

Table 4.24.2003

Arsons cleared by arrest and clearances by arrest of persons under 18 years of age^a

By type of target, United States, 2003

(12,738 agencies; 2003 estimated population 226,463,194)

Target	Number of offenses	Percent of offenses cleared by arrest	Percent of clearances by arrest of persons under 18 years of age
Total	64,043	16.7%	40.9%
Total structure	26,994	22.0	40.2
Single occupancy residential	12,071	21.9	30.3
Other residential	4,399	21.4	31.5
Storage	1,865	16.6	49.2
Industrial/manufacturing	287	24.0	34.8
Other commercial	2,760	16.3	26.4
Community/public	3,073	33.0	73.4
Other structure	2,539	19.8	49.0
Total mobile	21,310	6.9	21.2
Motor vehicles	20,292	6.5	20.6
Other mobile	1,018	15.4	26.1
Other	15,739	20.8	51.2

Note: See Notes, [tables 4.1.2003](#) and [4.19.2003](#). These data are from the 12,738 agencies that furnished detailed arson reports to the Uniform Crime Reporting Program for 2003. Users should be aware that these data do not represent the Nation's total arson experience and differ from those reported in other arrest tables displaying arson because only arson clearances reported by property classification are included. For the definition of arson, see [Appendix 3](#).

^aIncludes offenses cleared by exceptional means.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Crime in the United States, 2003* (Washington, DC: USGPO, 2004), p. 62. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.