# PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE DATA SETS Contra Costa County

### Introduction

This document presents a sample of demographic and criminological information from publicly accessible data files. In addition to presenting summaries of information contained in the files, links to official publications and datasets have been provided. This summary is not intended to be a comprehensive listing of publicly accessible files. Relevant data are available from a number of sources and can be accessed online and through other mechanisms.

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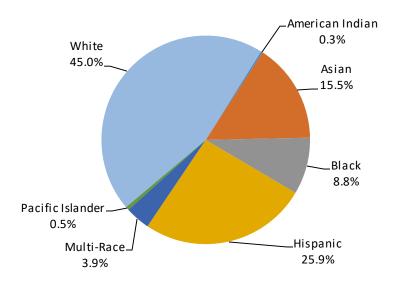
## **Population:** 1,116,385

This section presents information on the demographic characteristics of the population in Contra Costa County. Contra Costa County's population figure comes from the California Department of Finance's E-2: California County Population Estimates and Components of Change by Year — July 1, 2010–2015, December 2015 report

(http://www.dof.ca.gov/Forecasting/Demographics/Estimates/E-2/2010-15/index.html).

The information on the race/ethnicity and age composition of the Contra Costa County's population comes from the California Department of Finance's *E-3: State and County Population Projections by Race/Ethnicity, Sex, and Age 2010-2060, December 2014* report (http://www.dof.ca.gov/Forecasting/Demographics/Projections/).

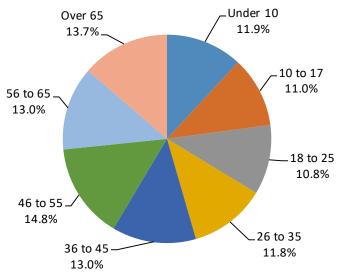
# Racial/Ethnic Composition of Population, 2015 Contra Costa County



Racial/Ethnic Composition of Population, 2011-2015
Contra Costa County

	Year					
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	
American Indian	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	
Asian	14.5%	14.6%	14.9%	15.2%	15.5%	
Black	9.0%	8.9%	8.9%	8.9%	8.8%	
Hispanic	24.7%	24.9%	25.2%	25.6%	25.9%	
Multi-Race	3.7%	3.7%	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	
Pacific Islander	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	
White	47.4%	47.0%	46.4%	45.7%	45.0%	

Age Composition of Population, 2015 Contra Costa County



Age Composition of Population, 2011-2015
Contra Costa County

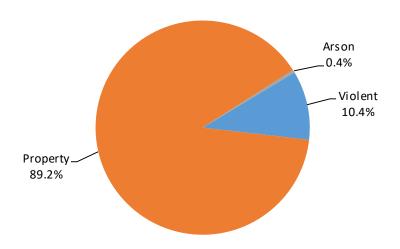
		Year						
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015			
Under 10	12.9%	12.6%	12.3%	12.1%	11.9%			
10 to 17	11.4%	11.2%	11.1%	11.0%	11.0%			
18 to 25	9.8%	10.0%	10.3%	10.6%	10.8%			
26 to 35	12.3%	12.2%	12.1%	12.0%	11.8%			
36 to 45	14.0%	13.7%	13.5%	13.3%	13.0%			
46 to 55	15.5%	15.3%	15.2%	15.0%	14.8%			
56 to 65	12.2%	12.5%	12.7%	12.8%	13.0%			
Over 65	11.9%	12.3%	12.8%	13.3%	13.7%			

### **Crimes**

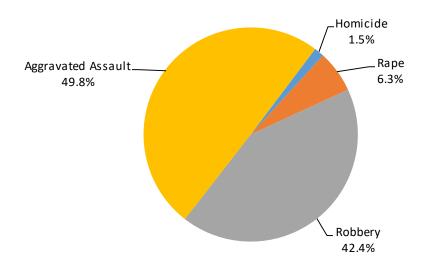
This section presents information on the number and type of reported crimes in Contra Costa County. The information summarized in this section comes from the California Department of Justice's 10 Year Crime and Clearance Data 2006-2015 file

(<a href="https://openjustice.doj.ca.gov/data">https://openjustice.doj.ca.gov/data</a>), and also appears in the annual *Crime in California* publication (<a href="https://oag.ca.gov/cjsc/pubs">https://oag.ca.gov/cjsc/pubs</a>). This section includes: charts and tables summarizing the eight major offense categories reported to the FBI.

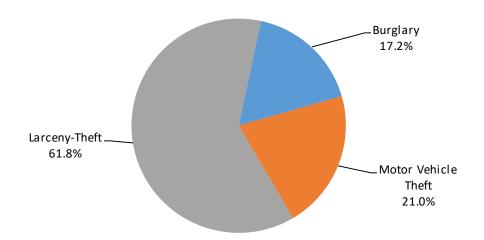
### Reported Crimes, 2015 Contra Costa County



Reported Violent Crimes, 2015 Contra Costa County



### Reported Property Crimes, 2015 Contra Costa County



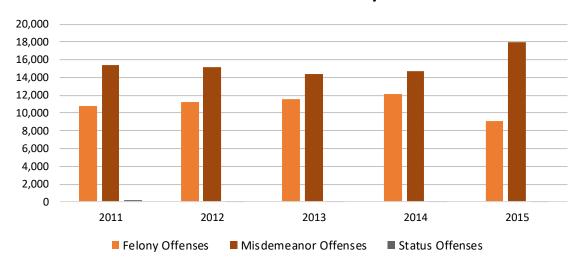
Reported Crimes, 2011-2015 Contra Costa County

	Year					
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	
Violent	3,928	4,383	3,961	3,650	3,788	
Homicide	62	56	42	47	57	
Rape	161	169	148	236	240	
Robbery	1,362	1,602	1,533	1,456	1,606	
Aggravated Assault	2,343	2,556	2,238	1,911	1,885	
Property	30,239	32,787	31,351	32,232	32,394	
Burglary	8,024	8,556	7,802	6,949	5,581	
Motor Vehicle Theft	5,855	7,258	6,726	6,568	6,802	
Larceny-Theft	16,360	16,973	16,823	18,715	20,011	
Arson	182	164	151	153	154	

### **Arrests**

This section presents information on the number of arrests made by reporting law enforcement agencies in Contra Costa County. The information reported in this section comes from the California Department of Justice's 10 Year Arrest Data 2006-2015 file (https://openjustice.doj.ca.gov/data), and also appears in the annual Crime in California publication (https://oag.ca.gov/cjsc/pubs). The information summarized in this section includes: the number of arrests for different types of offenses, the race/ethnicity of arrestees, and the ages of arrestees. Two important caveats to keep in mind: the number of arrests represent the number of arrests made, not the number of individuals arrested (a person can be arrested more than one time), and the reported arrest offense is the most serious offense (the one with the most severe possible sanction).

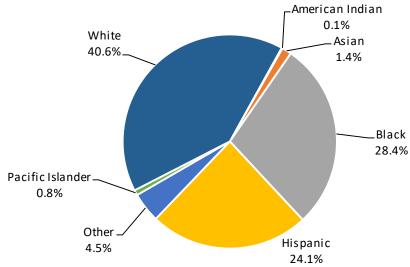
Felony, Misdemeanor, and Status Offense Arrests, 2011-2015 Contra Costa County



Felony, Misdemeanor, and Status Offense Arrests, 2011-2015
Contra Costa County

	Year					
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	
Total	26,447	26,412	25,988	26,879	27,050	
Felony Offenses	10,832	11,185	11,583	12,146	9,098	
Felony Violent Offenses	2,514	2,445	2,356	2,411	2,586	
Felony Property Offenses	3,141	3,304	3,280	3,315	2,921	
Felony Drug Offenses	3,042	3,283	3,599	3,951	1,217	
Felony Sex Offenses	175	212	207	168	175	
Other Felonies	1,960	1,941	2,141	2,301	2,199	
Misdemeanor Offenses	15,435	15,168	14,338	14,720	17,939	
Status Offenses	180	59	67	13	13	

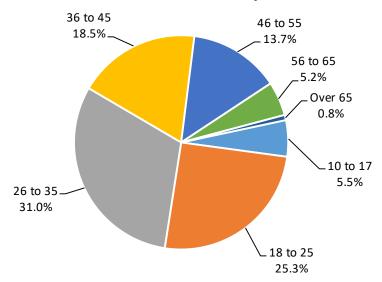




Race/Ethnicity of Arrestees, 2011-2015
Contra Costa County

	Year					
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	
American Indian	21	26	31	42	39	
Asian	422	422	434	466	388	
Black	7,649	7,896	7,789	7,690	7,692	
Hispanic	5,903	5,701	5,609	6,156	6,510	
Other	1,054	1,268	1,167	1,235	1,225	
Pacific Islander	221	182	235	209	212	
White	11,177	10,917	10,723	11,081	10,984	

Age of Arrestees, 2015 Contra Costa County



Age of Arrestees, 2011-2015
Contra Costa County

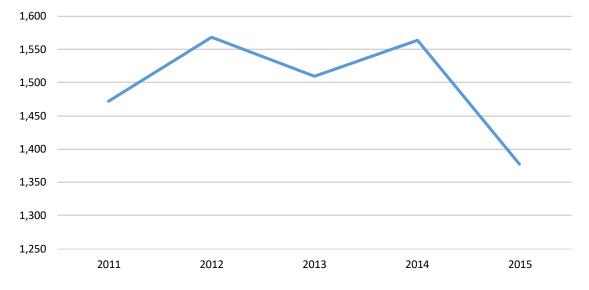
	Year						
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015		
Under 10	5	9	6	2	7		
10 to 17	2,706	2,365	1,855	1,663	1,487		
18 to 25	7,068	7,274	6,935	6,900	6,836		
26 to 35	6,897	7,143	7,559	7,987	8,385		
36 to 45	4,735	4,647	4,581	4,924	5,013		
46 to 55	3,774	3,635	3,691	3,937	3,717		
56 to 65	1,061	1,124	1,158	1,238	1,393		
Over 65	201	215	203	228	212		

### **Jails**

This section presents information on the jail inmate population in Contra Costa County. The information in this section comes from the Board of State and Community Corrections *Jail Profile Survey – Online Querying* (<a href="https://app.bscc.ca.gov/joq//jps/QuerySelection.asp">https://app.bscc.ca.gov/joq//jps/QuerySelection.asp</a>), and also appears in the quarterly *Jail Profile Survey* report

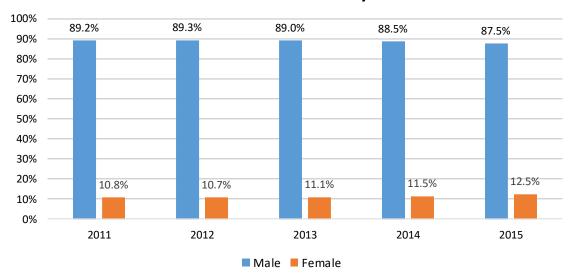
(<a href="http://www.bscc.ca.gov/s">http://www.bscc.ca.gov/s</a> fsojailprofilesurvey.php). The information summarized in this section includes: the average daily population of jail inmates, the average daily population of male and female inmates, and the average daily population of unsentenced and sentenced inmates<sup>2</sup> (inmates who have been sentenced on all charges).

### Average Daily Population of Jail Inmates, 2011-2015 Contra Costa County

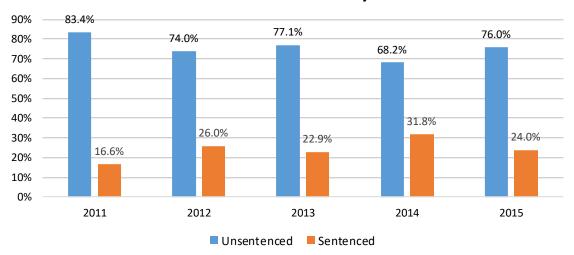


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Unsentenced inmates are individuals who are in custody and are awaiting sentencing on one or more charges. This would include individuals who have just been booked into jail, those in custody awaiting court hearings, those in custody awaiting trial, those being held during trial, and those who have been tried and are awaiting sentencing. <sup>2</sup> Sentenced inmates are individuals who have been tried and sentenced on all charges, and are awaiting transport to prison, or are serving some portion of their sentence in jail.

Proportion of Male and Female Jail Inmates, 2011-2015 Contra Costa County



Proportion of Unsentenced and Sentenced Jail Inmates, 2011-2015 Contra Costa County



# Average Daily Population of Jail Inmates, 2011-2015 Contra Costa County

			Year		
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total	1,471.9	1,567.8	1,509.2	1,564.2	1,376.8
Male	1,313.6	1,400.2	1,342.5	1,384.2	1,204.4
Female	158.3	167.6	166.8	179.9	172.4
Unsentenced	1,227.9	1,160.4	1,164.1	1,066.3	1,046.2
Sentenced	244.0	407.4	345.1	497.8	330.6