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National Crime Victimization Survey

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Table 91. Personal and property crimes, 2001:

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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 |
| All crimes | 24,215,700 | 100 % | 39.9 % | 58.8 % | 1.3 % |
| Personal crimes | 5,932,190 | 100 % | 48.9 % | 49.5 % | 1.6 % |
| Crimes of violence | 5,743,820 | 100 | 49.4 | 49.0 | 1.6 |
| Completed violence | 1,828,280 | 100 | 61.4 | 37.5 | 1.2 * |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 3,915,540 | 100 | 43.7 | 54.4 | 1.8 |
| Rape/Sexual assault | 248,250 | 100 | 38.6 | 57.3 | 4.1 * |
| Rape/Attempted rape | 146,240 | 100 | 41.6 | 54.8 | 3.6 * |
| Rape | 83,620 | 100 | 43.4 | 56.6 | 0.0 * |
| Attempted rape/b | 62,620 | 100 | 39.3 * | 52.2 | 8.5 * |
| Sexual assault/c | 102,010 | 100 | 34.4 | 60.9 | 4.7 * |
| Robbery | 630,690 | 100 | 60.5 | 39.1 | 0.3 * |
| Completed/property taken | 426,680 | 100 | 67.5 | 32.5 | 0.0 * |
| With injury | 173,730 | 100 | 81.6 | 18.4 | 0.0 * |
| Without injury | 252,950 | 100 | 57.8 | 42.2 | 0.0 * |
| Attempted to take property | 204,000 | 100 | 46.0 | 52.9 | 1.1 * |
| With injury | 67,740 | 100 | 56.0 | 44.0 | 0.0 * |
| Without injury | 136,260 | 100 | 41.0 | 57.3 | 1.6 * |
| Assault | 4,864,890 | 100 | 48.5 | 49.9 | 1.6 |
| Aggravated | 1,222,160 | 100 | 59.2 | 38.1 | 2.7 |
| With injury | 391,530 | 100 | 66.2 | 31.7 | 2.1 * |
| Threatened with weapon | 830,630 | 100 | 55.9 | 41.1 | 3.1 * |
| Simple | 3,642,720 | 100 | 44.9 | 53.9 | 1.3 |
| With minor injury | 844,940 | 100 | 61.0 | 38.0 | 1.0 * |
| Without injury | 2,797,780 | 100 | 40.0 | 58.7 | 1.4 |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 188,370 | 100 | 35.2 | 64.8 | 0.0 * |
| Completed purse snatching | 20,520 * | 100 * | 44.6 * | 55.4 * | 0.0 * |
| Attempted purse snatching | 9,430 * | 100 * | 27.2 * | 72.8 * | 0.0 * |
| Pocket picking | 158,410 | 100 | 34.4 | 65.6 | 0.0 * |
| Property crimes | 18,283,510 | 100 % | 37.0 % | 61.8 % | 1.2 % |
| Household burglary | 3,139,700 | 100 | 53.7 | 45.2 | 1.1 |
| Completed | 2,686,690 | 100 | 55.6 | 43.2 | 1.1 |
| Forcible entry | 1,056,600 | 100 | 77.8 | 21.0 | 1.2 * |
| Unlawful entry without force | 1,630,090 | 100 | 41.3 | 57.6 | 1.1 * |
| Attempted forcible entry | 453,010 | 100 | 42.1 | 56.9 | 1.0 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 1,008,720 | 100 | 81.6 | 17.7 | 0.7 * |
| Completed | 724,100 | 100 | 94.2 | 5.4 | 0.4 * |
| Attempted | 284,620 | 100 | 49.3 | 49.1 | 1.5 * |
| Theft | 14,135,090 | 100 | 30.1 | 68.6 | 1.3 |
| Completed | 13,672,040 | 100 | 29.8 | 69.0 | 1.2 |
| Less than \$50 | 4,695,750 | 100 | 15.2 | 83.9 | 1.0 |
| \$50 - \$249 | 4,813,560 | 100 | 26.7 | 72.4 | 0.8 |
| \$250 or more | 3,175,680 | 100 | 54.5 | 44.8 | 0.7 * |
| Amount not available | 987,040 | 100 | 34.6 | 59.3 | 6.1 |
| Attempted | 463,050 | 100 | 39.8 | 58.3 | 1.9 * |

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, 2001:

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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 |
| Total | 49.4 % | 37.0 % |
| Male | | |
| White | 44.8 | 37.1 |
| Black | 53.2 | 40.9 |
| Female | | |
| White | 52.7 | 36.4 |
| Black | 58.0 | 39.6 |
| Male | | |
| Hispanic | 55.2 | 33.3 |
| Non-Hispanic | 44.1 | 37.6 |
| Female | | |
| Hispanic | 52.9 | 30.0 |
| Non-Hispanic | 53.3 | 37.6 |

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

Excludes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained.

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

Table 92. Personal crimes, 2001:

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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 |
| Gender | | | |
| Both genders | 48.9 % | 49.4 % | 35.2 % |
| Male | 45.3 | 45.9 | 24.4 * |
| Female | 52.9 | 53.3 | 44.0 |
| Race | | | |
| White | 48.0 | 48.4 | 34.3 |
| Black | 55.3 | 55.8 | 34.1 * |
| Ethnicity | | | |
| Hispanic | 53.9 | 54.3 | 33.0 * |
| Non-Hispanic | 48.1 | 48.6 | 34.5 |

*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, 2001:

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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 |
| Crimes of violence | 49.4 % | 45.9 % | 53.3 % | 53.3 % | 51.4 % | 57.0 % | 45.6 % | 37.6 % | 51.1 % |
| Completed violence | 61.4 | 57.9 | 64.6 | 67.7 | 64.3 | 74.2 | 55.8 | 47.2 | 60.3 |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 43.7 | 40.9 | 47.2 | 47.1 | 45.7 | 49.6 | 40.4 | 33.9 | 45.7 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 38.6 | 44.9 * | 38.0 | 50.4 | 100.0 * | 45.9 | 31.9 | 17.9 * | 33.5 |
| Robbery | 60.5 | 54.1 | 74.2 | 62.0 | 56.8 | 79.7 | 55.2 | 30.8 * | 67.4 |
| Completed/property taken | 67.5 | 60.3 | 81.5 | 71.5 | 64.8 | 91.7 | 54.6 | 30.1 * | 68.6 |
| With injury | 81.6 | 77.7 | 88.3 | 87.0 | 83.3 | 100.0 * | 69.3 | 42.0 * | 80.1 |
| Without injury | 57.8 | 49.3 | 76.1 | 62.3 | 53.2 | 87.6 | 38.2 * | 22.0 * | 51.8 * |
| Attempted to take property | 46.0 | 42.0 | 56.1 | 43.7 | 42.5 | 49.0 * | 57.0 * | 33.7 * | 64.4 * |
| With injury | 56.0 | 52.3 * | 66.8 * | 56.4 * | 56.2 * | 57.7 * | 55.2 * | 33.7 * | 72.6 * |
| Without injury | 41.0 | 36.5 | 51.6 * | 38.6 | 36.5 | 46.6 * | 59.1 * | 0.0 * | 59.1 * |
| Assault | 48.5 | 44.5 | 52.9 | 51.5 | 49.7 | 54.9 | 45.9 | 38.1 | 51.8 |
| Aggravated | 59.2 | 54.0 | 66.6 | 64.3 | 55.9 | 80.6 | 53.1 | 51.1 | 55.1 |
| With injury | 66.2 | 62.7 | 72.1 | 68.3 | 65.0 | 77.0 | 64.0 | 59.2 | 69.0 |
| Threatened with weapon | 55.9 | 49.6 | 64.4 | 62.5 | 51.3 | 81.9 | 47.6 | 46.8 | 48.3 |
| Simple | 44.9 | 40.8 | 49.1 | 46.0 | 46.8 | 44.6 | 44.0 | 34.0 | 51.1 |
| With minor injury | 61.0 | 54.2 | 65.7 | 65.9 | 62.8 | 70.7 | 58.8 | 46.9 | 64.3 |
| Without injury | 40.0 | 37.7 | 42.6 | 41.9 | 43.8 | 38.7 | 38.3 | 30.5 | 44.8 |

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, 2001:

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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 |
| Property crimes | 6,763,950 | 37.0 % | 3,703,440 | 37.2 % | 3,060,510 | 36.8 % |
| Household burglary | 1,685,690 | 53.7 | 917,200 | 54.2 | 768,490 | 53.1 |
| Completed | 1,495,090 | 55.6 | 837,360 | 56.3 | 657,730 | 54.9 |
| Forcible entry | 822,110 | 77.8 | 454,450 | 80.5 | 367,660 | 74.8 |
| Unlawful entry/without force | 672,980 | 41.3 | 382,910 | 41.5 | 290,060 | 41.1 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 190,600 | 42.1 | 79,840 | 39.4 | 110,760 | 44.3 |
| Motor vehicle theft | 822,710 | 81.6 | 440,830 | 82.9 | 381,880 | 80.1 |
| Completed | 682,290 | 94.2 | 369,430 | 97.4 | 312,860 | 90.8 |
| Attempted | 140,420 | 49.3 | 71,410 | 46.8 | 69,020 | 52.2 |
| Theft | 4,255,550 | 30.1 | 2,345,400 | 30.3 | 1,910,150 | 29.8 |
| Completed | 4,071,470 | 29.8 | 2,245,710 | 30.0 | 1,825,750 | 29.5 |
| Less than \$50 | 711,770 | 15.2 | 354,870 | 14.3 | 356,900 | 16.1 |
| \$50 - \$249 | 1,287,280 | 26.7 | 689,440 | 26.1 | 597,840 | 27.6 |
| \$250 or more | 1,730,860 | 54.5 | 1,027,590 | 55.1 | 703,270 | 53.7 |
| Amount not available | 341,560 | 34.6 | 173,820 | 35.2 | 167,740 | 34.0 |
| Attempted | 184,080 | 39.8 | 99,690 | 40.3 | 84,400 | 39.2 |

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

Table 94. Violent crimes, 2001:

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| Type of crime | Percent of all victimizations reported to the police | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|--|---------------|---------------------|---------------|------------------------|---------------|
| | All victimizations | | Involving strangers | | Involving nonstrangers | |
| | White | Black | White | Black | White | Black |
| Crimes of violence | 48.4 % | 55.8 % | 52.0 % | 64.9 % | 45.1 % | 47.9 % |
| Completed violence | 61.2 | 63.7 | 68.0 | 69.5 | 55.9 | 57.0 |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 42.8 | 50.9 | 45.8 | 61.2 | 39.7 | 43.4 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 39.3 | 35.3 * | 50.2 | 100.0 * | 33.0 | 29.6 * |
| Robbery | 61.1 | 55.7 | 63.5 | 52.6 | 52.9 | 67.7 * |
| Completed/property taken | 68.1 | 61.8 | 73.0 | 62.1 | 53.3 | 60.6 * |
| With injury | 80.9 | 83.5 * | 88.3 | 79.1 * | 65.7 | 100.0 * |
| Without injury | 58.3 | 50.3 * | 63.4 | 52.9 * | 37.2 * | 41.3 * |
| Attempted to take property | 47.6 | 36.4 * | 46.6 | 25.0 * | 51.9 * | 100.0 * |
| With injury | 54.9 | 50.2 * | 58.8 * | 0.0 * | 44.3 * | 100.0 * |
| Without injury | 44.0 | 30.4 * | 41.5 | 30.4 * | 59.1 * | 0.0 * |
| Assault | 47.3 | 56.7 | 49.5 | 67.8 | 45.4 | 48.2 |
| Aggravated | 58.1 | 64.0 | 62.5 | 72.6 | 52.3 | 56.0 |
| With injury | 63.2 | 76.8 | 67.0 | 75.0 | 59.4 | 80.0 * |
| Threatened with weapon | 55.8 | 56.8 | 60.8 | 70.3 | 48.3 | 48.2 |
| Simple | 43.8 | 53.5 | 43.9 | 65.3 | 43.8 | 45.1 |
| With minor injury | 61.0 | 64.3 | 64.2 | 71.7 | 59.7 | 57.9 |
| Without injury | 38.8 | 49.1 | 40.3 | 62.2 | 37.5 | 40.6 |

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, 2001:

[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 |
| Crimes of violence | 54.3 % | 48.6 % | 54.9 % | 53.0 % | 53.6 % | 44.7 % |
| Completed violence | 67.2 | 60.4 | 73.3 | 65.9 | 54.9 | 56.3 |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 46.7 | 43.3 | 41.6 | 48.0 | 53.0 | 38.8 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 73.9 * | 34.7 | 77.6 * | 41.4 * | 55.2 * | 31.8 |
| Robbery | 55.5 | 62.2 | 57.6 | 63.9 | 37.4 * | 57.2 |
| Completed/property taken | 61.4 | 69.2 | 65.1 | 73.6 | 37.4 * | 57.3 |
| With injury | 94.0 | 77.2 | 93.2 | 83.8 | 100.0 * | 66.0 |
| Without injury | 39.5 * | 63.7 | 46.0 * | 68.1 | 0.0 * | 46.8 * |
| Attempted to take property | 35.4 * | 49.1 | 35.4 * | 47.0 | 0.0 * | 57.0 * |
| With injury | 43.1 * | 61.2 | 43.1 * | 65.2 * | 0.0 * | 55.2 * |
| Without injury | 22.5 * | 44.2 | 22.5 * | 41.9 | 0.0 * | 59.1 * |
| Assault | 53.2 | 47.8 | 52.1 | 51.3 | 54.4 | 44.8 |
| Aggravated | 58.8 | 59.5 | 62.0 | 64.5 | 54.4 | 53.6 |
| With injury | 50.3 | 69.6 | 56.9 * | 70.3 | 41.3 * | 68.8 |
| Threatened with weapon | 63.8 | 55.0 | 65.0 | 62.1 | 62.2 * | 46.0 |
| Simple | 51.0 | 43.9 | 47.4 | 45.8 | 54.4 | 42.6 |
| With minor injury | 79.9 | 58.6 | 93.4 | 60.6 | 68.6 | 57.8 |
| Without injury | 42.6 | 39.4 | 35.2 | 42.8 | 49.9 | 36.6 |

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, 2001:

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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 |
| All personal crimes | 35.4 % | 53.3 % | 54.9 % | 61.1 % | 65.6 % |
| Crimes of violence | 35.7 | 54.1 | 54.8 | 61.9 | 69.6 |
| Completed violence | 44.4 | 69.3 | 65.5 | 78.5 | 89.5 |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 31.4 | 45.3 | 50.9 | 57.2 | 58.0 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 32.9 * | 33.0 | 56.8 | 0.0 * | 50.9 * |
| Robbery | 39.1 | 66.5 | 64.7 | 74.9 | 95.0 |
| Completed/property taken | 44.5 | 77.4 | 65.6 | 83.7 * | 93.7 |
| With injury | 71.9 * | 94.7 | 67.3 | 79.6 * | 100.0 * |
| Without injury | 31.8 * | 68.4 | 63.9 | 87.1 * | 80.3 * |
| Attempted to take property | 30.0 * | 42.7 | 62.7 * | 56.1 * | 100.0 * |
| With injury | 26.7 * | 73.3 * | 100.0 * | 100.0 * | 100.0 * |
| Without injury | 32.7 * | 26.0 * | 57.6 * | 39.2 * | 100.0 * |
| Assault | 35.4 | 53.6 | 53.7 | 61.4 | 52.8 |
| Aggravated | 45.6 | 61.0 | 67.3 | 68.0 | 83.6 * |
| With injury | 47.4 | 74.1 | 77.7 | 73.6 * | 100.0 * |
| Threatened with weapon | 44.5 | 54.7 | 63.1 | 66.5 | 81.5 * |
| Simple | 32.5 | 50.9 | 48.8 | 59.3 | 43.8 * |
| With minor injury | 43.4 | 72.3 | 61.5 | 87.8 | 100.0 * |
| Without injury | 29.1 | 42.1 | 45.9 | 55.1 | 41.0 * |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 27.6 * | 29.3 * | 57.8 * | 36.2 * | 46.6 * |

*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, 2001:

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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 |
| Property crimes | 37.0 % | 36.8 % | 40.1 % | 31.8 % | 37.6 % | 38.0 % | 37.7 % | 41.0 % | 33.8 % | 38.4 % |
| Household burglary | 53.7 | 53.3 | 58.3 | 44.8 | 54.7 | 58.2 | 57.7 | 60.1 | 57.3 | 58.5 |
| Completed | 55.6 | 55.2 | 59.7 | 48.6 | 56.5 | 59.6 | 59.3 | 59.1 | 61.4 | 59.7 |
| Forcible entry | 77.8 | 77.0 | 80.1 | 67.6 | 79.2 | 83.6 | 81.9 | 90.9 | 87.0 | 83.2 |
| Unlawful entry without force | 41.3 | 42.6 | 38.4 | 31.7 | 42.2 | 44.5 | 45.7 | 32.3 | 35.4 * | 45.5 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 42.1 | 40.8 | 51.4 | 20.6 * | 44.1 | 48.5 | 45.7 | 65.3 * | 24.7 * | 49.9 |
| Motor vehicle theft | 81.6 | 80.6 | 84.5 | 79.9 | 81.8 | 83.9 | 83.3 | 89.4 | 82.6 | 84.1 |
| Completed | 94.2 | 94.2 | 93.3 | 91.2 | 94.9 | 96.5 | 95.8 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 95.9 |
| Attempted | 49.3 | 47.0 | 60.5 | 53.3 | 48.3 | 56.0 | 55.7 | 65.9 * | 61.6 * | 54.1 |
| Theft | 30.1 | 30.7 | 27.7 | 23.8 | 30.9 | 30.9 | 30.9 | 30.4 | 23.3 | 31.6 |
| Completed | 29.8 | 30.4 | 27.3 | 23.3 | 30.6 | 30.7 | 30.8 | 29.6 | 23.3 | 31.4 |
| Less than \$50 | 15.2 | 15.2 | 15.9 | 9.4 | 15.8 | 15.5 | 15.2 | 18.9 | 9.4 * | 15.9 |
| \$50 - \$249 | 26.7 | 27.3 | 26.6 | 20.9 | 27.5 | 28.1 | 28.2 | 30.4 | 21.7 | 28.6 |
| \$250 or more | 54.5 | 55.9 | 47.9 | 41.0 | 56.6 | 56.8 | 57.8 | 44.6 | 45.3 | 58.4 |
| Amount not available | 34.6 | 36.1 | 25.1 | 36.0 | 34.0 | 40.4 | 40.7 | 32.0 * | 18.1 * | 41.5 |
| Attempted | 39.8 | 38.6 | 43.1 * | 37.9 * | 39.7 | 38.4 | 35.9 | 68.0 * | 23.8 * | 38.9 |

| Type of crime | Percent of victimizations reported to the police | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|
| | Rented | | | | |
| | All house- holds/a | White | Black | Hispanic | Non- Hispanic |
| Property crimes | 35.5 % | 35.3 % | 39.5 % | 30.2 % | 36.4 % |
| Household burglary | 47.9 | 46.2 | 57.3 | 34.7 | 49.5 |
| Completed | 50.3 | 48.4 | 60.0 | 37.6 | 51.9 |
| Forcible entry | 70.3 | 68.2 | 74.7 | 48.6 | 73.9 |
| Unlawful entry without force | 36.8 | 37.6 | 42.6 | 28.9 * | 37.4 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 36.2 | 35.5 | 44.0 * | 18.0 * | 38.5 |
| Motor vehicle theft | 78.8 | 76.3 | 82.3 | 77.5 | 79.1 |
| Completed | 91.8 | 92.0 | 90.5 | 86.0 | 93.7 |
| Attempted | 39.7 | 29.9 * | 57.3 * | 30.8 * | 41.1 |
| Theft | 28.8 | 30.2 | 25.7 | 24.2 | 29.7 |
| Completed | 28.4 | 29.8 | 25.5 | 23.3 | 29.3 |
| Less than \$50 | 14.5 | 15.2 | 13.6 | 9.3 * | 15.5 |
| \$50 - \$249 | 24.7 | 25.6 | 24.0 | 20.2 | 25.9 |
| \$250 or more | 51.5 | 53.2 | 50.5 | 37.9 | 54.0 |
| Amount not available | 25.8 | 28.3 | 18.4 * | 48.3 * | 21.7 |
| Attempted | 41.4 | 42.4 | 31.6 * | 44.5 * | 40.7 |

*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, 2001:

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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 |
| Property crimes | 37.0 % | 38.0 % | 35.5 % |
| Household burglary | 53.7 | 58.2 | 47.9 |
| Completed | 55.6 | 59.6 | 50.3 |
| Forcible entry | 77.8 | 83.6 | 70.3 |
| Unlawful entry without force | 41.3 | 44.5 | 36.8 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 42.1 | 48.5 | 36.2 |
| Motor vehicle theft | 81.6 | 83.9 | 78.8 |
| Completed | 94.2 | 96.5 | 91.8 |
| Attempted | 49.3 | 56.0 | 39.7 |
| Theft | 30.1 | 30.9 | 28.8 |
| Completed | 29.8 | 30.7 | 28.4 |
| Less than \$50 | 15.2 | 15.5 | 14.5 |
| \$50 - \$249 | 26.7 | 28.1 | 24.7 |
| \$250 or more | 54.5 | 56.8 | 51.5 |
| Amount not available | 34.6 | 40.4 | 25.8 |
| Attempted | 39.8 | 38.4 | 41.4 |

Table 99. Property crimes, 2001:

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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 |
| Property crimes | 37.9 % | 33.9 % | 35.0 % | 38.8 % | 37.4 % | 37.5 % | 35.7 % |
| Household burglary | 48.2 | 47.4 | 54.1 | 55.3 | 62.5 | 58.0 | 55.2 |
| Completed | 48.8 | 47.0 | 59.3 | 60.1 | 65.2 | 61.2 | 55.9 |
| Forcible entry | 72.0 | 66.9 | 76.1 | 85.1 | 100.0 | 74.8 | 81.7 |
| Unlawful entry without force | 33.8 | 30.3 | 48.8 | 38.3 | 47.3 | 50.0 | 44.9 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 44.4 * | 49.8 * | 31.5 * | 32.1 * | 45.7 * | 43.1 * | 43.7 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 71.9 | 81.6 | 93.3 | 88.3 | 78.0 | 82.8 | 81.0 |
| Completed | 71.7 * | 94.5 | 100.0 | 93.0 | 95.8 | 95.0 | 100.0 |
| Attempted | 72.2 * | 38.2 * | 59.8 * | 76.0 * | 46.1 * | 41.3 * | 38.6 * |
| Theft | 30.5 | 26.0 | 25.3 | 30.6 | 30.4 | 32.4 | 30.6 |
| Completed | 29.5 | 25.9 | 24.6 | 30.5 | 30.5 | 32.4 | 30.2 |
| Less than \$50 | 23.5 | 14.2 | 12.7 | 15.0 | 15.8 | 12.5 | 16.8 |
| \$50 - \$249 | 19.5 | 24.6 | 20.1 | 29.3 | 27.0 | 32.9 | 25.5 |
| \$250 or more | 57.4 | 48.1 | 44.0 | 52.6 | 59.0 | 59.6 | 53.4 |
| Amount not available | 22.1 * | 27.9 | 25.8 | 40.6 | 39.8 | 37.9 | 43.4 |
| Attempted | 52.6 * | 27.6 * | 49.2 * | 35.4 * | 25.7 * | 32.0 * | 47.1 * |

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, 2001:

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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 |
| All losses/b | 36.2 % | 56.4 % | 94.2 % | 29.8 % |
| Less than \$10/c | 23.4 | 51.6 | 100.0 * | 22.0 |
| \$10-\$49 | 13.1 | 30.9 | 0.0 * | 12.0 |
| \$50-\$99 | 18.8 | 30.3 | 0.0 * | 17.8 |
| \$100-\$249 | 32.8 | 34.6 | 31.8 * | 32.6 |
| \$250-\$499 | 45.5 | 56.2 | 100.0 * | 42.8 |
| \$500-\$999 | 59.9 | 63.9 | 77.2 * | 57.7 |
| \$1,000 or more | 81.6 | 84.8 | 95.7 | 69.7 |

*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, 2001:

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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 |
| All personal crimes | 2,783,170 | 100 % | 16.5 % | 2.6 % | 4.4 % | 0.9 %* | 20.6 % |
| Crimes of violence | 2,713,940 | 100 | 16.9 | 2.7 | 3.8 | 0.7 * | 21.0 |
| Completed violence | 1,003,590 | 100 | 12.8 | 5.7 | 6.9 | 0.9 * | 20.9 |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 1,710,350 | 100 | 19.2 | 0.9 * | 2.0 | 0.6 * | 21.0 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 109,810 | 100 | 23.8 * | 4.5 * | 2.1 * | 0.0 * | 14.6 * |
| Robbery | 465,800 | 100 | 7.9 | 3.4 * | 14.0 | 1.0 * | 11.6 |
| Completed/property taken | 333,180 | 100 | 5.2 * | 4.0 * | 19.5 | 1.4 * | 9.5 |
| With injury | 137,510 | 100 | 3.7 * | 5.3 * | 21.1 | 1.8 * | 9.9 * |
| Without injury | 195,670 | 100 | 6.3 * | 3.0 * | 18.4 | 1.2 * | 9.2 * |
| Attempted to take property | 132,610 | 100 | 14.6 * | 1.9 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 16.9 * |
| With injury | 40,780 | 100 | 17.7 * | 6.1 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 6.3 * |
| Without injury | 91,830 | 100 | 13.2 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 21.7 * |
| Assault | 2,138,340 | 100 | 18.5 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 0.7 * | 23.3 |
| Aggravated | 732,840 | 100 | 13.1 | 2.8 * | 4.7 | 0.6 * | 20.6 |
| Simple | 1,405,510 | 100 | 21.2 | 2.2 | 0.2 * | 0.7 * | 24.8 |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 69,230 | 100 | 3.5 * | 0.0 * | 27.9 * | 7.7 * | 4.0 * |
| All property crimes | 8,284,870 | 100 % | 6.5 % | 0.1 %* | 25.6 % | 6.6 % | 8.4 % |
| Household burglary | 2,354,310 | 100 | 7.4 | 0.2 * | 21.9 | 5.2 | 10.4 |
| Completed | 2,160,250 | 100 | 6.8 | 0.2 * | 23.8 | 5.7 | 9.7 |
| Forcible entry | 1,250,430 | 100 | 7.5 | 0.3 * | 21.7 | 4.9 | 9.8 |
| Unlawful entry without force | 909,820 | 100 | 5.9 | 0.0 * | 26.6 | 6.8 | 9.6 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 194,060 | 100 | 14.1 * | 0.0 * | 1.0 * | 0.0 * | 18.8 |
| Motor vehicle theft | 1,010,080 | 100 | 6.7 | 0.2 * | 34.9 | 9.4 | 6.4 |
| Completed | 864,970 | 100 | 4.1 | 0.3 * | 40.3 | 8.6 | 5.6 |
| Attempted | 145,110 | 100 | 21.9 | 0.0 * | 3.0 * | 14.2 * | 10.9 * |
| Theft | 4,920,470 | 100 | 6.0 | 0.1 * | 25.5 | 6.7 | 7.9 |
| Completed | 4,766,710 | 100 | 5.9 | 0.1 * | 26.3 | 6.8 | 7.8 |
| Attempted | 153,760 | 100 | 7.6 * | 0.0 * | 1.3 * | 2.6 * | 12.4 * |

| 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 |
| All personal crimes | 10.2 % | 8.4 % | 5.4 % | 3.7 % | 6.1 % | 13.3 % | 6.9 % | 1.0 % |
| Crimes of violence | 10.3 | 8.6 | 5.4 | 3.6 | 6.2 | 13.2 | 6.7 | 1.1 |
| Completed violence | 7.8 | 10.2 | 5.8 | 2.5 * | 4.4 | 14.1 | 7.3 | 0.7 * |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 11.8 | 7.7 | 5.1 | 4.2 | 7.2 | 12.6 | 6.3 | 1.3 * |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 22.5 * | 9.5 * | 0.0 * | 2.3 * | 16.2 * | 2.1 * | 0.0 * | 2.3 * |
| Robbery | 9.1 | 8.8 | 10.6 | 5.1 * | 4.6 * | 15.5 | 8.6 | 0.0 * |
| Completed/property taken | 7.1 * | 9.1 | 12.5 | 4.3 * | 6.4 * | 15.3 | 5.7 * | 0.0 * |
| With injury | 7.9 * | 13.5 * | 12.6 * | 1.9 * | 6.3 * | 10.4 * | 5.5 * | 0.0 * |
| Without injury | 6.6 * | 5.9 * | 12.5 * | 5.9 * | 6.4 * | 18.8 | 5.8 * | 0.0 * |
| Attempted to take property | 13.9 * | 8.2 * | 5.6 * | 7.0 * | 0.0 * | 16.0 * | 15.9 * | 0.0 * |
| With injury | 18.6 * | 12.4 * | 12.4 * | 6.1 * | 0.0 * | 20.3 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Without injury | 11.8 * | 6.4 * | 2.6 * | 7.4 * | 0.0 * | 14.0 * | 22.9 * | 0.0 * |
| Assault | 10.0 | 8.5 | 4.5 | 3.3 | 6.0 | 13.2 | 6.6 | 1.2 * |
| Aggravated | 10.5 | 11.1 | 7.9 | 1.5 * | 8.8 | 9.6 | 7.0 | 1.9 * |
| Simple | 9.7 | 7.2 | 2.7 | 4.2 | 4.6 | 15.1 | 6.4 | 0.9 * |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 3.2 * | 0.0 * | 7.2 * | 7.7 * | 4.0 * | 20.2 * | 14.4 * | 0.0 * |
| All property crimes | 5.2 % | 4.4 % | 7.7 % | 6.7 % | 6.9 % | 17.4 % | 2.9 % | 1.5 % |
| Household burglary | 5.6 | 5.4 | 8.2 | 7.9 | 7.3 | 16.5 | 2.3 | 1.8 |
| Completed | 5.4 | 5.5 | 8.5 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 15.9 | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| Forcible entry | 5.7 | 6.9 | 9.2 | 8.9 | 7.1 | 15.4 | 2.2 * | 0.5 * |
| Unlawful entry without force | 4.9 | 3.6 | 7.6 | 5.2 | 7.9 | 16.7 | 2.0 * | 3.2 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 7.2 * | 4.7 * | 4.8 * | 14.0 * | 6.3 * | 22.6 | 3.7 * | 2.8 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 4.1 | 5.2 | 7.0 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 13.7 | 0.7 * | 0.2 * |
| Completed | 3.8 | 5.3 | 7.2 | 5.3 | 6.2 | 12.2 | 0.8 * | 0.3 * |
| Attempted | 5.8 * | 4.7 * | 5.9 * | 9.8 * | 1.5 * | 22.3 | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Theft | 5.2 | 3.8 | 7.6 | 6.2 | 7.0 | 18.7 | 3.7 | 1.6 |
| Completed | 4.9 | 3.6 | 7.5 | 6.1 | 6.9 | 18.7 | 3.6 | 1.6 |
| Attempted | 15.6 * | 7.5 * | 8.5 * | 9.6 * | 11.6 * | 18.8 | 4.6 * | 0.0 * |

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, 2001:

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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 |
| All personal crimes | 3,434,320 | 100 % | 14.7 % | 19.2 % | 15.9 % | 5.5 % | 0.0 %* |
| Crimes of violence | 3,295,880 | 100 | 14.8 | 19.9 | 15.9 | 5.5 | 0.0 * |
| Completed violence | 870,680 | 100 | 10.5 | 18.2 | 8.0 | 2.6 * | 0.0 * |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 2,425,200 | 100 | 16.4 | 20.5 | 18.8 | 6.5 | 0.0 * |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 163,160 | 100 | 6.7 * | 29.4 | 5.3 * | 5.9 * | 0.0 * |
| Robbery | 303,110 | 100 | 5.5 * | 8.8 * | 19.4 | 2.8 * | 0.0 * |
| Completed/property taken | 185,610 | 100 | 3.3 * | 10.1 * | 16.2 | 1.3 * | 0.0 * |
| With injury | 38,910 | 100 | 8.6 * | 5.8 * | 6.7 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Without injury | 146,700 | 100 | 1.9 * | 11.2 * | 18.7 * | 1.7 * | 0.0 * |
| Attempted to take property | 117,500 | 100 | 9.1 * | 6.9 * | 24.5 | 5.2 * | 0.0 * |
| With injury | 29,780 | 100 | 22.4 * | 0.0 * | 11.6 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Without injury | 87,720 | 100 | 4.6 * | 9.2 * | 28.8 * | 6.9 * | 0.0 * |
| Assault | 2,829,610 | 100 | 16.3 | 20.5 | 16.2 | 5.7 | 0.0 * |
| Aggravated | 542,580 | 100 | 10.1 | 16.4 | 15.2 | 0.9 * | 0.0 * |
| Simple | 2,287,030 | 100 | 17.8 | 21.5 | 16.4 | 6.9 | 0.0 * |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 138,440 | 100 | 12.8 * | 3.2 * | 14.8 * | 6.7 * | 0.0 * |
| All property crimes | 14,181,920 | 100 % | 10.4 % | 5.6 % | 25.5 % | 3.3 % | 2.4 % |
| Household burglary | 1,918,690 | 100 | 4.8 | 6.9 | 17.7 | 3.5 | 3.2 |
| Completed | 1,612,120 | 100 | 4.1 | 6.9 | 14.8 | 3.3 | 3.7 |
| Forcible entry | 342,050 | 100 | 4.0 * | 5.9 * | 12.1 | 2.8 * | 8.2 * |
| Unlawful entry without force | 1,270,070 | 100 | 4.1 | 7.1 | 15.5 | 3.4 | 2.5 |
| Attempted forcible entry | 306,570 | 100 | 8.9 * | 7.0 * | 32.7 | 5.0 * | 0.7 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 237,270 | 100 | 3.5 * | 4.7 * | 24.4 | 1.9 * | 2.8 * |
| Completed | 41,780 | 100 | 0.0 * | 10.1 * | 16.8 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Attempted | 195,490 | 100 | 4.3 * | 3.6 * | 26.0 | 2.3 * | 3.4 * |
| Theft | 12,025,960 | 100 | 11.4 | 5.4 | 26.8 | 3.3 | 2.3 |
| Completed | 11,699,450 | 100 | 11.6 | 5.5 | 26.3 | 3.3 | 2.2 |
| Attempted | 326,510 | 100 | 5.7 * | 2.9 * | 43.8 | 3.3 * | 2.9 * |

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, 2001: (continued)

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| 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 |
| 0.4 %* | 0.5 %* | 5.0 % | 5.3 % | 2.7 % | 4.6 % | 3.9 % | 22.3 % |
| 0.3 * | 0.3 * | 4.5 | 5.2 | 2.6 | 4.7 | 4.1 | 22.2 |
| 0.7 * | 0.3 * | 5.9 | 6.5 | 4.2 | 7.8 | 5.1 | 30.2 |
| 0.1 * | 0.3 * | 3.9 | 4.8 | 2.1 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 19.3 |
| 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 4.7 * | 0.0 * | 2.9 * | 8.1 * | 5.7 * | 31.2 |
| 2.0 * | 1.0 * | 15.9 | 5.1 * | 7.7 * | 6.2 * | 6.1 * | 19.5 |
| 3.2 * | 1.6 * | 16.4 | 8.3 * | 9.6 * | 4.4 * | 6.4 * | 19.2 |
| 7.8 * | 0.0 * | 17.9 * | 11.5 * | 13.6 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 28.2 * |
| 2.0 * | 2.0 * | 16.0 * | 7.4 * | 8.6 * | 5.6 * | 8.1 * | 16.8 * |
| 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 15.1 * | 0.0 * | 4.6 * | 8.9 * | 5.6 * | 20.1 * |
| 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 26.9 * | 0.0 * | 39.1 * |
| 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 20.3 * | 0.0 * | 6.2 * | 2.8 * | 7.5 * | 13.7 * |
| 0.1 * | 0.2 * | 3.2 | 5.5 | 2.1 | 4.4 | 3.7 | 22.0 |
| 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 5.0 * | 4.8 * | 5.2 * | 5.8 | 2.6 * | 34.1 |
| 0.1 * | 0.3 * | 2.8 | 5.7 | 1.3 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 19.1 |
| 3.5 * | 5.2 * | 17.5 * | 6.2 * | 5.1 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 24.9 |
| 5.5 % | 7.4 % | 12.1 % | 7.4 % | 3.6 % | 0.9 % | 2.9 % | 13.0 % |
| 8.8 | 5.9 | 14.4 | 9.6 | 6.6 | 1.4 * | 2.9 | 14.2 |
| 8.8 | 7.0 | 15.7 | 10.0 | 7.7 | 1.3 * | 3.1 | 13.7 |
| 5.4 * | 6.3 * | 12.9 | 11.3 | 11.2 | 2.8 * | 2.1 * | 14.9 |
| 9.7 | 7.2 | 16.4 | 9.7 | 6.8 | 0.9 * | 3.3 | 13.4 |
| 8.6 * | 0.0 * | 7.8 * | 7.4 * | 0.6 * | 2.2 * | 2.4 * | 16.7 |
| 7.9 * | 0.0 * | 13.2 | 5.6 * | 8.7 * | 6.4 * | 3.9 * | 17.0 |
| 16.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 6.1 * | 0.0 * | 20.9 * | 6.1 * | 24.0 * |
| 6.2 * | 0.0 * | 16.0 | 5.5 * | 10.6 * | 3.3 * | 3.4 * | 15.6 |
| 4.9 | 7.7 | 11.7 | 7.1 | 3.1 | 0.7 | 2.9 | 12.7 |
| 5.0 | 7.9 | 11.6 | 7.2 | 3.1 | 0.6 | 3.0 | 12.7 |
| 3.9 * | 0.6 * | 15.2 | 3.0 * | 2.2 * | 1.6 * | 0.7 * | 14.1 |

Table 103. Personal crimes, 2001:

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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 |
| White | | | | | | | |
| All personal crimes | 100 % | 15.0 % | 20.3 % | 16.3 % | 5.4 % | 0.0 %* | 0.4 %* |
| Crimes of violence | 100 | 14.9 | 20.9 | 16.6 | 5.3 | 0.0 * | 0.3 * |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 100 | 5.6 * | 31.9 | 7.1 * | 5.2 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Robbery | 100 | 3.7 * | 10.9 * | 19.5 | 3.5 * | 0.0 * | 2.4 * |
| Assault | 100 | 16.6 | 21.4 | 16.8 | 5.5 | 0.0 * | 0.1 * |
| Purse snatching/ Pocket picking | 100 | 16.5 * | 4.1 * | 10.6 * | 8.6 * | 0.0 * | 2.4 * |
| Black | | | | | | | |
| All personal crimes | 100 % | 13.9 % | 17.0 % | 12.9 % | 6.3 %* | 0.0 %* | 0.0 %* |
| Crimes of violence | 100 | 14.3 | 17.5 | 12.5 | 6.5 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 100 * | 14.6 * | 23.0 * | 0.0 * | 12.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Robbery | 100 | 15.4 * | 0.0 * | 15.2 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Assault | 100 | 14.2 | 19.6 | 13.1 | 7.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Purse snatching/ Pocket picking | 100 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 24.2 * | 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 |
| White | | | | | | | |
| All personal crimes | 0.5 %* | 4.4 % | 5.5 % | 2.9 % | 4.7 % | 3.6 % | 21.0 % |
| Crimes of violence | 0.3 * | 3.8 | 5.4 | 3.0 | 4.9 | 3.7 | 20.9 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 0.0 * | 3.7 * | 0.0 * | 3.9 * | 8.1 * | 1.8 * | 32.6 |
| Robbery | 1.2 * | 10.8 * | 2.1 * | 9.5 * | 7.6 * | 7.5 * | 21.3 |
| Assault | 0.3 * | 3.1 | 6.0 | 2.2 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 20.3 |
| Purse snatching/ Pocket picking | 4.6 * | 18.4 * | 8.0 * | 2.7 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 24.1 * |
| Black | | | | | | | |
| All personal crimes | 0.0 %* | 7.5 % | 4.2 %* | 2.2 %* | 5.1 %* | 4.1 %* | 26.8 % |
| Crimes of violence | 0.0 * | 6.8 | 4.4 * | 1.3 * | 5.3 * | 4.2 * | 27.1 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 11.9 * | 14.8 * | 23.6 * |
| Robbery | 0.0 * | 35.8 * | 20.1 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 13.5 * |
| Assault | 0.0 * | 3.3 * | 2.5 * | 1.6 * | 5.5 * | 4.0 * | 29.2 |
| Purse snatching/ Pocket picking | 0.0 * | 29.3 * | 0.0 * | 27.7 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 18.8 * |

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, 2001:

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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 |
| Involving strangers | | | | | | | | |
| Crimes of violence | 1,485,990 | 100 % | 11.3 % | 17.3 % | 21.9 % | 4.7 % | 0.0 %* | 0.4 %* |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 40,190 | 100 % | 5.4 * | 25.0 * | 7.1 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Robbery | 224,590 | 100 % | 4.9 * | 8.8 * | 20.4 | 2.6 * | 0.0 * | 1.3 * |
| Assault | 1,221,210 | 100 % | 12.6 | 18.6 | 22.7 | 5.2 | 0.0 * | 0.2 * |
| Involving nonstrangers | | | | | | | | |
| Crimes of violence | 1,809,890 | 100 % | 17.7 | 22.0 | 11.1 | 6.1 | 0.0 * | 0.2 * |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 122,960 | 100 % | 7.1 * | 30.9 | 4.7 * | 7.8 * | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Robbery | 78,520 | 100 % | 7.3 * | 9.0 * | 16.5 * | 3.3 * | 0.0 * | 3.9 * |
| Assault | 1,608,400 | 100 % | 19.1 | 22.0 | 11.3 | 6.2 | 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 |
| Involving strangers | | | | | | | |
| Crimes of violence | 0.6 %* | 9.2 % | 4.5 % | 3.4 % | 4.2 % | 5.0 % | 17.6 % |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 0.0 * | 7.6 * | 0.0 * | 6.5 * | 6.5 * | 13.2 * | 28.8 * |
| Robbery | 1.3 * | 20.2 | 5.7 * | 9.1 * | 7.2 * | 4.7 * | 13.7 |
| Assault | 0.5 * | 7.2 | 4.4 | 2.3 * | 3.6 | 4.8 | 17.9 |
| Involving nonstrangers | | | | | | | |
| Crimes of violence | 0.0 * | 0.6 * | 5.8 | 2.0 | 5.2 | 3.3 | 26.0 |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 0.0 * | 3.7 * | 0.0 * | 1.8 * | 8.7 * | 3.3 * | 32.0 |
| Robbery | 0.0 * | 3.5 * | 3.3 * | 3.6 * | 3.2 * | 10.0 * | 36.4 * |
| Assault | 0.0 * | 0.2 * | 6.4 | 1.9 | 5.0 | 2.9 | 25.0 |

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 105. Property crimes, 2001:

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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 |
| White | | | | | |
| Total | 11,839,750 | 100.0 % | 100.0 % | 100.0 % | 100.0 % |
| Reported to another official | 1,226,310 | 10.4 | 5.3 | 4.4 * | 11.2 |
| Private or personal matter | 641,190 | 5.4 | 6.1 | 5.9 * | 5.3 |
| Object recovered; offender unsuccessful | 3,060,690 | 25.9 | 17.7 | 23.4 | 27.1 |
| Not important enough | 419,240 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 2.3 * | 3.5 |
| Insurance would not cover | 288,250 | 2.4 | 3.6 | 3.5 * | 2.2 |
| Not aware crime occurred until later | 658,010 | 5.6 | 8.5 | 8.9 * | 5.1 |
| Unable to recover property; no ID no. | 871,100 | 7.4 | 6.4 | 0.0 * | 7.6 |
| Lack of proof | 1,379,910 | 11.7 | 12.2 | 12.6 * | 11.6 |
| Police would not want to be bothered | 858,860 | 7.3 | 9.7 | 7.0 * | 6.9 |
| Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased | 460,690 | 3.9 | 7.4 | 8.7 * | 3.3 |
| Fear of reprisal | 111,010 | 0.9 | 1.8 * | 5.7 * | 0.7 |
| Too inconvenient or time consuming | 358,540 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.5 * | 3.0 |
| Other reasons | 1,505,950 | 12.7 | 14.4 | 14.0 * | 12.4 |
| Black | | | | | |
| Total | 1,802,690 | 100.0 % | 100.0 % | 100.0 % | 100.0 % |
| Reported to another official | 203,290 | 11.3 | 4.0 * | 0.0 * | 13.3 |
| Private or personal matter | 105,170 | 5.8 | 8.8 | 0.0 * | 5.3 |
| Object recovered; offender unsuccessful | 405,890 | 22.5 | 15.7 | 20.3 * | 24.2 |
| Not important enough | 38,290 | 2.1 | 3.1 * | 0.0 * | 2.0 * |
| Insurance would not cover | 38,520 | 2.1 | 2.4 * | 0.0 * | 2.1 |
| Not aware crime occurred until later | 110,510 | 6.1 | 11.5 | 5.0 * | 4.9 |
| Unable to recover property; no ID no. | 132,970 | 7.4 | 4.2 * | 0.0 * | 8.3 |
| Lack of proof | 243,000 | 13.5 | 19.3 | 12.6 * | 12.2 |
| Police would not want to be bothered | 148,270 | 8.2 | 10.8 | 0.0 * | 7.9 |
| Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased | 50,660 | 2.8 | 4.6 * | 10.6 * | 2.2 |
| Fear of reprisal | 9,550 * | 0.5 * | 0.0 * | 10.6 * | 0.4 * |
| Too inconvenient or time consuming | 47,430 | 2.6 | 1.8 * | 6.4 * | 2.7 |
| Other reasons | 269,160 | 14.9 | 13.8 | 34.5 * | 14.6 |

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, 2001:

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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 |
| Crimes of violence | 2,421,830 | 100 % | 75.4 % | 6.9 % | 0.0 %* | 9.7 % | 2.4 % | 5.5 % |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 90,850 | 100 | 61.6 | 8.9 * | 0.0 * | 15.5 * | 6.3 * | 7.7 * |
| Robbery | 335,990 | 100 | 79.4 | 7.5 * | 0.0 * | 10.3 | 0.8 * | 2.0 * |
| Aggravated assault | 566,910 | 100 | 83.0 | 3.0 * | 0.0 * | 8.3 | 2.3 * | 3.3 * |
| Simple assault | 1,428,080 | 100 | 72.3 | 8.2 | 0.0 * | 9.8 | 2.6 | 7.1 |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 66,260 | 100 | 41.6 * | 27.0 * | 0.0 * | 28.0 * | 0.0 * | 3.5 * |
| Property crimes | 6,579,980 | 100 % | 66.3 % | 5.8 % | 0.1 %* | 24.9 % | 1.7 % | 1.3 % |
| Household burglary | 1,635,380 | 100 | 85.1 | 2.9 | 0.0 * | 10.3 | 1.3 * | 0.4 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 784,840 | 100 | 70.1 | 4.0 | 0.0 * | 21.6 | 1.2 * | 3.2 * |
| Theft | 4,159,760 | 100 | 58.2 | 7.4 | 0.1 * | 31.2 | 1.9 | 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 verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 107. Personal and property crimes, 2001:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**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 |
| Crimes of violence/a | 100 % | 31.7 % | 28.0 % | 31.4 % | 4.1 % | 1.2 %* | 3.7 % | 0.0 %* |
| Robbery | 100 | 36.2 | 24.7 | 35.0 | 0.9 * | 1.0 * | 2.1 * | 0.0 * |
| Aggravated assault | 100 | 34.9 | 25.2 | 30.3 | 4.8 * | 0.7 * | 4.2 * | 0.0 * |
| Simple assault | 100 | 30.2 | 29.6 | 31.0 | 4.3 | 0.8 * | 4.0 | 0.0 * |
| Property crimes | 100 % | 10.2 % | 19.6 % | 50.0 % | 12.7 % | 1.7 % | 5.6 % | 0.1 %* |
| Household burglary | 100 | 11.2 | 17.9 | 50.8 | 13.4 | 1.7 * | 4.8 | 0.1 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 100 | 7.9 | 24.9 | 47.9 | 10.2 | 1.6 * | 7.0 | 0.5 * |
| Theft | 100 | 10.2 | 19.4 | 50.1 | 12.9 | 1.7 | 5.8 | 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, 2001:

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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 |
| Crimes of violence/a | 100 % | 37.7 % | 6.6 % | 3.2 % | 18.6 % | 1.7 % | 6.4 % | 10.8 % |
| Robbery | 100 | 42.9 | 10.1 | 2.2 * | 10.7 | 1.3 * | 10.1 | 7.0 |
| Aggravated assault | 100 | 32.6 | 6.8 | 7.6 | 19.6 | 1.0 * | 9.0 | 11.1 |
| Simple assault | 100 | 39.1 | 5.6 | 1.0 * | 20.4 | 2.1 | 3.9 | 11.6 |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 100 | 52.0 | 14.8 * | 0.0 * | 8.7 * | 9.0 * | 2.9 * | 0.0 * |
| Property crimes | 100 % | 48.5 % | 20.1 % | 7.3 % | 5.6 % | 2.3 % | 8.4 % | 1.2 % |
| Household burglary | 100 | 40.4 | 25.5 | 10.6 | 6.1 | 2.7 | 8.9 | 1.4 |
| Motor vehicle theft | 100 | 52.8 | 15.3 | 4.7 | 5.8 | 2.2 * | 11.3 | 2.2 * |
| Theft | 100 | 53.1 | 17.5 | 5.7 | 5.3 | 2.1 | 7.5 | 0.9 |

| Type of crime | Percent of incidents | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Other actions | Don't know | Not applicable |
| Crimes of violence/a | 12.5 % | 1.4 % | 1.1 % |
| Robbery | 12.2 | 2.5 * | 0.9 * |
| Aggravated assault | 10.6 | 1.1 * | 0.6 * |
| Simple assault | 13.8 | 1.4 | 1.2 * |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 6.3 * | 6.4 * | 0.0 * |
| Property crimes | 4.3 % | 0.7 % | 1.4 % |
| Household burglary | 3.1 | 0.4 * | 0.9 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 4.0 | 1.3 * | 0.5 * |
| Theft | 5.1 | 0.8 | 2.0 |

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 109. Personal and property crimes, 2001:

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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 |
| Personal crimes | 5,932,190 | 100 % | 4.1 % | 1.9 % | 1.3 % | 92.1 % | 0.3 %* | 0.3 %* |
| Crimes of violence | 5,743,820 | 100 | 4.2 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 92.0 | 0.3 * | 0.3 * |
| Completed violence | 1,828,280 | 100 | 6.4 | 4.0 | 1.8 | 87.6 | 0.3 * | 0.0 * |
| Attempted/threatened violence | 3,915,540 | 100 | 3.2 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 94.1 | 0.3 * | 0.4 * |
| Rape/Sexual assault/a | 248,250 | 100 | 6.8 * | 7.3 * | 4.8 * | 81.1 | 0.0 * | 0.0 * |
| Robbery | 630,690 | 100 | 4.1 * | 2.0 * | 1.0 * | 92.6 | 0.3 * | 0.0 * |
| Assault | 4,864,890 | 100 | 4.1 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 92.5 | 0.3 * | 0.3 * |
| Aggravated | 1,222,160 | 100 | 4.1 | 1.3 * | 2.3 | 91.9 | 0.4 * | 0.0 * |
| Simple | 3,642,720 | 100 | 4.0 | 1.8 | 0.8 * | 92.7 | 0.2 * | 0.4 * |
| Purse snatching/ Pocket picking | 188,370 | 100 | 1.2 * | 0.0 * | 1.2 * | 96.2 | 1.4 * | 0.0 * |
| Property crimes | 18,283,510 | 100 % | 0.8 % | 0.8 % | 0.1 %* | 97.7 % | 0.2 % | 0.4 % |
| Household burglary | 3,139,700 | 100 | 1.9 | 0.7 * | 0.1 * | 96.6 | 0.3 * | 0.4 * |
| Motor vehicle theft | 1,008,720 | 100 | 1.7 * | 1.4 * | 0.2 * | 95.8 | 0.4 * | 0.5 * |
| Theft | 14,135,090 | 100 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 0.1 * | 98.1 | 0.2 | 0.4 |

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

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