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 arrests for offenses where fingerprints are required to be taken (Criminal Procedure Law 160.10). Arrest information is submitted by police agencies via fingerprint transaction and is electronically transmitted to DCJS by the state Office of Court Administration. Arrests shown involve individuals who were 18 or older when the crime was committed.

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 to a term of imprisonment in excess of one year may be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.05).
- **Misdemeanor**: Offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment between 15 days and one year may be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.04). Traffic infractions are not included.
- Drug: Offenses detailed in Penal Law Articles 220 (controlled substances) and 221 (marijuana).
- Violent Felony: Offenses detailed in Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, kidnapping, and predatory sexual assault.
- Driving While Intoxicated (DWI): Offenses include all charges listed under Vehicle and Traffic Law Section 1192.
- **Property**: Offenses include all misdemeanor charges listed under Penal Law Articles 140 (burglary and related offenses), 145 (criminal mischief and related offenses), 150 (arson), and 165 (other offenses related to theft).
- Other: All offenses in state law not specified above that require fingerprints to be taken upon arrest.

Otsego Count	y Adult Arrests by Sex: 2019
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	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported	
Total Arrests	1,023	756	267	0	
Felony Total	277	225	52	0	
Drug	37	34	3	0	
Violent	58	49	9	0	
DWI	37	29	8	0	
Other	145	113	32	0	
Misdemeanor Total	746	531	215	0	
Drug	89	70	19	0	
DWI	153	110	43	0	
Property	232	140	92	0	
Other	272	211	61	0	

Otsego County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2019

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other- Unknown
Total Arrests	1,023	843	114	56	3	7
Felony Total	277	221	37	18	0	1
Drug	37	19	15	3	0	0
Violent	58	48	5	4	0	1
DWI	37	32	1	4	0	0
Other	145	122	16	7	0	0
Misdemeanor Total	746	622	77	38	3	6
Drug	89	76	5	6	1	1
DWI	153	138	10	3	1	1
Property	232	177	37	16	0	2
Other	272	231	25	13	1	2

Otsego County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2019

	Total Arrests	18-20	21-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55+
Total Arrests	1,023	121	158	198	165	141	79	45	37	79
Felony Total	277	30	34	69	52	32	20	12	10	18
Drug	37	2	5	11	12	1	0	5	0	1
Violent	58	7	9	13	9	11	4	0	1	4
DWI	37	0	2	5	6	6	7	4	2	5
Other	145	21	18	40	25	14	9	3	7	8
Misdemeanor Total	746	91	124	129	113	109	59	33	27	61
Drug	89	12	14	20	18	14	4	3	2	2
DWI	153	6	31	30	23	17	10	4	9	23
Property	232	42	44	37	25	36	17	12	7	12
Other	272	31	35	42	47	42	28	14	9	24

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/17/2020).