

Table 63. Personal crimes of violence, 1996:



**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	4,242,050	100 %	2.9 %	6.5 %	4.5 %	4.4 %	5.6 %	8.3 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	99,760	100 %	4.4 *	5.4 *	2.7 *	22.2 *	6.7 *	7.6 *
Robbery	792,500	100 %	3.5	6.3	6.4	3.7	1.3 *	3.2
Assault	3,349,790	100 %	2.7	6.6	4.1	4.1	6.5	9.6
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	4,074,130	100 %	25.6	11.7	3.2	11.5	2.7	8.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	192,060	100 %	47.7	5.3 *	1.2 *	18.4	2.1 *	7.4 *
Robbery	247,980	100 %	38.5	13.1	1.4 *	12.9	3.0 *	1.2 *
Assault	3,634,090	100 %	23.5	11.9	3.4	11.0	2.7	9.4

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	11.1 %	10.3 %	3.9 %	29.8 %	1.7 %	11.0 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	14.4 *	7.5 *	3.3 *	16.5 *	0.0 *	9.4 *
Robbery	13.1	6.5	3.9	43.0	4.1	5.0
Assault	10.5	11.3	3.9	27.1	1.2	12.4
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	4.2	16.4	2.2	7.7	0.1 *	6.0
Rape/Sexual assault/a	3.1 *	6.1 *	1.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	7.5 *
Robbery	5.3 *	8.4 *	2.8 *	8.3 *	0.0 *	5.0 *
Assault	4.2	17.5	2.2	8.0	0.1 *	6.0

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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	3,869,220	100 %	3.3 %	8.0 %	5.0 %	4.4 %	7.0 %	8.9 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	97,400	100 %	10.4 *	5.6 *	2.0 *	19.1 *	0.0 *	7.6 *
Robbery	646,700	100 %	4.7	4.5	4.5	2.6 *	1.2 *	3.4 *
Assault	3,125,120	100 %	2.8	8.8	5.2	4.3	8.4	10.0
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	4,042,300	100 %	26.9	11.5	2.4	12.5	3.7	6.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	208,220	100 %	45.7	0.9 *	1.7 *	31.7	4.3 *	3.7 *
Robbery	235,900	100 %	43.5	3.9 *	5.2 *	12.1	4.8 *	4.5 *
Assault	3,598,170	100 %	24.7	12.6	2.2	11.5	3.6	7.3

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	9.9 %	8.7 %	2.5 %	29.9 %	2.3 %	10.1 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	11.6 *	4.5 *	2.4 *	16.5 *	7.8 *	12.5 *
Robbery	15.0	2.7 *	0.7 *	45.7	4.8	10.0
Assault	8.8	10.1	2.9	27.0	1.6	10.0
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	3.9	16.9	2.5	6.9	0.1 *	5.8
Rape/Sexual assault/a	2.5 *	2.2 *	1.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	6.0 *
Robbery	2.3 *	14.4	1.0 *	7.0 *	0.0 *	1.3 *
Assault	4.1	17.9	2.7	7.3	0.2 *	6.0

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Table 63. Personal crimes of violence, 1998:

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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	3,524,740	100 %	4.7 %	7.1 %	3.7 %	4.7 %	6.3 %	7.4 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	89,360	100 %	33.3	0.0 *	3.6 *	15.5 *	3.1 *	8.8 *
Robbery	528,920	100 %	6.9	6.0	2.9 *	3.9 *	1.9 *	5.4
Assault	2,906,470	100 %	3.4	7.5	3.8	4.5	7.1	7.7
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	3,908,920	100 %	29.5	9.4	2.7	9.5	3.0	7.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	238,770	100 %	47.0	1.2 *	0.9 *	21.0	0.0 *	5.5 *
Robbery	304,130	100 %	51.5	10.1	1.1 *	8.3 *	1.0 *	1.5 *
Assault	3,366,020	100 %	26.3	9.9	3.0	8.8	3.4	7.8

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	12.6 %	9.0 %	3.1 %	29.1 %	2.2 %	10.3 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	3.5 *	5.9 *	0.0 *	15.0 *	0.0 *	11.2 *
Robbery	17.3	4.0 *	2.4 *	39.1	4.6 *	5.6
Assault	12.0	10.0	3.3	27.8	1.8	11.1
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	3.2	18.1	2.1	8.0	0.1 *	7.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	2.5 *	14.8 *	1.7 *	1.0 *	0.0 *	4.4 *
Robbery	0.4 *	16.5	0.8 *	6.1 *	0.0 *	2.6 *
Assault	3.6	18.5	2.3	8.6	0.1 *	7.8

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Table 63. Personal crimes of violence, 1999:

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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	3,180,520	100 %	3.8 %	5.7 %	4.8 %	4.8 %	7.3 %	8.6 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	129,890	100 %	14.8 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	23.0	4.3 *	7.7 *
Robbery	522,880	100 %	7.8	5.1 *	5.6	0.9 *	0.9 *	4.2 *
Assault	2,527,750	100 %	2.4	6.2	4.8	4.7	8.8	9.6
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	3,543,410	100 %	23.1	11.4	2.5	11.4	2.9	8.7
Rape/Sexual assault/a	251,510	100 %	32.7	0.0 *	1.4 *	39.1	1.3 *	6.7 *
Robbery	218,010	100 %	37.6	13.3	1.8 *	9.8 *	0.0 *	1.3 *
Assault	3,073,890	100 %	21.3	12.2	2.7	9.2	3.3	9.4

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 %	10.6 %	3.1 %	28.6 %	1.6 %	10.0 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	9.3 *	2.2 *	0.0 *	32.3	1.8 *	4.6 *
Robbery	17.9	4.8 *	2.9 *	39.6	2.3 *	8.1
Assault	9.7	12.3	3.3	26.2	1.5	10.7
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	3.8	19.1	2.4	7.3	0.1 *	7.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	1.2 *	6.7 *	1.0 *	1.7 *	0.0 *	8.2 *
Robbery	6.3 *	13.1 *	1.2 *	12.5 *	0.0 *	3.2 *
Assault	3.8	20.5	2.6	7.4	0.2 *	7.4

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Table 63. Personal crimes of violence, 2000:

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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

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		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	2,554,410	100 %	4.7 %	7.9 %	5.4 %	4.2 %	6.8 %	9.9 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	85,780	100 %	14.7 *	6.0 *	0.0 *	21.6 *	5.1 *	2.9 *
Robbery	459,580	100 %	10.2	3.5 *	6.1 *	1.6 *	2.5 *	4.5 *
Assault	2,009,050	100 %	3.1	9.0	5.5	4.1	7.9	11.4
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>								
Crimes of violence	2,761,090	100 %	26.3	9.4	2.4	11.8	3.8	7.9
Rape/Sexual assault/a	155,200	100 %	36.3	4.9 *	0.0 *	14.3 *	7.9 *	17.4 *
Robbery	130,800	100 %	58.3	7.8 *	0.0 *	6.4 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	2,475,090	100 %	24.0	9.7	2.6	11.9	3.7	7.8

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	10.7 %	8.1 %	4.0 %	29.4 %	1.5 %	7.3 %
Rape/Sexual assault/a	0.0 *	3.0 *	6.7 *	21.4 *	3.2 *	15.4 *
Robbery	9.2	3.9 *	3.1 *	45.0	3.2 *	7.5
Assault	11.5	9.3	4.1	26.2	1.1 *	6.9
<b>Involving nonstrangers</b>						
Crimes of violence	4.9	18.7	1.5	6.8	0.4 *	6.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	3.3 *	5.5 *	0.0 *	2.6 *	0.0 *	7.9 *
Robbery	6.8 *	11.8 *	2.3 *	2.4 *	2.0 *	2.3 *
Assault	4.9	19.9	1.5	7.3	0.3 *	6.3

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