

Marine Corps General and Special Court-Martial Dispositions
July 2023

13 Total Cases

7 general courts-martial (3 contested; 2 acquittals)

6 special courts-martial (0 contested; 0 acquittals)

0 Art. 16(c)(2)(A) special courts martial (0 contested; 0 acquittal)

Date/No.	Unit	Description
6 Jul 23 1	3d LCT, 3d MLR	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Hawaii, a military judge convicted Private First Class M. N. Espinoza, pursuant to the accused's plea, of violating a lawful general order, battery, and obstructing justice. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 30 days confinement, and reduction to E-1.
12 Jul 23 2	H&S BN, MCI-E	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Air Station New River, a military judge acquitted a Marine of all charges and specifications.
14 Jul 23 3	III MEF	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Butler, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal B. J. Bautista, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of failing to obey a lawful written order and domestic violence. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 90 days confinement, and reduction to E-1.
17 Jul 23 4	Marine Forces Pacific	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Hawaii, a military judge convicted Master Gunnery Sergeant S. Rocha, pursuant to the accused's plea, of possession of child pornography. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 18 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
17 Jul 23 5	HQBN, MCAGCC	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center Twentynine Palms, a military judge convicted Petty Officer 2nd Class D. Jenkins, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of unauthorized absence; violating a lawful general order; signing false documents; and larceny of military property. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a reduction to E-1.
17 Jul 23 6	H&S BN, MCI-E	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal J. E. Adrian, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of desertion; violation of a lawful general order; possession of, use of, and possession with intent to distribute a controlled substance; fleeing the scene of an accident; and battery. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 8 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
19 Jul 23 7	3dMLG	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Butler, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal N. A. Burke, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of possession and distribution of child pornography. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge

		sentenced the accused to a dishonorable discharge, 27 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
21 Jul 23 8	3dMAW	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Air Station Yuma, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal G. Berumen, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of possession and production of child pornography. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 32 months confinement, total forfeitures, and reduction to E-1.
27 Jul 23 9	1stMarDiv	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, a military judge convicted Sergeant M. Wadaa, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of violation of a lawful general order. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 11 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
28 Jul 23 10	H&S BN, MCRD PI, SC	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, a panel of members convicted Staff Sergeant S. T. Smiley, of violating a lawful general order. The members sentenced the accused to reduction to E-5.
28 Jul 23 11	2dMarDiv	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point, a military judge convicted Sergeant B. E. Brown, pursuant to the accused's plea, of sexual abuse of a child. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a dishonorable discharge, 12 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
28 Jul 23 12	AAS, Trng Cmd	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, a military judge convicted Private First Class D. Cisneros, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of battery. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 134 days confinement, and a reduction to E-1.
28 Jul 23 13	1stMarDiv	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, a panel of members acquitted a Marine of all charges and specifications.