

**Case Participations¹ in the U.S. Courts of Appeals
On Cases Submitted On Briefs Or Orally Argued
During The 12-Month Periods Ending June 30, 2019 Through 2024**

| Circuit and Year | Total Case Participations | Resident Circuit Judges | | Resident Senior Circuit Judges | | Visiting Judges | | Cases Disposed of by Consolidations ² |
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| | Number | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | |
| Nation | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 85,016 | 60,242 | 70.9 | 21,584 | 25.4 | 3,190 | 3.8 | 7,026 |
| 2020 | 86,471 | 63,781 | 73.8 | 20,188 | 23.3 | 2,502 | 2.9 | 9,357 |
| 2021 | 84,266 | 64,198 | 76.2 | 17,289 | 20.5 | 2,779 | 3.3 | 6,037 |
| 2022 | 77,996 | 59,994 | 76.9 | 15,655 | 20.1 | 2,347 | 3.0 | 5,949 |
| 2023 | 73,446 | 54,451 | 74.1 | 17,053 | 23.2 | 1,942 | 2.6 | 5,843 |
| 2024 | 69,237 | 52,838 | 76.3 | 14,814 | 21.4 | 1,585 | 2.3 | 5,092 |
| District Of Columbia | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 1,601 | 1,304 | 81.4 | 294 | 18.4 | 3 | 0.2 | 447 |
| 2020 | 1,443 | 1,203 | 83.4 | 240 | 16.6 | - | 0.0 | 1,221 |
| 2021 | 1,348 | 1,141 | 84.6 | 207 | 15.4 | - | 0.0 | 407 |
| 2022 | 1,332 | 1,108 | 83.2 | 224 | 16.8 | - | 0.0 | 360 |
| 2023 | 1,309 | 1,049 | 80.1 | 257 | 19.6 | 3 | 0.2 | 384 |
| 2024 | 1,314 | 1,174 | 89.3 | 140 | 10.7 | - | 0.0 | 402 |
| First Circuit | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 2,696 | 2,032 | 75.4 | 222 | 8.2 | 442 | 16.4 | 171 |
| 2020 | 2,664 | 2,111 | 79.2 | 171 | 6.4 | 382 | 14.3 | 147 |
| 2021 | 2,533 | 1,745 | 68.9 | 266 | 10.5 | 522 | 20.6 | 201 |
| 2022 | 2,335 | 1,527 | 65.4 | 279 | 11.9 | 529 | 22.7 | 234 |
| 2023 | 2,018 | 1,013 | 50.2 | 656 | 32.5 | 349 | 17.3 | 136 |
| 2024 | 2,024 | 1,166 | 57.6 | 515 | 25.4 | 343 | 16.9 | 145 |

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| Second Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 6,576 | 3,953 | 60.1 | 2,114 | 32.1 | 509 | 7.7 | 803 | |
| 2020 | 7,121 | 4,322 | 60.7 | 2,466 | 34.6 | 333 | 4.7 | 707 | |
| 2021 | 7,499 | 4,612 | 61.5 | 2,651 | 35.4 | 236 | 3.1 | 562 | |
| 2022 | 5,542 | 3,223 | 58.2 | 2,186 | 39.4 | 133 | 2.4 | 459 | |
| 2023 | 5,493 | 3,296 | 60.0 | 2,117 | 38.5 | 80 | 1.5 | 514 | |
| 2024 | 5,570 | 3,364 | 60.4 | 2,068 | 37.1 | 138 | 2.5 | 522 | |
| Third Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 5,201 | 3,843 | 73.9 | 1,289 | 24.8 | 69 | 1.3 | 189 | |
| 2020 | 6,789 | 5,558 | 81.9 | 1,207 | 17.8 | 24 | 0.4 | 2,052 | |
| 2021 | 5,264 | 4,295 | 81.6 | 912 | 17.3 | 57 | 1.1 | 252 | |
| 2022 | 4,697 | 3,870 | 82.4 | 773 | 16.5 | 54 | 1.1 | 270 | |
| 2023 | 5,139 | 4,054 | 78.9 | 1,077 | 21.0 | 8 | 0.2 | 237 | |
| 2024 | 4,404 | 3,453 | 78.4 | 949 | 21.5 | 2 | 0.0 | 321 | |
| Fourth Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 8,716 | 7,187 | 82.5 | 1,486 | 17.0 | 43 | 0.5 | 555 | |
| 2020 | 8,276 | 7,145 | 86.3 | 1,095 | 13.2 | 36 | 0.4 | 579 | |
| 2021 | 8,181 | 7,295 | 89.2 | 844 | 10.3 | 42 | 0.5 | 586 | |
| 2022 | 8,789 | 7,814 | 88.9 | 948 | 10.8 | 27 | 0.3 | 500 | |
| 2023 | 8,377 | 6,698 | 80.0 | 1,606 | 19.2 | 73 | 0.9 | 465 | |
| 2024 | 7,468 | 5,960 | 79.8 | 1,450 | 19.4 | 58 | 0.8 | 480 | |
| Fifth Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 10,985 | 8,382 | 76.3 | 2,586 | 23.5 | 17 | 0.2 | 1,603 | |
| 2020 | 10,620 | 8,496 | 80.0 | 2,107 | 19.8 | 17 | 0.2 | 1,632 | |
| 2021 | 9,836 | 7,847 | 79.8 | 1,975 | 20.1 | 14 | 0.1 | 1,447 | |
| 2022 | 11,398 | 9,434 | 82.8 | 1,953 | 17.1 | 11 | 0.1 | 1,650 | |
| 2023 | 10,280 | 8,328 | 81.0 | 1,951 | 19.0 | 1 | 0.0 | 1,361 | |
| 2024 | 9,098 | 7,517 | 82.6 | 1,523 | 16.7 | 58 | 0.6 | 1,432 | |

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| Sixth Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 7,124 | 4,653 | 65.3 | 2,256 | 31.7 | 215 | 3.0 | 448 | |
| 2020 | 7,639 | 4,991 | 65.3 | 2,585 | 33.8 | 63 | 0.8 | 623 | |
| 2021 | 7,944 | 5,342 | 67.2 | 2,600 | 32.7 | 2 | 0.0 | 612 | |
| 2022 | 6,719 | 4,755 | 70.8 | 1,963 | 29.2 | 1 | 0.0 | 584 | |
| 2023 | 5,910 | 4,019 | 68.0 | 1,890 | 32.0 | 1 | 0.0 | 387 | |
| 2024 | 5,682 | 4,040 | 71.1 | 1,641 | 28.9 | 1 | 0.0 | 360 | |
| Seventh Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 4,280 | 3,700 | 86.4 | 535 | 12.5 | 45 | 1.1 | 316 | |
| 2020 | 3,966 | 3,383 | 85.3 | 581 | 14.6 | 2 | 0.1 | 383 | |
| 2021 | 3,937 | 3,505 | 89.0 | 432 | 11.0 | - | 0.0 | 317 | |
| 2022 | 3,788 | 3,521 | 93.0 | 267 | 7.0 | - | 0.0 | 266 | |
| 2023 | 3,410 | 2,820 | 82.7 | 589 | 17.3 | 1 | 0.0 | 234 | |
| 2024 | 3,475 | 3,136 | 90.2 | 339 | 9.8 | - | 0.0 | 238 | |
| Eighth Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 6,382 | 5,385 | 84.4 | 980 | 15.4 | 17 | 0.3 | 344 | |
| 2020 | 6,726 | 5,928 | 88.1 | 796 | 11.8 | 2 | 0.0 | 408 | |
| 2021 | 7,276 | 6,486 | 89.1 | 765 | 10.5 | 25 | 0.3 | 284 | |
| 2022 | 5,845 | 5,620 | 96.2 | 224 | 3.8 | 1 | 0.0 | 405 | |
| 2023 | 6,273 | 5,856 | 93.4 | 400 | 6.4 | 17 | 0.3 | 836 | |
| 2024 | 5,656 | 5,473 | 96.8 | 183 | 3.2 | - | 0.0 | 306 | |
| Ninth Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 19,415 | 10,397 | 53.6 | 7,442 | 38.3 | 1,576 | 8.1 | 1,593 | |
| 2020 | 19,014 | 10,951 | 57.6 | 6,663 | 35.0 | 1,400 | 7.4 | 1,108 | |
| 2021 | 19,017 | 12,549 | 66.0 | 4,741 | 24.9 | 1,727 | 9.1 | 917 | |
| 2022 | 17,639 | 10,972 | 62.2 | 5,160 | 29.3 | 1,507 | 8.5 | 762 | |
| 2023 | 15,492 | 9,282 | 59.9 | 4,912 | 31.7 | 1,298 | 8.4 | 852 | |
| 2024 | 14,397 | 8,934 | 62.1 | 4,561 | 31.7 | 902 | 6.3 | 510 | |

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| Tenth Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 3,439 | 2,675 | 77.8 | 764 | 22.2 | - | 0.0 | 57 | |
| 2020 | 3,599 | 2,977 | 82.7 | 622 | 17.3 | - | 0.0 | 48 | |
| 2021 | 3,442 | 2,755 | 80.0 | 687 | 20.0 | - | 0.0 | 72 | |
| 2022 | 3,165 | 2,442 | 77.2 | 723 | 22.8 | - | 0.0 | 48 | |
| 2023 | 2,973 | 2,335 | 78.5 | 638 | 21.5 | - | 0.0 | 96 | |
| 2024 | 3,519 | 2,843 | 80.8 | 676 | 19.2 | - | 0.0 | 60 | |
| Eleventh Circuit | | | | | | | | | |
| 2019 | 8,601 | 6,731 | 78.3 | 1,616 | 18.8 | 254 | 3.0 | 500 | |
| 2020 | 8,614 | 6,716 | 78.0 | 1,655 | 19.2 | 243 | 2.8 | 449 | |
| 2021 | 7,989 | 6,626 | 82.9 | 1,209 | 15.1 | 154 | 1.9 | 380 | |
| 2022 | 6,747 | 5,708 | 84.6 | 955 | 14.2 | 84 | 1.2 | 411 | |
| 2023 | 6,772 | 5,701 | 84.2 | 960 | 14.2 | 111 | 1.6 | 341 | |
| 2024 | 6,630 | 5,778 | 87.1 | 769 | 11.6 | 83 | 1.3 | 316 | |

¹ 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.

² 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.