

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. Race/ethnicity information is recorded by police 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. For calendar years up to and including 2017, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older.

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 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. 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

**Nassau County
Adult Arrests Disposed by Race/Ethnicity: 2017**

Top Arrest Charge		Race/Ethnicity										
		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Felony	Total Dispositions	1,584	100.0%	2,190	100.0%	1,059	100.0%	524	100.0%	5,357	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	1,258	79.4%	1,804	82.4%	863	81.5%	357	68.1%	4,282	79.9%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	40	2.5%	9	0.4%	8	0.8%	7	1.3%	64	1.2%	
	Covered by Another Case	25	1.6%	26	1.2%	21	2.0%	10	1.9%	82	1.5%	
	Dismissed-ACD	141	8.9%	158	7.2%	73	6.9%	112	21.4%	484	9.0%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	99	6.3%	173	7.9%	87	8.2%	34	6.5%	393	7.3%	
	Acquitted	2	0.1%	11	0.5%	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	16	0.3%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	19	1.2%	9	0.4%	4	0.4%	4	0.8%	36	0.7%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	354	22.3%	580	26.5%	296	28.0%	97	18.5%	1,327	24.8%
		Misdemeanors	472	29.8%	669	30.5%	261	24.6%	122	23.3%	1,524	28.4%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	405	25.6%	482	22.0%	257	24.3%	126	24.0%	1,270	23.7%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	14	0.9%	44	2.0%	34	3.2%	6	1.1%	98	1.8%
		Misdemeanors	13	0.8%	29	1.3%	15	1.4%	6	1.1%	63	1.2%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	106	6.7%	323	14.7%	122	11.5%	34	6.5%	585	10.9%
		Jail	205	12.9%	479	21.9%	185	17.5%	69	13.2%	938	17.5%
		Time Served	32	2.0%	73	3.3%	28	2.6%	9	1.7%	142	2.7%
		Jail+Probation	190	12.0%	189	8.6%	151	14.3%	43	8.2%	573	10.7%
		Probation	217	13.7%	189	8.6%	112	10.6%	44	8.4%	562	10.5%
		Fine	188	11.9%	194	8.9%	94	8.9%	55	10.5%	531	9.9%
		Cond Discharge	320	20.2%	352	16.1%	171	16.1%	101	19.3%	944	17.6%
		Other/Unknown	0	0.0%	5	0.2%	0	0.0%	2	0.4%	7	0.1%

Note: All percentages shown are based on total dispositions.
Disposition outcome is not shown if the Total Dispositions count is less than 5.
Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 04/20/2018).

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Top Arrest Charge		Race/Ethnicity										
		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	269	100.0%	534	100.0%	294	100.0%	101	100.0%	1,198	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	207	77.0%	414	77.5%	231	78.6%	78	77.2%	930	77.6%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	1	0.4%	2	0.4%	2	0.7%	0	0.0%	5	0.4%	
	Dismissed-ACD	27	10.0%	42	7.9%	22	7.5%	13	12.9%	104	8.7%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	26	9.7%	66	12.4%	34	11.6%	10	9.9%	136	11.4%	
	Acquitted	2	0.7%	10	1.9%	3	1.0%	0	0.0%	15	1.3%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	6	2.2%	0	0.0%	2	0.7%	0	0.0%	8	0.7%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	61	22.7%	170	31.8%	82	27.9%	22	21.8%	335	28.0%
		Misdemeanors	67	24.9%	107	20.0%	58	19.7%	24	23.8%	256	21.4%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	65	24.2%	94	17.6%	59	20.1%	27	26.7%	245	20.5%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	10	3.7%	33	6.2%	27	9.2%	4	4.0%	74	6.2%
		Misdemeanors	4	1.5%	10	1.9%	5	1.7%	1	1.0%	20	1.7%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	34	12.6%	133	24.9%	63	21.4%	14	13.9%	244	20.4%
		Jail	21	7.8%	85	15.9%	41	13.9%	14	13.9%	161	13.4%
		Time Served	5	1.9%	15	2.8%	6	2.0%	2	2.0%	28	2.3%
		Jail+Probation	27	10.0%	53	9.9%	28	9.5%	10	9.9%	118	9.8%
		Probation	51	19.0%	33	6.2%	31	10.5%	8	7.9%	123	10.3%
		Fine	18	6.7%	26	4.9%	15	5.1%	7	6.9%	66	5.5%
		Cond Discharge	51	19.0%	69	12.9%	47	16.0%	23	22.8%	190	15.9%
		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	%	
Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	382	100.0%	435	100.0%	164	100.0%	81	100.0%	1,062	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	317	83.0%	380	87.4%	143	87.2%	67	82.7%	907	85.4%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	39	10.2%	9	2.1%	7	4.3%	7	8.6%	62	5.8%	
	Covered by Another Case	3	0.8%	3	0.7%	5	3.0%	2	2.5%	13	1.2%	
	Dismissed-ACD	7	1.8%	9	2.1%	3	1.8%	3	3.7%	22	2.1%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	14	3.7%	32	7.4%	6	3.7%	1	1.2%	53	5.0%	
	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	2	0.5%	2	0.5%	0	0.0%	1	1.2%	5	0.5%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	81	21.2%	179	41.1%	54	32.9%	27	33.3%	341	32.1%
		Misdemeanors	141	36.9%	139	32.0%	53	32.3%	25	30.9%	358	33.7%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	88	23.0%	59	13.6%	33	20.1%	12	14.8%	192	18.1%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	2	0.5%	3	0.7%	1	0.6%	2	2.5%	8	0.8%
		Misdemeanors	5	1.3%	0	0.0%	2	1.2%	1	1.2%	8	0.8%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	34	8.9%	111	25.5%	28	17.1%	12	14.8%	185	17.4%
		Jail	66	17.3%	100	23.0%	41	25.0%	17	21.0%	224	21.1%
		Time Served	7	1.8%	14	3.2%	3	1.8%	1	1.2%	25	2.4%
		Jail+Probation	26	6.8%	34	7.8%	12	7.3%	8	9.9%	80	7.5%
		Probation	52	13.6%	35	8.0%	19	11.6%	11	13.6%	117	11.0%
		Fine	66	17.3%	36	8.3%	16	9.8%	10	12.3%	128	12.1%
		Cond Discharge	66	17.3%	50	11.5%	24	14.6%	8	9.9%	148	13.9%
		Other/Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

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Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	4,986	100.0%	3,309	100.0%	2,416	100.0%	1,120	100.0%	11,831	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	2,856	57.3%	1,891	57.1%	1,571	65.0%	591	52.8%	6,909	58.4%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	193	3.9%	132	4.0%	57	2.4%	16	1.4%	398	3.4%	
	Dismissed-ACD	1,465	29.4%	988	29.9%	640	26.5%	427	38.1%	3,520	29.8%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	392	7.9%	267	8.1%	130	5.4%	75	6.7%	864	7.3%	
	Acquitted	9	0.2%	7	0.2%	5	0.2%	2	0.2%	23	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	70	1.4%	24	0.7%	13	0.5%	9	0.8%	116	1.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	12	0.2%	8	0.2%	12	0.5%	2	0.2%	34	0.3%
		Misdemeanors	1,182	23.7%	834	25.2%	683	28.3%	202	18.0%	2,901	24.5%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	1,649	33.1%	1,039	31.4%	858	35.5%	383	34.2%	3,929	33.2%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	1	0.0%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	12	0.2%	7	0.2%	16	0.7%	4	0.4%	39	0.3%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	1	0.0%	2	0.1%	2	0.1%	1	0.1%	6	0.1%
		Jail	349	7.0%	451	13.6%	194	8.0%	56	5.0%	1,050	8.9%
		Time Served	50	1.0%	112	3.4%	50	2.1%	15	1.3%	227	1.9%
		Jail+Probation	141	2.8%	67	2.0%	78	3.2%	24	2.1%	310	2.6%
		Probation	363	7.3%	152	4.6%	214	8.9%	49	4.4%	778	6.6%
		Fine	1,375	27.6%	692	20.9%	803	33.2%	323	28.8%	3,193	27.0%
		Cond Discharge	573	11.5%	411	12.4%	226	9.4%	122	10.9%	1,332	11.3%
		Other/Unknown	4	0.1%	4	0.1%	4	0.2%	1	0.1%	13	0.1%

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