

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.

Cayuga County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2019

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,241	905	336	0
Felony Total	411	309	102	0
Drug	66	43	23	0
Violent	60	46	14	0
DWI	25	18	7	0
Other	260	202	58	0
Misdemeanor Total	830	596	234	0
Drug	62	41	21	0
DWI	135	100	35	0
Property	294	194	100	0
Other	339	261	78	0

Cayuga County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2019

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,241	925	254	56	1	5
Felony Total	411	271	112	25	0	3
Drug	66	37	23	5	0	1
Violent	60	37	20	2	0	1
DWI	25	22	2	1	0	0
Other	260	175	67	17	0	1
Misdemeanor Total	830	654	142	31	1	2
Drug	62	50	8	4	0	0
DWI	135	125	5	4	1	0
Property	294	231	53	10	0	0
Other	339	248	76	13	0	2

Cayuga 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	1,241	106	164	203	222	184	125	74	47	116
Felony Total	411	29	58	77	83	63	40	29	9	23
Drug	66	3	11	10	15	8	3	9	0	7
Violent	60	9	9	9	13	11	5	2	2	0
DWI	25	0	2	4	6	6	4	0	1	2
Other	260	17	36	54	49	38	28	18	6	14
Misdemeanor Total	830	77	106	126	139	121	85	45	38	93
Drug	62	4	3	14	12	6	13	3	1	6
DWI	135	1	16	18	9	14	14	10	16	37
Property	294	36	39	31	62	44	30	17	12	23
Other	339	36	48	63	56	57	28	15	9	27

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