

# Crime Overview 2023

## Berkshire State Police

### CRIME OVERVIEW

The graphs in this theme are an overview of crime in the jurisdictions within the state of Massachusetts.

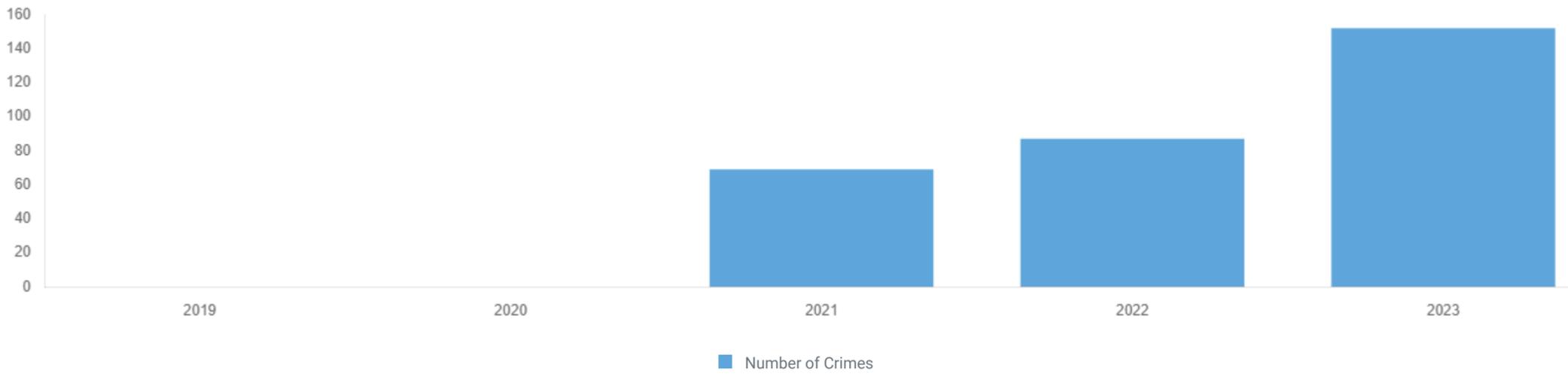
**Number of Crimes:** 152  
**Clearance Rate:** 65.79%  
**Population:** 8,812  
**Crime Rate:** 1724.92 per 100,000

**↑ 74.71%**

Compared to 2022

### CRIMES

Trend



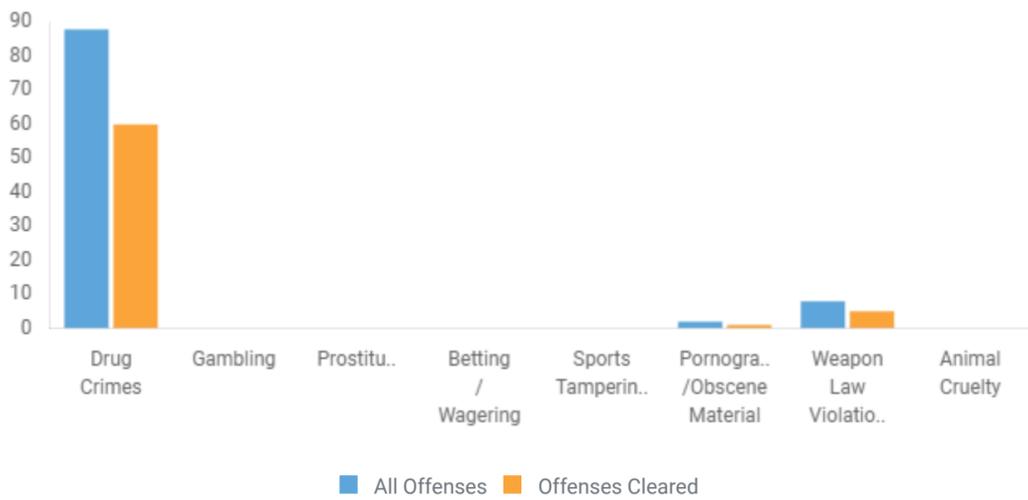
### CRIMES AGAINST PERSON OFFENSES

Crimes where victims are always individuals



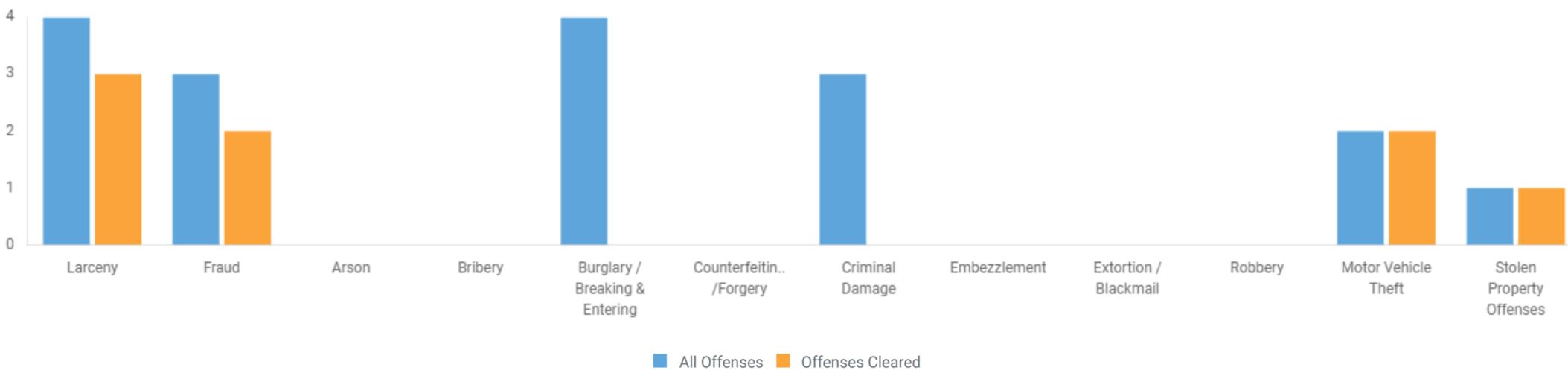
### CRIMES AGAINST SOCIETY OFFENSES

Society crimes represent society's prohibition against engaging in certain types of activity; they are typically victimless crimes in which property is not an object.



### CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY OFFENSES

The object of a crime against property is to obtain money, property, or another benefit.



## ARRESTS

An arrest is when the police use their legal authority to take someone into custody.

Number of Arrests: 199

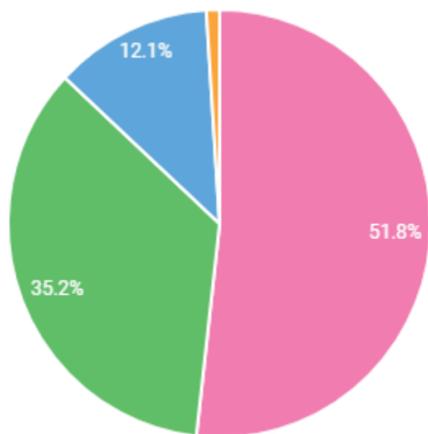
Population: 8,812

Arrest Rate: 2258.28 per 100,000

↑ 87.74%

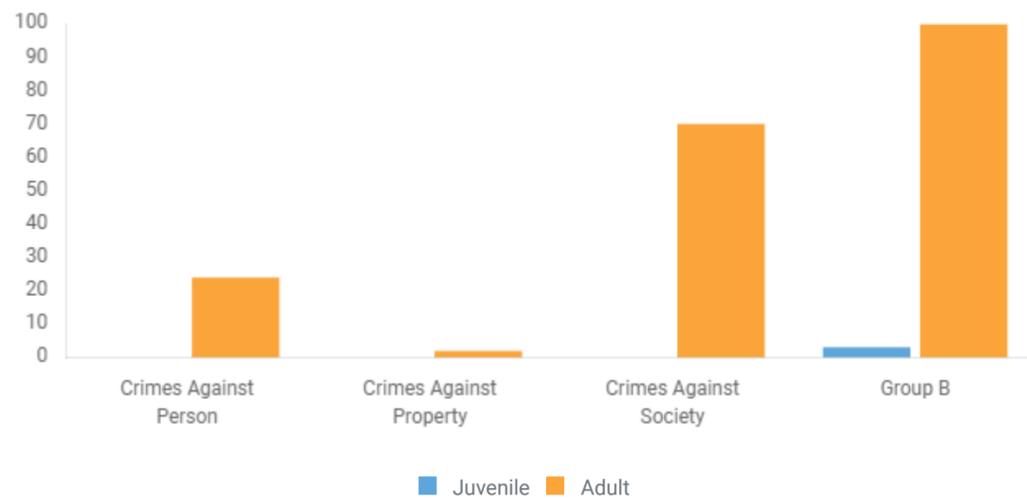
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### ARREST BREAKDOWN



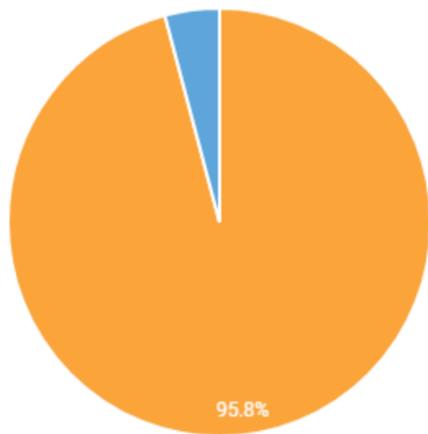
■ Group B Offenses 
 ■ Crimes Against Society 
 ■ Crimes Against Person 
 ■ Crimes Against Property

### ARRESTS JUVENILE/ADULT



### CRIMES AGAINST PERSON ARRESTS

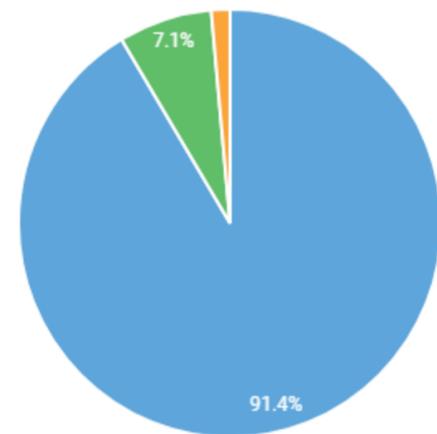
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■ Assaults 
 ■ Murder

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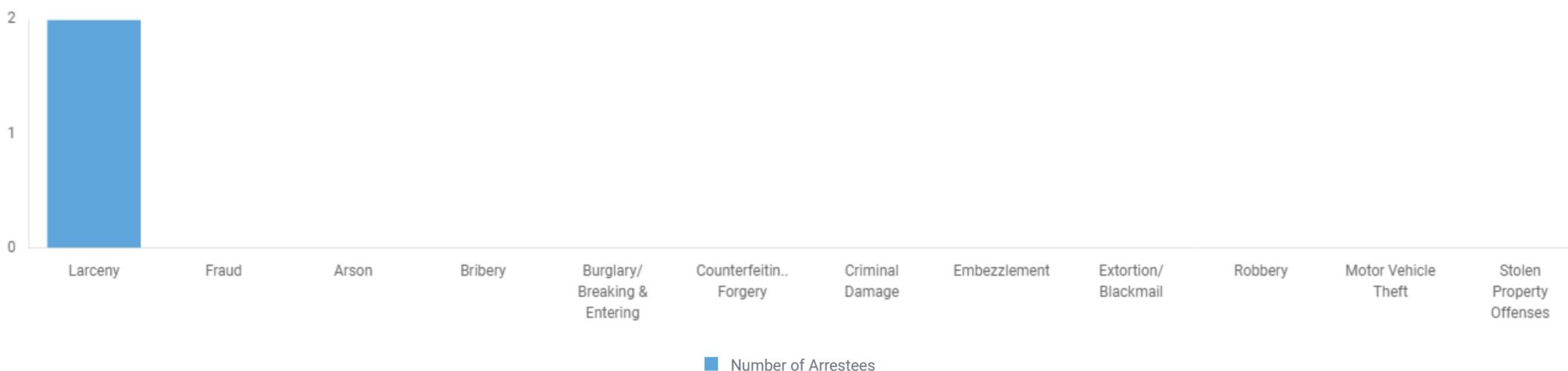
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■ Drug Crimes 
 ■ Weapon Law Violations 
 ■ Pornography/Obscene Material

### CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY ARRESTS

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■ Number of Arrestees

## GROUP B ARRESTS

Group B offenses tend to be minor in nature. Only arrest information is tracked.

