

## 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). Up until October 1, 2018, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. Arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds between October 1 and December 31, 2018 are not included as these arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age legislation. 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.

### Ulster County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2018

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	4,089	2,849	1,239	1
Felony Total	1,136	864	272	0
Drug	222	167	55	0
Violent	157	136	21	0
DWI	129	86	43	0
Other	628	475	153	0
Misdemeanor Total	2,953	1,985	967	1
Drug	659	441	218	0
DWI	651	437	214	0
Property	702	418	283	1
Other	941	689	252	0

### Ulster County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2018

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	4,089	2,698	795	524	33	39
Felony Total	1,136	688	259	170	3	16
Drug	222	128	58	29	1	6
Violent	157	84	41	31	1	0
DWI	129	97	14	16	0	2
Other	628	379	146	94	1	8
Misdemeanor Total	2,953	2,010	536	354	30	23
Drug	659	474	98	74	7	6
DWI	651	490	68	82	9	2
Property	702	486	143	61	4	8
Other	941	560	227	137	10	7

### Ulster County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2018

	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	4,089	0	131	435	605	737	608	449	307	272	210	335
Felony Total	1,136	0	38	114	158	192	200	147	92	73	57	65
Drug	222	0	3	22	44	37	43	27	16	8	9	13
Violent	157	0	11	36	27	22	21	9	11	9	8	3
DWI	129	0	1	3	7	23	27	19	16	14	8	11
Other	628	0	23	53	80	110	109	92	49	42	32	38
Misdemeanor Total	2,953	0	93	321	447	545	408	302	215	199	153	270
Drug	659	0	19	80	125	138	101	71	43	38	15	29
DWI	651	0	5	32	99	130	65	56	45	52	56	111
Property	702	0	26	96	101	116	90	75	45	44	39	70
Other	941	0	43	113	122	161	152	100	82	65	43	60

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/23/2019).

\* Does not include arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds between October 1 and December 31, 2018. These arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age legislation.