

Judicial Caseload Indicators
12-Month Periods Ending June 30, 1999, 2004, 2007, and 2008

Judicial Caseload	1999	2004	2007	2008	% Change Since 1999	% Change Since 2004	% Change Since 2007
U.S. Courts of Appeals ¹							
Cases Filed	54,816	61,526	58,809	59,406	8.4	-3.4	1.0
Cases Terminated	53,907	56,072	63,916	59,152	9.7	5.5	-7.5
Cases Pending	42,879	49,084	51,849 ²	52,103	21.5	6.2	0.5
U.S. District Courts							
Civil							
Cases Filed	251,511	258,117	272,067	256,354	1.9	-0.7	-5.8
Cases Terminated	270,971	246,291	249,960	230,930	-14.8	-6.2	-7.6
Cases Pending	246,920	264,967	260,769 ²	286,193	15.9	8.0	9.7
Criminal (Includes Transfers)							
Cases Filed	59,345	71,098	67,503	70,024	18.0	-1.5	3.7
Defendants Filed	79,942	93,377	88,006	91,782	14.8	-1.7	4.3
Cases Terminated	55,483	65,192	67,791	69,008	24.4	5.9	1.8
Cases Pending	42,467	64,741	73,419 ²	74,435	75.3	15.0	1.4
U.S. Bankruptcy Courts							
Cases Filed	1,391,964	1,635,725	751,056	967,831	-30.5	-40.8	28.9
Cases Terminated	1,380,019	1,667,113	862,382	929,206	-32.7	-44.3	7.7
Post-Conviction Supervision							
Persons Under Supervision	97,281	113,362	115,930	120,051	23.4	5.9	3.6
Pretrial Services							
Total Cases Activated	83,030	99,866	95,955	98,862	19.1	-1.0	3.0
Pretrial Services Cases Activated	80,264	98,095	94,384	97,315	21.2	-0.8	3.1
Pretrial Diversion Cases Activated	2,766	1,771	1,571	1,547	-44.1	-12.6	-1.5
Total Released on Supervision	35,344	37,301	32,361	32,460	-8.2	-13.0	0.3
Pretrial Supervision	33,030	35,474	30,865	31,089	-5.9	-12.4	0.7
Diversion Supervision	2,314	1,827	1,496	1,371	-40.8	-25.0	8.4

¹ Excludes the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

² Revised.