

Table 304. Criminal Victimization and Victimization Rates: 1995 to 2007

[39,926 represents 39,926,000]. Based on National Crime Victimization Survey; see text, this section and Appendix III. The 2006 estimates should not be compared to 2007 or to estimates for 2005 and earlier years, due to changes in methodology. For more information on these changes, go to <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/pdf/cv07.pdf>>. For definitions of crimes, go to <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cvus/definitions.htm>>

Type of crime	Number of victimizations (1,000)				Victimization rates ¹			
	1995	2000	2005	2007	1995	2000	2005	2007
All crimes, total	39,926	25,893	23,441	22,880	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Personal crimes ²	10,436	6,597	5,401	5,371	46.2	29.1	22.1	21.5
Crimes of violence	10,022	6,323	5,174	5,177	44.5	27.9	21.2	20.7
Completed violence	2,960	2,044	1,659	1,579	12.9	9.0	6.8	6.3
Attempted/threatened violence	7,061	4,279	3,515	3,598	31.6	18.9	14.4	14.4
Rape/sexual assault	363	261	192	248	1.6	1.2	0.8	1.0
Rape/attempted rape	252	147	130	141	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.6
Rape	153	92	69	70	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.3
Attempted rape	99	55	61	71	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3
Sexual assault	112	114	62	108	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4
Robbery	1,171	732	625	597	5.3	3.2	2.6	2.4
Completed/property taken	753	520	415	444	3.5	2.3	1.7	1.8
With injury	224	160	143	170	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.7
Without injury	529	360	272	274	2.4	1.6	1.1	1.1
Attempted to take property	418	212	210	153	1.8	0.9	0.9	0.6
With injury	84	66	64	43	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2
Without injury	335	146	145	110	1.4	0.6	0.6	0.4
Assault	8,487	5,330	4,357	4,331	37.6	23.5	17.8	17.3
Aggravated	2,050	1,293	1,052	859	8.8	5.7	4.3	3.4
With injury	533	346	331	221	2.4	1.5	1.4	0.9
Threatened with weapon	1,517	946	722	638	6.4	4.2	3.0	2.5
Simple	6,437	4,038	3,305	3,473	28.9	17.8	13.5	13.9
With minor injury	1,426	989	795	758	6.0	4.4	3.3	3.0
Without injury	5,012	3,048	2,510	2,715	22.9	13.4	10.3	10.8
Personal theft ³	414	274	227	194	1.7	1.2	0.9	0.8
Property crimes	29,490	19,297	18,040	17,508	279.5	178.1	154.0	146.5
Household burglary	5,004	3,444	3,456	3,215	47.4	31.8	29.5	26.9
Completed	4,232	2,909	2,900	2,563	40.0	26.9	24.8	21.4
Attempted forcible entry	773	534	556	652	7.4	4.9	4.7	5.5
Motor vehicle theft	1,717	937	978	980	16.2	8.6	8.4	8.2
Completed	1,163	642	775	796	10.8	5.9	6.6	6.7
Attempted	554	295	203	184	5.5	2.7	1.7	1.5
Theft	22,769	14,916	13,606	13,314	215.9	137.7	116.2	111.4
Completed ⁴	21,857	14,300	13,116	12,777	207.6	132.0	112.0	106.9
Attempted	911	616	489	537	8.4	5.7	4.2	4.5

X Not applicable. ¹ Per 1,000 persons age 12 or older for "Personal crime"; per 1,000 households for "Property crime."

² The victimization survey cannot measure murder because of the inability to question the victim. ³ Includes pocket picking, purse snatching, and attempted purse snatching. ⁴ Includes thefts in which the amount taken was not ascertained.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Statistics, National Crime Victimization Survey, *Criminal Victimization*, annual, and series NCJ-224390, December 2008. See also <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv07.htm>>.