

U.S. District Court — Judicial Caseload Profile

ARIZONA

ARIZONA			12-Month Periods Ending						Numerical Standing Within			
			Sep 30 2015	Sep 30 2016	Sep 30 2017	Sep 30 2018	Sep 30 2019	Sep 30 2020				
Overall Caseload Statistics	Filings ¹		9,756	11,627	11,641	12,075	15,301	8,614	U.S.	Circuit		
	Terminations		9,529	9,872	10,373	9,405	11,744	15,560				
	Pending		5,533	7,107	8,263	10,832	14,205	7,120				
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year Over Earlier Year		-11.7	-25.9	-26.0	-28.7	-43.7					
Number of Judgeships			13	13	13	13	13	13	92	14		
Vacant Judgeship Months ²			0.0	3.8	24.0	31.8	29.1	19.6				
Actions per Judgeship	Filings	Total	750	894	895	929	1,177	663			16	4
		Civil	285	408	434	428	635	268			61	9
		Criminal Felony	359	372	341	386	420	292	5	2		
		Supervised Release Hearings	107	114	120	115	122	103	5	2		
	Pending Cases ²		426	547	636	833	1,093	548	39	6		
	Weighted Filings ²		588	707	678	685	800	415	43	9		
	Terminations		733	759	798	723	903	1,197	3	1		
	Trials Completed		14	14	16	13	11	9	60	6		
	Median Time (Months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	4.9	5.1	5.3	5.0	4.8	4.1	2	1	
Civil ²			7.6	6.3	7.3	7.5	9.6	12.2	84	15		
From Filing to Trial ² (Civil Only)		31.7	33.5	32.6	30.9	36.4	32.6	27	3			
Other	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old ²		88 2.9	99 2.3	105 1.8	184 2.4	899 8.1	909 18.8	83	12		
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0				
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	57.4	53.8	53.0	57.1	55.0	57.0				
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	32.2	27.9	28.4	29.8	28.4	30.6				

2020 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	3,490	349	102	1,436	8	33	179	315	175	86	378	2	427
Criminal ¹	3,789	75	346	3,071	54	26	104	60	1	5	12	17	18

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

¹ Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings by "Nature of Offense" do not.

² See "Explanation of Selected Terms."