U.S. District Court — Judicial Caseload Profile

WASHINGTON WESTERN

			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	U.S.	Circuit
Overall Caseload Statistics	Filings [1]		3,872	3,886	3,818	3,873	3,854	3,788		
	Terminations		3,906	3,839	3,782	3,696	3,747	3,331		
	Pending		2,751	2,787	2,797	2,972	3,040	3,465		
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year Over Earlier Year		-2.2	-2.5	-0.8	-2.2	-1.7		29	6
	Number of Judgeships		7	7	7	7	7	7		
	Vacant Judgeship Months [2]		0.0	19.0	36.0	36.0	43.0	57.0		
Actions per Judgeship	**Filings**	Total	553	555	545	553	551	541	23	6
		Civil	441	450	433	439	458	459	17	4
		Criminal Felony	67	56	60	68	50	54	65	9
		Supervised Release Hearings	45	50	53	46	42	28	50	12
	Pending Cases [2]		393	398	400	425	434	495	49	9
	Weighted Filings [2]		481	468	473	479	462	470	28	6
	Terminations		558	548	540	528	535	476	38	9
	Trials Completed		16	20	16	14	13	8	68	7
Median Time (Months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	8.4	8.6	8.3	8.6	9.1	10.8	48	7
		Civil [2]	6.6	6.5	6.7	6.9	7.6	7.2	20	4
	From Filing to Trial [2] (Civil Only)		18.6	19.6	19.2	18.7	19.7	18.1	6	1
Other	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old [2]		70 3.3	67 3.0	71 3.2	86 3.7	68 2.8	96 3.5	12	1
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.6		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	32.6	46.3	40.2	38.0	36.3	39.6		
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	27.0	37.8	36.1	31.4	28.3	25.6		

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	3,216	847	96	514	-	50	171	476	257	107	351	2	345
Criminal [1]	376	-	166	20	50	50	17	36	1	6	-	6	24

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."