

Table 3.2

Estimated rate (per 1,000 persons age 12 and older) of personal victimization

By type of crime and selected characteristics of victim, United States, 1995

Victim characteristics	Type of crime							
	Crimes of violence							Personal theft
	All crime	All crimes of violence	Rape/sexual assault	Robbery	Total	Assault Aggravated	Simple	
Sex								
Male	54.4	53.2	0.3	7.5	45.3	11.9	33.5	1.3
Female	38.5	36.4	2.8	3.2	30.4	5.9	24.6	2.1
Age								
12 to 15 years	110.9	107.1	2.2	9.5	95.4	15.4	80.1	3.8
16 to 19 years	110.3	107.7	5.7	9.0	93.0	24.4	68.6	2.7
20 to 24 years	79.8	78.8	3.0	10.8	65.0	15.4	49.6	1.1
25 to 34 years	55.9	54.7	2.0	6.9	45.8	11.7	34.1	1.2
35 to 49 years	35.6	33.8	1.4	4.7	27.7	6.8	20.9	1.8
50 to 64 years	15.6	14.0	0.1	1.8	12.1	2.6	9.5	1.6
65 years and older	6.9	5.9	0.0	1.3	4.6	1.3	3.3	1.0
Race								
White	44.6	43.1	1.6	4.2	37.3	8.2	29.1	1.4
Black	58.4	55.4	1.6	12.5	41.3	12.6	28.7	3.1
Other	43.8	40.9	1.2	6.3	33.4	9.2	24.2	2.9
Ethnicity								
Hispanic	56.1	53.4	1.3	10.6	41.5	13.6	27.9	2.6
Non-Hispanic	45.0	43.4	1.6	4.8	37.0	8.2	28.8	1.6
Household income								
Under \$7,500	74.6	71.0	3.5	11.8	55.7	16.5	39.2	3.6
\$7,500 to \$14,999	49.7	48.4	1.6	9.1	37.7	10.0	27.7	1.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	49.2	47.7	1.6	6.5	39.5	9.1	30.4	1.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	48.1	46.4	1.5	5.1	39.8	8.9	30.8	1.7
\$35,000 to \$49,999	45.8	44.2	1.8	3.6	38.9	8.8	30.1	1.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	44.1	42.7	1.2	3.1	38.4	8.5	29.9	1.5
\$75,000 and over	37.9	36.2	0.8	2.4	33.0	5.5	27.6	1.7
Region								
Northeast	41.1	38.5	1.3	6.2	31.0	5.5	25.5	2.6
Midwest	46.7	45.2	2.3	4.3	38.6	7.9	30.7	1.5
South	39.6	38.4	0.9	4.3	33.1	8.4	24.8	1.3
West	61.5	59.7	2.1	7.2	50.4	13.5	36.9	1.8
Residence								
Urban	59.9	56.8	2.0	9.7	45.1	11.7	33.4	3.1
Suburban	43.5	42.1	1.6	4.0	36.6	8.1	28.4	1.4
Rural	35.5	34.9	1.2	2.6	31.1	6.6	24.5	0.6

Note: See Note, table 3.1. For survey methodology and definitions of terms, see Appendix 9.

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