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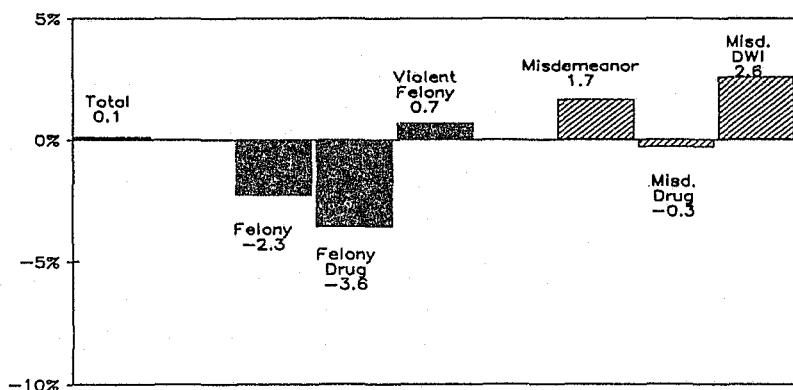
## NEW YORK STATE ARRESTS AND INDICTMENTS

(Preliminary Data)

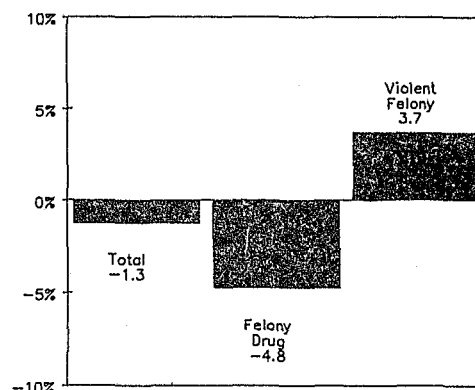
JANUARY THROUGH JUNE 1992 vs. 1991  
PERCENT CHANGES

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ARRESTS



INDICTMENTS/SCIs



### HIGHLIGHTS

- » **Arrests:** During the first six months of 1992, a 2.3 percent drop in adult arrests for felony offenses was countered by a 1.7 percent increase in adult misdemeanor arrests, resulting in little change in total arrests compared with the first six months of 1991. Similar to recent quarterly trends, violent felony arrests continued to rise, while arrests for drug offenses continued to decline.
- » **Indictments:** The number of felony indictments (including superior court informations - SCIs) decreased modestly during the first six months of 1992. Following the trend in arrests, violent felony indictments rose while felony drug indictments continued to decline.

Note: The arrest and indictment comparisons are based on preliminary data compiled approximately three weeks beyond the close of each quarterly period during the year. Percentage increases or decreases may change somewhat as reporting becomes final.

### JANUARY THROUGH JUNE 1992 vs. 1991 ADULT ARRESTS BY REGION

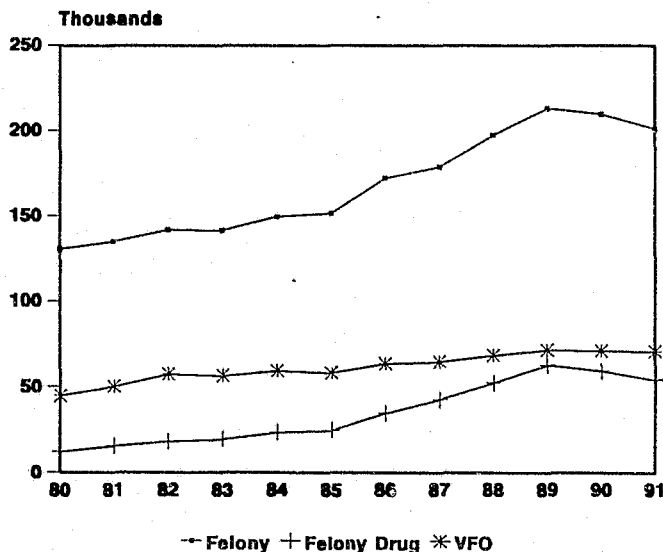
	Jan-June 1991	Jan-June 1992	% chng
<b>New York State</b>	<b>247,626</b>	<b>247,840</b>	<b>0.1</b>
Felony	99,814	97,536	-2.3
Drug	27,855	26,843	-3.6
Violent	34,037	34,283	0.7
Misdemeanor	147,812	150,304	1.7
Drug	18,724	18,663	-0.3
DWI	23,911	24,535	2.6
<b>New York City</b>	<b>131,427</b>	<b>129,548</b>	<b>-1.4</b>
Felony	69,967	66,138	-5.5
Drug	22,545	20,942	-7.1
Violent	25,285	25,089	-0.8
Misdemeanor	61,460	63,410	3.2
Drug	13,632	12,899	-5.4
DWI	2,642	3,259	23.4

	Jan-June 1991	Jan-June 1992	% chng
<b>Suburban NYC</b>	<b>29,860</b>	<b>30,021</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Felony	9,589	9,476	-1.2
Drug	2,316	2,214	-4.4
Violent	2,807	2,771	-1.3
Misdemeanor	20,271	20,545	1.4
Drug	1,957	2,160	10.4
DWI	5,744	5,551	-3.4
<b>Upstate</b>	<b>86,339</b>	<b>88,271</b>	<b>2.2</b>
Felony	20,258	21,922	8.2
Drug	2,994	3,687	23.2
Violent	5,945	6,423	8.0
Misdemeanor	66,081	66,349	0.4
Drug	3,135	3,604	15.0
DWI	15,525	15,725	1.3

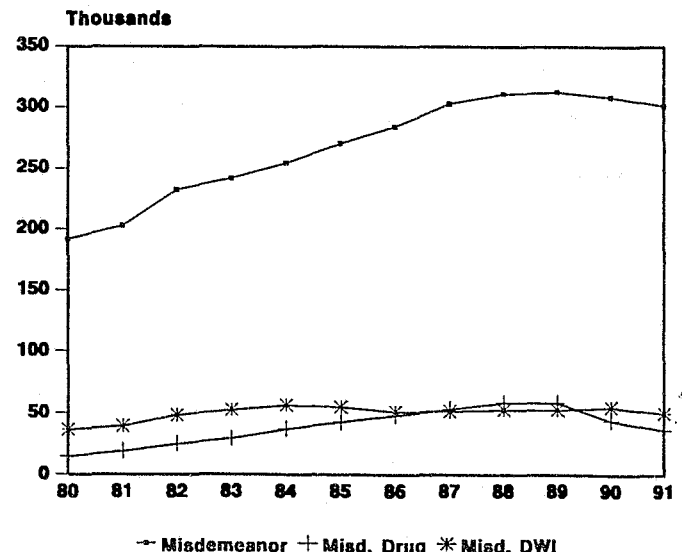
Source: Computerized Criminal History (9/92); note that drug and violent felony charges were counted only if they were the most serious charge in the arrest event. Suburban New York City includes Nassau, Rockland, Suffolk and Westchester counties. Because these comparisons are based on preliminary data, the percent increases or decreases may change somewhat as reporting becomes final.

### NEW YORK STATE ANNUAL TRENDS IN ADULT ARRESTS: 1980-91

FELONY ARRESTS



MISDEMEANOR ARRESTS



# JANUARY - JUNE ARRESTS AND INDICTMENTS BY COUNTY

		Felony Arrests	Misdemeanor Arrests	Felony Indictments
ALBANY	1992	1,313	3,560	281
	1991	1,285	3,294	240
	% change	2.2	8.1	17.1
ALLEGANY	1992	120	343	36
	1991	83	339	53
	% change	44.6	1.2	-32.1
BRONX	1992	15,636	9,205	5,000
	1991	15,810	8,552	5,053
	% change	-1.1	7.6	-1.1
BROOME	1992	656	1,843	281
	1991	534	1,716	244
	% change	22.9	7.4	15.2
CATTARAUGUS	1992	118	557	100
	1991	160	689	102
	% change	-26.3	-19.2	-2.0
CAYUGA	1992	194	686	19
	1991	125	607	50
	% change	55.2	13.0	-62.0
CHAUTAUQUA	1992	318	1,346	116
	1991	286	1,316	119
	% change	11.2	2.3	-2.5
CHEMUNG	1992	298	977	201
	1991	239	881	164
	% change	24.7	10.9	22.6
CHENANGO	1992	123	477	44
	1991	82	472	23
	% change	50.0	1.1	91.3
CLINTON	1992	245	680	134
	1991	189	780	77
	% change	29.6	-12.8	74.0
COLUMBIA	1992	239	510	102
	1991	228	624	55
	% change	4.8	-18.3	85.5
CORTLAND	1992	82	685	49
	1991	91	628	41
	% change	-9.9	9.1	19.5
DELAWARE	1992	129	509	21
	1991	115	539	13
	% change	12.2	-5.6	61.5
DUTCHESS	1992	928	2,885	224
	1991	860	2,563	198
	% change	7.9	4.8	13.1
ERIE	1992	3,854	9,129	967
	1991	3,420	9,377	949
	% change	12.7	-2.6	1.9
ESSEX	1992	96	263	64
	1991	83	226	47
	% change	15.7	16.4	36.2

		Felony Arrests	Misdemeanor Arrests	Felony Indictments
FRANKLIN	1992	115	440	48
	1991	140	417	47
	% change	-17.9	5.5	2.1
FULTON	1992	121	435	48
	1991	106	479	35
	% change	14.2	-9.2	37.1
GENESEE	1992	148	483	44
	1991	125	459	61
	% change	18.4	5.2	-27.9
GREENE	1992	192	484	*
	1991	162	428	*
	% change	18.5	13.1	----
HAMILTON	1992	9	24	4
	1991	10	46	6
	% change	-10.0	-47.8	-33.3
HERKIMER	1992	86	401	46
	1991	118	487	113
	% change	-27.1	-17.7	-59.3
JEFFERSON	1992	292	992	120
	1991	309	1,079	259
	% change	-5.5	-8.1	-53.7
KINGS	1992	18,388	13,943	7,010
	1991	20,460	11,668	7,180
	% change	-10.1	19.5	-2.4
LEWIS	1992	46	170	18
	1991	53	143	14
	% change	-13.2	18.9	28.6
LIVINGSTON	1992	89	676	127
	1991	123	634	154
	% change	-27.6	6.6	-17.5
MADISON	1992	121	620	43
	1991	84	668	37
	% change	44.1	-7.2	16.2
MONROE	1992	2,656	7,522	1,044
	1991	2,523	7,653	922
	% change	5.3	-1.7	13.2
MONTGOMERY	1992	127	529	53
	1991	154	527	83
	% change	-17.5	0.4	-36.1
NASSAU	1992	2,985	6,189	1,881
	1991	3,197	6,557	1,532
	% change	-6.6	-5.6	22.8
NEW YORK	1992	20,727	29,307	5,771
	1991	21,641	31,063	5,242
	% change	-4.2	-5.7	10.1
NIAGARA	1992	547	1,877	151
	1991	445	1,634	115
	% change	22.9	14.9	31.3

\* Not available due to incomplete reporting.

# JANUARY - JUNE ARRESTS AND INDICTMENTS BY COUNTY

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		Felony Arrests	Misdemeanor Arrests	Felony Indictments
ONEIDA	1992	575	2,092	431
	1991	586	2,253	329
	% change	-1.9	-7.2	31.0
ONONDAGA	1992	2,031	4,629	760
	1991	1,891	4,523	746
	% change	7.4	2.3	1.9
ONTARIO	1992	209	833	161
	1991	241	904	214
	% change	-13.3	-7.9	-24.8
ORANGE	1992	1,103	3,634	366
	1991	1,067	3,179	328
	% change	3.4	14.3	11.6
ORLEANS	1992	118	314	8
	1991	99	394	16
	% change	19.2	-20.3	-50.0
OSWEGO	1992	316	915	59
	1991	266	779	55
	% change	18.8	17.5	7.3
OTSEGO	1992	118	635	32
	1991	111	556	36
	% change	6.3	14.2	-11.1
PUTNAM	1992	195	707	88
	1991	228	758	101
	% change	-14.5	-6.7	-12.9
QUEENS	1992	9,809	9,196	4,660
	1991	10,375	8,317	5,238
	% change	-5.5	10.6	-11.0
RENSSELAER	1992	366	1,225	144
	1991	372	1,282	160
	% change	-1.6	-4.5	-10.0
RICHMOND	1992	1,578	1,759	300
	1991	1,681	1,860	255
	% change	-6.1	-5.4	17.7
ROCKLAND	1992	569	1,166	176
	1991	521	1,096	249
	% change	9.2	6.4	-29.3
ST. LAWRENCE	1992	231	1,096	87
	1991	207	1,095	77
	% change	11.6	0.1	13.0
SARATOGA	1992	330	1,602	87
	1991	305	1,555	72
	% change	8.2	3.0	20.8
SCHENECTADY	1992	408	1,166	173
	1991	390	1,401	150
	% change	4.6	-16.8	15.3

		Felony Arrests	Misdemeanor Arrests	Felony Indictments
SCHOHARIE	1992	73	340	*
	1991	63	391	*
	% change	15.9	-13.0	---
SCHUYLER	1992	63	194	8
	1991	43	147	25
	% change	46.5	32.0	-68.0
SENECA	1992	82	385	38
	1991	93	345	42
	% change	-11.8	11.6	-9.5
STEUBEN	1992	220	800	185
	1991	226	768	146
	% change	-2.7	4.2	26.7
SUFFOLK	1992	3,235	7,172	1,376
	1991	2,991	6,453	1,472
	% change	8.2	11.1	-6.5
SULLIVAN	1992	378	875	123
	1991	346	1,028	110
	% change	9.3	-14.9	11.8
TIOGA	1992	123	422	63
	1991	107	397	58
	% change	15.0	6.3	8.6
TOMPKINS	1992	199	832	
	1991	175	888	
	% change	13.7	-6.3	50.0
ULSTER	1992	645	1,664	155
	1991	586	1,635	140
	% change	10.1	1.8	10.7
WARREN	1992	193	941	76
	1991	176	869	62
	% change	9.7	8.3	22.6
WASHINGTON	1992	137	626	27
	1991	125	669	66
	% change	9.6	-6.4	-59.1
WAYNE	1992	314	1,073	185
	1991	195	1,040	139
	% change	61.0	3.2	33.1
WESTCHESTER	1992	2,687	6,018	1,144
	1991	2,880	6,165	1,205
	% change	-6.7	-2.4	-5.1
WYOMING	1992	112	293	17
	1991	82	323	21
	% change	36.6	-9.3	-19.1
YATES	1992	66	151	8
	1991	49	195	13
	% change	34.7	-22.6	-38.5

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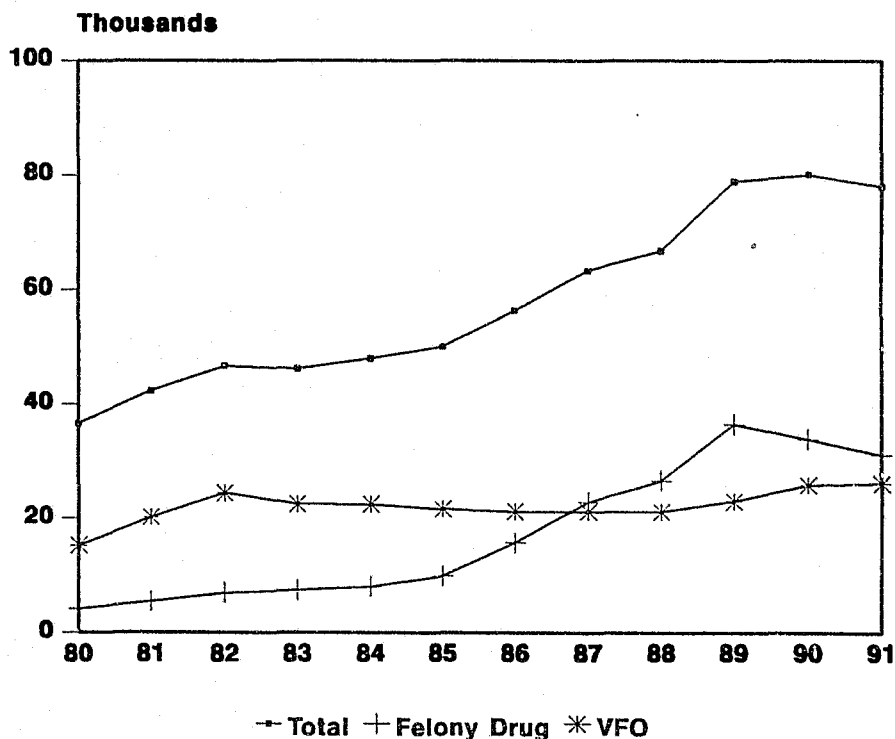
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**JANUARY THROUGH JUNE 1992 vs. 1991  
FELONY INDICTMENTS/SCIs BY REGION**

	Jan-June 1991	Jan-June 1992	% chng		Jan-June 1991	Jan-June 1992	% chng
New York State	38,050	37,556	-1.3	Suburban NYC	4,458	4,577	2.7
Drug	15,508	14,763	-4.8	Drug	1,448	1,488	2.8
Violent	12,686	13,158	3.7	Violent	1,269	1,349	6.3
New York City	26,165	25,202	-3.7	Upstate	7,386	7,723	4.6
Drug	12,594	11,504	-8.7	Drug	1,465	1,771	20.9
Violent	9,602	9,856	2.7	Violent	1,815	1,951	7.5

Source: Indictment Statistical System (7/92); note that statewide indictment totals include data from special prosecutors not included in the three geographic areas. Suburban New York City includes Nassau, Rockland, Suffolk and Westchester counties. Because these comparisons are based on preliminary data, the percent increases or decreases may change somewhat as reporting becomes final.

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ANNUAL TRENDS IN FELONY INDICTMENTS/SCIs: 1980-91**



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