U.S. Court of Appeals - Judicial Caseload Profile

NINTH CIRCUIT

				12-Month Periods Ending					
				Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016
Overall Caseload Statistics	Appeals Filed	Total		11,947	12,793	12,669	12,238	11,973	11,531
		Prisoner		3,558	3,417	3,046	2,871	2,724	2,573
		Other		3,765	4,006	4,028	4,106	4,072	4,200
		Criminal		1,592	1,728	1,623	1,654	1,513	1,455
		Administrative		3,032	3,642	3,972	3,607	3,664	3,303
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year		-3.5	-9.9	-9.0	-5.8	-3.7	
	Appeals Terminated	Total		13,322	12,656	12,879	12,353	12,231	11,888
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals [2]		519	479	370	332	358	371
		Procedural		5,973	4,777	4,936	4,873	5,134	4,955
		On the Merits	Total	6,830	7,400	7,573	7,148	6,739	6,562
			Prisoner	1,136	2,748	2,818	2,219	2,124	1,864
			Other	2,097	2,082	1,993	2,087	2,312	2,256
			Criminal	1,174	1,200	1,169	1,240	1,044	966
			Administrative	2,423	1,370	1,593	1,602	1,259	1,476
			Percent by Active Judges	63.5	69.0	70.7	68.3	68.0	71.8
	Pending Appeals			13,870	14,191	14,079	13,994	13,760	13,368
Actions per Active Judge [1]	Terminations on the Merits			529	614	566	543	475	493
	Procedural Terminations			205	131	93	85	82	74
	Written Decisions	Total		168	196	190	167	146	153
		Signed		18	17	13	15	12	13
		Unsigned		120	80	85	82	70	108
		Without Comment		30	99	92	71	64	32

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				Jun 30 2011	Jun 30 2012	Jun 30 2013	Jun 30 2014	Jun 30 2015	Jun 30 2016	2016 Numerical Standing
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels		29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	29 / 9.7	
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges		20	18	17	16	16	16	
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months [2]		41.7	41.0	15.0	18.8	0.0	6.6	
Actions per Panel [1]	Appeals Filed	Total		1,236	1,323	1,311	1,266	1,239	1,193	4
		Prisoner		368	353	315	297	282	266	4
		Other		389	414	417	425	421	434	9
		Criminal		165	179	168	171	157	151	8
		Administrative		314	377	411	373	379	342	1
	Appeals Terminated	Total		1,378	1,309	1,332	1,278	1,265	1,230	3
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals [3]		54	50	38	34	37	38	8
		Procedural		618	494	511	504	531	513	2
		On the Merits	Total	707	766	783	739	697	679	4
			Prisoner	118	284	292	230	220	193	3
			Other	217	215	206	216	239	233	7
			Criminal	121	124	121	128	108	100	8
			Administrative	251	142	165	166	130	153	1
	Pending Appeals			1,435	1,468	1,456	1,448	1,423	1,383	1
Median Time		Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition		18.5	15.5	13.8	12.8	12.8	15.4	12
Other Caseload per Judgeship		Applications for Interlocutory Appeals [2]		4	4	4	4	6	4	3
		Petitions for Rehearing		75	58	55	58	63	55	6

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U.S. Court of Appeals Summary -- 12 -Month Period Ending June 30, 2016

				DC	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH	8TH	9TH	10TH	11TH
Overall Caseload Statistics	Appeals Filed	Total		1,246	1,708	4,579	3,623	6,294	8,675	5,159	3,452	3,657	11,531	2,332	7,843
		Prisoner		104	164	747	892	1,459	2,012	1,335	942	895	2,573	499	1,823
		Other		541	812	2,414	2,041	3,362	3,196	2,508	1,803	1,693	4,200	1,272	4,256
		Criminal		63	618	645	433	1,250	3,004	1,040	581	914	1,455	478	1,464
		Administrative		538	114	773	257	223	463	276	126	155	3,303	83	300
		Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year	11.5	16.2	-3.7	5.8	35.5	16.9	14.2	21.5	29.1	-3.7	23.2	27.7
			Over 2011	4.8	12.7	-17.1	-2.8	36.5	15.1	6.1	14.9	27.4	-3.5	0.2	25.6
	Appeals Terminated	Total		1,129	1,554	4,743	3,353	5,898	7,745	4,634	3,180	3,063	11,888	2,155	6,902
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals [2]		222	85	370	77	321	654	181	152	120	371	41	293
		Procedural		357	522	1,735	1,024	1,053	2,709	1,385	1,134	558	4,955	628	2,443
		On The Merits	Total	550	947	2,638	2,252	4,524	4,382	3,068	1,894	2,385	6,562	1,486	4,166
			Prisoner	37	114	435	818	1,074	852	872	345	644	1,864	327	964
			Other	348	412	1,221	925	2,355	1,481	1,238	1,129	990	2,256	756	2,128
			Criminal	44	322	498	323	924	1,860	760	338	661	966	340	935
			Administrative	121	99	484	186	171	189	198	82	90	1,476	63	139
			Percent by Active Judges	78.9	74.2	72.3	71.8	89.4	83.4	68.4	77.0	76.0	71.8	86.0	90.0
	Pending Appeals			1,506	1,485	3,354	3,004	2,631	5,713	3,670	2,006	2,132	13,368	1,327	4,572
Actions per Active Judge [1]	Termination on the Merits			166	370	486	382	863	772	398	499	571	493	327	970
	Procedural Terminations			23	68	74	50	49	128	58	52	56	74	44	204
	Written Decisions	Total		37	114	190	145	278	239	143	164	183	153	111	340
		Signed		16	37	187	100	37	26	45	55	43	13	86	15
		Unsigned		21	75	2	36	242	213	98	109	38	108	24	316
		Without Comment		-	2	-	9	-	-	-	-	102	32	-	10

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				DC	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH	8TH	9TH	10TH	11TH
			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	3	10	10	2	6	8	4	6	16	7	7
			Number of Vacant Judgeship Months [2]	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.3	0.0	24.0	12.0	24.0	12.0	6.6	0.0	12.0
Actions per Panel [1]	Appeals Filed		Total	340	854	1,057	776	1,259	1,531	967	941	997	1,193	583	1,961
			Prisoner	28	82	172	191	292	355	250	257	244	266	125	456
			All Other Civil	148	406	557	437	672	564	470	492	462	434	318	1,064
			Criminal	17	309	149	93	250	530	195	158	249	151	120	366
			Administrative	147	57	178	55	45	82	52	34	42	342	21	75
	Appeals Terminated		Total	308	777	1,095	719	1,180	1,367	869	867	835	1,230	539	1,726
			Consolidations & Cross Appeals [3]	61	43	85	17	64	115	34	41	33	38	10	73
			Procedural	97	261	400	219	211	478	260	309	152	513	157	611
		On The Merits	Total	150	474	609	483	905	773	575	517	650	679	372	1,042
			Prisoner	10	57	100	175	215	150	164	94	176	193	82	241
			Other	95	206	282	198	471	261	232	308	270	233	189	532
			Criminal	12	161	115	69	185	328	143	92	180	100	85	234
			Administrative	33	50	112	40	34	33	37	22	25	153	16	35
	Pending Appeals			411	743	774	644	526	1,008	688	547	581	1,383	332	1,143
Median Time			Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal to Disposition	13.3	11.5	11.1	7.4	4.4	9.2	8.5	6.7	5.0	15.4	7.0	6.1
Other Caseload per Judgeship			Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	-	1	6	3	1	6	1	2	2	4	1	3
			Petitions for Rehearing	30	47	28	105	86	26	62	27	97	55	39	64

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