

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.

Otsego County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2016

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,143	820	322	1
Felony Total	339	258	81	0
Drug	67	54	13	0
Violent	52	46	6	0
DWI	37	22	15	0
Other	183	136	47	0
Misdemeanor Total	804	562	241	1
Drug	103	72	31	0
DWI	184	133	51	0
Property	241	147	94	0
Other	276	210	65	1

Otsego County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2016

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,143	961	105	64	3	10
Felony Total	339	270	45	23	0	1
Drug	67	46	16	5	0	0
Violent	52	38	8	5	0	1
DWI	37	36	0	1	0	0
Other	183	150	21	12	0	0
Misdemeanor Total	804	691	60	41	3	9
Drug	103	85	9	6	0	3
DWI	184	168	6	8	0	2
Property	241	212	12	14	0	3
Other	276	226	33	13	3	1

Otsego 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	1,143	0	39	140	196	218	187	117	61	64	53	68
Felony Total	339	0	6	34	57	67	61	41	21	22	13	17
Drug	67	0	1	3	15	16	15	4	3	5	4	1
Violent	52	0	2	13	6	8	7	6	4	2	2	2
DWI	37	0	0	0	4	7	8	9	3	1	2	3
Other	183	0	3	18	32	36	31	22	11	14	5	11
Misdemeanor Total	804	0	33	106	139	151	126	76	40	42	40	51
Drug	103	0	3	15	23	22	16	9	5	3	2	5
DWI	184	0	0	16	37	41	20	16	10	13	16	15
Property	241	0	14	41	39	43	46	21	8	11	10	8
Other	276	0	16	34	40	45	44	30	17	15	12	23

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