

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 2017, 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: 2017

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,065	769	295	1
Felony Total	307	232	74	1
Drug	45	35	10	0
Violent	72	62	9	1
DWI	26	20	6	0
Other	164	115	49	0
Misdemeanor Total	758	537	221	0
Drug	92	63	29	0
DWI	178	124	54	0
Property	239	161	78	0
Other	249	189	60	0

Otsego County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2017

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,065	889	97	73	1	5
Felony Total	307	246	29	29	1	2
Drug	45	33	9	1	0	2
Violent	72	55	6	10	1	0
DWI	26	22	3	1	0	0
Other	164	136	11	17	0	0
Misdemeanor Total	758	643	68	44	0	3
Drug	92	77	11	4	0	0
DWI	178	164	7	6	0	1
Property	239	199	22	16	0	2
Other	249	203	28	18	0	0

Otsego County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2017

	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	1,065	0	45	145	165	189	167	106	58	68	45	77
Felony Total	307	0	21	27	43	49	57	35	14	29	14	18
Drug	45	0	0	5	9	10	9	3	1	7	0	1
Violent	72	0	8	8	12	10	9	7	4	3	4	7
DWI	26	0	0	0	2	7	3	5	1	4	0	4
Other	164	0	13	14	20	22	36	20	8	15	10	6
Misdemeanor Total	758	0	24	118	122	140	110	71	44	39	31	59
Drug	92	0	3	18	17	17	15	10	5	5	2	0
DWI	178	0	0	12	29	37	25	14	12	12	12	25
Property	239	0	15	55	39	47	27	24	9	7	4	12
Other	249	0	6	33	37	39	43	23	18	15	13	22

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