

TABLE 13
HOMICIDE CRIMES, 1998
 Age of Victim by Relationship of Victim to Offender

Relationship of victim to offender	Total	Under 18	18-29	30-39	40 and over	Unknown
Number						
Total including unknown.....	2,170	306	933	428	480	23
Unknown.....	625	70	294	114	129	18
Total known.....	1,545	236	639	314	351	5
Friend, acquaintance ¹	766	92	359	165	147	3
Spouse, parent, child.....	192	75	29	23	65	0
Spouse ²	83	0	21	19	43	0
Parent, child ³	109	75	8	4	22	0
All other relatives.....	41	10	6	6	19	0
Stranger.....	546	59	245	120	120	2
Percent based on total known						
Total known.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Friend, acquaintance ¹	49.6	39.0	56.2	52.5	41.9	-
Spouse, parent, child.....	12.4	31.8	4.5	7.3	18.5	-
Spouse ²	5.4	0.0	3.3	6.1	12.3	-
Parent, child ³	7.1	31.8	1.3	1.3	6.3	-
All other relatives.....	2.7	4.2	0.9	1.9	5.4	-
Stranger.....	35.3	25.0	38.3	38.2	34.2	-

Notes: Percentages may not add to subtotals or 100.0 because of independent rounding.

Dash indicates that percent distributions are not calculated when the base number is less than 50.

¹ Includes ex-husband, ex-wife, employer, employee, gang member, etc.

² Includes "common-law" marriage partner.

³ Includes stepmother, stepfather, stepdaughter, and stepson.