

United States District Courts — National Judicial Caseload Profile

		12-Month Periods Ending						
		Mar 31 2020	Mar 31 2021	Mar 31 2022	Mar 31 2023	Mar 31 2024	Mar 31 2025	
Overall Caseload Statistics	Filings ¹	447,581	543,733	402,409	374,943	436,426	368,536	
	Terminations	410,024	343,223	353,187	433,442	389,514	598,386	
	Pending	496,942	696,789	745,867	686,797	731,381	492,531	
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year Over Earlier Year	-17.7	-32.2	-8.4	-1.7	-15.6		
	Number of Judgeships	677	677	677	677	677	677	
	Vacant Judgeship Months ²	1,166.2	770.8	961.2	905.4	632.9	438.5	
Actions per Judgeship	Filings	Total	661	803	594	554	645	544
		Civil	491	682	457	420	514	401
		Criminal Felony	130	91	99	95	93	104
		Supervised Release Hearings	40	30	39	39	38	39
	Pending Cases ²	734	1,029	1,102	1,014	1,080	728	
	Weighted Filings ²	567	669	526	491	559	489	
	Terminations	606	507	522	640	575	884	
	Trials Completed	16	9	15	16	15	15	
Median Times (Months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.7	9.2	10.4	11.0	11.2	10.4
		Civil ²	9.3	8.6	9.2	12.0	7.8	23.9
	From Filing to Trial ² (Civil Only)	28.6	26.1	32.6	35.0	35.4	33.1	
Other	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old ²		54,632 13.7	63,671 10.8	79,679 12.5	127,714 21.9	254,940 40.3	123,829 31.1
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	51.7	48.6	50.5	51.4	49.3	54.0
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	39.2	38.2	40.7	41.4	40.8	40.6

2025 Civil Case and Criminal Felony Defendant Filings by Nature of Suit and Offense			
Total Civil	271,802	Total Criminal ¹	70,103
A-Social Security	14,089	A-Marijuana	548
B-Personal Injury/Product Liability	29,091	B-All Other Drugs	15,356
C-Prisoner Petitions	50,546	C-Immigration	29,740
D-Forfeitures and Penalties	784	D-Firearms and Explosives	9,514
E-Real Property	4,916	E-Fraud	5,234
F-Labor Suits	12,699	F-Violent Offenses	2,401
G-Contracts	28,613	G-Sex Offenses	3,288
H-Torts (other than Personal Injury/Product Liability)	27,386	H-Forgery and Counterfeiting	102
I-Intellectual Property Rights	15,611	I-Larceny and Theft	768
J-Civil Rights	47,836	J-Justice System Offenses	596
K-Antitrust	795	K-Regulatory Offenses	818
L-All Other Civil	39,436	L-All Other Criminal	1,738

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

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² See "Explanation of Selected Terms."

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DELAWARE		12-Month Periods Ending						Numerical Standing Within		
		Mar 31 2020	Mar 31 2021	Mar 31 2022	Mar 31 2023	Mar 31 2024	Mar 31 2025			U.S.
Overall Caseload Statistics	Filings ¹	2,463	1,956	1,946	1,765	1,692	1,583			
	Terminations	2,419	1,978	2,262	2,000	1,542	1,609			
	Pending	2,485	2,520	2,241	2,094	2,273	2,280			
	Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year Over Earlier Year	-35.7	-19.1	-18.7	-10.3	-6.4		77	4	
Number of Judgeships		4	4	4	4	4	4			
Vacant Judgeship Months ²		0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0			
Actions per Judgeship	Filings	Total	616	489	487	441	423	396	64	4
		Civil	577	466	459	410	389	366	35	4
		Criminal Felony	32	19	22	27	29	25	89	5
		Supervised Release Hearings	7	4	6	5	6	5	90	5
	Pending Cases ²		621	630	560	524	568	570	28	3
	Weighted Filings ²		1,047	919	902	741	672	598	18	2
	Terminations		605	495	566	500	386	402	61	3
	Trials Completed		25	13	20	23	24	26	10	1
Median Time (Months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	6.8	11.7	15.5	14.7	11.1	17.3	74	2
		Civil ²	5.3	7.3	7.9	7.4	8.7	10.0	77	5
	From Filing to Trial ² (Civil Only)		29.3	28.7	36.3	33.7	35.9	33.0	26	2
Other	Number (and %) of Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old ²		241 10.3	291 12.4	267 13.0	314 16.6	328 15.9	354 17.1	72	3
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed per Case		1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	42.2	0	48.2	39.6	30.7	39.1		
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	29.0	100.0	39.1	39.5	34.4	31.8		

2025 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	1,464	9	9	132	4	12	30	181	94	515	185	-	293
Criminal ¹	100	-	16	15	19	18	6	7	-	2	-	-	17

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