

Table 305. Victimization Rates by Type of Crime and Characteristics of the Victim: 2007

[Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 years or older. Total population for age 12 or older was 250,344,870. Based on National Crime Victimization Survey. See headnote, Table 304]

Characteristic of the victim	Crimes of violence							Personal theft ¹	
	All crimes					Assault			
		Total	Rape/sexual assault	Robbery	Total	Aggravated	Simple		
Total	21.5	20.7	1.0	2.4	17.3	3.4	13.9	0.8	
Male	23.4	22.5	² 0.1	3.4	19.1	4.5	14.5	0.9	
Female.	19.6	18.9	1.8	1.4	15.6	2.4	13.2	0.7	
12 to 15 years old	44.2	43.4	² 1.0	4.2	38.2	2.8	35.5	² 0.8	
16 to 19 years old	51.7	50.1	2.4	6.4	41.4	7.2	34.2	² 1.6	
20 to 24 years old	36.3	35.2	2.9	3.5	28.7	7.5	21.2	² 1.1	
25 to 34 years old	25.8	24.7	1.2	3.4	20.1	4.8	15.3	1.1	
35 to 49 years old	18.3	17.7	1.0	1.4	15.3	3.2	12.1	0.6	
50 to 64 years old	11.9	11.6	² 0.3	1.7	9.5	2.3	7.2	² 0.3	
65 years old and over	3.3	2.5	² 0.1	² 0.6	1.8	² 0.3	1.5	² 0.8	
White	20.5	19.9	1.0	1.9	17.0	3.2	13.9	0.6	
Black	26.1	24.3	² 0.5	4.9	18.8	4.4	14.4	1.9	
Other ³	12.5	11.4	² 1.2	² 1.8	8.3	2.7	5.7	² 1.1	
Hispanic	19.6	18.6	² 0.3	3.9	14.5	3.0	11.4	² 1.0	
Non-Hispanic.	21.8	21.0	1.1	2.2	17.8	3.5	14.3	0.7	
Household income:									
Less than \$7,500	52.7	50.7	² 2.5	² 4.1	44.1	5.4	38.7	² 2.0	
\$7,500-\$14,999	40.9	39.0	² 1.5	6.7	30.7	6.6	24.0	² 1.9	
\$15,000-\$24,999	27.2	25.9	² 1.5	3.3	21.1	3.5	17.6	² 1.3	
\$25,000-\$34,999	28.1	27.5	² 0.5	2.7	24.3	4.6	19.7	² 0.6	
\$35,000-\$49,999	22.1	21.7	1.5	3.0	17.2	3.5	13.6	² 0.4	
\$50,000-\$74,999	20.3	19.8	² 0.5	1.1	18.3	3.3	14.9	² 0.5	
\$75,000 or more	14.8	14.1	² 0.4	1.3	18.3	3.3	14.9	0.6	

¹ Includes pocket picking, completed purse snatching, and attempted purse snatching. ² Based on 10 or fewer sample cases. ³ Includes American Indians, Alaska Natives, Asians, Native Hawaiians, and other Pacific Islanders.

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; <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv07.htm>>.