

# Adult Arrests

## GLOSSARY

**The Computerized Criminal History system** includes adult arrests (ages 16 and older; and juvenile offenders prosecuted in adult courts) for fingerprintable offenses. 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.

Arrests are displayed by arrest county and include all agencies that made an arrest within that county, including agencies from other counties. Arrests made by New York State agencies outside of the state are included in the total but not shown separately.

### **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, other than traffic infractions, for which a sentence to a term of imprisonment in excess of 15 days may be imposed, but for which a sentence to a term of imprisonment in excess of one year cannot be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.04).

### **Drug**

offenses include all charges listed under Penal Law Articles 220 (controlled substances) and 221 (marijuana).

### **Violent Felony**

offenses include all charges listed under Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, and kidnapping.

### **Driving While Intoxicated**

offenses include all charges listed under Vehicle and Traffic Law Section 1192.

### **Property**

offenses include all misdemeanor charges listed under Penal Law Articles 140, 145, 150, 155 and 165.

### **Other**

offenses include all charges not specified above.

Note: Based on the most current data available, some counts from prior years have changed.