

U.S. Court of Appeals - Judicial Caseload Profile

NATIONAL TOTALS

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	55,353	57,699	56,360	55,260	53,032	60,099	
	Prisoner	15,633	15,324	15,013	15,004	14,328	13,445	
	Other	19,765	20,330	20,986	22,051	20,501	28,098	
	Criminal	12,412	13,580	11,975	11,340	10,902	11,945	
	Administrative	7,543	8,465	8,386	6,865	7,301	6,611	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	8.6	4.2	6.6	8.8	13.3		
Overall Caseload Statistics	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	58,146	57,272	58,534	55,803	53,934	56,244
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	2,170	2,649	2,786	2,839	2,718	2,887
		Procedural	25,289	21,273	19,976	18,555	18,810	18,503
	O n T h e M e r i t s	Total	30,687	33,350	35,772	34,409	32,406	34,854
		Prisoner	4,499	8,456	10,505	9,551	9,318	8,346
		Other	11,178	11,526	12,146	12,792	12,506	15,239
		Criminal	9,816	9,563	9,315	8,360	7,700	7,971
		Administrative	5,194	3,805	3,806	3,706	2,882	3,298
		Percent by Active Judges	74.3	75.5	76.3	76.3	76.8	78.8
	Pending Appeals		44,023	44,478	42,355	41,942	41,043	44,768
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits		463	523	553	548	480	534
	Procedural Terminations		150	105	86	79	76	74
	Written Decisions	Total	156	172	187	180	157	177
		Signed	52	56	58	57	48	52
		Unsigned	93	93	106	101	90	112
Without Comment		11	23	24	22	19	14	

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		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016		
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	167 / 55.7	
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	92	87	90	91	89	85	
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	190.7	175.6	161.0	183.6	82.6	108.9	
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	Total	994	1,037	1,012	993	953	1,080	
		Prisoner	281	275	270	270	257	242	
		Other	355	365	377	396	368	505	
		Criminal	223	244	215	204	196	215	
		Administrative	136	152	151	123	131	119	
	A p p e a l s	Total	1,045	1,029	1,052	1,002	969	1,010	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	39	48	50	51	49	52	
		Procedural	454	382	359	333	338	332	
		O n T h e M e r i t s	Total	551	599	643	618	582	626
			Prisoner	81	152	189	172	167	150
			Other	201	207	218	230	225	274
	Criminal		176	172	167	150	138	143	
			Administrative	93	68	68	67	52	59
			Pending Appeals	791	799	761	753	737	804
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	11.3	9.9	9.2	8.6	8.4	8.0
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	3	3	4	2	3	
		Petitions for Rehearing	57	58	56	57	56	56	

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		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016		
A p p e a l s	Total	1,189	1,197	1,137	930	1,117	1,246		
	Prisoner	97	97	102	89	98	104		
	Other	469	508	526	505	495	541		
	Criminal	100	79	106	66	65	63		
	Administrative	523	513	403	270	459	538		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	4.8	4.1	9.6	34.0	11.5			
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	1,277	1,179	964	996	1,144	1,129		
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	285	209	136	143	278	222		
	Procedural	410	487	371	396	389	357		
	A p p e a l s	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	582	483	457	457	477	550
			Prisoner	80	48	54	46	44	37
			Other	327	284	273	271	280	348
			Criminal	58	42	46	53	42	44
			Administrative	117	109	84	87	111	121
			Percent by Active Judges	91.3	85.1	84.5	78.1	79.5	78.9
	Pending Appeals		1,288	1,306	1,479	1,416	1,389	1,506	
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		177	216	190	164	158	166	
	Procedural Terminations		26	55	28	25	30	23	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	59	50	44	43	31	37	
		Signed	18	19	17	17	14	16	
		Unsigned	41	31	26	26	17	21	
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	6	6	6			
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	24.0	32.5	39.2	17.1	0.0	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	324	326	310	254	305	340	12	
		Prisoner	26	26	28	24	27	28	12	
		Other	128	139	143	138	135	148	12	
		Criminal	27	22	29	18	18	17	12	
		Administrative	143	140	110	74	125	147	3	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	348	322	263	272	312	308	12	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	78	57	37	39	76	61	5	
		Procedural	112	133	101	108	106	97	12	
		On the Merits	Total	159	132	125	125	130	150	12
			Prisoner	22	13	15	13	12	10	12
			Other	89	77	74	74	76	95	12
			Criminal	16	11	13	14	11	12	12
		Administrative	32	30	23	24	30	33	8	
	Pending Appeals		351	356	403	386	379	411	11	
Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	10.7	10.6	11.8	12.6	14.0	13.3	11		
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	-	-	1	-	-	-	12		
	Petitions for Rehearing	23	29	25	24	26	30	9		

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FIRST CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	1,515	1,618	1,562	1,456	1,470	1,708	
	Prisoner	210	217	222	205	199	164	
	Other	627	635	588	635	633	812	
	Criminal	505	548	586	464	486	618	
	Administrative	173	218	166	152	152	114	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	12.7	5.6	9.3	17.3	16.2		
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	1,458	1,558	1,528	1,426	1,512	1,554	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	72	86	91	65	75	85	
	Procedural	532	576	458	475	540	522	
	A p p e a l s	Total	854	896	979	886	897	947
		Prisoner	105	105	142	127	128	114
		Other	351	407	364	362	343	412
		Criminal	280	294	355	303	344	322
		Administrative	118	90	118	94	82	99
		Percent by Active Judges	90.7	83.7	80.5	74.0	73.1	74.2
	Pending Appeals		1,324	1,333	1,344	1,376	1,333	1,485
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	377	437	539	514	415	370	
	Procedural Terminations	88	75	60	70	78	68	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	124	136	181	154	116	114
		Signed	35	43	38	47	34	37
		Unsigned	89	91	137	104	81	75
		Without Comment	1	1	5	3	2	2

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0	6 / 2.0		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	2	3	4	4	3	3		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	6.0	8.4	10.7	0.0	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	Total	758	809	781	728	735	854	9	
		Prisoner	105	109	111	103	100	82	11	
		Other	314	318	294	318	317	406	10	
		Criminal	253	274	293	232	243	309	3	
		Administrative	87	109	83	76	76	57	6	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	729	779	764	713	756	777	9	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	36	43	46	33	38	43	6	
		Procedural	266	288	229	238	270	261	6	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	427	448	490	443	449	474	10
			Prisoner	53	53	71	64	64	57	11
Other	176		204	182	181	172	206	9		
Criminal	140		147	178	152	172	161	5		
		Administrative	59	45	59	47	41	50	3	
		Pending Appeals	662	667	672	688	667	743	5	
Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition		11.5	11.5	10.8	11.5	12.7	11.5	10	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²		1	3	4	2	2	1	8	
	Petitions for Rehearing		52	58	51	44	44	47	7	

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SECOND CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	5,521	5,643	5,186	4,879	4,753	4,579	
	Prisoner	1,027	913	919	868	868	747	
	Other	2,231	2,323	2,197	2,268	2,285	2,414	
	Criminal	807	845	710	817	728	645	
	Administrative	1,456	1,562	1,360	926	872	773	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-17.1	-18.9	-11.7	-6.1	-3.7		
	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	5,285	5,436	6,069	5,091	4,870	4,743
Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²		284	296	364	289	311	370	
Procedural		2,195	2,126	2,391	1,831	1,954	1,735	
T e r m i n a t e d		Total	2,806	3,014	3,314	2,971	2,605	2,638
		Prisoner	264	585	719	501	476	435
		Other	1,042	1,086	1,370	1,308	1,251	1,221
		Criminal	569	504	610	564	454	498
		Administrative	931	839	615	598	424	484
		Percent by Active Judges	56.3	63.0	65.6	70.8	71.1	72.3
Pending Appeals		4,493	4,700	3,815	3,628	3,514	3,354	
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	459	503	547	524	469	486
	Procedural Terminations	127	91	118	75	82	74	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	217	219	225	204	183	190
		Signed	212	215	221	200	180	187
		Unsigned	6	4	4	4	4	2
Without Comment		-	-	-	-	-	-	

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		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	12	11	10	9	9	10		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	28.1	4.9	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	1,274	1,302	1,197	1,126	1,097	1,057	5	
		Prisoner	237	211	212	200	200	172	9	
		Other	515	536	507	523	527	557	4	
		Criminal	186	195	164	189	168	149	9	
		Administrative	336	360	314	214	201	178	2	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,220	1,254	1,401	1,175	1,124	1,095	5	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	66	68	84	67	72	85	2	
		Procedural	507	491	552	423	451	400	4	
		On the Merits	Total	648	696	765	686	601	609	6
			Prisoner	61	135	166	116	110	100	8
Other	240		251	316	302	289	282	4		
Criminal	131		116	141	130	105	115	7		
		Administrative	215	194	142	138	98	112	2	
		Pending Appeals	1,037	1,085	880	837	811	774	4	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	12.0	12.1	10.8	10.6	10.0	11.1	9	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	-	2	7	4	2	6	1	
		Petitions for Rehearing	37	25	27	36	31	28	10	

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THIRD CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	3,726	3,771	3,859	4,088	3,425	3,623	
	Prisoner	1,133	1,071	1,124	1,063	1,028	892	
	Other	1,490	1,511	1,809	2,214	1,633	2,041	
	Criminal	660	704	551	527	468	433	
	Administrative	443	485	375	284	296	257	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-2.8	-3.9	-6.1	-11.4	5.8		
	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	4,353	3,897	3,886	3,765	3,363	3,353
Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²		68	80	125	97	86	77	
Procedural		1,800	1,294	1,205	1,084	1,150	1,024	
T e r m i n a t e d		Total	2,485	2,523	2,556	2,584	2,127	2,252
		Prisoner	373	609	806	685	631	818
		Other	1,012	955	919	1,243	959	925
		Criminal	640	606	531	454	377	323
		Administrative	460	353	300	202	160	186
		Percent by Active Judges	78.4	75.6	78.1	80.2	79.3	71.8
Pending Appeals		2,560	2,392	2,343	2,671	2,733	3,004	
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	419	459	490	537	407	382	
	Procedural Terminations	147	74	68	60	53	50	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	130	146	167	183	128	145
		Signed	77	92	112	132	88	100
		Unsigned	44	46	47	40	33	36
		Without Comment	9	8	8	11	8	9

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		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	9	10	11	11	10	10		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	12.0	9.5	24.0	12.2	18.3		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	798	808	827	876	734	776	10	
		Prisoner	243	230	241	228	220	191	8	
		Other	319	324	388	474	350	437	8	
		Criminal	141	151	118	113	100	93	11	
		Administrative	95	104	80	61	63	55	7	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	933	835	833	807	721	719	10	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	15	17	27	21	18	17	11	
		Procedural	386	277	258	232	246	219	8	
		On the Merits	Total	533	541	548	554	456	483	9
			Prisoner	80	131	173	147	135	175	5
Other	217		205	197	266	205	198	10		
Criminal	137		130	114	97	81	69	11		
		Administrative	99	76	64	43	34	40	4	
		Pending Appeals	549	513	502	572	586	644	7	
Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition		10.4	7.9	6.9	5.8	8.3	7.4	6	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²		2	2	4	2	2	3	4	
	Petitions for Rehearing		113	109	91	98	87	105	1	

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FOURTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	4,610	4,907	5,064	4,826	4,646	6,294	
	Prisoner	1,420	1,427	1,625	1,690	1,718	1,459	
	Other	1,363	1,485	1,583	1,628	1,579	3,362	
	Criminal	1,596	1,648	1,510	1,293	1,065	1,250	
	Administrative	231	347	346	215	284	223	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	36.5	28.3	24.3	30.4	35.5		
	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	4,971	5,280	5,079	4,908	4,720	5,898
Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²		145	219	207	170	196	321	
Procedural		1,753	1,349	1,077	1,158	1,126	1,053	
O n t h e M e r i t s		Total	3,073	3,712	3,795	3,580	3,398	4,524
		Prisoner	478	895	1,115	1,227	1,218	1,074
		Other	954	1,069	1,166	1,144	1,095	2,355
		Criminal	1,478	1,600	1,342	1,014	944	924
		Administrative	163	148	172	195	141	171
		Percent by Active Judges	90.7	92.9	92.6	90.6	87.9	89.4
Pending Appeals		2,767	2,395	2,381	2,305	2,232	2,631	
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	697	810	739	696	662	863
	Procedural Terminations	212	104	48	54	52	49	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	246	265	242	229	218	278
		Signed	47	52	46	43	36	37
		Unsigned	200	213	196	185	182	242
Without Comment		-	-	-	-	-	-	

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		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	1	1	1	2	2	2		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	21.9	12.6	0.0	4.0	0.9	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	Total	922	981	1,013	965	929	1,259	3	
		Prisoner	284	285	325	338	344	292	3	
		Other	273	297	317	326	316	672	2	
		Criminal	319	330	302	259	213	250	4	
		Administrative	46	69	69	43	57	45	9	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	994	1,056	1,016	982	944	1,180	4	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	29	44	41	34	39	64	4	
		Procedural	351	270	215	232	225	211	9	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	615	742	759	716	680	905	2
			Prisoner	96	179	223	245	244	215	2
Other	191		214	233	229	219	471	2		
Criminal	296		320	268	203	189	185	3		
		Administrative	33	30	34	39	28	34	7	
		Pending Appeals	553	479	476	461	446	526	10	
Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition		8.7	6.3	5.0	5.1	5.3	4.4	1	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²		2	1	3	1	1	1	8	
	Petitions for Rehearing		65	70	70	72	63	86	3	

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FIFTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	7,537	7,626	7,401	7,923	7,423	8,675	
	Prisoner	2,353	2,213	2,095	2,215	2,125	2,012	
	Other	2,229	2,248	2,501	2,793	2,296	3,196	
	Criminal	2,494	2,692	2,318	2,463	2,522	3,004	
	Administrative	461	473	487	452	480	463	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	15.1	13.8	17.2	9.5	16.9		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	7,799	7,339	7,451	7,940	7,347	7,745	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	112	521	614	951	624	654	
	Procedural	3,774	2,886	2,753	2,717	2,678	2,709	
	A p p e a l s	Total	3,913	3,932	4,084	4,272	4,045	4,382
		Prisoner	469	907	1,058	1,009	888	852
		Other	1,278	1,212	1,204	1,432	1,355	1,481
		Criminal	1,918	1,641	1,633	1,613	1,653	1,860
		Administrative	248	172	189	218	149	189
		Percent by Active Judges	84.4	82.8	83.2	82.0	81.3	83.4
	Pending Appeals		4,481	4,766	4,715	4,712	4,786	5,713
	Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits	648	639	709	829	690	772
Procedural Terminations		178	111	126	152	139	128	
Written Decisions		Total	205	193	217	235	212	239
		Signed	25	20	19	21	20	26
		Unsigned	178	173	196	214	191	213
		Without Comment	1	1	1	1	1	-

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FIFTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	6	6	7	8	8	6		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	16.4	8.9	22.9	28.5	24.0	24.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,330	1,346	1,306	1,398	1,310	1,531	2	
		Prisoner	415	391	370	391	375	355	2	
		Other	393	397	441	493	405	564	3	
		Criminal	440	475	409	435	445	530	1	
		Administrative	81	83	86	80	85	82	4	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,376	1,295	1,315	1,401	1,297	1,367	2	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	20	92	108	168	110	115	1	
		Procedural	666	509	486	479	473	478	3	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	691	694	721	754	714	773	3
			Prisoner	83	160	187	178	157	150	7
Other	226		214	212	253	239	261	6		
Criminal	338		290	288	285	292	328	1		
		Administrative	44	30	33	38	26	33	8	
		Pending Appeals	791	841	832	832	845	1,008	3	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	10.2	9.3	9.2	8.9	9.2	9.2	8	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	1	4	3	12	2	6	1	
		Petitions for Rehearing	29	33	31	33	31	26	12	

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SIXTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	4,862	4,829	5,088	4,737	4,518	5,159	
	Prisoner	1,466	1,451	1,474	1,432	1,361	1,335	
	Other	1,804	1,755	2,047	2,120	1,823	2,508	
	Criminal	1,253	1,213	1,176	914	1,021	1,040	
	Administrative	339	410	391	271	313	276	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	6.1	6.8	1.4	8.9	14.2		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	4,944	5,418	5,593	5,175	4,858	4,634	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	174	219	242	258	206	181	
	Procedural	2,210	2,021	1,649	1,466	1,325	1,385	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	2,560	3,178	3,702	3,451	3,327	3,068
		Prisoner	497	596	990	1,001	1,008	872
		Other	911	1,128	1,473	1,332	1,402	1,238
		Criminal	924	1,148	940	850	726	760
		Administrative	228	306	299	268	191	198
		Percent by Active Judges	65.2	65.0	66.4	65.8	69.0	68.4
	Pending Appeals		5,012	4,439	3,938	3,514	3,174	3,670
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits	342	435	446	433	434	398	
	Procedural Terminations	89	84	66	58	51	58	
	Written Decisions	Total	116	139	159	155	157	143
		Signed	53	56	52	44	51	45
		Unsigned	62	83	106	111	106	98
		Without Comment	-	1	-	-	-	-

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SIXTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	10	9	8	8	9	8		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	9.7	2.2	0.0	10.4	12.0	12.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	912	905	954	888	847	967	7	
		Prisoner	275	272	276	269	255	250	6	
		Other	338	329	384	398	342	470	6	
		Criminal	235	227	221	171	191	195	6	
		Administrative	64	77	73	51	59	52	8	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	927	1,016	1,049	970	911	869	6	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	33	41	45	48	39	34	9	
		Procedural	414	379	309	275	248	260	7	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	480	596	694	647	624	575	7
			Prisoner	93	112	186	188	189	164	6
	Other		171	212	276	250	263	232	8	
	Criminal		173	215	176	159	136	143	6	
			Administrative	43	57	56	50	36	37	5
			Pending Appeals	940	832	738	659	595	688	6
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	15.3	15.5	10.8	9.3	8.8	8.5	7
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	1	3	2	1	8	
		Petitions for Rehearing	55	65	73	68	65	62	5	

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SEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	3,004	3,059	2,909	3,032	2,841	3,452	
	Prisoner	945	922	867	1,042	934	942	
	Other	1,316	1,240	1,206	1,263	1,238	1,803	
	Criminal	586	729	665	591	498	581	
	Administrative	157	168	171	136	171	126	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	14.9	12.8	18.7	13.9	21.5		
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	3,112	3,039	3,001	3,079	2,881	3,180	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	197	177	156	170	169	152	
	Procedural	1,465	1,440	1,121	1,186	1,096	1,134	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,450	1,422	1,724	1,723	1,616	1,894
		Prisoner	205	227	487	515	469	345
		Other	671	731	627	735	705	1,129
		Criminal	461	389	512	383	360	338
		Administrative	113	75	98	90	82	82
		Percent by Active Judges	71.7	74.1	78.8	76.9	76.7	77.0
	Pending Appeals		1,966	1,986	1,896	1,856	1,814	2,006
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	313	351	421	413	403	499	
	Procedural Terminations	92	81	46	45	43	52	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	105	108	137	134	131	164
		Signed	46	44	43	48	47	55
		Unsigned	57	61	93	84	85	109
		Without Comment	2	2	1	1	-	-

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SEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	6	6	4	4	5	4		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	16.3	24.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	819	834	793	827	775	941	8	
		Prisoner	258	251	236	284	255	257	5	
		Other	359	338	329	344	338	492	5	
		Criminal	160	199	181	161	136	158	7	
		Administrative	43	46	47	37	47	34	11	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	849	829	818	840	786	867	7	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	54	48	43	46	46	41	7	
		Procedural	400	393	306	323	299	309	5	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	395	388	470	470	441	517	8
			Prisoner	56	62	133	140	128	94	9
Other	183		199	171	200	192	308	3		
Criminal	126		106	140	104	98	92	9		
		Administrative	31	20	27	25	22	22	11	
		Pending Appeals	536	542	517	506	495	547	9	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	9.6	8.5	8.2	7.0	7.2	6.7	4	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	4	4	4	3	3	2	6	
		Petitions for Rehearing	33	30	28	32	33	27	11	

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EIGHTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	2,871	3,046	2,943	3,018	2,833	3,657	
	Prisoner	939	932	913	961	896	895	
	Other	993	1,073	1,102	1,187	1,032	1,693	
	Criminal	795	899	757	726	759	914	
	Administrative	144	142	171	144	146	155	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	27.4	20.1	24.3	21.2	29.1		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	3,057	2,966	2,916	2,829	3,018	3,063	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	119	122	136	123	129	120	
	Procedural	1,029	742	592	529	579	558	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,909	2,102	2,188	2,177	2,310	2,385
		Prisoner	328	560	685	694	754	644
		Other	760	733	775	852	903	990
		Criminal	746	734	650	542	585	661
		Administrative	75	75	78	89	68	90
		Percent by Active Judges	83.8	81.2	78.7	86.6	86.2	76.0
	Pending Appeals		1,420	1,501	1,530	1,723	1,538	2,132
	Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits	437	494	520	545	566	571
Procedural Terminations		147	70	44	45	58	56	
Written Decisions		Total	146	153	162	170	179	183
		Signed	45	43	45	37	44	43
		Unsigned	49	41	39	40	46	38
		Without Comment	52	69	78	93	89	102

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EIGHTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	6	4	5	5	4	6		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	0.0	2.7	0.0	2.3	12.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	Total	783	831	803	823	773	997	6	
		Prisoner	256	254	249	262	244	244	7	
		Other	271	293	301	324	281	462	7	
		Criminal	217	245	206	198	207	249	5	
		Administrative	39	39	47	39	40	42	10	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	834	809	795	772	823	835	8	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	32	33	37	34	35	33	10	
		Procedural	281	202	161	144	158	152	11	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	521	573	597	594	630	650	5
			Prisoner	89	153	187	189	206	176	4
Other	207		200	211	232	246	270	5		
Criminal	203		200	177	148	160	180	4		
		Administrative	20	20	21	24	19	25	10	
		Pending Appeals	387	409	417	470	419	581	8	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	7.1	5.6	6.1	5.6	6.0	5.0	2	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	3	3	4	2	2	6	
		Petitions for Rehearing	78	102	109	103	99	97	2	

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NINTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	11,947	12,793	12,669	12,238	11,973	11,531	
	Prisoner	3,558	3,417	3,046	2,871	2,724	2,573	
	Other	3,765	4,006	4,028	4,106	4,072	4,200	
	Criminal	1,592	1,728	1,623	1,654	1,513	1,455	
	Administrative	3,032	3,642	3,972	3,607	3,664	3,303	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-3.5	-9.9	-9.0	-5.8	-3.7		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	13,322	12,656	12,879	12,353	12,231	11,888	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	519	479	370	332	358	371	
	Procedural	5,973	4,777	4,936	4,873	5,134	4,955	
	A p p e a l s	Total	6,830	7,400	7,573	7,148	6,739	6,562
		Prisoner	1,136	2,748	2,818	2,219	2,124	1,864
		Other	2,097	2,082	1,993	2,087	2,312	2,256
		Criminal	1,174	1,200	1,169	1,240	1,044	966
		Administrative	2,423	1,370	1,593	1,602	1,259	1,476
		Percent by Active Judges	63.5	69.0	70.7	68.3	68.0	71.8
	Pending Appeals		13,870	14,191	14,079	13,994	13,760	13,368
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits	529	614	566	543	475	493	
	Procedural Terminations	205	131	93	85	82	74	
	Written Decisions	Total	168	196	190	167	146	153
		Signed	18	17	13	15	12	13
		Unsigned	120	80	85	82	70	108
		Without Comment	30	99	92	71	64	32

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NINTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	20	18	17	16	16			
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	41.7	41.0	15.0	18.8	0.0	6.6		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	Total	1,236	1,323	1,311	1,266	1,239	1,193	4	
		Prisoner	368	353	315	297	282	266	4	
		Other	389	414	417	425	421	434	9	
		Criminal	165	179	168	171	157	151	8	
		Administrative	314	377	411	373	379	342	1	
	A p p e a l s	Total	1,378	1,309	1,332	1,278	1,265	1,230	3	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	54	50	38	34	37	38	8	
		Procedural	618	494	511	504	531	513	2	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	707	766	783	739	697	679	4
			Prisoner	118	284	292	230	220	193	3
Other	217		215	206	216	239	233	7		
Criminal	121		124	121	128	108	100	8		
		Administrative	251	142	165	166	130	153	1	
		Pending Appeals	1,435	1,468	1,456	1,448	1,423	1,383	1	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	18.5	15.5	13.8	12.8	12.8	15.4	12	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	4	4	4	4	6	4	3	
		Petitions for Rehearing	75	58	55	58	63	55	6	

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TENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	
A p p e a l s	Total	2,327	2,237	2,125	1,971	1,893	2,332	
	Prisoner	676	691	605	592	503	499	
	Other	985	912	962	853	864	1,272	
	Criminal	555	496	431	425	405	478	
	Administrative	111	138	127	101	121	83	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	0.2	4.2	9.7	18.3	23.2		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	2,249	2,169	2,232	2,134	1,921	2,155	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	74	51	50	40	46	41	
	Procedural	985	856	718	648	571	628	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,190	1,262	1,464	1,446	1,304	1,486
		Prisoner	218	246	381	363	346	327
		Other	539	557	639	618	546	756
		Criminal	377	400	373	360	325	340
		Administrative	56	59	71	105	87	63
		Percent by Active Judges	69.0	73.7	68.8	66.4	76.5	86.0
	Pending Appeals		1,397	1,446	1,341	1,178	1,150	1,327
	Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits	252	288	334	306	258	327
Procedural Terminations		117	100	56	56	43	44	
Written Decisions		Total	85	92	110	107	86	111
		Signed	74	80	94	87	72	86
		Unsigned	11	13	16	20	14	24
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016			
		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	8	10	10	9	7		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	22.8	24.0	27.8	18.7	0.0	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	Total	582	559	531	493	473	583	11	
		Prisoner	169	173	151	148	126	125	10	
		Other	246	228	241	213	216	318	11	
		Criminal	139	124	108	106	101	120	10	
		Administrative	28	35	32	25	30	21	12	
	A p p e a l s	Total	562	542	558	534	480	539	11	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	19	13	13	10	12	10	12	
		Procedural	246	214	180	162	143	157	10	
		On the Merits	Total	298	316	366	362	326	372	11
			Prisoner	55	62	95	91	87	82	10
Other	135		139	160	155	137	189	11		
Criminal	94		100	93	90	81	85	10		
		Administrative	14	15	18	26	22	16	12	
		Pending Appeals	349	362	335	295	288	332	12	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.8	8.7	8.3	8.3	7.8	7.0	5	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	1	1	2	2	1	1	8	
		Petitions for Rehearing	26	39	40	44	42	39	8	

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ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016		
A p p e a l s	Total	6,244	6,973	6,417	6,162	6,140	7,843		
	Prisoner	1,809	1,973	2,021	1,976	1,874	1,823		
	Other	2,493	2,634	2,437	2,479	2,551	4,256		
	Criminal	1,469	1,999	1,542	1,400	1,372	1,464		
	Administrative	473	367	417	307	343	300		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	25.6	12.5	22.2	27.3	27.7			
	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	6,319	6,335	6,936	6,107	6,069	6,902	
Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²		121	190	295	201	240	293		
Procedural		3,163	2,719	2,705	2,192	2,268	2,443		
A p p e a l s		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	3,035	3,426	3,936	3,714	3,561	4,166
			Prisoner	346	930	1,250	1,164	1,232	964
			Other	1,236	1,282	1,343	1,408	1,355	2,128
			Criminal	1,191	1,005	1,154	984	846	935
			Administrative	262	209	189	158	128	139
			Percent by Active Judges	80.0	77.1	79.7	79.6	82.3	90.0
Pending Appeals		3,445	4,023	3,494	3,569	3,620	4,572		
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		670	723	849	923	735	970
	Procedural Terminations		262	252	225	227	186	204	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	223	273	310	347	276	340	
		Signed	17	14	16	19	17	15	
		Unsigned	191	249	282	315	248	316	
		Without Comment	16	10	12	13	11	10	

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2016 Numerical Standing			
		Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016				
		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	6	6	7	8	8	7			
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	14.1	19.5	23.5	39.4	14.9	12.0			
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	Total	1,561	1,743	1,604	1,541	1,535	1,961	1		
		Prisoner	452	493	505	494	469	456	1		
		Other	623	659	609	620	638	1,064	1		
		Criminal	367	500	386	350	343	366	2		
		Administrative	118	92	104	77	86	75	5		
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,580	1,584	1,734	1,527	1,517	1,726	1	
			Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	30	48	74	50	60	73	3	
			Procedural	791	680	676	548	567	611	1	
			On the Merits	Total	759	857	984	929	890	1,042	1
				Prisoner	87	233	313	291	308	241	1
Other				309	321	336	352	339	532	1	
Criminal	298	251		289	246	212	234	2			
		Administrative	66	52	47	40	32	35	6		
		Pending Appeals	861	1,006	874	892	905	1,143	2		
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.5	7.4	7.7	7.1	7.3	6.1	3		
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	1	2	3	2	2	3	4		
		Petitions for Rehearing	77	72	71	62	73	64	4		

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