

U.S. Court of Appeals Summary -- 12 -Month Period Ending June 30, 2024

			DC	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH	8TH	9TH	10TH	11TH	
Overall Caseload Statistics	A p p e a l s	Total		1,159	1,186	3,671	2,334	3,398	5,396	3,307	2,388	2,597	8,117	1,814	4,483
		Prisoner		64	129	545	548	955	1,042	689	789	612	1,522	446	1,185
		Other		491	640	1,733	1,174	1,209	1,970	1,455	983	819	3,233	790	1,904
		Criminal		210	293	637	452	1,029	2,046	967	548	1,021	961	472	1,193
		Administrative		394	124	756	160	205	338	196	68	145	2,401	106	201
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	14.5	11.9	-6.2	-8.9	-10.1	-6.0	-2.9	-6.5	-9.6	4.1	4.4	4.8
			Over 2019	20.1	-11.4	-10.2	-20.4	-24.0	-24.7	-21.1	-9.9	-6.2	-19.9	6.6	-16.6
	A p p e a l s	Total		934	1,030	3,484	2,413	3,699	5,571	3,289	2,443	2,747	8,230	1,823	4,511
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals ²		140	51	189	107	167	524	128	87	102	193	26	111
		Procedural		356	309	1,425	842	1,072	1,930	1,109	1,150	765	3,137	624	1,998
		On The Merits	Total	438	670	1,870	1,464	2,460	3,117	2,052	1,206	1,880	4,900	1,173	2,402
			Prisoner	26	89	278	398	609	437	448	280	489	1,089	260	555
			Other	280	339	922	671	843	1,073	821	557	593	1,969	515	1,082
			Criminal	53	184	377	287	824	1,419	632	328	729	640	321	670
			Administrative	79	58	293	108	184	188	151	41	69	1,202	77	95
			Percent by Active Judges	89.3	57.6	60.4	78.4	79.8	82.6	71.1	90.2	96.8	62.1	80.8	87.1
Pending Appeals			1,621	1,538	3,875	1,887	2,613	3,366	2,637	1,876	1,655	6,978	1,136	3,267	
Actions per Active Judge ¹	Termination on the Merits		136	245	282	284	454	532	276	296	523	329	259	503	
	Procedural Terminations		23	6	32	47	49	75	30	43	56	46	36	19	
	Written Decisions	Total	36	74	127	91	141	142	94	99	164	109	89	163	
		Signed	12	22	125	61	34	22	48	29	33	8	67	16	
		Unsigned	25	49	2	24	107	120	46	70	46	101	22	141	
		Without Comment	-	3	-	6	-	1	-	-	85	-	-	6	

¹ Includes only judges active during the entire 12-month period.

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Actions per Panel ¹	A p p e a l s	F i l e d	Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	11 / 3.7	6 / 2.0	13 / 4.3	14 / 4.7	15 / 5.0	17 / 5.7	16 / 5.3	11 / 3.7	11 / 3.7	29 / 9.7	12 / 4.0	12 / 4.0	
			Number of Sitting Senior Judges	6	5	15	10	4	8	12	3	3	22	7	10	
			Number of Vacant Judgeship Months ²	0.0	10.6	0.0	12.0	8.6	5.1	0.6	7.0	0.0	4.4	5.3	0.0	
			Total	316	593	847	500	680	952	620	651	708	840	454	1,121	
			Prisoner	17	65	126	117	191	184	129	215	167	157	112	296	
	A p p e a l s	T e r m i n a t e d	All Other Civil	134	320	400	252	242	348	273	268	223	334	198	476	
			Criminal	57	147	147	97	206	361	181	149	278	99	118	298	
			Administrative	107	62	174	34	41	60	37	19	40	248	27	50	
			Total	255	515	804	517	740	983	617	666	749	851	456	1,128	
			Consolidations & Cross Appeals ³	38	26	44	23	33	92	24	24	28	20	7	28	
			Procedural	97	155	329	180	214	341	208	314	209	325	156	500	
			On The Merits	Total	119	335	432	314	492	550	385	329	513	507	293	601
				Prisoner	7	45	64	85	122	77	84	76	133	113	65	139
				Other	76	170	213	144	169	189	154	152	162	204	129	271
				Criminal	14	92	87	62	165	250	119	89	199	66	80	168
				Administrative	22	29	68	23	37	33	28	11	19	124	19	24
			Pending Appeals			442	769	894	404	523	594	494	512	451	722	284
Median Time	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition		12.0	13.2	13.4	8.8	8.8	7.8	8.7	9.6	5.0	13.0	9.3	9.8		
Other Caseload per Judgeship	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals		-	1	4	2	2	1	1	2	1	3	1	2		
	Petitions for Rehearing		18	37	31	59	55	35	37	21	79	44	32	64		

¹ See "Explanation of the Judicial Caseload Profiles."

² See "Explanation of Selected Terms."

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