

Table 2.6**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Total Participations in Cases Terminated on the Merits After Oral Hearings or Submission on Briefs**

Fiscal Year	Total	Case Participations by						Percent by Senior and Visiting Judges
		Resident Active Circuit Judges		Resident Senior Circuit Judges		Visiting Judges		
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
1990 ¹	63,828	52,643	82.5	6,792	10.6	4,393	6.9	17.5
1995	84,335	66,059	78.3	12,185	14.4	6,091	7.2	21.7
2000	83,475	64,209	76.9	14,281	17.1	4,985	6.0	23.1
2005	90,409	69,989	77.4	15,733	17.4	4,687	5.2	22.6
2011	91,642	68,003	74.2	19,907	21.7	3,732	4.1	25.8
2012	100,579	76,158	75.7	20,627	20.5	3,794	3.8	24.3
2013	99,856	76,648	76.8	19,238	19.3	3,970	4.0	23.2
2014	96,664	73,753	76.3	19,142	19.8	3,769	3.9	23.7
2015	90,172	69,224	76.8	17,737	19.7	3,211	3.6	23.2

This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Due to rounding, percents may not add up to 100.0.

¹ Twelve-month period ending June 30.

Source: *Federal Court Management Statistics* (1990); Table B-11, *Annual Report of the Director: Judicial Business of the United States Courts*.