

Twin Falls County Drug Trends



Population of Twin Falls County: 74,284

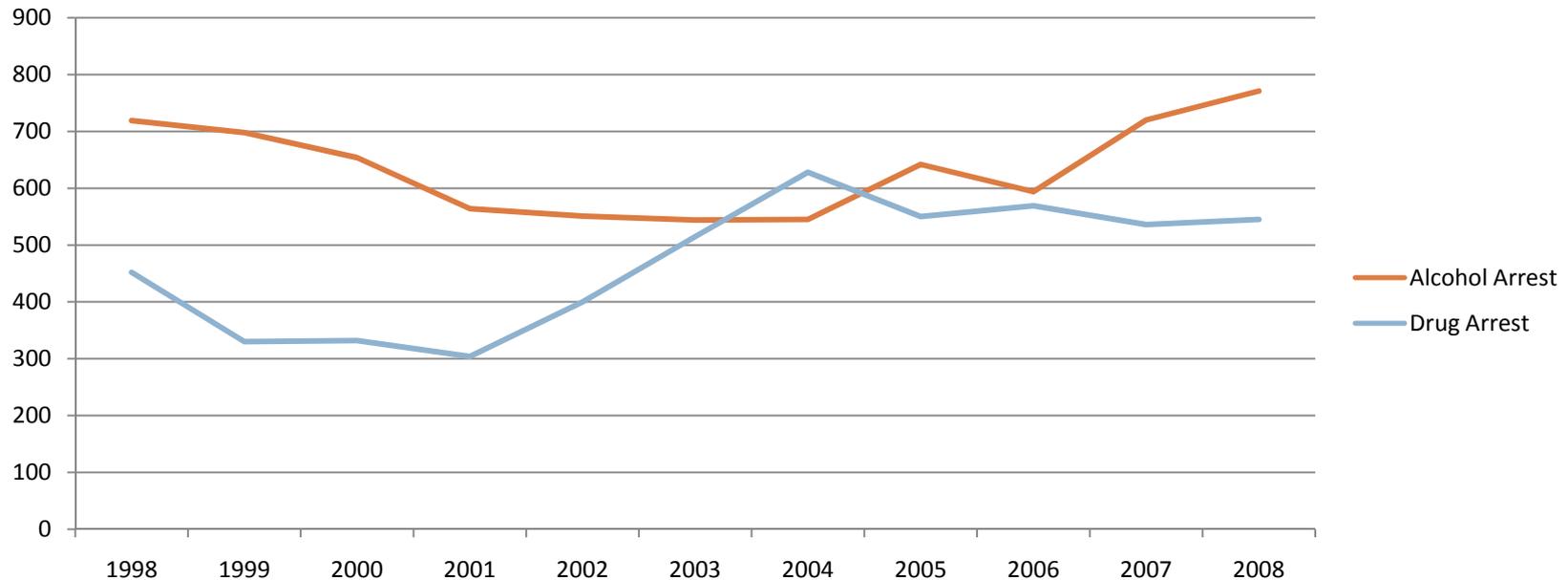
(US Census Bureau: 2008 Population Estimate)

Demographics:

- Gender: 49.6% Male; 50.4% Female
- Age: Median 35.0; 26.5% Under 18
- Race/Ethnicity: 93.4% White; 11.9% Hispanic
- Education: 82.7% High School or Above
- Median Household Income: \$41,760
- Families Below Poverty Level: 10.6%

(US Census: 2006-2008 American Community Survey)

Twin Falls County: Numbers of Drug and Alcohol Violation Arrests: 1998 - 2008



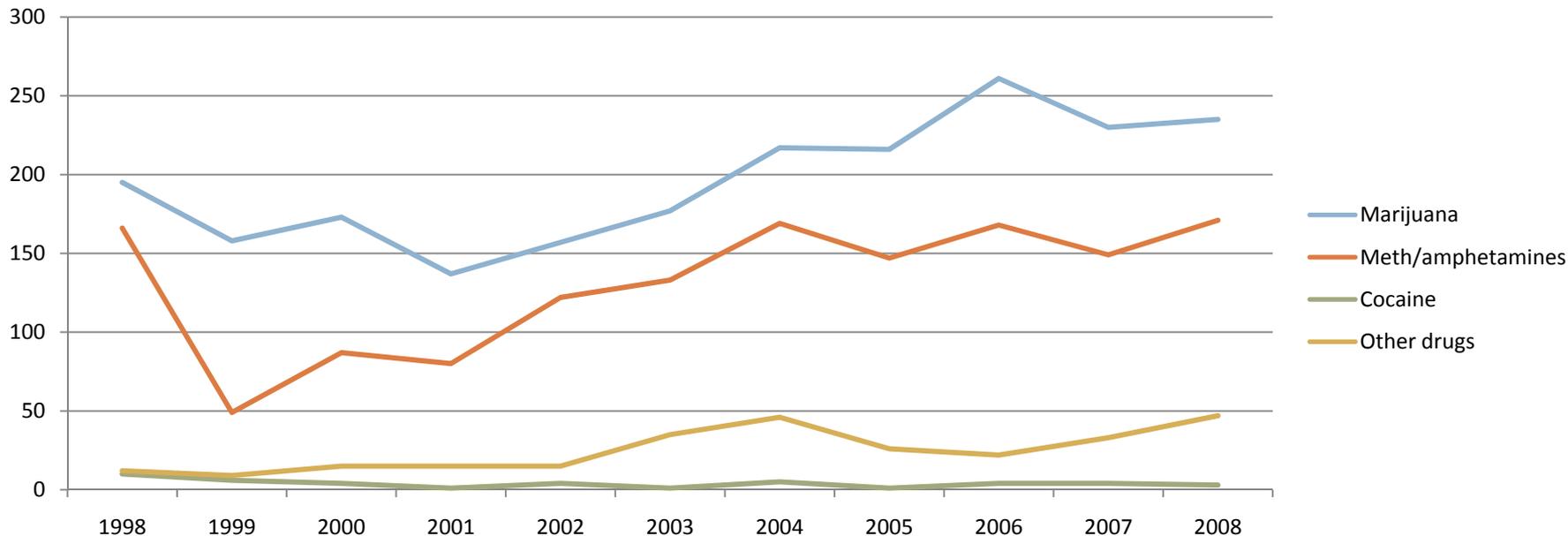
- Since 1998, Alcohol Violations arrests (including DUIs, Liquor Violation and Drunkenness) have fluctuated between 544 and 771, averaging 637 per year. There were 771 arrests in 2008.
- Drug arrests have fluctuated between 304 and 628 over the ten year period, averaging 469 arrests per year. There were 545 drug arrests in 2008.

Twin Falls County: Numbers of Drug and Alcohol Violation Arrests

Year	Drug Violation	Drug Equipment	DUI	Drunkenness	Liquor Violation	Other	Total
1998	329	123	432	3	284	2,486	3,657
1999	229	101	407	2	289	2,099	3,127
2000	239	93	419	2	233	2,367	3,353
2001	211	93	368	2	194	2,077	2,945
2002	282	118	373	5	173	2,022	2,973
2003	302	213	367	9	168	2,098	3,157
2004	384	244	416	3	126	1,858	3,031
2005	383	167	429	5	208	1,729	2,921
2006	388	181	453	5	136	1,747	2,910
2007	374	162	517	11	192	1,785	3,041
2008	398	147	553	2	216	1,987	3,303
Total	3,519	1,642	4,734	49	2,219	22,255	34,418

- Total arrests fluctuated between 2,945 and 3,657 over the ten year period, averaging 3,129 per year.
- Alcohol arrests represented 20.3% of total arrests from 1998 through 2008.
- Drug arrests represented 15.0% of total arrests from 1998 through 2008.

Twin Falls County, Type of Drug Related Arrest by Year: 1998-2008



- Marijuana was seized in more drug related arrests than any other drug. Marijuana was involved in 55.1% of all drug related seizure arrests between 1998 through 2008.
- Meth/amphetamine was involved in between 49 and 171 arrests per year. There were 171 meth arrests in 2008. Meth was involved in 36.8% of drug related seizure arrests between 1998 and 2008.
- Cocaine has fluctuated between 1 and 10 arrests per year. There were 3 arrests involving cocaine in 2008.

Twin Falls County: Amount of Drugs Seized by Type of Drug, 2008

Drug Type:	Amount Seized:
Crack/cocaine	9.8 gm
Cocaine	5.4 gm
Heroin	4.5 gm
Marijuana	7954.55 gm; 7 du
Other narcotics	24 gm
Other hallucinogens	5.3 gm
Meth/amphetamines	1269.65 gm; 7 du
Other drugs	33.8 gm; 11 du
Unknown	801.9 gm
Value of Drug Equipment Seized:	\$1,411