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Table 4.8.2006

Arrests

By offense charged and sex, United States, 2006

(11,250 agencies; 2006 estimated population 216,686,722)

Offense charged	Persons arrested					Percent distribution of offenses charged ^a		
	Total number	Male		Female		Total	Male	Female
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent			
Total	10,472,432	7,985,505	76.3%	2,486,927	23.7%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	9,815	8,744	89.1	1,071	10.9	0.1	0.1	(b)
Forcible rape	17,112	16,888	98.7	224	1.3	0.2	0.2	(b)
Robbery	93,527	82,983	88.7	10,544	11.3	0.9	1.0	0.4
Aggravated assault	327,478	259,544	79.3	67,934	20.7	3.1	3.3	2.7
Burglary	222,192	190,065	85.5	32,127	14.5	2.1	2.4	1.3
Larceny-theft	801,633	499,270	62.3	302,363	37.7	7.7	6.3	12.2
Motor vehicle theft	100,775	82,939	82.3	17,836	17.7	1.0	1.0	0.7
Arson	12,002	9,967	83.0	2,035	17.0	0.1	0.1	0.1
Violent crime ^c	447,932	368,159	82.2	79,773	17.8	4.3	4.6	3.2
Property crime ^d	1,136,602	782,241	68.8	354,361	31.2	10.9	9.8	14.2
Other assaults	952,741	714,100	75.0	238,641	25.0	9.1	8.9	9.6
Forgery and counterfeiting	79,477	48,419	60.9	31,058	39.1	0.8	0.6	1.2
Fraud	197,722	109,745	55.5	87,977	44.5	1.9	1.4	3.5
Embezzlement	14,769	6,981	47.3	7,788	52.7	0.1	0.1	0.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	90,084	73,078	81.1	17,006	18.9	0.9	0.9	0.7
Vandalism	220,422	183,413	83.2	37,009	16.8	2.1	2.3	1.5
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	147,623	135,835	92.0	11,788	8.0	1.4	1.7	0.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	59,724	21,358	35.8	38,366	64.2	0.6	0.3	1.5
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	63,243	57,735	91.3	5,508	8.7	0.6	0.7	0.2
Drug abuse violations	1,379,887	1,118,697	81.1	261,190	18.9	13.2	14.0	10.5
Gambling	9,018	8,112	90.0	906	10.0	0.1	0.1	(b)
Offenses against family and children	92,065	69,542	75.5	22,523	24.5	0.9	0.9	0.9
Driving under the influence	1,038,633	830,517	80.0	208,116	20.0	9.9	10.4	8.4
Liquor laws	469,186	342,063	72.9	127,123	27.1	4.5	4.3	5.1
Drunkenness	409,490	346,087	84.5	63,403	15.5	3.9	4.3	2.5
Disorderly conduct	519,046	383,341	73.9	135,705	26.1	5.0	4.8	5.5
Vagrancy	27,053	21,043	77.8	6,010	22.2	0.3	0.3	0.2
All other offenses (except traffic)	2,917,803	2,248,556	77.1	669,247	22.9	27.9	28.2	26.9
Suspicion	1,725	1,346	78.0	379	22.0	(b)	(b)	(b)
Curfew and loitering law violations	114,313	78,735	68.9	35,578	31.1	1.1	1.0	1.4
Runaways	83,874	36,402	43.4	47,472	56.6	0.8	0.5	1.9

Note: See Notes, tables 4.1.2006 and 4.7.2006. Estimates by the U.S. Census Bureau indicate that on July 1, 2006, males comprised 49.3% and females 50.7% of the total U.S. resident population (U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau, "Annual Estimates of the Population by Sex and Five-Year Age Groups for the United States: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006" [Online]. Available: <http://www.census.gov/popest/national/asrh/NC-EST2006-sa.html> [Oct. 17, 2007].) For definitions of offenses, 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, 2006*, Table 42 [Online]. Available: http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius2006/data/table_42.html [Oct. 17, 2007]. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.

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

^bLess than 0.1%.