

## 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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**Suffolk 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	2,122	100.0%	1,584	100.0%	1,063	100.0%	113	100.0%	4,882	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	1,785	84.1%	1,340	84.6%	922	86.7%	86	76.1%	4,133	84.7%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	81	3.8%	47	3.0%	24	2.3%	3	2.7%	155	3.2%	
	Dismissed-ACD	79	3.7%	31	2.0%	28	2.6%	12	10.6%	150	3.1%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	142	6.7%	146	9.2%	79	7.4%	12	10.6%	379	7.8%	
	Acquitted	2	0.1%	2	0.1%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	5	0.1%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	
	Other	32	1.5%	18	1.1%	9	0.8%	0	0.0%	59	1.2%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	629	29.6%	596	37.6%	376	35.4%	22	19.5%	1,623	33.2%
		Misdemeanors	751	35.4%	473	29.9%	305	28.7%	31	27.4%	1,560	32.0%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	360	17.0%	200	12.6%	206	19.4%	28	24.8%	794	16.3%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	14	0.7%	29	1.8%	17	1.6%	3	2.7%	63	1.3%
		Misdemeanors	30	1.4%	42	2.7%	17	1.6%	2	1.8%	91	1.9%
		Unknown	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	221	10.4%	306	19.3%	129	12.1%	3	2.7%	659	13.5%
		Jail	373	17.6%	399	25.2%	253	23.8%	12	10.6%	1,037	21.2%
		Time Served	90	4.2%	103	6.5%	56	5.3%	3	2.7%	252	5.2%
		Jail+Probation	79	3.7%	43	2.7%	41	3.9%	0	0.0%	163	3.3%
		Probation	406	19.1%	184	11.6%	161	15.1%	26	23.0%	777	15.9%
		Fine	150	7.1%	62	3.9%	83	7.8%	17	15.0%	312	6.4%
		Cond Discharge	432	20.4%	232	14.6%	185	17.4%	22	19.5%	871	17.8%
		Other/Unknown	34	1.6%	11	0.7%	14	1.3%	3	2.7%	62	1.3%

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 07/23/2019).

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	339	100.0%	297	100.0%	237	100.0%	20	100.0%	893	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	299	88.2%	254	85.5%	213	89.9%	15	75.0%	781	87.5%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	5	1.5%	5	1.7%	2	0.8%	1	5.0%	13	1.5%	
	Dismissed-ACD	9	2.7%	6	2.0%	7	3.0%	1	5.0%	23	2.6%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	22	6.5%	25	8.4%	12	5.1%	3	15.0%	62	6.9%	
	Acquitted	1	0.3%	2	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.3%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Other	3	0.9%	5	1.7%	3	1.3%	0	0.0%	11	1.2%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	125	36.9%	104	35.0%	85	35.9%	6	30.0%	320	35.8%
		Misdemeanors	92	27.1%	65	21.9%	63	26.6%	4	20.0%	224	25.1%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	60	17.7%	50	16.8%	49	20.7%	3	15.0%	162	18.1%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	10	2.9%	16	5.4%	12	5.1%	2	10.0%	40	4.5%
		Misdemeanors	11	3.2%	19	6.4%	4	1.7%	0	0.0%	34	3.8%
		Unknown	1	0.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%
	Sentences to:	Prison	84	24.8%	78	26.3%	53	22.4%	3	15.0%	218	24.4%
		Jail	42	12.4%	50	16.8%	51	21.5%	4	20.0%	147	16.5%
		Time Served	9	2.7%	17	5.7%	18	7.6%	1	5.0%	45	5.0%
		Jail+Probation	11	3.2%	9	3.0%	11	4.6%	0	0.0%	31	3.5%
		Probation	64	18.9%	39	13.1%	35	14.8%	5	25.0%	143	16.0%
		Fine	14	4.1%	9	3.0%	12	5.1%	0	0.0%	35	3.9%
		Cond Discharge	69	20.4%	48	16.2%	31	13.1%	2	10.0%	150	16.8%
		Other/Unknown	6	1.8%	4	1.3%	2	0.8%	0	0.0%	12	1.3%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	239	100.0%	453	100.0%	159	100.0%	10	100.0%	861	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	215	90.0%	408	90.1%	140	88.1%	8	80.0%	771	89.5%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	5	2.1%	5	1.1%	4	2.5%	0	0.0%	14	1.6%	
	Dismissed-ACD	4	1.7%	2	0.4%	4	2.5%	2	20.0%	12	1.4%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	13	5.4%	35	7.7%	8	5.0%	0	0.0%	56	6.5%	
	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	0.8%	3	0.7%	3	1.9%	0	0.0%	8	0.9%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	96	40.2%	269	59.4%	81	50.9%	1	10.0%	447	51.9%
		Misdemeanors	88	36.8%	108	23.8%	41	25.8%	4	40.0%	241	28.0%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	27	11.3%	24	5.3%	18	11.3%	3	30.0%	72	8.4%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	0	0.0%	5	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	5	0.6%
		Misdemeanors	4	1.7%	2	0.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.7%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	52	21.8%	169	37.3%	40	25.2%	0	0.0%	261	30.3%
		Jail	29	12.1%	90	19.9%	33	20.8%	0	0.0%	152	17.7%
		Time Served	12	5.0%	17	3.8%	5	3.1%	0	0.0%	34	3.9%
		Jail+Probation	12	5.0%	13	2.9%	10	6.3%	0	0.0%	35	4.1%
		Probation	28	11.7%	43	9.5%	14	8.8%	1	10.0%	86	10.0%
		Fine	12	5.0%	7	1.5%	3	1.9%	1	10.0%	23	2.7%
		Cond Discharge	69	28.9%	67	14.8%	33	20.8%	4	40.0%	173	20.1%
		Other/Unknown	1	0.4%	2	0.4%	2	1.3%	2	20.0%	7	0.8%

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Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	7,877	100.0%	3,629	100.0%	3,634	100.0%	364	100.0%	15,504	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	4,942	62.7%	2,166	59.7%	2,210	60.8%	195	53.6%	9,513	61.4%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	783	9.9%	403	11.1%	276	7.6%	17	4.7%	1,479	9.5%	
	Dismissed-ACD	1,284	16.3%	561	15.5%	720	19.8%	118	32.4%	2,683	17.3%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	643	8.2%	430	11.8%	373	10.3%	28	7.7%	1,474	9.5%	
	Acquitted	14	0.2%	5	0.1%	2	0.1%	1	0.3%	22	0.1%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	4	0.1%	1	0.0%	2	0.1%	1	0.3%	8	0.1%	
	Other	207	2.6%	63	1.7%	51	1.4%	4	1.1%	325	2.1%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	26	0.3%	6	0.2%	17	0.5%	3	0.8%	52	0.3%
		Misdemeanors	2,340	29.7%	1,136	31.3%	958	26.4%	58	15.9%	4,492	29.0%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	2,538	32.2%	998	27.5%	1,213	33.4%	133	36.5%	4,882	31.5%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	4	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	34	0.4%	25	0.7%	16	0.4%	1	0.3%	76	0.5%
		Unknown	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%	0	0.0%	7	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	6	0.1%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	8	0.1%
		Jail	690	8.8%	510	14.1%	309	8.5%	10	2.7%	1,519	9.8%
		Time Served	235	3.0%	238	6.6%	147	4.0%	5	1.4%	625	4.0%
		Jail+Probation	44	0.6%	17	0.5%	5	0.1%	1	0.3%	67	0.4%
		Probation	397	5.0%	106	2.9%	176	4.8%	18	4.9%	697	4.5%
		Fine	2,010	25.5%	601	16.6%	1,028	28.3%	101	27.7%	3,740	24.1%
		Cond Discharge	1,508	19.1%	672	18.5%	529	14.6%	56	15.4%	2,765	17.8%
		Other/Unknown	52	0.7%	21	0.6%	15	0.4%	4	1.1%	92	0.6%

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