

Table 315. Criminal Victimization and Victimization Rates: 1995 to 2009

[(39,926 represents 39,926,000). Based on National Crime Victimization Survey (NCVS); see text, this section and Appendix III]

Type of crime	Number of victimizations (1,000)				Victimization rates ¹			
	1995	2000	2005	2009	1995	2000	2005	2009
All crimes, total	39,926	25,893	23,441	20,057	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Population: Aged 12 or older	215,709	226,805	244,505	254,106	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Personal crimes ²	10,436	6,597	5,401	4,477	46.2	29.1	22.1	17.6
Crimes of violence.....	10,022	6,323	5,174	4,343	44.5	27.9	21.2	17.1
Completed violence.....	2,960	2,044	1,659	1,383	12.9	9.0	6.8	5.4
Attempted/threatened violence	7,061	4,279	3,515	2,960	31.6	18.9	14.4	11.6
Rape/sexual assault	363	261	192	126	1.6	1.2	0.8	0.5
Rape/attempted rape.....	252	147	130	88	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.3
Rape.....	153	92	69	37	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.1
Attempted rape	99	55	61	50	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2
Sexual assault	112	114	62	38	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.2
Robbery.....	1,171	732	625	534	5.3	3.2	2.6	2.1
Completed/property taken.....	753	520	415	368	3.5	2.3	1.7	1.4
With injury	224	160	143	153	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.6
Without injury.....	529	360	272	215	2.4	1.6	1.1	0.8
Attempted to take property	418	212	210	166	1.8	0.9	0.9	0.7
With injury	84	66	64	63	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2
Without injury.....	335	146	145	103	1.4	0.6	0.6	0.4
Assault.....	8,487	5,330	4,357	3,684	37.6	23.5	17.8	14.5
Aggravated	2,050	1,293	1,052	823	8.8	5.7	4.3	3.2
With injury	533	346	331	313	2.4	1.5	1.4	1.2
Threatened with weapon	1,517	946	722	510	6.4	4.2	3.0	2.0
Simple	6,437	4,038	3,305	2,860	28.9	17.8	13.5	11.3
With minor injury	1,426	989	795	638	6.0	4.4	3.3	2.5
Without injury.....	5,012	3,048	2,510	2,222	22.9	13.4	10.3	8.7
Personal theft ³	414	274	227	133	1.7	1.2	0.9	0.5
Total number of households (1,000)	101,888	108,353	117,100	122,328	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Property crimes.....	29,490	19,297	18,040	15,581	279.5	178.1	154.0	127.4
Household burglary.....	5,004	3,444	3,456	3,135	47.4	31.8	29.5	25.6
Completed.....	4,232	2,909	2,900	2,604	40.0	26.9	24.8	21.3
Attempted forcible entry.....	773	534	556	531	7.4	4.9	4.7	4.3
Motor vehicle theft.....	1,717	937	978	736	16.2	8.6	8.4	6.0
Completed.....	1,163	642	775	570	10.8	5.9	6.6	4.7
Attempted	554	295	203	166	5.5	2.7	1.7	1.4
Theft.....	22,769	14,916	13,606	11,710	215.9	137.7	116.2	95.7
Completed ⁴	21,857	14,300	13,116	11,219	207.6	132.0	112.0	91.7
Attempted	911	616	489	491	8.4	5.7	4.2	4.0

^X Not applicable. ¹ Per 1,000 persons age 12 or older for "Personal crime"; per 1,000 households for "Property crime."² The victimization survey cannot measure murder because of the inability to question the victim. ³ Includes pocket picking, completed purse snatching, and attempted purse snatching. ⁴ Includes thefts in which the amount taken was not ascertained.Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Criminal Victimization*, 2009, NCJ 231327, October 2010, annual. See also <<http://bjs.ojp.usdoj.gov/index.cfm?ty=pb&detail&id=2217>>.**Table 316. Victimization Rates by Type of Crime and Characteristics of the Victim: 2009**

[Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 years or older. Based on the National Crime Victimization Survey. See text, this section and Appendix III]

Characteristic of the victim	Personal crimes	Crimes of violence						Personal theft ¹
		Total	Rape/sexual assault		Robbery	Assault		
			Total	Rape/sexual assault		Total	Aggravated	Simple
Total	17.6	17.1	0.5	2.1	14.5	3.2	11.3	0.5
Male.....	18.8	18.4	² 0.2	2.7	15.6	4.3	11.3	0.4
Female.....	16.5	15.8	0.8	1.6	13.5	2.3	11.2	0.6
12 to 15 years old	37.3	36.8	² 0.9	3.1	32.8	6.9	25.9	² 0.4
16 to 19 years old	32.3	30.3	² 0.6	5.2	24.6	5.3	19.3	² 1.9
20 to 24 years old	28.8	28.1	² 0.8	3.5	23.8	7.5	16.3	² 0.7
25 to 34 years old	22.1	21.5	² 0.8	2.8	17.9	4.5	13.4	² 0.7
35 to 49 years old	16.3	16.1	² 0.4	2.0	13.7	2.6	11.1	² 0.2
50 to 64 years old	11.0	10.7	² 0.3	1.1	9.3	1.9	7.5	² 0.4
65 years old and over	3.7	3.2	² 0.2	² 0.4	2.5	² 0.3	2.2	² 0.5
White	16.3	15.8	0.4	1.6	13.7	2.7	11.0	0.5
Black	27.8	26.8	1.2	5.6	19.9	6.8	13.0	² 1
Other ³	9.8	9.8	(Z)	² 0.5	9.3	² 1.9	7.4	(Z)
Two or more races	43.3	42.1	(Z)	² 5.2	36.9	² 9.3	27.5	² 1.2
Hispanic	18.6	18.1	² 0.5	3.4	14.2	3.2	11.0	² 0.5
Non-Hispanic	17.5	17.0	0.5	1.9	14.6	3.3	11.3	0.5
Household income:								
Less than \$7,500	49.0	47.7	² 3.9	7.3	36.5	15.5	21.0	² 1.2
\$7,500 to \$14,999	40.4	40.0	² 1.8	5.7	32.6	6.0	26.6	² 0.4
\$15,000 to \$24,999	23.3	22.3	² 0.9	3.8	17.6	4.0	13.5	² 1.0
\$25,000 to \$34,999	18.7	18.6	² (Z)	2.0	16.6	3.9	12.8	² 0.2
\$35,000 to \$49,999	16.7	16.6	² 0.3	2.0	14.3	4.5	9.8	² 0.1
\$50,000 to \$74,999	13.0	12.6	² 0.2	² 0.9	11.5	2.0	9.5	² 0.4
\$75,000 or more	12.4	11.5	² 0.2	1.1	10.2	2.1	8.1	0.9

Z Rounds to less than 0.05 victimizations per 1,000 persons. ¹ Includes pocket picking, completed purse snatching, and attempted purse snatching. ² Based on 10 or fewer sample cases. ³ Includes American Indians, Alaska Natives, Asians, Native Hawaiians, and other Pacific Islanders.Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Criminal Victimization*, 2009, NCJ 231327, October 2010.See also <<http://bjs.ojp.usdoj.gov/index.cfm?ty=pb&detail&id=2217>>.