

King County Superior Court
Quarterly Statistical Report

First Quarter 2018

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Table 1. Year-to-Date Filing Activity

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Year-to-Date and Annual Filing Activity ⁽¹⁾					2017-2018 change (+ means "increase")		% of 2018 Total Filing ⁽²⁾
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Cases	Percentage	
Total (incl. RALJ)								
Year-to-Date Filing	12743	13257	12992	13209	14094	+885	+6.7%	
Annual Filing	52224	51652	51472	53115				
Criminal (excl. RALJ)								
Year-to-Date Filing	1587	1682	1647	1606	1505	-101	-6.3%	10.7%
Annual Filing	6213	6237	6632	6441				
General Civil (excl. Asbestos)								
Year-to-Date Filing	5122	5213	5110	5199	5762	+563	+10.8%	40.9%
Annual Filing	21378	21181	21181	6441				
Asbestos Cases (civil) ⁽³⁾								
Year-to-Date Filing	9	9	8	5	30	+25	+500%	0.2%
Annual Filing	40	36	41	20				
Domestic								
Year-to-Date Filing	1903	1904	1897	1850	1944	+94	+5.1%	13.8%
Annual Filing	7921	7559	7512	7597				
Probate								
Year-to-Date Filing	1501	1652	1586	1783	1686	-97	-5.4%	12.0%
Annual Filing	5920	6002	6073	6418				
Guardianship								
Year-to-Date Filing	245	221	245	228	258	+30	+5.7%	1.8%
Annual Filing	928	969	1008	949				
Adoption								
Year-to-Date Filing	121	112	130	133	110	-23	-17.3%	0.8%
Annual Filing	470	460	458	546				
Paternity								
Year-to-Date Filing	197	146	139	131	120	-11	-8.4%	0.9%
Annual Filing	702	650	528	539				
ITA – Civil Commitment								
Year-to-Date Filing	876	962	1020	1092	1173	+81	+7.4%	8.3%
Annual Filing	3852	4004	4152	4694				
Juvenile Dependency (DEP)								
Year-to-Date Filing	246	171	210	210	216	+6	+2.9%	1.5%
Annual Filing	940	848	727	793				
Juvenile Termination (TER)								
Year-to-Date Filing	58	43	44	70	85	+15	+21.4%	0.6%
Annual Filing	325	214	219	304				
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/OTHERS								
Year-to-Date Filing	76	48	63	52	72	+20	+38.5%	0.5%
Annual Filing	285	217	247	245				
Juvenile Truancy								
Year-to-Date Filing	390	573	532	499	767	+268	+53.7%	5.4%
Annual Filing	1233	1369	1222	1547				
Juvenile Offender								
Year-to-Date Filing	363	473	307	313	322	+9	+2.9%	2.3%
Annual Filing	1802	1649	1295	1324				
Criminal RALJ								
Year-to-Date Filing	43	34	40	24	30	+6	+25.0%	0.2%
Annual Filing	172	180	111	136				
Civil RALJ								
Year-to-Date Filing	8	14	14	14	14	0	+0.0%	0.1%
Annual Filing	47	57	66	65				
Matters Filed with Clerk ⁽⁴⁾								
Year-to-Date Filing	3818	2405	2345	2671	2504	-167	-6.3%	
Annual Filing	12240	9581	8742	10903				

(1) New filings only (based on filing date), excluding re-opened cases (unable to count), and reflecting all documents received by 04/15/2018.

(2) New filings of each reporting category as percentage of "Year-to-Date Filing".

(3) "Matters Filed with Clerk" and "Additional Filings with Clerk" are not included in the "Total".

Chart 1-A. Quarterly Filing Activity
Total Judicial Cases Only ("Matters Filed with Clerk" excluded)

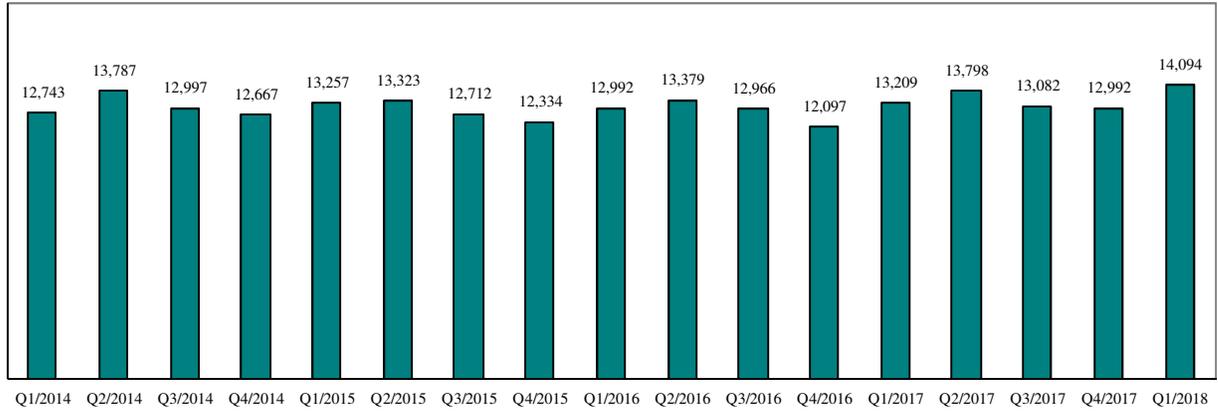
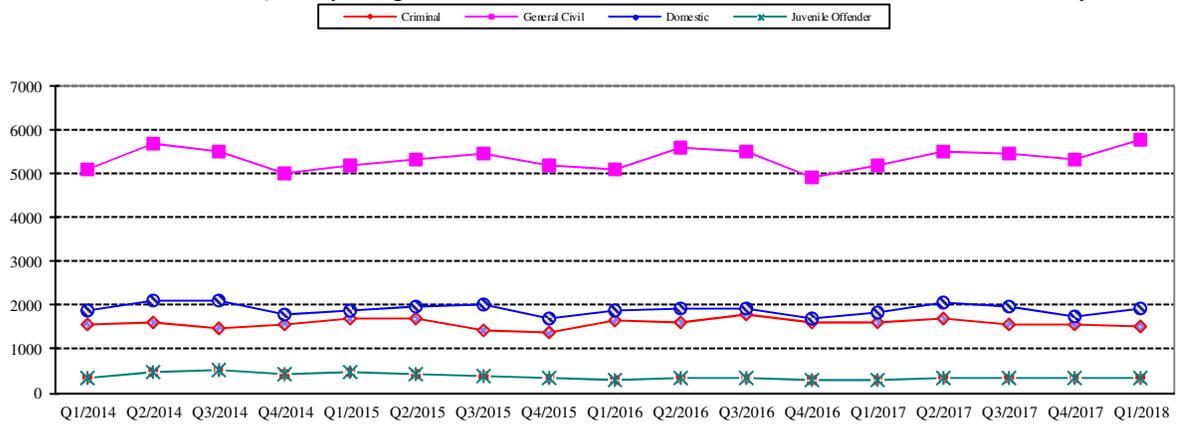


Chart 1-B. Quarterly Filings: Criminal, Domestic, General Civil and Juvenile Offender Cases Only



* Note: "General Civil" is specifically defined in this report. The category of "General Civil" does **not** include the following case types: domestic, probate, guardianship, adoption, paternity, ITA (civil commitment), juvenile cases (dependency, at-risk youth, child-in-need of service, civil RALJ, and tax filings that don't require judicial resources ("matters filed with clerk")). Please check the Appendix for the cause codes in the "General Civil" category.

Table 1-A. Post-Resolution Modifications (Domestic and Paternity Cases)

Based on Tracks Opened After Original Resolution Date

		2016Q1			2016Q2			2016Q3			2016Q4			Year 2016		
Location	Case Type	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total
KNT	Domestic	174	29	203	167	56	223	204	32	236	179	34	213	724	151	875
	Paternity	16	6	22	12	6	18	12	3	15	8	4	12	48	19	67
KNT Total		190	35	225	179	62	241	216	35	251	187	38	225	772	170	942
SEA	Domestic	154	71	225	154	76	230	173	51	224	133	65	198	614	263	877
	Paternity	6	9	15	11	8	19	14	7	21	14	2	16	45	26	71
SEA Total		160	80	240	165	84	249	187	58	245	147	67	214	659	289	948
KNT/SEA Total		350	115	465	344	146	490	403	93	496	334	105	439	1431	459	1890
		2017Q1			2017Q2			2017Q3			2017Q4			Year 2017		
Location	Case Type	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total
KNT	Domestic	172	30	202	218	57	275	170	23	193	171	32	203	731	142	873
	Paternity	9	5	14	9	6	15	19	2	21	13	2	15	50	15	65
KNT Total		181	35	216	227	63	290	189	25	214	184	34	218	781	157	938
SEA	Domestic	151	54	205	170	86	256	176	53	229	166	55	221	663	248	911
	Paternity	9	3	12	16	8	24	15	1	16	11	4	15	51	16	67
SEA Total		160	57	217	186	94	280	191	54	245	177	59	236	714	264	978
KNT/SEA Total		341	92	433	413	157	570	380	79	459	361	93	454	1495	421	1916
		2018Q1			2018Q2			2018Q3			2018Q4			Year 2018		
Location	Case Type	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total	DMOD	DTBA	Total
KNT	Domestic	207	25	232												
	Paternity	15	3	18												
KNT Total		222	28	250												
SEA	Domestic	172	51	223												
	Paternity	11	2	13												
SEA Total		183	53	236												
KNT/SEA Total		405	81	486												

* DMOD = parenting plan modification track; DTBA = support modification track.

Correction for the first two quarters was made in September 2017.

Table 2. Number of Cases Resolved and Resolution Category (%)

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
Total Resolutions (excl. "Matters Filed with Clerk")	13387	13274	12665	13067	13367	13411	13521	13230
Criminal (excl. RALJ): # Resolved	1444	1483	1432	1554	1536	1519	1550	1654
Resolved by Jury Trial	2.3%	2.5%	2.9%	3.3%	3.0%	3.6%	3.3%	2.1%
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	1.0%	0.9%	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.9%	0.6%	1.0%
Resolved by Guilty Plea	81.1%	80.3%	80.9%	79.5%	78.3%	79.3%	78.5%	78.3%
Dismissal	15.0%	15.5%	15.0%	15.8%	16.5%	15.0%	16.8%	17.7%
Others	0.6%	0.7%	1.1%	1.1%	1.6%	1.3%	0.9%	0.9%
General Civil: # Resolved	5872	5628	5301	5516	5608	5673	5745	5516
Resolved by Jury Trial	0.4%	0.5%	0.6%	0.2%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.3%
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0.4%	0.5%	0.3%	0.6%	0.4%	0.5%	0.5%	0.3%
Summary Judgment	2.0%	1.6%	1.6%	2.1%	2.2%	2.0%	1.8%	1.7%
Default/ Uncontested	40.2%	40.4%	38.3%	38.6%	38.0%	39.2%	39.8%	32.9%
Arbitration	3.3%	2.7%	3.2%	2.9%	3.1%	2.9%	3.0%	3.0%
Settlement/Dismissal	50.6%	49.4%	51.3%	51.9%	53.3%	51.5%	51.6%	55.7%
Closure by Clerk	2.5%	4.3%	3.4%	2.8%	1.5%	2.5%	2.0%	5.0%
Others	0.7%	0.8%	1.3%	1.1%	1.1%	1.0%	0.9%	1.0%
Asbestos Cases (civil): # Resolved	14	8	16	9	7	8	8	13
Resolved by Jury Trial	0.0%	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	12.5%	0.0%
Summary Judgment	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	28.6%	0.0%	12.5%	7.7%
Default/ Uncontested	7.1%	12.5%	6.3%	0.0%	28.6%	0.0%	12.5%	0.0%
Arbitration	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Settlement/Dismissal	85.7%	62.5%	87.5%	66.7%	42.9%	87.5%	62.5%	84.6%
Closure by Clerk	7.1%	12.5%	6.3%	33.3%	0.0%	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Others	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Domestic: # Resolved	1895	1881	1924	1829	1930	1902	1935	1814
Resolved by Trial	4.6%	4.8%	3.7%	4.1%	4.2%	3.8%	3.0%	3.1%
Default/ Uncontested	9.8%	10.2%	8.5%	9.4%	9.4%	8.6%	9.2%	10.6%
Settlement /Dismissal	84.3%	84.2%	86.6%	85.8%	84.9%	86.5%	87.0%	84.7%
Closure by Clerk	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.8%
Others	0.6%	0.5%	0.7%	0.4%	1.2%	0.7%	0.4%	0.8%
Probate: # Resolved	1549	1473	1387	1680	1670	1472	1422	1590
Personal Rep. Appointed	72.3%	71.6%	70.7%	74.1%	73.4%	72.5%	74.6%	78.5%
Dismissal	2.8%	3.7%	2.7%	1.7%	4.1%	2.6%	2.1%	1.4%
Closure by Clerk	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.1%
Others	24.9%	24.7%	26.6%	24.3%	22.6%	24.9%	22.6%	20.1%
Guardianship: # Resolved	258	265	231	232	231	230	212	285
Guardian Appointed	55.8%	47.6%	56.3%	50.9%	47.2%	53.5%	59.9%	54.7%
Dismissal	43.0%	51.7%	42.4%	48.3%	51.1%	45.2%	36.8%	43.2%
Closure by Clerk	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%
Others	1.2%	0.8%	1.3%	0.9%	1.7%	1.3%	2.4%	2.1%
Adoption: # Resolved	113	104	140	86	145	130	166	109
Resolved by Trial	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	1.8%
Uncontested	6.2%	3.9%	2.1%	3.5%	2.8%	2.3%	4.8%	9.2%
Settlement /Dismissal	92.9%	96.2%	97.9%	96.5%	97.2%	96.2%	95.2%	89.0%
Closure by Clerk	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Others	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Paternity: # Resolved	140	141	121	127	150	158	109	144
Resolved by Trial	2.1%	1.4%	1.7%	0.8%	0.7%	3.8%	2.8%	0.0%
Summary Judgment	39.3%	52.5%	43.8%	52.8%	50.0%	51.3%	38.5%	50.0%
Default/ Uncontested	25.7%	17.7%	20.7%	20.5%	18.7%	17.7%	23.9%	18.1%
Settlement/Dismissal	32.9%	27.7%	33.9%	26.0%	30.7%	27.2%	34.9%	31.3%
Closure by Clerk	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%
Others	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

Reflecting all documents received by 04/15/2018.

Table 2 (cont.). Number of Cases Resolved and Resolution Category (%)

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
ITA (civil commitment): # Resolved	1034	1085	1045	1073	1157	1206	1174	1113
Court Decision to Commit	65.3%	63.0%	59.3%	60.5%	57.6%	60.0%	58.6%	67.3%
Closed by Court	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Dismissal	21.3%	16.7%	26.1%	24.0%	25.4%	19.6%	16.4%	10.5%
Others	13.4%	20.3%	14.6%	15.6%	17.0%	20.5%	25.0%	22.2%
Juv. Dependency: # Resolved	187	397	140	164	195	216	172	183
Finding of Dependency	81.8%	87.4%	77.9%	78.7%	78.5%	74.5%	76.2%	74.3%
Dismissal	18.2%	12.3%	22.1%	21.3%	21.5%	25.5%	23.3%	25.7%
Others	0.0%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%
Juv. Terminations: # Resolved	48	103	49	50	56	72	51	91
Finding of Dependency	79.2%	95.2%	81.6%	90.0%	80.4%	88.9%	82.4%	87.9%
Dismissal	20.8%	4.8%	18.4%	10.0%	19.6%	11.1%	17.7%	12.1%
Others	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Juv. ARY/CHINS/OTHER:# Resolved	45	93	70	37	41	101	48	53
Approve of Petition	28.9%	55.9%	62.8%	35.1%	24.4%	36.6%	33.3%	30.2%
Dismissal	71.1%	44.1%	37.2%	59.5%	68.3%	63.4%	66.7%	69.8%
Others	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	5.4%	7.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Juvenile Truancy: # Resolved	324	151	387	351	285	343	552	287
Approve of Petition	0.6%	7.3%	23.5%	3.4%	2.5%	0.6%	0.2%	3.8%
Dismissal	99.4%	92.7%	76.5%	96.6%	97.5%	99.4%	99.8%	96.2%
Others	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Juvenile Offender: # Resolved	413	398	373	310	316	339	330	317
Resolved by Trial (Fact Finding)	4.6%	1.0%	3.5%	3.3%	4.1%	2.7%	2.4%	4.1%
Resolved by Guilty Plea	36.3%	34.4%	33.0%	35.2%	35.4%	37.8%	37.3%	36.0%
Dismissal	43.1%	43.2%	40.5%	37.7%	38.6%	36.9%	42.7%	41.3%
Deferred Disposition (DDSP)	12.6%	15.8%	17.4%	18.7%	17.4%	17.1%	13.0%	14.2%
Others (including Deferred Prosecution)	3.4%	5.5%	5.6%	5.2%	4.4%	5.6%	4.6%	4.4%
Criminal RALJ: # Resolved	39	40	33	30	34	32	33	41
RALJ Decision	79.5%	82.5%	66.7%	76.7%	70.6%	53.1%	66.7%	68.3%
Dismissal	10.3%	10.0%	15.2%	20.0%	17.7%	46.9%	30.3%	26.8%
Others	10.3%	7.5%	18.2%	3.3%	11.8%	0.0%	3.0%	4.9%
Civil RALJ: # Resolved	12	24	16	19	15	10	14	20
RALJ Decision	50.0%	37.5%	50.0%	36.8%	53.3%	60.0%	42.9%	55.0%
Dismissal	41.7%	25.0%	18.8%	42.1%	33.3%	40.0%	50.0%	40.0%
Others	8.3%	37.5%	31.3%	21.1%	13.3%	0.0%	7.1%	5.0%

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Chart 2-A. Quarterly Resolutions
Total Judicial Cases Only ("Matters Filed with Clerk" excluded)

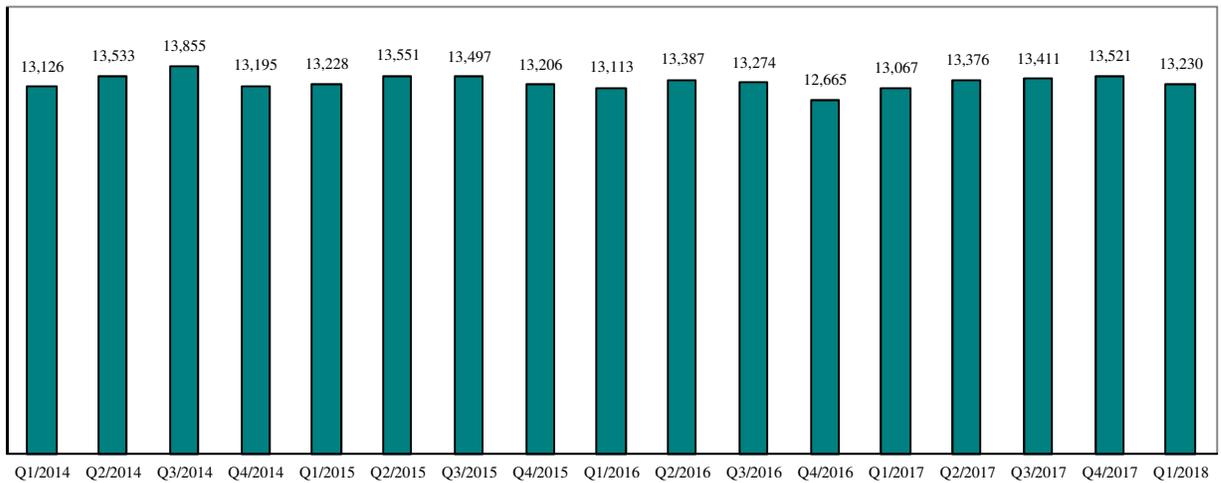
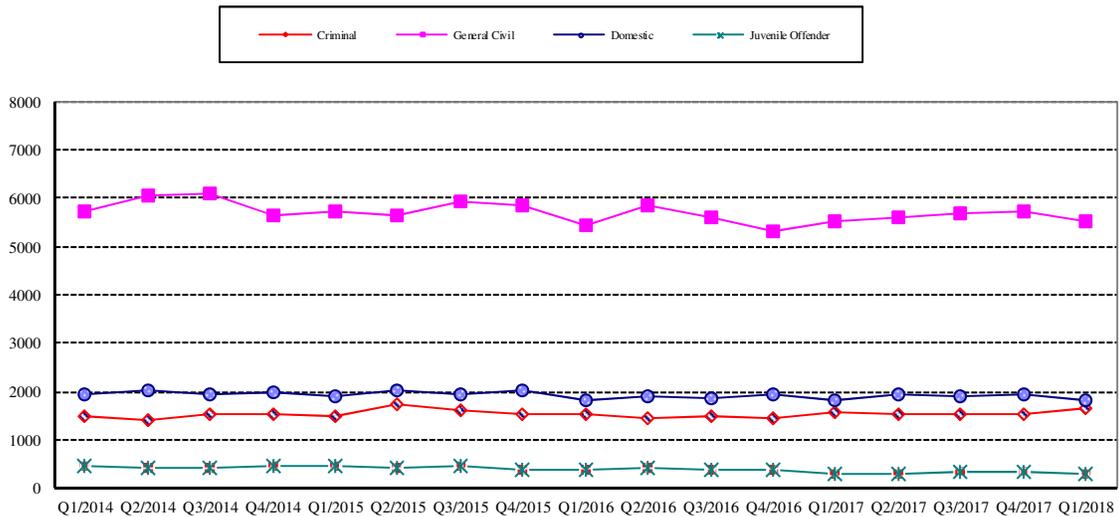


Chart 2-B. Quarterly Resolutions: Criminal, Dmestic, General Civil and Juvenile Offender Cases Only



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Table 3. Age of Resolved Cases
King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Age of Cases at Resolution							
	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
Criminal (excl. RALJ)								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	111	108	112	127	125	126	132	142
90% Cases Resolved by Day	346	328	317	371	371	361	408	435
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 4 months	54%	56%	53%	47%	49%	48%	46%	43%
98% in 6 months	71%	74%	71%	65%	65%	67%	64%	61%
100% in 9 months	86%	86%	87%	81%	81%	81%	81%	88%
General Civil ⁽¹⁾								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	33	28	42	40	41	40	42	41
90% Cases Resolved by Day	368	357	357	367	366	358	357	372
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 12 months	89%	92%	89%	90%	88%	91%	91%	88%
98% in 18 months	97%	98%	97%	98%	97%	98%	97%	96%
100% in 24 months	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%
Domestic								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	172	147	154	172	144	146	140	168
90% Cases Resolved by Day	372	371	368	383	372	381	397	386
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	61%	66%	65%	62%	68%	67%	68%	66%
98% in 10 months	75%	78%	78%	76%	78%	76%	78%	76%
100% in 14 months	94%	94%	94%	94%	94%	91%	92%	92%
Probate								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
90% Cases Resolved by Day	13	24	8	4	22	15	13	8
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	97%	98%	96%	98%	97%	98%	97%	98%
98% in 18 months	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	98%
100% in 36 months	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	99%
Guardianship								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	68	71	65	73	63	69	63	59
90% Cases Resolved by Day	240	273	208	334	304	284	178	254
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	91%	85%	94%	85%	88%	88%	94%	90%
98% in 18 months	99%	98%	100%	97%	98%	99%	99%	97%
100% in 36 months	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Adoption								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	66	99	69	55	61	79	53	52
90% Cases Resolved by Day	444	714	257	437	227	376	262	397
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	86%	68%	87%	83%	89%	82%	88%	83%
98% in 10 months	86%	79%	94%	84%	92%	85%	93%	87%
100% in 14 months	85%	81%	99%	88%	95%	91%	96%	91%
Paternity								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	142	172	154	143	141	140	126	152
90% Cases Resolved by Day	307	296	367	291	317	335	328	289
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	79%	71%	71%	82%	82%	79%	75%	81%
98% in 10 months	89%	92%	82%	93%	87%	87%	86%	93%
100% in 14 months	98%	97%	96%	99%	95%	95%	94%	97%

Table 3 (cont.) Age of Resolved Cases

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Age of Cases at Resolution							
	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
ITA (civil commitment) **								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
90% Cases Resolved by Day	12	15	13	14	14	18	21	21
Juvenile Dependency (DEP)								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	104	278	132	112	124	153	127	93
90% Cases Resolved by Day	230	570	283	232	268	389	379	227
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	93%	46%	85%	90%	82%	74%	82%	92%
98% in 10 months	96%	60%	90%	94%	90%	81%	87%	97%
100% in 14 months	96%	77%	96%	99%	95%	93%	90%	100%
Juvenile Termination (TER)								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	259	272	182	131	84	141	143	147
90% Cases Resolved by Day	665	680	679	437	453	445	621	414
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	45%	45%	63%	72%	81%	70%	73%	69%
98% in 10 months	61%	61%	68%	76%	83%	70%	73%	72%
100% in 14 months	69%	73%	72%	90%	89%	89%	73%	92%
Juv ARY/CHINS/OTHER								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	53	208	60	57	54	224	42	45
90% Cases Resolved by Day	230	730	338	230	223	3526	252	236
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	96%	58%	86%	91%	95%	58%	85%	92%
98% in 10 months	98%	62%	86%	97%	95%	64%	95%	100%
100% in 14 months	100%	74%	93%	100%	100%	69%	100%	100%
Juvenile Truancy**								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	371	483	320	343	394	436	230	309
90% Cases Resolved by Day	514	591	608	456	777	1183	1093	423
Juvenile Offender								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	112	90	93	94	86	85	89	105
90% Cases Resolved by Day	340	309	340	245	261	254	251	375
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 4 months	53%	60%	61%	59%	65%	63%	68%	59%
98% in 6 months	73%	79%	75%	78%	79%	80%	82%	74%
100% in 9 months	87%	87%	87%	92%	91%	92%	91%	86%
Criminal RALJ								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	269	292	273	349	269	333	250	295
90% Cases Resolved by Day	510	449	497	586	636	629	562	539
Civil RALJ								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	172	165	151	163	161	203	165	180
90% Cases Resolved by Day	225	227	326	350	255	584	241	262

* Reflecting all documents received by 04/15/2018.

** No standard yet.

Table 4. Active Pending Caseload Statistics

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
Total (incl. RALJ)								
Previous Pending (+)	18216	18216	18678	19119	19087	19674	19654	19305
New Filing (+)	13373	12966	12097	13209	13798	13082	12992	14094
Resolved (-)	13387	13274	12665	13067	13376	13411	13521	13230
End Pending	18663	18678	19119	19087	19674	19654	19305	20656
Resolution Rate**	1.001	1.020	1.047	0.989	0.969	1.025	1.035	0.939
Criminal (excl. RALJ)								
Previous Pending (+)	2725	2849	3050	3139	3116	3242	3201	3172
New Filing (+)	1594	1780	1610	1606	1704	1583	1546	1505
Resolved (-)	1444	1483	1432	1554	1536	1519	1550	1654
End Pending	2849	3050	3193	3116	3242	3201	3172	3048
Resolution Rate**	0.906	0.833	0.889	0.968	0.901	0.960	1.003	1.099
General Civil								
Previous Pending (+)	6686	6803	7044	7752	7336	7338	7424	7167
New Filing (+)	5602	5531	4931	5199	5491	5477	5323	5762
Resolved (-)	5872	5628	5301	5516	5608	5673	5745	5516
End Pending	6803	7044	7752	7336	7338	7424	7167	7761
Resolution Rate**	1.048	1.018	1.075	1.061	1.021	1.036	1.079	0.957
Asbestos Cases (civil) ⁽¹⁾								
Previous Pending (+)	55	50	58	46	42	39	36	36
New Filing (+)	9	18	6	5	2	6	7	30
Resolved (-)	14	8	16	9	7	8	8	13
End Pending	50	58	46	42	39	36	36	53
Resolution Rate**	1.556	0.444	2.667	1.800	3.500	1.333	1.143	0.433
Domestic								
Previous Pending (+)	4336	4416	4465	4337	4386	4497	4585	4366
New Filing (+)	1942	1947	1720	1850	2046	1965	1732	1944
Resolved (-)	1895	1881	1924	1829	1930	1902	1935	1814
End Pending	4416	4465	4337	4386	4497	4585	4366	4547
Resolution Rate**	0.976	0.966	1.119	0.989	0.943	0.968	1.117	0.933
Probate								
Previous Pending (+)	624	703	715	684	808	814	869	909
New Filing (+)	1600	1454	1425	1783	1645	1501	1488	1686
Resolved (-)	1549	1473	1387	1680	1670	1472	1422	1590
End Pending	703	715	684	808	814	869	909	1027
Resolution Rate**	0.968	1.013	0.973	0.942	1.045	0.981	0.956	0.943
Guardianship								
Previous Pending (+)	336	341	337	329	330	351	345	376
New Filing (+)	263	257	247	228	249	225	244	258
Resolved (-)	258	265	231	232	231	230	212	285
End Pending	341	337	329	330	351	345	376	361
Resolution Rate**	0.981	1.031	0.935	1.018	0.928	1.022	0.869	1.105
Adoption								
Previous Pending (+)	163	166	163	135	182	170	177	155
New Filing (+)	116	101	111	133	132	136	145	110
Resolved (-)	113	104	140	86	145	130	166	109
End Pending	166	163	135	182	170	177	155	158
Resolution Rate**	0.974	1.030	1.261	0.647	1.098	0.956	1.145	0.991
Paternity								
Previous Pending (+)	278	261	232	253	260	266	241	245
New Filing (+)	133	108	148	131	151	136	119	120
Resolved (-)	140	141	121	127	150	158	109	144
End Pending	261	232	253	260	266	241	245	224
Resolution Rate**	1.053	1.306	0.818	0.969	0.993	1.162	0.916	1.200

* Reflecting all documents received by 04/15/2018.

** A value of "Resolution Rate" less than one indicates the resolution pace is slower than the filing pace.

Table 4 (cont.) Active Pending Caseload Statistics
King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
ITA (civil commitment)								
Previous Pending (+)	95	118	82	60	78	148	141	126
New Filing (+)	1056	1048	1028	1092	1225	1200	1177	1173
Resolved (-)	1034	1085	1045	1073	1157	1206	1174	1113
End Pending	118	82	60	78	148	141	126	186
Resolution Rate**	0.979	1.035	1.017	0.983	0.944	1.005	0.997	0.949
Juvenile Dependency (DEP)								
Previous Pending (+)	506	504	289	300	345	353	321	357
New Filing (+)	188	175	162	210	202	183	205	216
Resolved (-)	187	397	140	164	195	216	172	183
End Pending	504	289	300	345	353	321	357	392
Resolution Rate**	0.995	2.269	0.864	0.781	0.965	1.118	0.839	0.847
Juvenile Termination (TER)								
Previous Pending (+)	148	181	128	128	148	175	171	196
New Filing (+)	82	41	52	70	83	68	83	85
Resolved (-)	48	103	49	50	56	72	51	91
End Pending	181	128	128	148	175	171	196	189
Resolution Rate**	0.585	2.512	0.942	0.714	0.675	1.059	0.614	1.071
Juv ARY/CHINS/OTHERS								
Previous Pending (+)	118	136	98	86	103	120	81	102
New Filing (+)	64	51	61	52	59	59	69	72
Resolved (-)	45	93	70	37	41	101	48	53
End Pending	136	98	86	103	120	81	102	120
Resolution Rate**	0.703	1.824	1.148	0.712	0.695	1.712	0.696	0.736
Juvenile Truancy								
Previous Pending (+)	1397	1430	1374	1237	1389	1513	1395	1421
New Filing (+)	347	93	250	499	405	174	467	767
Resolved (-)	324	151	387	351	285	343	552	287
End Pending	1430	1374	1237	1389	1513	1395	1421	1899
Resolution Rate**	0.934	1.624	1.548	0.703	0.704	1.971	1.182	0.374
Juvenile Offender								
Previous Pending (+)	571	538	504	441	430	488	502	504
New Filing (+)	337	328	298	313	333	329	334	322
Resolved (-)	413	398	373	310	316	339	330	317
End Pending	538	504	441	430	488	502	504	532
Resolution Rate**	1.226	1.213	1.252	0.990	0.949	1.030	0.988	0.984
Criminal RALJ								
Previous Pending (+)	146	131	107	107	108	129	129	132
New Filing (+)	24	14	33	24	52	26	34	30
Resolved (-)	39	40	33	30	34	32	33	41
End Pending	131	107	107	108	129	129	132	124
Resolution Rate**	1.625	2.857	1.000	1.25	0.854	1.231	0.971	1.367
Civil RALJ								
Previous Pending (+)	32	36	32	31	26	31	36	41
New Filing (+)	16	20	15	14	19	14	19	14
Resolved (-)	12	24	16	19	15	10	14	20
End Pending	36	32	31	26	31	36	41	35
Resolution Rate**	0.750	1.200	1.067	1.357	0.789	0.714	0.737	1.429

* Reflecting all documents received by 04/15/2018.

** A value of "Resolution Rate" less than one indicates the resolution pace is slower than the filing pace.

Chart 4-A. Active Pending Caseload at Quarter End
Total Judicial Cases Only ("Matters Filed with Clerk" excluded)

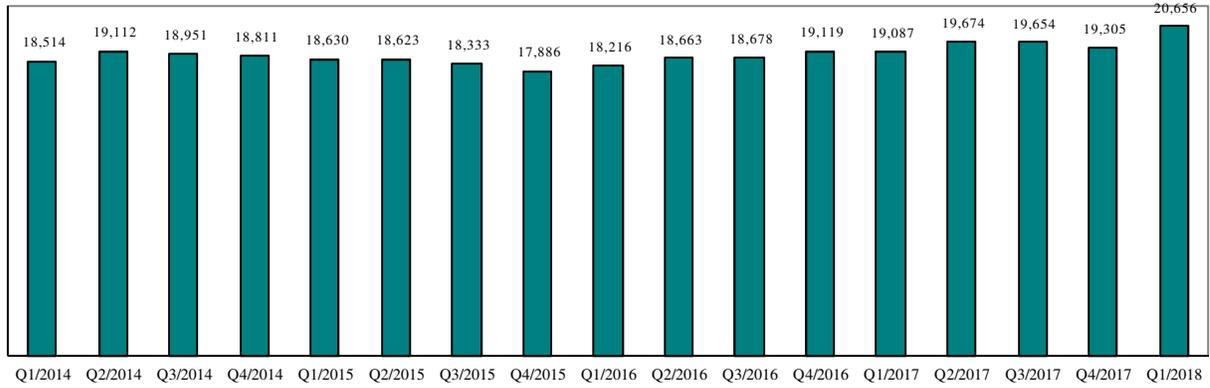


Chart 4-B. Active Pending Caseload at Quarter End: Domestic and General Civil Cases Only

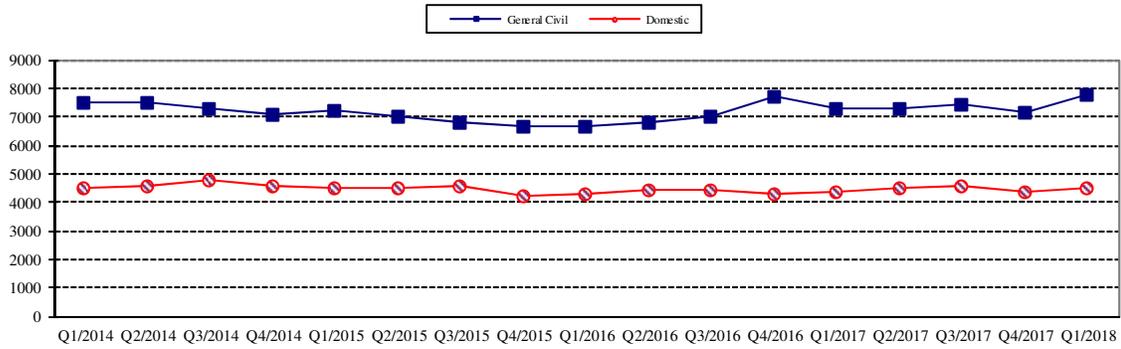
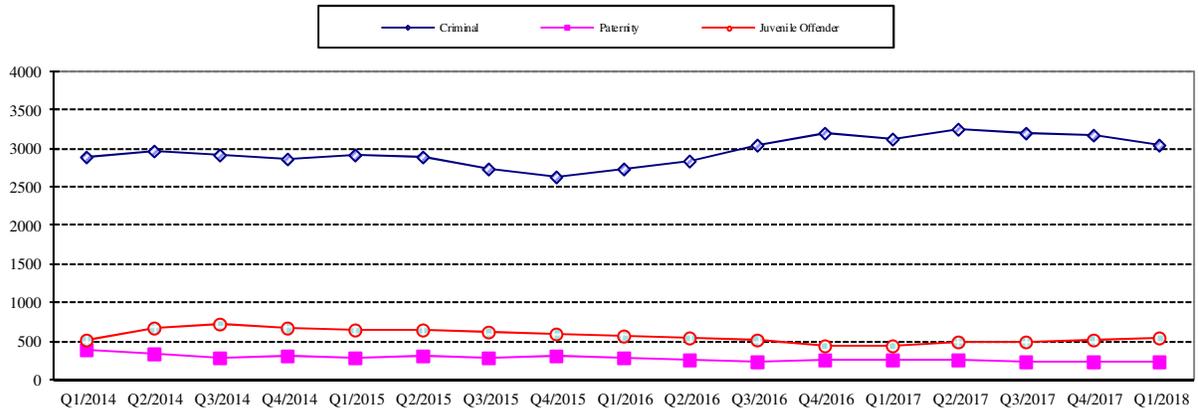


Chart 4-C. Active Pending Caseload at Quarter End:
Criminal, Juvenile Offender, Paternity and Dependency Cases Only



* Note: "General Civil" is specifically defined in this report. The category of "General Civil" does **not** include the following case types: domestic, probate, guardianship, adoption, paternity, mental illness, juvenile cases (dependency, at-risk youth, child-in-need of service), civil RALJ, and tax filings that don't require judicial resources ("matters filed with clerk"). Please check the Appendix for the cause codes in the "General Civil" category.

Table 5. Age of Pending Cases

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Age of Pending Cases and # of Cases in Each Age Interval							
	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
Criminal (excl. RALJ): # of Cases	2849	3050	3193	3116	3242	3201	3172	3048
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	99	101	111	115	106	117	119	124
95 percentile	541	542	564	562	529	566	542	541
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	997	1046	964	993	1068	888	845	892
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	671	629	709	602	699	743	747	596
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	390	442	511	473	417	498	476	505
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	292	389	387	436	408	407	465	407
> 270 days (> 9 months)	494	544	622	612	650	665	639	648
General Civil: # of Cases	6803	7044	7752	7336	7338	7424	7167	7761
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	126	131	149	149	129	132	132	121
95 percentile	491	501	514	520	506	527	510	481
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	3302	3306	3270	3145	3515	3465	3315	3878
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	1704	1885	2095	1923	1692	1922	1782	1923
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	997	1031	1374	1283	1175	1059	1147	1121
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	556	531	669	664	658	638	628	547
541 - 720 days (19 - 24 months)	129	180	190	173	163	203	167	162
> 720 days (> 24 months)	115	111	154	149	135	137	128	130
Asbestos Cases (civil) ⁽¹⁾ : # of Cases	50	58	46	42	39	36	36	53
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	353	339	235	249	330	390	436	81
95 percentile	847	939	1013	652	652	549	641	614
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	10	17	8	7	2	6	7	31
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	5	9	17	12	7	4	5	9
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	15	3	8	13	16	3	5	1
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	9	17	4	5	12	21	13	6
541 - 720 days (19 - 24 months)	4	4	6	4	2	1	5	5
> 720 days (> 24 months)	7	8	3	1	0	1	1	1
Domestic: # of Cases	4416	4465	4337	4386	4497	4585	4366	4547
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	114	116	129	123	113	118	136	130
95 percentile	601	559	691	773	713	713	715	752
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	2307	2272	2041	2149	2342	2296	2022	2172
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	1088	1185	1155	1132	1023	1200	1172	1145
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	571	551	641	584	561	510	624	648
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	202	226	227	212	262	264	242	243
> 540 days (> 18 months)	248	231	273	309	309	315	306	339
Probate: # of Cases	703	715	684	808	814	869	909	1027
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	338	393	377	343	387	416	378	402
95 percentile	1192	1277	1362	1418	1507	1591	1608	1677
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	181	160	150	204	172	167	202	221
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	104	118	109	108	132	131	118	158
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	82	72	81	109	81	101	113	92
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	107	86	68	89	106	108	106	155
> 540 days (> 18 months)	229	279	276	298	323	362	370	401

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Table 5 (cont.). Age of Pending Cases

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Age of Pending Cases and # of Cases in Each Age Interval							
	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
Guardianship: # of Cases	341	337	329	330	351	345	376	361
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	78	81	83	86	86	102	89	111
95 percentile	456	506	510	498	487	550	570	633
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	217	214	189	189	211	189	218	187
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	60	54	74	65	62	73	51	68
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	27	35	28	39	37	28	41	29
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	28	19	23	26	28	37	42	42
> 540 days (> 18 months)	9	15	15	11	13	18	24	35
Adoption: # of Cases	166	163	135	182	170	177	155	158
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	112	106	116	88	110	88	126	135
95 percentile	735	492	600	471	562	513	557	598
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	85	91	68	110	88	104	74	76
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	37	34	31	31	36	31	37	41
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	15	22	14	20	18	20	19	19
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	13	11	14	16	18	14	17	12
> 540 days (> 18 months)	16	5	8	5	10	8	8	10
Paternity: # of Cases	261	232	253	260	266	241	245	224
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	105	117	89	106	91	83	108	92
95 percentile	345	403	324	388	388	362	339	362
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	143	122	149	143	166	152	125	135
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	77	71	70	75	56	49	91	56
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	31	22	23	26	27	27	19	21
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	8	14	9	12	15	10	8	10
> 540 days (> 18 months)	2	3	2	4	2	3	2	2
ITA (civil commitment): # of Cases	118	82	60	78	148	141	126	186
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	25	5	12	5	8	16	14	20
95 percentile	350	442	545	547	103	131	194	216
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	100	70	47	74	141	129	110	166
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months)	8	0	6	0	3	8	14	12
> 240 days (> 8 months)	10	12	7	4	4	4	2	8
Juv Dependency (DEP): # of Cases	504	289	300	345	353	321	357	392
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	170	82	89	73	94	81	94	114
95 percentile	690	382	376	366	400	251	313	394
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	114	119	125	142	125	133	124	139
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	72	71	71	80	95	76	94	69
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	78	42	51	39	59	46	57	61
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	79	23	28	48	26	53	44	62
> 270 days (> 9 months)	161	34	25	36	48	13	38	61
Juv Termination (TER): # of Cases	181	128	128	148	175	171	196	189
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	156	152	177	106	103	128	136	114
95 percentile	680	645	527	617	603	604	577	527
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	48	23	20	55	57	48	53	67
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	33	29	34	21	43	32	41	30
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	17	25	14	17	16	27	27	32
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	21	14	30	10	15	28	29	15
> 270 days (> 9 months)	62	37	30	45	44	36	46	45

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Table 5 (cont.). Age of Pending Cases

King County Superior Court

Reporting Category	Age of Pending Cases and # of Cases in Each Age Interval							
	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
Juv. ARY/CHINS/OTHER: # of Cases	136	98	86	103	120	81	102	120
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	225	169	149	158	169	99	98	128
95 percentile	3630	3813	3905	3938	4012	405	497	587
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	37	25	23	30	30	32	30	36
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	16	14	13	18	13	13	30	20
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	10	16	14	10	24	9	14	21
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	13	6	6	12	8	18	12	21
> 270 days (> 9 months)	60	37	30	33	45	9	16	22
Juvenile Truancy: # of Cases	1430	1374	1237	1389	1513	1395	1421	1899
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	158	236	290	213	157	206	236	124
95 percentile	899	1017	1334	1199	1139	961	662	713
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	177	74	173	369	276	167	355	569
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	335	47	78	195	315	69	97	351
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	281	296	85	125	249	316	116	240
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	261	430	228	60	173	400	299	95
> 270 days (> 9 months)	376	527	673	640	500	443	554	644
Juvenile Offender: # of Cases	538	504	441	430	488	502	504	532
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	98	92	98	91	85	88	96	91
95 percentile	596	689	628	646	745	806	821	636
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	201	176	142	166	189	179	162	195
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	99	109	106	84	109	131	133	118
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	63	65	66	56	51	61	70	68
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	44	44	45	43	38	38	57	64
> 270 days (> 9 months)	131	110	82	81	101	93	82	87
Criminal RALJ: # of Cases	131	107	107	108	129	129	132	124
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	198	227	208	183	115	163	196	189
95 percentile	506	656	639	694	718	810	894	947
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	16	8	17	23	36	19	21	19
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	21	17	16	6	31	24	21	22
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	21	10	11	25	7	30	16	21
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	27	27	20	12	17	19	38	21
> 270 days (> 9 months)	46	45	43	42	38	37	36	41
Civil RALJ: # of Cases	36	32	31	26	31	36	41	35
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	108	84	96	100	67	106	105	124
95 percentile	476	522	262	228	270	349	293	383
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	9	11	9	8	15	11	11	10
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	14	12	11	11	5	11	12	7
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	6	5	6	4	6	9	10	12
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	3	1	4	3	4	2	5	4
> 270 days (> 9 months)	4	3	1	0	1	3	3	2

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Table 6. Seattle vs. Regional Justice Center (KNT): Filing, Resolution, Pending Caseload (%)

King County Superior Court

	Q1/17		Q2/17		Q3/17		Q4/17		Q1/18	
	SEA	KNT								
Filings Total <i>(excl. filings with clerk)</i>	64%	36%	64%	36%	64%	36%	63%	37%	63%	37%
Criminal (excl. RALJ)	54%	46%	56%	44%	55%	45%	55%	45%	56%	44%
General Civil (excl. RALJ)	57%	43%	57%	43%	54%	46%	56%	44%	54%	46%
Domestic	60%	40%	58%	42%	61%	39%	59%	41%	60%	40%
Probate	75%	25%	77%	23%	75%	25%	76%	24%	75%	25%
Guardianship	58%	42%	64%	36%	66%	34%	63%	37%	56%	44%
Adoption	72%	28%	76%	24%	74%	26%	72%	28%	75%	25%
Paternity	52%	48%	46%	54%	47%	53%	31%	69%	45%	55%
ITA (civil commitment)	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---
Juv. Dependency (DEP)	72%	28%	66%	34%	62%	38%	61%	39%	61%	39%
Juv. Termination (TER)	49%	51%	70%	30%	65%	35%	59%	41%	57%	43%
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/Other	35%	65%	56%	44%	49%	51%	48%	52%	51%	49%
Juvenile Truancy	45%	55%	36%	64%	97%	3%	44%	56%	48%	52%
Juvenile Offender	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---
Criminal RALJ	96%	4%	98%	2%	69%	31%	94%	6%	87%	13%
Civil RALJ	86%	14%	79%	21%	36%	64%	90%	10%	93%	7%
Resolution Total <i>(excl. filings with clerk)</i>	64%	36%	65%	35%	64%	36%	64%	36%	63%	37%
Criminal (excl. RALJ)	58%	42%	55%	45%	58%	42%	55%	45%	58%	42%
General Civil (excl. RALJ)	57%	43%	58%	42%	56%	44%	55%	45%	54%	46%
Domestic	60%	40%	60%	40%	61%	39%	60%	40%	58%	42%
Probate	75%	25%	77%	23%	74%	26%	76%	24%	75%	25%
Guardianship	63%	37%	65%	35%	52%	48%	64%	36%	61%	39%
Adoption	70%	30%	75%	25%	70%	30%	75%	25%	69%	31%
Paternity	45%	55%	49%	51%	49%	51%	44%	56%	44%	56%
ITA (civil commitment)	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---
Juv. Dependency (DEP)	71%	29%	68%	32%	64%	36%	63%	37%	55%	45%
Juv. Termination (TER)	54%	46%	64%	36%	68%	32%	59%	41%	54%	46%
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/Other	46%	54%	44%	56%	64%	36%	52%	48%	34%	64%
Juvenile Truancy	39%	61%	42%	58%	47%	53%	61%	39%	41%	59%
Juvenile Offender	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---
Criminal RALJ	93%	7%	94%	6%	94%	6%	94%	6%	93%	7%
Civil RALJ	84%	16%	93%	7%	80%	20%	71%	29%	50%	50%
Pending Total <i>(excl. filings with clerk)</i>	63%	37%	62%	38%	62%	38%	62%	38%	62%	38%
Criminal (excl. RALJ)	56%	46%	57%	43%	55%	45%	56%	44%	55%	45%
General Civil (excl. RALJ)	68%	32%	66%	34%	65%	35%	66%	34%	64%	36%
Domestic	59%	41%	58%	42%	58%	42%	57%	43%	58%	42%
Probate	79%	21%	78%	22%	79%	21%	79%	21%	79%	21%
Guardianship	57%	43%	57%	43%	66%	34%	65%	35%	61%	39%
Adoption	69%	31%	70%	30%	73%	27%	70%	30%	75%	25%
Paternity	51%	49%	50%	50%	49%	51%	42%	58%	42%	58%
ITA (civil commitment)	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---
Juv. Dependency (DEP)	65%	35%	64%	36%	63%	37%	60%	40%	63%	37%
Juv. Termination (TER)	61%	39%	64%	36%	63%	37%	62%	38%	64%	36%
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/Other	53%	47%	58%	42%	46%	54%	45%	55%	54%	46%
Juvenile Truancy	49%	51%	47%	53%	53%	47%	47%	53%	48%	52%
Juvenile Offender	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---	100%	---
Criminal RALJ	92%	8%	94%	6%	89%	11%	90%	10%	88%	12%
Civil RALJ	89%	11%	81%	19%	61%	39%	71%	29%	89%	11%

Reflecting all documents received by 04/15/2018

Table 7. Quarterly Utilization of Pro Tem Judges/Commissioners ⁽¹⁾

Category	Q4/15	Q1/16	Q2/16	Q3/16	Q4/16	Q1/17	Q2/17	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18*
Grand Total	1733	769	1157	859	1732	924	1567	1657	2131	1149
Judge FTE Equivalent ⁽³⁾	3.9	1.7	2.6	1.9	3.8	2.1	3.5	3.7	4.7	2.6
By Work Type										
Pro Tem Judge	236	99	191	134	436	166	322	456	307	139
Pro Tem Commissioner	1497	679	966	725	1256	759	1245	1201	1824	1010
Unspecified	0	0	0	0	41	0	0	0	0	0
By Location										
KCCCH	882	420	394	346	840	344	604	864	953	498
MRJC	501	193	239	214	389	262	463	234	403	164
Juvenile	234	123	405	201	367	208	411	429	553	420
ITA	117	33	119	98	137	111	89	131	222	67
Other	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
By Calendar Type										
Criminal	185	70	50	55	130	36	68	120	74	15
Civil	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ex Parte	264	64	134	95	111	56	305	315	433	141
Family Law/Domestic	929	470	421	397	743	415	615	429	693	414
Dependency	172	81	251	120	250	150	236	320	367	174
Juvenile Offender	51	27	125	69	108	31	145	104	123	32
BECCA	11	16	29	13	10	26	30	6	63	214
ITA	117	33	119	98	137	111	89	131	222	67
Juvenile Drug Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Family Treatment Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plea Calendar	0	0	4	11	157	79	67	167	122	80
Status/Non-Compliance	0	7	16	2	5	0	0	2	9	0
Other or Unspecified	0	0	9	0	82	20	12	65	26	13
By Reason										
Vacation Backfill	818	397	582	499	783	365	628	883	1065	448
Medical Backfill	294	211	213	223	302	159	184	171	281	138
Duty Time	288	134	189	89	166	208	437	204	200	280
Conference Coverage	59	0	134	24	0	0	0	21	59	14
Congestion	126	23	29	14	235	99	318	380	527	149
Vacancy Coverage	5	4	0	0	185	84	0	0	0	0
Other	145	0	11	10	61	10	0	0	0	120

(1) This table is based on the time sheet for compensation

(2) Judge FTE Equivalent = # of hours / [7.5 hours/day * 20 days/month * 3 months] = # of hours/450.

Data for the most current quarter are incomplete at reporting time and will be updated in next quarterly report.

The statistics on Pro Tem judge/commissioner use provide information on the external help the court has obtained in order to handle the workload. The data are collected on the time sheet for compensation (therefore it does not include unpaid volunteering or visiting judges/commissioners). The database on Pro Tem judges/commissioners is managed by the Administrative Services Department (ASD) of King County Superior Court. The Pro Tem total hours presented in this section are provided quarterly by ASD.

Table 8. Family Law Activity

	3RD QTR, 2016		4TH QTR, 2016		1ST QTR, 2017		2ND QTR, 2017		3RD QTR, 2017		4TH QTR, 2017		1ST QTR, 2018	
	HRGS	ORDS												
SEATTLE														
FAM.LAW	465	1546	430	1506	447	1553	435	1483	440	1521	461	1539	443	1546
DAILY AVG.	8	25	7	25	7	25	7	24	7	25	8	25	7	25
PATERNITY	76	840	94	752	71	792	48	665	52	720	47	557	68	740
DAILY AVG.	1	14	2	12	1	13	1	11	1	12	1	9	1	12
DOM. VIOL.	225	707	239	653	229	576	224	627	264	736	229	618	209	594
DAILY AVG.	4	12	4	11	4	9	4	10	4	12	4	10	3	10
	3RD QTR, 2016		4TH QTR, 2016		1ST QTR, 2017		2ND QTR, 2017		3RD QTR, 2017		4TH QTR, 2017		1ST QTR, 2018	
	HRGS	HRGS	HRGS	ORDS										
KENT														
FAM.LAW	339	1268	361	1133	299	1209	334	1213	365	1249	339	1067	306	1069
DAILY AVG.	6	21	6	19	5	20	5	20	6	20	6	17	5	18
PATERNITY	59	622	63	515	61	699	57	685	58	591	50	480	59	632
DAILY AVG.	1	10	1	8	1	11	1	11	1	10	1	8	1	10
DOM. VIOL.	334	826	302	807	275	699	328	818	290	816	330	813	331	803
DAILY AVG.	5	14	5	13	5	11	5	13	5	13	5	13	5	13
	3RD QTR, 2016		4TH QTR, 2016		1ST QTR, 2017		2ND QTR, 2017		3RD QTR, 2017		4TH QTR, 2017		1ST QTR, 2018	
	HRGS	ORDS												
SEA/KNT														
TOTAL	1498	5809	1489	5366	1382	5528	1426	5491	1469	5633	1456	5074	1416	5384
DAILY AVG.	25	95	24	88	23	91	23	90	24	92	24	83	23	88

The statistics on family law and Ex Parte activity are obtained directly from SCOMIS using the appropriate docket codes.

Table 9. Ex Parte Activity

	1ST QTR, 2017		2ND QTR, 2017		3RD QTR, 2017		4TH QTR, 2017		1ST QTR, 2018	
	HRGS	ORDS								
SEATTLE										
ADOP/PAT	56	231	99	303	61	266	87	367	50	248
DOM. VIOL.	8	419	4	356	12	351	5	311	11	317
OTH. CIVIL	251	640	316	604	274	604	292	603	258	560
DOMESTIC	362	1722	399	1784	313	1643	375	1861	342	1721
PROB/GDN	853	2682	711	2301	691	1856	654	1758	656	1849
SUBTOTAL	1530	5694	1529	5348	1351	4720	1413	4900	1317	4695
DAILY AVG.	25	93	25	88	22	77	23	80	22	77
SEATTLE MAIL-IN										
ADOP/PAT	----	0	----	0	----	0	----	1	----	30
DOM. VIOL.	----	0	----	0	----	0	----	0	----	0
OTH. CIVIL	----	112	----	124	----	84	----	96	----	103
DOMESTIC	----	23	----	17	----	15	----	9	----	12
PROB/GDN	----	87	----	72	----	59	----	68	----	88
SUBTOTAL	----	222	----	213	----	158	----	174	----	233
DAILY AVG.	----	4	----	3	----	3	----	3	----	4
KENT										
ADOP/PAT	25	97	45	147	42	120	38	121	30	131
DOM. VIOL.	4	557	6	528	3	561	2	502	8	508
OTH. CIVIL	319	573	310	499	290	610	145	587	122	505
DOMESTIC	384	1277	388	1372	397	1287	343	1274	377	1393
PROB/GDN	455	807	453	690	409	601	238	582	244	524
SUBTOTAL	1187	3311	1202	3236	1141	3179	766	3066	781	3061
DAILY AVG.	19	54	20	53	19	52	13	50	13	50
KENT MAIL-IN										
ADOP/PAT	----	1	----	1	----	0	----	0	----	0
DOM. VIOL.	----	0	----	0	----	0	----	0	----	1
OTH. CIVIL	----	17	----	24	----	2	----	14	----	5
DOMESTIC	----	8	----	3	----	2	----	4	----	7
PROB/GDN	----	34	----	27	----	23	----	22	----	33
SUBTOTAL	----	60	----	55	----	27	----	40	----	46
DAILY AVG.	----	1	----	1	----	0	----	1	----	1
ALL SEA AND KENT										
TOTAL	2717	9288	2731	8853	2492	8085	2179	8181	2098	8036
AVERAGE	45	152	45	145	41	133	36	134	34	132

Note: Statistical report on Ex Parte via Clerk commenced in January 2009 and discontinued in 2016 when technology in E-filing allows orders being electronically signed by judicial officers without a department designation.

Appendix Glossary and Definition

General Definition

Active Status

A case is active if it is not on suspense status (see Suspense Status).

Case

A case is defined as a filing with an assigned case number (or a case number plus a defendant connection code in pre-1990 criminal filings).

Completion

A case is completed when dispositive document is filed with the court following resolution.

Jury Trial

A hearing is reported as a jury trial if the jury is impaneled.

New Case

A new case is an original filing with new case number assigned.

Non-Jury Trial

A hearing is reported as a non-jury trial if an opening statement is made, waived, or reserved. A juvenile fact finding hearings is reported as a non-jury trial.

Pending Case

A case is defined as pending if it is unresolved and active (not in suspense).

Reactivated Case

A case returns to active status from suspense status during the reporting period.

Re-opened Cases

A case is re-opened if it has been previously completed but returns to the court for supplement or change of the original case resolution. A re-opened case does not have a new case number. Only resolved cases can be "re-opened". (Note: measurement not available as of July 1996. SCOMIS capacity may exist after conversion to DB2 in the future).

Resolution

A case is resolved if all issues in the complaint are fully adjudicated.

Suspended Case

A case is placed in suspense status from active status during the reporting period.

Suspense Status

A case is on suspense status if it is on warrant, appeal, stay, mediation, arbitration ("Deferred Prosecution" is not a suspense status, but is treated as a resolution).

Trial

A hearing set before a judge or jury in which all the issues in the case are meant to be resolved. A trial normally includes opening statements to the court or jury stating what the evidence will show, introduction of witnesses and exhibits for direct and cross examination, final arguments to the court or jury in which counsel argue both the evidence and the law, and judgment by the court or jury stating what the facts of the case are and what law applies to the facts. In a jury case, it also includes the selection of the jury. A trial can be held

for one or more cases. A single trial may be held to adjudicate more than one case (as defined above).

Post-resolution Modifications

In this report, we also report the post-resolution modifications for case type 3 (domestic) and 5 (paternity). These numbers are based on the tracks (DMOD and DTBA) opened after the original resolution date (i.e., if the track beginning date is after the resolution date).

Section I. Filing Activity

Additional Filings with Clerk

Filings with clerk without assigning a SCOMIS case number. This reporting category consists of search warrants, wire taps, extradition, oaths and orders pertaining to Pro Tem judge/commissioners/Court

Reporters/Bailiffs, and other "non-case" filings as recorded under 12050 system.

Annual Filings

Total number of new case filings during the calendar year (January 1 to December 31).

Adoption Cases

This reporting category includes the following "cause-of-action" codes within SCOMIS case type 5:

- Relinquishment (REL)
- Termination of Parent/Child Relationship (TER)
- Adoption (ADP)
- Miscellaneous (MSC)
- Name Change - Confidential (CHN)
- Initial Pre-Placement Report Filed with Clerk (PPR)

General Civil Cases

"General Civil" cases include all civil matters other than Domestic, Probate, Guardianship, Adoption, Paternity and appeals from courts of limited jurisdiction and "Matters Filed with Clerk". "General civil" cases include small claims as identified by the "Small Claim Track". This reporting category includes the following "cause-of-action" codes within SCOMIS case type 2:

- Administrative Law Review (ALR)
- Change of Name - Non-Confidential (CHN)
- Collection (COL)
- Commercial (COM)
- Condemnation (CON)
- Domestic Violence Protection (DVP)
- Emancipation of Minor (EOM)
- Foreclosure (FOR)
- Civil Harassment (HAR)
- Injunction (INJ)
- Other Malpractice (MAL)
- Medical Malpractice (MED)
- Meretricious Relationship (MER)
- Malicious Harassment (MHA)
- Miscellaneous (MSC)
- Minor Settlement (MST) - as of 10/1/96, under Guardianship
- Petition of Civil Commitment- Sexual Predator (PCC)
- Property Fairness (PFA)
- Personal Injury (PIN)

- Property Damage (PRP)
- Quiet Title (QTI)
- Small Claims (LCA/LCI on “Small Claim Track”)
- Seizure of Property from the Commission of a Crime (SPC)
- Seizure of Property Resulting from a Crime (SPR)
- Tort Motor Vehicle (TMV)
- Tort Other (TTO)
- Unlawful Detainer (UND)
- Wrongful Death (WDE)
- Writ of Habeas Corpus (WHC)
- Miscellaneous Writ (WMW)
- Writ of Mandamus (WRM)
- Writ of Restitution (WRR)
- Writ of Review (WRV)

Civil RALJ Cases

Civil appeals from courts of limited jurisdiction (excluding small claims as identified by the “Small Claim Track”). Civil RALJ includes the following “cause-of-action” reporting categories:

- Lower Court Appeal - Civil and “Not a Small Claim”
- Lower Court Appeal - Infraction and “Not a Small Claim”

Note: The Civil RALJ cases are determined based on both SCOMIS “cause-of-action” code (LCA and LCI) within SCOMIS case type 2 and the “Small Claim Track”.

Criminal Cases (excl. RALJ)

Adult criminal cases, excluding appeals from courts of limited jurisdiction. This reporting category includes the following crime categories within SCOMIS case type 1:

- Homicide
- Sex Crime
- Robbery
- Assault
- Theft/Burglary
- Motor Vehicle Theft
- Controlled Substance
- Other Felony
- Others (Misdemeanor, Non-charge Case)

Criminal RALJ Cases

Criminal appeals from courts of limited jurisdiction. This reporting category includes all SCOMIS case type 1 cases that have an appeal from lower court field of “Yes”.

Domestic Cases

This reporting category includes the following “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 3:

- Annulment – Invalidity (INV)
- Child Custody (CUS)
- Dissolution With Children Of The Marriage (DIC)
- Dissolution With No Children Of The Marriage (DIN)
- Dissolution of Domestic Partnership – With Children (DPC)
- Dissolution of Domestic Partnership – With No Children (DPN)
- Foreign Judgment (FJU)
- Invalidity – Domestic Partnership (INP)
- Mandatory Wage Assignment (MWA)
- Miscellaneous (MSC)
- Modification (MOD)
- Modification – Support Only (MDS)
- Out-Of-State Child Custody (OSC)
- Parenting Plan / Child Support (PPS)
- Reciprocal, Respondent In-County (RIC)
- Reciprocal, Respondent Out-of-County (ROC)
- Legal Separation (SEP)
- Legal Separation – Domestic Partnership (SPD)

Guardianship Cases

This reporting category includes the following “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 4:

- Guardianship/Estate (G/E)
- Guardianship (GND)
- Limited Guardianship (LGD)
- Minor Settlement (MST)

Juvenile ARY/CHINS Cases

Juvenile dependency cases, excluding truancy cases and DEP cause code. This reporting category includes following “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 7:

- Alternative Residential Placement (ARP)
- At-Risk Youth (ARY)
- Child in Need of Service (CNS)

Juvenile Dependency Cases

This reporting category includes following “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 7:

- Dependency (DEP)
- Termination (TER)
- Developmental Disability (DDP)
- Guardianship Foster Children (GFC)
- Reinstatement of Parental Rights (RPR)
- Extension of Foster Care (EFC)
- Relative Visitation (RVS)

Juvenile Offender Cases

This reporting category includes the following crime categories in SCOMIS case type 8:

- Homicide
- Sex Crime
- Robbery
- Assault
- Theft/Burglary
- Motor Vehicle Theft
- Controlled Substance
- Other Felony
- Others (Misdemeanor, Non-charge Case)

Juvenile Truancy Cases

Mandatory truancy filings started on 10/01/1995. This reporting category includes the following “cause-of-action” code within SCOMIS case type 7:

- Truancy (TRU)

Matters Filed with Clerk

Filings with clerk (case numbers assigned), but requiring little or no judicial action. This reporting category includes the following “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 2:

- Abstract of Judgment (ABJ)
- Foreign Judgment (FJU)
- Tax Warrant (TAX)
- Transcripts of Judgment (TRJ)

ITA (civil commitment) Cases

This reporting category includes all “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 6:

- Alcoholic Treatment (ALT)
- Mental Illness - Adult (MI)
- Mental Illness - Juvenile (MIJ)
- Mental Illness - Family (MIF)

Paternity Cases

This reporting category includes the following “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 5:

- Modification (MOD)
- Paternity (PAT)
- Paternity/URES/UFSA (PUR)

Probate Cases

This reporting category includes the following “cause-of-action” codes within SCOMIS case type 4:

- Absentee (ABS)
- Disclaimer (DSC)
- Estate (EST)
- Foreign Will (FNW)
- Miscellaneous (MSC)
- Non-Probate Notice to Creditors (NNC)
- Will Only (WLL)

Total Cases

New cases with case numbers assigned, excluding “Matters Filed with Clerk” and “Additional Filings with Clerk”.

Year-to-Date Filings

Total number of new filings since the beginning of calendar year (January 1) to the end of reporting period.

Section II. Resolution Category

Adoption - Resolved by Trial

Court Decision after Non-Jury Trial (CDAT)

Adoption - Uncontested

Consolidated Case (CONS)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)

Adoption - Settlement/Dismissal

Closed by Court Order after a Hearing (CLCO)
Dismissal without Trial (DSM)
Dismissal after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (DAT)
Settled after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (SAT)
Settled by Parties/Agreed Judgment (STPR)

Adoption - Closure by Clerk

Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)

Adoption - Others

Change of Venue/Jurisdiction (CHV)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Civil - Resolved by Jury Trial

Jury Verdict after Trial (JVAT)

Civil - Resolved by Non-Jury Trial

Court Decision after Non-Jury Trial (CDAT)

Civil - Summary Judgment

Summary Judgment (SMJG)

Civil - Default/Uncontested

Consolidated Case (CONS)
Default Judgment (DFJG)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)

Civil - Arbitration

Settle by Arbitration (ARBA)

Civil - Settlement/Dismissal

Closed by Court Order after a Hearing (CLCO)
Dismissal after Non-Jury Trial (DAT)
Dismissal after Jury Trial (DJT)
Dismissal (DSM)
Settled after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (SAT)
Settled after Jury Trial Commencement (SJT)
Settled by Parties/Agreed Judgment (STPR)

Civil - Closure by Clerk

Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)

Civil - Others

Transferred to Federal bankruptcy Court (BANK)
Change of Venue/Jurisdiction (CHV)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Civil RALJ - RALJ Decision

Court Decision to Affirm Appeal/review (CDTA)
Court Decision to Modify Appeal/Review (CDTM)
Court Decision to Reverse Appeal/review (CDTR)

Civil RALJ - Dismissal

Dismissal and Remand of Appeal/Review (DSRM)

Civil RALJ - Others

Other Non-specified Resolutions

Comparison with Court Standard

Percentage of cases actually falling within the Court’s standard benchmark.

Court Standard

Benchmarks set by a state advisory committee and adopted by the court indicating percentage of cases to be resolved at certain age (in months, 1 month = 30 days as used in the Advisory Case Processing Time Standard as published in the Court Rule).

Court standard is based on timelines as suggested by State Advisory Committee. For a case type with no time standard, the standard for a similar case type is adopted if appropriate.

Criminal: 90% by 4 months, 98% by 6 months, 100% by 9 months.

Civil: 90% by 12 months, 98% by 18 months, 100% by 24 months.

Domestic: 90% by 8 months, 98% by 10 months, 100% by 14 months.

Probate/Guardianship: 90% by 8 months, 98% by 18 months, 100% by 36 months.

Adoption/Paternity: 90% by 8 months, 98% by 10 months, 100% by 14 months.

Mental Illness/Juvenile Truancy: No standard yet.

Juvenile Dependency: 90% by 8 months, 98% by 10 months, 100% by 14 months.

Juvenile Offender: 90% by 4 months, 98% by 6 months, 100% by 9 months.

Criminal RALJ/Civil RALJ: 90% by 4 months, 98% by 5 months, 100% by 6 months.

Criminal - Resolved by Jury Trial

Acquittal by Jury (AQJV)
Convicted - Jury Verdict after Trial (CVJV)

Criminal - Resolved by Non-Jury Trial

Acquittal by Court (AQCT)
Convicted - Court Decision after Non-Jury Trial (CVCT)

Criminal - Resolved by Guilty Plea

Guilty Plea (GP)
Guilty Plea after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (GPAT)
Guilty Plea after Jury Trial Commencement (GPJT)

Criminal - Dismissal

Dismissal after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (DAT)
Dismissal after Jury Trial Commencement (DJT)
Dismissal (DSM)

Criminal - Others

Change of Venue (CHV)
Consolidated Case (CONS)
Continued Order of Prosecution with Completion (CTOP)*
Deferred Prosecution (DFPD)
Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)
Governor’s warrant (GW)
Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity (NGRI)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)
Waiver of Extradition (WE)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

* Note: For adult criminal cases, “CTOP” does not necessarily constitute resolution. An adult criminal case with a “CTOP” as resolution code is counted as a resolved case only if a completion code exists along with the “CTOP”. If the resolution code is CTOP and there is no completion code, then the case is treated as unresolved. The primary reason for combining “CTOP” with a completion code is to determine resolution for drug court cases (CTOP is entered in the SCOMIS resolution field as soon as a defendant enrolls in

Drug Court). This rule on “CTOP” applies to adult criminal cases only.

Criminal RALJ - RALJ Decision

Court Decision to Affirm Appeal/review (CDTA)
Court Decision to Modify Appeal/Review (CDTM)
Court Decision to Reverse Appeal/review (CDTR)

Criminal RALJ - Dismissal

Dismissal and Remand of Appeal/Review (DSRM)

Criminal RALJ - Others

Other Non-specified Resolutions

Domestic - Resolved by Trial

Court Decision after Non-Jury Trial (CDAT)

Domestic - Default/Uncontested

Consolidated Case (CONS)
Default Judgment (DFJG)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)

Domestic - Settlement/Dismissal

Settled by Arbitration (ARBA)
Closed by Court Order after a Hearing (CLCO)
Dismissal after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (DAT)
Dismissal (DSM)
Settled after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (SAT)
Settled by Parties/Agreed Judgment (STPR)

Domestic - Closure by Clerk

Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)

Domestic - Others

Change of Venue/Jurisdiction (CHV)
Summary Judgment (SMJG)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Guardianship - Guardian Appointed

Guardian Appointed (PRGA)

Guardianship - Dismissal

Closed by Court Order after a Hearing (CLCO)
Dismissal (DSM)

Guardianship - Closure by Clerk

Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)

Guardianship - Others

Change of Venue/Jurisdiction (CHV)
Consolidated Case (CONS)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Juvenile Dependency - Finding of Dependency

Approved Petition (APP)

Juvenile Dependency - Dismissal

Dismissal (DSM)

Juvenile Dependency - Others

Change of Venue/Jurisdiction (CHV)
Consolidated Case (CONS)
Transfer of Jurisdiction (TRJU)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Juvenile Offender - Resolved by Trial

Acquittal by Court (AQCT)
Convicted - Court Decision after Adjudicatory Hearing (CVCT)

Juvenile Offender - Resolved by Guilty Plea

Guilty Plea before Adjudicatory Hearing Commencement (GP)
Guilty Plea after Adjudicatory Hearing Commencement (GPAT)

Juvenile Offender - Dismissal

Dismissal after Adjudicatory Hearing Commencement (DAT)

Dismissal (DSM)

Juvenile Offender - Others

Change of venue (CHV)
Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)
Consolidated Case (CONS)

Continued Prosecution (CTOP)

Decline of Jurisdiction (DECL)

Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)

Other Non-specified Resolutions

Juvenile Truancy - Finding of Truancy

Approved Petition (APP)

Juvenile Truancy - Dismissal

Dismissal (DSM)

Juvenile Truancy - Others

Change of Venue (CHV)
Consolidated Case (CONS)
Transfer of Jurisdiction (TRJU)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

ITA - Court Decision to Commit

Court Decision to Commit (CDTC)

ITA - Closed by Court

Closed by Court (CLCO)

ITA - Dismissal

Dismissal (DSM)

ITA - Others

Change of Venue/Jurisdiction (CHV)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Paternity - Resolved by Trial

Court Decision after Non-Jury Trial (CDAT)

Paternity - Summary Judgment

Summary Judgment (SMJG)

Paternity - Default/Uncontested

Consolidated Case (CONS)
Default Judgment (DFJG)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)

Paternity - Settlement/Dismissal

Settled by Arbitration (ARBA)
Closed by Court Order after a Hearing (CLCO)
Dismissal after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (DAT)
Dismissal (DSM)
Settled after Non-Jury Trial Commencement (SAT)
Settled by Partied/Agreed Judgment (STPR)

Paternity - Closure by Clerk

Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)

Paternity - Others

Change of Venue (CHV)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Percentile

Percent of cases resolved at a given age. For example, if resolved cases had a 98 percentile of 12 months, it means that 98% of the cases were resolved within the age of 12 months, or conversely 2% of the cases were resolved after 12 months, not counting suspense time.

Probate - Personal Representative Appointed

Non-Intervention Probate (NIP)
Personal Representative Appointed (PRGA)

Probate - Dismissal

Closed by Court Order after a Hearing (CLCO)
Dismissal (DSM)

Probate - Closure by Clerk

Dismissal/Closure by Clerk (DSCK)

Probate - Others

Change of Venue (CHV)
Consolidated Case (CONS)
Uncontested Resolution (UNDS)
Other Non-specified Resolutions

Backlogged Cases

Active pending cases with an age exceeding the court-adopted time standard for each specific case type (recommended by the State Advisory Committee, see definition for *Court Standard*).

Section III. Pending Caseload

Adjustment

Adjustment made because of vacating of resolutions, or change in suspense status between two reporting period.

End Pending

Total number of pending cases at the end of reporting period.

Previous Pending

Total number of pending cases at the beginning of reporting period.

Resolution Rate

Resolution rate is defined as the ratio of number of resolutions to number of new filings (i.e., number of resolutions divided by number of new filings) during the reporting period. The resolution rate measures the relative pace of resolution in relation to the pace of new filings. A resolution rate of greater than 1 indicates the number of resolutions exceeds the number of new filings.

On-review Status

Cases that have been resolved (post-resolution) but still need court resources for periodic review and other remaining outstanding issues.

Probate (EST), Paternity (PAT) and Dependency (DEP): Resolved and not completed (paternity or dependency established, but outstanding issues remain).

Guardianship (GDN,LGD,G/E): Resolved and on tracks of G1,G2,G3,GE or GD; Minor Settlement (MST): Resolved with a future hearing date.

Section IV. Age of Pending Cases

Case Age

The age of a case is the time (number of days) since the filing date, less any suspense time if applicable.

Median Age

The median age is the time that 50% of the cases are under and 50% are above the given age. For example, if pending cases have a median age of 12 months, it means that 50% of the pending cases are within the age of 12 months, and 50% of pending cases are over 12 months. The median age is more robust to cases with extreme age values than the average age.

Suspense Time

Time (days) that a case is on suspense status before its resolution. If a case has more than one suspense between filing and resolution, the suspense time is the total from all suspense. Time on suspense status after resolution (e.g., appeals) is not counted.