

Table 28. Personal crimes of violence, 2008:

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

Type of crime	Victimizations per 1,000 persons age 12 or older					
	Total		Involving strangers		Involving nonstrangers	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Crimes of violence</b>	<b>4,856,510</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>2,446,980</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>2,409,530</b>	<b>9.6</b>
Completed violence	1,362,210	5.4	575,610	2.3	786,600	3.1
Attempted/threatened violence	3,494,300	13.9	1,871,370	7.4	1,622,930	6.4
Rape/sexual assault	203,830	0.8	70,630	0.3	133,200	0.5
Rape/Attempted rape	123,010	0.5	27,200 *	0.1 *	95,820	0.4
Rape	52,470	0.2	13,850 *	0.1 *	38,620	0.2
Attempted rape <sup>a</sup>	70,540	0.3	13,350 *	0.1 *	57,190	0.2
Sexual assault <sup>b</sup>	80,810	0.3	43,430	0.2	37,380 *	0.1 *
Robbery	551,830	2.2	379,360	1.5	172,470	0.7
Completed/property taken	372,180	1.5	226,580	0.9	145,600	0.6
With injury	141,600	0.6	83,340	0.3	58,250	0.2
Without injury	230,590	0.9	143,240	0.6	87,350	0.3
Attempted to take property	179,640	0.7	152,780	0.6	26,860 *	0.1 *
With injury	64,290	0.3	56,210	0.2	8,080 *	0.0 *
Without injury	115,350	0.5	96,570	0.4	18,780 *	0.1 *
Assault	4,100,850	16.3	1,996,980	7.9	2,103,870	8.3
Aggravated	839,940	3.3	433,550	1.7	406,390	1.6
With injury	252,580	1.0	117,600	0.5	134,980	0.5
Threatened with weapon	587,360	2.3	315,950	1.3	271,410	1.1
Simple	3,260,920	12.9	1,563,430	6.2	1,697,480	6.7
With minor injury	616,200	2.4	180,900	0.7	435,290	1.7
Without injury	2,644,720	10.5	1,382,530	5.5	1,262,190	5.0

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding. Rates based on U.S. population of 252,242,520 residents over the age of 12.

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

<sup>a</sup>Includes verbal threats of rape.

<sup>b</sup>Includes threats.