

Table 1.4. Characteristics of suspects arrested by Drug Enforcement Administration agents, by type of drug, October 1, 2006-September 30, 2007

Arrestee characteristic	Total arrested	Percent arrested	Drug type					
			Cocaine powder	Crack cocaine	Marijuana	Methamphetamine	Opiates	Other or non drug
All arrestees	28,518	100 %	7,992	4,139	6,539	5,335	2,040	2,473
Gender								
Male	24,320	85.3 %	7,074	3,602	5,754	4,274	1,719	1,897
Female	4,198	14.7	918	537	785	1,061	321	576
Race								
White	18,869	67.2 %	5,207	753	5,057	4,848	1,360	1,644
Black/African American	8,335	29.7	2,590	3,332	1,071	195	627	520
American Indian/Alaska Native	181	0.6	24	4	83	39	14	17
Asian/Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	712	2.5	45	14	233	157	5	258
Ethnicity								
Hispanic/Latino	12,894	46 %	4,547	430	3,546	2,675	1,220	476
Non Hispanic/Latino	15,145	54	3,355	3,600	2,908	2,588	789	1,905
Age								
Under 19 years	471	1.7 %	79	107	152	72	27	34
19-20	1,357	4.8	269	267	395	216	98	112
21-30	11,866	41.6	3,254	1,962	2,712	2,179	816	943
31-40	8,790	30.8	2,708	1,140	1,960	1,669	611	702
Over 40	6,027	21.1	1,680	663	1,318	1,197	488	681
Citizenship								
U.S. citizen	19,740	72.2 %	5,176	3,904	4,047	3,412	1,226	1,975
Non U.S. citizen	7,601	27.8	2,482	89	2,235	1,701	715	379

Note: Summing arrestees on a characteristic may not yield the total number of arrestees because some arrestee records lack information on that characteristic.

Source: Drug Enforcement Administration Defendant Statistical System, fiscal year.

