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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New York County
Adult Arrests Disposed by Race/Ethnicity: 2018

Top Arrest Charge		Race/Ethnicity									
		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Felony	Total Dispositions	1,791	100.0%	8,164	100.0%	5,712	100.0%	728	100.0%	16,395	100.0%
	Convicted-Sentenced	1,178	65.8%	5,382	65.9%	3,730	65.3%	440	60.4%	10,730	65.4%
	Diverted and Dismissed	17	0.9%	53	0.6%	30	0.5%	5	0.7%	105	0.6%
	Covered by Another Case	26	1.5%	150	1.8%	65	1.1%	10	1.4%	251	1.5%
	Dismissed-ACD	203	11.3%	359	4.4%	315	5.5%	87	12.0%	964	5.9%
	Dismissed-Not ACD	287	16.0%	1,809	22.2%	1,307	22.9%	162	22.3%	3,565	21.7%
	Acquitted	3	0.2%	50	0.6%	21	0.4%	3	0.4%	77	0.5%
	DA Declined to Prosecute	64	3.6%	312	3.8%	220	3.9%	16	2.2%	612	3.7%
	Other	13	0.7%	49	0.6%	24	0.4%	5	0.7%	91	0.6%
Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	320	17.9%	1,698	20.8%	1,336	23.4%	112	15.4%	3,466	21.1%
	Misdemeanors	476	26.6%	2,236	27.4%	1,327	23.2%	129	17.7%	4,168	25.4%
	Non-Criminal/Unknown	376	21.0%	1,303	16.0%	949	16.6%	196	26.9%	2,824	17.2%
Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	4	0.2%	104	1.3%	85	1.5%	3	0.4%	196	1.2%
	Misdemeanors	2	0.1%	41	0.5%	32	0.6%	0	0.0%	75	0.5%
	Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Sentences to:	Prison	132	7.4%	1,068	13.1%	801	14.0%	55	7.6%	2,056	12.5%
	Jail	233	13.0%	1,148	14.1%	660	11.6%	37	5.1%	2,078	12.7%
	Time Served	244	13.6%	1,265	15.5%	766	13.4%	110	15.1%	2,385	14.5%
	Jail+Probation	20	1.1%	80	1.0%	70	1.2%	10	1.4%	180	1.1%
	Probation	84	4.7%	386	4.7%	350	6.1%	46	6.3%	866	5.3%
	Fine	30	1.7%	136	1.7%	151	2.6%	20	2.7%	337	2.1%
	Cond Discharge	429	24.0%	1,287	15.8%	927	16.2%	158	21.7%	2,801	17.1%
	Other/Unknown	6	0.3%	12	0.1%	5	0.1%	4	0.5%	27	0.2%

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Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/23/2019).

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Adult Arrests Disposed by Race/Ethnicity: 2018

Top Arrest Charge		Race/Ethnicity									
		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	334	100.0%	1,957	100.0%	1,320	100.0%	164	100.0%	3,775	100.0%
	Convicted-Sentenced	172	51.5%	1,059	54.1%	673	51.0%	62	37.8%	1,966	52.1%
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.6%	1	0.0%
	Covered by Another Case	3	0.9%	26	1.3%	14	1.1%	1	0.6%	44	1.2%
	Dismissed-ACD	50	15.0%	66	3.4%	66	5.0%	17	10.4%	199	5.3%
	Dismissed-Not ACD	94	28.1%	688	35.2%	496	37.6%	78	47.6%	1,356	35.9%
	Acquitted	1	0.3%	23	1.2%	10	0.8%	2	1.2%	36	1.0%
	DA Declined to Prosecute	11	3.3%	77	3.9%	56	4.2%	2	1.2%	146	3.9%
	Other	3	0.9%	18	0.9%	5	0.4%	1	0.6%	27	0.7%
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for: Felonies	50	15.0%	448	22.9%	288	21.8%	23	14.0%	809	21.4%
	Misdemeanors	58	17.4%	322	16.5%	173	13.1%	13	7.9%	566	15.0%
	Non-Criminal/Unknown	62	18.6%	209	10.7%	149	11.3%	26	15.9%	446	11.8%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for: Felonies	1	0.3%	62	3.2%	52	3.9%	0	0.0%	115	3.0%
	Misdemeanors	1	0.3%	18	0.9%	11	0.8%	0	0.0%	30	0.8%
	Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to: Prison	30	9.0%	376	19.2%	225	17.0%	18	11.0%	649	17.2%
	Jail	25	7.5%	216	11.0%	109	8.3%	3	1.8%	353	9.4%
	Time Served	31	9.3%	156	8.0%	91	6.9%	17	10.4%	295	7.8%
	Jail+Probation	8	2.4%	23	1.2%	22	1.7%	2	1.2%	55	1.5%
	Probation	10	3.0%	65	3.3%	66	5.0%	3	1.8%	144	3.8%
	Fine	3	0.9%	0	0.0%	2	0.2%	0	0.0%	5	0.1%
	Cond Discharge	65	19.5%	220	11.2%	157	11.9%	19	11.6%	461	12.2%
	Other/Unknown	0	0.0%	3	0.2%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%

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New York County
Adult Arrests Disposed by Race/Ethnicity: 2018

Top Arrest Charge		Race/Ethnicity									
		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	305	100.0%	1,491	100.0%	1,348	100.0%	78	100.0%	3,222	100.0%
	Convicted-Sentenced	226	74.1%	1,117	74.9%	1,017	75.4%	61	78.2%	2,421	75.1%
	Diverted and Dismissed	14	4.6%	40	2.7%	27	2.0%	3	3.8%	84	2.6%
	Covered by Another Case	0	0.0%	10	0.7%	8	0.6%	0	0.0%	18	0.6%
	Dismissed-ACD	26	8.5%	33	2.2%	43	3.2%	7	9.0%	109	3.4%
	Dismissed-Not ACD	27	8.9%	240	16.1%	218	16.2%	5	6.4%	490	15.2%
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	14	0.9%	7	0.5%	0	0.0%	21	0.7%
	DA Declined to Prosecute	8	2.6%	31	2.1%	23	1.7%	2	2.6%	64	2.0%
	Other	4	1.3%	6	0.4%	5	0.4%	0	0.0%	15	0.5%
Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	82	26.9%	518	34.7%	604	44.8%	27	34.6%	1,231	38.2%
	Misdemeanors	100	32.8%	457	30.7%	274	20.3%	15	19.2%	846	26.3%
	Non-Criminal/Unknown	41	13.4%	129	8.7%	125	9.3%	19	24.4%	314	9.7%
Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	3	1.0%	8	0.5%	10	0.7%	0	0.0%	21	0.7%
	Misdemeanors	0	0.0%	5	0.3%	4	0.3%	0	0.0%	9	0.3%
	Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Sentences to:	Prison	25	8.2%	289	19.4%	348	25.8%	17	21.8%	679	21.1%
	Jail	63	20.7%	273	18.3%	175	13.0%	7	9.0%	518	16.1%
	Time Served	45	14.8%	252	16.9%	151	11.2%	15	19.2%	463	14.4%
	Jail+Probation	5	1.6%	18	1.2%	18	1.3%	2	2.6%	43	1.3%
	Probation	22	7.2%	126	8.5%	164	12.2%	5	6.4%	317	9.8%
	Fine	5	1.6%	16	1.1%	24	1.8%	2	2.6%	47	1.5%
	Cond Discharge	61	20.0%	142	9.5%	136	10.1%	13	16.7%	352	10.9%
	Other/Unknown	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	6,656	100.0%	18,850	100.0%	14,621	100.0%	2,261	100.0%	42,388	100.0%
	Convicted-Sentenced	2,377	35.7%	7,214	38.3%	4,920	33.7%	617	27.3%	15,128	35.7%
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Covered by Another Case	42	0.6%	144	0.8%	100	0.7%	10	0.4%	296	0.7%
	Dismissed-ACD	2,354	35.4%	5,742	30.5%	5,102	34.9%	926	41.0%	14,124	33.3%
	Dismissed-Not ACD	1,417	21.3%	4,553	24.2%	3,512	24.0%	485	21.5%	9,967	23.5%
	Acquitted	10	0.2%	33	0.2%	24	0.2%	6	0.3%	73	0.2%
	DA Declined to Prosecute	427	6.4%	1,091	5.8%	888	6.1%	208	9.2%	2,614	6.2%
	Other	29	0.4%	73	0.4%	75	0.5%	9	0.4%	186	0.4%
Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	27	0.4%	104	0.6%	73	0.5%	4	0.2%	208	0.5%
	Misdemeanors	1,238	18.6%	4,333	23.0%	2,506	17.1%	180	8.0%	8,257	19.5%
	Non-Criminal/Unknown	1,110	16.7%	2,756	14.6%	2,328	15.9%	432	19.1%	6,626	15.6%
Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	0	0.0%	6	0.0%	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	8	0.0%
	Misdemeanors	2	0.0%	14	0.1%	11	0.1%	0	0.0%	27	0.1%
	Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Sentences to:	Prison	11	0.2%	50	0.3%	27	0.2%	3	0.1%	91	0.2%
	Jail	286	4.3%	1,144	6.1%	635	4.3%	36	1.6%	2,101	5.0%
	Time Served	789	11.9%	2,776	14.7%	1,637	11.2%	159	7.0%	5,361	12.6%
	Jail+Probation	3	0.0%	14	0.1%	11	0.1%	1	0.0%	29	0.1%
	Probation	12	0.2%	44	0.2%	31	0.2%	5	0.2%	92	0.2%
	Fine	335	5.0%	535	2.8%	676	4.6%	167	7.4%	1,713	4.0%
	Cond Discharge	939	14.1%	2,643	14.0%	1,900	13.0%	245	10.8%	5,727	13.5%
	Other/Unknown	2	0.0%	8	0.0%	3	0.0%	1	0.0%	14	0.0%

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