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# **Criminal Victimization in the United States, 2006 Statistical Tables**

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Table 91. Personal and property crimes, 2006:

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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>25,183,350</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>40.6 %</b>	<b>58.2 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>6,267,610</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>49.0 %</b>	<b>49.2 %</b>	<b>1.8 %</b>
Crimes of violence	6,094,390	100.0	48.8	49.4	1.8
Completed violence	2,019,260	100.0	62.6	35.7	1.7 *
Attempted/threatened violence	4,075,130	100.0	42.0	56.2	1.8
Rape/Sexual assault	260,940	100.0	43.4	56.6	0.0 *
Rape/Attempted rape	192,320	100.0	39.9	60.1	0.0 *
Rape	116,600	100.0	49.2	50.8	0.0 *
Attempted rape/b	75,720	100.0	25.7 *	74.3	0.0 *
Sexual assault/c	68,620	100.0	53.2 *	46.8 *	0.0 *
Robbery	712,610	100.0	56.8	41.9	1.3 *
Completed/property taken	482,290	100.0	59.8	39.5	0.7 *
With injury	208,140	100.0	60.8	37.5	1.7 *
Without injury	274,150	100.0	58.9	41.1	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	230,320	100.0	50.8	46.9	2.4 *
With injury	43,340	100.0	66.3 *	21.0 *	12.7 *
Without injury	186,980	100.0	47.2	52.8	0.0 *
Assault	5,120,840	100.0	48.0	50.1	2.0
Aggravated	1,344,280	100.0	59.6	37.4	3.0
With injury	466,610	100.0	76.0	22.3	1.7 *
Threatened with weapon	877,670	100.0	50.9	45.4	3.7 *
Simple	3,776,550	100.0	43.9	54.6	1.6
With minor injury	900,850	100.0	59.9	37.6	2.5 *
Without injury	2,875,700	100.0	38.8	59.9	1.3
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	173,220	100.0	55.9	42.4	1.7 *
Completed purse snatching	34,250 *	100.0 *	78.9 *	12.3 *	8.7 *
Attempted purse snatching	6,870 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *
Pocket picking	132,110	100.0	52.8	47.2	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>18,915,740</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>37.8 %</b>	<b>61.2 %</b>	<b>1.1 %</b>
Household burglary	3,560,920	100.0	49.5	49.0	1.5
Completed	2,848,210	100.0	50.5	48.0	1.5
Forcible entry	1,024,030	100.0	71.1	28.5	0.4 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,824,180	100.0	39.0	58.9	2.1
Attempted forcible entry	712,710	100.0	45.5	53.0	1.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	992,260	100.0	80.9	18.8	0.3 *
Completed	791,840	100.0	89.0	11.0	0.0 *
Attempted	200,410	100.0	48.8	49.7	1.5 *
Theft	14,362,570	100.0	31.9	67.1	1.0
Completed	13,791,020	100.0	32.0	67.0	1.0
Less than \$50	3,822,200	100.0	17.3	81.5	1.1
\$50 - \$249	4,940,790	100.0	26.0	73.0	0.9
\$250 or more	3,718,530	100.0	56.4	43.2	0.5 *
Amount not available	1,309,500	100.0	28.6	69.0	2.4 *
Attempted	571,550	100.0	28.5	70.2	1.3 *

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey.

However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on 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, 2006:

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**Percent of victimizations reported to the police,  
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>48.8 %</b>	<b>37.8 %</b>
<b>Male</b>	45.6	39.0
White only	45.6	38.5
Black only	46.4	42.3
Other race only/b	55.1	41.9
Two or more races/c	28.7 *	36.4
<b>Female</b>	52.5	36.6
White only	51.0	36.9
Black only	62.7	36.6
Other race only/b	34.6	39.1
Two or more races/c	57.6	18.0 *
<b>Male</b>		
Hispanic	41.3	33.7
Non-Hispanic	46.5	40.0
<b>Female</b>		
Hispanic	41.4	33.2
Non-Hispanic	53.9	37.1

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years. See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>.

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

Excludes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained.

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

b/Includes American Indian, Eskimo, Asian Pacific Islander if only one of these races is given.

c/Includes all persons of any race, indicating two or more races.

Table 92. Personal crimes, 2006:

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**Percent of victimizations reported to the police,  
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	49.0 %	48.8 %	55.9 %
Male	46.0	45.6	60.8
Female	52.4	52.5	51.0
<b>Race/b</b>			
White only	48.3	48.1	58.2
Black only	55.0	54.7	67.1 *
<b>Ethnicity</b>			
Hispanic	41.6	41.3	54.4 *
Non-Hispanic	50.3	50.1	56.1

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years. See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

\*Estimate is based on 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.

b/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races and persons indicating two or more races.



Table 93. Violent crimes, 2006:

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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>48.8 %</b>	<b>45.6 %</b>	<b>52.5 %</b>	<b>49.9 %</b>	<b>48.5 %</b>	<b>52.6 %</b>	<b>47.8 %</b>	<b>41.5 %</b>	<b>52.4 %</b>
Completed violence	62.6	59.2	65.8	63.8	63.6	64.2	61.6	53.0	66.6
Attempted/threatened violence	42.0	39.5	45.0	43.7	41.7	47.3	40.4	36.5	43.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	43.4	26.2 *	45.5	55.1	21.0 *	61.6	36.2	33.3 *	36.4
Robbery	56.8	57.5	55.7	58.5	59.5	55.5	52.3	46.9 *	55.9
Completed/property taken	59.8	60.9	57.7	64.2	66.6	56.4	49.3	35.1 *	58.8
With injury	60.8	57.5	66.7	60.6	62.3	53.6 *	61.2	33.8 *	73.7 *
Without injury	58.9	63.3	50.1	66.7	69.8	57.9 *	37.7 *	35.9 *	39.3 *
Attempted to take property	50.8	50.2	51.8	48.1	45.4	54.3 *	62.3 *	84.6 *	46.0 *
With injury	66.3 *	76.5 *	54.2 *	45.4 *	64.4 *	19.4 *	100.0 *	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	47.2	45.3	51.0 *	48.6	42.9	62.9 *	38.5 *	72.3 *	17.5 *
Assault	48.0	43.7	52.8	47.7	45.9	51.1	48.2	41.3	53.6
Aggravated	59.6	55.3	65.2	62.7	62.7	62.7	56.7	46.4	66.8
With injury	76.0	73.0	79.2	80.5	84.4	73.2	72.3	58.0	82.1
Threatened with weapon	50.9	47.0	56.5	54.1	51.9	57.9	47.7	41.3	55.3
Simple	43.9	39.3	48.8	41.7	39.2	46.3	45.5	39.4	49.9
With minor injury	59.9	50.2	68.6	49.1	43.9	58.3	64.9	54.9	71.4
Attempted threat without weapon	38.8	36.3	41.8	40.0	38.2	43.5	37.8	33.8	40.9

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey.

However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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

Table 93a. Property crimes, 2006:

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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>7,147,080</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>3,567,050</b>	<b>39.0</b>	<b>3,580,030</b>	<b>36.6</b>
Household burglary	1,762,740	49.5	810,540	51.3	952,200	48.1
Completed	1,438,740	50.5	661,450	51.6	777,280	49.6
Forcible entry	727,880	71.1	339,540	69.8	388,340	72.2
Unlawful entry/without force	710,860	39.0	321,910	40.5	388,940	37.8
Attempted forcible entry	324,010	45.5	149,090	49.8	174,920	42.3
Motor vehicle theft	802,690	80.9	438,170	82.4	364,520	79.1
Completed	704,840	89.0	402,240	89.0	302,600	89.1
Attempted	97,850	48.8	35,920 *	45.2 *	61,920	51.2
Theft	4,581,650	31.9	2,318,340	33.0	2,263,310	30.9
Completed	4,418,580	32.0	2,240,220	33.1	2,178,360	31.0
Less than \$50	662,560	17.3	336,250	18.2	326,320	16.5
\$50 - \$249	1,285,490	26.0	663,460	27.2	622,040	24.9
\$250 or more	2,096,210	56.4	1,063,200	56.3	1,033,010	56.5
Amount not available	374,310	28.6	177,320	30.4	197,000	27.1
Attempted	163,080	28.5	78,120	29.2	84,960	28.0

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey.

However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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

Table 94. Violent crimes, 2006:

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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 only	Black only	White only	Black only	White only	Black only
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>48.1 %</b>	<b>54.7 %</b>	<b>48.3 %</b>	<b>58.8 %</b>	<b>47.8 %</b>	<b>51.2 %</b>
Completed violence	59.9	74.2	59.6	79.2	60.1	69.8
Attempted/threatened violence	42.8	40.1	43.9	43.2	41.6	37.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	45.6	49.5 *	58.7	52.3 *	38.5	44.9 *
Robbery	52.5	74.6	54.7	75.0	45.9	73.7 *
Completed/property taken	55.1	78.8	60.6	83.6	41.4	70.2 *
With injury	56.9	75.9 *	58.8	73.3 *	52.2 *	78.1 *
Without injury	53.6	81.1	62.0	88.4 *	32.0 *	52.9 *
Attempted to take property	47.6	62.6 *	45.0	56.7 *	60.1 *	100.0 *
With injury	70.0 *	58.9 *	46.7 *	43.3 *	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	43.6	66.4 *	44.8	66.4 *	35.6 *	0.0 *
Assault	47.6	52.2	46.4	55.4	48.6	49.8
Aggravated	61.5	60.1	64.6	64.2	58.8	56.2
With injury	73.1	89.0	81.1	85.8	67.6	92.1
Threatened with weapon	56.2	39.7	58.4	48.9	54.1	30.9 *
Simple	43.2	47.8	40.4	49.3	45.5	46.9
With minor injury	59.2	62.1	43.9	66.8	66.1	59.4
Attempted threat without weapon	38.7	39.9	39.8	40.4	37.8	39.6

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

Excludes data on persons with races other than White only and Black only.

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

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

Table 95. Violent crimes, 2006:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**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>41.3 %</b>	<b>50.1 %</b>	<b>40.3 %</b>	<b>51.9 %</b>	<b>42.4 %</b>	<b>48.6 %</b>
Completed violence	56.7	63.4	53.0	65.7	60.6	61.7
Attempted/threatened violence	32.8	43.6	33.6	45.8	31.8	41.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	63.5 *	39.8	100.0 *	47.0	40.6 *	35.6
Robbery	40.8	61.1	43.4	63.7	18.0 *	55.4
Completed/property taken	44.8	63.5	49.4	69.5	0.0 *	52.9
With injury	37.8 *	65.8	37.8 *	69.0	0.0 *	61.2
Without injury	48.6 *	61.6	56.8 *	69.8	0.0 *	43.5 *
Attempted to take property	32.1 *	56.2	29.8 *	54.1	48.1 *	64.5 *
With injury	0.0 *	66.3 *	0.0 *	45.4 *	0.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	32.1 *	53.1	29.8 *	56.1	48.1 *	35.8 *
Assault	40.5	49.2	36.9	49.7	43.5	48.9
Aggravated	52.4	61.0	44.0	66.9	62.7	55.9
With injury	80.8	75.2	70.3 *	82.3	90.2 *	69.4
Threatened with weapon	37.2	53.5	32.9 *	59.2	43.5 *	48.3
Simple	35.8	45.1	33.0	43.1	37.7	46.6
With minor injury	48.9	61.4	16.6 *	51.5	55.7	66.5
Without injury	31.8	40.0	34.8	41.1	29.1	39.0

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years. See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>.

Excludes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained.

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

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

Table 96. Personal crimes, 2006:

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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>34.3 %</b>	<b>52.9 %</b>	<b>56.0 %</b>	<b>54.9 %</b>	<b>63.4 %</b>
Crimes of violence	34.6	52.6	55.8	54.5	64.6
Completed violence	54.7	62.7	74.2	61.3	69.8 *
Attempted/threatened violence	24.1	47.0	48.1	51.5	62.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	33.9 *	51.6	46.8 *	44.6 *	0.0 *
Robbery	40.3	58.8	62.6	60.9	74.8 *
Completed/property taken	46.9	57.6	68.5	62.9 *	81.1 *
With injury	58.2 *	58.3	75.2 *	54.2 *	100.0 *
Without injury	37.6 *	57.1	65.2	74.2 *	78.7 *
Attempted to take property	31.5 *	61.3	43.3 *	52.8 *	65.8 *
With injury	100.0 *	54.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	26.2 *	64.3	43.3 *	52.8 *	38.6 *
Assault	34.1	51.6	55.3	54.2	59.6
Aggravated	47.3	63.1	63.0	65.8	73.3 *
With injury	74.6	79.4	72.5	65.1 *	100.0 *
Threatened with weapon	32.2	51.9	59.3	66.1	69.3 *
Simple	30.1	46.9	52.4	51.0	53.9 *
With minor injury	49.7	58.1	83.8	60.6	34.7 *
Without injury	22.4	43.3	44.6	48.3	58.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	17.1 *	72.2 *	60.2 *	68.8 *	56.6 *

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

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

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

Table 97. Property crimes, 2006:

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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 only	Black only	Hispanic	Non- Hispanic	All house- holds/a	White only	Black only	Hispanic	Non- Hispanic
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>37.8 %</b>	<b>37.7 %</b>	<b>38.8 %</b>	<b>33.5 %</b>	<b>38.4 %</b>	<b>39.1 %</b>	<b>39.1 %</b>	<b>39.2 %</b>	<b>34.0 %</b>	<b>39.7 %</b>
Household burglary	49.5	49.5	48.4	42.0	50.6	51.9	52.0	49.2	46.7	52.3
Completed	50.5	51.4	48.2	44.9	51.4	52.4	53.2	49.9	47.9	52.8
Forcible entry	71.1	73.3	66.1	64.0	72.2	73.3	76.0	65.0	80.9	72.4
Unlawful entry without force	39.0	39.7	34.7	32.7	40.0	41.2	42.0	34.5 *	29.4 *	42.4
Attempted forcible entry	45.5	41.6	49.0	32.0 *	47.7	50.0	46.7	47.0 *	42.6 *	50.5
Motor vehicle theft	80.9	82.5	74.5	68.8	83.3	88.1	89.3	90.0	88.8	88.2
Completed	89.0	89.8	83.4	79.5	90.8	96.9	96.2	100.0	96.2	96.9
Attempted	48.8	50.2	43.3 *	25.0 *	53.5	53.3	57.6	62.2 *	61.4 *	52.2
Theft	31.9	32.2	31.5	28.3	32.5	33.1	33.3	32.5	27.9	33.8
Completed	32.0	32.3	32.1	28.1	32.7	33.2	33.3	33.3	27.0	33.9
Less than \$50	17.3	17.4	20.2	16.5	17.4	17.7	17.9	20.4	16.7 *	17.8
\$50 - \$249	26.0	26.8	25.1	18.1	27.4	27.0	27.5	24.2	17.7	28.2
\$250 or more	56.4	57.2	50.8	54.6	56.7	57.1	57.3	56.1	50.8	57.8
Amount not available	28.6	27.2	36.0	21.9	30.1	31.6	31.2	35.8 *	19.3 *	34.2
Attempted	28.5	28.7	16.0 *	33.0 *	28.2	31.8	33.8	12.6 *	56.0 *	29.3

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations reported to the police				
	Rented				
	All house- holds/a	White only	Black only	Hispanic	Non- Hispanic
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>35.9 %</b>	<b>35.2 %</b>	<b>38.6 %</b>	<b>33.0 %</b>	<b>36.5 %</b>
Household burglary	46.2	45.3	48.0	39.3	47.9
Completed	48.0	48.2	47.3	43.1	49.1
Forcible entry	68.2	69.2	66.9	55.2	72.0
Unlawful entry without force	35.8	35.7	34.8	34.8	36.0
Attempted forcible entry	38.7	33.0	50.4	25.5 *	42.8
Motor vehicle theft	73.4	73.2	68.7	56.8	77.5
Completed	80.8	80.8	77.7	69.8	83.6
Attempted	44.2	40.7 *	34.2 *	0.0 *	54.9
Theft	30.1	30.1	30.9	28.6	30.4
Completed	30.3	30.5	31.3	29.2	30.5
Less than \$50	16.7	16.4	20.0	16.3 *	16.7
\$50 - \$249	24.7	25.8	25.8	18.4	26.1
\$250 or more	55.2	56.9	47.2	58.5	54.7
Amount not available	24.1	20.7	36.2 *	24.7 *	23.4
Attempted	24.6	21.6	18.7 *	12.6 *	26.8

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

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

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races and persons indicating two or more races.

Table 98. Property crimes, 2006:

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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>37.8 %</b>	<b>39.1 %</b>	<b>35.9 %</b>
Household burglary	49.5	51.9	46.2
Completed	50.5	52.4	48.0
Forcible entry	71.1	73.3	68.2
Unlawful entry without force	39.0	41.2	35.8
Attempted forcible entry	45.5	50.0	38.7
Motor vehicle theft	80.9	88.1	73.4
Completed	89.0	96.9	80.8
Attempted	48.8	53.3	44.2
Theft	31.9	33.1	30.1
Completed	32.0	33.2	30.3
Less than \$50	17.3	17.7	16.7
\$50 - \$249	26.0	27.0	24.7
\$250 or more	56.4	57.1	55.2
Amount not available	28.6	31.6	24.1
Attempted	28.5	31.8	24.6

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years. See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>.

Table 99. Property crimes, 2006:

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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>30.9 %</b>	<b>38.2 %</b>	<b>38.5 %</b>	<b>36.1 %</b>	<b>39.7 %</b>	<b>37.2 %</b>	<b>39.7 %</b>
Household burglary	40.0	51.5	51.3	46.2	51.8	45.7	61.1
Completed	39.7	51.6	51.9	49.5	53.2	44.8	58.6
Forcible entry	45.7	70.2	75.5	77.0	76.2	75.1	84.5
Unlawful entry without force	35.3	39.6	39.6	34.5	42.1	26.0	45.4
Attempted forcible entry	41.1 *	51.0 *	50.0	35.3 *	44.4 *	48.9	73.3
Motor vehicle theft	61.9 *	77.9	69.1	92.1	83.8	94.2	83.2
Completed	75.8 *	92.6	75.5	98.5	91.4	98.2	95.4
Attempted	0.0 *	35.7 *	48.8 *	49.0 *	66.6 *	70.9 *	33.2 *
Theft	25.2	31.5	31.3	28.5	33.4	32.1	34.0
Completed	25.4	31.8	32.2	28.8	34.0	32.3	33.9
Less than \$50	16.0	15.6	21.1	13.6	20.1	17.3	16.1
\$50 - \$249	21.7	24.0	20.2	24.9	28.7	27.5	28.4
\$250 or more	51.0	55.2	60.1	52.0	60.9	56.2	55.1
Amount not available	17.4 *	34.7 *	29.7	42.5	31.3	25.3 *	28.1
Attempted	19.6 *	24.5 *	0.0 *	24.1 *	19.6 *	27.4 *	36.7

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years. See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

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

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



Table 100. Property crimes, 2006:

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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>37.4 %</b>	<b>51.6 %</b>	<b>89.0 %</b>	<b>32.0 %</b>
Less than \$10/c	21.8	20.1 *	0.0 *	21.9
\$10 -\$49	16.1	20.0	0.0 *	15.8
\$50-\$99	20.7	31.6	0.0 *	19.9
\$100-\$249	30.7	37.3	75.9 *	29.7
\$250-\$499	44.9	55.1	46.7 *	43.0
\$500-\$999	60.2	57.9	58.4	61.2
\$1,000 or more	80.0	77.2	98.5	71.8

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years. See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

\*Estimate is based on 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, 2006:

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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>2,722,640</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>23.8 %</b>	<b>3.0 %</b>	<b>4.3 %</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>	<b>20.9 %</b>
Crimes of violence	2,597,790	100.0 %	24.4	2.8	3.0	0.7 *	21.4
Completed violence	1,064,260	100.0 %	18.5	5.6	7.0	0.6 *	18.3
Attempted/threatened violence	1,533,540	100.0 %	28.5	0.9 *	0.2 *	0.7 *	23.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	118,290	100.0 %	15.4 *	7.3 *	2.4 *	0.0 *	16.8 *
Robbery	448,550	100.0 %	8.6	1.6 *	15.2	1.5 *	20.0
Completed/property taken	301,770	100.0 %	5.5 *	1.2 *	21.8	2.2 *	18.1
With injury	70,350	100.0 %	3.0 *	0.0 *	23.2 *	0.0 *	32.6 *
Without injury	231,430	100.0 %	6.2 *	1.5 *	21.4	2.9 *	13.7 *
Attempted to take property	146,770	100.0 %	15.0 *	2.4 *	1.5 *	0.0 *	23.9 *
With injury	23,630 *	100.0 %*	16.5 *	0.0 *	9.3 *	0.0 *	32.4 *
Without injury	123,150	100.0 %	14.7 *	2.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	22.3 *
Assault	2,030,960	100.0 %	28.5	2.9	0.3 *	0.5 *	21.9
Aggravated	689,800	100.0 %	24.1	4.3 *	0.5 *	0.0 *	24.0
Simple	1,341,150	100.0 %	30.7	2.1 *	0.2 *	0.8 *	20.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	124,850	100.0 %	10.3 *	6.0 *	30.9	0.0 *	10.7 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>9,362,880</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>8.8 %</b>	<b>0.4 %</b>	<b>23.1 %</b>	<b>3.9 %</b>	<b>9.0 %</b>
Household burglary	2,669,050	100.0 %	11.3	0.1 *	18.0	3.0	12.3
Completed	2,308,990	100.0 %	9.8	0.0 *	20.7	3.3	11.6
Forcible entry	1,232,270	100.0 %	9.4	0.0 *	20.2	3.8	11.6
Unlawful entry without force	1,076,720	100.0 %	10.2	0.0 *	21.2	2.7 *	11.6
Attempted forcible entry	360,060	100.0 %	20.5	0.7 *	0.5 *	1.4 *	17.0
Motor vehicle theft	983,250	100.0 %	5.3	0.0 *	33.5	6.2	5.4
Completed	873,550	100.0 %	4.6	0.0 *	37.8	7.0	5.4
Attempted	109,700	100.0 %	10.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	5.2 *
Theft	5,710,580	100.0 %	8.3	0.6 *	23.6	4.0	8.0
Completed	5,543,020	100.0 %	8.2	0.6 *	24.3	4.0	7.9
Attempted	167,560	100.0 %	10.7 *	0.0 *	1.3 *	3.6 *	11.5 *

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>8.5 %</b>	<b>6.5 %</b>	<b>5.6 %</b>	<b>3.2 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>13.7 %</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>
Crimes of violence	8.8	6.8	5.4	2.9	5.2	13.6	3.6	1.5
Completed violence	7.2	8.8	6.3	2.8 *	7.4	13.0	2.9 *	1.4 *
Attempted/threatened violence	9.9	5.4	4.7	3.0	3.6	14.0	4.0	1.5 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	2.5 *	13.8 *	11.6 *	4.1 *	4.1 *	12.8 *	4.1 *	5.1 *
Robbery	13.2	5.9 *	9.3	3.3 *	7.4 *	11.1	2.1 *	0.9 *
Completed/property taken	12.5	4.5 *	6.0 *	4.2 *	6.2 *	14.7	1.9 *	1.3 *
With injury	4.6 *	0.0 *	5.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	24.3 *	3.7 *	3.1 *
Without injury	14.9 *	5.9 *	6.1 *	5.5 *	8.0 *	11.7 *	1.3 *	0.7 *
Attempted to take property	14.7 *	8.8 *	16.0 *	1.6 *	9.9 *	3.7 *	2.5 *	0.0 *
With injury	11.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	15.3 *	0.0 *	15.3 *	0.0 *
Without injury	15.3 *	10.5 *	19.1 *	1.9 *	8.8 *	4.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	8.2	6.6	4.2	2.7	4.8	14.2	3.9	1.4 *
Aggravated	8.4	7.6	6.3	2.9 *	4.1 *	12.5	2.9 *	2.4 *
Simple	8.0	6.0	3.0	2.7 *	5.1	15.1	4.4	0.9 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	3.3 *	0.0 *	9.9 *	8.4 *	5.7 *	14.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>4.9 %</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>	<b>7.5 %</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>19.0 %</b>	<b>1.8 %</b>	<b>0.6 %</b>
Household burglary	7.9	5.5	8.6	9.3	6.8	15.2	1.5	0.5 *
Completed	8.2	5.8	8.5	9.0	6.9	14.2	1.5 *	0.5 *
Forcible entry	9.5	5.3	9.0	9.3	6.9	13.2	1.4 *	0.3 *
Unlawful entry without force	6.7	6.5	7.9	8.7	6.8	15.3	1.6 *	0.8 *
Attempted forcible entry	6.2 *	3.1 *	9.6 *	10.7	6.2 *	21.7	1.8 *	0.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	6.8	5.0	6.7	5.3	4.9	19.1	0.9 *	0.8 *
Completed	5.5	4.9	6.3	4.7	4.3	17.6	1.0 *	1.0 *
Attempted	17.2 *	5.8 *	10.2 *	9.5 *	10.0 *	31.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Theft	6.5	4.5	6.6	7.1	7.3	20.7	2.1	0.7
Completed	6.4	4.6	6.5	6.8	7.2	20.8	2.0	0.7
Attempted	9.8 *	1.6 *	9.7 *	15.8 *	10.9 *	19.8 *	5.4 *	0.0 *

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey.

However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

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

Table 102. Personal and property crimes, 2006:

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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>3,675,450</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>13.0 %</b>	<b>20.7 %</b>	<b>17.3 %</b>	<b>6.2 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	3,581,620	100.0	12.9	20.8	17.3	6.2	0.1 *
Completed violence	930,890	100.0	10.2	16.8	8.8	5.4	0.3 *
Attempted/threatened violence	2,650,730	100.0	13.9	22.2	20.3	6.5	0.0 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	158,020	100.0	9.4 *	24.5	10.0 *	2.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	416,490	100.0	5.4 *	12.2	11.2	1.9 *	0.7 *
Completed/property taken	276,740	100.0	5.5 *	7.5 *	7.4 *	2.8 *	1.1 *
With injury	149,050	100.0	2.9 *	4.7 *	3.0 *	5.2 *	0.0 *
Without injury	127,690	100.0	8.5 *	10.8 *	12.6 *	0.0 *	2.4 *
Attempted to take property	139,750	100.0	5.1 *	21.3 *	18.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury	9,100 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	33.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	130,650	100.0	5.4 *	20.4 *	20.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	3,007,110	100.0	14.2	21.8	18.5	7.1	0.0 *
Aggravated	584,870	100.0	9.4	22.4	16.5	3.7 *	0.0 *
Simple	2,422,250	100.0	15.3	21.6	19.0	7.9	0.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	93,830	100.0	14.8 *	18.0 *	17.5 *	3.7 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>14,704,510</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>7.7 %</b>	<b>5.6 %</b>	<b>27.4 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>2.8 %</b>
Household burglary	2,337,170	100.0	5.2	7.0	21.4	6.2	3.4
Completed	1,850,730	100.0	4.3	7.5	17.8	5.7	3.8
Forcible entry	422,270	100.0	6.7 *	7.8 *	8.9	6.6 *	5.2 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,428,460	100.0	3.6	7.4	20.4	5.4	3.4
Attempted forcible entry	486,440	100.0	8.8	5.1 *	35.2	8.3	2.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	224,990	100.0	3.4 *	7.9 *	16.3	0.0 *	3.4 *
Completed	90,590	100.0	0.0 *	14.5 *	5.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted	134,400	100.0	5.7 *	3.4 *	23.9 *	0.0 *	5.7 *
Theft	12,142,350	100.0	8.3	5.3	28.7	4.4	2.6
Completed	11,654,080	100.0	8.2	5.2	28.3	4.3	2.7
Attempted	488,280	100.0	10.4	6.8 *	39.2	5.1 *	1.5 *

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

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

Table 102. Personal and property crimes, 2006: (continued)

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

Not aware crime occurred until later	Unable to recover property; no ID no.	Percent of reasons for not reporting					
		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>0.4 %*</b>	<b>0.3 %*</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>	<b>6.3 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>7.3 %</b>	<b>4.7 %</b>	<b>15.7 %</b>
0.4 *	0.1 *	3.0	6.4	4.7	7.5	4.7	15.9
1.0 *	0.6 *	4.0	7.0	11.5	13.9	5.8	14.8
0.2 *	0.0 *	2.6	6.1	2.3	5.3	4.3	16.3
0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	4.8 *	0.0 *	17.0 *	6.5 *	25.9
2.1 *	0.0 *	10.2	11.4	17.8	5.8 *	7.5 *	13.8
1.3 *	0.0 *	10.4 *	11.0 *	23.9	8.0 *	8.3 *	12.7 *
0.0 *	0.0 *	3.8 *	11.6 *	41.6	2.2 *	15.3 *	9.6 *
2.8 *	0.0 *	18.0 *	10.3 *	3.3 *	14.7 *	0.0 *	16.4 *
3.8 *	0.0 *	9.8 *	12.3 *	5.7 *	1.4 *	6.1 *	16.0 *
0.0 *	0.0 *	66.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
4.1 *	0.0 *	5.8 *	13.1 *	6.1 *	1.5 *	6.6 *	17.1 *
0.2 *	0.2 *	2.1	5.8	3.1	7.3	4.2	15.6
0.9 *	0.9 *	4.7 *	5.0 *	3.3 *	11.4	5.2 *	16.7
0.0 *	0.0 *	1.5	5.9	3.1	6.3	4.0	15.4
2.3 *	7.4 *	21.0 *	3.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	3.8 *	8.3 *
<b>5.4 %</b>	<b>6.1 %</b>	<b>10.3 %</b>	<b>10.5 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>0.6 %</b>	<b>4.1 %</b>	<b>10.6 %</b>
7.1	4.8	12.1	10.9	6.9	1.0 *	3.5	10.3
7.8	6.0	12.0	11.8	7.7	1.3 *	3.5	10.8
7.8 *	6.9 *	8.4 *	13.2	14.6	2.1 *	2.1 *	9.7
7.8	5.7	13.1	11.4	5.6	1.1 *	3.9	11.2
4.3 *	0.4 *	12.5	7.5	4.0 *	0.0 *	3.7 *	8.2
4.7 *	1.0 *	13.1 *	3.1 *	15.3 *	1.3 *	6.4 *	24.2
0.0 *	0.0 *	2.1 *	7.8 *	27.5 *	3.2 *	0.0 *	39.8 *
7.8 *	1.7 *	20.5 *	0.0 *	7.0 *	0.0 *	10.6 *	13.6 *
5.1	6.5	9.9	10.5	3.8	0.5	4.1	10.4
5.2	6.7	9.9	10.6	3.8	0.4	4.2	10.4
1.8 *	0.7 *	10.7	8.0	3.1 *	1.1 *	2.3 *	9.5

Table 103. Personal crimes, 2006:

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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 only</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>14.9 %</b>	<b>18.6 %</b>	<b>18.8 %</b>	<b>5.7 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	14.8	18.8	18.7	5.7	0.1 *	0.3 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %	11.8 *	26.5 *	12.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	100.0 %	6.3 *	11.8	12.0	0.9 *	0.9 *	2.5 *
Assault	100.0 %	16.2	19.4	20.1	6.8	0.0 *	0.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %	22.7 *	11.9 *	21.6 *	5.6 *	0.0 *	3.5 *
<b>Black only</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>9.2 %</b>	<b>25.5 %</b>	<b>9.8 %</b>	<b>8.2 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>1.0 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	9.4	25.9	9.9	8.3	0.0 *	1.1 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %*	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	100.0 %	0.0 *	19.0 *	9.6 *	9.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	100.0 %	10.8	27.6	10.3	8.5	0.0 *	1.2 *
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %*	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	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 only</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>6.5 %</b>	<b>4.1 %</b>	<b>7.6 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>14.7 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	0.0 *	2.9	6.6	4.2	7.8	5.1	14.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	2.5 *	0.0 *	17.9 *	3.8 *	24.9 *
Robbery	0.0 *	8.9 *	12.7	17.6	5.7 *	8.9 *	11.6
Assault	0.0 *	2.2	5.9	2.4	7.6	4.7	14.8
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	11.3 *	11.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	5.7 *	5.7 *
<b>Black only</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>1.0 %*</b>	<b>4.7 %*</b>	<b>6.5 %*</b>	<b>6.2 %*</b>	<b>5.3 %*</b>	<b>2.0 %*</b>	<b>20.5 %</b>
Crimes of violence	1.1 *	3.2 *	6.6 *	6.3 *	5.4 *	2.1 *	20.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	26.1 *	0.0 *	25.9 *	32.2 *	15.7 *
Robbery	0.0 *	23.2 *	0.0 *	19.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	19.2 *
Assault	1.2 *	1.2 *	6.6 *	5.1 *	5.1 *	1.1 *	21.2
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years. See *Criminal Victimization, 2006*, at <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

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Excludes data on persons of "Other" races and persons indicating two or more races.

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Table 104. Personal crimes of violence, 2006:

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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	1,727,820	100.0 %	10.1	16.0	21.9	7.1	0.2 *	0.8 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	51,580	100.0 %	12.9 *	27.8 *	12.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	272,670	100.0 %	4.4 *	8.5 *	15.5	0.0 *	1.1 *	3.3 *
Assault	1,403,570	100.0 %	11.1	17.0	23.4	8.7	0.0 *	0.4 *
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	1,853,800	100.0 %	15.6	25.2	13.0	5.4	0.0 *	0.0 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	106,440	100.0 %	7.7 *	22.8 *	8.7 *	3.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	143,820	100.0 %	7.1 *	19.1 *	3.1 *	5.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	1,603,540	100.0 %	16.9	25.9	14.2	5.6	0.0 *	0.0 *

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	0.3 *	5.5	7.5	5.2	6.6	6.0	12.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	14.8 *	0.0 *	6.9 *	10.6 *	14.3 *
Robbery	0.0 *	14.3	9.5 *	19.1	3.4 *	10.7 *	10.2 *
Assault	0.4 *	3.9	6.8	2.7	7.2	4.9	13.4
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	0.0 *	0.7 *	5.4	4.3	8.3	3.5	18.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	21.9 *	4.4 *	31.5 *
Robbery	0.0 *	2.3 *	15.1 *	15.5 *	10.2 *	1.6 *	20.6 *
Assault	0.0 *	0.5 *	4.8	3.5	7.3	3.6	17.6

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

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Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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

Table 105. Property crimes, 2006:

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**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 only</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,782,170</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Reported to another official	897,420	7.6	5.2	2.7 *	8.1
Private or personal matter	675,750	5.7	7.6	6.9 *	5.4
Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	3,307,870	28.1	21.9	11.8 *	29.5
Not important enough	555,170	4.7	6.4	0.0 *	4.5
Insurance would not cover	343,060	2.9	3.6	3.6 *	2.8
Not aware crime occurred until later	677,050	5.7	7.2	7.2 *	0.0
Unable to recover property; no ID no.	715,610	6.1	4.9	1.5 *	6.4
Lack of proof	1,176,060	10.0	11.3	11.8 *	9.7
Police would not want to be bothered	1,180,030	10.0	11.3	1.3 *	9.9
Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	518,740	4.4	6.7	23.5 *	3.7
Fear of reprisal	75,870	0.6	1.3 *	2.0 *	0.5
Too inconvenient or time consuming	472,870	4.0	3.2	6.1 *	4.1
Other reasons	1,186,680	10.1	9.4	21.6 *	10.0
<b>Black only</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,043,560</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Reported to another official	169,160	8.3	5.7 *	5.6 *	9.1
Private or personal matter	116,400	5.7	5.6 *	11.1 *	5.5
Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	478,510	23.4	20.2	23.6 *	24.2
Not important enough	85,580	4.2	5.0 *	0.0 *	4.1
Insurance would not cover	40,930	2.0	2.9 *	3.3 *	1.7
Not aware crime occurred until later	74,060	3.6	6.9 *	0.0 *	2.9
Unable to recover property; no ID no.	109,720	5.4	4.4 *	0.0 *	5.8
Lack of proof	265,380	13.0	17.7	17.7 *	11.6
Police would not want to be bothered	247,840	12.1	7.1 *	7.6 *	13.6
Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	83,060	4.1	5.4 *	0.0 *	3.9
Fear of reprisal	2,800 *	0.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.2 *
Too inconvenient or time consuming	86,960	4.3	4.7 *	3.3 *	4.2
Other reasons	283,160	13.9	14.3	27.7 *	13.1

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Excludes data on persons of "Other" races and persons indicating two or more races.

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

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Table 106. Personal and property crimes, 2006:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**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>2,690,330</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>76.7 %</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>10.9 %</b>	<b>2.5 %</b>	<b>4.8 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	109,950	100.0 %	93.5	4.3 *	0.0 *	2.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	363,990	100.0 %	77.5	4.2 *	0.0 *	13.6	1.7 *	3.0 *
Aggravated assault	696,060	100.0 %	80.0	5.2 *	0.0 *	8.7	1.2 *	4.8 *
Simple assault	1,520,330	100.0 %	73.8	5.2	0.0 *	11.8	3.5	5.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	96,800	100.0 %	61.1	13.6 *	0.0 *	25.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>6,991,420</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>66.3 %</b>	<b>5.4 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>25.3 %</b>	<b>1.8 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>
Household burglary	1,710,510	100.0 %	85.4	1.8 *	0.0 *	11.8	0.4 *	0.6 *
Motor vehicle theft	779,050	100.0 %	76.5	1.4 *	0.0 *	16.7	2.5 *	2.9 *
Theft	4,501,870	100.0 %	57.3	7.4	0.0 *	31.9	2.2	1.2

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Table 107. Personal and property crimes, 2006:

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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>100.0 %</b>	<b>26.6 %</b>	<b>32.0 %</b>	<b>29.7 %</b>	<b>5.9 %</b>	<b>1.8 %</b>	<b>3.8 %</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>
Robbery	100.0 %	26.4	38.9	15.5	5.8 *	8.8 *	4.5 *	0.0 *
Aggravated assault	100.0 %	32.6	30.3	27.9	4.6 *	0.7 *	3.5 *	0.4 *
Simple assault	100.0 %	23.4	32.3	33.0	6.8	0.8 *	3.5	0.2 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>10.8 %</b>	<b>17.9 %</b>	<b>46.7 %</b>	<b>16.7 %</b>	<b>1.9 %</b>	<b>5.8 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>
Household burglary	100.0 %	11.0	18.5	48.4	14.4	1.5 *	6.0	0.2 *
Motor vehicle theft	100.0 %	12.3	16.9	51.1	12.0	0.9 *	6.3	0.4 *
Theft	100.0 %	10.4	17.9	44.8	19.1	2.3	5.6	0.0 *

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Table 108. Personal and property crimes, 2006:

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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>100.0 %</b>	<b>40.0 %</b>	<b>8.4 %</b>	<b>3.6 %</b>	<b>17.4 %</b>	<b>2.0 %</b>	<b>7.5 %</b>	<b>9.5 %</b>
Robbery	100.0 %	47.5	13.0	3.8 %*	12.3	1.2 *	11.5	4.1 *
Aggravated assault	100.0 %	34.9	10.3	5.6	16.4	2.5 *	7.7	11.3
Simple assault	100.0 %	41.4	5.5	1.9	19.3	1.9	6.4	10.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	100.0 %	52.5	11.0 *	3.1 %*	18.6 *	5.4 *	5.5 *	4.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>48.4 %</b>	<b>18.8 %</b>	<b>7.9 %</b>	<b>5.3 %</b>	<b>2.9 %</b>	<b>9.4 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>
Household burglary	100.0 %	39.7	24.3	10.3	5.0	4.3	10.0	2.0
Motor vehicle theft	100.0 %	58.0	10.5	3.2 *	6.5	1.1 *	10.6	3.7 *
Theft	100.0 %	52.2	16.8	7.3	5.2	2.3	8.9	0.9

Type of crime	Other actions	Don't know	Not applicable
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>8.3 %</b>	<b>2.3 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>
Robbery	5.1 *	1.6 *	0.0 *
Aggravated assault	6.4	3.1	1.9 *
Simple assault	10.5	1.9	0.7 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>3.8 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>0.5 %</b>
Household burglary	3.0	1.1 *	0.3 *
Motor vehicle theft	4.3	2.3 *	0.0 *
Theft	4.2	1.5	0.6 *

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Table 109. Personal and property crimes, 2006:

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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>6,267,610</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>4.7 %</b>	<b>1.9 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>91.9 %</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>	<b>0.3 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	6,094,390	100.0 %	4.9	1.9	0.8	91.7	0.4 *	0.3 *
Completed violence	2,019,260	100.0 %	7.2	2.3	1.1 *	88.4	0.9 *	0.0 *
Attempted/threatened violence	4,075,130	100.0 %	3.7	1.7	0.7 *	93.3	0.2 *	0.5 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	260,940	100.0 %	9.0 *	5.4 *	0.0 *	85.6	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	712,610	100.0 %	2.7 *	2.6 *	1.9 *	91.2	1.6 *	0.0 *
Assault	5,120,840	100.0 %	4.9	1.6	0.7 *	92.1	0.3 *	0.4 *
Aggravated	1,344,280	100.0 %	7.6	1.4 *	0.5 *	89.2	0.1 *	1.2 *
Simple	3,776,550	100.0 %	4.0	1.7	0.8 *	93.1	0.3 *	0.1 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	173,220	100.0 %	0.0 *	1.7 *	0.0 *	98.3	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>18,915,740</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>0.2 %</b>	<b>97.8 %</b>	<b>0.5 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>
Household burglary	3,560,920	100.0 %	0.9 *	0.1 *	0.1 *	98.3	0.3 *	0.2 *
Motor vehicle theft	992,260	100.0 %	0.9 *	0.9 *	0.2 *	96.9	1.0 *	0.0 *
Theft	14,362,570	100.0 %	0.6	0.8	0.2 *	97.7	0.5	0.1 *

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Table 110. Personal and property crimes, 2006:

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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>7,138,570</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>321,150</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>	<b>6,817,420</b>	<b>95.5 %</b>
Crimes of violence	6,956,710	100.0	321,150	4.6	6,635,560	95.4
Completed violence	2,307,590	100.0	124,670	5.4	2,182,920	94.6
Attempted/threatened violence	4,649,130	100.0	196,480	4.2	4,452,650	95.8
Rape/Sexual assault	309,350	100.0	31,950 *	10.3 *	277,400	89.7
Rape/Attempted rape	215,180	100.0	10,760 *	5.0 *	204,430	95.0
Rape	128,130	100.0	3,110 *	2.4 *	125,020	97.6
Attempted rape/a	87,060	100.0	7,650 *	8.8 *	79,410	91.2
Sexual assault/b	94,170	100.0	21,200 *	22.5 *	72,980	77.5
Robbery	795,000	100.0	28,820 *	3.6 *	766,190	96.4
Completed/property taken	541,350	100.0	28,820 *	5.3 *	512,540	94.7
With injury	232,080	100.0	10,880 *	4.7 *	221,200	95.3
Without injury	309,270	100.0	17,930 *	5.8 *	291,340	94.2
Attempted to take property	253,650	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	253,650	100.0
With injury	49,120	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	49,120	100.0
Without injury	204,540	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	204,540	100.0
Assault	5,852,350	100.0	260,380	4.4	5,591,970	95.6
Aggravated	1,522,970	100.0	54,220	3.6	1,468,760	96.4
With injury	518,770	100.0	11,320 *	2.2 *	507,440	97.8
Threatened with weapon	1,004,210	100.0	42,890	4.3	961,310	95.7
Simple	4,329,380	100.0	206,170	4.8	4,123,220	95.2
With minor injury	1,050,440	100.0	69,390	6.6	981,060	93.4
Without injury	3,278,940	100.0	136,780	4.2	3,142,160	95.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	181,850	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	181,850	100.0
Completed purse snatching	35,770 *	100.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	35,770 *	100.0 *
Attempted purse snatching	6,870 *	100.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	6,870 *	100.0 *
Completed pocket picking	139,210	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	139,210	100.0
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>20,940,030</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>162,990</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>20,777,040</b>	<b>99.2 %</b>
Household burglary	4,005,150	100.0	46,050	1.1	3,959,110	98.9
Completed	3,216,770	100.0	37,550	1.2	3,179,220	98.8
Forcible entry	1,150,480	100.0	22,040 *	1.9 *	1,128,430	98.1 *
Unlawful entry without force	2,066,300	100.0	15,510 *	0.8 *	2,050,790	99.2 *
Attempted forcible entry	788,380	100.0	8,500 *	1.1 *	779,880	98.9
Motor vehicle theft	1,046,810	100.0	2,750 *	0.3 *	1,044,060	99.7
Completed	832,740	100.0	2,750 *	0.3 *	829,990	99.7
Attempted	214,070	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	214,070	100.0
Theft	15,888,060	100.0	114,190	0.7	15,773,870	99.3
Completed	15,266,500	100.0	110,700	0.7	15,155,800	99.3
Less than \$50	4,299,720	100.0	40,390	0.9	4,259,340	99.1
\$50 - \$249	5,483,550	100.0	29,890 *	0.5 *	5,453,660	99.5
\$250 or more	4,098,810	100.0	32,010 *	0.8 *	4,066,800	99.2
Amount not available	1,384,400	100.0	8,410 *	0.6 *	1,376,000	99.4
Attempted	621,560	100.0	3,490 *	0.6 *	618,070	99.4

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