

**Judicial Caseload Indicators**  
**12-Month Periods Ending March 31, 2007, 2012, 2015 and 2016**

Judicial Caseload	2007	2012	2015	2016	Percent Change		
					Since 2007	Since 2012	Since 2015
<b>U.S. Courts of Appeals <sup>1</sup></b>							
Cases Filed	60,668	56,624	54,244	53,649	-11.6	-5.3	-1.1
Cases Terminated	65,308	57,002	54,756	53,673	-17.8	-5.8	-2.0
Cases Pending	53,085	44,194	40,946 <sup>2</sup>	40,922	-22.9	-7.4	-0.1
<b>U.S. District Courts</b>							
Civil							
Cases Filed	278,272	285,260	281,608	274,552	-1.3	-3.8	-2.5
Cases Terminated	254,850	288,330	264,124	270,515	6.1	-6.2	2.4
Cases Pending	263,499	262,950	340,678 <sup>2</sup>	344,715	30.8	31.1	1.2
Criminal (Includes Transfers)							
Defendants Filed	87,479	99,183	80,081	79,787	-8.8	-19.6	-0.4
Defendant Terminations	90,043	100,973	83,704	79,940	-11.2	-20.8	-4.5
Defendants Pending	98,320	107,805	97,883	97,131	-1.2	-9.9	-0.8
<b>U.S. Bankruptcy Courts</b>							
Cases Filed	695,575	1,367,006	911,086	833,515	19.8	-39.0	-8.5
Cases Terminated	950,845	1,385,725	1,049,457	947,587	-0.3	-31.6	-9.7
Cases Pending	1,364,516	1,641,889	1,322,698 <sup>2</sup>	1,208,606	-11.4	-26.4	-8.6
<b>Post-Conviction Supervision</b>							
Persons Under Supervision	115,002	132,329	133,452	138,074	20.1	4.3	3.5
<b>Pretrial Services</b>							
Total Cases Activated	95,649	112,460	96,803	93,649	-2.1	-16.7	-3.3
Pretrial Services Cases Activated	94,080	111,533	96,017	93,005	-1.1	-16.6	-3.1
Pretrial Diversion Cases Activated	1,569	927	786	644	-59.0	-30.5	-18.1
Total Released on Supervision	32,816	30,044	24,760	24,301	-25.9	-19.1	-1.9
Pretrial Supervision	31,325	28,715	23,674	23,372	-25.4	-18.6	-1.3
Diversion Supervision	1,491	1,329	1,086	929	-37.7	-30.1	-14.5

<sup>1</sup> Excludes the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

<sup>2</sup> Revised.