

Table 5.64

Juvenile court case outcomes

By type of offense and race of juvenile offender, United States, 1994

	Delinquency cases		Petitioned cases		Cases adjudicated delinquent				Nonadjudicated cases <sup>a</sup>			
	Detained prior to juvenile court disposition	Petitioned	Adjudicated delinquent	Transferred/waived to adult court	Placed out of home	Placed on probation	Dismissed	Other <sup>b</sup>	Placed out of home	Placed on probation	Dismissed	Other <sup>b</sup>
<u>Person</u>												
White	20.8%	53.9%	56.3%	2.2%	28.0%	56.4%	3.2%	12.5%	B	28.4%	55.2%	15.7%
Black	28.9	64.8	50.9	3.4	34.8	50.7	5.1	9.4	1.6%	22.0	59.2	17.2
<u>Property</u>												
White	14.1	50.0	59.8	1.1	22.4	56.7	2.6	18.3	0.7	29.8	47.5	22.0
Black	22.7	56.1	54.3	1.2	32.0	54.0	4.9	9.0	1.3	24.2	53.7	20.8
<u>Drug</u>												
White	18.1	51.7	61.2	B	23.3	55.6	3.5	17.6	B	30.0	50.0	18.8
Black	43.8	76.8	57.5	2.8	34.5	48.4	7.2	9.9	B	18.1	60.4	18.0
<u>Public-order</u>												
White	20.8	55.4	61.6	B	31.6	48.6	2.3	17.4	1.8	23.2	56.4	18.6
Black	31.3	61.1	57.3	B	36.2	50.5	4.4	8.9	1.7	17.7	65.2	15.4

Note: See Notes, tables 5.61 and 5.63. For methodology, definitions of terms, and offenses within categories, see Appendix 15.

Source: Jeffrey A. Butts et al., "Juvenile Court Statistics 1994," Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, 1996. (Machine-readable data file.) Table constructed by SOURCEBOOK staff.

<sup>a</sup>Includes petitioned cases that were not adjudicated delinquent and nonpetitioned cases.

<sup>b</sup>Includes dispositions such as fines, restitution, community service, and referrals outside the court for services with minimal or no further court involvement anticipated.