Disposed Adult Arrest Demographics Data Source Notes

The attached disposition data is derived from the New York State criminal history records database maintained by the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) and known as the 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 to DCJS by police agencies via a fingerprint transaction and disposition information is electronically transmitted to DCJS by the Office of Court Administration. Race/ethnicity information is recorded by police and transmitted to DCJS as part of the fingerprint transaction. Four categories of race/ethnicity are displayed: White, Black, Hispanic, and Other. All arrestees of Hispanic ethnicity, regardless of race, are included in the Hispanic category. The White, Black, and Other categories include only persons of non-Hispanic origin. Arrests counts include adult arrests for finger-printable offenses only. Arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds after September 30, 2018 are not included.

Disposition outcomes 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 resulting from a single event, a single disposition outcome would be displayed and the event would be categorized as a felony. Final disposition outcomes are shown for the following arrest categories:

- 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).

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.

Convictions may be the result of a plea bargain or a trial 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. Conversely, charges can also be upgraded post-arrest). Adult (non-Youthful Offender) convictions are shown separately from individuals adjudicated as Youthful Offenders per CPL Article 720. Data is displayed according to the year in which the final disposition occurred, regardless of when the arrest actually occurred (i.e., An arrest occurring in 2015 that was disposed in 2017 would be displayed in the 2017 column). For arrest events with multiple charges, the disposition shown is the most serious disposition. Final disposition types include:

- 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 that not all 'Diverted and dismissed' dispositions are reported to DCJS.
- Covered by Another Case: Cases covered by a disposition (usually a plea) from a separate case.
- Dismissed-Adjourned in Contemplation of Dismissal (ACD): Cases dismissed after a period of adjournment per 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 defendant.
- Other: Includes cases abated by the defendant's death, 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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				Race/Ethnicity										
Top Arrest Charge Felony			White		Bla	ck	Hispanic		Other		Total			
			Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%		
	Total Dispositions		874	100.0%	118	100.0%	61	100.0%	16	100.0%	1,069	100.0%		
	Convicted-Sentenced		757	86.6%	108	91.5%	57	93.4%	11	68.8%	933	87.3%		
	Diverted and D	Diverted and Dismissed		0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%		
	Covered by An	other Case	70	8.0%	3	2.5%	2	3.3%	2	12.5%	77	7.2%		
	Dismissed-ACI)	25	2.9%	2	1.7%	1	1.6%	2	12.5%	30	2.8%		
	Dismissed-Not	ACD	13	1.5%	5	4.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	18	1.7%		
	Acquitted		0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%		
	DA Declined to	DA Declined to Prosecute		0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%		
	Other	Other		1.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.6%	1	6.3%	11	1.0%		
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	257	29.4%	31	26.3%	20	32.8%	4	25.0%	312	29.2%		
		Misdemeanors	349	39.9%	61	51.7%	25	41.0%	3	18.8%	438	41.0%		
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	119	13.6%	14	11.9%	11	18.0%	4	25.0%	148	13.8%		
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	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	4	0.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.4%		
		Misdemeanors	28	3.2%	2	1.7%	1	1.6%	0	0.0%	31	2.9%		
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%		
	Sentences to:	Prison	122	14.0%	15	12.7%	8	13.1%	2	12.5%	147	13.8%		
		Jail	116	13.3%	21	17.8%	13	21.3%	0	0.0%	150	14.0%		
		Time Served	31	3.5%	10	8.5%	4	6.6%	0	0.0%	45	4.2%		
		Jail+Probation	96	11.0%	9	7.6%	4	6.6%	3	18.8%	112	10.5%		
		Probation	152	17.4%	13	11.0%	8	13.1%	1	6.3%	174	16.3%		
		Fine	139	15.9%	19	16.1%	11	18.0%	4	25.0%	173	16.2%		
		Cond Discharge	84	9.6%	16	13.6%	7	11.5%	1	6.3%	108	10.1%		
		Other/Unknown	17	1.9%	5	4.2%	2	3.3%	0	0.0%	24	2.2%		

Top Arrest Charge			Race/Ethnicity										
			White		Bla	ck	Hispanic		Other		Total		
			N	%	Ν	%	N	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions		160	100.0%	11	100.0%	9	100.0%	6	100.0%	186	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced		142	88.8%	11	100.0%	8	88.9%	4	66.7%	165	88.7%	
	Diverted and Dismissed		0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by An	other Case	9	5.6%	0	0.0%	1	11.1%	2	33.3%	12	6.5%	
	Dismissed-ACI)	6	3.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	3.2%	
	Dismissed-Not	ACD	2	1.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	1.1%	
	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		1	0.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	
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	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	63	39.4%	5	45.5%	3	33.3%	2	33.3%	73	39.2%	
		Misdemeanors	51	31.9%	3	27.3%	4	44.4%	0	0.0%	58	31.2%	
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	17	10.6%	2	18.2%	1	11.1%	2	33.3%	22	11.8%	
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	2	1.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	1.1%	
		Misdemeanors	9	5.6%	1	9.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	10	5.4%	
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Sentences to:	Prison	39	24.4%	4	36.4%	3	33.3%	1	16.7%	47	25.3%	
		Jail	22	13.8%	1	9.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	23	12.4%	
		Time Served	3	1.9%	1	9.1%	1	11.1%	0	0.0%	5	2.7%	
		Jail+Probation	18	11.3%	1	9.1%	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	20	10.8%	
		Probation	31	19.4%	0	0.0%	1	11.1%	0	0.0%	32	17.2%	
		Fine	12	7.5%	1	9.1%	2	22.2%	1	16.7%	16	8.6%	
		Cond Discharge	14	8.8%	2	18.2%	1	11.1%	1	16.7%	18	9.7%	
		Other/Unknown	3	1.9%	1	9.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	2.2%	

Top Arrest			Race/Ethnicity										
			White		Bla	ck	Hispanic		Other		Total		
Charge			Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	
Drug Felony	Total Dispositions		114	100.0%	31	100.0%	9	100.0%	1	100.0%	155	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced		103	90.4%	26	83.9%	8	88.9%			137	88.4%	
	Diverted and D	Diverted and Dismissed		0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			0	0.0%	
	Covered by An	other Case	9	7.9%	2	6.5%	0	0.0%			11	7.1%	
	Dismissed-ACI		1	0.9%	2	6.5%	0	0.0%			4	2.6%	
	Dismissed-Not	ACD	1	0.9%	1	3.2%	0	0.0%			2	1.3%	
	Acquitted	Acquitted		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%	
	Other		0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	11.1%			1	0.6%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	25	21.9%	11	35.5%	5	55.6%			41	26.5%	
		Misdemeanors	53	46.5%	14	45.2%	2	22.2%			69	44.5%	
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	20	17.5%	1	3.2%	1	11.1%			22	14.2%	
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			0	0.0%	
		Misdemeanors	5	4.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			5	3.2%	
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			0	0.0%	
	Sentences to:	Prison	14	12.3%	6	19.4%	2	22.2%			22	14.2%	
		Jail	14	12.3%	3	9.7%	1	11.1%			18	11.6%	
		Time Served	9	7.9%	3	9.7%	0	0.0%			12	7.7%	
		Jail+Probation	5	4.4%	2	6.5%	1	11.1%			8	5.2%	
		Probation	11	9.6%	2	6.5%	1	11.1%			14	9.0%	
		Fine	32	28.1%	4	12.9%	2	22.2%			38	24.5%	
		Cond Discharge	12	10.5%	3	9.7%	0	0.0%			15	9.7%	
		Other/Unknown	6	5.3%	3	9.7%	1	11.1%			10	6.5%	

			Race/Ethnicity										
Top Arrest Charge			White		Bla	ck	Hispanic		Other		Total		
			Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	Ν	%	
Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions		2,547	100.0%	209	100.0%	105	100.0%	63	100.0%	2,924	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced		1,958	76.9%	159	76.1%	83	79.0%	41	65.1%	2,241	76.6%	
	Diverted and Dismissed		0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by An	other Case	128	5.0%	7	3.3%	1	1.0%	1	1.6%	137	4.7%	
	Dismissed-ACI)	382	15.0%	26	12.4%	17	16.2%	19	30.2%	444	15.2%	
	Dismissed-Not	ACD	48	1.9%	14	6.7%	3	2.9%	2	3.2%	67	2.3%	
	Acquitted		2	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute		0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	Other		1.1%	3	1.4%	1	1.0%	0	0.0%	33	1.1%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	
		Misdemeanors	719	28.2%	72	34.4%	33	31.4%	10	15.9%	834	28.5%	
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	1,201	47.2%	81	38.8%	50	47.6%	31	49.2%	1,363	46.6%	
	Youthful Offender	Felonies	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Adjudications for:	Misdemeanors	28	1.1%	4	1.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	32	1.1%	
		Unknown	4	0.2%	2	1.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	
	Sentences to:	Prison	4	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%	
		Jail	175	6.9%	10	4.8%	10	9.5%	1	1.6%	196	6.7%	
		Time Served	74	2.9%	18	8.6%	4	3.8%	0	0.0%	96	3.3%	
		Jail+Probation	9	0.4%	1	0.5%	1	1.0%	0	0.0%	11	0.4%	
		Probation	76	3.0%	3	1.4%	2	1.9%	0	0.0%	81	2.8%	
		Fine	1,256	49.3%	76	36.4%	47	44.8%	31	49.2%	1,410	48.2%	
		Cond Discharge	286	11.2%	37	17.7%	15	14.3%	5	7.9%	343	11.7%	
		Other/Unknown	78	3.1%	14	6.7%	4	3.8%	4	6.3%	100	3.4%	