

Disposed Adult Arrests Data Source Notes

The attached disposition data is derived from the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system. CCH contains adult arrests and dispositions for offenses where fingerprints are required to be taken (Criminal Procedure Law 160.10). Arrest information is submitted by police agencies via a fingerprint transaction and disposition information is electronically transmitted to DCJS by the Office of Court Administration. For calendar years up to and including 2017, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. Dispositions of arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds on or after October 1, 2018 are not included as these arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age Legislation. Dispositions of felony arrests committed by 16 year olds and handled in the Youth Part of criminal court are included in these counts.

Dispositions are categorized by the most serious charge reported at the time of arrest. For example, if an individual was charged with a felony and a misdemeanor in connection with the same crime, a single disposition outcome would be displayed and would be categorized as a felony. **Outcomes are shown only for arrests that have reached a final disposition. Arrests with no disposition, an interim disposition, or a conviction without a sentence are not considered fully disposed and are not displayed.** Disposed arrests are categorized by the following arrest types:

- **Felony:** Offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than one year may be imposed (Penal Law Article 10.05).
- **Violent Felony:** A subset of the felony category that 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:** A subset of the felony category that includes all felony charges listed under Penal Law Article 220 (Controlled Substances) and Article 221 (Marijuana).
- **Misdemeanor:** Offenses, other than traffic infractions, for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than 15 days but no more than one year can be imposed (Penal Law Article 10.04).

If an arrest resulted in a conviction, the table notes whether the conviction charge was a felony, misdemeanor, or non-criminal offense. Convictions may be the result of a plea bargain or a trial and may be for offenses other than what was charged at arrest (i.e., a felony arrest may result in conviction for a misdemeanor or violation. Conversely, charges can also be upgraded post-arrest). Convictions are further categorized as Adult Convictions and Youthful Offender Adjudications. Under state law, Youthful Offender status may be granted by a court to individuals who are 16, 17 or 18 years old. This results in the conviction being sealed, however, the individual may serve a period of incarceration as the result of the Youthful Offender Adjudication. Data is displayed according to the year in which the final disposition occurred, regardless of when the arrest occurred (i.e., an arrest from 2017 that was disposed in 2018 would be displayed in the 2018 column). For arrest events with multiple charges, the disposition shown is the most serious disposition. The following are final disposition types:

- **Convicted-Sentenced:** Cases resulting in a conviction, either by plea or trial, where a sentence has been imposed.
- **Diverted and Dismissed:** Cases dismissed after successful completion of a treatment/diversion program pursuant to CPL 400.10(04).
Note: Not all 'Diverted and dismissed' dispositions are reported to DCJS.
- **Covered by Another Case:** Cases resolved by a disposition (usually a guilty plea) in a separate case.
- **Dismissed-Adjourned in Contemplation of Dismissal (ACD):** Cases dismissed after a period of adjournment under CPL 170.55.
- **Dismissed-Not ACD:** Cases that were dismissed based on merit or procedure.
- **Acquitted:** Cases where the defendant was found not guilty after trial.
- **DA Declined to Prosecute:** Cases where the District Attorney declined to bring formal charges against the arrested individual.
Note: This disposition primarily occurs in the five counties/boroughs of New York City.
- **Other:** Cases abated by the defendant's death, other unknown favorable dispositions and cases where it was determined that New York State did not have jurisdiction.

Sentences to prison, jail, and probation represent court-imposed sanctions and not actual admissions or caseloads.

Note: All percentages, even in the sentence type section of the tables, represent the percentage/proportion of total disposed arrests for the year.

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**JEFFERSON COUNTY
ADULT ARRESTS DISPOSED**

Top Arrest Charge		Disposition Year										
		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Felony	Total Dispositions	680	100.0%	611	100.0%	619	100.0%	571	100.0%	645	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	618	90.9%	547	89.5%	552	89.2%	514	90.0%	578	89.6%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	33	4.9%	35	5.7%	20	3.2%	26	4.6%	34	5.3%	
	Dismissed-ACD	2	0.3%	0	0.0%	4	0.6%	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	26	3.8%	28	4.6%	42	6.8%	26	4.6%	30	4.7%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	
	Other	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%	3	0.5%	2	0.3%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	288	42.4%	283	46.3%	279	45.1%	242	42.4%	306	47.4%
		Misdemeanors	264	38.8%	222	36.3%	231	37.3%	221	38.7%	228	35.3%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	19	2.8%	26	4.3%	22	3.6%	20	3.5%	20	3.1%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	28	4.1%	5	0.8%	11	1.8%	16	2.8%	11	1.7%
		Misdemeanors	18	2.6%	11	1.8%	9	1.5%	15	2.6%	13	2.0%
		Unknown	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	120	17.6%	132	21.6%	137	22.1%	106	18.6%	118	18.3%
		Jail	33	4.9%	28	4.6%	27	4.4%	27	4.7%	33	5.1%
		Time Served	37	5.4%	48	7.9%	45	7.3%	40	7.0%	41	6.4%
		Jail+Probation	115	16.9%	100	16.4%	118	19.1%	105	18.4%	118	18.3%
		Probation	187	27.5%	135	22.1%	138	22.3%	136	23.8%	158	24.5%
		Fine	42	6.2%	41	6.7%	28	4.5%	27	4.7%	44	6.8%
		Cond Discharge	80	11.8%	62	10.1%	58	9.4%	70	12.3%	65	10.1%
		Other/Unknown	4	0.6%	1	0.2%	1	0.2%	3	0.5%	1	0.2%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	137	100.0%	98	100.0%	108	100.0%	93	100.0%	108	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	119	86.9%	89	90.8%	96	88.9%	86	92.5%	97	89.8%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	10	7.3%	6	6.1%	6	5.6%	1	1.1%	5	4.6%	
	Dismissed-ACD	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	7	5.1%	3	3.1%	6	5.6%	6	6.5%	4	3.7%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	1	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	63	46.0%	48	49.0%	52	48.1%	35	37.6%	53	49.1%
		Misdemeanors	35	25.5%	32	32.7%	35	32.4%	36	38.7%	29	26.9%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	4	2.9%	5	5.1%	2	1.9%	3	3.2%	2	1.9%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	12	8.8%	2	2.0%	7	6.5%	6	6.5%	9	8.3%
		Misdemeanors	5	3.6%	2	2.0%	0	0.0%	6	6.5%	4	3.7%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	22	16.1%	30	30.6%	26	24.1%	25	26.9%	29	26.9%
		Jail	7	5.1%	5	5.1%	6	5.6%	6	6.5%	3	2.8%
		Time Served	7	5.1%	5	5.1%	4	3.7%	2	2.2%	3	2.8%
		Jail+Probation	37	27.0%	20	20.4%	22	20.4%	14	15.1%	27	25.0%
		Probation	32	23.4%	17	17.3%	29	26.9%	27	29.0%	22	20.4%
		Fine	3	2.2%	5	5.1%	1	0.9%	1	1.1%	4	3.7%
		Cond Discharge	10	7.3%	6	6.1%	8	7.4%	10	10.8%	9	8.3%
		Other/Unknown	1	0.7%	1	1.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.1%	0	0.0%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	118	100.0%	119	100.0%	124	100.0%	99	100.0%	143	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	116	98.3%	116	97.5%	121	97.6%	94	94.9%	130	90.9%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	2	1.7%	1	0.8%	1	0.8%	3	3.0%	6	4.2%	
	Dismissed-ACD	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	0	0.0%	2	1.7%	2	1.6%	2	2.0%	7	4.9%	
	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%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	99	83.9%	103	86.6%	110	88.7%	87	87.9%	117	81.8%
		Misdemeanors	13	11.0%	8	6.7%	10	8.1%	6	6.1%	11	7.7%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.7%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	2	1.7%	3	2.5%	1	0.8%	1	1.0%	1	0.7%
		Misdemeanors	2	1.7%	2	1.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	56	47.5%	59	49.6%	61	49.2%	47	47.5%	54	37.8%
		Jail	3	2.5%	3	2.5%	2	1.6%	2	2.0%	5	3.5%
		Time Served	5	4.2%	5	4.2%	3	2.4%	2	2.0%	11	7.7%
		Jail+Probation	32	27.1%	32	26.9%	44	35.5%	34	34.3%	39	27.3%
		Probation	16	13.6%	10	8.4%	8	6.5%	5	5.1%	13	9.1%
		Fine	2	1.7%	2	1.7%	2	1.6%	1	1.0%	2	1.4%
		Cond Discharge	2	1.7%	5	4.2%	1	0.8%	3	3.0%	6	4.2%
		Other/Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	1,720	100.0%	1,873	100.0%	1,735	100.0%	1,614	100.0%	1,346	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	1,333	77.5%	1,491	79.6%	1,306	75.3%	1,275	79.0%	1,094	81.3%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	33	1.9%	48	2.6%	53	3.1%	48	3.0%	34	2.5%	
	Dismissed-ACD	226	13.1%	164	8.8%	210	12.1%	151	9.4%	128	9.5%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	119	6.9%	156	8.3%	150	8.6%	134	8.3%	86	6.4%	
	Acquitted	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	
	Other	7	0.4%	12	0.6%	14	0.8%	5	0.3%	3	0.2%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	12	0.7%	9	0.5%	9	0.5%	8	0.5%	5	0.4%
		Misdemeanors	697	40.5%	737	39.3%	632	36.4%	601	37.2%	461	34.2%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	574	33.4%	693	37.0%	622	35.9%	631	39.1%	600	44.6%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%
		Misdemeanors	47	2.7%	43	2.3%	39	2.2%	33	2.0%	24	1.8%
		Unknown	3	0.2%	9	0.5%	2	0.1%	2	0.1%	3	0.2%
	Sentences to:	Prison	4	0.2%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%
		Jail	118	6.9%	112	6.0%	105	6.1%	94	5.8%	58	4.3%
		Time Served	85	4.9%	125	6.7%	111	6.4%	99	6.1%	77	5.7%
		Jail+Probation	14	0.8%	15	0.8%	10	0.6%	11	0.7%	7	0.5%
		Probation	128	7.4%	137	7.3%	111	6.4%	70	4.3%	74	5.5%
		Fine	620	36.0%	674	36.0%	639	36.8%	711	44.1%	647	48.1%
		Cond Discharge	362	21.0%	416	22.2%	319	18.4%	285	17.7%	222	16.5%
		Other/Unknown	2	0.1%	12	0.6%	9	0.5%	5	0.3%	6	0.4%

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