

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 2016, 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.

Fulton County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2016

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,106	784	322	0
Felony Total	359	258	101	0
Drug	54	45	9	0
Violent	71	55	16	0
DWI	31	27	4	0
Other	203	131	72	0
Misdemeanor Total	747	526	221	0
Drug	58	44	14	0
DWI	155	108	47	0
Property	241	148	93	0
Other	293	226	67	0

Fulton County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2016

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,106	949	96	49	2	10
Felony Total	359	298	41	15	1	4
Drug	54	28	19	5	0	2
Violent	71	64	5	1	0	1
DWI	31	30	0	1	0	0
Other	203	176	17	8	1	1
Misdemeanor Total	747	651	55	34	1	6
Drug	58	51	5	2	0	0
DWI	155	148	2	3	1	1
Property	241	202	23	16	0	0
Other	293	250	25	13	0	5

Fulton County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2016

	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	1,106	0	56	98	139	174	177	132	87	90	58	95
Felony Total	359	0	15	28	50	59	67	46	29	23	19	23
Drug	54	0	1	4	6	11	20	4	2	3	2	1
Violent	71	0	6	11	13	10	9	8	3	3	2	6
DWI	31	0	0	1	6	3	6	3	3	1	5	3
Other	203	0	8	12	25	35	32	31	21	16	10	13
Misdemeanor Total	747	0	41	70	89	115	110	86	58	67	39	72
Drug	58	0	5	6	14	10	9	4	2	2	4	2
DWI	155	0	0	8	17	29	18	13	14	20	9	27
Property	241	0	18	27	30	26	32	35	23	23	11	16
Other	293	0	18	29	28	50	51	34	19	22	15	27

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