

Sourcebook of criminal justice statistics Online

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Table 4.11.2004

Arrests in cities

By offense charged and sex, 2004

(7,801 agencies; 2004 estimated population 143,767,412)

Offense charged	Persons arrested					Percent distribution of offenses charged ^a		
	Total number	Male		Female		Total	Male	Female
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent			
Total	7,556,444	5,728,207	75.8%	1,828,237	24.2%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	7,490	6,678	89.2	812	10.8	0.1	0.1	(b)
Forcible rape	13,230	13,038	98.5	192	1.5	0.2	0.2	(b)
Robbery	67,273	59,790	88.9	7,483	11.1	0.9	1.0	0.4
Aggravated assault	238,288	187,571	78.7	50,717	21.3	3.2	3.3	2.8
Burglary	154,328	131,703	85.3	22,625	14.7	2.0	2.3	1.2
Larceny-theft	728,443	444,477	61.0	283,966	39.0	9.6	7.8	15.5
Motor vehicle theft	82,136	68,050	82.9	14,086	17.1	1.1	1.2	0.8
Arson	7,918	6,580	83.1	1,338	16.9	0.1	0.1	0.1
Violent crime ^c	326,281	267,077	81.9	59,204	18.1	4.3	4.7	3.2
Property crime ^d	972,825	650,810	66.9	322,015	33.1	12.9	11.4	17.6
Other assaults	696,151	523,580	75.2	172,571	24.8	9.2	9.1	9.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	66,468	39,838	59.9	26,630	40.1	0.9	0.7	1.5
Fraud	115,852	66,107	57.1	49,745	42.9	1.5	1.2	2.7
Embezzlement	9,447	4,605	48.7	4,842	51.3	0.1	0.1	0.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	72,312	58,462	80.8	13,850	19.2	1.0	1.0	0.8
Vandalism	155,383	128,591	82.8	26,792	17.2	2.1	2.2	1.5
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	100,749	92,280	91.6	8,469	8.4	1.3	1.6	0.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	61,349	18,361	29.9	42,988	70.1	0.8	0.3	2.4
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	47,756	43,237	90.5	4,519	9.5	0.6	0.8	0.2
Drug abuse violations	954,541	776,963	81.4	177,578	18.6	12.6	13.6	9.7
Gambling	6,652	6,173	92.8	479	7.2	0.1	0.1	(b)
Offenses against family and children	42,168	28,517	67.6	13,651	32.4	0.6	0.5	0.7
Driving under the influence	623,754	503,042	80.6	120,712	19.4	8.3	8.8	6.6
Liquor laws	354,150	262,744	74.2	91,406	25.8	4.7	4.6	5.0
Drunkenness	340,110	290,271	85.3	49,839	14.7	4.5	5.1	2.7
Disorderly conduct	431,602	321,252	74.4	110,350	25.6	5.7	5.6	6.0
Vagrancy	22,912	18,627	81.3	4,285	18.7	0.3	0.3	0.2
All other offenses (except traffic)	1,995,434	1,534,492	76.9	460,942	23.1	26.4	26.8	25.2
Suspicion	1,317	1,012	76.8	305	23.2	(b)	(b)	(b)
Curfew and loitering law violations	94,988	65,742	69.2	29,246	30.8	1.3	1.1	1.6
Runaways	64,243	26,424	41.1	37,819	58.9	0.9	0.5	2.1

Note: See Note, table 4.1.2004. This table presents data from all city law enforcement agencies submitting complete reports for 12 months in 2004 (Source, p. 503). Population figures are estimates calculated from U.S. Census Bureau data. For definitions of offenses and city areas, see Appendix 3.

^cViolent crimes are offenses of murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

^dProperty crimes are offenses of burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson.

^aBecause of rounding, percents may not add to total.

^bLess than 0.1%.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Crime in the United States, 2004* (Washington, DC: USGPO, 2005), p. 306. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.