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.

St. Lawrence County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2019
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	Total Arrests	Male		Not Reported	
Total Arrests	1,821	1,253	568	0	
Felony Total	610	433	177	0	
Drug	149	94	55	0	
Violent	93	80	13	0	
DWI	44	30	14	0	
Other	324	229	95	0	
Misdemeanor Total	1,211	820	391	0	
Drug	192	127	65	0	
DWI	301	226	75	0	
Property	348	198	150	0	
Other	370	269	101	0	

St. Lawrence County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2019

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other- Unknown
Total Arrests	1,821	1,544	146	49	4	78
Felony Total	610	482	77	23	2	26
Drug	149	110	20	9	1	9
Violent	93	70	17	3	0	3
DWI	44	42	1	0	0	1
Other	324	260	39	11	1	13
Misdemeanor Total	1,211	1,062	69	26	2	52
Drug	192	164	13	1	0	14
DWI	301	272	9	7	0	13
Property	348	296	19	11	2	20
Other	370	330	28	7	0	5

St. Lawrence 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	1,821	182	218	357	294	256	158	102	86	168
Felony Total	610	53	64	120	104	108	56	37	23	45
Drug	149	10	14	39	24	30	19	5	1	7
Violent	93	18	20	11	19	2	9	6	3	5
DWI	44	0	1	7	5	14	5	2	3	7
Other	324	25	29	63	56	62	23	24	16	26
Misdemeanor Total	1,211	129	154	237	190	148	102	65	63	123
Drug	192	23	24	52	30	28	10	9	6	10
DWI	301	18	48	38	38	30	34	20	26	49
Property	348	50	41	71	59	43	25	9	13	37
Other	370		41	76	63	47	33	27	18	27

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