

**Case Participations<sup>1</sup> in the U.S. Courts of Appeals  
On Cases Submitted On Briefs Or Orally Argued  
During The 12-Month Periods Ending June 30, 2008 Through 2013**

Circuit and Year	Total Case Participations	Resident Circuit Judges		Resident Senior Circuit Judges		Visiting Judges		Cases Disposed of by Consolidations <sup>2</sup>
	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
<b>Nation</b>								
2008	89,403	68,537	76.7	16,304	18.2	4,562	5.1	-
2009	90,402	69,754	77.2	16,058	17.8	4,590	5.1	-
2010	92,201	68,176	73.9	19,944	21.6	4,081	4.4	-
2011	92,661	68,856	74.3	20,150	21.7	3,655	3.9	-
2012	96,984	73,203	75.5	19,754	20.4	4,027	4.2	7,517
2013	101,414	77,424	76.3	20,144	19.9	3,846	3.8	8,020
<b>District Of Columbia</b>								
2008	1,598	1,456	91.1	130	8.1	12	0.8	-
2009	1,693	1,513	89.4	177	10.5	3	0.2	-
2010	1,502	1,357	90.3	145	9.7	-	0.0	-
2011	1,746	1,594	91.3	152	8.7	-	0.0	-
2012	1,455	1,238	85.1	217	14.9	-	0.0	603
2013	1,368	1,156	84.5	212	15.5	-	0.0	381
<b>First Circuit</b>								
2008	2,946	2,174	73.8	531	18.0	241	8.2	-
2009	3,220	2,456	76.3	506	15.7	258	8.0	-
2010	2,995	2,373	79.2	453	15.1	169	5.6	-
2011	2,562	2,325	90.7	153	6.0	84	3.3	-
2012	2,692	2,253	83.7	374	13.9	65	2.4	237
2013	2,937	2,363	80.5	422	14.4	152	5.2	258

<b>Second Circuit</b>									
2008	8,826	6,438	72.9	1,773	20.1	615	7.0	-	
2009	8,837	6,016	68.1	2,028	22.9	793	9.0	-	
2010	10,363	5,369	51.8	3,853	37.2	1,141	11.0	-	
2011	8,414	4,739	56.3	3,155	37.5	520	6.2	-	
2012	9,026	5,686	63.0	2,864	31.7	476	5.3	816	
2013	9,890	6,483	65.6	2,771	28.0	636	6.4	1,039	
<b>Third Circuit</b>									
2008	6,882	4,898	71.2	1,475	21.4	509	7.4	-	
2009	6,683	4,800	71.8	1,396	20.9	487	7.3	-	
2010	7,622	5,525	72.5	1,687	22.1	410	5.4	-	
2011	7,486	5,868	78.4	1,395	18.6	223	3.0	-	
2012	7,672	5,799	75.6	1,656	21.6	217	2.8	210	
2013	7,678	5,993	78.1	1,563	20.4	122	1.6	369	
<b>Fourth Circuit</b>									
2008	8,096	6,859	84.7	964	11.9	273	3.4	-	
2009	8,517	7,595	89.2	716	8.4	206	2.4	-	
2010	8,890	7,891	88.8	780	8.8	219	2.5	-	
2011	9,224	8,366	90.7	705	7.6	153	1.7	-	
2012	11,191	10,401	92.9	714	6.4	76	0.7	648	
2013	11,377	10,531	92.6	747	6.6	99	0.9	597	
<b>Fifth Circuit</b>									
2008	13,030	11,008	84.5	1,985	15.2	37	0.3	-	
2009	10,942	9,672	88.4	1,183	10.8	87	0.8	-	
2010	11,292	9,917	87.8	1,322	11.7	53	0.5	-	
2011	11,807	9,961	84.4	1,766	15.0	80	0.7	-	
2012	10,900	9,022	82.8	1,837	16.9	41	0.4	1,435	
2013	11,119	9,250	83.2	1,857	16.7	12	0.1	1,715	

<b>Sixth Circuit</b>									
2008	7,991	5,407	67.7	1,244	15.6	1,340	16.8	-	
2009	7,410	5,071	68.4	1,192	16.1	1,147	15.5	-	
2010	6,883	4,645	67.5	1,657	24.1	581	8.4	-	
2011	7,724	5,036	65.2	1,826	23.6	862	11.2	-	
2012	9,573	6,223	65.0	2,002	20.9	1,348	14.1	638	
2013	10,024	6,653	66.4	1,929	19.2	1,442	14.4	726	
<b>Seventh Circuit</b>									
2008	3,744	3,105	82.9	639	17.1	-	0.0	-	
2009	4,932	3,776	76.6	1,135	23.0	21	0.4	-	
2010	4,471	3,299	73.8	1,098	24.6	74	1.7	-	
2011	4,376	3,137	71.7	1,130	25.8	109	2.5	-	
2012	4,243	3,142	74.1	965	22.7	136	3.2	495	
2013	4,904	3,865	78.8	955	19.5	84	1.7	451	
<b>Eighth Circuit</b>									
2008	5,590	4,788	85.7	741	13.3	61	1.1	-	
2009	6,316	5,521	87.4	677	10.7	118	1.9	-	
2010	6,756	5,761	85.3	876	13.0	119	1.8	-	
2011	5,740	4,811	83.8	841	14.7	88	1.5	-	
2012	6,330	5,143	81.2	1,030	16.3	157	2.5	345	
2013	6,591	5,187	78.7	1,331	20.2	73	1.1	423	
<b>Ninth Circuit</b>									
2008	17,326	11,280	65.1	5,053	29.2	993	5.7	-	
2009	17,171	11,363	66.2	4,723	27.5	1,085	6.3	-	
2010	18,410	11,912	64.7	5,519	30.0	979	5.3	-	
2011	20,893	13,257	63.5	6,440	30.8	1,196	5.7	-	
2012	21,003	14,484	69.0	5,416	25.8	1,103	5.3	1,460	
2013	21,103	14,923	70.7	5,305	25.1	875	4.1	1,120	

<b>Tenth Circuit</b>									
2008	4,509	3,258	72.3	1,190	26.4	61	1.4	-	
2009	4,551	3,246	71.3	1,249	27.4	56	1.2	-	
2010	4,170	2,947	70.7	1,170	28.1	53	1.3	-	
2011	3,586	2,476	69.0	1,057	29.5	53	1.5	-	
2012	3,812	2,808	73.7	952	25.0	52	1.4	105	
2013	4,389	3,018	68.8	1,344	30.6	27	0.6	102	
<b>Eleventh Circuit</b>									
2008	8,865	7,866	88.7	579	6.5	420	4.7	-	
2009	10,130	8,725	86.1	1,076	10.6	329	3.2	-	
2010	8,847	7,180	81.2	1,384	15.6	283	3.2	-	
2011	9,103	7,286	80.0	1,530	16.8	287	3.2	-	
2012	9,087	7,004	77.1	1,727	19.0	356	3.9	525	
2013	10,034	8,002	79.7	1,708	17.0	324	3.2	839	

<sup>1</sup> A case participation by an individual judge is defined as an appeal in which the judge hears oral arguments or the appeal is submitted on briefs. Thus, when a single appeal is heard before a panel of three judges, the number of case participations is three. This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

<sup>2</sup> Beginning in December 2011, cases disposed of by consolidation and cross appeals are counted under procedural and merit terminations and shown as subset of merit terminations here.