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.

Ontario County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2016

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,946	1,291	655	0
Felony Total	596	433	163	0
Drug	67	62	5	0
Violent	99	84	15	0
DWI	77	52	25	0
Other	353	235	118	0
Misdemeanor Total	1,350	858	492	0
Drug	106	77	29	0
DWI	310	213	97	0
Property	502	272	230	0
Other	432	296	136	0

Ontario County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2016

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,946	1,485	277	146	20	18
Felony Total	596	424	104	55	8	5
Drug	67	28	24	15	0	0
Violent	99	67	19	9	1	3
DWI	77	67	6	4	0	0
Other	353	262	55	27	7	2
Misdemeanor Total	1,350	1,061	173	91	12	13
Drug	106	88	8	9	1	0
DWI	310	275	15	18	1	1
Property	502	361	98	24	9	10
Other	432	337	52	40	1	2

Ontario 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	1,946	0	117	230	278	365	290	180	104	117	102	163
Felony Total	596	0	30	44	68	131	100	67	35	41	34	46
Drug	67	0	2	5	6	14	16	5	6	4	7	2
Violent	99	0	12	12	21	17	9	10	1	5	4	8
DWI	77	0	0	4	3	17	10	14	8	9	9	3
Other	353	0	16	23	38	83	65	38	20	23	14	33
Misdemeanor Total	1,350	0	87	186	210	234	190	113	69	76	68	117
Drug	106	0	4	21	21	23	18	6	6	2	3	2
DWI	310	0	0	26	58	52	28	29	21	28	24	44
Property	502	0	52	93	78	82	66	31	15	25	21	39
Other	432	0	31	46	53	77	78	47	27	21	20	32

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