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**Estimated number and percent distribution of prisoners under jurisdiction of State correctional authorities**

By offense, sex, race, and Hispanic origin, United States, 2002

	All prisoners		Sex				Race and Hispanic origin					
			Male		Female		White, non-Hispanic		Black, non-Hispanic		Hispanic	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	1,237,500	100%	1,157,700	100%	79,800	100%	435,100	100%	501,700	100%	225,000	100%
Violent offenses	624,900	50.5	598,600	51.7	26,300	33.0	213,800	49.1	257,300	51.3	112,500	50.0
Murder, nonnegligent manslaughter	148,300	12.0	140,200	12.1	8,100	10.2	44,700	10.3	63,200	12.6	30,800	13.7
Negligent manslaughter	16,900	1.4	15,300	1.3	1,600	2.0	7,100	1.6	6,600	1.3	2,100	0.9
Rape	60,800	4.9	60,400	5.2	500	0.6	31,300	7.2	19,900	4.0	6,900	3.1
Other sexual assault	81,200	6.6	80,100	6.9	1,000	1.3	44,700	10.3	16,700	3.3	12,300	5.5
Robbery	170,900	13.8	164,600	14.2	6,400	8.0	38,100	8.8	94,800	18.9	28,600	12.7
Assault	116,900	9.4	110,300	9.5	6,600	8.3	36,300	8.3	45,500	9.1	25,500	11.3
Other violent	29,800	2.4	27,800	2.4	2,100	2.6	11,500	2.6	10,600	2.1	6,400	2.8
Property offenses	253,000	20.4	230,100	19.9	22,900	28.7	114,900	26.4	88,400	17.6	35,300	15.7
Burglary	131,200	10.6	126,400	10.9	4,800	6.0	58,000	13.3	46,200	9.2	18,100	8.0
Larceny	48,100	3.9	40,900	3.5	7,200	9.0	21,000	4.8	18,300	3.6	6,700	3.0
Motor vehicle theft	18,600	1.5	17,800	1.5	800	1.0	7,100	1.6	5,400	1.1	4,900	2.2
Fraud	30,700	2.5	22,300	1.9	8,400	10.5	16,700	3.8	10,700	2.1	2,000	0.9
Other property	24,400	2.0	22,600	2.0	1,800	2.3	12,000	2.8	7,800	1.6	3,600	1.6
Drug offenses	265,000	21.4	239,900	20.7	25,100	31.5	64,500	14.8	126,000	25.1	61,700	27.4
Public-order offenses <sup>a</sup>	87,500	7.1	82,600	7.1	4,900	6.1	38,800	8.9	27,900	5.6	13,900	6.2
Other/unspecified <sup>b</sup>	7,000	0.6	6,400	0.6	600	0.8	3,100	0.7	2,200	0.4	1,600	0.7

Note: See Note, table 6.28.2004. These data are for prisoners with a sentence of more than 1 year. The data for prisoners by sex are from the National Prisoner Statistics Program; data by race and Hispanic origin are from the 2003-04 Survey of Inmates in State Correctional Facilities; the data for each offense category were estimated from the National Corrections Reporting Program, 2002. All estimates were rounded to the nearest 100. For information on methodology and definitions of terms, see Appendix 15.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Prisoners in 2004*, Bulletin NCJ 210677 (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, October 2005), p. 9. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.

<sup>a</sup>Includes weapons, drunk driving, court offenses, commercialized vice, morals and decency charges, liquor law violations, and other public-order offenses.

<sup>b</sup>Includes juvenile offenses and unspecified felonies.