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Introduction

The Applied Research Division of the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) functions as the clearinghouse for criminal justice information in the San Diego region. On an annual basis, the Division prepares a report on local criminal justice agencies' response to crime in the region as measured by arrest statistics. Because arrest statistics include information regarding whether the suspect is an adult or juvenile and include a greater variety of crime types than are reported in regional crime reports (e.g., alcohol/drug-related offenses), this information provides an added dimension for understanding the nature of crime and another measure that can be used in justice system planning.

This CJ Bulletin includes regional arrest rates per 1,000 for both the adult and juvenile population, as well as number of arrests by offense type. In addition, 42 supplemental tables, which include statistics for individual jurisdictions, are presented. Some points to remember when interpreting these numbers include the following:

- Similar to how the FBI has traditionally reported crimes, the offense or charge attributed to an arrest reflects only the most serious out of potentially multiple violations included in the arrest.
- Arrests are documented by the location at which the arrest occurred and cannot be assumed to have any relationship to the location of the crime incident or the residence of the alleged offender.
- Arrest and crime rates and numbers should not be compared to one another. One reason is the two events may occur in two entirely different periods of time, with an arrest made months or even years after the related crime was reported.
- For youth, even though contact with law enforcement is made and an arrest report is taken, diversion to a community-based or other type of program or release to a parent or guardian may occur as an alternative to juvenile justice system processing.
- The data presented here were provided by the California Department of Justice through a public records request. While these are official numbers reported to and by the State, it is important to note they may vary from other sources that could be available.

Highlights

- In 2018, San Diego County had the second highest juvenile and the third highest adult arrest rates compared to the other four largest California counties. On average, 223 adult and 9 juvenile arrests were made daily in San Diego County in 2018.
- The juvenile arrest rate reached a new ten-year low in 2018, down to 10.0 arrests per 1,000 juveniles, compared to 55.1 in 2009 (an 82% drop). Since 2012, the juvenile arrest rate has been lower than the adult arrest rate.
- While adults 20 to 29 still had the highest arrest rate of any age group in 2018 (55.7 per 1,000), the second highest group has changed over the past five years, with adults 30 to 39 taking the number two spot from those 18 to 19.
- While misdemeanor arrest rates increased in 2015 following the passage of Proposition 47 (Prop 47), they decreased for the third consecutive year in 2018. Prop 47 made numerous property and drug offenses that could have been felonies, misdemeanors.
- For adults, there were slightly more arrests for alcohol-/drug-related offenses in 2018 compared to 2017, but decreases in every other category.
- For juveniles, the number of arrests in each category type decreased from 2017 to 2018.

Arrest rates

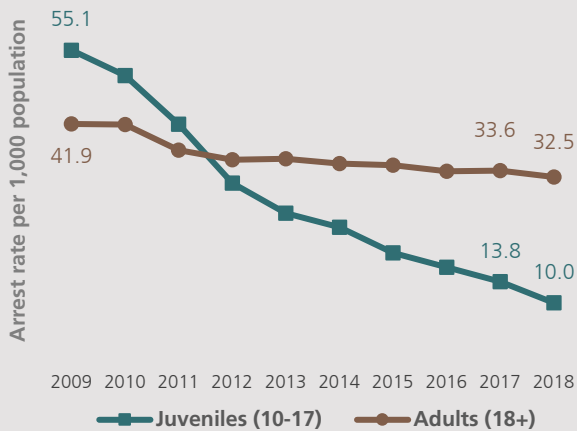
Trends

In 2018, there were 32.5 adults arrested per 1,000 population. As Figure 1 shows, this rate was the lowest in the past ten years and a 3% decrease from 2017. Across the jurisdictions, the 2018 adult arrest rate varied from 13.7 to 53.5, with one-year decreases in ten of the jurisdictions and increases in the other nine (Table 6).

Before 2012, the arrest rate was higher for juveniles than adults. As Figure 1 shows, the 2018 juvenile arrest rate of 10.0 represented a decrease of 82% from 2009 and 28% from 2017. Across the jurisdictions, the juvenile arrest rate varied from 4.3 to 16.7 in 2018, with 14 of the agencies reporting one-year decreases and 5 reporting that the number of arrests was too small to compare (Table 9).

Figure 1

Arrest rates per 1,000 population continue to drop in 2018



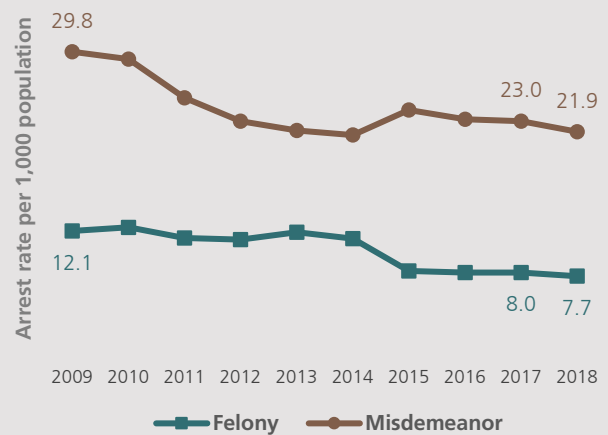
Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Felonies and misdemeanors

In 2015, the year following the passage of Prop 47, which reduced a number of property- and drug-related offenses from felonies to misdemeanors, the felony arrest rate declined by 28% (from 2014 to 2015) and the misdemeanor arrest rate increased by 12%, directional differences that may have been expected with this legislative change (Figure 2). In 2018, the felony arrest rate decreased 4% from 2017 (to 7.7), after remaining unchanged from 2016 to 2017 and the misdemeanor arrest rate decreased for the third consecutive year by 5% from 2017 (to 21.9).

Figure 2

Felony and misdemeanor arrest rates down in 2018



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Arrestee race and age

Arrest rates also varied by race/ethnicity for both adults and juveniles, with individuals of “other” races/ethnicities having the lowest rate (11.4), while Blacks had the highest rate (111.8). Over the past year, the arrest rate decreased for all four groups, from -3% for Blacks to -8% for those of “other” race/ethnicities (Table 2A).

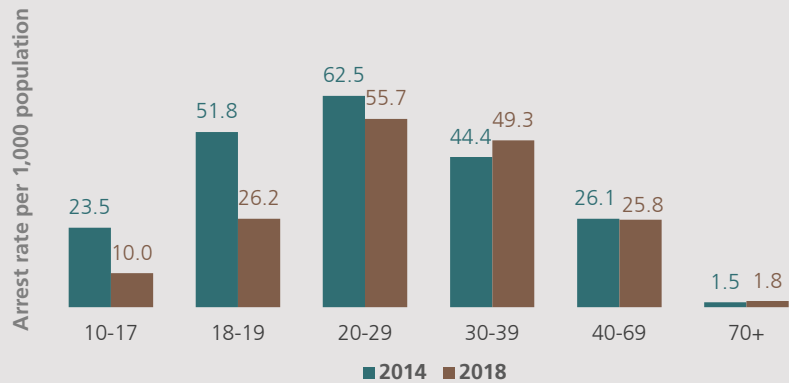
Arrest data by age showed that in 2018, adults between 20 and 29 had the highest arrest rate (55.7), followed by those 30 to 39 (49.3), 18 and 19 (26.2), and 40 to 69 (25.8). Over the past year, the arrest rates for the three youngest age groups decreased, but they increased for those in the older age groups, including by 6% for those 70 and older (Figure 3 and Table 2B).

San Diego compared to other California counties

In 2018, San Diego County had an adult arrest rate (32.5) and juvenile arrest rate (10.0) that were lower than the State’s (34.2 and 11.1, respectively) (Table 5). Compared to the other largest California counties, San Diego had the second highest juvenile and third highest adult rates. For adults, three of the counties had lower adult arrest rates in 2018 compared to 2017 (San Bernardino, San Diego, and Riverside), and the other two had increases (Los Angeles and Orange). For juveniles, all of the largest counties had one-year decreases (Figure 4 and Table 5).

Figure 3

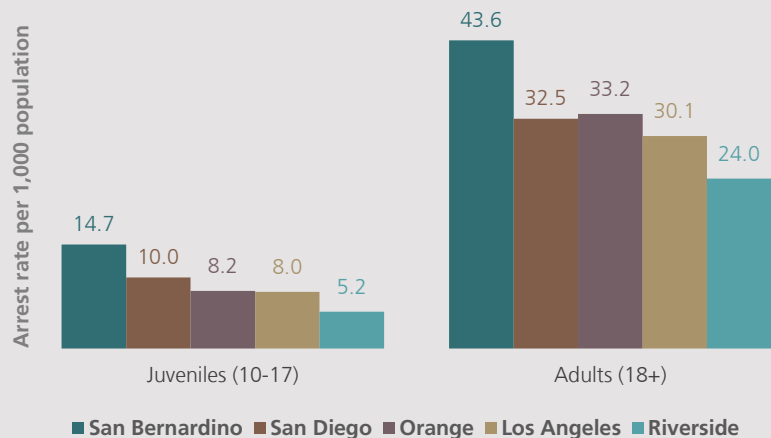
Since 2014, the arrest rate has declined for all groups except for those 30 to 39 and 70+



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Figure 4

San Diego County had second highest juvenile and third highest adult arrest rates in 2018 compared to other large California counties



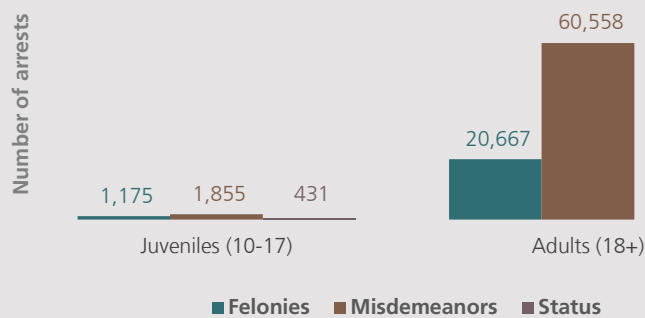
Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Number of adult and juvenile arrests

In 2018, there were 81,225 adult arrests (20,667 at the felony level and 60,558 at the misdemeanor level), and 3,461 juvenile arrests (1,175 felonies, 1,855 misdemeanors, and 431 status offenses¹) (Figure 5 and Tables 13-15, and 26-28). On average, there were around 223 adult and 9 juvenile arrests every day in 2018 in the San Diego region by local law enforcement agencies (not shown).

Figure 5

In 2018, there were around 23 adult arrests for every juvenile arrest

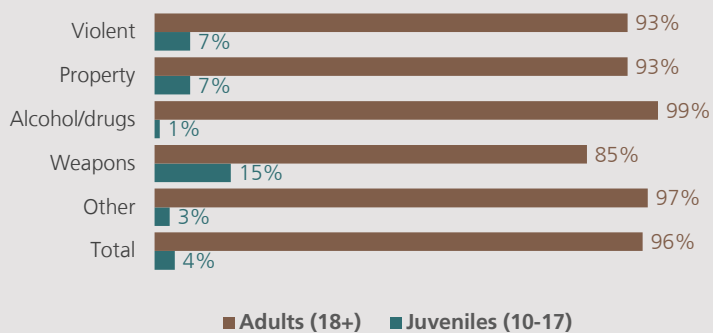


Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

As Figure 6 shows, while 4% of all arrests in 2018 were of juveniles, there was variation by crime type, with juveniles representing a greater proportion of arrests for weapons (15%), violent (7%), and property (7%) offenses, and a smaller proportion of arrests for "other" (3%) and alcohol/drug-related offenses (1%).

Figure 6

Juveniles represent higher proportion of arrests for weapons offenses compared to other arrest types



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

What were adults in San Diego County most frequently arrested for in 2018? (Tables 21 to 25)

Misdemeanor other drug offenses (301/week)

Misdemeanor driving under the influence (172/week)

Misdemeanor drunk (143/week)

Felony aggravated assault (133/week)

Misdemeanor assault and battery (113/week)

What were juveniles in San Diego County most frequently arrested for in 2018? (Tables 34 to 39)

Misdemeanor assault and battery (10/week)

Misdemeanor petty theft/burglary (7/week)

Felony aggravated assault (6/week)

Other misdemeanors (4/week)

Other felonies (4/week)

¹ Status offenses are offenses only juveniles can be arrested for, such as truancy or a curfew violation.

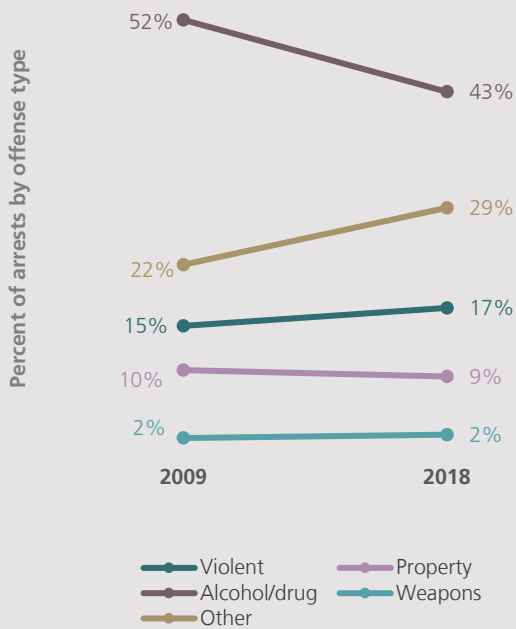
Arrests by offense type

What types of crimes are adults and juveniles arrested for? As Figure 7A shows, in 2018, about two in five (43%) adults were arrested for an alcohol/drug-related offense, making it the most common category, followed by “other” arrests (29%), violent offenses (17%), property offenses (9%), and weapon offenses (2%). Compared to ten years ago, the proportion of arrests that were alcohol/drug-related decreased, and those that were in the “other” category or violent category increased.

For juveniles (Figure 7B), violent offenses were most common (30%), followed by other (21%), property (16%), and alcohol/drug (13%). Compared to ten years ago, the percentage representing violent offenses has increased the most, and those that were status offenses decreased to the greatest degree.

Figure 7A

Fewer adult arrests were alcohol/drug-related in 2018, compared to 2009

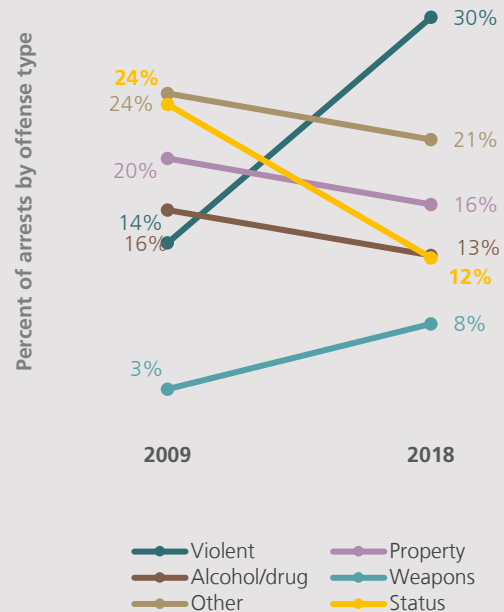


Note: Percentages may not equal 100 due to rounding.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Figure 7B

Juvenile arrests more evenly distributed across categories, compared to adults, in both 2009 and 2018



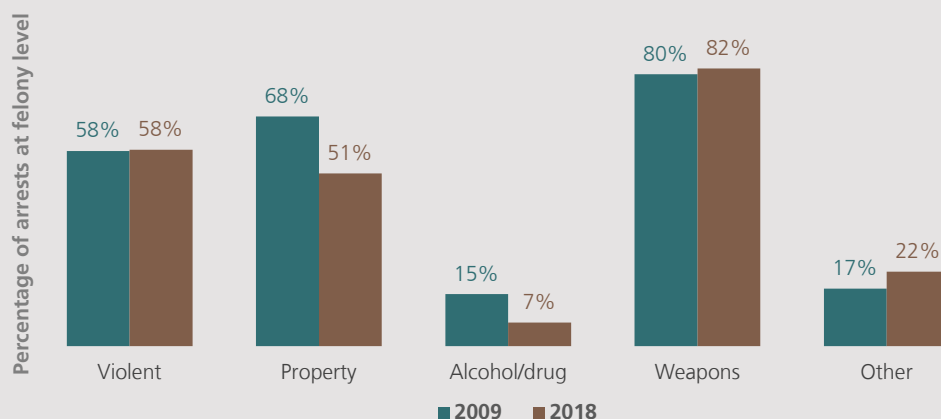
Note: Percentages may not equal 100 due to rounding.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

The percentage of felony versus misdemeanor offenses varied for adults and juveniles, as well as over time. As Figure 8A shows, in 2009, 68% of property arrests of adults were at the felony level, a rate which decreased to 51% in 2018. Similarly, the proportion of alcohol/drug-related offenses at the felony level decreased from 15% to 7%. For juveniles, there were fewer arrests at the felony level in each category in 2018 compared to adults, with the exception of "other" arrests (Figure 8B).

Figure 8A

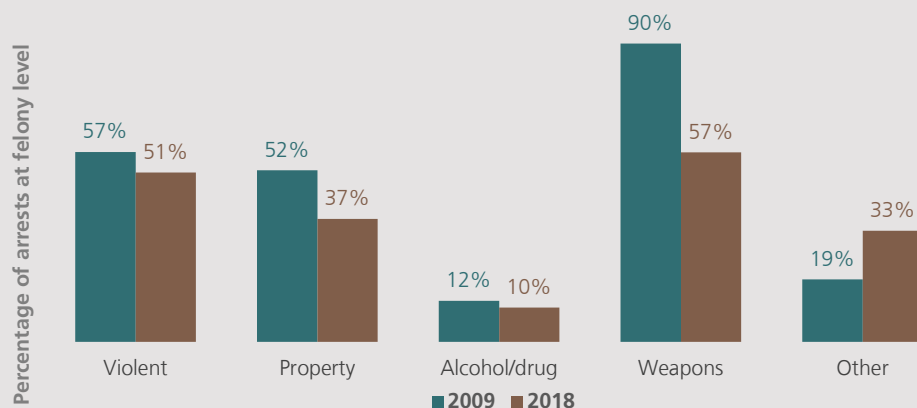
Fewer adult property and alcohol/drug-related arrests at the felony level in 2018 than 2009



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Figure 8B

Fewer juvenile arrests at the felony level in 2018 than 2009 for every category but 'other'



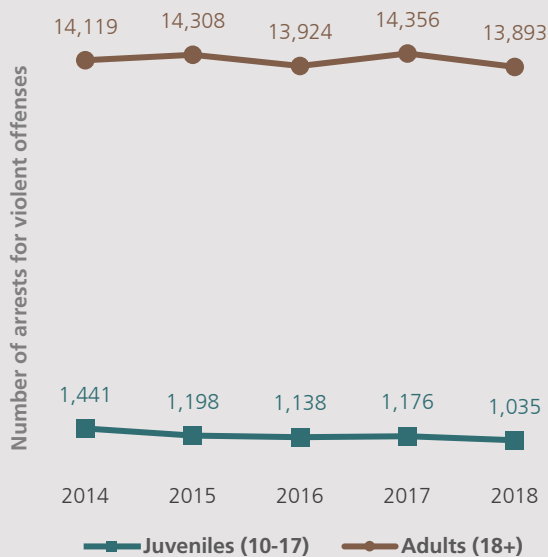
Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Violent offenses

The violent offense arrest category includes four felony-level offenses – homicide, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault – and misdemeanor-level manslaughter/assault and battery. There were 13,893 adult and 1,035 juvenile arrests for violent offenses in 2018 (Figure 9). Arrests for a violent offense decreased 3% over the past year for adults (Table 20). For juveniles, there was a 12% decrease from 2017 to 2018 (Table 33).

Figure 9

Arrests for violent offenses down for adults and juveniles in 2018



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

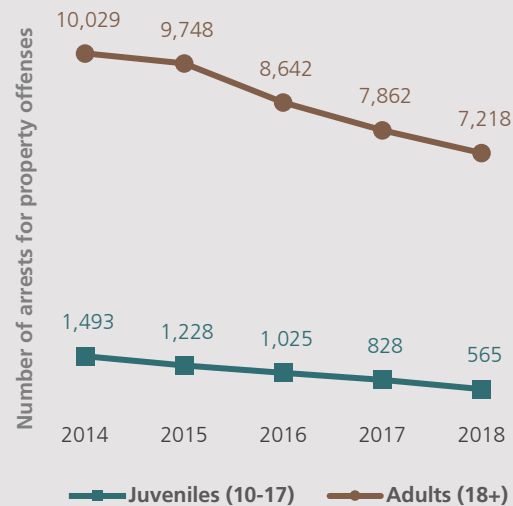
For adults, there were one-year decreases in the number of arrests for homicide (-3%), aggravated assault (-2%), and misdemeanor manslaughter/assault and battery (-6%), but increases in the number of rapes (12%) and robberies (2%) (Table 21). For juveniles, there were decreases in the number of arrests for robberies (-4%), aggravated assault (-5%), and misdemeanor manslaughter/assault and battery (-18%). Numbers were too small to compare for homicide and rape (Table 34).

Property offenses

Property offenses include felony-level burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft, and misdemeanor-level petty theft/burglary. In 2018, there were 7,218 adult arrests for a property offense, which represented an 8% decrease from 2017 and a new five-year low (Figure 10 and Table 20). For juveniles, the number of arrests for a property crime dropped to 565, a one-year decrease of 32% from 2017 and a five-year low (Table 33).

Figure 10

Arrests for property offenses down for adults and juveniles in 2018



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

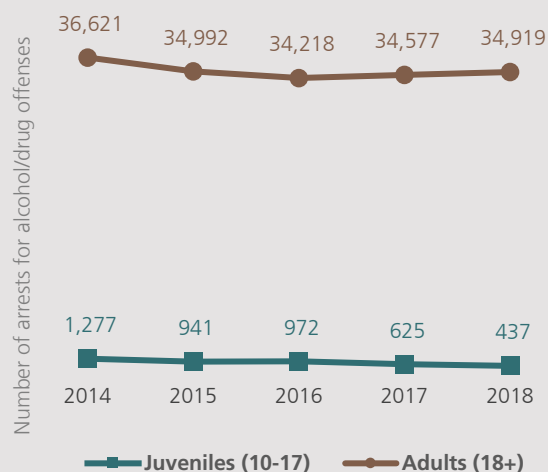
For adults, the only property arrest type that increased from 2017 to 2018 was felony larceny (up 6%), with decreases in the other three categories ranging from -10% to -12% (Table 22). For juveniles, there was no change over the past year in the number of arrests for felony-level larceny but decreases that ranged from -28% to -47% for the other three property crime categories (Table 35).

Alcohol/drug-related offenses

In 2018, there were 34,919 adult and 437 juvenile arrests for alcohol/drug-related offenses (Figure 11). For adults, this represented a slight increase (<1%) from 2017. For juveniles, it was a decrease of 30% (Tables 20 and 33).

Figure 11

More adult, fewer juvenile arrests for alcohol/drug-related offenses in 2018



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

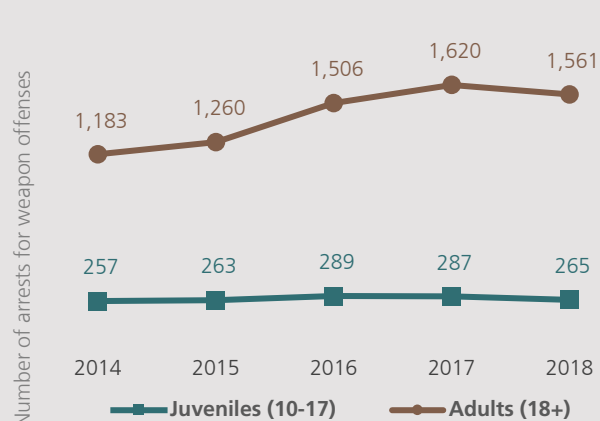
Within the alcohol/drug-related offense category are five felony and five misdemeanor categories. For adults, there were increases in four categories, including felony narcotics (<1%), felony dangerous drugs (4%), misdemeanor other drug offenses (5%), and misdemeanor drunk (3%), and decreases in five, ranging from -2% to -32%, with the largest one-year decreases for misdemeanor marijuana and misdemeanor liquor-related offenses (Table 23). For juveniles, there were decreases in each of the four misdemeanor-level categories (that had numbers across years large enough to compare) (Table 36).

Weapons offenses

There were 1,561 adult arrests and 265 juvenile arrests for weapons violations in 2018 (Figure 12), representing a 4% decrease for adults and an 8% decrease for juveniles over the past year (Tables 20 and 33).

Figure 12

Arrests for weapons offenses down for adults and juveniles in 2018



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

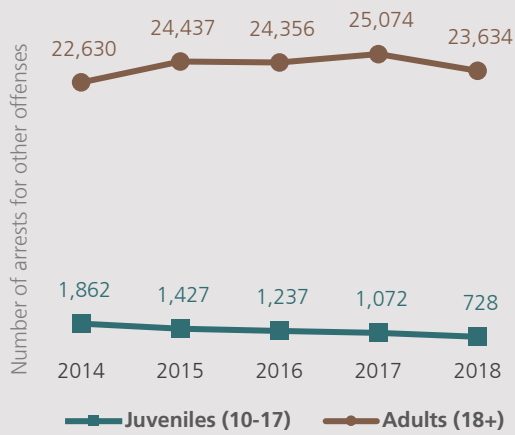
For adults, arrests for felony-level weapon offenses were down 2% and misdemeanors were down 12% (Table 24). For juveniles, there was a decrease of 14% for felonies and an increase of 2% for misdemeanors (Table 37).

Other offenses

There were 23,634 adult arrests and 728 juvenile arrests for "other" offenses in 2018 (Figure 13). At the felony level, "other" charges include sex-related offenses, forgery, and arson, as well as other felonies (such as kidnapping). At the misdemeanor level, offense types include other theft-related charges, sex-related and prostitution, disturbing the peace, vandalism/graffiti, hit-and-run, selected traffic offenses, violations of city/county ordinances, failure to appear in court offenses, and other charges, such as contributing to the delinquency of a minor. Over the past year, there were decreases in other offense arrests for adults (-6%) and juveniles (-32%) (Tables 20 and 33).

Figure 13

Number of arrests for other offenses down for adults and juveniles in 2018



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

For adults, all of the other crime types at the felony level decreased, with the exception of arrests for arson, which increased 42%. At the misdemeanor level, there were increases for five arrest categories and decreases for five, with the greatest changes including a 47% increase for hit-and-run, 15% increase for disturbing the peace, and a 21% decrease for failure to appear (Table 25).

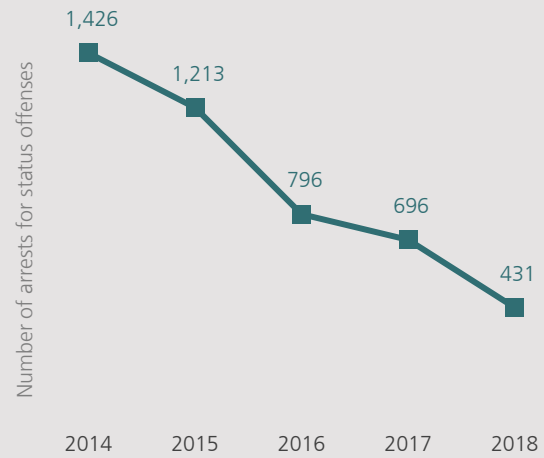
For the five categories that had numbers large enough to compare for juveniles, there were one-year decreases in four, with only arrests for other felonies increasing (Table 38).

Status offenses

As Figure 14 shows, there were 431 status offense arrests in 2018, which represented a 38% decrease from 2017. Arrests for curfew violations dropped by 43% (Table 39).

Figure 14

Number of status offense arrests continued to decrease in 2018



Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Summary

This CJ Bulletin describes what types of arrests were made in the San Diego region in 2018 by local law enforcement agencies of both adults and juveniles. In 2018, San Diego County had the third highest adult and second highest juvenile arrest rates compared to the other most populated counties in the state. Noteworthy one-year changes in arrests for adults included only slight increases for alcohol/drug-related offenses. Juvenile arrest rates continued to decline and remained lower than those for adults. Five-year decreases across the categories for juveniles exceed 60% for property, alcohol/drug, status, and “other” offenses.

Table 1
Total arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	20.4	18.0	18.4	-10%	2%
Chula Vista	15.5	18.4	18.6	20%	1%
Coronado	19.3	14.3	16.1	-17%	13%
El Cajon	44.1	42.7	47.8	8%	12%
Escondido	36.4	40.2	35.3	-3%	-12%
La Mesa	29.7	43.5	44.9	51%	3%
National City	40.1	38.2	32.5	-19%	-15%
Oceanside	34.2	28.0	32.3	-6%	15%
San Diego	33.1	28.6	26.4	-20%	-8%
Sheriff – Total	29.3	28.1	26.0	-11%	-7%
Del Mar	54.0	32.0	29.9	-45%	-7%
Encinitas	25.2	25.8	21.4	-15%	-17%
Imperial Beach	48.6	38.8	42.7	-12%	10%
Lemon Grove	41.3	50.3	40.7	-1%	-19%
Poway	15.8	15.1	12.6	-20%	-16%
San Marcos	25.7	22.1	19.2	-25%	-13%
Santee	34.8	36.8	35.0	<1%	-5%
Solana Beach	15.9	13.6	13.7	-14%	<1%
Vista	41.7	32.4	31.7	-24%	-2%
Unincorporated	27.2	27.5	25.7	-6%	-7%
Total	33.5	31.3	29.8	-11%	-5%

Note: Rates include felony, misdemeanor, and status offense arrests. The populations used to calculate arrest rates include individuals ten years and older (10-17 for juveniles and 18 and older for adults). Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 2A
Total arrest rates by ethnicity
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
White	31.3	29.8	28.3	-9%	-5%
Adult	32.5	31.4	30.2	-7%	-4%
Juvenile	17.5	10.9	7.6	-56%	-30%
Hispanic	34.6	31.0	29.6	-14%	-5%
Adult	36.3	34.3	33.6	-7%	-2%
Juvenile	26.8	15.6	11.1	-59%	-29%
Black	111.0	115.1	111.8	<1%	-3%
Adult	115.2	124.1	121.7	6%	-2%
Juvenile	79.9	46.6	37.7	-53%	-19%
Other	15.0	12.5	11.4	-24%	-8%
Adult	15.7	13.4	12.4	-21%	-7%
Juvenile	10.3	5.9	4.5	-56%	-23%
Total	33.5	31.3	29.8	-11%	-5%
Adult	34.9	33.6	32.5	-7%	-3%
Juvenile	23.5	13.8	10.0	-57%	-27%

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Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 2B
Total arrest rates by age
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
10–17	23.5	13.8	10.0	-57%	-27%
18–19	51.8	33.9	26.2	-49%	-23%
20–29	62.5	60.4	55.7	-11%	-8%
30–39	44.4	48.6	49.3	11%	1%
40–69	26.1	25.5	25.8	-1%	1%
70+	1.5	1.7	1.8	21%	6%
Total	33.5	31.3	29.8	-11%	-5%

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Table 3
Felony arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	6.9	5.0	4.9	-28%	-2%
Chula Vista	6.7	5.4	5.9	-12%	8%
Coronado	5.5	5.1	5.6	<1%	10%
El Cajon	13.9	8.2	9.7	-30%	19%
Escondido	11.6	9.7	9.5	-18%	-2%
La Mesa	12.3	10.4	11.0	-11%	6%
National City	15.9	11.9	8.8	-45%	-26%
Oceanside	11.0	7.0	6.8	-38%	-3%
San Diego	10.8	7.0	6.8	-37%	-3%
Sheriff – Total	12.5	9.3	8.4	-33%	-9%
Del Mar	7.9	4.8	5.3	--	--
Encinitas	6.5	5.1	4.9	-25%	-5%
Imperial Beach	14.6	8.9	8.3	-43%	-7%
Lemon Grove	18.6	11.5	11.1	-41%	-4%
Poway	5.6	4.1	3.1	-43%	-23%
San Marcos	10.0	5.8	4.9	-51%	-15%
Santee	11.8	8.6	7.1	-39%	-17%
Solana Beach	4.0	2.4	3.3	-17%	36%
Vista	18.1	9.9	9.6	-47%	-3%
Unincorporated	13.4	11.2	10.2	-24%	-10%
Total	11.4	8.0	7.7	-33%	-4%

Note: The populations used to calculate arrest rates include individuals ten years and older (10-17 for juveniles and 18 and older for adults). Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates. Rates per 1,000 persons are not compared if either comparison number of arrests is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 4
Misdemeanor arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	13.6	13.0	13.4	-1%	3%
Chula Vista	8.7	12.7	12.6	44%	-1%
Coronado	13.8	9.2	10.6	-24%	15%
El Cajon	29.8	34.5	38.0	28%	10%
Escondido	24.2	29.9	25.4	5%	-15%
La Mesa	17.1	33.0	33.9	98%	3%
National City	24.0	26.1	23.7	-1%	-9%
Oceanside	22.8	20.7	25.3	11%	22%
San Diego	21.4	21.4	19.5	-9%	-9%
Sheriff – Total	16.6	18.6	17.5	5%	-6%
Del Mar	46.1	27.2	24.6	-47%	-10%
Encinitas	18.6	20.6	16.5	-12%	-20%
Imperial Beach	33.9	29.8	34.3	1%	15%
Lemon Grove	22.4	38.8	29.5	32%	-24%
Poway	10.1	10.8	9.4	-7%	-13%
San Marcos	15.4	16.1	14.2	-8%	-12%
Santee	23.0	28.2	27.8	21%	-1%
Solana Beach	11.8	10.8	10.4	-12%	-3%
Vista	23.3	22.2	21.9	-6%	-2%
Unincorporated	13.7	16.1	15.5	13%	-4%
Total	21.6	23.0	21.9	2%	-5%

Note: The populations used to calculate arrest rates include individuals ten years and older (10-17 for juveniles and 18 and older for adults). Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 5
Total arrest rates, five California counties and statewide, adults and juveniles
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Los Angeles					
Adult	35.3	30.0	30.1	-15%	<1%
Juvenile	16.8	9.7	8.0	-52%	-17%
Total	33.1	27.7	27.6	-17%	<1%
Orange					
Adult	28.6	31.7	33.2	16%	5%
Juvenile	19.5	11.3	8.2	-58%	-28%
Total	27.4	29.3	30.2	10%	3%
Riverside					
Adult	33.1	25.4	24.0	-27%	-6%
Juvenile	14.2	7.0	5.2	-64%	-26%
Total	30.4	22.9	21.5	-30%	-6%
San Bernardino					
Adult	46.9	44.6	43.6	-7%	-2%
Juvenile	23.5	16.6	14.7	-37%	-11%
Total	43.5	40.6	39.5	-9%	-3%
San Diego					
Adult	34.9	33.6	32.5	-7%	-3%
Juvenile	23.5	13.8	10.0	-57%	-27%
Total	33.5	31.3	29.8	-11%	-5%
Statewide					
Adult	38.0	34.1	34.2	-10%	<1%
Juvenile	21.2	13.6	11.1	-48%	-18%
Total	36.0	31.7	31.4	-13%	<1%

Note: Rates include felony, misdemeanor, and status offense arrests for juveniles and totals; adult rates include felony and misdemeanor arrests. The populations used to calculate arrest rates include individuals ten years and older (10-17 for juveniles and 18 and older for adults). Camp Pendleton population is not included in the San Diego region total. San Diego population uses the SANDAG data source while other regions, including the Statewide total, use Census ACS.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018, US Census Bureau single-year American Community Survey (ACS).

Table 6
Adult arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	21.1	18.7	19.8	-6%	6%
Chula Vista	15.9	19.5	20.5	29%	6%
Coronado	19.1	14.4	17.0	-11%	18%
El Cajon	47.0	47.4	53.5	14%	13%
Escondido	38.2	43.4	38.8	2%	-11%
La Mesa	30.7	46.8	48.4	58%	3%
National City	41.4	41.8	36.4	-12%	-13%
Oceanside	35.9	30.8	36.1	<1%	17%
San Diego	33.7	30.4	28.5	-15%	-6%
Sheriff – Total	30.7	30.2	28.2	-8%	-7%
Del Mar	55.9	33.1	30.9	-45%	-7%
Encinitas	26.5	27.6	23.2	-12%	-16%
Imperial Beach	50.9	41.8	46.9	-8%	12%
Lemon Grove	44.0	56.6	46.0	4%	-19%
Poway	16.7	15.7	13.7	-18%	-13%
San Marcos	26.5	23.2	20.4	-23%	-12%
Santee	36.2	39.2	37.4	3%	-4%
Solana Beach	17.1	13.9	14.6	-14%	5%
Vista	43.6	34.6	34.9	-20%	<1%
Unincorporated	28.6	29.8	27.7	-3%	-7%
Total	34.9	33.6	32.5	-7%	-3%

Note: Rates includes felony and misdemeanor arrests. The populations used to calculate adult arrest rates include individuals 18 years and older. Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 7
Adult felony arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	7.3	5.2	5.2	-28%	1%
Chula Vista	6.9	5.8	6.5	-7%	11%
Coronado	5.3	5.1	5.7	9%	13%
El Cajon	14.9	8.9	10.6	-29%	20%
Escondido	12.3	10.5	10.5	-15%	<-1%
La Mesa	13.0	10.9	11.5	-12%	5%
National City	16.7	13.1	9.8	-41%	-25%
Oceanside	11.6	7.7	7.5	-35%	-3%
San Diego	11.4	7.4	7.2	-37%	-3%
Sheriff – Total	13.4	9.9	9.1	-32%	-9%
Del Mar	7.9	4.8	5.1	--	--
Encinitas	6.8	5.4	5.2	-24%	-4%
Imperial Beach	16.0	9.1	9.0	-43%	<-1%
Lemon Grove	19.5	12.4	12.2	-37%	-1%
Poway	6.0	4.3	3.4	-43%	-21%
San Marcos	10.5	6.1	5.1	-51%	-15%
Santee	12.2	9.1	7.4	-40%	-19%
Solana Beach	4.4	2.3	3.2	-28%	--
Vista	19.3	10.5	10.4	-46%	<-1%
Unincorporated	14.4	12.1	11.0	-24%	-9%
Total	12.1	8.6	8.3	-32%	-4%

Note: The populations used to calculate adult arrest rates include individuals 18 years and older. Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates. Rates per 1,000 persons are not compared if either comparison number of arrests is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 8
Adult misdemeanor arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	13.8	13.6	14.6	6%	8%
Chula Vista	9.0	13.6	14.1	56%	3%
Coronado	13.8	9.3	11.3	-18%	21%
El Cajon	32.1	38.5	42.9	34%	11%
Escondido	25.9	32.9	28.3	9%	-14%
La Mesa	17.7	35.9	36.9	109%	3%
National City	24.7	28.7	26.6	8%	-8%
Oceanside	24.3	23.0	28.6	18%	24%
San Diego	22.2	23.0	21.3	-4%	-7%
Sheriff – Total	17.3	20.3	19.1	10%	-6%
Del Mar	48.0	28.2	25.8	-46%	-9%
Encinitas	19.7	22.2	18.1	-8%	-19%
Imperial Beach	34.9	32.7	37.9	9%	16%
Lemon Grove	24.6	44.2	33.8	37%	-24%
Poway	10.7	11.4	10.3	-4%	-9%
San Marcos	15.9	17.2	15.2	-4%	-11%
Santee	24.0	30.1	30.0	25%	<1%
Solana Beach	12.7	11.6	11.5	-10%	-1%
Vista	24.2	24.1	24.4	<1%	1%
Unincorporated	14.2	17.7	16.8	18%	-5%
Total	22.8	25.0	24.2	6%	-3%

Note: The populations used to calculate adult arrest rates include individuals 18 years and older. Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 9
Juvenile arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	15.8	12.6	7.4	-53%	-42%
Chula Vista	13.3	12.4	7.6	-43%	-39%
Coronado	22.1	12.5	5.3	--	--
El Cajon	23.1	9.8	8.4	-64%	-14%
Escondido	25.5	21.3	14.9	-41%	-30%
La Mesa	20.0	9.8	9.7	-51%	<-1%
National City	31.9	17.1	9.3	-71%	-46%
Oceanside	22.1	8.7	5.8	-74%	-34%
San Diego	28.8	14.2	10.0	-65%	-29%
Sheriff – Total	19.8	13.1	10.8	-45%	-18%
Del Mar	27.0	13.8	13.5	--	--
Encinitas	13.9	9.9	5.3	-62%	-47%
Imperial Beach	32.9	18.2	13.5	-59%	-26%
Lemon Grove	22.8	10.4	7.3	--	--
Poway	9.7	10.9	5.1	--	--
San Marcos	21.3	15.3	12.3	-42%	-20%
Santee	23.9	18.8	16.7	-30%	-11%
Solana Beach	4.4	11.1	4.3	--	--
Vista	30.3	19.1	12.4	-59%	-35%
Unincorporated	17.7	11.1	10.9	-39%	-2%
Total	23.5	13.8	10.0	-57%	-28%

Note: Rates include felony, misdemeanor, and status offense arrests. The populations used to calculate juvenile arrest rates includes individuals 10 to 17 years. Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates. Rates per 1,000 persons are not compared if either comparison number of arrests is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 10
Juvenile felony arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	4.0	3.9	2.6	-35%	-35%
Chula Vista	5.2	3.1	2.5	-51%	-19%
Coronado	8.7	5.2	3.9	--	--
El Cajon	6.7	3.0	3.5	-48%	15%
Escondido	7.5	4.8	3.8	-49%	-20%
La Mesa	5.6	4.8	6.4	--	--
National City	11.1	4.9	2.8	--	--
Oceanside	6.7	2.2	2.0	-71%	-10%
San Diego	5.6	3.5	3.3	-41%	-6%
Sheriff – Total	6.8	5.0	4.0	-41%	-20%
Del Mar	7.7	4.6	9.0	--	--
Encinitas	3.6	2.6	2.1	--	--
Imperial Beach	5.1	7.4	3.0	--	--
Lemon Grove	13.0	6.2	3.8	--	--
Poway	3.0	2.9	1.5	--	--
San Marcos	7.0	4.0	3.5	-50%	-13%
Santee	8.1	4.8	5.2	-36%	--
Solana Beach	0.0	3.4	4.3	--	--
Vista	10.9	5.8	4.3	-60%	-26%
Unincorporated	6.3	5.3	4.4	-30%	-18%
Total	6.2	4.0	3.4	-45%	-14%

Note: The populations used to calculate juvenile arrest rates include individuals 10-17 years. Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates. Rates per 1,000 persons are not compared if either comparison number of arrests is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 11
Juvenile misdemeanor arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	11.7	8.3	4.2	-64%	-49%
Chula Vista	7.3	7.5	3.9	-46%	-47%
Coronado	13.4	7.2	1.3	--	--
El Cajon	13.3	6.1	4.2	-68%	-32%
Escondido	14.3	12.3	8.4	-41%	-31%
La Mesa	10.4	2.7	2.5	--	--
National City	19.4	10.6	6.4	-67%	-39%
Oceanside	11.7	4.2	2.4	-79%	-41%
San Diego	14.9	8.0	5.1	-66%	-37%
Sheriff – Total	11.7	6.9	6.1	-48%	-11%
Del Mar	19.3	9.2	4.5	--	--
Encinitas	9.1	6.3	2.5	--	--
Imperial Beach	27.1	9.1	9.5	--	--
Lemon Grove	7.4	3.9	2.6	--	--
Poway	6.4	7.1	3.3	--	--
San Marcos	12.3	9.7	7.7	-37%	-20%
Santee	15.4	13.8	10.9	-29%	-21%
Solana Beach	3.5	2.6	0.0	--	--
Vista	17.8	10.8	6.5	-64%	-40%
Unincorporated	10.0	4.7	6.0	-40%	26%
Total	13.0	7.8	5.4	-59%	-31%

Note: The populations used to calculate juvenile arrest rates include individuals 10-17 years. Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates. Rates per 1,000 persons are not compared if either comparison number of arrests is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 12
Juvenile status offense arrest rates by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	0.1	0.3	0.6	--	--
Chula Vista	0.9	1.8	1.1	--	-39%
Coronado	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	--
El Cajon	3.1	0.6	0.7	--	--
Escondido	3.6	4.2	2.7	-26%	-36%
La Mesa	3.9	2.3	0.8	--	--
National City	1.4	1.6	0.1	--	--
Oceanside	3.7	2.4	1.4	--	--
San Diego	8.3	2.7	1.6	-80%	-39%
Sheriff – Total	1.4	1.3	0.7	-47%	-42%
Del Mar	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	--
Encinitas	1.2	0.9	0.7	--	--
Imperial Beach	0.7	1.7	1.0	--	--
Lemon Grove	2.5	0.3	1.0	--	--
Poway	0.3	0.9	0.4	--	--
San Marcos	2.0	1.6	1.0	--	--
Santee	0.4	0.2	0.5	--	--
Solana Beach	0.9	5.1	0.0	--	--
Vista	1.7	2.5	1.5	--	--
Unincorporated	1.4	1.0	0.5	--	--
Total	4.3	2.1	1.2	-71%	-39%

Note: The populations used to calculate juvenile arrest rates include individuals 10-17 years. Camp Pendleton population is not included in the total rates. Rates per 1,000 persons are not compared if either comparison number of arrests is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 13
Number of adult arrests by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	1,812	1,661	1,779	-2%	7%
Chula Vista	2,980	3,708	3,940	32%	6%
Coronado	385	304	310	-19%	2%
El Cajon	3,626	3,742	4,229	17%	13%
Escondido	4,096	4,744	4,241	4%	-11%
La Mesa	1,471	2,282	2,373	61%	4%
National City	1,809	1,860	1,646	-9%	-12%
Oceanside	4,682	4,072	4,796	2%	18%
San Diego	35,494	32,885	31,245	-12%	-5%
Sheriff – Total	20,652	20,759	19,445	-6%	-6%
Del Mar	205	123	115	-44%	-7%
Encinitas	1,298	1,374	1,166	-10%	-15%
Imperial Beach	1,029	872	981	-5%	12%
Lemon Grove	853	1,112	908	6%	-18%
Poway	627	595	520	-17%	-13%
San Marcos	1,742	1,595	1,422	-18%	-11%
Santee	1,567	1,703	1,636	4%	-4%
Solana Beach	187	157	166	-11%	6%
Vista	3,084	2,578	2,607	-15%	1%
Unincorporated	10,060	10,650	9,924	-1%	-7%
San Diego Harbor Police	1,316	1,611	1,166	-11%	-28%
California Highway Patrol	5,414	5,121	5,238	-3%	2%
CSU San Marcos	104	69	60	-42%	-13%
San Diego State University	347	389	429	24%	10%
UC San Diego	260	164	132	-49%	-20%
California State Parks and Recreation	134	118	196	46%	66%
Total	84,582	83,489	81,225	-4%	-3%

Note: Total includes felony and misdemeanor arrests.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 14
Number of adult felony arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2018

	Homicide	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Weapons offenses	Burglary	Larceny	Vehicle theft	Drug law violations	DUI	Other	Total
Carlsbad	0	1	22	159	15	40	97	35	35	5	61	470
Chula Vista	8	3	71	545	111	69	76	39	136	18	166	1,242
Coronado	0	0	1	23	6	9	18	6	29	4	8	104
El Cajon	4	5	60	304	59	59	70	78	55	12	135	841
Escondido	3	9	61	435	78	47	69	74	96	37	238	1,147
La Mesa	0	1	36	152	49	63	80	16	80	4	81	562
National City	3	3	37	182	36	23	29	29	23	12	68	445
Oceanside	7	6	44	438	75	49	93	24	93	25	142	996
San Diego	28	71	403	2,383	457	383	388	265	843	30	2,639	7,890
Sheriff – Total	15	17	194	2,174	367	420	424	467	610	42	1,529	6,259
Del Mar	0	0	0	11	0	3	0	0	2	0	3	19
Encinitas	0	1	8	99	15	19	32	10	21	4	51	260
Imperial Beach	0	0	7	87	13	10	3	10	12	1	46	189
Lemon Grove	1	0	15	114	16	14	9	17	13	2	40	241
Poway	2	0	1	53	6	17	11	5	16	1	17	129
San Marcos	0	1	18	135	21	20	20	27	30	8	78	358
Santee	0	1	13	101	26	23	28	13	30	5	83	323
Solana Beach	0	0	1	17	4	1	1	0	2	0	10	36
Vista	3	3	33	320	45	50	32	33	74	16	172	781
Unincorporated	9	11	98	1,237	221	263	288	352	410	5	1,029	3,923
San Diego Harbor Police	0	0	2	37	18	8	10	6	8	2	19	110
California Highway Patrol	2	0	1	54	2	1	8	57	36	242	99	502
CSU San Marcos	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	7
San Diego State University	0	0	1	10	7	8	9	2	2	2	13	54
UC San Diego	0	1	1	6	0	4	3	0	0	0	4	19
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	3	3	2	3	0	6	0	2	19
Total	70	117	935	6,906	1,284	1,186	1,378	1,098	2,052	435	5,206	20,667

Note: Homicide includes manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular). Other felony offenses include: kidnapping, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, arson, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, hit-and-run, escape, bookmaking, and other felonies.

Sources California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 15
Number of adult misdemeanor arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2018

	Manslaughter/ assault and battery	Weapons offenses	Misd. burglary	Petty theft	Vandalism	Drug law violations	Drunk/ liquor laws	DUI	Prostitution	Other	Total
Carlsbad	122	2	0	102	1	369	293	252	2	166	1,309
Chula Vista	354	15	0	157	20	1,150	179	383	9	431	2,698
Coronado	20	0	0	11	0	37	37	69	0	32	206
El Cajon	207	7	0	214	16	853	327	102	0	1,662	3,388
Escondido	278	14	0	359	26	820	639	368	2	588	3,094
La Mesa	159	32	0	154	6	990	195	134	0	141	1,811
National City	78	5	0	126	5	253	414	168	28	124	1,201
Oceanside	309	15	0	266	32	1,092	1,206	378	11	491	3,800
San Diego	2,769	83	7	1,131	152	5,172	1,765	1,660	162	10,454	23,355
Sheriff – Total	1,432	78	0	888	75	4,519	2,325	993	16	2,860	13,186
Del Mar	18	0	0	0	0	5	55	10	0	8	96
Encinitas	45	6	0	70	0	205	296	146	0	138	906
Imperial Beach	82	2	0	10	3	214	304	49	0	128	792
Lemon Grove	74	1	0	63	3	188	169	22	0	147	667
Poway	42	0	0	40	4	97	59	70	2	77	391
San Marcos	117	9	0	82	4	345	164	163	0	180	1,064
Santee	103	6	0	192	7	445	125	101	0	334	1,313
Solana Beach	19	1	0	5	1	22	50	20	0	12	130
Vista	194	9	0	84	13	534	301	313	14	364	1,826
Unincorporated	738	44	0	342	40	2,464	802	99	0	1,472	6,001
San Diego Harbor Police	70	24	0	25	4	267	162	59	0	445	1,056
California Highway Patrol	25	0	0	0	8	48	36	4,307	0	312	4,736
CSU San Marcos	1	0	1	0	0	15	7	16	0	13	53
San Diego State University	28	0	10	90	1	66	80	27	0	73	375
UC San Diego	7	0	6	7	0	24	24	10	0	35	113
California State Parks and Recreation	6	2	0	2	1	89	27	26	0	24	177
Total	5,865	277	24	3,532	347	15,764	7,716	8,952	230	17,851	60,558

Note: Misdemeanor drug law violations include glue sniffing. Other misdemeanors include: check/access cards, other theft-related offenses, annoying a child, obscene matter, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, hit-and-run and other selected traffic offenses, and other misdemeanors.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 16
Number of adult felony arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2017

	Homicide	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Weapons offenses	Burglary	Larceny	Vehicle theft	Drug law violations	DUI	Other	Total
Carlsbad	0	1	10	165	16	53	55	23	47	14	74	458
Chula Vista	2	9	85	477	107	88	58	49	97	21	120	1,113
Coronado	0	0	5	32	1	7	29	1	19	5	8	107
El Cajon	1	1	40	240	40	68	50	74	55	9	125	703
Escondido	2	6	65	470	79	37	53	66	107	37	227	1,149
La Mesa	1	1	24	156	60	52	82	10	54	9	83	532
National City	7	7	36	203	32	27	30	46	60	9	124	581
Oceanside	8	7	47	445	80	58	61	31	96	24	164	1,021
San Diego	28	49	363	2,547	471	393	350	340	726	50	2,697	8,014
Sheriff – Total	20	22	227	2,174	373	489	491	507	721	52	1,747	6,823
Del Mar	0	0	0	10	0	1	2	0	0	2	3	18
Encinitas	0	2	6	90	16	25	25	7	33	6	59	269
Imperial Beach	0	1	5	92	7	13	4	12	23	2	30	189
Lemon Grove	0	0	19	105	9	27	16	15	13	0	39	243
Poway	0	0	5	46	12	27	16	15	18	7	17	163
San Marcos	2	5	13	137	25	21	33	38	39	11	92	416
Santee	0	1	26	153	31	26	26	20	26	8	79	396
Solana Beach	0	0	1	13	4	2	1	1	3	0	1	26
Vista	4	3	39	269	43	52	37	47	77	13	201	785
Unincorporated	14	10	113	1,259	226	295	331	352	489	3	1,226	4,318
San Diego Harbor Police	0	1	4	53	33	20	20	5	22	4	31	193
California Highway Patrol	3	0	0	48	1	0	14	72	43	226	101	508
CSU San Marcos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	5
San Diego State University	0	0	7	16	4	21	3	0	1	0	15	67
UC San Diego	0	0	0	7	5	1	2	1	0	0	16	32
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	1	2	4	0	1	1	2	0	0	11
Total	72	104	914	7,035	1,306	1,314	1,299	1,226	2,051	460	5,536	21,317

Note: Homicide includes manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular). Other felony offenses include: kidnapping, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, arson, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, hit-and-run, escape, bookmaking, and other felonies.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 17
Number of adult misdemeanor arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2017

	Manslaughter/ assault and battery	Weapons offenses	Misd. burglary	Petty theft	Vandalism	Drug law violations	Drunk/ liquor laws	DUI	Prostitution	Other	Total
Carlsbad	149	6	0	92	5	241	262	343	2	103	1,203
Chula Vista	366	16	0	290	29	952	224	319	13	386	2,595
Coronado	6	0	0	13	1	22	43	64	0	48	197
El Cajon	200	6	0	202	10	608	285	130	1	1,597	3,039
Escondido	367	12	0	452	33	923	691	459	20	638	3,595
La Mesa	174	23	0	140	6	826	251	181	1	148	1,750
National City	84	1	0	192	6	270	338	174	34	180	1,279
Oceanside	292	12	0	239	19	580	1,131	292	9	477	3,051
San Diego	2,920	93	10	1,147	152	5,235	1,567	2,056	120	11,571	24,871
Sheriff – Total	1,521	103	0	1,079	75	4,850	2,470	982	14	2,842	13,936
Del Mar	12	1	0	3	0	9	61	11	0	8	105
Encinitas	83	9	0	73	8	250	408	154	0	120	1,105
Imperial Beach	61	2	0	7	3	164	268	46	0	132	683
Lemon Grove	67	2	0	183	3	207	167	25	1	214	869
Poway	44	1	0	60	3	116	71	75	1	61	432
San Marcos	129	3	0	125	4	419	198	152	0	149	1,179
Santee	124	14	0	197	7	456	131	123	0	255	1,307
Solana Beach	8	1	0	3	0	29	64	14	0	12	131
Vista	194	9	0	92	7	543	304	290	3	351	1,793
Unincorporated	799	61	0	336	40	2,657	798	92	9	1,540	6,332
San Diego Harbor Police	94	36	6	27	9	369	186	76	0	615	1,418
California Highway Patrol	19	0	0	0	7	102	23	4,228	0	234	4,613
CSU San Marcos	8	0	0	0	0	15	19	14	0	8	64
San Diego State University	16	1	17	91	1	48	79	16	0	53	322
UC San Diego	5	4	7	17	1	20	19	10	0	49	132
California State Parks and Recreation	10	1	1	1	1	29	15	29	0	20	107
Total	6,231	314	41	3,982	355	15,090	7,603	9,373	214	18,969	62,172

Note: Misdemeanor drug law violations include glue sniffing. Other misdemeanors include: check/access cards, other theft-related offenses, annoying a child, obscene matter, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, hit-and-run, other selected traffic offenses, and other misdemeanors.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 18
Number of adult felony arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2014

	Homicide	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Weapons offenses	Burglary	Larceny	Vehicle theft	Drug law violations	DUI	Other	Total
Carlsbad	1	2	22	194	8	78	27	8	246	8	29	623
Chula Vista	2	9	66	358	38	218	105	24	391	11	75	1,297
Coronado	0	0	0	23	1	13	24	10	24	4	7	106
El Cajon	0	3	49	263	52	136	76	39	390	13	129	1,150
Escondido	6	10	72	417	62	112	70	55	287	16	214	1,321
La Mesa	1	1	24	134	10	96	39	4	169	2	142	622
National City	7	5	52	204	25	122	53	33	124	13	92	730
Oceanside	5	6	72	439	51	163	65	28	342	26	313	1,510
San Diego	45	74	388	2,752	369	1,023	418	249	3,569	42	3,119	12,048
Sheriff – Total	15	27	167	2,026	307	1,011	464	316	2,860	39	1,764	8,996
Del Mar	0	0	1	15	1	1	1	1	7	0	2	29
Encinitas	0	1	5	65	12	44	15	4	127	5	55	333
Imperial Beach	1	2	4	106	12	19	14	9	110	1	45	323
Lemon Grove	0	0	12	103	9	95	18	6	95	1	38	377
Poway	0	0	5	62	6	36	6	2	85	1	21	224
San Marcos	2	2	9	148	19	124	38	13	218	9	111	693
Santee	1	1	7	105	24	94	32	8	178	0	79	529
Solana Beach	0	1	3	21	1	6	1	0	6	0	9	48
Vista	0	7	31	310	48	167	51	35	393	15	311	1,368
Unincorporated	11	13	90	1,091	175	425	288	238	1,641	7	1,093	5,072
San Diego Harbor Police	0	1	11	56	30	16	18	12	75	0	29	248
California Highway Patrol	4	0	0	61	2	0	16	52	105	193	112	545
CSU San Marcos	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	10	0	2	14
San Diego State University	0	3	3	6	9	13	6	1	27	0	5	73
UC San Diego	0	0	1	10	5	3	2	0	9	0	4	34
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	18	2	5	28
Total	86	141	927	6,946	970	3,004	1,384	831	8,646	369	6,041	29,345

Note: Homicide includes manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular). Other felony offenses include: kidnapping, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, arson, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, hit-and-run, and escape, bookmaking, and other felonies.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 19
Number of adult misdemeanor arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2014

	Manslaughter/ assault and battery	Weapons offenses	Misd. burglary	Petty theft	Vandalism	Drug law violations	Drunk/ liquor laws	DUI	Prostitution	Other	Total
Carlsbad	164	4	0	126	3	143	449	210	0	90	1,189
Chula Vista	308	7	0	355	26	205	258	330	10	184	1,683
Coronado	17	2	0	9	2	22	88	74	0	65	279
El Cajon	189	2	0	521	9	366	366	155	17	851	2,476
Escondido	304	12	0	409	17	328	852	382	32	439	2,775
La Mesa	128	2	0	202	1	59	150	160	1	146	849
National City	95	2	6	203	4	157	277	190	22	123	1,079
Oceanside	299	20	0	421	27	321	1,227	340	19	498	3,172
San Diego	2,806	73	37	1,693	202	2,695	2,673	2,695	264	10,308	23,446
Sheriff – Total	1,546	54	0	728	62	2,605	3,017	1,342	37	2,265	11,656
Del Mar	17	0	0	2	0	6	115	26	0	10	176
Encinitas	99	3	0	39	5	142	351	191	5	130	965
Imperial Beach	77	10	0	7	3	68	292	103	0	146	706
Lemon Grove	54	2	0	49	3	74	147	48	0	99	476
Poway	48	1	0	33	1	49	107	120	2	42	403
San Marcos	172	3	0	140	3	186	199	232	2	112	1,049
Santee	80	1	0	176	5	251	151	166	2	206	1,038
Solana Beach	20	1	0	4	0	15	52	30	0	17	139
Vista	246	7	0	88	4	384	471	232	19	265	1,716
Unincorporated	733	26	0	190	38	1,430	1,132	194	7	1,238	4,988
San Diego Harbor Police	97	32	0	21	7	100	148	164	3	496	1,068
California Highway Patrol	24	1	0	0	9	79	26	4,517	0	213	4,869
CSU San Marcos	2	1	0	0	0	4	22	48	0	13	90
San Diego State University	18	1	1	63	6	40	60	59	0	26	274
UC San Diego	17	0	2	13	3	22	77	26	0	66	226
California State Parks and Recreation	5	0	0	0	0	6	36	36	0	23	106
Total	6,019	213	46	4,764	378	7,152	9,726	10,728	405	15,806	55,237

Note: Misdemeanor drug law violations include glue sniffing. Other misdemeanors include: check/access cards, other theft-related offenses, annoying a child, obscene matter, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, hit-and-run and other selected traffic offenses, and other misdemeanors.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 20
Number of adult arrests by type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Violent	14,119	14,356	13,893	-2%	-3%
Property	10,029	7,862	7,218	-28%	-8%
Alcohol/drug violations	36,621	34,577	34,919	-5%	<1%
Weapons offenses	1,183	1,620	1,561	32%	-4%
Other	22,630	25,074	23,634	4%	-6%
Total	84,582	83,489	81,225	-4%	-3%

Note: Violent includes homicide/manslaughter, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, misdemeanor manslaughter, and assault and battery; property includes grand theft, felony and misdemeanor burglary, motor vehicle theft, and petty theft; alcohol/drug includes driving under the influence, drunk/liquor laws, drug-related offenses, and glue sniffing; other includes kidnapping, arson, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, sex crimes, escape, prostitution, vandalism, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, disorderly conduct, disturbing the peace, malicious mischief, trespassing, hit-and-run, joy riding, other selected traffic offenses, gambling, nonsupport, violations of city and county ordinances, failure to appear, and other offenses.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 21
Number of adult arrests for violent offenses by type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony					
Homicide	86	72	70	-19%	-3%
Rape	141	104	117	-17%	12%
Robbery	927	914	935	<1%	2%
Aggravated assault	6,946	7,035	6,906	<1%	-2%
Total	8,100	8,125	8,028	<1%	-1%
Misdemeanor					
Manslaughter/assault and battery	6,019	6,231	5,865	-3%	-6%
Total	14,119	14,356	13,893	-2%	-3%

Note: Homicide includes felony manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular).

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 22
Number of adult arrests for property offenses by type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony					
Burglary	3,004	1,314	1,186	-61%	-10%
Larceny theft	1,384	1,299	1,378	<1%	6%
Motor vehicle theft	831	1,226	1,098	32%	-10%
Total	5,219	3,839	3,662	-30%	-5%
Misdemeanor					
Petty theft/burglary	4,810	4,023	3,556	-26%	-12%
Total	10,029	7,862	7,218	-28%	-8%

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 23
Number of adult arrests for alcohol- and drug-related offenses by type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony					
Narcotics	2,735	739	733	-73%	<1%
Marijuana	616	64	29	--	--
Dangerous drugs	5,242	1,184	1,227	-77%	4%
Other drug offenses	53	64	63	19%	-2%
Driving under the influence	369	460	435	18%	-5%
Total	9,015	2,511	2,487	-72%	<1%
Misdemeanor					
Marijuana	123	177	120	-2%	-32%
Other drug offenses	7,029	14,913	15,644	123%	5%
Drunk	8,977	7,213	7,449	-17%	3%
Liquor laws	749	390	267	-64%	-32%
Driving under the influence	10,728	9,373	8,952	-17%	-4%
Total	27,606	32,066	32,432	17%	1%
Total	36,621	34,577	34,919	-5%	<1%

Note: Narcotics include heroin, morphine, cocaine/rock, and barbiturates. Dangerous drugs include methamphetamine, depressants, and hallucinogens. Other drug offenses include illegal possession of drug paraphernalia, use of illegal prescriptions and prescription drugs, sales of chemicals used to produce drugs, being under the influence, and other drug-related crimes. Other misdemeanor drug offenses include glue sniffing.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 24
Number of adult arrests for weapons offenses
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Adult					
Felony	970	1,306	1,284	32%	-2%
Misdemeanor	213	314	277	30%	-12%
Total	1,183	1,620	1,561	32%	-4%

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 25**Number of adult felony and misdemeanor arrests for "other" offenses by type**

2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony – Other					
Sex-related	313	295	254	-19%	-14%
Forgery/checks/access cards	177	206	158	-11%	-23%
Arson	51	55	78	53%	42%
Other felonies	5,500	4,980	4,716	-14%	-5%
Total	6,041	5,536	5,206	-14%	-6%
Misdemeanor – Other					
Other theft/checks/access cards	537	291	312	-42%	7%
Sex-related	220	242	222	<1%	-8%
Prostitution	405	214	230	-43%	7%
Disturb peace/trespass/disorderly	2,236	2,951	3,381	51%	15%
Vandalism/graffiti	378	355	347	-8%	-2%
Hit-and-run	255	270	397	56%	47%
Selected traffic	423	263	238	-44%	-10%
City/county ordinances	4,280	4,647	4,806	12%	3%
Failure to appear/non-traffic	5,329	7,236	5,718	7%	-21%
Other misdemeanors	2,526	3,069	2,777	10%	-10%
Total	16,589	19,538	18,428	11%	-6%
Total	22,630	25,074	23,634	4%	-6%

Note: Sex-related includes felony lewd conduct and other sex offenses, misdemeanor lewd behavior, indecent exposure, annoying a child, and obscene matter; selected traffic includes driving without insurance or license, equipment violations, and others; city and county ordinances include loitering, littering, and other codes specific to cities/county; other felony arrests include kidnapping, hit-and-run, escape, and other felonies; other misdemeanor arrests include contributing to the delinquency of a minor, malicious mischief, joy riding, gambling, nonsupport, and other misdemeanors such as various election, building, fire, and water code violations.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 26
Number of juvenile arrests by jurisdiction
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad	190	147	86	-55%	-41%
Chula Vista	432	411	254	-41%	-38%
Coronado	38	19	8	--	--
El Cajon	252	110	96	-62%	-13%
Escondido	457	390	282	-38%	-28%
La Mesa	92	47	47	-49%	0%
National City	222	128	71	-68%	-45%
Oceanside	402	164	111	-72%	-32%
San Diego	3,707	1,903	1,380	-63%	-27%
Sheriff – Total	1,903	1,282	1,065	-44%	-17%
Del Mar	7	3	3	--	--
Encinitas	78	56	30	-62%	-46%
Imperial Beach	97	54	41	-58%	-24%
Lemon Grove	65	32	23	--	--
Poway	56	60	28	--	--
San Marcos	229	174	143	-38%	-18%
Santee	135	105	96	-29%	-9%
Solana Beach	5	13	5	--	--
Vista	349	233	154	-56%	-34%
Unincorporated	882	552	542	-39%	-2%
San Diego Harbor Police	17	29	12	--	--
California Highway Patrol	14	25	16	--	--
CSU San Marcos	3	0	1	--	--
San Diego State University	16	24	29	--	--
UC San Diego	6	5	1	--	--
California State Parks and Recreation	5	0	2	--	--
Total	7,756	4,684	3,461	-55%	-26%

Note: Total includes felony, misdemeanor, and status offense arrests. Percent changes are not presented when either comparison number is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 27
Number of juvenile felony arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2018

	Homicide	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Weapons offenses	Burglary	Larceny	Vehicle theft	Drug law violations	DUI	Other	Total
Carlsbad	0	1	2	5	1	3	7	7	2	0	2	30
Chula Vista	0	1	14	18	2	21	5	3	1	0	20	85
Coronado	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	6
El Cajon	0	0	11	8	6	5	1	4	0	0	5	40
Escondido	0	1	12	18	7	1	7	3	4	0	19	72
La Mesa	0	0	7	7	2	8	2	0	0	0	5	31
National City	0	0	5	2	3	1	1	0	1	0	8	21
Oceanside	2	0	4	17	4	2	4	2	0	1	2	38
San Diego	1	2	68	129	81	29	25	8	24	0	87	454
Sheriff – Total	1	4	55	128	44	28	12	17	10	0	93	392
Del Mar	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Encinitas	0	1	3	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	12
Imperial Beach	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	2	0	0	3	9
Lemon Grove	0	0	2	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	4	12
Poway	0	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	8
San Marcos	0	0	5	16	7	0	2	1	1	0	9	41
Santee	0	0	2	15	2	2	0	1	1	0	7	30
Solana Beach	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5
Vista	1	1	12	15	10	3	1	0	1	0	10	54
Unincorporated	0	2	29	70	23	18	7	11	6	0	53	219
San Diego Harbor Police	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
California Highway Patrol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3
CSU San Marcos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego State University	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
UC San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	9	181	333	151	98	64	47	42	3	243	1,175

Note: Homicide includes manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular). Other felony offenses include: kidnapping, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, arson, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, hit-and-run, escape, bookmaking, and other felonies.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 28**Number of juvenile misdemeanor and status arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction**

San Diego region, 2018

	Manslaughter/ assault and battery	Weapons offenses	Misd. burglary	Petty theft	Vandalism	Drug law violations	Drunk/ liquor laws	DUI	Prostitution	Other	Misd. total	Status	Total
Carlsbad	10	3	0	14	0	7	12	0	0	3	49	7	56
Chula Vista	42	18	0	22	6	8	6	2	0	28	132	37	169
Coronado	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2
El Cajon	25	1	0	9	2	1	4	0	0	6	48	8	56
Escondido	28	31	0	52	8	12	9	3	0	16	159	51	210
La Mesa	2	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	4	16
National City	6	1	0	23	1	8	1	0	0	9	49	1	50
Oceanside	6	4	0	13	4	3	6	4	0	7	47	26	73
San Diego	161	14	0	85	19	124	56	7	1	233	700	226	926
Sheriff – Total	227	42	0	105	9	20	80	3	0	116	602	71	673
Del Mar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
Encinitas	4	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	3	14	4	18
Imperial Beach	5	3	0	3	0	1	8	0	0	9	29	3	32
Lemon Grove	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	8	3	11
Poway	7	0	0	6	0	0	3	0	0	2	18	2	20
San Marcos	34	11	0	11	4	5	13	0	0	12	90	12	102
Santee	15	2	0	24	0	0	12	0	0	10	63	3	66
Solana Beach	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vista	29	4	0	16	1	4	19	2	0	6	81	19	100
Unincorporated	131	19	0	40	4	8	25	0	0	71	298	25	323
San Diego Harbor Police	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	7	10	0	10
California Highway Patrol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	5	13	0	13
CSU San Marcos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
San Diego State University	0	0	0	23	0	0	4	0	0	1	28	0	28
UC San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
Total	508	114	0	356	51	183	182	27	1	433	1,855	431	2,286

Note: Misdemeanor drug law violations include glue sniffing. Other misdemeanors include: check/access cards, other theft-related offenses, annoying a child, obscene matter, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, hit-and-run and other selected traffic offenses, and other misdemeanors.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 29
Number of juvenile felony arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2017

	Homicide	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Weapons offenses	Burglary	Larceny	Vehicle theft	Drug law violations	DUI	Other	Total
Carlsbad	0	0	5	14	3	4	4	4	2	0	10	46
Chula Vista	0	2	20	20	4	17	6	12	3	1	18	103
Coronado	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	8
El Cajon	0	0	8	8	3	6	3	3	1	0	2	34
Escondido	1	0	18	22	7	16	2	3	3	0	16	88
La Mesa	0	0	7	2	1	8	2	2	0	0	1	23
National City	0	2	2	1	1	9	4	4	1	1	12	37
Oceanside	2	0	7	13	4	6	0	2	1	0	6	41
San Diego	0	6	72	121	79	45	24	24	30	0	69	470
Sheriff – Total	1	3	46	146	72	68	19	32	18	0	82	487
Del Mar	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Encinitas	0	0	3	6	0	3	1	1	0	0	1	15
Imperial Beach	0	0	3	10	2	3	1	1	1	0	1	22
Lemon Grove	0	0	1	10	1	4	2	0	0	0	1	19
Poway	0	0	1	3	2	6	0	0	1	0	3	16
San Marcos	0	0	3	15	8	1	1	4	2	0	12	46
Santee	0	0	2	13	2	4	0	1	1	0	4	27
Solana Beach	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
Vista	0	1	2	16	24	5	0	7	2	0	14	71
Unincorporated	1	2	31	72	33	40	14	18	11	0	44	266
San Diego Harbor Police	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
California Highway Patrol	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	4
CSU San Marcos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego State University	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
UC San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	14	188	350	175	179	64	88	62	2	220	1,346

Note: Homicide includes manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular). Other felony offenses include: kidnapping, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, arson, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, hit-and-run, escape, bookmaking, and other felonies.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 30
Number of juvenile misdemeanor and status arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2017

	Manslaughter/ assault and battery	Weapons offenses	Misd. burglary	Petty theft	Vandalism	Drug law violations	Drunk/ liquor laws	DUI	Prostitution	Other	Misd. total	Status	Total
Carlsbad	16	5	0	32	3	13	14	5	0	9	97	4	101
Chula Vista	52	16	0	47	7	9	12	5	0	100	248	60	308
Coronado	1	0	0	3	2	1	1	1	0	2	11	0	11
El Cajon	19	3	0	35	2	2	0	0	0	8	69	7	76
Escondido	55	32	0	78	8	15	17	2	0	18	225	77	302
La Mesa	5	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	2	13	11	24
National City	3	1	0	38	2	5	17	1	0	12	79	12	91
Oceanside	21	8	0	12	9	7	9	3	0	9	78	45	123
San Diego	226	12	2	114	33	170	68	5	0	445	1,075	358	1,433
Sheriff – Total	214	35	0	109	16	47	105	7	0	140	673	122	795
Del Mar	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2
Encinitas	5	1	0	11	0	4	11	1	0	3	36	5	41
Imperial Beach	8	0	0	2	2	2	6	0	0	7	27	5	32
Lemon Grove	3	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	4	12	1	13
Poway	9	4	0	8	1	2	2	0	0	13	39	5	44
San Marcos	35	6	0	25	4	5	16	0	0	19	110	18	128
Santee	27	4	0	11	0	4	12	2	0	17	77	1	78
Solana Beach	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	6	9
Vista	39	4	0	21	1	12	33	3	0	19	132	30	162
Unincorporated	88	16	0	26	8	17	25	1	0	54	235	51	286
San Diego Harbor Police	5	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	17	27	0	27
California Highway Patrol	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	5	21	0	21
CSU San Marcos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego State University	1	0	0	18	0	0	0	1	0	1	21	0	21
UC San Diego	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	5
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	620	112	2	495	84	270	246	45	0	768	2,642	696	3,338

Note: Misdemeanor drug law violations include glue sniffing. Other misdemeanors include: check/access cards, other theft-related offenses, annoying a child, obscene matter, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, hit-and-run and other selected traffic offenses, and other misdemeanors.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 31
Number of juvenile felony arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2014

	Homicide	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Weapons offenses	Burglary	Larceny	Vehicle theft	Drug law violations	DUI	Other	Total
Carlsbad	1	0	2	12	7	12	2	0	8	0	4	48
Chula Vista	0	1	18	35	18	51	5	2	26	0	12	168
Coronado	0	0	0	6	0	4	1	0	2	0	2	15
El Cajon	0	0	9	19	7	14	1	6	5	1	11	73
Escondido	1	0	16	30	25	24	5	2	9	0	23	135
La Mesa	0	0	6	9	1	9	0	1	0	0	0	26
National City	0	0	10	10	4	29	7	2	3	0	12	77
Oceanside	0	0	3	25	21	30	10	3	4	0	26	122
San Diego	0	6	87	168	82	134	24	29	76	0	115	721
Sheriff – Total	1	5	44	133	64	165	44	31	75	0	88	650
Del Mar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Encinitas	0	1	1	5	2	4	1	1	4	0	1	20
Imperial Beach	0	0	1	4	1	0	0	0	5	0	4	15
Lemon Grove	0	0	6	9	0	13	4	0	3	0	2	37
Poway	0	0	0	10	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	17
San Marcos	0	1	2	10	9	28	0	3	11	0	11	75
Santee	1	0	2	10	8	6	3	0	8	0	8	46
Solana Beach	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vista	0	2	12	12	13	40	5	12	8	0	21	125
Unincorporated	0	1	20	73	30	69	31	15	34	0	40	313
San Diego Harbor Police	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
California Highway Patrol	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	5
CSU San Marcos	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
San Diego State University	0	0	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	6
UC San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	3	13	200	448	229	474	100	78	209	1	295	2,050

Note: Homicide includes manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular). Other felony offenses include: kidnapping, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, arson, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, hit-and-run, escape, bookmaking, and other felonies.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 32**Number of juvenile misdemeanor and status arrests, by offense type, by jurisdiction**

San Diego region, 2014

	Manslaughter/ assault and battery	Weapons offenses	Misd. burglary	Petty theft	Vandalism	Drug law violations	Drunk/ liquor laws	DUI	Prostitution	Other	Misd. Total	Status	Total
Carlsbad	10	0	0	44	0	23	38	1	0	25	141	1	142
Chula Vista	51	0	0	75	11	32	17	1	0	49	236	28	264
Coronado	1	0	0	1	1	2	11	0	0	7	23	0	23
El Cajon	31	0	0	61	6	16	4	1	0	26	145	34	179
Escondido	44	4	0	102	17	34	12	1	1	42	257	65	322
La Mesa	11	0	0	22	3	5	2	3	0	2	48	18	66
National City	19	0	1	80	3	11	9	0	3	9	135	10	145
Oceanside	39	7	0	58	10	37	39	1	2	20	213	67	280
San Diego	305	11	2	241	66	149	207	9	5	921	1,916	1,070	2,986
Sheriff – Total	262	6	0	146	54	184	190	15	0	264	1,121	132	1,253
Del Mar	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	5	0	5
Encinitas	7	1	0	7	1	15	13	3	0	4	51	7	58
Imperial Beach	12	0	0	7	4	5	9	3	0	40	80	2	82
Lemon Grove	11	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	0	3	21	7	28
Poway	8	1	0	10	0	5	9	2	0	2	37	2	39
San Marcos	27	2	0	34	7	30	17	1	0	14	132	22	154
Santee	27	0	0	28	4	6	12	0	0	10	87	2	89
Solana Beach	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	4	1	5
Vista	51	0	0	14	8	30	62	4	0	36	205	19	224
Unincorporated	118	2	0	45	29	91	60	2	0	152	499	70	569
San Diego Harbor Police	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	11	14	1	15
California Highway Patrol	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	2	9	0	9
CSU San Marcos	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
San Diego State University	2	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	0	10
UC San Diego	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	5
California State Parks and Recreation	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	5	0	5
Total	777	28	3	838	174	494	535	38	11	1,382	4,280	1,426	5,706

Note: Misdemeanor drug law violations include glue sniffing. Other misdemeanors include: check/access cards, other theft-related offenses, annoying a child, obscene matter, lewd conduct and other sex-related crimes, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, hit-and-run and other selected traffic offenses, and other misdemeanors.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 33
Number of juvenile arrests by offense type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Violent	1,441	1,176	1,035	-28%	-12%
Property	1,493	828	565	-62%	-32%
Alcohol/drug violations	1,277	625	437	-66%	-30%
Weapons offenses	257	287	265	3%	-8%
Status	1,426	696	431	-70%	-38%
Other	1,862	1,072	728	-61%	-32%
Total	7,756	4,684	3,461	-55%	-26%

Note: Violent includes homicide/manslaughter, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, misdemeanor manslaughter, and assault and battery; property includes grand theft, felony and misdemeanor burglary, motor vehicle theft, and petty theft; alcohol/drug includes driving under the influence, drunk/liquor laws, drug-related offenses, and glue sniffing; status includes truancy, runaway, curfew violations, incorrigible behavior, and other juvenile-specific offenses (e.g., failure to obey orders of the Juvenile Court and running away from court-ordered placement); other includes kidnapping, arson, forgery/checks/access cards, other theft-related offenses, sex crimes, escape, prostitution, vandalism, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, disorderly conduct, disturbing the peace, malicious mischief, trespassing, hit-and-run, joy riding, other selected traffic offenses, gambling, violations of city and county ordinances, failure to appear, and other offenses.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 34
Number of juvenile arrests for violent offenses by type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony					
Homicide	3	4	4	--	--
Rape	13	14	9	--	--
Robbery	200	188	181	-10%	-4%
Aggravated assault	448	350	333	-26%	-5%
Total	664	556	527	-21%	-5%
Misdemeanor					
Manslaughter/assault and battery	777	620	508	-35%	-18%
Total	1,441	1,176	1,035	-28%	-12%

Note: Homicide includes felony manslaughter (vehicular and non-vehicular). Percent changes are not presented when either comparison number is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 35
Number of juvenile arrests for property offenses by type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony					
Burglary	474	179	98	-79%	-45%
Larceny theft	100	64	64	-36%	0%
Motor vehicle theft	78	88	47	-40%	-47%
Total	652	331	209	-68%	-37%
Misdemeanor					
Petty theft/burglary	841	497	356	-58%	-28%
Total	1,493	828	565	-62%	-32%

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 36
Number of juvenile arrests for alcohol- and drug-related offenses by type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony					
Narcotics	38	22	10	--	--
Marijuana	108	22	20	--	--
Dangerous drugs	63	18	12	--	--
Other drug offenses	0	0	0	--	--
Driving under the influence	1	2	3	--	--
Total	210	64	45	-79%	-30%
Misdemeanor					
Marijuana	363	165	110	-70%	-33%
Other drug offenses	131	105	73	-44%	-30%
Drunk	321	139	103	-68%	-26%
Liquor laws	214	107	79	-63%	-26%
Driving under the influence	38	45	27	--	--
Total	1,067	561	392	-63%	-30%
Total	1,277	625	437	-66%	-30%

Note: Narcotics include heroin, morphine, cocaine/rock, and barbiturates. Dangerous drugs include methamphetamine, depressants, and hallucinogens. Other drug offenses include illegal possession of drug paraphernalia, use of illegal prescriptions and prescription drugs, sale of chemicals used to produce drugs, under-the-influence, and other drug-related crimes. Other misdemeanor drug offenses include glue sniffing. Percent changes are not presented when either comparison number is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice, Criminal Justice Statistics Center; SANDAG

Table 37
Number of juvenile arrests for weapons offenses
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Juvenile					
Felony	229	175	151	-34%	-14%
Misdemeanor	28	112	114	--	2%
Total	257	287	265	3%	-8%

Note: Percent changes are not presented when either comparison number is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 38**Number of juvenile arrests for felony and misdemeanor “other” offenses by type
2014, 2017, and 2018**

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Felony – Other					
Sex-related	25	33	20	--	--
Forgery/checks	4	2	1	--	--
Arson	17	28	31	--	--
Other felonies	249	157	191	-23%	22%
Total	295	220	243	-18%	10%
Misdemeanor – Other					
Other theft/checks/access cards	16	23	9	--	--
Sex-related	29	46	24	--	--
Prostitution	11	0	1	--	--
Disturb peace/trespass/disorderly	179	93	44	-75%	-53%
Vandalism/graffiti	174	84	51	-71%	-39%
Hit-and-run	17	13	13	--	--
Selected traffic	18	11	15	--	--
City/county ordinances	178	180	101	-43%	-44%
Failure to appear/non-traffic	41	24	18	--	--
Other misdemeanors	904	378	209	-77%	-45%
Total	1,567	852	485	-69%	-43%
Total	1,862	1,072	728	-61%	-32%

Note: Sex-related includes felony lewd conduct and other sex offenses, misdemeanor lewd behavior, indecent exposure, annoying a child, and obscene matter; selected traffic includes driving without insurance or license, equipment violations, and others; city and county ordinances include loitering, littering, and other codes specific to cities/county; other felony arrests include kidnapping, hit-and-run, escape, and other felonies; other misdemeanor arrests include contributing to the delinquency of a minor, malicious mischief, joy riding, gambling, and other misdemeanors such as various election, building, fire, and water code violations. Percent changes are not presented when either comparison number is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 39
Number of arrests for status offenses by gender and type
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Truancy					
Boys	19	3	0	--	--
Girls	3	1	0	--	--
Total	22	4	0	--	--
Runaway					
Boys	0	22	13	--	--
Girls	0	32	11	--	--
Total	0	54	24	--	--
Curfew					
Boys	630	223	114	-82%	-49%
Girls	359	119	80	-78%	-33%
Total	989	342	194	-80%	-43%
Other status					
Boys	282	229	157	-44%	-31%
Girls	133	67	56	-58%	-16%
Total	415	296	213	-49%	-28%
Total status					
Boys	931	477	284	-69%	-40%
Girls	495	219	147	-70%	-33%
Total	1,426	696	431	-70%	-38%

Note: Variations in emphasis or focus on individual status offenses by law enforcement and prosecution agencies impact the number of arrests/juvenile contacts. "Other" status offenses include incorrigible behavior (such as failure to comply with parental authority), failure to obey orders of the Juvenile Court (such as community service and fines), and running away from court-ordered placement. In 2013 and 2014, the State of California reported no runaway arrests for any agency in San Diego County. However, further investigation revealed that this is not consistent with follow-up inquiries to individual agencies. As such, it is important to note that the number of status offense arrests in 2014 may be somewhat higher than what is reported here and in other arrest statistics from the State of California. Percent changes are not presented when either comparison number is less than 30.

Sources: California Department of Justice; SANDAG

Table 40
Population estimations
 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Ethnicity					
Adult					
White	1,243,566	1,241,945	1,240,018	<1%	<1%
Hispanic	708,169	749,789	763,969	8%	2%
Black	110,714	110,150	109,788	<1%	<1%
Other	363,952	380,909	387,078	6%	2%
Total	2,426,401	2,482,793	2,500,853	3%	<1%
Juvenile					
White	109,524	108,564	109,464	<1%	<1%
Hispanic	152,594	159,720	163,752	7%	3%
Black	15,026	14,517	14,672	-2%	1%
Other	52,808	55,807	57,127	8%	2%
Total	329,952	338,608	345,015	5%	2%
Gender					
Adult					
Male	1,203,494	1,232,530	1,240,858	3%	<1%
Female	1,222,907	1,250,263	1,259,995	3%	<1%
Total	2,426,401	2,482,793	2,500,853	3%	<1%
Juvenile					
Male	170,540	175,059	178,074	4%	2%
Female	159,412	163,549	166,941	5%	2%
Total	329,952	338,608	345,015	5%	2%
Age					
10–17	329,952	338,608	345,015	5%	2%
18–19	95,465	94,377	94,253	-1%	<1%
20–29	476,005	465,120	461,050	-3%	<1%
30–39	445,629	450,686	450,826	1%	<1%
40–69	1,135,567	1,165,851	1,172,292	3%	<1%
70+	273,735	306,759	322,432	18%	5%
Total 10+	2,756,353	2,821,401	2,845,868	3%	<1%

Note: The populations used to calculate arrest rates include individuals ten years and older (10-17 for juveniles and 18 and older for adults). Camp Pendleton population is not included.

Source: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018

Table 41
Population estimations by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Carlsbad					
Adult	85,907	88,617	89,642	4%	1%
Juvenile	12,041	11,661	11,664	-3%	<1%
Total	97,948	100,278	101,306	3%	1%
Chula Vista					
Adult	186,898	190,537	191,816	3%	<1%
Juvenile	32,550	33,047	33,486	3%	1%
Total	219,448	223,584	225,302	3%	<1%
Coronado					
Adult	20,167	21,072	18,187	-10%	-14%
Juvenile	1,719	1,524	1,522	-11%	<1%
Total	21,886	22,596	19,709	-10%	-13%
El Cajon					
Adult	77,117	78,988	79,029	2%	<1%
Juvenile	10,888	11,224	11,437	5%	2%
Total	88,005	90,212	90,466	3%	<1%
Escondido					
Adult	107,204	109,290	109,351	2%	<1%
Juvenile	17,910	18,343	18,867	5%	3%
Total	125,114	127,633	128,218	2%	<1%
La Mesa					
Adult	47,989	48,715	49,026	2%	<1%
Juvenile	4,606	4,783	4,826	5%	<1%
Total	52,595	53,498	53,852	2%	<1%
National City					
Adult	43,726	44,491	45,194	3%	2%
Juvenile	6,962	7,488	7,629	10%	2%
Total	50,688	51,979	52,823	4%	2%
Oceanside					
Adult	130,578	132,412	132,763	2%	<1%
Juvenile	18,184	18,784	19,243	6%	2%
Total	148,762	151,196	152,006	2%	<1%
San Diego					
Adult	1,054,310	1,081,010	1,096,092	4%	1%
Juvenile	128,877	134,209	137,805	7%	3%
Total	1,183,187	1,215,219	1,233,897	4%	2%
Sheriff - Total					
Adult	672,505	687,661	689,753	3%	<1%
Juvenile	96,215	97,545	98,536	2%	1%
Total	768,720	785,206	788,289	3%	<1%
Del Mar					
Adult	3,669	3,721	3,727	2%	<1%
Juvenile	259	217	223	-14%	3%
Total	3,928	3,938	3,950	<1%	<1%

Table 41 (continued)
Population estimations by jurisdiction
San Diego region, 2014, 2017, and 2018

	2014	2017	2018	Change	
				2014–2018	2017–2018
Encinitas					
Adult	48,432	49,311	49,637	2%	<1%
Juvenile	5,591	5,519	5,548	<-1%	<1%
Total	54,023	54,830	55,185	2%	<1%
Imperial Beach					
Adult	20,144	20,417	20,452	2%	<1%
Juvenile	2,861	2,904	2,916	2%	<1%
Total	23,005	23,321	23,368	2%	<1%
Lemon Grove					
Adult	19,171	19,690	19,861	4%	<1%
Juvenile	2,917	2,906	2,945	<1%	1%
Total	22,088	22,596	22,806	3%	<1%
Poway					
Adult	37,518	38,156	38,153	2%	<-1%
Juvenile	5,883	5,545	5,584	-5%	<1%
Total	43,401	43,701	43,737	<1%	<1%
San Marcos					
Adult	63,682	67,736	68,440	7%	1%
Juvenile	10,497	11,305	11,534	10%	2%
Total	74,179	79,041	79,974	8%	1%
Santee					
Adult	42,847	43,549	43,893	2%	<1%
Juvenile	5,806	5,711	5,725	-1%	<1%
Total	48,653	49,260	49,618	2%	<1%
Solana Beach					
Adult	10,786	10,986	11,013	2%	<1%
Juvenile	1,099	1,107	1,111	1%	<1%
Total	11,885	12,093	12,124	2%	<1%
Vista					
Adult	69,706	71,034	73,324	5%	3%
Juvenile	11,485	11,985	12,411	8%	4%
Total	81,191	83,019	85,735	6%	3%
Unincorporated					
Adult	350,276	357,653	358,900	2%	<1%
Juvenile	50,313	49,465	50,191	<-1%	1%
Total	400,589	407,118	409,091	2%	<1%
San Diego Region without Camp Pendleton					
Adult	2,404,349	2,468,896	2,489,109	4%	<1%
Juvenile	328,853	333,574	339,303	3%	2%
Total	2,733,202	2,802,470	2,828,412	3%	<1%
San Diego Region with Camp Pendleton					
Adult	2,433,077	2,500,101	2,520,789	4%	<1%
Juvenile	331,911	337,149	343,175	3%	2%
Region - Total	2,764,988	2,837,250	2,863,964	4%	<1%

Note: The populations in this table are used to calculate arrest rates and include individuals ten years and older (10-17 for juveniles and 18 and older for adults). Camp Pendleton population is excluded from the Sheriff's unincorporated area but included in the region total.

Source: California Department of Justice, SANDAG Population Estimates 2018