



Overview

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Current Year Over Previous Year Arrest Trends, by Sex, 2013–2014

- Nationwide, the number of males arrested in 2014 decreased 4.3 percent when compared with the number of those arrested in 2013. The number of females arrested decreased 2.8 percent during this 2-year period.
- The number of juvenile (persons under age 18) males arrested in 2014 decreased 8.6 percent when compared with 2013 juvenile male arrest data. The number of juvenile female arrests decreased 8.2 percent.
- The 2-year trend showed that the number of males arrested for violent crimes decreased 1.1 percent. However, the number of females arrested for violent crimes increased 0.4 percent.
- Arrests of juvenile males for violent crimes declined 3.6 percent; arrests of juvenile females decreased 4.8 percent.
- Of the violent crimes, the number of male arrests for robbery offenses had the largest decrease at 7.3 percent for males of all ages and 6.2 percent for juvenile males in a comparison of 2013 and 2014 arrest data. Females arrested for murder had the largest decline at 6.7 percent for all ages and 41.4 percent for juveniles.
- The number of males arrested for property crimes in 2014 decreased 3.6 percent when compared with 2013 arrest data, and the number of females arrested for property crimes decreased 1.1 percent.
- The number of juvenile males arrested for property crimes decreased 6.6 percent; the number of juvenile females decreased 5.9 percent.
- A comparison of 2014 and 2013 arrest data for property crime offenses indicated that the only property crime with an increase in the number of arrests was motor

vehicle theft. The number of males (all ages) arrested for that offense increased 0.8 percent, and the number of male juveniles arrested for that offense rose 4.6 percent. The number of females (all ages) arrested for motor vehicle theft increased 4.3 percent, and the number of female juveniles arrested for that offense rose 6.2 percent.