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Percent distribution of aggravated assaults known to police

By type of weapon used and region, 2006

| Region | Total ^a | Type of weapon used | | | |
|-----------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| | | Firearm | Knife or other cutting instrument | Other weapons (clubs, blunt objects, etc.) | Personal weapons (hands, fists, feet, etc.) |
| Total | 100.0% | 21.9% | 18.7% | 34.4% | 25.0% |
| Northeast | 100.0 | 16.2 | 20.7 | 32.6 | 30.4 |
| Midwest | 100.0 | 23.4 | 17.1 | 30.8 | 28.7 |
| South | 100.0 | 23.2 | 19.5 | 35.7 | 21.5 |
| West | 100.0 | 20.9 | 17.4 | 34.7 | 27.0 |

Note: See Note, [table 3.106.2006](#). For a list of States in regions, see [Appendix 3](#).

^aBecause of rounding, percents may not add to total.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Crime in the United States, 2006*, Aggravated Assault Table [Online]. Available: http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius2006/offenses/expanded_information/data/agassaulttable.html [Oct. 24, 2007].