

## 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.**

NYS DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY  
ADULT ARRESTS DISPOSED**

Top Arrest Charge		Disposition Year										
		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Felony	Total Dispositions	678	100.0%	558	100.0%	766	100.0%	657	100.0%	574	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	487	71.8%	409	73.3%	546	71.3%	465	70.8%	418	72.8%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	73	10.8%	71	12.7%	99	12.9%	99	15.1%	78	13.6%	
	Dismissed-ACD	24	3.5%	31	5.6%	31	4.0%	45	6.8%	21	3.7%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	87	12.8%	37	6.6%	79	10.3%	40	6.1%	41	7.1%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	3	0.5%	1	0.1%	1	0.2%	2	0.3%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	2	0.3%	1	0.2%	1	0.1%	1	0.2%	2	0.3%	
	Other	5	0.7%	6	1.1%	9	1.2%	6	0.9%	12	2.1%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	193	28.5%	166	29.7%	211	27.5%	162	24.7%	166	28.9%
		Misdemeanors	209	30.8%	175	31.4%	245	32.0%	227	34.6%	188	32.8%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	50	7.4%	48	8.6%	65	8.5%	54	8.2%	51	8.9%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	12	1.8%	5	0.9%	11	1.4%	12	1.8%	3	0.5%
		Misdemeanors	23	3.4%	14	2.5%	13	1.7%	9	1.4%	10	1.7%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	1	0.2%	1	0.1%	1	0.2%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	94	13.9%	93	16.7%	83	10.8%	74	11.3%	103	17.9%
		Jail	67	9.9%	51	9.1%	101	13.2%	103	15.7%	67	11.7%
		Time Served	6	0.9%	6	1.1%	12	1.6%	7	1.1%	5	0.9%
		Jail+Probation	55	8.1%	29	5.2%	27	3.5%	34	5.2%	19	3.3%
		Probation	126	18.6%	99	17.7%	164	21.4%	96	14.6%	85	14.8%
		Fine	97	14.3%	105	18.8%	123	16.1%	121	18.4%	127	22.1%
		Cond Discharge	36	5.3%	22	3.9%	32	4.2%	26	4.0%	11	1.9%
		Other/Unknown	6	0.9%	4	0.7%	4	0.5%	4	0.6%	1	0.2%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	141	100.0%	113	100.0%	146	100.0%	119	100.0%	99	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	106	75.2%	77	68.1%	93	63.7%	85	71.4%	74	74.7%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	10	7.1%	17	15.0%	25	17.1%	15	12.6%	13	13.1%	
	Dismissed-ACD	8	5.7%	4	3.5%	6	4.1%	11	9.2%	2	2.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	17	12.1%	11	9.7%	20	13.7%	6	5.0%	8	8.1%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	3	2.7%	1	0.7%	1	0.8%	1	1.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	1	0.7%	1	0.8%	1	1.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	50	35.5%	30	26.5%	36	24.7%	36	30.3%	36	36.4%
		Misdemeanors	36	25.5%	29	25.7%	36	24.7%	37	31.1%	22	22.2%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	11	7.8%	12	10.6%	12	8.2%	8	6.7%	10	10.1%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	4	2.8%	3	2.7%	5	3.4%	4	3.4%	1	1.0%
		Misdemeanors	5	3.5%	3	2.7%	3	2.1%	0	0.0%	5	5.1%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	28	19.9%	23	20.4%	25	17.1%	21	17.6%	26	26.3%
		Jail	17	12.1%	6	5.3%	20	13.7%	18	15.1%	11	11.1%
		Time Served	1	0.7%	1	0.9%	1	0.7%	3	2.5%	0	0.0%
		Jail+Probation	16	11.3%	5	4.4%	4	2.7%	8	6.7%	6	6.1%
		Probation	20	14.2%	15	13.3%	20	13.7%	12	10.1%	9	9.1%
		Fine	19	13.5%	23	20.4%	17	11.6%	16	13.4%	20	20.2%
		Cond Discharge	5	3.5%	3	2.7%	4	2.7%	5	4.2%	1	1.0%
		Other/Unknown	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	2	1.4%	2	1.7%	1	1.0%

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Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	124	100.0%	116	100.0%	179	100.0%	118	100.0%	127	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	89	71.8%	89	76.7%	144	80.4%	79	66.9%	85	66.9%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	13	10.5%	12	10.3%	21	11.7%	22	18.6%	21	16.5%	
	Dismissed-ACD	2	1.6%	6	5.2%	3	1.7%	6	5.1%	9	7.1%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	18	14.5%	6	5.2%	11	6.1%	9	7.6%	8	6.3%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	0	0.0%	1	0.8%	0	0.0%	
	Other	2	1.6%	2	1.7%	0	0.0%	1	0.8%	4	3.1%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	48	38.7%	66	56.9%	92	51.4%	43	36.4%	53	41.7%
		Misdemeanors	28	22.6%	17	14.7%	38	21.2%	22	18.6%	30	23.6%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	8	6.5%	4	3.4%	10	5.6%	7	5.9%	2	1.6%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	2	1.6%	0	0.0%	3	1.7%	5	4.2%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	3	2.4%	2	1.7%	1	0.6%	2	1.7%	0	0.0%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	27	21.8%	39	33.6%	34	19.0%	21	17.8%	36	28.3%
		Jail	6	4.8%	6	5.2%	14	7.8%	18	15.3%	16	12.6%
		Time Served	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	4	2.2%	2	1.7%	0	0.0%
		Jail+Probation	10	8.1%	4	3.4%	5	2.8%	5	4.2%	2	1.6%
		Probation	24	19.4%	25	21.6%	62	34.6%	21	17.8%	18	14.2%
		Fine	15	12.1%	12	10.3%	20	11.2%	10	8.5%	12	9.4%
		Cond Discharge	5	4.0%	2	1.7%	5	2.8%	2	1.7%	1	0.8%
		Other/Unknown	2	1.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

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Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	1,460	100.0%	1,272	100.0%	1,646	100.0%	1,318	100.0%	1,379	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	823	56.4%	702	55.2%	887	53.9%	613	46.5%	757	54.9%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	161	11.0%	170	13.4%	252	15.3%	263	20.0%	283	20.5%	
	Dismissed-ACD	296	20.3%	256	20.1%	272	16.5%	283	21.5%	208	15.1%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	158	10.8%	127	10.0%	199	12.1%	129	9.8%	93	6.7%	
	Acquitted	2	0.1%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	7	0.5%	1	0.1%	7	0.4%	3	0.2%	9	0.7%	
	Other	12	0.8%	15	1.2%	29	1.8%	26	2.0%	29	2.1%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	4	0.3%	4	0.3%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	252	17.3%	271	21.3%	200	12.2%	205	15.6%	183	13.3%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	555	38.0%	408	32.1%	663	40.3%	401	30.4%	563	40.8%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	10	0.7%	13	1.0%	14	0.9%	4	0.3%	8	0.6%
		Unknown	1	0.1%	6	0.5%	9	0.5%	2	0.2%	3	0.2%
	Sentences to:	Prison	3	0.2%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%
		Jail	57	3.9%	63	5.0%	46	2.8%	48	3.6%	45	3.3%
		Time Served	10	0.7%	0	0.0%	9	0.5%	15	1.1%	12	0.9%
		Jail+Probation	1	0.1%	4	0.3%	4	0.2%	2	0.2%	1	0.1%
		Probation	37	2.5%	47	3.7%	28	1.7%	21	1.6%	13	0.9%
		Fine	644	44.1%	489	38.4%	726	44.1%	476	36.1%	639	46.3%
		Cond Discharge	57	3.9%	81	6.4%	61	3.7%	40	3.0%	37	2.7%
		Other/Unknown	14	1.0%	17	1.3%	13	0.8%	10	0.8%	10	0.7%

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