

Table 3.157.2006

Law enforcement officers feloniously killed

By circumstances at scene of incident and type of assignment, United States, 2006

Circumstances at scene of incident	Total	Type of assignment								Off-duty
		2-officer vehicle	1-officer vehicle		Foot patrol		Other ^a			
			Alone	Assisted	Alone	Assisted	Alone	Assisted		
Total	48	2	12	13	0	0	6	12	3	
Disturbance calls	8	0	2	4	0	0	0	2	0	
Bar fights, persons with firearms, etc.	6	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	
Family quarrels	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Arrest situations	12	0	1	2	0	0	1	5	3	
Burglaries in progress/pursuing burglary suspects	0	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Robberies in progress/pursuing robbery suspects	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	
Drug-related matters	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	
Attempting other arrests	4	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	
Civil disorders (mass disobedience, riot, etc.)	0	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Handling, transporting, custody of prisoners	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Investigating suspicious persons/circumstances	6	1	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	
Ambush situations	10	1	4	2	0	0	2	1	0	
Entrapment/premeditation	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unprovoked attack	9	1	3	2	0	0	2	1	0	
Investigative activities (surveillance, searches, interviews, etc.)	0	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Handling persons with mental illness	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Traffic pursuits/stops	8	0	4	2	0	0	1	1	0	
Felony vehicle stops	0	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Traffic violation stops	8	0	4	2	0	0	1	1	0	
Tactical situations (barricaded offender, hostage taking, high-risk entry, etc.)	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	

Note: See Notes, tables 3.154.2006 and 3.155.2006.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Law Enforcement Officers Killed and Assaulted, 2006*, Table 23 [Online]. Available: <http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/killed/2006/table23.html> [Nov. 25, 2007].

^aIncludes detectives, undercover officers, and officers on special assignments and other types of assignments not listed.