

United States District Courts — National Judicial Caseload Profile

			12-Month Periods Ending					
			Mar 31 2018	Mar 31 2019	Mar 31 2020	Mar 31 2021	Mar 31 2022	Mar 31 2023
Overall Caseload Statistics	Filings ¹		379,581	398,224	447,581	543,733	402,409	374,943
	Terminations		383,069	410,091	410,024	343,223	353,187	433,442
	Pending		427,380	458,988	496,942	696,789	745,867	686,797
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year Over Earlier Year		-1.2	-5.8	-16.2	-31.0	-6.8	
	Number of Judgeships		677	677	677	677	677	677
	Vacant Judgeship Months ²		1,426.3	1,592.6	1,166.2	770.8	961.2	903.4
Actions per Judgeship	Filings	Total	561	588	661	803	594	554
		Civil	409	423	491	682	457	420
		Criminal Felony	111	125	130	91	99	95
		Supervised Release Hearings	41	41	40	30	39	39
	Pending Cases ²		631	678	734	1,029	1,102	1,014
	Weighted Filings ²		496	521	567	669	526	491
	Terminations		566	606	606	507	522	640
	Trials Completed		16	17	16	9	15	16
Median Times (Months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	7.4	6.9	6.7	9.2	10.4	11.0
		Civil ²	10.1	11.1	9.3	8.6	9.2	12.0
	From Filing to Trial ² (Civil Only)		26.3	27.5	28.6	26.1	32.6	35.0
Other	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old ²		52,820 15.6	60,064 16.5	54,632 13.7	63,671 10.8	79,679 12.5	127,714 21.9
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	50.5	52.9	51.7	48.6	50.5	51.4
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	36.6	38.5	39.2	38.2	40.7	41.4

2023 Civil Case and Criminal Felony Defendant Filings by Nature of Suit and Offense

Total Civil	284,220	Total Criminal ¹	64,106
A-Social Security	14,609	A-Marijuana	784
B-Personal Injury/Product Liability	60,973	B-All Other Drugs	17,772
C-Prisoner Petitions	48,790	C-Immigration	20,076
D-Forfeitures and Penalties	870	D-Firearms and Explosives	10,559
E-Real Property	4,135	E-Fraud	5,423
F-Labor Suits	13,387	F-Violent Offenses	2,387
G-Contracts	31,309	G-Sex Offenses	3,048
H-Torts (other than Personal Injury/Product Liability)	22,641	H-Forgery and Counterfeiting	126
Intellectual Property Rights	13,433	I-Larceny and Theft	830
J-Civil Rights	38,746	J-Justice System Offenses	695
K-Antitrust	365	K-Regulatory Offenses	760
L-All Other Civil	34,962	L-All Other Criminal	1,646

NOTE: Criminal data in this profile count defendants rather than cases and therefore will not match previously published numbers.

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			Mar 31 2018	Mar 31 2019	Mar 31 2020	Mar 31 2021	Mar 31 2022	Mar 31 2023		
Overall Caseload Statistics	Filings ¹		12,299	15,252	15,952	11,553	12,469	13,732	U.S.	Circuit
	Terminations		11,960	14,117	15,723	10,593	11,325	12,899		
	Pending		6,962	7,989	8,169	9,066	10,139	10,845	20	5
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year Over Earlier Year		11.7	-10.0	-13.9	18.9	10.1			
Number of Judgeships			13	13	13	13	13	13		
Vacant Judgeship Months ²			24.3	17.2	4.0	1.1	10.7	15.9		
Actions per Judgeship	Filings	Total	946	1,173	1,227	889	959	1,056	3	1
		Civil	273	289	329	345	349	368	33	6
		Criminal Felony	558	774	783	462	506	592	1	1
		Supervised Release Hearings	114	110	115	82	104	96	7	1
	Pending Cases ²		536	615	628	697	780	834	15	3
	Weighted Filings ²		707	789	872	818	841	848	4	2
	Terminations		920	1,086	1,209	815	871	992	3	1
	Trials Completed		20	21	27	14	28	25	18	4
	Median Time (Months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	5.0	4.2	4.3	5.0	5.7	6.3	5
Civil ²			7.7	8.6	6.0	7.0	8.5	7.6	19	1
From Filing to Trial ² (Civil Only)		18.7	25.7	24.3	19.1	27.2	28.2	14	4	
Other	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old ²		81 3.0	109 3.6	156 4.7	180 4.8	216 5.4	275 7.0	32	5
	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	52.4	64.6	52.0	53.4	51.2	48.4		
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	42.5	40.6	41.7	43.7	45.4	45.8		

2023 Civil Case and Criminal Felony Defendant Filings by Nature of Suit and Offense													
Type of	Total	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	4,789	112	30	973	15	150	222	572	373	1,052	536	3	751
Criminal ¹	7,695	86	812	5,862	344	303	68	84	1	12	28	66	29

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