

SECTION III

STATE AND COUNTY

ARREST SUMMARY

TOTAL ARRESTS BY AGE—1991

OFFENSES	UNDER 10	10-12	13-14	15	16	17	TOTAL UNDER 18	18
Murder	-	-	1	10	16	22	49	27
Rape	3	32	59	48	45	38	225	45
Robbery	28	144	463	385	525	531	2,076	409
Aggravated Assault	42	223	587	568	756	879	3,055	723
Burglary	136	599	1,265	827	962	898	4,687	776
Larceny-Theft	324	1,957	3,985	2,644	2,720	2,860	14,490	2,141
Motor Vehicle Theft	26	139	476	462	598	411	2,112	240
Subtotal Index Offenses	559	3,094	6,836	4,944	5,622	5,639	26,694	4,361
Manslaughter	-	-	1	3	1	-	5	1
Simple Assault	304	1,212	2,348	1,655	1,777	1,867	9,163	1,201
Arson	38	72	105	40	40	32	327	28
Forgery and Counterfeiting	-	2	6	11	32	46	97	74
Fraud	7	7	38	35	69	109	265	203
Embezzlement	-	-	1	1	1	5	8	4
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	48	280	1,207	1,095	1,297	1,250	5,177	1,046
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	436	1,482	2,189	1,282	1,284	1,171	7,844	648
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	25	134	484	448	514	610	2,215	454
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	-	1	4	6	9	19	39	34
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	48	105	176	85	77	81	572	60
Drug Abuse Violations	6	54	435	806	1,408	2,109	4,818	2,713
Gambling	-	1	16	26	45	63	151	97
Offenses Against Family and Children	2	5	4	6	5	17	39	121
Driving Under the Influence	2	-	3	8	28	204	245	524
Liquor Laws	6	24	302	568	1,042	1,712	3,654	2,176
Disorderly Conduct	270	1,127	2,470	2,077	2,241	2,415	10,600	2,157
Vagrancy	-	6	6	3	7	12	34	14
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	281	1,044	2,648	2,055	2,163	2,315	10,506	3,632
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	16	122	453	527	565	435	2,118	-
Runaways	152	591	1,555	1,232	1,016	665	5,211	-
GRAND TOTAL	2,200	9,363	21,287	16,913	19,243	20,776	89,782	19,548

TOTAL ARRESTS BY AGE—1991

19	20	21	22	23	24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 AND OVER	TOTAL OVER 18	TOTAL ALL AGES
21	31	14	18	22	8	48	44	18	23	7	8	-	-	4	293	342
50	61	61	34	40	48	217	175	104	83	34	30	10	11	16	1,019	1,244
413	359	305	266	243	252	901	508	263	112	46	16	4	6	4	4,107	6,183
700	712	653	527	512	470	2,330	1,683	1,133	695	424	211	148	94	82	11,097	14,152
684	560	463	393	355	364	1,535	1,024	632	278	106	44	28	8	6	7,256	11,943
1,736	1,672	1,435	1,298	1,318	1,267	6,520	5,855	4,200	2,439	1,242	723	469	375	565	33,255	47,745
144	145	100	77	61	66	263	142	70	42	12	13	5	6	1	1,387	3,499
3,748	3,540	3,031	2,613	2,551	2,475	11,814	9,431	6,420	3,672	1,871	1,045	664	500	678	58,414	85,108
3	2	3	2	6	1	11	2	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	38	43
1,241	1,294	1,322	1,300	1,180	1,340	6,517	5,390	3,409	2,102	1,134	684	364	205	292	28,975	38,138
29	26	22	28	17	13	75	47	23	17	12	5	5	2	5	354	681
94	92	59	77	70	89	305	248	188	93	46	25	15	7	10	1,492	1,589
191	241	282	279	271	292	1,654	1,464	1,062	629	346	238	91	56	129	7,428	7,693
8	6	3	2	4	10	15	14	9	5	2	3	1	2	-	88	96
781	643	502	477	385	354	1,415	986	608	296	164	108	33	23	24	7,845	13,022
456	403	345	312	291	234	1,025	735	466	224	132	97	44	36	33	5,481	13,325
428	382	308	278	231	228	878	622	399	240	164	91	55	36	41	4,835	7,050
63	86	120	137	164	149	660	488	254	84	58	24	9	5	7	2,342	2,381
52	62	67	77	65	68	373	292	228	179	96	74	44	34	41	1,812	2,384
2,749	2,730	2,581	2,248	2,153	2,076	9,512	6,880	4,026	2,112	863	351	147	61	44	41,246	46,064
132	124	8	8	3	5	32	41	50	46	41	54	28	27	37	733	884
163	278	314	411	439	550	3,340	3,433	2,473	1,577	799	366	172	70	44	14,550	14,589
808	1,069	1,482	1,455	1,483	1,547	8,270	7,545	5,068	3,613	2,345	1,561	871	589	526	38,756	39,001
1,896	1,505	685	491	409	292	1,038	617	394	250	125	66	43	31	21	10,039	13,693
2,163	1,997	2,102	1,721	1,598	1,556	5,501	4,318	2,755	1,612	924	511	264	165	204	29,548	40,148
6	12	5	6	6	5	25	16	8	8	6	3	3	1	2	126	160
4,258	4,440	4,400	4,046	3,795	3,644	15,802	11,930	7,719	4,996	2,681	1,609	938	477	538	74,905	85,411
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,118
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,211
19,269	18,932	17,641	15,968	15,121	14,928	68,262	54,499	35,559	21,761	11,810	6,915	3,791	2,327	2,676	329,007	418,789

**COMPARISON OF STATE ARRESTS
1990-1991**

OFFENSES	1990	1991	Percent Change
Murder	375	342	- 9
Rape	1,290	1,244	- 4
Robbery	6,335	6,183	- 2
Aggravated Assault	14,683	14,152	- 4
Burglary	12,456	11,943	- 4
Larceny-Theft	46,164	47,745	+ 3
Motor Vehicle Theft	3,438	3,499	+ 2
Subtotal Index Offenses	84,741	85,108	*
Manslaughter	52	43	- 17
Simple Assault	39,279	38,138	- 3
Arson	647	681	+ 5
Forgery and Counterfeiting	1,575	1,589	+ 1
Fraud	8,141	7,693	- 6
Embezzlement	137	96	- 30
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	14,227	13,022	- 8
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	13,696	13,325	- 3
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	7,129	7,050	- 1
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	2,768	2,381	- 14
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	2,130	2,384	+ 12
Drug Abuse Violations	52,297	46,064	- 12
Gambling	1,095	884	- 19
Offenses Against Family and Children	12,408	14,589	+ 18
Driving Under the Influence	43,252	39,001	- 10
Liquor Laws	17,205	13,693	- 20
Disorderly Conduct	43,330	40,148	- 7
Vagrancy	285	160	- 44
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	88,549	85,411	- 4
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	1,650	2,118	+ 28
Runaways	5,941	5,211	- 12
GRAND TOTAL	440,534	418,789	- 5

*Less than one-half of one percent

ARREST TRENDS BY AGE GROUP—1990-1991

OFFENSES	UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE			18 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER		
	1990	1991	Percent Change	1990	1991	Percent Change
Murder	51	49	- 4	324	293	- 10
Rape	231	225	- 3	1,059	1,019	- 4
Robbery	1,964	2,076	+ 6	4,371	4,107	- 6
Aggravated Assault	2,949	3,055	+ 4	11,734	11,097	- 5
Burglary	4,532	4,687	+ 3	7,924	7,256	- 8
Larceny-Theft	13,183	14,490	+ 10	32,981	33,255	- 1
Motor Vehicle Theft	1,922	2,112	+ 10	1,516	1,387	- 9
Subtotal Index Offenses	24,832	26,694	+ 7	59,909	58,414	- 2
Manslaughter	14	5	†	38	38	—
Simple Assault	8,683	9,163	+ 6	30,596	28,975	- 5
Arson	299	327	+ 9	348	354	+ 2
Forgery and Counterfeiting	92	97	+ 5	1,483	1,492	+ 1
Fraud	272	265	- 3	7,869	7,428	- 6
Embezzlement	17	8	†	120	88	-27
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	5,373	5,177	- 4	8,854	7,845	-11
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	7,424	7,844	+ 6	6,272	5,481	-13
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	1,846	2,215	+ 20	5,283	4,835	- 8
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	50	39	- 22	2,718	2,342	-14
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	468	572	+ 22	1,662	1,812	+ 9
Drug Abuse Violations	5,568	4,818	- 13	46,729	41,246	-12
Gambling	152	151	- 1	943	733	-22
Offenses Against Family and Children	16	39	+144	12,392	14,550	+17
Driving Under the Influence	295	245	- 17	42,957	38,756	-10
Liquor Laws	4,425	3,654	- 17	12,780	10,039	-21
Disorderly Conduct	11,288	10,600	- 6	32,042	29,548	- 8
Vagrancy	58	34	- 41	227	126	-44
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	11,502	10,506	- 9	77,047	74,905	- 3
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	1,650	2,118	+ 28	—	—	—
Runaways	5,941	5,211	- 12	—	—	—
GRAND TOTAL	90,265	89,782	- 1	350,269	329,007	- 6

†Percent change not calculated due to small volume

TOTAL ARREST TRENDS BY SEX—1990-1991

OFFENSES	MALES						TOTAL MALE PERCENT CHANGE
	JUVENILE UNDER 18		ADULT OVER 18		TOTAL		
	1990	1991	1990	1991	1990	1991	
Murder	48	48	290	263	338	311	- 8
Rape	230	221	1,047	1,011	1,277	1,232	- 4
Robbery	1,803	1,861	4,016	3,751	5,819	5,612	- 4
Aggravated Assault	2,442	2,508	10,047	9,422	12,489	11,930	- 4
Burglary	4,307	4,406	7,478	6,845	11,785	11,251	- 5
Larceny-Theft	9,881	10,753	21,753	21,720	31,634	32,473	+ 3
Motor Vehicle Theft	1,790	1,979	1,394	1,307	3,184	3,286	+ 3
Subtotal Index Offenses	20,501	21,776	46,025	44,319	66,526	66,095	- 1
Manslaughter	12	5	36	31	48	36	-25
Simple Assault	6,444	6,739	25,552	24,013	31,996	30,752	- 4
Arson	271	310	303	315	574	625	+ 9
Forgery and Counterfeiting	63	63	988	1,058	1,051	1,121	+ 7
Fraud	204	187	4,851	4,611	5,055	4,798	- 5
Embezzlement	8	5	68	47	76	52	-32
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	4,903	4,721	7,736	6,802	12,639	11,523	- 9
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	6,838	7,234	5,524	4,782	12,362	12,016	- 3
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	1,723	2,021	4,900	4,462	6,623	6,483	- 2
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	32	28	1,209	890	1,241	918	-26
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	450	555	1,566	1,715	2,016	2,270	+13
Drug Abuse Violations	4,981	4,353	39,705	35,353	44,686	39,706	-11
Gambling	125	108	790	590	915	698	-24
Offenses Against Family and Children	13	31	11,706	13,814	11,719	13,845	+18
Driving Under the Influence	262	213	37,653	33,816	37,915	34,029	-10
Liquor Laws	3,231	2,689	10,596	8,483	13,827	11,172	-19
Disorderly Conduct	9,296	8,776	26,565	24,448	35,861	33,224	- 7
Vagrancy	46	28	178	92	224	120	-46
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	9,239	8,564	63,467	61,965	72,706	70,529	- 3
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	1,331	1,691	-	-	1,331	1,691	+27
Runaways	2,568	2,296	-	-	2,568	2,296	-11
GRAND TOTAL	72,541	72,393	289,418	271,606	361,959	343,999	- 5

TOTAL ARREST TRENDS BY SEX—1990-1991

OFFENSES	FEMALES						TOTAL FEMALE PERCENT CHANGE
	JUVENILE UNDER 18		ADULT OVER 18		TOTAL		
	1990	1991	1990	1991	1990	1991	
Murder	3	1	34	30	37	31	- 16
Rape	1	4	12	8	13	12	- 8
Robbery	161	215	355	356	516	571	+ 11
Aggravated Assault	507	547	1,687	1,675	2,194	2,222	+ 1
Burglary	225	281	446	411	671	692	+ 3
Larceny-Theft	3,302	3,737	11,228	11,535	14,530	15,272	+ 5
Motor Vehicle Theft	132	133	122	80	254	213	- 16
Subtotal Index Offenses	4,331	4,918	13,884	14,095	18,215	19,013	+ 4
Manslaughter	2	-	2	7	4	7	†
Simple Assault	2,239	2,424	5,044	4,962	7,283	7,386	+ 1
Arson	28	17	45	39	73	56	- 23
Forgery and Counterfeiting	29	34	495	434	524	468	- 11
Fraud	68	78	3,018	2,817	3,086	2,895	- 6
Embezzlement	9	3	52	41	61	44	- 28
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	470	456	1,118	1,043	1,588	1,499	- 6
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	586	610	748	699	1,334	1,309	- 2
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	123	194	383	373	506	567	+ 12
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	18	11	1,509	1,452	1,527	1,463	- 4
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	18	17	96	97	114	114	-
Drug Abuse Violations	587	465	7,024	5,893	7,611	6,358	- 16
Gambling	27	43	153	143	180	186	+ 3
Offenses Against Family and Children	3	8	686	736	689	744	+ 8
Driving Under the Influence	33	32	5,304	4,940	5,337	4,972	- 7
Liquor Laws	1,194	965	2,184	1,556	3,378	2,521	- 25
Disorderly Conduct	1,992	1,824	5,477	5,100	7,469	6,924	- 7
Vagrancy	12	6	49	34	61	40	- 34
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	2,263	1,942	13,580	12,940	15,843	14,882	- 6
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	319	427	-	-	319	427	+ 34
Runaways	3,373	2,915	-	-	3,373	2,915	- 14
GRAND TOTAL	17,724	17,389	60,851	57,401	78,575	74,790	- 5

†Percent change not calculated due to small volume

ARRESTS BY RACE—1991

OFFENSES	TOTAL ARRESTS BY RACE			
	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
Murder	115	225	-	2
Rape	593	640	1	10
Robbery	1,816	4,340	5	22
Aggravated Assault	6,862	7,149	15	126
Burglary	7,465	4,429	4	45
Larceny-Theft	27,880	19,179	70	616
Motor Vehicle Theft	1,517	1,970	2	10
Subtotal Index Offenses	46,248	37,932	97	831
Manslaughter	32	8	-	3
Simple Assault	23,566	14,247	24	301
Arson	529	144	1	7
Forgery and Counterfeiting	1,077	492	1	19
Fraud	5,063	2,545	6	79
Embezzlement	61	35	-	-
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	5,455	7,492	5	70
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	9,632	3,609	5	79
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	3,877	3,082	7	84
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	1,228	1,118	8	27
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	1,586	772	2	24
Drug Abuse Violations	21,047	24,896	5	116
Gambling	651	144	1	88
Offenses Against Family and Children	7,719	6,838	4	28
Driving Under the Influence	33,909	4,677	37	378
Liquor Laws	12,556	1,064	5	68
Disorderly Conduct	25,305	14,591	15	237
Vagrancy	116	43	1	-
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	53,999	30,919	46	447
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	1,325	779	3	11
Runaways	3,165	1,992	4	50
GRAND TOTAL	258,146	157,419	277	2,947

ARRESTS BY RACE—1991

ADULT ARRESTS BY RACE				JUVENILE ARRESTS BY RACE			
WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
103	188	-	2	12	37	-	-
508	502	1	8	85	138	-	2
1,210	2,879	5	13	606	1,461	-	9
5,612	5,371	14	100	1,250	1,778	1	26
4,443	2,787	2	24	3,022	1,642	2	21
19,172	13,613	54	416	8,708	5,566	16	200
788	593	2	4	729	1,377	-	6
31,836	25,933	78	567	14,412	11,999	19	264
32	3	-	3	-	5	-	-
18,812	9,896	22	245	4,754	4,351	2	56
273	76	1	4	256	68	-	3
999	474	1	18	78	18	-	1
4,909	2,442	6	71	154	103	-	8
58	30	-	-	3	5	-	-
3,540	4,259	5	41	1,915	3,233	-	29
3,928	1,525	2	26	5,704	2,084	3	53
2,515	2,257	1	62	1,362	825	6	22
1,206	1,101	8	27	22	17	-	-
1,337	451	2	22	249	321	-	2
19,536	21,595	5	110	1,511	3,301	-	6
536	130	-	67	115	14	1	21
7,695	6,825	4	26	24	13	-	2
33,690	4,655	36	375	219	22	1	3
9,184	801	3	51	3,372	263	2	17
18,752	10,610	13	173	6,553	3,981	2	64
93	32	1	-	23	11	-	-
46,901	27,583	39	382	7,098	3,336	7	65
-	-	-	-	1,325	779	3	11
-	-	-	-	3,165	1,992	4	50
205,832	120,678	227	2,270	52,314	36,741	50	677

ARRESTS BY ETHNIC ORIGIN—1991

OFFENSES	TOTAL		ADULTS		JUVENILES	
	Hispanic	Not Hispanic	Hispanic	Not Hispanic	Hispanic	Not Hispanic
Murder	43	299	33	260	10	39
Rape	207	1,037	175	844	32	193
Robbery	963	5,220	554	3,553	409	1,667
Aggravated Assault	2,207	11,945	1,760	9,337	447	2,608
Burglary	1,706	10,237	1,049	6,207	657	4,030
Larceny-Theft	6,022	41,723	4,282	28,973	1,740	12,750
Motor Vehicle Theft	554	2,945	247	1,140	307	1,805
Subtotal Index Offenses	11,702	73,406	8,100	50,314	3,602	23,092
Manslaughter	5	38	4	34	1	4
Simple Assault	4,633	33,505	3,448	25,527	1,185	7,978
Arson	88	593	47	307	41	286
Forgery and Counterfeiting	228	1,361	217	1,275	11	86
Fraud	570	7,123	537	6,891	33	232
Embezzlement	6	90	4	84	2	6
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	2,436	10,586	1,502	6,343	934	4,243
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	1,528	11,797	587	4,894	941	6,903
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	1,068	5,982	724	4,111	344	1,871
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	419	1,962	409	1,933	10	29
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	372	2,012	306	1,506	66	506
Drug Abuse Violations	6,518	39,546	5,879	35,367	639	4,179
Gambling	195	689	164	569	31	120
Offenses Against Family and Children	2,007	12,582	2,004	12,546	3	36
Driving Under the Influence	4,172	34,829	4,157	34,599	15	230
Liquor Laws	799	12,894	611	9,428	188	3,466
Disorderly Conduct	4,654	35,494	3,126	26,422	1,528	9,072
Vagrancy	7	153	6	120	1	33
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	8,716	76,695	7,636	67,269	1,080	9,426
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	398	1,720	-	-	398	1,720
Runaways	873	4,338	-	-	873	4,338
GRAND TOTAL	51,394	367,395	39,468	289,539	11,926	77,856

ARRESTS BY ETHNIC ORIGIN BY COUNTY—1991

COUNTY	TOTAL		ADULTS		JUVENILES	
	Hispanic	Not Hispanic	Hispanic	Not Hispanic	Hispanic	Not Hispanic
ATLANTIC	2,431	20,022	1,978	16,849	453	3,173
BERGEN	3,851	27,849	3,032	21,380	819	6,469
BURLINGTON	713	17,949	602	14,778	111	3,171
CAMDEN	2,763	25,930	1,968	20,936	795	4,994
CAPE MAY	364	14,847	288	12,837	76	2,010
CUMBERLAND	2,736	10,660	1,944	7,504	792	3,156
ESSEX	5,779	44,474	4,704	33,462	1,075	11,012
GLOUCESTER	563	10,035	510	7,986	53	2,049
HUDSON	10,300	22,196	7,651	17,959	2,649	4,237
HUNTERDON	88	2,816	71	2,229	17	587
MERCER	1,866	20,489	1,324	16,392	542	4,097
MIDDLESEX	3,703	22,384	2,864	17,588	839	4,796
MONMOUTH	1,564	29,249	1,235	23,145	329	6,104
MORRIS	1,375	13,512	1,163	10,800	212	2,712
OCEAN	853	17,357	619	13,310	234	4,047
PASSAIC	7,958	18,344	5,966	13,995	1,992	4,349
SALEM	224	4,263	197	3,502	27	761
SOMERSET	671	7,698	525	5,076	146	2,622
SUSSEX	99	4,014	72	3,358	27	656
UNION	2,755	22,334	2,047	16,329	708	6,005
WARREN	148	3,756	129	3,019	19	737

TOTAL ARRESTS BY COUNTY—1991

OFFENSES	Atlant- tic	Bergen	Bur- lington	Camden	Cape May	Cumber- land	Essex	Glou- cester
Murder	15	9	8	39	6	11	101	3
Rape	105	55	79	92	36	59	320	32
Robbery	381	217	113	453	55	224	1,781	66
Aggravated Assault	941	662	652	919	267	609	3,345	273
Burglary	645	661	590	905	353	856	1,525	273
Larceny-Theft	3,401	4,653	2,163	3,736	1,000	1,946	4,435	1,353
Motor Vehicle Theft	167	169	161	464	54	137	671	95
Subtotal Index Offenses	5,655	6,426	3,766	6,608	1,771	3,842	12,178	2,095
Manslaughter	1	4	2	3	1	-	6	2
Simple Assault	2,033	3,333	2,325	3,408	1,089	1,431	3,827	950
Arson	40	54	48	61	14	22	94	19
Forgery and Counterfeiting	174	102	64	62	61	77	96	97
Fraud	872	961	177	879	88	42	893	141
Embezzlement	3	3	3	22	2	-	6	2
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	604	860	401	853	160	217	3,649	237
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	693	1,108	751	889	437	575	1,157	325
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	382	542	381	471	134	256	1,131	156
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	485	27	15	285	1	8	541	1
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	188	241	96	96	45	89	356	64
Drug Abuse Violations	2,535	3,515	1,456	2,294	738	818	9,682	826
Gambling	478	25	5	8	8	-	88	2
Offenses Against Family and Children	504	1,738	55	2,337	63	10	53	947
Driving Under the Influence	2,741	2,918	2,652	2,902	1,443	1,210	2,059	1,188
Liquor Laws	240	1,033	518	489	2,857	258	599	467
Disorderly Conduct	1,614	2,554	1,282	2,198	2,084	963	2,621	1,177
Vagrancy	-	28	2	7	-	-	17	27
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	2,982	5,659	4,412	4,529	4,160	3,307	10,155	1,797
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	180	136	204	181	14	264	86	57
Runaways	49	433	47	111	41	7	959	21
GRAND TOTAL	22,453	31,700	18,662	28,693	15,211	13,396	50,253	10,598

TOTAL ARRESTS BY COUNTY—1991

Hudson	Hunterdon	Mercer	Middlesex	Monmouth	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somerset	Sussex	Union	Warren
32	1	10	14	14	6	12	37	4	1	1	17	1
49	7	61	79	83	25	42	53	10	12	4	38	3
1,206	—	254	189	257	62	59	395	23	49	7	388	4
1,955	39	292	727	867	346	386	1,038	98	109	89	465	71
945	86	549	686	888	340	590	814	160	225	135	595	120
3,480	302	2,405	3,819	3,364	1,686	2,195	2,932	505	1,192	369	2,328	437
129	20	315	220	173	90	89	207	32	59	31	180	36
7,796	455	3,886	5,734	5,646	2,555	3,373	5,476	832	1,647	636	4,011	672
9	—	2	4	4	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	—
2,759	235	1,582	2,252	2,793	1,076	1,265	2,707	639	1,160	328	2,587	339
58	3	21	49	47	26	31	14	5	21	13	29	10
78	10	60	127	145	75	51	95	52	31	13	71	37
261	54	339	493	584	387	118	469	123	148	183	261	153
8	—	1	4	15	—	—	3	—	2	—	20	2
1,522	40	576	824	568	225	200	854	106	190	50	815	61
985	115	584	893	999	568	616	840	195	411	185	766	212
700	48	291	469	413	214	232	472	100	138	40	396	67
102	6	192	83	73	6	3	476	1	1	1	74	—
206	25	90	142	164	82	90	128	41	46	31	120	29
5,406	177	3,556	2,438	2,868	958	1,430	2,936	375	355	165	3,105	269
141	—	30	23	5	—	10	37	1	1	—	22	—
1,373	14	622	1,070	1,046	393	365	1,275	5	264	272	1,965	217
1,592	692	1,158	3,063	3,871	2,367	2,712	1,818	600	1,154	666	1,568	601
271	77	195	396	1,479	531	933	338	52	289	151	764	173
2,355	214	4,306	2,977	4,358	1,476	2,139	2,923	521	971	237	2,583	442
3	—	6	6	2	2	38	17	3	—	—	2	—
6,493	659	4,308	4,698	5,385	3,694	4,121	4,360	804	1,221	1,132	5,334	534
145	—	26	57	94	59	97	351	23	28	—	49	67
233	80	524	285	254	193	385	713	8	290	9	546	19
32,496	2,904	22,355	26,087	30,813	14,887	18,210	26,302	4,487	8,369	4,113	25,089	3,904

ADULT ARRESTS BY COUNTY—1991

OFFENSES	Atlan- tic	Bergen	Bur- lington	Camden	Cape May	Cumber- land	Essex	Glou- cester
Murder	12	9	5	35	5	11	84	3
Rape	86	39	63	73	32	47	251	28
Robbery	296	146	84	312	38	150	1,266	57
Aggravated Assault	768	504	551	726	227	444	2,654	226
Burglary	456	401	356	573	214	375	1,057	137
Larceny-Theft	2,710	3,555	1,490	2,709	606	1,130	3,280	902
Motor Vehicle Theft	86	99	79	93	27	86	175	41
Subtotal Index Offenses	4,414	4,753	2,628	4,521	1,149	2,243	8,767	1,394
Manslaughter	1	4	2	3	-	-	2	2
Simple Assault	1,665	2,672	1,981	2,721	952	997	2,777	725
Arson	25	11	30	23	8	11	62	9
Forgery and Counterfeiting	167	100	57	54	58	65	90	95
Fraud	845	939	172	860	86	39	854	129
Embezzlement	3	3	3	20	2	-	6	2
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	420	616	286	555	101	140	1,906	153
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	377	371	379	423	258	229	472	110
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	302	331	294	340	102	129	867	123
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	478	26	14	280	1	8	527	1
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	163	201	71	61	37	71	244	40
Drug Abuse Violations	2,345	3,321	1,321	1,995	677	693	8,155	762
Gambling	353	17	5	8	7	-	87	2
Offenses Against Family and Children	502	1,737	54	2,330	63	10	52	947
Driving Under the Influence	2,721	2,902	2,632	2,885	1,431	1,201	2,056	1,170
Liquor Laws	122	434	405	332	2,508	155	440	366
Disorderly Conduct	1,280	1,613	1,047	1,587	1,770	488	1,810	863
Vagrancy	-	19	1	5	-	-	17	25
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	2,644	4,342	3,998	3,901	3,915	2,969	8,975	1,578
GRAND TOTAL	18,827	24,412	15,380	22,904	13,125	9,448	38,166	8,496

ADULT ARRESTS BY COUNTY—1991

Hudson	Hunterdon	Mercer	Middlesex	Monmouth	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somerset	Sussex	Union	Warren
27	1	9	12	13	4	12	29	4	1	1	15	1
44	5	56	67	69	22	38	44	10	10	3	30	2
615	—	161	121	166	52	43	279	17	21	6	273	4
1,462	32	200	580	678	283	316	790	82	65	78	367	62
670	59	282	420	500	200	320	519	103	119	64	348	81
2,640	216	1,640	2,692	2,261	1,193	998	2,102	340	709	231	1,509	298
83	12	60	106	103	40	51	96	18	21	21	73	17
5,541	325	2,408	3,998	3,790	1,794	1,778	3,859	574	946	404	2,615	465
9	—	2	4	4	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	—
2,019	197	1,067	1,580	2,164	877	917	1,821	513	846	291	1,914	275
35	—	12	28	27	19	16	10	—	6	9	9	3
72	10	56	121	131	75	48	95	47	27	13	63	37
252	53	333	468	563	384	93	451	121	140	182	248	149
8	—	1	4	14	—	—	3	—	2	—	15	2
931	22	341	523	367	157	124	511	84	74	36	440	48
389	37	212	369	456	202	233	260	115	145	74	284	77
505	36	166	311	271	135	164	269	85	70	28	240	54
102	6	189	83	72	5	3	470	1	1	1	74	—
173	21	46	108	134	60	60	88	21	36	22	115	27
4,740	160	3,250	2,253	2,637	885	1,307	2,674	355	305	148	2,861	261
140	—	29	22	5	—	10	36	1	1	—	10	—
1,372	14	622	1,070	1,043	386	365	1,275	5	264	271	1,952	215
1,589	691	1,150	3,049	3,843	2,357	2,690	1,810	592	1,146	657	1,563	596
104	46	112	215	997	262	791	245	43	183	96	491	124
1,770	166	3,607	2,223	3,350	1,142	1,663	1,985	397	549	179	1,573	346
1	—	3	2	1	—	37	15	—	—	—	—	—
5,858	516	4,110	4,021	4,511	3,223	3,629	4,084	744	859	1,018	3,908	469
25,610	2,300	17,716	20,452	24,380	11,963	13,929	19,961	3,699	5,601	3,430	18,376	3,148

JUVENILE ARRESTS BY COUNTY—1991

OFFENSES	Atlan- tic	Bergen	Bur- lington	Camden	Cape May	Cumber- land	Essex	Glou- cester
Murder	3	-	3	4	1	-	17	-
Rape	19	16	16	19	4	12	69	4
Robbery	85	71	29	141	17	74	515	9
Aggravated Assault	173	158	101	193	40	165	691	47
Burglary	189	260	234	332	139	481	468	136
Larceny-Theft	691	1,098	673	1,027	394	816	1,155	451
Motor Vehicle Theft	81	70	82	371	27	51	496	54
Subtotal Index Offenses	1,241	1,673	1,138	2,087	622	1,599	3,411	701
Manslaughter	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-
Simple Assault	368	661	344	687	137	434	1,050	225
Arson	15	43	18	38	6	11	32	10
Forgery and Counterfeiting	7	2	7	8	3	12	6	2
Fraud	27	22	5	19	2	3	39	12
Embezzlement	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	184	244	115	298	59	77	1,743	84
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	316	737	372	466	179	346	685	215
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	80	211	87	131	32	127	264	33
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	7	1	1	5	-	-	14	-
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	25	40	25	35	8	18	112	24
Drug Abuse Violations	190	194	135	299	61	125	1,527	64
Gambling	125	8	-	-	1	-	1	-
Offenses Against Family and Children	2	1	1	7	-	-	1	-
Driving Under the Influence	20	16	20	17	12	9	3	18
Liquor Laws	118	599	113	157	349	103	159	101
Disorderly Conduct	334	941	235	611	314	475	811	314
Vagrancy	-	9	1	2	-	-	-	2
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	338	1,317	414	628	245	338	1,180	219
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	180	136	204	181	14	264	86	57
Runaways	49	433	47	111	41	7	959	21
GRAND TOTAL	3,626	7,288	3,282	5,789	2,086	3,948	12,087	2,102

JUVENILE ARRESTS BY COUNTY—1991

Hudson	Hunter-don	Mercer	Middle-sex	Mon-mouth	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somer-set	Sussex	Union	Warren
5	—	1	2	1	2	—	8	—	—	—	2	—
5	2	5	12	14	3	4	9	—	2	1	8	1
591	—	93	68	91	10	16	116	6	28	1	115	—
493	7	92	147	189	63	70	248	16	44	11	98	9
275	27	267	266	388	140	270	295	57	106	71	247	39
840	86	765	1,127	1,103	493	1,197	830	165	483	138	819	139
46	8	255	114	70	50	38	111	14	38	10	107	19
2,255	130	1,478	1,736	1,856	761	1,595	1,617	258	701	232	1,396	207
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
740	38	515	672	629	199	348	886	126	314	37	673	64
23	3	9	21	20	7	15	4	5	15	4	20	7
6	—	4	6	14	—	3	—	5	4	—	8	—
9	1	6	25	21	3	25	18	2	8	1	13	4
—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—
591	18	235	301	201	68	76	343	22	116	14	375	13
596	78	372	524	543	366	383	580	80	266	111	482	135
195	12	125	158	142	79	68	203	15	68	12	156	13
—	—	3	—	1	1	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
33	4	44	34	30	22	30	40	20	10	9	5	2
666	17	306	185	231	73	123	262	20	50	17	244	8
1	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	12	—
1	—	—	—	3	7	—	—	—	—	1	13	2
3	1	8	14	28	10	22	8	8	8	9	5	5
167	31	83	181	482	269	142	93	9	106	55	273	49
585	48	699	754	1,008	334	476	938	124	422	58	1,010	96
2	—	3	4	1	2	1	2	3	—	—	2	—
635	143	198	677	874	471	492	276	60	362	114	1,426	65
145	—	26	57	94	59	97	351	23	28	—	49	67
233	80	524	285	254	193	385	713	8	290	9	546	19
6,886	604	4,639	5,635	6,433	2,924	4,281	6,341	788	2,768	683	6,713	756

**COMPARATIVE ARRESTS BY COUNTY
1990-1991**

COUNTY	1990 TOTAL	1991 TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE	1991 RATE PER 1,000 INHABITANTS
ATLANTIC	23,422	22,453	- 4	100.1
BERGEN	32,310	31,700	- 2	38.4
BURLINGTON	18,826	18,662	- 1	47.2
CAMDEN	28,826	28,693	*	57.1
CAPE MAY	15,294	15,211	- 1	160.0
CUMBERLAND	12,612	13,396	+ 6	97.0
ESSEX	55,977	50,253	- 10	64.6
GLOUCESTER	11,336	10,598	- 7	46.1
HUDSON	35,820	32,496	- 9	58.8
HUNTERDON	3,265	2,904	- 11	26.9
MERCER	25,207	22,355	- 11	68.6
MIDDLESEX	27,791	26,087	- 6	38.8
MONMOUTH	32,629	30,813	- 6	55.7
MORRIS	16,178	14,887	- 8	35.3
OCEAN	19,043	18,210	- 4	42.0
PASSAIC	27,188	26,302	- 3	58.1
SALEM	5,238	4,487	- 14	68.7
SOMERSET	8,770	8,369	- 5	34.8
SUSSEX	3,821	4,113	+ 8	31.4
UNION	24,852	25,089	+ 1	50.8
WARREN	4,296	3,904	- 9	42.6

*Less than one-half of one percent

**ADULT AND JUVENILE ARRESTS BY COUNTY
MALE-FEMALE
1991**

COUNTY	TOTAL ARRESTED		ADULTS ARRESTED		JUVENILES ARRESTED	
	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
ATLANTIC	17,931	4,522	14,953	3,874	2,978	648
BERGEN	25,726	5,974	19,947	4,465	5,779	1,509
BURLINGTON	15,035	3,627	12,441	2,939	2,594	688
CAMDEN	23,197	5,496	18,305	4,599	4,892	897
CAPE MAY	12,403	2,808	10,726	2,399	1,677	409
CUMBERLAND	10,997	2,399	7,723	1,725	3,274	674
ESSEX	41,542	8,711	31,706	6,460	9,836	2,251
GLOUCESTER	8,851	1,747	7,099	1,397	1,752	350
HUDSON	28,027	4,469	22,134	3,476	5,893	993
HUNTERDON	2,430	474	1,941	359	489	115
MERCER	18,025	4,330	14,443	3,273	3,582	1,057
MIDDLESEX	21,239	4,848	16,675	3,777	4,564	1,071
MONMOUTH	25,031	5,782	20,018	4,362	5,013	1,420
MORRIS	12,115	2,772	9,816	2,147	2,299	625
OCEAN	15,230	2,980	11,877	2,052	3,353	928
PASSAIC	21,500	4,802	16,562	3,399	4,938	1,403
SALEM	3,574	913	2,932	767	642	146
SOMERSET	6,533	1,836	4,395	1,206	2,138	630
SUSSEX	3,320	793	2,750	680	570	113
UNION	20,948	4,141	15,567	2,809	5,381	1,332
WARREN	3,179	725	2,543	605	636	120

ARRESTS BY RACE—BY COUNTY—1991

COUNTY	TOTAL ARRESTS BY RACE			
	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
ATLANTIC	13,447	8,691	20	295
BERGEN	23,559	7,472	32	637
BURLINGTON	11,721	6,795	7	139
CAMDEN	17,665	10,822	41	165
CAPE MAY	13,719	1,464	7	21
CUMBERLAND	8,086	5,295	8	7
ESSEX	14,095	35,920	23	215
GLOUCESTER	7,693	2,869	13	23
HUDSON	19,116	12,937	10	433
HUNTERDON	2,747	145	-	12
MERCER	7,083	15,174	6	92
MIDDLESEX	18,519	7,252	28	288
MONMOUTH	21,002	9,637	7	167
MORRIS	12,374	2,412	37	64
OCEAN	15,742	2,391	5	72
PASSAIC	15,998	10,172	14	118
SALEM	2,448	2,035	3	1
SOMERSET	6,398	1,903	4	64
SUSSEX	3,971	133	1	8
UNION	12,038	12,960	4	87
WARREN	3,701	188	4	11

ARRESTS BY RACE—BY COUNTY—1991

ADULT ARRESTS BY RACE				JUVENILE ARRESTS BY RACE			
WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
11,424	7,125	15	263	2,023	1,566	5	32
18,094	5,844	19	455	5,465	1,628	13	182
9,762	5,483	6	129	1,959	1,312	1	10
14,586	8,154	34	130	3,079	2,668	7	35
11,981	1,117	6	21	1,738	347	1	—
5,621	3,815	7	5	2,465	1,480	1	2
11,161	26,846	22	137	2,934	9,074	1	78
6,069	2,397	12	18	1,624	472	1	5
15,050	10,203	10	347	4,066	2,734	—	86
2,172	121	—	7	575	24	—	5
5,676	11,973	4	63	1,407	3,201	2	29
14,562	5,655	25	210	3,957	1,597	3	78
16,977	7,258	6	139	4,025	2,379	1	28
9,889	1,992	31	51	2,485	420	6	13
12,176	1,697	5	51	3,566	694	—	21
12,517	7,338	11	95	3,481	2,834	3	23
2,075	1,621	2	1	373	414	1	—
4,364	1,192	4	41	2,034	711	—	23
3,312	112	—	6	659	21	1	2
8,439	9,870	3	64	3,599	3,090	1	23
2,976	161	2	9	725	27	2	2

POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY COUNTY—1991

COUNTY	HANDLED WITHIN DEPARTMENT AND RELEASED	REFERRED TO JUVENILE COURT OR PROBATION DEPARTMENT	REFERRED TO WELFARE AGENCY	REFERRED TO OTHER POLICE AGENCY	REFERRED TO CRIMINAL OR ADULT COURT	TOTAL POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES
ATLANTIC						
Number	827	2,713	14	40	32	3,626
Percent Distribution	22.8	74.8	0.4	1.1	0.9	100.0
BERGEN						
Number	3,738	3,437	37	64	12	7,288
Percent Distribution	51.3	47.2	0.5	0.9	0.2	100.0
BURLINGTON						
Number	993	2,258	2	15	14	3,282
Percent Distribution	30.3	68.8	0.1	0.5	0.4	100.0
CAMDEN						
Number	1,682	4,078	2	2	25	5,789
Percent Distribution	29.1	70.4	*	*	0.4	100.0
CAPE MAY						
Number	544	1,509	13	12	8	2,086
Percent Distribution	26.1	72.3	0.6	0.6	0.4	100.0
CUMBERLAND						
Number	811	3,130	1	1	5	3,948
Percent Distribution	20.5	79.3	*	*	0.1	100.0
ESSEX						
Number	3,543	8,458	50	25	11	12,087
Percent Distribution	29.3	70.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	100.0
GLOUCESTER						
Number	443	1,645	5	—	9	2,102
Percent Distribution	21.1	78.3	0.2	—	*	100.0
HUDSON						
Number	2,255	4,630	—	1	—	6,886
Percent Distribution	32.7	67.2	—	*	—	100.0
HUNTERDON						
Number	334	268	—	1	1	604
Percent Distribution	55.3	44.4	—	0.2	0.2	100.0
MERCER						
Number	1,740	2,793	86	11	9	4,639
Percent Distribution	37.5	60.2	1.9	0.2	0.2	100.0

*Less than one-tenth of one percent

POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY COUNTY—1991

COUNTY	HANDLED WITHIN DEPARTMENT AND RELEASED	REFERRED TO JUVENILE COURT OR PROBATION DEPARTMENT	REFERRED TO WELFARE AGENCY	REFERRED TO OTHER POLICE AGENCY	REFERRED TO CRIMINAL OR ADULT COURT	TOTAL POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES
MIDDLESEX						
Number	2,220	3,323	22	59	11	5,635
Percent Distribution	39.4	59.0	0.4	1.0	0.2	100.0
MONMOUTH						
Number	2,126	4,219	11	40	37	6,433
Percent Distribution	33.0	65.6	0.2	0.6	0.6	100.0
MORRIS						
Number	1,211	1,643	4	33	33	2,924
Percent Distribution	41.4	56.2	0.1	1.1	1.1	100.0
OCEAN						
Number	2,463	1,757	2	32	27	4,281
Percent Distribution	57.5	41.0	*	0.7	0.6	100.0
PASSAIC						
Number	3,407	2,897	19	7	11	6,341
Percent Distribution	53.7	45.7	0.3	0.1	0.2	100.0
SALEM						
Number	110	661	4	8	5	788
Percent Distribution	14.0	83.9	0.5	1.0	0.6	100.0
SOMERSET						
Number	1,313	1,263	143	47	2	2,768
Percent Distribution	47.4	45.6	5.2	1.7	0.1	100.0
SUSSEX						
Number	233	436	1	3	10	683
Percent Distribution	34.1	63.8	0.1	0.4	1.5	100.0
UNION						
Number	3,691	2,836	117	60	9	6,713
Percent Distribution	55.0	42.2	1.7	0.9	0.1	100.0
WARREN						
Number	255	486	5	3	7	756
Percent Distribution	33.7	64.3	0.7	0.4	0.9	100.0
TOTAL						
Number	33,957	54,544	538	465	278	89,782
Percent Distribution	37.8	60.8	0.6	0.5	0.3	100.0

*Less than one-tenth of one percent

ARREST SUMMARY FOR NON-INDEX OFFENSES

MANSLAUGHTER

Definition

The unlawful killing of a human being, by another, through gross negligence. Arrests relating to traffic fatalities are included.

- There were 43 arrests reported by law enforcement agencies of the state for manslaughter during the year. This represents a 17 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Adults accounted for 88 percent and juveniles accounted for 12 percent of the arrests.
- Males accounted for 84 percent of the arrests and females 16 percent.
- Seventy-four percent of the persons arrested were white, 19 percent were black.
- The Hispanic ethnic origin accounted for 12 percent of the arrests and 88 percent were Non-Hispanic.

SIMPLE ASSAULT

Definition

Simple assault, as defined under the New Jersey Uniform Crime Reporting System, is an assault or an attempted assault where no weapon is used and which does not result in serious or aggravated injury to the victim.

- There were 38,138 simple assault arrests in 1991, representing a 3 percent decrease when compared to 1990.
- Of the total, 24 percent were juveniles and 76 percent were adults.
- Males accounted for 81 percent and females 19 percent of the persons arrested for simple assault.
- Sixty-two percent of the persons arrested were white, 37 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Twelve percent of the persons arrested were Hispanic and 88 percent were not of Hispanic origin.

ARSON

Definition

Under this program, arson is defined as the willful or malicious burning, or attempting to burn, with or without intent to defraud; a dwelling house, building, ship or vessel, motor vehicle or aircraft, contents of building, personal property of another, etc.

- There were 681 arrests reported for arson offenses, a 5 percent increase compared to 1990.
- Juveniles accounted for 48 percent and adults 52 percent of persons arrested for arson.
- Ninety-two percent of the total arson arrests were males while 8 percent were females.
- Seventy-eight percent of the persons arrested were white, 21 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 13 percent of those arrested and Non-Hispanics accounted for 87 percent.

FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING

Definition

The definition of forgery and counterfeiting is the making, altering, uttering or possessing or attempting to make, alter, utter or possess, with intent to defraud, anything false which is made to appear true.

- There were 1,589 arrests reported by the law enforcement agencies of the state for forgery or counterfeiting during the year. This represents a 1 percent increase compared to 1990.
- Adults accounted for 94 percent and juveniles accounted for 6 percent of the arrests.
- Males accounted for 71 percent of the arrests and females 29 percent.
- Sixty-eight percent of the persons arrested were white, 31 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 14 percent of the arrests and 86 percent were Non-Hispanic.

FRAUD

Definition

In Uniform Crime Reporting, fraud is the fraudulent conversion and obtaining money or property by false pretenses. This includes bad checks, confidence games, etc., except forgeries and counterfeiting.

- There were 7,693 arrests reported during the year for fraud, a 6 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Adult arrests represented 97 percent and juveniles 3 percent of the persons arrested.
- Males accounted for 62 percent and females 38 percent of the persons arrested for fraud.
- Sixty-six percent of the persons arrested were white, 33 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Seven percent of the persons arrested were Hispanic and 93 percent were not of Hispanic origin.

EMBEZZLEMENT

Definition

The definition of embezzlement is the misappropriation or misapplication of money or property entrusted to one's care, custody or control.

- There were 96 persons arrested for embezzlement, a 30 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Ninety-two percent of those persons arrested were adults and 8 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 54 percent and females 46 percent of the persons arrested for embezzlement.
- Sixty-four percent of the persons arrested were white, 36 percent were black.
- Hispanics accounted for 6 percent of those arrested and Non-Hispanics accounted for 94 percent.

STOLEN PROPERTY (Buying, Receiving, Possessing)

Definition

Included in this class are all offenses of buying, receiving, and possessing stolen property, as well as all attempts to commit any of these offenses.

- In 1991, there were 13,022 arrests reported for stolen property, a decrease of 8 percent compared to 1990.
- Of the total, 60 percent were adults and 40 percent were juveniles.
- Eighty-eight percent were males and 12 percent were females.
- Forty-two percent of the persons arrested were white, 58 percent were black, and less than 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 19 percent of the arrests and 81 percent were Non-Hispanic.

CRIMINAL/MALICIOUS MISCHIEF

Definition

Criminal/malicious mischief is defined as the willful destruction, injury, disfigurement, or defacement of property without consent of the owner or persons having custody or control.

- There were 13,325 arrests for criminal/malicious mischief; a decrease of 3 percent compared to 1990.
- Juveniles accounted for 59 percent and adults 41 percent of persons arrested for criminal/malicious mischief.
- Males accounted for 90 percent and females 10 percent of the arrests.
- Seventy-two percent of the persons arrested were white, 27 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Eleven percent of the persons arrested were Hispanic and Non-Hispanics accounted for 89 percent.

WEAPONS: CARRYING, POSSESSING, etc.

Definition

Under this program, this offense includes all the violations of regulations or statutes controlling the carrying, using, possessing, furnishing, and manufacturing of deadly weapons or silencers, and attempts.

- There were 7,050 arrests reported for weapon offenses; a 1 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Of the total, 69 percent were adults and 31 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 92 percent and females 8 percent of those arrested.
- Fifty-five percent of those arrested were white, 44 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 15 percent of those arrested and 85 percent were Non-Hispanic.

PROSTITUTION AND COMMERCIALIZED VICE

Definition

Prostitution and commercialized vice are sex offenses of a commercialized nature and attempts. Included in this category are prostitution, keeping a bawdy house, procuring or transporting women for immoral purposes, etc.

- There were 2,381 arrests reported for prostitution and commercialized vice during 1991, representing a decrease of 14 percent when compared to 1990.
- Ninety-eight percent of the arrests were adults with the remaining 2 percent being juveniles.
- Females accounted for 61 percent and males 39 percent of the arrests.
- Fifty-two percent of those arrested were white, 47 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 18 percent of the arrests and 82 percent were Non-Hispanic.

SEX OFFENSES

Definition

Sex offenses, as defined under the New Jersey Uniform Crime Reporting Program, do not include rape, prostitution and commercialized vice. Included in this class are offenses against chastity, common decency, morals, and the like; attempts are also included.

- There were 2,384 sex offense arrests during 1991, representing an increase of 12 percent when compared to 1990.
- Adults accounted for 76 percent, and juveniles 24 percent of the arrests.
- Ninety-five percent were males and 5 percent were females.
- Sixty-seven percent of the persons arrested were white, 32 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Sixteen percent of the persons arrested were Hispanic and 84 percent were not of Hispanic origin.

DRUG ABUSE VIOLATIONS

Definition

Under the program, drug abuse violations are defined as the unlawful sale/manufacturing, possession/use of the below listed narcotics and drugs:

- a. Opium or Cocaine and their derivatives (morphine, heroin, codeine).
- b. Marijuana, hashish, etc.
- c. Synthetic narcotics—manufactured narcotics which can cause true drug addiction—(demerol, methadones).
- d. Other—dangerous non-narcotic drugs (barbiturates, amphetamines, hallucinogens).

- There were 46,064 arrests reported by the law enforcement agencies of the state for drug abuse violations; a 12 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Adults accounted for 90 percent and juveniles 10 percent of the arrests.

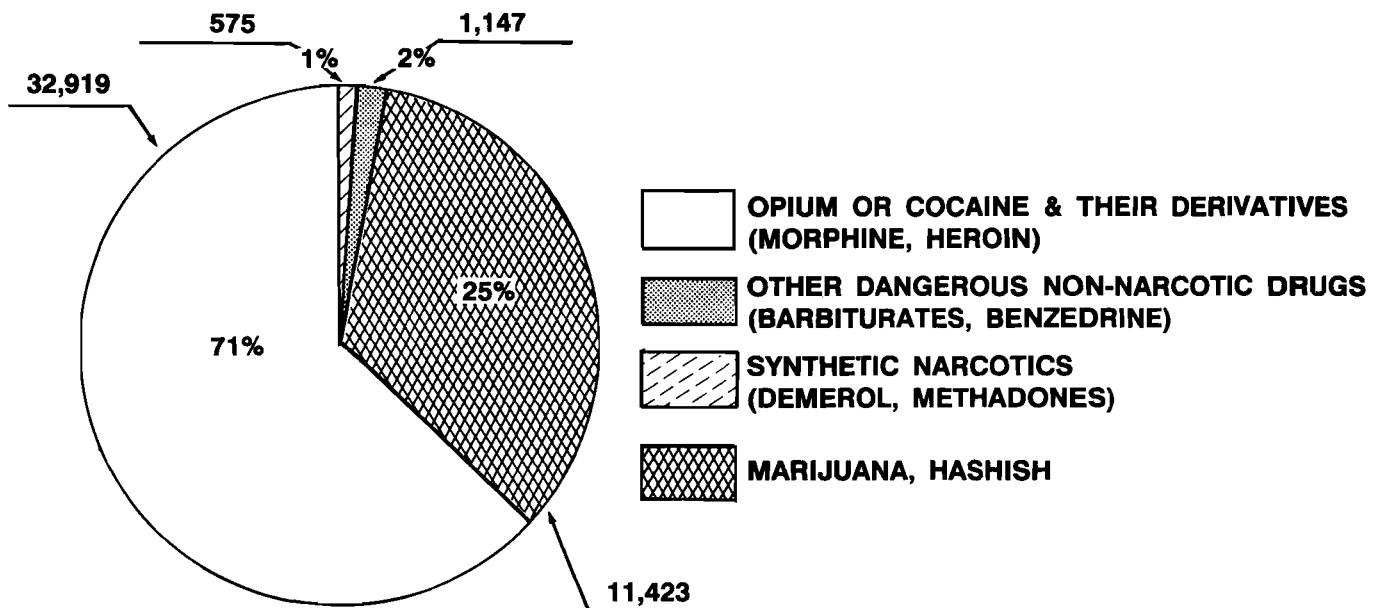
- Twenty-eight percent of persons arrested for drug abuse violations were under the age of 21.
- Males accounted for 86 percent of all the arrests while females accounted for the remaining 14 percent.
- Forty-six percent of the persons arrested were white, 54 percent were black, and less than one half of one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 14 percent of those arrested and 86 percent were not Hispanic.
- Arrests for possession/use of drugs accounted for 64 percent of the arrests, and the remaining 36 percent were for the sale/manufacturing of drugs.
- Arrests for opium or cocaine and their derivatives represented 63 percent of the possession/use category and 86 percent of the sale/manufacturing category. Overall, they accounted for 71 percent of the total drug abuse violation arrests.

**1991
COMBINED ARRESTS FOR ALL DRUG ABUSE VIOLATIONS
TOTAL ARRESTS 46,064**

**1990
52,297**





**1991
46,064**

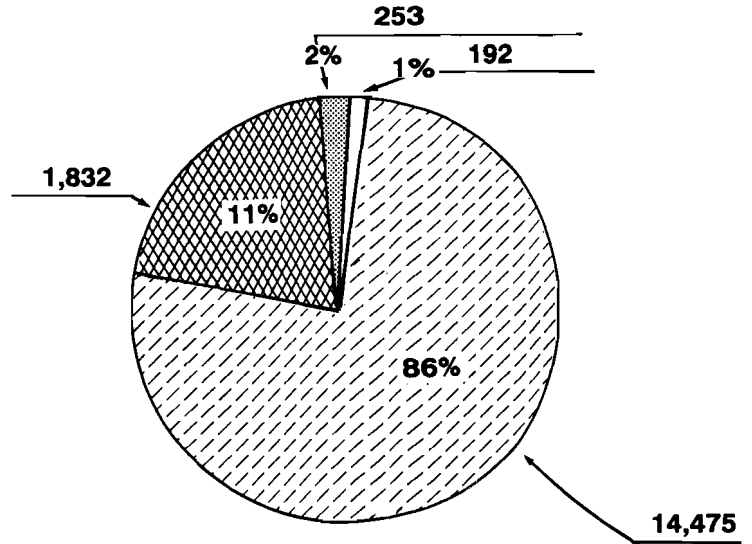
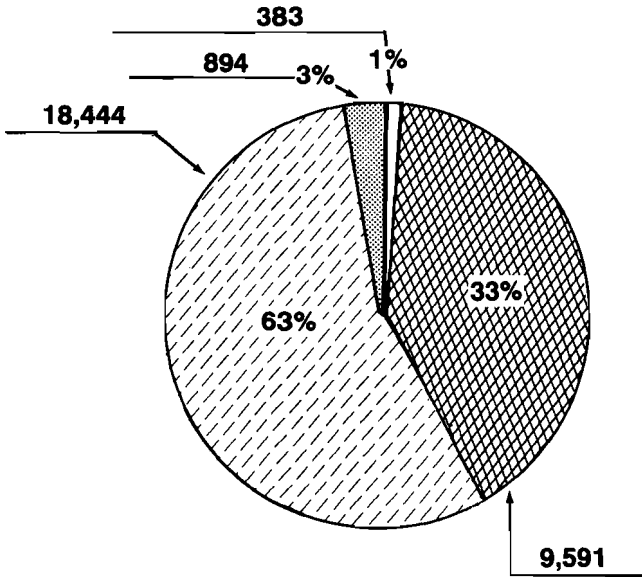
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Percentages may not add to 100 due to rounding.

**1991
ANALYSES OF DRUG ABUSE VIOLATIONS
TOTAL ARRESTS**

-  OPIUM OR COCAINE & THEIR DERIVATIVES (MORPHINE, HEROIN)
-  OTHER DANGEROUS NON-NARCOTIC DRUGS (BARBITURATES, AMPHETAMINES)
-  SYNTHETIC NARCOTICS (DEMEROL, METHADONES)
-  MARIJUANA, HASHISH



POSSESSION/USE ARRESTS

SALE/MANUFACTURE ARRESTS

1990	1991	PERCENT CHANGE
34,262	29,312	-14

1990	1991	PERCENT CHANGE
18,035	16,752	- 7

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
FIVE YEAR RECAPITULATION OF POSSESSION/USE—
SALE/MANUFACTURE DRUG ARRESTS**

1987 through 1991

	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991
POSSESSION/USE ARRESTS					
Opium or Cocaine and their Derivatives	15,510	24,947	27,608	19,755	18,444
Other Dangerous Non-narcotic Drugs	1,453	1,282	1,350	1,062	894
Synthetic Narcotics (Demerol, Methadones)	673	597	527	485	383
Marijuana and Hashish	20,181	20,897	18,661	12,960	9,591
TOTAL POSSESSION/USE ARRESTS	37,817	47,723	48,146	34,262	29,312
SALE/MANUFACTURE ARRESTS					
Opium or Cocaine and their Derivatives	8,197	13,726	17,325	15,018	14,475
Other Dangerous Non-narcotic Drugs	802	538	524	399	253
Synthetic Narcotics (Demerol, Methadones)	241	246	183	186	192
Marijuana and Hashish	3,389	3,084	2,985	2,432	1,832
TOTAL SALE/MANUFACTURE ARRESTS	12,629	17,594	21,017	18,035	16,752
COMBINED DRUG ARRESTS					
Opium or Cocaine and their Derivatives	23,707	38,673	44,933	34,773	32,919
Other Dangerous Non-narcotic Drugs	2,255	1,820	1,874	1,461	1,147
Synthetic Narcotics (Demerol, Methadones)	914	843	710	671	575
Marijuana and Hashish	23,570	23,981	21,646	15,392	11,423
GRAND TOTAL DRUG ARRESTS	50,446	65,317	69,163	52,297	46,064

**COMPARATIVE DRUG ARRESTS BY COUNTY
1990/1991**

	POSSESSION/USE ARRESTS			SALE/MANUFACTURE ARRESTS			GRAND TOTAL		
	1990	1991	PERCENT CHANGE	1990	1991	PERCENT CHANGE	1990	1991	PERCENT CHANGE
ATLANTIC	2,088	1,975	- 5	509	560	+10	2,597	2,535	- 2
BERGEN	2,397	2,925	- 22	777	590	- 24	3,174	3,515	+ 11
BURLINGTON	1,490	1,135	- 24	372	321	- 14	1,862	1,456	- 22
CAMDEN	1,579	1,464	- 7	777	830	+ 7	2,356	2,294	- 3
CAPE MAY	533	538	+ 1	174	200	+15	707	738	+ 4
CUMBERLAND	604	658	+ 9	202	160	- 21	806	818	+ 1
ESSEX	5,036	4,342	- 14	5,502	5,340	- 3	10,538	9,682	- 8
GLOUCESTER	747	622	- 17	221	204	- 8	968	826	- 15
HUDSON	4,191	2,767	- 34	3,300	2,639	- 20	7,491	5,406	- 28
HUNTERDON	192	129	- 33	61	48	- 21	253	177	- 30
MERCER	2,745	1,942	- 29	2,230	1,614	- 28	4,975	3,556	- 29
MIDDLESEX	1,936	1,403	- 28	1,009	1,035	+ 3	2,945	2,438	- 17
MONMOUTH	2,035	2,352	- 16	436	516	+18	2,471	2,868	+16
MORRIS	834	791	- 5	232	167	- 28	1,066	958	- 10
OCEAN	1,638	1,185	- 28	230	245	+ 7	1,868	1,430	- 23
PASSAIC	2,148	1,711	- 20	825	1,225	+48	2,973	2,936	- 1
SALEM	260	190	- 27	179	185	+ 3	439	375	- 15
SOMERSET	367	300	- 18	47	55	+17	414	355	- 14
SUSSEX	149	109	- 27	62	56	- 10	211	165	- 22
UNION	2,975	2,474	- 16	695	631	- 9	3,670	3,105	- 15
WARREN	278	157	- 44	178	112	- 37	456	269	- 41

GAMBLING

Definition

Gambling violations are defined as the promoting, permitting, or engaging in illegal gambling.

- There were 884 gambling arrests reported during 1991, resulting in a decrease of 19 percent compared to 1990.
- Eighty-three percent of the arrests were adults and 17 percent were juveniles.
- Males represented 79 percent and females 21 percent of the gambling arrests.
- Seventy-four percent of the persons arrested were white, 16 percent were black, and 10 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 22 percent of the arrests and 78 percent were not Hispanic.

OFFENSES AGAINST FAMILY AND CHILDREN

Definition

The definition of offenses against family and children is the nonsupport, neglect, desertion or abuse of family and children.

- There were 14,589 arrests for offenses against family and children during 1991, representing an increase of 18 percent from the previous year.
- Less than one-half of one percent of the arrests were juveniles, and nearly 100 percent were adults.
- Males accounted for 95 percent and females 5 percent of the arrests.
- Fifty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 47 percent were black, and less than one-half of one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 14 percent of the arrests and 86 percent were not of Hispanic origin.

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE

Definition

Under the New Jersey Crime Reporting Program, the offense of driving under the influence is defined as the driving or operating of any motor vehicle while drunk or under the influence of alcohol or narcotics.

- There were 39,001 arrests reported for driving under the influence in 1991, a decrease of 10 percent compared to 1990.
- Ninety-nine percent of the arrests were adults and only 1 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 87 percent of the arrests while females accounted for the remaining 13 percent.
- Eighty-seven percent of the persons arrested were white, 12 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Eleven percent of the persons arrested were Hispanic and 89 percent were not Hispanic.

LIQUOR LAWS

Definition

Included in this category are state or local liquor law violations, with the exception of "driving under the influence."

- There were 13,693 arrests reported for liquor law violations, a decrease of 20 percent from the previous year.
- Adults were responsible for 73 percent of the arrests while the remaining 27 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 82 percent of the liquor law arrests while females accounted for the remaining 18 percent.
- Ninety-two percent of the persons arrested were white, 8 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 6 percent of those arrested and 94 percent were not of Hispanic origin.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Definition

In this category are placed all charges of committing a breach of the peace (disorderly person).

- There were 40,148 arrests for disorderly conduct in 1991, a decrease of 7 percent compared to 1990.
- Seventy-four percent of the arrests were adults while the remaining 26 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 83 percent and females 17 percent of the disorderly conduct arrests.
- Sixty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 36 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 12 percent of the arrests and 88 percent of those arrested were not Hispanic.

VAGRANCY

Definition

In this category are persons charged with vagabondage, begging, loitering, etc.

- There were 160 arrests in this category during the year, a 44 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Juveniles accounted for 21 percent of the arrests while adults accounted for the remaining 79 percent.
- Males represented 75 percent and females 25 percent of the arrests in this category.
- Seventy-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 27 percent were black, and less than one-half of one percent were other races.
- Less than one-half of one percent of the persons arrested were Hispanic and nearly 100 percent were Non-Hispanic.

ALL OTHER OFFENSES

Definition

Included in this category are all violations of state and local laws, except those offenses that can be categorized into one of the specific crime classifications previously mentioned.

- There were 85,411 arrests reported for all other offenses during 1991, a 4 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Adults accounted for 88 percent and juveniles 12 percent of persons arrested for all other offenses.
- Eighty-three percent of the arrests were males while 17 percent were females.
- Sixty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 36 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 10 percent of those arrested and 90 percent were not of Hispanic origin.

CURFEW AND LOITERING LAW VIOLATIONS

Definition

In this category are juvenile arrests made for violations of local curfew or loitering ordinances.

- There were 2,118 arrests reported for curfew and loitering law violations during 1991; this represents a 28 percent increase compared to 1990.
- Males represented 80 percent and females 20 percent of the arrests.
- Sixty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 37 percent were black, and one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 19 percent of the arrests and non-Hispanics accounted for 81 percent of those arrested.

RUNAWAYS

Definition

For Uniform Crime Reporting purposes, this category is limited to juveniles taken into protective custody, under provisions of local statutes, as runaways.

- There were 5,211 runaway arrests reported in 1991, a 12 percent decrease compared to 1990.
- Females accounted for 56 percent and males accounted for 44 percent of the arrests.
- Sixty-one percent of the persons arrested were white, 38 percent were black, and 1 percent were other races.
- Seventeen percent of the persons arrested were Hispanic and 83 percent were not of Hispanic origin.