

Table 3.134

U. S. population, and murder and nonnegligent manslaughter victims and offenders

By age, sex, and race, United States, 1976-95

	13 years and younger				14 to 17 years				18 to 24 years				25 years and older			
	Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female		Male		Female	
	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black
1976-80																
U.S. population	9.4%	1.6%	9.0%	1.6%	3.3%	0.5%	3.2%	0.5%	5.8%	0.8%	5.7%	0.9%	24.8%	2.5%	27.5%	3.1%
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter																
Victims	1.4	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.6	1.3	0.8	0.4	8.7	8.0	2.9	2.3	28.4	25.8	9.5	5.9
Offenders	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	3.7	3.6	0.4	0.4	14.0	13.9	1.5	2.4	25.3	23.9	4.3	6.0
1981-85																
U.S. population	8.8	1.6	8.4	1.6	2.8	0.5	2.7	0.5	5.5	0.9	5.3	0.9	25.7	2.8	28.5	3.5
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter																
Victims	1.4	1.0	1.3	0.6	1.3	1.3	0.7	0.4	8.5	7.8	3.0	2.0	29.7	24.7	10.7	5.7
Offenders	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.1	3.1	0.4	0.4	14.2	13.2	1.4	2.1	28.0	23.9	4.3	5.5
1986-90																
U.S. population	8.6	1.6	8.2	1.6	2.5	0.5	2.4	0.4	4.8	0.8	4.6	0.8	26.8	3.1	29.5	3.8
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter																
Victims	1.4	1.0	1.2	0.9	1.4	2.3	0.6	0.4	7.6	10.6	2.4	1.9	26.4	25.0	10.3	6.3
Offenders	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	3.7	5.5	0.3	0.3	12.7	16.8	1.3	1.7	25.8	23.3	3.5	4.6
1991-95																
U.S. population	8.8	1.7	8.3	1.7	2.3	0.4	2.2	0.4	4.3	0.8	4.1	0.8	27.2	3.3	29.7	4.0
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter																
Victims	1.4	1.2	1.1	0.9	2.2	3.4	0.6	0.5	8.3	14.1	1.9	1.8	23.7	23.5	9.1	6.1
Offenders	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	4.8	8.7	0.3	0.4	13.0	23.1	0.9	1.5	21.0	19.5	2.8	3.6

Note: See Notes, tables 3.129 and 3.131.

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