

Table 296. Crimes and Crime Rates by Type and Area: 2007

[In thousands (1,408 represents 1,408,000), except rate. Rate per 100,000 population; based on Census Bureau estimated resident population as of **July 1**. See headnote, Table 295. For definitions of types of crimes, go to <http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius2007/about/offense_definitions.html>]

Type of crime	United States		Metropolitan statistical areas ¹		Cities outside metropolitan areas		Nonmetropolitan counties	
	Total	Rate	Total	Rate	Total	Rate	Total	Rate
Violent crime	1,408	467	1,265	504	79	395	64	209
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	17	6	15	6	1	4	1	3
Forcible rape	90	30	75	30	8	38	8	25
Robbery	445	148	428	170	12	62	5	16
Aggravated assault	856	284	747	298	58	291	50	165
Property crime	9,843	3,264	8,577	3,417	758	3,774	509	1,668
Burglary	2,179	723	1,859	740	157	783	163	536
Larceny-theft	6,569	2,178	5,698	2,270	565	2,815	305	1,000
Motor vehicle theft	1,096	363	1,020	406	35	176	40	132

¹ For definition, see Appendix II.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, "Crime in the United States"; <<http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius2007/index.html>>.