

Traffic Stop Report: Virginia State Police Division 3

Stops Dated January 01, 2023 to December 31, 2023

	Total	White	Black-African American	Hispanic (any race)	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian-Other Pacific Islander
Population Demographics						
Number Age 15+ in CY2023 Population	6,440,453	4,105,718	1,237,380	593,022	18,876	485,457
Percent Age 15+ in CY2023 Population	100.00%	63.75%	19.21%	9.21%	0.29%	7.54%
Drivers Stopped						
Number of Drivers Age 15+ Stopped	25,246	16,282	7,111	1,580	27	246
Percent of Drivers Age 15+ Stopped	100.00%	64.49%	28.17%	6.26%	0.11%	0.97%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.5	0.7	0.4	0.1
Reason for Stop						
Number Stopped for Traffic Violation	20,779	13,412	5,719	1,393	26	229
Percent Stopped for Traffic Violation	100.00%	64.55%	27.52%	6.70%	0.13%	1.10%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.1
Number Stopped for Equipment Violation	3,803	2,472	1,167	151	1	12
Percent Stopped for Equipment Violation	100.00%	65.00%	30.69%	3.97%	0.03%	0.32%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.1	0.6	0.2	0.3
Number Stopped for Terry Stop	23	12	7	3	0	1
Percent Stopped for Terry Stop	100.00%	52.17%	30.43%	13.04%	0.00%	4.35%
Disparity Index		0.8	1.1	2.1	~	4.5
Number Stopped for Other Reason	641	386	218	33	0	4
Percent Stopped for Other Reason	100.00%	60.22%	34.01%	5.15%	0.00%	0.62%
Disparity Index		0.9	1.2	0.8	~	0.6
Outcome of Stop						
Number of Stops with Warning Issued	6,284	4,050	1,860	301	6	67
Percent of Stops with Warning Issued	100.00%	64.45%	29.60%	4.79%	0.10%	1.07%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.1
Number of Stops with Citation/Summons issued	18,359	11,866	5,046	1,250	21	176
Percent of Stops with Citation/Summons issued	100.00%	64.63%	27.49%	6.81%	0.11%	0.96%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0
Number of Stops with Driver Arrested	117	55	53	9	0	0
Percent of Stops with Driver Arrested	100.00%	47.01%	45.30%	7.69%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		0.7	1.6	1.2	~	~
Number of Stops with No Enforcement Action	486	311	152	20	0	3
Percent of Stops with No Enforcement Action	100.00%	63.99%	31.28%	4.12%	0.00%	0.62%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.1	0.7	~	0.6
Additional Details of Stop						
Number of Stops with Driver or Vehicle Search	167	73	72	19	0	3
Percent of Stops with Driver or Vehicle Search	100.00%	43.71%	43.11%	11.38%	0.00%	1.80%
Disparity Index		0.7	1.5	1.8	~	1.8
Number of Stops with Office Force Against Subject	0	0	0	0	0	0
Percent of Stops with Office Force Against Subject	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		~	~	~	~	~
Number of Stops with Subject Force Against Officer	1	1	0	0	0	0
Percent of Stops with Subject Force Against Officer	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		1.6	~	~	~	~

Data sources:

Community Policing Data Collection, Virginia Department of State Police, May 2024.

Vintage 2022 postcensal estimates of the resident population of the United States (July 1, 2023), by year, county, binned age, race, Hispanic origin, and sex. Available from: <https://www.census.gov/data/datasets/time-series/demo/popest/2020s-counties/asrh/cc-est2022-alldata-51> as of May 15, 2024.

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Search can involve driver, vehicle, or both.

The disparity index for small numbers of stops and small populations should be interpreted with caution because of the small numbers involved.