

Table 30. Personal crimes of violence, 2006:

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**Percent of victimizations involving strangers,
by gender and race of victims, and type of crime**

Gender and race	Percent of victimizations involving strangers					
	Crimes of violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a	Robbery	Assault		
				Total	Aggravated	Simple
Both genders						
White only	48.1 %	35.6 %	75.3 %	44.9 %	46.6 %	44.4 %
Black only	46.0	61.8 *	69.8	42.0	48.7	38.4
Male						
White only	58.6	57.3 *	82.8	54.2	50.2	55.6
Black only	52.6	0.0 *	83.2	48.5	58.3	42.2
Female						
White only	35.7	32.3	58.4	33.9	41.8	31.6
Black only	39.6	61.8 *	56.2 *	35.4	36.5	34.9

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 <<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/abstract/cv06.htm>>.

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

*Estimate is based on 10 or fewer sample cases.

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