

Arrests and arrest rates for juveniles and adults for all offenses by race, 1980-2009

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
All Races																															
Population	227,224,681	229,465,714	231,664,458	233,791,994	235,824,902	237,923,795	240,132,887	242,288,918	244,498,982	246,819,230	249,622,814	252,980,942	256,514,242	259,918,618	263,125,867	266,278,468	269,394,333	272,646,995	275,854,168	279,040,238	282,171,957	285,081,556	287,803,914	290,326,418	293,045,739	295,753,151	298,593,212	301,579,895	304,374,846	307,006,550	
Arrests	10,458,260	10,856,260	12,147,490	11,714,490	11,585,560	11,958,260	12,487,600	12,725,150	13,826,100	14,357,170	14,217,170	14,230,290	14,093,530	14,050,410	14,662,960	15,131,630	15,172,910	15,290,920	14,533,620	14,363,570	13,985,979	13,709,209	13,750,337	13,646,642	13,941,625	14,097,950	14,382,852	14,211,541	14,007,265	13,689,216	
Arrest Rate	4,602.60	4,731.10	5,243.60	5,010.70	4,912.80	5,026.10	5,200.30	5,252.10	5,654.90	5,816.90	5,695.50	5,625.00	5,494.30	5,405.70	5,572.60	5,682.60	5,632.20	5,608.30	5,268.60	5,147.50	4,956.50	4,806.80	4,777.70	4,700.50	4,757.50	4,766.80	4,816.90	4,712.40	4,602.00	4,458.90	
White																															
Population	195,184,495	196,634,975	198,037,449	199,419,922	200,707,685	202,031,150	203,429,727	204,770,105	206,129,039	207,540,027	209,366,661	211,606,011	213,945,626	216,187,083	218,304,790	220,384,809	222,420,067	224,553,486	226,648,131	228,687,803	230,606,574	232,549,653	234,356,090	236,028,839	237,840,061	239,615,694	241,489,377	243,470,781	245,287,692	246,978,488	
Percentage of Total Population	86%	86%	85%	85%	85%	85%	85%	85%	84%	84%	84%	84%	83%	83%	83%	83%	82%	82%	82%	82%	82%	81%	81%	81%	81%	81%	81%	81%	81%	81%	80%
Arrests	7,743,889	7,922,506	8,749,550	8,469,965	8,394,958	8,572,862	8,883,913	8,898,156	9,555,392	9,852,937	9,925,854	9,846,222	9,529,394	9,446,729	9,918,029	10,214,118	10,352,677	10,366,712	9,901,244	9,874,033	9,636,943	9,441,934	9,645,887	9,565,828	9,823,752	9,873,667	10,071,398	9,932,687	9,754,700	9,504,857	
Percentage of Total Arrests	74%	73%	72%	72%	72%	72%	71%	70%	69%	69%	70%	69%	68%	67%	68%	68%	68%	68%	68%	69%	69%	69%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	69%
Arrest Rate	3,967.50	4,029.00	4,418.10	4,247.30	4,182.70	4,243.30	4,367.10	4,345.40	4,635.60	4,747.50	4,740.90	4,633.10	4,454.10	4,369.70	4,543.20	4,634.70	4,654.60	4,616.60	4,368.60	4,317.70	4,179.00	4,060.20	4,115.90	4,052.80	4,130.40	4,120.60	4,170.50	4,079.60	3,976.80	3,848.50	
Black																															
Population	26,770,892	27,133,462	27,508,375	27,867,387	28,212,466	28,568,659	28,941,778	29,324,515	29,722,959	30,143,402	30,648,345	31,290,743	31,979,987	32,634,743	33,258,994	33,847,326	34,415,491	35,007,692	35,594,159	36,173,135	36,718,256	37,192,187	37,632,397	38,028,430	38,490,396	38,956,529	39,455,084	39,990,478	40,508,357	40,999,984	
Percentage of Total Population	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%
Arrests	2,529,059	2,759,103	3,208,878	3,058,203	3,001,863	3,172,734	3,381,961	3,589,795	4,009,328	4,275,546	4,023,754	4,099,840	4,273,293	4,313,209	4,432,474	4,582,105	4,451,274	4,561,174	4,293,862	4,152,593	4,023,525	3,945,300	3,759,518	3,741,338	3,780,801	3,883,799	3,969,067	3,932,107	3,906,175	3,831,588	
Percentage of Total Arrests	24%	25%	26%	26%	26%	27%	27%	28%	29%	30%	28%	29%	30%	31%	30%	29%	30%	29%	30%	29%	29%	29%	27%	27%	27%	28%	28%	28%	28%	28%	
Arrest Rate	9,447.10	10,168.60	11,665.10	10,974.10	10,640.20	11,105.70	11,720.00	12,241.60	13,489.00	14,184.00	13,128.80	13,102.40	13,362.40	13,216.60	13,327.10	13,537.60	12,933.90	13,029.10	12,063.40	11,479.80	10,957.80	10,607.90	9,990.10	9,838.00	9,822.70	9,969.60	10,059.70	9,832.60	9,642.90	9,345.30	
American Indian/Alaskan Native																															
Population	1,432,627	1,483,114	1,537,308	1,595,941	1,655,652	1,717,887	1,783,241	1,851,271	1,923,174	2,001,342	2,058,726	2,126,968	2,202,180	2,282,057	2,361,087	2,441,767	2,534,882	2,626,491	2,726,052	2,832,784	2,973,646	3,028,100	3,081,530	3,134,124	3,189,633	3,247,825	3,308,485	3,374,002	3,437,919	3,500,501	
Percentage of Total Population	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Arrests	124,603	109,516	118,435	113,005	118,101	132,550	131,284	147,094	152,684	149,540	154,410	158,508	159,175	159,818	164,192	177,833	198,526	195,103	174,763	186,855	178,535	166,625	182,136	181,041	180,494	188,536	184,471	186,943	184,349	190,530	
Percentage of Total Arrests	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Arrest Rate	8,697.50	7,384.20	7,704.10	7,080.80	7,133.20	7,715.90	7,362.10	7,945.60	7,939.70	7,472.00	7,500.30	7,452.30	7,228.10	7,003.20	6,954.10	7,283.00	7,831.80	7,428.30	6,410.80	6,596.20	6,003.90	5,502.60	5,910.60	5,776.50	5,658.80	5,805.00	5,575.70	5,540.70	5,362.20	5,443.00	
Asian Pacific Islander																															
Population	3,836,667	4,214,163	4,581,326	4,908,744	5,249,099	5,606,099	5,978,141	6,343,027	6,723,810	7,134,459	7,549,082	7,957,220	8,386,449	8,814,735	9,200,996	9,604,566	10,023,893	10,459,326	10,885,826	11,346,516	11,873,481	12,311,616	12,733,897	13,134,025	13,525,649	13,933,103	14,340,266	14,744,634	15,140,878	15,527,577	
Percentage of Total Population	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
Arrests	60,709	65,136	70,627	73,317	70,639	80,113	80,442	90,105	108,686	79,146	113,153	125,719	131,668	130,654	148,265	157,575	170,433	167,932	163,751	150,089	146,976	149,350	162,795	158,434	156,578	151,948	157,917	159,804	162,041	162,241	
Percentage of Total Arrests	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Arrest Rate	1,582.30	1,545.60	1,541.60	1,493.60	1,345.70	1,429.00	1,345.60	1,420.50	1,616.40	1,109.40	1,498.90	1,579.90	1,570.00	1,482.20	1,611.40	1,640.60	1,700.30	1,605.60	1,504.30	1,322.80	1,237.90	1,213.10	1,278.40	1,206.30	1,157.60	1,090.60	1,101.20	1,083.80	1,070.20	1,044.90	

Arrests: Each separate instance in which a person is arrested, cited, or summoned for an offense. A single arrest may be for a single criminal incident or for many incidents that occurred over a long time period.

Arrest rate: The number of arrests per 100,000 persons in the demographic group.

Source: Snyder, H. and Mulako-Wangoto, J., *Arrest Data Analysis Tool (09-Aug-12)* at www.bjs.gov. Bureau of Justice Statistics, Washington, D.C.