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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, 2009^a

	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	1,365,688	100%	1,272,133	100%	93,555	100%	467,290	100%	525,677	100%	287,568	100%
Violent offenses	718,700	52.6	683,700	53.7	33,700	36.0	231,500	49.5	284,600	54.1	159,800	55.6
Murder, nonnegligent manslaughter	167,000	12.2	157,400	12.4	9,500	10.2	46,900	10.0	71,100	13.5	38,300	13.3
Negligent manslaughter	21,400	1.6	18,700	1.5	2,700	2.9	8,600	1.8	7,700	1.5	3,100	1.1
Rape	71,300	5.2	69,700	5.5	700	0.7	33,300	7.1	22,200	4.2	8,900	3.1
Other sexual assault	90,800	6.6	89,300	7.0	1,300	1.4	44,800	9.6	17,900	3.4	24,600	8.6
Robbery	186,000	13.6	178,000	14.0	8,200	8.8	40,700	8.7	96,400	18.3	37,600	13.1
Assault	142,400	10.4	133,700	10.5	8,300	8.9	43,300	9.3	55,100	10.5	37,500	13.0
Other violent	39,900	2.9	37,000	2.9	3,100	3.3	13,900	3.0	14,100	2.7	9,800	3.4
Property offenses	251,200	18.4	224,800	17.7	26,900	28.8	111,000	23.8	77,400	14.7	43,100	15.0
Burglary	129,900	9.5	123,700	9.7	6,400	6.8	54,300	11.6	43,300	8.2	22,600	7.9
Larceny	45,200	3.3	37,900	3.0	7,600	8.1	19,800	4.2	14,500	2.8	7,000	2.4
Motor vehicle theft	16,600	1.2	15,300	1.2	1,200	1.3	6,500	1.4	3,500	0.7	6,600	2.3
Fraud	31,300	2.3	22,300	1.8	9,200	9.8	16,000	3.4	8,700	1.7	2,900	1.0
Other property	28,200	2.1	25,700	2.0	2,500	2.7	14,300	3.1	7,300	1.4	4,100	1.4
Drug offenses	247,900	18.2	224,500	17.6	24,600	26.3	69,200	14.8	114,000	21.7	49,400	17.2
Public-order offenses ^b	139,200	10.2	131,300	10.3	7,500	8.0	52,000	11.1	46,600	8.9	34,000	11.8
Other/unspecified ^c	8,600	0.6	7,800	0.6	900	1.0	3,500	0.7	3,000	0.6	1,300	0.5

Note: These data are compiled from three data collection programs sponsored by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics. The data for prisoners by sex are year-end counts from the National Prisoner Statistics Program; data by race and Hispanic origin are from the 2005 Survey of Inmates in State Correctional Facilities updated by yearend jurisdiction counts; the data for each offense category were estimated from the National Corrections Reporting Program, 2009. These data are for prisoners serving sentences of more than 1 year under the jurisdiction of State correctional authorities. For information on methodology and definitions of terms, see [Appendix 15](#).

^aDetail may not add to total because of rounding.

^bIncludes weapons, drunk driving, court offenses, commercialized vice, morals and decency offenses, liquor law violations, and other public-order offenses.

^cIncludes juvenile offenses and unspecified offense categories.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Prisoners in 2011*, Bulletin NCJ 239808 (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, December 2012), p. 27, Appendix Table 8; p. 28, Appendix Table 10. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.