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# **Criminal Victimization in the United States, 2000 Statistical Tables**

*National Crime Victimization Survey*

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Table 1. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Number, percent distribution, and rate of victimizations,  
by type of crime**

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of all victimizations	Rate per 1,000 persons or households
<b>All crimes</b>	<b>25,893,340</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>...</b>
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>6,596,690</b>	<b>25.5 %</b>	<b>29.1</b>
Crimes of violence	6,322,730	24.4	27.9
Completed violence	2,044,050	7.9	9.0
Attempted/threatened violence	4,278,690	16.5	18.9
Rape/Sexual assault	260,950	1.0	1.2
Rape/Attempted rape	147,160	0.6	0.6
Rape	92,440	0.4	0.4
Attempted rape/a	54,720	0.2	0.2
Sexual assault/b	113,790	0.4	0.5
Robbery	731,780	2.8	3.2
Completed/property taken	520,120	2.0	2.3
With injury	160,480	0.6	0.7
Without injury	359,640	1.4	1.6
Attempted to take property	211,660	0.8	0.9
With injury	65,700	0.3	0.3
Without injury	145,960	0.6	0.6
Assault	5,330,010	20.6	23.5
Aggravated	1,292,510	5.0	5.7
With injury	346,090	1.3	1.5
Threatened with weapon	946,420	3.7	4.2
Simple	4,037,500	15.6	17.8
With minor injury	989,020	3.8	4.4
Without injury	3,048,480	11.8	13.4
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	273,960	1.1	1.2
Completed purse snatching	57,040	0.2	0.3
Attempted purse snatching	8,850 *	0.0 *	0.0
Pocket picking	208,060	0.8	0.9
Total population age 12 and over	226,804,610	...	...
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,296,650</b>	<b>74.5 %</b>	<b>178.1</b>
Household burglary	3,443,700	13.3	31.8
Completed	2,909,460	11.2	26.9
Forcible entry	1,037,860	4.0	9.6
Unlawful entry without force	1,871,600	7.2	17.3
Attempted forcible entry	534,240	2.1	4.9
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	3.6	8.6
Completed	641,850	2.5	5.9
Attempted	295,200	1.1	2.7
Theft	14,915,900	57.6	137.7
Completed	14,299,970	55.2	132.0
Less than \$50	4,707,270	18.2	43.4
\$50 - \$249	5,296,630	20.5	48.9
\$250 or more	3,176,630	12.3	29.3
Amount not available	1,119,440	4.3	10.3
Attempted	615,930	2.4	5.7
Total number of households	108,352,960	...	...

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

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

Percent distribution is based on unrounded figures.

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 2. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and gender of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
	Both genders		Male		Female	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>6,596,690</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>3,726,860</b>	<b>33.9</b>	<b>2,869,830</b>	<b>24.5</b>
Crimes of violence	6,322,730	27.9	3,612,390	32.9	2,710,340	23.2
Completed violence	2,044,050	9.0	1,031,150	9.4	1,012,890	8.7
Attempted/threatened violence	4,278,690	18.9	2,581,240	23.5	1,697,450	14.5
Rape/Sexual assault	260,950	1.2	14,770 *	0.1 *	246,180	2.1
Rape/Attempted rape	147,160	0.6	2,880 *	0.0 *	144,270	1.2
Rape	92,440	0.4	2,880 *	0.0 *	89,550	0.8
Attempted rape/a	54,720	0.2	0 *	0.0 *	54,720	0.5
Sexual assault/b	113,790	0.5	11,890 *	0.1 *	101,910	0.9
Robbery	731,780	3.2	494,650	4.5	237,130	2.0
Completed/property taken	520,120	2.3	329,390	3.0	190,720	1.6
With injury	160,480	0.7	108,300	1.0	52,180	0.4
Without injury	359,640	1.6	221,100	2.0	138,550	1.2
Attempted to take property	211,660	0.9	165,260	1.5	46,400	0.4
With injury	65,700	0.3	55,920	0.5	9,780 *	0.1 *
Without injury	145,960	0.6	109,340	1.0	36,620	0.3
Assault	5,330,010	23.5	3,102,970	28.3	2,227,040	19.0
Aggravated	1,292,510	5.7	915,970	8.3	376,540	3.2
With injury	346,090	1.5	231,230	2.1	114,860	1.0
Threatened with weapon	946,420	4.2	684,740	6.2	261,680	2.2
Simple	4,037,500	17.8	2,187,000	19.9	1,850,500	15.8
With minor injury	989,020	4.4	461,940	4.2	527,080	4.5
Without injury	3,048,480	13.4	1,725,060	15.7	1,323,420	11.3
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	273,960	1.2	114,470	1.0	159,490	1.4
Population age 12 and over	226,804,610	...	109,816,970	...	116,987,650	...

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

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

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 3. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and age of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group						
	12-15	16-19	20-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65 and over
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>61.9</b>	<b>67.3</b>	<b>50.5</b>	<b>36.3</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>5.0</b>
Crimes of violence	60.1	64.3	49.4	34.8	21.8	13.7	3.7
Completed violence	19.5	22.6	18.6	10.6	6.8	3.7	1.0
Attempted/threatened violence	40.6	41.7	30.7	24.2	15.1	9.9	2.8
Rape/Sexual assault	2.1	4.3	2.1	1.3	0.8	0.4 *	0.1 *
Rape/Attempted rape	0.9 *	3.1	1.1 *	0.5 *	0.6	0.1 *	0.0 *
Rape	0.6 *	1.8	0.7 *	0.2 *	0.4	0.1 *	0.0 *
Attempted rape/a	0.3 *	1.3 *	0.4 *	0.3 *	0.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Sexual assault/b	1.1 *	1.2 *	0.9 *	0.8	0.2 *	0.3 *	0.1 *
Robbery	4.2	7.3	6.2	3.9	2.7	2.1	0.7 *
Completed/property taken	2.5	5.3	4.9	2.8	2.0	1.4	0.4 *
With injury	0.7 *	1.2 *	0.9 *	1.2	0.6	0.6 *	0.2 *
Without injury	1.8	4.1	4.0	1.6	1.4	0.8	0.2 *
Attempted to take property	1.8	2.0	1.2 *	1.2	0.7	0.8	0.2 *
With injury	0.7 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.4 *	0.2 *	0.3 *	0.1 *
Without injury	1.1 *	1.5 *	1.0 *	0.8	0.5	0.4 *	0.1 *
Assault	53.8	52.7	41.2	29.5	18.4	11.1	2.9
Aggravated	9.9	14.3	10.9	6.8	4.7	2.8	0.9
With injury	3.2	3.2	2.6	2.1	1.3	0.6 *	0.2 *
Threatened with weapon	6.7	11.2	8.3	4.7	3.4	2.2	0.7 *
Simple	43.9	38.3	30.3	22.7	13.7	8.4	2.0
With minor injury	12.3	11.4	9.7	4.8	2.8	1.4	0.2 *
Without injury	31.6	26.9	20.5	17.9	10.9	7.0	1.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	1.8	3.0	1.1 *	1.5	0.9	0.5 *	1.2
Population in each age group	16,064,090	16,001,650	18,587,790	37,757,070	64,927,820	40,764,000	32,702,210

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.

b/Includes threats.



Table 4. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by gender and age of victims and type of crime**

Gender and age	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
						Total	With Injury	Without Injury
<b>Male</b>								
12-15	8,190,710	74.0	24.1	49.8	0.7 *	6.1	1.6 *	4.5
16-19	8,200,790	74.4	22.7	51.8	0.0 *	11.8	2.5 *	9.4
20-24	9,255,090	56.6	16.5	40.1	0.4 *	7.4	1.9 *	5.5
25-34	18,558,360	39.6	9.0	30.6	0.1 *	4.7	1.8	2.9
35-49	32,071,800	23.8	7.2	16.5	0.0 *	3.8	1.3	2.5
50-64	19,624,500	16.4	4.5	11.9	0.1 *	3.2	1.8	1.5
65 and over	13,915,720	3.6	0.5 *	3.2	0.0 *	0.5 *	0.3 *	0.2 *
<b>Female</b>								
12-15	7,873,370	45.7	14.7	31.1	3.5	2.3 *	1.2 *	1.2 *
16-19	7,800,860	53.6	22.6	31.0	8.8	2.5 *	0.8 *	1.7 *
20-24	9,332,700	42.2	20.8	21.4	3.7	4.9	0.3 *	4.6
25-34	19,198,710	30.1	12.1	17.9	2.4	3.1	1.4	1.8
35-49	32,856,020	19.9	6.3	13.7	1.5	1.6	0.3 *	1.3
50-64	21,139,500	11.1	3.0	8.1	0.6 *	1.1 *	0.1 *	1.0 *
65 and over	18,786,490	3.8	1.3 *	2.5	0.2 *	0.8 *	0.3 *	0.5 *

Gender and age	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group			
	Total	Assault		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
		Aggra-vated	Simple	
<b>Male</b>				
12-15	67.2	16.2	51.0	2.0 *
16-19	62.6	20.4	42.2	2.9 *
20-24	48.9	16.7	32.2	1.3 *
25-34	34.8	8.9	25.8	1.3 *
35-49	20.0	6.2	13.8	0.5 *
50-64	13.1	4.1	9.0	0.1 *
65 and over	3.2	1.2 *	2.0	1.4 *
<b>Female</b>				
12-15	39.9	3.4	36.5	1.5 *
16-19	42.2	8.0	34.3	3.1 *
20-24	33.5	5.2	28.4	1.0 *
25-34	24.5	4.8	19.7	1.7
35-49	16.8	3.1	13.7	1.3
50-64	9.3	1.5	7.8	0.9 *
65 and over	2.7	0.7 *	2.1	1.1 *

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 5. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and race of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
	White		Black		Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>5,340,590</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>1,041,910</b>	<b>37.2</b>	<b>214,190</b>	<b>22.5</b>
Crimes of violence	5,137,880	27.1	988,120	35.3	196,730	20.7
Completed violence	1,603,780	8.5	353,350	12.6	86,920	9.1
Attempted/threatened violence	3,534,110	18.7	634,770	22.7	109,810	11.5
Rape/Sexual assault	216,350	1.1	33,780	1.2	10,810 *	1.1 *
Rape/Attempted rape	113,270	0.6	28,600	1.0	5,280 *	0.6 *
Rape	74,260	0.4	12,900 *	0.5 *	5,280 *	0.6 *
Attempted rape/a	39,020	0.2	15,700 *	0.6 *	0 *	0.0 *
Sexual assault/b	103,080	0.5	5,180 *	0.2 *	5,530 *	0.6 *
Robbery	503,740	2.7	201,320	7.2	26,720	2.8
Completed/property taken	350,640	1.9	145,600	5.2	23,880 *	2.5 *
With injury	107,840	0.6	39,730	1.4	12,910 *	1.4 *
Without injury	242,800	1.3	105,860	3.8	10,980 *	1.2 *
Attempted to take property	153,100	0.8	55,730	2.0	2,830 *	0.3 *
With injury	46,570	0.2	19,120 *	0.7 *	0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	106,530	0.6	36,600	1.3	2,830 *	0.3 *
Assault	4,417,790	23.3	753,010	26.9	159,200	16.7
Aggravated	1,026,430	5.4	216,690	7.7	49,390	5.2
With injury	265,040	1.4	64,290	2.3	16,750 *	1.8 *
Threatened with weapon	761,390	4.0	152,390	5.4	32,640	3.4
Simple	3,391,360	17.9	536,330	19.2	109,810	11.5
With minor injury	828,170	4.4	125,380	4.5	35,470	3.7
Without injury	2,563,190	13.5	410,950	14.7	74,340	7.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	202,700	1.1	53,790	1.9	17,460 *	1.8 *
Population age 12 and over	189,308,050	...	27,978,180	...	9,518,390	...

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

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

...Not applicable.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 6. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and gender and race of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White		Black		White		Black	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>3,031,090</b>	<b>32.8</b>	<b>574,910</b>	<b>45.1</b>	<b>2,309,500</b>	<b>23.8</b>	<b>467,000</b>	<b>30.7</b>
Crimes of violence	2,943,530	31.8	553,510	43.4	2,194,360	22.7	434,610	28.5
Completed violence	790,080	8.5	185,700	14.6	813,690	8.4	167,650	11.0
Attempted/threatened violence	2,153,440	23.3	367,810	28.9	1,380,660	14.3	266,960	17.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	14,770 *	0.2 *	0 *	0.0 *	201,580	2.1	33,780	2.2
Robbery	342,550	3.7	135,830	10.7	161,190	1.7	65,500	4.3
Completed/property taken	220,750	2.4	92,360	7.2	129,890	1.3	53,230	3.5
With injury	65,890	0.7	32,290	2.5	41,950	0.4	7,450 *	0.5 *
Without injury	154,870	1.7	60,080	4.7	87,930	0.9	45,790	3.0
Attempted to take property	121,800	1.3	43,460	3.4	31,300	0.3	12,260 *	0.8 *
With injury	36,790	0.4	19,120 *	1.5 *	9,780 *	0.1 *	0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	85,010	0.9	24,340 *	1.9 *	21,520 *	0.2 *	12,260 *	0.8 *
Assault	2,586,210	28.0	417,690	32.8	1,831,580	18.9	335,330	22.0
Aggravated	725,850	7.8	152,780	12.0	300,580	3.1	63,910	4.2
With injury	170,210	1.8	49,590	3.9	94,830	1.0	14,700 *	1.0 *
Threatened with weapon	555,640	6.0	103,190	8.1	205,750	2.1	49,200	3.2
Simple	1,860,360	20.1	264,910	20.8	1,531,000	15.8	271,420	17.8
With minor injury	390,540	4.2	43,750	3.4	437,630	4.5	81,630	5.4
Without injury	1,469,820	15.9	221,160	17.4	1,093,370	11.3	189,790	12.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	87,560	0.9	21,400 *	1.7 *	115,140	1.2	32,390	2.1
Population age 12 and over	92,466,090	...	12,741,620	...	96,841,950	...	15,236,560	...

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

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

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

...Not applicable.

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

Table 7. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and ethnicity of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
	Total/a		Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>6,596,690</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>754,520</b>	<b>30.8</b>	<b>5,759,380</b>	<b>28.8</b>
Crimes of violence	6,322,730	27.9	696,760	28.4	5,545,370	27.7
Completed violence	2,044,050	9.0	232,630	9.5	1,787,210	8.9
Attempted/threatened violence	4,278,690	18.9	464,130	18.9	3,758,160	18.8
Rape/Sexual assault	260,950	1.2	11,590 *	0.5 *	238,490	1.2
Rape/Attempted rape	147,160	0.6	0 *	0.0 *	136,280	0.7
Rape	92,440	0.4	0 *	0.0 *	83,870	0.4
Attempted rape/b	54,720	0.2	0 *	0.0 *	52,410	0.3
Sexual assault/c	113,790	0.5	11,590 *	0.5 *	102,200	0.5
Robbery	731,780	3.2	121,780	5.0	604,500	3.0
Completed/property taken	520,120	2.3	89,250	3.6	425,370	2.1
With injury	160,480	0.7	27,500	1.1	132,980	0.7
Without injury	359,640	1.6	61,750	2.5	292,390	1.5
Attempted to take property	211,660	0.9	32,530	1.3	179,130	0.9
With injury	65,700	0.3	10,270 *	0.4 *	55,430	0.3
Without injury	145,960	0.6	22,260 *	0.9 *	123,700	0.6
Assault	5,330,010	23.5	563,390	23.0	4,702,380	23.5
Aggravated	1,292,510	5.7	136,350	5.6	1,140,540	5.7
With injury	346,090	1.5	34,350	1.4	309,200	1.5
Threatened with weapon	946,420	4.2	102,000	4.2	831,330	4.2
Simple	4,037,500	17.8	427,040	17.4	3,561,840	17.8
With minor injury	989,020	4.4	103,880	4.2	877,520	4.4
Without injury	3,048,480	13.4	323,160	13.2	2,684,320	13.4
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	273,960	1.2	57,760	2.4	214,020	1.1
Population age 12 and over	226,804,610	...	24,513,290	...	200,294,810	...

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

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

...Not applicable.

a/Includes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained, which are not shown separately.

b/Includes verbal threats of rape.

c/Includes threats.

Table 8. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and ethnicity and gender of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>33.2</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>32.7</b>	<b>23.0</b>
Completed violence	11.2	7.8	9.1	8.7
Attempted violence	22.1	15.8	23.6	14.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.3 *	0.7 *	0.1 *	2.2
Robbery	8.7	1.3 *	4.0	2.1
Completed/property taken	6.0	1.3 *	2.6	1.7
With injury	1.8 *	0.4 *	0.9	0.5
Without injury	4.2	0.8 *	1.7	1.2
Attempted to take property	2.7	0.0 *	1.4	0.4
With injury	0.8 *	0.0 *	0.5	0.1 *
Without injury	1.8 *	0.0 *	0.9	0.4
Assault	24.2	21.7	28.6	18.7
Aggravated	8.8	2.4	8.2	3.3
With injury	1.8 *	1.0 *	2.1	1.0
Threatened with weapon	7.0	1.4 *	6.1	2.4
Simple	15.5	19.3	20.4	15.4
With minor injury	3.4	5.1	4.3	4.5
Without injury	12.1	14.3	16.1	10.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	1.6 *	3.1	1.0	1.1
<b>Total population age 12 and over</b>	<b>12,198,570</b>	<b>12,314,720</b>	<b>96,620,680</b>	<b>103,674,130</b>

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

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 9. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by race and age of victims and type of crime**

Race and age	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/ threatened violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
						Total	With Injury	Without Injury
<b>White</b>								
12-15	12,685,710	58.7	18.4	40.3	2.4	3.2	1.1 *	2.1
16-19	12,837,330	63.4	21.8	41.6	4.2	5.1	0.7 *	4.3
20-24	14,953,150	50.2	18.9	31.4	2.1	5.5	0.8 *	4.7
25-34	30,531,390	36.2	11.0	25.2	1.5	3.9	1.8	2.1
35-49	54,033,220	21.6	6.4	15.2	0.7	2.1	0.5 *	1.7
50-64	35,126,910	12.8	2.8	10.0	0.4 *	1.7	0.8	0.9
65 and over	29,140,330	3.6	1.0	2.6	0.2 *	0.8 *	0.4 *	0.4 *
<b>Black</b>								
12-15	2,683,650	66.7	24.2	42.5	1.3 *	10.1	3.0 *	7.1 *
16-19	2,393,380	81.9	29.0	52.9	4.8 *	20.4	6.0 *	14.4
20-24	2,684,280	54.6	19.8	34.8	2.5 *	10.1	1.9 *	8.2 *
25-34	5,210,770	31.6	9.1	22.5	1.0 *	4.6 *	0.5 *	4.1 *
35-49	8,091,440	26.0	9.6	16.4	0.9 *	6.5	3.0 *	3.5
50-64	4,142,090	19.5	9.1	10.4	0.0 *	5.2 *	1.0 *	4.2 *
65 and over	2,772,570	3.9 *	1.0 *	2.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *

Race and age	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group			
	Total	Assault		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
		Aggra- vated	Simple	
<b>White</b>				
12-15	53.1	9.0	44.1	1.1 *
16-19	54.1	14.3	39.8	2.7
20-24	42.6	9.3	33.3	1.1 *
25-34	30.9	7.0	23.9	1.5
35-49	18.8	4.8	14.0	0.7
50-64	10.8	2.5	8.2	0.5 *
65 and over	2.7	1.0	1.7	1.2
<b>Black</b>				
12-15	55.3	13.9	41.4	5.3 *
16-19	56.7	18.2	38.5	5.4 *
20-24	42.0	20.2	21.8	1.4 *
25-34	26.0	5.8	20.2	1.0 *
35-49	18.6	4.1	14.5	1.9 *
50-64	14.3	4.4 *	9.9	0.5 *
65 and over	3.9 *	0.0 *	3.9 *	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 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 10. Violent crimes, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by race, gender, and age of victims and type of crime**

Race, gender, and age	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group							
		Crimes of violence/a		Robbery		Aggravated assault		Simple assault	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>White</b>									
Male									
12-15	6,527,640	472,350	72.4	26,000	4.0	94,500	14.5	346,160	53.0
16-19	6,558,220	472,680	72.1	52,660	8.0	134,230	20.5	285,790	43.6
20-24	7,609,050	431,370	56.7	51,540	6.8	112,980	14.8	263,290	34.6
25-34	15,208,510	631,370	41.5	77,840	5.1	137,690	9.1	413,220	27.2
35-49	27,010,910	617,830	22.9	82,230	3.0	165,770	6.1	369,820	13.7
50-64	17,089,920	267,190	15.6	45,640	2.7	64,410	3.8	154,270	9.0
65 and over	12,461,840	50,730	4.1	6,640 *	0.5 *	16,280 *	1.3 *	27,810	2.2
Female									
12-15	6,158,080	271,670	44.1	15,040 *	2.4 *	19,160 *	3.1 *	213,220	34.6
16-19	6,279,110	340,870	54.3	12,550 *	2.0 *	49,090	7.8	224,890	35.8
20-24	7,344,090	319,990	43.6	30,520	4.2	26,830	3.7	234,590	31.9
25-34	15,322,880	473,920	30.9	40,610	2.7	74,590	4.9	316,880	20.7
35-49	27,022,320	550,110	20.4	33,580	1.2	93,840	3.5	385,200	14.3
50-64	18,036,990	183,130	10.2	13,100 *	0.7 *	24,560 *	1.4 *	134,480	7.5
65 and over	16,678,490	54,660	3.3	15,780 *	0.9 *	12,510 *	0.8 *	21,750 *	1.3 *
<b>Black</b>									
Male									
12-15	1,335,150	101,830	76.3	23,820 *	17.8 *	29,580	22.2	48,430	36.3
16-19	1,241,940	127,640	102.8	41,810	33.7	33,090	26.6	52,750	42.5
20-24	1,181,060	84,120	71.2	14,070 *	11.9 *	35,410	30.0	34,630	29.3
25-34	2,343,140	76,010	32.4	10,050 *	4.3 *	15,840 *	6.8 *	50,120	21.4
35-49	3,724,660	123,750	33.2	33,180	8.9	25,480 *	6.8 *	65,100	17.5
50-64	1,810,130	40,170	22.2	12,900 *	7.1 *	13,380 *	7.4 *	13,880 *	7.7 *
65 and over	1,105,540	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *
Female									
12-15	1,348,500	77,190	57.2	3,380 *	2.5 *	7,760 *	5.8 *	62,670	46.5
16-19	1,151,440	68,430	59.4	7,140 *	6.2 *	10,460 *	9.1 *	39,450	34.3
20-24	1,503,230	62,420	41.5	13,040 *	8.7 *	18,880 *	12.6 *	23,890 *	15.9 *
25-34	2,867,630	88,750	31.0	13,930 *	4.9 *	14,550 *	5.1 *	55,120	19.2
35-49	4,366,780	86,560	19.8	19,370 *	4.4 *	7,410 *	1.7 *	52,510	12.0
50-64	2,331,960	40,550	17.4	8,630 *	3.7 *	4,840 *	2.1 *	27,070	11.6
65 and over	1,667,020	10,700 *	6.4 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	10,700 *	6.4 *

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

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

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

Table 11. Personal crimes, 2000:

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by type of crime and marital status of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Never married	Married	Widowed	Divorced or separated
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>53.7</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>43.6</b>
Crimes of violence	51.4	12.8	8.1	42.2
Completed violence	17.8	3.2	2.6	15.0
Attempted/threatened violence	33.6	9.6	5.5	27.2
Rape/Sexual assault	2.6	0.1 *	0.2 *	2.3
Rape/Attempted rape	1.5	0.1 *	0.0 *	1.5
Rape	0.9	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.1
Attempted rape/a	0.6	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.4 *
Sexual assault/b	1.1	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.8 *
Robbery	5.7	1.8	1.3 *	3.8
Completed/property taken	4.0	1.4	0.9 *	2.5
With injury	1.1	0.5	0.3 *	0.9 *
Without injury	2.9	0.9	0.6 *	1.5
Attempted to take property	1.7	0.4	0.4 *	1.3
With injury	0.5	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.6 *
Without injury	1.2	0.3	0.1 *	0.8 *
Assault	43.0	10.8	6.6	36.2
Aggravated	10.7	2.6	2.3	7.8
With injury	3.0	0.5	0.6 *	2.6
Threatened with weapon	7.7	2.1	1.7 *	5.2
Simple	32.3	8.2	4.3	28.3
With minor injury	9.0	1.2	0.9 *	8.0
Without injury	23.4	7.1	3.3	20.3
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	2.3	0.5	1.3 *	1.3
Population age 12 and over	71,391,530	116,032,860	13,657,920	24,406,470

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

Excludes data on persons whose marital status was not ascertained.

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

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.



Table 12. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by gender and marital status of victims and type of crime**

Gender and marital status	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
						Total	With injury	Without injury
<b>Male</b>								
Never married	37,991,090	59.7	18.0	41.7	0.3 *	7.4	2.2	5.1
Married	58,550,540	14.7	3.7	10.9	0.0 *	2.8	0.9	1.9
Widowed	2,630,570	9.1 *	0.8 *	8.3 *	0.0 *	0.8 *	0.8 *	0.0 *
Divorced or separated	10,083,090	44.6	12.6	32.1	0.3 *	4.7	2.3 *	2.4 *
<b>Female</b>								
Never married	33,400,440	41.9	17.6	24.4	5.2	3.9	0.9	2.9
Married	57,482,320	10.9	2.6	8.3	0.3 *	0.8	0.2 *	0.6
Widowed	11,027,340	7.8	3.0	4.8	0.2 *	1.5 *	0.5 *	0.9 *
Divorced or separated	14,323,370	40.6	16.7	23.9	3.6	3.2	0.9 *	2.3

Gender and marital status	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Total	Assault		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
		Aggravated	Simple	
<b>Male</b>				
Never married	52.0	15.1	36.9	2.1
Married	11.8	3.4	8.4	0.4 *
Widowed	8.4 *	3.7 *	4.7 *	1.9 *
Divorced or separated	39.7	12.7	27.0	0.6 *
<b>Female</b>				
Never married	32.8	5.7	27.2	2.5
Married	9.8	1.8	8.0	0.6
Widowed	6.1	1.9 *	4.2	1.2 *
Divorced or separated	33.7	4.4	29.3	1.9

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

Excludes data on persons whose marital status 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 13. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by gender of head of household, relationship  
of victims to head and type of crime**

Gender of head of household and relationship of victim to head	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
		Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/ threatened violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
						Total	With injury	Without injury
<b>Households headed by males</b>								
All male heads	63,371,000	25.1	6.3	18.8	0.1 *	3.5	1.2	2.3
Male heads living alone	13,886,760	39.9	10.5	29.4	0.0 *	4.9	1.9	3.0
Male heads living with others	49,484,250	21.0	5.2	15.8	0.1 *	3.1	1.0	2.1
Wives	39,042,350	9.7	1.9	7.8	0.3 *	0.7	0.3 *	0.5 *
Own children under age 18	12,206,230	50.2	15.2	35.0	2.2	1.6 *	0.5 *	1.1 *
Own children age 18 and over	9,224,660	38.9	10.5	28.3	1.4 *	3.2	0.7 *	2.5 *
Other relatives	4,858,870	33.0	10.8	22.2	0.8 *	6.1	2.5 *	3.6 *
Nonrelatives	6,679,060	54.4	20.7	33.7	2.1 *	7.8	2.0 *	5.9
<b>Households headed by females</b>								
All female heads	48,480,370	25.2	10.9	14.3	2.7	2.6	0.6	2.0
Female heads living alone	17,374,760	19.2	10.6	8.6	4.0	2.7	0.7 *	1.9
Female heads living with others	31,105,610	28.6	11.1	17.5	2.0	2.5	0.4 *	2.1
Husbands	14,555,580	15.0	3.7	11.2	0.0 *	3.0	0.8 *	2.2
Own children under age 18	9,709,600	61.9	18.9	42.9	1.7 *	6.3	2.1 *	4.2
Own children age 18 and over	8,722,140	43.1	17.3	25.7	1.0 *	6.8	2.3 *	4.5
Other relatives	4,826,840	46.9	19.4	27.6	1.6 *	9.5	3.1 *	6.5
Nonrelatives	5,127,910	41.3	16.0	25.3	3.6 *	3.6 *	2.0 *	1.6 *

Gender of head of household and relationship of victim to head	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	Assault			Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
	Total	Aggra- vated	Simple	
<b>Households headed by males</b>				
All male heads	21.6	6.7	14.8	0.6
Male heads living alone	35.0	11.3	23.7	1.3 *
Male heads living with others	17.8	5.5	12.3	0.4 *
Wives	8.7	1.6	7.0	0.5 *
Own children under age 18	46.4	9.3	37.2	1.8 *
Own children age 18 and over	34.2	8.2	26.0	2.8
Other relatives	26.1	12.0	14.1	0.5 *
Nonrelatives	44.5	7.6	36.9	2.9 *
<b>Households headed by females</b>				
All female heads	19.9	3.7	16.2	1.5
Female heads living alone	12.6	2.8	9.7	2.0
Female heads living with others	24.0	4.2	19.8	1.2
Husbands	12.0	4.1	8.0	0.7 *
Own children under age 18	53.9	9.7	44.2	1.7 *
Own children age 18 and over	35.3	7.7	27.6	1.3 *
Other relatives	35.8	9.5	26.3	4.1 *
Nonrelatives	34.1	11.5	22.5	2.8 *

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 14. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and annual family income of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
	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>All personal crimes</b>	<b>62.6</b>	<b>39.9</b>	<b>33.0</b>	<b>31.2</b>	<b>29.0</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>23.5</b>
Crimes of violence	60.3	37.8	31.8	29.8	28.5	23.7	22.3
Completed violence	26.6	13.1	11.5	10.2	8.1	6.8	6.0
Attempted/threatened violence	33.7	24.7	20.3	19.6	20.4	16.9	16.3
Rape/Sexual assault	5.2	1.7	1.4	1.9	0.8	1.0	0.2 *
Rape/Attempted rape	3.9	0.7 *	1.2	1.2	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.1 *
Rape	3.1	0.5 *	0.5 *	0.8 *	0.1 *	0.1 *	0.1 *
Attempted rape/a	0.8 *	0.2 *	0.7 *	0.3 *	0.1 *	0.4 *	0.0 *
Sexual assault/b	1.2 *	1.0 *	0.2 *	0.8 *	0.7 *	0.5 *	0.1 *
Robbery	7.1	4.7	3.2	4.2	2.3	3.6	2.0
Completed/property taken	5.0	3.2	2.0	3.1	1.7	2.8	1.4
With injury	2.1 *	1.0 *	0.4 *	1.0 *	0.6 *	0.8	0.6 *
Without injury	2.9	2.3	1.6	2.1	1.1	2.0	0.8
Attempted to take property	2.1 *	1.5	1.2	1.1	0.7 *	0.8	0.6 *
With injury	0.0 *	0.3 *	0.4 *	0.5 *	0.3 *	0.2 *	0.1 *
Without injury	2.1 *	1.2 *	0.7 *	0.6 *	0.4 *	0.7 *	0.5 *
Assault	48.1	31.3	27.2	23.7	25.3	19.1	20.2
Aggravated	14.7	9.5	6.1	6.2	6.2	3.8	4.4
With injury	4.9	2.5	2.6	1.5	0.9	0.7 *	1.3
Threatened with weapon	9.8	7.0	3.5	4.7	5.2	3.1	3.2
Simple	33.4	21.8	21.2	17.5	19.2	15.3	15.7
With minor injury	12.4	6.0	6.2	4.3	4.9	2.7	3.1
Without injury	21.0	15.9	14.9	13.2	14.2	12.6	12.6
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	2.3 *	2.1	1.2	1.4	0.6 *	1.0	1.2
Population age 12 and over	9,895,920	17,571,010	25,931,570	26,183,560	32,930,980	34,619,880	38,258,270

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

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

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

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 15. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by race and annual family income of victims and type of crime**

Race and income	Total population	Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group					
				Attempted/ threatened violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Total	Robbery With Injury	Without Injury	
<b>White</b>									
Less than \$7,500	6,661,320	60.0	28.4	31.6	4.6	6.1	1.9 *	4.2	
\$7,500-\$14,999	13,573,070	36.0	11.9	24.1	1.3 *	4.0	1.2 *	2.8	
\$15,000-\$24,999	20,809,620	30.5	10.5	19.9	1.7	3.0	1.0 *	2.0	
\$25,000-\$34,999	21,849,680	30.7	10.3	20.3	2.2	3.5	1.2 *	2.3	
\$35,000-\$49,999	28,054,500	30.0	8.5	21.5	1.0	2.2	0.6 *	1.5	
\$50,000-\$74,999	30,485,040	22.8	5.7	17.1	0.9	2.5	0.5 *	2.0	
\$75,000 or more	34,489,840	21.7	5.9	15.8	0.2 *	1.6	0.6 *	1.0	
<b>Black</b>									
Less than \$7,500	2,788,450	61.1	18.7	42.4	5.3 *	10.4	2.8 *	7.6 *	
\$7,500-\$14,999	3,206,100	41.7	18.8	22.9	3.0 *	8.1	2.1 *	6.1 *	
\$15,000-\$24,999	4,112,880	40.3	18.0	22.3	0.0 *	5.3 *	0.7 *	4.6 *	
\$25,000-\$34,999	3,390,260	29.9	11.5	18.5	0.8 *	9.4	3.0 *	6.4 *	
\$35,000-\$49,999	3,626,710	23.8	5.8 *	18.0	0.0 *	3.6 *	2.1 *	1.5 *	
\$50,000-\$74,999	2,678,530	41.8	20.2	21.6	2.6 *	17.8	5.5 *	12.2	
\$75,000 or more	1,959,190	41.7	8.5 *	33.2	0.0 *	8.0 *	2.6 *	5.4 *	

Race and income	Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group			
	Total	Assault		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
		Aggra- vated	Simple	
<b>White</b>				
Less than \$7,500	49.2	15.7	33.5	1.3 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	30.7	8.4	22.3	2.1
\$15,000-\$24,999	25.8	5.2	20.6	0.8 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	25.0	6.1	18.9	1.4
\$35,000-\$49,999	26.8	6.5	20.4	0.5 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	19.4	3.4	16.0	0.9
\$75,000 or more	19.9	4.6	15.2	1.1
<b>Black</b>				
Less than \$7,500	45.4	13.5	31.8	5.1 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	30.6	13.3	17.3	1.2 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	35.0	8.9	26.2	3.3 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	19.8	6.8 *	13.0	1.7 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	20.2	5.8 *	14.4	1.0 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	21.5	6.9 *	14.6	1.1 *
\$75,000 or more	33.8	3.9 *	29.8	0.0 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Excludes data on persons whose family income level was not ascertained and 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 16. Property crimes, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates by type of crime  
and race of head of household**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	All Races		White		Black		Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,296,650</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>15,751,130</b>	<b>173.3</b>	<b>2,872,640</b>	<b>212.2</b>	<b>672,890</b>	<b>171.3</b>
Household burglary	3,443,700	31.8	2,672,610	29.4	643,970	47.6	127,120	32.4
Completed	2,909,460	26.9	2,289,300	25.2	502,930	37.1	117,230	29.8
Forcible entry	1,037,860	9.6	774,120	8.5	228,440	16.9	35,300	9.0
Unlawful entry without force	1,871,600	17.3	1,515,190	16.7	274,490	20.3	81,920	20.9
Attempted forcible entry	534,240	4.9	383,310	4.2	141,040	10.4	9,890 *	2.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	8.6	717,650	7.9	178,650	13.2	40,760	10.4
Completed	641,850	5.9	510,250	5.6	109,590	8.1	22,020 *	5.6 *
Attempted	295,200	2.7	207,400	2.3	69,060	5.1	18,740 *	4.8 *
Theft	14,915,900	137.7	12,360,870	136.0	2,050,020	151.4	505,010	128.6
Completed	14,299,970	132.0	11,862,940	130.5	1,957,610	144.6	479,420	122.0
Less than \$50	4,707,270	43.4	3,997,350	44.0	581,490	43.0	128,430	32.7
\$50 - \$249	5,296,630	48.9	4,377,260	48.2	722,280	53.4	197,090	50.2
\$250 or more	3,176,630	29.3	2,621,010	28.8	428,990	31.7	126,630	32.2
Amount not available	1,119,440	10.3	867,320	9.5	224,850	16.6	27,260	6.9
Attempted	615,930	5.7	497,920	5.5	92,410	6.8	25,590	6.5
Total number of households	108,352,960	...	90,887,030	...	13,537,890	...	3,928,040	...

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

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

...Not applicable.

Table 17. Property crimes, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates by type of crime and ethnicity of head of household**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households					
	Total/a		Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,296,650</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>2,166,820</b>	<b>227.0</b>	<b>17,002,460</b>	<b>173.4</b>
Household burglary	3,443,700	31.8	397,670	41.7	3,038,730	31.0
Completed	2,909,460	26.9	324,760	34.0	2,579,550	26.3
Forcible entry	1,037,860	9.6	139,430	14.6	896,380	9.1
Unlawful entry without force	1,871,600	17.3	185,330	19.4	1,683,160	17.2
Attempted forcible entry	534,240	4.9	72,910	7.6	459,180	4.7
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	8.6	188,010	19.7	749,040	7.6
Completed	641,850	5.9	118,000	12.4	523,850	5.3
Attempted	295,200	2.7	70,010	7.3	225,190	2.3
Theft	14,915,900	137.7	1,581,140	165.6	13,214,690	134.7
Completed	14,299,970	132.0	1,526,340	159.9	12,653,560	129.0
Less than \$50	4,707,270	43.4	389,210	40.8	4,283,170	43.7
\$50 - \$249	5,296,630	48.9	659,050	69.0	4,599,160	46.9
\$250 or more	3,176,630	29.3	379,240	39.7	2,768,000	28.2
Amount not available	1,119,440	10.3	98,840	10.4	1,003,230	10.2
Attempted	615,930	5.7	54,800	5.7	561,130	5.7
Total number of households	108,352,960	...	9,546,830	...	98,070,420	...

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

...Not applicable.

a/Includes data on persons whose ethnicity was not ascertained, which is not shown separately.

Table 18. Motor vehicle theft, 2000:

**Number of victimizations and victimization rates on the basis of thefts per 1,000 households and of thefts per 1,000 vehicles owned, by selected household characteristics**

Characteristic	Based on households			Based on vehicles owned		
	Number of households	Number of thefts	Rate per 1,000	Number of vehicles owned	Number of thefts	Rate per 1,000
<b>Race of head of household</b>						
All races	108,352,960	937,050	8.6	200,213,050	1,006,630	5.0
White	90,887,030	717,650	7.9	174,830,410	770,780	4.4
Black	13,537,890	178,650	13.2	18,580,020	191,010	10.3
Other	3,928,040	40,760	10.4	6,802,630	44,830	6.6
<b>Age of head of household</b>						
12-19	1,025,230	17,570 *	17.1 *	1,430,780	17,570 *	12.3 *
20-34	25,250,310	354,920	14.1	43,420,750	389,400	9.0
35-49	36,110,140	324,070	9.0	74,324,830	354,140	4.8
50-64	24,122,850	161,020	6.7	50,485,930	166,060	3.3
65 and over	21,844,420	79,470	3.6	30,550,760	79,470	2.6
<b>Form of tenure</b>						
Owned or being bought	72,660,440	486,840	6.7	153,274,540	527,000	3.4
Rented	35,692,510	450,210	12.6	46,938,510	479,630	10.2
<b>Locality of residence</b>						
Urban	31,742,790	416,080	13.1	47,740,570	436,530	9.1
Suburban	49,919,960	404,290	8.1	98,730,280	446,830	4.5
Rural	26,690,210	116,680	4.4	53,742,210	123,270	2.3

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

The number of thefts based on vehicles owned is equal to or higher than the corresponding figure based on households because the former includes all completed or attempted vehicle thefts, regardless of the final classification of the event; personal crimes of contact and burglary occurring in conjunction with motor vehicle thefts take precedence in determining the final classification based on the number of households.

The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."

The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."

The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

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

Table 19. Property crimes, 2000:

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Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households				
	12-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 and over
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>539.2</b>	<b>227.8</b>	<b>223.6</b>	<b>144.4</b>	<b>65.7</b>
Household burglary	134.3	40.8	36.5	25.6	15.6
Completed	125.1	33.1	31.9	21.1	13.1
Forcible entry	45.6	11.9	11.3	8.1	4.1
Unlawful entry without force	79.5	21.1	20.6	13.1	9.0
Attempted forcible entry	9.2 *	7.8	4.6	4.5	2.5
Motor vehicle theft	17.1 *	14.1	9.0	6.7	3.6
Completed	7.9 *	9.5	5.8	5.1	2.9
Attempted	9.3 *	4.6	3.2	1.6	0.7 *
Theft	387.7	172.9	178.1	112.2	46.4
Completed	380.1	165.2	172.2	105.6	44.6
Less than \$50	109.3	47.5	59.3	36.0	17.5
\$50 - \$249	137.8	63.5	64.7	37.7	14.0
\$250 or more	115.5	42.7	34.6	23.5	7.6
Amount not available	17.5 *	11.5	13.6	8.4	5.5
Attempted	7.6 *	7.7	5.9	6.6	1.8
Total number of households	1,025,230	25,250,310	36,110,140	24,122,850	21,844,420

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

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



Table 20. Property crimes, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Victimization rates by type of crime and annual family income**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households						
	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>220.9</b>	<b>167.1</b>	<b>193.1</b>	<b>192.2</b>	<b>192.9</b>	<b>181.9</b>	<b>197.2</b>
Household burglary	61.7	41.1	39.3	33.3	32.0	24.0	27.7
Completed	50.7	33.4	33.5	27.7	25.9	20.6	24.9
Forcible entry	15.4	12.7	11.9	11.9	9.3	6.6	8.0
Unlawful entry without force	35.3	20.7	21.5	15.8	16.6	13.9	16.8
Attempted forcible entry	11.0	7.7	5.9	5.6	6.1	3.5	2.8
Motor vehicle theft	7.9	9.1	9.9	9.5	9.6	10.0	7.0
Completed	5.6	6.8	7.6	6.7	7.0	4.5	5.8
Attempted	2.3 *	2.3 *	2.3	2.7	2.6	5.5	1.2 *
Theft	151.2	116.8	143.8	149.4	151.4	147.9	162.5
Completed	146.0	113.1	136.6	142.9	144.6	142.5	157.7
Less than \$50	40.2	39.0	48.1	52.0	45.7	48.7	53.0
\$50 - \$249	54.6	42.1	49.7	49.6	57.8	53.7	55.6
\$250 or more	35.1	24.5	28.2	31.9	31.1	27.7	37.8
Amount not available	16.2	7.5	10.7	9.4	10.0	12.3	11.2
Attempted	5.2	3.8	7.2	6.5	6.7	5.4	4.8
Total number of households	6,198,560	9,966,270	13,286,510	12,612,950	14,742,930	14,509,310	15,493,460

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

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained.

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

Table 21. Household burglary, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Victimization rates by race of head of household,  
annual family income and type of household burglary**

Race and income	Total households	Rate per 1,000 households			
		All household burglaries	Completed household burglary		Attempted forcible entry
			Forcible entry	Unlawful entry without force	
<b>White</b>					
Less than \$7,500	4,261,430	60.2	9.9	40.9	9.4
\$7,500-\$14,999	7,917,540	36.0	10.9	17.3	7.9
\$15,000-\$24,999	10,900,490	36.6	10.2	21.6	4.8
\$25,000-\$34,999	10,593,200	30.1	10.5	14.7	4.8
\$35,000-\$49,999	12,728,420	30.7	10.2	15.8	4.8
\$50,000-\$74,999	12,880,310	23.5	6.7	13.8	3.0
\$75,000 or more	14,090,800	25.7	7.3	15.3	3.1
<b>Black</b>					
Less than \$7,500	1,669,130	59.8	26.9	16.0	16.9
\$7,500-\$14,999	1,674,700	60.8	20.6	34.1	6.0 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,954,800	56.5	23.2	21.4	11.9 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,621,520	60.0	24.3	24.2	11.5 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	1,544,150	47.6	4.0 *	24.6	19.0
\$50,000-\$74,999	1,091,160	31.3	4.1 *	18.5 *	8.7 *
\$75,000 or more	740,690	54.3	20.3 *	34.0 *	0.0 *

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

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained and data on persons of "Other" races.

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

Table 22. Theft, 2000:

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annual family income and type of theft**

Race and income	Total households	Theft/a	Rate per 1,000 households			
			Completed theft			Attempted
			Less than \$50	\$50-\$249	\$250 or more	
<b>White</b>						
Less than \$7,500	4,261,430	154.2	39.2	61.7	36.8	4.3 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	7,917,540	114.9	40.9	39.3	22.6	3.8
\$15,000-\$24,999	10,900,490	137.3	48.7	45.4	26.7	6.5
\$25,000-\$34,999	10,593,200	149.5	54.0	51.9	29.7	5.8
\$35,000-\$49,999	12,728,420	145.3	42.7	54.9	31.3	6.5
\$50,000-\$74,999	12,880,310	147.8	49.8	54.6	26.5	5.4
\$75,000 or more	14,090,800	161.2	52.9	55.0	38.4	4.9
<b>Black</b>						
Less than \$7,500	1,669,130	153.5	46.7	41.0	28.2	8.5 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	1,674,700	113.5	29.7	52.8	26.3	1.7 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,954,800	177.2	47.0	69.5	38.2	8.0 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,621,520	142.7	41.3	36.5	41.7	6.5 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	1,544,150	206.9	69.4	81.5	31.6	10.7 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	1,091,160	183.4	44.5	55.3	46.4	8.7 *
\$75,000 or more	740,690	200.6	63.3	63.3	35.3	7.6 *

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

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained and data on persons of "Other" races.

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

a/Includes data, not shown separately, on thefts for which the value of loss was not ascertained.

Table 23. Motor vehicle theft, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Victimization rates by race of head of household,  
annual family income and type of motor vehicle theft**

Race and income	Total households	Rate per 1,000 households		
		All vehicle thefts	Completed thefts	Attempted thefts
<b>White</b>				
Less than \$7,500	4,261,430	8.3	5.6 *	2.7 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	7,917,540	8.9	6.3	2.6 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	10,900,490	7.9	7.3	0.6 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	10,593,200	9.2	7.0	2.3 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	12,728,420	9.1	6.7	2.3
\$50,000-\$74,999	12,880,310	9.3	4.4	4.9
\$75,000 or more	14,090,800	6.7	5.4	1.3 *
<b>Black</b>				
Less than \$7,500	1,669,130	8.2 *	6.4 *	1.8 *
\$7,500-\$14,999	1,674,700	10.7 *	9.1 *	1.5 *
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,954,800	15.2	9.0 *	6.2 *
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,621,520	11.6 *	6.6 *	5.0 *
\$35,000-\$49,999	1,544,150	16.9	11.0 *	5.9 *
\$50,000-\$74,999	1,091,160	20.9 *	5.3 *	15.6 *
\$75,000 or more	740,690	7.0 *	7.0 *	0.0 *

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

Excludes data on families whose income level was not ascertained and data on persons of "Other" races.

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

Table 24. Property crimes, 2000:

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Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households			
	One	Two-three	Four-five	Six or more
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>103.7</b>	<b>167.2</b>	<b>276.9</b>	<b>376.9</b>
Household burglary	25.5	31.4	37.8	53.7
Completed	21.7	26.2	32.6	45.9
Forcible entry	9.2	8.7	11.2	17.3
Unlawful entry without force	12.5	17.5	21.4	28.6
Attempted forcible entry	3.8	5.2	5.3	7.8
Motor vehicle theft	6.2	8.5	11.1	17.3
Completed	4.6	5.5	7.7	12.9
Attempted	1.6	2.9	3.4	4.4 *
Theft	72.0	127.3	227.9	305.8
Completed	68.5	121.4	219.7	301.2
Less than \$50	25.0	39.3	70.9	98.8
\$50 - \$249	22.3	43.2	87.2	130.2
\$250 or more	15.9	29.6	43.3	53.1
Amount not available	5.3	9.3	18.4	19.1
Attempted	3.5	6.0	8.2	4.6 *
Total number of households	29,239,270	54,553,380	21,150,620	3,409,690

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

Excludes data on households where the number of persons was not ascertained.

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

Table 25. Property crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates by type of crime and number of units  
in structure occupied by household**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households						Other than housing unit
	One/a	Two	Three	Four	Five-nine	Ten or more	
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>168.4</b>	<b>207.2</b>	<b>220.0</b>	<b>185.5</b>	<b>215.5</b>	<b>193.2</b>	<b>378.5</b>
Household burglary	29.6	47.9	46.9	35.2	30.1	32.9	111.3
Completed	25.4	37.6	37.7	28.8	22.1	28.0	111.3
Forcible entry	9.7	15.4	15.9	8.0	8.5	7.2	5.7 *
Unlawful entry without force	15.7	22.2	21.8	20.8	13.6	20.8	105.5
Attempted forcible entry	4.2	10.2	9.2 *	6.4 *	8.0	4.9	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	7.4	7.8	5.1 *	15.3	12.0	13.1	12.4 *
Completed	5.2	4.5	3.8 *	10.7	7.6	8.5	12.4 *
Attempted	2.2	3.3 *	1.3 *	4.6 *	4.4 *	4.5	0.0 *
Theft	131.3	151.5	168.1	135.0	173.5	147.2	254.8
Completed	126.3	145.1	162.9	127.5	166.1	139.3	241.8
Less than \$50	43.2	37.9	54.5	35.1	59.7	40.9	72.1
\$50 - \$249	45.8	62.0	63.8	49.7	56.1	53.9	110.8
\$250 or more	27.1	36.3	26.7	33.7	36.1	35.2	48.3 *
Amount not available	10.3	8.9	17.9	9.0	14.2	9.2	10.6 *
Attempted	5.0	6.4	5.2 *	7.5 *	7.4	7.9	13.0 *
Total number of households	77,293,630	5,740,000	1,772,530	3,348,890	5,430,580	13,681,290	456,930

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

Excludes data on households for which the number of units in the structure was not ascertained.

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

a/Includes data on mobile homes, not shown separately.

Table 26. Personal crimes, 2000:

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Type of crime	Incidents	Victimizations	Ratio
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>6,087,200</b>	<b>6,596,690</b>	<b>1.08</b>
Crimes of violence	5,815,540	6,322,730	1.09
Completed violence	1,875,790	2,044,050	1.09
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,750	4,278,690	1.09
Rape/Sexual assault	256,770	260,950	1.02
Rape/Attempted rape	147,160	147,160	1.00
Rape	92,440	92,440	1.00
Attempted rape/a	54,720	54,720	1.00
Sexual assault/b	109,620	113,790	1.04
Robbery	688,310	731,780	1.06
Completed/property taken	482,860	520,120	1.08
With injury	149,920	160,480	1.07
Without injury	332,940	359,640	1.08
Attempted to take property	205,440	211,660	1.03
With injury	63,150	65,700	1.04
Without injury	142,290	145,960	1.03
Assault	4,870,460	5,330,010	1.09
Aggravated	1,114,520	1,292,510	1.16
With injury	296,850	346,090	1.17
Threatened with weapon	817,670	946,420	1.16
Simple	3,755,940	4,037,500	1.07
With minor injury	909,000	989,020	1.09
Without injury	2,846,950	3,048,480	1.07
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	271,670	273,960	1.01
Completed purse snatching	57,040	57,040	1.00
Attempted purse snatching	8,850 *	8,850 *	1.00
Pocket picking	205,770	208,060	1.01

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.

b/Includes threats.

Table 27. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Number and percent distribution of incidents,  
by type of crime and victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	All incidents		Percent of incidents		Involving nonstrangers	
	Number	Percent	Involving strangers		Number	Percent
			Number	Percent		
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,540</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2,814,840</b>	<b>48.4 %</b>	<b>3,000,700</b>	<b>51.6 %</b>
Completed violence	1,875,790	100	828,660	44.2	1,047,130	55.8
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,750	100	1,986,180	50.4	1,953,560	49.6
Rape/Sexual assault	256,770	100	112,910	44.0	143,860	56.0
Rape/Attempted rape	147,160	100	50,050	34.0	97,110	66.0
Rape	92,440	100	29,710	32.1	62,720	67.9
Attempted rape/a	54,720	100	20,330 *	37.2 *	34,390	62.8
Sexual assault/b	109,620	100	62,870	57.4	46,750	42.6
Robbery	688,310	100	528,530	76.8	159,770	23.2
Completed/property taken	482,860	100	370,570	76.7	112,290	23.3
With injury	149,920	100	119,840	79.9	30,080	20.1
Without injury	332,940	100	250,730	75.3	82,210	24.7
Attempted to take property	205,440	100	157,960	76.9	47,480	23.1
With injury	63,150	100	51,420	81.4	11,730 *	18.6 *
Without injury	142,290	100	106,540	74.9	35,760	25.1
Assault	4,870,460	100	2,173,390	44.6	2,697,070	55.4
Aggravated	1,114,520	100	658,400	59.1	456,120	40.9
With injury	296,850	100	136,070	45.8	160,780	54.2
Threatened with weapon	817,670	100	522,330	63.9	295,340	36.1
Simple	3,755,940	100	1,514,990	40.3	2,240,950	59.7
With minor injury	909,000	100	241,390	26.6	667,610	73.4
Without injury	2,846,950	100	1,273,600	44.7	1,573,340	55.3

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.

b/Includes threats.



Table 28. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates  
for persons age 12 and over, by type of crime  
and victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Total Population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over					
		Total		Involving strangers		Involving nonstrangers	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>226,804,610</b>	<b>6,322,730</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>3,152,340</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>3,170,390</b>	<b>14.0</b>
Completed violence		2,044,050	9.0	928,020	4.1	1,116,020	4.9
Attempted/threatened violence		4,278,690	18.9	2,224,320	9.8	2,054,370	9.1
Rape/Sexual assault		260,950	1.2	115,350	0.5	145,590	0.6
Rape/Attempted rape		147,160	0.6	50,050	0.2	97,110	0.4
Rape		92,440	0.4	29,710	0.1	62,720	0.3
Attempted rape/a		54,720	0.2	20,330 *	0.1 *	34,390	0.2
Sexual assault/b		113,790	0.5	65,310	0.3	48,490	0.2
Robbery		731,780	3.2	568,600	2.5	163,180	0.7
Completed/property taken		520,120	2.3	404,420	1.8	115,700	0.5
With injury		160,480	0.7	130,400	0.6	30,080	0.1
Without injury		359,640	1.6	274,030	1.2	85,610	0.4
Attempted to take property		211,660	0.9	164,180	0.7	47,480	0.2
With injury		65,700	0.3	53,970	0.2	11,730 *	0.1 *
Without injury		145,960	0.6	110,210	0.5	35,760	0.2
Assault		5,330,010	23.5	2,468,390	10.9	2,861,620	12.6
Aggravated		1,292,510	5.7	796,790	3.5	495,720	2.2
With injury		346,090	1.5	165,710	0.7	180,380	0.8
Threatened with weapon		946,420	4.2	631,080	2.8	315,340	1.4
Simple		4,037,500	17.8	1,671,600	7.4	2,365,900	10.4
With minor injury		989,020	4.4	277,260	1.2	711,750	3.1
Without injury		3,048,480	13.4	1,394,340	6.1	1,654,140	7.3

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.

b/Includes threats.

Table 29. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations involving strangers,  
by gender and age of victims and type of crime**

Gender and age	Percent of victimizations involving strangers					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Assault		
				Total	Aggravated	Simple
<b>Both genders</b>	<b>49.9 %</b>	<b>44.2 %</b>	<b>77.7 %</b>	<b>46.3 %</b>	<b>61.6 %</b>	<b>41.4 %</b>
12-15	34.1	47.9 *	59.7	31.6	49.9	27.5
16-19	51.2	50.9	81.5	47.0	64.2	40.6
20-24	54.1	22.0 *	84.2	51.2	64.1	46.6
25-34	53.9	47.3 *	77.7	51.1	60.8	48.1
35-49	48.9	45.9 *	73.6	45.4	57.1	41.4
50-64	59.0	58.3 *	85.0	54.0	83.2 *	44.3
65 and over	56.9	0.0 *	83.0 *	53.5	60.6 *	50.4
<b>Male</b>	<b>59.3 %</b>	<b>61.4 %</b>	<b>83.7 %</b>	<b>55.5 %</b>	<b>67.0 %</b>	<b>50.6 %</b>
12-15	40.0	0.0 *	76.8	37.1	50.5	32.8
16-19	64.1	0.0 *	84.2	60.3	74.9	53.2
20-24	66.9	100.0 *	95.1	62.4	69.1	58.9
25-34	65.7	100.0 *	83.4	63.1	66.8	61.8
35-49	56.2	0.0 *	81.3	51.4	62.8	46.3
50-64	66.2	100.0 *	79.3	62.6	85.6 *	52.0
65 and over	67.9	0.0 *	100.0 *	63.1	59.4 *	65.3 *
<b>Female</b>	<b>37.2 %</b>	<b>43.2 %</b>	<b>65.2 %</b>	<b>33.6 %</b>	<b>48.7 %</b>	<b>30.5 %</b>
12-15	24.3	57.7 *	13.5 *	22.0	46.7 *	19.7
16-19	32.4	50.9	67.8 *	26.4	35.3 *	24.3
20-24	37.1	14.0 *	68.1	35.1	48.4 *	32.7
25-34	39.0	44.4 *	69.5	34.5	49.9	30.8
35-49	40.4	45.9 *	55.8	38.4	46.0	36.6
50-64	49.0	49.3 *	100.0 *	42.7	77.2 *	36.1
65 and over	49.0	0.0 *	75.9 *	45.2 *	62.1 *	39.7 *

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

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

Table 30. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations involving strangers,  
by gender and race of victims and type of crime**

Gender and race	Percent of victimizations involving strangers					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Assault		
				Total	Aggravated	Simple
<b>Both genders</b>						
White	49.2 %	39.7 %	73.5 %	46.9 %	62.6 %	42.2 %
Black	51.5	55.3 *	86.6	41.9	53.3	37.3
<b>Male</b>						
White	59.2	61.4 *	78.4	56.6	69.2	51.7
Black	58.4	0.0 *	95.0	46.4	52.4	43.0
<b>Female</b>						
White	35.8	38.1	63.0	33.2	46.8	30.5
Black	42.7	55.3	69.2	36.2	55.4	31.7

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 31. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations involving strangers,  
by gender and marital status of victims  
and type of crime**

Gender and marital status	Percent of victimizations involving strangers					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Assault		
				Total	Aggravated	Simple
<b>Both genders</b>						
Never married	48.9	47.8	77.3	45.1	60.2	40.2
Married	57.7	62.3 *	81.2	53.7	64.6	50.3
Widowed	52.2	0.0 *	100.0 *	43.9	76.0 *	26.7 *
Divorced or separated	42.1	28.3 *	66.9	40.4	62.3	34.3
<b>Male</b>						
Never married	57.2	52.0 *	85.8	53.2	65.2 *	48.3
Married	66.3	0.0 *	83.3	62.3	70.0	59.2
Widowed	82.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *	80.4 *	100.0 *	64.6 *
Divorced or separated	56.7	100.0 *	72.0	54.6	70.4	47.1
<b>Female</b>						
Never married	35.4	47.5	59.0	30.7	44.8	27.7
Married	46.0	62.3 *	73.9	43.2	54.2	40.8
Widowed	43.9	0.0 *	100.0 *	31.9 *	64.9 *	16.6 *
Divorced or separated	30.8	24.4 *	61.5	28.6	46.2	26.0

Note: Excludes data on persons whose marital status 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 32. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent distribution of victimizations by perceived drug or alcohol use by offender**

Perceived drug or alcohol use by offender	Percent of victimizations					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Assault		
				Total	Aggravated	Simple
Total victimizations	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
Total (Perceived to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol)	28.6	37.9	24.0	28.8	29.4	28.6
Under the influence of alcohol	17.5	28.2	8.8	18.2	14.4	19.4
Under the influence of drugs	5.4	4.2 *	10.1	4.8	7.7	3.8
Under the influence of both drugs and alcohol	4.2	4.3 *	3.5	4.3	6.3	3.7
Under the influence of one, not sure which	1.3	1.2 *	1.5 *	1.3	1.1 *	1.4
Not available whether drugs or alcohol	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.3 *
Not on alcohol or drugs	27.9	20.2	14.3	30.2	20.9	33.1
Don't know or not ascertained	43.5	41.9	61.7	41.1	49.6	38.3

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 33. Family violence, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Number of victimizations, by type of crime and relationship to offender**

Type of crime	Total number of victimizations	Number of victimizations					
		Total	Spouse	Ex-spouse	Parent	Own child	Other relatives
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>6,322,730</b>	<b>640,550</b>	<b>214,110</b>	<b>99,890</b>	<b>72,920</b>	<b>59,830</b>	<b>193,790</b>
Completed violence	2,044,050	282,130	118,850	28,130	33,860	12,110 *	89,180
Attempted/threatened violence	4,278,690	358,420	95,260	71,760	39,060	47,720	104,610
Rape/Sexual assault/b	260,950	15,620 *	6,200 *	4,690 *	4,730 *	0 *	0 *
Robbery	731,780	27,480	4,580 *	2,260 *	9,320 *	4,870 *	6,470 *
Completed/property taken	520,120	19,180 *	2,340 *	2,260 *	3,250 *	4,870 *	6,470 *
Attempted to take property	211,660	8,300 *	2,230 *	0 *	6,070 *	0 *	0 *
Assault	5,330,010	597,450	203,340	92,940	58,880	54,970	187,330
Aggravated	1,292,510	91,540	21,290 *	2,640 *	6,240 *	11,880 *	49,490
Simple	4,037,500	505,910	182,050	90,300	52,640	43,090	137,840

Type of crime	Well-known/a	Number of victimizations			
		Casual acquaintances	Don't know relationship	Strangers	Don't know number of offenders
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,557,500</b>	<b>956,920</b>	<b>221,550</b>	<b>2,829,840</b>	<b>116,380</b>
Completed violence	538,220	285,010	81,600	813,860	43,220
Attempted/threatened violence	1,019,280	671,910	139,940	2,015,980	73,150
Rape/Sexual assault/b	73,640	56,330	16,560 *	89,180	9,600 *
Robbery	90,080	38,800	47,270	507,170	20,970 *
Completed/property taken	56,100	33,600	36,520	356,080	18,640 *
Attempted to take property	33,980	5,200 *	10,750 *	151,090	2,330 *
Assault	1,393,780	861,790	157,710	2,233,480	85,800
Aggravated	265,760	132,260	60,630	720,940	21,380 *
Simple	1,128,020	729,530	97,080	1,512,540	64,420

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

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

a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victims whose relationship to the victim could not be ascertained.

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

Table 34. Family violence, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent distribution of victimizations, by type of crime and relationship to offender**

Type of crime	Total number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations						
		Total crimes	Related					Other relatives
			Total	Spouse	Ex-spouse	Parent	Own child	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>6,322,730</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>10.1 %</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>	<b>0.9 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>
Completed violence	2,044,050	100	13.8	5.8	1.4	1.7	0.6 *	4.4
Attempted/threatened violence	4,278,690	100	8.4	2.2	1.7	0.9	1.1	2.4
Rape/Sexual assault/b	260,950	100	6.0 *	2.4 *	1.8 *	1.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	731,780	100	3.8	0.6 *	0.3 *	1.3 *	0.7 *	0.9 *
Completed/property taken	520,120	100	3.7 *	0.5 *	0.4 *	0.6 *	0.9 *	1.2 *
Attempted to take property	211,660	100	3.9 *	1.1 *	0.0 *	2.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	5,330,010	100	11.2	3.8	1.7	1.1	1.0	3.5
Aggravated	1,292,510	100	7.1	1.6 *	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.9 *	3.8
Simple	4,037,500	100	12.5	4.5	2.2	1.3	1.1	3.4

  

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations				
	Well-known/a	Casual acquaintances	Don't know relationship	Strangers	Don't know number of offenders
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>24.6 %</b>	<b>15.1 %</b>	<b>3.5 %</b>	<b>44.8 %</b>	<b>1.8 %</b>
Completed violence	26.3	13.9	4.0	39.8	2.1
Attempted/threatened violence	23.8	15.7	3.3	47.1	1.7
Rape/Sexual assault/b	28.2	21.6	6.3 *	34.2	3.7 *
Robbery	12.3	5.3	6.5	69.3	2.9 *
Completed/property taken	10.8	6.5	7.0	68.5	3.6 *
Attempted to take property	16.1	2.5 *	5.1 *	71.4	1.1 *
Assault	26.1	16.2	3.0	41.9	1.6
Aggravated	20.6	10.2	4.7	55.8	1.7 *
Simple	27.9	18.1	2.4	37.5	1.6

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

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

a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victim whose relationship to the victim could not be ascertained.

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

Table 35. Family violence, 2000:

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**Victimization rate by victim-offender relationship,  
by type of crime and selected victim characteristics**

Characteristic	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
		Crimes of violence/a				Assault			
		Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers	Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers
<b>Gender</b>									
Male	109,816,970	1.3	7.3	4.8	17.7	1.3	6.8	4.5	14.3
Female	116,987,650	4.3	6.5	3.7	7.6	3.9	5.5	3.2	5.6
<b>Race</b>									
White	189,308,050	2.7	6.7	4.3	12.1	2.6	5.9	3.9	10.0
Black	27,978,180	3.8	8.7	4.3	15.8	3.4	8.1	3.9	9.7
Other	9,518,390	2.0 *	4.5	2.1 *	10.7	2.0 *	4.2	2.1 *	7.3
<b>Age</b>									
12-15	16,064,090	2.4	19.4	17.6	17.6	2.0	17.7	16.9	15.3
16-19	16,001,650	3.7	17.1	10.4	30.5	3.7	15.5	8.5	22.6
20-24	18,587,790	4.9	10.5	7.3	23.9	4.5	9.4	6.2	19.2
25-34	37,757,070	4.7	7.6	3.7	16.9	4.3	6.7	3.4	13.9
35-49	64,927,820	3.3	5.4	2.4	9.4	3.0	4.8	2.2	7.4
50-64	40,764,000	1.3	2.8	1.5	7.5	1.3	2.5	1.4	5.5
65 and over	32,702,210	0.4 *	0.8	0.5 *	1.8	0.4 *	0.7 *	0.3 *	1.3
<b>Marital status/b</b>									
Married	116,032,860	1.4	2.4	1.6	6.8	1.3	2.3	1.4	5.4
Widowed	13,657,920	0.3 *	2.4	1.2 *	3.7	0.3 *	2.4	1.0 *	2.5
Divorced or separated	24,406,470	11.7	9.1	3.3	15.7	11.3	7.3	3.0	12.7
Never married	71,391,530	2.6	14.2	9.4	22.4	2.3	12.7	8.5	17.7
<b>Family income/c</b>									
Less than \$7,500	9,895,920	8.9	15.7	8.7	23.3	8.7	13.3	7.7	16.4
\$7,500-\$14,999	17,571,010	8.1	8.1	7.4	12.1	7.6	7.3	6.3	8.7
\$15,000-\$24,999	25,931,570	3.2	9.6	3.9	13.3	3.0	8.4	3.6	10.5
\$25,000-\$34,999	26,183,560	2.2	8.9	3.7	14.0	2.2	7.9	3.1	10.0
\$35,000-\$49,999	32,930,980	3.8	6.6	4.6	12.2	3.5	6.2	4.2	10.4
\$50,000-\$74,999	34,619,880	1.6	5.7	3.2	11.6	1.2	4.7	2.8	9.2
\$75,000 or more	38,258,270	0.9	4.2	3.1	13.5	0.9	3.9	3.0	11.7

Characteristic	Total population	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
		Aggravated assault				Simple assault			
		Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers	Relatives	Well-known	Casual acquaintances	Strangers
<b>Gender</b>									
Male	109,816,970	0.4	1.4	0.9	5.1	0.9	5.4	3.5	9.2
Female	116,987,650	0.4	0.9	0.3	1.3	3.5	4.6	2.9	4.3
<b>Race</b>									
White	189,308,050	0.4	1.2	0.5	3.1	2.2	4.8	3.4	6.9
Black	27,978,180	0.6 *	1.5	1.2	3.5	2.8	6.6	2.6	6.3
Other	9,518,390	0.2 *	0.3 *	0.6 *	3.2	1.8 *	3.9	1.5 *	4.1
<b>Age</b>									
12-15	16,064,090	0.5 *	2.7	1.8	4.4	1.5 *	15.1	15.1	10.9
16-19	16,001,650	0.4 *	3.1	1.4 *	8.0	3.3	12.4	7.0	14.6
20-24	18,587,790	0.8 *	1.8	1.2 *	6.2	3.7	7.5	5.0	13.0
25-34	37,757,070	0.5 *	1.4	0.7	4.1	3.8	5.3	2.7	9.8
35-49	64,927,820	0.6	1.1	0.4 *	2.4	2.5	3.7	1.9	5.0
50-64	40,764,000	0.1 *	0.3 *	0.1 *	2.0	1.2	2.2	1.3	3.5
65 and over	32,702,210	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.1 *	0.5 *	0.3 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.8
<b>Marital status/b</b>									
Married	116,032,860	0.2 *	0.5	0.2	1.5	1.1	1.8	1.2	3.8
Widowed	13,657,920	0.0 *	0.2 *	0.4 *	1.3 *	0.3 *	2.2	0.6 *	1.1 *
Divorced or separated	24,406,470	1.1	1.8	0.1 *	4.6	10.2	5.5	2.9	8.1
Never married	71,391,530	0.6	2.2	1.4	5.8	1.7	10.5	7.1	11.9
<b>Family income/c</b>									
Less than \$7,500	9,895,920	1.7 *	2.4 *	1.7 *	7.7	6.9	10.9	6.0	8.7
\$7,500-\$14,999	17,571,010	1.4 *	1.7	1.4 *	4.0	6.3	5.7	4.9	4.6
\$15,000-\$24,999	25,931,570	0.2 *	1.6	0.6 *	3.4	2.8	6.8	3.0	7.2
\$25,000-\$34,999	26,183,560	0.4 *	1.4	0.4 *	4.0	1.8	6.4	2.7	6.0
\$35,000-\$49,999	32,930,980	0.7 *	1.4	0.4 *	3.3	2.8	4.8	3.8	7.1
\$50,000-\$74,999	34,619,880	0.0 *	0.7 *	0.4 *	2.5	1.2	4.0	2.5	6.7
\$75,000 or more	38,258,270	0.1 *	0.9	0.3 *	3.1	0.8	3.0	2.7	8.7

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

a/Crimes of violence includes data on rape, sexual assault, and robbery, not shown separately.

b/Excludes data on persons whose marital status was not ascertained.

c/Excludes data on persons whose family income was not ascertained.



Table 36. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime and number of victims**

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents				
		Total/a	Number of victims			
			One	Two	Three	Four or more
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,530</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>93.7 %</b>	<b>4.9 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>0.6 %</b>
Completed violence	1,875,790	100	93.5	5.0	1.1 *	0.5 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,740	100	93.8	4.8	0.6 *	0.7
Rape/Sexual assault/b	256,770	100	98.7	0.9 *	0.3 *	0.0 *
Robbery	688,300	100	96.0	2.4 *	1.2 *	0.4 *
Completed/property taken	482,860	100	95.0	3.4 *	1.1 *	0.6 *
With injury	149,920	100	95.2	2.5 *	2.3 *	0.0 *
Without injury	332,940	100	94.8	3.8 *	0.5 *	0.9 *
Attempted to take property	205,440	100	98.5	0.0 *	1.5 *	0.0 *
With injury	63,150	100	98.0	0.0 *	2.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	142,290	100	98.7	0.0 *	1.3 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,870,450	100	93.1	5.4	0.7	0.7
Aggravated	1,114,510	100	89.2	7.8	1.9 *	1.2 *
Simple	3,755,940	100	94.3	4.7	0.4 *	0.6 *

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

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

a/Excludes incidents for which the number of victims was not ascertained.

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

Table 37. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by victim-offender relationship,  
type of crime and number of offenders**

Relationship and type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents					
		Number of offenders					
		Total	One	Two	Three	Four or more	Not known and not available
<b>All incidents</b>							
Crimes of violence	5,815,540	100 %	79.7 %	7.8 %	4.4 %	4.9 %	3.2 %
Completed violence	1,875,790	100	77.2	8.7	5.6	5.2	3.2
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,750	100	80.8	7.4	3.9	4.7	3.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	256,770	100	91.3	4.1 *	0.9 *	0.0 *	3.7 *
Robbery	688,310	100	57.8	16.7	10.9	11.1	3.6 *
Completed/property taken	482,860	100	56.1	17.6	9.9	12.0	4.3 *
Attempted to take property	205,440	100	61.7	14.5	13.1	8.7 *	1.9 *
Assault	4,870,460	100	82.1	6.8	3.7	4.2	3.1
Aggravated	1,114,520	100	74.8	9.3	5.5	6.8	3.6
Simple	3,755,940	100	84.3	6.0	3.2	3.5	3.0
<b>Involving strangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	2,814,840	100 %	68.4 %	11.8 %	6.0 %	7.6 %	6.2 %
Completed violence	828,660	100	58.0	15.8	8.8	10.7	6.7
Attempted/threatened violence	1,986,180	100	72.8	10.1	4.8	6.3	5.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	112,910	100	82.3	9.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	8.5 *
Robbery	528,530	100	50.9	18.9	13.7	11.8	4.7 *
Completed/property taken	370,570	100	46.6	20.3	12.9	14.6	5.7 *
Attempted to take property	157,960	100	61.1	15.7 *	15.6 *	5.1 *	2.5 *
Assault	2,173,390	100	72.0	10.2	4.4	7.0	6.4
Aggravated	658,400	100	67.0	13.5	5.6	8.7	5.2
Simple	1,514,990	100	74.1	8.8	3.9	6.2	6.9
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	3,000,700	100 %	90.2 %	4.1 %	2.9 %	2.3 %	0.5 %*
Completed violence	1,047,130	100	92.5	3.2	3.1	0.8 *	0.5 *
Attempted/threatened violence	1,953,560	100	89.0	4.6	2.9	3.0	0.5 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	143,860	100	98.4	0.0 *	1.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	159,770	100	80.4	9.5 *	1.5 *	8.7 *	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	112,290	100	87.4	9.0 *	0.0 *	3.6 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	47,480	100	63.7	10.6 *	4.9 *	20.8 *	0.0 *
Assault	2,697,070	100	90.3	4.0	3.1	2.0	0.5 *
Aggravated	456,120	100	86.1	3.3 *	5.3 *	4.0 *	1.3 *
Simple	2,240,950	100	91.2	4.2	2.7	1.6	0.4 *

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 38. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations,  
by type of crime and perceived gender of offender**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single offender victimizations			
		Perceived gender of offender			
		Total	Male	Female	Not known and not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,948,330</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>81.8 %</b>	<b>17.7 %</b>	<b>0.6 %</b>
Completed violence	1,543,440	100	81.9	17.8	0.4 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,404,890	100	81.7	17.6	0.7 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	238,670	100	100.0	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	407,490	100	93.7	6.3	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	280,780	100	91.6	8.4 *	0.0 *
With injury	65,750	100	81.5	18.5 *	0.0 *
Without injury	215,030	100	94.7	5.3 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	126,710	100	98.2	1.8 *	0.0 *
With injury	42,170	100	100.0	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	84,530	100	97.3	2.7 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,302,160	100	79.6	19.7	0.7
Aggravated	941,380	100	83.3	15.1	1.6 *
Simple	3,360,780	100	78.6	21.0	0.4 *

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 39. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, by type of crime and perceived age of offender**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations								
		Perceived age of offender								
		Total	Under 12	12-20			21-29	30 and over	Not known and not available	
				Total	12-14	15-17	18-20			
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,948,330</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>30.6 %</b>	<b>8.2 %</b>	<b>11.7 %</b>	<b>10.6 %</b>	<b>25.9 %</b>	<b>38.1 %</b>	<b>3.9 %</b>
Completed violence	1,543,440	100	1.5 *	30.5	7.9	11.8	10.9	28.1	36.3	3.6
Attempted/threatened violence	3,404,890	100	1.6	30.6	8.4	11.7	10.5	24.9	39.0	4.0
Rape/Sexual assault/a	238,670	100	0.0 *	24.0	1.0 *	5.1 *	17.9	27.9	42.0	6.1 *
Robbery	407,490	100	0.0 *	25.8	4.8 *	2.5 *	18.4	38.0	30.6	5.6 *
Completed/property taken	280,780	100	0.0 *	23.5	5.2 *	1.8 *	16.6	41.1	30.3	5.1 *
With injury	65,750	100	0.0 *	22.8 *	11.7 *	0.0 *	11.1 *	43.5	22.5	11.2 *
Without injury	215,030	100	0.0 *	23.7	3.2 *	2.3 *	18.2	40.4	32.6	3.3 *
Attempted to take property	126,710	100	0.0 *	30.7	4.0 *	4.2 *	22.6	31.3	31.5	6.5 *
With injury	42,170	100	0.0 *	41.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	41.7 *	32.2 *	20.1 *	6.0 *
Without injury	84,530	100	0.0 *	25.3 *	6.0 *	6.2 *	13.0 *	30.8	37.2	6.7 *
Assault	4,302,160	100	1.8	31.4	9.0	12.9	9.5	24.6	38.6	3.6
Aggravated	941,380	100	2.0 *	24.0	5.3	8.7	10.0	29.5	37.9	6.5
Simple	3,360,780	100	1.7	33.5	10.0	14.1	9.4	23.2	38.8	2.8

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 40. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations,  
by type of crime and perceived race of offender**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations				
		Total	Perceived race of offender			Not known and not available
			White	Black	Other	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,948,330</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>63.4 %</b>	<b>24.1 %</b>	<b>10.3 %</b>	<b>2.2 %</b>
Completed violence	1,543,440	100	60.3	25.6	12.0	2.2
Attempted/threatened violence	3,404,890	100	64.9	23.4	9.6	2.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	238,670	100	69.1	18.1	7.9 *	4.9 *
Robbery	407,490	100	37.1	47.7	12.3	2.8 *
Completed/property taken	280,780	100	33.9	52.4	11.7	2.1 *
With injury	65,750	100	44.9	42.9	12.2 *	0.0 *
Without injury	215,030	100	30.5	55.3	11.5 *	2.7 *
Attempted to take property	126,710	100	44.2	37.5	13.8 *	4.5 *
With injury	42,170	100	26.7 *	59.8 *	13.4 *	0.0 *
Without injury	84,530	100	52.9	26.3 *	14.0 *	6.7 *
Assault	4,302,160	100	65.6	22.2	10.3	1.9
Aggravated	941,380	100	57.2	28.1	10.6	4.1
Simple	3,360,780	100	68.0	20.5	10.2	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 41. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations, by type of crime, age of victims and perceived age of offender**

Type of crime and age of victim	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations								
		Perceived age of offender								
		Total	Under 12	12-20			21-29	30 and over	Not known and not available	
Total	12-14			15-17	18-20					
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>										
12-19	1,426,100	100 %	2.8 %	70.7 %	25.5 %	27.7 %	17.5 %	10.8 %	13.1 %	2.6 %
20-34	1,803,370	100 %	1.3 *	15.5	0.8 *	4.5	10.2	44.6	34.4	4.2
35-49	1,162,220	100 %	0.7 *	11.6	1.5 *	6.6	3.4	19.2	64.4	4.1
50-64	448,340	100 %	1.0 *	19.2	2.0 *	5.7	11.4	18.3	55.9	5.6 *
65 and over	108,320	100 %	0.0 *	3.7 *	2.0 *	0.0 *	1.7 *	15.5 *	74.3	6.5 *
<b>Robbery</b>										
12-19	83,500	100 %	0.0 *	52.1	9.7 *	3.2 *	39.2	20.9 *	24.0 *	3.0 *
20-34	135,690	100 %	0.0 *	16.7 *	0.0 *	1.8 *	14.9	56.8	20.0	6.4 *
35-49	108,480	100 %	0.0 *	17.5 *	4.5 *	4.8 *	8.2	33.1	43.3	6.1 *
50-64	61,000	100 %	0.0 *	25.8 *	7.2 *	0.0 *	18.6	33.3 *	33.0 *	8.0 *
65 and over	18,840 *	100 %*	0.0 *	21.4 *	11.5 *	0.0 *	9.9	22.8 *	55.8 *	0.0 *
<b>Assault</b>										
12-19	1,254,400	100 %	3.2	74.1	28.2	30.6	15.3	8.6	11.9	2.2
20-34	1,579,830	100 %	1.5 *	14.9	0.9 *	4.7	9.3	44.1	35.7	3.9
35-49	1,008,990	100 %	0.9 *	11.5	1.3 *	7.1	3.0	18.1	65.8	3.8
50-64	374,080	100 %	1.2 *	18.8	1.3 *	6.8	10.7	15.9	58.7	5.4 *
65 and over	84,860	100 %	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	14.8 *	77.0	8.2 *

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

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

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

Table 42. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations,  
based on race of victims, by type of crime  
and perceived race of offender**

Type of crime and race of victim	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations				
		Total	Perceived race of offender			Not known and not available
			White	Black	Other	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>						
White	4,120,110	100 %	73.1 %	14.7 %	10.1 %	2.1 %
Black	702,850	100 %	12.6	81.9	4.3	1.2 *
<b>Completed violence</b>						
White	1,263,820	100 %	71.6	14.3	12.1	2.0 *
Black	220,880	100 %	6.3 *	92.2	0.0 *	1.5 *
<b>Attempted/threatened violence</b>						
White	2,856,290	100 %	73.8	14.8	9.2	2.2
Black	481,970	100 %	15.5	77.2	6.2	1.1 *
<b>Rape/Sexual assault/a</b>						
White	199,360	100 %	81.5	7.0 *	5.6 *	5.8 *
Black	33,780	100 %	7.0 *	79.7	13.3 *	0.0 *
<b>Robbery</b>						
White	295,490	100 %	48.1	38.7	12.2	1.0 *
Black	90,380	100 %	6.2 *	86.0	4.1 *	3.7 *
<b>Completed/property taken</b>						
White	196,070	100 %	45.4	43.2	11.4 *	0.0 *
Black	65,920	100 %	4.2 *	90.7	0.0 *	5.0 *
<b>With injury</b>						
White	47,700	100 %	56.1	43.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Black	7,450 *	100 %*	37.6 *	62.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Without injury</b>						
White	148,380	100 %	41.9	43.0	15.1 *	0.0 *
Black	58,480	100 %	0.0 *	94.3	0.0 *	5.7 *
<b>Attempted to take property</b>						
White	99,420	100 %	53.5	29.7	13.9 *	2.9 *
Black	24,450 *	100 %*	11.5 *	73.3 *	15.3 *	0.0 *
<b>With injury</b>						
White	31,070	100 %	36.3 *	45.5 *	18.3 *	0.0 *
Black	11,110 *	100 %*	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Without injury</b>						
White	68,350	100 %	61.4	22.6 *	11.9 *	4.2 *
Black	13,350 *	100 %*	21.0 *	51.0 *	28.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Assault</b>						
White	3,625,250	100 %	74.7	13.1	10.2	2.0
Black	578,690	100 %	13.9	81.4	3.8 *	0.9 *
<b>Aggravated</b>						
White	778,090	100 %	68.8	17.2	10.4	3.6
Black	134,180	100 %	0.0 *	93.6	2.6 *	3.8 *
<b>Simple</b>						
White	2,847,150	100 %	76.3	12.0	10.1	1.6
Black	444,500	100 %	18.1	77.7	4.1 *	0.0 *

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 43. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of single-offender victimizations,  
by type of crime and detailed victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Number of single-offender victimizations	Percent of single-offender victimizations							
		Total	Related						
			Total	Spouse	Ex-spouse	Parent	Own child	Brother or sister	Other relative
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,948,340</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>12.5 %</b>	<b>4.1 %</b>	<b>2.0 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>	<b>1.8 %</b>	<b>2.0 %</b>
Completed violence	1,543,440	100	17.2	7.2	1.8	2.2	0.8 *	2.8	2.5
Attempted/threatened violence	3,404,900	100	10.4	2.7	2.0	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.8
Rape/Sexual assault/b	238,680	100	6.5 *	2.6 *	2.0 *	2.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	407,490	100	6.1 *	1.1 *	0.6 *	1.6 *	1.2 *	1.6 *	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	280,780	100	6.8 *	0.8 *	0.8 *	1.2 *	1.7 *	2.3 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	126,710	100	4.3 *	1.8 *	0.0 *	2.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,302,170	100	13.5	4.4	2.1	1.4	1.3	2.0	2.3
Aggravated	941,380	100	9.5	2.0 *	0.3 *	0.7 *	1.3 *	2.2 *	3.1
Simple	3,360,790	100	14.6	5.1	2.6	1.6	1.3	1.9	2.1

Type of crime	Well known, not related/a	Casual acquaintance	Don't know	Stranger
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>25.0 %</b>	<b>19.1 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>42.5 %</b>
Completed violence	30.2	18.5	1.1 *	33.0
Attempted/threatened violence	22.7	19.3	0.7 *	46.9
Rape/Sexual assault/b	28.6	23.6	4.0 *	37.2
Robbery	16.3	9.5	0.0 *	68.1
Completed/property taken	16.8	12.0	0.0 *	64.4
Attempted to take property	15.4 *	4.1 *	0.0 *	76.1
Assault	25.7	19.7	0.7	40.4
Aggravated	21.1	14.0	0.2 *	55.2
Simple	26.9	21.3	0.9	36.3

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

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

a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victim whose relationship could not be ascertained.

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



Table 43a. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations,  
by characteristics of victims, type of crime, and victim/offender relationship**

Characteristic	Total victimizations	Percent of all victimizations						
		Nonstrangers					Stranger	Don't know Relationship
		Total	Intimate	Other relative	Friend or Acquaintance			
<b>Both genders</b>	Crimes of violence	100 %	53.4 %	10.4 %	5.4 %	37.7 %	44.8 %	1.8 %
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	62.1	17.3	1.8 *	43.0	34.2	3.7 *
	Robbery	100	27.8	5.2	2.8 *	19.8	69.3	2.9 *
	Assault	100	56.5	10.7	5.9	39.8	41.9	1.6
	Aggravated	100	42.6	5.1	5.2	32.2	55.8	1.7 *
	Simple	100	60.9	12.5	6.1	42.3	37.5	1.6
<b>Male</b>	Crimes of violence	100	43.9	2.7	3.0	38.2	53.9	2.3
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	62.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	62.7 *	37.3 *	0.0 *
	Robbery	100	22.9	0.0 *	0.5 *	22.5	73.9	3.1 *
	Assault	100	47.1	3.2	3.4	40.5	50.7	2.1
	Aggravated	100	35.9	2.0 *	4.0	29.9	61.7	2.3 *
	Simple	100	51.8	3.7	3.1	45.0	46.2	2.0
<b>Female</b>	Crimes of violence	100	66.1	20.5	8.6	37.0	32.6	1.3
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	62.1	18.3	1.9 *	41.9	34.0	3.9 *
	Robbery	100	38.0	16.0	7.7 *	14.3	59.7	2.3 *
	Assault	100	69.5	21.3	9.4	38.9	29.6	0.9 *
	Aggravated	100	58.7	12.7	8.1	37.8	41.3	0.0 *
	Simple	100	71.7	23.0	9.6	39.1	27.2	1.1 *
<b>All Races</b>	Crimes of violence	100	53.4	10.4	5.4	37.7	44.8	1.8
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	62.1	17.3	1.8 *	43.0	34.2	3.7 *
	Robbery	100	27.8	5.2	2.8 *	19.8	69.3	2.9 *
	Assault	100	56.5	10.7	5.9	39.8	41.9	1.6
	Aggravated	100	42.6	5.1	5.2	32.2	55.8	1.7 *
	Simple	100	60.9	12.5	6.1	42.3	37.5	1.6
<b>White</b>	Crimes of violence	100	53.5	10.5	5.2	37.8	44.5	2.0
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	68.0	18.4	2.2 *	47.4	27.6	4.4 *
	Robbery	100	29.9	6.5	2.3 *	21.1	66.7	3.4 *
	Assault	100	55.5	10.5	5.7	39.3	42.8	1.7
	Aggravated	100	41.2	5.3	5.1	30.8	57.8	1.0 *
	Simple	100	59.8	12.1	5.9	41.8	38.3	1.9
<b>Black</b>	Crimes of violence	100	54.1	9.9	6.8	37.4	44.6	1.3 *
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	44.7 *	15.8 *	0.0 *	28.9 *	55.3 *	0.0 *
	Robbery	100	23.6	1.1 *	4.6 *	17.9	74.4	2.0 *
	Assault	100	62.7	12.0	7.7	43.0	36.2	1.1 *
	Aggravated	100	51.4	4.6 *	7.1 *	39.8	44.7	3.9 *
	Simple	100	67.2	15.0	8.0	44.3	32.8	0.0 *
<b>Other</b>	Crimes of violence	100	47.1	10.0 *	2.3 *	34.9	51.6	1.3 *
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *
	Robbery	100	19.7 *	10.4 *	0.0 *	9.3 *	80.3 *	0.0 *
	Assault	100	54.9	10.5 *	2.8 *	41.5	43.5	1.6 *
	Aggravated	100	32.8 *	4.2 *	0.0 *	28.6 *	61.9	5.3 *
	Simple	100	64.8	13.4 *	4.1 *	47.3	35.2	0.0 *
<b>Ethnicity</b>	Crimes of violence	100	53.4	10.4	5.4	37.7	44.8	1.8
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	62.1	17.3	1.8 *	43.0	34.2	3.7 *
	Robbery	100	27.8	5.2	2.8 *	19.8	69.3	2.9 *
	Assault	100	56.5	10.7	5.9	39.8	41.9	1.6
	Aggravated	100	42.6	5.1	5.2	32.2	55.8	1.7 *
	Simple	100	60.9	12.5	6.1	42.3	37.5	1.6
<b>Hispanic</b>	Crimes of violence	100	53.5	11.1	6.6	35.8	44.4	2.1 *
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	55.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	55.8 *	44.2 *	0.0 *
	Robbery	100	23.1	2.3 *	0.0 *	20.8 *	73.7	3.2 *
	Assault	100	60.1	13.2	8.2	38.7	38.0	1.9 *
	Aggravated	100	39.4	3.2 *	4.4 *	31.8	57.8	2.8 *
	Simple	100	66.7	16.4	9.4	40.9	31.7	1.6 *
<b>Non-Hispanic</b>	Crimes of violence	100	53.4	10.3	5.3	37.8	44.9	1.7
	Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	64.3	17.9	2.0 *	44.4	34.3	1.4 *
	Robbery	100	28.6	5.8	3.4 *	19.4	68.6	2.8 *
	Assault	100	56.0	10.4	5.7	39.9	42.4	1.6
	Aggravated	100	42.8	5.4	5.4	31.9	55.7	1.5 *
	Simple	100	60.2	12.0	5.7	42.4	38.2	1.6

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 44. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations,  
by type of crime and perceived gender of offenders**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations				
		Perceived gender of offenders				
		Total	All male	All female	Male and female	Not known and not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,258,010</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>72.3 %</b>	<b>9.1 %</b>	<b>14.7 %</b>	<b>3.9 %</b>
Completed violence	457,380	100	76.6	8.8	11.8	2.8 *
Attempted/threatened violence	800,630	100	69.9	9.3	16.3	4.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	12,660 *	100 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	303,310	100	89.9	1.1 *	8.3 *	0.7 *
Completed/property taken	220,690	100	91.1	1.5 *	6.4 *	1.0 *
With injury	90,690	100	87.8	3.7 *	8.5 *	0.0 *
Without injury	130,000	100	93.3	0.0 *	5.0 *	1.7 *
Attempted to take property	82,610	100	86.8	0.0 *	13.2 *	0.0 *
With injury	23,510 *	100 *	90.5 *	0.0 *	9.5 *	0.0 *
Without injury	59,090	100	85.3	0.0 *	14.7 *	0.0 *
Assault	942,040	100	66.3	11.9	16.9	4.9
Aggravated	329,750	100	70.6	5.5 *	14.6	9.3
Simple	612,290	100	64.0	15.3	18.2	2.5 *

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 45. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations,  
by type of crime and perceived age of offenders**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations						
		Total	Perceived age of offenders					
			All under 12	All 12-20	All 21-29	All 30 and over	Mixed ages	Not known and not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,258,010</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>0.7 %*</b>	<b>39.3 %</b>	<b>14.6 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>	<b>26.2 %</b>	<b>11.8 %</b>
Completed violence	457,380	100	0.4 *	35.5	17.6	9.0	23.6	13.9
Attempted/threatened violence	800,630	100	0.8 *	41.5	12.9	6.4	27.7	10.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	12,660 *	100 *	0.0 *	17.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	82.2 *	0.0 *
Robbery	303,310	100	0.0 *	38.6	19.1	5.0 *	27.8	9.5
Completed/property taken	220,690	100	0.0 *	31.7	25.2	4.8 *	25.3	13.0
With injury	90,690	100	0.0 *	34.9	19.1 *	2.8 *	24.3 *	18.8 *
Without injury	130,000	100	0.0 *	29.4	29.5	6.1 *	26.0	9.0 *
Attempted to take property	82,610	100	0.0 *	57.2	2.8 *	5.8 *	34.3	0.0 *
With injury	23,510 *	100 *	0.0 *	43.8 *	0.0 *	8.4 *	47.8 *	0.0 *
Without injury	59,090	100	0.0 *	62.5	3.8 *	4.8 *	28.9 *	0.0 *
Assault	942,040	100	0.9 *	39.9	13.3	8.2	25.0	12.8
Aggravated	329,750	100	1.9 *	32.4	10.1	6.3 *	29.4	19.8
Simple	612,290	100	0.3 *	43.9	15.1	9.2	22.6	9.0

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 46. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations,  
by type of crime and perceived race of offenders**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations					Not known and not available
		Total	Perceived race of offenders				
			All white	All black	All other	Mixed races	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,258,010</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>40.4 %</b>	<b>27.2 %</b>	<b>10.7 %</b>	<b>13.3 %</b>	<b>8.5 %</b>
Completed violence	457,380	100	31.7	37.0	11.4	10.9	9.0
Attempted/threatened violence	800,630	100	45.3	21.5	10.3	14.6	8.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	12,660 *	100 *	59.5 *	22.8 *	17.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	303,310	100	19.5	47.2	11.8	14.4	7.1 *
Completed/property taken	220,690	100	20.6	49.7	11.2 *	11.2 *	7.4 *
With injury	90,690	100	31.9	43.5	6.1 *	12.7 *	5.7 *
Without injury	130,000	100	12.7 *	53.9	14.8 *	10.1 *	8.5 *
Attempted to take property	82,610	100	16.6 *	40.6	13.5 *	22.9 *	6.4 *
With injury	23,510 *	100 *	0.0 *	34.9 *	27.4 *	28.0 *	9.7 *
Without injury	59,090	100	23.2 *	42.9 *	7.9 *	20.9 *	5.1 *
Assault	942,040	100	46.8	20.8	10.2	13.1	9.1
Aggravated	329,750	100	35.7	25.7	8.8	16.9	12.8
Simple	612,290	100	52.8	18.1	11.0	11.0	7.1

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 47. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations,  
by type of crime, age of victims and perceived age of offenders**

Type of crime and age of victim	Number of multiple- offender victimizations	Percent of all multiple-offender victimizations						
		Total	Perceived age of offenders					Not known and not available
			All under 12	All 12-20	All 21-29	All 30 and over	Mixed ages	
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>								
12-19	542,420	100 %	0.7 %*	62.7 %	5.4 %	1.6 %*	19.1 %	10.5 %
20-34	379,000	100 %	0.0 *	18.6	22.7	7.9	36.5	14.3
35-49	232,170	100 %	0.0 *	24.7	16.6	17.0	29.1	12.6
50-64	96,090	100 %	4.7 *	23.1 *	28.6	13.2 *	21.2 *	9.2 *
65 and over	8,330 *	100 %*	0.0 *	52.9 *	23.4 *	23.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Robbery</b>								
12-19	101,390	100 %	0.0 *	48.8	19.3 *	0.0 *	26.8	5.1 *
20-34	113,770	100 %	0.0 *	28.4	19.9 *	2.5 *	36.1	13.1 *
35-49	62,090	100 %	0.0 *	43.0	21.6 *	8.4 *	16.4 *	10.6 *
50-64	22,470 *	100 %*	0.0 *	31.4 *	10.1 *	23.5 *	25.4 *	9.6 *
65 and over	3,590 *	100 %*	0.0 *	45.0 *	0.0 *	55.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Assault</b>								
12-19	436,530	100 %	0.9 *	66.1	2.2 *	2.0 *	17.0	11.8
20-34	265,230	100 %	0.0 *	14.4	23.9	10.2	36.7	14.8
35-49	164,800	100 %	0.0 *	18.6	15.2 *	20.7	31.6	13.8 *
50-64	70,740	100 %	6.3 *	21.4 *	35.7 *	10.4 *	16.7 *	9.4 *
65 and over	4,740 *	100 %*	0.0 *	58.9 *	41.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *

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

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

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

Table 48. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations  
by type of crime, race of victims and perceived race of offenders**

Type of crime and race of victim	Number of multiple- offender victimizations	Percent of multiple-offender victimizations					Not known and not available
		Total	Perceived race of offenders				
			All white	All black	All other	Mixed races	
Crimes of violence/a							
White	916,470	100 %	50.5 %	17.5 %	9.0 %	14.6 %	8.4 %
Black	272,810	100 %	13.5	62.3	9.1 *	7.3 *	7.8 *
Robbery							
White	191,310	100 %	30.9	34.2	14.0	14.1	6.7 *
Black	106,910	100 %	0.0 *	70.5	5.9 *	15.5 *	8.1 *
Assault							
White	717,780	100 %	56.0	12.8	7.5	14.9	8.9
Black	165,900	100 %	22.3	56.9	11.2 *	2.0 *	7.6 *

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

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

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

Table 49. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of multiple-offender victimizations, by type of crime and detailed victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Number of multiple-offender victimizations	Percent of multiple-offender victimizations						
		Some or all related						Other relatives
		Total	Total	Spouses and ex-spouses	Parents	Own children	Brothers and sisters	
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>1,258,020</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2.7 %</b>	<b>1.1 %*</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>	<b>1.1 %*</b>
Completed violence	457,380	100	3.5 *	1.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.8 *
Attempted/threatened violence	800,640	100	2.2 *	0.8 *	0.4 *	0.0 *	0.4 *	0.7 *
Rape/Sexual assault/b	12,660 *	100 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	303,310	100	0.9 *	0.0 *	0.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	220,700	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	82,620	100	3.4 *	0.0 *	3.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	942,040	100	3.3	1.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.3 *	1.4 *
Aggravated	329,750	100	0.6 *	0.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Simple	612,290	100	4.7	2.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.5 *	2.2 *

Type of crime	Some or all well known, not related/a	Some or all casual acquaintances	Don't know	
			Don't know	Stranger
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>10.6 %</b>	<b>12.9 %</b>	<b>1.4 %*</b>	<b>72.4 %</b>
Completed violence	9.9	6.0	0.5 *	80.1
Attempted/threatened violence	11.0	16.8	2.0 *	68.0
Rape/Sexual assault/b	17.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	82.2 *
Robbery	6.2 *	2.9 *	0.0 *	90.0
Completed/property taken	5.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	94.1
Attempted to take property	6.9 *	10.5 *	0.0 *	79.1
Assault	11.9	16.2	1.9 *	66.7
Aggravated	7.8	12.0	4.0 *	75.6
Simple	14.1	18.5	0.8 *	61.8

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

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

a/Includes data on offenders well known to the victim whose relationship to the victim was not ascertained.

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

Table 50. Violent crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and number of years lived at current residence**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Total	Less than 6 months/a	6 months to 1 year	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years or more
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>70.3</b>	<b>50.3</b>	<b>40.7</b>	<b>33.6</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>17.6</b>
Completed violence	9.0	28.6	15.0	13.6	11.5	6.4	8.3	4.9
Attempted/threatened violence	18.9	41.7	35.3	27.1	22.1	18.6	12.8	12.7
Rape/Sexual assault/b	1.2	5.6	0.7 *	1.1 *	1.1 *	0.6 *	0.4 *	0.7
Robbery	3.2	8.8	4.3	4.8	5.3	3.6	2.4	1.8
Completed/property taken	2.3	6.8	3.8	3.6	4.1	1.8	1.4 *	1.1
Attempted to take property	0.9	2.0	0.4 *	1.2 *	1.2 *	1.8	0.9 *	0.6
Assault	23.5	55.9	45.3	34.7	27.2	20.8	18.3	15.1
Aggravated	5.7	13.1	11.3	8.9	4.8	3.6	6.0	4.0
With injury	1.5	3.7	3.2	2.1	1.0 *	0.7 *	3.2	1.0
Threatened with weapon	4.2	9.4	8.1	6.8	3.8	2.8	2.9	3.0
Simple	17.8	42.8	34.0	25.8	22.4	17.2	12.2	11.1
With minor injury	4.4	14.2	7.3	6.9	5.9	3.6	3.2	2.2
Without injury	13.5	28.6	26.7	18.9	16.4	13.7	9.0	8.9
Total population age 12 and over	225,409,980	18,772,010	14,418,830	16,135,490	20,631,790	17,331,250	12,184,170	125,936,460

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
Excludes data on persons whose mobility was not ascertained.  
\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
a/These numbers are unbounded estimates.  
b/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.



Table 51. Property crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates by type of crime and  
number of years lived at current residence**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	Total	Less than 6 months/a	6 months to 1 year	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years or more
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>189.1</b>	<b>401.2</b>	<b>286.7</b>	<b>231.0</b>	<b>206.1</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>192.6</b>	<b>140.2</b>
Household burglary	33.7	80.7	45.1	40.8	34.4	26.4	27.5	26.2
Completed	28.5	71.0	39.5	34.7	26.2	22.7	20.8	22.2
Forcible entry	10.1	23.2	12.0	10.2	11.6	10.7	5.8	8.1
Unlawful entry without force	18.3	47.7	27.5	24.5	14.7	12.0	15.0	14.1
Attempted forcible entry	5.3	9.8	5.6	6.1	8.2	3.7	6.7	4.1
Motor vehicle theft	9.2	23.1	14.7	10.8	9.7	8.2	10.8	6.3
Completed	6.3	16.8	8.3	7.5	5.8	5.1	8.7	4.5
Attempted	2.9	6.3	6.4	3.3 *	3.9	3.1 *	2.0 *	1.9
Theft	146.1	297.4	226.9	179.3	162.0	145.4	154.3	107.7
Completed	140.1	283.8	219.7	172.9	154.4	140.1	148.9	103.0
Less than \$50	46.2	79.0	61.4	54.5	53.2	49.4	53.1	36.4
\$50 - \$249	52.0	104.7	91.5	60.2	62.0	49.5	65.4	36.2
\$250 or more	31.0	83.2	51.4	44.3	27.3	30.3	20.7	21.2
Amount not available	11.0	16.9	15.5	13.9	11.9	10.9	9.7	9.2
Attempted	6.0	13.6	7.1	6.5	7.6	5.3	5.5	4.7

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

Excludes data on persons whose mobility was not ascertained.

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

a/These numbers are unbounded estimates.

Table 52. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime and locality of residence of victims**

Type of crime	Rates per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
	All areas	Total		50,000-249,999		250,000-499,999	
		Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban
<b>Personal Crimes</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>37.4</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>36.5</b>	<b>25.8</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>25.1</b>
Crimes of violence	27.9	35.1	25.8	34.9	25.4	32.5	23.9
Completed violence	9.0	12.3	7.5	11.0	7.6	13.1	7.5
Attempted/threatened violence	18.9	22.7	18.3	23.9	17.8	19.4	16.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.2	1.5	0.8	1.6	1.2	1.6 *	0.4 *
Robbery	3.2	6.0	2.6	3.6	2.5	6.8	2.1
Completed/property taken	2.3	4.6	1.6	3.2	1.5	4.9	1.6
With injury	0.7	1.2	0.5	0.8 *	0.4 *	1.0 *	0.5 *
Without injury	1.6	3.4	1.2	2.4	1.1	3.9	1.1
Attempted to take property	0.9	1.3	1.0	0.4 *	1.0	2.0 *	0.5 *
With injury	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.0 *	0.3 *	1.0 *	0.2 *
Without injury	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.4 *	0.8 *	1.0 *	0.4 *
Assault	23.5	27.6	22.4	29.7	21.7	24.0	21.3
Aggravated	5.7	7.1	5.4	6.4	5.4	6.0	5.1
With injury	1.5	2.0	1.2	1.9	0.9	1.7 *	1.6
Threatened with weapon	4.2	5.2	4.1	4.6	4.5	4.3	3.5
Simple	17.8	20.4	17.0	23.2	16.3	18.0	16.3
With minor injury	4.4	4.7	4.0	4.4	4.4	5.3	3.9
Without injury	13.4	15.8	13.0	18.8	11.9	12.7	12.3
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	1.2	2.3	1.0	1.6	0.3 *	2.6	1.3
Population age 12 and over	226,804,610	63,598,980	107,684,800	18,697,810	31,995,200	9,978,600	26,157,150

Personal Crimes	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over				
	500,000-999,999		1,000,000 or more		Rural
	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	
<b>Personal Crimes</b>	<b>40.2</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>37.5</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>24.0</b>
Crimes of violence	38.4	28.4	34.2	25.5	23.6
Completed violence	15.3	9.0	11.3	5.2	8.2
Attempted/threatened violence	23.1	19.4	22.9	20.2	15.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.6 *	1.0	1.3	0.5 *	1.4
Robbery	8.4	3.0	6.0	2.9	1.3
Completed/property taken	7.0	2.0	4.3	1.5	0.9
With injury	2.1	0.8 *	1.2 *	0.1 *	0.6
Without injury	4.9	1.2	3.2	1.3	0.3 *
Attempted to take property	1.5 *	1.0	1.7	1.4	0.4 *
With injury	0.4 *	0.4 *	0.5 *	0.3 *	0.2 *
Without injury	1.1 *	0.6 *	1.2 *	1.1 *	0.2 *
Assault	28.4	24.5	26.9	22.1	20.9
Aggravated	8.0	6.1	7.7	4.8	4.6
With injury	3.1	1.6	1.5	0.9 *	1.5
Threatened with weapon	4.9	4.5	6.3	4.0	3.1
Simple	20.4	18.4	19.2	17.3	16.3
With minor injury	4.7	4.6	4.6	2.6	4.7
Without injury	15.7	13.8	14.5	14.7	11.5
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	1.8 *	0.7 *	3.3	1.8	0.4 *
Population age 12 and over	13,645,240	28,119,030	21,277,340	21,413,420	55,520,830

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

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The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

The population range categories shown for "Urban" and "Suburban" are based on the size of the core city of a Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) and do not reflect the population of the entire MSA.

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

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

Table 53. Property crimes, 2000:

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### Victimization rates by type of crime and locality of residence

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households						
	All areas	Total		50,000-249,999		250,000-499,999	
		Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>222.1</b>	<b>163.7</b>	<b>204.0</b>	<b>158.4</b>	<b>231.8</b>	<b>152.1</b>
Household burglary	31.8	40.9	27.2	41.3	31.0	44.6	23.2
Completed	26.9	34.7	22.7	35.4	25.8	39.9	20.8
Forcible entry	9.6	13.7	8.0	9.6	7.6	19.2	8.8
Unlawful entry without force	17.3	21.0	14.7	25.8	18.2	20.6	12.0
Attempted forcible entry	4.9	6.1	4.5	5.9	5.1	4.8 *	2.4
Motor vehicle theft	8.6	13.1	8.1	8.5	5.9	14.4	8.4
Completed	5.9	8.5	5.8	5.8	4.4	9.1	5.8
Attempted	2.7	4.7	2.3	2.7 *	1.5 *	5.3	2.6
Theft	137.7	168.1	128.4	154.3	121.5	172.7	120.5
Completed	132.0	160.8	123.0	150.0	116.0	163.7	114.1
Less than \$50	43.4	50.1	39.2	48.4	37.2	47.8	36.6
\$50 - \$249	48.9	60.8	46.3	64.8	44.6	61.1	43.2
\$250 or more	29.3	37.6	27.0	30.0	23.9	40.9	25.5
Amount not available	10.3	12.3	10.5	6.8	10.2	13.9	8.9
Attempted	5.7	7.3	5.4	4.3	5.6	9.0	6.3
Total number of households	108,352,960	31,742,790	49,919,960	9,107,960	14,658,340	5,020,240	12,293,680

Type of crime	Rates per 1,000 households				
	500,000-999,999		1,000,000 or more		Rural
	Urban	Suburban	Urban	Suburban	
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>228.9</b>	<b>172.9</b>	<b>228.4</b>	<b>174.1</b>	<b>152.6</b>
Household burglary	43.7	27.1	36.8	26.7	29.5
Completed	36.1	21.3	30.8	22.5	25.2
Forcible entry	15.2	6.9	13.5	9.1	7.6
Unlawful entry without force	20.9	14.4	17.3	13.4	17.6
Attempted forcible entry	7.6	5.8	5.9	4.2	4.4
Motor vehicle theft	15.0	8.0	15.2	11.1	4.4
Completed	10.0	5.6	9.4	8.1	3.1
Attempted	5.0	2.4	5.8	2.9	1.2
Theft	170.2	137.8	176.4	136.3	118.7
Completed	162.3	132.8	167.8	131.5	114.5
Less than \$50	46.3	45.3	55.3	37.5	43.4
\$50 - \$249	58.1	47.9	58.9	50.5	39.6
\$250 or more	47.1	29.0	36.2	30.7	23.9
Amount not available	10.8	10.6	17.4	12.8	7.6
Attempted	7.9	5.0	8.6	4.8	4.3
Total number of households	7,037,710	13,126,670	10,576,870	9,841,260	26,690,210

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

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Table 54. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by locality of residence, race, gender and ethnicity  
of victims and type of crime**

Locality of residence, race, gender and ethnicity	Total population	All personal crimes	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over						
			Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/ threatened violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery		
							Total	With injury	Without injury
<b>All areas</b>									
White male	92,466,090	32.8	31.8	8.5	23.3	0.2 *	3.7	1.1	2.6
White female	96,841,950	23.8	22.7	8.4	14.3	2.1	1.7	0.5	1.1
Black male	12,741,620	45.1	43.4	14.6	28.9	0.0 *	10.7	4.0	6.6
Black female	15,236,560	30.7	28.5	11.0	17.5	2.2	4.3	0.5 *	3.8
Hispanic male	12,198,570	34.8	33.2	11.2	22.1	0.3 *	8.7	2.7	6.0
Hispanic female	12,314,720	26.8	23.7	7.8	15.8	0.7 *	1.3 *	0.4 *	0.8 *
Non-Hispanic male	96,620,680	33.7	32.7	9.1	23.6	0.1 *	4.0	1.4	2.6
Non-Hispanic female	103,674,130	24.2	23.0	8.7	14.3	2.2	2.1	0.5	1.6
<b>Urban</b>									
White male	21,858,770	41.5	39.7	12.9	26.8	0.2 *	7.4	2.1	5.3
White female	23,320,800	30.9	28.9	10.7	18.2	3.0	2.7	0.8 *	1.9
Black male	6,526,090	53.2	49.9	17.6	32.3	0.0 *	12.2	3.9 *	8.3
Black female	7,966,970	41.2	37.6	13.4	24.1	2.7 *	6.6	0.6 *	5.9
Hispanic male	5,545,640	32.5	31.2	12.6	18.5	0.6 *	11.2	4.1 *	7.1
Hispanic female	5,894,980	29.0	25.8	7.1	18.6	0.0 *	1.4 *	0.4 *	1.0 *
Non-Hispanic male	24,524,420	44.8	42.3	14.1	28.2	0.0 *	7.9	2.4	5.5
Non-Hispanic female	27,123,740	32.5	30.2	11.6	18.5	3.2	4.2	0.8 *	3.4
<b>Suburban</b>									
White male	46,240,060	31.8	30.9	7.7	23.2	0.2 *	2.9	0.7	2.3
White female	47,836,910	21.8	20.6	6.8	13.8	1.2	1.7	0.4 *	1.2
Black male	4,137,380	43.7	43.7	12.7	31.0	0.0 *	12.5	5.2 *	7.4
Black female	4,668,970	20.3	19.6	8.4	11.2	2.2 *	2.1 *	0.5 *	1.5 *
Hispanic male	5,551,670	34.8	32.6	10.2	22.4	0.0 *	7.0	0.9 *	6.1
Hispanic female	5,286,180	28.0	24.3	10.3	14.0	1.5 *	1.4 *	0.5 *	0.9 *
Non-Hispanic male	46,594,230	31.8	31.2	7.7	23.5	0.2 *	3.1	1.0	2.1
Non-Hispanic female	49,195,320	21.0	20.2	6.7	13.5	1.3	1.8	0.5 *	1.3
<b>Rural</b>									
White male	24,367,260	26.9	26.6	6.2	20.4	0.0 *	1.9	1.1	0.8 *
White female	25,684,240	21.3	20.8	9.3	11.5	2.8	0.7 *	0.4 *	0.2 *
Black male	2,078,140	22.5	22.5	8.7 *	13.8	0.0 *	2.2 *	2.2 *	0.0 *
Black female	2,600,610	16.8	16.8	8.3 *	8.5 *	0.7 *	1.4 *	0.0 *	1.4 *
Hispanic male	1,101,270	46.9	46.9	8.8 *	38.0	0.0 *	4.8 *	4.8 *	0.0 *
Hispanic female	1,133,560	9.7 *	9.7 *	0.0 *	9.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Non-Hispanic male	25,502,030	26.4	26.1	6.9	19.2	0.0 *	1.8	1.0	0.7 *
Non-Hispanic female	27,355,070	21.6	21.1	9.6	11.5	2.7	0.7 *	0.4 *	0.4 *

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

The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."

The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."

The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races and 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 54. Personal crimes, 2000: (continued)

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Locality of residence, race, gender and ethnicity	Assault			Purse snatching/ Pocket picking
	Total	Aggra- vated	Simple	
<b>All areas</b>				
White male	28.0	7.8	20.1	0.9
White female	18.9	3.1	15.8	1.2
Black male	32.8	12.0	20.8	1.7 *
Black female	22.0	4.2	17.8	2.1
Hispanic male	24.2	8.8	15.5	1.6 *
Hispanic female	21.7	2.4	19.3	3.1
Non-Hispanic male	28.6	8.2	20.4	1.0
Non-Hispanic female	18.7	3.3	15.4	1.1
<b>Urban</b>				
White male	32.1	9.2	22.9	1.8
White female	23.1	4.0	19.1	2.0
Black male	37.8	14.3	23.5	3.3 *
Black female	28.3	6.1	22.2	3.6
Hispanic male	19.3	8.0	11.3	1.3 *
Hispanic female	24.4	2.4 *	21.9	3.2 *
Non-Hispanic male	34.5	10.3	24.2	2.4
Non-Hispanic female	22.7	4.9	17.9	2.4
<b>Suburban</b>				
White male	27.7	8.1	19.6	0.9
White female	17.7	2.5	15.2	1.2
Black male	31.2	11.1	20.0	0.0 *
Black female	15.4	2.1 *	13.3	0.7 *
Hispanic male	25.6	8.3	17.3	2.2 *
Hispanic female	21.4	2.9 *	18.5	3.7 *
Non-Hispanic male	27.9	8.4	19.4	0.6
Non-Hispanic female	17.0	2.5	14.6	0.9
<b>Rural</b>				
White male	24.7	6.2	18.5	0.3 *
White female	17.4	3.4	14.0	0.5 *
Black male	20.3	6.5 *	13.8	0.0 *
Black female	14.7	2.3 *	12.5	0.0 *
Hispanic male	42.0	14.9 *	27.2	0.0 *
Hispanic female	9.7 *	0.0 *	9.7 *	0.0 *
Non-Hispanic male	24.3	5.8	18.5	0.3 *
Non-Hispanic female	17.7	3.5	14.2	0.5 *

Table 55. Property crimes, 2000:

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race of head of household and type of crime**

Locality and race	Total households	Rate per 1,000 households			
		Property crimes	Household burglary	Motor vehicle theft	Theft
<b>All areas</b>					
White	90,887,030	173.3	29.4	7.9	136.0
Black	13,537,890	212.2	47.6	13.2	151.4
<b>Urban</b>					
White	22,869,330	222.3	39.2	12.3	170.8
Black	7,192,140	235.7	49.5	16.2	170.0
<b>Suburban</b>					
White	43,879,370	159.3	25.7	7.6	126.0
Black	4,163,810	212.8	40.8	14.4	157.5
<b>Rural</b>					
White	24,138,320	152.5	27.0	4.3	121.2
Black	2,181,930	133.4	53.9	0.9 *	78.6

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

The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."

The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."

The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

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

Table 56. Property crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates by type of crime, form of tenure, race of head of household, and locality of residence**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	Owned or being bought							
	All races/a				White			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>153.4</b>	<b>203.3</b>	<b>147.1</b>	<b>124.1</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>201.5</b>	<b>143.8</b>	<b>125.9</b>
Household burglary	26.2	38.4	22.8	22.3	24.5	36.7	21.4	21.8
Completed	22.4	33.3	19.3	19.1	21.1	31.9	18.1	18.9
Forcible entry	8.6	13.9	7.6	6.2	7.7	12.2	6.8	6.2
Unlawful entry without force	13.8	19.4	11.8	12.9	13.4	19.7	11.3	12.7
Attempted forcible entry	3.8	5.1	3.5	3.2	3.4	4.8	3.2	2.9
Motor vehicle theft	6.7	11.6	6.5	3.0	6.2	10.8	6.4	2.8
Completed	4.8	8.0	4.8	2.3	4.6	7.6	4.6	2.3
Attempted	1.9	3.7	1.7	0.8 *	1.7	3.2	1.7	0.4 *
Theft	120.6	153.2	117.8	98.8	119.3	154.0	116.0	101.3
Completed	115.7	146.3	113.1	95.1	114.6	146.6	111.8	97.5
Less than \$50	39.4	47.3	37.6	36.3	40.1	49.3	37.5	38.4
\$50 - \$249	42.7	57.2	41.3	33.3	41.5	56.0	40.3	33.7
\$250 or more	24.2	30.1	24.2	19.3	24.1	30.1	24.3	19.5
Amount not available	9.3	11.6	10.0	6.3	8.9	11.1	9.7	5.9
Attempted	4.9	6.8	4.7	3.7	4.7	7.4	4.2	3.8
Total number of households	72,660,440	16,275,210	36,631,790	19,753,450	64,242,370	12,630,100	33,280,830	18,331,440

  

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	Owned or being bought				Rented			
	Black				All races/a			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>189.7</b>	<b>224.3</b>	<b>201.5</b>	<b>86.8</b>	<b>228.3</b>	<b>241.8</b>	<b>209.6</b>	<b>233.8</b>
Household burglary	43.9	48.8	45.6	29.1	43.2	43.4	39.3	50.2
Completed	36.1	41.1	37.7	21.5	35.9	36.2	32.1	42.3
Forcible entry	18.9	22.9	20.3	7.1 *	11.5	13.5	9.3	11.6
Unlawful entry without force	17.2	18.2	17.3	14.4 *	24.4	22.8	22.9	30.7
Attempted forcible entry	7.8	7.7 *	8.0 *	7.6 *	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.8
Motor vehicle theft	10.3	15.0	8.9 *	1.6 *	12.6	14.7	12.6	8.2
Completed	6.6	8.5 *	7.7 *	0.0 *	8.2	8.9	8.7	5.6
Attempted	3.7 *	6.5 *	1.2 *	1.6 *	4.4	5.7	3.8	2.6 *
Theft	135.6	160.6	147.0	56.1	172.5	183.8	157.8	175.4
Completed	128.8	155.9	135.0	53.7	165.2	176.1	150.3	169.5
Less than \$50	35.4	46.8	36.5	6.4 *	51.6	53.1	43.6	63.5
\$50 - \$249	54.7	63.0	57.6	30.0	61.5	64.5	60.0	57.4
\$250 or more	24.8	31.1	24.7	10.2 *	39.8	45.4	34.7	37.1
Amount not available	13.9	15.0	16.2	7.1 *	12.3	13.1	11.9	11.5
Attempted	6.8	4.7 *	12.0	2.4 *	7.3	7.7	7.5	6.0
Total number of households	6,415,400	2,966,210	2,198,750	1,250,440	35,692,510	15,467,580	13,288,170	6,936,770

  

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	White				Black			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>229.4</b>	<b>247.8</b>	<b>207.8</b>	<b>236.5</b>	<b>232.4</b>	<b>243.8</b>	<b>225.3</b>	<b>196.0</b>
Household burglary	41.2	42.2	39.0	43.4	50.9	50.0	35.5	87.2
Completed	35.1	36.3	33.0	37.1	38.1	38.8	22.2	68.2
Forcible entry	10.5	12.1	9.8	9.2	15.0	18.5	5.7 *	18.9 *
Unlawful entry without force	24.6	24.2	23.2	27.9	23.1	20.4	16.5	49.3
Attempted forcible entry	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.3	12.8	11.2	13.3	19.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	11.9	14.1	11.4	9.0	15.8	17.1	20.5	0.0 *
Completed	8.1	9.5	7.7	6.4	9.5	8.4	16.3	0.0 *
Attempted	3.8	4.5	3.7	2.7 *	6.3	8.7	4.3 *	0.0 *
Theft	176.3	191.5	157.4	184.0	165.7	176.6	169.3	108.8
Completed	169.0	183.8	149.5	178.5	158.9	169.0	162.3	105.4
Less than \$50	53.4	53.3	44.9	69.0	49.8	56.1	41.9	37.7
\$50 - \$249	64.2	70.2	59.5	62.3	52.1	53.1	60.9	29.1
\$250 or more	40.3	47.7	34.7	37.6	37.9	44.2	36.0	13.1 *
Amount not available	11.1	12.6	10.4	9.6	19.1	15.6	23.4	25.6 *
Attempted	7.3	7.8	7.9	5.5	6.9	7.6	7.0 *	3.3 *
Total number of households	26,644,650	10,239,220	10,598,540	5,806,890	7,122,490	4,225,930	1,965,070	931,490

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
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 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

Table 57. Personal crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,  
by type of crime, region and locality of residence**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	All regions				Northeast			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>37.4</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>25.8</b>	<b>31.6</b>	<b>19.9</b>	<b>33.1</b>
Crimes of violence	27.9	35.1	25.8	23.6	23.5	27.4	18.1	32.2
Completed violence	9.0	12.3	7.5	8.2	7.4	9.1	4.5	13.1
Attempted/threatened violence	18.9	22.7	18.3	15.5	16.1	18.3	13.6	19.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.2	1.5	0.8	1.4	1.5	1.1 *	0.3 *	5.1
Robbery	3.2	6.0	2.6	1.3	3.3	5.7	2.2	2.5 *
Completed/property taken	2.3	4.6	1.6	0.9	2.0	4.1	1.1	0.9 *
With injury	0.7	1.2	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.9 *	0.5 *	0.9 *
Without injury	1.6	3.4	1.2	0.3 *	1.3	3.3	0.7 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	0.9	1.3	1.0	0.4 *	1.3	1.6 *	1.0 *	1.6 *
With injury	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2 *	0.5 *	0.2 *	0.3 *	1.3 *
Without injury	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.2 *	0.8	1.4 *	0.7 *	0.3 *
Assault	23.5	27.6	22.4	20.9	18.8	20.5	15.6	24.6
Aggravated	5.7	7.1	5.4	4.6	4.0	4.6	3.8	3.6
With injury	1.5	2.0	1.2	1.5	1.1	1.3 *	0.7 *	1.6 *
Threatened with weapon	4.2	5.2	4.1	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.1	2.0 *
Simple	17.8	20.4	17.0	16.3	14.7	16.0	11.8	21.0
With minor injury	4.4	4.7	4.0	4.7	3.3	2.8	2.4	6.6
Without injury	13.4	15.8	13.0	11.5	11.4	13.2	9.4	14.4
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	1.2	2.3	1.0	0.4 *	2.3	4.2	1.8	0.8 *
Population age 12 and over	226,804,610	63,598,980	107,684,800	55,520,830	43,839,990	12,956,060	22,655,830	8,228,110

  

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Midwest				South			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>31.7</b>	<b>45.6</b>	<b>28.7</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>25.5</b>	<b>34.7</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>17.1</b>
Crimes of violence	30.4	43.2	27.7	24.0	24.9	33.4	25.5	17.0
Completed violence	9.8	16.8	6.7	8.6	8.2	11.7	7.9	5.9
Attempted/threatened violence	20.6	26.4	21.0	15.5	16.7	21.7	17.6	11.0
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.1	2.0	0.8 *	0.7 *	0.9	1.7	0.8	0.2 *
Robbery	3.1	8.5	2.0	0.4 *	3.0	4.9	2.8	1.8
Completed/property taken	2.3	6.8	1.0 *	0.4 *	2.4	3.9	2.2	1.4
With injury	0.7	2.5	0.2 *	0.0 *	0.8	0.7 *	0.7	1.0 *
Without injury	1.6	4.2	0.9 *	0.4 *	1.6	3.2	1.4	0.4 *
Attempted to take property	0.8	1.7 *	0.9 *	0.0 *	0.7	1.0 *	0.7 *	0.4 *
With injury	0.5 *	1.0 *	0.5 *	0.0 *	0.1 *	0.2 *	0.1 *	0.0 *
Without injury	0.4 *	0.7 *	0.4 *	0.0 *	0.6	0.7 *	0.6 *	0.4 *
Assault	26.3	32.7	25.0	23.0	21.0	26.8	21.9	14.9
Aggravated	5.4	8.7	4.7	3.8	5.7	8.5	5.2	4.3
With injury	1.5	2.3	1.1	1.3 *	1.5	2.4	0.9	1.6
Threatened with weapon	4.0	6.4	3.6	2.5	4.2	6.0	4.3	2.7
Simple	20.9	24.0	20.3	19.2	15.3	18.3	16.7	10.6
With minor injury	5.3	6.2	3.9	6.6	3.7	4.3	4.2	2.7
Without injury	15.6	17.8	16.4	12.6	11.5	14.1	12.5	8.0
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	1.2	2.4	1.0 *	0.6 *	0.6	1.3	0.4 *	0.2 *
Population age 12 and over	53,969,330	13,446,640	23,979,970	16,542,720	80,434,830	20,140,750	36,056,450	24,237,630

  

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over			
	West			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>35.1</b>	<b>38.5</b>	<b>32.5</b>	<b>36.6</b>
Crimes of violence	33.9	36.4	31.5	36.6
Completed violence	10.8	12.1	10.4	9.2
Attempted/threatened violence	23.1	24.3	21.1	27.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.4	1.2 *	1.2	3.1 *
Robbery	3.6	5.4	3.3	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	2.5	4.1	1.9	0.0 *
With injury	0.6	1.1 *	0.4 *	0.0 *
Without injury	1.9	3.0	1.5	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	1.2	1.3 *	1.4	0.0 *
With injury	0.2 *	0.3 *	0.2 *	0.0 *
Without injury	0.9	0.9 *	1.2	0.0 *
Assault	28.8	29.8	26.9	33.4
Aggravated	7.4	6.3	7.8	9.4
With injury	2.0	1.7	2.3	1.9 *
Threatened with weapon	5.4	4.6	5.4	7.5
Simple	21.4	23.6	19.2	24.1
With minor injury	5.3	5.4	5.2	5.4
Without injury	16.1	18.1	14.0	18.7
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	1.3	2.2	1.0 *	0.0 *
Population age 12 and over	48,560,470	17,055,540	24,992,560	6,512,370

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

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The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."

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

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



Table 58. Property crimes, 2000:

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**Victimization rates by type of crime, region and locality of residence**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	All regions				Northeast			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>222.1</b>	<b>163.7</b>	<b>152.6</b>	<b>143.7</b>	<b>159.8</b>	<b>120.5</b>	<b>179.5</b>
Household burglary	31.8	40.9	27.2	29.5	21.8	25.0	16.8	30.0
Completed	26.9	34.7	22.7	25.2	19.0	21.6	15.3	24.6
Forcible entry	9.6	13.7	8.0	7.6	5.6	7.9	4.6	4.6 *
Unlawful entry without force	17.3	21.0	14.7	17.6	13.3	13.6	10.7	20.0
Attempted forcible entry	4.9	6.1	4.5	4.4	2.8	3.4 *	1.5 *	5.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	8.6	13.1	8.1	4.4	7.3	9.0	6.1	7.6
Completed	5.9	8.5	5.8	3.1	4.9	5.9	4.4	4.4 *
Attempted	2.7	4.7	2.3	1.2	2.4	3.1 *	1.7 *	3.2 *
Theft	137.7	168.1	128.4	118.7	114.6	125.8	97.7	141.9
Completed	132.0	160.8	123.0	114.5	110.3	121.1	93.9	136.7
Less than \$50	43.4	50.1	39.2	43.4	40.8	41.2	33.1	60.9
\$50 - \$249	48.9	60.8	46.3	39.6	37.7	40.6	33.6	43.8
\$250 or more	29.3	37.6	27.0	23.9	20.1	26.0	16.3	20.4
Amount not available	10.3	12.3	10.5	7.6	11.7	13.3	10.8	11.6
Attempted	5.7	7.3	5.4	4.3	4.4	4.8	3.8	5.3 *
Total number of households	108,352,960	31,742,790	49,919,960	26,690,210	20,906,950	6,472,140	10,533,290	3,901,520

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households							
	Midwest				South			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>181.9</b>	<b>245.8</b>	<b>161.7</b>	<b>155.5</b>	<b>167.8</b>	<b>219.9</b>	<b>165.8</b>	<b>126.4</b>
Household burglary	31.4	46.7	25.9	26.1	33.2	44.1	28.1	31.2
Completed	25.5	36.5	20.7	22.6	28.0	37.5	22.9	27.1
Forcible entry	9.0	14.8	6.9	6.9	11.8	16.5	9.8	10.5
Unlawful entry without force	16.5	21.8	13.8	15.8	16.2	21.0	13.1	16.5
Attempted forcible entry	6.0	10.2	5.2	3.4	5.2	6.6	5.2	4.2
Motor vehicle theft	9.3	18.9	6.0	5.6	6.9	10.4	7.7	2.7
Completed	6.5	13.3	4.2	4.0	4.6	5.9	5.3	2.5
Attempted	2.7	5.5	1.9 *	1.5 *	2.2	4.5	2.3	0.2 *
Theft	141.2	180.2	129.8	123.8	127.8	165.3	130.0	92.5
Completed	134.8	171.5	123.7	118.7	122.6	157.6	124.2	90.3
Less than \$50	42.4	53.2	37.6	39.9	37.4	44.7	39.3	28.5
\$50 - \$249	53.1	69.1	48.5	45.8	46.9	61.8	47.7	32.9
\$250 or more	29.8	37.6	26.4	28.1	28.8	41.4	27.4	20.2
Amount not available	9.5	11.6	11.3	5.0	9.4	9.7	9.8	8.6
Attempted	6.5	8.7	6.1	5.1	5.2	7.7	5.8	2.3
Total number of households	26,132,460	6,863,220	11,416,430	7,852,810	38,866,820	10,087,750	16,961,940	11,817,140

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 households			
	West			
	All areas	Urban	Suburban	Rural
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>223.4</b>	<b>253.5</b>	<b>204.1</b>	<b>211.1</b>
Household burglary	39.1	44.4	37.2	31.4
Completed	33.9	40.1	31.7	25.1
Forcible entry	10.2	13.8	9.6	2.2 *
Unlawful entry without force	23.7	26.2	22.1	22.8
Attempted forcible entry	5.2	4.3	5.5	6.3 *
Motor vehicle theft	12.3	14.9	12.8	3.6 *
Completed	8.4	9.5	9.6	1.5 *
Attempted	3.9	5.4	3.2	2.1 *
Theft	172.0	194.3	154.1	176.1
Completed	165.3	186.9	148.3	167.6
Less than \$50	57.6	61.1	46.6	86.6
\$50 - \$249	57.9	68.4	54.0	43.8
\$250 or more	38.1	42.0	37.1	31.5
Amount not available	11.7	15.4	10.5	5.7 *
Attempted	6.7	7.4	5.7	8.5
Total number of households	22,446,720	8,319,680	11,008,300	3,118,740

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 The term "Urban" is used to denote "Central cities."  
 The term "Suburban" is used to denote "Outside central cities."  
 The term "Rural" is used to denote "Nonmetropolitan areas."  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 59. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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## Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime and time of occurrence

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	Daytime 6 a.m.- 6 p.m.	Nighttime			Not known	Not known and not available
		Total		Total	6 p.m. - midnight	Midnight - 6 a.m.		
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,540</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>50.9 %</b>	<b>47.4 %</b>	<b>36.1 %</b>	<b>10.0 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>
Completed violence	1,875,790	100	44.7	53.4	39.1	12.6	1.7	1.8
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,750	100	53.9	44.6	34.7	8.8	1.1	1.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	256,770	100	30.6	65.7	41.8	22.2	1.7 *	3.7 *
Robbery	688,310	100	40.7	57.5	44.1	12.5	1.0 *	1.8 *
Completed/property taken	482,860	100	42.5	55.5	42.2	12.7	0.6 *	2.0 *
With injury	149,920	100	41.1	57.2	43.8	13.4 *	0.0 *	1.7 *
Without injury	332,940	100	43.1	54.8	41.5	12.5	0.8 *	2.2 *
Attempted to take property	205,440	100	36.6	62.3	48.5	11.9 *	1.9 *	1.1 *
With injury	63,150	100	35.5 *	64.5	49.1	15.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	142,290	100	37.0	61.4	48.3	10.3 *	2.8 *	1.6 *
Assault	4,870,460	100	53.4	45.0	34.7	9.0	1.3	1.5
Aggravated	1,114,520	100	47.8	51.3	41.2	9.6	0.5 *	0.9 *
Simple	3,755,940	100	55.1	43.2	32.8	8.9	1.5	1.7
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	271,670	100	58.3	37.2	30.0	6.1 *	1.1 *	4.5 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,296,650</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>41.0 %</b>	<b>40.1 %</b>	<b>14.4 %</b>	<b>14.0 %</b>	<b>11.7 %</b>	<b>18.9 %</b>
Household burglary	3,443,700	100	42.7	31.1	12.6	10.5	7.9	26.3
Completed	2,909,460	100	44.2	29.6	11.8	9.5	8.3	26.3
Forcible entry	1,037,860	100	46.5	36.0	10.8	13.8	11.4	17.5
Unlawful entry without force	1,871,600	100	42.8	26.0	12.4	7.1	6.6	31.1
Attempted forcible entry	534,240	100	34.6	39.2	17.1	16.4	5.6	26.2
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	100	23.6	67.4	20.4	29.2	17.8	9.0
Completed	641,850	100	27.1	62.9	22.3	23.9	16.8	10.0
Attempted	295,200	100	16.0	77.1	16.3	40.8	20.0	6.9 *
Theft	14,915,900	100	41.7	40.5	14.4	13.8	12.2	17.8
Completed	14,299,970	100	42.1	39.8	14.3	13.4	12.2	18.1
Less than \$50	4,707,270	100	48.1	32.2	11.2	9.4	11.7	19.6
\$50 - \$249	5,296,630	100	42.5	41.0	16.8	12.0	12.3	16.4
\$250 or more	3,176,630	100	31.3	51.0	15.2	23.3	12.5	17.7
Amount not available	1,119,440	100	45.4	33.8	12.8	8.0	12.9	20.8
Attempted	615,930	100	33.6	55.7	18.6	24.3	12.9	10.6

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 60. Personal robbery and assault  
by armed or unarmed offenders, 2000:**

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime, type of offender and time of occurrence**

Type of crime and offender	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	Daytime	Nighttime			Not known	Not known and not available
			6 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Total	6 p.m.- midnight	Midnight - 6 a.m.		
<b>Robbery</b>								
By armed offenders	367,520	100 %	32.7 %	65.5 %	48.7 %	15.1 %	1.8 %*	1.8 %*
By unarmed offenders	261,890	100 %	50.4	47.5	37.7	9.8	0.0 *	2.1 *
<b>Assault</b>								
By armed offenders	1,055,510	100 %	47.3	51.8	41.1	10.2	0.5 *	0.9 *
By unarmed offenders	3,468,000	100 %	55.1	43.3	33.0	8.9	1.4	1.6

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
Excludes data in which the presence of a weapon was not ascertained.  
\*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 61. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime and place of occurrence**

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	At or in respondent's home	Near home	On the street near home	At, in, or near a friend's relative's or neighbor's home	Inside a restaurant, bar, or nightclub	Other commercial building
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,540</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>15.6 %</b>	<b>10.3 %</b>	<b>2.8 %</b>	<b>8.4 %</b>	<b>5.3 %</b>	<b>8.5 %</b>
Completed violence	1,875,790	100	22.0	7.6	2.1	10.5	4.4	5.0
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,750	100	12.5	11.6	3.1	7.4	5.7	10.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	256,770	100	32.0	6.0 *	0.9 *	24.1	3.1 *	0.9 *
Robbery	688,310	100	14.4	8.0	3.1 *	1.7 *	1.1 *	6.5
Completed/property taken	482,860	100	18.7	6.8	3.9 *	1.3 *	1.5 *	8.4
With injury	149,920	100	15.4 *	2.9 *	3.8 *	0.0 *	1.6 *	4.2 *
Without injury	332,940	100	20.2	8.6	3.9 *	1.9 *	1.5 *	10.4
Attempted to take property	205,440	100	4.4 *	10.6 *	1.2 *	2.8 *	0.0 *	1.9 *
With injury	63,150	100	11.8 *	4.0 *	4.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	142,290	100	1.1 *	13.6 *	0.0 *	4.0 *	0.0 *	2.7 *
Assault	4,870,460	100	14.9	10.9	2.8	8.5	6.0	9.1
Aggravated	1,114,520	100	11.4	13.3	4.2	8.8	5.7	7.1
Simple	3,755,940	100	15.9	10.1	2.4	8.4	6.1	9.7
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	271,670	100	0.0 *	0.8 *	1.7 *	2.3 *	13.8	31.2
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	100	1.3 *	27.8	19.7	4.4	...	0.8 *
Completed	641,850	100	1.8 *	24.6	19.3	5.5	...	0.8 *
Attempted	295,200	100	0.0 *	34.8	20.7	2.0 *	...	0.8 *
Theft	14,915,900	100	9.7	30.7	5.5	4.1	2.0	7.3

Type of crime	Percent of incidents					
	Parking lot or garage	Inside school building/on school property	In apartment yard, park, field, or playground	On street other than near own home	On public transportation or inside station	Other
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>7.3 %</b>	<b>12.8 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>19.0 %</b>	<b>1.1 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>
Completed violence	6.7	10.0	2.0	21.0	1.3 *	7.4
Attempted/threatened violence	7.6	14.1	1.5	18.0	1.0	7.4
Rape/Sexual assault/a	3.4 *	4.1 *	2.3 *	6.9 *	0.9 *	15.3
Robbery	13.3	4.8	0.8 *	35.7	3.5 *	7.1
Completed/property taken	13.0	3.9 *	0.3 *	31.8	2.9 *	7.4
With injury	14.9 *	5.4 *	0.0 *	42.5	3.3 *	6.0 *
Without injury	12.2	3.2 *	0.5 *	27.0	2.7 *	8.1
Attempted to take property	14.0	7.1 *	1.9 *	44.9	4.9 *	6.3 *
With injury	14.7 *	0.0 *	5.1 *	52.1	8.3 *	0.0 *
Without injury	13.7 *	10.3 *	0.5 *	41.7	3.4 *	9.0 *
Assault	6.7	14.3	1.7	17.2	0.8	7.0
Aggravated	7.9	6.6	2.6	24.0	0.9 *	7.3
Simple	6.3	16.6	1.4	15.2	0.7	6.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	5.7 *	8.4 *	1.1 *	17.5	11.9	5.6 *
Motor vehicle theft	32.0	1.1 *	0.2 *	10.1	0.0 *	2.3 *
Completed	32.0	1.2 *	0.4 *	11.0	0.0 *	3.3 *
Attempted	32.1	0.8 *	0.0 *	8.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Theft	13.6	11.9	1.7	4.9	1.0	7.6

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 ...Not applicable.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

**Table 62. Personal robbery and assault by armed or unarmed offenders, 2000:**

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by type of crime, type of offender and place of occurrence**

Type of crime and offender	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	At or in respondent's home	Near home	On the street near home	At, in, or near a friend's relative's or neighbor's home	Inside a restaurant, bar, or nightclub	Other commercial building
<b>Robbery</b>								
By armed offenders	367,520	100 %	13.0 %	7.1 %	2.8 %*	0.7 %*	0.6 %*	8.7 %
By unarmed offenders	261,890	100 %	18.7	7.6 *	2.0 *	3.6 *	0.7 *	3.9 *
<b>Assault</b>								
By armed offenders	1,055,510	100 %	11.5	13.5	4.4	8.2	5.7	7.1
By unarmed offenders	3,468,000	100 %	16.4	9.5	2.4	9.3	6.3	10.0

Type of crime and offender	Parking lot or garage	Percent of incidents					Other
		Inside school building/on school property	In apartment yard, park, field, or playground	On street other than near own home	On public transportation or inside station		
<b>Robbery</b>							
By armed offenders	12.3 %	2.0 %*	1.5 %*	41.4 %	4.7 %*	5.0 %*	
By unarmed offenders	14.2	9.8	0.0 *	28.2	1.5 *	9.7	
<b>Assault</b>							
By armed offenders	8.1	6.3	2.3 *	24.5	1.0 *	7.4	
By unarmed offenders	5.7	17.4	1.5	13.7	0.7 *	7.1	

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Excludes incidents in which the presence of a weapon was not ascertained.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

Table 63. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by victim-offender relationship, type of crime and place of occurrence**

Relationship and type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents						
		Total	At or in respondent's home	Near home	On the street near home	At, in, or near a friend's relative's or neighbor's home	Inside a restaurant, bar, or nightclub	Other commercial building
<b>Involving strangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	2,814,840	100 %	4.9 %	9.0 %	3.5 %	3.4 %	7.6 %	9.0 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	112,910	100 %	22.6 *	10.3 *	0.0 *	15.2 *	5.2 *	1.9 *
Robbery	528,530	100 %	6.3	7.1	4.0 *	0.5 *	1.4 *	7.9
Assault	2,173,390	100 %	3.6	9.4	3.6	3.5	9.3	9.6
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	3,000,700	100 %	25.6	11.6	2.1	13.1	3.1	8.0
Rape/Sexual assault/a	143,860	100 %	39.5	2.7 *	1.6 *	31.1	1.4 *	0.0 *
Robbery	159,770	100 %	41.2	11.0 *	0.0 *	5.9 *	0.0 *	1.7 *
Assault	2,697,070	100 %	24.0	12.1	2.2	12.6	3.4	8.8

Relationship and type of crime	Percent of incidents					
	Parking lot or garage	Inside school building/on school property	In apartment yard, park, field, or playground	On street other than near own home	On public transportation or inside station	Other
<b>Involving strangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	11.0 %	8.8 %	1.6 %	29.9 %	2.0 %	9.5 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	7.7 *	0.0 *	3.1 *	13.7 *	2.0 *	18.2 *
Robbery	12.0	5.4	1.0 *	43.3	4.5 *	6.5
Assault	10.9	10.1	1.6	27.4	1.3	9.7
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	3.9	16.4	1.7	8.7	0.3 *	5.4
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	7.4 *	1.7 *	1.6 *	0.0 *	13.0 *
Robbery	17.6	3.1 *	0.0 *	10.5 *	0.0 *	9.1 *
Assault	3.3	17.7	1.8	9.0	0.3 *	4.8

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 64. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of incidents, by victim's activity  
at time of incident and type of crime**

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents					
		Total	Working or on duty	On the way to or from work	On the way to or from school	On the way to or from some other place	Shopping or running errands
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,540</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>16.0 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>3.6 %</b>	<b>9.1 %</b>	<b>4.0 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	256,770	100	1.7 *	2.1 *	0.0 *	7.8 *	1.3 *
Robbery	688,310	100	6.0	11.9	2.1 *	20.2	10.3
Aggravated assault	1,114,520	100	16.8	5.6	3.8	10.6	3.0
Simple assault	3,755,940	100	18.6	3.1	4.1	6.7	3.3
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	271,670	100 %	2.0 *	5.6 *	1.8 *	16.0	31.9
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,296,650</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>16.8 %</b>	<b>0.6 %</b>	<b>3.8 %</b>	<b>1.2 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>
Household burglary	3,443,700	100	26.3	0.7 *	3.7	1.8	4.4
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	100	13.3	1.2 *	1.6 *	0.7 *	3.3
Theft	14,915,900	100	14.8	0.5	4.0	1.1	5.6

Type of crime	Percent of incidents						
	Attending school	Leisure activity away from home	Sleeping	Other activities at home	Other	Don't know	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>8.0 %</b>	<b>23.0 %</b>	<b>2.1 %</b>	<b>21.9 %</b>	<b>7.0 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	3.0 *	37.8	10.4	24.6	11.2	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	1.9 *	25.2	1.5 *	16.1	4.9	0.0 *	0.0 *
Aggravated assault	3.0	25.0	1.2 *	22.6	8.1	0.5 *	0.0 *
Simple assault	11.0	21.1	2.0	22.5	6.8	0.9	0.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	6.1 *	27.2	1.0 *	0.0 *	7.3 *	1.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>6.4 %</b>	<b>14.5 %</b>	<b>22.0 %</b>	<b>11.5 %</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>12.8 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>
Household burglary	1.1	17.7	14.1	8.6	6.0	15.5	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	0.5 *	14.6	41.7	14.7	4.5	4.1	0.0 *
Theft	8.0	13.8	22.6	12.0	4.8	12.8	0.0 *

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

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

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

Table 65. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of incidents,  
by distance from home and type of crime**

Type of crime	Number of incidents	Percent of incidents			
		Total	Inside home or lodging	Near respondent's home	One mile from home or less
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,540</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>16.0 %</b>	<b>16.3 %</b>	<b>18.2 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	256,770	100	38.7	11.5	10.5
Robbery	688,310	100	14.4	14.9	24.8
Assault	4,870,460	100	15.0	16.8	17.6
Aggravated	1,114,520	100	11.4	20.8	21.7
Simple	3,755,940	100	16.1	15.6	16.4
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	271,670	100	0.0 *	1.8 *	26.1
<b>Property crimes</b>					
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	100	1.3 *	61.4	4.6
Theft	14,915,900	100	9.9	41.6	8.9

Type of crime	Percent of incidents			
	Five miles from home or less	Fifty miles from home or less	More than 50 miles from home	Don't know or not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>24.0 %</b>	<b>21.2 %</b>	<b>3.3 %</b>	<b>0.9 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	21.8	10.5	3.0 *	3.9 *
Robbery	28.4	14.6	2.9 *	0.0 *
Assault	23.6	22.7	3.4	0.9
Aggravated	17.9	23.1	4.7	0.4 *
Simple	25.2	22.6	3.0	1.1
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	30.1	26.6	12.5	2.9 *
<b>Property crimes</b>				
Motor vehicle theft	12.9	14.7	4.7	0.5 *
Theft	16.5	16.4	4.3	2.3

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 66. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of incidents, by victim-offender relationship, type of crime and weapons use**

All incidents	Percent of incidents						
	Total incidents		No weapon used	Weapon used			
	Number	Percent		Total	Total firearm	Hand gun	Other gun
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,540</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>67.8 %</b>	<b>24.7 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>	<b>6.7 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>
Completed violence	1,875,790	100	65.6	27.9	9.5	8.4	1.1 *
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,750	100	68.9	23.2	6.3	5.8	0.5 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	256,770	100	83.6	5.8 *	2.5 *	2.5 *	0.0 *
Robbery	688,310	100	38.0	53.4	22.9	20.6	2.3 *
Completed/property taken	482,860	100	34.8	56.5	30.6	27.4	3.2 *
With injury	149,920	100	44.8	51.9	14.3 *	9.9 *	4.4 *
Without injury	332,940	100	30.3	58.6	37.9	35.2	2.7 *
Attempted to take property	205,440	100	45.7	46.1	4.7 *	4.7 *	0.0 *
With injury	63,150	100	60.5	35.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	142,290	100	39.1	50.7	6.8 *	6.8 *	0.0 *
Assault	4,870,460	100	71.2	21.7	5.4	4.9	0.5 *
Aggravated	1,114,520	100	4.9	94.7	23.7	21.5	2.2 *
With injury	296,850	100	18.6	80.1	8.2 *	6.6 *	1.7 *
Threatened with weapon	817,670	100	...	100.0	29.4	26.9	2.4 *
Simple/b	3,755,940	100	90.9	...	...	...	...
With minor injury	909,000	100	93.2	...	...	...	...
Without injury	2,846,950	100	90.1	...	...	...	...
<b>Involving strangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	2,814,840	100	55.5	34.0	12.8	11.7	1.1
Rape/Sexual assault/a	112,910	100	73.0	10.5 *	5.8 *	5.8 *	0.0 *
Robbery	528,530	100	32.9	57.6	28.3	25.8	2.5 *
Aggravated assault	658,400	100	2.3 *	97.2	30.9	28.2	2.7 *
Simple assault/b	1,514,990	100	85.3	...	...	...	...
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	3,000,700	100	79.3	16.1	2.3	2.0	0.3 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	143,860	100	91.8	2.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	159,770	100	55.0	39.4	4.9 *	3.4 *	1.5 *
Aggravated assault	456,120	100	8.8	91.2	13.5	11.9	1.5 *
Simple assault/b	2,240,950	100	94.6	...	...	...	...

All incidents	Percent of incidents									
	Total incidents		No weapon used	Weapon used					Don't know if weapon present	
	Number	Percent		Gun type unknown	Knife	Sharp object	Blunt object	Other weapon		Weapon type unknown
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>5,815,540</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>67.8 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>5.5 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>
Completed violence	1,875,790	100	65.6	0.0 *	6.4	1.4	5.1	4.2	1.1 *	6.5
Attempted/threatened violence	3,939,750	100	68.9	0.0 *	5.1	0.9	4.1	5.3	1.5	7.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	256,770	100	83.6	0.0 *	3.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	10.7
Robbery	688,310	100	38.0	0.0 *	13.2	2.0 *	6.0	6.0	3.4 *	8.6
Completed/property taken	482,860	100	34.8	0.0 *	11.9	1.7 *	6.0	3.4 *	2.9 *	8.7
With injury	149,920	100	44.8	0.0 *	9.5 *	4.0 *	12.2 *	6.9 *	5.0 *	3.2 *
Without injury	332,940	100	30.3	0.0 *	13.0	0.7 *	3.2 *	1.8 *	1.9 *	11.1
Attempted to take property	205,440	100	45.7	0.0 *	16.3	2.7 *	6.0 *	12.0 *	4.5 *	8.3 *
With injury	63,150	100	60.5	0.0 *	13.9 *	4.7 *	5.0 *	12.0 *	0.0 *	4.0 *
Without injury	142,290	100	39.1	0.0 *	17.3 *	1.7 *	6.4 *	12.0 *	6.5 *	10.1 *
Assault	4,870,460	100	71.2	0.0 *	4.6	1.0	4.5	5.1	1.2	7.1
Aggravated	1,114,520	100	4.9	0.0 *	20.0	4.2	19.5	22.2	5.1	0.3 *
With injury	296,850	100	18.6	0.0 *	19.6	6.1 *	22.5	21.3	2.5 *	1.3 *
Threatened with weapon	817,670	100	...	0.0 *	20.1	3.5	18.4	22.6	6.1	0.0 *
Simple/b	3,755,940	100	90.9	...	...	...	...	...	...	9.1
With minor injury	909,000	100	93.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	6.8
Without injury	2,846,950	100	90.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9.9
<b>Involving strangers</b>										
Crimes of violence	2,814,840	100	55.5	0.0 *	5.8	1.2	5.9	6.1	2.2	10.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	112,910	100	73.0	0.0 *	4.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	16.5 *
Robbery	528,530	100	32.9	0.0 *	11.9	2.6 *	6.1	5.6	3.2 *	9.5
Aggravated assault	658,400	100	2.3 *	0.0 *	14.5	3.3 *	20.3	21.5	6.7	0.6 *
Simple assault/b	1,514,990	100	85.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	14.7
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>										
Crimes of violence	3,000,700	100	79.3	0.0 *	5.3	0.8 *	3.1	3.9	0.7 *	4.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	143,860	100	91.8	0.0 *	2.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	6.1 *
Robbery	159,770	100	55.0	0.0 *	17.6	0.0 *	5.8 *	7.1 *	4.0 *	5.5 *
Aggravated assault	456,120	100	8.8	0.0 *	27.9	5.4 *	18.2	23.2	2.9 *	0.0 *
Simple assault/b	2,240,950	100	94.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	5.4

Note: Responses for weapons use are tallied once, based upon a hierarchy. In previous editions, multiple responses for weapons were tallied.

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

...Not applicable.

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

b/Simple assault, by definition, does not involve the use of a weapon.

**Percent distribution of violent crime victimizations  
by who was first to use or threaten to use physical force**

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations					
	Total crimes using force	Respondent was first to use force	Offender was first to use force	Someone else was first to use force	Don't know who was first to use force	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>7.7 %</b>	<b>82.6 %</b>	<b>1.8 %*</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>	<b>7.5 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	26.4 *	46.5 *	14.9 *	0.0 *	12.2 *
Robbery	100	14.6 *	82.3	0.0 *	0.0 *	3.2 *
Assault	100	6.2	83.7	1.7 *	0.5 *	8.0
Aggravated	100	4.0 *	84.5	4.8 *	2.0 *	4.7 *
Simple	100	6.8	83.5	0.7 *	0.0 *	9.0

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 68. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations in which victims took self-protective measures, by type of crime and victim-offender relationship**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations		
	All victimizations	Involving strangers	Involving nonstrangers
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>67.9 %</b>	<b>64.8 %</b>	<b>71.1 %</b>
Completed violence	71.4	61.0	80.1
Attempted/threatened violence	66.3	66.4	66.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	76.4	79.9	73.6
Robbery	61.4	56.4	78.7
Completed/property taken	54.9	48.6	76.9
With injury	73.0	71.9	77.6 *
Without injury	46.8	37.5	76.6
Attempted to take property	77.4	75.6	83.3
With injury	89.1	86.8	100.0 *
Without injury	72.1	70.2	77.8
Assault	68.4	66.0	70.5
Aggravated	71.0	66.9	77.6
With injury	77.6	71.7	83.0
Threatened with weapon	68.5	65.6	74.4
Simple	67.6	65.6	69.0
With minor injury	77.6	67.5	81.5
Without injury	64.4	65.2	63.7

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

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

Table 69. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations in which victims took self-protective measures, by characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of all victimizations									
	Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a	Robbery			Assault		
					Total	With injury	Without injury	Total	Aggravated	Simple
<b>Gender</b>										
Male	65.0 %	65.9 %	64.6 %	38.6 %*	57.6 %	78.5 %	47.1 %	66.3 %	69.6 %	65.0 %
Female	71.8	77.1	68.7	78.7	69.3	75.4	67.2	71.3	74.4	70.7
<b>Race</b>										
White	67.6	69.9	66.5	73.7	60.0	74.3	53.7	68.2	70.1	67.6
Black	69.6	76.8	65.6	86.2	62.6	81.6	54.7	70.8	74.8	69.1
<b>Age</b>										
12-19	66.8	72.5	63.9	80.4	62.3	85.0	54.1	66.4	68.7	65.8
20-34	68.5	72.4	66.5	71.9	58.9	78.3	50.4	69.7	75.2	67.9
35-49	68.0	70.0	67.1	72.2	61.0	69.8	57.4	68.9	71.0	68.1
50-64	70.7	67.8	71.8	82.1 *	67.2	83.0	55.5	71.0	66.7	72.4
65 and over	63.2	63.8 *	63.0	100.0 *	63.3 *	56.9 *	68.8 *	61.4	50.0 *	66.3

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.

**Percent distribution of self-protective measures employed by victims, by type of measure and type of crime**

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures			
	Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/threatened violence	Rape/Sexual assault/a
<b>Total number of self-protective measures</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Attacked offender with weapon	1.2	0.9 *	1.3	0.8 *
Attacked offender without weapon	6.7	10.2	4.4	3.8 *
Threatened offender with weapon	1.1	0.5 *	1.5	0.0 *
Threatened offender without weapon	2.1	1.3	2.5	0.0 *
Resisted or captured offender	21.1	31.2	14.8	25.0
Scared or warned offender	10.3	11.0	9.8	16.7
Persuaded or appeased offender	11.4	8.9	12.9	11.9
Ran away or hid	14.4	10.4	16.9	14.0
Got help or gave alarm	11.9	8.0	14.3	8.4
Screamed from pain or fear	3.2	6.8	0.9	6.8 *
Took other measures	16.7	10.7	20.5	12.5

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures					
	Total	Robbery		Total	Assault	
		With injury	Without injury		Aggravated	Simple
<b>Total number of self-protective measures</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Attacked offender with weapon	2.1 *	2.2 *	2.0 *	1.1	2.3	0.7 *
Attacked offender without weapon	6.8	7.3 *	6.5 *	6.8	5.5	7.3
Threatened offender with weapon	1.6 *	0.0 *	2.8 *	1.2	1.9 *	0.9
Threatened offender without weapon	1.3 *	3.1 *	0.0 *	2.3	1.4 *	2.6
Resisted or captured offender	26.1	35.7	18.9	20.2	19.6	20.4
Scared or warned offender	9.0	8.1 *	9.7	10.0	10.3	9.9
Persuaded or appeased offender	12.7	5.2 *	18.3	11.2	9.8	11.6
Ran away or hid	10.6	10.8	10.5	14.9	19.6	13.3
Got help or gave alarm	12.9	10.3	14.8	12.0	12.5	11.9
Screamed from pain or fear	5.9	7.4 *	4.7 *	2.6	1.6 *	2.9
Took other measures	11.1	10.0	11.9	17.8	15.5	18.5

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.  
 Some respondents may have cited more than one self-protective measure employed.  
 \*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.  
 a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 71. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of self-protective measures employed  
by victims, by selected characteristics of victims**

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures				
	Gender			Race/a	
	Both genders	Male	Female	White	Black
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Attacked offender with weapon	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.0	2.1
Attacked offender without weapon	6.7	8.7	4.5	6.5	7.7
Threatened offender with weapon	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.3	0.4
Threatened offender without weapon	2.1	2.6	1.5	2.1	1.9
Resisted or captured offender	21.1	24.2	17.8	21.1	20.7
Scared or warned offender	10.3	6.9	13.8	10.2	10.9
Persuaded or appeased offender	11.4	13.6	9.0	11.7	9.5
Ran away or hid	14.4	13.2	15.6	14.2	14.2
Got help or gave alarm	11.9	9.5	14.4	11.7	13.3
Screamed from pain or fear	3.2	1.5	4.9	3.1	3.7
Took other measures	16.7	17.1	16.4	17.3	15.7

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

Some respondents may have cited more than one self-protective measure employed.

a/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Table 72. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations in which self-protective measures were employed, by person taking the measure, outcome of action and type of crime**

Person taking action and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations						
		Total	Helped situation	Hurt situation	Both helped and hurt situation	Neither helped nor hurt situation	Don't know	Not available
<b>Measure taken by victim</b>								
Crimes of violence	4,295,880	100 %	66.7 %	8.3 %	5.7 %	10.3 %	8.9 %	0.2 %*
Rape/Sexual assault/a	199,440	100 %	58.3	8.2 *	1.1 *	14.1	14.0	4.3 *
Robbery	449,180	100 %	65.3	7.4	6.1	14.1	7.1	0.0 *
Assault	3,647,260	100 %	67.3	8.4	5.9	9.6	8.8	0.0 *
Aggravated	917,190	100 %	74.2	6.3	4.5	8.5	6.4	0.0 *
Simple	2,730,080	100 %	65.0	9.1	6.4	9.9	9.6	0.0 *
<b>Measure taken by others</b>								
Crimes of violence	4,106,060	100 %	34.2 %	9.4 %	2.6 %	44.6 %	6.9 %	2.4 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	105,290	100 %	15.3 *	16.2 *	0.0 *	46.3	4.4 *	17.9 *
Robbery	377,640	100 %	21.8	15.4	0.7 *	48.3	10.7	3.1 *
Assault	3,623,140	100 %	36.1	8.5	2.8	44.1	6.5	1.9
Aggravated	867,710	100 %	40.2	7.6	2.1 *	40.0	8.0	2.1 *
Simple	2,755,430	100 %	34.8	8.8	3.1	45.4	6.1	1.8

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

Excludes victimizations in which no self-protective actions were taken. Of those victimizations in which a self-protective measure or measures was/were employed, the victim and/or someone else may have taken the action. Therefore, the above categories are not mutually exclusive.

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

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

Table 73. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations in which self-protective measures taken by the victim were helpful**

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations							
		Total	Avoided injury or greater injury	Scared offender off	Escaped	Protected property	Protected other people	In other ways	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,029,510</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>47.7 %</b>	<b>15.0 %</b>	<b>17.5 %</b>	<b>4.3 %</b>	<b>5.5 %</b>	<b>9.5 %</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	166,760	100	37.5	18.1	30.9	0.0 *	3.8 *	9.8 *	0.0 *
Robbery	434,720	100	40.3	17.7	15.1	10.9	4.6 *	10.5	0.9 *
Assault	3,428,020	100	49.1	14.5	17.1	3.6	5.7	9.4	0.5 *
Aggravated	991,270	100	52.2	13.5	15.8	4.0	6.6	6.9	1.0 *
Simple	2,436,760	100	47.9	14.9	17.7	3.5	5.3	10.4	0.4 *

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

Excludes victimizations in which no self-protective actions were taken.

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

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



Table 74. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations in which self-protective measures taken by the victim were harmful**

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations							
		Total	Made offender angrier, more aggressive	Led to injury or greater injury	Caused greater property damage	Caused others to get hurt	Let offender get away	Made situation worse in other ways	Not available
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>668,560</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>68.7 %</b>	<b>9.5 %</b>	<b>1.2 %*</b>	<b>2.1 %*</b>	<b>1.0 %*</b>	<b>16.3 %</b>	<b>1.1 %*</b>
Robbery	72,620	100	40.4	24.6 *	3.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	24.4 *	7.1 *
Assault	569,460	100	73.0	6.7	0.9 *	2.5 *	1.2 *	15.2	0.4 *
Aggravated	114,800	100	72.2	11.8 *	4.7 *	0.0 *	2.0 *	9.3 *	0.0 *
Simple	454,660	100	73.2	5.4 *	0.0 *	3.2 *	1.0 *	16.7	0.5 *

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

Excludes victimizations in which no self-protective actions were taken.

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

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

Table 75. Personal robbery and assault, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations in which victims sustained physical injury,  
by selected characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of all victims who sustained physical injury		
	Robbery and assault	Robbery	Assault
<b>Gender</b>			
Both genders	25.8 %	30.9 %	25.0 %
Male	23.8	33.2	22.3
Female	28.6	26.1	28.8
<b>Age</b>			
12-15	29.0	32.9 *	28.7
16-19	27.1	22.6	27.7
20-34	26.7	30.5	26.1
35-49	23.3	28.6	22.6
50-64	21.6	42.4	17.6
65 and over	19.1 *	45.9 *	12.7 *
<b>Race/b</b>			
White	25.4	30.7	24.7
Black	26.0	29.2	25.2
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>			
Strangers	20.7	32.4	17.9
Nonstrangers	30.9	25.6	31.2
<b>Income/b</b>			
Less than \$7,500	35.1	29.5 *	35.9
\$7,500-\$14,999	27.2	28.0 *	27.1
\$15,000-\$24,999	31.8	27.5 *	32.3
\$25,000-\$34,999	25.7	34.4	24.2
\$35,000-\$49,999	24.3	36.6	23.1
\$50,000-\$74,999	19.0	26.4	17.6
\$75,000 or more	23.0	34.5	21.9

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

a/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

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

Table 76. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victims receiving medical care,  
by type of crime and where care was received**

Type of crime	Number of locations where victims received medical care	Percent distribution of where care was received							
		Total	At the scene	At home or neighbor's or friend's home	Health unit at work or first-aid station	Doctor's office or health clinic	Emergency room at hospital; emergency clinic	Hospital	Other
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>975,250</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>29.9 %</b>	<b>2.7 %</b>	<b>8.8 %</b>	<b>34.1 %</b>	<b>12.7 %</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>
Completed violence	915,880	100	6.8	29.7	2.8	9.0	33.8	12.8	4.5
Attempted/threatened violence	59,380	100	8.4 *	33.9 *	0.0 *	5.0 *	39.2 *	9.8 *	3.8 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	84,050	100	0.0 *	29.3 *	0.0 *	19.4 *	34.8	12.8 *	3.8 *
Robbery	171,310	100	4.3 *	18.1	0.0 *	5.1 *	46.0	19.3	4.1 *
Completed/property taken	129,410	100	1.8 *	14.2 *	0.0 *	4.5 *	50.7	21.1	3.8 *
Attempted to take property	41,900	100	11.9 *	30.2 *	0.0 *	7.1 *	31.6 *	13.8 *	5.3 *
Assault	719,890	100	8.3	32.8	3.6	8.4	31.2	11.1	4.6
Aggravated	282,950	100	3.7 *	23.0	3.6 *	4.6 *	45.1	14.2	5.7 *
Simple	436,950	100	11.2	39.2	3.6 *	10.8	22.2	9.0	3.9 *

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

Some respondents may have received medical attention at more than one location.

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

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

Table 77. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations in which victims incurred medical expenses, by selected characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of victimizations		
	Crimes of violence/a	Robbery	Assault
<b>Race</b>			
All races/b	7.6 %	14.5 %	5.9 %
White	7.2	14.8	5.5
Black	8.3	12.8	6.3
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>			
Strangers	7.6	13.9	5.9
Nonstrangers	7.7	16.4	5.8

Note: Data includes victimizations in which the amount of medical expenses incurred was not ascertained.

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

b/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

Table 78. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations in which injured victims had health insurance coverage or were eligible for public medical services, by selected characteristics of victims**

Characteristic	Percent of victimizations
<b>Race</b>	
All races/a	67.3 %
White	64.9
Black	72.4
<b>Annual family income/b</b>	
Less than \$7,500	62.1
\$7,500-\$14,999	50.0
\$15,000-\$24,999	62.2
\$25,000-\$34,999	67.7
\$35,000-\$49,999	74.1
\$50,000-\$74,999	81.7
\$75,000 or more	83.0
<b>Gender</b>	
Male	70.0
Female	64.1
<b>Age</b>	
12-15	80.2
16-19	71.0
20-24	64.8
25-34	60.6
35-49	67.1
50-64	56.1
65 and over	100.0 *

Note: Data includes only those victimizations in which the victim received medical attention.

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

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

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

Table 79. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations in which victims received hospital care, by selected characteristics of victims and type of crime**

Characteristic	Percent of victimizations		
	Crimes of violence/a	Robbery	Assault
<b>Gender</b>			
Both genders	5.9 %	12.0 %	4.8 %
Male	5.9	11.4	5.0
Female	5.9	13.2	4.4
<b>Age</b>			
12-19	3.0	2.8	2.8
20-34	6.2	14.6	5.0
35-49	8.4	12.5	6.8
50-64	8.7	18.3	6.7
65 and over	7.0	28.6 *	2.3
<b>Race/b</b>			
White	5.2	12.0	4.3
Black	7.8	10.9	6.2
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>			
Strangers	6.7	12.0	5.2
Nonstrangers	5.1	12.1	4.4

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

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

b/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Table 80. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations in which injured victims received hospital care, by selected characteristics of victims, type of crime and type of hospital care**

Characteristic and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of injured victims receiving care						
		Total	Emergency room care	Inpatient care				Not available
				Total	Less than 1 day	1-3 days	4 days or more	
<b>Gender</b>								
Both genders								
Crimes of violence/a	373,380	100 %	67.0 %	33.0 %	25.2 %	3.2 %*	2.0 %*	2.7 %*
Robbery	87,700	100 %	62.3	37.7	25.1 *	4.9 *	0.0 *	7.7 *
Assault	254,180	100 %	68.7	31.3	25.0	2.0 *	3.0 *	1.3 *
Male								
Crimes of violence/a	212,520	100 %	68.7	31.3	23.3	2.3 *	2.6 *	3.2 *
Robbery	56,440	100 %	66.2	33.8 *	18.3 *	3.5 *	0.0 *	11.9 *
Assault	156,090	100 %	69.5	30.5	25.1	1.8 *	3.5 *	0.0 *
Female								
Crimes of violence/a	160,860	100 %	64.7	35.3	27.6	4.3 *	1.3 *	2.1 *
Robbery	31,260	100 %	55.2 *	44.8 *	37.4 *	7.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	98,090	100 %	67.4	32.6	24.7 *	2.4 *	2.2 *	3.4 *
<b>Race/b</b>								
White								
Crimes of violence/a	266,030	100 %	62.7	37.3	26.2	4.4 *	2.9 *	3.8 *
Robbery	60,240	100 %	55.9	44.1	25.7 *	7.1 *	0.0 *	11.2 *
Assault	188,060	100 %	66.1	33.9	25.3	2.8 *	4.0 *	1.8 *
Black								
Crimes of violence/a	77,500	100 %	78.8	21.2 *	21.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	21,940 *	100 %*	82.7 *	17.3 *	17.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	47,060	100 %	77.2	22.8 *	22.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Victim-offender relationship</b>								
Involving strangers								
Crimes of violence/a	212,710	100 %	60.6	39.4	31.7	4.2 *	3.6 *	0.0 *
Robbery	68,000	100 %	61.3	38.7	32.4 *	6.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	129,480	100 %	59.1	40.9	33.2 *	1.8 *	5.9 *	0.0 *
Involving nonstrangers								
Crimes of violence/a	160,670	100 %	75.4	24.6	16.5	1.8 *	0.0 *	6.3 *
Robbery	19,700 *	100 %*	65.8 *	34.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	34.2 *
Assault	124,700	100 %	78.6	21.4	16.4 *	2.3 *	0.0 *	2.7 *

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

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

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

b/Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

Table 81. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations resulting in economic loss,  
by type of crime and type of loss**

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations resulting in economic loss						
	All economic losses	Theft losses			Damage losses		
		All theft losses	With damage	Without damage	All damage losses	With theft	Without theft
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>18.7 %</b>	<b>12.0 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>	<b>10.7 %</b>	<b>8.0 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>	<b>6.7 %</b>
Crimes of violence	15.3	8.3	1.3	7.0	8.3	1.3	7.0
Completed violence	35.3	25.6	3.9	21.6	13.7	3.9	9.7
Attempted/threatened violence	5.8	0.1 *	0.0 *	0.1 *	5.7	0.0 *	5.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	9.1 *	0.9 *	0.0 *	0.9 *	8.2 *	0.0 *	8.2 *
Robbery	74.9	71.1	11.0	60.1	14.9	11.0	3.9
Completed/property taken	100.0	100.0	15.5	84.5	15.5	15.5	...
With injury	100.0	100.0	23.7	76.3	23.7	23.7	...
Without injury	100.0	100.0	11.8	88.2	11.8	11.8	...
Attempted to take property	13.3	...	...	...	13.3	...	13.3
With injury	14.3 *	...	...	...	14.3 *	...	14.3 *
Without injury	12.9 *	...	...	...	12.9 *	...	12.9 *
Assault	7.4	...	...	...	7.4	...	7.4
Aggravated	8.0	...	...	...	7.8	...	7.8
Simple	7.3	...	...	...	7.3	...	7.3
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	96.8	96.8	0.9 *	95.9	0.9 *	0.9 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>95.0 %</b>	<b>90.3 %</b>	<b>12.0 %</b>	<b>78.3 %</b>	<b>16.8 %</b>	<b>12.0 %</b>	<b>4.7 %</b>
Household burglary	86.8	72.2	18.2	54.0	32.8	18.2	14.6
Completed	90.8	84.8	21.3	63.5	27.3	21.3	5.9
Forcible entry	93.4	79.1	54.7	24.3	69.1	54.7	14.4
Unlawful entry without force	89.3	88.0	2.8	85.2	4.1	2.8	1.2 *
Attempted forcible entry	65.4	3.3 *	0.8 *	2.6 *	62.8	0.8 *	62.0
Motor vehicle theft	92.0	68.5	12.5	56.0	36.0	12.5	23.5
Completed	100.0	100.0	18.3	81.7	18.3	18.3	...
Attempted	74.6	...	...	...	74.6	...	74.6
Theft	97.1	95.9	10.6	85.3	11.8	10.6	1.3
Completed	100.0	100.0	11.0	89.0	11.0	11.0	...
Less than \$50	100.0	100.0	4.0	96.0	4.0	4.0	...
\$50 - \$249	100.0	100.0	9.5	90.5	9.5	9.5	...
\$250 or more	100.0	100.0	24.5	75.5	24.5	24.5	...
Amount not available	100.0	100.0	10.1	89.9	10.1	10.1	...
Attempted	30.5	...	...	...	30.5	...	30.5

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

Because both theft and damage losses occurred in some victimizations, the sum of entries under "All theft losses" and "All damage losses" does not equal the entry shown under "All economic losses."

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

...Not applicable.

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



Table 82. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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Type of crime	All crimes				Crimes involving loss of \$1 or more			Crimes involving loss-no monetary value specified
	Gross loss (in millions of dollars)	Total crimes	Mean dollar loss (in millions)	Median dollar loss (in millions)	Total crimes	Mean dollar loss (in millions)	Median dollar loss (in millions)	Total crimes
<b>All crimes</b>	13,379	25,893,340	517	100	17,871,740	749	105	2,371,910
<b>Personal crimes</b>	1,569	6,596,690	238	80	1,290,240	1,216	150	613,860
Crimes of violence	1,517	6,322,730	240	80	1,043,560	1,454	170	595,440
Rape/Sexual assault	18	260,950	71	150	50,970	362	152	30,080
Rape/Attempted rape	15	147,160	99	152	40,010	365	170	30,080
Rape	6	92,440	65	150	25,320 *	238	152	27,300
Attempted rape/a	9	54,720	157	170	14,690 *	585	170	2,790 *
Sexual assault/b	4	113,790	34	70	10,960 *	351	70	0 *
Robbery	1,034	731,780	1,413	134	520,160	1,987	160	55,360
Assault	465	5,330,010	87	50	472,440	984	186	509,990
Purse snatching	17	65,890	262	150	50,130	344	180	6,910 *
Pocket picking	34	208,060	164	50	196,550	173	60	11,520 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	11,810	19,296,650	612	100	16,581,500	712	100	1,758,050
Household burglary	2,831	3,443,700	822	220	2,615,700	1,082	275	374,030
Motor vehicle theft	4,523	937,050	4,827	3,000	736,390	6,142	3,050	125,770
Theft	4,456	14,915,900	299	75	13,229,420	337	100	1,258,250
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	7,945	14,369,180	553	100	9,927,080	800	110	1,232,760
Female	5,434	11,524,170	472	90	7,944,660	684	100	1,139,160
<b>Race</b>								
White	11,041	21,091,720	523	90	14,592,250	757	100	1,813,370
Black	1,806	3,914,550	461	100	2,648,490	682	140	463,860
Other	532	887,080	600	100	631,000	843	150	94,680
<b>Ethnicity</b>								
Hispanic	1,604	2,921,340	549	110	2,079,850	771	150	211,930
Non-Hispanic	11,728	22,761,840	515	89	15,657,080	749	100	2,136,910
<b>Age</b>								
12-15	7	994,080	7	0	94,840	71	25	112,360
16-19	270	1,629,380	166	80	725,160	372	100	106,780
20-24	1,527	2,811,700	543	100	1,798,750	849	150	241,820
25-34	2,983	5,248,510	568	100	3,566,740	836	140	488,250
35-49	5,351	9,550,170	560	80	7,360,250	727	100	853,540
50-64	2,303	4,062,320	567	100	3,097,730	744	120	361,680
65 and over	938	1,597,170	587	60	1,228,280	764	100	207,480
<b>Income</b>								
Less than \$7,500	521	1,988,800	262	80	1,225,970	425	120	234,400
\$7,500-\$14,999	714	2,365,920	302	80	1,544,010	463	100	251,600
\$15,000-\$24,999	1,539	3,422,580	450	89	2,386,460	645	105	324,260
\$25,000-\$34,999	1,851	3,240,560	571	90	2,272,590	814	110	269,390
\$35,000-\$49,999	2,063	3,800,940	543	100	2,584,320	798	110	327,360
\$50,000-\$74,999	1,430	3,493,990	409	80	2,463,190	580	100	291,290
\$75,000 or more	3,080	3,954,480	779	100	2,917,960	1,056	120	280,180

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

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.

Table 83. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in economic loss,  
by race of victims, type of crime and value of loss**

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations								
		Total	No monetary value	Less than \$50	\$50-\$99	\$100-\$249	\$250-\$499	\$500-\$999	\$1000 or more	Not known and not available
<b>All races/a</b>										
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>1,233,200</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>24.6 %</b>	<b>8.8 %</b>	<b>16.0 %</b>	<b>9.2 %</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>	<b>11.2 %</b>	<b>23.6 %</b>
Crimes of violence/b	968,090	100	4.0	23.2	8.4	14.0	10.2	3.8	13.1	23.2
Completed violence	721,150	100	2.5 *	25.1	8.6	15.4	11.1	2.1 *	15.0	20.2
Attempted/threatened violence	246,940	100	8.4 *	17.8	7.8 *	10.1 *	7.5 *	8.7 *	7.7 *	32.0
Robbery	548,340	100	0.4 *	24.7	7.2	14.7	11.9	3.3 *	20.0	17.8
Completed/property taken	520,120	100	0.4 *	25.0	7.2	14.9	12.0	2.5 *	20.4	17.7
With injury	160,480	100	0.0 *	25.3	0.0 *	13.6 *	12.8 *	2.9 *	25.5	19.8
Without injury	359,640	100	0.5 *	24.8	10.3	15.5	11.7	2.3 *	18.1	16.7
Attempted to take property	28,230	100	0.0 *	20.7 *	8.3 *	10.1 *	8.9 *	18.8 *	13.5 *	19.8 *
With injury	9,400 *	100 *	0.0 *	31.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	27.7 *	40.6 *	0.0 *
Without injury	18,820 *	100 *	0.0 *	15.2 *	12.4 *	15.1 *	13.3 *	14.4 *	0.0 *	29.6 *
Assault	396,090	100	9.3	21.4	8.5	12.9	8.4	4.1 *	4.3 *	31.1
Aggravated	103,270	100	6.0 *	20.0 *	7.8 *	14.6 *	6.9 *	2.4 *	8.4 *	33.9
Simple	292,820	100	10.4	21.8	8.8	12.3	9.0	4.7 *	2.9 *	30.1
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	265,110	100	0.0 *	29.4	10.1	23.2	5.8 *	2.2 *	4.2 *	25.1
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>18,339,550</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2.3 %</b>	<b>25.4 %</b>	<b>13.0 %</b>	<b>19.5 %</b>	<b>9.8 %</b>	<b>6.9 %</b>	<b>11.6 %</b>	<b>11.6 %</b>
Household burglary	2,989,720	100	2.4	13.8	8.9	16.4	11.6	10.5	21.7	14.8
Completed	2,640,500	100	1.8	12.0	9.2	17.6	12.3	11.7	24.3	11.2
Forcible entry	969,760	100	0.9 *	5.1	4.7	10.3	10.2	10.6	37.9	20.3
Unlawful entry without force	1,670,740	100	2.2	16.0	11.8	21.9	13.5	12.4	16.4	5.9
Attempted forcible entry	349,220	100	6.8 *	27.3	6.4 *	7.2 *	6.9 *	1.2 *	1.9 *	42.4
Motor vehicle theft	862,160	100	0.4 *	0.7 *	2.3 *	7.9	3.4	6.8	62.8	15.7
Completed	641,850	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.9 *	0.7 *	5.4	81.2	11.7
Attempted	220,310	100	1.7 *	2.7 *	8.9 *	28.3	11.2 *	10.8 *	8.9 *	27.5
Theft	14,487,670	100	2.4	29.3	14.4	20.8	9.8	6.2	6.4	10.7
Completed	14,299,970	100	2.3	29.5	14.5	20.8	9.8	6.2	6.4	10.4
Attempted	187,700	100	8.4 *	12.2 *	8.6 *	24.4	8.3 *	2.2 *	7.1 *	28.7

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

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

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

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

Table 84. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in theft loss,  
by type of crime and type of property stolen**

Type of property loss	Percent of property stolen							
	Personal crimes		Crimes of violence/a		Robbery		Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,846,500</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>1,179,140</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>1,171,640</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>667,350</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Cash	499,080	27.0	285,680	24.2	283,400	24.2	213,390	32.0
Purse, wallet, credit cards	526,710	28.5	183,650	15.6	183,650	15.7	343,060	51.4
Vehicle or parts	44,660	2.4	44,660	3.8	44,660	3.8	0 *	0.0 *
Motor vehicles	24,170 *	1.3 *	24,170 *	2.1 *	24,170 *	2.1 *	0 *	0.0 *
Vehicle parts	11,870 *	0.6 *	11,870 *	1.0 *	11,870 *	1.0 *	0 *	0.0 *
Unattached vehicle accessories	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *
Bicycle or parts	8,620 *	0.5 *	8,620 *	0.7 *	8,620 *	0.7 *	0 *	0.0 *
Household furnishings	7,450 *	0.4 *	7,450 *	0.6 *	7,450 *	0.6 *	0 *	0.0 *
Personal effects	319,280	17.3	267,230	22.7	264,620	22.6	52,050	7.8
Portable electronic, photographic gear	52,070	2.8	47,450	4.0	44,840	3.8	4,620 *	0.7 *
Jewelry, clothing	131,230	7.1	122,550	10.4	122,550	10.5	8,690 *	1.3 *
Other personal effects	135,980	7.4	97,230	8.2	97,230	8.3	38,750	5.8
Firearms	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *
Tools, machinery	30,530	1.7	30,530	2.6	30,530	2.6	0 *	0.0 *
Other	54,840	3.0	48,040	4.1	48,040	4.1	6,800 *	1.0 *
Don't know	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *

Type of property loss	Percent of victimizations resulting in theft loss							
	Property crimes		Household burglary		Motor vehicle theft		Theft	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>37,753,490</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>6,401,080</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>1,855,770</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>29,496,640</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Cash	2,613,580	6.9	469,350	7.3	13,920 *	0.7 *	2,130,310	7.2
Purse, wallet, credit cards	2,579,810	6.8	200,110	3.1	29,390	1.6	2,350,310	8.0
Vehicle or parts	4,583,330	12.1	284,980	4.5	693,320	37.4	3,605,020	12.2
Motor vehicles	670,370	1.8	21,690 *	0.3 *	641,850	34.6	6,830 *	0.0 *
Vehicle parts	1,982,670	5.3	55,760	0.9	31,310	1.7	1,895,590	6.4
Unattached vehicle accessories	564,850	1.5	35,200	0.5	20,150 *	1.1 *	509,500	1.7
Bicycle or parts	1,365,430	3.6	172,330	2.7	0 *	0.0 *	1,193,100	4.0
Household furnishings	1,122,670	3.0	596,560	9.3	13,010 *	0.7 *	513,100	1.7
Personal effects	8,985,410	23.8	1,850,510	28.9	183,800	9.9	6,951,100	23.6
Portable electronic, photographic gear	2,924,800	7.7	572,080	8.9	56,830	3.1	2,295,900	7.8
Jewelry, clothing	2,843,890	7.5	707,910	11.1	49,040	2.6	2,086,940	7.1
Other personal effects	3,216,720	8.5	570,520	8.9	77,920	4.2	2,568,270	8.7
Firearms	174,680	0.5	106,470	1.7	0 *	0.0 *	68,210	0.2
Tools, machinery	1,690,290	4.5	449,700	7.0	32,930	1.8	1,207,660	4.1
Other	2,434,980	6.4	307,900	4.8	12,280 *	0.7 *	2,114,800	7.2
Don't know	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	0 *	0.0 *

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

Some respondents may have cited multiple items as being stolen.

\*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 85. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in theft loss,  
by race of victims, type of crime and value of loss**

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations resulting in theft loss								
		Total	No monetary value	Less than \$50	\$50-\$99	\$100-\$249	\$250-\$499	\$500-\$999	\$1,000 or more	Not known and not available
<b>All races/a</b>										
<b>All personal crimes/b</b>	<b>787,510</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>	<b>27.0 %</b>	<b>9.2 %</b>	<b>18.3 %</b>	<b>9.0 %</b>	<b>4.0 %</b>	<b>14.2 %</b>	<b>18.1 %</b>
Robbery	520,120	100	0.4 *	25.9	8.8	15.4	10.7	5.0	19.4	14.5
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	265,110	100	0.0 *	29.4	10.1	23.2	5.8 *	2.2 *	4.2 *	25.1
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>17,428,060</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2.2 %</b>	<b>26.8 %</b>	<b>13.7 %</b>	<b>20.8 %</b>	<b>10.1 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>	<b>11.2 %</b>	<b>7.9 %</b>
Household burglary	2,486,230	100	1.4	12.7	9.0	19.6	13.7	13.2	24.4	6.0
Motor vehicle theft	641,850	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.9 *	1.1 *	6.8	81.2	9.9
Theft	14,299,970	100	2.4	30.5	15.1	22.0	9.8	6.4	5.7	8.1
<b>White</b>										
<b>All personal crimes/b</b>	<b>549,130</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>0.4 %*</b>	<b>25.1 %</b>	<b>8.6 %</b>	<b>16.8 %</b>	<b>9.7 %</b>	<b>4.8 %</b>	<b>15.3 %</b>	<b>19.3 %</b>
Robbery	350,640	100	0.6 *	22.7	9.3	11.8	11.5	5.9 *	21.4	16.9
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	196,210	100	0.0 *	29.5	7.6 *	24.8	6.7 *	3.0 *	4.6 *	23.8
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>14,298,000</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>2.2 %</b>	<b>27.8 %</b>	<b>13.9 %</b>	<b>20.5 %</b>	<b>9.9 %</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>	<b>11.1 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>
Household burglary	1,924,810	100	1.6	13.7	9.2	18.7	13.8	12.9	24.8	5.4
Motor vehicle theft	510,250	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.2 *	0.9 *	7.7	79.3	11.0
Theft	11,862,940	100	2.4	31.3	15.3	21.6	9.6	6.3	6.0	7.5
<b>Black</b>										
<b>All personal crimes/b</b>	<b>199,390</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>33.7 %</b>	<b>8.2 %*</b>	<b>24.7 %</b>	<b>8.7 %*</b>	<b>2.7 %*</b>	<b>9.0 %*</b>	<b>13.0 %</b>
Robbery	145,600	100	0.0 *	32.4	6.9 *	25.0	10.4 *	3.7 *	12.3 *	9.3 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	53,790	100	0.0 *	37.1 *	11.8 *	24.0 *	4.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	22.9 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>2,518,840</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>23.3 %</b>	<b>11.9 %</b>	<b>22.7 %</b>	<b>10.8 %</b>	<b>8.3 %</b>	<b>10.6 %</b>	<b>10.9 %</b>
Household burglary	451,650	100	1.1 *	8.9	8.6	24.3	14.8	14.6	20.8	6.9
Motor vehicle theft	109,590	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	2.2 *	4.4 *	86.5	6.8 *
Theft	1,957,610	100	1.8	27.9	13.3	23.6	10.4	7.0	4.0	12.0

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

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

a/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

b/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately, but excludes data on assault, which by definition does not involve theft.

Table 86. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in theft loss,  
by race of victims, type of crime and proportion of loss recovered**

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations resulting in theft loss							
		Total	None recovered/a	Some recovered			All recovered	Not available	
				Total	Less than half	Half or more			Proportion unknown/b
<b>All races/c</b>									
<b>All personal crimes/d</b>	<b>787,510</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>79.5 %</b>	<b>10.4 %</b>	<b>2.2 %*</b>	<b>3.5 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>8.8 %</b>	<b>1.3 %*</b>
Robbery	520,120	100	79.8	7.0	0.4 *	3.7 *	2.9 *	11.2	2.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	265,110	100	78.8	17.0	5.7 *	3.1 *	8.2 *	4.3 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>17,428,060</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>87.1 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>	<b>7.0 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>
Household burglary	2,486,230	100	91.4	4.3	1.7	1.5	1.1	3.3	1.0
Motor vehicle theft	641,850	100	31.5	17.0	4.1	8.9	4.0	50.3	1.2 *
Theft	14,299,970	100	88.8	3.9	1.3	1.2	1.3	5.7	1.6
<b>White</b>									
<b>All personal crimes/d</b>	<b>549,130</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>76.6 %</b>	<b>11.5 %</b>	<b>2.8 %*</b>	<b>3.8 %*</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>10.5 %</b>	<b>1.3 %*</b>
Robbery	350,640	100	76.5	7.0 *	0.0 *	3.7 *	3.4 *	14.4	2.1 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	196,210	100	76.4	19.8	7.8 *	4.2 *	7.8 *	3.8 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>14,298,000</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>86.6 %</b>	<b>4.6 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>
Household burglary	1,924,810	100	91.3	3.8	1.5	1.3 *	1.1 *	3.7	1.2 *
Motor vehicle theft	510,250	100	30.5	18.2	4.7 *	9.1	4.5 *	50.9	0.4 *
Theft	11,862,940	100	88.3	4.1	1.4	1.3	1.4	6.2	1.4
<b>Black</b>									
<b>All personal crimes/d</b>	<b>199,390</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>86.2 %</b>	<b>8.0 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>3.3 %*</b>	<b>4.7 %*</b>	<b>4.4 %*</b>	<b>1.4 %*</b>
Robbery	145,600	100	88.0	6.7 *	0.0 *	4.6 *	2.1 *	3.4 *	1.9 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	53,790	100	81.2	11.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	11.6 *	7.2 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>2,518,840</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>88.7 %</b>	<b>4.0 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>2.1 %</b>
Household burglary	451,650	100	91.0	7.1	3.0 *	2.5 *	1.6 *	1.8 *	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	109,590	100	40.6	14.7 *	2.2 *	9.9 *	2.6 *	39.7	5.0 *
Theft	1,957,610	100	90.8	2.7	1.0 *	0.9 *	0.8 *	4.0	2.4

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

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

a/Includes items that were taken that had no value.

b/Includes items that were recovered that had no value.

c/Includes data on persons of "Other" races, not shown separately.

d/Includes data on rape and sexual assault, not shown separately, but excludes data on assault, which by definition does not involve theft.

Table 87. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent of victimizations resulting in loss of time from work, by type of crime**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>8.8 %</b>
Crimes of violence	8.7
Completed violence	15.6
Attempted/threatened violence	5.4
Rape/Sexual assault/b	11.1
Robbery	14.6
Completed/property taken	15.8
With injury	27.5
Without injury	10.5
Attempted to take property	11.9 *
With injury	28.2 *
Without injury	4.5 *
Assault	7.8
Aggravated	12.0
Simple	6.4
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>
Household burglary	6.4
Completed	7.1
Forcible entry	14.3
Unlawful entry without force	3.2
Attempted forcible entry	2.5 *
Motor vehicle theft	18.6
Completed	22.6
Attempted	9.9
Theft	3.9
Completed	3.9
Less than \$50	1.7
\$50 - \$249	2.9
\$250 or more	8.9
Amount not available	4.2
Attempted	3.0 *

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

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

a/Includes data on purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

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

Table 88. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent of victimizations resulting in loss of time  
from work, by type of crime and race of victims**

Type of crime	Percent of all victimizations	
	White	Black
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>8.6 %</b>	<b>10.0 %</b>
Crimes of violence	8.5	9.9
Completed violence	16.0	15.0
Attempted/threatened violence	5.1	7.1
Rape/Sexual assault/b	11.9	9.5 *
Robbery	14.9	13.3
Assault	7.6	9.0
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>
Completed	5.1	5.6
Attempted	4.5	1.5 *
Household burglary	6.6	5.6
Motor vehicle theft	19.0	13.3 *
Theft	3.8	4.3

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

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

a/Includes data on purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

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

Table 89. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in loss of time from work,  
by type of crime and number of days lost**

Type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations					
		Total	Less than 1 day	1-5 days	6-10 days	11 days or more	Not known and not available
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>583,580</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>22.2 %</b>	<b>54.2 %</b>	<b>5.8 %</b>	<b>12.4 %</b>	<b>5.3 %</b>
Crimes of violence	549,400	100	22.3	53.4	6.2	13.2	4.9
Completed violence	319,190	100	9.9	58.7	8.9	17.4	5.1 *
Attempted/threatened violence	230,210	100	39.6	46.0	2.5 *	7.4 *	4.6 *
Rape/Sexual assault/b	28,990	100	0.0 *	53.8 *	9.4 *	36.8 *	0.0 *
Robbery	107,140	100	12.3 *	63.8	10.0 *	7.6 *	6.3 *
Assault	413,270	100	26.5	50.6	5.0 *	13.0	4.9 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>977,340</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>41.8 %</b>	<b>48.7 %</b>	<b>3.8 %</b>	<b>2.4 %*</b>	<b>3.4 %</b>
Completed	916,270	100	41.5	48.6	3.8	2.6 *	3.6
Attempted	61,070	100	46.4	50.1	3.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Household burglary	221,180	100	22.6	64.2	7.0 *	2.0 *	4.2 *
Motor vehicle theft	174,220	100	24.8	61.5	7.5 *	3.8 *	2.4 *
Theft	581,940	100	54.1	39.0	1.4 *	2.2 *	3.3 *

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

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

a/Includes data on purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

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



Table 90. Selected personal and property crimes, 2000:

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**Percent distribution of victimizations resulting in loss of time  
from work, by race of victims, type of crime and number of days lost**

Race and type of crime	Number of victimizations	Percent of victimizations					Not known and not available
		Total	Less than 1 day	1-5 days	6-10 days	11 days or more	
<b>White</b>							
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>461,670</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>24.7 %</b>	<b>49.6 %</b>	<b>6.1 %</b>	<b>14.5 %</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>
Crimes of violence	436,180	100	24.7	48.7	6.5	15.3	4.8 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>789,610</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>44.7 %</b>	<b>45.3 %</b>	<b>3.6 %</b>	<b>2.3 %</b>	<b>4.2 %</b>
Household burglary	177,590	100	26.9	59.2	6.1 *	2.5 *	5.2 *
Motor vehicle theft	136,660	100	21.3	64.5	8.1 *	3.0 *	3.0 *
Theft	475,360	100	58.0	34.6	1.4 *	2.0 *	4.1 *
<b>Black</b>							
<b>All personal crimes/a</b>	<b>104,430</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>9.3 %*</b>	<b>79.2 %</b>	<b>2.9 %*</b>	<b>5.4 %*</b>	<b>3.2 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	97,820	100	9.9 *	77.8	3.0 *	5.8 *	3.4 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>147,260</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>22.3 %</b>	<b>71.0 %</b>	<b>3.1 %*</b>	<b>3.6 %*</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>
Household burglary	36,270	100	6.0 *	81.3	12.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	23,770 *	100 *	19.3 *	70.5 *	0.0 *	10.3 *	0.0 *
Theft	87,220	100	29.9	66.9	0.0 *	3.2 *	0.0 *

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

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races.

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

a/Includes data on rape, sexual assault, robbery, assault, and purse snatching/pocket picking, not shown separately.

Table 91. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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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>25,893,340</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>38.7 %</b>	<b>60.3 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>
<b>Personal crimes</b>	<b>6,596,690</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>47.4 %</b>	<b>51.3 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>
Crimes of violence	6,322,730	100	47.9	50.7	1.4
Completed violence	2,044,050	100	58.2	41.0	0.8 *
Attempted/threatened violence	4,278,690	100	43.0	55.3	1.7
Rape/Sexual assault	260,950	100	48.1	49.8	2.1 *
Rape/Attempted rape	147,160	100	61.9	38.1	0.0 *
Rape	92,440	100	57.9	42.1	0.0 *
Attempted rape/b	54,720	100	68.8	31.2 *	0.0 *
Sexual assault/c	113,790	100	30.2	65.0	4.8 *
Robbery	731,780	100	56.3	43.7	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	520,120	100	61.8	38.2	0.0 *
With injury	160,480	100	75.8	24.2	0.0 *
Without injury	359,640	100	55.6	44.4	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	211,660	100	42.7	57.3	0.0 *
With injury	65,700	100	38.5 *	61.5	0.0 *
Without injury	145,960	100	44.6	55.4	0.0 *
Assault	5,330,010	100	46.7	51.7	1.6
Aggravated	1,292,510	100	56.7	41.0	2.3
With injury	346,090	100	63.9	36.1	0.0 *
Threatened with weapon	946,420	100	54.0	42.8	3.1
Simple	4,037,500	100	43.6	55.1	1.3
With minor injury	989,020	100	56.8	42.2	1.0 *
Without injury	3,048,480	100	39.3	59.3	1.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	273,960	100	35.0	65.0	0.0 *
Completed purse snatching	57,040	100	59.8	40.2 *	0.0 *
Attempted purse snatching	8,850 *	100 *	25.6 *	74.4 *	0.0 *
Pocket picking	208,060	100	28.6	71.4	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,296,650</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>35.7 %</b>	<b>63.4 %</b>	<b>0.9 %</b>
Household burglary	3,443,700	100	50.7	48.6	0.7 *
Completed	2,909,460	100	52.4	46.9	0.7 *
Forcible entry	1,037,860	100	74.4	24.6	1.0 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,871,600	100	40.2	59.3	0.5 *
Attempted forcible entry	534,240	100	41.8	57.8	0.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	100	80.4	19.4	0.2 *
Completed	641,850	100	90.7	9.3	0.0 *
Attempted	295,200	100	58.2	41.2	0.6 *
Theft	14,915,900	100	29.5	69.5	1.0
Completed	14,299,970	100	29.3	69.8	0.9
Less than \$50	4,707,270	100	14.8	84.7	0.5 *
\$50 - \$249	5,296,630	100	26.7	72.4	0.9
\$250 or more	3,176,630	100	53.7	45.4	0.9
Amount not available	1,119,440	100	33.6	63.9	2.5
Attempted	615,930	100	33.4	63.3	3.3 *

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, 2000:

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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>47.9 %</b>	<b>35.7 %</b>
<b>Male</b>		
White	42.2	35.7
Black	45.6	35.5
<b>Female</b>		
White	54.6	35.4
Black	55.8	37.6
<b>Male</b>		
Hispanic	47.7	33.8
Non-Hispanic	42.1	35.8
<b>Female</b>		
Hispanic	61.2	31.1
Non-Hispanic	53.7	36.6

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, 2000:

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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	47.4 %	47.9 %	35.0 %
Male	42.6	42.9	31.5
Female	53.6	54.5	37.5
<b>Race</b>			
White	47.2	47.5	39.9
Black	48.7	50.1	22.4 *
<b>Ethnicity</b>			
Hispanic	52.4	53.3	40.6 *
Non-Hispanic	46.6	47.1	33.8

\*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, 2000:

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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>47.9 %</b>	<b>42.9 %</b>	<b>54.5 %</b>	<b>47.4 %</b>	<b>45.1 %</b>	<b>52.4 %</b>	<b>48.4 %</b>	<b>39.7 %</b>	<b>55.8 %</b>
Completed violence	58.2	52.6	63.9	60.9	58.9	64.9	55.9	43.2	63.5
Attempted/threatened violence	43.0	39.1	48.9	41.8	39.6	46.7	44.3	38.3	50.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	48.1	56.4 *	47.6	48.7	28.9 *	50.3	47.6	100.0 *	45.5
Robbery	56.3	48.8	71.8	56.7	50.3	73.9	54.7	41.3	67.8
Completed/property taken	61.8	55.8	72.3	65.9	60.5	77.7	47.4	31.1 *	61.2
With injury	75.8	69.8	88.1	70.2	66.2	81.6	100.0	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	55.6	48.9	66.3	63.9	57.5	76.3	28.9 *	11.6 *	45.1 *
Attempted to take property	42.7	35.1	69.9	34.1	29.9	55.9 *	72.6	60.9 *	88.7 *
With injury	38.5 *	35.8 *	53.8 *	29.3 *	27.8 *	46.8 *	80.9 *	100.0 *	59.2 *
Without injury	44.6	34.7	74.2	36.4	31.1	57.6 *	69.8 *	49.5 *	100.0 *
Assault	46.7	41.9	53.5	45.2	44.0	48.2	48.1	39.4	56.1
Aggravated	56.7	53.7	64.0	55.9	53.1	65.2	58.0	54.9	62.8
With injury	63.9	61.0	69.6	66.8	68.5	59.0 *	61.2	50.4	73.4
Threatened with weapon	54.0	51.2	61.5	53.0	48.7	66.5	56.1	56.9	54.5
Simple	43.6	37.0	51.3	40.2	38.9	42.7	46.0	35.1	55.1
With minor injury	56.8	45.8	66.4	54.7	51.0	64.0	57.6	41.8	66.9
Without injury	39.3	34.6	45.3	37.3	36.2	39.3	41.0	32.9	48.8

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, 2000:

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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>6,896,790</b>	<b>35.7 %</b>	<b>3,786,130</b>	<b>35.6 %</b>	<b>3,110,660</b>	<b>35.9 %</b>
Household burglary	1,747,290	50.7	857,480	48.8	889,820	52.7
Completed	1,524,100	52.4	746,350	49.5	777,750	55.5
Forcible entry	772,140	74.4	356,500	72.2	415,640	76.4
Unlawful entry/without force	751,960	40.2	389,850	38.4	362,110	42.3
Attempted forcible entry	223,190	41.8	111,120	44.9	112,070	39.1
Motor vehicle theft	753,770	80.4	449,120	81.2	304,650	79.4
Completed	582,000	90.7	352,780	94.0	229,220	86.0
Attempted	171,760	58.2	96,330	54.0	75,430	64.5
Theft	4,395,730	29.5	2,479,540	29.8	1,916,180	29.1
Completed	4,190,100	29.3	2,350,930	29.5	1,839,160	29.0
Less than \$50	695,630	14.8	365,200	14.0	330,430	15.8
\$50 - \$249	1,413,450	26.7	760,540	26.8	652,920	26.6
\$250 or more	1,704,850	53.7	1,018,500	54.2	686,340	52.9
Amount not available	376,170	33.6	206,690	33.2	169,480	34.1
Attempted	205,630	33.4	128,610	34.7	77,020	31.5

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

Table 94. Violent crimes, 2000:

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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
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>47.5 %</b>	<b>50.1 %</b>	<b>47.2 %</b>	<b>47.8 %</b>	<b>47.7 %</b>	<b>52.5 %</b>
Completed violence	58.5	58.8	62.6	53.9	55.4	64.2
Attempted/threatened violence	42.5	45.3	41.5	44.2	43.5	46.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	46.8	55.8 *	46.7	57.7 *	47.0	53.4 *
Robbery	58.8	48.1	60.7	46.7	53.3	57.3 *
Completed/property taken	65.3	50.5	71.6	53.0	48.7	31.2 *
With injury	79.6	63.7 *	73.5	61.3 *	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	59.0	45.5	70.7	49.6	30.9 *	19.1 *
Attempted to take property	43.7	42.1 *	36.9	29.1 *	65.0 *	100.0 *
With injury	39.3 *	36.6 *	33.0 *	19.7 *	71.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	45.7	45.0 *	38.8	33.7 *	63.5 *	100.0 *
Assault	46.2	50.4	44.9	47.8	47.4	52.2
Aggravated	55.9	61.8	55.4	57.6	56.8	66.5
With injury	63.3	74.7	66.1	69.8 *	60.6	79.2
Threatened with weapon	53.3	56.3	52.7	53.3	54.6	60.2
Simple	43.3	45.7	40.1	42.1	45.6	47.9
With minor injury	56.7	62.6	54.9	51.3 *	57.4	64.4
Without injury	39.0	40.6	37.1	41.3	40.6	40.1

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, 2000:

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**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>53.3 %</b>	<b>47.1 %</b>	<b>52.4 %</b>	<b>46.6 %</b>	<b>54.4 %</b>	<b>47.6 %</b>
Completed violence	63.2	57.6	63.2	60.6	63.1	55.2
Attempted/threatened violence	48.4	42.1	46.1	41.1	50.7	43.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	25.1 *	47.8	0.0 *	48.5	100.0 *	47.3
Robbery	56.7	56.3	54.0	57.8	79.9 *	51.8
Completed/property taken	69.2	60.5	66.3	66.5	100.0 *	42.3
With injury	64.0 *	78.2	55.3 *	73.2	100.0 *	100.0 *
Without injury	71.5	52.4	70.4	63.0	100.0 *	24.7 *
Attempted to take property	22.4 *	46.4	17.5 *	37.4	49.1 *	75.3
With injury	23.6 *	41.3 *	23.6 *	30.6 *	0.0 *	80.9 *
Without injury	21.8 *	48.7	13.8 *	40.6	49.1 *	73.2 *
Assault	53.2	45.9	53.6	44.2	52.9	47.3
Aggravated	64.7	55.4	64.0	54.1	66.4	57.4
With injury	66.7 *	63.3	58.1 *	67.5	80.2 *	59.7
Threatened with weapon	64.0	52.5	65.7	50.6	59.5 *	56.0
Simple	49.5	42.9	47.0	39.7	50.9	45.2
With minor injury	57.2	57.3	63.3 *	54.8	54.6	58.2
Without injury	47.1	38.1	42.9	36.8	49.6	39.3

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, 2000:

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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>35.3 %</b>	<b>51.8 %</b>	<b>54.3 %</b>	<b>53.3 %</b>	<b>53.3 %</b>
Crimes of violence	36.1	52.4	54.9	53.0	54.6
Completed violence	47.3	61.9	65.5	64.3	72.7 *
Attempted/threatened violence	30.3	47.6	50.2	48.7	48.3
Rape/Sexual assault/a	55.2	42.3	50.6 *	26.9 *	47.8 *
Robbery	34.9	59.8	69.2	60.1	75.8 *
Completed/property taken	38.8	67.7	71.9	66.3	73.6 *
With injury	37.0 *	86.0	93.1	64.4 *	100.0 *
Without injury	39.4	59.1	63.2	67.8 *	53.2 *
Attempted to take property	26.7 *	36.3 *	61.8	49.0 *	79.8 *
With injury	39.3 *	22.2 *	42.7 *	36.1 *	100.0 *
Without injury	21.1 *	41.3 *	69.0 *	58.6 *	59.6 *
Assault	35.1	51.8	53.0	52.5	49.9
Aggravated	43.2	62.8	63.0	64.7	44.4 *
With injury	48.0	65.8	69.9	89.9 *	100.0 *
Threatened with weapon	41.5	61.6	60.3	58.1	26.8 *
Simple	32.7	48.3	49.6	48.5	52.2
With minor injury	48.9	61.4	62.2	62.5	56.0 *
Without injury	26.1	43.8	46.3	45.7	51.9
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	15.6 *	36.1	38.6 *	62.8 *	49.5 *

\*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, 2000:

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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
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>35.7 %</b>	<b>35.5 %</b>	<b>36.7 %</b>	<b>32.6 %</b>	<b>36.2 %</b>	<b>36.0 %</b>	<b>35.5 %</b>	<b>39.4 %</b>	<b>33.8 %</b>	<b>36.3 %</b>
Household burglary	50.7	49.5	55.4	49.0	51.0	52.6	52.1	53.9	52.6	52.6
Completed	52.4	51.3	56.8	51.8	52.4	53.9	53.8	53.0	53.1	53.9
Forcible entry	74.4	75.4	70.5	73.6	74.5	76.0	78.7	66.8	75.5	76.0
Unlawful entry without force	40.2	38.9	45.4	35.3	40.7	40.0	39.4	37.9	29.4 *	40.7
Attempted forcible entry	41.8	39.0	50.5	36.9	42.7	45.2	41.7	58.1	50.0 *	45.1
Motor vehicle theft	80.4	81.5	76.0	79.8	80.6	83.4	83.5	81.8	87.9	82.5
Completed	90.7	90.0	92.1	95.8	89.5	93.5	92.3	100.0	100.0	92.1
Attempted	58.2	60.8	50.4	52.8	59.9	58.1	59.4	49.6 *	56.7 *	58.3
Theft	29.5	29.9	27.4	22.9	30.3	29.8	29.6	31.4	23.6	30.4
Completed	29.3	29.5	27.9	22.8	30.1	29.6	29.3	32.3	23.7	30.3
Less than \$50	14.8	14.8	16.7	11.1	15.2	14.4	14.6	14.2	10.5 *	14.7
\$50 - \$249	26.7	27.0	24.0	19.0	27.7	27.5	26.6	34.5	18.6	28.6
\$250 or more	53.7	54.8	47.7	40.1	55.5	56.8	57.5	50.2	45.3	58.0
Amount not available	33.6	33.3	31.7	27.5	34.3	33.6	32.0	38.0	32.2 *	34.1
Attempted	33.4	38.2	16.7 *	25.4 *	34.2	33.5	37.3	14.7 *	19.1 *	34.0

Type of crime	Percent of victimizations reported to the police				
	Rented				
	All house- holds/a	White	Black	Hispanic	Non- Hispanic
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>35.3 %</b>	<b>35.6 %</b>	<b>34.8 %</b>	<b>31.6 %</b>	<b>36.0 %</b>
Household burglary	48.4	45.8	56.6	46.5	48.8
Completed	50.5	47.7	60.0	50.8	50.5
Forcible entry	71.9	69.6	74.7	71.7	72.0
Unlawful entry without force	40.4	38.2	50.5	38.7	40.6
Attempted forcible entry	38.2	35.2	46.4	28.8 *	40.1
Motor vehicle theft	77.2	79.0	72.6	73.2	78.4
Completed	87.3	86.8	87.2	91.3	86.4
Attempted	58.3	62.2	50.9 *	50.8 *	61.5
Theft	29.0	30.3	24.4	22.2	30.0
Completed	28.8	29.8	24.7	22.0	29.8
Less than \$50	15.4	15.1	18.3	11.7 *	16.0
\$50 - \$249	25.5	27.8	14.1	19.4	26.5
\$250 or more	49.8	51.0	46.2	35.7	52.2
Amount not available	33.6	36.0	27.5	23.9 *	34.6
Attempted	33.3	39.6	18.5 *	27.3 *	34.5

\*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, 2000:

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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>35.7 %</b>	<b>36.0 %</b>	<b>35.3 %</b>
Household burglary	50.7	52.6	48.4
Completed	52.4	53.9	50.5
Forcible entry	74.4	76.0	71.9
Unlawful entry without force	40.2	40.0	40.4
Attempted forcible entry	41.8	45.2	38.2
Motor vehicle theft	80.4	83.4	77.2
Completed	90.7	93.5	87.3
Attempted	58.2	58.1	58.3
Theft	29.5	29.8	29.0
Completed	29.3	29.6	28.8
Less than \$50	14.8	14.4	15.4
\$50 - \$249	26.7	27.5	25.5
\$250 or more	53.7	56.8	49.8
Amount not available	33.6	33.6	33.6
Attempted	33.4	33.5	33.3

Table 99. Property crimes, 2000:

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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
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>34.7 %</b>	<b>32.0 %</b>	<b>36.8 %</b>	<b>36.1 %</b>	<b>38.7 %</b>	<b>34.6 %</b>	<b>35.0 %</b>
Household burglary	41.5	38.6	54.0	55.8	56.6	44.9	54.1
Completed	41.1	42.2	55.9	55.3	60.8	47.0	55.3
Forcible entry	60.9	58.8	76.7	74.5	86.7	73.1	79.9
Unlawful entry without force	32.5	31.9	44.3	40.9	46.4	34.6	43.5
Attempted forcible entry	43.0	23.3 *	43.6	57.9	38.9	32.9 *	43.4 *
Motor vehicle theft	83.7	74.3	82.9	81.9	78.8	74.6	92.5
Completed	91.8	79.6	88.3	91.1	89.5	91.2	97.8
Attempted	64.4 *	58.8 *	64.6 *	59.3 *	50.2 *	61.2	67.0 *
Theft	29.3	26.3	28.9	28.8	32.4	30.2	29.3
Completed	29.6	26.4	28.5	28.7	32.1	30.3	29.1
Less than \$50	21.3	16.3	16.4	15.6	11.6	14.8	12.3
\$50 - \$249	24.7	23.6	26.4	25.6	30.7	29.7	25.4
\$250 or more	43.7	48.1	49.9	53.8	59.9	56.6	56.3
Amount not available	36.2	24.1 *	36.0	32.7	47.6	34.4	35.7
Attempted	22.1 *	23.8 *	37.6	30.7 *	38.9	28.9 *	35.6

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

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

**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>34.8</b>	<b>52.3</b>	<b>90.7</b>	<b>29.3</b>
Less than \$10/c	16.8	24.3 *	0.0 *	16.2
\$10 -\$49	14.7	21.8	0.0 *	14.2
\$50-\$99	22.2	32.4	0.0 *	21.1
\$100-\$249	31.1	35.1	0.0 *	30.5
\$250-\$499	46.7	53.6	69.2 *	45.0
\$500-\$999	56.7	61.1	84.6	53.8
\$1,000 or more	79.8	83.9	93.1	68.1

\*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, 2000:

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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	Percent of reasons for reporting					
		Total	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>2,772,120</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>17.9 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>4.2 %</b>	<b>0.5 %*</b>	<b>18.6 %</b>
Crimes of violence	2,668,410	100	18.3	1.7	3.6	0.6 *	19.2
Completed violence	958,610	100	15.9	2.9	8.0	0.5 *	18.1
Attempted/threatened violence	1,709,800	100	19.6	1.0 *	1.1 *	0.6 *	19.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	121,160	100	22.0	2.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	26.7
Robbery	403,220	100	7.1	1.9 *	19.1	1.3 *	8.3
Completed/property taken	362,260	100	6.3 *	2.1 *	21.3	1.4 *	6.2 *
With injury	98,160	100	11.2 *	2.2 *	15.0 *	0.0 *	7.2 *
Without injury	264,100	100	4.5 *	2.1 *	23.6	1.9 *	5.8 *
Attempted to take property	40,960	100	13.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	26.9 *
With injury	3,250 *	100 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	37,710	100	14.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	29.2 *
Assault	2,144,040	100	20.2	1.6	0.9 *	0.5 *	20.8
Aggravated	617,670	100	15.5	1.2 *	1.9 *	0.9 *	17.3
Simple	1,526,370	100	22.1	1.8	0.5 *	0.3 *	22.2
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	103,710	100	9.2 *	0.0 *	18.9 *	0.0 *	5.2 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>7,464,350</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>7.3 %</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>	<b>26.4 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>
Household burglary	2,039,020	100	7.5	0.3 *	22.9	3.5	10.1
Completed	1,840,550	100	7.0	0.4 *	25.1	3.8	9.9
Forcible entry	914,930	100	7.5	0.3 *	21.4	4.4	9.5
Unlawful entry without force	925,620	100	6.6	0.4 *	28.8	3.2	10.2
Attempted forcible entry	198,470	100	12.2 *	0.0 *	2.5 *	0.8 *	12.6 *
Motor vehicle theft	882,860	100	6.4	0.0 *	34.0	9.0	5.0
Completed	628,180	100	4.0 *	0.0 *	46.4	9.4	5.0
Attempted	254,690	100	12.3	0.0 *	3.4 *	8.0 *	5.2 *
Theft	4,542,470	100	7.3	0.2 *	26.5	5.2	6.6
Completed	4,367,350	100	7.0	0.2 *	27.4	5.1	6.4
Attempted	175,120	100	14.3 *	0.0 *	4.4 *	8.1 *	11.8 *

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>8.1 %</b>	<b>5.4 %</b>	<b>3.5 %</b>	<b>6.7 %</b>	<b>16.1 %</b>	<b>7.3 %</b>	<b>1.5</b>
Crimes of violence	8.8	8.4	5.5	3.6	6.7	15.0	7.2	1.6
Completed violence	7.1	11.7	6.4 *	1.9	4.2	16.4	5.7	1.2 *
Attempted/threatened violence	9.7	6.5	4.9	4.6	8.1	14.3	8.1	1.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	12.6 *	14.7 *	4.6 *	2.7 *	4.2 *	10.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	8.7	10.6	13.2 *	2.3 *	5.7	17.6	2.6 *	1.7 *
Completed/property taken	8.9	11.9	14.0 *	1.8 *	6.4	15.0	2.9 *	1.8 *
With injury	7.9 *	15.0 *	14.3 *	0.0 *	4.7 *	19.9 *	0.0 *	2.7 *
Without injury	9.2 *	10.7	13.9 *	2.4 *	7.0	13.3	4.0 *	1.5 *
Attempted to take property	6.8 *	0.0 *	5.8 *	6.8 *	0.0 *	40.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
With injury	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	7.4 *	0.0 *	6.3 *	7.4 *	0.0 *	35.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	8.6	7.6	4.0	3.9	7.0	14.8	8.5	1.6
Aggravated	12.8	7.5	6.5	6.8	9.0	15.5	3.8 *	1.3 *
Simple	6.9	7.6	3.1	2.8	6.2	14.5	10.4	1.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	2.8 *	0.0 *	4.9 *	0.0 *	7.3	43.1	8.6 *	0.0 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>4.7 %</b>	<b>3.5 %</b>	<b>5.5 %</b>	<b>6.5 %</b>	<b>7.1 %</b>	<b>21.9 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>1.2</b>
Household burglary	5.5	3.6	6.7	8.4	7.5	20.1	2.9	0.9 *
Completed	5.4	3.8	6.6	7.6	7.5	19.4	2.7	0.8 *
Forcible entry	5.2	3.6	6.6	8.6	7.1	21.2	4.2	0.5 *
Unlawful entry without force	5.6	4.1	6.7	6.6	7.9	17.6	1.3 *	1.1 *
Attempted forcible entry	7.0 *	0.9 *	7.4	15.8 *	7.4	26.9	4.6 *	2.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	3.5	5.2	7.4	3.8	5.6	19.4	0.5 *	0.0 *
Completed	2.6 *	4.7	4.2 *	3.0	4.4	15.8	0.4 *	0.0 *
Attempted	5.6 *	6.5 *	15.4 *	6.0 *	8.5	28.2	0.8 *	0.0 *
Theft	4.6	3.2	4.7	6.2	7.2	23.1	3.7	1.6
Completed	4.4	3.1	4.6	6.3	7.2	23.1	3.7	1.4
Attempted	7.3 *	4.9 *	6.4 *	3.5 *	7.2	24.6	2.4 *	5.1 *

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, 2000:

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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>4,006,480</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>15.4 %</b>	<b>18.2 %</b>	<b>16.8 %</b>	<b>5.6 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	3,771,620	100	15.2	19.1	16.7	5.9	0.0 *
Completed violence	982,770	100	12.1	15.6	9.0	3.1	0.0 *
Attempted/threatened violence	2,788,840	100	16.3	20.4	19.4	6.9	0.0 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	155,320	100	3.0 *	24.2	3.1 *	2.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	422,810	100	3.9 *	8.3	16.7	3.1 *	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	245,650	100	3.5 *	4.8 *	7.6 *	2.6 *	0.0 *
With injury	58,910	100	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	186,750	100	4.6 *	6.4 *	10.0 *	3.4 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	177,160	100	4.3 *	13.1 *	29.4	3.7 *	0.0 *
With injury	66,160	100	3.5 *	12.9 *	34.9 *	3.8 *	0.0 *
Without injury	111,000	100	4.8 *	13.2 *	26.2	3.7 *	0.0 *
Assault	3,193,490	100	17.3	20.3	17.3	6.5	0.0 *
Aggravated	646,370	100	10.8	20.1	13.7	5.4	0.0 *
Simple	2,547,120	100	18.9	20.4	18.2	6.8	0.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	234,860	100	18.8	3.0 *	18.9	1.2 *	0.9 *
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>14,895,390</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>10.9 %</b>	<b>5.7 %</b>	<b>27.0 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>2.2 %</b>
Household burglary	2,059,110	100	3.8	7.2	23.9	4.3	1.9
Completed	1,660,510	100	3.2	8.1	20.9	3.6	2.3
Forcible entry	319,330	100	3.4 *	11.9	16.4	2.9 *	3.1 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,341,180	100	3.1	7.2	22.0	3.8	2.2
Attempted forcible entry	398,600	100	6.5	3.6 *	36.5	7.0	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	219,280	100	1.9 *	10.7 *	29.8	3.6 *	3.4 *
Completed	66,550	100	3.0 *	27.5 *	15.9 *	3.4 *	0.0 *
Attempted	152,730	100	1.5 *	3.4 *	35.8	3.6 *	4.9 *
Theft	12,617,010	100	12.2	5.3	27.5	2.8	2.2
Completed	12,174,440	100	12.5	5.2	26.8	2.9	2.2
Attempted	442,560	100	4.5 *	8.9	46.1	1.9 *	2.2 *

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, 2000: (continued)

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Type of crime	Percent of reasons for not reporting							
	Not aware crime occurred until later	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>All personal crimes</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>4.7 %</b>	<b>4.8 %</b>	<b>4.0 %</b>	<b>4.7 %</b>	<b>3.3 %</b>	<b>21.0 %</b>
Crimes of violence	0.4 *	0.3 *	4.1	4.6	4.1	4.9	3.3	21.5
Completed violence	0.0 *	1.2 *	6.0	5.1	6.2	8.2	4.2	29.4
Attempted/threatened violence	0.5 *	0.0 *	3.5	4.5	3.3	3.7	3.0	18.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	4.1 *	6.7 *	5.1 *	7.0 *	5.9 *	39.1
Robbery	1.2 *	2.7 *	11.6	7.9	11.4	7.0	3.4 *	22.9
Completed/property taken	0.0 *	4.6 *	15.6	10.1 *	13.8	9.4 *	3.3 *	24.8
With injury	0.0 *	0.0 *	14.4 *	11.9 *	39.1 *	6.2 *	4.3 *	24.3 *
Without injury	0.0 *	6.1 *	16.0	9.5 *	5.8 *	10.4 *	3.0 *	25.0
Attempted to take property	2.9 *	0.0 *	6.2 *	4.8 *	8.2 *	3.7 *	3.5 *	20.2
With injury	0.0 *	0.0 *	12.8 *	3.8 *	0.0 *	3.8 *	0.0 *	24.6 *
Without injury	4.7 *	0.0 *	2.2 *	5.4 *	13.0 *	3.6 *	5.6 *	17.6 *
Assault	0.3 *	0.0 *	3.1	4.1	3.0	4.5	3.2	20.4
Aggravated	0.4 *	0.0 *	4.8	5.8	7.6	4.4	3.5 *	23.3
Simple	0.2 *	0.0 *	2.7	3.7	1.9	4.5	3.1	19.7
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	6.3 *	7.2 *	14.9	7.6 *	3.7 *	1.2 *	3.4 *	13.0
<b>All property crimes</b>	<b>5.5 %</b>	<b>6.4 %</b>	<b>11.0 %</b>	<b>7.6 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>3.3 %</b>	<b>13.4 %</b>
Household burglary	8.2	4.9	11.7	9.0	5.7	0.5 *	3.0	15.8
Completed	9.0	5.9	11.0	9.7	5.8	0.6 *	3.2	16.7
Forcible entry	6.0 *	7.5 *	10.8	11.4	12.2	1.2 *	2.8 *	10.3
Unlawful entry without force	9.7	5.6	11.0	9.3	4.2	0.5 *	3.3	18.2
Attempted forcible entry	5.1 *	0.4 *	14.6	6.2 *	5.2 *	0.0 *	2.4 *	12.3
Motor vehicle theft	6.8 *	0.0 *	11.3 *	12.7	3.2 *	0.0 *	2.7 *	13.9
Completed	6.3 *	0.0 *	8.3 *	4.3 *	4.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	27.0 *
Attempted	7.0 *	0.0 *	12.6 *	16.4 *	2.8 *	0.0 *	3.8 *	8.2 *
Theft	5.0	6.8	10.9	7.2	2.7	0.7	3.4	13.0
Completed	5.1	7.0	11.0	7.3	2.7	0.7	3.4	13.1
Attempted	2.5 *	0.5 *	9.3	5.4 *	4.3 *	0.5 *	2.6 *	11.2



Table 103. Personal crimes, 2000:

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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</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>16.2 %</b>	<b>18.3 %</b>	<b>16.6 %</b>	<b>5.1 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	100	16.2	19.2	16.3	5.3	0.0 *	0.2 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	3.5 *	22.3	1.7 *	2.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	100	4.7 *	10.1	17.0	3.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	100	18.0	20.1	16.9	5.7	0.0 *	0.2 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100	16.9	2.0 *	22.6	1.7 *	1.2 *	8.7 *
<b>Black</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>11.1 %</b>	<b>17.3 %</b>	<b>16.2 %</b>	<b>7.6 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>0.8 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	100	9.4	18.1	16.9	8.2	0.0 *	0.9 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	0.0 *	26.5 *	13.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	100	2.2 *	4.5 *	14.9 *	3.2 *	0.0 *	4.1 *
Assault	100	11.9	21.7	17.6	10.0	0.0 *	0.0 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100	31.6 *	7.4 *	7.9 *	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</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>0.6 %*</b>	<b>4.8 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>3.9 %</b>	<b>4.8 %</b>	<b>3.0 %</b>	<b>20.9 %</b>
Crimes of violence	0.2 *	4.3	5.1	3.8	4.9	3.0	21.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	4.9 *	8.0 *	4.4 *	8.3 *	3.6 *	41.0
Robbery	2.1 *	12.5	10.2	10.4	6.4 *	3.3 *	20.1
Assault	0.0 *	3.3	4.4	3.0	4.6	3.0	20.8
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	7.4 *	14.4 *	7.5 *	5.1 *	1.7 *	2.5 *	8.3 *
<b>Black</b>							
<b>All personal crimes</b>	<b>0.8 %*</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>	<b>2.7 %*</b>	<b>5.9 %</b>	<b>5.4 %</b>	<b>4.1 %</b>	<b>23.5 %</b>
Crimes of violence	0.9 *	3.5 *	2.4 *	6.4	5.9	3.9 *	23.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	11.1 *	0.0 *	23.4 *	25.8 *
Robbery	4.1 *	10.3 *	2.9 *	14.4 *	8.8 *	0.0 *	30.6
Assault	0.0 *	1.7 *	2.4 *	3.9 *	5.3 *	4.1 *	21.4
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	0.0 *	16.5 *	5.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	7.4 *	23.3 *

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, 2000:

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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	1,853,320	100 %	12.5 %	16.7 %	20.3 %	5.8 %	0.0 %*	0.6 %*
Rape/Sexual assault/a	79,600	100 %	2.7 *	23.8 *	2.8 *	3.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	295,930	100 %	2.5 *	6.2 *	18.6	4.4 *	0.0 *	1.8 *
Assault	1,477,790	100 %	15.0	18.5	21.6	6.2	0.0 *	0.4 *
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	1,918,300	100 %	17.8	21.4	13.1	6.0	0.0 *	0.2 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	75,720	100 %	3.2 *	24.5 *	3.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	126,880	100 %	7.1 *	13.2 *	12.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	1,715,700	100 %	19.2	21.9	13.6	6.7	0.0 *	0.2 *

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	0.4 %*	6.9 %	5.2 %	5.5 %	3.3 %	4.0 %	18.7 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	8.0 *	9.0 *	9.9 *	7.5 *	2.8 *	29.6 *
Robbery	2.6 *	14.9	4.6 *	11.8	5.9 *	3.5 *	23.3
Assault	0.0 *	5.3	5.1	4.0	2.6	4.2	17.2
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>							
Crimes of violence	0.2 *	1.4	4.1	2.7	6.4	2.6	24.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	4.3 *	0.0 *	6.4 *	9.1 *	49.1
Robbery	2.9 *	4.1 *	15.4 *	10.5 *	9.5 *	3.1 *	21.8
Assault	0.0 *	1.3 *	3.2	2.2	6.2	2.3	23.3

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, 2000:

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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</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,274,920</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Reported to another official	1,339,600	10.9	3.7	2.7 *	12.2
Private or personal matter	709,000	5.8	8.0	11.7 *	5.3
Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	3,389,670	27.6	25.9	33.1	27.8
Not important enough	357,780	2.9	3.5	2.9 *	2.8
Insurance would not cover	283,980	2.3	2.0	0.0 *	2.4
Not aware crime occurred until later	696,150	5.7	8.8	8.4 *	5.1
Unable to recover property; no ID no.	802,990	6.5	4.5	0.0 *	7.0
Lack of proof	1,316,440	10.7	11.7	12.1 *	10.6
Police would not want to be bothered	909,370	7.4	8.8	11.2 *	7.1
Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	362,780	3.0	4.4	2.7 *	2.7
Fear of reprisal	91,630	0.7	0.6 *	0.0 *	0.8
Too inconvenient or time consuming	427,580	3.5	2.8	1.4 *	3.6
Other reasons	1,587,930	12.9	15.2	13.7 *	12.6
<b>Black</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,133,390</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
Reported to another official	220,770	10.3	4.4 *	0.0 *	11.8
Private or personal matter	109,630	5.1	3.6 *	9.5 *	5.3
Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	493,530	23.1	13.9	24.3 *	24.9
Not important enough	77,400	3.6	7.7	5.9 *	2.8
Insurance would not cover	26,740	1.3	0.6 *	13.7 *	1.0 *
Not aware crime occurred until later	105,630	5.0	7.2 *	2.9 *	4.6
Unable to recover property; no ID no.	136,930	6.4	6.4 *	0.0 *	6.6
Lack of proof	269,720	12.6	11.8	5.9 *	13.0
Police would not want to be bothered	173,720	8.1	11.3	9.4 *	7.5
Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	92,750	4.3	10.8	5.2 *	3.1
Fear of reprisal	10,940 *	0.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.6 *
Too inconvenient or time consuming	48,480	2.3	3.3 *	6.6 *	1.9
Other reasons	367,160	17.2	19.0	16.6 *	16.9

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, 2000:

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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
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>2,577,300</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>76.4 %</b>	<b>7.0 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>10.8 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>
Rape/Sexual assault/a	118,880	100	63.2	12.4 *	0.0 *	22.0	2.4 *	0.0 *
Robbery	369,490	100	80.5	4.8 *	0.0 *	7.8	4.3 *	2.7 *
Aggravated assault	568,510	100	78.0	7.3	0.1 *	11.6	1.3 *	1.7 *
Simple assault	1,520,420	100	75.9	7.0	0.0 *	10.3	0.7 *	6.1
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	95,860	100	49.5	16.8 *	0.0 *	33.6	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>6,731,790</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>65.5 %</b>	<b>7.4 %</b>	<b>0.0 %*</b>	<b>23.7 %</b>	<b>1.9 %</b>	<b>1.5 %</b>
Household burglary	1,706,960	100	82.5	3.8	0.0 *	11.6	1.3 *	0.8 *
Motor vehicle theft	719,820	100	73.0	4.3	0.0 *	18.9	2.1 *	1.7 *
Theft	4,305,020	100	57.5	9.3	0.0 *	29.3	2.0	1.7

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, 2000:

[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
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>28.3 %</b>	<b>25.7 %</b>	<b>31.1 %</b>	<b>7.5 %</b>	<b>1.4 %</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>0.9 %*</b>
Robbery	100	29.9	33.6	27.3	6.9 *	0.0 *	2.4 *	0.0 *
Aggravated assault	100	31.5	26.1	24.4	5.1 *	2.8 *	8.3	1.9 *
Simple assault	100	26.5	23.6	35.3	8.2	1.0 *	4.7	0.8 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>11.3 %</b>	<b>23.5 %</b>	<b>44.8 %</b>	<b>13.2 %</b>	<b>1.9 %</b>	<b>5.0 %</b>	<b>0.2 %*</b>
Household burglary	100	12.4	22.7	44.1	13.8	1.9	5.1	0.0 *
Motor vehicle theft	100	9.6	24.8	44.8	13.7	1.6 *	5.4	0.0 *
Theft	100	11.0	23.7	45.3	12.7	2.0	5.0	0.4 *

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, 2000:

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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 %</b>	<b>39.4 %</b>	<b>7.7 %</b>	<b>2.9 %</b>	<b>16.3 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>	<b>6.5 %</b>	<b>10.9 %</b>
Robbery	100	42.6	13.3	3.6 *	13.6	1.5 *	7.5	6.0
Aggravated assault	100	36.8	10.1	3.0	18.3	1.4 *	9.2	9.9
Simple assault	100	39.6	4.7	2.0	16.9	1.4	4.3	13.0
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	100	59.2	7.6 *	0.0 *	17.9 *	0.0 *	2.5 *	4.7 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>49.5 %</b>	<b>19.2 %</b>	<b>7.8 %</b>	<b>5.4 %</b>	<b>2.3 %</b>	<b>8.1 %</b>	<b>1.6 %</b>
Household burglary	100	40.9	24.8	11.0	5.1	3.5	8.7	1.5
Motor vehicle theft	100	57.0	14.3	5.4	5.4	1.0 *	8.3	2.8 *
Theft	100	53.6	16.6	6.1	5.5	1.8	7.6	1.5

Type of crime	Percent of incidents		
	Other actions	Don't know	Not applicable
<b>Crimes of violence/a</b>	<b>11.6 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>	<b>1.3 %</b>
Robbery	8.9	0.8 *	2.2 *
Aggravated assault	9.2	0.5 *	1.7 *
Simple assault	14.4	2.7	1.0 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	8.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>4.2 %</b>	<b>0.8 %</b>	<b>1.1 %</b>
Household burglary	3.1	0.6 *	0.8 *
Motor vehicle theft	3.8	1.0 *	0.9 *
Theft	5.0	0.9	1.4

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, 2000:

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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>6,596,690</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>	<b>2.8 %</b>	<b>1.0 %</b>	<b>91.0 %</b>	<b>0.5 %</b>	<b>0.3 %*</b>
Crimes of violence	6,322,730	100	4.6	2.8	0.9	90.9	0.4	0.3 *
Completed violence	2,044,050	100	6.5	4.9	1.3	86.2	1.0 *	0.0 *
Attempted/threatened violence	4,278,690	100	3.7	1.8	0.8	93.1	0.1 *	0.5 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	260,950	100	9.2 *	12.9	1.3 *	76.6	0.0 *	0.0 *
Robbery	731,780	100	3.0 *	3.9	0.3 *	91.6	1.2 *	0.0 *
Assault	5,330,010	100	4.6	2.2	1.0	91.5	0.3 *	0.4 *
Aggravated	1,292,510	100	3.4	1.2 *	0.5 *	94.5	0.0 *	0.4 *
Simple	4,037,500	100	5.0	2.5	1.2	90.5	0.4 *	0.4 *
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	273,960	100	0.8 *	2.5 *	1.5 *	93.3	1.8 *	0.0 *
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,296,650</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>0.9 %</b>	<b>0.7 %</b>	<b>0.1 %*</b>	<b>97.8 %</b>	<b>0.3 %</b>	<b>0.3 %</b>
Household burglary	3,443,700	100	1.0	0.7 *	0.3 *	97.3	0.6 *	0.1 *
Motor vehicle theft	937,050	100	1.7 *	1.1 *	0.0 *	96.5	0.2 *	0.5 *
Theft	14,915,900	100	0.8	0.6	0.1 *	98.0	0.2	0.3

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

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

Table 110. Personal and property crimes, 2000:

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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>6,852,420</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>255,730</b>	<b>3.7 %</b>	<b>6,596,690</b>	<b>96.3 %</b>
Crimes of violence	6,578,470	100.0	255,730	3.9	6,322,730	96.1
Completed violence	2,092,820	100.0	48,770	2.3	2,044,040	97.7
Attempted/threatened violence	4,485,650	100.0	206,960	4.6	4,278,690	95.4
Rape/Sexual assault	271,530	100.0	10,580 *	3.9 *	260,950	96.1
Rape/Attempted rape	152,560	100.0	5,410 *	3.5 *	147,150	96.5
Rape	97,840	100.0	5,410 *	5.5 *	92,440	94.5
Attempted rape/a	54,720	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	54,720	100.0
Sexual assault/b	118,960	100.0	5,170 *	4.3 *	113,790	95.7
Robbery	748,090	100.0	16,310 *	2.2 *	731,780	97.8
Completed/property taken	531,840	100.0	11,720 *	2.2 *	520,120	97.8
With injury	165,050	100.0	4,570 *	2.8 *	160,480	97.2
Without injury	366,790	100.0	7,150 *	1.9 *	359,640	98.1
Attempted to take property	216,250	100.0	4,590 *	2.1 *	211,660	97.9
With injury	65,700	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	65,700	100.0
Without injury	150,550	100.0	4,590 *	3.0 *	145,960	97.0
Assault	5,558,850	100.0	228,840	4.1	5,330,010	95.9
Aggravated	1,324,880	100.0	32,370	2.4	1,292,510	97.6
With injury	355,180	100.0	9,090 *	2.6 *	346,090	97.4
Threatened with weapon	969,700	100.0	23,280 *	2.4 *	946,420	97.6
Simple	4,233,970	100.0	196,470	4.6	4,037,500	95.4
With minor injury	1,006,400	100.0	17,380 *	1.7 *	989,020	98.3
Without injury	3,227,570	100.0	179,090	5.5	3,048,480	94.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	273,960	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	273,960	100.0
Completed purse snatching	57,040	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	57,040	100.0
Attempted purse snatching	8,850 *	100.0 *	0 *	0.0 *	8,850 *	100.0 *
Completed pocket picking	208,060	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	208,060	100.0
<b>Property crimes</b>	<b>19,467,980</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>171,340</b>	<b>0.9 %</b>	<b>19,296,640</b>	<b>99.1 %</b>
Household burglary	3,479,790	100.0	36,090	1.0	3,443,700	99.0
Completed	2,945,550	100.0	36,090	1.2	2,909,460	98.8
Forcible entry	1,047,220	100.0	9,360 *	0.9 *	1,037,860	99.1
Unlawful entry without force	1,898,340	100.0	26,740	1.4	1,871,600	98.6
Attempted forcible entry	534,240	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	534,240	100.0
Motor vehicle theft	939,140	100.0	2,090 *	0.2 *	937,050	99.8
Completed	643,940	100.0	2,090 *	0.3 *	641,850	99.7
Attempted	295,200	100.0	0 *	0.0 *	295,200	100.0
Theft	15,049,040	100.0	133,150	0.9	14,915,890	99.1
Completed	14,429,970	100.0	130,000	0.9	14,299,970	99.1
Less than \$50	4,770,030	100.0	62,760	1.3	4,707,270	98.7
\$50 - \$249	5,337,090	100.0	40,460	0.8	5,296,630	99.2
\$250 or more	3,189,960	100.0	13,330 *	0.4 *	3,176,630	99.6
Amount not available	1,132,890	100.0	13,450 *	1.2 *	1,119,440	98.8
Attempted	619,080	100.0	3,150 *	0.5 *	615,930	99.5

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.

b/Includes threats.



## **Survey Methodology for Criminal Victimization in the United States**

The survey results contained in this report are based on data gathered from residents living throughout the United States, including persons living in group quarters, such as dormitories, rooming houses, and religious group dwellings. Crew members of merchant vessels, Armed Forces personnel living in military barracks, and institutionalized persons, such as correctional facility inmates, were not included in the scope of this survey. Similarly, U.S. citizens residing abroad and foreign visitors to this country were excluded. With these exceptions, individuals age 12 or older living in units selected for the sample were eligible to be interviewed.

### **Data Collection**

Each housing unit selected for the National Crime Victimization Survey (NCVS) remains in the sample for 3 years, with each of seven interviews taking place at 6-month intervals. An NCVS interviewer's first contact with a housing unit selected for the survey is in person. The interviewer may then conduct subsequent interviews by telephone.

To elicit more accurate reporting of incidents, NCVS uses the self-respondent method which calls for the direct interviewing of each person 12 years or older in the household. An exception is made to use proxy interviewing instead of direct interviewing for the following three cases: 12- and 13-year-old persons when a knowledgeable household member insists they not be interviewed directly, incapacitated persons, and individuals absent from the household during the entire field-interviewing period. In the case of temporarily absent household members and persons who are physically or mentally incapable of granting interviews, interviewers may accept other household members as proxy respondents, and in certain situations non-household members may provide information for incapacitated persons.

Some interviews were conducted using Computer-Assisted Telephone Interviewing (CATI), a data collection mode which involves interviewing from centralized facilities and using a computerized instrument. In the CATI-eligible part of the sample, all interviews are done by telephone whenever possible, except for the first interview, which is primarily conducted in person. The telephone interviews are conducted by the CATI facilities in Hagerstown, Maryland and Tucson, Arizona.

### **Sample Design and Size**

Survey estimates are derived from a stratified, multi-stage cluster sample. The primary sampling units (PSU's) composing the first stage of the sample were counties, groups of counties, or large metropolitan areas. Large PSU's were included in the sample automatically and are considered to be self-representing (SR) since all of them were selected. The remaining PSU's, called non-self-representing (NSR), because only a subset of them was selected, were combined into strata by grouping PSU's with similar geographic and demographic characteristics, as determined by the 1990 Census.

The initial 1990 design consisted of 93 SR PSU's and 152 NSR strata, with one PSU per stratum selected with probability proportionate to population size. A sample reduction was done in October of 1996, reducing the number of NSR PSUs by 42. So, the current NCVS sample consists of only 110 NSR PSUs. The NCVS sample design continues use of both 1980- and 1990-based sample through 1997. Beginning in 1998 only 1990-based sample remains.

In the second stage of sampling, each selected stratification PSU is divided into four non overlapping frames (unit, area, permit, and group quarters) from which NCVS independently selects its sample.

From each selected stratification PSU, clusters of approximately four housing units or housing unit equivalents are selected from each frame. For the unit and group quarters frames, addresses come from the 1990 Census. For the permit frame, addresses come from building permit data obtained from building permit offices. This ensures that units built after the 1990 Census are included in the sample. For the area frame, sample blocks come from the 1990 Census files. Then, addresses are listed and sampled in the field.

In order to conduct field interviews, the sample is divided into six groups, or rotations, and each group of households is interviewed once every 6 months over a period of 3 years. The initial interview is used to bound the interviews (bounding establishes a time frame to avoid duplication of crimes on subsequent interviews), but is not used to compute the annual estimates. Each rotation group is further divided into six panels. A different panel of households, corresponding to one sixth of each rotation group, is interviewed each month during the 6-month period. Because the survey is continuous, newly constructed housing units are selected as described, and assigned to rotation groups and panels for subsequent incorporation into the sample. A new rotation group enters the sample every 6 months, replacing a group phased out after being in the sample for 3 years.

### Selection of Cases for CATI

Currently, the NCVS sample PSU's fall into three groups of CATI usage: maximum-CATI PSU's, where all the segments in the PSU are CATI-eligible; half-CATI PSU's, where half of the segments in the PSU are randomly designated to be CATI-eligible; and no-CATI PSU's, where none of the segments are CATI-eligible. The level of CATI usage for each PSU was established with concern toward an optimal workload for the field interviewers. In the "half-CATI" PSU's, a random sample of about 50% of the segments in each PSU is taken and designated as CATI-eligible. The sample cases in CATI-eligible segments from the max-CATI and the half-CATI PSU's are interviewed from CATI facilities while the other sample cases are interviewed by the standard NCVS field procedures.

### **Collection Year Estimates**

The data in the surveys were collected during the calendar year being estimated. Because of the retrospective nature of the survey, the estimates include some incidents that actually occurred during the previous year. Analyses comparing the victimization information collected in a calendar year (termed a collection year) to that obtained about victimizations experienced in the same calendar year (called a data year) show only a small difference between the two methods. The differences will be greater during periods of changing crime rates and less during periods of stable rates.

### **Estimation Procedure**

Annual collection year estimates of the levels and rates of victimization are derived by accumulating four quarterly estimates. The weights of all crimes reported during interviews in that year are summed, regardless of when the crime occurred. The base for the collection year rate for personal crime is sum of all person weights. Likewise, the base for the property crime rates is the sum of all household weights.

**Month of Interview by Month of Reference**  
(X's denote months in the 6-month reference period)

Month of interview	Period of reference within bounded period											
	First Quarter			Second Quarter			Third Quarter			Fourth Quarter		
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
January												
February	X											
March	X	X										
April	X	X	X									
May	X	X	X	X								
June	X	X	X	X	X							
July	X	X	X	X	X	X						
August		X	X	X	X	X	X					
September			X	X	X	X	X	X				
October				X	X	X	X	X	X			
November					X	X	X	X	X	X		
December						X	X	X	X	X	X	
January							X	X	X	X	X	X
February								X	X	X	X	X
March									X	X	X	X
April										X	X	X
May											X	X
June												X
July												

The estimation procedure begins with the application of a base weight to the data from each individual interviewed. The base weight is the reciprocal of the probability of each unit's selection for the sample, and provides a rough measure of the population represented by each person in the sample. Next, an adjustment is made to account for households and individuals in occupied units who were selected for the survey but unavailable for interview.

In addition to adjusting for unequal probabilities of selection and observation, the final weight also includes a ratio adjustment to known population totals based on the adjusted counts from the 1990 Census. Specifically, the final person weight is the product of the values of the following six component weights; the final household weight is the product of all components except the within-household non-interview adjustment component detailed below:

### *Probabilities of selection*

- Base weight: The inverse of the sample unit's probability of selection.
- Weighting control factor: adjusts for any subsampling due to unexpected events in the field, such as unusually high growth in new construction, area segments larger than anticipated, and other deviations from the overall stratum sampling rate.

### *Probabilities of observation (Nonresponse)*

- Household non-interview adjustment: adjusts for nonresponse at the household level by inflating the weight assigned to interviewed households so that they represent themselves and non-interviewed households.
- Within-household non-interview adjustment: adjusts for nonresponse at the person level by inflating the weight assigned to the interviewed persons so that they represent themselves and the missed interviews.

### *Post-stratification ratio adjustment to known population totals*

The distribution of the sample population may differ somewhat from that of the total population in terms of age, race, sex, residence, and other characteristics. Because of this, two stages of ratio estimation are employed to bring the two distributions into closer agreement, thereby reducing the variability of the sample estimates.

- First-stage factor: the first stage of ratio estimation is applied only to non-self-representing PSU's. Its purpose is to reduce sampling error caused by selecting one PSU to represent an entire stratum. It adjusts for race and zone of residence differences between the sample non-self-representing PSU's and the population non-self-representing PSU's (For self-representing PSU's this factor is set to 1).
- Second-stage factor: the second stage of ratio estimation is applied on an individual basis to bring the distribution of individuals in the sample into closer agreement with independent current estimates of the population according to age, sex and race characteristics<sup>1</sup>. This factor is defined for each person to adjust for the difference between weighted counts of persons (using the above five weight components) and independent estimates of the number of persons, within the defined cells. These independent estimates are projections based on the 1990 Census population controls adjusted for the undercount.

For household crimes, the characteristics of the wife in a husband-wife household and the characteristics of the head of household in other types of households are used to determine the ratio adjustment factors. This procedure is considered more precise than simply using the characteristics of the head of household since sample coverage is generally better for females than males.

For estimates involving *incidents* rather than *victimizations*, further adjustments are made to those cases where an incident involved more than one person. These incidents have more than one chance of being included in the sample so each multiple-victimization is reduced by the number of victims. Thus, if two

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<sup>1</sup> Armed forced personnel who are eligible to be interviewed are not included in the second-stage ratio estimate and receive a factor of 1.

people are victimized during the same incident, the weight assigned to that incident is the person weight reduced by one-half so that the incident cannot be counted twice. However, the details of the event's outcome as they related to the victim are reflected in the survey results. No adjustment is necessary in estimating data on household crimes because each separate crime is defined as involving only one household.

### **Series Victimization**

A series victimization is defined as six or more similar but separate crimes which the victim is unable to recall individually or describe in detail to an interviewer. These series crimes have been excluded from the tables because the victims were unable to provide details for each event. Data on series crimes are gathered by the calendar quarter(s) of occurrence, making it possible to match the time frames used in tabulating the data for non-series crimes (See Table 110).

The effect of combining series and non-series crimes, counting each of the series crimes as a single victimization based on the details of the most recent incident, was included in the initial release of the 1980 data<sup>2</sup>. The report showed that victimization counts and rates were higher in 1979 and 1980 when the series crimes were added. However, rate changes between these 2 years were basically in the same direction and significantly affected the same crimes as those affected when only non-series crimes were analyzed.

### **Accuracy of Estimates**

The accuracy of an estimate is a measure of its total error, that is, the sum of all the errors affecting the estimate: sampling error as well as nonsampling error.

The sample used for the NCVS is one of a large number of possible samples of equal size that could have been obtained by using the same sample design and selection procedures. Estimates derived from different samples would differ from one another due to sampling variability, or sampling error.

The standard error of a survey estimate is a measure of the variation among that estimate from all possible samples. Therefore, it is a measure of the precision (reliability) with which a particular estimate approximates the average result of all possible samples. The estimate and its associated standard error may be used to construct a confidence interval. A confidence interval is a range of numbers which has a specified probability that the average of all possible samples, which is the true unknown value of interest in an unbiased design, is contained within the interval. About 68% of the time, the survey estimate will differ from the true average by less than one standard error. Only 10% of the time will the difference be more than 1.6 standard errors, and just 1 time in 100 will it be greater than 2.5 standard errors. A 95% confidence interval is the survey estimate plus or minus twice the standard error, thus there is a 95% chance that the result of a complete census would fall within the confidence interval.

In addition to sampling error, the estimates in this report are subject to nonsampling error. While substantial care is taken in the NCVS to reduce the sources of nonsampling error throughout all the survey operations, by means of a quality assurance program, quality controls, operational controls, and error-correcting procedures, an unquantified amount of nonsampling error remains still.

Major sources of nonsampling error are related to the inability of the respondents to recall in detail the crimes which occurred during the 6 months prior to the interview. Research based on interviews of victims obtained from police files indicates that assault is recalled with the least accuracy of any crime measured by the NCVS. This may be related to the tendency of victims to not report crimes committed by offenders who are not strangers, especially if they are relatives. In addition, among certain groups, crimes which contain elements of assault could be a part of everyday life, and are therefore forgotten or not considered important enough to mention to a survey interviewer. These recall problems may result in an understatement of the actual rate of assault.

Another source of nonsampling error is the inability of some respondents to recall the exact month a crime occurred, even though it was placed in the correct reference period. This error source is partially offset by interviewing monthly and using the estimation procedure described earlier. Telescoping is another problem in which incidents that occurred before the reference period are placed within the

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<sup>2</sup>See *Criminal Victimization in the United States; 1979-80 Changes, 1973-80 Trends*, BJS Technical Report, NCJ-80838, July 1982.

period. The effect of telescoping is minimized by using the bounding procedure previously described. The interviewer is provided with a summary of the incidents reported in the preceding interview and, if a similar incident is reported, it can be determined whether or not it is a new one by discussing it with the victim. Events which occurred after the reference period are set aside for inclusion with the data from the following interview.

Other sources of nonsampling error can result from other types of response mistakes, including errors in reporting incidents as crimes, misclassification of crimes, systematic data errors introduced by the interviewer, errors made in coding and processing the data. Quality control and editing procedures were used to minimize the number of errors made by the respondents and the interviewers.

Since field representatives conducting the interviews usually reside in the area in which they interview, the race and ethnicity of the field representatives generally matches that of the local population. Special efforts are made to further match field representatives and the people they interview in areas where English is not commonly spoken. About 90% of all NCVS field representatives are female.

Standard errors measure only those nonsampling errors arising from transient factors affecting individual responses completely at random (simple response variance); they do not reveal any systematic biases in the data. As calculated in the NCVS, the standard errors would partially measure nonsampling error arising from some of the above sources, such as transient memory errors, or accidental errors in recording or coding answers, for example.

## Computation and Application of Standard Errors

Deriving standard errors which are applicable to a wide variety of items and which can be prepared at a moderate cost requires a number of approximations. Therefore, three generalized variance function (gvf) constant parameters (identified as "a", "b", and "c" in the following section) were developed for use in calculating standard errors. The parameters provide an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard errors rather than the precise standard error for any specific item.

Direct variances were calculated using the balanced repeated replication (BRR) method. The estimates and their corresponding variances were fit to the standard 3-parameter model to obtain the value of the parameters.

### NOTATION

$x$	=	the estimated number (level) of personal or household victimizations or incidents
$y$	=	the base; either the total number of persons or households (for victimization rates) or the total of all victimizations (for incident characteristics)
$p$	=	the estimated proportion, resulting from dividing the number of victimizations into the base. Also, the percentage or rate expressed in decimal form. The percentage is $100p$ and the rate per thousand is $1000p$ .

$s(p)$  = the estimated standard error of  $p$

It follows that:

$$s(\text{percentage}) = s(100p) = 100 s(p)$$

$$s(\text{rate}) = s(1000p) = 1000 s(p)$$

a,b,c = the generalized variance function parameters (see chart)

1997 Parameter Set	a	b	c
1. Overall Person Crime Estimates	0.00017479	2792	1.720
2. Person Crime Domain Estimates	0.00016972	2945	2.010
3. Overall Property Crime Estimates	0.00008155	1299	2.091
4. Property Crime Domain Estimates	0.00023869	2278	1.731

1998 Parameter Set	a	b	c
1. Overall Person Crime Estimates	-0.00007044	2029	3.320
2. Person Crime Domain Estimates	0.00001297	2656	3.390
3. Overall Property Crime Estimates	-0.00002708	1717	1.839
4. Property Crime Domain Estimates	0.00003528	2263	1.835

1999 Parameter Set	a	b	c
1. Overall Person Crime Estimates	-0.00032791	2134	2.953
2. Person Crime Domain Estimates	-0.00026646	2579	2.826
3. Overall Property Crime Estimates	-0.00001550	1744	1.912
4. Property Crime Domain Estimates	0.00006087	2422	1.788

2000 Parameter Set	a	b	c
1. Overall Person Crime Estimates	-0.00008018	2377	3.143
2. Person Crime Domain Estimates	-0.0001186	2829	2.868
3. Overall Property Crime Estimates	-0.00006811	681	2.990
4. Property Crime Domain Estimates	0.00003057	1948	2.456



Parameter set #1 is used for the overall person crime estimates (Table 1). These are the person crime estimates by crime category for the whole population, not disaggregated by any victim, offender, or incident characteristics, nor any variable related to reporting to police.

Parameter set #2 is used for the person crime domain estimates. These are the person crime estimates disaggregated by victim, offender, or incident characteristics, or any variable related to reporting to police.

Parameter set #3 is used for the property crime estimates for the whole population (Table 1). These are the property crime estimates by crime category for the whole population, not disaggregated by any household characteristics, nor any variable related to reporting to police.

Parameter set #4 is used for the property crime domain estimates. These are the property crime estimates disaggregated by household characteristics, or any variable related to reporting to police.

For the statistic from Table 1 that corresponds to the crime category "all crimes" (i.e., person and property crimes together), parameter set #3 should be used. When the person and property estimates are combined (i.e., all crimes) and disaggregated by victim, household, incident characteristics, as well as any variable related to reporting to police, parameter set #4 should be used for the best estimate of the corresponding variance. All of the following examples are based upon 2000 data. These formulas are applied in the same way for other years.

*Formula 1.* Levels: Standard errors for the estimated *number of victimizations or incidents* may be calculated by using the following formula:

$$s(x) = \sqrt{ax^2 + bx + cx^{3/2}}$$

The following example illustrates the proper use of Formula 1. Table 1 in 2000 shows 520,120 completed robberies. This estimate and the appropriate parameters are substituted in the formula as follows:

$$s(x) = \sqrt{(-0.00008018)(520,120)^2 + (2377)(520,120) + (3.143)(520,120)^{3/2}} = 48,924$$

Therefore, the 95% confidence interval around the estimated number of robbery victimizations is about equal to 520,120 plus or minus twice (1.96) the standard error, or plus or minus 95,892: an interval of 424,228 to 616,012.

*Formula 2.* Proportions, Percentages, and Rates: Standard errors for the estimated *victimization rates or percentages* are calculated using the following formula:

$$s(p) = \sqrt{\frac{b p (1.0 - p)}{y} + \frac{c p (\sqrt{p} - p)}{\sqrt{y}}}$$

The following example demonstrates the use of Formula 2. Table 3 in 2000 shows an estimated robbery rate of 6.2 per 1,000 persons between the ages of 20 and 24, based on a total of 18,587,790 persons in this age range. Substituting the appropriate values into the formula yields:

$$s(p) = \sqrt{\frac{2829 (.0062) (1.0-.0062)}{18,587,790} + \frac{2.868 (.0062) (\sqrt{.0062}-.0062)}{\sqrt{18,587,790}}}$$

$$= 0.0011 \text{ or } 1.1 \text{ per thousand}$$

Thus, the 95% confidence interval is 6.2 per 1,000 plus or minus 2.2: an interval of 4.0 to 8.4 per 1,000.

*Formula 3. Difference in rates or percentages with different bases: The standard error of a difference between two rates or percentages having different bases is calculated using the formula:*

$$s(p_1 - p_2) = \sqrt{\text{var}(p_1) + \text{var}(p_2) - 2 \rho s(p_1)s(p_2)}$$

where: *rho* is the year-to-year correlation between  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  (see chart); and  $\text{var}(p_1)$  and  $\text{var}(p_2)$  are the square of the standard error of  $p$  using Formula 2 for each rate and substituting:

$p_1$  = first percent or rate (expressed as a proportion in decimal form)

$y_1$  = base from which first percent or rate was derived

$p_2$  = second percent or rate (expressed as a proportion in decimal form)

$y_2$  = base from which second percent or rate was derived

### Year-to-Year Correlation Between Estimates

Because of the year-to-year overlap in the sample, the same households and persons contribute to annual estimates for different years. This year-to-year correlation between estimates is measured by  $\rho$ . In general:

$\rho = 0$  when estimates are for the same year

$\rho \neq 0$  for year-to-year comparisons

When comparing estimates that are 1 year apart, use  $\rho$  as shown below.

When comparing estimates that are 2 years apart, multiply  $\rho$  by 1/2.

When comparing estimates that are more than 2 years apart, assume  $\rho=0$ .

Following are NCVS year-to-year correlation values for major crime categories.

TYPE OF CRIME	1997-99 CORRELATION	1998-99 CORRELATION	1998-00 CORRELATION	1999-00 CORRELATION
Total Crimes	0.20	0.41	0.20	0.41
Total Personal Crimes	0.15	0.30	0.15	0.30
Crimes of Violence	0.15	0.31	0.15	0.31
Rape/Sexual Assault	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.04
Robbery	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.04
Assault	0.15	0.30	0.15	0.30
Purse Snatching/Pocket	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.03
Total Property Crimes	0.19	0.38	0.19	0.38
Burglary	0.10	0.21	0.10	0.21
Motor Vehicle Theft	0.04	0.08	0.04	0.08
Theft	0.17	0.34	0.17	0.34

If estimates are uncorrelated,  $\rho = 0$ . Hence, omitting the term containing  $\rho$  in the formula will provide an accurate standard error for the difference between uncorrelated estimates. On the other hand, if the two estimates have a strong positive correlation, omitting the last term will cause overestimation of the true standard error. If the numbers have a strong negative correlation, this will cause underestimation of the actual standard error.

The following example illustrates the use of Formula 3. Table 2 in 2000 lists victimization rate for aggravated assault for males as 8.3 per 1,000 and the rate for females as 3.2 per 1,000. The total number of males in the population is 109, 816, 970 and the total of females, 116, 987, 650. Noting that  $\rho = 0$  because the two estimates are for the same year and placing the appropriate values in the formulas yields:

$$var(p_1) = \frac{2829 (.0083) (1.0-.0083)}{109,816,970} + \frac{2.868 (.0083) (\sqrt{.0083}-.0083)}{\sqrt{109,816,970}} = 0.000000400$$

$$var(p_2) = \frac{2829 (.0032) (1.0-.0032)}{116,987,650} + \frac{2.868 (.0032) (\sqrt{.0032}-.0032)}{\sqrt{116,987,650}} = 0.000000122$$

Standard error of the difference =

$$\sqrt{0.000000400 + 0.000000122} = .00072 \text{ or } .72$$

*per thousand*

The 95% confidence interval around the difference of 5.1 per thousand is approximately the difference plus or minus 1.4 per thousand (a difference between 3.7 and 6.5 per thousand).

The ratio of a difference to the standard error of the difference is the "z score", which is associated with a given statistical level of significance. For example, a ratio with an absolute value of 2.0 (1.96, to be exact) or greater indicates that the difference is significant at the 95% confidence level (or greater); a ratio with an absolute value between 1.6 and 2.0 indicates the difference is significant at a confidence level between 90% and 95%; a ratio with an absolute value less than 1.6 denotes a confidence level less than 90%. In the previous example, the ratio of the difference (.0051) to the standard error (.00072) is 7.08. Thus the aggravated assault rate for males and females was significantly different at a confidence level exceeding 95%.

*Formula 4.* Differences in percentages of a single response variable with the same base: The standard error of *the difference between two percentages derived from a single response variable with the same base* is calculated using the formula:

$$s(p_1 - p_2) = \sqrt{var(p_1) + var(p_2) - 2 \rho s(p_1)s(p_2)}$$

where

$$\rho = -\sqrt{\frac{p_1 p_2}{q_1 q_2}}$$

$$q_1 = 1 - p_1$$

$$q_2 = 1 - p_2$$

All other terms are as defined in Formula 3, except that  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are the same common base,  $y$ .

The following example, which uses Table 43 for 2000, illustrates the use of Formula 4. The proportion of single-offender violent crime victimizations involving relatives was 12.5% and the proportion involving acquaintances (well-known or casual) was 44.1%, out of a total of 4,948,340 single-offender violent crime victimizations. Substituting the appropriate values into the formula gives:

$$\text{var}(p_1) = \frac{2829 (.125) (1.0-.125)}{4,948,340} + \frac{2.868 (.125) (\sqrt{.125}-.125)}{\sqrt{4,948,340}} = 0.000099$$

$$\text{var}(p_2) = \frac{2829 (.441) (1.0-.441)}{4,948,340} + \frac{2.868 (.441) (\sqrt{.441}-.441)}{\sqrt{4,948,340}} = 0.000268$$

*Standard error of the difference*

$$\sqrt{0.000099 + 0.000268 + 2 \sqrt{0.02076(0.010)(0.01637)}} = 0.028 \text{ or } 2.8 \text{ percent}$$

The confidence interval around the difference at one standard error is from -28.8% to -34.4% (-31.6% plus or minus 2.8%). The ratio of the difference (-0.316) to its standard error (0.028) is -11.28. Since 11.28 is greater than 2.0, the difference between these two percentages is statistically significant at a confidence level exceeding 95%.

## Number of households and persons interviewed by year.

Year	Number of households Interviewed	Household Response Rate	Number of Persons interviewed	Response rate for Persons
1996	45,000	93%	85,330	91%
1997	42,910	95%	79,470	90%
1998	43,000	94%	78,900	89%
1999	43,000	93%	77,750	89%
2000	43,000	93%	79,710	90%

## **Criminal Victimization Glossary**

**Age** - The appropriate age category is determined by the respondent's age on the last day of the month before the interview.

**Annual household income** - The total income of the household head and all members of the household for the 12 months preceding the interview. Includes wages, salaries, net income from businesses or farms, pensions, interest, dividends, rent, and any other form of monetary income.

**Aggravated assault** - Attack or attempted attack with a weapon, regardless of whether or not an injury occurred and attack without a weapon when serious injury results.

*With injury* - An attack without a weapon when serious injury results or an attack with a weapon involving any injury. Serious injury includes broken bones, lost teeth, internal injuries, loss of consciousness, and any unspecified injury requiring two or more days of hospitalization.

*Threatened with a weapon* - Threat or attempted attack by an offender armed with a gun, knife, or other object used as a weapon, not resulting in victim injury.

**Assault** - An unlawful physical attack or threat of attack. Assaults may be classified as aggravated or simple. Rape, attempted rape, and sexual assaults are excluded from this category, as well as robbery and attempted robbery. The severity of assaults ranges from minor threat to incidents which are nearly fatal.

**Burglary** ( also *Household burglary*) - Unlawful or forcible entry or attempted entry of a residence. This crime usually, but not always, involves theft. The illegal entry may be by force, such as breaking a window or slashing a screen, or may be without force by entering through an unlocked door or an open window. As long as the person entering has no legal right to be present in the structure a burglary has occurred. Furthermore, the structure need not be the house itself for a burglary to take place; illegal entry of a garage, shed, or any other structure on the premises also constitutes household burglary. If breaking and entering occurs in a hotel or vacation residence, it is still classified as a burglary for the household whose member or members were staying there at the time the entry occurred.

*Completed burglary* - A form of burglary in which a person who has no legal right to be present in the structure successfully gains entry to a residence, by use of force, or without force.

*Forcible entry* - A form of completed burglary in which force is used to gain entry to a residence. Some examples include breaking a window or slashing a screen.

*Unlawful entry without force* - A form of completed burglary committed by someone having no legal right to be on the premises, even though no force is used.

*Attempted forcible entry* - A form of burglary in which force is used in an attempt to gain entry.

**Collection year** - The set of victimizations reported to NCVS in interviews conducted during the same calendar year. This set may include victimizations which occurred in the previous calendar year, due to the retrospective nature of the NCVS interview. Collection year data are used in tables beginning in 1996. See "Data year."

**Commercial crimes** - Crimes against commercial establishments of any type are not included in the survey. Commercial establishments include stores, restaurants, businesses, service stations, medical offices or hospitals, or other similar establishments. For victimizations occurring in commercial establishments, the crime is included or not included depending upon whether the survey respondent was threatened or harmed in some way or personal property was taken.

**Crime classification** - Victimitizations and incidents are classified based upon detailed characteristics of the event provided by the respondent. Neither victims nor interviewers classify crimes at the time of interview. During data processing, a computer program classifies each event into one type of crime, based upon the entries on a number of items on the survey questionnaire. This ensures that similar events will be classified using a standard procedure. The glossary definition for each crime indicates the major characteristics required to be so classified. If an event can be classified as more than one type of crime, a hierarchy is used which classifies the crime according to the most serious event that occurred. The hierarchy is: rape, sexual assault, robbery, assault, burglary, motor vehicle theft, theft.

**Data year** - The set of victimizations reported to NCVS all of which occurred within the same calendar year. For all years prior to 1996, NCVS data are based upon data year. Beginning in 1996 and later years, data are based upon collection year. See "Collection Year."

**Ethnicity** - A classification based on Hispanic culture and origin, regardless of race.

**Head of household** - A classification which defines one and only one person in each housing unit as the head. Head of household implies that the person rents or owns (or is in the process of buying), the housing unit. The head of household must be at least 18, unless all members of the household are under 18, or the head is married to someone 18 or older.

**Hispanic** - A person who describes himself as Mexican-American, Chicano, Mexican, Mexicano, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central American, South American, or from some other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

**Household** - A person or group of people meeting either of the following criteria: (1) people whose usual place of residence is the same housing unit, even if they are temporarily absent; (2) people staying in a housing unit who have no usual place of residence elsewhere.

**Household Burglary** - See burglary.

**Incident** - A specific criminal act involving one or more victims and offenders. For example, if two people are robbed at the same time and place, this is classified as two robbery victimizations but only one robbery incident.

**Marital status** - Every person is assigned to one of the following classifications: (1) married, which includes persons in common-law unions and those who are currently living apart for reasons other than marital discord (employment, military service, etc.); (2) separated or divorced, which includes married persons who are legally separated and those who are not living together because of marital discord; (3) widowed; and (4) never married, which includes persons whose marriages have been annulled and those who are living together and not in a common-law union.

**Metropolitan area** - See "Metropolitan Statistical Area."

**Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA)** - The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) defines this as a population nucleus of 50,000 or more, generally consisting of a city and its immediate suburbs, along with adjacent communities having a high degree of economic and social integration with the nucleus. MSA's are designated by counties, the smallest geographic units for which a wide range of statistical data can be attained. However, in New England, MSA's are designated by cities and towns since these subcounty units are of great local significance and considerable data is available for them. Currently, an area is defined as an MSA if it meets one of two standards:

(1) a city has a population of at least 50,000; (2) the Census Bureau defines an urbanized area of at least 50,000 people with a total metropolitan population of at least 100,000 (or 75,000 in New England). The Census Bureau's definition of urbanized areas, data on commuting to work, and the strength of the economic and social ties between the surrounding counties and the central city determine which



counties not containing a main city are included in an MSA. For New England, MSA's are determined by a core area and related cities and towns, not counties. A metropolitan statistical area may contain more than one city of 50,000 and may cross State lines.

**Motor vehicle** - An automobile, truck, motorcycle, or any other motorized vehicle legally allowed on public roads and highways.

**Motor vehicle theft** - Stealing or unauthorized taking of a motor vehicle, including attempted thefts.

*Completed motor vehicle theft* - The successful taking of a vehicle by an unauthorized person.

*Attempted motor vehicle theft* - The unsuccessful attempt by an unauthorized person to take a vehicle.

**Multiple offenders** - Two or more persons inflicting some direct harm to a victim. The *victim-offender relationship* is determined by the offender with the closest relationship to the victim. The following list ranks the different relationships from closest to most distant: spouse, ex-spouse, parent, child, other relative, nonrelative well-known person, casual acquaintance, or stranger (See *Nonstranger* and *Stranger*).

**Non-Hispanic** - Persons who report their culture or origin as something other than "Hispanic" as defined above. This distinction is made regardless of race.

**Nonstranger** - A classification of a crime victim's relationship to the offender. An offender who is either related to, well known to, or casually acquainted with the victim is a nonstranger. For crimes with more than one offender, if any of the offenders are nonstrangers, then the group of offenders as a whole is classified as nonstranger. This category only applies to crimes which involve contact between the victim and the offender; the distinction is not made for crimes of theft since victims of this offense rarely see the offenders.

**Offender** - The perpetrator of a crime; this term usually applies to crimes involving contact between the victim and the offender.

**Offense** - A crime. When referring to personal crimes, the term can be used to refer to both victimizations and incidents.

**Personal crimes** - Rape, sexual assault, personal robbery, assault, purse snatching and pocket picking. This category includes both attempted and completed crimes.

**Place of occurrence of crime** - The location at which a crime occurred, as specified by the victim. Survey measures of crimes occurring in commercial establishments, restaurants, nightclubs, public transportation and other similar places include only those crimes involving NCVS measured crimes against persons, not the establishments. Crimes against commercial establishments and other places are not measured by the survey.

**Property crimes** - Property crimes including burglary, motor vehicle theft, or theft. This category includes both attempted and completed crimes.

**Purse snatching/Pocket picking** - Theft or attempted theft of property or cash directly from the victim by stealth, without force or threat of force.

**Race** - Racial categories for this survey are white, black, and other. The "other" category is composed mainly of Asian Pacific Islanders, and American Indian, Aleut, and Eskimo. The race of the head of household is used in determining the race of the household for computing household crime demographics.

**Rape** - Forced sexual intercourse including both psychological coercion as well as physical force. Forced sexual intercourse means vaginal, anal or oral penetration by the offender(s). This category also includes incidents where the penetration is from a foreign object such as a bottle. Includes attempted rapes, male as well as female victims and both heterosexual and homosexual rape. Attempted rape includes verbal threats of rape.

**Rate of victimization** - see "Victimization rate."

**Region** - The States have been divided into four groups or census regions:

*Midwest* - Includes the 12 States of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

*Northeast* - Includes the 9 states of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

*South* - Includes the District of Columbia and the 16 States of Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

*West* - Includes the 13 states of Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

**Robbery** - Completed or attempted theft, directly from a person, of property or cash by force or threat of force, with or without a weapon, and with or without injury.

*Completed/property taken* - The successful taking of property from a person by force or threat of force, with or without a weapon, and with or without injury.

*Completed with injury* - The successful taking of property from a person, accompanied by an attack, either with or without a weapon, resulting in injury.

*Completed without injury* - The successful taking of property from a person by force or the threat of force, either with or without a weapon, but not resulting in injury.

*Attempted to take property* - The attempt to take property from a person by force or threat of force without success, with or without a weapon, and with or without injury.

*Attempted without injury* - The attempt to take property from a person by force or the threat of force without success, either with or without a weapon, but not resulting in injury.

*Attempted with injury* - The attempt to take property from a person without success, accompanied by an attack, either with or without a weapon, resulting in injury.

**Rural area** - A place not located inside the Metropolitan Statistical Area. This category includes a variety of localities, ranging from sparsely populated rural areas to cities with populations less than 50,000.

**Sample** - The set of housing units selected by the U. S. Census Bureau to be interviewed for the survey. All occupants of the household age 12 or older are interviewed. See methodology for sample inclusions and exclusions.

**Series** - Six or more similar but separate events, which the respondent is unable to describe separately in detail to an interviewer.

**Sexual assault** - A wide range of victimizations, separate from rape or attempted rape. These crimes include attacks or attempted attacks generally involving unwanted sexual contact between victim and offender. Sexual assaults may or may not involve force and include such things as grabbing or fondling. Sexual assault also includes verbal threats.

**Simple assault** - Attack without a weapon resulting either in no injury, minor injury (for example, bruises, black eyes, cuts, scratches or swelling) or in undetermined injury requiring less than 2 days of hospitalization. Also includes attempted assault without a weapon.

*With minor injury* - An attack without a weapon resulting in such injuries as bruises, black eyes, cuts or in undetermined injury requiring less than 2 days of hospitalization.

*Without injury* - An attempted assault without a weapon not resulting in injury.

**Stranger** - A classification of the victim's relationship to the offender for crimes involving direct contact between the two. Incidents are classified as involving strangers if the victim identifies the offender as a stranger, did not see or recognize the offender, or knew the offender only by sight. Crimes involving multiple offenders are classified as involving nonstrangers if any of the offenders was a nonstranger. Since victims of theft without contact rarely see the offender, no distinction is made between strangers and nonstrangers for this crime.

**Suburban areas** - A county or counties containing a central city, plus any contiguous counties that are linked socially and economically to the central city. On data tables, suburban areas are categorized as those portions of metropolitan areas situated "outside central cities."

**Tenure** - The NCVS recognizes two forms of household tenancy: (1) owned, which includes dwellings that are mortgaged, and (2) rented, which includes rent-free quarters belonging to a party other than the occupants, and situations where rental payments are in kind or services.

**Theft** - Completed or attempted theft of property or cash without personal contact. Incidents involving theft of property from within the sample household would classify as theft if the offender has a legal right to be in the house (such as a maid, delivery person, or guest). If the offender has no legal right to be in the house, the incident would classify as a burglary.

*Completed* - To successfully take without permission property or cash without personal contact between the victim and offender.

*Attempted* - To unsuccessfully attempt to take property or cash without personal contact.

**Urban areas** - The largest city (or grouping of cities) in a Metropolitan Statistical Area (see definition of Metropolitan Statistical Area).

**Victim** - The recipient of a criminal act, usually used in relation to personal crimes, but also applicable to households.

**Victimization** - A crime as it affects one individual person or household. For personal crimes, the number of victimizations is equal to the number of victims involved. The number of victimizations may be greater than the number of incidents because more than one person may be victimized during an incident. Each crime against a household is assumed to involve a single victim, the affected household.

**Victimization rate** - A measure of the occurrence of victimizations among a specified population group. For personal crimes, this is based on the number of victimizations per 1,000 residents age 12 or older. For household crimes, the victimization rates are calculated using the number of incidents per 1,000 households.

**Victimize** - To commit a crime against a person or household.

**Violence, crimes of** - Rape, sexual assault, personal robbery or assault. This category includes both attempted and completed crimes. It does not include purse snatching and pocket picking. Murder is not measured by the NCVS because of an inability to question the victim.

*Completed violence* - The sum of all completed rapes, sexual assaults, robberies, and assaults. See individual crime types for definition of completed crimes.

*Attempted/threatened violence* - The unsuccessful attempt of rape, sexual assault, personal robbery or assault. Includes attempted attacks or sexual assaults by means of verbal threats. See individual crime types for definition of attempted crimes.