

## U.S. DISTRICT COURT - JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

			12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30							
<b>CALIFORNIA CENTRAL</b>			2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	Numerical Standing	
<b>OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS</b>	Filings*		12,909	14,630	16,938	14,720	15,440	15,342	U.S.	Circuit
	Terminations		13,680	16,173	15,269	15,800	16,936	16,906		
	Pending		12,401	13,180	14,720	13,129	14,525	16,142		
	% Change in Total Filings	Over Last Year			-11.8					83
Over Earlier Years				-23.8	-12.3	-16.4	-15.9	81	13	
Number of Judgeships			28	28	28	28	27	27		
Vacant Judgeship Months**			53.9	24.8	2.3	23.6	63.9	57.3		
<b>ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP</b>	<b>FILINGS</b>	Total	461	523	605	526	572	568	36	7
		Civil	397	450	515	451	490	521	18	4
		Criminal Felony	36	45	60	49	58	47	84	14
		Supervised Release Hearings**	28	28	30	26	24	-	30	11
	Pending Cases		443	471	526	469	538	598	26	7
	Weighted Filings**		518	565	651	590	584	557	24	6
	Terminations		489	578	545	564	627	626	32	7
Trials Completed		12	13	12	14	12	14	79	11	
<b>MEDIAN TIMES (months)</b>	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	12.4	10.3	8.2	9.4	8.6	9.1	82	14
		Civil**	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.5	7.9	7.1	10	2
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)		21.3	20.5	17.8	21.2	20.0	21.0	29	4
<b>OTHER</b>	Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old**	Number	1,240	809	624	609	650	541		
		Percentage	11.6	7.2	5.0	5.4	5.2	3.8	79	14
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed Per Case		1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	64.08	47.33	49.01	49.49	54.63	61.75		
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	55.7	48.3	49.4	51.6	55.5	58.8		

<b>2006 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE</b>													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	11104	994	211	2833	274	58	754	1330	497	1425	1188	80	1460
Criminal*	999	3	151	234	88	228	54	46	43	43	25	35	49

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

\*\* See ["Explanation of Selected Terms."](#)