

## 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 2017, 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.

### Ulster County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2017

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	4,443	3,129	1,313	1
Felony Total	1,140	862	278	0
Drug	232	178	54	0
Violent	144	123	21	0
DWI	121	85	36	0
Other	643	476	167	0
Misdemeanor Total	3,303	2,267	1,035	1
Drug	682	473	209	0
DWI	721	516	205	0
Property	805	499	305	1
Other	1,095	779	316	0

### Ulster County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2017

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	4,443	2,945	866	544	27	61
Felony Total	1,140	668	298	151	8	15
Drug	232	117	68	39	1	7
Violent	144	85	33	22	2	2
DWI	121	86	10	23	1	1
Other	643	380	187	67	4	5
Misdemeanor Total	3,303	2,277	568	393	19	46
Drug	682	510	98	61	6	7
DWI	721	523	85	99	6	8
Property	805	564	135	87	4	15
Other	1,095	680	250	146	3	16

### Ulster County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2017

	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	4,443	0	197	452	703	828	656	465	284	300	227	331
Felony Total	1,140	0	37	83	154	235	181	137	91	85	54	83
Drug	232	0	3	17	33	60	37	30	16	15	11	10
Violent	144	0	8	13	31	18	22	12	9	12	7	12
DWI	121	0	0	1	12	26	29	15	11	9	5	13
Other	643	0	26	52	78	131	93	80	55	49	31	48
Misdemeanor Total	3,303	0	160	369	549	593	475	328	193	215	173	248
Drug	682	0	16	90	136	147	105	76	43	32	17	20
DWI	721	0	3	34	156	136	95	65	37	57	56	82
Property	805	0	79	99	114	119	107	69	49	54	50	65
Other	1,095	0	62	146	143	191	168	118	64	72	50	81

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