

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). Up until October 1, 2018, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. Arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds between October 1 and December 31, 2018 are not included as these arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age legislation. 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.

Bronx County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2018

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	47,413	37,874	9,539	0
Felony Total	15,731	13,156	2,575	0
Drug	3,120	2,718	402	0
Violent	6,007	4,767	1,240	0
DWI	141	132	9	0
Other	6,463	5,539	924	0
Misdemeanor Total	31,682	24,718	6,964	0
Drug	6,177	5,364	813	0
DWI	954	824	130	0
Property	7,786	5,905	1,881	0
Other	16,765	12,625	4,140	0

Bronx County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2018

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	47,413	1,781	21,437	23,196	618	381
Felony Total	15,731	506	7,230	7,698	194	103
Drug	3,120	135	1,191	1,758	21	15
Violent	6,007	147	3,033	2,716	71	40
DWI	141	7	59	73	1	1
Other	6,463	217	2,947	3,151	101	47
Misdemeanor Total	31,682	1,275	14,207	15,498	424	278
Drug	6,177	289	2,512	3,284	54	38
DWI	954	48	342	540	15	9
Property	7,786	397	3,739	3,519	73	58
Other	16,765	541	7,614	8,155	282	173

Bronx County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2018

	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	47,413	52	1,870	4,399	6,904	8,871	6,797	5,519	3,645	3,142	2,919	3,295
Felony Total	15,731	52	673	1,506	2,291	2,884	2,234	1,774	1,197	1,021	994	1,105
Drug	3,120	0	46	130	333	493	435	381	295	303	330	374
Violent	6,007	52	384	713	936	1,149	817	600	417	300	297	342
DWI	141	0	0	1	9	15	27	25	13	22	17	12
Other	6,463	0	243	662	1,013	1,227	955	768	472	396	350	377
Misdemeanor Total	31,682	0	1,197	2,893	4,613	5,987	4,563	3,745	2,448	2,121	1,925	2,190
Drug	6,177	0	238	702	1,025	1,073	748	690	464	426	399	412
DWI	954	0	0	10	83	169	185	157	117	84	66	83
Property	7,786	0	359	732	1,052	1,369	1,056	864	595	525	589	645
Other	16,765	0	600	1,449	2,453	3,376	2,574	2,034	1,272	1,086	871	1,050

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/23/2019).

* 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.