

Table 6.6
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases and Criminal Defendants Terminated by Senior, Visiting, and Magistrate Judges,
During the 12-Month Periods Ending June 30, 1990, and September 30, 1995 Through 2020

Fiscal Year	Authorized Judgeships	Vacant Judgeship Months	District Court Terminations			Assistance to Courts Provided By			
			Total	Civil Cases	Criminal Defendants	Total	Senior Judges ¹	Visiting Judges ²	Magistrate Judges Section 636 (c) Consent Cases
2020	677	928.8	342,881	271,256	71,625	90,253	70,585	3,118	16,550
2019	677	1493.4	397,550	311,900	85,650	104,439	81,421	5,151	17,867
2018	677	1541.3	356,177	276,311	79,866	95,218	74,306	3,840	17,072
2017	677	1242.8	365,238	289,901	75,337	93,553	73,278	3,264	17,011
2016	677	762.1	349,142	271,649	77,493	91,031	72,486	2,292	16,253
2015	677	550.6	355,854	274,627	81,227	95,838	76,455	3,005	16,378
2010	678	964.1	408,425	309,759	98,666	65,782	63,617	2,165	
2005	678	309.3	358,369	271,753	86,616	70,422	55,651	2,489	12,282
2000	655	597.5	336,822	259,637	77,185	55,138	41,338	2,319	11,481
1995	649	642.0	287,095	229,820	57,275	49,459	38,833	1,659	8,967
1990 ³	575	540.1	274,101	213,922	60,179	39,350	32,878	1,514	4,958

Note: Due to a change in methodology, numbers for years prior to 2015 may not match numbers previously published in this table.

¹ Does not include senior circuit judges.

² Includes senior judges.

³ Twelve-month period ending June 30.

Source: Text Table 11; FCMS, Table C, Table D-1(Defendants), Table M-5, Table V-1 and Table T-14, *Annual Report of the Director: Judicial Business of the United States Courts*.