



# ARRESTS

## PART 2

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## Burglary Arrests

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 26.1 percent decrease in the rate of total burglary arrests.
- There was a 19.0 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 41.1 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

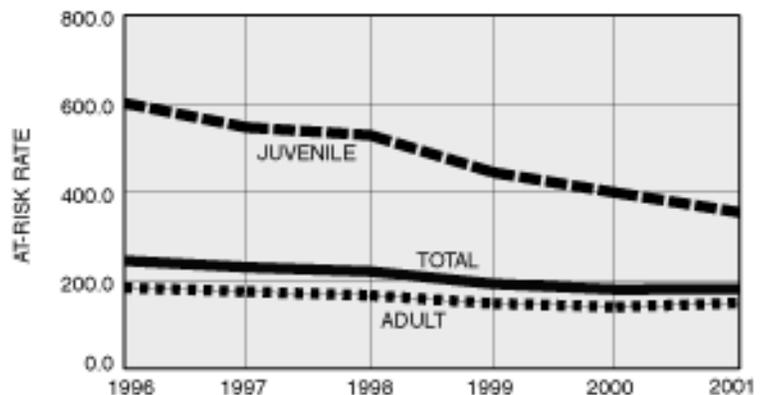
- There was a 0.8 percent rate increase in total burglary arrests.
- There was a 6.3 percent rate increase in adult arrests and an 11.1 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

### In 2001, of 48,348 arrests for burglary:

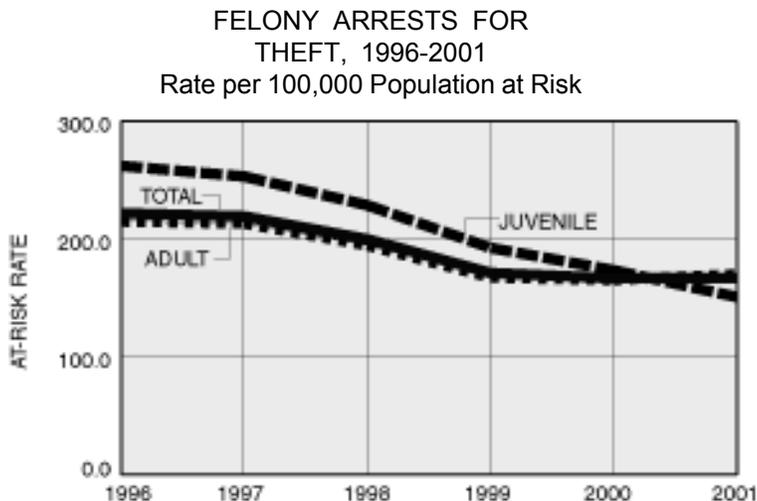
- Adult arrests accounted for 69.3 percent (33,522).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 30.7 percent (14,826).

*The juvenile arrest rate for burglary declined for the fifth consecutive year.*

FELONY ARRESTS FOR BURGLARY, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.



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## Theft Arrests

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 24.7 percent decrease in the rate of total theft arrests.
- There was a 20.9 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 42.5 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

- There was a 0.2 percent rate increase in total theft arrests.
- There was a 2.8 percent rate increase in adult arrests and a 13.1 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

### In 2001, of 44,689 arrests for theft:

- Adult arrests accounted for 85.9 percent (38,371).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 14.1 percent (6,318).

*For the first time since 1989, there was an increase in the adult arrest rate for theft in 2001, while the juvenile arrest rate continues to decline.*

## Motor Vehicle Theft Arrests

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was an 18.4 percent decrease in the rate of total motor vehicle theft arrests.
- There was a 5.2 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 43.5 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

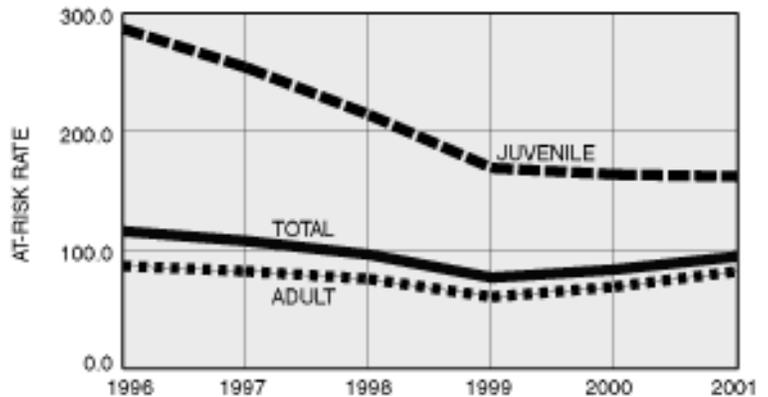
- There was a 13.3 percent rate increase in total motor vehicle theft arrests.
- There was a 19.0 percent rate increase in adult arrests and a 1.0 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

### In 2001, of 25,299 arrests for motor vehicle theft:

- Adult arrests accounted for 73.2 percent (18,510).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 26.8 percent (6,789).

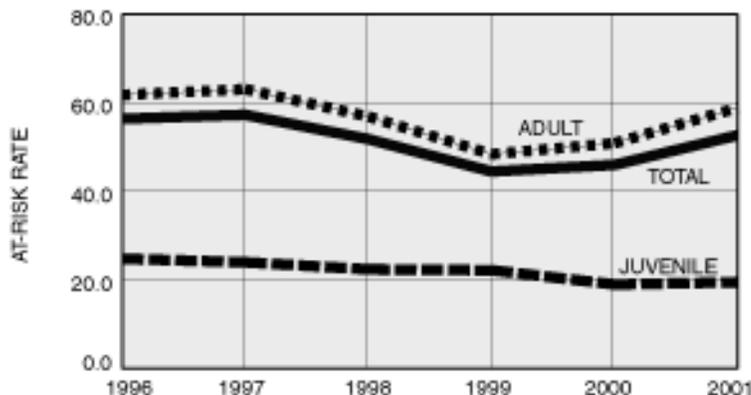
*From 1996 to 2001, the juvenile motor vehicle theft arrest rate showed the greatest decrease (43.5 percent) of all property offenses.*

FELONY ARRESTS FOR  
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.

FELONY ARRESTS FOR FORGERY, CHECK, AND ACCESS CARD OFFENSES, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.

## Forgery, Check, and Access Card Arrests

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 6.6 percent decrease in the rate of total forgery, check, and access card offense arrests.
- There was a 4.7 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 21.4 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

- There was a 14.6 percent rate increase in total forgery, check, and access card offense arrests.
- There was a 15.7 percent rate increase in adult arrests and a 2.6 percent rate increase in juvenile arrests.

In 2001, of 14,102 arrests for forgery, check, and access card offenses:

- Adult arrests accounted for 94.2 percent (13,285).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 5.8 percent (817).

*After a decrease of 23.3 percent from 1997 to 1999, the rate of adult felony arrests for forgery, check, and access card offenses increased by 21.7 percent from 1999 to 2001.*

## Arson Arrests

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was an 18.2 percent decrease in the rate of total arson arrests.
- There was a 20.5 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 22.1 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

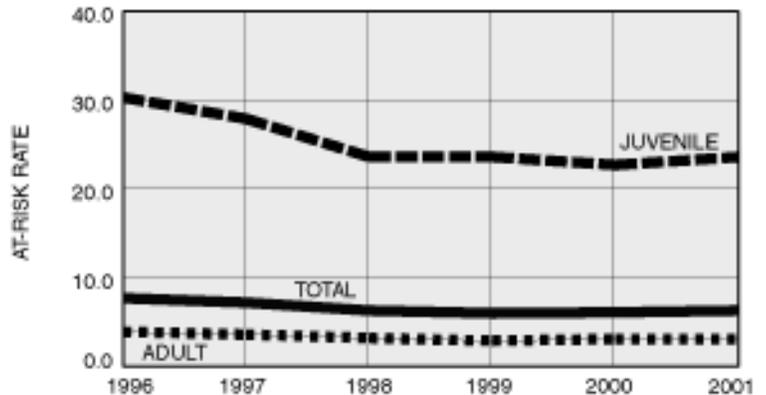
- There was a 3.3 percent rate increase in total arson arrests.
- There was no change in the rate of adult arrests and a 4.0 percent rate increase in juvenile arrests.

### In 2001, of 1,688 arrests for arson:

- Adult arrests accounted for 41.4 percent (698).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 58.6 percent (990).

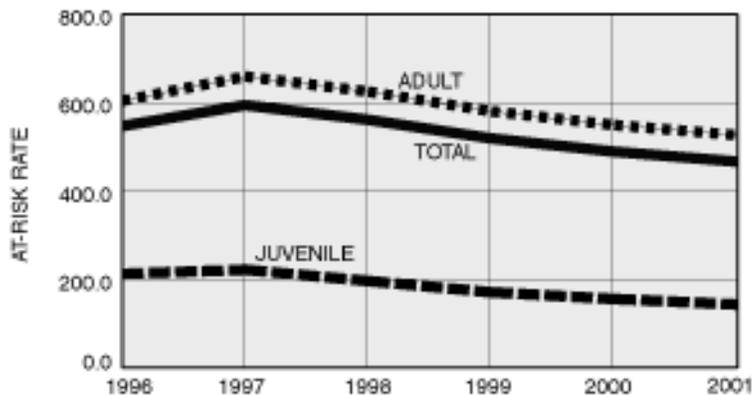
*The juvenile arson arrest rate from 1996 to 2001 was at least seven times greater than the adult arson arrest rate.*

FELONY ARRESTS FOR  
ARSON, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.

FELONY ARRESTS FOR  
DRUG OFFENSES, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.

## Arrests for Drug Offenses

**Drug Offense Arrests** - narcotics (heroin, cocaine, etc.), marijuana, dangerous drugs (barbiturates, phencyclidine, etc.), and other drug offenses.

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 14.7 percent decrease in the rate of total drug offense arrests.
- There was a 12.9 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 32.6 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

- There was a 4.6 percent rate decrease in total drug offense arrests.
- There was a 4.2 percent rate decrease in adult arrests and an 8.0 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

*Throughout the period shown, the adult arrest rate for drug offenses was approximately three times that of juveniles.*

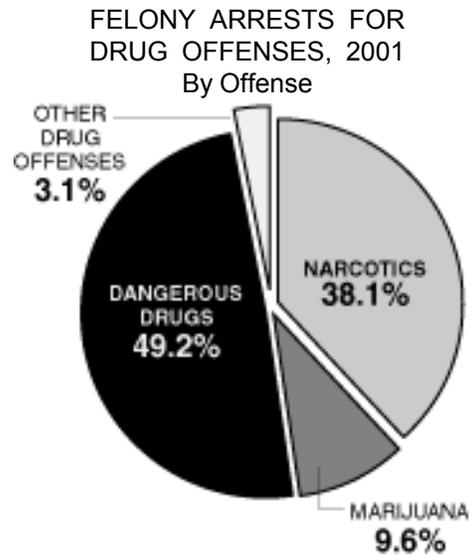
## Arrests for Drug Offenses (continued)

In 2001, of 124,726 felony arrests for drug offenses:

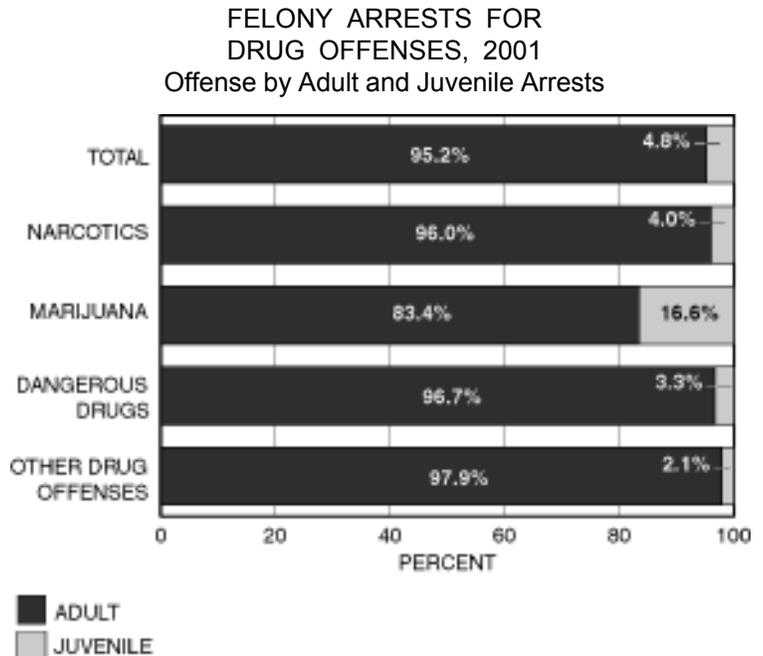
- Narcotic arrests accounted for 38.1 percent (47,569).
- Marijuana arrests accounted for 9.6 percent (11,986).
- Dangerous drug arrests accounted for 49.2 percent (61,308).
- Other drug offense arrests accounted for 3.1 percent (3,863).

And,

- Adult arrests accounted for 95.2 percent (118,733).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 4.8 percent (5,993).

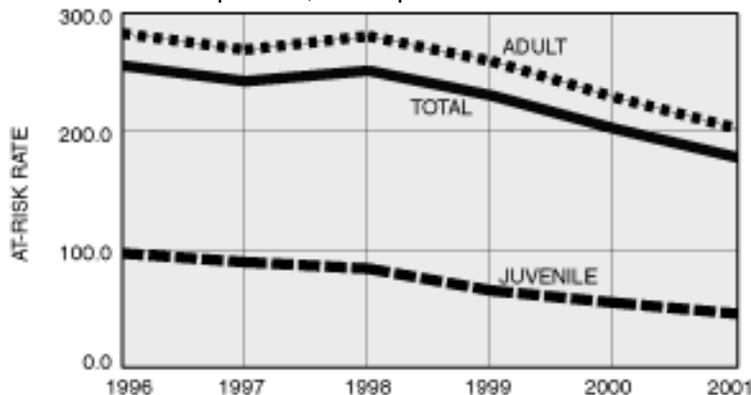


Source: Table 20.



Source: Table 21.

FELONY ARRESTS FOR  
NARCOTIC OFFENSES, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.

## Narcotic Arrests

**Narcotic Category** - heroin, cocaine, etc.

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 30.5 percent decrease in the rate of total narcotic arrests.
- There was a 28.5 percent rate decrease in adult arrests and a 53.0 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

- There was a 12.1 percent rate decrease in total narcotic arrests.
- There was an 11.6 percent rate decrease in adult arrests and a 17.1 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

**In 2001**, of 47,569 arrests for narcotic offenses:

- Adult arrests accounted for 96.0 percent (45,664).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 4.0 percent (1,905).

*In 2001, the adult arrest rate for narcotic offenses was approximately four times higher than the juvenile arrest rate.*

## Marijuana Arrests

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 25.5 percent decrease in the rate of total marijuana arrests.
- There was a 24.9 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 28.6 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

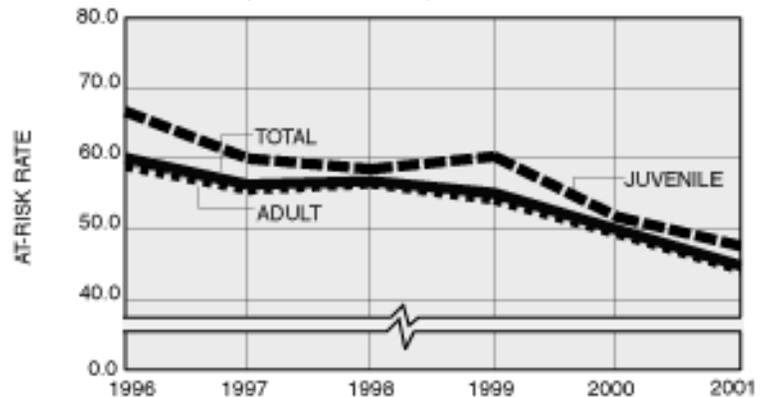
- There was a 10.2 percent rate decrease in total marijuana arrests.
- There was a 10.5 percent rate decrease in adult arrests and a 7.9 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

In 2001, of 11,986 arrests for marijuana offenses:

- Adult arrests accounted for 83.4 percent (9,991).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 16.6 percent (1,995).

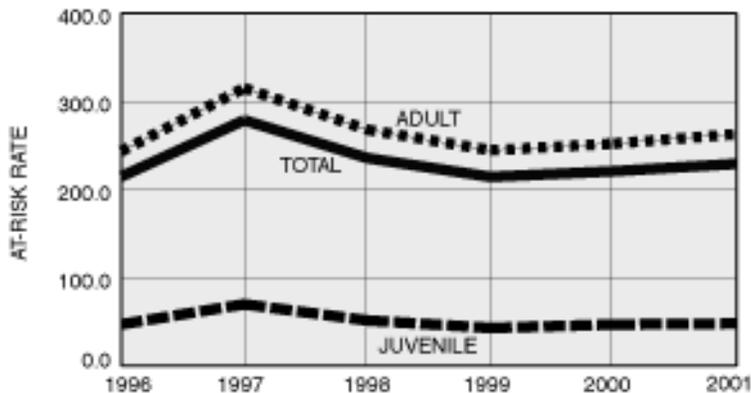
*Throughout the period shown, the juvenile arrest rate for marijuana offenses was higher than that of adults.*

FELONY ARRESTS FOR MARIJUANA OFFENSES, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.

FELONY ARRESTS FOR  
DANGEROUS DRUG OFFENSES, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.

## Dangerous Drug Arrests

**Dangerous Drugs Category** - *barbiturates, phencyclidine, piperidine, etc.*

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 6.8 percent increase in the rate of total dangerous drug arrests.
- There was an 8.1 percent rate increase in adult arrests and a 1.9 percent rate increase in juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

- There was a 3.8 percent rate increase in total dangerous drug arrests.
- There was a 4.2 percent rate increase in adult arrests and a 2.3 percent rate increase in juvenile arrests.

**In 2001**, of 61,308 arrests for dangerous drug offenses:

- Adult arrests accounted for 96.7 percent (59,296).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 3.3 percent (2,012).

*The juvenile and adult arrest rates for dangerous drug offenses increased for the second consecutive year.*

## Other Drug Offense Arrests

**Other Drug Offenses** - *manufacturing of a controlled substance, forging/altering of a narcotic prescription, etc.*

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was an 11.7 percent decrease in the rate of total arrests for other drug offenses.
- There was a 10.6 percent rate decrease in adult arrests and a 5.6 percent rate increase in juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

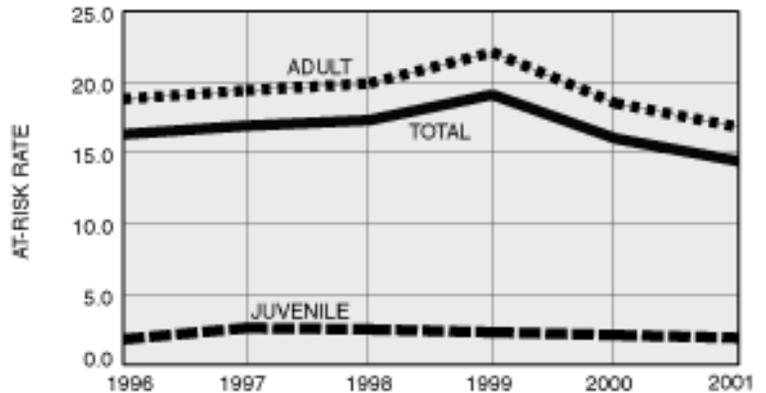
- There was a 10.0 percent rate decrease in total arrests for other drug offenses.
- There was a 9.2 percent rate decrease in adult arrests and a 9.5 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

**In 2001**, of 3,863 arrests for other drug offenses:

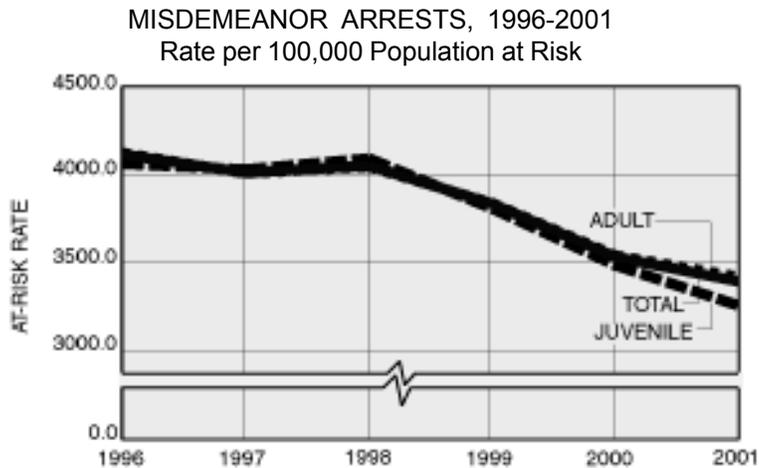
- Adult arrests accounted for 97.9 percent (3,782).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 2.1 percent (81).

*After increasing 17.6 percent from 1996 to 1999, the adult arrest rate for "other" drug offenses decreased 24.0 percent from 1999 to 2001.*

FELONY ARRESTS FOR  
OTHER DRUG OFFENSES, 1996-2001  
Rate per 100,000 Population at Risk



Source: Table 22.



Source: Table 27.

## Misdemeanor Arrests

### Comparing 1996 to 2001:

- There was a 17.5 percent decrease in the rate of total misdemeanor arrests.
- There was a 17.0 percent decrease in the rate of adult arrests and a 19.8 percent decrease in the rate of juvenile arrests.

### From 2000 to 2001:

- There was a 3.9 percent rate decrease in total misdemeanor arrests.
- There was a 3.4 percent rate decrease in adult arrests and a 6.6 percent rate decrease in juvenile arrests.

*In 2001, misdemeanor arrest rates for both juveniles and adults were the lowest for the years shown.*

## Misdemeanor Arrests (continued)

In 2001, of 907,990 misdemeanor arrests reported:

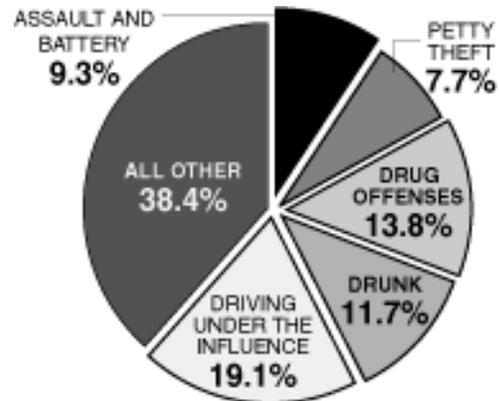
- Assault and battery accounted for 9.3 percent (84,372).
- Petty theft accounted for 7.7 percent (70,059).
- Drug offenses accounted for 13.8 percent (125,065).
- Drunk offenses accounted for 11.7 percent (106,443).
- Driving under the influence accounted for 19.1 percent (173,239).
- All other offenses accounted for 38.4 percent (348,812).

And,

- Adult arrests accounted for 85.0 percent (771,510).
- Juvenile arrests accounted for 15.0 percent (136,480).

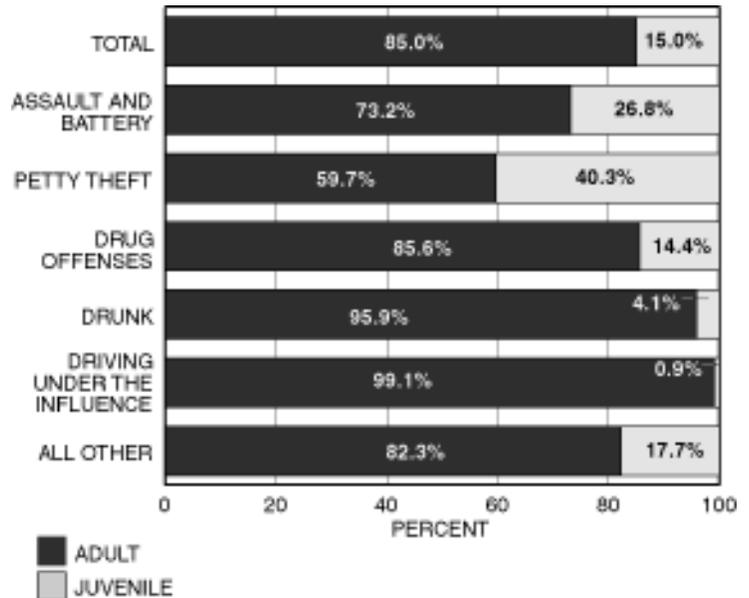
*In 2001, 44.6 percent of misdemeanor arrests were either alcohol or drug related.*

MISDEMEANOR ARRESTS, 2001  
By Offense



Source: Table 25.

MISDEMEANOR ARRESTS, 2001  
Offense by Adult and Juvenile Arrests



Source: Table 26.