

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NATIONAL TOTALS		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	66,618	68,473	62,762	60,847	57,555	57,464	
	Prisoner	16,776	17,034	16,561	17,691	18,272	18,343	
	Other**	21,494	21,666	21,440	21,200	21,925	24,540	
	Criminal	15,246	16,060	12,506	11,968	11,569	11,281	
	Administrative	13,102	13,713	12,255	9,988	5,789	3,300	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-2.7					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		6.1	9.5	15.7	15.9		
O V E R A L L C A S E L O A D S T A T I S T I C S	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	67,582	61,975	56,381	56,396	56,586	57,422
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	2,356	2,317	2,108	2,108	2,721	2,797
	Procedural	30,646	29,745	26,835	27,279	26,107	25,785	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	34,580	29,913	27,438	27,009	27,758	28,840
		Prisoner	4,277	4,435	4,520	5,259	5,341	5,287
		Other	12,881	12,443	11,402	11,807	13,065	14,363
		Criminal	10,990	8,614	7,559	8,078	7,978	7,873
		Administrative	6,432	4,421	3,957	1,865	1,374	1,317
		Percent by Active Judges	77.8	77.4	78.0	78.0	77.1	79.0
	PENDING APPEALS		56,486	57,724	51,071	44,600	40,965	40,303
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E *	Terminations on the Merits		539	457	432	459	485	498
	Procedural Terminations		172	170	167	185	191	176
	Written Decisions	Total	183	154	144	154	165	168
		Signed	64	52	47	51	51	54
		Unsigned	113	97	93	98	106	106
Without Comment		6	5	4	5	8	8	

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NATIONAL TOTALS		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30							
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001		
	Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	167/55.7	167/55.7	167/55.7	167/55.7	167/55.7	167/55.7		
	Number of Sitting Senior Judges	89	90	88	92	90	87		
	Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**	178.7	165.6	188.9	282.7	355.7	331.0		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	1,197	1,230	1,127	1,093	1,034	1,032	
		Prisoner	301	306	298	318	328	330	
		Other	387	389	384	381	394	440	
		Criminal	274	289	225	215	208	203	
		Administrative	235	246	220	179	104	59	
	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,214	1,113	1,013	1,013	1,017	1,032	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	42	42	38	38	49	51	
		Procedural	551	534	482	490	469	463	
		O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	621	537	493	485	499	518
			Prisoner	77	80	81	94	96	95
			Other	231	223	205	212	235	258
			Criminal	197	155	136	145	143	141
	Administrative		116	79	71	34	25	24	
	PENDING APPEALS		1,015	1,037	917	801	736	724	
	MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	12.2	11.8	10.5	10.5	10.7	10.9	
	OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	2	1	2	2	1	2	
		Petitions for Rehearing	54	51	51	39	58	54	

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

A P P E A L S	Total	1,281	1,379	1,390	1,121	1,126	1,401	
	Prisoner	166	210	145	156	174	191	
	Other**	534	527	609	453	463	575	
	Criminal	161	174	162	121	89	92	
	Administrative	420	468	474	391	400	543	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-7.1					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		-7.9	14.3	13.8	-8.6		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,195	1,158	1,155	1,182	1,303	1,391	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	154	149	156	119	203	199	
	Procedural	457	491	507	549	566	603	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	584	518	492	514	534	589
		Prisoner	74	55	63	55	76	85
		Other	338	307	234	271	276	318
		Criminal	59	50	58	52	43	56
		Administrative	113	106	137	136	139	130
		Percent by Active Judges	90.1	96.4	94.2	93.3	90.1	98.5
	PENDING APPEALS		1,549	1,463	1,266	1,031	1,092	1,270
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	173	170	156	178	180	195	
	Procedural Terminations	43	43	42	53	51	54	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	58	60	54	61	62	65
		Signed	20	23	24	25	23	22
		Unsigned	38	37	30	36	39	43
Without Comment		-	-	-	-	-	-	

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING	
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001		
Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels		12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0		
Number of Sitting Senior Judges		3	2	2	2	2	1		
Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**		30.6	28.6	36.0	44.0	48.0	35.0		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	320	345	348	280	282	350	[12]
		Prisoner	42	53	36	39	44	48	[12]
		Other	133	131	152	113	116	143	[12]
		Criminal	40	44	41	30	22	23	[12]
		Administrative	105	117	119	98	100	136	[7]
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	299	290	289	296	326	348	[12]
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	39	37	39	30	50	50	[9]
		Procedural	114	123	127	137	142	151	[12]
	ON THE MERITS	Total	146	130	123	129	134	147	[12]
		Prisoner	19	14	16	14	19	21	[12]
		Other	84	76	58	68	69	79	[12]
		Criminal	15	13	15	13	11	14	[12]
Administrative		28	27	34	34	35	33	[11]	
PENDING APPEALS		387	366	317	258	273	318	[12]	
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	11.3	11.2	10.5	12.0	9.7	7.6	[5]	
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	-	1	1	1	1	1	[12]	
	Petitions for Rehearing	24	24	21	20	29	34	[12]	

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

FIRST CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	1,852	1,912	1,723	1,844	1,667	1,762	
	Prisoner	254	313	272	241	270	340	
	Other**	697	720	721	778	712	728	
	Criminal	662	619	566	672	603	631	
	Administrative	239	260	164	153	82	63	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . . -3.1	Over Earlier Years. . .	7.5	0.4	11.1	5.1	
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	2,027	1,888	1,643	1,573	1,758	1,515	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	120	118	90	85	139	105	
	Procedural	774	784	870	912	974	476	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	1,133	986	683	576	645	934
		Prisoner	74	74	56	68	95	183
		Other	452	437	388	355	333	464
		Criminal	453	356	173	122	196	236
		Administrative	154	119	66	31	21	51
		Percent by Active Judges	79.0	82.5	76.5	72.8	66.1	73.4
	PENDING APPEALS		1,488	1,643	1,601	1,522	1,424	1,513
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	448	408	262	210	251	378	
	Procedural Terminations	120	120	161	147	179	4	
	Written Decisions	Total	165	145	91	70	97	154
		Signed	54	52	47	42	47	51
		Unsigned	111	93	44	28	50	103
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

FIRST CIRCUIT		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING		
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	6/2.0	6/2.0	6/2.0	6/2.0	6/2.0			
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	4	4	4	5	5			
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.1	5.5		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	926	956	862	922	834	881	[9]	
		Prisoner	127	157	136	121	135	170	[11]	
		Other	348	359	361	388	356	363	[7]	
		Criminal	331	310	283	336	302	316	[3]	
		Administrative	120	130	82	77	41	32	[6]	
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,014	944	822	787	879	758	[7]	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	60	59	45	43	69	53	[3]	
		Procedural	387	392	435	456	487	238	[8]	
		ON THE MERITS	Total	567	493	342	288	323	467	[7]
			Prisoner	37	37	28	34	48	92	[11]
			Other	226	218	194	177	166	231	[7]
			Criminal	227	178	87	61	98	118	[4]
Administrative	77		60	33	16	11	26	[5]		
PENDING APPEALS		744	822	801	761	712	757	[7]		
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	12.0	13.2	11.2	10.8	10.7	10.5	[8]		
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	1	-	-	1	-	-	[8]		
	Petitions for Rehearing	52	48	27	18	22	21	[6]		

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

SECOND CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	7,029	7,035	7,008	6,359	4,870	4,519	
	Prisoner	1,030	1,168	1,297	1,307	1,264	1,226	
	Other**	2,145	2,246	2,103	2,049	2,204	2,313	
	Criminal	1,102	995	861	837	799	718	
	Administrative	2,752	2,626	2,747	2,166	603	262	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-0.1					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		0.3	10.5	44.3	55.5		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	8,969	6,501	4,611	4,262	4,206	4,175	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	418	334	253	203	236	261	
	Procedural	4,757	4,046	2,581	2,125	2,019	1,878	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	3,794	2,121	1,777	1,934	1,951	2,036
		Prisoner	203	305	249	259	298	418
		Other	1,109	1,057	962	1,075	1,141	1,130
		Criminal	471	402	467	464	438	422
		Administrative	2,011	357	99	136	74	66
		Percent by Active Judges	70.2	62.5	60.4	63.2	65.6	67.4
	PENDING APPEALS		7,674	9,965	9,240	6,767	4,619	3,941
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	613	305	260	304	303	343	
	Procedural Terminations	123	135	111	105	85	88	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	258	142	123	155	145	154
		Signed	253	137	119	152	141	147
		Unsigned	5	5	4	3	4	7
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

SECOND CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	

**2006
NUMERICAL
STANDING**

Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	13/4.3	13/4.3	13/4.3	13/4.3	13/4.3	13/4.3	
Number of Sitting Senior Judges	10	11	11	11	11	9	
Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**	0.0	0.0	8.8	10.3	0.6	12.0	

**ACTIONS
PER
PANEL***

A P P E A L S	Total	1,622	1,623	1,617	1,467	1,124	1,043	[3]	
	Prisoner	238	270	299	302	292	283	[9]	
	Other	495	517	485	472	509	534	[2]	
	Criminal	254	230	199	193	184	166	[6]	
	Administrative	635	606	634	500	139	60	[2]	
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	2,070	1,500	1,064	984	971	963	[1]	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	96	77	58	48	55	60	[1]	
	Procedural	1,098	934	596	490	466	433	[1]	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	876	489	410	446	450	470	[2]
		Prisoner	47	70	57	60	69	96	[10]
		Other	256	244	222	248	263	262	[3]
		Criminal	109	93	108	107	101	97	[11]
Administrative		464	82	23	31	17	15	[1]	
PENDING APPEALS		1,771	2,300	2,132	1,562	1,066	909	[2]	
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	11.7	13.0	11.0	11.2	10.9	9.1	[6]	
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	3	2	2	1	1	2	[2]	
	Petitions for Rehearing	47	34	31	26	37	36	[8]	

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

THIRD CIRCUIT

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30					
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	4,503	4,498	3,871	3,957	3,643	3,860	
	Prisoner	1,244	1,244	1,057	1,131	1,118	1,095	
	Other**	1,600	1,601	1,617	1,726	1,641	1,984	
	Criminal	849	889	611	548	610	603	
	Administrative	810	764	586	552	274	178	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	0.1					
	Over Earlier Years. . .	16.3	13.8	23.6	16.7			
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	4,157	4,268	3,787	3,801	3,784	3,594	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	27	39	45	83	71	281	
	Procedural	1,825	1,900	1,695	1,803	1,748	1,606	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	2,305	2,329	2,047	1,915	1,965	1,707
		Prisoner	374	419	412	412	373	275
		Other	921	1,081	969	923	1,061	995
		Criminal	529	486	377	454	453	372
		Administrative	481	343	289	126	78	65
		Percent by Active Judges	69.1	79.9	76.9	72.9	73.2	76.4
	PENDING APPEALS		3,837	3,480	3,332	3,245	3,075	3,199
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	427	402	379	368	381	327	
	Procedural Terminations	170	169	155	200	180	152	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	152	129	132	135	145	116
		Signed	105	82	82	80	92	78
		Unsigned	40	43	47	51	49	32
Without Comment		7	4	3	4	4	6	

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

THIRD CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30

**2006
NUMERICAL
STANDING**

		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001		
Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels		14/4.7	14/4.7	14/4.7	14/4.7	14/4.7	14/4.7		
Number of Sitting Senior Judges		10	9	8	8	7	7		
Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**		30.0	10.2	9.9	25.3	28.7	24.0		
A P P E A L S	Total	965	964	830	848	781	827	[8]	
	Prisoner	267	267	227	242	240	235	[6]	
	Other	342	342	346	371	351	425	[8]	
	Criminal	182	191	131	117	131	129	[10]	
	Administrative	174	164	126	118	59	38	[4]	
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	891	915	812	815	811	770	[10]	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	6	9	10	19	15	60	[12]	
	Procedural	391	407	363	386	375	344	[7]	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	494	499	439	410	421	366	[9]
		Prisoner	80	90	88	88	80	59	[8]
		Other	198	231	208	198	227	213	[10]
		Criminal	113	104	81	97	97	80	[10]
Administrative		103	74	62	27	17	14	[3]	
PENDING APPEALS		822	746	714	695	659	686	[6]	
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	12.9	11.7	11.6	11.6	12.2	11.5	[10]	
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	1	2	2	4	2	2	[8]	
	Petitions for Rehearing	51	54	52	35	44	32	[7]	

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

FOURTH CIRCUIT

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30					
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

A P P E A L S	Total	5,460	5,307	4,957	4,887	4,658	5,303	
	Prisoner	2,098	1,926	2,005	1,980	1,826	2,083	
	Other**	1,623	1,537	1,483	1,495	1,564	2,012	
	Criminal	1,333	1,411	1,026	1,033	1,056	1,046	
	Administrative	406	433	443	379	212	162	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	2.9					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		10.1	11.7	17.2	3.0		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	5,628	4,754	4,713	4,668	5,074	5,078	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	225	193	296	272	348	330	
	Procedural	2,197	1,971	1,993	1,977	2,098	1,980	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	3,206	2,590	2,424	2,419	2,628	2,768
		Prisoner	572	548	566	580	662	538
		Other	1,193	1,143	960	942	1,039	1,480
		Criminal	1,164	629	642	758	840	643
		Administrative	277	270	256	139	87	107
		Percent by Active Judges	90.1	90.8	92.5	89.4	89.9	88.7
	PENDING APPEALS		3,152	3,321	2,766	2,519	2,326	2,751
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	679	544	522	560	645	703	
	Procedural Terminations	248	226	241	249	316	257	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	229	184	176	190	218	237
		Signed	61	50	36	34	39	75
		Unsigned	168	134	140	156	179	162
Without Comment		-	-	-	-	-	-	

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

FOURTH CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30

**2006
NUMERICAL
STANDING**

		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001			
	Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	15/5.0	15/5.0	15/5.0	15/5.0	15/5.0	15/5.0			
	Number of Sitting Senior Judges	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**	28.7	24.0	24.0	36.7	48.0	51.6			
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	1,092	1,061	991	977	932	1,061	[5]	
		Prisoner	420	385	401	396	365	417	[3]	
		Other	324	307	296	298	314	403	[10]	
		Criminal	267	282	205	207	211	209	[5]	
		Administrative	81	87	89	76	42	32	[9]	
	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,126	951	943	934	1,015	1,016	[5]	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	46	39	59	55	69	66	[5]	
		Procedural	439	394	399	395	420	396	[6]	
		O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	641	518	485	484	526	554	[5]
			Prisoner	114	110	113	116	132	108	[1]
			Other	239	228	193	188	209	296	[6]
			Criminal	233	126	128	152	168	129	[3]
Administrative	55		54	51	28	17	21	[7]		
PENDING APPEALS		630	664	553	504	465	550	[8]		
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	9.5	8.0	7.5	7.0	7.1	7.2	[2]		
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	1	1	1	2	1	1	[8]		
	Petitions for Rehearing	96	95	99	83	133	116	[1]		

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

FIFTH CIRCUIT

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30					
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	9,479	9,052	8,509	8,613	8,784	8,642	
	Prisoner	2,863	2,618	2,828	3,139	3,227	3,133	
	Other**	2,568	2,342	2,548	2,618	2,839	3,075	
	Criminal	3,325	3,442	2,556	2,371	2,330	2,092	
	Administrative	723	650	577	485	388	342	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	4.7					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		11.4	10.1	7.9	9.7		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	8,881	7,496	8,100	9,135	8,390	8,784	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	106	136	178	200	329	231	
	Procedural	4,087	3,752	3,904	4,519	4,120	4,401	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	4,688	3,608	4,018	4,416	3,941	4,152
		Prisoner	470	394	647	815	686	762
		Other	1,376	1,277	1,411	1,561	1,609	1,764
		Criminal	2,468	1,763	1,759	1,863	1,517	1,560
		Administrative	374	174	201	177	129	66
		Percent by Active Judges	94.1	94.9	95.2	92.9	91.8	89.0
	PENDING APPEALS		6,999	6,406	4,854	4,444	4,973	4,586
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	836	678	727	862	758	796	
	Procedural Terminations	210	193	189	241	215	252	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	272	223	232	276	243	258
		Signed	31	31	25	33	36	36
		Unsigned	239	191	206	242	204	218
Without Comment		2	1	1	1	3	4	

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

** See "Explanation of Selected Terms."

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

FIFTH CIRCUIT		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING	
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001		
Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels		17/5.7	17/5.7	17/5.7	17/5.7	17/5.7	17/5.7		
Number of Sitting Senior Judges		3	3	3	5	5	5		
Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**		13.1	17.4	15.5	30.4	25.9	36.0		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	1,673	1,597	1,502	1,520	1,550	1,525	[2]
		Prisoner	505	462	499	554	569	553	[2]
		Other	453	413	450	462	502	543	[3]
		Criminal	587	607	451	418	411	369	[1]
		Administrative	128	115	102	86	68	60	[5]
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,567	1,323	1,429	1,612	1,481	1,550	[3]
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	19	24	31	36	59	40	[10]
		Procedural	721	662	689	797	727	777	[3]
	ON THE MERITS	Total	827	637	709	779	695	733	[3]
		Prisoner	83	70	114	144	121	134	[6]
		Other	242	225	250	275	283	312	[5]
		Criminal	436	311	310	329	268	275	[1]
Administrative		66	31	35	31	23	12	[6]	
PENDING APPEALS		1,235	1,130	857	784	878	809	[3]	
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	12.8	10.3	8.5	9.4	9.7	9.5	[9]	
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	1	1	3	2	1	1	[8]	
	Petitions for Rehearing	31	28	32	27	37	40	[11]	

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

SIXTH CIRCUIT

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30					
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	5,151	5,211	4,841	4,964	4,619	4,853	
	Prisoner	1,366	1,334	1,291	1,511	1,543	1,513	
	Other**	1,999	2,124	2,090	2,092	2,039	2,339	
	Criminal	1,312	1,315	1,039	938	825	809	
	Administrative	474	438	421	423	212	192	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . . .	-1.2					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		6.4	3.8	11.5	6.1		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	5,172	5,232	4,655	4,557	4,878	4,691	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	240	284	169	157	155	153	
	Procedural	2,046	2,045	1,996	2,149	2,118	2,087	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	2,886	2,903	2,490	2,251	2,605	2,451
		Prisoner	469	469	464	500	555	569
		Other	1,329	1,326	1,175	1,021	1,423	1,145
		Criminal	797	757	636	617	566	660
		Administrative	291	351	215	113	61	77
		Percent by Active Judges	65.9	59.1	60.1	55.4	51.0	58.6
	PENDING APPEALS		4,512	4,519	4,534	4,350	3,944	4,201
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	410	420	348	384	485	402	
	Procedural Terminations	81	90	95	121	158	130	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	163	171	133	148	196	163
		Signed	49	58	51	50	54	42
		Unsigned	113	112	81	96	133	117
Without Comment		1	1	1	2	9	4	

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

** See "Explanation of Selected Terms."

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

SIXTH CIRCUIT		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING		
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001			
	Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	16/5.3	16/5.3	16/5.3	16/5.3	16/5.3	16/5.3			
	Number of Sitting Senior Judges	9	10	10	10	12	12			
	Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**	21.0	40.5	48.0	65.3	91.0	60.9			
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	966	977	908	931	866	910	[7]	
		Prisoner	256	250	242	283	289	284	[7]	
		Other	375	398	392	393	382	438	[6]	
		Criminal	246	247	195	176	155	152	[7]	
		Administrative	89	82	79	79	40	36	[8]	
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	970	981	873	854	915	880	[9]	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	45	54	32	29	30	29	[7]	
		Procedural	384	383	374	403	397	391	[9]	
		ON THE M E R I T S	Total	541	544	467	422	488	460	[8]
			Prisoner	88	88	87	94	104	107	[3]
			Other	249	248	221	191	267	215	[4]
			Criminal	149	142	119	116	106	124	[7]
Administrative	55		66	40	21	11	14	[7]		
PENDING APPEALS		846	847	850	816	740	788	[5]		
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	13.4	14.5	16.8	16.8	16.0	15.3	[11]		
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	2	1	2	2	1	1	[4]		
	Petitions for Rehearing	59	58	55	42	58	56	[4]		

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

SEVENTH CIRCUIT

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30					
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	3,634	3,789	3,377	3,517	3,418	3,455	
	Prisoner	1,164	1,272	1,095	1,122	1,159	1,110	
	Other**	1,465	1,454	1,404	1,499	1,520	1,666	
	Criminal	761	738	564	603	581	539	
	Administrative	244	325	314	293	158	140	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-4.1					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		7.6	3.3	6.3	5.2		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	3,803	3,706	3,294	3,390	3,293	3,616	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	192	234	218	220	215	192	
	Procedural	1,890	1,992	1,665	1,766	1,602	1,854	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	1,721	1,480	1,411	1,404	1,476	1,570
		Prisoner	247	298	293	277	327	383
		Other	751	731	727	732	754	797
		Criminal	539	316	283	339	342	339
		Administrative	184	135	108	56	53	51
		Percent by Active Judges	85.9	83.9	86.2	86.1	85.3	85.7
	PENDING APPEALS		2,299	2,461	2,375	2,291	2,176	2,050
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	404	340	349	331	345	370	
	Procedural Terminations	150	157	106	115	96	128	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	134	115	118	110	115	123
		Signed	47	50	51	45	48	48
		Unsigned	82	61	64	62	62	69
Without Comment		5	4	3	3	5	6	

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

SEVENTH CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30

**2006
NUMERICAL
STANDING**

		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001			
	Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7			
	Number of Sitting Senior Judges	4	4	4	4	4	4			
	Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0			
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	991	1,033	921	959	932	942	[6]	
		Prisoner	317	347	299	306	316	303	[4]	
		Other	399	396	382	409	415	454	[4]	
		Criminal	208	201	154	164	158	147	[9]	
		Administrative	67	89	86	80	43	38	[10]	
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,037	1,011	898	925	898	986	[6]	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	53	64	59	60	58	52	[4]	
		Procedural	515	543	454	482	437	506	[5]	
		ON THE M E R I T S	Total	469	404	385	383	403	428	[10]
			Prisoner	67	81	80	76	89	104	[9]
			Other	205	200	199	200	207	218	[9]
			Criminal	147	86	77	92	93	92	[8]
Administrative	50		37	29	15	14	14	[9]		
PENDING APPEALS		627	671	648	625	593	559	[9]		
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	11.2	10.6	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.7	[4]		
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	4	3	3	3	2	3	[1]		
	Petitions for Rehearing	33	33	29	17	35	36	[10]		

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

EIGHTH CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	3,312	3,611	3,101	3,190	3,216	3,034	
	Prisoner	929	959	770	903	1,077	986	
	Other**	1,198	1,362	1,236	1,243	1,294	1,419	
	Criminal	1,028	1,121	891	782	699	552	
	Administrative	157	169	204	262	146	77	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-8.3	Over Earlier Years. . .	6.8	3.8	3.0	9.2
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	3,618	3,287	2,916	2,896	3,180	3,414	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	223	186	185	170	203	217	
	Procedural	1,088	1,023	871	951	1,102	1,026	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	2,307	2,078	1,860	1,775	1,875	2,171
		Prisoner	323	299	287	363	402	428
		Other	1,046	865	868	808	952	1,201
		Criminal	830	778	557	524	460	494
		Administrative	108	136	148	80	61	48
		Percent by Active Judges	77.7	72.5	64.2	73.9	74.6	70.1
	PENDING APPEALS		2,019	2,328	1,993	1,812	1,556	1,528
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	476	415	399	406	457	512	
	Procedural Terminations	139	117	104	131	206	166	
	W R I T T E N D E C I S I O N S	Total	160	139	130	128	146	169
		Signed	57	53	48	44	38	50
		Unsigned	51	37	40	41	49	57
Without Comment	52	49	42	43	59	62		

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

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

EIGHTH CIRCUIT		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING	
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001		
Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels		11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7	11/3.7		
Number of Sitting Senior Judges		9	10	10	11	9	10		
Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**		0.0	0.0	16.4	10.3	14.4	24.4		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	903	985	846	870	877	827	[10]
		Prisoner	253	262	210	246	294	269	[8]
		Other	327	371	337	340	352	386	[9]
		Criminal	280	306	243	213	191	151	[4]
		Administrative	43	46	56	71	40	21	[11]
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	987	896	795	790	867	931	[8]
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	61	50	50	47	55	59	[2]
		Procedural	297	279	238	259	301	280	[11]
	ON THE MERITS	Total	629	567	507	484	511	592	[6]
		Prisoner	88	82	78	99	110	117	[3]
		Other	286	236	237	220	259	327	[2]
		Criminal	226	212	152	143	125	135	[5]
Administrative		29	37	40	22	17	13	[10]	
PENDING APPEALS		551	635	544	494	424	417	[10]	
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	11.0	10.7	9.8	8.4	8.0	10.7	[3]	
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	3	1	2	2	2	2	[2]	
	Petitions for Rehearing	84	74	77	54	86	90	[2]	

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NINTH CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	14,636	16,037	14,274	12,872	11,421	10,342	
	Prisoner	2,692	2,839	2,837	3,034	2,976	2,920	
	Other**	3,648	3,906	3,876	3,541	3,739	4,237	
	Criminal	2,256	2,459	1,906	1,936	1,807	2,035	
	Administrative	6,040	6,833	5,655	4,361	2,899	1,150	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-8.7					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		2.5	13.7	28.1	41.5		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	13,424	13,399	12,151	11,220	10,042	10,372	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	426	390	323	398	470	500	
	Procedural	6,611	6,812	6,045	5,527	4,382	4,878	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	6,387	6,197	5,783	5,295	5,190	4,994
		Prisoner	761	866	775	1,047	775	672
		Other	1,965	2,123	1,700	2,131	2,481	2,420
		Criminal	1,687	1,147	1,126	1,406	1,355	1,334
		Administrative	1,974	2,061	2,182	711	579	568
		Percent by Active Judges	63.6	64.9	70.7	71.4	73.0	77.9
	PENDING APPEALS		17,299	16,074	13,417	11,277	10,226	9,160
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	519	488	490	480	492	488	
	Procedural Terminations	215	218	242	211	209	202	
	Written Decisions	Total	156	143	147	146	156	146
		Signed	15	16	16	21	21	19
		Unsigned	139	126	129	123	133	123
	Without Comment	2	1	2	2	2	4	

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

** See "Explanation of Selected Terms."

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

NINTH CIRCUIT		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING	
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001		
Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels		28/9.3	28/9.3	28/9.3	28/9.3	28/9.3	28/9.3		
Number of Sitting Senior Judges		22	22	22	21	21	20		
Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**		40.0	45.0	25.7	37.7	47.0	36.0		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	1,568	1,718	1,529	1,379	1,224	1,108	[4]
		Prisoner	288	304	304	325	319	313	[5]
		Other	391	419	415	380	400	454	[5]
		Criminal	242	263	204	207	194	218	[8]
		Administrative	647	732	606	467	311	123	[1]
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,438	1,436	1,302	1,202	1,076	1,111	[4]
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	46	42	34	43	50	53	[5]
		Procedural	708	730	648	592	470	523	[4]
	ON THE MERITS	Total	684	664	620	567	556	535	[4]
		Prisoner	82	93	83	112	83	72	[7]
		Other	209	227	182	228	266	259	[8]
		Criminal	181	123	121	151	145	143	[6]
Administrative		212	221	234	76	62	61	[2]	
PENDING APPEALS		1,853	1,722	1,438	1,208	1,096	981	[1]	
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	15.9	16.1	14.0	14.0	15.1	15.8	[12]	
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	2	1	2	2	2	2	[4]	
	Petitions for Rehearing	54	53	53	42	55	43	[5]	

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FOR THE NATIONAL CIRCUIT PROFILE OPEN THE FOLD OUT AT THE END OF THIS SECTION

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

TENTH CIRCUIT

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30					
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	2,742	2,911	2,646	2,540	2,661	2,758	
	Prisoner	755	808	817	846	875	1,011	
	Other**	1,163	1,196	1,067	1,086	1,197	1,205	
	Criminal	714	794	630	480	487	482	
	Administrative	110	113	132	128	102	60	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-5.8					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		3.6	8.0	3.0	-0.6		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	3,018	2,708	2,448	2,627	2,543	2,792	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	55	38	52	39	92	75	
	Procedural	1,233	1,146	1,047	1,118	1,086	1,292	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	1,730	1,524	1,349	1,470	1,365	1,425
		Prisoner	344	303	285	395	390	304
		Other	715	636	634	643	589	723
		Criminal	579	513	359	378	356	356
		Administrative	92	72	71	54	30	42
		Percent by Active Judges	70.7	78.8	74.6	75.7	67.3	72.0
	PENDING APPEALS		2,109	2,367	2,151	1,955	2,064	1,947
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	359	303	254	325	329	343	
	Procedural Terminations	157	124	97	133	131	197	
	Written Decisions	Total	117	102	84	111	115	118
		Signed	98	81	72	98	94	97
		Unsigned	19	21	12	13	21	21
		Without Comment	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

TENTH CIRCUIT		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING	
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001		
Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels		12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0		
Number of Sitting Senior Judges		10	8	7	8	7	7		
Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**		15.3	0.0	0.0	10.7	33.0	36.3		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	686	728	662	635	665	690	[11]
		Prisoner	189	202	204	212	219	253	[10]
		Other	290	299	267	271	298	301	[11]
		Criminal	179	199	158	120	122	121	[11]
		Administrative	28	28	33	32	26	15	[12]
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	755	677	612	657	636	698	[11]
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	14	9	13	9	23	19	[11]
		Procedural	308	287	262	280	272	323	[10]
	ON THE M E R I T S	Total	433	381	337	368	341	356	[11]
		Prisoner	86	76	71	99	98	76	[5]
		Other	179	159	158	160	146	180	[11]
		Criminal	145	128	90	95	89	89	[9]
Administrative		23	18	18	14	8	11	[12]	
PENDING APPEALS		527	592	538	489	516	487	[11]	
M E D I A N T I M E	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	12.0	12.0	11.7	11.0	11.4	11.7	[8]	
O T H E R C A S E L O A D P E R J U D G E S H I P	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	2	1	1	1	1	1	[4]	
	Petitions for Rehearing	34	28	29	26	34	38	[9]	

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Note: Data for petitions for rehearing per judgeship in 2003 have been revised.

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ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	

**OVERALL
CASELOAD
STATISTICS**

		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	
A P P E A L S	Total	7,539	7,731	7,065	6,983	7,472	7,535	
	Prisoner	2,215	2,343	2,147	2,321	2,763	2,735	
	Other**	2,854	2,651	2,686	2,620	2,713	2,987	
	Criminal	1,743	2,103	1,694	1,647	1,683	1,682	
	Administrative	727	634	538	395	313	131	
	Percent Change In Total Filings Current Year	Over Last Year. . .	-2.5					
	Over Earlier Years. . .		6.7	8.0	0.9	0.1		
T E R M I N A T E D	Total	7,690	7,578	6,908	7,085	8,135	8,000	
	Consolidations & Cross Appeals	170	216	143	162	260	253	
	Procedural	3,681	3,783	3,661	3,883	4,292	3,704	
	O N T H E M E R I T S	Total	3,839	3,579	3,104	3,040	3,583	4,043
		Prisoner	366	405	423	488	702	670
		Other	1,686	1,460	1,374	1,345	1,407	1,926
		Criminal	1,414	1,417	1,122	1,101	1,412	1,401
		Administrative	373	297	185	106	62	46
		Percent by Active Judges	91.1	89.6	86.6	86.3	86.4	85.9
	PENDING APPEALS		3,549	3,697	3,542	3,387	3,490	4,157
A C T I O N S P E R A C T I V E J U D G E*	Terminations on the Merits	877	805	711	717	843	928	
	Procedural Terminations	303	318	320	371	365	321	
	Written Decisions	Total	273	249	215	217	257	295
		Signed	19	15	17	19	21	23
		Unsigned	245	225	189	177	211	244
	Without Comment	9	9	9	21	25	28	

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS – JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

ELEVENTH CIRCUIT		12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30						2006 NUMERICAL STANDING		
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001			
		Number of Judgeships/ Number of Panels	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0	12/4.0		
		Number of Sitting Senior Judges	4	6	6	6	6	6		
		Number of Vacant Judgeship Months**	0.0	0.0	4.7	12.0	12.0	9.4		
ACTIONS PER PANEL*	A P P E A L S	Total	1,885	1,933	1,766	1,746	1,868	1,884	[1]	
		Prisoner	554	586	537	580	691	684	[1]	
		Other	713	662	670	655	678	746	[1]	
		Criminal	436	526	424	412	421	421	[2]	
		Administrative	182	159	135	99	78	33	[3]	
	T E R M I N A T E D	Total	1,923	1,895	1,727	1,771	2,034	2,000	[2]	
		Consolidations & Cross Appeals	43	54	36	40	65	63	[8]	
		Procedural	920	946	915	971	1,073	926	[2]	
		ON THE M E R I T S	Total	960	895	776	760	896	1,011	[1]
			Prisoner	92	101	106	122	176	168	[2]
			Other	421	366	343	336	351	481	[1]
			Criminal	354	354	281	275	353	350	[2]
Administrative	93		74	46	27	16	12	[4]		
PENDING APPEALS		887	924	886	847	873	1,039	[4]		
MEDIAN TIME	Median Time From Filing Notice of Appeal To Disposition	9.5	9.5	8.8	8.5	9.1	10.5	[2]		
OTHER CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP	Applications for Interlocutory Appeals	2	2	4	5	3	3	[4]		
	Petitions for Rehearing	82	80	84	64	106	109	[3]		

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