

**Judicial Caseload Indicators**  
**12-Month Periods Ending March 31, 2000, 2005, 2008, and 2009**

Judicial Caseload	2000	2005	2008	2009	% Change Since 2000	% Change Since 2005	% Change Since 2008
<b>U.S. Courts of Appeals <sup>1</sup></b>							
Cases Filed	55,320	65,418	58,373	60,358	9.1	-7.7	3.4
Cases Terminated	55,678	57,486	60,439	59,604	7.1	3.7	-1.4
Cases Pending	40,910	55,218	50,809	51,563	26.0	-6.6	1.5
<b>U.S. District Courts</b>							
<b>  Civil</b>							
Cases Filed	262,548	278,712	245,427	258,535	-1.5	-7.2	5.3
Cases Terminated	265,030	260,980	238,097	238,640	-10.0	-8.6	0.2
Cases Pending	243,422	283,209	281,705 <sup>2</sup>	301,600	23.9	6.5	7.1
<b>    Criminal (Including Transfers)</b>							
Cases Filed	61,242	70,364	69,092	74,547	21.7	5.9	7.9
Defendants Filed	82,105	92,672	90,227	95,736	16.6	3.3	6.1
Cases Terminated	57,188	64,430	67,629	73,937	29.3	14.8	9.3
Cases Pending	44,646	68,603	73,489 <sup>2</sup>	74,099	66.0	8.0	0.8
<b>U.S. Bankruptcy Courts</b>							
Cases Filed	1,301,205	1,590,975	901,927	1,202,503	-7.6	-24.4	33.3
Cases Terminated	1,289,283	1,612,145	904,207 <sup>2</sup>	1,073,619	-16.7	-33.4	18.7
Cases Pending	1,382,978	1,652,364	1,284,614 <sup>2</sup>	1,413,498	2.2	-14.5	10.0
<b>Post-Conviction Supervision</b>							
Persons Under Supervision	99,209	112,870	118,346	122,633	23.6	8.6	3.6
<b>Pretrial Services</b>							
Total Cases Activated	84,219	99,116	98,119	102,499	21.7	3.4	4.5
Pretrial Services Cases Activated	82,221	97,163	96,537	101,208	23.1	4.2	4.8
Pretrial Diversion Cases Activated	1,998	1,953	1,582	1,291	-35.4	-33.9	-18.4
Total Released to Supervision	33,309	34,344	32,576	30,472	-8.5	-11.3	-6.5
Pretrial Supervision	31,110	32,346	31,143	29,236	-6.0	-9.6	-6.1
Diversion Supervision	2,199	1,998	1,433	1,236	-43.8	-38.1	-13.7

<sup>1</sup> Excludes the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

<sup>2</sup> Revised.