

Table 4.4. Characteristics of convicted offenders, October 1, 2006-September 30, 2007

Offender characteristic	Total number of convicted offenders	Percent convicted
All offenders*	79,356	100 %
Gender		
Male	61,171	86.3 %
Female	9,700	13.7
Race		
White	49,420	70.9 %
Black/African American	17,247	24.8
American Indian/Alaska Native	1,147	1.6
Asian/Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	1,591	2.3
Other	265	0.4
Ethnicity		
Hispanic/Latino	32,155	47 %
Non Hispanic/Latino	36,214	53
Age		
16-18 years	386	0.5 %
19-20	2,677	3.8
21-30	25,830	36.6
31-40	22,138	31.4
Over 40	19,517	27.7
Citizenship		
U.S. citizen	43,459	61.8 %
Non U.S. citizen	26,916	38.2
Education		
Less than high school graduate	30,388	48.6 %
High school graduate	18,716	29.9
Some college	9,735	15.6
College graduate	3,665	5.9
Criminal record		
No convictions	24,822	35.7 %
Prior adult convictions	44,722	64.3

Note: Offenders are classified by the most serious offense charged.

*Includes offenders for whom these characteristics could not be determined.

Source: Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts criminal master file, fiscal year.

