



**'Drug Killings' in Mexico (January - February 2008)**  
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Shows the rate of cartel-related slayings per 100,000 persons and the state percent of national cartel-related slayings in Mexico during January 1 - February 29, 2008.

*Source:* State population figures for 2007 obtained from Consejo Nacional de Población (Conapo). State and national totals of cartel-related slayings in Mexico ("ejecuciones" and "narcoejecuciones") obtained from data provided by *Reforma* newspaper.

*Note:* Rate of cartel-related slayings per 100,000 persons is based on 2007 state population estimates – the latest available year.