

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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**SARATOGA COUNTY
ADULT ARRESTS DISPOSED**

Top Arrest Charge		Disposition Year										
		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Felony	Total Dispositions	1,044	100.0%	880	100.0%	1,067	100.0%	987	100.0%	1,063	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	908	87.0%	770	87.5%	952	89.2%	863	87.4%	930	87.5%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	72	6.9%	54	6.1%	51	4.8%	56	5.7%	73	6.9%	
	Dismissed-ACD	35	3.4%	21	2.4%	25	2.3%	38	3.9%	31	2.9%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	23	2.2%	23	2.6%	29	2.7%	17	1.7%	18	1.7%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	2	0.2%	0	0.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	6	0.6%	11	1.3%	9	0.8%	11	1.1%	11	1.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	342	32.8%	253	28.8%	322	30.2%	294	29.8%	312	29.4%
		Misdemeanors	420	40.2%	385	43.8%	452	42.4%	395	40.0%	438	41.2%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	104	10.0%	104	11.8%	153	14.3%	131	13.3%	144	13.5%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	16	1.5%	7	0.8%	5	0.5%	8	0.8%	4	0.4%
		Misdemeanors	25	2.4%	20	2.3%	17	1.6%	35	3.5%	32	3.0%
		Unknown	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	146	14.0%	118	13.4%	170	15.9%	150	15.2%	147	13.8%
		Jail	167	16.0%	144	16.4%	170	15.9%	155	15.7%	147	13.8%
		Time Served	53	5.1%	42	4.8%	47	4.4%	36	3.6%	45	4.2%
		Jail+Probation	128	12.3%	98	11.1%	97	9.1%	101	10.2%	112	10.5%
		Probation	158	15.1%	126	14.3%	164	15.4%	155	15.7%	178	16.7%
		Fine	131	12.5%	139	15.8%	159	14.9%	149	15.1%	170	16.0%
		Cond Discharge	112	10.7%	86	9.8%	128	12.0%	104	10.5%	107	10.1%
		Other/Unknown	13	1.2%	17	1.9%	17	1.6%	13	1.3%	24	2.3%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	204	100.0%	138	100.0%	187	100.0%	182	100.0%	187	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	174	85.3%	120	87.0%	168	89.8%	151	83.0%	166	88.8%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	16	7.8%	7	5.1%	6	3.2%	15	8.2%	12	6.4%	
	Dismissed-ACD	7	3.4%	1	0.7%	2	1.1%	9	4.9%	6	3.2%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	4	2.0%	6	4.3%	8	4.3%	5	2.7%	2	1.1%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	1	0.7%	0	0.0%	2	1.1%	0	0.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	3	1.5%	3	2.2%	2	1.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:											
		Felonies	61	29.9%	39	28.3%	58	31.0%	59	32.4%	73	39.0%
		Misdemeanors	85	41.7%	55	39.9%	86	46.0%	61	33.5%	59	31.6%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	10	4.9%	14	10.1%	16	8.6%	11	6.0%	22	11.8%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:											
		Felonies	11	5.4%	6	4.3%	3	1.6%	5	2.7%	2	1.1%
		Misdemeanors	7	3.4%	6	4.3%	5	2.7%	15	8.2%	10	5.3%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:											
		Prison	38	18.6%	29	21.0%	38	20.3%	39	21.4%	47	25.1%
		Jail	30	14.7%	18	13.0%	41	21.9%	28	15.4%	22	11.8%
		Time Served	11	5.4%	9	6.5%	10	5.3%	4	2.2%	5	2.7%
		Jail+Probation	24	11.8%	12	8.7%	16	8.6%	15	8.2%	20	10.7%
		Probation	35	17.2%	25	18.1%	27	14.4%	31	17.0%	34	18.2%
		Fine	15	7.4%	11	8.0%	13	7.0%	19	10.4%	16	8.6%
		Cond Discharge	18	8.8%	13	9.4%	23	12.3%	14	7.7%	18	9.6%
		Other/Unknown	3	1.5%	3	2.2%	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	4	2.1%

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Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	146	100.0%	126	100.0%	187	100.0%	142	100.0%	152	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	141	96.6%	116	92.1%	180	96.3%	130	91.5%	134	88.2%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	2	1.4%	3	2.4%	5	2.7%	6	4.2%	11	7.2%	
	Dismissed-ACD	1	0.7%	3	2.4%	0	0.0%	2	1.4%	4	2.6%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	2	1.4%	2	1.6%	1	0.5%	3	2.1%	2	1.3%	
	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%	2	1.6%	1	0.5%	1	0.7%	1	0.7%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	75	51.4%	59	46.8%	76	40.6%	53	37.3%	41	27.0%
		Misdemeanors	41	28.1%	40	31.7%	66	35.3%	42	29.6%	68	44.7%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	22	15.1%	14	11.1%	36	19.3%	31	21.8%	20	13.2%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	1	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	1.4%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	2	1.4%	3	2.4%	2	1.1%	2	1.4%	5	3.3%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	45	30.8%	29	23.0%	56	29.9%	39	27.5%	22	14.5%
		Jail	16	11.0%	13	10.3%	22	11.8%	12	8.5%	18	11.8%
		Time Served	8	5.5%	5	4.0%	10	5.3%	10	7.0%	12	7.9%
		Jail+Probation	20	13.7%	18	14.3%	7	3.7%	10	7.0%	8	5.3%
		Probation	12	8.2%	18	14.3%	18	9.6%	12	8.5%	14	9.2%
		Fine	17	11.6%	22	17.5%	34	18.2%	25	17.6%	36	23.7%
		Cond Discharge	19	13.0%	9	7.1%	24	12.8%	16	11.3%	14	9.2%
		Other/Unknown	4	2.7%	2	1.6%	9	4.8%	6	4.2%	10	6.6%

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Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	2,851	100.0%	2,803	100.0%	2,959	100.0%	2,793	100.0%	2,896	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	2,137	75.0%	2,035	72.6%	2,163	73.1%	2,132	76.3%	2,226	76.9%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	106	3.7%	106	3.8%	105	3.5%	123	4.4%	131	4.5%	
	Dismissed-ACD	490	17.2%	481	17.2%	557	18.8%	447	16.0%	434	15.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	96	3.4%	144	5.1%	95	3.2%	47	1.7%	69	2.4%	
	Acquitted	1	0.0%	4	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	21	0.7%	32	1.1%	39	1.3%	44	1.6%	34	1.2%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	12	0.4%	3	0.1%	5	0.2%	3	0.1%	6	0.2%
		Misdemeanors	811	28.4%	795	28.4%	816	27.6%	773	27.7%	830	28.7%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	1,281	44.9%	1,210	43.2%	1,322	44.7%	1,330	47.6%	1,352	46.7%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	26	0.9%	23	0.8%	17	0.6%	24	0.9%	32	1.1%
		Unknown	5	0.2%	4	0.1%	3	0.1%	2	0.1%	6	0.2%
	Sentences to:	Prison	4	0.1%	2	0.1%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%
		Jail	261	9.2%	248	8.8%	230	7.8%	220	7.9%	194	6.7%
		Time Served	102	3.6%	104	3.7%	113	3.8%	101	3.6%	96	3.3%
		Jail+Probation	16	0.6%	11	0.4%	23	0.8%	14	0.5%	11	0.4%
		Probation	88	3.1%	78	2.8%	83	2.8%	65	2.3%	83	2.9%
		Fine	1,262	44.3%	1,239	44.2%	1,342	45.4%	1,372	49.1%	1,399	48.3%
		Cond Discharge	303	10.6%	288	10.3%	286	9.7%	274	9.8%	340	11.7%
		Other/Unknown	101	3.5%	65	2.3%	85	2.9%	86	3.1%	99	3.4%

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