

U.S. Court of Appeals - Judicial Caseload Profile

NATIONAL TOTALS

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019		
Overall Caseload Statistics	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	55,260	53,032	60,099	52,028	49,220	47,783	
		Prisoner	15,004	14,328	13,445	14,304	13,847	12,571	
		Other	22,051	20,501	28,098	21,075	19,693	19,576	
		Criminal	11,340	10,902	11,945	10,216	9,614	9,895	
		Administrative	6,865	7,301	6,611	6,433	6,066	5,741	
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-13.5	-9.9	-20.5	-8.2	-2.9		
	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	55,803	53,934	56,244	56,709	50,804	47,832
			Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	2,839	2,718	2,887	2,636	2,417	2,326
			Procedural	18,555	18,810	18,503	17,903	16,594	15,681
			Total	34,409	32,406	34,854	36,170	31,793	29,825
			Prisoner	9,551	9,318	8,346	8,701	8,844	7,973
			Other	12,792	12,506	15,239	17,356	12,834	12,064
			Criminal	8,360	7,700	7,971	7,450	7,073	6,811
		Administrative	3,706	2,882	3,298	2,663	3,042	2,977	
		Percent by Active Judges	76.3	76.8	78.8	73.5	72.0	70.9	
		Pending Appeals		41,942	41,043	44,768	40,058	38,456	38,432
		A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits		548	480	534	533	474
Procedural Terminations			79	76	74	71	65	56	
W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total		180	157	177	174	160	141	
	Signed		57	48	52	49	47	44	
	Unsigned		101	90	112	115	106	90	
	Without Comment		22	19	14	11	8	7	

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		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019	
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	91	89	85	94	97	
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	183.6	82.6	108.9	185.2	260.7	
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	993	953	1,080	935	884	
		Prisoner	270	257	242	257	249	
		Other	396	368	505	379	354	
		Criminal	204	196	215	184	173	
		Administrative	123	131	119	116	109	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,002	969	1,010	1,019	913	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	51	49	52	47	43	
		Procedural	333	338	332	322	298	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	618	582	626	650	536
			Prisoner	172	167	150	156	143
			Other	230	225	274	312	217
			Criminal	150	138	143	134	127
		Administrative	67	52	59	48	53	
	Pending Appeals		753	737	804	720	691	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.6	8.4	8.0	8.4	8.9	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	4	2	3	2	3		
	Petitions for Rehearing	57	56	56	54	51		

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		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019		
Overall Caseload Statistics	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	930	1,117	1,246	1,046	932	965	
		Prisoner	89	98	104	88	88	86	
		Other	505	495	541	477	479	524	
		Criminal	66	65	63	59	65	70	
		Administrative	270	459	538	422	300	285	
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	3.8	-13.6	-22.6	-7.7	3.5		
	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	996	1,144	1,129	1,153	1,068	1,029
			Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	143	278	222	229	183	156
			Procedural	396	389	357	395	363	350
			Total	457	477	550	529	522	523
			Prisoner	46	44	37	44	36	43
			Other	271	280	348	337	295	318
			Criminal	53	42	44	30	39	43
		Administrative	87	111	121	118	152	119	
		Percent by Active Judges	78.1	79.5	78.9	79.6	79.2	81.4	
		Pending Appeals		1,416	1,389	1,506	1,399	1,263	1,199
		Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits		164	158	166	163	158
Procedural Terminations			25	30	23	21	22	22	
Written Decisions	Total		43	31	37	36	39	44	
	Signed		17	14	16	15	14	15	
	Unsigned		26	17	21	21	26	29	
	Without Comment		-	-	-	-	-	-	

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2019 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
	Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7			
	Number of Sitting Senior Judges	6	6	6	6	7	6			
	Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	17.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9	8.8			
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	254	305	340	285	254	263	12	
		Prisoner	24	27	28	24	24	23	12	
		Other	138	135	148	130	131	143	12	
		Criminal	18	18	17	16	18	19	12	
		Administrative	74	125	147	115	82	78	5	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	272	312	308	314	291	281	12	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	39	76	61	62	50	43	3	
		Procedural	108	106	97	108	99	95	12	
		On the Merits	Total	125	130	150	144	142	143	12
			Prisoner	13	12	10	12	10	12	12
			Other	74	76	95	92	80	87	12
			Criminal	14	11	12	8	11	12	12
		Administrative	24	30	33	32	41	32	6	
		Pending Appeals	386	379	411	382	344	327	11	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	12.6	14.0	13.3	11.4	12.0	10.6	9	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	-	-	-	-	1	-	12		
	Petitions for Rehearing	24	26	30	25	26	25	11		

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FIRST CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019		
A p p e a l s	Total	1,456	1,470	1,708	1,341	1,226	1,339		
	Prisoner	205	199	164	214	196	218		
	Other	635	633	812	626	556	617		
	Criminal	464	486	618	408	376	412		
	Administrative	152	152	114	93	98	92		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-8.0	-8.9	-21.6	-0.1	9.2			
O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	1,426	1,512	1,554	1,441	1,296	1,302		
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	65	75	85	61	51	61		
	Procedural	475	540	522	493	418	344		
	A p p e a l s	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	886	897	947	887	827	897
			Prisoner	127	128	114	87	121	164
			Other	362	343	412	409	365	433
			Criminal	303	344	322	341	297	242
			Administrative	94	82	99	50	44	58
			Percent by Active Judges	74.0	73.1	74.2	72.3	73.9	75.4
	Pending Appeals		1,376	1,333	1,485	1,388	1,321	1,361	
A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits		514	415	370	401	380	351	
	Procedural Terminations		70	78	68	59	57	14	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	154	116	114	134	113	111	
		Signed	47	34	37	42	29	27	
		Unsigned	104	81	75	87	82	83	
		Without Comment	3	2	2	4	2	2	

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		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	4	3	3	3	4	4		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	10.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	728	735	854	671	613	670	9	
		Prisoner	103	100	82	107	98	109	11	
		Other	318	317	406	313	278	309	8	
		Criminal	232	243	309	204	188	206	5	
		Administrative	76	76	57	47	49	46	7	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	713	756	777	721	648	651	9	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	33	38	43	31	26	31	8	
		Procedural	238	270	261	247	209	172	8	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	443	449	474	444	414	449	8
			Prisoner	64	64	57	44	61	82	11
			Other	181	172	206	205	183	217	6
			Criminal	152	172	161	171	149	121	5
			Administrative	47	41	50	25	22	29	7
			Pending Appeals	688	667	743	694	661	681	5
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	11.5	12.7	11.5	12.0	13.6	13.6	12
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	1	2	2	2	4	
		Petitions for Rehearing	44	44	47	28	35	40	5	

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SECOND CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
A p p e a l s	Total	4,879	4,753	4,579	4,314	4,212	4,087			
	Prisoner	868	868	747	679	750	726			
	Other	2,268	2,285	2,414	2,204	2,087	2,101			
	Criminal	817	728	645	650	671	624			
	Administrative	926	872	773	781	704	636			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-16.2	-14.0	-10.7	-5.3	-3.0				
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	5,091	4,870	4,743	4,237	3,929	3,863			
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	289	311	370	234	292	277			
	Procedural	1,831	1,954	1,735	1,515	1,422	1,377			
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	2,971	2,605	2,638	2,488	2,215	2,209
				Prisoner	501	476	435	408	362	401
				Other	1,308	1,251	1,221	1,262	1,058	1,044
				Criminal	564	454	498	466	415	421
				Administrative	598	424	484	352	380	343
				Percent by Active Judges	70.8	71.1	72.3	63.0	62.6	60.1
	Pending Appeals		3,628	3,514	3,354	3,430	3,714	3,944		
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits		524	469	486	392	423	389		
	Procedural Terminations		75	82	74	49	45	41		
	Written Decisions	Total	204	183	190	176	180	176		
		Signed	200	180	187	174	179	174		
		Unsigned	4	4	2	2	1	2		
Without Comment		-	-	-	-	-	-			

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		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	9	9	10	11	10	13		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	0.0	0.0	20.7	24.0	22.8		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,126	1,097	1,057	996	972	943	4	
		Prisoner	200	200	172	157	173	168	9	
		Other	523	527	557	509	482	485	2	
		Criminal	189	168	149	150	155	144	7	
		Administrative	214	201	178	180	162	147	2	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,175	1,124	1,095	978	907	891	4	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	67	72	85	54	67	64	2	
		Procedural	423	451	400	350	328	318	4	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	686	601	609	574	511	510	6
			Prisoner	116	110	100	94	84	93	9
			Other	302	289	282	291	244	241	3
			Criminal	130	105	115	108	96	97	7
		Administrative	138	98	112	81	88	79	2	
	Pending Appeals		837	811	774	792	857	910	2	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	10.6	10.0	11.1	10.0	11.0	11.4	11	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	4	2	6	2	10	3	2		
	Petitions for Rehearing	36	31	28	40	40	20	12		

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THIRD CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019		
A p p e a l s	Total	4,088	3,425	3,623	2,936	2,972	2,933		
	Prisoner	1,063	1,028	892	880	871	806		
	Other	2,214	1,633	2,041	1,343	1,349	1,404		
	Criminal	527	468	433	410	414	421		
	Administrative	284	296	257	303	338	302		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-28.3	-14.4	-19.0	-0.1	-1.3			
O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	3,765	3,363	3,353	3,727	2,874	2,596		
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	97	86	77	74	72	63		
	Procedural	1,084	1,150	1,024	966	924	804		
	A p p e a l s	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	2,584	2,127	2,252	2,687	1,878	1,729
			Prisoner	685	631	818	650	530	484
			Other	1,243	959	925	1,636	929	804
			Criminal	454	377	323	281	284	277
			Administrative	202	160	186	120	135	164
			Percent by Active Judges	80.2	79.3	71.8	69.2	69.8	73.9
	Pending Appeals		2,671	2,733	3,004	2,213	2,310	2,648	
A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits		537	407	382	443	361	324	
	Procedural Terminations		60	53	50	50	48	43	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	183	128	145	118	121	111	
		Signed	132	88	100	88	95	83	
		Unsigned	40	33	36	25	19	22	
		Without Comment	11	8	9	5	7	7	

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		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	14 / 4.7	14 / 4.7	14 / 4.7	14 / 4.7	14 / 4.7			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	11	10	10	12	8	9		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	24.0	12.2	18.3	28.3	28.1	18.6		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	876	734	776	629	637	629	10	
		Prisoner	228	220	191	189	187	173	8	
		Other	474	350	437	288	289	301	9	
		Criminal	113	100	93	88	89	90	11	
		Administrative	61	63	55	65	72	65	6	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	807	721	719	799	616	556	10	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	21	18	17	16	15	14	11	
		Procedural	232	246	219	207	198	172	8	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	554	456	483	576	402	371	10
			Prisoner	147	135	175	139	114	104	8
			Other	266	205	198	351	199	172	10
			Criminal	97	81	69	60	61	59	11
			Administrative	43	34	40	26	29	35	4
			Pending Appeals	572	586	644	474	495	567	6
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	5.8	8.3	7.4	9.2	8.1	8.3	5
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	3	2	2	2	4	
		Petitions for Rehearing	98	87	105	89	71	70	3	

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FOURTH CIRCUIT

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		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019	
A p p e a l s	Total	4,826	4,646	6,294	4,741	4,211	4,470	
	Prisoner	1,690	1,718	1,459	1,566	1,448	1,456	
	Other	1,628	1,579	3,362	1,775	1,518	1,615	
	Criminal	1,293	1,065	1,250	1,147	1,020	1,189	
	Administrative	215	284	223	253	225	210	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-7.4	-3.8	-29.0	-5.7	6.2		
O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	4,908	4,720	5,898	5,022	4,307	4,114	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	170	196	321	167	207	175	
	Procedural	1,158	1,126	1,053	1,073	1,046	1,047	
	A p p e a l s	Total	3,580	3,398	4,524	3,782	3,054	2,892
		Prisoner	1,227	1,218	1,074	1,068	981	893
		Other	1,144	1,095	2,355	1,688	1,095	1,070
		Criminal	1,014	944	924	878	818	791
		Administrative	195	141	171	148	160	138
		Percent by Active Judges	90.6	87.9	89.4	91.8	88.2	82.5
	Pending Appeals		2,305	2,232	2,631	2,349	2,253	2,609
	A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits	696	662	863	726	578	502
Procedural Terminations		54	52	49	60	55	46	
W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s		Total	229	218	278	234	182	157
		Signed	43	36	37	36	36	36
		Unsigned	185	182	242	198	146	121
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	2	2	2	2	2	4		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	4.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.5		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	965	929	1,259	948	842	894	5	
		Prisoner	338	344	292	313	290	291	3	
		Other	326	316	672	355	304	323	7	
		Criminal	259	213	250	229	204	238	3	
		Administrative	43	57	45	51	45	42	9	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	982	944	1,180	1,004	861	823	5	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	34	39	64	33	41	35	6	
		Procedural	232	225	211	215	209	209	7	
		On the Merits	Total	716	680	905	756	611	578	4
			Prisoner	245	244	215	214	196	179	2
			Other	229	219	471	338	219	214	7
			Criminal	203	189	185	176	164	158	4
			Administrative	39	28	34	30	32	28	9
		Pending Appeals		461	446	526	470	451	522	7
		Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	5.1	5.3	4.4	5.1	5.5	5.5	1
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	1	1	1	1	1	1	9		
	Petitions for Rehearing	72	63	86	95	80	74	2		

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FIFTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019		
A p p e a l s	Total	7,923	7,423	8,675	7,390	7,347	7,163		
	Prisoner	2,215	2,125	2,012	2,074	2,138	1,970		
	Other	2,793	2,296	3,196	2,594	2,601	2,490		
	Criminal	2,463	2,522	3,004	2,310	2,156	2,198		
	Administrative	452	480	463	412	452	505		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-9.6	-3.5	-17.4	-3.1	-2.5			
	O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	7,940	7,347	7,745	8,209	7,386	7,375	
Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²		951	624	654	767	547	609		
Procedural		2,717	2,678	2,709	2,782	2,683	2,707		
A p p e a l s		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	4,272	4,045	4,382	4,660	4,156	4,059
			Prisoner	1,009	888	852	825	1,094	965
			Other	1,432	1,355	1,481	1,848	1,217	1,291
			Criminal	1,613	1,653	1,860	1,814	1,623	1,607
			Administrative	218	149	189	173	222	196
			Percent by Active Judges	82.0	81.3	83.4	81.6	75.5	76.3
Pending Appeals		4,712	4,786	5,713	4,893	4,848	4,636		
A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹		Terminations on the Merits		829	690	772	808	648	622
	Procedural Terminations		152	139	128	127	105	104	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	235	212	239	249	208	195	
		Signed	21	20	26	24	21	22	
		Unsigned	214	191	213	224	187	173	
Without Comment		1	1	-	-	-	-		

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FIFTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2019 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	8	8	6	7	10	9		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	28.5	24.0	24.0	29.9	38.9	24.6		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,398	1,310	1,531	1,304	1,297	1,264	2	
		Prisoner	391	375	355	366	377	348	2	
		Other	493	405	564	458	459	439	3	
		Criminal	435	445	530	408	380	388	1	
		Administrative	80	85	82	73	80	89	3	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,401	1,297	1,367	1,449	1,303	1,301	2	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	168	110	115	135	97	107	1	
		Procedural	479	473	478	491	473	478	2	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	754	714	773	822	733	716	2
			Prisoner	178	157	150	146	193	170	5
			Other	253	239	261	326	215	228	4
			Criminal	285	292	328	320	286	284	1
			Administrative	38	26	33	31	39	35	4
			Pending Appeals	832	845	1,008	863	856	818	3
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.9	9.2	9.2	9.4	9.8	9.1	8
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	12	2	6	1	2	1	9	
		Petitions for Rehearing	33	31	26	24	25	27	10	

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SIXTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019		
A p p e a l s	Total	4,737	4,518	5,159	4,649	4,304	4,194		
	Prisoner	1,432	1,361	1,335	1,550	1,396	1,296		
	Other	2,120	1,823	2,508	1,921	1,781	1,743		
	Criminal	914	1,021	1,040	918	880	918		
	Administrative	271	313	276	260	247	237		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-11.5	-7.2	-18.7	-9.8	-2.6			
O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	5,175	4,858	4,634	5,295	4,584	4,120		
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	258	206	181	177	155	159		
	Procedural	1,466	1,325	1,385	1,406	1,239	1,252		
	A p p e a l s	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	3,451	3,327	3,068	3,712	3,190	2,709
			Prisoner	1,001	1,008	872	963	1,134	839
			Other	1,332	1,402	1,238	1,864	1,254	1,115
			Criminal	850	726	760	729	627	600
			Administrative	268	191	198	156	175	155
			Percent by Active Judges	65.8	69.0	68.4	66.5	68.3	65.3
	Pending Appeals		3,514	3,174	3,670	2,981	2,675	2,749	
A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits		433	434	398	497	368	305	
	Procedural Terminations		58	51	58	58	48	45	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	155	157	143	178	137	108	
		Signed	44	51	45	45	38	38	
		Unsigned	111	106	98	132	99	70	
Without Comment		-	-	-	1	-	-		

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SIXTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2019 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	16 / 5.3							
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	8	9	8	9	11	13		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	10.4	12.0	12.0	16.0	20.5	24.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	888	847	967	872	807	786	6	
		Prisoner	269	255	250	291	262	243	4	
		Other	398	342	470	360	334	327	5	
		Criminal	171	191	195	172	165	172	6	
		Administrative	51	59	52	49	46	44	8	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	970	911	869	993	860	773	6	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	48	39	34	33	29	30	10	
		Procedural	275	248	260	264	232	235	6	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	647	624	575	696	598	508	7
			Prisoner	188	189	164	181	213	157	6
			Other	250	263	232	350	235	209	8
	Criminal		159	136	143	137	118	113	6	
		Administrative	50	36	37	29	33	29	7	
	Pending Appeals		659	595	688	559	502	515	8	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	9.3	8.8	8.5	7.9	7.8	7.3	2	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	3	2	1	2	2	2	4		
	Petitions for Rehearing	68	65	62	56	44	36	6		

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SEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
A p p e a l s	Total	3,032	2,841	3,452	2,867	2,800	2,650			
	Prisoner	1,042	934	942	1,013	965	888			
	Other	1,263	1,238	1,803	1,307	1,250	1,200			
	Criminal	591	498	581	443	490	466			
	Administrative	136	171	126	104	95	96			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-12.6	-6.7	-23.2	-7.6	-5.4				
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	3,079	2,881	3,180	3,203	2,673	2,699			
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	170	169	152	113	126	112			
	Procedural	1,186	1,096	1,134	1,158	1,102	1,073			
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	1,723	1,616	1,894	1,932	1,445	1,514
				Prisoner	515	469	345	545	356	431
				Other	735	705	1,129	1,013	748	767
				Criminal	383	360	338	303	277	269
				Administrative	90	82	82	71	64	47
				Percent by Active Judges	76.9	76.7	77.0	79.4	78.2	86.4
	Pending Appeals		1,856	1,814	2,006	1,670	1,796	1,746		
	Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits		413	403	499	511	457	361	
Procedural Terminations		45	43	52	42	55	51			
Written Decisions		Total	134	131	164	177	147	119		
		Signed	48	47	55	52	46	38		
		Unsigned	84	85	109	124	101	80		
	Without Comment	1	-	-	-	-	1			

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SEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2019 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	4	5	4	4	5	4		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	12.0	16.3	24.0	24.0	34.5	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	827	775	941	782	764	723	8	
		Prisoner	284	255	257	276	263	242	5	
		Other	344	338	492	356	341	327	5	
		Criminal	161	136	158	121	134	127	8	
		Administrative	37	47	34	28	26	26	11	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	840	786	867	874	729	736	8	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	46	46	41	31	34	31	8	
		Procedural	323	299	309	316	301	293	5	
		On the Merits	Total	470	441	517	527	394	413	9
			Prisoner	140	128	94	149	97	118	7
			Other	200	192	308	276	204	209	8
Criminal	104		98	92	83	76	73	9		
		Administrative	25	22	22	19	17	13	11	
		Pending Appeals	506	495	547	455	490	476	10	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	7.0	7.2	6.7	7.3	8.4	8.5	6	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	3	3	2	3	2	3	2	
		Petitions for Rehearing	32	33	27	28	27	28	9	

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EIGHTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019	
A p p e a l s	Total	3,018	2,833	3,657	3,105	2,811	2,768	
	Prisoner	961	896	895	945	909	799	
	Other	1,187	1,032	1,693	1,130	993	974	
	Criminal	726	759	914	849	774	855	
	Administrative	144	146	155	181	135	140	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-8.3	-2.3	-24.3	-10.9	-1.5		
O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	2,829	3,018	3,063	3,139	2,990	2,808	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	123	129	120	134	129	119	
	Procedural	529	579	558	547	547	574	
	A p p e a l s	Total	2,177	2,310	2,385	2,458	2,314	2,115
		Prisoner	694	754	644	632	701	645
		Other	852	903	990	1,127	883	799
		Criminal	542	585	661	619	629	598
		Administrative	89	68	90	80	101	73
		Percent by Active Judges	86.6	86.2	76.0	69.1	78.5	84.4
	Pending Appeals		1,723	1,538	2,132	2,098	1,918	1,878
A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits	545	566	571	599	673	504	
	Procedural Terminations	45	58	56	44	57	56	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	170	179	183	188	213	160
		Signed	37	44	43	41	40	39
		Unsigned	40	46	38	42	58	43
		Without Comment	93	89	102	106	115	79

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EIGHTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2019 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	5	4	6	8	6	6		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	2.3	12.0	19.0	15.3	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	823	773	997	847	767	755	7	
		Prisoner	262	244	244	258	248	218	7	
		Other	324	281	462	308	271	266	10	
		Criminal	198	207	249	232	211	233	4	
		Administrative	39	40	42	49	37	38	10	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	772	823	835	856	815	766	7	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	34	35	33	37	35	32	7	
		Procedural	144	158	152	149	149	157	10	
		On the Merits	Total	594	630	650	670	631	577	5
			Prisoner	189	206	176	172	191	176	3
			Other	232	246	270	307	241	218	5
			Criminal	148	160	180	169	172	163	3
			Administrative	24	19	25	22	28	20	10
	Pending Appeals		470	419	581	572	523	512	9	
Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	5.6	6.0	5.0	6.8	7.6	7.5	3		
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	4	2	2	4	1	2	4		
	Petitions for Rehearing	103	99	97	92	92	86	1		

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NINTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
A p p e a l s	Total	12,238	11,973	11,531	11,294	10,661	10,137			
	Prisoner	2,871	2,724	2,573	2,595	2,525	2,261			
	Other	4,106	4,072	4,200	4,088	3,894	3,868			
	Criminal	1,654	1,513	1,455	1,353	1,198	1,198			
	Administrative	3,607	3,664	3,303	3,258	3,044	2,810			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-17.2	-15.3	-12.1	-10.2	-4.9				
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	12,353	12,231	11,888	12,123	11,782	10,368			
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	332	358	371	395	468	405			
	Procedural	4,873	5,134	4,955	4,272	3,935	3,261			
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	7,148	6,739	6,562	7,456	7,379	6,702
				Prisoner	2,219	2,124	1,864	2,035	1,938	1,662
				Other	2,087	2,312	2,256	3,234	3,104	2,631
				Criminal	1,240	1,044	966	951	918	921
				Administrative	1,602	1,259	1,476	1,236	1,419	1,488
				Percent by Active Judges	68.3	68.0	71.8	56.8	57.4	53.6
	Pending Appeals		13,994	13,760	13,368	12,539	11,423	11,194		
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits		543	475	493	486	546	507		
	Procedural Terminations		85	82	74	72	81	61		
	Written Decisions	Total	167	146	153	144	174	156		
		Signed	15	12	13	11	13	13		
		Unsigned	82	70	108	112	161	143		
		Without Comment	71	64	32	20	-	-		

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NINTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2019 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	16	16	16	19	20	18		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	18.8	0.0	6.6	32.5	61.3	53.4		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,266	1,239	1,193	1,168	1,103	1,049	3	
		Prisoner	297	282	266	268	261	234	6	
		Other	425	421	434	423	403	400	4	
		Criminal	171	157	151	140	124	124	9	
		Administrative	373	379	342	337	315	291	1	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,278	1,265	1,230	1,254	1,219	1,073	3	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	34	37	38	41	48	42	4	
		Procedural	504	531	513	442	407	337	3	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	739	697	679	771	763	693	3
			Prisoner	230	220	193	211	200	172	4
Other	216		239	233	335	321	272	2		
Criminal	128		108	100	98	95	95	8		
		Administrative	166	130	153	128	147	154	1	
		Pending Appeals	1,448	1,423	1,383	1,297	1,182	1,158	1	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	12.8	12.8	15.4	13.3	12.2	10.9	10	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	4	6	4	4	5	4	1	
		Petitions for Rehearing	58	63	55	57	55	33	8	

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TENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019	
A p p e a l s	Total	1,971	1,893	2,332	1,982	1,836	1,701	
	Prisoner	592	503	499	623	582	456	
	Other	853	864	1,272	896	811	777	
	Criminal	425	405	478	396	358	366	
	Administrative	101	121	83	67	85	102	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-13.7	-10.1	-27.1	-14.2	-7.4		
O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	2,134	1,921	2,155	2,072	1,813	1,750	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	40	46	41	32	33	30	
	Procedural	648	571	628	667	551	577	
	A p p e a l s	Total	1,446	1,304	1,486	1,373	1,229	1,143
		Prisoner	363	346	327	329	360	356
		Other	618	546	756	729	550	476
		Criminal	360	325	340	267	276	265
		Administrative	105	87	63	48	43	46
		Percent by Active Judges	66.4	76.5	86.0	83.0	79.1	77.8
	Pending Appeals		1,178	1,150	1,327	1,237	1,259	1,210
A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits	306	258	327	299	266	226	
	Procedural Terminations	56	43	44	43	39	38	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	107	86	111	102	88	76
		Signed	87	72	86	79	70	61
		Unsigned	20	14	24	23	18	16
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2019 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	10	9	7	8	7	7		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	18.7	0.0	0.0	2.8	11.9	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	493	473	583	496	459	425	11	
		Prisoner	148	126	125	156	146	114	10	
		Other	213	216	318	224	203	194	11	
		Criminal	106	101	120	99	90	92	10	
		Administrative	25	30	21	17	21	26	11	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	534	480	539	518	453	438	11	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	10	12	10	8	8	8	12	
		Procedural	162	143	157	167	138	144	11	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	362	326	372	343	307	286	11
			Prisoner	91	87	82	82	90	89	10
			Other	155	137	189	182	138	119	11
			Criminal	90	81	85	67	69	66	10
			Administrative	26	22	16	12	11	12	12
			Pending Appeals	295	288	332	309	315	303	12
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.3	7.8	7.0	7.7	8.1	9.0	7
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	1	1	1	2	1	9	
		Petitions for Rehearing	44	42	39	36	43	35	7	

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ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
A p p e a l s	Total	6,162	6,140	7,843	6,363	5,908	5,376			
	Prisoner	1,976	1,874	1,823	2,077	1,979	1,609			
	Other	2,479	2,551	4,256	2,714	2,374	2,263			
	Criminal	1,400	1,372	1,464	1,273	1,212	1,178			
	Administrative	307	343	300	299	343	326			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-12.8	-12.4	-31.5	-15.5	-9.0				
O v e r a l l C a s e l o a d S t a t i s t i c s	Total	6,107	6,069	6,902	7,088	6,102	5,808			
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	201	240	293	253	154	160			
	Procedural	2,192	2,268	2,443	2,629	2,364	2,315			
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	3,714	3,561	4,166	4,206	3,584	3,333
				Prisoner	1,164	1,232	964	1,115	1,231	1,090
				Other	1,408	1,355	2,128	2,209	1,336	1,316
				Criminal	984	846	935	771	870	777
				Administrative	158	128	139	111	147	150
				Percent by Active Judges	79.6	82.3	90.0	90.2	84.7	78.3
	Pending Appeals		3,569	3,620	4,572	3,861	3,676	3,258		
	A c t i o n s p e r A c t i v e J u d g e ¹	Terminations on the Merits		923	735	970	959	688	614	
Procedural Terminations		227	186	204	205	133	119			
W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s		Total	347	276	340	343	266	232		
		Signed	19	17	15	15	15	14		
		Unsigned	315	248	316	322	245	212		
		Without Comment	13	11	10	6	6	6		

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		Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	Jun 30 2017	Jun 30 2018	Jun 30 2019			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	8	8	7	5	7	7		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	39.4	14.9	12.0	12.0	18.3	13.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,541	1,535	1,961	1,591	1,477	1,344	1	
		Prisoner	494	469	456	519	495	402	1	
		Other	620	638	1,064	679	594	566	1	
		Criminal	350	343	366	318	303	295	2	
		Administrative	77	86	75	75	86	82	4	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,527	1,517	1,726	1,772	1,526	1,452	1	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	50	60	73	63	39	40	5	
		Procedural	548	567	611	657	591	579	1	
		On the Merits	Total	929	890	1,042	1,052	896	833	1
			Prisoner	291	308	241	279	308	273	1
			Other	352	339	532	552	334	329	1
	Criminal		246	212	234	193	218	194	2	
			Administrative	40	32	35	28	37	38	3
			Pending Appeals	892	905	1,143	965	919	815	4
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	7.1	7.3	6.1	6.6	7.8	7.8	4	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	3	2	2	2	4	
		Petitions for Rehearing	62	73	64	56	71	63	4	

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