</b>	<b>24.8 %</b>	<b>11.4 %</b>	<b>19.9 %</b>	<b>10.9 %</b>	<b>7.5 %</b>	<b>13.8 %</b>	<b>8.9 %</b>
Household burglary	2,287,360	100	2.3	10.0	7.2	17.9	14.3	13.1	27.7	7.6
Motor vehicle theft	780,630	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.5 *	2.6 *	3.4 *	80.6	12.9
Theft	13,039,920	100	3.2	28.9	12.8	21.4	10.8	6.7	7.3	8.9
<b>White</b>										
<b>All personal crimes/b</b>	<b>417,200</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>1.5 %*</b>	<b>22.1 %</b>	<b>11.0 %</b>	<b>17.8 %</b>	<b>5.4 %*</b>	<b>8.0 %</b>	<b>13.4 %</b>	<b>20.9 %</b>
Robbery	275,550	100	2.3 *	23.8	10.8 *	13.1	5.6 *	9.3 *	18.3	16.8
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	130,330	100	0.0 *	17.3 *	12.4 *	23.6	5.5 *	5.9 *	4.0 *	31.3
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>13,431,070</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>3.0 %</b>	<b>26.0 %</b>	<b>11.3 %</b>	<b>19.7 %</b>	<b>11.1 %</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>	<b>13.0 %</b>	<b>8.7 %</b>
Household burglary	1,826,370	100	2.3	11.3	7.3	17.5	13.6	12.9	26.8	8.3
Motor vehicle theft	549,730	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	2.4 *	4.4 *	81.1	12.1
Theft	11,054,970	100	3.3	29.7	12.6	21.1	11.1	6.4	7.3	8.6
<b>Black</b>										
<b>All personal crimes/b</b>	<b>117,400</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>19.6 %*</b>	<b>6.4 %*</b>	<b>15.2 %*</b>	<b>10.7 %*</b>	<b>17.7 %*</b>	<b>11.7 %</b>	<b>18.6 %*</b>
Robbery	98,310	100	0.0 *	20.0 *	3.2 *	18.2 *	9.7 *	18.7 *	14.0 *	16.2 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	19,100 *	100 *	0.0 *	17.7 *	22.7 *	0.0 *	15.8 *	12.7 *	0.0 *	31.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>2,147,460</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2.5 %</b>	<b>18.1 %</b>	<b>12.0 %</b>	<b>21.1 %</b>	<b>10.7 %</b>	<b>8.4 %</b>	<b>17.7 %</b>	<b>9.5 %</b>
Household burglary	399,230	100	2.6 *	5.5 *	7.4 *	20.1	16.3	14.0	29.7	4.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	191,610	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.9 *	3.7 *	1.3 *	77.7	15.5 *
Theft	1,556,620	100	2.8	23.5	14.7	23.7	10.1	7.8	7.2	10.1

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

b/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately, but excludes data on assault, which by definition does not involve theft.

Table 86. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in theft loss, by race of victims, type of crime and proportion of loss recovered

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations resulting in theft loss							
		Total	None recovered/a	Some recovered			All recovered	Not available	
				Total	Less than half	Half or more			Proportion unknown/b
<b>All races/c</b>									
<b>All personal crimes/d</b>	<b>550,460</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>74.2 %</b>	<b>14.0 %</b>	<b>4.7 %*</b>	<b>4.7 %*</b>	<b>4.6 %*</b>	<b>10.3 %</b>	<b>1.5 %*</b>
Robbery	385,880	100	78.6	8.7	2.2 *	3.6 *	2.9 *	11.3	1.5 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	153,260	100	66.5	25.8	8.6 *	7.9 *	9.3 *	6.0 *	1.7 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>16,107,910</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>87.4 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>
Household burglary	2,287,360	100	90.0	4.7	1.1 *	1.9	1.8	4.6	0.7 *
Motor vehicle theft	780,630	100	33.8	20.6	4.3	9.2	7.1	44.7	0.8 *
Theft	13,039,920	100	90.2	3.4	1.2	1.0	1.1	5.1	1.4
<b>White</b>									
<b>All personal crimes/d</b>	<b>417,200</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>71.0 %</b>	<b>15.9 %</b>	<b>6.2 %*</b>	<b>5.5 %*</b>	<b>4.2 %*</b>	<b>11.1 %</b>	<b>2.0 %*</b>
Robbery	275,550	100	76.9	9.0 *	3.1 *	3.9 *	2.0 *	12.0	2.1 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	130,330	100	62.4	28.6	10.1 *	9.3 *	9.2 *	7.0 *	2.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>13,431,070</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>88.0 %</b>	<b>4.3 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>6.6 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>
Household burglary	1,826,370	100	89.6	5.0	1.2 *	1.9	2.0	4.6	0.8 *
Motor vehicle theft	549,730	100	36.2	20.4	3.4 *	9.3	7.7	42.6	0.8 *
Theft	11,054,970	100	90.3	3.4	1.2	1.0	1.1	5.1	1.2
<b>Black</b>									
<b>All personal crimes/d</b>	<b>117,400</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>87.4 %</b>	<b>7.2 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>2.6 %*</b>	<b>4.5 %*</b>	<b>5.5 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>
Robbery	98,310	100	87.2	6.3 *	0.0 *	3.2 *	3.1 *	6.5 *	0.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	19,100 *	100 *	88.2 *	11.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	11.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>2,147,460</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>84.3 %</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>9.2 %</b>	<b>2.0 %</b>
Household burglary	399,230	100	90.3	4.0 *	0.7 *	2.1 *	1.1 *	5.2 *	0.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	191,610	100	27.9	19.0	5.5 *	6.7 *	6.8 *	51.9	1.2 *
Theft	1,556,620	100	89.7	2.9	1.2 *	0.7 *	1.0 *	4.9	2.5

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes items that were taken that had no value.

b/Includes items that were recovered that had no value.

c/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

d/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately, but excludes data on assault, which by definition does not involve theft.

Table 87. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations resulting in loss of time from work, by type of crime**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>
Crimes of violence	7.3
Completed violence	15.1
Attempted/threatened violence	3.5
Rape/Sexual assault/b	13.8
Robbery	15.6
Completed/property taken	17.0
With injury	22.1
Without injury	13.0 *
Attempted to take property	11.4 *
With injury	34.0 *
Without injury	0.0 *
Assault	6.0
Aggravated	11.9
Simple	4.4
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>5.7 %</b>
Household burglary	7.4
Completed	7.8
Forcible entry	14.0
Unlawful entry without force	3.8
Attempted forcible entry	5.1 *
Motor vehicle theft	17.8
Completed	20.6
Attempted	7.4 *
Theft	4.5
Completed	4.4
Less than \$50	2.1
\$50 - \$249	3.4
\$250 or more	8.2
Amount not available	5.8
Attempted	6.3 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 88. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations resulting in loss of time  
from work, by type of crime and race of victims**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations	
	White	Black
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>8.2 %</b>
Crimes of violence	7.0	8.4
Completed violence	14.8	16.1
Attempted/threatened violence	3.2	4.5 *
Rape/Sexual assault/b	17.8 *	0.0 *
Robbery	14.5	19.1 *
Assault	5.8	7.3
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>	<b>9.2 %</b>
Completed	5.1	9.3
Attempted	5.5	7.7 *
Household burglary	6.6	10.9
Motor vehicle theft	16.5	21.5
Theft	4.1	6.7

Note: Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

**Table 89. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:**

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**Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in loss of time from work,  
by type of crime and number of days lost**

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations					
		Total	Less than 1 day	1-5 days	6-10 days	11 days or more	Not known and not available
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>398,430 %</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>19.3 %</b>	<b>50.7 %</b>	<b>8.8 %</b>	<b>14.1 %</b>	<b>7.1 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	390,930	100	17.7	51.7	8.9	14.3	7.3 *
Completed violence	265,420	100	13.0	57.3	9.7 *	15.0	5.0 *
Attempted/threatened violence	125,510	100	27.7	39.8	7.3 *	13.1 *	12.2 *
Rape/Sexual assault/b	34,260	100	38.2 *	26.7 *	27.8 *	0.0 *	7.3 *
Robbery	80,170	100	9.7 *	69.5	7.9 *	10.0 *	2.8 *
Assault	276,500	100	17.5	49.7	6.9 *	17.4	8.6 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>1,002,990 %</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>44.3 %</b>	<b>45.2 %</b>	<b>2.4 %*</b>	<b>2.9 %*</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>
Completed	935,650	100	42.3	46.7	2.3 *	3.1 *	5.5
Attempted	67,350	100	73.0	24.1 *	3.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Household burglary	225,360	100	47.2	39.4	3.0 *	4.5 *	5.9 *
Motor vehicle theft	176,460	100	24.2	63.0	6.0 *	4.0 *	2.8 *
Theft	601,170	100	49.2	42.2	1.1 *	2.0 *	5.6

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 90. Selected personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in loss of time from work, by race of victims, type of crime and number of days lost

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations					Not known and not available
		Total	Less than 1 day	1-5 days	6-10 days	11 days or more	
<b>White</b>							
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>313,730</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>19.7 %</b>	<b>51.6 %</b>	<b>10.1 %</b>	<b>12.9 %</b>	<b>5.7 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	306,230	100 %	17.7	52.9	10.4	13.2	5.8 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>746,500</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>44.5 %</b>	<b>44.8 %</b>	<b>2.8 %*</b>	<b>3.5 %*</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>
Household burglary	157,780	100	46.9	40.7	4.3 *	4.8 *	3.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	114,400	100	21.5 *	61.3	6.7 *	6.1 *	4.4 *
Theft	474,310	100	49.3	42.1	1.4 *	2.5 *	4.7 *
<b>Black</b>							
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>67,400</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>18.8 %*</b>	<b>41.5 %*</b>	<b>4.6 %*</b>	<b>23.1 %*</b>	<b>11.9 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	67,400	100 %	18.8 *	41.5 *	4.6 *	23.1 *	11.9 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>223,340</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>41.5 %</b>	<b>48.5 %</b>	<b>1.3 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>8.6 %*</b>
Household burglary	62,820	100	51.6	35.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	12.6 *
Motor vehicle theft	51,860	100	24.3 *	70.0	5.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Theft	108,650	100	43.9	45.5	0.0 *	0.0 *	10.5 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on rape, sexual assault, robbery, assault, and purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

Table 91. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations, by type of crime and whether or not reported to the police**

Sector and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations reported to the police			
		Total	Yes/a	No	Not known and not available
<b>All crimes</b>	<b>23,036,030</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>42.2 %</b>	<b>56.5 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>5,496,810</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>48.4 %</b>	<b>49.8 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>
Crimes of violence	5,341,410	100	48.5	49.7	1.8
Completed violence	1,753,090	100	60.4	39.0	0.6 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,588,320	100	42.7	55.0	2.3
Rape/Sexual assault	247,730	100	53.7	46.3	0.0 *
Rape/Attempted rape	167,860	100	56.6	43.4	0.0 *
Rape	90,390	100	57.3	42.7	0.0 *
Attempted rape/b	77,470	100	55.8	44.2	0.0 *
Sexual assault/c	79,870	100	47.8	52.2	0.0 *
Robbery	512,490	100	71.2	28.3	0.5 *
Completed/property taken	385,880	100	75.8	23.6	0.7 *
With injury	169,980	100	79.8	20.2	0.0 *
Without injury	215,890	100	72.6	26.2	1.2 *
Attempted to take property	126,610	100	57.4	42.6	0.0 *
With injury	42,600	100	92.6	7.4 *	0.0 *
Without injury	84,020	100	39.5	60.5	0.0 *
Assault	4,581,190	100	45.7	52.3	2.0
Aggravated	990,110	100	56.6	40.5	2.8 *
With injury	316,260	100	61.3	38.7	0.0 *
Threatened with weapon	673,850	100	54.5	41.4	4.2 *
Simple	3,591,090	100	42.7	55.6	1.8
With minor injury	906,580	100	54.8	44.2	1.0 *
Without injury	2,684,510	100	38.6	59.4	2.1
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	155,400	100	46.4	53.6	0.0 *
Completed purse snatching	55,400	100	74.5	25.5 *	0.0 *
Attempted purse snatching	2,140 *	100 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Pocket picking	97,860	100	29.3 *	70.7	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,539,220</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>40.2 %</b>	<b>58.6 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>
Household burglary	3,055,720	100	57.9	41.4	0.7 *
Completed	2,597,310	100	58.8	40.4	0.8 *
Forcible entry	1,017,660	100	77.2	21.7	1.1 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,579,650	100	46.9	52.5	0.6 *
Attempted forcible entry	458,410	100	52.9	47.1	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	100	86.1	13.5	0.5 *
Completed	780,630	100	95.8	3.9 *	0.3 *
Attempted	208,120	100	49.4	49.5	1.1 *
Theft	13,494,750	100	32.8	65.8	1.4
Completed	13,039,920	100	32.7	65.9	1.4
Less than \$50	4,186,570	100	17.1	81.8	1.1
\$50 - \$249	4,455,080	100	28.3	70.6	1.1
\$250 or more	3,270,530	100	56.4	42.8	0.8 *
Amount not available	1,127,740	100	39.5	55.0	5.5
Attempted	454,830	100	36.5	62.5	1.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Figures in this column represent the rates at which victimizations were reported to the police, or "police reporting rates."

b/Includes verbal threats of rape.

c/Includes threats.

Table 91b. Violent crimes, 2002:

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by type of crime and gender and race or ethnicity of victims**

Characteristic	Percent of all victimizations reported to the police	
	Crimes of violence/a	Property crimes
<b>Total</b>	<b>48.5 %</b>	<b>40.2 %</b>
<b>Male</b>		
White	44.0	40.2
Black	48.0	46.8
<b>Female</b>		
White	50.7	38.1
Black	61.7	44.7
<b>Male</b>		
Hispanic	47.0	37.5
Non-Hispanic	44.0	41.5
<b>Female</b>		
Hispanic	55.5	39.9
Non-Hispanic	52.8	39.4

Note: Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Excludes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained.

a/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 92. Personal crimes, 2002:

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by selected characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of all victimizations reported to the police		
	All personal crimes	Crimes of violence/a	Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
<b>Gender</b>			
Both genders	48.4 %	48.5 %	46.4 %
Male	44.3	44.6	30.7 *
Female	53.2	53.0	59.1
<b>Race</b>			
White	47.0	47.1	46.3
Black	55.0	55.2	46.8 *
<b>Ethnicity</b>			
Hispanic	50.0	50.4	23.4 *
Non-Hispanic	48.2	48.2	47.9

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Crimes of violence includes data on rape, sexual assault, robbery, and both aggravated and simple assault, not shown separately.

Table 93. Violent crimes, 2002:

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Percent of victimizations reported to the police, by type of crime, victim-offender relationship and gender of victims

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations reported to the police								
	All victimizations			Involving strangers			Involving nonstrangers		
	Both genders	Male	Female	Both genders	Male	Female	Both genders	Male	Female
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>48.5 %</b>	<b>44.6 %</b>	<b>53.0 %</b>	<b>51.5 %</b>	<b>47.9 %</b>	<b>58.6 %</b>	<b>45.5 %</b>	<b>39.5 %</b>	<b>49.7 %</b>
Completed violence	60.4	59.0	61.6	67.5	62.6	76.5	54.5	52.9	55.2
Attempted/threatened violence	42.7	38.9	47.8	44.8	41.7	50.7	40.4	34.5	45.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	53.7	39.7 *	55.8	57.9	22.8 *	65.7	51.6	55.3 *	51.2
Robbery	71.2	66.5	79.3	69.7	64.0	83.9	75.3	78.4	73.1
Completed/property taken	75.8	73.5	79.4	75.9	71.9	84.4	75.5	80.5	71.8
With injury	79.8	76.2	85.3	74.3	69.5	84.7 *	88.7	91.9 *	85.9 *
Without injury	72.6	71.4	74.6	76.8	73.4	84.3	52.5 *	51.0 *	53.1 *
Attempted to take property	57.4	47.4	78.7	50.1	42.4	81.3 *	75.0 *	72.2 *	76.7 *
With injury	92.6	90.0 *	100.0 *	87.9 *	86.8 *	100.0 *	100.0 *	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	39.5	22.8 *	70.6 *	34.7 *	20.5 *	78.6 *	54.5 *	40.0 *	61.5 *
Assault	45.7	41.9	50.3	48.2	45.2	54.2	43.3	37.1	48.1
Aggravated	56.6	52.4	62.8	59.7	55.9	67.4	52.3	45.6	58.6
With injury	61.3	63.5	58.8	72.8	71.9	74.2	51.9	53.4	50.7
Threatened with weapon	54.5	48.1	65.2	55.5	51.1	64.9	52.6	40.7	65.5
Simple	42.7	38.6	47.3	44.1	41.3	49.6	41.5	35.1	46.2
With minor injury	54.8	49.6	59.0	58.4	52.4	72.6	52.9	46.3	55.8
Without injury	38.6	35.6	42.3	40.6	38.4	44.8	36.6	32.0	40.7

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 93a. Property crimes, 2002:

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## Number and percent distribution of victimizations reported to the police, by type of crime, and gender of head of household

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations reported to the police					
	Both Genders		Male		Female	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>7,051,970</b>	<b>40.2 %</b>	<b>3,717,560</b>	<b>40.9 %</b>	<b>3,334,410</b>	<b>39.5 %</b>
Household burglary	1,769,140	57.9	884,260	58.5	884,880	57.3
Completed	1,526,740	58.8	782,900	59.8	743,840	57.8
Forcible entry	785,490	77.2	401,660	77.8	383,830	76.5
Unlawful entry/without force	741,250	46.9	381,240	48.1	360,000	45.8
Attempted forcible entry	242,400	52.9	101,360	50.3	141,050	54.9
Motor vehicle theft	850,920	86.1	451,990	87.5	398,930	84.5
Completed	748,150	95.8	401,910	95.8	346,240	95.8
Attempted	102,770	49.4	50,080	51.4	52,690	47.6
Theft	4,431,910	32.8	2,381,310	33.7	2,050,590	31.9
Completed	4,265,800	32.7	2,279,360	33.5	1,986,440	31.9
Less than \$50	716,170	17.1	378,150	17.0	338,020	17.3
\$50 - \$249	1,260,710	28.3	682,450	29.3	578,260	27.2
\$250 or more	1,843,340	56.4	994,050	56.7	849,300	56.0
Amount not available	445,580	39.5	224,710	46.0	220,870	34.5
Attempted	166,100	36.5	101,950	39.6	64,150	32.5

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Table 94. Violent crimes, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations reported to the police, by type of crime, victim-offender relationship and race of victims**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations reported to the police					
	All victimizations		Involving strangers		Involving nonstrangers	
	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>47.1 %</b>	<b>55.2 %</b>	<b>50.8 %</b>	<b>56.1 %</b>	<b>43.3 %</b>	<b>54.4 %</b>
Completed violence	57.5	73.0	64.5	78.3	52.3	66.4
Attempted/threatened violence	42.0	46.2	45.5	41.6	38.0	49.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	62.6	33.3 *	71.6	21.9 *	57.0	36.4 *
Robbery	70.0	71.0	67.0	73.6	77.7	62.6 *
Completed/property taken	72.9	80.8	71.9	83.7	75.5	70.6 *
With injury	73.0	95.2	64.9	93.4 *	85.0	100.0 *
Without injury	72.8	69.2	75.8	76.8	59.1 *	33.0 *
Attempted to take property	61.7	22.4 *	51.6	17.0 *	82.9 *	34.5 *
With injury	100.0	40.1 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	39.8 *	16.0 *	29.4 *	22.1 *	67.7 *	0.0 *
Assault	44.2	54.7	47.8	52.2	40.8	56.8
Aggravated	55.0	64.9	59.1	63.2	49.2	67.8
With injury	57.4	87.4	67.5	91.2 *	50.2	79.1 *
Threatened with weapon	53.8	57.9	56.4	53.1	48.4	65.1
Simple	41.4	50.1	44.1	43.8	39.1	53.8
With minor injury	52.0	74.5	56.6	69.8 *	49.6	76.8
Without injury	37.8	43.2	41.3	37.6	34.4	46.6

Note: Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 95. Violent crimes, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations reported to the police, by type of crime, victim-offender relationship and ethnicity of victims**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations reported to the police					
	All victimizations		Involving strangers		Involving nonstrangers	
	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>50.4 %</b>	<b>48.2 %</b>	<b>49.2 %</b>	<b>52.0 %</b>	<b>52.0 %</b>	<b>44.5 %</b>
Completed violence	62.5	60.0	54.4	70.0	72.1	52.0
Attempted/threatened violence	43.3	42.6	46.4	44.6	39.1	40.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	47.6 *	54.3	58.6 *	57.8	0.0 *	52.8
Robbery	61.9	73.5	57.2	73.1	83.3 *	74.3
Completed/property taken	70.9	76.7	66.9	78.1	100.0 *	73.4
With injury	40.1 *	83.5	25.7 *	80.4	100.0 *	88.2
Without injury	80.2	70.4	77.9	76.4	100.0 *	45.2 *
Attempted to take property	35.1 *	63.3	18.8 *	57.7	66.0 *	77.2 *
With injury	100.0 *	92.2	0.0 *	87.9 *	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	27.5 *	44.6 *	18.8 *	41.1 *	51.1 *	55.6 *
Assault	48.7	45.2	46.6	48.4	50.9	42.2
Aggravated	55.8	56.8	53.1	61.1	60.6	50.9
With injury	57.9	62.1	42.2 *	80.5	71.3 *	47.3
Threatened with weapon	54.6	54.4	57.3	55.1	46.7 *	53.3
Simple	45.5	42.1	42.7	44.2	48.0	40.4
With minor injury	60.1	53.9	41.6 *	60.3	69.2	50.3
Without injury	40.1	38.3	42.9	40.3	37.1	36.4

Note: Excludes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 96. Personal crimes, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations reported to the police,  
by type of crime and age of victims**

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations reported to the police				
	12-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 and over
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>37.8 %</b>	<b>53.8 %</b>	<b>50.8 %</b>	<b>55.9 %</b>	<b>58.1 %</b>
Crimes of violence	38.1	54.1	50.5	55.5	58.7
Completed violence	54.0	62.8	62.6	66.0	66.9 *
Attempted/threatened violence	30.5	49.6	45.2	50.4	54.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	55.3	54.6	60.4 *	0.0 *	50.4 *
Robbery	68.3	72.3	80.3	63.2	64.3 *
Completed/property taken	72.2	78.3	79.4	73.7	65.8 *
With injury	74.7	81.0	91.6 *	82.0 *	31.7 *
Without injury	69.4 *	76.4	70.9	64.5 *	77.0 *
Attempted to take property	59.4 *	53.9 *	84.2 *	29.9 *	59.4 *
With injury	100.0 *	100.0 *	69.2 *	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	45.0 *	29.8 *	100.0 *	19.7 *	0.0 *
Assault	34.2	51.9	47.4	55.4	56.6
Aggravated	39.4	65.7	56.7	70.4	66.0 *
With injury	41.4	66.0	64.6	91.1 *	0.0 *
Threatened with weapon	38.6	65.5	53.8	57.6 *	73.1 *
Simple	33.0	47.5	44.8	51.9	52.5 *
With minor injury	51.3	56.1	56.3	54.1	100.0 *
Without injury	26.4	44.7	40.9	51.2	41.5 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	11.8 *	42.4 *	59.1 *	69.3 *	55.1 *

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 97. Property crimes, 2002:

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Percent of victimizations reported to the police,  
by type of crime, form of tenure, and race and ethnicity of head of household

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations reported to the police									
	Both forms					Owned				
	All house- holds/a	White	Black	Hispanic	Non- Hispanic	All house- holds/a	White	Black	Hispanic	Non- Hispanic
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>40.2 %</b>	<b>39.2 %</b>	<b>45.5 %</b>	<b>38.6 %</b>	<b>40.5 %</b>	<b>40.9 %</b>	<b>40.3 %</b>	<b>45.5 %</b>	<b>38.4 %</b>	<b>41.2 %</b>
Household burglary	57.9	55.5	65.4	53.8	58.3	58.0	57.0	60.9	50.9	58.5
Completed	58.8	56.2	67.6	53.2	59.3	59.9	58.5	65.2	53.0	60.2
Forcible entry	77.2	76.5	78.1	73.5	77.5	82.0	83.4	75.6	82.5	81.6
Unlawful entry without force	46.9	45.3	52.8	34.4	48.0	47.3	46.7	38.6 *	34.3 *	48.2
Attempted forcible entry	52.9	50.9	58.0	58.2 *	52.9	45.4	46.7	43.6 *	30.5 *	47.2
Motor vehicle theft	86.1	87.0	84.2	87.1	86.0	86.4	87.5	85.2	77.0	88.1
Completed	95.8	97.6	91.2	98.7	95.1	97.5	98.6	95.5	100.0	97.2
Attempted	49.4	47.1	57.1 *	24.1 *	53.2	50.2	50.7	51.9 *	0.0 *	56.6
Theft	32.8	32.9	32.6	30.5	33.3	34.3	34.2	35.5	33.1	34.5
Completed	32.7	32.9	32.2	30.7	33.0	34.2	34.2	34.9	33.4	34.4
Less than \$50	17.1	17.6	13.5	13.4	17.5	17.6	17.6	15.9	16.0 *	17.7
\$50 - \$249	28.3	28.8	26.5	27.1	28.5	30.9	31.9	24.2	27.2	31.5
\$250 or more	56.4	56.5	55.5	47.1	58.0	58.9	58.4	62.1	52.1	59.8
Amount not available	39.5	38.6	43.6	36.7	40.1	46.0	44.1	58.4	54.5	45.4
Attempted	36.5	34.5	44.2 *	20.9 *	39.5	36.0	34.4	54.4 *	16.9 *	38.3

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations reported to the police				
	Rented				
	All house- holds/a	White	Black	Hispanic	Non- Hispanic
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>39.2 %</b>	<b>37.5 %</b>	<b>45.5 %</b>	<b>38.8 %</b>	<b>39.3 %</b>
Household burglary	57.7	52.9	68.1	56.2	58.0
Completed	57.0	52.2	69.2	53.3	57.7
Forcible entry	71.1	66.6	80.3	68.3	71.7
Unlawful entry without force	46.3	42.4	58.1	34.6 *	47.8
Attempted forcible entry	61.0	57.3	64.7	73.5 *	59.4
Motor vehicle theft	85.8	86.4	83.5	91.6	83.6
Completed	94.3	96.4	88.7	98.1	92.7
Attempted	48.3	42.0 *	61.1 *	44.7 *	49.1
Theft	30.8	30.8	30.4	28.4	31.3
Completed	30.5	30.7	30.1	28.6	31.0
Less than \$50	16.3	17.5	11.4 *	11.1 *	17.2
\$50 - \$249	24.9	24.1	28.1	27.0	24.5
\$250 or more	53.2	53.9	51.6	43.4	55.5
Amount not available	29.1	29.3	19.9 *	27.0 *	30.0
Attempted	37.4	34.9	38.2 *	22.7 *	41.6

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

Table 98. Property crimes, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations reported to the police,  
by type of crime and form of tenure**

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations reported to the police		
	Both forms	Owned	Rented
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>40.2 %</b>	<b>40.9 %</b>	<b>39.2 %</b>
Household burglary	57.9	58.0	57.7
Completed	58.8	59.9	57.0
Forcible entry	77.2	82.0	71.1
Unlawful entry without force	46.9	47.3	46.3
Attempted forcible entry	52.9	45.4	61.0
Motor vehicle theft	86.1	86.4	85.8
Completed	95.8	97.5	94.3
Attempted	49.4	50.2	48.3
Theft	32.8	34.3	30.8
Completed	32.7	34.2	30.5
Less than \$50	17.1	17.6	16.3
\$50 - \$249	28.3	30.9	24.9
\$250 or more	56.4	58.9	53.2
Amount not available	39.5	46.0	29.1
Attempted	36.5	36.0	37.4

Table 99. Property crimes, 2002

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Percent of victimizations reported to the police,  
by type of crime and annual family income

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations reported to the police						
	Less than \$7,500	\$7,500- \$14,999	\$15,000- \$24,999	\$25,000- \$34,999	\$35,000- \$49,999	\$50,000- \$74,999	\$75,000 or more
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>38.5 %</b>	<b>35.2 %</b>	<b>38.3 %</b>	<b>38.6 %</b>	<b>40.6 %</b>	<b>43.4 %</b>	<b>39.4 %</b>
Household burglary	60.1	48.3	56.5	57.3	59.7	58.0	61.3
Completed	58.8	48.7	59.7	56.8	60.4	58.5	61.9
Forcible entry	69.3	66.5	78.5	73.9	83.3	84.3	89.1
Unlawful entry without force	51.0	34.6	42.3	46.2	46.8	46.3	53.2
Attempted forcible entry	64.2	45.7 *	46.4	60.5 *	55.9	53.8 *	56.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	100.0 *	84.0	88.9	81.2	82.4	87.1	91.2
Completed	100.0 *	91.6	97.8	97.8	91.2	100.0	100.0
Attempted	0.0 *	44.9 *	44.8 *	37.4 *	54.2 *	45.0 *	62.6 *
Theft	28.8	28.8	29.6	29.9	33.3	37.3	34.1
Completed	29.2	28.3	29.0	29.7	33.3	36.2	34.6
Less than \$50	16.1 *	17.3	16.5	14.7	17.3	15.1	16.3
\$50 - \$249	21.8	22.7	23.2	27.4	27.0	33.2	32.3
\$250 or more	51.8	54.5	55.6	52.5	56.6	71.3	55.1
Amount not available	44.0 *	21.6 *	26.6 *	40.6	51.6	40.3	49.0
Attempted	12.2 *	49.7 *	55.3 *	33.2 *	33.7 *	61.1	23.0 *

Note: Excludes data on persons whose family income level was not ascertained.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 100. Property crimes, 2002:

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**Percent of victimizations reported to the police,  
by value of loss and type of crime**

Value of loss/a	Percent of all victimizations reported to the police			
	All property crimes	Household burglary	Motor vehicle theft	Theft
<b>All losses/b</b>	<b>39.5 %</b>	<b>59.2 %</b>	<b>95.8 %</b>	<b>32.7 %</b>
Less than \$10/c	27.5	47.5	0.0 *	26.0
\$10 -\$49	14.1	24.1	0.0 *	13.5
\$50-\$99	19.4	25.5	0.0 *	18.8
\$100-\$249	36.4	52.4	100.0 *	34.0
\$250-\$499	50.2	54.0	100.0 *	48.6
\$500-\$999	58.0	62.9	100.0 *	55.0
\$1,000 or more	81.1	85.4	96.0	68.5

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/The proportions refer only to losses of cash and/or property, and exclude the value of property damage.

b/Includes data for victims who did not provide a specific value for their losses.

c/Includes items that had no value.

Table 101. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent of reasons for reporting victimizations to the police, by type of crime

Type of crime	Number of reasons for reporting	Total	Percent of reasons for reporting				
			Stop or prevent this incident	Needed help due to injury	To recover property	To collect insurance	To prevent further crimes by offender against victim
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>2,388,410</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>17.9 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>	<b>19.1 %</b>
Crimes of violence	2,294,390	100	18.5	1.8	4.1	0.3 *	19.8
Completed violence	944,060	100	14.2	2.9 *	8.6	0.5 *	18.7
Attempted/threatened violence	1,350,330	100	21.5	1.0 *	1.0 *	0.2 *	20.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	113,230	100	4.6 *	0.0 *	2.0 *	0.0 *	21.0 *
Robbery	402,790	100	12.9	2.1 *	20.5	0.6 *	11.7
Completed/property taken	332,010	100	12.0	0.7 *	23.7	0.7 *	10.8
With injury	108,980	100	15.4 *	2.3 *	12.9 *	0.0 *	7.0 *
Without injury	223,040	100	10.4 *	0.0 *	29.0	1.0 *	12.6 *
Attempted to take property	70,770	100	17.2 *	8.4 *	5.2 *	0.0 *	16.0 *
With injury	47,230	100	5.6 *	12.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	24.0 *
Without injury	23,540 *	100 *	40.4 *	0.0 *	15.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	1,778,370	100	20.6	1.8	0.6 *	0.3 *	21.5
Aggravated	525,190	100	13.8	2.1 *	0.7 *	0.5 *	20.8
Simple	1,253,180	100	23.5	1.7 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	21.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	94,020	100	2.7 *	0.0 *	29.6 *	2.3 *	2.7 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>9,064,910</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>7.6 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>24.7 %</b>	<b>5.3 %</b>	<b>9.9 %</b>
Household burglary	2,468,020	100	10.4	0.2 *	19.9	4.0	12.2
Completed	2,191,050	100	9.3	0.2 *	22.4	4.4	11.2
Forcible entry	1,233,030	100	9.3	0.4 *	19.3	4.9	11.3
Unlawful entry without force	958,020	100	9.3	0.0 *	26.4	3.9	11.1
Attempted forcible entry	276,970	100	19.7	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.9 *	20.0
Motor vehicle theft	1,050,840	100	4.8	0.0 *	35.5	10.3	6.1
Completed	904,690	100	4.6	0.0 *	41.0	10.3	4.1
Attempted	146,150	100	6.0 *	0.0 *	1.4 *	10.2 *	18.5 *
Theft	5,546,050	100	6.8	0.1 *	24.7	4.9	9.5
Completed	5,355,180	100	6.6	0.1 *	25.6	4.7	9.6
Attempted	190,870	100	11.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	8.8 *	8.0 *

Type of crime	Percent of reasons for reporting							
	To prevent crime by offender against anyone	To punish offender	To catch or find offender	To improve police surveillance	Duty to notify police	Because it was a crime	Some other reason	Not available
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>10.5 %</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>5.8 %</b>	<b>14.6 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>1.9 %</b>
Crimes of violence	10.5	7.3	6.5	4.6	5.7	14.4	4.5	2.0
Completed violence	11.3	8.6	9.1	4.1	4.5	12.9	3.7	0.8 *
Attempted/threatened violence	10.0	6.3	4.6	4.9	6.5	15.5	5.1	2.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	20.7 *	9.6 *	17.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	18.9 *	5.3 *	0.0 *
Robbery	10.5	8.8	8.2	5.2 *	2.8 *	14.3	1.8 *	0.6 *
Completed/property taken	10.1	8.3 *	9.0 *	5.3 *	3.4 *	13.0	2.2 *	0.8 *
With injury	10.1 *	10.6 *	7.9 *	0.0 *	1.9 *	24.8 *	4.8 *	2.4 *
Without injury	10.1 *	7.1 *	9.5 *	7.9 *	4.1 *	7.2 *	0.9 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	12.2 *	11.4 *	4.6 *	4.6 *	0.0 *	20.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury	12.5 *	11.1 *	7.0 *	7.0 *	0.0 *	20.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	11.7 *	12.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	20.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	9.9	6.8	5.3	4.7	6.7	14.2	5.1	2.4
Aggravated	15.0	9.0	9.7	4.4 *	6.2	11.9	4.2 *	1.6 *
Simple	7.8	5.9	3.5	4.9	6.9	15.1	5.5	2.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	10.5 *	4.6 *	16.6 *	0.0 *	7.8 *	17.8 *	5.4 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>6.8 %</b>	<b>4.1 %</b>	<b>7.3 %</b>	<b>6.3 %</b>	<b>6.0 %</b>	<b>17.7 %</b>	<b>3.0 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>
Household burglary	6.4	4.8	7.5	7.2	5.5	18.4	2.2	1.2
Completed	6.9	5.2	7.1	6.5	5.7	17.5	2.3	1.2 *
Forcible entry	7.7	6.4	7.5	7.7	6.7	15.3	2.0 *	1.4 *
Unlawful entry without force	5.9	3.8	6.6	5.0	4.4	20.2	2.7 *	0.9 *
Attempted forcible entry	2.3 *	1.6 *	10.3 *	12.9	3.5 *	25.7	1.6 *	1.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	5.6	4.9	7.2	6.8	5.5	11.7	1.3 *	0.3 *
Completed	4.7	5.0	7.6	4.3	5.2	11.5	1.6 *	0.0 *
Attempted	10.9 *	4.3 *	4.5 *	21.9	7.2 *	13.3 *	0.0 *	1.8 *
Theft	7.2	3.7	7.2	5.8	6.3	18.6	3.6	1.7
Completed	7.1	3.7	7.1	5.6	6.3	18.5	3.5	1.6
Attempted	11.0 *	2.5 *	8.6 *	10.8 *	7.5 *	21.3	5.8 *	4.8 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Some respondents may have cited more than one reason for reporting victimizations to the police.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 102. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent of reasons for not reporting victimizations to the police, by type of crime

Type of crime	Number of reasons for not reporting	Percent of reasons for not reporting					
		Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>3,200,150</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>17.0 %</b>	<b>21.2 %</b>	<b>15.7 %</b>	<b>4.9 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	3,105,890	100	17.1	21.7	15.8	5.1	0.1 *
Completed violence	830,960	100	14.2	17.4	9.5	1.7 *	0.3 *
Attempted/threatened violence	2,274,930	100	18.2	23.3	18.1	6.3	0.0 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	133,690	100	2.7 *	8.6 *	9.2 *	3.8 *	0.0 *
Robbery	196,020	100	9.0 *	6.9 *	10.7 *	5.5 *	1.4 *
Completed/property taken	138,080	100	8.1 *	4.3 *	10.7 *	1.8 *	2.0 *
With injury	59,820	100	0.0 *	4.2 *	9.1 *	4.1 *	4.6 *
Without injury	78,260	100	14.4 *	4.3 *	11.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	57,940	100	10.9 *	13.4 *	10.9 *	14.3 *	0.0 *
With injury	3,130 *	100 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	54,810	100	11.5 *	14.1 *	11.5 *	15.1 *	0.0 *
Assault	2,776,190	100	18.4	23.4	16.5	5.1	0.0 *
Aggravated	478,910	100	10.5	22.2	8.3	4.7 *	0.0 *
Simple	2,297,280	100	20.0	23.7	18.2	5.2	0.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	94,260	100	11.9 *	2.8 *	10.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>12,958,170</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>9.7 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>25.7 %</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>	<b>2.4 %</b>
Household burglary	1,685,780	100	3.9	4.9	21.0	3.2	3.0
Completed	1,397,180	100	2.8	4.2	20.3	3.7	3.6
Forcible entry	303,380	100	2.8 *	5.0 *	12.1	0.9 *	2.3 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,093,800	100	2.9	4.0	22.5	4.5	3.9
Attempted forcible entry	288,600	100	8.9 *	8.2 *	24.4	0.7 *	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	152,140	100	9.9 *	6.2 *	32.0	1.4 *	1.5 *
Completed	30,210 *	100 *	7.6 *	23.7 *	12.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted	121,930	100	10.5 *	1.9 *	36.8	1.8 *	1.9 *
Theft	11,120,240	100	10.6	5.2	26.3	3.4	2.4
Completed	10,754,160	100	10.7	5.1	25.9	3.4	2.4
Attempted	366,080	100	7.6 *	7.9 *	38.4	4.6 *	1.9 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Some respondents may have cited more than one reason for not reporting victimizations to the police.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 102. Personal and property crimes, 2002: (continued)

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Not aware crime occurred until later	Unable to recover property; no ID no.	Percent of reasons for not reporting					Too inconvenient or time consuming	Other reasons
		Lack of proof	Police would not want to be bothered	Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	Fear of reprisal			
<b>0.6 %*</b>	<b>0.8 %*</b>	<b>3.8 %</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>3.0 %</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>	<b>2.6 %</b>	<b>20.9 %</b>	
0.4 *	0.3 *	3.1	4.8	3.0	4.6	2.5	21.3	
0.5 *	1.3 *	4.6	5.3	5.0	6.5	2.8 *	30.7	
0.4 *	0.0 *	2.5	4.7	2.3	3.9	2.4	17.9	
3.1 *	0.0 *	2.4 *	2.5 *	2.5 *	28.6	0.0 *	36.7	
0.0 *	1.5 *	14.8 *	9.2 *	17.9	4.6 *	4.0 *	14.4 *	
0.0 *	2.1 *	14.3 *	11.5 *	20.8 *	4.2 *	3.8 *	16.3 *	
0.0 *	4.9 *	17.4 *	21.2 *	19.0 *	3.8 *	4.6 *	7.1 *	
0.0 *	0.0 *	12.0 *	4.1 *	22.1 *	4.5 *	3.2 *	23.4 *	
0.0 *	0.0 *	16.0 *	3.6 *	10.9 *	5.8 *	4.4 *	9.9 *	
0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *	
0.0 *	0.0 *	17.0 *	3.8 *	11.5 *	6.1 *	4.6 *	4.7 *	
0.3 *	0.3 *	2.3	4.7	2.0	3.5	2.6	21.1	
0.0 *	1.6 *	5.0 *	6.0 *	5.3 *	4.0 *	4.5 *	27.9	
0.4 *	0.0 *	1.7	4.4	1.4	3.4	2.2	19.6	
7.5 *	14.4 *	28.5 *	8.6 *	2.8 *	0.0 *	4.6 *	8.9 *	
<b>5.8 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>	<b>11.8 %</b>	<b>8.3 %</b>	<b>3.3 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>3.6 %</b>	<b>12.7 %</b>	
9.8	4.9	13.4	10.5	6.7	1.0 *	3.8	14.0	
10.0	5.7	14.2	9.9	6.0	1.0 *	4.4	14.2	
9.0 *	6.7 *	13.6	11.7	11.2	2.2 *	7.5 *	15.2	
10.3	5.4	14.3	9.5	4.5	0.6 *	3.5	13.9	
9.0 *	1.0 *	9.5 *	13.5	9.9 *	1.0 *	1.2 *	12.7	
12.5 *	0.0 *	6.4 *	2.9 *	5.6 *	1.4 *	5.6 *	14.5 *	
9.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	12.8 *	6.9 *	0.0 *	27.2 *	
13.3 *	0.0 *	8.0 *	3.6 *	3.8 *	0.0 *	7.0 *	11.4 *	
5.1	7.9	11.6	8.0	2.7	0.7	3.5	12.5	
5.2	8.2	11.7	8.1	2.6	0.7	3.5	12.5	
2.7 *	0.0 *	8.5	4.3 *	5.6 *	1.1 *	4.5 *	13.0	



Table 103. Personal crimes, 2002:

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Percent of reasons for not reporting victimizations to the police, by race of victims and type of crime

Race and type of crime	Percent of reasons for not reporting						
	Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover	Not aware crime occurred until later
<b>White</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>17.4 %</b>	<b>21.3 %</b>	<b>15.9 %</b>	<b>5.4 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	100	17.5	21.9	16.2	5.6	0.1 *	0.2 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	4.7 *	9.8 *	12.3 *	6.6 *	0.0 *	5.3 *
Robbery	100	6.9 *	7.5 *	9.5 *	4.4 *	1.8 *	0.0 *
Assault	100	18.6	23.2	16.8	5.7	0.0 *	0.0 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100	13.7 *	3.2 *	7.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	8.6 *
<b>Black</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>15.1 %</b>	<b>19.6 %</b>	<b>15.5 %</b>	<b>1.0 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>2.2 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	100	15.5	20.1	15.0	1.0 *	0.0 *	2.3 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	0.0 *	7.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	100	17.0 *	0.0 *	16.0 *	9.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	100	17.9	24.9	17.5	0.0 *	0.0 *	3.0 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	33.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *

Race and type of crime	Percent of reasons for not reporting						
	Unable to recover property; no ID no.	Lack of proof	Police would not want to be bothered	Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	Fear of reprisal	Too inconvenient or time consuming	Other reasons
<b>White</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>0.8 %*</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>	<b>3.0 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>2.5 %</b>	<b>20.3 %</b>
Crimes of violence	0.4 *	2.2	5.0	3.0	4.7	2.6	20.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	4.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	24.6 *	0.0 *	32.4 *
Robbery	1.9 *	14.3 *	9.7 *	20.3	6.0 *	5.1 *	12.5 *
Assault	0.3 *	1.3	4.9	2.0	4.0	2.5	20.8
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	13.6 *	32.7 *	7.3 *	3.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	10.2 *
<b>Black</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>	<b>8.8 %</b>	<b>4.0 %*</b>	<b>4.0 %*</b>	<b>4.7 %*</b>	<b>3.0 %*</b>	<b>21.5 %</b>
Crimes of violence	0.0 *	9.0	4.2 *	4.1 *	4.9 *	1.9 *	22.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	6.4 *	6.4 *	37.5 *	0.0 *	42.0 *
Robbery	0.0 *	17.5 *	7.8 *	9.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	22.2 *
Assault	0.0 *	9.3 *	3.3 *	2.9 *	0.0 *	2.5 *	18.7
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	23.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	42.8 *	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Some respondents may have cited more than one reason for not reporting victimizations to the police.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 104. Personal crimes of violence, 2002:

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**Percent of reasons for not reporting victimizations to the police, by victim-offender relationship and type of crime**

Relationship and type of crime	Number of reasons for not reporting	Percent of reasons for not reporting						
		Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover	Not aware crime occurred until later
<b>Involving strangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	1,457,920	100 %	13.3 %	18.6 %	19.2 %	6.5 %	0.2 %*	0.3 %*
Rape/Sexual assault/a	45,960	100 %	0.0 *	5.0 *	26.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	8.9 *
Robbery	120,830	100 %	8.7 *	2.3 *	10.2 *	1.8 *	2.3 *	0.0 *
Assault	1,291,130	100 %	14.2	20.6	19.7	7.1	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	1,647,970	100 %	20.5	24.5	12.9	3.8	0.0 *	0.6 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	87,720	100 %	4.1 *	10.5 *	0.0 *	5.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	75,190	100 %	9.4 *	14.3 *	11.6 *	11.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	1,485,050	100 %	22.0	25.9	13.7	3.3	0.0 *	0.6 *

Relationship and type of crime	Percent of reasons for not reporting						
	Unable to recover property; no ID no.	Lack of proof	Police would not want to be bothered	Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	Fear of reprisal	Too inconvenient or time consuming	Other reasons
<b>Involving strangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	0.0 %*	5.3 %	6.9 %	4.6 %	3.1 %	3.5 %	18.7 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	7.1 *	7.1 *	4.6 *	0.0 *	40.3 *
Robbery	0.0 *	17.8 *	6.4 *	26.6	5.7 *	4.4 *	14.0 *
Assault	0.0 *	4.4	6.9	2.4	2.8	3.5	18.4
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	0.6 *	1.1 *	3.1	1.7 *	6.0	1.7 *	23.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	3.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	41.1	0.0 *	34.7
Robbery	3.9 *	10.2 *	13.7 *	3.9 *	3.0 *	3.4 *	15.2 *
Assault	0.5 *	0.4 *	2.7	1.7 *	4.1	1.7 *	23.4

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Some respondents may have cited more than one reason for not reporting victimizations to the police.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 105. Property crimes, 2002:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent of reasons for not reporting victimizations to the police, by race of head of household and type of crime**

Race and reason for not reporting	All property crimes	Percent of reasons for not reporting			
		Total	Household Burglary	Motor vehicle theft	Theft
<b>White</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,943,840</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Reported to another official	1,038,470	9.5	4.0	9.6 *	10.3
Private or personal matter	573,210	5.2	5.6	4.5 *	5.2
Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	2,900,170	26.5	22.3	35.7	27.0
Not important enough	383,530	3.5	3.5	2.0 *	3.5
Insurance would not cover	273,020	2.5	3.3	2.1 *	2.4
Not aware crime occurred until later	662,240	6.1	10.4	14.7 *	5.3
Unable to recover property; no ID no.	821,380	7.5	4.4	0.0 *	8.0
Lack of proof	1,280,510	11.7	13.1	4.3 *	11.6
Police would not want to be bothered	887,470	8.1	9.1	4.1 *	8.0
Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	341,000	3.1	6.5	2.1 *	2.6
Fear of reprisal	64,430	0.6	1.0 *	1.9 *	0.5
Too inconvenient or time consuming	399,120	3.6	3.3	7.9 *	3.7
Other reasons	1,319,290	12.1	13.7	11.0 *	11.8
<b>Black</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,618,720</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Reported to another official	171,370	10.6	3.7 *	13.3 *	11.9
Private or personal matter	77,070	4.8	2.0 *	6.9 *	5.3
Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	326,100	20.1	12.8	29.3 *	21.4
Not important enough	33,090	2.0	2.0 *	0.0 *	2.1 *
Insurance would not cover	37,910	2.3	1.6 *	0.0 *	2.5
Not aware crime occurred until later	80,180	5.0	6.2 *	9.1 *	4.6
Unable to recover property; no ID no.	114,460	7.1	7.7 *	0.0 *	7.1
Lack of proof	199,340	12.3	15.5	7.4 *	11.8
Police would not want to be bothered	146,850	9.1	17.1	0.0 *	7.7
Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	73,130	4.5	7.9 *	17.6 *	3.5
Fear of reprisal	18,610 *	1.1 *	1.1 *	0.0 *	1.2 *
Too inconvenient or time consuming	52,230	3.2	7.2 *	0.0 *	2.5
Other reasons	288,380	17.8	15.2	16.4 *	18.4

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Some respondents may have cited more than one reason for not reporting victimizations to the police.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 106. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of police response to a reported incident, by type of crime

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	Police came to victim	Victim went to police	Contact with police-don't know how	Police did not come	Not known if police came	Police were at the scene
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>2,252,570</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>76.0 %</b>	<b>5.9 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>12.5 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>3.9 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	133,130	100	63.8	11.4 *	0.0 *	20.7 *	2.4 *	1.8 *
Robbery	315,980	100	80.7	8.5 *	0.0 *	8.0 *	0.9 *	1.9 *
Aggravated assault	446,860	100	84.5	3.7 *	0.0 *	6.7 *	0.4 *	4.7 *
Simple assault	1,356,600	100	73.4	5.4	0.0 *	14.7	2.2 *	4.3
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	72,040	100	47.6	21.6 *	0.0 *	27.8 *	3.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>6,909,730</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>67.3 %</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>24.4 %</b>	<b>1.9 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>
Household burglary	1,726,780	100	85.4	2.4	0.0 *	10.2	1.4 *	0.6 *
Motor vehicle theft	822,620	100	73.6	3.9	0.0 *	17.6	2.0 *	2.9 *
Theft	4,360,330	100	58.9	6.5	0.0 *	31.3	2.2	1.2

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 107. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of incidents where police came to the victim, by police response time and type of crime

Type of crime	Percent of incidents							
	Total	Within 5 minutes	6-10 minutes	11 minutes-1 hour	Within 1 day	Longer than 1 day	Length of time not known	Not ascertained
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>29.6 %</b>	<b>26.9 %</b>	<b>33.0 %</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>5.3 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>
Robbery	100	31.7	24.9	30.3	6.8 *	0.9 *	5.6 *	0.0 *
Aggravated assault	100	31.2	28.3	35.2	0.8 *	0.0 *	4.4 *	0.0 *
Simple assault	100	29.9	25.8	32.7	5.6	0.0 *	5.8	0.2 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>9.7 %</b>	<b>22.1 %</b>	<b>47.2 %</b>	<b>12.9 %</b>	<b>2.0 %</b>	<b>6.0 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>
Household burglary	100	8.9	21.8	46.8	13.6	1.6 *	7.3	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	100	6.2	21.5	59.8	6.3	1.3 *	4.8 *	0.0 *
Theft	100	11.0	22.4	44.5	14.1	2.4	5.6	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Crimes of violence includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 108. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by police activity during initial contact with victim and type of crime**

Type of crime	Percent of incidents							
	Total	Took report	Looked around	Took evidence	Questioned witnesses/suspects	Promised surveillance	Promised to investigate	Made arrest
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>37.8 %</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>	<b>17.2 %</b>	<b>2.0 %</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>10.4 %</b>
Robbery	100	43.5	13.0	3.3 *	10.9	2.2 *	9.2	8.1
Aggravated assault	100	33.6	9.6	6.8	18.7	2.3 *	7.4	10.1
Simple assault	100	38.1	4.1	1.0 *	19.0	1.7	5.0	11.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	100	51.9	15.5 *	3.1 *	13.7 *	0.0 *	5.4 *	7.4 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>48.8 %</b>	<b>18.6 %</b>	<b>7.6 %</b>	<b>5.8 %</b>	<b>2.5 %</b>	<b>8.4 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>
Household burglary	100	42.0	23.3	12.2	5.9	2.9	7.4	1.5
Motor vehicle theft	100	54.9	12.5	2.9	6.9	1.8 *	12.0	2.2 *
Theft	100	51.9	17.0	5.8	5.5	2.4	8.2	1.0

Type of crime	Percent of incidents		
	Other actions	Don't know	Not applicable
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>12.8 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>0.8 %*</b>
Robbery	8.9	0.7 *	0.0 *
Aggravated assault	9.4	1.3 *	0.8 *
Simple assault	16.4	1.9	1.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	3.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>
Household burglary	2.6	0.6 *	1.7
Motor vehicle theft	4.8	1.2 *	0.9 *
Theft	5.5	0.9	1.8

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Crimes of violence includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately.

Table 109. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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Percent distribution of the kind of agency providing assistance by type of crime

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of agency type providing assistance						
		Total	Government	Private	Don't know type of agency	Received no assistance	Don't know if assistance was provided	Not applicable
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>5,496,810</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>	<b>0.5 %*</b>	<b>92.1 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>0.3 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	5,341,410	100	4.4	1.8	0.5 *	92.0	1.0	0.3 *
Completed violence	1,753,090	100	5.8	2.7	0.9 *	89.5	1.1 *	0.0 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,588,320	100	3.8	1.3	0.3 *	93.2	1.0	0.4 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	247,730	100	10.2 *	3.7 *	3.4 *	82.7	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	512,490	100	3.9 *	3.5 *	1.3 *	90.8	0.5 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,581,190	100	4.2	1.5	0.2 *	92.6	1.1	0.3 *
Aggravated	990,110	100	3.3	2.8 *	1.1 *	91.2	1.2 *	0.5 *
Simple	3,591,090	100	4.4	1.1	0.0 *	93.0	1.1	0.3 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	155,400	100	3.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	96.5	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,539,220</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>0.2 %</b>	<b>97.0 %</b>	<b>0.5 %</b>	<b>0.3 %</b>
Household burglary	3,055,720	100	2.1	0.9 *	0.4 *	95.7	0.8 *	0.1 *
Motor vehicle theft	988,760	100	1.1 *	0.0 *	0.5 *	96.9	0.5 *	1.0 *
Theft	13,494,750	100	0.7	1.1	0.1 *	97.3	0.5	0.3

\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 110. Personal and property crimes, 2002:

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**Number and percent distribution of series victimizations  
and of victimizations not in series, by type of crime**

Type of crime	Total victimizations		Series victimizations		Victimizations not in series	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>5,742,320</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>245,510</b>	<b>4.3 %</b>	<b>5,496,810</b>	<b>95.7 %</b>
Crimes of violence	5,586,920	100.0	245,510	4.4	5,341,410	95.6
Completed violence	1,806,730	100.0	53,640	3.0	1,753,090	97.0
Attempted/threatened violence	3,780,190	100.0	191,870	5.1	3,588,320	94.9
Rape/Sexual assault	258,950	100.0	11,220 *	4.3 *	247,730	95.7
Rape/Attempted rape	170,220	100.0	2,360 *	1.4 *	167,860	98.6
Rape	90,390	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	90,390	100.0
Attempted rape/a	79,830	100.0	2,360 *	3.0 *	77,470	97.0
Sexual assault/b	88,730	100.0	8,860 *	10.0 *	79,870	90.0
Robbery	527,240	100.0	14,750 *	2.8 *	512,490	97.2
Completed/property taken	394,700	100.0	8,830 *	2.2 *	385,880	97.8
With injury	169,980	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	169,980	100.0
Without injury	224,720	100.0	8,830 *	3.9 *	215,890	96.1
Attempted to take property	132,540	100.0	5,930 *	4.5 *	126,610	95.5
With injury	42,600	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	42,600	100.0
Without injury	89,940	100.0	5,930 *	6.6 *	84,020	93.4
Assault	4,800,720	100.0	219,530	4.6	4,581,190	95.4
Aggravated	1,029,620	100.0	39,510	3.8	990,110	96.2
With injury	327,150	100.0	10,890 *	3.3 *	316,260	96.7
Threatened with weapon	702,480	100.0	28,620 *	4.1 *	673,850	95.9
Simple	3,771,100	100.0	180,020	4.8	3,591,090	95.2
With minor injury	931,640	100.0	25,060 *	2.7 *	906,580	97.3
Without injury	2,839,470	100.0	154,960	5.5	2,684,510	94.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	155,400	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	155,400	100.0
Completed purse snatching	55,400	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	55,400	100.0
Attempted purse snatching	2,140 *	100.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	2,140 *	100.0 *
Completed pocket picking	97,860	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	97,860	100.0
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>17,677,440</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>138,220</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>17,539,210</b>	<b>99.2 %</b>
Household burglary	3,083,290	100.0	27,570 *	0.9 *	3,055,720	99.1
Completed	2,624,880	100.0	27,570 *	1.1 *	2,597,310	98.9
Forcible entry	1,022,490	100.0	4,830 *	0.5 *	1,017,660	99.5
Unlawful entry without force	1,602,390	100.0	22,740 *	1.4 *	1,579,650	98.6
Attempted forcible entry	458,410	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	458,410	100.0
Motor vehicle theft	992,990	100.0	4,230 *	0.4 *	988,760	99.6
Completed	782,590	100.0	1,960 *	0.2 *	780,630	99.8
Attempted	210,400	100.0	2,280 *	1.1 *	208,120	98.9
Theft	13,601,160	100.0	106,420	0.8	13,494,740	99.2
Completed	13,146,330	100.0	106,420	0.8	13,039,910	99.2
Less than \$50	4,235,280	100.0	48,710	1.2	4,186,570	98.8
\$50 - \$249	4,488,130	100.0	33,060	0.7	4,455,070	99.3
\$250 or more	3,286,860	100.0	16,330 *	0.5 *	3,270,530	99.5
Amount not available	1,136,060	100.0	8,320 *	0.7 *	1,127,740	99.3
Attempted	454,830	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	454,830	100.0

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape.  
 b/Includes threats.



## **Survey Methodology for Criminal Victimization in the United States, 2002**

The survey results contained in this report are based on data gathered from residents living throughout the United States, including persons living in group quarters, such as dormitories, rooming houses, and religious group dwellings. Crew members of merchant vessels, Armed Forces personnel living in military barracks, and institutionalized persons, such as correctional facility inmates, were not included in the scope of this survey. Similarly, U.S. citizens residing abroad and foreign visitors to this country were excluded. With these exceptions, individuals age 12 or older living in units selected for the sample were eligible to be interviewed.

### **Data Collection**

Each housing unit selected for the National Crime Victimization Survey (NCVS) remains in the sample for three years, with each of seven interviews taking place at 6-month intervals. An NCVS interviewer's first contact with a housing unit selected for the survey is in person. The interviewer may then conduct subsequent interviews by telephone.

To elicit more accurate reporting of incidents, NCVS uses the self-respondent method which calls for the direct interviewing of each person 12 years or older in the household. An exception is made to use proxy interviewing instead of direct interviewing for the following three cases: 12- and 13-year-old persons when a knowledgeable household member insists they not be interviewed directly, incapacitated persons, and individuals absent from the household during the entire field-interviewing period. In the case of temporarily absent household members and persons who are physically or mentally incapable of granting interviews, interviewers may accept other household members as proxy respondents, and in certain situations non-household members may provide information for incapacitated persons.

Some interviews were conducted using Computer-Assisted Telephone Interviewing (CATI), a data collection mode which involves interviewing from centralized facilities and using a computerized instrument. In the CATI-eligible part of the sample, all interviews are done by telephone whenever possible, except for the first interview, which is primarily conducted in person. The telephone interviews are conducted by the CATI facilities in Hagerstown, Maryland and Tucson, Arizona.

### **Sample Design and Size**

Survey estimates are derived from a stratified, multi-stage cluster sample. The primary sampling units (PSU's) composing the first stage of the sample were counties, groups of counties, or large metropolitan areas. Large PSU's were included in the sample automatically and are considered to be self-representing (SR) since all of them were selected. The remaining PSU's, called non-self-representing (NSR), because only a subset of them was selected, were combined into strata by grouping PSU's with similar geographic and demographic characteristics, as determined by the 1990 Census.

The initial 1990 design consisted of 93 SR PSU's and 152 NSR strata, with one PSU per stratum selected with probability proportionate to population size. A sample reduction was done in October of 1996, reducing the number of NSR PSUs by 42. So, the current NCVS sample consists of 110 NSR PSUs. The NCVS sample design continued use of both 1980- and 1990-based sample through 1997. Beginning in 1998 only 1990-based sample remains.

In the second stage of sampling, each selected stratification PSU is divided into four non overlapping frames (unit, area, permit, and group quarters) from which NCVS independently selects its sample. From each selected stratification PSU, clusters of approximately four housing units or housing unit equivalents are selected from each frame. For the unit and group quarters frames, addresses come

from the 1990 Census. For the permit frame, addresses come from building permit data obtained from building permit offices. This ensures that units built after the 1990 Census are included in the sample. For the area frame, sample blocks come from the 1990 Census files. Then, addresses are listed and sampled in the field. A new sample, based on addresses drawn from the 2000 census, will be phased in beginning in 2005.

The actual number of households and persons interviewed in the NCVS sample varies slightly from year to year. Information on the number of households and persons interviewed by year is presented below. (Also see spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02mresp.wk1>).

Number of households and persons interviewed by year.

Year	Number of households interviewed	Household response rate	Number of persons interviewed	Response rate for persons
1996	45,000	93%	85,330	91%
1997	42,910	95%	79,470	90%
1998	43,000	94%	78,900	89%
1999	43,000	93%	77,750	89%
2000	43,000	93%	79,710	90%
2001	44,000	93%	79,950	89%
2002	42,000	92%	76,050	87%

In order to conduct field interviews, the sample is divided into six groups, or rotations, and each group of households are interviewed once every six months over a period of three years. The initial interview is used to bound the interviews (bounding establishes a time frame to avoid duplication of crimes on subsequent interviews), but is not used to compute the annual estimates. Each rotation group is further divided into six panels. A different panel of households, corresponding to one sixth of each rotation group, is interviewed each month during the 6-month period. Because the survey is continuous, newly constructed housing units are selected as described, and assigned to rotation groups and panels for subsequent incorporation into the sample. A new rotation group enters the sample every six months, replacing a group phased out after being in the sample for three years. (Also see spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02mmon.wk1>).

Month of Interview by Month of Reference  
 (X's denote months in the 6-month reference period)

Month of interview	Period of reference within bounded period											
	First Quarter			Second Quarter			Third Quarter			Fourth Quarter		
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
January												
February	X											
March	X	X										
April	X	X	X									
May	X	X	X	X								
June	X	X	X	X	X							
July	X	X	X	X	X	X						
August		X	X	X	X	X	X					
September			X	X	X	X	X	X				
October				X	X	X	X	X	X			
November					X	X	X	X	X	X		
December						X	X	X	X	X	X	
January							X	X	X	X	X	X
February								X	X	X	X	X
March									X	X	X	X
April										X	X	X
May											X	X
June												X
July												

Selection of Cases for CATI

Currently, the NCVS sample PSU's fall into three groups of CATI usage: maximum-CATI PSU's, where all the segments in the PSU are CATI-eligible; half-CATI PSU's, where half of the segments in the PSU are randomly designated to be CATI-eligible; and no-CATI PSU's, where none of the segments are CATI-eligible. The level of CATI usage for each PSU was established with concern toward an optimal workload for the field interviewers. In the "half-CATI" PSU's, a random sample of about 50% of the segments in each PSU is taken and designated as CATI-eligible. The sample cases in CATI-eligible segments from the max-CATI and the half-CATI PSU's are interviewed from CATI facilities while the other sample cases are interviewed by the standard NCVS field procedures.

**Collection Year Estimates**

The data presented in the tables were collected during the calendar year being estimated. Because of the retrospective nature of the survey, the estimates include some incidents that actually occurred during the previous year. Analyses comparing the victimization information collected in a calendar year (termed a collection year) to that obtained about victimizations experienced in the same calendar year (called a data year) show only a small difference between the two methods. The differences will be greater during periods of changing crime rates and less during periods of stable rates.

## Estimation Procedure

Annual collection year estimates of the levels and rates of victimization are derived by accumulating four quarterly estimates. The weights of all crimes reported during interviews in that year are summed, regardless of when the crime occurred. The base for the collection year rate for personal crime is the sum of all person weights. Likewise, the base for the property crime rates is the sum of all household weights.

The estimation procedure begins with the application of a base weight to the data from each individual interviewed. The base weight is the reciprocal of the probability of each unit's selection for the sample, and provides a rough measure of the population represented by each person in the sample. Next, an adjustment is made to account for households and individuals in occupied units who were selected for the survey but unavailable for an interview.

In addition to adjusting for unequal probabilities of selection and observation, the final weight also includes a ratio adjustment to known population totals based on the adjusted counts from the 1990 Census. Specifically, the final person weight is the product of the values of the following six component weights; the final household weight is the product of all components except the within-household non-interview adjustment component detailed below:

### *Probabilities of selection*

- Base weight: the inverse of the sample unit's probability of selection.
- Weighting control factor: adjusts for any subsampling due to unexpected events in the field, such as unusually high growth in new construction, area segments larger than anticipated, and other deviations from the overall stratum sampling rate.

### *Probabilities of observation (Nonresponse)*

- Household non-interview adjustment: adjusts for nonresponse at the household level by inflating the weight assigned to interviewed households so that they represent themselves and non-interviewed households.
- Within-household non-interview adjustment: adjusts for nonresponse at the person level by inflating the weight assigned to the interviewed persons so that they represent themselves and the missed interviews.

### *Post-stratification ratio adjustment to known population totals*

The distribution of the sample population may differ somewhat from that of the total population in terms of age, race, sex, residence, and other characteristics. Because of this, two stages of ratio estimation are employed to bring the two distributions into closer agreement, thereby reducing the variability of the sample estimates.

- First-stage factor: the first stage of ratio estimation is applied only to non-self-representing PSU's. Its purpose is to reduce sampling error caused by selecting one PSU to represent an entire stratum. It adjusts for race and zone of residence differences between the sample non-self-representing PSU's and the population non-self-representing PSU's (for self-representing PSU's this factor is set to 1).

- Second-stage factor: the second stage of ratio estimation is applied on an individual basis to bring the distribution of individuals in the sample into closer agreement with independent current estimates of the population according to age, sex, and race characteristics<sup>1</sup>. This factor is defined for each person to adjust for the difference between weighted counts of persons (using the above five weight components) and independent estimates of the number of persons, within the defined cells. These independent estimates are projections based on the 1990 Census population controls adjusted for the undercount.

For household crimes, the characteristics of the wife in a husband-wife household and the characteristics of the head of household in other types of households are used to determine the ratio adjustment factors. This procedure is considered more precise than simply using the characteristics of the head of household since sample coverage is generally better for females than males.

For estimates involving *incidents* rather than *victimizations*, further adjustments are made to those cases where an incident involved more than one person. These incidents have more than one chance of being included in the sample so each multiple-victimization is reduced by the number of victims. Thus, if two people are victimized during the same incident, the weight assigned to that incident is the person weight reduced by one-half so that the incident cannot be counted twice. However, the details of the event's outcome as they related to the victim are reflected in the survey results. No adjustment is necessary in estimating data on household crimes because each separate crime is defined as involving only one household.

### **Series Victimization**

A series victimization is defined as six or more similar but separate crimes which the victim is unable to recall individually or describe in detail to an interviewer. These series crimes have been excluded from the tables because the victims were unable to provide details for each event. Data on series crimes are gathered by the calendar quarter(s) of occurrence, making it possible to match the time frames used in tabulating the data for non-series crimes (See Table 110).

The effect of combining series and non-series crimes, counting each of the series crimes as a single victimization based on the details of the most recent incident, was included in the initial release of the 1980 data<sup>2</sup>. The report showed that victimization counts and rates were higher in 1979 and 1980 when the series crimes were added. However, rate changes between these two years were basically in the same direction and significantly affected the same crimes as those affected when only non-series crimes were analyzed.

### **Accuracy of Estimates**

The accuracy of an estimate is a measure of its total error, that is, the sum of all the errors affecting the estimate: sampling error as well as nonsampling error.

The sample used for the NCVS is one of a large number of possible samples of equal size that could have been obtained by using the same sample design and selection procedures. Estimates derived from different samples would differ from one another due to sampling variability, or sampling error.

The standard error of a survey estimate is a measure of the variation among that estimates from all possible samples. Therefore, it is a measure of the precision (reliability) with which a particular estimate approximates the average result of all possible samples. The estimate and its associated standard error may be used to construct a confidence interval. A confidence interval is a range of numbers which has a specified probability that the average of all possible samples, which is the true unknown value of interest in an unbiased design, is contained within the interval. About 68% of the time, the survey estimate will differ from the true average by less than one standard error. Only 10% of the time will the difference be

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<sup>1</sup> Armed forced personnel who are eligible to be interviewed are not included in the second-stage ratio estimate and receive a factor of 1.

<sup>2</sup>See *Criminal Victimization in the United States; 1979-80 Changes, 1973-80 Trends*, BJS Technical Report, NCJ-80838, July 1982.

more than 1.6 standard errors, and just one time in 100 will it be greater than 2.5 standard errors. A 95% confidence interval is the survey estimate plus or minus twice the standard error, thus there is a 95% chance that the result of a complete census would fall within the confidence interval.

In addition to sampling error, the estimates in this report are subject to nonsampling error. While substantial care is taken in the NCVS to reduce the sources of nonsampling error throughout all the survey operations, by means of a quality assurance program, quality controls, operational controls, and error-correcting procedures, an unquantified amount of nonsampling error remains still.

Major sources of nonsampling error are related to the inability of the respondents to recall in detail the crimes which occurred during the six months prior to the interview. Research based on interviews of victims obtained from police files indicates that assault is recalled with the least accuracy of any crime measured by the NCVS. This may be related to the tendency of victims to not report crimes committed by offenders who are not strangers, especially if they are relatives. In addition, among certain groups, crimes which contain elements of assault could be a part of everyday life, and are therefore forgotten or not considered important enough to mention to a survey interviewer. These recall problems may result in an understatement of the actual rate of assault.

Another source of nonsampling error is the inability of some respondents to recall the exact month a crime occurred, even though it was placed in the correct reference period. This error source is partially offset by interviewing monthly and using the estimation procedure described earlier. Telescoping is another problem in which incidents that occurred before the reference period are placed within the period. The effect of telescoping is minimized by using the bounding procedure previously described. The interviewer is provided with a summary of the incidents reported in the preceding interview and, if a similar incident is reported, it can be determined whether or not it is a new one by discussing it with the victim. Events which occurred after the reference period are set aside for inclusion with the data from the following interview.

Other sources of nonsampling error can result from other types of response mistakes, including errors in reporting incidents as crimes, misclassification of crimes, systematic data errors introduced by the interviewer, errors made in coding and processing the data. Quality control and editing procedures were used to minimize the number of errors made by the respondents and the interviewers.

Since field representatives conducting the interviews usually reside in the area in which they interview, the race and ethnicity of the field representatives generally matches that of the local population. Special efforts are made to further match field representatives and the people they interview in areas where English is not commonly spoken. About 90% of all NCVS field representatives are female.

Standard errors measure only those nonsampling errors arising from transient factors affecting individual responses completely at random (simple response variance); they do not reveal any systematic biases in the data. As calculated in the NCVS, the standard errors would partially measure nonsampling error arising from some of the above sources, such as transient memory errors, or accidental errors in recording or coding answers, for example.

### **Computation and Application of Standard Errors**

Deriving standard errors which are applicable to a wide variety of items and which can be prepared at a moderate cost requires a number of approximations. Therefore, three generalized variance function (gvf) constant parameters (identified as "a," "b," and "c") were developed for use in calculating standard errors. The parameters provide an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard errors rather than the precise standard error for any specific item. For each year, there are four sets of parameters for use with a different sets of estimates, as described below. (Also see spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02mpar.wk1>, for values).

2002 Parameter Set	a	b	c
1. Overall Person Crime Estimates	-0.00017544	2,773	2.488
2. Person Crime Domain Estimates	-0.00028032	2,852	2.701
3. Overall Property Crime Estimates	-0.00022193	1,897	2.150
4. Property Crime Domain Estimates	-0.00070368	2,442	2.003

For year-to-year comparisons, an additional parameter, ( $\rho$ ) is used to account for year-to-year correlation.

#### Year-to-Year Correlation Between Estimates

Because of the year-to-year overlap in the sample, the same households and persons contribute to annual estimates for different years. This year-to-year correlation between estimates is measured by  $\rho$ . In general:

$\rho = 0$  when estimates are for the same year

$\rho \neq 0$  for year-to-year comparisons

When comparing estimates that are 1 or 2 years apart, use  $\rho$  as shown below.

When comparing estimates that are more than 2 years apart, assume  $\rho=0$ .

Following are NCVS year-to-year correlation values for major crime categories.

TYPE OF CRIME	1999-00 CORRELATION	1999-01 CORRELATION	2000-01 CORRELATION	2000-02 CORRELATION
Total Crimes	0.41	0.20	0.41	0.20
Total Personal Crimes	0.30	0.15	0.30	0.15
Crimes of Violence	0.31	0.15	0.31	0.15
Rape/Sexual Assault	0.04	0.02	0.04	0.02
Robbery	0.04	0.02	0.04	0.02
Assault	0.30	0.15	0.30	0.15
Purse Snatching/Pocket	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.01
Total Property Crimes	0.38	0.19	0.38	0.19
Burglary	0.21	0.10	0.21	0.10
Motor Vehicle Theft	0.08	0.04	0.08	0.04
Theft	0.34	0.17	0.34	0.17

If estimates are uncorrelated,  $\rho = 0$ . Hence, omitting the term containing  $\rho$  in the formula will provide an accurate standard error for the difference between uncorrelated estimates. On the other hand, if the two estimates have a strong positive correlation, omitting the last term will cause overestimation of the true standard error. (Also see spreadsheet at:

<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02myy.wk1>, for values).

Parameter set #1 is used for the overall person crime estimates. These are the person crime estimates by crime category for the whole population, not disaggregated by any victim, offender, or incident characteristics, nor any variable related to reporting to police.

Parameter set #2 is used for the person crime domain estimates. These are the person crime estimates disaggregated by victim, offender, or incident characteristics, or any variable related to reporting to police.

Parameter set #3 is used for the property crime estimates for the whole population. These are the property crime estimates by crime category for the whole population, not disaggregated by any household characteristics, nor any variable related to reporting to police.

Parameter set #4 is used for the property crime domain estimates. These are the property crime estimates disaggregated by household characteristics, or any variable related to reporting to police.

For the statistic from Table 1 that corresponds to the crime category "all crimes" (i.e., person and property crimes together), parameter set #3 should be used. When the person and property estimates are combined (i.e., all crimes) and disaggregated by victim, household, incident characteristics, as well as any variable related to reporting to police, parameter set #4 should be used for the best estimate of the corresponding variance.

Direct variances were calculated using the balanced repeated replication (BRR) method. The estimates and their corresponding variances were fit to the standard 3-parameter model to obtain the value of the parameters.

The following examples explain the procedures based upon the 2002 data. The formulas used to calculate the variances are available in accompanying spreadsheets, Sigma 1 (See spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02msig1.wk1>, for values) and Sigma 2 (See spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02msig2.wk1>, for values). For each example, a spreadsheet using the formulas is also provided.

Example 1. See spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02mex1.wk1>, for values. This example shows how to calculate a confidence interval around the count of a personal crime, the number of completed robberies in 2002. It uses parameter set #1 because the crime is not disaggregated by any characteristics such as age or race. The Sigma 1 spreadsheet was used to calculate confidence intervals around the counts.

The example from Table 1 in 2002 shows 385,880 completed robberies. The confidence intervals were calculated by entering the appropriate data into the Sigma 1 spreadsheet. Using the parameters for overall person crime estimates (Parameter set #1), the following values were entered:

"a" parameter = -0.00017544  
"b" parameter = 2,773  
"c" parameter = 2.488

The population base of 385,880 completed robberies was also entered.

The results show that the 95% confidence interval around the estimated number of robbery victimizations is about equal to 385,880 plus or minus twice (1.96) the standard error, or plus or minus 79,381: a confidence interval of 306,499 to 465,261.

Example 2. See spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02mex2.wk1>, for values. This example shows how to calculate a confidence interval around a rate for a personal crime by a particular variable, the rate of robberies for persons age 20 through 24 in 2002. It uses parameter



set #2 because the crime is disaggregated by the characteristic of age. The Sigma 2 spreadsheet was used to calculate confidence intervals around the rates.

The example from Table 3 in 2002 shows a robbery rate of 4.7 per 1,000 persons age 20 through 24. The confidence intervals were calculated by entering the appropriate data into the Sigma 2 spreadsheet. Using the parameters for person domain estimates (Parameter set #2), the following values were entered:

“b” parameter = 2,852  
“c” parameter = 2.701

The population base of 19,317,740 age 20 through 24 and the rate of 4.7 for robberies per 1,000 persons age 20 through 24 were also entered.

The results show that the 95% confidence interval around the estimated rate of robbery victimizations for persons age 20 through 24 is equal to 4.7 plus or minus twice (1.96) the standard error, or plus or minor 1.8: a confidence interval of 2.9 to 6.5 per 1,000 persons age 20 through 24.

Example 3. See spreadsheet at: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/sheets/cvus/2002/cv02mex3.wk1>, for values. This example shows how to determine if the differences between two rates or percentages are statistically significant. This example compares the rates for males and females for aggravated assault. It uses parameter set #2 because the crime is disaggregated by the characteristic of gender. The Sigma 2 spreadsheet was used to determine if the differences in rates were statistically significant.

The example from Table 2 in 2002 shows an aggravated assault rate of 5.2 per 1,000 males (age 12 or older) and 3.4 per 1,000 females (age 12 or older). Using the parameters for person domain estimates (Parameter set #2), the following values were entered:

“b” parameter = 2,852  
“c” parameter = 2.701

For males (the first line for set #1), the population base of 112,241,930 males and the rate of 5.2 aggravated assaults per 1,000 males were entered. For females (the second line for set #2), the population base of 119,347,330 females and the rate of 3.4 aggravated assaults per 1,000 females were also entered.

The results show that by comparing set #1 with set #2, the differences between males and females for aggravated assault in 2002 is statistically significant.

The spreadsheet shows the ratio of a difference to the standard error or the “z” score, which is associated with a given statistical level of significance. A ratio with an absolute value of 1.96 or greater indicates that the difference is significant at the 95% confidence level (or greater); a ratio with an absolute value between 1.65 and 1.96 indicates the difference is significant at a confidence level between 90% and 95%; a ratio with an absolute value less than 1.65 denotes a confidence level less than 90%. As indicated on the spreadsheet, the ratio of the difference (.0018) to the standard error (.00059) is 3.1. Thus, the spreadsheet indicates that the differences between the rates for aggravated assault for males and females was statistically significant at greater than the 95% confidence level.

In BJS reports, findings are normally significant at the 95% confidence level. If the finding is significant at the 90% confidence level, words such as “some evidence” are used. The standards used are explained in the methodology section of each report.

## **Criminal Victimization Glossary**

**Age** - The appropriate age category is determined by the respondent's age on the last day of the month before the interview.

**Annual household income** - The total income of the household head and all members of the household for the 12 months preceding the interview. Includes wages, salaries, net income from businesses or farms, pensions, interest, dividends, rent, and any other form of monetary income.

**Aggravated assault** - Attack or attempted attack with a weapon, regardless of whether or not an injury occurred and attack without a weapon when serious injury results.

*With injury* - An attack without a weapon when serious injury results or an attack with a weapon involving any injury. Serious injury includes broken bones, lost teeth, internal injuries, loss of consciousness, and any unspecified injury requiring two or more days of hospitalization.

*Threatened with a weapon* - Threat or attempted attack by an offender armed with a gun, knife, or other object used as a weapon, not resulting in victim injury.

**Assault** - An unlawful physical attack or threat of attack. Assaults may be classified as aggravated or simple. Rape, attempted rape, and sexual assaults are excluded from this category, as well as robbery and attempted robbery. The severity of assaults ranges from minor threat to incidents which are nearly fatal.

**Burglary** ( also *Household burglary*) - Unlawful or forcible entry or attempted entry of a residence. This crime usually, but not always, involves theft. The illegal entry may be by force, such as breaking a window or slashing a screen, or may be without force by entering through an unlocked door or an open window. As long as the person entering has no legal right to be present in the structure a burglary has occurred. Furthermore, the structure need not be the house itself for a burglary to take place; illegal entry of a garage, shed, or any other structure on the premises also constitutes household burglary. If breaking and entering occurs in a hotel or vacation residence, it is still classified as a burglary for the household whose member or members were staying there at the time the entry occurred.

*Completed burglary* - A form of burglary in which a person who has no legal right to be present in the structure successfully gains entry to a residence, by use of force, or without force.

*Forcible entry* - A form of completed burglary in which force is used to gain entry to a residence. Some examples include breaking a window or slashing a screen.

*Unlawful entry without force* - A form of completed burglary committed by someone having no legal right to be on the premises, even though no force is used.

*Attempted forcible entry* - A form of burglary in which force is used in an attempt to gain entry.

**Collection year** - The set of victimizations reported to NCVS in interviews conducted during the same calendar year. This set may include victimizations which occurred in the previous calendar year, due to the retrospective nature of the NCVS interview. Collection year data are used in tables beginning in 1996. See "Data year."

**Commercial crimes** - Crimes against commercial establishments of any type are not included in the survey. Commercial establishments include stores, restaurants, businesses, service stations, medical offices or hospitals, or other similar establishments. For victimizations occurring in commercial establishments, the crime is included or not included depending upon whether the survey respondent was threatened or harmed in some way or personal property was taken.

**Crime classification** - Victimization and incidents are classified based upon detailed characteristics of the event provided by the respondent. Neither victims nor interviewers classify crimes at the time of interview. During data processing, a computer program classifies each event into one type of crime, based upon the entries on a number of items on the survey questionnaire. This ensures that similar events will be classified using a standard procedure. The glossary definition for each crime indicates the major characteristics required to be so classified. If an event can be classified as more than one type of crime, a hierarchy is used which classifies the crime according to the most serious event that occurred. The hierarchy is: rape, sexual assault, robbery, assault, burglary, motor vehicle theft, theft.

**Data year** - The set of victimizations reported to NCVS all of which occurred within the same calendar year. For all years prior to 1996, Criminal Victimization in the United States tables are based upon data year. Beginning in 1996 and later years, tables are based upon collection year. See "Collection Year."

**Ethnicity** - A classification based on Hispanic culture and origin, regardless of race.

**Head of household** - A classification which defines one and only one person in each housing unit as the head. Head of household implies that the person rents or owns (or is in the process of buying), the housing unit. The head of household must be at least 18, unless all members of the household are under 18, or the head is married to someone 18 or older.

**Hispanic** - A person who describes himself as Mexican-American, Chicano, Mexican, Mexicano, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central American, South American, or from some other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

**Household** - A person or group of people meeting either of the following criteria: (1) people whose usual place of residence is the same housing unit, even if they are temporarily absent; (2) people staying in a housing unit who have no usual place of residence elsewhere.

**Household Burglary** - See burglary.

**Incident** - A specific criminal act involving one or more victims and offenders. For example, if two people are robbed at the same time and place, this is classified as two robbery victimizations but only one robbery incident.

**Marital status** - Every person is assigned to one of the following classifications: (1) married, which includes persons in common-law unions and those who are currently living apart for reasons other than marital discord (employment, military service, etc.); (2) separated or divorced, which includes married persons who are legally separated and those who are not living together because of marital discord; (3) widowed; and (4) never married, which includes persons whose marriages have been annulled and those who are living together and not in a common-law union.

**Metropolitan area** - See "Metropolitan Statistical Area."

**Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA)** - The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) defines this as a population nucleus of 50,000 or more, generally consisting of a city and its immediate suburbs, along with adjacent communities having a high degree of economic and social integration with the nucleus. MSA's are designated by counties, the smallest geographic units for which a wide range of statistical data can be attained. However, in New England, MSA's are designated by cities and towns since these subcounty units are of great local significance and considerable data is available for them. Currently, an area is defined as an MSA if it meets one of two standards:

(1) a city has a population of at least 50,000; (2) the Census Bureau defines an urbanized area of at least 50,000 people with a total metropolitan population of at least 100,000 (or 75,000 in New England). The Census Bureau's definition of urbanized areas, data on commuting to work, and the strength of the economic and social ties between the surrounding counties and the central city determine which

counties not containing a main city are included in an MSA. For New England, MSA's are determined by a core area and related cities and towns, not counties. A metropolitan statistical area may contain more than one city of 50,000 and may cross State lines.

**Motor vehicle** - An automobile, truck, motorcycle, or any other motorized vehicle legally allowed on public roads and highways.

**Motor vehicle theft** - Stealing or unauthorized taking of a motor vehicle, including attempted thefts.

*Completed motor vehicle theft* - The successful taking of a vehicle by an unauthorized person.

*Attempted motor vehicle theft* - The unsuccessful attempt by an unauthorized person to take a vehicle.

**Multiple offenders** - Two or more persons inflicting some direct harm to a victim. The *victim-offender relationship* is determined by the offender with the closest relationship to the victim. The following list ranks the different relationships from closest to most distant: spouse, ex-spouse, parent, child, other relative, nonrelative well-known person, casual acquaintance, or stranger (See *Nonstranger* and *Stranger*).

**Non-Hispanic** - Persons who report their culture or origin as something other than "Hispanic" as defined above. This distinction is made regardless of race.

**Nonstranger** - A classification of a crime victim's relationship to the offender. An offender who is either related to, well known to, or casually acquainted with the victim is a nonstranger. For crimes with more than one offender, if any of the offenders are nonstrangers, then the group of offenders as a whole is classified as nonstranger. This category only applies to crimes which involve contact between the victim and the offender; the distinction is not made for crimes of theft since victims of this offense rarely see the offenders.

**Offender** - The perpetrator of a crime; this term usually applies to crimes involving contact between the victim and the offender.

**Offense** - A crime. When referring to personal crimes, the term can be used to refer to both victimizations and incidents.

**Personal crimes** - Rape, sexual assault, personal robbery, assault, purse snatching and pocket picking. This category includes both attempted and completed crimes.

**Place of occurrence of crime** - The location at which a crime occurred, as specified by the victim. Survey measures of crimes occurring in commercial establishments, restaurants, nightclubs, public transportation and other similar places include only those crimes involving NCVS measured crimes against persons, not the establishments. Crimes against commercial establishments and other places are not measured by the survey.

**Property crimes** - Property crimes including burglary, motor vehicle theft, or theft. This category includes both attempted and completed crimes.

**Purse snatching/Pocket picking** - Theft or attempted theft of property or cash directly from the victim by stealth, without force or threat of force.

**Race** - Racial categories for this survey are white, black, and other. The "other" category is composed mainly of Asian Pacific Islanders, and American Indian, Aleut, and Eskimo. The race of the head of household is used in determining the race of the household for computing household crime demographics.

**Rape** - Forced sexual intercourse including both psychological coercion as well as physical force. Forced sexual intercourse means vaginal, anal or oral penetration by the offender(s). This category also includes incidents where the penetration is from a foreign object such as a bottle. Includes attempted rapes, male as well as female victims and both heterosexual and homosexual rape. Attempted rape includes verbal threats of rape.

**Rate of victimization** - see "Victimization rate."

**Region** - The States have been divided into four groups or census regions:

*Midwest* - Includes the 12 States of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

*Northeast* - Includes the 9 states of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

*South* - Includes the District of Columbia and the 16 States of Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

*West* - Includes the 13 states of Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

**Robbery** - Completed or attempted theft, directly from a person, of property or cash by force or threat of force, with or without a weapon, and with or without injury.

*Completed/property taken* - The successful taking of property from a person by force or threat of force, with or without a weapon, and with or without injury.

*Completed with injury* - The successful taking of property from a person, accompanied by an attack, either with or without a weapon, resulting in injury.

*Completed without injury* - The successful taking of property from a person by force or the threat of force, either with or without a weapon, but not resulting in injury.

*Attempted to take property* - The attempt to take property from a person by force or threat of force without success, with or without a weapon, and with or without injury.

*Attempted without injury* - The attempt to take property from a person by force or the threat of force without success, either with or without a weapon, but not resulting in injury.

*Attempted with injury* - The attempt to take property from a person without success, accompanied by an attack, either with or without a weapon, resulting in injury.

**Rural area** - A place not located inside the Metropolitan Statistical Area. This category includes a variety of localities, ranging from sparsely populated rural areas to cities with populations less than 50,000.

**Sample** - The set of housing units selected by the U. S. Census Bureau to be interviewed for the survey. All occupants of the household age 12 or older are interviewed. See methodology for sample inclusions and exclusions.

**Series** - Six or more similar but separate events, which the respondent is unable to describe separately in detail to an interviewer.

**Sexual assault** - A wide range of victimizations, separate from rape or attempted rape. These crimes include attacks or attempted attacks generally involving unwanted sexual contact between victim and offender. Sexual assaults may or may not involve force and include such things as grabbing or fondling. Sexual assault also includes verbal threats.

**Simple assault** - Attack without a weapon resulting either in no injury, minor injury (for example, bruises, black eyes, cuts, scratches or swelling) or in undetermined injury requiring less than 2 days of hospitalization. Also includes attempted assault without a weapon.

*With minor injury* - An attack without a weapon resulting in such injuries as bruises, black eyes, cuts or in undetermined injury requiring less than 2 days of hospitalization.

*Without injury* - An attempted assault without a weapon not resulting in injury.

**Stranger** - A classification of the victim's relationship to the offender for crimes involving direct contact between the two. Incidents are classified as involving strangers if the victim identifies the offender as a stranger, did not see or recognize the offender, or knew the offender only by sight. Crimes involving multiple offenders are classified as involving nonstrangers if any of the offenders was a nonstranger. Since victims of theft without contact rarely see the offender, no distinction is made between strangers and nonstrangers for this crime.

**Suburban areas** - A county or counties containing a central city, plus any contiguous counties that are linked socially and economically to the central city. On data tables, suburban areas are categorized as those portions of metropolitan areas situated "outside central cities."

**Tenure** - The NCVS recognizes two forms of household tenancy: (1) owned, which includes dwellings that are mortgaged, and (2) rented, which includes rent-free quarters belonging to a party other than the occupants, and situations where rental payments are in kind or services.

**Theft** - Completed or attempted theft of property or cash without personal contact. Incidents involving theft of property from within the sample household would classify as theft if the offender has a legal right to be in the house (such as a maid, delivery person, or guest). If the offender has no legal right to be in the house, the incident would classify as a burglary.

*Completed* - To successfully take without permission property or cash without personal contact between the victim and offender.

*Attempted* - To unsuccessfully attempt to take property or cash without personal contact.

**Urban areas** - The largest city (or grouping of cities) in a Metropolitan Statistical Area (see definition of Metropolitan Statistical Area).

**Victim** - The recipient of a criminal act, usually used in relation to personal crimes, but also applicable to households.

**Victimization** - A crime as it affects one individual person or household. For personal crimes, the number of victimizations is equal to the number of victims involved. The number of victimizations may be greater than the number of incidents because more than one person may be victimized during an incident. Each crime against a household is assumed to involve a single victim, the affected household.

**Victimization rate** - A measure of the occurrence of victimizations among a specified population group. For personal crimes, this is based on the number of victimizations per 1,000 residents age 12 or older. For household crimes, the victimization rates are calculated using the number of incidents per 1,000 households.

**Victimize** - To commit a crime against a person or household.

**Violence, crimes of** - Rape, sexual assault, personal robbery or assault. This category includes both attempted and completed crimes. It does not include purse snatching and pocket picking. Murder is not measured by the NCVS because of an inability to question the victim.

*Completed violence* - The sum of all completed rapes, sexual assaults, robberies, and assaults. See individual crime types for definition of completed crimes.

*Attempted/threatened violence* - The unsuccessful attempt of rape, sexual assault, personal robbery or assault. Includes attempted attacks or sexual assaults by means of verbal threats. See individual crime types for definition of attempted crimes.