

United States District Courts - National Judicial Caseload Profile

			Twelve-Month Period Ended September 30							
			1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS			ALL DISTRICT COURTS							
	Filings*		301,569	310,504	304,535	281,681	267,799	264,038		
	Terminations		301,069	284,694	283,383	259,336	258,712	259,238		
	Pending		304,579	304,163	279,781	268,197	257,183	252,697		
	Percent Change in Total Filings - Current Year	Over Last Year	-2.9							
		Over Earlier Years	-1.0 7.1 12.6 14.2							
	Number of Judgeships		646	647	647	649	649	649		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**		720.2	791.7	571.7	642.0	1,104.3	1,199.9		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP			Total		467	480	471	434	413	407
			Civil		398	420	416	383	364	354
Criminal Felony		69	60	55	51	49	53			
Pending Cases			471	470	432	413	396	389		
Weighted Filings			484	504	472	448	419	419		
95 % Confidence		Upper	516	541	502	477	445	444		
		Lower	452	467	443	419	393	393		
Terminations			466	440	438	400	399	399		
Trials Completed			25	26	27	27	27	30		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)			From Filing to Disposition		6.4	6.6	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.3
			Criminal Felony		9	8	7	8	8	8
		Civil**								
From Filing to Trial (Civil Only)**			19	19	18	18	18	16		
OTHER			Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		25,621 9.6	22,642 8.3	16,152 6.4	13,538 5.6	14,086 6.2	18,451 8.3
			Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5
Jurors		Average Present for Jury Selection		38.19	37.26	36.92	37.90	36.38	38.33	
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged		33.9	33.0	34.4	34.0	33.6	34.0	

1998 CIVIL AND FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

TOTAL CIVIL	256,787	TOTAL CRIMINAL	44,204
A-Social Security	14,552	A-Immigration	8,658
B-Recovery of Overpayments and Enforcement of Judgment	14,577	B-Embezzlement	1,082
C-Prisoner Petitions	54,715	C-Weapons and Firearms	3,558
D-Forfeitures and Penalties and Tax Suits	3,855	D-Escape	484
E-Real Property	5,663	E-Burglary and Larceny	1,633
F-Labor Suits	14,650	F-Drugs	14,916
G-Contracts	27,715	G-(Not in Use)**	**
H-Torts	50,362	H-Forgery and Counterfeiting	1,273
I-Copyright, Patent, and Trademark	7,748	I-Fraud	6,802
J-Civil Rights	42,354	J-Homicide and Assault	770
K-Antitrust	580	K-Robbery	1,446
L-All Other Civil	20,016	L-All Other Criminal Felony Cases	3,582

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,771	3,529	3,369	3,062	3,381	3,273			
	Terminations	3,608	3,205	2,938	3,237	3,351	3,513			
	Pending	3,587	3,427	3,142	2,805	3,246	3,417			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	6.9						[18]	[-]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	11.9	23.2	11.5	15.2		[30]	[-]	
	Number of Judgeships	15	15	15	15	15	15			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	28.6	32.2	31.9	9.2	53.0	46.2			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	251	235	225	204	225	218	[87]	[-]
		Civil	224	200	197	181	196	189	[83]	[-]
		Criminal Felony	27	35	28	23	29	29	[88]	[-]
	Pending Cases	239	228	209	187	216	228	[84]	[-]	
	Weighted Filings**	265	259	251	237	271	274	[87]	[-]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	291	281	273	259	295	297		
		Lower	239	237	229	215	247	251		
	Terminations	241	214	196	216	223	234	[88]	[-]	
	Trials Completed	13	17	16	19	21	32	[90]	[-]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.9	6.4	6.1	7.7	7.1	6.8	[47]
Civil**			7	7	7	7	7	6	[11]	[-]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		18	17	20	23	18	17	[33]	[-]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	258 8.7	273 9.5	236 8.7	221 9.0	269 10.1	498 17.4	[79]	[-]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	63.97	57.07	73.09	74.12	70.09	64.46	[92]	[-]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	50.1	42.6	54.2	56.6	52.7	50.6	[91]	[-]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3365	25	543	503	27	22	180	199	307	68	732	22	737
Criminal*	405	8	6	91	-	26	130	**	15	71	3	7	48

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

MAINE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	926	881	876	862	799	775		
	Terminations	877	858	842	799	754	808		
	Pending	577	512	538	501	534	489		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	5.1						[22] [2] [21] [1]
	Over Earlier Years.	5.7		7.4	15.9	19.5			
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	309	294	292	287	266	258	[77] [1]
		Civil	264	250	244	249	231	218	[75] [1]
		Criminal Felony	45	44	48	38	35	40	[65] [2]
	Pending Cases	192	171	179	167	178	163	[88] [5]	
	Weighted Filings**	311	284	303	293	261	250	[81] [4]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	334	303	323	313	277	267	
		Lower	288	265	282	273	244	233	
	Terminations	292	286	281	266	251	269	[79] [1]	
	Trials Completed	17	20	18	22	15	22	[77] [3]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	6.5	7.2
Civil**			5	7	6	6	6	7	[4] [1]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		14	11	12	9	11	10	[10] [1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	12 2.4	6 1.4	4 .9	0 .0	9 1.9	5 1.2	[27] [1]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	21.92	24.22	21.92	21.42	20.31	21.02	[3] [1]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	11.6	22.0	17.5	16.6	13.7	15.4	[5] [1]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	793	41	27	94	11	86	24	96	226	14	126	5	43
Criminal*	133	3	2	31	-	4	38	**	-	33	1	8	13

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

MASSACHUSETTS		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,626	3,881	3,689	3,854	3,569	3,830			
	Terminations	3,414	3,801	3,955	3,864	4,458	4,268			
	Pending	4,231	3,946	3,869	4,149	4,254	5,162			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-6.6						[67]	[4]
		Over Earlier Years	-1.7	-5.9	1.6	-5.3		[80]	[4]	
Number of Judgeships		13	13	13	13	13	13			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	3.2	21.6	52.8			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	279	299	284	296	275	295	[83]	[3]
		Civil	251	272	256	268	253	269	[77]	[2]
		Criminal Felony	28	27	28	28	22	26	[87]	[5]
	Pending Cases		325	304	298	319	327	397	[62]	[2]
	Weighted Filings**		326	327	323	325	315	331	[79]	[2]
	95% Confidence	Upper	355	352	348	351	341	357		
		Lower	297	301	297	300	290	304		
	Terminations		263	292	304	297	343	328	[84]	[3]
Trials Completed		15	21	26	21	27	24	[82]	[5]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	11.3	9.8	11.8	11.9	10.2	9.9	[89]	[4]
		Civil**	9	9	10	10	13	13	[36]	[3]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		23	23	25	23	26	24	[67]	[4]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		264 7.0	202 5.7	205 5.9	320 8.5	397 10.3	416 8.7	[67]	[4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.9	1.7		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	39.13	33.39	32.19	43.46	27.65	28.06	[65]	[4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	14.2	13.5	11.3	18.8	18.1	18.2	[10]	[2]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3263	86	127	279	48	52	301	559	551	197	455	8	600
Criminal*	357	20	9	41	2	24	108	**	12	88	1	12	40

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NEW HAMPSHIRE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	891	800	833	797	827	812			
	Terminations	863	816	822	837	863	991			
	Pending	861	832	848	752	800	822			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	11.4						[6] [1]	
	Over Earlier Years . . .		7.0	11.8	7.7	9.7		[42] [2]		
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	297	267	278	266	276	271	[79] [2]	
		Civil	250	218	233	230	240	245	[78] [3]	
		Criminal Felony	47	49	45	36	36	26	[59] [1]	
	Pending Cases	287	277	283	251	267	274	[74] [4]		
	Weighted Filings**	322	333	351	300	314	279	[80] [3]		
	95% Confidence	Upper	344	356	374	324	336	299		
		Lower	301	311	327	276	291	258		
	Terminations	288	272	274	279	288	330	[81] [2]		
Trials Completed	17	14	27	22	23	25	[77] [3]			
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.3	6.6	7.6	12.1	6.7	7.5	[68] [3]	
		Civil**	10	11	10	9	11	13	[54] [4]	
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	24	20	24	23	27	29	[74] [5]		
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		24 3.7	27 4.2	32 4.8	32 4.8	36 5.2	67 8.8	[46] [3]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	33.06	56.44	36.21	46.37	28.02	34.75	[38] [3]	
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	29.2	34.1	12.1	30.7	17.9	26.8	[34] [4]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	749	49	19	111	14	99	16	108	121	15	136	-	61
Criminal*	141	3	2	8	1	5	63	**	1	25	-	1	32

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

PUERTO RICO		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,880	2,266	1,978	2,109	2,121	2,428			
	Terminations	1,779	2,030	2,267	2,010	2,131	2,064			
	Pending	2,873	2,751	2,470	2,752	2,690	2,703			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year Over Last Year . . . -17.0 Over Earlier Years . . . -5.0				-10.9	-11.4	-22.6	[89] [92]	[5] [5]	
Number of Judgeships		7	7	7	7	7	7			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		12.0	12.0	12.0	14.0	25.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	269	324	283	301	303	347	[85]	[5]
		Civil	237	283	230	251	251	291	[80]	[4]
		Criminal Felony	32	41	53	50	52	56	[83]	[4]
	Pending Cases		410	393	353	393	384	386	[34]	[1]
	Weighted Filings**		357	412	366	378	380	345	[73]	[1]
	95% Confidence	Upper	383	438	388	401	410	369		
		Lower	332	385	343	354	351	321		
	Terminations		254	290	324	287	304	295	[85]	[4]
Trials Completed		21	25	23	19	20	23	[64]	[2]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	12.1	9.3	8.4	6.7	6.5	6.3	[91]	[5]
		Civil**	10	10	12	11	8	8	[54]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		20	16	14	19	14	15	[49]	[3]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		510 20.0	478 19.6	492 22.0	468 18.7	462 18.8	463 18.9	[91]	[5]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		2.7	2.8	2.0	2.1	2.1	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	60.59	41.20	77.46	77.44	63.51	64.13	[91]	[5]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	45.1	38.4	64.1	62.0	52.8	52.8	[86]	[5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1656	175	47	140	27	177	84	265	373	37	226	4	101
Criminal*	219	34	-	14	1	6	79	**	2	24	4	1	54

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

RHODE ISLAND		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	809	863	818	811	816	836			
	Terminations	713	782	876	872	893	865			
	Pending	917	816	729	710	790	851			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . -6.3 Over Earlier Years		-1.1	- .3	- .9	-3.2	[63] [71]	[3] [3]	
Number of Judgeships		3	3	3	3	3	3			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	.0	8.4	9.9			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	270	288	273	270	272	279	[84]	[4]
		Civil	230	256	241	236	238	249	[82]	[5]
		Criminal Felony	40	32	32	34	34	30	[74]	[3]
	Pending Cases		306	272	243	237	263	284	[72]	[3]
	Weighted Filings**		288	308	298	322	283	292	[85]	[5]
	95% Confidence	Upper	309	331	320	346	303	313		
		Lower	267	285	275	297	264	271		
	Terminations		238	261	292	291	298	288	[90]	[5]
Trials Completed		22	25	30	34	29	39	[55]	[1]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.9	6.8	[32]	[2]
		Civil**	8	7	7	9	11	11	[16]	[2]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		15	12	12	14	19	17	[16]	[2]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		23 3.3	23 3.7	17 3.1	18 3.0	36 5.4	29 3.8	[38]	[2]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	23.31	25.15	22.06	26.40	23.17	21.29	[6]	[2]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	20.3	30.2	24.2	30.3	39.7	30.2	[15]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	689	22	18	66	15	6	53	130	164	33	119	1	62
Criminal*	120	18	1	16	-	2	45	**	7	22	2	3	4

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

CONNECTICUT		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,974	3,080	3,034	2,983	2,630	3,013			
	Terminations	3,013	3,087	2,985	2,836	2,870	2,716			
	Pending	4,153	4,182	4,176	4,114	3,989	4,224			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	-3.5						[55]	[5]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	-2.0		-.3	13.1	-1.3	[66]	[5]	
	Number of Judgeships	8	8	8	8	8	8			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	9.3	17.9	2.7	9.3	37.7	36.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	372	385	379	373	329	377	[65]	[5]
		Civil	345	358	353	350	303	342	[55]	[5]
		Criminal Felony	27	27	26	23	26	35	[88]	[6]
	Pending Cases	519	523	522	514	499	528	[14]	[5]	
	Weighted Filings**	407	420	400	421	341	403	[61]	[5]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	446	460	440	461	373	443		
		Lower	369	381	359	382	310	364		
	Terminations	377	386	373	355	359	340	[66]	[5]	
Trials Completed	25	32	28	28	22	25	[45]	[3]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	10.0	11.0	10.5	7.6	6.2	6.3	[87]	[4]
		Civil**	12	12	12	13	14	11	[83]	[3]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	29	28	38	37	29	24	[88]	[5]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		464 11.8	459 11.6	515 12.9	536 13.5	596 15.6	557 13.7	[86]	[4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.6	1.4	2.1	1.4	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	38.42	37.00	45.17	32.02	31.35	30.24	[62]	[4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	26.3	29.8	34.8	21.6	13.8	18.2	[28]	[2]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2763	106	61	393	31	120	167	426	398	84	618	6	353
Criminal*	208	7	12	24	2	5	35	**	10	69	2	4	38

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NEW YORK NORTHERN

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS

	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Filings*	2,416	2,161	2,328	2,105	1,962	1,961
Terminations	2,255	2,186	2,149	1,834	1,760	2,100
Pending	3,419	3,250	3,288	3,188	2,894	2,649
Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	11.8				
	Over Earlier Years. . .		3.8	14.8	23.1	23.2
Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5
Vacant Judgeship Months**	15.9	12.0	22.0	24.0	35.5	29.0

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ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP

FILINGS	Total	483	432	466	421	392	392
	Civil	423	382	420	370	340	345
	Criminal Felony	60	50	46	51	52	47
Pending Cases	684	650	658	638	579	530	
Weighted Filings**	488	453	494	452	463	387	
95% Confidence	Upper	526	487	528	486	492	414
	Lower	451	420	460	419	435	359
Terminations	451	437	430	367	352	420	
Trials Completed	19	23	15	23	18	16	

29	2
26	2
37	3
8	2
32	3
38	3
70	5

MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)

From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.7	10.5	9.4	9.4	7.3	7.0
	Civil**	14	14	13	12	11	13
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		25	27	30	24	32	22

73	1
91	6
77	3

OTHER

Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		487 15.8	457 15.2	482 15.6	511 17.1	466 17.3	473 18.9
Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	1.9	2.1	1.8	1.9	1.3
Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	29.19	29.66	32.26	30.25	25.85	29.88
	Percent Not Selected or Challenged	30.6	27.9	27.0	28.9	21.7	26.3

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2114	160	99	722	34	11	131	104	217	38	413	6	179
Criminal*	299	47	12	9	5	18	98	**	5	64	1	3	37

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NEW YORK EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	9,254	8,470	7,411	6,646	7,452	7,302			
	Terminations	9,224	7,284	7,023	6,823	7,078	6,644			
	Pending	10,859	10,467	9,333	9,497	9,950	9,243			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	9.3						[9] [2]	
	Over Earlier Years . . .	24.9	39.2	24.2	26.7			[13] [1]		
Number of Judgeships		15	15	15	15	15	15			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	10.0	14.1	42.7	34.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	617	565	494	443	497	487	[11] [1]	
		Civil	546	493	424	371	419	407	[8] [1]	
		Criminal Felony	71	72	70	72	78	80	[28] [1]	
	Pending Cases		724	698	622	633	663	616	[7] [1]	
	Weighted Filings**		598	614	561	524	618	578	[10] [1]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	639	656	598	559	675	619		
		Lower	557	572	523	490	561	537		
	Terminations		615	486	468	455	472	443	[11] [1]	
Trials Completed		28	33	36	36	33	35	[34] [2]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.4	10.7	11.5	10.3	8.8	8.1	[82] [2]	
		Civil**	12	10	11	11	9	9	[83] [3]	
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		28	28	27	25	26	23	[85] [4]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		661 7.4	964 10.6	957 12.0	1,026 12.7	1,042 12.4	924 12.0	[72] [2]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	56.56	52.11	57.21	67.37	63.78	74.07	[88] [6]	
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	23.7	34.8	44.9	47.2	48.3	49.7	[21] [1]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	8190	476	2067	826	106	71	722	567	1297	193	1048	45	772
Criminal*	1046	48	13	43	5	31	480	**	25	246	8	8	139

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NEW YORK SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	11,039	11,416	11,562	11,367	10,591	10,630			
	Terminations	11,116	11,055	12,383	10,048	9,852	9,830			
	Pending	14,593	14,628	14,097	14,760	13,862	14,633			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -3.3 Over Earlier Years. . . -4.5			-2.9	4.2	3.8	[54] [57]	[4] [4]	
Number of Judgeships		28	28	28	28	28	28			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		51.9	39.3	20.7	31.5	111.1	70.1			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	394	408	413	406	378	380	[58]	[4]
		Civil	353	367	377	367	348	343	[51]	[4]
		Criminal Felony	41	41	36	39	30	37	[70]	[5]
	Pending Cases		521	522	503	527	495	523	[13]	[4]
	Weighted Filings**		467	451	447	443	407	407	[38]	[4]
	95% Confidence	Upper	504	484	481	478	438	438		
		Lower	431	418	412	408	375	376		
	Terminations		397	395	442	359	352	351	[58]	[4]
Trials Completed		22	26	26	22	20	23	[55]	[4]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	12.4	11.5	11.9	10.8	10.3	8.9	[93]	[6]
		Civil**	9	9	8	9	8	7	[36]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		20	23	24	27	22	18	[49]	[2]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		1,360 11.6	1,309 11.1	1,150 9.9	1,434 11.5	1,606 13.5	2,234 17.5	[85]	[3]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	53.41	54.03	51.26	56.88	57.30	64.03	[86]	[5]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	49.6	43.7	39.5	43.0	43.8	49.6	[89]	[6]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	9870	294	152	1289	78	87	785	2130	1471	786	1524	28	1246
Criminal*	1160	104	29	90	12	47	282	**	50	396	10	13	127

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NEW YORK WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,756	1,906	1,827	2,030	1,834	1,932			
	Terminations	1,988	1,805	1,909	1,939	1,680	1,930			
	Pending	2,390	2,583	2,519	2,613	2,473	2,351			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-7.9						73	6
	Over Earlier Years. .	-3.9	-13.5	-4.3	-9.1			84	6	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		2.5	12.0	4.9	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	439	477	457	508	459	483	42	3
		Civil	373	399	387	440	383	400	41	3
		Criminal Felony	66	78	70	68	76	83	33	2
	Pending Cases		598	646	630	653	618	588	11	3
	Weighted Filings**		497	496	492	510	504	522	29	2
	95% Confidence	Upper	536	532	529	548	541	557		
		Lower	457	460	454	472	467	487		
	Terminations		497	451	477	485	420	483	27	2
	Trials Completed		19	20	25	23	21	20	70	5
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.4	11.9	9.5	9.6	9.3	7.3	82	2
		Civil**	13	11	12	11	11	10	88	5
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		32	48	35	34	33	31	89	6
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		346 16.7	302 13.3	290 12.9	317 13.5	322 15.0	329 16.3	88	6
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	34.33	35.48	35.81	21.43	37.57	35.65	43	3
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	30.2	26.4	22.6	31.0	32.2	28.3	40	3

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1490	148	90	350	45	41	107	100	174	36	293	2	104
Criminal*	259	21	2	21	3	11	71	**	3	78	-	22	27

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VERMONT		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	573	532	532	564	481	489			
	Terminations	615	528	525	495	483	535			
	Pending	496	539	530	622	597	589			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	7.7						[13]	[3]
	Over Earlier Years . . .		7.7		1.6	19.1	17.2	[26]	[3]	
	Number of Judgeships	2	2	2	2	2	2			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	18.2	.7	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	287	266	266	282	241	245	[81]	[6]
		Civil	232	223	218	211	201	203	[81]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	55	43	48	71	40	42	[47]	[4]
	Pending Cases	248	270	265	311	299	295	[81]	[6]	
	Weighted Filings**	356	285	304	341	254	282	[74]	[6]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	377	304	327	364	270	300		
		Lower	334	265	281	318	238	263		
	Terminations	308	264	263	248	242	268	[76]	[6]	
	Trials Completed	31	30	32	25	40	39	[27]	[1]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	10.7	11.9	10.2	9.6	11.2	11.8	[88]	[5]
		Civil**	9	10	10	10	12	11	[36]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	17	19	20	19	24	19	[29]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	14	26	13	26	33	30			
		3.6	5.9	3.0	5.3	6.9	6.3	[44]	[1]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.8	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4			
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	33.38	30.35	25.74	35.67	20.68	26.33	[40]	[2]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		42.1	43.3	32.1	41.0	22.5	38.6	[79]	[5]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	464	43	9	50	22	23	13	79	89	9	73	2	52
Criminal*	109	4	1	15	1	3	50	**	6	16	1	4	8

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DELAWARE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	898	870	870	912	750	802			
	Terminations	764	780	870	727	744	1,078			
	Pending	988	864	778	790	620	627			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	3.2						[32]	[3]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	3.2		-1.5	19.7	12.0	[38]	[2]	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		11.7	3.5	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	225	218	218	228	188	201	[90]	[6]
		Civil	198	194	198	209	169	182	[87]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	27	24	20	19	19	19	[88]	[5]
	Pending Cases		247	216	195	198	155	157	[82]	[6]
	Weighted Filings**		221	220	221	222	164	170	[90]	[5]
	95% Confidence	Upper	264	256	250	256	184	189		
		Lower	179	184	191	188	144	151		
	Terminations		191	195	218	182	186	270	[92]	[6]
Trials Completed		21	15	15	17	17	22	[64]	[3]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.2	5.8	5.5	5.3	4.3	4.4	[35]	[1]
		Civil**	10	11	7	8	9	10	[54]	[5]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		19	18	21	20	16	24	[39]	[3]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		45 5.0	33 4.2	21 3.0	35 4.7	36 6.2	36 6.3	[61]	[4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.2	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.2		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	29.22	29.83	30.63	25.81	27.61	27.74	[22]	[1]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	18.5	9.8	19.8	22.9	28.0	32.1	[13]	[1]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	793	16	19	257	13	6	28	72	57	108	122	10	85
Criminal*	102	3	9	17	-	4	27	**	7	23	-	9	3

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NEW JERSEY		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	6,949	7,151	7,047	7,495	6,966	6,584			
	Terminations	7,179	7,154	7,280	7,016	6,625	6,370			
	Pending	6,134	6,349	6,382	6,650	6,245	5,896			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -2.8							[52]	[4]
	Over Earlier Years. . . -1.4			-7.3			5.5	[52]	[3]	
	Number of Judgeships	17	17	17	17	17	17			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	5.1	12.0	27.8	36.4	12.4	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	409	421	415	441	410	387	[52]	[2]
		Civil	370	383	376	405	376	351	[44]	[2]
		Criminal Felony	39	38	39	36	34	36	[76]	[3]
	Pending Cases	361	373	375	391	367	347	[52]	[2]	
	Weighted Filings**	428	433	423	449	414	395	[55]	[1]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	461	464	453	486	445	423		
		Lower	396	403	393	413	384	366		
	Terminations	422	421	428	413	390	375	[51]	[2]	
Trials Completed	18	17	18	20	19	20	[74]	[6]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.5	8.8	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.4	[71]	[5]
		Civil**	8	8	7	7	7	8	[16]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	26	28	24	25	26	23	[80]	[5]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		255 4.7	267 4.6	309 5.3	292 4.8	261 4.6	244 4.5	[59]	[3]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	37.72	45.36	52.47	53.24	44.10	43.50	[59]	[4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	32.3	35.8	47.2	44.5	39.7	40.3	[54]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	6292	313	214	866	88	45	571	1152	1088	284	955	40	676
Criminal*	639	31	14	39	5	25	179	**	19	200	6	22	99

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PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	9,260	10,013	9,720	9,078	9,187	8,190			
	Terminations	9,647	8,651	9,198	8,511	12,757	9,569			
	Pending	7,571	7,775	6,304	5,821	5,336	9,237			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	-7.5						[71]	[6]
	Over Earlier Years...	-4.7		2.0	.8	13.1		[36]	[1]	
	Number of Judgeships	22	23	23	23	23	23			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	39.6	29.6	8.8	.0	5.0	5.6			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	421	435	423	395	399	356	[49]	[1]
		Civil	392	409	397	370	379	333	[36]	[1]
		Criminal Felony	29	26	26	25	20	23	[85]	[4]
	Pending Cases	344	338	274	253	232	402	[58]	[3]	
	Weighted Filings**	389	390	376	405	404	376	[63]	[2]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	421	421	405	437	436	402		
		Lower	356	360	347	372	372	349		
	Terminations	439	376	400	370	555	416	[44]	[1]	
	Trials Completed	20	21	22	23	24	27	[68]	[5]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.9	8.4	9.5	7.7	8.8	8.5	[77]
Civil**			8	6	6	6	10	8	[16]	[1]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		12	13	12	12	13	11	[6]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	311 4.5	106 1.5	76 1.3	56 1.1	91 1.9	2,562 29.6	[55]	[2]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.9	2.1			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	56.87	48.54	52.42	53.44	49.47	51.26	[90]	[5]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	41.6	33.8	39.0	39.1	37.0	36.6	[77]	[5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	8625	328	145	1260	39	101	498	1146	2878	179	1452	24	575
Criminal*	618	33	30	56	6	37	205	**	20	145	8	12	66

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PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,446	2,317	2,694	2,547	2,479	2,375			
	Terminations	2,345	2,342	2,766	2,442	2,391	2,397			
	Pending	1,903	1,798	1,822	1,896	1,802	1,676			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	5.6						[21]	[2]
	Over Earlier Years.			-9.2	-4.0	-1.3	3.0	[60]	[5]	
	Number of Judgeships	6	6	6	6	6	6			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	26.5	36.0	26.5	24.0	21.0	24.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	408	386	449	425	413	396	[53]	[3]
		Civil	362	340	398	377	371	348	[47]	[3]
		Criminal Felony	46	46	51	48	42	48	[61]	[2]
	Pending Cases	317	300	304	316	300	279	[67]	[4]	
	Weighted Filings**	380	363	405	390	352	368	[66]	[3]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	404	387	430	415	374	390		
		Lower	355	340	379	364	331	346		
	Terminations	391	390	461	407	399	400	[60]	[3]	
Trials Completed	34	36	31	32	39	38	[16]	[1]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.8	7.5	7.8	6.8	6.2	6.6	[64]	[3]
		Civil**	8	9	8	8	8	7	[16]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	18	16	16	16	15	11	[33]	[2]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	53 3.2	46 2.9	41 2.5	47 2.8	32 2.0	58 3.9	[36]	[1]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.4			
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	32.68	25.85	25.44	26.51	23.16	26.61	[36]	[3]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	27.6	26.9	23.0	25.7	23.9	25.8	[31]	[2]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2173	122	58	797	31	118	77	189	272	23	321	3	162
Criminal*	270	9	4	25	9	18	99	**	8	57	4	10	27

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PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS

	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Filings*	3,289	3,478	3,412	3,111	3,209	3,134
Terminations	3,317	3,188	3,212	3,120	3,782	3,323
Pending	3,150	3,179	2,913	2,735	2,761	3,342
Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. -5.4					
	Over Earlier Years. -3.6		5.7	2.5	4.9	
Number of Judgeships	10	10	10	10	10	10
Vacant Judgeship Months**	24.0	17.6	12.0	10.8	18.9	23.7

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ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP

		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
		FILINGS	Total	329	348	341	311
	Civil	304	324	317	287	293	282
	Criminal Felony	25	24	24	24	28	31
	Pending Cases	315	318	291	274	276	334
	Weighted Filings**	307	335	321	318	316	311
95% Confidence	Upper	331	361	345	341	340	333
	Lower	284	309	296	295	293	289
	Terminations	332	319	321	312	378	332
	Trials Completed	21	20	20	20	22	20

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MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)

		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
		From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.5	6.0	7.0	6.1
	Civil**	9	8	8	9	10	8
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	26	23	25	22	27	22

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[36]	[4]
[80]	[5]

OTHER

Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	179 6.0	144 4.8	120 4.3	106 4.1	130 5.0	183 5.8	
Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.4	1.7	1.3	1.7	1.4	1.3	
Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	32.00	35.59	33.23	42.16	39.89	43.43
	Percent Not Selected or Challenged	38.8	41.2	36.0	36.5	36.7	35.6

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3036	415	110	644	35	110	237	319	277	84	550	30	225
Criminal*	247	1	27	11	3	6	80	**	12	68	3	15	21

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VIRGIN ISLANDS		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	633	573	576	551	561	870		
	Terminations	628	548	415	611	854	763		
	Pending	971	949	1,014	953	1,086	1,406		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	10.5						[8] [1]
	Over Earlier Years . . .		9.9	14.9	12.8	-27.3		[93] [6]	
	Number of Judgeships	2	2	2	2	2	2		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	11.0	12.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	317	287	288	276	281	435	[76] [5]
		Civil	240	217	203	176	177	250	[79] [5]
		Criminal Felony	77	70	85	100	104	185	[22] [1]
	Pending Cases	486	475	507	477	543	703	[18] [1]	
	Weighted Filings**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	[-] [-]
	95% Confidence	Upper	-	-	-	-	-	-	
		Lower	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Terminations	314	274	208	306	427	382	[75] [5]	
Trials Completed	22	27	27	20	40	57	[55] [2]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.4	7.8	7.1	4.4	6.4	3.9	[69] [4]
		Civil**	15	15	13	16	27	22	[92] [6]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	23	29	-	43	37	29	[67] [4]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		160 20.0	236 29.1	258 30.1	220 25.9	288 30.8	301 24.9	[91] [6]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	90.00	72.30	65.56	75.18	64.69	52.30	[93] [6]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	59.4	47.1	47.6	47.0	54.5	40.5	[94] [6]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	479	-	5	25	3	83	9	62	150	1	32	1	108
Criminal*	154	38	4	11	1	8	24	**	2	36	10	8	12

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MARYLAND		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	5,036	4,872	4,785	4,370	4,554	4,184			
	Terminations	4,931	4,641	4,732	5,220	3,931	4,110			
	Pending	3,959	3,843	3,556	3,408	4,228	3,547			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	3.4						[29]	[3]
		Over Earlier Years.	5.2	15.2	10.6	20.4		[20]	[2]	
	Number of Judgeships	10	10	10	10	10	10			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	20.1	20.8	36.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	504	487	479	437	455	418	[22]	[3]
		Civil	462	444	439	399	419	382	[13]	[1]
		Criminal Felony	42	43	40	38	36	36	[69]	[7]
	Pending Cases	396	384	356	341	423	355	[41]	[3]	
	Weighted Filings**	462	510	482	436	409	393	[41]	[6]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	496	552	517	466	437	418		
		Lower	427	468	447	406	381	367		
	Terminations	493	464	473	522	393	411	[28]	[4]	
Trials Completed	22	28	27	26	22	26	[55]	[6]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.6	7.5	8.2	6.8	7.7	7.0	[61]	[6]
		Civil**	6	6	7	11	7	7	[7]	[2]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	18	18	16	17	16	13	[33]	[6]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	277 8.1	110 3.3	78 2.4	254 8.1	674 17.2	617 18.9	[77]	[9]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	42.47	40.52	39.23	41.19	44.36	41.68	[73]	[8]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	38.7	32.7	30.8	38.8	41.3	35.7	[72]	[8]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	4619	233	422	1025	84	20	321	535	760	89	751	1	378
Criminal*	414	11	9	90	4	20	110	**	12	60	8	40	50

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NO. CAROLINA EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,875	1,835	1,840	1,805	1,774	1,657			
	Terminations	1,802	1,808	1,901	1,997	1,592	1,653			
	Pending	1,208	1,135	1,112	1,199	1,444	1,258			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	2.2		1.9	3.9	5.7	13.2	[38] [35]	[5] [5]
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		9.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	469	459	460	451	444	414	[35]	[5]
		Civil	392	387	384	374	362	332	[36]	[5]
		Criminal Felony	77	72	76	77	82	82	[22]	[4]
	Pending Cases		302	284	278	300	361	315	[73]	[5]
	Weighted Filings**		514	509	492	496	487	483	[23]	[4]
	95% Confidence	Upper	549	542	521	528	516	511		
		Lower	479	476	464	463	458	455		
	Terminations		451	452	475	499	398	413	[38]	[6]
Trials Completed		18	17	22	21	32	33	[74]	[9]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.4	6.4	6.5	7.0	6.5	6.6	[39]	[4]
		Civil**	8	8	8	9	9	9	[16]	[3]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		14	15	18	15	15	13	[10]	[4]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		2 .2	10 1.0	11 1.2	26 2.6	33 2.8	22 2.1	[2]	[1]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	25.69	26.64	26.24	24.77	26.74	25.35	[11]	[2]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	7.4	8.4	9.9	7.8	9.7	6.8	[2]	[2]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1568	92	139	471	82	8	45	195	165	21	256	1	93
Criminal*	303	9	5	31	4	30	114	**	7	50	6	19	28

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,534	1,557	1,322	1,216	1,050	1,032			
	Terminations	1,556	1,356	1,363	1,226	1,076	951			
	Pending	1,092	1,114	892	934	961	995			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -1.5							[43]	[6]
		Over Earlier Years		16.0	26.2	46.1	48.6	[6]	[1]	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	1.0	12.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	384	389	331	304	263	258	[59]	[7]
		Civil	307	319	267	229	193	191	[67]	[7]
		Criminal Felony	77	70	64	75	70	67	[22]	[4]
	Pending Cases		273	279	223	234	240	249	[76]	[6]
	Weighted Filings**		440	402	348	378	327	355	[51]	[7]
	95% Confidence	Upper	470	430	370	401	348	379		
		Lower	411	374	326	355	307	332		
	Terminations		389	339	341	307	269	238	[62]	[7]
Trials Completed		22	17	21	30	32	30	[55]	[6]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.6	6.0	6.1	5.8	5.3	5.1	[19]	[3]
		Civil**	10	9	11	10	11	9	[54]	[7]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		21	21	-	18	23	19	[59]	[8]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		19 2.2	18 1.9	19 2.5	32 4.1	47 6.0	50 6.1	[22]	[5]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.7		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	29.56	38.17	33.31	30.69	26.43	33.41	[24]	[4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	26.6	40.6	31.0	22.9	18.5	23.6	[29]	[5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1229	148	84	430	25	6	45	107	74	46	217	3	44
Criminal*	299	9	7	55	3	5	84	**	10	44	-	71	11

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NO. CAROLINA WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,379	1,557	1,321	1,287	1,185	1,280			
	Terminations	1,389	1,371	1,429	1,188	1,328	1,185			
	Pending	1,413	1,424	1,209	1,332	1,237	1,393			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-11.4						83	8
	Over Earlier Years		4.4	7.1	16.4	7.7		48	6	
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	5.6	5.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	460	519	440	429	395	427	39	6
		Civil	356	411	351	305	297	292	49	6
		Criminal Felony	104	108	89	124	98	135	13	1
	Pending Cases	471	475	403	444	412	464	20	1	
	Weighted Filings**	703	760	617	693	650	769	7	1	
	95% Confidence	Upper	754	809	656	738	690	819		
		Lower	651	711	578	649	610	720		
	Terminations	463	457	476	396	443	395	35	5	
Trials Completed	65	58	69	61	58	57	1	1		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	12.2	11.3	12.1	11.3	10.6	9.4	92	9
		Civil**	8	9	11	11	10	10	16	3
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	20	27	18	29	26	21	49	7	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		38 3.6	27 2.5	31 3.4	54 5.6	50 5.4	72 7.3	44	7
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		2.4	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.2		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	30.15	26.98	26.07	27.56	25.14	26.64	27	5
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	35.7	26.0	22.1	28.3	30.5	30.9	67	7

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1068	106	29	204	24	6	46	138	120	49	225	2	119
Criminal*	305	4	9	43	-	16	103	**	18	50	11	16	35

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

SOUTH CAROLINA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	4,863	4,673	4,437	4,826	4,113	4,133			
	Terminations	4,943	4,504	4,913	4,453	4,364	4,224			
	Pending	3,659	3,751	3,564	4,095	3,819	4,068			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	4.1						[25]	[1]
	Over Earlier Years		9.6	.8	18.2	17.7		[25]	[3]	
	Number of Judgeships	9	9	9	9	9	9			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.1	.0	2.9	.0	5.4	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	540	519	493	536	457	459	[16]	[2]
		Civil	460	449	434	468	396	403	[15]	[2]
		Criminal Felony	80	70	59	68	61	56	[21]	[3]
	Pending Cases	407	417	396	455	424	452	[36]	[2]	
	Weighted Filings**	544	545	520	527	488	501	[19]	[3]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	576	577	551	556	517	536		
		Lower	511	513	488	498	458	465		
	Terminations	549	500	546	495	485	469	[15]	[1]	
Trials Completed	37	36	36	39	37	36	[14]	[3]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.1	7.3	7.0	6.4	6.5	8.1	[51]	[5]
		Civil**	8	8	9	9	9	9	[16]	[3]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	14	15	13	16	16	16	[10]	[4]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		28 .9	40 1.2	52 1.6	99 2.7	116 3.4	79 2.1	[9]	[3]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	17.72	16.38	17.43	13.52	12.09	12.87	[2]	[1]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	13.7	12.0	15.2	11.7	11.0	8.5	[7]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	4142	318	201	843	30	386	196	423	974	51	589	4	127
Criminal*	700	4	28	81	7	27	232	**	70	160	3	21	67

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VIRGINIA EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	5,537	5,348	5,053	5,214	4,876	4,828			
	Terminations	5,441	5,043	5,004	4,916	4,664	4,629			
	Pending	2,703	2,640	2,382	2,674	2,759	2,704			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . .	3.5						[28]	[2]
	Over Earlier Years. . .	9.6		6.2	13.6	14.7		[31]	[4]	
	Number of Judgeships	10	10	10	10	10	10			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	7.8	12.0	5.0	.0	2.4	24.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	554	535	505	521	488	483	[14]	[1]
		Civil	450	441	427	437	409	402	[17]	[3]
		Criminal Felony	104	94	78	84	79	81	[13]	[1]
	Pending Cases	270	264	238	267	276	270	[77]	[7]	
	Weighted Filings**	572	578	518	507	489	489	[13]	[2]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	611	616	552	538	518	518		
		Lower	534	540	485	475	459	461		
	Terminations	544	504	500	492	466	463	[16]	[2]	
Trials Completed	45	41	45	49	48	54	[8]	[2]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.0	[10]	[1]
		Civil**	5	5	5	5	4	4	[4]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	8	8	8	7	7	5	[2]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		32	31	131	119	182	189		
			1.5	1.4	6.3	5.1	8.1	8.4	[13]	[4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	37.63	34.43	19.30	31.46	35.51	34.39	[57]	[7]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		41.6	42.0	41.1	37.2	42.5	40.7	[77]	[9]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	4497	66	137	1287	37	27	451	481	967	177	541	3	323
Criminal*	1038	43	13	230	3	47	388	**	29	147	37	14	87

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

VIRGINIA WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,015	2,098	2,310	2,368	2,291	2,133		
	Terminations	2,118	2,018	2,383	2,354	2,371	1,858		
	Pending	1,539	1,636	1,573	1,737	1,766	1,785		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . -4.0							[57] [7]
		Over Earlier Years. . . -12.8						[81] [9]	
	Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	1.8	8.0	10.0	.0	.0	.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	504	525	578	592	573	533	[22] [3]
		Civil	445	463	528	528	505	470	[20] [4]
		Criminal Felony	59	62	50	64	68	63	[40] [6]
	Pending Cases	385	409	393	434	442	446	[45] [4]	
	Weighted Filings**	479	586	511	545	628	526	[35] [5]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	510	626	548	578	677	560	
		Lower	447	546	474	512	578	493	
	Terminations	530	505	596	589	593	465	[21] [3]	
	Trials Completed	29	35	29	33	33	40	[32] [4]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.9	8.5	7.7	7.4	8.8	7.6
Civil**			11	9	9	10	10	9	[73] [9]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		13	13	16	14	14	9	[7] [2]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		34 2.6	34 2.4	27 1.9	40 2.7	36 2.4	50 3.2	[29] [6]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	2.1	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.8	
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	34.44	31.57	31.81	32.93	31.93	33.60	[44] [6]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	17.9	20.8	20.1	16.8	22.1	22.7	[12] [4]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1780	364	30	556	15	9	90	93	352	12	154	2	103
Criminal*	234	4	8	48	2	11	85	**	6	41	3	4	22

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	729	837	755	701	636	748			
	Terminations	724	912	767	712	686	717			
	Pending	620	623	728	749	753	786			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-12.9						85	9
	Over Earlier Years	-3.5			4.0	14.6	-2.6	68	7	
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	11.1	2.4	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	243	279	252	234	212	249	88	9
		Civil	207	237	217	199	172	214	86	9
		Criminal Felony	36	42	35	35	40	35	81	9
	Pending Cases	207	208	243	250	251	262	86	9	
	Weighted Filings**	274	303	306	297	255	260	86	9	
	95% Confidence	Upper	292	320	329	316	270	276		
		Lower	257	285	283	277	240	243		
	Terminations	241	304	256	237	229	239	88	9	
	Trials Completed	27	28	31	33	31	25	38	5	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.1	6.4	8.4	8.9	8.2	7.8	66
Civil**			9	8	10	11	13	11	36	6
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		13	16	16	17	20	-	7	2	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	35 6.5	45 8.4	51 7.9	41 6.2	48 7.4	41 6.0	65	8	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.4			
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	43.93	29.76	39.79	47.57	39.47	38.75	76	9
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	29.8	44.9	28.5	34.9	31.6	25.5	38	6

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	622	80	23	136	3	7	19	86	120	2	113	-	33
Criminal*	105	-	3	17	2	6	47	**	1	15	-	-	14

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS

	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Filings*	1,518	1,473	1,380	1,416	1,415	1,592
Terminations	1,414	2,260	1,477	1,268	1,676	1,523
Pending	1,200	1,090	968	1,088	946	1,219
Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year 3.1		10.0	7.2	7.3	-4.7
Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5
Vacant Judgeship Months**	.1	10.0	.0	5.0	.0	.0

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ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP

FILINGS	Total	304	295	276	283	283	318
	Civil	263	255	239	240	251	249
	Criminal Felony	41	40	37	43	32	69
Pending Cases		240	218	194	218	189	244
Weighted Filings**		295	301	256	307	268	394
95% Confidence	Upper	321	327	275	337	286	422
	Lower	270	275	237	277	250	366
Terminations		283	452	295	254	335	305
Trials Completed		19	24	21	26	26	22

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MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)

From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.1	5.3	5.6	5.5	5.0	5.2
	Civil**	10	5	8	9	8	9
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		21	14	16	17	16	11

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OTHER

Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		.2	.2	.1	.1	.1	.6
Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4
Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	28.57	26.23	29.19	27.31	27.20	27.73
	Percent Not Selected or Challenged	4.6	4.8	8.7	9.8	7.6	8.8

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1315	398	5	215	12	11	85	179	267	4	95	2	42
Criminal*	203	-	7	21	7	11	105	**	6	28	-	2	16

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

LOUISIANA EASTERN

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS

	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Filings*	3,957	4,163	4,311	4,268	4,372	4,383
Terminations	4,124	3,964	4,480	4,055	4,542	4,460
Pending	3,118	3,277	3,073	3,256	3,077	3,239
Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	-5.0				
	Over Earlier Years.	-8.2	-7.3	-9.5	-9.7	
Number of Judgeships	12	13	13	13	13	13
Vacant Judgeship Months**	18.4	33.0	30.5	33.3	65.7	43.6

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ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP

FILINGS	Total	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
	Civil	309	300	312	308	316	312
Criminal Felony	21	20	20	20	20	25	
Pending Cases	260	252	236	250	237	249	
Weighted Filings**	347	335	342	320	326	330	
95% Confidence	Upper	391	375	381	357	365	369
	Lower	304	295	303	283	287	291
Terminations	344	305	345	312	349	343	
Trials Completed	17	16	18	15	15	19	

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MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)

From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.0	7.3	7.4	6.5	5.7	5.9
	Civil**	9	9	8	9	8	8
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		16	15	16	15	16	12

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OTHER

Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		70 2.4	72 2.3	50 1.7	94 3.0	78 2.7	73 2.4
Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.6
Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	23.53	23.91	28.26	25.52	23.58	23.90
	Percent Not Selected or Challenged	24.5	26.0	27.4	28.4	19.9	18.0

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3705	99	124	659	24	35	148	557	1312	52	503	5	187
Criminal*	248	19	14	14	1	22	81	**	15	42	2	15	23

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

LOUISIANA MIDDLE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,256	1,364	7,731	3,007	2,942	1,234			
	Terminations	3,032	1,755	1,284	1,361	1,250	1,181			
	Pending	8,860	10,645	11,064	4,649	3,057	1,386			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-7.9						[73]	[7]
	Over Earlier Years.	-83.8			-58.2	-57.3	1.8	[62]	[6]	
	Number of Judgeships	3	2	2	2	2	2			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	10.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	419	682	3,866	1,504	1,471	617	[50]	[6]
		Civil	371	628	3,822	1,457	1,447	575	[43]	[5]
		Criminal Felony	48	54	44	47	24	42	[58]	[5]
	Pending Cases	2,953	5,323	5,532	2,325	1,529	693	[2]	[1]	
	Weighted Filings**	368	570	3,208	1,233	1,182	456	[69]	[7]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	394	614	3,868	1,425	1,361	489		
		Lower	342	526	2,549	1,042	1,004	424		
	Terminations	1,011	878	642	681	625	591	[2]	[1]	
	Trials Completed	13	19	25	22	16	21	[90]	[9]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.1	4.5	4.4	3.7	4.2	3.4	[13]	[3]
		Civil**	27	13	10	10	6	11	[94]	[9]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	27	22	28	24	29	35	[83]	[9]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		1,550 17.7	1,562 14.8	98 .9	97 2.1	122 4.0	98 7.3	[89]	[9]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	22.82	21.29	20.67	21.76	24.00	22.20	[5]	[1]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		21.0	24.3	21.7	12.8	16.7	20.9	[16]	[1]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1113	47	30	400	13	14	55	101	226	10	158	-	59
Criminal*	141	1	9	14	2	3	33	**	2	59	-	7	11

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

LOUISIANA WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,593	2,828	3,131	2,594	2,508	2,550		
	Terminations	2,850	2,992	2,821	2,652	2,577	2,821		
	Pending	2,300	2,613	2,804	2,620	2,619	2,737		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-8.3						[75] [8]
	Over Earlier Years...	-17.2			.0	3.4	1.7	[63] [7]	
	Number of Judgeships	7	7	7	7	7	7		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	12.0	10.5	.0	.0	4.4	12.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	370	404	447	371	358	364	[66] [8]
		Civil	346	380	418	347	332	335	[53] [7]
		Criminal Felony	24	24	29	24	26	29	[92] [8]
	Pending Cases	329	373	401	374	374	391	[61] [8]	
	Weighted Filings**	349	392	432	356	366	340	[75] [8]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	378	425	473	394	412	375	
		Lower	319	359	390	318	320	304	
	Terminations	407	427	403	379	368	403	[56] [8]	
	Trials Completed	22	23	23	23	21	24	[55] [7]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.7	8.0	7.3	6.2	5.3	6.8
Civil**			11	10	10	12	11	12	[73] [8]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		16	15	18	20	22	17	[25] [4]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		72 3.3	89 3.6	84 3.1	105 4.2	127 5.1	96 3.7	[38] [4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.9	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.4	
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	29.94	30.49	27.51	30.03	29.92	28.42	[25] [6]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	30.7	29.4	27.8	31.0	30.2	31.4	[43] [5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2425	181	100	689	11	63	117	185	611	31	349	-	88
Criminal*	164	5	13	13	2	3	58	**	10	35	1	5	19

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,279	1,302	1,384	1,267	1,261	1,343			
	Terminations	1,360	1,347	1,686	1,386	1,329	1,159			
	Pending	1,107	1,184	1,223	1,515	1,647	1,705			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-1.8						[46]	[4]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	-7.6		.9	1.4	-4.8	[78]	[8]	
Number of Judgeships		3	3	3	3	3	3			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	426	434	461	422	420	448	[46]	[5]
		Civil	394	394	424	386	376	388	[34]	[3]
		Criminal Felony	32	40	37	36	44	60	[83]	[7]
	Pending Cases		369	395	408	505	549	568	[50]	[6]
	Weighted Filings**		442	444	428	379	407	465	[50]	[5]
	95% Confidence	Upper	476	478	461	406	437	496		
		Lower	408	409	396	353	377	434		
	Terminations		453	449	562	462	443	386	[37]	[6]
Trials Completed		28	36	35	36	33	38	[34]	[4]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.8	5.6	7.2	7.6	6.6	5.0	[23]	[5]
		Civil**	10	10	10	12	11	13	[54]	[6]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		23	20	22	25	24	18	[67]	[8]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		42 4.0	54 4.8	97 8.4	115 8.0	99 6.3	105 6.5	[49]	[5]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	26.69	23.33	23.15	25.75	27.30	28.27	[12]	[4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	31.7	25.5	24.5	23.8	28.3	31.3	[48]	[6]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1182	51	25	357	18	38	30	133	200	6	283	-	41
Criminal*	94	1	3	12	-	3	36	**	5	15	2	5	12

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS

	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Filings*	2,484	2,638	2,623	2,549	2,407	2,369
Terminations	2,590	2,497	2,504	2,546	2,743	2,341
Pending	2,165	2,280	2,164	2,052	2,058	2,393
Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-5.8				
	Over Earlier Years		-5.3	-2.6	3.2	4.9
Number of Judgeships	6	6	6	6	6	6
Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0

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ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP

FILINGS	Total	414	440	437	425	401	395
	Civil	376	405	407	396	363	353
	Criminal Felony	38	35	30	29	38	42
Pending Cases		361	380	361	342	343	399
Weighted Filings**		404	446	387	398	443	432
95% Confidence	Upper	434	479	415	430	481	466
	Lower	375	413	360	366	404	397
Terminations		432	416	417	424	457	390
Trials Completed		25	29	27	38	33	40

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MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)

From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.9	6.3	6.1	6.4	5.7	6.0
	Civil**	10	9	9	10	10	11
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		14	15	14	17	19	19

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OTHER

Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		47 2.3	38 1.8	46 2.2	61 3.2	69 3.6	122 5.4
Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	25.39	28.74	23.67	24.03	24.41	26.92
	Percent Not Selected or Challenged	29.8	30.7	25.1	27.4	25.2	24.8

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2258	57	129	516	40	43	63	339	651	9	291	2	118
Criminal*	216	6	6	32	1	8	68	**	9	35	5	23	23

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
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TEXAS NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	6,448	6,460	6,761	5,656	5,369	5,431			
	Terminations	6,402	6,631	6,333	5,430	5,515	5,646			
	Pending	4,649	4,622	4,801	4,561	4,376	4,518			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	- .2						[41]	[3]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	-4.6	14.0	20.1	18.7		[23]	[4]	
	Number of Judgeships	12	12	12	12	12	12			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	23.0	24.0	21.0	12.0	12.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	537	538	563	471	447	453	[17]	[3]
		Civil	468	478	507	411	388	391	[12]	[2]
		Criminal Felony	69	60	56	60	59	62	[30]	[3]
	Pending Cases	387	385	400	380	365	377	[43]	[5]	
	Weighted Filings**	550	524	561	530	471	496	[18]	[3]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	588	559	598	567	502	527		
		Lower	513	490	523	494	439	465		
	Terminations	534	553	528	453	460	471	[18]	[4]	
Trials Completed	27	35	36	33	35	39	[38]	[5]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.4	[17]	[4]
		Civil**	7	7	6	7	8	8	[11]	[2]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	20	17	17	17	15	17	[49]	[7]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	168	118	116	116	126	187			
		4.2	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.3	4.7	[52]	[6]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.7			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	39.25	40.90	42.60	40.75	38.67	41.53	[66]	[9]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		43.3	45.4	45.1	41.7	37.9	41.9	[83]	[9]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	5611	229	205	2327	57	25	209	626	410	169	874	9	471
Criminal*	819	122	40	99	23	58	146	**	43	179	7	36	66

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

TEXAS EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	5,210	6,571	4,564	3,771	3,233	2,760			
	Terminations	5,440	4,262	3,693	3,098	3,654	2,816			
	Pending	6,269	6,303	3,997	3,146	2,499	2,951			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	-20.7						[92]	[9]
		Over Earlier Years	14.2	38.2	61.2	88.8		[2]	[1]	
Number of Judgeships		7	7	7	7	7	7			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	13.4	14.5	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	744	939	652	539	462	394	[5]	[1]
		Civil	692	883	599	491	415	337	[4]	[1]
		Criminal Felony	52	56	53	48	47	57	[50]	[4]
	Pending Cases		896	900	571	449	357	422	[4]	[2]
	Weighted Filings**		511	504	533	458	397	355	[25]	[4]
	95% Confidence	Upper	544	540	573	493	422	376		
		Lower	478	468	493	422	371	333		
	Terminations		777	609	528	443	522	402	[5]	[2]
Trials Completed		32	35	37	33	34	34	[20]	[3]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.8	6.5	6.3	6.9	6.0	5.2	[45]	[7]
		Civil**	3	9	8	9	18	10	[1]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		14	15	15	14	13	11	[10]	[1]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		462 7.7	83 1.4	64 1.7	61 2.1	67 2.9	127 4.7	[73]	[8]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	28.99	27.34	28.35	25.91	25.69	27.64	[19]	[5]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	28.6	29.3	25.6	23.8	25.3	27.3	[33]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	4842	129	66	1540	20	10	83	243	2250	47	315	6	133
Criminal*	368	32	7	48	11	12	163	**	7	51	2	5	30

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

TEXAS SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	9,313	8,693	8,406	13,767	7,991	7,480			
	Terminations	9,216	7,665	13,565	7,401	6,517	7,093			
	Pending	7,447	8,209	7,062	14,268	9,031	7,531			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	7.1						[16]	[2]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	10.8	-32.4	16.5	24.5		[15]	[3]	
Number of Judgeships		18	18	18	18	18	18			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		17.8	21.8	12.0	22.7	37.6	48.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	517	483	467	765	444	416	[18]	[4]
		Civil	356	389	386	698	380	353	[49]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	161	94	81	67	64	63	[5]	[2]
	Pending Cases		414	456	392	793	502	418	[30]	[3]
	Weighted Filings**		567	527	503	887	486	457	[14]	[2]
	95% Confidence	Upper	617	570	541	1,081	519	488		
		Lower	516	484	465	692	454	426		
	Terminations		512	426	754	411	362	394	[25]	[5]
Trials Completed		46	48	51	53	50	52	[7]	[2]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.1	4.5	5.0	5.4	5.3	5.1	[2]	[1]
		Civil**	9	8	6	7	8	9	[36]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		16	17	17	17	16	21	[25]	[4]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		344 5.8	262 3.6	222 3.5	412 3.1	383 5.1	358 5.8	[63]	[7]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.7		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	36.16	39.02	38.01	39.04	37.77	37.05	[50]	[7]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	38.6	42.2	39.2	42.1	40.4	35.8	[71]	[8]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	6409	131	318	1944	153	49	266	959	863	194	961	13	558
Criminal*	2890	1156	15	108	47	32	1178	**	23	207	10	10	104

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TEXAS WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	6,317	5,869	5,075	4,256	3,962	4,061			
	Terminations	6,093	5,354	4,625	4,106	3,919	3,999			
	Pending	4,087	3,839	3,274	2,878	3,423	2,742			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	7.6						[15]	[1]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	24.5	48.4	59.4	55.6		[5]	[2]	
	Number of Judgeships	10	10	10	10	10	10			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.5	28.0	45.9			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	632	587	508	426	396	406	[10]	[2]
		Civil	318	368	350	311	295	296	[62]	[8]
		Criminal Felony	314	219	158	115	101	110	[2]	[1]
	Pending Cases	409	384	327	288	342	274	[35]	[4]	
	Weighted Filings**	841	708	608	541	511	533	[3]	[1]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	936	775	658	578	546	572		
		Lower	746	642	557	503	477	493		
	Terminations	609	535	463	411	392	400	[12]	[3]	
Trials Completed	48	49	42	42	41	53	[4]	[1]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.8	5.4	5.2	5.6	5.2	4.7	[8]	[2]
		Civil**	8	8	7	8	7	8	[16]	[3]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	14	12	11	14	12	11	[10]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	30	37	51	52	76	52			
		1.3	1.4	2.0	2.3	3.5	2.4	[11]	[1]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	37.64	34.64	32.50	29.79	36.20	32.92	[58]	[8]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		32.1	30.9	32.4	26.5	35.4	25.1	[53]	[7]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3175	103	197	1097	73	23	111	352	282	74	612	4	247
Criminal*	3125	1119	6	98	35	21	1567	**	31	140	14	15	79

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

KENTUCKY EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,746	2,618	2,397	2,293	2,334	2,300			
	Terminations	2,911	2,175	2,353	2,353	2,151	1,754			
	Pending	2,163	2,343	1,914	2,076	2,290	2,187			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	4.9						[23]	[2]
	Over Earlier Years	14.6	19.8	17.7	19.4			[22]	[3]	
Number of Judgeships		4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	.0	.3	6.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	610	582	533	510	519	511	[12]	[3]
		Civil	522	514	464	442	451	454	[9]	[3]
		Criminal Felony	88	68	69	68	68	57	[18]	[1]
	Pending Cases		481	521	425	461	509	486	[19]	[3]
	Weighted Filings**		525	480	479	464	480	444	[22]	[2]
	95% Confidence	Upper	572	521	511	497	512	474		
		Lower	479	440	446	430	448	415		
	Terminations		647	483	523	523	478	390	[9]	[2]
	Trials Completed		23	23	27	30	31	28	[54]	[6]
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.8	6.1	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.2	[23]	[1]
		Civil**	10	9	10	11	12	7	[54]	[6]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		27	25	21	17	19	21	[83]	[9]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		37 1.9	57 2.7	39 2.3	212 11.2	85 4.1	83 4.1	[19]	[2]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	36.48	37.76	25.25	44.40	39.10	39.56	[52]	[6]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	31.5	27.7	30.4	34.5	32.0	37.8	[47]	[4]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2350	912	50	398	39	135	81	165	287	8	179	-	96
Criminal*	393	12	19	32	18	10	178	**	13	63	4	9	35

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

KENTUCKY WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,780	1,786	1,718	1,733	1,598	1,644			
	Terminations	1,783	1,679	1,837	1,707	1,591	1,826			
	Pending	1,556	1,581	1,477	1,678	1,709	1,762			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	- .3						<u>42</u>	<u>5</u>
	Over Earlier Years .		3.6	2.7	11.4	8.3		<u>47</u>	<u>6</u>	
Number of Judgeships		4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	9.1	11.6	6.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	396	397	382	385	355	365	<u>56</u>	<u>8</u>
		Civil	350	363	343	350	320	318	<u>52</u>	<u>8</u>
		Criminal Felony	46	34	39	35	35	47	<u>61</u>	<u>6</u>
	Pending Cases		346	351	328	373	380	392	<u>57</u>	<u>6</u>
	Weighted Filings**		348	366	351	329	325	336	<u>76</u>	<u>9</u>
	95% Confidence	Upper	370	392	373	350	347	360		
		Lower	325	340	329	308	303	312		
	Terminations		396	373	408	379	354	406	<u>59</u>	<u>8</u>
	Trials Completed		27	22	27	24	25	29	<u>38</u>	<u>4</u>
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.8	7.5	7.6	7.6	6.4	7.8	<u>64</u>
Civil**			10	9	10	11	11	11	<u>54</u>	<u>6</u>
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		19	22	19	35	22	28	<u>39</u>	<u>3</u>	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		60 4.3	88 6.0	78 5.7	148 9.6	184 11.6	195 12.2	<u>53</u>	<u>6</u>
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	29.96	34.34	37.94	39.98	32.24	36.11	<u>26</u>	<u>4</u>
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	18.8	26.9	35.3	40.2	32.1	33.0	<u>14</u>	<u>2</u>

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1573	178	57	443	18	73	83	150	264	19	208	3	77
Criminal*	202	1	23	31	-	3	62	**	13	29	3	13	24

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MICHIGAN EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	10,443	17,104	6,461	5,725	5,467	5,751			
	Terminations	6,743	6,113	6,217	5,126	5,457	6,722			
	Pending	19,491	15,848	4,911	5,119	4,465	4,460			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-39.0						[94]	[9]
	Over Earlier Years...	61.6			82.4	91.0	81.6	[4]	[1]	
Number of Judgeships		15	15	15	15	15	15			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		27.0	26.7	1.9	.0	30.7	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	696	1,140	431	382	364	383	[7]	[2]
		Civil	655	1,100	391	344	324	335	[5]	[2]
		Criminal Felony	41	40	40	38	40	48	[70]	[8]
	Pending Cases		1,299	1,057	327	341	298	297	[3]	[1]
	Weighted Filings**		855	1,643	459	419	387	397	[2]	[1]
	95% Confidence	Upper	1,109	2,226	504	451	410	421		
		Lower	602	1,060	415	387	363	373		
	Terminations		450	408	414	342	364	448	[40]	[5]
Trials Completed		14	14	16	16	16	22	[87]	[9]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.9	10.7	9.1	9.9	8.0	8.2	[86]	[9]
		Civil**	8	8	6	8	9	8	[16]	[2]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		20	17	17	15	16	15	[49]	[5]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		98 .5	99 .7	101 2.3	153 3.3	76 1.9	83 2.1	[5]	[1]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	40.74	39.23	38.60	38.98	31.34	34.80	[71]	[9]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	45.8	39.8	39.9	36.7	33.2	33.1	[87]	[9]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	9829	326	1334	763	67	47	469	602	5010	148	681	19	363
Criminal*	608	11	32	95	4	29	183	**	27	127	14	36	50

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MICHIGAN WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,852	2,068	2,039	1,967	1,894	1,884			
	Terminations	2,075	1,948	1,997	1,975	1,942	1,834			
	Pending	1,330	1,570	1,445	1,439	1,520	1,580			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -10.5 Over Earlier Years. . . -9.2			-5.9	-2.2	-1.7	[80] [67]	[7] [8]	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	5	5	5			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	463	517	510	393	379	377	[37]	[4]
		Civil	403	468	453	349	337	333	[31]	[4]
		Criminal Felony	60	49	57	44	42	44	[37]	[3]
	Pending Cases		333	393	361	288	304	316	[59]	[7]
	Weighted Filings**		456	488	474	379	355	351	[43]	[6]
	95% Confidence	Upper	492	526	508	408	379	375		
		Lower	420	450	441	350	331	327		
	Terminations		519	487	499	395	388	367	[23]	[3]
Trials Completed		24	27	27	22	18	20	[50]	[5]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.6	6.8	6.6	6.4	7.1	6.6	[61]	[4]
		Civil**	9	8	8	8	8	8	[36]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		21	16	15	19	20	13	[59]	[6]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		27 2.3	28 1.9	35 2.7	42 3.2	50 3.8	59 4.3	[25]	[3]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.9	1.7	2.0	1.7	1.7		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	38.60	31.48	36.00	35.44	38.91	37.21	[64]	[8]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	34.7	31.7	34.7	27.3	28.9	28.4	[62]	[7]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1610	110	82	601	33	15	110	113	102	62	267	-	115
Criminal*	240	17	25	12	-	15	58	**	10	54	10	15	24

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

OHIO NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	10,270	9,998	9,627	8,651	7,954	8,193			
	Terminations	12,586	10,357	8,104	6,620	5,717	6,781			
	Pending	3,712	6,051	7,041	8,902	7,451	5,273			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	2.7						[36]	[4]
	Over Earlier Years.		6.7	18.7	29.1	25.4		[14]	[2]	
Number of Judgeships		12	12	12	12	12	12			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		11.6	23.0	6.5	19.8	49.0	60.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	856	833	802	721	663	683	[3]	[1]
		Civil	810	799	766	682	625	638	[2]	[1]
		Criminal Felony	46	34	36	39	38	45	[61]	[6]
	Pending Cases		309	504	587	742	621	439	[71]	[8]
	Weighted Filings**		509	503	486	424	415	441	[27]	[3]
	95% Confidence	Upper	550	546	527	459	447	473		
		Lower	468	460	445	390	383	408		
	Terminations		1,049	863	675	552	476	565	[1]	[1]
Trials Completed		15	17	17	15	18	13	[82]	[8]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.9	6.1	6.4	5.9	5.7	5.6	[26]	[2]
		Civil**	4	2	3	5	4	2	[2]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		18	18	19	17	18	16	[33]	[2]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		128 3.8	147 2.5	388 5.7	176 2.0	165 2.3	184 3.7	[48]	[5]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	28.22	30.98	27.27	30.03	25.16	25.18	[15]	[2]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	30.3	33.1	33.2	24.6	22.4	24.1	[41]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	9721	358	319	789	70	31	331	399	6270	132	769	9	244
Criminal*	544	8	50	45	7	38	102	**	23	155	2	42	72

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OHIO SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,528	3,415	3,369	3,109	3,015	3,060			
	Terminations	3,514	2,985	2,828	2,761	2,933	3,282			
	Pending	3,948	3,937	3,532	2,988	2,706	2,636			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	3.3						[30]	[3]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	4.7	13.5	17.0	15.3		[29]	[4]	
	Number of Judgeships	8	8	8	8	8	8			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	1.3	11.6	13.6	5.7	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	441	427	421	389	377	383	[40]	[5]
		Civil	390	392	385	353	336	337	[38]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	51	35	36	36	41	46	[52]	[5]
	Pending Cases	494	492	442	374	338	330	[16]	[2]	
	Weighted Filings**	483	440	436	395	388	381	[34]	[4]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	518	474	470	423	417	406		
		Lower	447	405	403	367	358	355		
	Terminations	439	373	354	345	367	410	[44]	[6]	
Trials Completed	22	16	19	24	26	27	[55]	[7]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.5	7.9	6.9	6.4	6.4	6.4	[40]	[3]
		Civil**	11	10	10	9	9	10	[73]	[9]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	26	27	20	19	19	15	[80]	[8]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		338 9.3	176 4.7	117 3.5	73 2.6	70 2.8	84 3.5	[80]	[9]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	31.16	45.67	45.05	49.30	35.49	40.66	[32]	[5]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	33.0	37.3	44.3	43.0	38.1	41.2	[55]	[5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3117	278	331	589	45	34	263	246	288	79	774	1	189
Criminal*	406	5	24	24	7	41	100	**	30	111	1	11	52

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TENNESSEE EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,116	2,472	2,512	2,163	2,290	2,424			
	Terminations	2,304	2,172	2,319	2,151	2,287	2,591			
	Pending	2,215	2,381	2,078	1,922	1,981	2,024			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -14.4							87	8
		Over Earlier Years. . . -15.8		-2.2	-7.6	-12.7		89	9	
	Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	7.7	12.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	423	494	502	433	458	485	48	7
		Civil	368	439	455	368	386	407	45	7
		Criminal Felony	55	55	47	65	72	78	47	4
	Pending Cases	443	476	416	384	396	405	27	4	
	Weighted Filings**	459	548	508	466	493	510	42	5	
	95% Confidence	Upper	490	584	565	495	524	541		
		Lower	429	512	450	438	461	479		
	Terminations	461	434	464	430	457	518	36	4	
Trials Completed	28	27	28	25	27	32	34	3		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.7	7.8	7.9	8.6	6.6	5.7	73	6
		Civil**	10	10	10	9	10	9	54	6
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	15	17	18	15	16	12	16	1	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		52 2.6	70 3.2	60 3.1	63 3.8	66 4.1	82 4.6	29	4
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	28.27	26.66	29.27	28.99	25.17	26.05	16	3
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	33.7	29.1	28.5	29.8	24.3	28.3	57	6

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1841	301	68	316	19	48	77	196	319	24	356	2	115
Criminal*	269	3	8	51	1	16	101	**	7	30	6	11	35

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TENNESSEE MIDDLE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,730	1,796	1,774	1,667	1,693	1,634			
	Terminations	1,666	1,775	1,789	1,594	1,696	1,599			
	Pending	1,547	1,484	1,467	1,489	1,431	1,442			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-3.7						[56]	[6]
		Over Earlier Years . .	-2.5	3.8	2.2	5.9		[50]	[7]	
	Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	1.8	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	433	449	444	417	423	409	[43]	[6]
		Civil	394	413	408	389	378	366	[34]	[5]
		Criminal Felony	39	36	36	28	45	43	[76]	[9]
	Pending Cases	387	371	367	372	358	361	[43]	[5]	
	Weighted Filings**	437	453	411	370	401	361	[53]	[7]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	469	486	443	396	428	384		
		Lower	404	421	380	343	374	337		
	Terminations	417	444	447	399	424	400	[53]	[7]	
Trials Completed	33	35	41	34	31	31	[19]	[1]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.1	8.7	8.0	8.1	6.8	8.9	[79]	[8]
		Civil**	8	7	8	8	9	9	[16]	[2]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	21	20	15	17	24	15	[59]	[6]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		60 4.3	55 4.1	61 4.5	88 6.3	88 6.8	100 7.7	[53]	[6]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	26.92	22.38	23.26	26.23	27.46	26.17	[13]	[1]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	13.8	10.2	17.8	22.8	21.7	21.0	[8]	[1]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1575	73	82	394	38	22	153	135	132	46	368	2	130
Criminal*	147	4	8	32	2	9	43	**	3	27	1	8	10

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TENNESSEE WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,913	1,789	1,945	1,793	1,608	1,671			
	Terminations	1,949	1,867	1,875	1,646	1,795	1,871			
	Pending	1,403	1,434	1,528	1,432	1,328	1,585			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	6.9						[18]	[1]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	-1.7	6.7	19.0	14.5		[32]	[5]	
	Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	3.7	4.5	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	383	358	389	359	322	334	[60]	[9]
		Civil	316	301	337	290	258	269	[64]	[9]
		Criminal Felony	67	57	52	69	64	65	[31]	[2]
	Pending Cases	281	287	306	286	266	317	[75]	[9]	
	Weighted Filings**	417	403	429	438	348	357	[57]	[8]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	447	432	459	469	371	381		
		Lower	387	375	398	406	325	333		
	Terminations	390	373	375	329	359	374	[61]	[9]	
Trials Completed	30	28	24	24	36	43	[30]	[2]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.7	9.5	8.9	8.0	9.8	9.0	[73]	[6]
		Civil**	9	8	7	8	11	11	[36]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	19	22	23	24	24	26	[39]	[3]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	51 4.6	32 2.8	44 3.6	63 5.4	60 6.1	105 8.7	[57]	[8]	
		Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	37.90	35.14	39.33	39.94	42.45	41.29	[60]	[7]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	37.9	38.7	33.6	33.0	45.9	47.4	[70]	[8]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1581	74	82	484	20	12	52	173	207	19	387	-	71
Criminal*	331	40	11	28	18	28	91	**	10	53	4	10	38

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ILLINOIS NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	9,330	10,015	9,146	8,319	8,571	8,532			
	Terminations	9,192	9,358	8,403	8,038	8,267	8,411			
	Pending	8,228	8,135	7,538	6,973	7,238	7,078			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	-6.8						69	6
		Over Earlier Years	2.0	12.2	8.9	9.4		43	2	
Number of Judgeships		22	22	22	22	22	22			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		31.7	23.0	15.1	5.8	39.0	36.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	424	455	416	378	390	388	47	4
		Civil	404	435	396	357	367	362	30	3
		Criminal Felony	20	20	20	21	23	26	94	7
	Pending Cases		374	370	343	317	329	322	48	3
	Weighted Filings**		409	440	411	387	378	370	59	5
	95% Confidence	Upper	446	477	446	418	408	398		
		Lower	372	402	376	355	348	342		
	Terminations		418	425	382	365	376	382	52	5
	Trials Completed		15	17	16	18	17	20	82	7
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	12.6	10.1	11.9	10.8	9.4	9.1	94
Civil**			6	5	5	5	5	5	7	2
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		25	24	24	27	22	13	77	7	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		652 8.5	499 6.5	361 5.1	391 6.0	438 6.8	417 6.7	78	7
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	42.69	42.13	49.53	41.17	38.62	46.66	74	7
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	35.3	34.9	43.1	34.7	37.0	41.8	65	7

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	8878	125	92	1064	80	1304	1205	860	658	415	2016	20	1039
Criminal*	448	11	40	20	1	37	62	**	19	154	3	44	57

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,533	1,613	1,598	1,595	1,483	1,585			
	Terminations	1,449	1,609	1,591	1,486	1,515	1,549			
	Pending	1,438	1,360	1,346	1,336	1,281	1,312			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-5.0						[59]	[5]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	-4.1	-3.9	3.4	-3.3		[72]	[6]	
	Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	18.8	12.0	12.0	11.8	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	383	403	400	399	371	396	[60]	[7]
		Civil	318	352	346	348	341	327	[62]	[7]
		Criminal Felony	65	51	54	51	30	69	[34]	[2]
	Pending Cases	360	340	337	334	320	328	[54]	[4]	
	Weighted Filings**	386	351	361	371	299	357	[64]	[7]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	412	376	385	396	318	384		
		Lower	359	327	337	346	279	331		
	Terminations	362	402	398	372	379	387	[70]	[7]	
Trials Completed	22	23	27	22	29	32	[55]	[5]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.5	7.3	6.9	6.7	7.1	6.9	[55]	[5]
		Civil**	8	8	8	6	6	6	[16]	[3]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	24	37	24	29	28	20	[74]	[6]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		91 7.3	55 4.4	110 9.1	121 10.1	86 7.3	68 6.1	[71]	[6]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.2		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	35.08	35.79	32.53	36.31	31.59	35.56	[46]	[6]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	32.0	33.6	31.3	38.6	38.3	29.1	[52]	[5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1270	52	63	410	19	59	126	75	117	25	271	1	52
Criminal*	261	7	12	27	9	10	122	**	11	32	3	14	14

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ILLINOIS SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,624	1,659	1,653	1,576	1,516	1,466			
	Terminations	1,751	1,714	1,635	1,572	1,441	1,555			
	Pending	1,274	1,386	1,432	1,422	1,434	1,375			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	-2.1						[48]	[3]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	-1.8		3.0	7.1	10.8	[41]	[1]	
	Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	19.0	22.0	12.0	12.7	24.0	22.7			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	406	415	413	394	379	367	[54]	[5]
		Civil	335	378	367	340	337	309	[58]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	71	37	46	54	42	58	[28]	[1]
	Pending Cases	319	347	358	356	359	344	[66]	[6]	
	Weighted Filings**	452	395	388	424	365	386	[45]	[2]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	479	420	412	450	388	410		
		Lower	424	369	365	399	343	363		
	Terminations	438	429	409	393	360	389	[46]	[3]	
Trials Completed	39	30	39	32	34	36	[13]	[1]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.6	8.2	7.7	6.4	7.4	5.4	[42]	[4]
		Civil**	10	8	9	8	8	9	[54]	[5]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	22	23	24	30	21	15	[64]	[5]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	44	58	47	59	68	77			
		4.0	4.5	3.6	4.7	5.2	6.3	[49]	[4]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.6			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	31.42	32.89	38.23	44.20	36.26	34.69	[33]	[5]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		34.0	27.2	40.4	39.2	31.7	34.0	[60]	[6]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1341	39	92	397	21	71	106	107	240	11	194	2	61
Criminal*	282	59	6	28	1	3	131	**	4	28	3	4	15

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

INDIANA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,147	2,078	2,357	2,210	1,999	1,969			
	Terminations	2,135	2,074	2,174	1,936	1,813	1,865			
	Pending	2,018	2,035	2,080	2,105	1,833	1,642			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	3.3						[30]	[2]
		Over Earlier Years		-8.9	-2.9	7.4	9.0	[44]	[3]	
	Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	429	416	471	442	400	394	[44]	[3]
		Civil	373	376	438	408	359	349	[41]	[4]
		Criminal Felony	56	40	33	34	41	45	[43]	[3]
	Pending Cases	404	407	416	421	367	328	[38]	[2]	
	Weighted Filings**	434	416	449	408	386	365	[54]	[4]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	463	449	489	440	414	390		
		Lower	405	384	409	375	358	340		
	Terminations	427	415	435	387	363	373	[49]	[4]	
Trials Completed	24	20	22	21	19	23	[50]	[4]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.6	7.2	11.3	11.9	7.7	6.9	[61]	[6]
		Civil**	10	9	8	8	8	9	[54]	[5]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	17	16	18	15	16	15	[29]	[2]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		84 4.7	128 6.9	93 4.8	107 5.8	68 4.1	70 4.7	[59]	[5]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	30.33	21.04	31.00	29.64	32.02	36.40	[28]	[3]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	25.4	24.9	28.0	19.0	24.2	31.7	[24]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1867	45	79	383	17	39	155	166	442	25	444	-	72
Criminal*	278	2	8	43	1	13	121	**	7	49	1	6	27

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

INDIANA SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,780	3,170	2,835	2,946	2,676	2,602			
	Terminations	3,113	3,003	2,760	2,747	2,389	2,504			
	Pending	2,258	2,602	2,732	2,689	2,437	2,160			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -12.3							[84]	[7]
		Over Earlier Years. . . -2.0			-5.6	3.9	6.8	[49]	[4]	
	Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	5.7	9.0	.0	.9	12.0	6.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	556	634	567	589	535	520	[13]	[1]
		Civil	522	598	533	556	496	485	[9]	[1]
		Criminal Felony	34	36	34	33	39	35	[82]	[6]
	Pending Cases	452	520	546	538	487	432	[25]	[1]	
	Weighted Filings**	538	594	509	510	477	468	[20]	[1]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	583	642	548	546	510	503		
		Lower	494	546	469	473	443	434		
	Terminations	623	601	552	549	478	501	[10]	[1]	
Trials Completed	27	31	31	29	23	24	[38]	[2]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.2	6.0	5.7	5.9	4.8	5.5	[35]	[2]
		Civil**	10	9	11	9	9	9	[54]	[5]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	19	18	24	24	16	14	[39]	[3]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	76	73	113	145	102	90			
		3.5	2.9	4.3	5.6	4.3	4.3	[43]	[3]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.4			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	29.29	29.73	29.07	34.69	30.68	35.00	[23]	[2]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		30.9	27.9	19.3	30.8	21.7	31.4	[44]	[4]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2608	146	102	629	33	102	141	244	343	47	657	5	159
Criminal*	170	5	5	28	8	4	69	**	8	16	3	7	17

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

WISCONSIN EASTERN

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Filings*	1,584	1,618	1,723	1,547	1,712	1,669
Terminations	1,530	1,638	1,652	1,724	1,742	1,644
Pending	1,295	1,234	1,253	1,197	1,493	1,529
Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-2.1				
	Over Earlier Years. . .		-8.1	2.4	-7.5	-5.1
Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4
Vacant Judgeship Months**	2.9	9.0	10.0	1.7	.0	.0

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**ACTIONS
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		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
FILINGS	Total	396	405	431	387	428	417
	Civil	346	352	377	339	386	366
	Criminal Felony	50	53	54	48	42	51
Pending Cases		324	309	313	299	373	382
Weighted Filings**		409	409	453	378	387	439
95% Confidence	Upper	443	443	490	406	415	469
	Lower	375	375	417	350	358	409
Terminations		383	410	413	431	436	411
Trials Completed		17	22	19	24	18	26

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		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.3	6.6	5.3	4.8	5.2	5.9
	Civil**	9	7	8	8	7	10
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		19	20	20	23	18	21

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Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		20 1.7	52 4.7	46 4.0	48 4.4	58 4.3	72 5.2
Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.2	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.7
Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	30.33	29.34	28.61	32.81	31.48	32.96
	Percent Not Selected or Challenged	23.6	23.9	21.0	24.8	23.1	24.7

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1383	74	93	366	29	9	97	161	109	57	324	3	61
Criminal*	199	3	9	12	-	15	70	**	11	47	5	16	11

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

WISCONSIN WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,019	979	1,132	1,057	1,250	985			
	Terminations	1,032	920	1,137	1,040	1,217	1,020			
	Pending	379	393	333	339	327	295			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	4.1						[25] [1]	
	Over Earlier Years.	-10.0			-3.6	-18.5	3.5	[58] [5]		
	Number of Judgeships	2	2	2	2	2	2			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	510	490	566	529	625	493	[20] [2]	
		Civil	461	440	535	483	579	428	[14] [2]	
		Criminal Felony	49	50	31	46	46	65	[56] [5]	
	Pending Cases	190	197	167	170	164	148	[89] [7]		
	Weighted Filings**	448	489	483	468	448	418	[48] [3]		
	95% Confidence	Upper	487	533	526	507	484	445		
		Lower	410	444	441	429	412	390		
	Terminations	516	460	569	520	609	510	[24] [2]		
	Trials Completed	25	30	23	34	30	38	[45] [3]		
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.0	6.2	5.4	4.8	4.4	5.1	[10] [1]
Civil**			5	4	4	5	3	5	[4] [1]	
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		9	9	8	9	10	7	[3] [1]		
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	[4] [1]		
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.3			
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	22.30	25.91	24.95	20.22	21.08	22.54	[4] [1]	
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	13.9	19.8	14.7	11.3	17.1	14.7	[9] [1]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	922	35	62	293	29	47	51	90	68	40	153	4	50
Criminal*	97	-	10	7	3	6	24	**	10	25	1	5	6

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

ARKANSAS EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,512	2,724	2,894	2,329	2,457	2,521		
	Terminations	2,672	2,645	2,618	2,420	2,158	1,893		
	Pending	2,331	2,476	2,414	2,131	2,115	2,681		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . -7.8							[72] [7]
		Over Earlier Years . -13.2			7.9	2.2	- .4	[65] [6]	
	Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	7.0	.0	12.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	502	545	579	466	491	504	[24] [1]
		Civil	450	501	523	417	442	466	[17] [1]
		Criminal Felony	52	44	56	49	49	38	[50] [8]
	Pending Cases	466	495	483	426	423	536	[21] [1]	
	Weighted Filings**	510	515	525	414	435	389	[26] [2]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	546	557	565	445	467	418	
		Lower	475	473	485	383	402	360	
	Terminations	534	529	524	484	432	379	[18] [1]	
	Trials Completed	50	51	50	52	44	36	[2] [1]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.5	8.3	6.7	6.9	6.2	6.3
Civil**			12	10	11	12	10	8	[83] [9]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		16	16	16	18	13	11	[25] [2]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	25 1.2	22 1.0	33 1.5	31 1.6	21 1.1	85 3.4	[10] [2]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	40.88	37.63	49.76	34.75	33.49	39.71	[72] [10]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	35.0	30.5	43.4	30.1	30.7	35.8	[64] [7]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2248	376	51	743	16	140	52	113	254	11	435	2	55
Criminal*	261	3	10	30	2	12	111	**	15	42	2	9	25

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
 ** See "Explanation of Selected Terms."

U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

ARKANSAS WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,218	1,183	1,202	1,015	1,115	1,188			
	Terminations	1,281	1,047	1,115	1,130	1,127	1,144			
	Pending	749	813	679	591	704	717			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	3.0						[35]	[4]
		Over Earlier Years .	1.3	20.0	9.2	2.5		[61]	[5]	
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	6.4	2.0	.0	.0	2.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	406	394	401	338	372	396	[54]	[5]
		Civil	357	363	361	308	321	351	[48]	[4]
		Criminal Felony	49	31	40	30	51	45	[56]	[9]
	Pending Cases	250	271	226	197	235	239	[79]	[8]	
	Weighted Filings**	341	344	360	287	353	321	[78]	[9]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	366	372	385	308	376	344		
		Lower	317	315	335	267	329	298		
	Terminations	427	349	372	377	376	381	[49]	[4]	
Trials Completed	26	36	35	36	36	35	[43]	[7]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.5	5.8	5.7	5.0	4.8	4.6	[40]	[5]
		Civil**	8	7	7	9	9	7	[16]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	13	13	12	11	10	11	[7]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	[1]	[1]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	39.53	41.23	36.48	32.68	31.27	39.62	[68]	[9]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	50.8	45.8	46.8	39.2	36.7	44.0	[92]	[10]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1072	197	47	226	9	100	48	85	145	9	174	-	32
Criminal*	143	4	3	12	-	10	62	**	10	17	2	9	14

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
** See "Explanation of Selected Terms"

U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

IOWA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	746	883	1,170	1,017	767	776			
	Terminations	777	926	1,112	963	763	774			
	Pending	765	797	837	848	795	804			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -15.5							[88] [75]	[10] [8]
	Over Earlier Years . . . -36.2			-26.7	-2.7	-3.9				
	Number of Judgeships	2	2	2	2	2	2			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	10.9	9.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	373	442	585	509	384	388	[64]	[7]
		Civil	299	364	484	442	332	319	[71]	[7]
		Criminal Felony	74	78	101	67	52	69	[25]	[5]
	Pending Cases	383	399	419	424	398	402	[46]	[5]	
	Weighted Filings**	383	427	506	464	371	378	[65]	[8]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	416	463	562	501	395	405		
		Lower	350	391	449	428	348	351		
	Terminations	389	463	556	482	382	387	[62]	[7]	
Trials Completed	32	33	46	35	29	42	[20]	[4]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.7	8.9	9.0	7.6	8.0	6.8	[73]	[9]
		Civil**	12	10	10	12	13	12	[83]	[9]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	23	24	22	17	24	28	[67]	[9]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	19 3.0	28 4.2	36 5.0	37 5.0	47 6.6	26 3.8	[35]	[7]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4			
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	39.31	42.47	30.33	34.40	37.71	38.40	[67]	[8]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	33.9	32.8	26.1	21.4	27.4	34.3	[58]	[6]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	597	68	48	135	14	24	23	62	92	6	102	-	23
Criminal*	143	12	1	17	1	5	70	**	-	18	-	9	10

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

IOWA SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,285	1,318	1,362	1,481	1,276	1,227			
	Terminations	1,232	1,340	1,392	1,416	1,351	1,297			
	Pending	1,234	1,144	1,139	1,187	1,320	1,796			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	-2.5						[50]	[5]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	-5.7	-13.2	.7	4.7		[55]	[4]	
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	6.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	428	439	454	494	425	409	[45]	[4]
		Civil	345	388	401	437	389	379	[55]	[5]
		Criminal Felony	83	51	53	57	36	30	[20]	[4]
	Pending Cases	411	381	380	396	440	599	[33]	[2]	
	Weighted Filings**	465	405	416	422	354	330	[39]	[4]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	505	436	448	452	378	352		
		Lower	425	374	384	393	330	308		
	Terminations	411	447	464	472	450	432	[55]	[6]	
Trials Completed	34	37	47	51	40	37	[16]	[3]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.9	5.9	6.1	5.8	5.3	6.0	[26]	[4]
		Civil**	11	10	11	10	11	11	[73]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	19	19	20	24	23	24	[39]	[5]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		68 6.5	23 2.2	36 3.4	61 5.7	201 16.4	278 16.2	[65]	[10]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.7		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	35.35	29.58	30.16	31.10	28.74	29.13	[47]	[2]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	23.4	25.3	28.8	24.5	22.9	24.3	[19]	[2]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1036	134	70	312	16	31	36	74	95	21	203	4	40
Criminal*	249	12	9	30	1	7	133	**	5	19	1	13	19

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

MINNESOTA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,322	3,195	2,857	2,517	2,773	2,563			
	Terminations	3,053	3,355	2,575	2,490	2,504	2,599			
	Pending	2,819	2,556	2,707	2,718	2,515	2,242			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	4.0						[27]	[2]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	16.3	32.0	19.8	29.6		[10]	[1]	
	Number of Judgeships	7	7	7	7	7	7			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	3.0	.0	13.1	23.7	17.9	24.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	475	456	408	360	396	366	[31]	[3]
		Civil	429	413	373	326	356	322	[23]	[2]
		Criminal Felony	46	43	35	34	40	44	[61]	[10]
	Pending Cases	403	365	387	388	359	320	[39]	[3]	
	Weighted Filings**	563	542	458	422	419	403	[16]	[1]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	628	593	501	457	451	434		
		Lower	498	490	416	388	387	373		
	Terminations	436	479	368	356	358	371	[47]	[3]	
	Trials Completed	19	15	14	17	18	25	[70]	[9]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.5	7.0	6.7	8.1	6.7	6.0	[55]
Civil**			9	10	8	9	9	10	[36]	[2]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		22	20	18	20	23	22	[64]	[8]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	119	60	75	65	79	87			
		4.6	2.5	2.9	2.5	3.4	4.2	[57]	[9]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.4			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	37.08	37.04	41.83	39.71	38.27	38.73	[56]	[6]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		35.3	36.2	37.9	35.3	38.4	31.8	[65]	[8]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3001	130	362	249	36	15	199	307	785	145	541	8	224
Criminal*	316	7	18	50	10	5	93	**	6	57	18	27	25

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MISSOURI EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,046	3,346	3,410	3,081	3,182	3,330			
	Terminations	3,317	3,484	3,487	3,315	3,292	3,028			
	Pending	2,853	3,119	3,253	3,284	3,563	3,620			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	-9.0						[78]	[8]
	Over Earlier Years.	-10.7		-10.7	-1.1	-4.3	-8.5	[83]	[9]	
	Number of Judgeships	8	8	8	8	8	8			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	15.9	22.0	8.2	4.3	15.1	24.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	381	418	426	385	398	416	[62]	[6]
		Civil	321	366	386	337	358	377	[61]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	60	52	40	48	40	39	[37]	[6]
	Pending Cases	357	390	407	411	445	453	[55]	[6]	
	Weighted Filings**	449	461	441	393	377	382	[46]	[6]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	480	494	474	418	402	405		
		Lower	418	428	407	367	352	358		
	Terminations	415	436	436	414	412	379	[54]	[5]	
	Trials Completed	22	22	27	24	28	28	[55]	[8]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.8	5.6	7.4	6.9	7.0	6.8	[23]
Civil**			11	11	11	12	12	11	[73]	[4]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		19	20	20	22	20	16	[39]	[5]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		58 2.2	95 3.3	169 5.5	198 6.5	167 5.0	129 3.8	[22]	[5]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	36.46	29.57	33.22	29.15	25.08	33.40	[51]	[3]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	37.1	28.6	30.4	29.4	19.6	32.9	[69]	[9]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2568	102	145	648	69	8	201	233	356	67	633	5	101
Criminal*	470	8	13	84	2	14	201	**	13	87	1	16	31

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MISSOURI WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,904	3,269	3,015	2,890	2,871	2,995			
	Terminations	3,206	3,009	3,069	2,992	2,937	2,956			
	Pending	2,414	2,710	2,530	2,592	2,727	2,797			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	-11.2						82	9
	Over Earlier Years.	-3.7			.5	1.1	-3.0	70	7	
Number of Judgeships		6	6	6	6	6	6			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	20.6	25.5	24.0	23.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	484	545	503	482	479	499	27	2
		Civil	427	501	455	429	431	446	24	3
		Criminal Felony	57	44	48	53	48	53	42	7
	Pending Cases		402	452	422	432	455	466	40	4
	Weighted Filings**		486	502	506	463	457	469	33	3
	95% Confidence	Upper	522	540	545	494	486	498		
		Lower	450	464	467	432	427	439		
	Terminations		534	502	512	499	490	493	18	1
	Trials Completed		32	26	26	38	24	28	20	4
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.4	9.5	10.4	7.6	7.3	7.4	69
Civil**			11	10	10	10	10	9	73	4
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		17	18	17	17	19	16	29	3	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		68 3.2	60 2.4	88 3.9	91 3.8	112 4.6	128 5.0	36	8
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	38.51	47.37	42.18	40.44	41.24	40.39	63	7
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	23.3	31.1	31.3	27.2	33.7	26.2	18	1

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2563	300	117	887	31	6	142	159	237	38	490	1	155
Criminal*	340	1	11	41	3	18	155	**	11	53	4	13	30

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NEBRASKA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,479	1,369	1,496	1,310	1,294	1,263			
	Terminations	1,334	1,369	1,446	1,322	1,374	1,446			
	Pending	1,254	1,114	1,122	1,092	1,149	1,213			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	8.0						[12]	[1]
		Over Earlier Years.	-1.1	12.9	14.3	17.1		[27]	[3]	
	Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.1	12.0	10.9	.0	3.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	370	342	374	328	324	316	[66]	[8]
		Civil	281	276	316	278	274	269	[72]	[8]
		Criminal Felony	89	66	58	50	50	47	[17]	[3]
	Pending Cases	314	279	281	273	287	303	[69]	[7]	
	Weighted Filings**	464	395	377	355	353	339	[40]	[5]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	504	427	405	379	377	365		
		Lower	425	363	350	332	329	314		
	Terminations	334	342	362	331	344	362	[72]	[8]	
Trials Completed	35	29	27	31	33	33	[15]	[2]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.1	9.4	9.9	7.4	8.4	8.1	[79]	[10]
		Civil**	11	11	10	10	9	12	[73]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	20	21	17	24	18	20	[49]	[7]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	15	8	18	21	37	46			
		1.6	.9	1.9	2.3	3.8	4.3	[16]	[3]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.5			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	30.63	28.88	33.33	28.00	29.10	26.58	[30]	[1]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		31.3	27.9	32.1	25.5	28.1	27.7	[45]	[5]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1123	17	120	190	23	47	56	100	138	23	319	3	87
Criminal*	356	31	10	35	1	6	192	**	7	38	6	13	17

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NORTH DAKOTA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	468	483	516	512	467	531			
	Terminations	506	469	505	511	481	567			
	Pending	320	363	353	356	379	392			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	-3.1						[53]	[6]
	Over Earlier Years	-9.3			-8.6	.2	-11.9	[87]	[10]	
Number of Judgeships		2	2	2	2	2	2			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	234	242	258	256	234	266	[89]	[10]
		Civil	142	166	165	185	158	200	[91]	[10]
		Criminal Felony	92	76	93	71	76	66	[16]	[2]
	Pending Cases		160	182	177	178	190	196	[92]	[10]
	Weighted Filings**		311	285	321	338	267	257	[81]	[10]
	95% Confidence	Upper	343	310	350	365	285	277		
		Lower	279	259	292	311	249	238		
	Terminations		253	235	253	256	241	284	[86]	[10]
Trials Completed		15	18	16	28	24	22	[82]	[10]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.7	4.8	4.5	4.7	4.1	4.0	[6]	[1]
		Civil**	9	9	8	9	8	8	[36]	[2]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		-	17	16	17	28	19	-	-
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		4 1.7	5 1.8	3 1.0	8 2.7	8 2.7	12 3.4	[17]	[4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.1	1.1		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	36.71	31.15	27.17	26.84	31.00	29.20	[54]	[4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	28.0	25.0	23.5	19.3	26.8	17.1	[32]	[4]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	284	16	19	27	6	30	7	74	50	2	28	-	25
Criminal*	184	21	2	19	6	16	20	**	1	23	28	4	44

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SOUTH DAKOTA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	854	828	958	758	704	673			
	Terminations	868	781	870	753	687	633			
	Pending	609	636	591	514	524	512			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	3.1						[33]	[3]
	Over Earlier Years.	-10.9			12.7	21.3	26.9	[12]	[2]	
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	4.1	2.4	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	285	276	319	253	235	224	[82]	[9]
		Civil	148	154	196	169	154	154	[90]	[9]
		Criminal Felony	137	122	123	84	81	70	[7]	[1]
	Pending Cases	203	212	197	171	175	171	[87]	[9]	
	Weighted Filings**	418	402	429	331	321	289	[56]	[7]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	473	454	482	369	357	318		
		Lower	363	350	376	293	286	259		
	Terminations	289	260	290	251	229	211	[80]	[9]	
Trials Completed	32	34	40	33	31	27	[20]	[4]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.5	5.4	5.6	5.8	5.2	5.7	[17]	[2]
		Civil**	11	10	9	8	9	9	[73]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	17	21	15	22	18	16	[29]	[3]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		9 2.2	10 2.4	3 .7	6 1.7	1 .3	2 .5	[22]	[5]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	36.80	35.77	35.84	33.19	27.96	31.08	[55]	[5]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	26.9	29.3	22.0	27.3	16.3	22.5	[30]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	444	35	18	127	7	21	8	53	78	8	59	-	30
Criminal*	410	23	11	18	2	44	48	**	2	95	81	-	86

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ALASKA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	672	739	628	776	797	763			
	Terminations	739	668	844	763	792	975			
	Pending	679	782	825	1,099	1,117	1,132			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-9.1						[79] [87]	[14] [15]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	7.0	-13.4	-15.7	-11.9				
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	7.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	224	246	209	259	266	254	[91]	[13]
		Civil	168	212	188	233	237	222	[89]	[13]
		Criminal Felony	56	34	21	26	29	32	[43]	[11]
	Pending Cases	226	261	275	366	372	377	[85]	[12]	
	Weighted Filings**	250	254	233	264	312	294	[89]	[13]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	269	276	258	290	343	322		
		Lower	231	233	209	238	280	266		
	Terminations	246	223	281	254	264	325	[87]	[13]	
Trials Completed	15	10	13	12	14	13	[82]	[11]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.8	5.0	5.6	6.1	5.7	5.7	[8]	[5]
		Civil**	10	9	15	11	12	12	[54]	[10]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	23	26	24	24	28	27	[67]	[8]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		115 19.2	53 7.5	58 7.4	246 23.3	87 8.3	120 11.3	[90]	[15]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.8		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	46.18	51.40	50.18	60.50	52.65	63.84	[83]	[10]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	39.4	41.3	40.2	45.2	44.5	50.8	[75]	[10]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	503	5	13	93	18	16	18	94	102	5	73	1	65
Criminal*	168	25	13	9	-	9	42	**	4	47	2	4	13

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ARIZONA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	5,483	5,016	5,255	4,540	4,325	4,220			
	Terminations	5,416	4,785	4,827	4,520	4,563	4,272			
	Pending	4,954	4,871	4,665	4,263	4,342	4,725			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	9.3						[9] [5]	
		Over Earlier Years. . .	4.3	20.8	26.8	29.9		[9] [4]		
Number of Judgeships		8	8	8	8	8	8			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		3.2	.0	2.1	.1	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	685	627	657	568	541	528	[8] [3]	
		Civil	402	440	499	458	438	412	[32] [5]	
		Criminal Felony	283	187	158	110	103	116	[3] [2]	
	Pending Cases		619	609	583	533	543	591	[10] [3]	
	Weighted Filings**		834	734	703	598	550	577	[4] [2]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	923	798	757	642	590	620		
		Lower	745	671	648	554	509	534		
	Terminations		677	598	603	565	570	534	[8] [3]	
Trials Completed		27	37	35	35	41	65	[38] [5]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.3	5.4	5.7	6.9	7.0	6.6	[3] [2]	
		Civil**	10	9	9	9	10	9	[54] [10]	
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		33	32	30	25	22	22	[90] [12]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		267 7.2	227 5.6	192 4.9	217 5.9	252 6.9	649 17.1	[69] [10]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	54.62	57.40	57.08	50.95	55.56	56.80	[87] [13]	
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	43.8	33.1	34.5	32.2	34.0	36.2	[84] [13]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3214	89	146	1117	50	13	90	272	346	137	578	12	364
Criminal*	2240	1155	9	79	12	35	575	**	25	63	119	26	142

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CALIFORNIA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	6,636	6,524	6,411	5,666	5,913	6,100		
	Terminations	6,594	6,432	5,941	5,649	5,905	6,483		
	Pending	5,791	5,792	5,765	5,402	5,493	5,546		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . 1.7							[39] [8]
		Over Earlier Years.		3.5	17.1	12.2	8.8	[46] [11]	
	Number of Judgeships	14	14	14	14	14	14		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	11.5	21.7	3.2	15.7	14.7	12.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	474	466	458	405	422	436	[33] [7]
		Civil	445	421	417	373	394	404	[20] [3]
		Criminal Felony	29	45	41	32	28	32	[85] [15]
	Pending Cases	414	414	412	386	392	396	[30] [6]	
	Weighted Filings**	453	464	490	424	438	431	[44] [9]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	494	505	528	457	472	468	
		Lower	412	424	451	391	404	394	
	Terminations	471	459	424	404	422	463	[33] [5]	
	Trials Completed	13	14	16	14	14	16	[90] [13]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	11.6	7.9	8.1	9.9	8.9	8.6
Civil**			8	8	7	7	7	7	[16] [5]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		28	20	23	25	23	18	[85] [10]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		418 7.9	383 7.3	360 6.8	333 6.8	318 6.3	374 7.4	[74] [12]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.5	
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	52.06	53.39	55.37	48.98	41.94	45.00	[84] [11]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	39.4	39.5	41.3	38.0	33.5	34.8	[75] [10]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	6234	190	546	1310	114	39	481	664	476	479	1130	42	763
Criminal*	394	91	7	38	11	20	56	**	9	82	2	20	58

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CALIFORNIA EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	4,604	4,276	4,201	3,985	3,581	3,442			
	Terminations	4,096	3,686	3,802	3,706	3,193	3,100			
	Pending	5,083	4,791	4,413	4,212	4,190	3,745			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	7.7						[13]	[6]
		Over Earlier Years.	9.6	15.5	28.6	33.8		[8]	[3]	
	Number of Judgeships	7	7	7	7	7	7			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	2.9	22.2	4.6	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	658	611	600	569	512	492	[9]	[4]
		Civil	552	506	511	483	445	425	[7]	[2]
		Criminal Felony	106	105	89	86	67	67	[12]	[6]
	Pending Cases	726	684	630	602	599	535	[6]	[2]	
	Weighted Filings**	591	601	570	537	465	436	[11]	[4]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	635	645	607	572	492	464		
		Lower	547	558	533	501	438	408		
	Terminations	585	527	543	529	456	443	[13]	[4]	
Trials Completed	18	18	19	21	18	21	[74]	[9]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.5	7.5	6.6	5.9	6.1	6.2	[55]	[11]
		Civil**	10	10	9	8	9	9	[54]	[10]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	25	28	26	26	22	25	[77]	[9]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		358 7.9	306 7.2	307 7.7	254 6.6	203 5.6	151 4.6	[74]	[12]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	45.96	34.92	33.80	36.25	35.71	37.95	[82]	[9]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	43.1	30.5	28.8	31.2	32.1	29.5	[81]	[12]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	3863	165	124	1882	72	48	136	256	252	69	623	7	229
Criminal*	736	429	8	16	5	14	99	**	5	113	5	11	31

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CALIFORNIA CENTRAL		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	13,077	12,224	11,882	11,401	10,629	10,701			
	Terminations	11,893	10,983	11,406	10,738	10,896	11,053			
	Pending	10,977	9,798	8,792	8,711	9,368	9,970			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	7.0						[17]	[7]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	10.1	14.7	23.0	22.2		[17]	[6]	
	Number of Judgeships	27	27	27	27	27	27			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	49.7	42.0	27.3	21.6	40.6	48.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	484	453	440	422	394	396	[27]	[5]
		Civil	434	408	393	382	354	351	[22]	[4]
		Criminal Felony	50	45	47	40	40	45	[53]	[13]
	Pending Cases	407	363	326	323	347	369	[36]	[7]	
	Weighted Filings**	475	424	451	431	407	411	[36]	[7]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	510	455	485	464	438	443		
		Lower	439	392	417	398	377	379		
	Terminations	440	407	422	398	404	409	[43]	[7]	
	Trials Completed	14	14	15	19	20	24	[87]	[12]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.5	7.0	6.9	7.2	6.0	4.8	[55]
Civil**			6	6	6	6	6	6	[7]	[2]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		20	20	17	18	18	14	[49]	[6]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	420 4.5	333 4.0	299 3.9	384 5.2	504 7.1	596 7.8	[55]	[9]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.5			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	56.64	53.50	40.88	45.14	52.06	53.67	[89]	[14]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	31.7	32.3	33.3	26.6	24.1	25.4	[48]	[6]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	11721	620	1114	2447	426	164	850	1636	841	1002	1351	26	1244
Criminal*	1310	277	30	62	3	97	196	**	74	363	22	86	100

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CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	6,326	5,688	5,674	4,584	3,245	3,408		
	Terminations	6,755	5,728	4,454	3,944	3,368	3,619		
	Pending	3,391	3,708	4,149	2,917	3,012	3,220		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	11.2						[7] [4]
	Over Earlier Years		11.5	38.0	94.9	85.6		[3] [2]	
	Number of Judgeships	8	8	8	8	8	8		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	12.0	20.1	27.0	21.0	23.6	17.9		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	791	711	709	573	406	426	[4] [2]
		Civil	324	319	437	360	265	257	[60] [8]
		Criminal Felony	467	392	272	213	141	169	[1] [1]
	Pending Cases	424	464	519	365	377	403	[29] [5]	
	Weighted Filings**	1,006	814	833	726	560	602	[1] [1]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	1,139	927	936	804	600	647	
		Lower	873	701	729	649	519	557	
	Terminations	844	716	557	493	421	452	[3] [1]	
Trials Completed	49	33	35	31	29	36	[3] [1]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	3.6	2.9	2.9	4.1	5.6	6.1	[1] [1]
		Civil**	13	7	7	8	7	9	[88] [14]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	20	20	18	18	17	16	[49] [6]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		48 2.6	48 1.7	35 1.0	61 2.7	57 3.3	85 4.8	[29] [4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	43.75	39.48	38.81	39.35	39.34	44.80	[75] [5]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		33.2	29.1	36.5	35.9	34.2	40.8	[56] [7]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2591	73	58	646	130	46	64	305	230	156	558	3	322
Criminal*	3727	1778	8	22	24	15	1543	**	7	203	22	38	67

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HAWAII		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,306	2,029	1,314	1,245	1,146	1,106			
	Terminations	1,278	1,455	1,250	1,219	1,095	1,089			
	Pending	1,739	1,705	1,125	1,114	1,154	1,130			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-35.6						[93]	[15]
	Over Earlier Years...			- .6	4.9	14.0	18.1	[24]	[7]	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		10.1	12.0	12.0	6.3	12.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	327	507	329	311	287	277	[75]	[10]
		Civil	269	460	279	263	251	238	[74]	[10]
		Criminal Felony	58	47	50	48	36	39	[41]	[10]
	Pending Cases		435	426	281	279	289	283	[28]	[4]
	Weighted Filings**		475	706	399	376	320	308	[36]	[7]
	95% Confidence	Upper	517	788	433	405	349	329		
		Lower	432	623	365	347	291	288		
	Terminations		320	364	313	305	274	272	[74]	[10]
Trials Completed		12	16	21	18	20	27	[93]	[14]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.1	9.3	7.2	7.4	7.2	8.4	[66]	[13]
		Civil**	8	6	8	8	7	9	[16]	[5]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		19	15	24	18	20	18	[39]	[4]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		50 3.4	55 3.6	59 6.1	65 6.8	102 10.0	72 7.3	[41]	[8]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	52.30	62.33	57.11	66.52	60.60	48.04	[85]	[12]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	29.6	32.1	26.8	37.0	33.9	25.8	[36]	[4]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1075	11	1	129	18	41	80	130	251	9	324	1	80
Criminal*	225	14	4	9	-	13	108	**	8	21	5	14	29

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IDAHO		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	660	711	707	651	667	590			
	Terminations	758	665	664	658	588	648			
	Pending	696	794	748	719	744	664			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year .	-7.2						[70]	[12]
	Over Earlier Years	-6.7		1.4	-1.1	11.9		[39]	[9]	
	Number of Judgeships	2	2	2	2	2	2			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	10.5	12.0	9.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	330	356	354	326	334	295	[71]	[9]
		Civil	274	314	307	285	298	262	[73]	[9]
		Criminal Felony	56	42	47	41	36	33	[43]	[11]
	Pending Cases	348	397	374	360	372	332	[56]	[10]	
	Weighted Filings**	364	368	351	325	350	296	[72]	[11]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	395	396	376	348	376	318		
		Lower	334	340	325	301	323	273		
	Terminations	379	333	332	329	294	324	[65]	[9]	
Trials Completed	31	23	12	10	16	14	[27]	[4]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.8	7.3	8.0	[44]	[8]
		Civil**	13	13	12	11	13	12	[88]	[14]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	19	18	-	-	-	-	[39]	[4]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		20 3.3	30 4.1	25 3.6	19 2.8	28 4.1	27 4.5	[38]	[7]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	36.65	31.94	31.63	31.52	35.49	36.53	[53]	[3]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	25.7	23.2	26.2	31.1	29.9	33.9	[26]	[3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	547	19	4	139	9	25	21	64	94	16	81	1	74
Criminal*	113	17	6	8	1	7	20	**	1	19	16	3	15

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MONTANA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	875	957	1,000	902	893	977			
	Terminations	914	1,005	908	846	863	954			
	Pending	1,000	1,046	1,104	1,081	1,049	1,021			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	-8.6						[77]	[13]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	-12.5	-3.0	-2.0	-10.5		[86]	[14]	
Number of Judgeships		3	3	3	3	3	3			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	6.2	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	292	319	333	301	298	326	[80]	[11]
		Civil	220	227	252	228	234	250	[84]	[11]
		Criminal Felony	72	92	81	73	64	76	[26]	[8]
	Pending Cases		333	349	368	360	350	340	[59]	[11]
	Weighted Filings**		366	448	433	405	374	444	[71]	[10]
	95% Confidence	Upper	393	483	465	433	401	496		
		Lower	338	412	401	376	346	393		
	Terminations		305	335	303	282	288	318	[77]	[11]
Trials Completed		16	19	16	16	27	22	[81]	[10]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.8	7.3	7.6	5.6	6.8	5.3	[45]	[9]
		Civil**	11	11	11	12	11	10	[73]	[13]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		15	20	-	20	16	12	[16]	[1]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		91 11.2	83 10.0	89 9.7	86 9.6	76 8.4	80 9.2	[84]	[14]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	45.85	40.88	40.87	48.04	37.89	36.92	[81]	[8]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	44.8	36.6	39.1	37.2	28.5	32.6	[85]	[14]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	660	47	10	86	8	37	21	99	196	11	72	1	72
Criminal*	213	25	14	18	3	14	39	**	3	22	22	2	51

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NEVADA		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,451	2,755	2,464	2,456	2,411	2,663		
	Terminations	3,046	2,362	2,459	2,419	2,453	2,419		
	Pending	2,968	2,537	2,156	2,277	2,399	2,460		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. 25.3 Over Earlier Years. 40.1			40.5	43.1	29.6	[3] [2] [10] [5]	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4		
Vacant Judgeship Months**		5.0	.0	.0	.0	1.9	12.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	863	689	616	614	603	666	[2] [1]
		Civil	732	620	532	535	518	558	[3] [1]
		Criminal Felony	131	69	84	79	85	108	[8] [4]
	Pending Cases		742	634	539	569	600	615	[5] [1]
	Weighted Filings**		803	696	762	674	641	698	[5] [3]
	95% Confidence	Upper	860	751	821	720	684	747	
		Lower	745	642	703	627	599	649	
	Terminations		762	591	615	605	613	605	[6] [2]
Trials Completed		34	29	32	40	46	37	[16] [3]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.1	11.2	8.7	8.7	7.9	8.0	[79] [14]
		Civil**	7	7	8	8	8	7	[11] [4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		28	24	26	21	22	20	[85] [10]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		54 2.1	39 1.7	33 1.8	59 2.9	57 2.9	84 4.2	[20] [3]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.4	1.4	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.5	
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	39.81	40.88	44.85	43.49	40.70	43.15	[70] [4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	36.0	35.2	37.9	36.6	30.6	29.0	[68] [9]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2926	23	88	1120	58	28	113	310	309	57	419	2	399
Criminal*	513	134	8	55	9	16	74	**	22	99	14	38	44

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

OREGON		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,899	2,950	3,160	3,184	2,767	2,595			
	Terminations	2,794	2,975	3,212	2,735	2,652	2,735			
	Pending	2,334	2,224	2,277	2,370	2,061	1,933			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-1.7						[44]	[9]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	-8.3	-9.0	4.8	11.7		[40]	[10]	
	Number of Judgeships	6	6	6	6	6	6			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	16.6	24.0	21.7	6.6	5.9	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	483	492	527	531	461	433	[29]	[6]
		Civil	367	400	424	432	380	353	[46]	[7]
		Criminal Felony	116	92	103	99	81	80	[9]	[5]
	Pending Cases	389	371	380	395	344	322	[42]	[8]	
	Weighted Filings**	507	521	513	572	513	450	[28]	[5]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	544	560	550	615	550	479		
		Lower	471	482	477	530	477	421		
	Terminations	466	496	535	456	442	456	[34]	[6]	
	Trials Completed	21	23	23	24	28	32	[64]	[7]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.9	5.5	5.9	5.3	6.0	6.5	[26]	[7]
		Civil**	8	8	7	7	7	7	[16]	[5]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	15	15	16	13	14	13	[16]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		49 2.6	38 2.0	51 2.7	51 2.5	30 1.7	46 2.9	[29]	[4]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	45.21	41.81	37.00	49.84	34.71	45.34	[79]	[7]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	8.7	3.3	4.9	10.0	4.8	6.9	[4]	[1]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2201	196	44	473	50	22	180	256	259	81	479	2	159
Criminal*	687	248	16	88	4	33	114	**	14	54	7	81	28

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

WASHINGTON EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,071	949	1,404	1,117	981	1,102			
	Terminations	1,066	1,081	1,160	1,062	963	1,060			
	Pending	721	713	857	626	584	618			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	12.9						[4] [3]	
		Over Earlier Years .	-23.7	-4.1	9.2	-2.8		[69] [13]		
	Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	7.8	9.5	.0	.5	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	268	237	351	279	245	276	[86] [12]	
		Civil	172	165	258	182	145	166	[88] [12]	
		Criminal Felony	96	72	93	97	100	110	[15] [7]	
	Pending Cases	180	178	214	157	146	155	[90] [13]		
	Weighted Filings**	262	244	301	264	253	275	[88] [12]		
	95% Confidence	Upper	281	260	320	284	273	296		
		Lower	244	227	282	245	234	255		
	Terminations	267	270	290	266	241	265	[83] [12]		
Trials Completed	44	35	32	45	34	25	[10] [2]			
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.2	5.2	4.6	5.0	4.0	3.7	[16] [6]	
		Civil**	8	7	7	7	8	7	[16] [5]	
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	-	13	13	12	13	-	[-] [-]		
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		14 2.9	15 2.9	13 2.0	13 2.7	17 4.5	10 2.4	[34] [6]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	35.44	41.59	34.69	33.12	30.41	37.04	[48] [2]	
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	25.4	29.4	33.5	20.5	22.6	19.4	[24] [2]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	689	65	23	178	23	17	20	73	119	16	97	-	58
Criminal*	377	127	7	31	3	21	94	**	17	33	5	17	22

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

WASHINGTON WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,081	3,239	3,723	3,177	3,048	2,956			
	Terminations	2,783	3,196	3,666	3,022	2,956	2,913			
	Pending	2,631	2,352	2,333	2,303	2,222	2,701			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-4.9						[58]	[11]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	-17.3		-3.0	1.1	4.2	[56]	[12]	
	Number of Judgeships	7	7	7	7	7	7			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	8.0	.0	.0	.0	6.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	440	463	532	454	435	422	[41]	[8]
		Civil	376	417	484	408	389	381	[39]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	64	46	48	46	46	41	[35]	[9]
	Pending Cases	376	336	333	329	317	386	[47]	[9]	
	Weighted Filings**	490	508	531	495	483	451	[30]	[6]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	540	565	586	553	537	504		
		Lower	440	452	476	437	429	398		
	Terminations	398	457	524	432	422	416	[57]	[8]	
Trials Completed	20	25	21	23	23	21	[68]	[8]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.7	5.5	5.4	4.8	5.1	4.5	[6]	[4]
		Civil**	9	8	8	8	7	8	[36]	[9]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	15	15	15	15	15	11	[16]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		34 1.5	19 .9	23 1.1	41 1.9	37 1.8	129 5.2	[13]	[1]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	33.33	30.65	34.41	30.70	28.25	30.00	[39]	[1]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	31.4	24.2	33.9	28.0	28.6	26.9	[46]	[5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2631	146	13	431	49	31	227	377	517	138	449	10	243
Criminal*	443	69	24	29	2	23	94	**	26	110	5	21	40

* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.
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GUAM		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	221	227	206	262	243	195			
	Terminations	229	201	223	216	230	248			
	Pending	159	171	155	171	148	129			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	-2.7		7.3	-15.7	-9.1	13.3	[51] [34]	[10] [8]
Number of Judgeships		1	1	1	1	1	1			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.3			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	221	227	206	262	243	195	[92]	[14]
		Civil	71	82	114	130	88	76	[94]	[15]
		Criminal Felony	150	145	92	132	155	119	[6]	[3]
	Pending Cases		159	171	155	171	148	129	[93]	[14]
	Weighted Filings**		-	-	-	-	-	-	[-]	[-]
	95% Confidence	Upper	-	-	-	-	-	-		
		Lower	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Terminations		229	201	223	216	230	248	[91]	[14]	
Trials Completed		25	23	16	9	19	12	[45]	[6]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.9	4.8	7.3	4.9	4.3	3.8	[47]	[10]
		Civil**	6	8	6	5	7	9	[7]	[2]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		-	-	-	-	-	-	[-]	[-]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		5 7.2	12 16.4	6 7.1	2 2.0	3 4.3	7 10.3	[69]	[10]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	95.87	88.45	55.44	40.71	54.18	60.60	[94]	[15]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	53.3	50.2	33.3	10.9	37.9	44.1	[93]	[15]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	71	-	-	8	-	-	2	28	18	-	9	-	6
Criminal*	150	21	3	12	1	11	48	**	9	40	1	-	4

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NORTHERN MARIANAS

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30

OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS

	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Filings*	129	90	84	73	63	41
Terminations	93	80	83	51	57	41
Pending	106	65	57	57	39	34
Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . 43.3		53.6	76.7	104.8	214.6
		Over Earlier Years . . .				
Number of Judgeships	1	1	1	1	1	1
Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0

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ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP

FILINGS	Total	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
	Civil	84	65	54	55	47	26
Criminal Felony	45	25	30	18	16	15	
Pending Cases	106	65	57	57	39	34	
Weighted Filings**	-	-	-	-	-	-	
95% Confidence	Upper	-	-	-	-	-	
	Lower	-	-	-	-	-	
Terminations	93	80	83	51	57	41	
Trials Completed	4	6	2	3	6	5	

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MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)

From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
	Civil**	4	6	8	5	5	8
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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OTHER

Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	1	3	1	4	1	1	
	1.5	6.0	2.4	8.5	3.4	3.8	
Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	
Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	44.67	38.00	46.50	85.00	52.00	60.00
	Percent Not Selected or Challenged	34.3	28.1	39.8	66.5	59.6	38.3

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	84	-	-	-	1	1	13	24	13	-	28	-	4
Criminal*	45	1	-	-	-	-	29	**	-	-	-	-	15

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

COLORADO		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	3,245	3,312	3,652	3,693	3,348	3,148			
	Terminations	3,085	3,451	3,427	3,149	3,091	3,028			
	Pending	3,148	3,000	3,179	3,095	2,631	2,410			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . -2.0							[47] [4]	
		Over Earlier Years . . -11.2						[59] [3]		
	Number of Judgeships	7	7	7	7	7	7			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	5.9	.3	12.0	22.6	4.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	464	473	522	528	478	450	[36] [3]	
		Civil	408	417	451	469	435	398	[29] [2]	
		Criminal Felony	56	56	71	59	43	52	[43] [3]	
		Pending Cases	450	429	454	442	376	344	[26] [2]	
		Weighted Filings**	512	577	582	553	530	534	[24] [2]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	551	619	622	593	574	572		
		Lower	474	535	543	513	486	496		
		Terminations	441	493	490	450	442	433	[42] [3]	
		Trials Completed	32	36	33	35	37	40	[20] [3]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.3	5.7	5.3	5.0	5.1	5.1	[37] [6]
Civil**			8	8	8	7	7	7	[16] [3]	
		From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	20	21	16	19	16	15	[49] [6]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		262 9.3	209 7.6	182 6.2	116 4.2	90 3.7	113 5.2	[80] [5]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.7		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	33.97	35.15	26.81	26.82	26.95	29.40	[41] [5]	
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	45.9	50.4	34.4	35.4	34.5	31.7	[88] [8]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	2854	83	190	584	47	31	156	338	273	109	725	7	311
Criminal*	381	36	5	34	12	21	118	**	16	66	15	19	39

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

KANSAS		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,142	2,337	2,266	2,168	2,229	2,239		
	Terminations	2,251	2,282	2,292	2,215	2,113	2,352		
	Pending	1,858	1,972	1,912	1,962	2,056	1,930		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -8.4							[76] [6]
		Over Earlier Years. . . -5.5		-1.2	-3.9	-4.3		[76] [5]	
	Number of Judgeships	6	6	6	6	6	6		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	12.0	10.5	3.1	3.8	.0	1.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	357	390	378	361	372	373	[69] [5]
		Civil	302	339	335	316	323	331	[69] [5]
		Criminal Felony	55	51	43	45	49	42	[47] [4]
	Pending Cases	310	329	319	327	343	322	[70] [6]	
	Weighted Filings**	410	425	384	397	393	388	[58] [4]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	437	456	411	426	423	416	
		Lower	382	394	357	368	363	360	
	Terminations	375	380	382	369	352	392	[68] [5]	
	Trials Completed	30	31	37	37	37	35	[30] [6]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.2	7.9	8.4	7.8	7.1	5.9
Civil**			9	8	9	8	9	9	[36] [4]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		21	18	18	20	20	18	[59] [7]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	42	52	34	40	45	72		
		2.6	3.0	2.0	2.2	2.5	4.0	[29] [4]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	36.01	39.75	39.57	36.40	35.31	34.66	[49] [7]
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		43.1	45.1	44.8	32.0	31.1	36.8	[81] [7]	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1812	106	115	413	28	44	84	200	314	33	384	4	87
Criminal*	327	15	8	55	2	9	135	**	16	54	4	6	23

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NEW MEXICO		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,506	2,549	2,474	2,165	2,200	2,198			
	Terminations	2,418	2,640	2,313	1,999	2,059	2,368			
	Pending	2,310	2,172	2,258	2,136	2,148	2,059			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year Over Last Year		-1.7						<u>44</u>	<u>3</u>
	Over Earlier Years.			1.3	15.8	13.9	14.0	<u>33</u>	<u>1</u>	
	Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	3.6	10.9	.2	9.2			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	501	510	495	433	440	440	<u>25</u>	<u>1</u>
		Civil	338	364	368	313	312	322	<u>57</u>	<u>3</u>
		Criminal Felony	163	146	127	120	128	118	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>
	Pending Cases	462	434	452	427	430	412	<u>23</u>	<u>1</u>	
	Weighted Filings**	614	643	651	585	579	562	<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>	
	95% Confidence	Upper	669	698	701	633	633	614		
		Lower	559	588	601	536	524	511		
	Terminations	484	528	463	400	412	474	<u>32</u>	<u>2</u>	
	Trials Completed	47	48	45	38	39	55	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.9	7.2	7.3	6.5	5.5	6.2	<u>26</u>
Civil**			10	9	9	9	9	9	<u>54</u>	<u>6</u>
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		18	16	18	17	18	16	<u>33</u>	<u>5</u>	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		162	105	142	90	98	129		
			9.4	6.4	7.9	5.2	6.2	8.1	<u>82</u>	<u>6</u>
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5			
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	34.02	36.96	30.95	31.98	30.81	26.32	<u>42</u>	<u>6</u>
Percent Not Selected or Challenged		21.8	31.3	15.8	18.8	18.5	13.3	<u>17</u>	<u>1</u>	

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1692	228	65	257	32	23	38	150	281	18	478	-	122
Criminal*	810	302	4	36	4	8	305	**	6	37	38	24	46

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OKLAHOMA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,216	1,414	1,403	1,451	1,457	1,425		
	Terminations	1,298	1,310	1,494	1,481	1,403	1,315		
	Pending	1,121	1,202	1,102	1,215	1,294	1,213		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . -14.0							[86] [8]
		Over Earlier Years. . . -13.3			-16.2	-16.6	-14.7	[90] [6]	
Number of Judgeships		3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.67		
Vacant Judgeship Months**		12.0	11.9	.0	4.0	13.7	20.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	347	404	401	415	416	388	[70] [6]
		Civil	300	359	354	369	368	340	[70] [6]
		Criminal Felony	47	45	47	46	48	48	[59] [5]
	Pending Cases		320	343	315	347	370	331	[64] [5]
	Weighted Filings**		378	401	376	372	377	345	[68] [6]
	95% Confidence	Upper	403	430	402	397	403	368	
		Lower	352	372	351	347	351	323	
	Terminations		371	374	427	423	401	358	[69] [6]
	Trials Completed		32	31	30	35	39	43	[20] [3]
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.1	6.6	5.9	6.1	5.7	4.8
Civil**			11	9	9	9	9	9	[73] [8]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		15	13	16	18	16	8	[16] [4]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		21 2.1	26 2.3	27 2.7	25 2.3	30 2.6	34 3.0	[20] [3]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	31.93	33.15	34.25	33.70	26.42	28.90	[34] [4]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	34.9	33.2	40.8	35.0	27.4	35.0	[63] [5]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1049	134	77	168	23	33	52	187	98	15	173	1	88
Criminal*	158	2	9	23	3	10	23	**	13	41	7	6	21

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OKLAHOMA EASTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	740	831	748	683	842	1,042		
	Terminations	740	819	638	916	1,006	742		
	Pending	550	547	535	439	671	833		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . -11.0							[81] [7]
		Over Earlier Years. . . -1.1		8.3	-12.1	-29.0		[94] [8]	
	Number of Judgeships	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.33		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.7	4.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	493	554	499	455	561	783	[26] [2]
		Civil	452	510	461	413	525	748	[16] [1]
		Criminal Felony	41	44	38	42	36	35	[70] [6]
	Pending Cases	367	365	357	293	447	626	[51] [4]	
	Weighted Filings**	439	503	405	420	443	505	[52] [3]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	476	548	436	452	479	545	
		Lower	402	458	374	388	408	466	
	Terminations	493	546	425	611	671	558	[28] [1]	
	Trials Completed	45	51	37	43	27	22	[8] [2]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.1	4.6	5.0	4.5	4.0	3.7
Civil**			7	6	6	7	6	5	[11] [1]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		7	7	9	8	8	4	[1] [1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	3 .6	2 .4	18 3.6	21 5.3	32 5.0	7 .9	[7] [1]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.4	1.8	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	17.41	18.88	22.48	21.88	17.18	39.20	[1] [1]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	29.3	23.0	31.0	34.2	20.0	52.8	[35] [3]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE

Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	678	126	27	178	3	33	13	58	132	4	87	1	16
Criminal*	61	-	6	5	-	1	25	**	3	10	2	1	8

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OKLAHOMA WESTERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	2,215	2,372	2,494	2,330	2,464	2,610		
	Terminations	2,254	2,372	2,437	2,483	2,522	2,650		
	Pending	1,501	1,551	1,567	1,528	1,707	1,772		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . -6.6							[67] [5]
	Over Earlier Years . . -11.2							[91] [7]	
	Number of Judgeships	6	6	6	6	6	6		
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	369	395	416	388	411	435	[68] [4]
		Civil	332	362	385	361	379	396	[59] [4]
		Criminal Felony	37	33	31	27	32	39	[80] [8]
	Pending Cases	250	259	261	255	285	295	[79] [7]	
	Weighted Filings**	367	402	413	350	385	385	[70] [7]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	394	433	445	377	414	412	
		Lower	339	371	381	323	356	357	
	Terminations	376	395	406	414	420	442	[67] [4]	
	Trials Completed	28	30	23	26	27	22	[34] [7]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.0	5.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	3.4
Civil**			7	7	6	6	7	6	[11] [1]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		11	14	10	11	11	10	[4] [2]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	10 .7	17 1.2	20 1.4	27 1.9	22 1.4	21 1.2	[8] [2]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	30.95	31.37	26.41	24.04	26.44	31.20	[31] [3]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	38.9	43.6	35.4	32.1	33.2	42.8	[74] [6]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1992	108	67	491	13	168	65	274	264	31	388	3	120
Criminal*	219	7	5	28	6	7	69	**	6	56	6	6	23

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UTAH		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,651	1,517	1,420	1,544	1,498	1,561			
	Terminations	1,493	1,658	1,373	1,478	1,423	1,481			
	Pending	1,851	1,699	1,843	1,802	1,761	1,702			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	8.8						[11]	[1]
		Over Earlier Years. . .	16.3		6.9	10.2	5.8	[51]	[2]	
	Number of Judgeships	5	5	5	5	5	5			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	11.8	3.7	.0	9.2	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	330	303	284	309	300	312	[71]	[7]
		Civil	216	234	229	265	264	254	[85]	[7]
		Criminal Felony	114	69	55	44	36	58	[10]	[2]
	Pending Cases	370	340	369	360	352	340	[49]	[3]	
	Weighted Filings**	380	344	329	343	355	375	[66]	[5]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	415	369	355	373	382	399		
		Lower	346	319	304	313	328	351		
	Terminations	299	332	275	296	285	296	[78]	[7]	
	Trials Completed	14	14	20	15	16	26	[87]	[8]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.1	6.2	6.2	8.4	8.0	7.0	[13]
Civil**			10	12	11	12	10	11	[54]	[6]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		24	21	21	20	20	21	[74]	[8]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		163 11.1	131 9.0	121 7.5	107 6.6	117 7.4	109 7.4	[83]	[7]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	39.62	44.26	40.90	40.00	41.91	39.56	[69]	[8]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	25.1	33.5	23.3	25.4	24.5	23.8	[23]	[2]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1079	27	34	104	33	30	57	161	176	77	239	4	137
Criminal*	567	316	7	26	6	35	76	**	4	44	8	15	30

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WYOMING		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	521	488	527	468	462	541			
	Terminations	476	523	440	427	533	508			
	Pending	530	484	520	443	406	483			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	6.8						[20]	[2]
	Over Earlier Years. . .	-1.1		11.3	12.8	-3.7		[74]	[4]	
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	.0	8.7	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	174	163	176	156	154	180	[93]	[8]
		Civil	135	131	144	131	124	150	[92]	[8]
		Criminal Felony	39	32	32	25	30	30	[76]	[7]
	Pending Cases	177	161	173	148	135	161	[91]	[8]	
	Weighted Filings**	203	193	190	162	189	201	[91]	[8]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	217	207	204	173	204	215		
		Lower	188	178	176	150	175	188		
	Terminations	159	174	147	142	178	169	[93]	[8]	
	Trials Completed	31	19	29	22	22	13	[27]	[5]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.6	6.7	5.6	7.1	6.0	6.7	[19]
Civil**			9	7	8	8	7	8	[36]	[4]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		11	10	9	10	9	10	[4]	[2]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old	100 21.6	51 11.8	21 4.4	25 6.3	16 5.0	20 4.9	[93]	[8]	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4			
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	27.53	29.48	26.47	23.11	20.81	25.83	[14]	[2]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	31.9	28.9	21.0	10.9	9.9	12.6	[50]	[4]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	406	12	18	95	6	7	9	65	81	3	74	1	35
Criminal*	114	10	5	29	1	4	35	**	5	13	8	-	4

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ALABAMA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT	
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993		
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	6,969	5,268	12,529	7,162	8,983	6,933		
	Terminations	5,902	6,319	4,430	3,572	3,305	3,293		
	Pending	24,310	23,228	24,279	16,205	12,645	6,967		
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	32.3						[2] [1]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	-44.4			-2.7	-22.4	.5	[64] [7]
Number of Judgeships		7	7	7	8	8	8		
Vacant Judgeship Months**		24.0	24.0	10.6	12.0	12.0	12.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	996	753	1,790	895	1,123	867	[1] [1]
		Civil	956	711	1,747	860	1,086	834	[1] [1]
		Criminal Felony	40	42	43	35	37	33	[74] [9]
	Pending Cases		3,473	3,318	3,468	2,026	1,581	871	[1] [1]
	Weighted Filings**		559	594	809	457	426	461	[17] [5]
	95% Confidence	Upper	610	656	925	493	458	513	
		Lower	507	531	692	421	393	410	
	Terminations		843	903	633	447	413	412	[4] [1]
	Trials Completed		24	33	33	31	31	35	[50] [8]
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.6	4.5	3.7	3.0	3.7	3.2
Civil**			18	11	8	8	7	8	[93] [9]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		19	17	17	17	15	10	[39] [5]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		11,171 46.3	9,662 41.8	4,414 18.3	759 4.7	52 .4	92 1.3	[94] [9]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.6	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	44.13	34.50	36.74	30.12	33.03	26.00	[77] [8]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	49.8	36.2	41.4	27.1	37.7	28.5	[90] [9]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	6693	376	96	607	27	63	179	405	3801	28	924	4	183
Criminal*	265	-	13	31	3	26	78	**	30	42	5	8	29

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ALABAMA MIDDLE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,639	2,029	2,044	1,811	1,813	1,790			
	Terminations	1,654	1,951	1,830	1,833	1,928	1,844			
	Pending	1,569	1,593	1,526	1,314	1,383	1,531			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	-19.2						91	9
	Over Earlier Years	-19.8		-9.5	-9.6	-8.4		82	9	
Number of Judgeships		3	3	3	3	3	3			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	546	676	681	604	604	597	15	3
		Civil	502	624	643	563	555	536	11	3
		Criminal Felony	44	52	38	41	49	61	68	8
	Pending Cases		523	531	509	438	461	510	12	3
	Weighted Filings**		631	755	729	580	582	497	8	2
	95% Confidence	Upper	688	853	826	642	630	537		
		Lower	573	656	631	518	533	457		
	Terminations		551	650	610	611	643	615	14	3
Trials Completed		26	28	41	41	43	47	43	6	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.7	6.2	5.9	7.1	5.1	4.5	21	2
		Civil**	8	7	7	7	8	8	16	1
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		15	14	14	11	14	11	16	1
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		77 5.3	57 3.9	33 2.3	35 2.8	59 4.6	64 4.5	62	6
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.9	1.5	2.0	1.5	1.9	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	24.10	21.33	23.28	22.72	23.11	21.92	8	1
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	25.9	23.9	19.3	19.5	21.7	16.6	27	4

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1505	118	49	368	29	4	41	237	209	4	393	3	50
Criminal*	132	1	5	14	2	12	53	**	17	12	3	3	10

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

ALABAMA SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,545	1,483	1,496	1,354	1,296	1,371			
	Terminations	1,458	1,427	1,413	1,345	1,347	1,405			
	Pending	1,480	1,355	1,281	1,176	1,281	1,273			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. Over Earlier Years.	4.2		3.3	14.1	19.2	12.7	[24] [37]	[2] [5]
Number of Judgeships		3	3	3	3	3	3			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		12.0	11.3	.0	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	515	494	499	451	432	457	[19]	[4]
		Civil	448	417	425	373	366	367	[19]	[4]
		Criminal Felony	67	77	74	78	66	90	[31]	[4]
	Pending Cases		493	452	427	392	427	424	[17]	[5]
	Weighted Filings**		591	628	661	574	474	553	[11]	[3]
	95% Confidence	Upper	643	674	707	611	505	587		
		Lower	538	581	614	536	444	518		
	Terminations		486	476	471	448	449	468	[30]	[7]
Trials Completed		47	47	47	41	30	43	[5]	[1]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.5	7.0	7.3	6.3	6.2	5.4	[71]	[8]
		Civil**	8	8	7	9	8	9	[16]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		15	15	12	16	15	11	[16]	[1]
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		89 7.0	58 5.1	22 2.0	19 1.9	20 1.9	25 2.3	[67]	[7]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.7	1.8		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	38.40	34.69	34.90	41.13	35.88	31.52	[61]	[7]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	8.0	5.4	13.8	9.1	11.7	8.8	[3]	[1]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1344	172	71	304	20	7	29	204	250	2	211	2	72
Criminal*	195	-	4	23	1	8	100	**	9	19	1	11	19

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT -- JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

FLORIDA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,897	1,898	2,200	1,890	1,917	1,964			
	Terminations	1,995	1,922	1,938	1,948	1,949	1,754			
	Pending	1,811	1,886	1,939	1,687	1,838	1,886			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	- .1						<u>40</u>	<u>4</u>
	Over Earlier Years. . .	-13.8		.4	-1.1	-3.4		<u>73</u>	<u>8</u>	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4			
Vacant Judgeship Months**		8.7	2.0	2.2	.0	.0	.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	474	475	550	473	479	491	<u>33</u>	<u>7</u>
		Civil	402	405	495	416	408	422	<u>32</u>	<u>8</u>
		Criminal Felony	72	70	55	57	71	69	<u>26</u>	<u>3</u>
	Pending Cases		453	472	485	422	460	472	<u>24</u>	<u>7</u>
	Weighted Filings**		447	473	474	397	478	457	<u>49</u>	<u>9</u>
	95% Confidence	Upper	476	504	507	422	506	484		
		Lower	417	441	441	372	449	430		
	Terminations		499	481	485	487	487	439	<u>26</u>	<u>6</u>
Trials Completed		42	42	42	40	43	50	<u>11</u>	<u>2</u>	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.1	5.2	5.9	6.6	4.9	5.4	<u>32</u>	<u>4</u>
		Civil**	9	8	8	8	7	9	<u>36</u>	<u>4</u>
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		20	18	26	20	22	20	<u>49</u>	<u>6</u>
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		56 3.7	41 2.4	59 3.3	70 4.5	80 4.8	52 3.0	<u>46</u>	<u>4</u>
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	28.46	31.04	34.23	29.88	30.84	30.74	<u>17</u>	<u>3</u>
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	14.7	17.5	24.1	15.1	21.3	16.7	<u>11</u>	<u>3</u>

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1608	132	22	699	39	55	33	112	185	22	230	17	62
Criminal*	270	2	12	33	9	14	104	**	4	31	4	22	35

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FLORIDA MIDDLE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	7,679	8,194	6,840	6,337	5,774	7,043			
	Terminations	7,787	7,305	6,246	6,148	5,154	6,131			
	Pending	7,320	7,378	6,425	5,791	6,676	6,243			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-6.3						63	5
		Over Earlier Years. .	12.3	21.2	33.0	9.0		44	6	
	Number of Judgeships	11	11	11	11	11	11			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	1.0	12.0	9.0	.0	4.5	24.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	698	745	622	576	525	640	6	2
		Civil	585	648	543	504	458	556	6	2
		Criminal Felony	113	97	79	72	67	84	11	1
	Pending Cases	665	671	584	526	607	568	9	2	
	Weighted Filings**	757	812	684	623	575	729	6	1	
	95% Confidence	Upper	805	875	730	664	613	781		
		Lower	708	749	639	582	536	676		
	Terminations	708	664	568	559	469	557	7	2	
	Trials Completed	29	28	29	30	29	34	32	5	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.6	6.7	7.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	42
Civil**			10	10	9	10	9	9	54	7
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		18	18	18	18	18	14	33	4	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		251 4.0	315 4.9	605 10.6	147 2.8	293 4.8	335 5.9	49	5
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.5	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	29.08	29.24	29.79	40.97	43.31	46.52	20	4
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	29.6	31.3	26.9	42.8	47.6	45.1	36	5

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	6434	481	485	1768	88	34	285	567	628	164	1382	19	533
Criminal*	1227	113	17	64	17	31	450	**	61	344	5	44	81

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FLORIDA SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	8,148	8,708	7,799	6,753	6,234	5,795			
	Terminations	8,627	7,609	6,703	6,330	6,001	6,564			
	Pending	7,960	8,315	7,321	5,746	5,709	5,641			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	-6.4						[65]	[6]
		Over Earlier Years . . .	4.5	20.7	30.7	40.6		[7]	[1]	
	Number of Judgeships	16	16	16	16	16	16			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	18.1	20.7	17.0	24.0	32.5	46.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	509	544	487	422	390	362	[21]	[5]
		Civil	422	460	393	333	319	298	[27]	[6]
		Criminal Felony	87	84	94	89	71	64	[19]	[2]
	Pending Cases	498	520	458	359	357	353	[15]	[4]	
	Weighted Filings**	566	605	634	551	464	457	[15]	[4]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	608	646	673	585	495	489		
		Lower	524	564	595	516	434	425		
	Terminations	539	476	419	396	375	410	[17]	[4]	
	Trials Completed	32	30	36	39	40	40	[20]	[4]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.9	8.2	7.0	7.7	8.4	9.1	[47]
Civil**			9	8	8	8	8	8	[36]	[4]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		22	19	19	21	20	17	[64]	[7]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		201 3.4	195 2.9	155 2.8	234 5.1	308 6.8	404 8.9	[41]	[3]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.6	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.9		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	45.32	43.18	47.01	49.29	45.72	44.26	[80]	[9]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	33.9	31.0	33.8	39.2	38.6	32.9	[58]	[7]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	6754	166	681	1516	123	55	365	997	567	211	1310	11	752
Criminal*	1367	84	34	124	11	52	622	**	39	151	14	41	195

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GEORGIA NORTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	5,081	5,434	4,667	4,445	4,426	4,199			
	Terminations	4,926	4,711	4,494	4,609	4,288	4,406			
	Pending	4,549	4,452	3,728	3,539	3,924	3,847			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . .	-6.5						[66]	[7]
		Over Earlier Years.	8.9	14.3	14.8	21.0		[19]	[3]	
	Number of Judgeships	11	11	11	11	11	11			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	16.3	22.4	6.0	9.0	24.1	24.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	462	494	424	404	402	382	[38]	[8]
		Civil	417	443	380	359	362	337	[28]	[7]
		Criminal Felony	45	51	44	45	40	45	[65]	[7]
	Pending Cases	414	405	339	322	357	350	[30]	[8]	
	Weighted Filings**	530	570	493	441	430	455	[21]	[6]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	579	624	534	477	462	492		
		Lower	482	516	452	406	398	419		
	Terminations	448	428	409	419	390	401	[41]	[9]	
Trials Completed	24	31	32	32	35	35	[50]	[8]		
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.4	7.3	6.6	7.3	8.0	7.5	[54]	[7]
		Civil**	9	9	9	10	9	9	[36]	[4]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	23	23	21	22	23	23	[67]	[8]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		54 1.3	31 .8	37 1.1	43 1.3	161 4.6	118 3.5	[11]	[2]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.7	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.8	1.8		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	33.01	38.13	38.32	34.86	34.53	36.29	[37]	[5]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	43.0	39.8	39.7	33.0	30.9	31.0	[80]	[8]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	4587	261	205	1034	74	24	196	420	886	106	1092	6	283
Criminal*	476	61	12	46	10	25	123	**	19	98	13	28	41

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GEORGIA MIDDLE		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,498	1,806	1,580	1,580	1,420	1,226			
	Terminations	1,942	1,448	1,350	1,428	1,230	1,262			
	Pending	1,850	2,308	1,958	1,737	1,629	1,443			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year . . . -17.1							[90]	[8]
		Over Earlier Years.		-5.2	-5.2	5.5	22.2	[17]	[2]	
	Number of Judgeships	4	4	4	4	4	4			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	2.9	8.0	7.4	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	375	452	395	395	355	307	[63]	[9]
		Civil	312	394	349	349	308	263	[65]	[9]
		Criminal Felony	63	58	46	46	47	44	[36]	[5]
	Pending Cases	463	577	490	434	407	361	[22]	[6]	
	Weighted Filings**	490	576	420	380	343	328	[30]	[7]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	522	659	449	404	366	352		
		Lower	458	494	391	356	319	305		
	Terminations	486	362	338	357	308	316	[30]	[7]	
	Trials Completed	25	30	23	29	27	30	[45]	[7]	
	MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	9.8	9.9	10.5	9.9	10.9	10.4	[85]
Civil**			12	13	12	10	11	11	[83]	[8]
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		23	23	21	22	19	15	[67]	[8]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		129 8.0	125 6.0	108 6.0	93 5.8	76 5.4	87 7.1	[76]	[8]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		2.0	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	35.05	35.63	34.82	29.20	32.18	31.24	[45]	[6]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	31.9	36.3	36.0	34.9	38.0	33.8	[50]	[6]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1249	138	85	391	24	12	38	82	129	15	280	-	55
Criminal*	247	6	13	19	-	7	134	**	3	22	4	12	27

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GEORGIA SOUTHERN		TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30						NUMERICAL STANDING WITHIN U.S. CIRCUIT		
		1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993			
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*	1,424	1,389	1,352	1,345	1,207	1,224			
	Terminations	1,560	1,353	1,431	1,249	1,099	1,251			
	Pending	961	1,095	1,057	1,172	1,158	1,048			
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year.	2.5						[37]	[3]
		Over Earlier Years.		5.3	5.9	18.0	16.3	[28]	[4]	
	Number of Judgeships	3	3	3	3	3	3			
	Vacant Judgeship Months**	.0	.0	.0	1.0	12.0	12.0			
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	475	463	451	448	402	408	[31]	[6]
		Civil	425	416	415	403	361	359	[25]	[5]
		Criminal Felony	50	47	36	45	41	49	[53]	[6]
	Pending Cases	320	365	352	391	386	349	[64]	[9]	
	Weighted Filings**	449	519	435	481	390	484	[46]	[8]	
	95% Confidence	Upper	478	558	464	512	416	513		
		Lower	421	479	405	450	365	455		
	Terminations	520	451	477	416	366	417	[22]	[5]	
	Trials Completed	41	42	45	49	35	45	[12]	[3]	
MEDIAN TIMES (MONTHS)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.0	6.3	5.9	5.8	6.4	5.7	[31]	[3]
		Civil**	8	8	9	9	8	8	[16]	[1]
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)	15	16	20	15	15	15	[16]	[1]	
OTHER	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old		4 .5	3 .3	2 .2	1 .1	32 3.0	23 2.4	[5]	[1]
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.8	2.4	1.9	2.4	1.7	2.2		
	Jurors	Avg Present for Jury Selection	25.06	27.10	22.63	21.83	24.62	20.67	[9]	[2]
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	12.1	16.5	16.6	16.4	19.9	14.8	[6]	[2]

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1998 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	1275	83	47	448	28	4	39	93	265	11	199	1	57
Criminal*	148	5	9	25	1	6	42	**	14	25	4	5	12

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