

**Table 1.4. Characteristics of suspects arrested by Drug Enforcement Administration agents, by type of drug, October 1, 2007–September 30, 2008**

Arrestee characteristic	Total arrested	Percent arrested	Drug type					Other or non drug
			Cocaine powder	Crack cocaine	Marijuana	Methamphetamine	Opiates	
<b>All arrestees</b>	27,235	100 %	8,305	4,139	5,949	4,531	2,427	2,769
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	23,060	84.7 %	7,357	3,602	5,210	3,644	2,047	2,022
Female	4,174	15.3	947	537	739	887	380	747
<b>Race</b>								
White	17,932	66.7 %	5,325	753	4,486	4,101	1,574	1,869
Black/African American	8,116	30.2	2,774	3,332	1,146	160	783	632
American Indian/Alaska Native	173	0.6	31	4	69	35	13	14
Asian/Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	662	2.5	58	14	180	162	16	225
<b>Ethnicity</b>								
Hispanic/Latino	11,830	44.5 %	4,522	430	2,945	2,290	1,306	449
Non Hispanic/Latino	14,780	55.5	3,630	3,600	2,893	2,179	1,057	2,194
<b>Age</b>								
Under 19 years	403	1.5 %	95	107	125	44	42	32
19-20	1,291	4.8	318	267	381	167	103	144
21-30	10,890	40.1	3,260	1,962	2,371	1,763	942	1,044
31-40	8,550	31.5	2,880	1,140	1,694	1,508	767	751
Over 40	6,042	22.2	1,730	663	1,368	1,043	559	795
<b>Citizenship</b>								
U.S. citizen	19,401	74.3 %	5,520	3,904	3,929	2,971	1,596	2,335
Non U.S. citizen	6,728	25.7	2,454	89	1,781	1,358	706	323

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.