

## DATA SOURCE NOTES

The source of these data is the Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system maintained by the Division of Criminal Justice Services. CCH includes adult arrests for fingerprintable offenses (ages 16 and older; and juvenile offenders prosecuted in the adult courts) and the dispositions of those arrests.

The tables provide a summary of the outcomes of arrests based on the category of the most serious arrest charge. The unit of count is an 'arrest event' characterized by the most serious arrest charge in the event (i.e., one arrest event that contains 3 felony charges and 1 misdemeanor charge is counted as one felony arrest). The arrest categories include:

**Felony** : offenses for which a sentence to a term of imprisonment in excess of one year may be imposed (Penal Law Article 10.05).

**Violent Felony**: includes all charges listed under Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, kidnapping and predatory sexual assault.

**Drug Felony**: includes all felony charges listed under Penal Law Articles 220 (controlled substances) and 221 (marijuana).

**Misdemeanor**: offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment in excess of 15 days may be imposed, but for which a sentence to a term of imprisonment in excess of one year cannot be imposed (Penal Law Article 10.04).

The summaries are displayed according to the year in which the final disposition occurred, regardless of when the arrest actually occurred. For example, a 2014 arrest which resulted in a sentence in 2015 is displayed in the 2015 column.

Dispositions represent case outcomes reported to DCJS by the Office of Court Administration as of April 21, 2016.

Dispositions include convicted-sentenced, diverted and dismissed\*, covered by another case, dismissed-Adjourned in Contemplation of Dismissal (ACD) per CPL 170.55, dismissed-not ACD (or diverted), acquitted, District Attorney declined to prosecute, and other (including abated by defendant's death, unknown favorable disposition, and rendered non-New York State jurisdiction). Arrests with an interim disposition, or no disposition, or a conviction without a sentence are not considered disposed and are not included in the table. The percentages shown represent the proportion of total final dispositions.

The convictions shown include all convictions (felony, misdemeanor and non-criminal violations and infractions) that resulted from either plea bargains or trials, and may include convictions for offenses other than those charged at arrest (i.e., a felony arrest may result in conviction for a misdemeanor or violation). Sentences are shown by offense category and displayed separately for adults (non-Youthful Offenders) and for those adjudicated as Youthful Offenders per CPL Article 720. Sentences to prison, jail and probation represent court-imposed sanctions and not actual admissions or caseloads.

*\* Not all 'Diverted and dismissed' dispositions are reported to DCJS.*

NYS DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES

**JEFFERSON COUNTY  
ADULT ARRESTS DISPOSED**

Top Arrest Category		Disposition Year										
		2011		2012		2013		2014		2015		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Felony	Total Dispositions	621	100.0%	701	100.0%	762	100.0%	665	100.0%	613	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	561	90.3%	651	92.9%	690	90.6%	604	90.8%	543	88.6%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	30	4.8%	25	3.6%	27	3.5%	33	5.0%	38	6.2%	
	Dismissed-ACD	1	.2%	1	.1%	2	.3%	2	.3%	0	0.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	27	4.3%	23	3.3%	43	5.6%	26	3.9%	31	5.1%	
	Acquitted	2	.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	0	0.0%	1	.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	259	41.7%	309	44.1%	314	41.2%	286	43.0%	286	46.7%
		Misdemeanors	242	39.0%	253	36.1%	294	38.6%	255	38.3%	216	35.2%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	20	3.2%	38	5.4%	38	5.0%	18	2.7%	26	4.2%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	22	3.5%	25	3.6%	14	1.8%	28	4.2%	5	.8%
		Misdemeanors	18	2.9%	26	3.7%	30	3.9%	16	2.4%	10	1.6%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	.2%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	99	15.9%	129	18.4%	128	16.8%	120	18.0%	135	22.0%
		Jail	36	5.8%	49	7.0%	56	7.3%	33	5.0%	28	4.6%
		Time Served	22	3.5%	36	5.1%	59	7.7%	36	5.4%	48	7.8%
		Jail+Probation	118	19.0%	119	17.0%	124	16.3%	113	17.0%	99	16.2%
		Probation	175	28.2%	180	25.7%	175	23.0%	183	27.5%	132	21.5%
Fine		39	6.3%	72	10.3%	60	7.9%	38	5.7%	40	6.5%	
Cond Discharge		69	11.1%	65	9.3%	86	11.3%	78	11.7%	60	9.8%	
Other/Unknown		3	.5%	1	.1%	2	.3%	3	.5%	1	.2%	

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	133	100.0%	132	100.0%	133	100.0%	134	100.0%	102	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	115	86.5%	121	91.7%	119	89.5%	116	86.6%	90	88.2%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	9	6.8%	4	3.0%	5	3.8%	11	8.2%	7	6.9%	
	Dismissed-ACD	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	7	5.3%	7	5.3%	8	6.0%	7	5.2%	5	4.9%	
	Acquitted	2	1.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	50	37.6%	50	37.9%	60	45.1%	63	47.0%	50	49.0%
		Misdemeanors	50	37.6%	49	37.1%	39	29.3%	34	25.4%	31	30.4%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	5	3.8%	4	3.0%	7	5.3%	3	2.2%	5	4.9%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	8	6.0%	10	7.6%	5	3.8%	12	9.0%	2	2.0%
		Misdemeanors	2	1.5%	8	6.1%	8	6.0%	4	3.0%	2	2.0%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	25	18.8%	24	18.2%	23	17.3%	22	16.4%	33	32.4%
		Jail	6	4.5%	11	8.3%	7	5.3%	7	5.2%	5	4.9%
		Time Served	4	3.0%	8	6.1%	10	7.5%	7	5.2%	5	4.9%
Jail+Probation		26	19.5%	22	16.7%	27	20.3%	35	26.1%	20	19.6%	
Probation		35	26.3%	37	28.0%	38	28.6%	33	24.6%	15	14.7%	
Fine		5	3.8%	8	6.1%	4	3.0%	3	2.2%	5	4.9%	
Cond Discharge		14	10.5%	10	7.6%	10	7.5%	9	6.7%	6	5.9%	
Other/Unknown		0	0.0%	1	.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.0%	

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Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	118	100.0%	116	100.0%	146	100.0%	115	100.0%	118	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	111	94.1%	113	97.4%	142	97.3%	113	98.3%	115	97.5%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	4	3.4%	2	1.7%	1	.7%	2	1.7%	1	.8%	
	Dismissed-ACD	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	3	2.5%	0	0.0%	3	2.1%	0	0.0%	2	1.7%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	0	0.0%	1	.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	95	80.5%	93	80.2%	124	84.9%	99	86.1%	104	88.1%
		Misdemeanors	9	7.6%	9	7.8%	14	9.6%	11	9.6%	7	5.9%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	0	0.0%	1	.9%	1	.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	6	5.1%	6	5.2%	2	1.4%	2	1.7%	3	2.5%
		Misdemeanors	1	.8%	4	3.4%	1	.7%	1	.9%	1	.8%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	41	34.7%	52	44.8%	63	43.2%	56	48.7%	60	50.8%
		Jail	5	4.2%	8	6.9%	7	4.8%	3	2.6%	3	2.5%
		Time Served	1	.8%	5	4.3%	6	4.1%	4	3.5%	5	4.2%
		Jail+Probation	45	38.1%	32	27.6%	45	30.8%	32	27.8%	32	27.1%
		Probation	17	14.4%	13	11.2%	15	10.3%	15	13.0%	9	7.6%
Fine		1	.8%	3	2.6%	3	2.1%	1	.9%	1	.8%	
Cond Discharge		1	.8%	0	0.0%	3	2.1%	2	1.7%	5	4.2%	
Other/Unknown		0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	

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Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	2,003	100.0%	2,069	100.0%	1,722	100.0%	1,629	100.0%	1,769	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	1,564	78.1%	1,715	82.9%	1,350	78.4%	1,271	78.0%	1,417	80.1%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	35	1.7%	33	1.6%	47	2.7%	35	2.1%	47	2.7%	
	Dismissed-ACD	191	9.5%	155	7.5%	192	11.1%	208	12.8%	147	8.3%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	201	10.0%	160	7.7%	126	7.3%	107	6.6%	144	8.1%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	1	.0%	1	.1%	1	.1%	1	.1%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	2	.1%	0	0.0%	3	.2%	0	0.0%	1	.1%	
	Other	10	.5%	5	.2%	3	.2%	7	.4%	12	.7%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	6	.3%	14	.7%	10	.6%	12	.7%	9	.5%
		Misdemeanors	692	34.5%	737	35.6%	637	37.0%	667	40.9%	696	39.3%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	785	39.2%	893	43.2%	655	38.0%	542	33.3%	664	37.5%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	78	3.9%	65	3.1%	46	2.7%	47	2.9%	42	2.4%
		Unknown	3	.1%	6	.3%	2	.1%	3	.2%	6	.3%
	Sentences to:	Prison	0	0.0%	6	.3%	2	.1%	4	.2%	0	0.0%
		Jail	119	5.9%	102	4.9%	82	4.8%	115	7.1%	100	5.7%
		Time Served	75	3.7%	147	7.1%	126	7.3%	81	5.0%	121	6.8%
		Jail+Probation	18	.9%	13	.6%	7	.4%	14	.9%	15	.8%
		Probation	117	5.8%	110	5.3%	112	6.5%	124	7.6%	139	7.9%
Fine		748	37.3%	1,003	48.5%	724	42.0%	593	36.4%	634	35.8%	
Cond Discharge		446	22.3%	322	15.6%	295	17.1%	339	20.8%	399	22.6%	
Other/Unknown		41	2.0%	12	.6%	2	.1%	1	.1%	9	.5%	

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