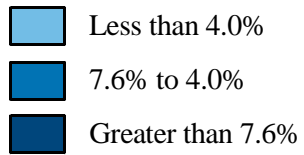
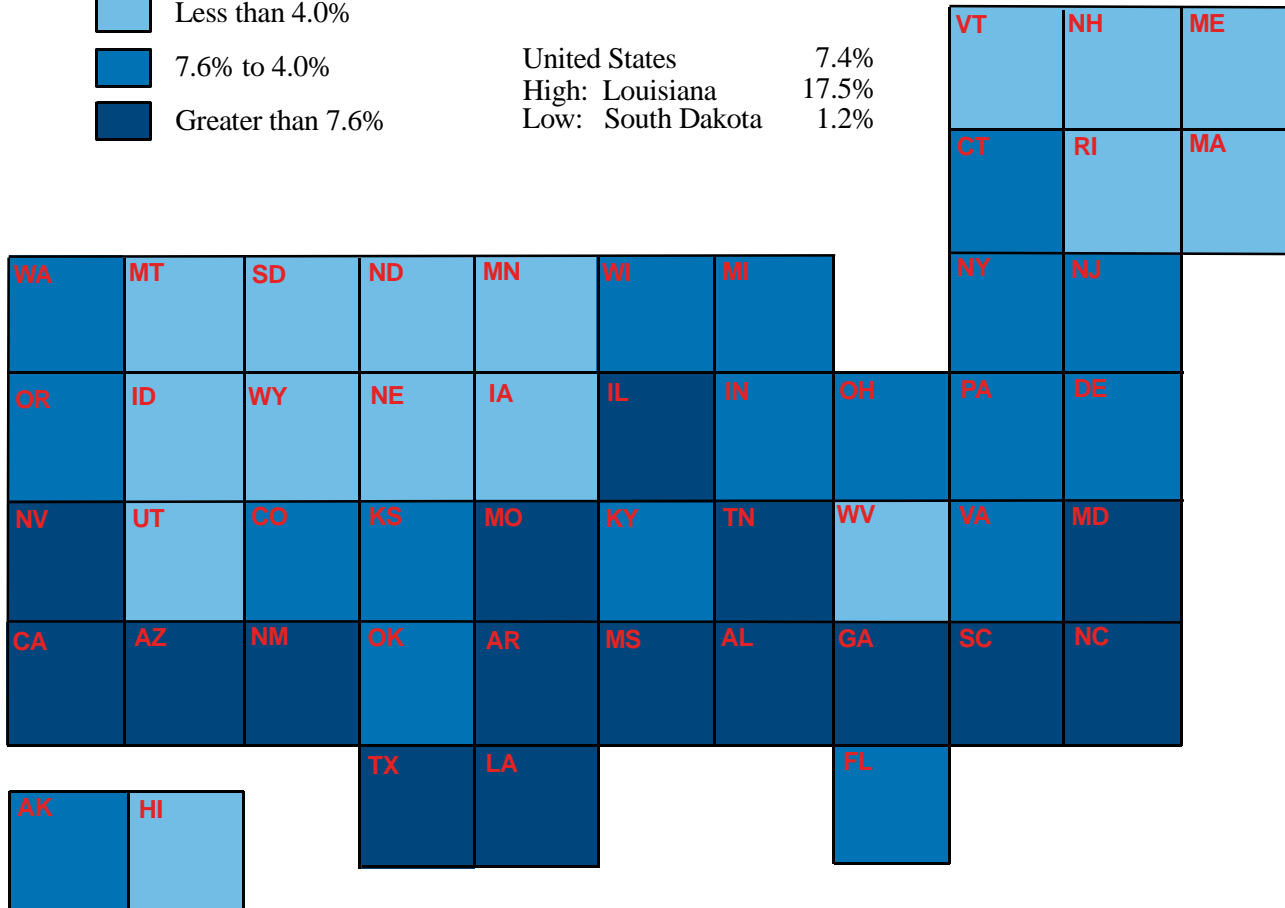


Homicide Rates per 100,000 in 1996



United States 7.4%
 High: Louisiana 17.5%
 Low: South Dakota 1.2%



SOURCE: Federal Bureau of Investigation