

# Jail Use in Charleston County



## Charleston County Criminal Justice Coordinating Council

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# ABOUT US

A **Criminal Justice Coordinating Council** is how elected and appointed executive-level policymakers in local jurisdictions meet collaboratively to address issues facing the justice system and its member agencies.

Council members includes an executive committee, positional membership, and staff.



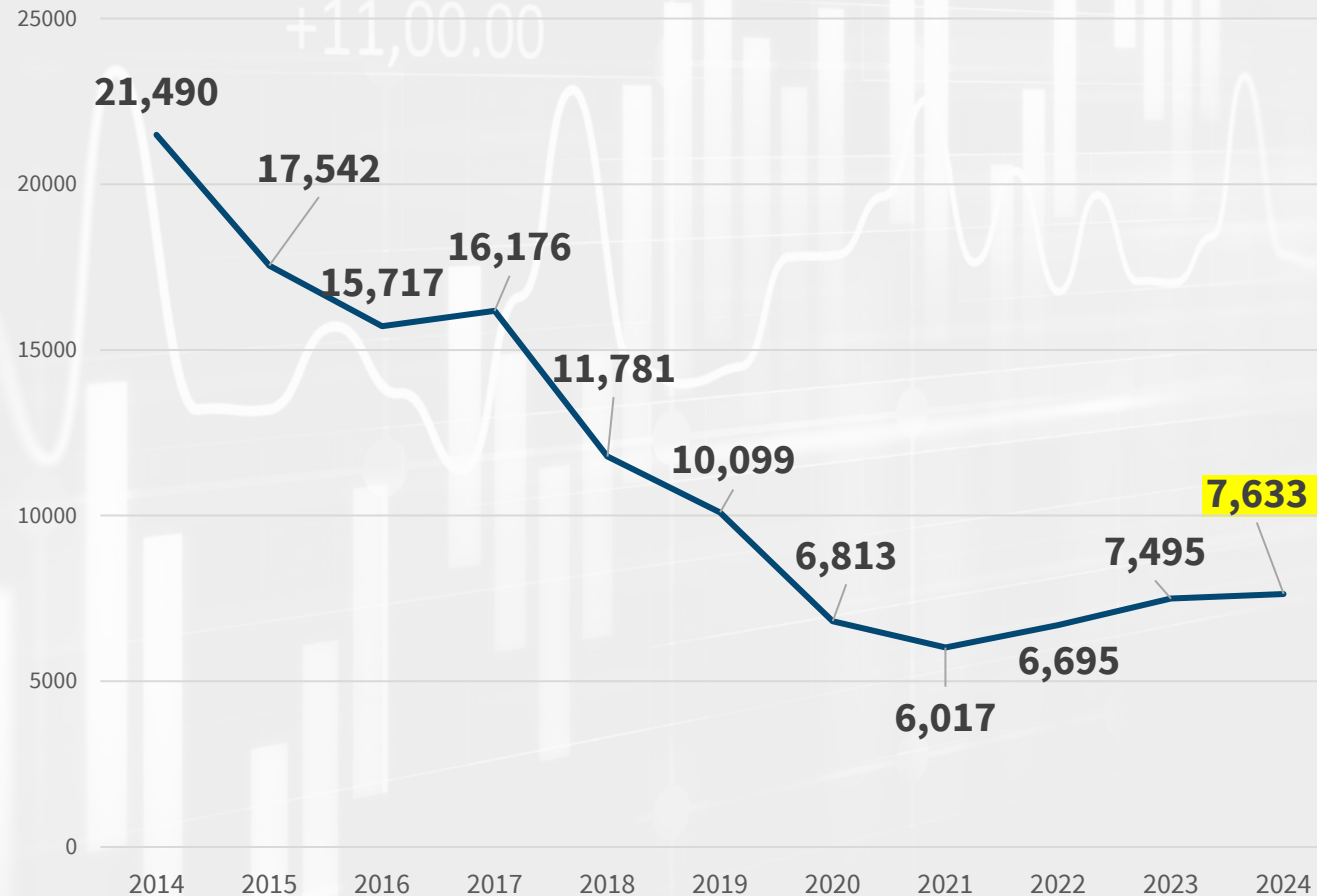


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**Overall 64% decrease since  
2014**

**But an 27% increase since  
COVID-19**

Total People by Year



2024 figures as of October 31, 2024



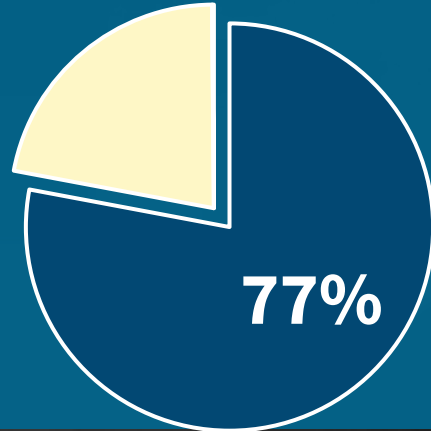
JAIL POPULATION TRENDS

JAIL USE

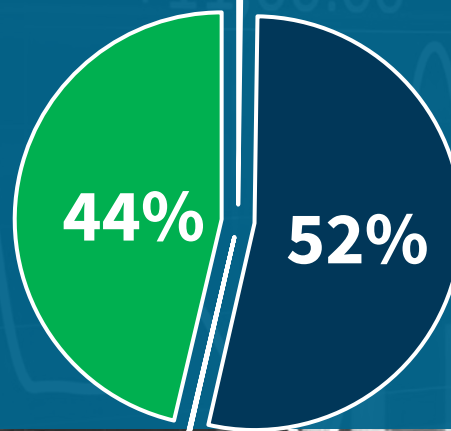
# Jail Demographics

## Gender

- Male
- Female
- Other

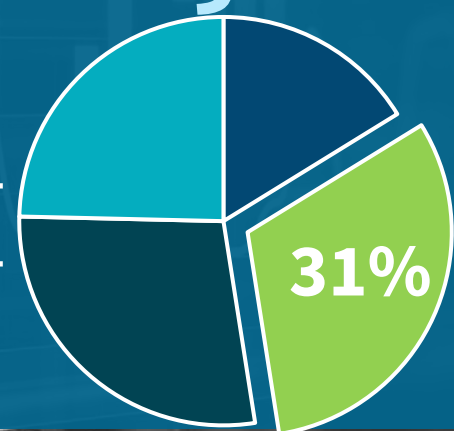


## Race



## Age

- <25
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 44+

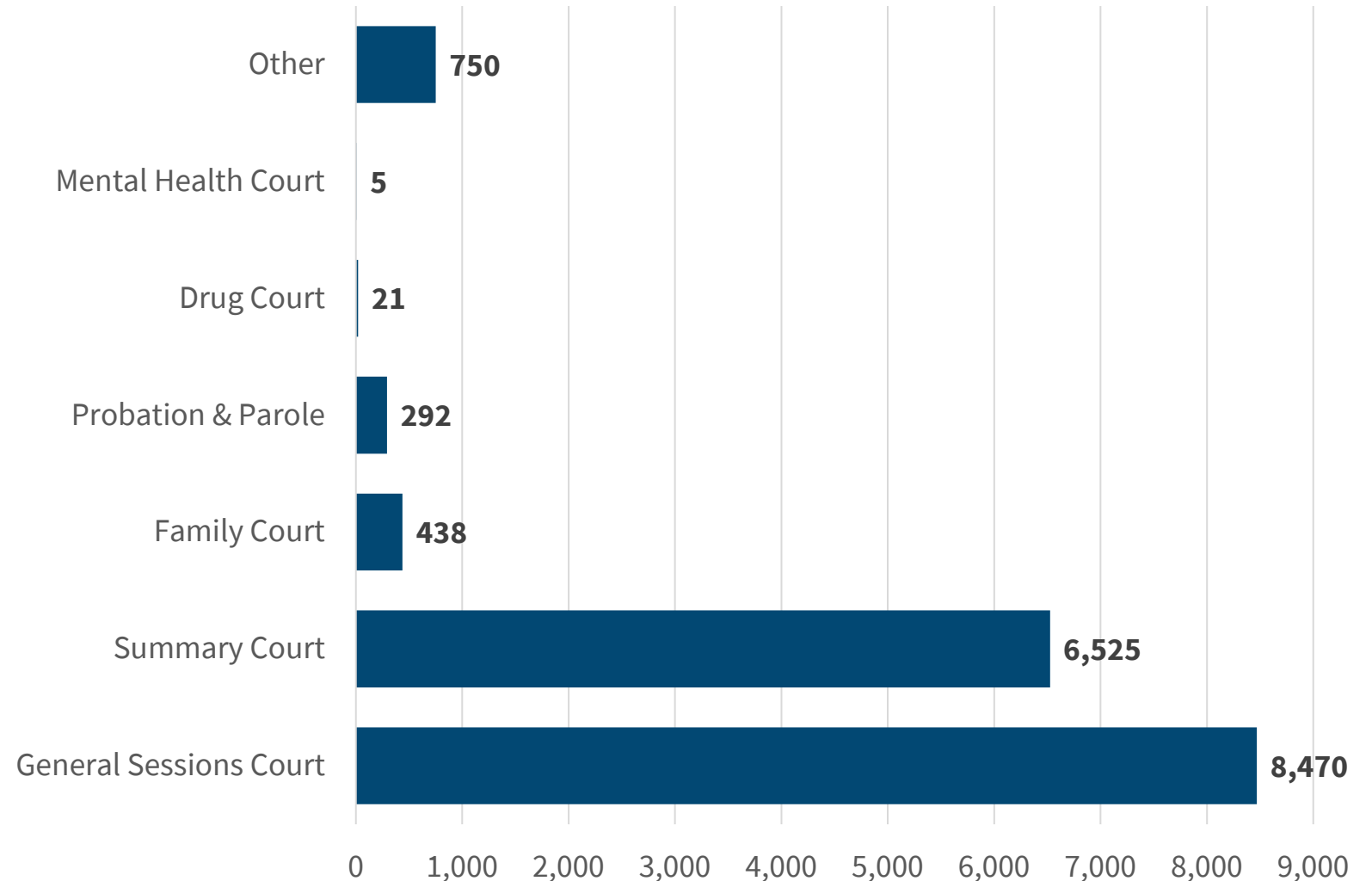


# COURTS

Charges to date: 16,501

General Session Court charges comprise the majority of Jail population activity. Prior to 2017, Summary Court Charges led Jail use.

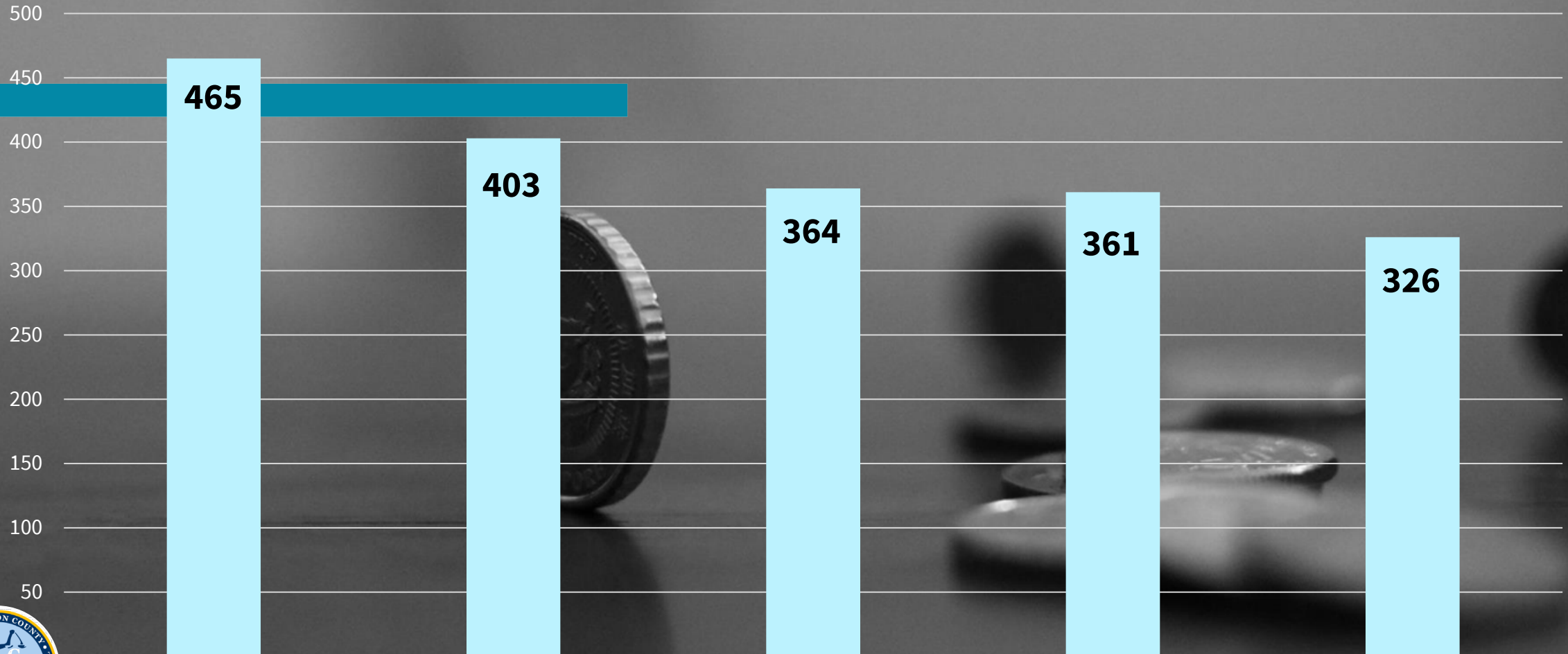
2024 Charges by Court



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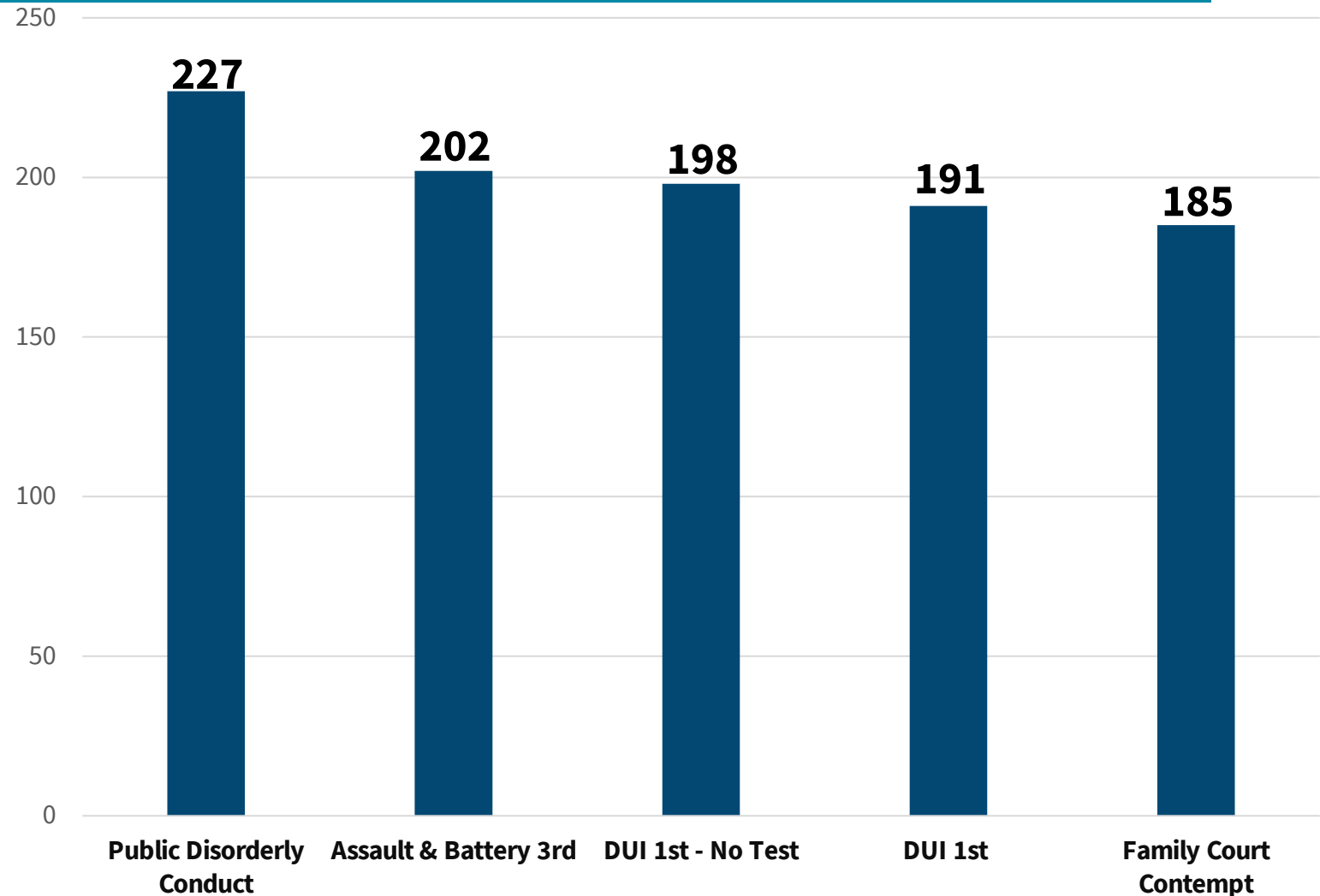


# Most Frequent Charges by Count



2024 figures as of October 31, 2024

# Single Booking Charges by Count



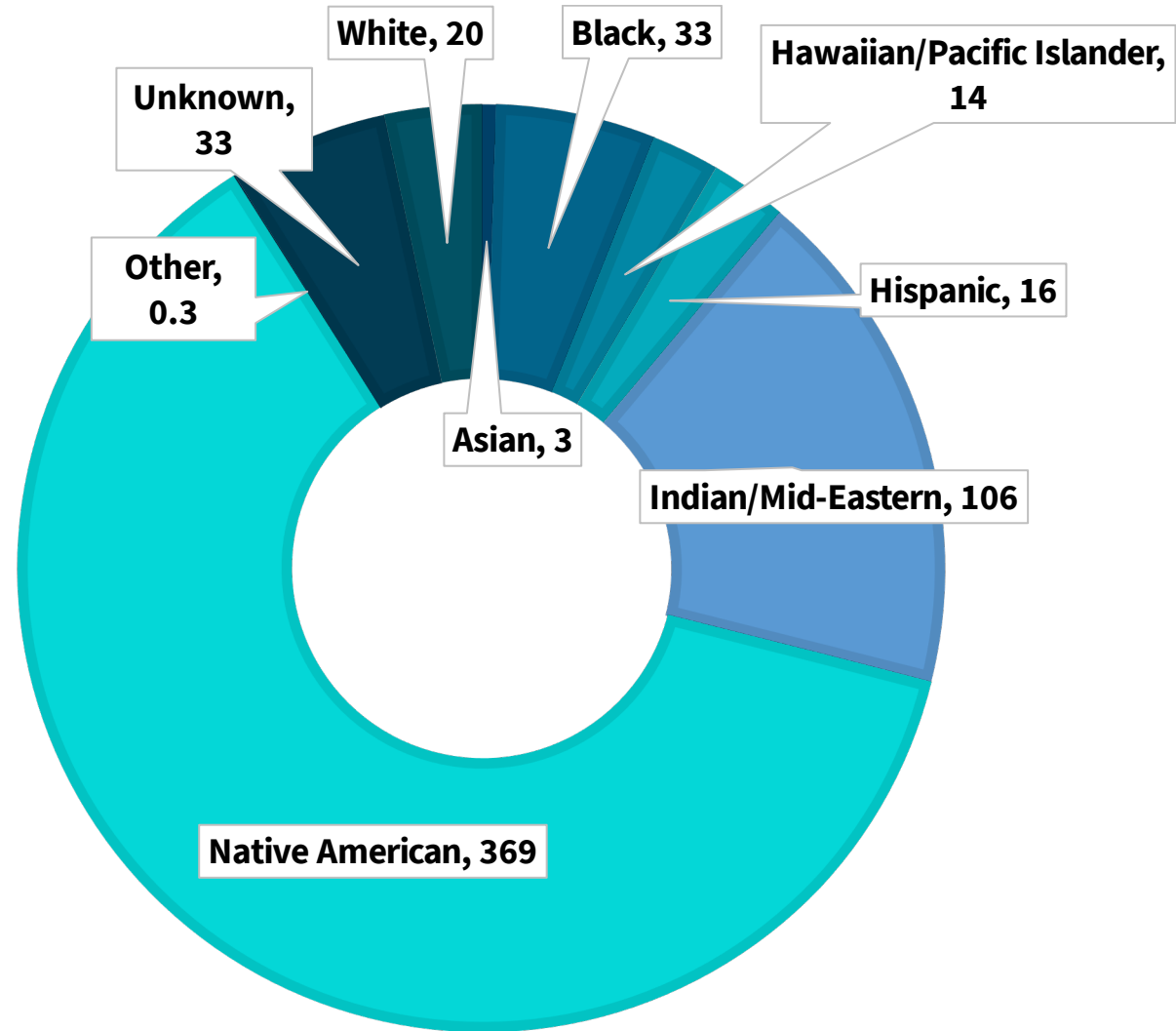
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# Average Length of Stay in Days

Average Length of Stay is based on jail releases that have occurred in 2024 to date.

- Asian
- Black
- Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
- Hispanic
- Indian/Mid-Eastern
- Native American
- Other
- Unknown
- White







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