

## Adult Arrest Data Source Notes

The attached arrest data is derived from the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system. CCH contains adult arrests for offenses where fingerprints are required to be taken (Criminal Procedure Law 160.10). For calendar years up to and including 2016, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. State law also permits 13 to 15 year olds to be treated as adults if they are accused of certain serious crimes. These Juvenile Offender (JO) arrests are also included here.

Demographic characteristics including sex, race/ethnicity and age are recorded by police at the time of arrest as part of the fingerprint transaction. For race/ethnicity, five categories are displayed: White, Black, Hispanic, Asian, and Other. All arrestees of Hispanic ethnicity, regardless of race, are included in the Hispanic category. The White, Black, Asian, and Other categories include only persons of non-Hispanic origin. Arrests by age categories are based on the arrested individual's age at the time the crime was committed.

Arrests are displayed by the county/region where the arrest took place. If a police agency arrests an individual outside of the county where the agency is located, that arrest is included in the statistics for the county where the arrest occurred.

Arrest charges are categorized by the most serious charge reported at the time of arrest. For example, if an individual was charged with a felony and a misdemeanor in connection with the same crime, that arrest is counted once and categorized as a felony. Arrests in these tables are shown using the following categories:

- **Felony:** Offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than one year may be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.05).
- **Misdemeanor:** Offenses, other than traffic infractions, for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than 15 days but no more than one year can be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.04).
- **Drug:** All offenses listed under Penal Law Articles 220 (controlled substances) and 221 (marijuana).
- **Violent Felony:** All offenses listed under Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, kidnapping and predatory sexual assault.
- **Driving While Intoxicated (DWI):** All offenses listed under Vehicle and Traffic Law Section 1192.
- **Property:** All misdemeanor offenses listed under Penal Law Articles 140, 145, 150, 155, and 165.
- **Other:** Any offense not specified above.

**Cayuga County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2016**

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,374	969	405	0
Felony Total	431	326	105	0
Drug	51	36	15	0
Violent	104	88	16	0
DWI	38	25	13	0
Other	238	177	61	0
Misdemeanor Total	943	643	300	0
Drug	77	59	18	0
DWI	173	125	48	0
Property	316	201	115	0
Other	377	258	119	0

**Cayuga County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2016**

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,374	1,071	240	42	2	19
Felony Total	431	325	92	12	0	2
Drug	51	33	16	1	0	1
Violent	104	79	24	1	0	0
DWI	38	33	4	0	0	1
Other	238	180	48	10	0	0
Misdemeanor Total	943	746	148	30	2	17
Drug	77	55	15	1	1	5
DWI	173	155	8	9	0	1
Property	316	244	59	9	0	4
Other	377	292	66	11	1	7

**Cayuga County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2016**

	Total Arrests	13-15 JO only	16-17*	18-20	21-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55+
Total Arrests	1,374	0	81	157	205	240	210	153	101	99	64	64
Felony Total	431	0	26	49	53	80	78	55	25	36	17	12
Drug	51	0	1	5	4	10	10	7	5	6	3	0
Violent	104	0	13	19	12	19	16	8	5	7	3	2
DWI	38	0	0	2	3	9	7	7	4	3	1	2
Other	238	0	12	23	34	42	45	33	11	20	10	8
Misdemeanor Total	943	0	55	108	152	160	132	98	76	63	47	52
Drug	77	0	3	8	16	14	11	9	4	4	4	4
DWI	173	0	0	9	32	33	22	18	15	16	11	17
Property	316	0	31	40	46	53	46	24	32	14	13	17
Other	377	0	21	51	58	60	53	47	25	29	19	14

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 04/20/2018).