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# **Criminal Victimization in the United States, 2007 Statistical Tables**

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Table 110. Personal and property crimes, 2007:

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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>5,555,700</b>     | <b>100.0 %</b> | <b>184,510</b>        | <b>3.3 %</b> | <b>5,371,190</b>             | <b>96.7 %</b> |
| Crimes of violence             | 5,358,470            | 100.0          | 181,340               | 3.4          | 5,177,130                    | 96.6          |
| Completed violence             | 1,642,720            | 100.0          | 63,850                | 3.9          | 1,578,870                    | 96.1          |
| Attempted/threatened violence  | 3,715,750            | 100.0          | 117,490               | 3.2          | 3,598,260                    | 96.8          |
| Rape/Sexual assault            | 248,280              | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 248,280                      | 100.0         |
| Rape/Attempted rape            | 140,620              | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 140,620                      | 100.0         |
| Rape                           | 69,850               | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 69,850                       | 100.0         |
| Attempted rape/a               | 70,770               | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 70,770                       | 100.0         |
| Sexual assault/b               | 107,660              | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 107,660                      | 100.0         |
| Robbery                        | 616,930              | 100.0          | 19,610 *              | 3.2 *        | 597,320                      | 96.8          |
| Completed/property taken       | 463,610              | 100.0          | 19,610 *              | 4.2 *        | 444,010                      | 95.8          |
| With injury                    | 174,610              | 100.0          | 4,620 *               | 2.6 *        | 169,980                      | 97.4          |
| Without injury                 | 289,010              | 100.0          | 14,980 *              | 5.2 *        | 274,020                      | 94.8          |
| Attempted to take property     | 153,320              | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 153,320                      | 100.0         |
| With injury                    | 43,440               | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 43,440                       | 100.0         |
| Without injury                 | 109,870              | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 109,870                      | 100.0         |
| Assault                        | 4,493,260            | 100.0          | 161,730               | 3.6          | 4,331,530                    | 96.4          |
| Aggravated                     | 902,170              | 100.0          | 43,240                | 4.8          | 858,940                      | 95.2          |
| With injury                    | 241,920              | 100.0          | 20,580 *              | 8.5 *        | 221,340                      | 91.5          |
| Threatened with weapon         | 660,260              | 100.0          | 22,660 *              | 3.4 *        | 637,590                      | 96.6          |
| Simple                         | 3,591,090            | 100.0          | 118,490               | 3.3          | 3,472,590                    | 96.7          |
| With minor injury              | 781,560              | 100.0          | 23,670 *              | 3.0 *        | 757,890                      | 97.0          |
| Without injury                 | 2,809,530            | 100.0          | 94,830                | 3.4          | 2,714,710                    | 96.6          |
| Purse snatching/Pocket picking | 197,230              | 100.0          | 3,170 *               | 1.6 *        | 194,060                      | 98.4          |
| Completed purse snatching      | 30,070 *             | 100.0 *        | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 30,070 *                     | 100.0 *       |
| Attempted purse snatching      | 7,690 *              | 100.0 *        | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 7,690 *                      | 100.0 *       |
| Completed pocket picking       | 159,470              | 100.0          | 3,170 *               | 2.0 *        | 156,300                      | 98.0          |
| <b>Property crimes</b>         | <b>17,639,450</b>    | <b>100.0 %</b> | <b>130,920</b>        | <b>0.7 %</b> | <b>17,508,530</b>            | <b>99.3 %</b> |
| Household burglary             | 3,258,280            | 100.0          | 43,190                | 1.3          | 3,215,090                    | 98.7          |
| Completed                      | 2,598,870            | 100.0          | 35,680                | 1.4          | 2,563,190                    | 98.6          |
| Forcible entry                 | 1,120,650            | 100.0          | 19,420 *              | 1.7 *        | 1,101,230                    | 98.3          |
| Unlawful entry without force   | 1,478,230            | 100.0          | 16,260 *              | 1.1 *        | 1,461,970                    | 98.9          |
| Attempted forcible entry       | 659,400              | 100.0          | 7,510 *               | 1.1 *        | 651,890                      | 98.9          |
| Motor vehicle theft            | 981,050              | 100.0          | 1,410 *               | 0.1 *        | 979,640                      | 99.9          |
| Completed                      | 797,310              | 100.0          | 1,410 *               | 0.2 *        | 795,900                      | 99.8          |
| Attempted                      | 183,740              | 100.0          | 0 *                   | 0.0 *        | 183,740                      | 100.0         |
| Theft                          | 13,400,120           | 100.0          | 86,320                | 0.6          | 13,313,800                   | 99.4          |
| Completed                      | 12,860,020           | 100.0          | 83,090                | 0.6          | 12,776,930                   | 99.4          |
| Less than \$50                 | 3,264,230            | 100.0          | 20,160 *              | 0.6 *        | 3,244,070                    | 99.4          |
| \$50 - \$249                   | 4,546,440            | 100.0          | 25,140 *              | 0.6 *        | 4,521,300                    | 99.4          |
| \$250 or more                  | 3,441,530            | 100.0          | 24,640 *              | 0.7 *        | 3,416,890                    | 99.3          |
| Amount not available           | 1,607,820            | 100.0          | 13,150 *              | 0.8 *        | 1,594,670                    | 99.2          |
| Attempted                      | 540,100              | 100.0          | 3,230 *               | 0.6 *        | 536,870                      | 99.4          |

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

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

a/Includes verbal threats of rape.

b/Includes threats.