

Sourcebook of criminal justice statistics Online

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Arrests in nonmetropolitan counties

By offense charged and sex, 2004

(1,821 agencies; 2004 estimated population 20,030,041)

Offense charged	Persons arrested					Percent distribution of offenses charged ^a		
	Total number	Male		Female		Total	Male	Female
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent			
Total	778,022	604,554	77.7%	173,468	22.3%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	698	595	85.2	103	14.8	0.1	0.1	0.1
Forcible rape	1,894	1,840	97.1	54	2.9	0.2	0.3	(b)
Robbery	1,772	1,591	89.8	181	10.2	0.2	0.3	0.1
Aggravated assault	19,640	16,242	82.7	3,398	17.3	2.5	2.7	2.0
Burglary	18,617	16,276	87.4	2,341	12.6	2.4	2.7	1.3
Larceny-theft	29,893	21,139	70.7	8,754	29.3	3.8	3.5	5.0
Motor vehicle theft	5,563	4,610	82.9	953	17.1	0.7	0.8	0.5
Arson	901	756	83.9	145	16.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Violent crime ^c	24,004	20,268	84.4	3,736	15.6	3.1	3.4	2.2
Property crime ^d	54,974	42,781	77.8	12,193	22.2	7.1	7.1	7.0
Other assaults	69,961	53,220	76.1	16,741	23.9	9.0	8.8	9.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	5,358	3,167	59.1	2,191	40.9	0.7	0.5	1.3
Fraud	33,325	16,829	50.5	16,496	49.5	4.3	2.8	9.5
Embezzlement	834	394	47.2	440	52.8	0.1	0.1	0.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	5,173	4,315	83.4	858	16.6	0.7	0.7	0.5
Vandalism	13,261	11,205	84.5	2,056	15.5	1.7	1.9	1.2
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	6,958	6,446	92.6	512	7.4	0.9	1.1	0.3
Prostitution and commercialized vice	168	103	61.3	65	38.7	(b)	(b)	(b)
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	5,352	5,075	94.8	277	5.2	0.7	0.8	0.2
Drug abuse violations	91,230	72,751	79.7	18,479	20.3	11.7	12.0	10.7
Gambling	470	397	84.5	73	15.5	0.1	0.1	(b)
Offenses against family and children	12,360	9,915	80.2	2,445	19.8	1.6	1.6	1.4
Driving under the influence	155,476	128,182	82.4	27,294	17.6	20.0	21.2	15.7
Liquor laws	35,137	25,648	73.0	9,489	27.0	4.5	4.2	5.5
Drunkenness	18,058	15,093	83.6	2,965	16.4	2.3	2.5	1.7
Disorderly conduct	21,912	16,233	74.1	5,679	25.9	2.8	2.7	3.3
Vagrancy	533	423	79.4	110	20.6	0.1	0.1	0.1
All other offenses (except traffic)	217,025	168,912	77.8	48,113	22.2	27.9	27.9	27.7
Suspicion	908	685	75.4	223	24.6	0.1	0.1	0.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	929	583	62.8	346	37.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
Runaways	4,616	1,929	41.8	2,687	58.2	0.6	0.3	1.5

Note: See Note, table 4.1.2004. This table presents data from all nonmetropolitan county law enforcement agencies submitting complete reports for 12 months in 2004 (Source, p. 504). Beginning with publication of the 2003 data, the "rural" county designation was changed to "nonmetropolitan" county. Population figures are estimates calculated from U.S. Census Bureau data. For definitions of offenses and nonmetropolitan counties, 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.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Crime in the United States, 2004* (Washington, DC: USGPO, 2005), p. 324. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.

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

^bLess than 0.1%.