

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.

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**Orange 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	877	100.0%	800	100.0%	504	100.0%	42	100.0%	2,223	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	708	80.7%	581	72.6%	391	77.6%	36	85.7%	1,716	77.2%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	38	4.3%	52	6.5%	26	5.2%	2	4.8%	118	5.3%	
	Dismissed-ACD	82	9.4%	101	12.6%	56	11.1%	2	4.8%	241	10.8%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	34	3.9%	53	6.6%	28	5.6%	1	2.4%	116	5.2%	
	Acquitted	1	0.1%	6	0.8%	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	8	0.4%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	
	Other	13	1.5%	7	0.9%	2	0.4%	1	2.4%	23	1.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	252	28.7%	266	33.3%	148	29.4%	11	26.2%	677	30.5%
		Misdemeanors	267	30.4%	191	23.9%	141	28.0%	15	35.7%	614	27.6%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	169	19.3%	102	12.8%	90	17.9%	9	21.4%	370	16.6%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	6	0.7%	13	1.6%	5	1.0%	0	0.0%	24	1.1%
		Misdemeanors	14	1.6%	9	1.1%	7	1.4%	1	2.4%	31	1.4%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	112	12.8%	167	20.9%	63	12.5%	5	11.9%	347	15.6%
		Jail	83	9.5%	81	10.1%	42	8.3%	3	7.1%	209	9.4%
		Time Served	28	3.2%	55	6.9%	26	5.2%	3	7.1%	112	5.0%
		Jail+Probation	45	5.1%	33	4.1%	31	6.2%	3	7.1%	112	5.0%
		Probation	139	15.8%	77	9.6%	83	16.5%	5	11.9%	304	13.7%
		Fine	148	16.9%	77	9.6%	69	13.7%	9	21.4%	303	13.6%
		Cond Discharge	140	16.0%	80	10.0%	68	13.5%	8	19.0%	296	13.3%
		Other/Unknown	13	1.5%	11	1.4%	9	1.8%	0	0.0%	33	1.5%

Note: All percentages shown are based on total dispositions.
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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	150	100.0%	219	100.0%	108	100.0%	4	100.0%	481	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	108	72.0%	143	65.3%	80	74.1%			334	69.4%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	7	4.7%	18	8.2%	7	6.5%			32	6.7%	
	Dismissed-ACD	23	15.3%	30	13.7%	14	13.0%			68	14.1%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	10	6.7%	22	10.0%	6	5.6%			38	7.9%	
	Acquitted	1	0.7%	5	2.3%	1	0.9%			7	1.5%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			0	0.0%	
	Other	1	0.7%	1	0.5%	0	0.0%			2	0.4%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	46	30.7%	76	34.7%	25	23.1%			148	30.8%
		Misdemeanors	31	20.7%	30	13.7%	26	24.1%			88	18.3%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	25	16.7%	21	9.6%	24	22.2%			71	14.8%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	2	1.3%	9	4.1%	2	1.9%			13	2.7%
		Misdemeanors	4	2.7%	7	3.2%	3	2.8%			14	2.9%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%			0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	29	19.3%	66	30.1%	24	22.2%			119	24.7%
		Jail	12	8.0%	14	6.4%	6	5.6%			33	6.9%
		Time Served	5	3.3%	14	6.4%	5	4.6%			24	5.0%
		Jail+Probation	7	4.7%	7	3.2%	3	2.8%			17	3.5%
		Probation	14	9.3%	15	6.8%	8	7.4%			37	7.7%
		Fine	15	10.0%	11	5.0%	10	9.3%			36	7.5%
		Cond Discharge	24	16.0%	14	6.4%	24	22.2%			64	13.3%
		Other/Unknown	2	1.3%	2	0.9%	0	0.0%			4	0.8%

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		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	183	100.0%	201	100.0%	127	100.0%	12	100.0%	523	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	149	81.4%	169	84.1%	99	78.0%	11	91.7%	428	81.8%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	7	3.8%	5	2.5%	2	1.6%	1	8.3%	15	2.9%	
	Dismissed-ACD	20	10.9%	16	8.0%	20	15.7%	0	0.0%	56	10.7%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	6	3.3%	8	4.0%	5	3.9%	0	0.0%	19	3.6%	
	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	0.5%	3	1.5%	1	0.8%	0	0.0%	5	1.0%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	48	26.2%	99	49.3%	51	40.2%	3	25.0%	201	38.4%
		Misdemeanors	56	30.6%	43	21.4%	29	22.8%	3	25.0%	131	25.0%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	42	23.0%	26	12.9%	19	15.0%	4	33.3%	91	17.4%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%
		Misdemeanors	3	1.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	4	0.8%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Sentences to:	Prison	26	14.2%	60	29.9%	24	18.9%	2	16.7%	112	21.4%
		Jail	13	7.1%	22	10.9%	8	6.3%	1	8.3%	44	8.4%
		Time Served	8	4.4%	21	10.4%	10	7.9%	2	16.7%	41	7.8%
		Jail+Probation	6	3.3%	6	3.0%	7	5.5%	0	0.0%	19	3.6%
		Probation	18	9.8%	22	10.9%	20	15.7%	2	16.7%	62	11.9%
		Fine	43	23.5%	15	7.5%	15	11.8%	3	25.0%	76	14.5%
		Cond Discharge	34	18.6%	17	8.5%	12	9.4%	1	8.3%	64	12.2%
		Other/Unknown	1	0.5%	6	3.0%	3	2.4%	0	0.0%	10	1.9%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	3,240	100.0%	1,505	100.0%	1,332	100.0%	114	100.0%	6,191	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	2,183	67.4%	934	62.1%	892	67.0%	68	59.6%	4,077	65.9%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	247	7.6%	91	6.0%	74	5.6%	4	3.5%	416	6.7%	
	Dismissed-ACD	609	18.8%	376	25.0%	296	22.2%	36	31.6%	1,317	21.3%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	127	3.9%	85	5.6%	50	3.8%	5	4.4%	267	4.3%	
	Acquitted	2	0.1%	5	0.3%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	10	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	2	0.1%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%	
	Other	70	2.2%	12	0.8%	17	1.3%	1	0.9%	100	1.6%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	9	0.3%	3	0.2%	6	0.5%	0	0.0%	18	0.3%
		Misdemeanors	994	30.7%	428	28.4%	355	26.7%	22	19.3%	1,799	29.1%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	1,163	35.9%	489	32.5%	518	38.9%	45	39.5%	2,215	35.8%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	15	0.5%	12	0.8%	11	0.8%	1	0.9%	39	0.6%
		Unknown	2	0.1%	2	0.1%	2	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
	Sentences to:	Prison	4	0.1%	2	0.1%	5	0.4%	0	0.0%	11	0.2%
		Jail	294	9.1%	129	8.6%	103	7.7%	8	7.0%	534	8.6%
		Time Served	104	3.2%	79	5.2%	47	3.5%	2	1.8%	232	3.7%
		Jail+Probation	25	0.8%	10	0.7%	6	0.5%	1	0.9%	42	0.7%
		Probation	183	5.6%	59	3.9%	44	3.3%	3	2.6%	289	4.7%
		Fine	1,062	32.8%	389	25.8%	479	36.0%	38	33.3%	1,968	31.8%
		Cond Discharge	483	14.9%	251	16.7%	197	14.8%	15	13.2%	946	15.3%
		Other/Unknown	28	0.9%	15	1.0%	11	0.8%	1	0.9%	55	0.9%

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