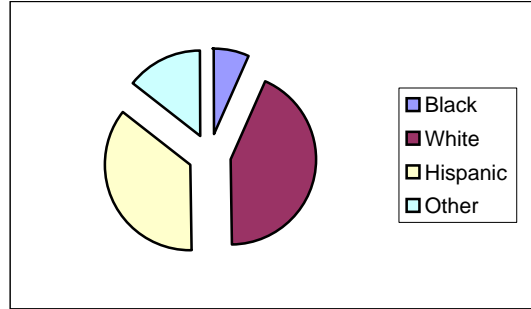


# Race and the Death Penalty in California

## General Population in the California

source: Office of the Attorney General, <http://ag.ca.gov/cjsc/publications/homicide/hm05/preface.pdf> (27 August 2007)

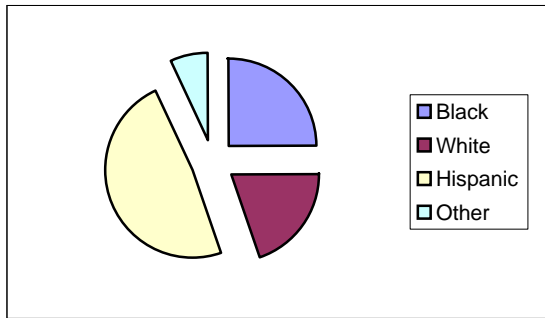
Race	% of Total
Black	6.7%
White	43.0%
Hispanic	35.9%
Other	14.4%



## Race of Persons Arrested for Homicide in 2005

Source: Office of the Attorney General, *op. cit.*

Defendant's Race	Number Arrested	% of Total Arrested	% of Arrested 1996-2005
Black	487	24.9%	24.49%
White	386	19.7%	21.33%
Hispanic	946	48.4%	46.18%
Other	137	7.0%	9.52%

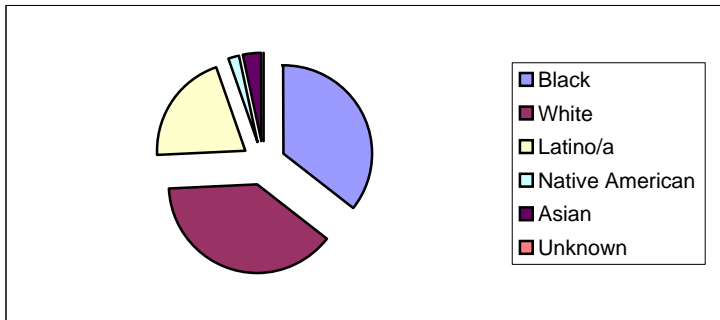


## Race of Death Row Inmates as of 1/1/07

source: NAACP Legal Defense Fund's "Death Row USA" [as of 1/1/07]

[http://www.naacpldf.org/content/pdf/pubs/drusa/DRUSA\\_Winter\\_2007.pdf](http://www.naacpldf.org/content/pdf/pubs/drusa/DRUSA_Winter_2007.pdf) (25 August 2007).

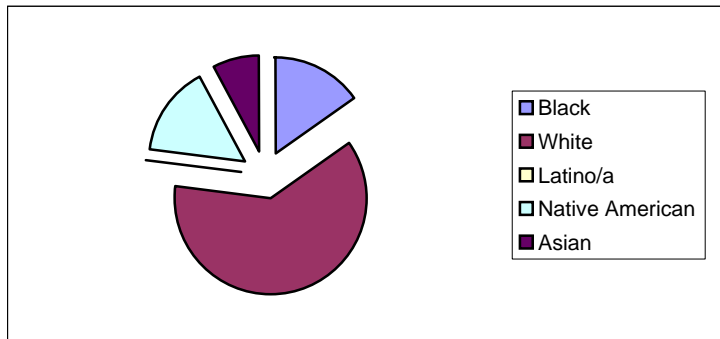
Defendant's Race	Number On Row	% of Total On Row
Black	235	36%
White	254	38%
Latino/a	136	21%
Native American	13	2%
Asian	22	3%
Unknown	0	0%



## Race of Defendants Executed Since 1976 as of 1/20/06

source: Death Penalty Information Center, <http://www.deathpenaltyinfo.org/getexecdata.php> (27 August 2007)

Defendant's Race	Number Executed	% of Total Executed
Black	2	15.38%
White	8	61.54%
Latino/a	0	0.00%
Native American	2	15.38%
Asian	1	7.69%

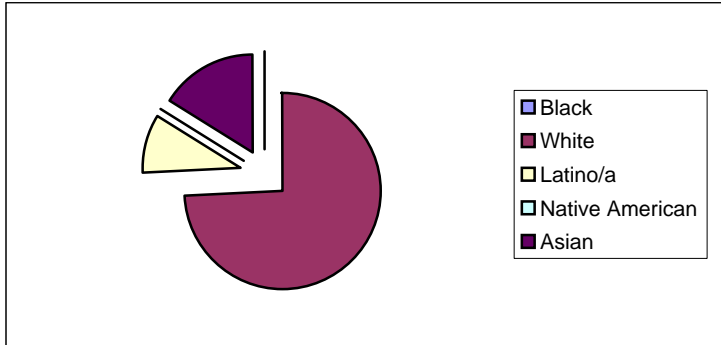


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## Race of Victims Resulting in Executions

These are the races of the victims of the 13 people executed in California as of 1/20/06  
 source: NAACP Legal Defense Fund, *op. cit.*

Victim's Race	Number of Victims	% of Total Victims
Black	0	0.00%
White	23	74.19%
Latino/a	3	9.68%
Native American	0	0.00%
Asian	5	16.13%



## Defendant-Victim Racial Combinations

### All Homicides 1976-2005

source: unable to find data

	White Victim		Black Victim		Other	
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
White Defendant						
Black Defendant						
Other						
Total						

### For Executed Defendants as of 1/1/07

source: Death Penalty Information Center, *op.cit.*

	White Victim		Black Victim		Other	
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
White Defendant	7	53.85%	0	0.00%	1	7.69%
Black Defendant	1	7.69%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Other	2	15.38%	0	0.00%	1	7.69%
Total	10	76.92%	0	0.00%	2	15.38%

In addition, there was 1 black defendant executed for murders of 3 Asian and 1 white person.