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Table 4.9.2003

**Arrests**

By offense charged, sex, and age group, United States, 2002 and 2003

(9,556 agencies; 2002 estimated population 178,840,390; 2003 estimated population 180,434,745)

Offense charged	Male						Female					
	Total			Under 18 years of age			Total			Under 18 years of age		
	2002	2003	Percent change	2002	2003	Percent change	2002	2003	Percent change	2002	2003	Percent change
Total <sup>a</sup>	6,465,604	6,440,910	-0.4%	969,951	964,760	-0.5%	1,946,114	1,983,660	1.9%	405,516	405,617	(b)
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	6,834	6,428	-5.9	586	535	-8.7	878	778	-11.4	74	59	-20.3%
Forcible rape	16,694	15,839	-5.1	2,775	2,567	-7.5	240	225	-6.3	102	51	-50.0
Robbery	54,533	54,407	-0.2	12,249	12,554	2.5	6,387	6,492	1.6	1,198	1,234	3.0
Aggravated assault	221,079	214,238	-3.1	27,912	27,944	0.1	56,159	56,127	-0.1	8,531	8,524	-0.1
Burglary	154,329	156,741	1.6	48,153	47,319	-1.7	23,766	25,353	6.7	6,261	6,431	2.7
Larceny-theft	456,433	456,767	0.1	133,083	128,631	-3.3	271,901	274,969	1.1	86,838	84,329	-2.9
Motor vehicle theft	68,317	68,745	0.6	20,206	19,538	-3.3	13,951	14,217	1.9	4,578	4,334	-5.3
Arson	8,997	8,447	-6.1	4,759	4,570	-4.0	1,560	1,496	-4.1	602	606	0.7
Violent crime <sup>c</sup>	299,140	290,912	-2.8	43,522	43,600	0.2	63,664	63,622	-0.1	9,905	9,868	-0.4
Property crime <sup>d</sup>	688,076	690,700	0.4	206,201	200,058	-3.0	311,178	316,035	1.6	98,279	95,700	-2.6
Other assaults	593,091	585,007	-1.4	97,566	101,468	4.0	187,374	188,313	0.5	45,869	48,617	6.0
Forgery and counterfeiting	43,956	42,220	-3.9	2,139	1,965	-8.1	29,679	28,870	-2.7	1,174	1,088	-7.3
Fraud	106,900	104,993	-1.8	3,761	3,396	-9.7	84,904	84,973	0.1	1,849	1,736	-6.1
Embezzlement	6,147	5,616	-8.6	567	473	-16.6	6,056	5,653	-6.7	390	322	-17.4
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	67,510	68,079	0.8	14,210	13,770	-3.1	15,048	15,357	2.1	2,815	2,435	-13.5
Vandalism	144,246	145,404	0.8	57,932	59,116	2.0	28,542	28,819	1.0	9,162	9,623	5.0
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	88,738	90,845	2.4	18,228	20,281	11.3	7,791	7,984	2.5	2,071	2,244	8.4
Prostitution and commercialized vice	14,208	13,265	-6.6	238	208	-12.6	21,832	22,192	1.6	393	494	25.7
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	52,262	50,126	-4.1	10,812	10,427	-3.6	3,981	3,898	-2.1	997	1,015	1.8
Drug abuse violations	736,804	772,013	4.8	91,076	93,823	3.0	167,542	179,014	6.8	18,815	20,112	6.9
Gambling	3,529	3,059	-13.3	332	335	0.9	633	656	3.6	18	18	0.0
Offenses against family and children	65,500	60,903	-7.0	3,309	2,764	-16.5	20,716	19,396	-6.4	2,185	1,703	-22.1
Driving under the influence	753,489	735,755	-2.4	11,234	10,603	-5.6	160,149	164,194	2.5	2,664	2,692	1.1
Liquor laws	310,395	295,997	-4.6	63,634	58,935	-7.4	103,870	104,504	0.6	32,729	31,982	-2.3
Drunkenness	327,127	314,840	-3.8	9,748	9,015	-7.5	53,636	53,245	-0.7	2,703	2,680	-0.9
Disorderly conduct	299,876	300,573	0.2	82,295	86,244	4.8	101,047	103,621	2.5	35,891	38,939	8.5
Vagrancy	10,370	12,877	24.2	990	1,031	4.1	2,455	3,589	46.2	263	329	25.1
All other offenses (except traffic)	1,779,152	1,785,571	0.4	177,069	175,093	-1.1	505,477	522,835	3.4	66,804	67,130	0.5
Suspicion (not included in totals)	2,040	969	-52.5	556	274	-50.7	577	247	-57.2	208	86	-58.7
Curfew and loitering law violations	41,000	37,907	-7.5	41,000	37,907	-7.5	19,778	18,146	-8.3	19,778	18,146	-8.3
Runaways	34,088	34,248	0.5	34,088	34,248	0.5	50,762	48,744	-4.0	50,762	48,744	-4.0

Note: See Note, table 4.1.2003. This table presents data from all law enforcement agencies submitting complete reports for 12 months in 2002 and 2003 (Source, p. 494). Population figures are estimates calculated from U.S. Census Bureau data. For definitions of offenses, see Appendix 3.

<sup>c</sup>Violent crimes are offenses of murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

<sup>d</sup>Property crimes are offenses of burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson.

<sup>a</sup>Does not include suspicion.

<sup>b</sup>Less than 0.1%.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Crime in the United States, 2003* (Washington, DC: USGPO, 2004), p. 279.