

King County Superior Court
Criminal Department Statistical Report

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Terminology

Age of Pending Case

Time (days) from filing to resolution, less suspense time if applicable.

Age of Resolved Case

Time (days) from filing to resolution, less suspense time if applicable.

End Pending

Number of pending cases at the end of reporting period.

Net Change in Pending

The change in number of pending cases (end pending minus previous pending).

Pending Case

A case is defined as pending if it is unresolved and not on suspense status.

Previous Pending

Number of pending cases at the beginning of reporting period.

Reactivated Case

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

Resolution

A case is resolved if all issues in the complaint are fully adjudicated. However, a drug court case is reported as resolved only when dispositive document is also filed (completed).

Resolution Category

Five resolution categories are used to report resolution of criminal cases: jury trial (CVJV, AQJV), non-jury trial (CVCT, AQCT), guilty plea (GP, GPAT, GPJT), dismissal (DSM), and other (all other resolution codes). For criminal RALJ cases, the resolution categories are: RALJ decision (CDTA, CDTM, CDTR), dismissal (DSRM), and others (any other resolution codes).

Suspended Case

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

Suspense Status

A case is said to be on suspense status if it is on warrant or appeal.

Suspense Time

Time (days) a case is on suspense status.

Figure 1. Number of Criminal Filings, Resolutions and Pending Caseload by Month



Note: Starting January 2010, RALJ cases are included.

Figure 2. Crime Category as a Percentage of Total Filings by Year

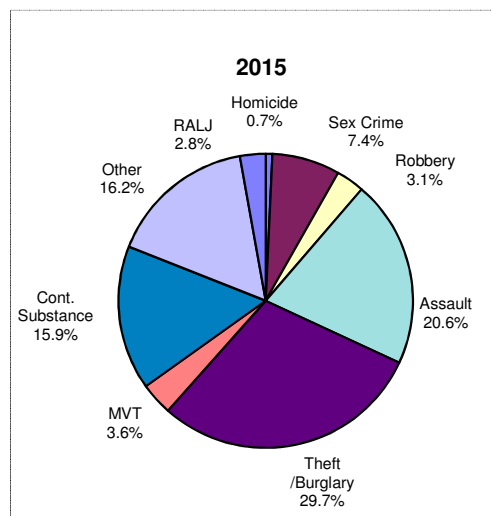
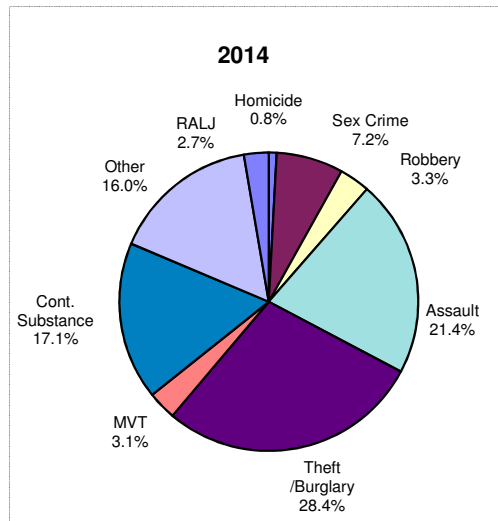
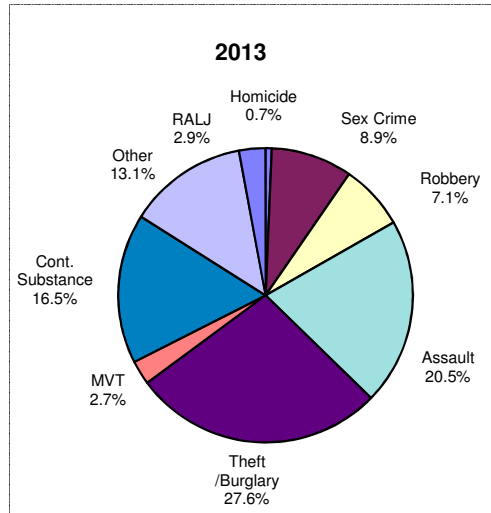


Table 1. Monthly Criminal New Filings by Crime Category ^(*)
King County Superior Court

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	ADJ ⁽¹⁾	Annual
Total														
2012	445	522	618	512	576	544	555	543	458	507	410	443	(+2)	6135
2013	514	492	524	536	545	462	502	540	462	597	482	568	(+2)	6226
2014	512	514	604	623	551	449	518	506	487	590	468	558	(+6)	6383
2015 ⁽²⁾	525	544	647	590	582	590	458	518	525	531	413	491	(+4)	6418
Homicide														
2012	4	2	7	4	7	2	7	7	7	3	6	4	(+2)	62
2013	3	2	5	3	2	2	4	3	6	6	0	5	(+1)	42
2014	3	2	9	4	4	4	11	5	2	1	6	2	(-2)	51
2015 ⁽²⁾	4	0	3	5	0	6	3	6	2	4	4	6	(+4)	47
Sex Crime														
2012	34	49	34	60	40	22	38	47	33	20	30	27	(+1)	435
2013	45	39	79	54	49	27	54	43	19	38	59	51	(+6)	563
2014	37	38	52	42	24	36	37	30	49	38	36	43	(-6)	456
2015 ⁽²⁾	37	46	42	38	52	37	32	49	40	38	23	42	(+2)	478
Robbery														
2012	33	38	57	19	50	32	17	32	36	47	24	33	(+1)	419
2013	44	36	33	33	31	40	27	41	48	49	29	34	(+7)	452
2014	50	28	26	13	11	9	12	9	14	16	11	13	(-35)	177
2015 ⁽²⁾	20	10	20	18	18	18	10	8	12	20	11	18	(+17)	200
Aggravated Assault														
2012	91	95	110	104	118	121	115	123	114	124	106	101	(+14)	1336
2013	103	116	102	121	119	76	122	98	103	104	110	104	(+24)	1302
2014	128	109	137	109	113	116	130	121	100	106	87	108	(+29)	1393
2015 ⁽²⁾	107	105	99	115	117	99	120	130	111	107	83	100	(+30)	1323
Burglary/Theft /Larceny														
2012	141	134	178	160	156	121	175	144	119	114	106	133	(+13)	1694
2013	139	127	138	162	147	144	148	147	130	167	110	157	(+10)	1726
2014	122	140	162	182	167	109	132	145	148	205	127	172	(+17)	1928
2015 ⁽²⁾	144	159	243	185	165	177	119	125	136	139	137	140	(+34)	1903
Motor Vehicle Theft														
2012	18	19	15	5	13	7	10	19	11	10	7	12	(-6)	140
2013	17	14	12	15	11	9	16	10	17	19	9	16	(-3)	162
2014	13	15	24	23	19	10	16	6	13	16	10	33	(+3)	201
2015 ⁽²⁾	22	26	34	21	23	21	12	20	16	19	8	16	(-9)	229
Controlled Substance														
2012	57	102	147	88	93	152	116	85	75	90	53	51	(-1)	1108
2013	88	69	82	62	95	94	66	86	58	130	82	112	(0)	1024
2014	74	87	116	142	104	80	68	84	74	99	81	82	(+7)	1098
2015 ⁽²⁾	77	91	90	110	104	115	62	63	94	79	67	66	(+1)	1019
Other														
2012	51	64	58	61	80	70	65	65	53	74	64	66	(-22)	749
2013	61	77	59	72	71	56	55	88	71	70	70	68	(-44)	774
2014	73	77	65	98	100	71	99	85	75	93	96	86	(-8)	1010
2015 ⁽²⁾	111	93	99	84	83	100	80	94	102	113	65	90	(-75)	1039
Criminal RALJ														
2012	16	19	12	11	19	17	12	21	10	25	14	16	(0)	192
2013	14	12	14	14	20	14	10	24	10	14	13	21	(+1)	181
2014	12	18	13	10	9	14	13	21	12	16	14	19	(+1)	172
2015 ⁽²⁾	3	14	17	14	20	17	20	23	12	12	15	13	(0)	180
KNT Filing as % of Total														
2012	41%	41%	39%	40%	43%	39%	43%	45%	41%	45%	47%	47%		42%
2013	43%	46%	44%	46%	46%	39%	41%	35%	43%	41%	38%	37%		42%
2014	46%	47%	48%	47%	46%	44%	43%	46%	43%	50%	46%	46%		45%
2015 ⁽²⁾	46%	47%	48%	42%	44%	44%	42%	49%	44%	45%	44%	42%		

(*) The highest crime category in a case's history is used to classify cases. For example, a case charged with homicide at any time in the case's history is reported as a homicide regardless of whether the charge is reduced at resolution.

(1) "ADJ" = year-end adjustment.

(2) Reflects all documents received by 01/15/2016.

Table 2. Monthly Criminal Case Resolutions by Crime Category
King County Superior Court

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	ADJ ⁽¹⁾	Annual
Total														
2012	388	447	520	502	501	521	481	492	438	558	470	446	(+18)	5782
2013	552	484	546	478	533	422	526	551	496	538	418	462	(+13)	6019
2014	495	495	528	490	513	486	584	474	523	605	437	526	(+11)	6167
2015 ⁽²⁾	547	445	560	680	529	578	567	526	583	546	516	505	(+7)	6589
Homicide														
2012	1	5	2	6	3	5	4	1	5	2	2	5	(0)	41
2013	3	3	3	5	10	7	3	4	2	8	4	8	(+1)	61
2014	2	5	6	6	3	1	3	2	5	2	3	6	(+1)	45
2015 ⁽²⁾	3	2	5	7	5	6	4	5	2	3	6	4	(0)	52
Sex Crime														
2012	37	27	37	39	33	38	33	47	31	56	28	25	(+4)	435
2013	34	39	39	47	43	36	33	54	45	47	29	27	(0)	473
2014	40	47	40	36	50	34	39	34	36	42	20	34	(-1)	451
2015 ⁽²⁾	28	29	36	42	42	33	46	36	36	38	39	40	(+1)	446
Robbery														
2012	31	42	34	38	32	52	33	37	29	33	27	25	(0)	413
2013	42	30	40	32	36	38	38	35	45	29	39	28	(+1)	433
2014	43	41	41	24	24	17	26	25	15	14	14	23	(-44)	263
2015 ⁽²⁾	15	14	19	13	18	27	23	19	14	11	25	20	(+1)	219
Aggravated Assault														
2012	74	96	137	111	126	99	108	85	94	123	128	107	(+3)	1291
2013	102	109	132	98	127	86	120	108	97	138	89	83	(0)	1289
2014	101	103	113	112	104	107	125	119	103	153	129	112	(+17)	1398
2015 ⁽²⁾	126	96	118	136	124	106	110	83	128	136	113	104	(+3)	1383
Burglary/Theft /Larceny														
2012	81	116	112	132	124	134	133	141	100	132	103	115	(+3)	1426
2013	148	135	137	113	137	106	148	149	136	124	109	127	(+11)	1580
2014	123	133	150	125	141	122	171	126	171	149	115	145	(+7)	1678
2015 ⁽²⁾	138	122	176	224	141	189	165	181	168	155	144	169	(-3)	1969
Motor Vehicle Theft														
2012	12	8	13	14	20	7	7	17	11	11	9	8	(+1)	138
2013	15	7	13	12	14	8	13	9	13	14	8	6	(0)	132
2014	14	16	8	16	15	28	11	11	13	16	16	13	(0)	177
2015 ⁽²⁾	13	21	14	20	19	24	13	16	29	17	22	14	(0)	222
Controlled Substance – Non Drug Court														
2012	69	67	79	76	81	71	81	79	82	93	57	78	(+11)	916
2013	104	61	70	64	75	46	70	74	71	62	49	81	(-2)	825
2014	69	62	74	72	65	73	86	70	81	94	61	83	(+1)	891
2015 ⁽²⁾	85	64	78	116	68	76	93	75	69	59	73	64	(0)	920
Drug Court														
2012	22	11	21	16	10	22	14	16	17	22	23	2	(0)	204
2013	21	21	30	27	18	20	24	29	20	27	12	8	(0)	261
2014	20	25	14	15	17	22	20	18	14	21	12	8	(+4)	210
2015 ⁽²⁾	30	14	16	13	18	17	15	21	13	21	15	3	(+4)	200
Other														
2012	45	62	68	60	53	76	54	55	51	73	69	67	(-1)	732
2013	70	66	70	65	62	56	61	71	55	77	59	72	(-5)	786
2014	66	54	67	73	75	64	87	57	72	97	60	94	(+27)	893
2015 ⁽²⁾	90	71	84	91	78	79	86	79	108	91	74	72	(+2)	1005
Criminal RALJ														
2012	16	13	17	10	19	17	14	14	18	13	24	14	(-3)	186
2013	13	13	12	15	11	19	16	18	12	12	20	22	(-4)	179
2014	17	9	15	11	19	18	16	12	13	17	7	8	(-1)	161
2015 ⁽²⁾	19	12	14	18	16	21	12	11	16	15	5	15	(-1)	173
KNT as % of Total														
2012	41%	45%	44%	41%	43%	46%	39%	43%	44%	39%	42%	41%		42%
2013	44%	40%	46%	44%	45%	38%	41%	49%	42%	38%	41%	41%		42%
2014	38%	45%	40%	40%	42%	49%	44%	46%	49%	44%	43%	43%		42%
2015 ⁽²⁾	46%	46%	52%	55%	50%	52%	43%	47%	45%	46%	48%	46%		47%

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Table 3. Number of Cases Resolved and Resolution Category
King County Superior Court

Crime Category (*)	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Nov 2015	Dec 2015
Homicide	3	2	5	7	5	6	4	5	2	3	6	4
Resolved by Jury Trial	0	0	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	3	0
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resolved by Guilty Plea	3	2	3	5	3	3	2	5	1	2	3	4
Dismissal	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Sex Crime	28	29	36	42	42	33	46	36	36	38	39	40
Resolved by Jury Trial	1	2	4	1	3	1	1	3	2	3	5	2
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Resolved by Guilty Plea	24	22	26	36	35	29	42	30	32	28	32	33
Dismissal	3	5	6	5	4	3	3	3	2	6	2	5
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	15	14	19	13	18	27	23	19	14	11	25	20
Resolved by Jury Trial	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resolved by Guilty Plea	15	12	19	12	14	23	23	19	14	11	24	18
Dismissal	0	1	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	2
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	126	96	118	136	124	106	110	83	128	136	113	104
Resolved by Jury Trial	5	0	6	7	7	2	4	7	5	4	2	8
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Resolved by Guilty Plea	104	80	89	118	98	84	89	55	109	111	92	85
Dismissal	16	16	23	11	19	20	17	21	14	19	19	11
Others	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Burglary/Theft/Larceny	138	122	176	224	141	189	165	181	168	155	144	169
Resolved by Jury Trial	5	3	2	3	2	4	1	3	4	2	6	4
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Resolved by Guilty Plea	113	110	152	201	124	166	153	163	152	139	120	155
Dismissal	20	9	22	19	15	19	11	15	11	14	18	10
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	13	21	14	20	19	24	13	16	29	17	22	14
Resolved by Jury Trial	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resolved by Guilty Plea	11	17	14	18	15	21	12	16	27	14	20	13
Dismissal	2	3	0	2	4	2	1	0	2	3	2	1
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Controlled Substance - Non Drug Court⁽¹⁾	85	64	78	116	68	76	93	75	69	59	73	64
Resolved by Jury Trial	3	3	0	3	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resolved by Guilty Plea	61	50	69	89	39	58	72	61	54	44	59	57
Dismissal	21	11	9	24	25	18	21	14	13	15	14	6
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Drug Court⁽²⁾	30	14	16	13	18	17	15	21	13	21	15	3
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	2	4	3	0	1	0	3	2	3	1	1	2
Resolved by Guilty Plea	4	3	3	2	3	3	0	2	0	3	2	1
Dismissal	24	7	10	11	14	14	12	17	10	17	12	0
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	90	71	84	91	68	79	86	79	108	91	74	72
Resolved by Jury Trial	2	4	10	3	4	4	5	2	3	5	2	2
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Resolved by Guilty Plea	68	51	50	66	39	63	63	61	79	61	52	52
Dismissal	20	16	22	21	25	11	18	14	23	24	19	14
Others	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	1	1	3
Criminal RALJ	19	12	14	18	16	21	12	11	16	15	5	15
RALJ Decision	10	11	11	13	9	16	7	4	11	9	3	7
Dismissal	9	1	3	5	6	5	4	6	4	6	2	8
Others	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0

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(3) DV Subset includes cases with a DV flag in at least one of the charges within the specific crime category at the time of the reporting.

Table 4. Age (days) of Resolved Cases
King County Superior Court

Crime Category ^(*)	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Nov 2015	Dec 2015
Homicide ^(**)												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	314	201	905	379	245	588	348	517	806	464	460	193
90% Cases Resolved by Day	433	218	1618	974	412	1456	1306	675	1147	733	1332	727
Average Time (days)	299	201	919	435	228	699	556	489	806	460	643	310
Sex Crime												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	154	190	185	168	226	118	202	191	191	159	173	156
90% Cases Resolved by Day	390	356	556	528	497	371	365	549	320	560	386	317
Average Time (days)	186	173	241	228	255	169	193	250	198	230	184	198
Robbery												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	99	73	82	150	82	97	116	91	76	177	91	102
90% Cases Resolved by Day	341	302	367	282	301	218	274	195	281	265	365	245
Average Time (days)	133	120	124	199	114	110	145	108	128	160	131	141
Aggravated Assault												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	115	119	102	94	106	122	93	89	109	98	89	109
90% Cases Resolved by Day	316	321	291	294	351	343	267	268	300	252	273	224
Average Time (days)	176	147	153	138	184	163	130	139	144	132	121	132
Burglary/Theft/Larceny												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	110	117	119	89	106	92	102	110	111	119	113	107
90% Cases Resolved by Day	321	274	318	269	226	229	207	263	322	239	251	284
Average Time (days)	151	158	153	129	122	122	118	132	148	136	135	148
Motor Vehicle Theft												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	118	70	71	77	64	88	62	100	90	125	49	126
90% Cases Resolved by Day	338	232	318	259	180	127	150	152	174	218	156	288
Average Time (days)	132	115	141	118	75	98	72	103	98	129	75	166
Controlled Substance												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	125	126	145	145	95	100	113	111	134	131	146	123
90% Cases Resolved by Day	273	265	318	342	238	255	254	296	364	286	279	378
Average Time (days)	144	169	179	167	156	146	128	151	179	158	152	162
Drug Court ⁽²⁾												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	577	497	595	621	573	474	510	567	604	537	611	365
90% Cases Resolved by Day	707	835	1021	828	947	700	1127	699	947	949	910	600
Average Time (days)	567	512	611	666	622	146	583	575	703	566	650	442
Other												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	131	102	104	92	83	102	107	97	98	102	98	85
90% Cases Resolved by Day	336	299	344	279	231	363	245	288	339	253	252	259
Average Time (days)	155	139	156	241	103	304	129	132	147	118	215	124
Criminal RALJ												
50% Cases Resolved by Day	371	294	237	253	226	288	239	253	304	232	287	306
90% Cases Resolved by Day	784	631	574	687	355	412	350	438	358	306	445	446
Average Time (days)	469	376	340	318	235	304	263	250	288	237	296	297

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(**) Due to small number of resolutions in this category, the age statistics for homicides are expected to vary considerably.

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Table 5. Pending Criminal Cases
King County Superior Court

Crime Category (*)	Dec 2014	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Nov 2015	Dec 2015
Total													
Previous Pending	2982	3021	2900	2954	3048	2935	3037	3020	2937	2910	2881	2861	2804
New Filing (+)	558	525	544	647	590	582	590	458	518	525	531	413	491
Resolved (-)	526	547	445	560	680	529	578	567	526	583	546	516	505
End Pending	3021	2900	2954	3048	2935	3037	3020	2937	2910	2881	2861	2804	2776
Homicide													
Previous Pending	66	65	66	65	62	59	57	58	58	57	59	62	61
New Filing (+)	2	4	0	3	5	0	6	3	6	2	4	4	6
Resolved (-)	6	3	2	5	7	5	6	4	5	2	3	6	4
End Pending	65	66	65	62	59	57	58	58	57	59	62	61	64
Sex Crime													
Previous Pending	264	270	270	270	278	273	268	274	264	272	280	276	263
New Filing (+)	43	37	46	42	38	52	37	32	49	40	38	23	42
Resolved (-)	34	28	29	36	42	42	33	46	36	36	38	39	40
End Pending	270	270	270	278	273	268	274	264	272	280	276	263	273
Robbery													
Previous Pending	81	65	61	59	60	67	70	67	60	60	53	64	55
New Filing (+)	13	20	10	20	18	18	18	10	8	12	20	11	18
Resolved (-)	23	15	14	19	13	18	27	23	19	14	11	25	20
End Pending	65	61	59	60	67	70	67	60	60	53	64	55	54
Aggravated Assault													
Previous Pending	487	504	470	467	463	443	454	468	455	493	496	477	447
New Filing (+)	108	107	105	99	115	117	99	120	130	111	107	83	100
Resolved (-)	112	126	96	118	136	124	106	110	83	128	136	113	104
End Pending	504	470	467	463	443	454	468	455	493	496	477	447	468
Burglary/Theft/Larceny													
Previous Pending	710	719	686	713	779	744	795	762	737	688	675	646	657
New Filing (+)	172	144	159	246	185	165	177	119	125	136	139	137	140
Resolved (-)	145	138	122	176	224	141	189	165	181	168	155	144	169
End Pending	719	686	713	779	744	795	762	737	688	675	646	657	638
Motor Vehicle Theft													
Previous Pending	61	70	70	63	89	85	93	79	77	78	69	67	65
New Filing (+)	33	22	26	34	21	23	21	12	20	16	19	8	16
Resolved (-)	13	13	21	14	20	19	24	13	16	29	17	22	14
End Pending	70	70	63	89	85	93	79	77	78	69	67	65	56
Controlled Substance - Non Drug Court (1)													
Previous Pending	456	427	416	433	447	393	445	431	417	390	385	392	387
Resolved (-)	83	85	64	78	116	68	76	93	75	69	59	73	64
End Pending	427	416	433	447	393	445	431	417	390	385	392	387	351
Drug Court (2)													
Previous Pending	284	293	289	305	300	293	281	300	300	299	310	314	314
New Filing (+)	20	26	21	14	17	2	28	15	20	21	23	18	25
Resolved (-)	8	30	14	16	13	18	17	15	21	13	21	15	3
End Pending	293	289	305	300	293	281	300	300	299	310	314	314	324
Other													
Previous Pending	429	453	435	442	447	441	432	443	424	416	400	413	396
New Filing (+)	86	111	93	99	84	83	100	80	94	102	113	65	90
Resolved (-)	94	90	71	84	91	78	79	86	79	108	91	74	72
End Pending	453	435	442	447	441	432	443	424	416	400	413	396	392
Criminal RALJ													
Previous Pending	144	155	137	137	140	137	142	138	145	157	154	150	159
New Filing (+)	19	3	14	17	14	20	17	20	23	12	12	15	13
Resolved (-)	8	19	12	14	18	16	21	12	11	16	15	5	15
End Pending	155	137	137	140	137	142	138	145	157	154	150	159	156
Total Pending Caseload													
SEA (%)	51%	51%	51%	52%	55%	55%	57%	57%	56%	56%	56%	57%	59%
KNT (%)	49%	49%	49%	48%	45%	45%	43%	43%	44%	44%	44%	43%	41%

(*) Information from filing to the reporting time is used to determine crime category for pending cases. The category for a case in this table is the highest crime category since filing. For example, a case initially charged with homicide is reported as a homicide regardless of whether or not the charge is reduced since filing. On the other hand, if the charge for a case is upgraded later, then the reporting category in later reports will reflect the upgraded (higher) crime category.

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Table 6. Age of Pending Criminal Cases
King County Superior Court

Crime Category (*)	Dec 2014	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Nov 2015	Dec 2015
Total													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	121	108	108	98	94	95	98	106	110	107	109	112	114
95 th percentile	771	550	557	525	526	537	549	565	567	572	578	594	611
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	868	936	963	1103	1064	1030	1028	923	877	963	922	830	836
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	640	636	626	647	613	740	717	689	698	604	626	650	606
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	413	376	419	391	388	396	396	445	439	439	422	395	397
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	365	365	359	339	322	322	351	326	346	356	370	382	379
> 270 days (> 9 months)	735	587	587	568	548	549	528	554	550	519	521	547	558
Homicide													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	262	237	293	296	309	340	333	344	326	317	322	309	288
95 th percentile	1124	1203	1321	1214	1421	1452	1305	1336	1367	1397	1329	1062	1093
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	11	10	4	2	4	4	6	8	6	8	9	8	10
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	4	7	11	10	4	2	5	4	6	7	6	8	8
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	9	3	4	6	9	8	5	2	5	4	5	7	4
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	10	15	13	10	6	6	10	12	7	6	5	6	8
> 270 days (> 9 months)	31	31	33	34	36	37	32	32	33	34	37	32	34
Sex Crime													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	136	125	130	128	130	130	134	129	131	127	124	141	136
95 th percentile	681	601	586	524	520	514	530	536	530	554	506	509	499
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	68	78	63	69	69	70	71	70	71	77	63	56	66
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	56	51	59	67	53	54	58	51	59	60	65	61	55
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	43	41	49	42	48	53	38	38	44	44	47	47	50
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	34	38	37	43	46	43	49	47	41	40	43	44	47
> 270 days (> 9 months)	69	62	62	57	57	48	58	58	57	59	58	55	55
Robbery													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	79	55	61	63	70	69	77	70	71	79	70	81	57
95 th percentile	849	488	583	581	428	459	468	287	318	330	341	287	318
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	22	32	29	26	32	33	24	25	25	20	28	24	28
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	15	16	12	17	18	16	25	17	12	13	16	11	12
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	4	2	10	9	7	10	7	10	13	11	8	7	5
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	3	1	0	1	4	6	7	4	4	5	8	10	6
> 270 days (> 9 months)	21	10	8	7	6	5	4	4	6	4	4	3	3
Aggravated Assault													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	100	94	87	76	78	74	69	79	78	72	79	92	87
95 th percentile	517	373	388	407	407	417	401	352	330	289	299	321	352
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	167	177	184	193	187	201	211	185	203	224	194	147	181
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	120	99	104	109	108	111	114	126	139	120	132	137	101
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	74	76	68	50	53	61	65	68	68	76	73	76	83
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	57	58	53	55	41	36	41	38	46	48	47	53	58
> 270 days (> 9 months)	86	60	58	56	54	45	37	38	37	28	31	34	45
Burglary/Theft/Larceny													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	85	79	79	65	65	73	79	89	97	87	89	84	92
95 th percentile	588	370	327	316	314	321	306	332	350	319	321	344	350
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	262	280	292	364	349	327	297	250	229	253	249	245	238
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	177	190	191	199	171	239	238	226	184	156	149	168	157
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	99	78	94	102	108	106	106	129	136	124	101	91	88
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	71	68	75	58	66	66	71	75	81	89	100	94	88
> 270 days (> 9 months)	110	70	61	56	50	57	50	57	58	53	47	59	67

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Table 6 (cont.). Age of Pending Criminal Cases
King County Superior Court

Crime Category (*)	Dec 2014	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Nov 2015	Dec 2015
Motor Vehicle Theft													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	84	56	54	35	58	70	82	80	95	66	60	77	74
95 th percentile	400	413	441	343	263	294	324	355	386	416	255	290	355
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	30	36	35	58	47	40	34	29	29	31	35	23	21
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	13	12	13	16	24	35	23	19	19	13	10	18	18
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	9	7	3	7	7	11	12	18	15	11	8	7	4
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	6	6	5	3	3	2	6	7	11	9	11	9	5
> 270 days (> 9 months)	12	9	7	5	4	5	4	4	4	5	3	8	8
Controlled Substance - Non Drug Court⁽¹⁾													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	96	97	90	83	77	79	71	82	96	86	88	83	87
95 th percentile	953	416	339	366	345	366	387	409	415	410	369	389	426
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	127	137	161	175	173	181	191	155	126	152	143	144	112
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	127	118	102	96	92	120	97	118	127	97	104	100	110
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	58	65	78	68	54	56	51	54	49	62	67	58	58
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	49	52	49	49	39	45	51	42	39	36	40	42	35
> 270 days (> 9 months)	66	44	43	42	35	43	41	48	49	38	38	43	36
Drug Court⁽²⁾													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	374	369	380	387	399	421	429	434	428	435	406	418	427
95 th percentile	997	939	995	996	1023	1038	1076	1068	1084	959	1020	1046	895
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	0	3	2	3	3	0	3	4	2	1	3	2	2
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	6	8	9	14	10	9	17	11	15	14	7	10	17
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	17	17	23	17	12	14	21	22	23	24	29	22	16
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	56	46	41	34	41	33	37	32	39	46	46	49	48
> 270 days (> 9 months)	214	215	230	232	227	225	222	231	220	225	229	231	241
Other													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	111	89	87	79	81	95	93	94	87	86	76	83	83
95 th percentile	756	385	394	377	386	417	410	428	421	364	387	411	414
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	148	165	176	182	171	140	156	162	146	163	174	154	150
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	94	104	92	99	116	127	112	82	101	92	97	103	108
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	70	55	63	61	58	61	74	79	61	50	49	48	49
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	51	52	54	55	43	51	49	50	54	52	45	40	42
> 270 days (> 9 months)	90	59	57	50	53	53	52	51	54	43	48	51	43
Criminal RALJ													
Age (days)													
Median (50 th percentile)	146	164	166	158	170	165	133	135	124	136	145	152	171
95 th percentile	591	489	495	451	457	476	506	520	551	581	612	642	673
# of Cases in Age Interval													
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	33	18	17	31	29	34	35	35	40	34	24	27	28
61-120 days (3 - 4 months)	28	31	33	20	17	27	28	35	36	32	40	34	20
121-180 days (5 - 6 months)	30	32	27	29	32	16	17	25	25	33	35	32	40
181-270 days (7 - 9 months)	28	29	32	31	33	34	30	19	24	25	25	35	42
> 270 days (> 9 months)	36	27	28	29	26	31	28	31	32	30	26	31	26

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Table 7. Comparison between SEA/KNT: Filings, Resolutions, and Pending Caseload
King County Superior Court

	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Nov 2015	Dec 2015 ⁽¹⁾
Total Filings												
SEA - # of Cases Filed	283	291	339	341	325	332	264	266	292	294	231	284
KNT - # of Cases Filed	242	253	308	249	257	258	194	252	233	237	182	207
SEA %	54%	53%	52%	58%	56%	56%	58%	51%	56%	55%	56%	58%
KNT %	46%	47%	48%	42%	44%	44%	42%	49%	44%	45%	44%	42%
Total Resolutions												
SEA - # of Cases Resolved	273	228	259	296	256	265	315	262	310	283	255	273
KNT - # of Cases Resolved	244	203	285	371	255	296	237	243	260	242	246	231
SEA - Drug Court Cases Resolved	22	12	8	8	11	15	11	16	12	12	13	3
KNT - Drug Court Cases Resolved	8	2	8	5	7	2	4	5	1	9	2	0
SEA %	50%	51%	46%	44%	48%	46%	56%	50%	53%	52%	49%	53%
KNT %	45%	46%	51%	55%	48%	51%	42%	46%	45%	44%	48%	46%
SEA - Drug Court %	4%	3%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%
KNT - Drug Court %	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%
Total Pending												
SEA - # of Cases Pending	1294	1314	1408	1424	1490	1512	1471	1435	1406	1379	1378	1397
KNT - # of Cases Pending	1317	1335	1340	1218	1266	1208	1166	1176	1165	1168	1112	1055
SEA - Drug Court Cases Pending	184	195	193	192	192	198	199	205	208	219	212	233
KNT - Drug Court Cases Pending	105	110	107	101	89	102	101	94	102	95	102	91
SEA %	45%	44%	46%	49%	49%	50%	50%	49%	49%	48%	49%	50%
KNT %	45%	45%	44%	42%	42%	40%	40%	40%	40%	41%	40%	38%
SEA - Drug Court %	6%	7%	6%	7%	6%	7%	7%	7%	7%	8%	8%	8%
KNT - Drug Court %	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%

(1) Reflects all documents received by 01/15/2016.

(2) The number of judges does not include RJC chief judge and the criminal chief judge at SEA.

Table 8. Drug Court Statistics

King County Superior Court

Categories	Nov 2014	Dec 2014	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Oct 2015	Dec 2015
Referrals - Total	31	31	38	24	33	52	54	56	27	43	48	25	34	28
Directly from PA	10	10	20	19	22	45	37	37	16	24	35	13	22	17
From Mainstream	21	21	18	5	11	7	17	19	11	19	14	12	12	11
Arraignments in Drug Court ⁽¹⁾	12	12	15	19	23	32	35	26	22	16	29	24	13	24
GP in Drug Court ⁽²⁾	2	2	4	1	1	2	2	3	1	2	0	0	5	1
Return to mainstream ⁽³⁾	9	9	17	14	8	12	9	17	7	6	17	25	13	8
Opt-in ⁽⁴⁾	31	31	26	21	14	17	2	28	15	20	21	23	18	25
Graduations ⁽⁵⁾	6	6	24	7	10	11	14	12	12	17	10	17	12	0
Terminations ⁽⁶⁾	6	6	6	7	6	2	4	3	3	2	3	4	3	3

- (1) Arraignments held in drug court regardless opt-in status of the cases.
- (2) Guilty pleas entered in drug court before opt-in.
- (3) Referred to drug court but decision by court order to go to mainstream.
- (4) Opt-in reflects the court order of participation.
- (5) Graduations are dismissals of opted-in cases after the completion of program.
- (6) Terminations are cases that fail in drug court.