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.

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Kings County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2019

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	46,516	37,795	8,721	0
Felony Total	22,135	18,810	3,325	0
Drug	2,921	2,595	326	0
Violent	7,195	5,798	1,397	0
DWI	196	176	20	0
Other	11,823	10,241	1,582	0
Misdemeanor Total	24,381	18,985	5,396	0
Drug	2,925	2,434	491	0
DWI	1,118	971	147	0
Property	7,694	5,898	1,796	0
Other	12,644	9,682	2,962	0

Kings County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2019

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	46,516	6,093	27,319	10,831	1,988	285
Felony Total	22,135	2,584	13,462	5,091	880	118
Drug	2,921	401	1,509	866	133	12
Violent	7,195	542	4,800	1,562	257	34
DWI	196	42	78	65	7	4
Other	11,823	1,599	7,075	2,598	483	68
Misdemeanor Total	24,381	3,509	13,857	5,740	1,108	167
Drug	2,925	445	1,634	746	78	22
DWI	1,118	233	460	337	65	23
Property	7,694	1,368	4,298	1,729	263	36
Other	12,644	1,463	7,465	2,928	702	86

Kings 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	46,516	4,124	6,520	8,657	7,635	5,550	4,042	3,175	2,955	3,858
Felony Total	22,135	2,127	3,207	4,218	3,722	2,712	1,823	1,398	1,313	1,615
Drug	2,921	144	339	529	461	414	255	233	221	325
Violent	7,195	905	1,165	1,356	1,177	813	579	412	354	434
DWI	196	0	3	29	40	40	27	19	16	22
Other	11,823	1,078	1,700	2,304	2,044	1,445	962	734	722	834
Misdemeanor Total	24,381	1,997	3,313	4,439	3,913	2,838	2,219	1,777	1,642	2,243
Drug	2,925	175	341	433	434	323	284	264	281	390
DWI	1,118	11	100	223	231	168	117	82	83	103
Property	7,694	767	1,102	1,327	1,119	813	617	612	593	744
Other	12,644	1,044	1,770	2,456	2,129	1,534	1,201	819	685	1,006

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