

U.S. Court of Appeals - Judicial Caseload Profile

NATIONAL TOTALS

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024		
Overall Caseload Statistics	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	47,783	49,044	45,790	42,094	40,713	39,850	
		Prisoner	12,571	12,030	10,711	9,546	9,259	8,526	
		Other	19,576	20,885	17,124	17,098	17,086	16,401	
		Criminal	9,895	9,577	10,756	10,078	9,860	9,829	
		Administrative	5,741	6,552	7,199	5,372	4,508	5,094	
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-16.6	-18.7	-13.0	-5.3	-2.1		
	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	47,832	48,514	47,842	45,910	41,537	40,174
			Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	2,326	3,039	2,112	2,105	2,038	1,825
			Procedural	15,681	15,613	16,496	16,897	14,368	14,717
			Total	29,825	29,862	29,234	26,908	25,131	23,632
			Prisoner	7,973	7,214	6,823	6,060	5,453	4,958
			Other	12,064	12,465	11,328	9,913	9,823	9,665
			Criminal	6,811	7,025	7,435	7,289	6,677	6,464
		Administrative	2,977	3,158	3,648	3,646	3,178	2,545	
		Percent by Active Judges	70.9	73.8	76.2	76.9	74.1	76.3	
		Pending Appeals		38,432	38,963	36,921	33,138	32,432	32,449
		Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits		419	433	421	413	363
Procedural Terminations			56	61	58	55	47	42	
Written Decisions	Total		141	139	139	135	118	114	
	Signed		44	46	44	41	37	38	
	Unsigned		90	85	86	86	73	69	
	Without Comment		7	7	9	8	8	7	

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		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024		
		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	100	101	101	102	113	105	
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	166.7	49.2	21.2	40.6	66.0	53.6	
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	858	881	823	756	731	716	
		Prisoner	226	216	192	171	166	153	
		Other	352	375	308	307	307	295	
		Criminal	178	172	193	181	177	177	
		Administrative	103	118	129	97	81	92	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	859	872	859	825	746	722	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	42	55	38	38	37	33	
		Procedural	282	280	296	304	258	264	
		On the Merits	Total	536	536	525	483	451	425
			Prisoner	143	130	123	109	98	89
			Other	217	224	203	178	176	174
			Criminal	122	126	134	131	120	116
		Administrative	53	57	66	65	57	46	
	Pending Appeals		690	700	663	595	583	583	
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.6	9.1	9.9	9.9	9.7	9.8
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	2	2	2	2	
		Petitions for Rehearing	44	50	51	49	43	43	

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		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024		
Overall Caseload Statistics	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	965	1,019	1,031	907	1,012	1,159	
		Prisoner	86	99	106	74	56	64	
		Other	524	494	421	490	443	491	
		Criminal	70	76	72	82	151	210	
		Administrative	285	350	432	261	362	394	
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	20.1	13.7	12.4	27.8	14.5		
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,029	1,079	999	858	837	934	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	156	224	143	124	129	140	
		Procedural	350	384	414	293	275	356	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	523	471	442	441	433	438
			Prisoner	43	41	31	24	26	26
			Other	318	290	272	286	273	280
			Criminal	43	38	47	45	44	53
			Administrative	119	102	92	86	90	79
			Percent by Active Judges	81.4	83.4	84.6	83.2	80.1	89.3
		Pending Appeals		1,199	1,139	1,171	1,220	1,395	1,621
		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		158	211	142	132	132
Procedural Terminations			22	20	30	16	12	23	
W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total		44	39	39	39	39	36	
	Signed		15	12	12	12	13	12	
	Unsigned		29	27	27	26	25	25	
	Without Comment		-	-	-	-	-	-	

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		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	7	7	7	6		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	8.8	0.0	3.6	1.5	8.4	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	263	278	281	247	276	316	12	
		Prisoner	23	27	29	20	15	17	12	
		Other	143	135	115	134	121	134	12	
		Criminal	19	21	20	22	41	57	12	
		Administrative	78	95	118	71	99	107	3	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	281	294	272	234	228	255	12	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	43	61	39	34	35	38	3	
		Procedural	95	105	113	80	75	97	12	
		On the Merits	Total	143	128	121	120	118	119	12
			Prisoner	12	11	8	7	7	7	12
			Other	87	79	74	78	74	76	12
			Criminal	12	10	13	12	12	14	12
		Administrative	32	28	25	23	25	22	9	
	Pending Appeals		327	311	319	333	380	442	10	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	10.6	11.0	11.2	11.6	11.1	12.0	9	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	-	-	-	1	-	-	12		
	Petitions for Rehearing	25	23	20	20	14	18	12		

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FIRST CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
A p p e a l s	Total	1,339	1,308	1,107	1,076	1,060	1,186			
	Prisoner	218	179	146	114	133	129			
	Other	617	653	494	548	532	640			
	Criminal	412	375	336	345	318	293			
	Administrative	92	101	131	69	77	124			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-11.4	-9.3	7.1	10.2	11.9				
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	1,302	1,234	1,228	1,107	981	1,030			
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	61	50	69	70	46	51			
	Procedural	344	296	306	266	263	309			
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	897	888	853	771	672	670
				Prisoner	164	181	120	120	83	89
				Other	433	420	388	346	330	339
				Criminal	242	239	269	252	193	184
				Administrative	58	48	76	53	66	58
				Percent by Active Judges	75.4	79.2	68.9	65.4	50.2	57.6
	Pending Appeals		1,361	1,440	1,322	1,298	1,380	1,538		
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		351	440	413	314	186	245		
	Procedural Terminations		14	1	9	11	9	6		
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	111	136	145	87	66	74		
		Signed	27	28	42	24	14	22		
		Unsigned	83	101	96	58	50	49		
Without Comment		2	7	7	5	2	3			

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		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	4	4	4	4	6	5		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	0.0	2.2	15.0	5.6	10.6		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	670	654	554	538	530	593	9	
		Prisoner	109	90	73	57	67	65	11	
		Other	309	327	247	274	266	320	5	
		Criminal	206	188	168	173	159	147	7	
		Administrative	46	51	66	35	39	62	4	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	651	617	614	554	491	515	10	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	31	25	35	35	23	26	7	
		Procedural	172	148	153	133	132	155	11	
		On the Merits	Total	449	444	427	386	336	335	8
			Prisoner	82	91	60	60	42	45	11
			Other	217	210	194	173	165	170	5
			Criminal	121	120	135	126	97	92	6
			Administrative	29	24	38	27	33	29	5
	Pending Appeals		681	720	661	649	690	769	3	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	13.6	11.9	14.0	14.1	13.6	13.2	11	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	1	1	1	2	1	7		
	Petitions for Rehearing	40	38	38	39	27	37	6		

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SECOND CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
Overall Caseload Statistics	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	4,087	4,546	4,349	3,659	3,912	3,671		
		Prisoner	726	650	621	559	517	545		
		Other	2,101	2,546	2,249	1,800	2,172	1,733		
		Criminal	624	570	651	668	675	637		
		Administrative	636	780	828	632	548	756		
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-10.2	-19.2	-15.6	0.3	-6.2			
	T e r m i n a t e d	A p p e a l s	Total	3,863	4,444	4,630	4,082	3,557	3,484	
			Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	277	254	195	159	181	189	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Procedural	1,377	1,795	1,918	2,038	1,530	1,425	
			T o t a l	Total	2,209	2,395	2,517	1,885	1,846	1,870
				Prisoner	401	380	294	287	325	278
				Other	1,044	1,195	1,363	845	844	922
				Criminal	421	471	446	403	382	377
				Administrative	343	349	414	350	295	293
		Percent by Active Judges	60.1	60.7	61.5	58.2	60.0	60.4		
		Pending Appeals		3,944	4,049	3,769	3,351	3,702	3,875	
		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		389	388	417	311	259	282
Procedural Terminations			41	122	124	135	42	32		
W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total		176	190	157	156	125	127		
	Signed		174	187	155	154	124	125		
	Unsigned		2	3	2	2	2	2		
	Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-			

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3	13 / 4.3		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	13	13	16	14	16	15		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	22.8	8.7	4.1	9.0	0.0	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	943	1,049	1,004	844	903	847	3	
		Prisoner	168	150	143	129	119	126	8	
		Other	485	588	519	415	501	400	2	
		Criminal	144	132	150	154	156	147	7	
		Administrative	147	180	191	146	126	174	2	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	891	1,026	1,068	942	821	804	4	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	64	59	45	37	42	44	2	
		Procedural	318	414	443	470	353	329	3	
		On the Merits	Total	510	553	581	435	426	432	6
			Prisoner	93	88	68	66	75	64	10
Other	241		276	315	195	195	213	2		
Criminal	97		109	103	93	88	87	8		
		Administrative	79	81	96	81	68	68	2	
		Pending Appeals	910	934	870	773	854	894	1	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	11.4	12.1	14.7	12.5	13.6	13.4	12	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	3	2	3	2	2	4	1	
		Petitions for Rehearing	20	31	34	30	26	31	10	

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THIRD CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024	
A p p e a l s	Total	2,933	3,475	2,656	2,489	2,562	2,334	
	Prisoner	806	838	702	629	647	548	
	Other	1,404	1,806	1,105	1,152	1,236	1,174	
	Criminal	421	434	491	469	487	452	
	Administrative	302	397	358	239	192	160	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-20.4	-32.8	-12.1	-6.2	-8.9		
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	2,596	3,920	2,744	2,554	2,647	2,413	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	63	687	85	92	85	107	
	Procedural	804	982	908	899	852	842	
	A p p e a l s	Total	1,729	2,251	1,751	1,563	1,710	1,464
		Prisoner	484	625	503	441	490	398
		Other	804	1,103	697	599	732	671
		Criminal	277	313	325	327	356	287
		Administrative	164	210	226	196	132	108
		Percent by Active Judges	73.9	81.9	81.6	82.4	78.9	78.4
	Pending Appeals		2,648	2,203	2,114	2,051	1,966	1,887
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	324	515	319	290	301	284	
	Procedural Terminations	43	53	46	41	45	47	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	111	135	108	93	99	91
		Signed	83	103	75	63	66	61
		Unsigned	22	25	24	23	24	24
		Without Comment	7	8	9	8	8	6

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		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		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	9	8	8	11	10		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	18.6	12.0	0.0	0.9	0.5	12.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	629	745	569	533	549	500	10	
		Prisoner	173	180	150	135	139	117	9	
		Other	301	387	237	247	265	252	8	
		Criminal	90	93	105	101	104	97	11	
		Administrative	65	85	77	51	41	34	10	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	556	840	588	547	567	517	9	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	14	147	18	20	18	23	10	
		Procedural	172	210	195	193	183	180	9	
		On the Merits	Total	371	482	375	335	366	314	10
			Prisoner	104	134	108	95	105	85	5
			Other	172	236	149	128	157	144	10
			Criminal	59	67	70	70	76	62	11
		Administrative	35	45	48	42	28	23	8	
	Pending Appeals		567	472	453	440	421	404	11	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.3	9.5	8.7	8.8	8.3	8.8	4	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	2	2	3	2	3		
	Petitions for Rehearing	70	72	62	59	69	59	3		

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FOURTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024	
A p p e a l s	Total	4,470	4,823	4,263	3,989	3,778	3,398	
	Prisoner	1,456	1,546	1,134	1,030	1,034	955	
	Other	1,615	1,768	1,352	1,386	1,289	1,209	
	Criminal	1,189	1,278	1,481	1,319	1,192	1,029	
	Administrative	210	231	296	254	263	205	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-24.0	-29.5	-20.3	-14.8	-10.1		
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	4,114	4,205	4,094	4,304	3,947	3,699	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	175	196	197	168	161	167	
	Procedural	1,047	1,272	1,206	1,219	1,005	1,072	
	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	2,892	2,737	2,691	2,917	2,781	2,460
		Prisoner	893	786	673	686	685	609
		Other	1,070	1,034	933	880	951	843
		Criminal	791	798	928	1,127	997	824
		Administrative	138	119	157	224	148	184
		Percent by Active Judges	82.5	86.3	89.2	88.9	80.0	79.8
	Pending Appeals		2,609	3,228	3,397	3,083	2,914	2,613
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	502	511	522	513	504	454	
	Procedural Terminations	46	51	43	35	40	49	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	157	158	161	163	159	141
		Signed	36	38	43	39	34	34
		Unsigned	121	120	118	124	125	107
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0	15 / 5.0		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	4	4	2	3	4	4		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	1.5	0.0	0.0	8.0	15.0	8.6		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	894	965	853	798	756	680	6	
		Prisoner	291	309	227	206	207	191	3	
		Other	323	354	270	277	258	242	9	
		Criminal	238	256	296	264	238	206	4	
		Administrative	42	46	59	51	53	41	7	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	823	841	819	861	789	740	6	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	35	39	39	34	32	33	4	
		Procedural	209	254	241	244	201	214	6	
		On the Merits	Total	578	547	538	583	556	492	5
			Prisoner	179	157	135	137	137	122	3
Other	214		207	187	176	190	169	6		
Criminal	158		160	186	225	199	165	4		
		Administrative	28	24	31	45	30	37	3	
		Pending Appeals	522	646	679	617	583	523	6	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	5.5	5.8	7.4	7.8	8.8	8.8	4	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	
		Petitions for Rehearing	74	64	60	60	55	55	4	

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FIFTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024		
A p p e a l s	Total	7,163	6,591	6,351	6,060	5,740	5,396		
	Prisoner	1,970	1,607	1,551	1,480	1,273	1,042		
	Other	2,490	2,355	1,925	1,961	2,080	1,970		
	Criminal	2,198	1,950	1,989	2,139	2,028	2,046		
	Administrative	505	679	886	480	359	338		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-24.7	-18.1	-15.0	-11.0	-6.0			
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	7,375	6,496	6,511	6,836	5,988	5,571		
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	609	587	528	613	491	524		
	Procedural	2,707	2,168	2,403	2,155	1,908	1,930		
	A p p e a l s	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	4,059	3,741	3,580	4,068	3,589	3,117
			Prisoner	965	706	835	894	668	437
			Other	1,291	1,303	1,070	1,074	1,068	1,073
			Criminal	1,607	1,541	1,347	1,639	1,478	1,419
			Administrative	196	191	328	461	375	188
			Percent by Active Judges	76.3	80.0	79.8	82.8	81.0	82.6
	Pending Appeals		4,636	4,732	4,565	3,788	3,541	3,366	
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		622	609	530	636	569	532	
	Procedural Terminations		104	84	77	70	66	75	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	195	182	166	195	164	142	
		Signed	22	24	23	22	19	22	
		Unsigned	173	157	142	174	145	120	
Without Comment		-	1	-	-	-	1		

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FIFTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7	17 / 5.7		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	9	9	7	7	8	8		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	24.6	12.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	5.1		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,264	1,163	1,121	1,069	1,013	952	2	
		Prisoner	348	284	274	261	225	184	4	
		Other	439	416	340	346	367	348	3	
		Criminal	388	344	351	377	358	361	1	
		Administrative	89	120	156	85	63	60	5	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,301	1,146	1,149	1,206	1,057	983	2	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	107	104	93	108	87	92	1	
		Procedural	478	383	424	380	337	341	2	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	716	660	632	718	633	550	2
			Prisoner	170	125	147	158	118	77	7
Other			228	230	189	190	188	189	4	
Criminal	284		272	238	289	261	250	1		
	Administrative	35	34	58	81	66	33	4		
		Pending Appeals	818	835	806	668	625	594	5	
Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition		9.1	9.3	10.6	9.4	8.4	7.8	2	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²		1	2	2	2	2	1	7	
	Petitions for Rehearing		27	36	35	58	34	35	8	

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SIXTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024	
A p p e a l s	Total	4,194	4,364	4,011	3,628	3,407	3,307	
	Prisoner	1,296	1,207	966	860	829	689	
	Other	1,743	1,878	1,490	1,450	1,402	1,455	
	Criminal	918	1,017	1,231	1,069	991	967	
	Administrative	237	262	324	249	185	196	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-21.1	-24.2	-17.6	-8.8	-2.9		
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	4,120	4,240	4,306	3,705	3,391	3,289	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	159	218	212	197	139	128	
	Procedural	1,252	1,159	1,192	1,093	1,110	1,109	
	T e r m i n a t e d	Total	2,709	2,863	2,902	2,415	2,142	2,052
		Prisoner	839	831	708	531	506	448
		Other	1,115	1,152	1,094	964	866	821
		Criminal	600	723	884	718	624	632
		Administrative	155	157	216	202	146	151
		Percent by Active Judges	65.3	65.3	67.2	70.8	68.0	71.1
	Pending Appeals		2,749	2,874	2,578	2,501	2,518	2,637
	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	305	339	360	325	268	276
Procedural Terminations		45	41	41	32	32	30	
W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s		Total	108	118	125	107	94	94
		Signed	38	49	56	50	45	48
		Unsigned	70	69	68	57	48	46
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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SIXTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3	16 / 5.3		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	13	12	12	13	13	12		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	24.0	12.0	0.0	0.0	12.0	0.6		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	786	818	752	680	639	620	8	
		Prisoner	243	226	181	161	155	129	7	
		Other	327	352	279	272	263	273	6	
		Criminal	172	191	231	200	186	181	5	
		Administrative	44	49	61	47	35	37	9	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	773	795	807	695	636	617	8	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	30	41	40	37	26	24	8	
		Procedural	235	217	224	205	208	208	8	
		On the Merits	Total	508	537	544	453	402	385	7
			Prisoner	157	156	133	100	95	84	6
			Other	209	216	205	181	162	154	8
			Criminal	113	136	166	135	117	119	5
		Administrative	29	29	41	38	27	28	6	
		Pending Appeals	515	539	483	469	472	494	8	
	Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	7.3	8.1	7.8	8.4	8.7	8.7	3
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	1	2	1	1	7	
		Petitions for Rehearing	36	52	51	46	46	37	6	

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SEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
A p p e a l s	Total	2,650	2,527	2,694	2,397	2,555	2,388			
	Prisoner	888	829	822	673	875	789			
	Other	1,200	1,152	971	1,032	1,031	983			
	Criminal	466	443	757	606	564	548			
	Administrative	96	103	144	86	85	68			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-9.9	-5.5	-11.4	-0.4	-6.5				
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	2,699	2,515	2,704	2,430	2,333	2,443			
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	112	127	110	95	86	87			
	Procedural	1,073	997	1,179	1,037	1,033	1,150			
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	1,514	1,391	1,415	1,298	1,214	1,206
				Prisoner	431	347	482	355	310	280
				Other	767	717	592	513	590	557
				Criminal	269	277	291	389	281	328
				Administrative	47	50	50	41	33	41
				Percent by Active Judges	86.4	85.3	89.0	93.0	82.7	90.2
	Pending Appeals		1,746	1,750	1,741	1,708	1,930	1,876		
	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		361	338	350	346	276	296	
Procedural Terminations		51	45	52	57	53	43			
W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s		Total	119	109	119	111	95	99		
		Signed	38	38	33	32	31	29		
		Unsigned	80	71	86	78	64	70		
	Without Comment	1	-	-	-	-	-			

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SEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		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	3	4	4	6	3		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	0.0	8.9	0.5	0.0	7.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	723	689	735	654	697	651	7	
		Prisoner	242	226	224	184	239	215	2	
		Other	327	314	265	281	281	268	7	
		Criminal	127	121	206	165	154	149	6	
		Administrative	26	28	39	23	23	19	12	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	736	686	737	663	636	666	7	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	31	35	30	26	23	24	8	
		Procedural	293	272	322	283	282	314	5	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	413	379	386	354	331	329	9
			Prisoner	118	95	131	97	85	76	8
			Other	209	196	161	140	161	152	9
			Criminal	73	76	79	106	77	89	7
		Administrative	13	14	14	11	9	11	12	
		Pending Appeals	476	477	475	466	526	512	7	
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	8.5	9.1	8.8	9.6	9.1	9.6	7	
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	
		Petitions for Rehearing	28	23	24	19	20	21	11	

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EIGHTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024	
A p p e a l s	Total	2,768	2,780	2,902	2,885	2,874	2,597	
	Prisoner	799	810	741	769	695	612	
	Other	974	1,063	905	1,034	1,077	819	
	Criminal	855	809	1,087	999	973	1,021	
	Administrative	140	98	169	83	129	145	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-6.2	-6.6	-10.5	-10.0	-9.6		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	2,808	3,006	3,077	2,679	2,855	2,747	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	119	134	97	140	276	102	
	Procedural	574	638	553	594	494	765	
	A p p e a l s	Total	2,115	2,234	2,427	1,945	2,085	1,880
		Prisoner	645	611	600	519	490	489
		Other	799	812	743	625	694	593
		Criminal	598	728	1,008	737	829	729
		Administrative	73	83	76	64	72	69
		Percent by Active Judges	84.4	88.1	89.1	96.2	93.4	96.8
	Pending Appeals		1,878	1,653	1,478	1,693	1,785	1,655
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits	504	571	612	546	590	523	
	Procedural Terminations	56	66	46	66	63	56	
	Written Decisions	Total	160	180	195	169	178	164
		Signed	39	41	38	35	37	33
		Unsigned	43	52	44	41	47	46
Without Comment		79	87	114	93	93	85	

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EIGHTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing			
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024				
		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	5	4	3	3				
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	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	755	758	791	787	784	708	5		
		Prisoner	218	221	202	210	190	167		5	
		Other	266	290	247	282	294	223		10	
		Criminal	233	221	296	272	265	278		3	
		Administrative	38	27	46	23	35	40		8	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	766	820	839	731	779	749		5	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	32	37	26	38	75	28		5	
		Procedural	157	174	151	162	135	209		7	
		On the Merits	Total	577	609	662	530	569	513		3
			Prisoner	176	167	164	142	134	133		2
			Other	218	221	203	170	189	162		7
			Criminal	163	199	275	201	226	199		2
		Administrative	20	23	21	17	20	19		10	
	Pending Appeals		512	451	403	462	487	451		9	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	7.5	7.3	4.3	4.9	4.6	5.0		1	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	1	1	1	1	1		7		
	Petitions for Rehearing	86	94	106	88	89	79		1		

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NINTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending								
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
A p p e a l s	Total	10,137	10,315	9,882	8,772	7,797	8,117			
	Prisoner	2,261	2,385	2,125	1,721	1,603	1,522			
	Other	3,868	3,847	3,616	3,459	3,242	3,233			
	Criminal	1,198	1,087	1,025	911	924	961			
	Administrative	2,810	2,996	3,116	2,681	2,028	2,401			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-19.9	-21.3	-17.9	-7.5	4.1				
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	10,368	10,106	10,773	11,146	8,851	8,230			
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	405	376	320	273	283	193			
	Procedural	3,261	3,234	3,879	4,832	3,307	3,137			
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	6,702	6,496	6,574	6,041	5,261	4,900
				Prisoner	1,662	1,537	1,593	1,350	1,130	1,089
				Other	2,631	2,530	2,492	2,334	1,965	1,969
				Criminal	921	852	750	658	532	640
				Administrative	1,488	1,577	1,739	1,699	1,634	1,202
				Percent by Active Judges	53.6	57.6	66.0	62.2	59.9	62.1
	Pending Appeals		11,194	11,397	10,509	8,138	7,087	6,978		
	Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits		507	419	452	490	337	329	
Procedural Terminations		61	70	66	61	44	46			
Written Decisions		Total	156	133	151	161	106	109		
		Signed	13	9	11	15	8	8		
		Unsigned	143	124	139	146	98	101		
	Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-			

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NINTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	18	20	19	22	22	22		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	53.4	4.5	0.0	0.0	1.0	4.4		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,049	1,067	1,022	907	807	840	4	
		Prisoner	234	247	220	178	166	157	6	
		Other	400	398	374	358	335	334	4	
		Criminal	124	112	106	94	96	99	10	
		Administrative	291	310	322	277	210	248	1	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,073	1,045	1,114	1,153	916	851	3	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	42	39	33	28	29	20	11	
		Procedural	337	335	401	500	342	325	4	
		O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	693	672	680	625	544	507	4
			Prisoner	172	159	165	140	117	113	4
			Other	272	262	258	241	203	204	3
			Criminal	95	88	78	68	55	66	10
			Administrative	154	163	180	176	169	124	1
		Pending Appeals		1,158	1,179	1,087	842	733	722	4
		Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	10.9	11.8	13.3	13.0	13.8	13.0	10
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	4	4	3	3	3	3	2		
	Petitions for Rehearing	33	53	63	66	43	44	5		

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TENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024	
A p p e a l s	Total	1,701	1,802	1,627	1,564	1,737	1,814	
	Prisoner	456	451	436	410	493	446	
	Other	777	820	673	690	675	790	
	Criminal	366	378	367	357	455	472	
	Administrative	102	153	151	107	114	106	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	6.6	0.7	11.5	16.0	4.4		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Total	1,750	1,759	1,746	1,609	1,680	1,823	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	30	17	27	22	41	26	
	Procedural	577	542	575	535	648	624	
	A p p e a l s	Total	1,143	1,200	1,144	1,052	991	1,173
		Prisoner	356	313	249	243	248	260
		Other	476	569	497	436	418	515
		Criminal	265	246	298	278	262	321
		Administrative	46	72	100	95	63	77
		Percent by Active Judges	77.8	82.7	80.0	77.2	78.5	80.8
	Pending Appeals		1,210	1,252	1,133	1,088	1,145	1,136
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Terminations on the Merits	226	251	235	237	220	259	
	Procedural Terminations	38	35	29	30	37	36	
	Written Decisions	Total	76	83	77	80	72	89
		Signed	61	59	60	63	57	67
		Unsigned	16	24	16	17	15	22
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		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	7	7	8	7	7			
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.7	0.0	5.3		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	425	451	407	391	434	454	11	
		Prisoner	114	113	109	103	123	112	10	
		Other	194	205	168	173	169	198	11	
		Criminal	92	95	92	89	114	118	9	
		Administrative	26	38	38	27	29	27	11	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	438	440	437	402	420	456	11	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	8	4	7	6	10	7	12	
		Procedural	144	136	144	134	162	156	10	
		On the Merits	Total	286	300	286	263	248	293	11
			Prisoner	89	78	62	61	62	65	9
			Other	119	142	124	109	105	129	11
			Criminal	66	62	75	70	66	80	9
			Administrative	12	18	25	24	16	19	10
		Pending Appeals		303	313	283	272	286	284	12
		Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	9.0	9.7	10.3	9.5	9.6	9.3	6
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	1	1	1	1	1	1	7		
	Petitions for Rehearing	35	32	27	23	24	32	9		

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ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-Month Periods Ending							
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024		
A p p e a l s	Total	5,376	5,494	4,917	4,668	4,279	4,483		
	Prisoner	1,609	1,429	1,361	1,227	1,104	1,185		
	Other	2,263	2,503	1,923	2,096	1,907	1,904		
	Criminal	1,178	1,160	1,269	1,114	1,102	1,193		
	Administrative	326	402	364	231	166	201		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	-16.6	-18.4	-8.8	-4.0	4.8			
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	5,808	5,510	5,030	4,600	4,470	4,511		
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²	160	169	129	152	120	111		
	Procedural	2,315	2,146	1,963	1,936	1,943	1,998		
	A p p e a l s	O n t h e M e r i t s	Total	3,333	3,195	2,938	2,512	2,407	2,402
			Prisoner	1,090	856	735	610	492	555
			Other	1,316	1,340	1,187	1,011	1,092	1,082
			Criminal	777	799	842	716	699	670
			Administrative	150	200	174	175	124	95
			Percent by Active Judges	78.3	78.0	82.9	84.6	84.2	87.1
	Pending Appeals		3,258	3,246	3,144	3,219	3,069	3,267	
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		614	549	576	537	541	503	
	Procedural Terminations		119	100	89	93	93	19	
	W r i t t e n D e c i s i o n s	Total	232	192	191	176	167	163	
		Signed	14	15	20	19	16	16	
		Unsigned	212	172	164	153	144	141	
Without Comment		6	5	7	4	7	6		

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		12-Month Periods Ending						2024 Numerical Standing		
		Jun 30 2019	Jun 30 2020	Jun 30 2021	Jun 30 2022	Jun 30 2023	Jun 30 2024			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	7	9	10	10	10	10		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	13.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	19.5	0.0		
Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s F i l e d	Total	1,344	1,374	1,229	1,167	1,070	1,121	1	
		Prisoner	402	357	340	307	276	296	1	
		Other	566	626	481	524	477	476	1	
		Criminal	295	290	317	279	276	298	2	
		Administrative	82	101	91	58	42	50	6	
	A p p e a l s T e r m i n a t e d	Total	1,452	1,378	1,258	1,150	1,118	1,128	1	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	40	42	32	38	30	28	5	
		Procedural	579	537	491	484	486	500	1	
		On the Merits	Total	833	799	735	628	602	601	1
			Prisoner	273	214	184	153	123	139	1
			Other	329	335	297	253	273	271	1
			Criminal	194	200	211	179	175	168	3
		Administrative	38	50	44	44	31	24	7	
	Pending Appeals		815	812	786	805	767	817	2	
	Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	7.8	7.5	8.2	9.1	9.5	9.8	8	
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals ²	2	2	3	2	2	2	3		
	Petitions for Rehearing	63	65	74	50	59	64	2		

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