

	Percent of reasons for not reporting								
Race and type of crime	Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover	Not aware crime occurred until later		
White									
All personal crimes	100 %	14.5 %	19.3 %	18.3 %	6.1 %	0.1 %*	0.6 %		
Crimes of violence	100	14.1	20.0	18.2	6.1	0.1 *	0.3 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	14.1	14.8	8.5 *	5.0 *	0.0 *	1.3 *		
Robbery	100	8.8	8.7	18.4	4.1 *	0.0 *	0.5 *		
Assault	100	14.7	21.5	18.7	6.4	0.1 *	0.3 *		
Purse snatching/	100	23.3	1.8 *	19.0	4.8 *	2.4 *	8.0 *		
Pocket picking									
Black									
All personal crimes	100 %	18.0 %	18.4 %	16.2 %	4.0 %	0.0 %*	1.1 %*		
Crimes of violence	100	18.1	19.2	15.6	4.2	0.0 *	0.5 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	5.9 *	21.3 *	6.5 *	5.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Robbery	100	10.5 *	8.8 *	9.1 *	2.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Assault	100	20.8	21.4	17.9	4.5	0.0 *	0.6 *		
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100	16.7 *	0.0 *	29.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	14.8 *		

	Percent of reasons for not reporting							
	Unable to		Police	Police		Too		
	recover		would not	inefficient,		inconvenient		
	property;	Lack of	want to be	ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other	
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons	
White								
All personal crimes	0.6 %	3.6 %	5.3 %	2.8 %	4.0 %	2.7 %	22.1 %	
Crimes of violence	0.5	3.2	5.4	2.8	4.2	2.6	22.5	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	1.4 *	5.6 *	3.6 *	12.4	0.0 *	33.4	
Robbery	5.0 *	9.0	8.0	5.3 *	6.0	2.4 *	23.5	
Assault	0.1 *	2.6	5.1	2.5	3.6	2.8	21.8	
Purse snatching/	2.2 *	14.8	3.5 *	2.4 *	0.0 *	4.4 *	13.5	
Pocket picking								
Black								
All personal crimes	1.9 %*	6.4 %	3.4 %	4.0 %	3.8 %	4.2 %	18.6 %	
Crimes of violence	2.0 *	6.5	3.6	4.2	3.9	4.1	18.2	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	15.4 *	9.8 *	36.0 *	
Robbery	11.2 *	16.3 *	8.3 *	10.4 *	0.0 *	2.4 *	20.6	
Assault	0.0 *	4.7	2.8 *	3.1 *	3.9 *	4.0 *	16.2	
Purse snatching/	0.0 *	5.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	6.5 *	27.2 *	
Pocket picking								

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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 103. Personal crimes, 1997:

	Percent of reasons for not reporting								
Race and type of crime	Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover	Not aware crime occurred until later		
White									
All personal crimes	100 %	14.8 %	20.4 %	16.2 %	6.1 %	0.0 %*	0.6 %		
Crimes of violence	100	14.9	21.1	15.9	6.3	0.0 *	0.4 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	3.3 *	30.7	8.7 *	1.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Robbery	100	7.4 *	11.0	17.1	3.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Assault	100	16.1	21.4	16.1	6.8	0.0 *	0.5 *		
Purse snatching/	100	13.0 *	3.1 *	24.5	0.0 *	0.0 *	5.9 *		
Pocket picking									
Black									
All personal crimes	100 %	12.8 %	14.6 %	16.6 %	5.1 %	0.4 %*	0.4 %*		
Crimes of violence	100	12.8	16.2	15.4	5.7	0.0 *	0.5 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	0.0 *	21.0 *	7.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Robbery	100	8.8 *	8.8 *	5.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Assault	100	14.8	18.2	19.0	7.8	0.0 *	0.6 *		
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100	13.2 *	0.0 *	28.1 *	0.0 *	3.9 *	0.0 *		

	Percent of reasons for not reporting							
	Unable to		Police	Police		Too		
	recover		would not want to be	inefficient,		inconvenient		
	property;	Lack of		ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other	
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons	
White								
All personal crimes	0.5 %	3.8 %	4.7 %	2.7 %	4.0 %	2.5 %	23.7 %	
Crimes of violence	0.1 *	3.4	4.7	2.7	4.2	2.5	23.9	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	4.5 *	4.7 *	6.9 *	16.5	1.1 *	22.5	
Robbery	1.2 *	7.9 *	5.3 *	6.3 *	7.7 *	7.4 *	24.7	
Assault	0.0 *	3.0	4.6	2.2	3.3	2.2	23.9	
Purse snatching/	9.1 *	14.9	4.5 *	3.4 *	0.0 *	1.9 *	19.6	
Pocket picking								
Black								
All personal crimes	1.3 %*	7.4 %	5.8 %	4.6 %	7.3 %	2.9 %*	20.7 %	
Crimes of violence	1.4 *	5.7	5.7	4.2	8.0	2.1 *	22.3	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	41.0 *	0.0 *	30.3 *	
Robbery	6.3 *	14.9 *	9.8 *	11.2 *	9.2 *	1.9 *	23.9	
Assault	0.0 *	3.3 *	4.9	2.3 *	5.6	2.3 *	21.3	
Purse snatching/	0.0 *	23.4 *	6.9 *	8.1 *	0.0 *	10.8 *	5.6 *	
Pocket picking								

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.

	Percent of reasons for not reporting								
				Object			Not aware		
		Reported	Private or	recovered;	Not	Insurance	crime		
		to another	personal	offender	important	would not	occurred		
Race and type of crime	Total	official	matter	unsuccessful	enough	cover	until later		
White									
All personal crimes	100 %	15.2 %	20.5 %	16.7 %	7.7 %	0.1 %*	0.3 %		
Crimes of violence	100 %	15.1	21.2	16.5	7.8	0.0 *	0.2 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 %	22.2	11.9 *	7.7 *	3.0 *	0.0 *	1.1 *		
Robbery	100 %	8.9	15.4	16.4	3.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Assault	100 %	15.3	22.4	17.0	8.5	0.0 *	0.1 *		
Purse snatching/	100 %	17.1	3.9 *	21.1	3.8 *	1.3 *	4.0 *		
Pocket picking									
Black									
All personal crimes	100 %	13.6 %	19.1 %	15.0 %	5.7 %	0.3 %	0.4 %		
Crimes of violence	100 %	13.2	18.5	15.3	6.1	0.4 *	0.0 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 %	0.0 *	16.4 *	7.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Robbery	100 %	4.5 *	26.2 *	10.1 *	6.6 *	4.0 *	0.0 *		
Assault	100 %	15.4	17.9	16.6	6.6	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100 %	18.8 *	28.4 *	9.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	7.2 *		

			Pe	ercent of reasons	for not reporting	q	
	Unable to recover		Police would not	Police inefficient,			
	property;	Lack of	want to be	ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons
White							
All personal crimes	0.6 %	3.8 %	5.5 %	2.5 %	4.5 %	3.6 %	19.1 %
Crimes of violence	0.5 *	3.3	5.4	2.5	4.7	3.4	19.4
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	1.2 *	0.0 *	3.5 *	13.3 *	0.0 *	36.0
Robbery	4.5 *	11.4	7.2 *	4.9 *	4.5 *	8.7	14.2
Assault	0.1 *	2.7	5.5	2.2	4.2	3.0	19.0
Purse snatching/	4.0 *	13.7 *	8.3 *	2.4 *	0.0 *	9.1 *	11.3 *
Pocket picking							
Black							
All personal crimes	0.3 %	6.5 %	5.7 %	3.3 %*	1.4 %	2.4 %*	26.1 %
Crimes of violence	0.4 *	6.5	6.0	3.6 *	1.5 *	2.1 *	26.4
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	76.1
Robbery	4.0 *	27.8 *	4.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	5.4 *	7.4 *
Assault	0.0 *	4.7 *	6.8	4.3 *	1.8 *	1.9 *	24.1
Purse snatching/	0.0 *	6.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	7.5 *	22.5 *
Pocket picking							

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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.

	Percent of reasons for not reporting							
				Object			Not aware crime occurred	
		Reported	Private or personal	recovered; offender	Not	Insurance would not		
	Total	to another			important			
Race and type of crime		official	matter	unsuccessful	enough	cover	until later	
White								
All personal crimes	100 %	16.3 %	19.8 %	17.1 %	6.0 %	0.0 %*	0.3 %*	
Crimes of violence	100	16.1	20.4	17.1	6.1	0.0 *	0.2 *	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	4.6 *	42.2	1.8 *	2.2 *	0.0 *	1.4 *	
Robbery	100	9.6 *	9.2 *	17.6	1.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Assault	100	17.5	19.7	18.2	6.8	0.0 *	0.1 *	
Purse snatching/	100	22.7	4.8 *	14.9 *	2.0 *	0.0 *	5.0 *	
Pocket picking								
Black								
All personal crimes	100 %	20.3 %	15.6 %	17.9 %	6.9 %	0.0 %*	0.9 %*	
Crimes of violence	100	20.0	16.2	17.9	7.2	0.0 *	0.5 *	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	0.0 *	39.6 *	6.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Robbery	100	10.5 *	5.1 *	30.5	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	
Assault	100	24.6	16.1	16.2	9.7	0.0 *	0.7 *	
Purse snatching/	100 *	26.5 *	0.0 *	18.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	11.5 *	
Pocket picking								

	Percent of reasons for not reporting							
	Unable to		Police	Police		Too		
	recover		would not	inefficient,	inconvenient			
	property;	Lack of	want to be	ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other	
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons	
White								
All personal crimes	0.4 %*	4.4 %	6.0 %	3.1 %	3.4 %	3.5 %	19.8 %	
Crimes of violence	0.2 *	4.2	5.8	3.1	3.5	3.4	19.7	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	3.4 *	3.8 *	0.0 *	11.2 *	3.5 *	26.0	
Robbery	3.4 *	11.7	13.2	9.5 *	5.9 *	5.9 *	12.1	
Assault	0.0 *	3.6	5.4	2.8	2.8	3.2	19.9	
Purse snatching/	4.3 *	9.1 *	9.9 *	1.6 *	0.0 *	5.3 *	20.4 *	
Pocket picking								
Black								
All personal crimes	0.4 %*	2.7 %*	4.5 %	3.2 %*	4.9 %	1.4 %*	21.4 %	
Crimes of violence	0.4 *	2.1 *	4.7	3.3 *	5.1	1.4 *	21.2	
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	14.9 *	0.0 *	39.2 *	
Robbery	2.4 *	7.3 *	9.8 *	9.0 *	3.2 *	6.2 *	16.0 *	
Assault	0.0 *	1.2 *	4.0 *	2.3 *	4.5 *	0.5 *	20.3	
Purse snatching/	0.0 *	16.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	27.5 *	
Pocket picking								

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	Percent of reasons for not reporting								
		Object							
		Reported	Private or	recovered; offender	Not important	Insurance would not	crime occurred until later		
		to another	personal						
Race and type of crime	Total	official	matter	unsuccessful	enough	cover			
White									
All personal crimes	100 %	16.2 %	18.3 %	16.6 %	5.1 %	0.1 %*	0.6 %*		
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/	100	16.9	2.0 *	22.6	1.7 *	1.2 *	8.7 *		
Pocket picking									
Black									
All personal crimes	100 %	11.1 %	17.3 %	16.2 %	7.6 %	0.0 %*	0.8 %*		
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/	100	31.6 *	7.4 *	7.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Pocket picking									

	Percent of reasons for not reporting							
	Unable to		Police	Police		Too		
	recover		would not	inefficient,		inconvenient		
	property;	Lack of	want to be	ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other	
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons	
White								
All personal crimes	0.6 %*	4.8 %	5.2 %	3.9 %	4.8 %	3.0 %	20.9 %	
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/	7.4 *	14.4 *	7.5 *	5.1 *	1.7 *	2.5 *	8.3 *	
Pocket picking								
Black								
All personal crimes	0.8 %*	4.5 %	2.7 %*	5.9 %	5.4 %	4.1 %	23.5 %	
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 *	

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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.

	Percent of reasons for not reporting								
				Object			Not aware		
		Reported	Private or	recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not	Insurance	crime occurred until later		
	Total	to another	personal		important	would not			
Race and type of crime		official	matter		enough	cover			
White									
All personal crimes	100 %	15.0 %	20.3 %	16.3 %	5.4 %	0.0 %*	0.4 %*		
Crimes of violence	100	14.9	20.9	16.6	5.3	0.0 *	0.3 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	5.6 *	31.9	7.1 *	5.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Robbery	100	3.7 *	10.9 *	19.5	3.5 *	0.0 *	2.4 *		
Assault	100	16.6	21.4	16.8	5.5	0.0 *	0.1 *		
Purse snatching/	100	16.5 *	4.1 *	10.6 *	8.6 *	0.0 *	2.4 *		
Pocket picking									
Black									
All personal crimes	100 %	13.9 %	17.0 %	12.9 %	6.3 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*		
Crimes of violence	100	14.3	17.5	12.5	6.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 *	14.6 *	23.0 *	0.0 *	12.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Robbery	100	15.4 *	0.0 *	15.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Assault	100	14.2	19.6	13.1	7.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	24.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *		
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	Percent of reasons for not reporting								
	Unable to		Police would not want to be	Police		Too			
	recover			inefficient, ineffective,		inconvenient			
	property;	Lack of			Fear of	or time	Other		
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons		
White									
All personal crimes	0.5 %*	4.4 %	5.5 %	2.9 %	4.7 %	3.6 %	21.0 %		
Crimes of violence	0.3 *	3.8	5.4	3.0	4.9	3.7	20.9		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	3.7 *	0.0 *	3.9 *	8.1 *	1.8 *	32.6		
Robbery	1.2 *	10.8 *	2.1 *	9.5 *	7.6 *	7.5 *	21.3		
Assault	0.3 *	3.1	6.0	2.2	4.4	3.4	20.3		
Purse snatching/	4.6 *	18.4 *	8.0 *	2.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	24.1 *		
Pocket picking									
Black									
All personal crimes	0.0 %*	7.5 %	4.2 %*	2.2 %*	5.1 %*	4.1 %*	26.8 %		
Crimes of violence	0.0 *	6.8	4.4 *	1.3 *	5.3 *	4.2 *	27.1		
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	11.9 *	14.8 *	23.6 *		
Robbery	0.0 *	35.8 *	20.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	13.5 *		
Assault	0.0 *	3.3 *	2.5 *	1.6 *	5.5 *	4.0 *	29.2		
Purse snatching/	0.0 *	29.3 *	0.0 *	27.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	18.8 *		
Pocket picking									

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.

	Percent of reasons for not reporting										
Race and type of crime	Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover	Not aware crime occurred until later				
White											
All personal crimes	100 %	17.4 %	21.3 %	15.9 %	5.4 %	0.1 %*	0.4 %*				
Crimes of violence	100	17.5	21.9	16.2	5.6	0.1 *	0.2 *				
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	4.7 *	9.8 *	12.3 *	6.6 *	0.0 *	5.3 *				
Robbery	100	6.9 *	7.5 *	9.5 *	4.4 *	1.8 *	0.0 *				
Assault	100	18.6	23.2	16.8	5.7	0.0 *	0.0 *				
Purse snatching/	100	13.7 *	3.2 *	7.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	8.6 *				
Pocket picking											
Black											
All personal crimes	100 %	15.1 %	19.6 %	15.5 %	1.0 %*	0.0 %*	2.2 %*				
Crimes of violence	100	15.5	20.1	15.0	1.0 *	0.0 *	2.3 *				
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100	0.0 *	7.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *				
Robbery	100	17.0 *	0.0 *	16.0 *	9.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *				
Assault	100	17.9	24.9	17.5	0.0 *	0.0 *	3.0 *				
Purse snatching/	100 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	33.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *				
Pocket picking											

	Percent of reasons for not reporting										
	Unable to		Police	Police	·	Too					
	recover	recover		inefficient,		inconvenient					
	property;	Lack of	want to be	ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other				
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons				
White											
All personal crimes	0.8 %*	3.1 %	5.1 %	3.0 %	4.6 %	2.5 %	20.3 %				
Crimes of violence	0.4 *	2.2	5.0	3.0	4.7	2.6	20.6				
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	4.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	24.6 *	0.0 *	32.4 *				
Robbery	1.9 *	14.3 *	9.7 *	20.3	6.0 *	5.1 *	12.5 *				
Assault	0.3 *	1.3	4.9	2.0	4.0	2.5	20.8				
Purse snatching/	13.6 *	32.7 *	7.3 *	3.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	10.2 *				
Pocket picking											
Black											
All personal crimes	0.6 %*	8.8 %	4.0 %*	4.0 %*	4.7 %*	3.0 %*	21.5 %				
Crimes of violence	0.0 *	9.0	4.2 *	4.1 *	4.9 *	1.9 *	22.1				
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	6.4 *	6.4 *	37.5 *	0.0 *	42.0 *				
Robbery	0.0 *	17.5 *	7.8 *	9.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	22.2 *				
Assault	0.0 *	9.3 *	3.3 *	2.9 *	0.0 *	2.5 *	18.7				
Purse snatching/	23.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	42.8 *	0.0 *				

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

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

Table 103. Personal crimes, 2003:

	Percent of reasons for not reporting										
				Object			Not aware				
		Reported	Private or	recovered;	Not	Insurance	crime				
		to another	personal	offender	important	would not	occurred				
Race and type of crime	Total	official	matter	unsuccessful	enough	cover	until later				
White only											
All personal crimes	100 %	15.3 %	18.5 %	19.5 %	5.5 %	0.0 %*	0.9 %*				
Crimes of violence	100 %	15.2	19.0	19.7	5.6	0.0 *	0.6 *				
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 %	9.5 *	12.9 *	2.9 *	2.4 *	0.0 *	2.4 *				
Robbery	100 %	6.1 *	7.9 *	15.1 *	3.3 *	0.0 *	4.9 *				
Assault	100 %	16.2	20.2	20.9	5.9	0.0 *	0.2 *				
Purse snatching/	100 %	19.7 *	0.0 *	14.0 *	3.2 *	0.0 *	12.0 *				
Pocket picking											
Black only											
All personal crimes	100 %	19.0 %	14.9 %	15.5 %	3.4 %*	0.0 %*	1.2 %*				
Crimes of violence	100 %	19.2	16.2	15.3	2.7 *	0.0 *	1.3 *				
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100 %*	0.0 *	47.6 *	29.6 *	12.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *				
Robbery	100 %	5.2 *	7.0 *	20.3 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	6.7 *				
Assault	100 %	24.2	16.3	13.0	2.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *				
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	100 %	17.0 *	0.0 *	17.3 *	12.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *				

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
Race and type of crime	Unable to recover property; no ID no.	Lack of proof	Police would not want to be bothered	Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	Fear of reprisal	Too inconvenient or time consuming	Other reasons			
White only										
All personal crimes	0.5 %*	4.6 %	4.5 %	4.0 %	3.7 %	3.3 %	19.5 %			
Crimes of violence	0.3 *	4.4	4.3	4.2	3.9	3.3	19.6			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	2.4 *	2.6 *	13.0 *	17.2 *	0.0 *	34.8			
Robbery	4.7 *	13.4 *	6.7 *	0.0 *	11.7 *	4.8 *	21.3			
Assault	0.0 *	3.8	4.1	4.1	2.6	3.3	18.8			
Purse snatching/	7.3 *	11.4 *	13.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	5.1 *	13.6 *			
Pocket picking										
Black only										
All personal crimes	1.3 %*	3.5 %*	4.7 %*	8.1 %	4.9 %*	2.0 %*	21.5 %			
Crimes of violence	0.0 *	3.1 *	5.1 *	8.1	5.3 *	1.4 *	22.3			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	10.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Robbery	0.0 *	9.2 *	11.9 *	13.3 *	14.9 *	2.7 *	8.9 *			
Assault	0.0 *	1.8 *	3.7 *	7.4 *	2.5 *	1.2 *	27.3			
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	17.0 *	7.6 *	0.0 *	8.0 *	0.0 *	9.0 *	12.1 *			

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

Excludes data on persons of "Other" races and persons indicating two or more races.

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<sup>\*</sup>Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.
a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 103. Personal crimes, 2004:

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
				Object			Not aware			
		Reported	Private or	recovered;	Not	Insurance	crime			
		to another	personal	offender	important	would not	occurred			
Race and type of crime	Total	official	matter	unsuccessful	enough	cover	until later			
White only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	13.8 %	18.9 %	21.2 %	6.9 %	0.0 %*	0.5 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	13.9	18.5	20.8	6.9	0.0 *	0.4 *			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %	11.1 *	14.0 *	8.6 *	1.9 *	0.0 *	4.7 *			
Robbery	100.0 %	5.8 *	8.2 *	17.4 *	10.6 *	0.0 *	2.1 *			
Assault	100.0 %	14.6	19.6	21.8	7.0	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %	11.9 *	26.5 *	27.9	5.6 *	0.0 *	2.1 *			
Black only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	13.8 %	23.5 %	13.8 %	5.2 %*	0.7 %*	0.7 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	13.9	25.2	13.7	4.5 *	0.8 *	0.8 *			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %	0.0 *	34.9 *	8.6 *	0.0 *	8.9 *	8.9 *			
Robbery	100.0 %	0.0 *	10.0 *	9.5 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Assault	100.0 %	18.7	27.5	15.2	6.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %*	11.6 *	0.0 *	15.0 *	15.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
Race and type of crime	Unable to recover property; no ID no.	Lack of proof	Police would not want to be bothered	Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	Fear of reprisal	Too inconvenient or time consuming	Other reasons			
White only					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
All personal crimes	0.1 %*	1.9 %	4.9 %	2.7 %	4.6 %	4.2 %	20.5 %			
Crimes of violence	0.1 *	1.5	4.9	2.8	4.6	4.4	21.2			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	6.8 *	5.3 *	12.3 *	7.2 *	28.1			
Robbery	1.4 *	6.7 *	5.8 *	6.8 *	9.7 *	11.3 *	14.3 *			
Assault	0.0 *	1.2 *	4.7	2.4	3.7	3.7	21.3			
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	0.0 *	10.3 *	5.0 *	0.0 *	4.3 *	0.0 *	6.5 *			
Black only										
All personal crimes	2.3 %*	3.8 %*	3.0 %*	4.3 %*	5.7 %*	3.5 %*	19.8 %			
Crimes of violence	1.1 *	1.9 *	3.2 *	4.6 *	6.1 *	3.8 *	20.6			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	11.4 *	0.0 *	27.3 *			
Robbery	6.5 *	6.5 *	12.7 *	12.4 *	11.3 *	5.4 *	25.6 *			
Assault	0.0 *	1.0 *	1.3 *	3.3 *	4.3 *	3.8 *	18.7			
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	18.6 *	30.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	9.0 *			

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

Table 103. Personal crimes, 2005:

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
Race and type of crime	Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover	Not aware crime occurred until later			
White only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	13.2 %	20.6 %	20.9 %	6.1 %	0.1 %*	1.1 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	13.6	21.1	20.8	6.0	0.1 *	0.6 *			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %	19.5 *	23.2 *	2.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Robbery	100.0 %	3.6 *	18.3	21.6	0.0 *	0.0 *	2.7 *			
Assault	100.0 %	14.5	21.3	21.4	6.9	0.1 *	0.4 *			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %	4.1 *	11.6 *	23.7 *	8.3 *	0.0 *	10.6 *			
Black only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	15.5 %	17.9 %	19.3 %	6.1 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	14.6	19.0	19.7	6.7 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %	17.9 *	22.2 *	5.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Robbery	100.0 %	0.0 *	5.5 *	23.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Assault	100.0 %	19.0	23.0	20.5	10.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %	24.8 *	7.8 *	15.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
Page and type of grims	Unable to recover property; no ID no.	Lack of	Police would not want to be bothered	Police inefficient, ineffective, or biased	Fear of	Too inconvenient or time	Other			
Race and type of crime	ווט טו טוו.	proof	botnered	oi biaseu	reprisal	consuming	reasons			
White only										
All personal crimes	0.6 %*	5.0 %	5.2 %	3.4 %	3.3 %	3.7 %	16.9 %			
Crimes of violence	0.3 *	4.6	4.9	3.6	3.3	3.9	17.2			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	11.0 *	0.0 *	5.2 *	2.8 *	35.5 *			
Robbery	3.0 *	17.1	7.6 *	3.2 *	0.0 *	5.6 *	17.2			
Assault	0.0 *	3.4	4.3	3.8	3.6	3.7	16.4			
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	6.9 *	11.0 *	10.0 *	0.0 *	2.3 *	0.0 *	11.4 *			
Black only										
All personal crimes	2.1 %*	7.7 %	6.2 %*	6.8 %*	4.2 %*	3.1 %*	11.0 %			
Crimes of violence	2.3 *	5.4 *	5.4 *	6.8 *	4.6 *	3.4 *	12.2			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	19.5 *	5.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	28.7 *			
Robbery	10.2 *	14.1 *	8.7 *	21.4 *	4.4 *	0.0 *	11.7 *			
Assault	0.0 *	3.2 *	2.0 *	1.9 *	5.4 *	5.2 *	9.6 *			
Purse snatching/ Pocket picking	0.0 *	30.7 *	14.2 *	6.9 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			

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Table 103. Personal crimes, 2006:

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
				Object			Not aware			
		Reported	Private or	recovered;	Not	Insurance	crime			
		to another	personal	offender	important	would not	occurred			
Race and type of crime	Total	official	matter	unsuccessful	enough	cover	until later			
White only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	14.9 %	18.6 %	18.8 %	5.7 %	0.1 %*	0.4 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	14.8	18.8	18.7	5.7	0.1 *	0.3 *			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %	11.8 *	26.5 *	12.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Robbery	100.0 %	6.3 *	11.8	12.0	0.9 *	0.9 *	2.5 *			
Assault	100.0 %	16.2	19.4	20.1	6.8	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %	22.7 *	11.9 *	21.6 *	5.6 *	0.0 *	3.5 *			
Black only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	9.2 %	25.5 %	9.8 %	8.2 %	0.0 %*	1.0 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	9.4	25.9	9.9	8.3	0.0 *	1.1 *			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %*	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Robbery	100.0 %	0.0 *	19.0 *	9.6 *	9.6 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Assault	100.0 %	10.8	27.6	10.3	8.5	0.0 *	1.2 *			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %*	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			

		Percent of reasons for not reporting								
	Unable to		Police	Police		Too				
	recover		would not	inefficient,		inconvenient				
	property;	Lack of	want to be	ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other			
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons			
White only										
All personal crimes	0.2 %*	3.1 %	6.5 %	4.1 %	7.6 %	5.2 %	14.7 %*			
Crimes of violence	0.0 *	2.9	6.6	4.2	7.8	5.1	14.9			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	2.5 *	0.0 *	17.9 *	3.8 *	24.9 *			
Robbery	0.0 *	8.9 *	12.7	17.6	5.7 *	8.9 *	11.6			
Assault	0.0 *	2.2	5.9	2.4	7.6	4.7	14.8			
Purse snatching/	11.3 *	11.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	5.7 *	5.7 *			
Pocket picking										
Black only										
All personal crimes	1.0 %*	4.7 %*	6.5 %*	6.2 %*	5.3 %*	2.0 %*	20.5 %			
Crimes of violence	1.1 *	3.2 *	6.6 *	6.3 *	5.4 *	2.1 *	20.8			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	0.0 *	26.1 *	0.0 *	25.9 *	32.2 *	15.7 *			
Robbery	0.0 *	23.2 *	0.0 *	19.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	19.2 *			
Assault	1.2 *	1.2 *	6.6 *	5.1 *	5.1 *	1.1 *	21.2			
Purse snatching/	0.0 *	100.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *			
Pocket picking										

Note: Many incident characteristics were unaffected or minimally affected by changes in methodology in the 2006 National Crime Victimization Survey. However, caution should be used in comparing 2006 rates of individual variables, particularly those with small sample sizes, to previous years.

See Criminal Victimization, 2006, at <a href="http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm">http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm</a>.

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

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
				Object			Not aware			
		Reported	Private or	recovered;	Not	Insurance	crime			
		to another	personal	offender	important	would not	occurred			
Race and type of crime	Total	official	matter	unsuccessful	enough	cover	until later			
White only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	15.3 %	19.8 %	17.4 %	4.8 %	0.3 %*	0.1 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	15.3 %	20.1 %	17.2 %	4.8 %	0.3 %*	0.1 %*			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %	9.4 %*	16.9 %*	5.2 %*	9.5 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Robbery	100.0 %	4.5 %*	12.9 %*	26.3 %	4.1 %*	3.4 %*	1.3 %*			
Assault	100.0 %	16.6 %	20.9 %	17.1 %	4.6 %	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %	19.0 %*	8.6 %*	27.5 %*	4.7 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Black only										
All personal crimes	100.0 %	16.0 %	13.9 %	18.4 %	11.2 %	0.0 %*	0.5 %*			
Crimes of violence	100.0 %	16.7 %	14.6 %	19.2 %	11.8 %	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	100.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Robbery	100.0 %	0.0 %*	17.3 %*	20.9 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Assault	100.0 %	20.0 %	14.5 %	19.5 %	14.1 %	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	100.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	12.5 %*			
Robbery Assault	100.0 % 100.0 %	0.0 %* 20.0 %	17.3 %* 14.5 %	20.9 %* 19.5 %	0.0 %* 14.1 %	0.0 %* 0.0 %*	0.0			

	Percent of reasons for not reporting									
			Police	Police		Too				
			would not	inefficient,		inconvenient				
	property;	Lack of	want to be	ineffective,	Fear of	or time	Other			
Race and type of crime	no ID no.	proof	bothered	or biased	reprisal	consuming	reasons			
White only										
All personal crimes	0.0 %*	2.4 %	9.1 %	4.2 %	4.9 %	6.0 %	15.6 %			
Crimes of violence	0.0 %*	2.5 %	9.1 %	4.3 %	4.9 %	5.8 %	15.7 %			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 %*	6.4 %*	8.2 %*	5.8 %*	10.9 %*	3.3 %*	24.2 %*			
Robbery	0.0 %*	1.3 %*	9.7 %*	7.1 %*	3.9 %*	11.0 %*	14.5 %*			
Assault	0.0 %*	2.4 %	9.1 %	4.0 %	4.6 %	5.5 %	15.3 %			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	9.9 %*	0.0 %*	3.8 %*	13.3 %*	13.1 %*			
Pocket picking										
Black only										
All personal crimes	0.0 %*	4.8 %*	9.3 %	2.9 %*	2.0 %*	5.2 %*	15.8 %			
Crimes of violence	0.0 %*	5.0 %*	6.9 %*	3.1 %*	2.1 %*	5.4 %*	15.3 %			
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 %*	33.8 %*	32.4 %*	0.0 %*	33.8 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*			
Robbery	0.0 %*	3.9 %*	14.0 %*	12.9 %*	3.9 %*	3.9 %*	23.4 %*			
Assault	0.0 %*	4.4 %*	5.0 %*	1.5 %*	0.9 %*	5.8 %*	14.3 %			
Purse snatching/Pocket Picking	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	61.2 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	0.0 %*	26.3 %*			

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