

Table 2.F8—Workload of SSA’s Administrative Law Judges (ALJs), fiscal years 2000–2002

Item	2000	2001	2002 ^a
Number of ALJs	989	919	972
Average monthly hearing dispositions per ALJ	42	42	42
Average hearings pending per ALJ	348	447	514

a. Estimated data.

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Office of Hearings and Appeals. Actual data from the Key Workload Indicator Report. Estimated data from the Government Performance and Results Act, Annual Performance Plan.

NOTE: Administrative Law Judge’s availability during fiscal year 2001; excludes Regional Chief ALJs.

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Table 2.F9—Number of hearing receipts, dispositions, and end-of-year pending cases, fiscal years 2001–2002

Program	Hearing receipts		Hearing dispositions		End-of-year pending cases	
	2001	2002 ^a	2001	2002 ^a	2001	2002 ^a
Total	554,376	591,100	465,228	490,000	435,904	537,004
OASI	3,091	3,577	2,468	2,940	3,177	3,814
Disability						
DI	186,981	193,054	146,848	148,862	150,592	194,784
SSI	147,737	151,013	129,402	140,189	124,497	135,321
DI and SSI	139,288	159,329	116,842	117,992	114,119	155,456
Medicare (Parts A and B and adversarial)	77,276	84,124	69,663	80,017	43,517	47,624
Black Lung	3	3	5	0	2	5

a. Data estimated for 2002.

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Table 2.F10—Number of civil litigation cases, fiscal year 2001

Program	New cases	Court decisions ^a	Affirmations	Reversals	Dismissals	End-of-year pending cases
Total	16,014	11,729	3,581	717	677	30,185
OASI	128	133	46	5	26	281
Disability						
DI	5,964	4,222	1,317	291	198	11,249
SSI	4,469	3,304	990	163	223	8,267
DI and SSI	5,451	4,066	1,228	258	226	10,363
SSI nondisability	2	4	0	0	4	25
Black Lung	0	0	0	0	0	0

a. Includes 6,754 remands that may not be a final court decision.

SOURCE: U.S. District Courts and Courts of Appeal case data.

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Table 2.F11—Number of SSA Appeals Council cases, fiscal years 2000–2002

Cases	2000	2001	2002 ^a
Beginning-of-year pending	146,564	127,190	95,355
Receipts	100,950	78,833	86,000
Dispositions	134,191	110,668	139,431
End-of-year pending	113,323	95,355	41,924

a. Estimated data.

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