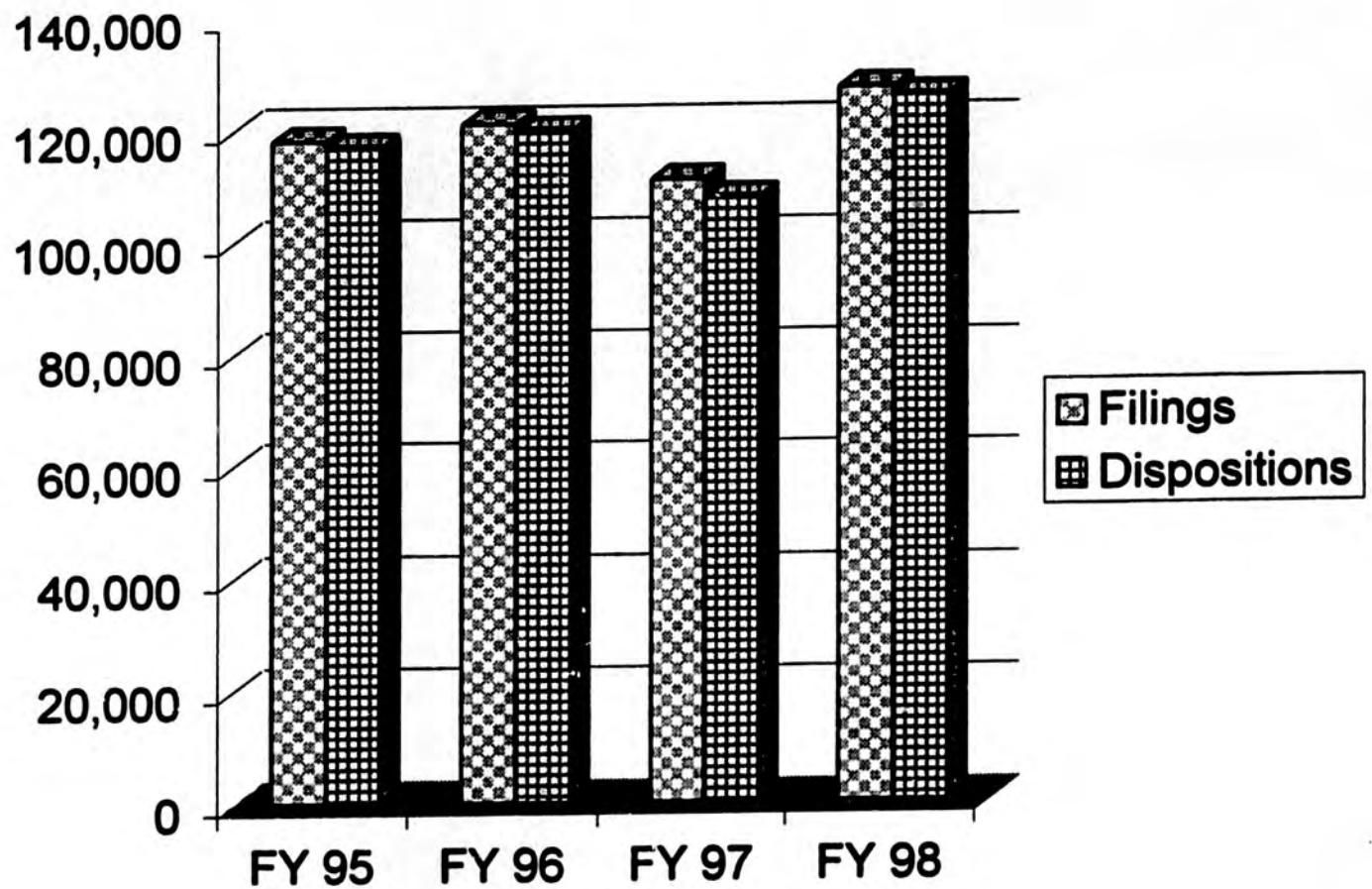


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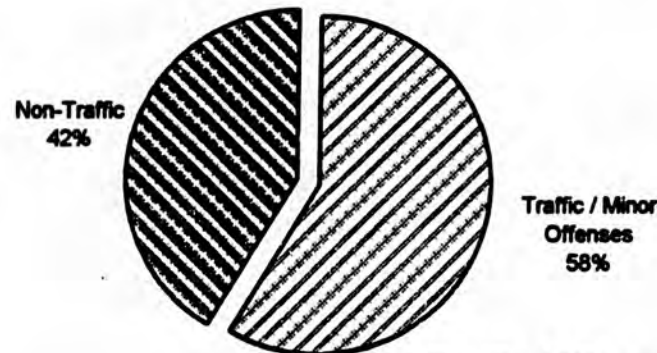
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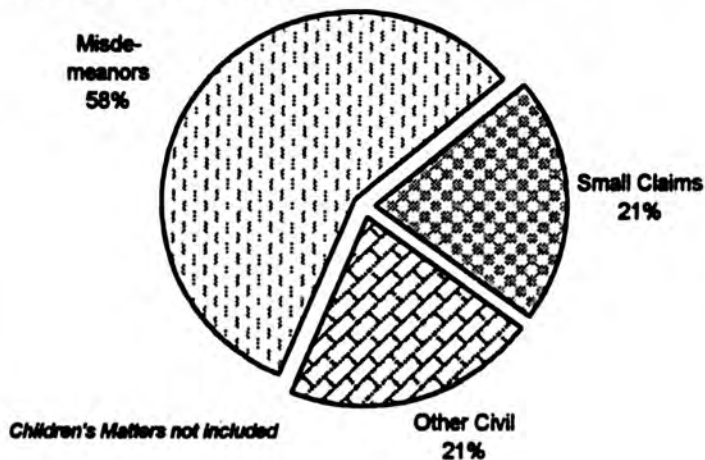
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Filings	118,213	121,080	111,021	127,014
Dispositions	117,117	119,696	107,740	125,669

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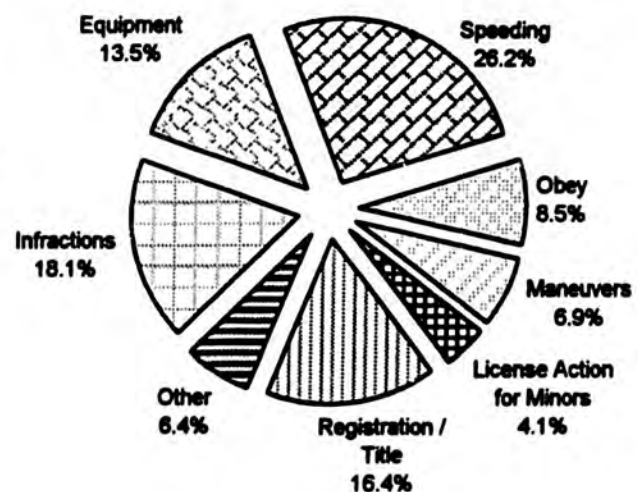
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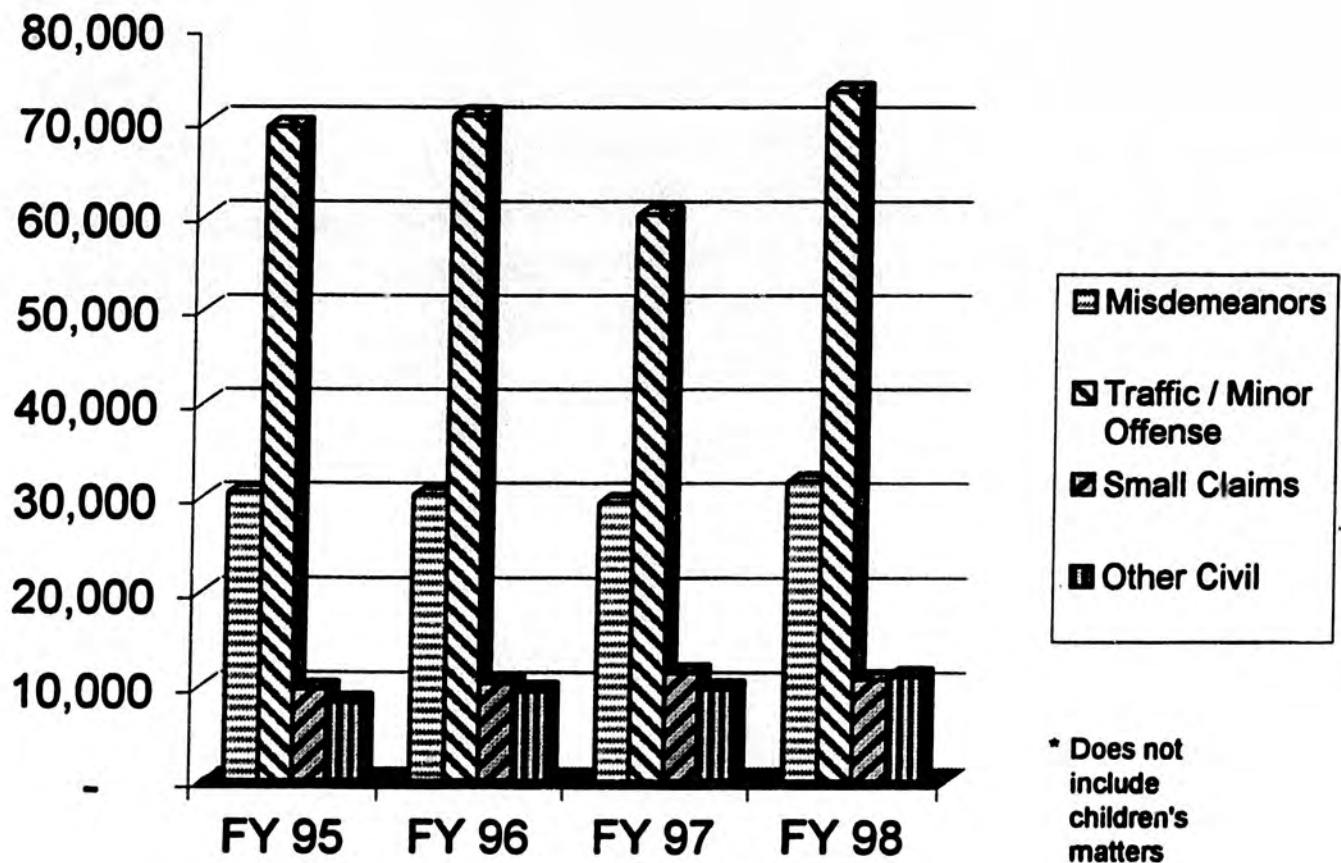


Misdemeanor Filings



Table VIII analyzes the composition of cases filed in higher volume district courts during FY 98. Misdemeanor cases represent approximately 24% of the total district court caseload. Approximately 36% of all misdemeanor cases involve driving while intoxicated and other criminal traffic violations (for example, driving with suspended license). In traffic cases, 4.1% were license actions for minors consuming alcohol even though they were not driving at the time. The over 18% of traffic caseload for Minor Offenses / Infractions are for lesser than criminal offenses not committed by minors.

Table IX
District Courts (Higher & Lower Volume)
Summary of Caseload
FY 95 - FY 98



<u>Filing Type</u>	<u>FY 95</u>	<u>FY 96</u>	<u>FY 97</u>	<u>FY 98</u>	<u>FY 95 to FY 98 Change</u>
Misdemeanors	30,508	30,312	29,463	31,727	4%
Traffic / Minor Offense	69,502	70,678	60,173	73,236	5%
Small Claims	9,717	10,367	11,469	10,757	11%
Other Civil	8,369	9,586	9,818	11,173	34%
Children's Matters	117	137	98	121	3%
Total	118,213	121,080	111,021	127,014	7%

Statistics



FOREWORD

This statistical supplement is designed primarily for research applications. It is comprised of six sections dealing with appellate and trial court statistics. Appellate court statistics are subdivided into sections on the supreme court and court of appeals. Trial court statistics are comprised of sections on superior courts, high volume district courts and lower volume district courts.

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Supreme Court



ALASKA SUPREME COURT
TABLE I
Recapitulation - Fiscal Year 1998

	Civil Appeals	Petitions for Hearing	Petitions for Review	Original Applications	Total
Beginning ^a	432	32	34	6	504
Transferred to Court of Appeals					
Transferred from Court of Appeals					
Filed	297	103	129	12	541
Reinstated					
Converted ^b (net)					
Corrected (net)					
Closed	299	91	117	14	521
Ending	430	44	46	4	524

^aAn error was discovered in the computer program which was used to generate these numbers in last year's report. The numbers have been restated after extensive evaluation of the method by which the numbers are generated. In last year's report, the numbers of cases pending at the end of FY 97 were stated as follows: Civil Appeals, 468; Petitions for Hearing, 14; Petitions for Review, 35; Original Applications, 10; and Total, 527.

^bBy action of the court or the parties, cases are occasionally converted from one type to another. These figures represent the end of all such changes during 1998.

ALASKA SUPREME COURT

TABLE II

Dispositions - Fiscal Year 1998

	Civil Appeals	Petitions for Hearing	Petitions for Review	Original applications	Total All Cases
DISPOSITIONS PUBLISHED OPINION					
Affirmed	76	2	0	0	78
Reversed or vacated	62	6	2	1	71
Affirmed in part/Reversed in part	38	0	0	0	38
Other (remanded, dismissed, etc.)	4	0	0	1	5
Total	180	8	2	2	192
SUMMARY AND DISPOSITIONS ON MERITS					
Affirmed	24	0	0	0	24
Reversed or vacated	4	0	0	1	5
Affirmed in part/Reversed in part	1	0	0	0	1
Other (remanded, dismissed, etc.)	1	0	0	0	1
Total	30	0	0	1	31
PETITIONS GRANTED	0	1	12	7	20
TOTAL DISPOSITIONS ON MERIT	210	9	14	10	243
PETITIONS DENIALS	0	77	85	1	163
DISMISSALS					
Stipulated to or by Appellant	68	0	10	1	79
On Motion of Appellee	6	0	0	0	6
<u>Sua sponte</u>	15	5	8	2	30
TOTAL DISPOSITIONS NOT ON MERITS	89	82	103	4	278
TOTAL DISPOSITIONS	299	91	117	14	521

ALASKA SUPREME COURT

TABLE III - Historical^a

	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-1996	1996-1997	1997-1998
A. FILINGS^b								
Civil Appeals	339	299	358	451	536	310	264	297
Criminal Petitions	106	125	93	82	100	81	85	103
Petitions for Review	150	128	133	117	100	104	115	129
Original applications	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>12</u>
TOTAL	612	568	591	668	753	518	486	541
B. DISPOSITIONS								
Civil Appeals	288	387	296	300	258	606 ^c	329	299
Criminal Petitions	104	132	102	85	98	81	92	91
Petitions for Review	137	139	139	127	101	95	114	117
Original Application	<u>18</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>14</u>
TOTAL	547	676	544	528	473	803	556	521
C. DISPOSITIONS								
On Merits	179	286	201	197	173	511	240	223
Petitions & Original Applications Denied	180	195	181	161	154	137	154	163
Granted and Closed				17	15	22	30	20
Dismissals	<u>188</u>	<u>195</u>	<u>162</u>	<u>153</u>	<u>131</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>132</u>	<u>115</u>
TOTAL	547	676	544	528	473	803	556	521
D. OPINIONS PUBLISHED	103	190	132	145	117	478	200	192
MEMORANDUM								
OPINION	49	72	51	52	56	33	40	31
AND JUDGMENTS								
E. PENDING END-OF-YEAR								
Civil Appeals	439	346	405	549	827	533	468	430
Criminal Petitions	37	27	21	18	20	21	14	44
Petitions for Review	49	37	33	26	25	34	35	46
Original Application	<u>8</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>
TOTAL	533	412	463	599	879	597	527	524

^aThe figures for cases pending at the end of the year plus the next year's filings minus dispositions do not always equal cases pending at the end of the following year due to reclassification and corrections. See footnote "b" to Table I.

^bIncludes reinstatements and cases transferred from the court of appeals to the supreme court.

^cThe 606 dispositions include 351 appeals that were resolved by this court's decision in *State v. Albert*, 899 P.2d 103 (Alaska 1995), upholding the constitutionality of charging fees under Criminal Rule 39(c) for court-appointed counsel.

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TABLE IV - Historical

Motions and Petitions for Rehearing

	FY 1994	FY 1995	FY 1996	FY 1997	FY 1998
A. FILINGS					
Petitions for Rehearing	43	42	35	36	47
Full Court Motions	110	92	67	60	43
Individual Justice Motions	1,157	1,121	1,088	1,130	1,258
routine (Clerk) Motions	<u>1,024</u>	<u>903</u>	<u>875</u>	<u>844</u>	<u>770</u>
TOTAL	2,334	2,158	2,065	2,070	2,118
B. DISPOSITIONS					
Petitions for Rehearing	46	42	35	37	42
Full Court Motions	111	88	66	62	36
Individual Justice Motions	1,161	1,132	1,059	1,097	1,209
Routine (clerk) Motions	<u>1,011</u>	<u>910</u>	<u>871</u>	<u>835</u>	<u>754</u>
TOTAL	2,329	2,172	2,031	2,028	2,041
C. PENDING END-OF-YEAR					
Petitions for Rehearing	3	3	3	2	7
Full Court Motions	2	6	7	5	12
Individual Justice Motions	28	17	46	82	131
Routine (Clerk) Motions	<u>22</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>44</u>
TOTAL	55	41	75	117	194

ALASKA SUPREME COURT

TABLE V

Reasons for Cases Pending June 30, 1998

	Civil Appeals	Criminal Petitions for Hearing	Civil Petitions for Review	Original Applications	Total All Cases
Awaiting records	69	1	5	0	75
Awaiting briefs	134	23	27	3	187
Awaiting hearing/submission	53	0	3	0	56
Awaiting draft opinion	92	2	1	0	95
Draft opinion circulating (awaiting votes, separate opinions)	63	3	1	0	67
Awaiting decision on granting petition	2	14	9	0	25
Awaiting decision on rehearing/record return	9	1	0	0	10
Stayed or remanded	8	0	0	1	9
TOTAL CASES PENDING JUNE 30, 1998	430	44	46	4	524

ALASKA SUPREME COURT
TABLE VI - Length of Time to Disposition
(Average Number of Days)
Cases Decided by Opinion or MO&J

	Fiscal Year 1998 Civil Appeals		Fiscal Year 1997 Civil Appeals		Fiscal Year 1996 Civil Appeals		Fiscal Year 1995 Civil Appeals	
	Days	Months	Days	Months	Days	Months	Days	Months
Pre-Submission to Court								
Notice of Appeal to Record Certification	93	3.1	86	2.8	84	2.7	122	4.0
Record Certification to Last Brief	175	5.8	176	5.8	173	5.7	168	5.5
Last Brief to Argument or Submission	113	3.8	92	3.0	77	2.5	70	2.3
Subtotal: Average Days/Months Before Submission to the Court	381	12.7	354	11.6	334	10.9	360	11.8
Submission to Decision								
Argument or Submission to Circulation of Draft Opinion or Recommendation	150	5.0	197	6.5	162	5.3	161	5.3
Circulation of Draft Opinion or Recommendation to Publication	127	4.2	127	4.2	153	5.0	122	4.0
Subtotal: Average Days/Months From Submission to Publication	321	10.7	352	11.6	349	11.4	304	10.0
Post-Publication Motions*								
Publication to Closing	44	1.5	28	.9	34	1.1	21	.7
AVERAGE NUMBER OF DAYS/MONTHS	702	23.4	706	23.4	683	22.3	664	21.8

*Post-publication motions primarily consist of petitions for rehearing and cost bills.

Court of Appeals



ALASKA COURT OF APPEALS
TABLE VII
Recapitulation - Fiscal Year 1998

	MERIT APPEALS		SENTENCE APPEALS		PETITIONS			ORIGINAL APPLICA-TION	TOTAL
	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	From District via Superior		
Beginning ^a	269	103	71	14	13	4	0	1	474
Transferred from Supreme Court									
Transferred to Supreme Court									
Filed	214	65	49	8	27	8	4	4	379
Reinstated									
Converted (net) ^b									
Correct (net) ^c									
Closed	194	82	69	13	30	11	3	4	406
Ending	289	86	51	9	10	1	1	0	447

^a An error was discovered in the computer program which was used to generate these numbers in last year's report. The numbers have been restated after extensive evaluation of the method by which the numbers are generated. In last year's report, the numbers of cases pending at the end of FY 97 were stated as follows: Merit Appeals, 294 Superior and 97 District; Sentence Appeals, 46 Superior and 12 District; Petitions 2 from Superior, 0 from District, and 0 from District via Superior; Original Applications, 0; and Total, 451.

^bBy action of the court or the parties, cases are occasionally converted from one type to another. These figures represent the net of all such changes during 1998.

^cThis category includes cases erroneously misclassified at the time they were filed. These figures represent the net of all such corrections during 1998.

ALASKA COURT OF APPEALS
TABLE VIII - Dispositions - Fiscal Year 1998

	MERIT APPEALS		SENTENCE APPEALS		PETITIONS			ORIGINAL APPLICATION	TOTAL
	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	From District via Superior		
DISPOSITIONS PUBLISHED OPINION									
Affirmed	28	14	3	2	1	0	0	0	48
Reversed or vacated	14	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	19
Affirmed in part/ Reversed in part	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Other (remanded/dismissed)	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
Total	45	16	4	2	4	1	1	0	73
SUMMARILY ON MERITS									
Affirmed	99	47	47	10	0	0	0	0	203
Reversed or vacated	13	6	2	0	1	0	0	0	22
Affirmed in part/ Reversed in part	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Other (remanded/dismissed)	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	7
Total	118	53	53	10	1	0	0	0	235
PETITIONS GRANTED	.	.	.	.	8	6	0	0	14
TOTAL ON MERITS	163	69	57	12	13	7	1	0	322
PETITION DENIALS	.	.	.	.	13	2	1	4	20
DISMISSALS									
Stipulated or by Appellant	20	8	11	1	2	1	0	0	43
Motion of Appellee	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	4
<u>Sua sponte</u>	9	5	1	0	1	0	1	0	17
TOTAL NOT ON MERIT	31	13	12	1	17	4	2	4	84
TOTAL DISPOSITIONS	194	82	69	13	30	11	3	4	406

ALASKA COURT OF APPEALS
TABLE IX - Historical^a

	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96	1996-1997	1997-1998
A. FILINGS^b								
Merit Appeals	328	247	245	228	239	282	252	279
Sentencing Appeals	126	136	166	143	151	102	75	57
Petitions	58	59	46	48	44	46	58	39
Original applications	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>
TOTAL	<u>514</u>	<u>446</u>	<u>461</u>	<u>422</u>	<u>436</u>	<u>432</u>	<u>386</u>	<u>379</u>
B. DISPOSITIONS								
Merit Appeals	255	309	274	213	239	220	241	279
Sentence Appeals	134	148	166	142	137	145	112	82
Petitions	65	56	47	53	43	50	64	44
Original Application	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>
TOTAL	<u>455</u>	<u>517</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>411</u>	<u>422</u>	<u>416</u>	<u>419</u>	<u>406</u>
C. DISPOSITIONS								
On Merits	301	361	362	292	313	317	325	322
Petitions & Original Applications Denied	40	39	33	38	41	33	53	20
Dismissals	<u>114</u>	<u>117</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>64</u>
TOTAL	<u>455</u>	<u>517</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>411</u>	<u>422</u>	<u>416</u>	<u>419</u>	<u>406</u>
D. OPINIONS PUBLISHED	95	110	70	77	61	70	76	73
MEMORANDUM OPINION AND JUDGMENTS	194	248	286	212	248	245	243	235
E. PENDING END-OF-YEAR								
Merit Appeals	406	335	303	318	318	380	396	375
Sentence Appeals	115	115	123	124	138	95	92	60
Petitions	15	16	15	10	10	6	22	12
Original Application	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	<u>537</u>	<u>467</u>	<u>441</u>	<u>453</u>	<u>467</u>	<u>482</u>	<u>509</u>	<u>447</u>

^aThe figures for cases pending at the end of one year plus the next year's filings minus dispositions do not always equal cases pending at the end of the following year due to reclassification and corrections. See footnote "b" to Table I.

^bIncludes reinstatements and transfers from the supreme court.

ALASKA COURT OF APPEALS

TABLE X - Historical

Motions and Petitions for Rehearing

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
A. FILINGS					
Petitions for Rehearing	15	16	16	17	24
Full Court Motions	95	89	79	65	90
Individual Judge Motions	1066	1028	1073	992	991
routine (Clerk) Motions	<u>556</u>	<u>420</u>	<u>377</u>	<u>372</u>	<u>509</u>
TOTAL	<u>1732</u>	<u>1553</u>	<u>1545</u>	<u>1446</u>	<u>1614</u>
B. DISPOSITIONS					
Petitions for Rehearing	15	14	18	16	24
Full Court Motions	94	92	75	68	86
Individual Judge Motions	1056	1019	1070	995	973
Routine (clerk) Motions	<u>599</u>	<u>421</u>	<u>373</u>	<u>367</u>	<u>492</u>
TOTAL	<u>1724</u>	<u>1546</u>	<u>1536</u>	<u>1456</u>	<u>1575</u>
C. PENDING END-OF-YEAR					
Petitions for Rehearing	0	2	0	1	1
Full Court Motions	5	2	6	3	7
Individual Judge Motions	24	33	36	33	51
Routine (Clerk) Motions	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>28</u>
TOTAL	<u>32</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>87</u>

ALASKA COURT OF APPEALS
TABLE XI
Reasons for Cases Pending - June 30, 1998

	MERIT APPEALS		SENTENCE APPEALS		PETITIONS			ORIGINAL APPLICA-TION	TOTAL
	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	Direct from Superior	Direct from District	From District via Superior		
Awaiting record	79	11	6	2	1	0	0	0	99
Awaiting briefs	93	38	12	1	1	1	0	0	145
Awaiting hearing/submission	15	6	5	2	4	0	0	0	32
Awaiting draft disposition	53	20	8	3	0	0	0	0	84
Draft disposition circulating	29	7	15	2	1	0	0	0	54
Awaiting decision on granting petition	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Awaiting decision on rehearing/ record return	12	4	4	0	2	0	1	0	23
Stayed or remanded	8	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	10
TOTAL CASES PENDING	289	86	51	9	10	1	1	0	447

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Statewide Trial Courts



**Alaska Courts
Summary of Population
As of July 1, 1997**

Court	Population			Change 4/1/90 to 7/1/97	% of Statewide Total
	Census 1990	Estimated* 7/1/97	Change		
Anchorage	226,338	254,849	28,511	12.6%	41.7%
Barrow	5,979	7,263	1,284	21.5%	1.2%
Bethel	12,127	13,982	1,855	15.3%	2.3%
Cordova	2,579	2,496	(83)	-3.2%	0.4%
Craig	4,652	5,099	447	9.6%	0.8%
Delta Junction	3,844	4,130	286	7.4%	0.7%
Dillingham	4,012	4,521	509	12.7%	0.7%
Fairbanks	77,720	82,278	4,558	5.9%	13.5%
Glennallen	2,763	3,182	419	15.2%	0.5%
Haines	2,117	2,421	304	14.4%	0.4%
Healy	1,171	1,334	163	13.9%	0.2%
Homer	6,810	8,351	1,541	22.6%	1.4%
Juneau	26,751	29,813	3,062	11.4%	4.9%
Kenai	29,570	34,879	5,309	18.0%	5.7%
Ketchikan	15,454	16,376	922	6.0%	2.7%
Kodiak	13,309	13,547	238	1.8%	2.2%
Kotzebue	6,113	6,701	588	9.6%	1.1%
Naknek	1,410	1,270	(140)	-9.9%	0.2%
Nenana	1,399	1,290	(109)	-7.8%	0.2%
Nome	8,288	9,178	890	10.7%	1.5%
Palmer	41,351	54,228	12,877	31.1%	8.9%
Petersburg	3,707	3,791	84	2.3%	0.6%
Seward	4,422	4,868	446	10.1%	0.8%
Sitka	8,588	8,733	145	1.7%	1.4%
Tok	2,069	2,224	155	7.5%	0.4%
Unalaska	10,153	5,885	(4,268)	-42.0%	1.0%
Valdez	4,367	4,464	97	2.2%	0.7%
Wrangell	2,635	2,631	(4)	-0.2%	0.4%
Lower Vol. Cts.	20,345	21,516	1,171	5.8%	3.5%
Total	550,043	611,300	61,257	11.1%	100.0%
1st District	68,989	74,217	5,228	7.6%	12.1%
2nd District	20,380	23,142	2,762	13.6%	3.8%
3rd District	349,116	394,548	45,432	13.0%	64.5%
4th District	111,558	119,393	7,835	7.0%	19.5%

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* Department of Labor estimates

Alaska Courts
Distribution of Population, Police and Lawyers
As of July 1, 1997

Location	Population as of 7/1/97	Total Number Police*	Police per Thousand Population	Total Number of Lawyers	Lawyers per Thousand Population
Anchorage	254,849	392	1.5	1,503	5.9
Barrow	7,263	46	6.3	8	1.1
Bethel	13,982	28	2.0	15	1.1
Cordova	2,496	5	2.0		
Craig	5,099	9	1.8		
Delta Junction	4,130	3	0.7	1	0.2
Dillingham	4,521	10	2.2	4	0.9
Fairbanks	82,278	85	1.0	184	2.2
Glennallen	3,182	4	1.3		
Haines	2,421	6	2.5	1	0.4
Healy	1,334	2	1.5		
Homer	8,351	14	1.7	15	1.8
Juneau	29,813	54	1.8	228	7.6
Kenai	34,879	47	1.3	49	1.4
Ketchikan	16,376	31	1.9	40	2.4
Kodiak	13,547	25	1.8	21	1.6
Kotzebue	6,701	15	2.2		
Naknek	1,270	2	1.6	1	0.8
Nenana	1,290	2	1.6		
Nome	9,178	14	1.5	8	0.9
Palmer	54,228	70	1.3	58	1.1
Petersburg	3,791	9	2.4	4	1.1
Seward	4,868	13	2.7	5	1.0
Sitka	8,733	23	2.6	15	1.7
Tok	2,224	5	2.2		
Unalaska	5,885	15	2.5		
Valdez	4,464	11	2.5	4	0.9
Wrangell	2,631	7	2.7	2	0.8
Lower Vol. Cts.	21,516	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Total	611,300	947	1.5	2,166	3.5
1st District	74,217	139	1.9	290	3.9
2nd District	23,142	75	3.2	16	0.7
3rd District	394,548	608	1.5	1,660	4.2
4th District	119,393	125	1.0	200	1.7

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* Authorized Positions

**Alaska Courts
Authorized Judicial Positions
FY 98**

Court	Superior Court	District Court	Magistrates	Masters	Total *	% of Statewide Total
Anchorage	12	9	5	6	32	25.8%
Barrow	1		1		2	1.6%
Bethel	1		1		2	1.6%
Cordova			1		1	0.8%
Craig			1		1	0.8%
Delta Junction			1		1	0.8%
Dillingham	1		1		2	1.6%
Fairbanks	5	3	2	2	12	9.7%
Glennallen			1		1	0.8%
Haines			1		1	0.8%
Healy			1		1	0.8%
Homer		1			1	0.8%
Juneau	2	1	1		4	3.2%
Kenai	2		1		3	2.4%
Ketchikan	2	1	1		4	3.2%
Kodiak	1		1		2	1.6%
Kotzebue	1		1		2	1.6%
Naknek			1		1	0.8%
Nenana						
Nome	1		1		2	1.6%
Palmer	2	1	1		4	3.2%
Petersburg			1		1	0.8%
Seward			1		1	0.8%
Sitka	1		1		2	1.6%
Tok			1		1	0.8%
Unalaska			1		1	0.8%
Valdez		1			1	0.8%
Wrangell			1		1	0.8%
Lower Vol. Cts.			37		37	29.8%
Total	32	17	67	8	124	100.0%
1st District	5	2	13		20	16.1%
2nd District	3		12		15	12.1%
3rd District	18	12	21	6	57	46.0%
4th District	6	3	21	2	32	25.8%

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* Does not include 15 pro tempore judicial positions.

**Alaska Courts
Authorized Positions
FY 98**

Court	Positions by Range					% of Statewide Total
	Below 10	10 Through 12	13 Through 16	Over 16	Total	
Anchorage	16	135	32	8	191	44.5%
Barrow *	1	2	3	1	7	1.6%
Bethel	1	7	2		10	2.3%
Cordova		1			1	0.2%
Craig	1	2			3	0.7%
Delta Junction		1			1	0.2%
Dillingham		3			3	0.7%
Fairbanks	6	51	15	5	77	17.9%
Glennallen	1	1			2	0.5%
Haines	1				1	0.2%
Healy		1			1	0.2%
Homer		2	1		3	0.7%
Juneau	4	15	5	1	25	5.8%
Kenai	2	13	3	1	19	4.4%
Ketchikan	2	10	4	2	18	4.2%
Kodiak	1	5	2		8	1.9%
Kotzebue	1	4	1		6	1.4%
Naknek		1			1	0.2%
Nenana		1			1	0.2%
Nome	1	4	1		6	1.4%
Palmer	4	14	4	1	23	5.4%
Petersburg		1			1	0.2%
Seward		3			3	0.7%
Sitka	1	4	2		7	1.6%
Tok		1			1	0.2%
Unalaska		2			2	0.5%
Valdez		3			3	0.7%
Wrangell		2			2	0.5%
Lower Vol. Cts.	3				3	0.7%
Total	46	289	75	19	429	100.0%
1st District	10	34	11	3	58	13.5%
2nd District	3	10	5	1	19	4.4%
3rd District	24	183	42	10	259	60.4%
4th District	9	62	17	5	93	21.7%

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Alaska Courts
Operating Costs (Thousands of Dollars)
FY 98

Court	Personnel	Other	Total	% of Statewide Total	Dollar Cost Per Case Filed	
					All Filings	Non Traffic Filings
Anchorage	\$11,430.8	\$2,807.3	\$14,238.1	37.0%	\$219	\$473
Barrow	604.3	880.8	1,485.1	3.9%	1,213	1,459
Bethel	836.0	420.2	1,256.2	3.3%	460	541
Cordova	125.4	134.3	259.7	0.7%	524	1,286
Craig	184.4	122.9	307.3	0.8%	290	386
Delta Junction	132.7	19.6	152.3	0.4%	311	846
Dillingham	405.7	173.2	578.9	1.5%	570	659
Fairbanks	5,196.9	1,025.7	6,222.6	16.2%	347	666
Glennallen	157.8	103.6	261.4	0.7%	232	1,002
Haines	64.3	43.4	107.7	0.3%	249	544
Healy	149.0	26.6	175.6	0.5%	405	3,512
Homer	267.0	114.4	381.4	1.0%	137	393
Juneau	1,579.6	289.0	1,868.6	4.9%	197	266
Kenai	1,308.3	308.3	1,616.6	4.2%	158	393
Ketchikan	1,287.3	172.0	1,459.3	3.8%	395	548
Kodiak	663.6	109.1	772.7	2.0%	234	460
Kotzebue	562.7	72.0	634.7	1.7%	553	736
Naknek	158.3	39.4	197.7	0.5%	529	706
Nenana	18.9	20.7	39.6	0.1%	142	535
Nome	796.6	327.7	1,124.3	2.9%	742	838
Palmer	1,545.3	325.1	1,870.4	4.9%	132	372
Petersburg	142.9	161.1	304.0	0.8%	490	731
Seward	245.9	16.0	261.9	0.7%	187	500
Sitka	535.6	77.3	612.9	1.6%	511	708
Tok	111.4	93.2	204.6	0.5%	466	1,137
Unalaska	190.9	96.7	287.6	0.7%	365	719
Valdez	279.3	50.1	329.4	0.9%	327	659
Wrangell	139.2	122.4	261.6	0.7%	476	805
Lower Vol. Cts.	830.8	337.4	1,168.2	3.0%	351	488
Total	29,950.9	8,489.5	38,440.4	100.0%	259	513
1st District	4,167.1	1,093.8	5,260.9	13.7%	292	407
2nd District	2,048.7	1,336.4	3,385.1	8.8%	821	979
3rd District	16,778.3	4,298.3	21,076.6	54.8%	207	466
4th District	6,956.8	1,761.5	8,718.3	22.7%	361	650

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Alaska Courts
Distribution of Population, Costs and Judicial Positions
FY 98

Location	Percentage of Statewide Statistics				
	Population	Operating Costs	Judicial Positions	Case Filings	Case Dispositions
Anchorage	41.7%	37.0%	25.8%	43.3%	42.8%
Barrow	1.2%	3.9%	1.6%	0.8%	0.7%
Bethel	2.3%	3.3%	1.6%	1.8%	1.6%
Cordova	0.4%	0.7%	0.8%	0.3%	0.3%
Craig	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	0.7%
Delta Junction	0.7%	0.4%	0.8%	0.3%	0.3%
Dillingham	0.7%	1.5%	1.6%	0.7%	0.6%
Fairbanks	13.5%	16.2%	9.7%	12.1%	13.1%
Glennallen	0.5%	0.7%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%
Haines	0.4%	0.3%	0.8%	0.3%	0.3%
Healy	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%	0.3%
Homer	1.4%	1.0%	0.8%	1.9%	1.9%
Juneau	4.9%	4.9%	3.2%	6.4%	6.6%
Kenai	5.7%	4.2%	2.4%	6.9%	6.7%
Ketchikan	2.7%	3.8%	3.2%	2.5%	2.6%
Kodiak	2.2%	2.0%	1.6%	2.2%	2.4%
Kotzebue	1.1%	1.7%	1.6%	0.8%	0.8%
Naknek	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%	0.2%
Nenana	0.2%	0.1%		0.2%	0.2%
Nome	1.5%	2.9%	1.6%	1.0%	1.0%
Palmer	8.9%	4.9%	3.2%	9.5%	9.8%
Petersburg	0.6%	0.8%	0.8%	0.4%	0.5%
Seward	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	0.9%	0.9%
Sitka	1.4%	1.6%	1.6%	0.8%	0.8%
Tok	0.4%	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%	0.3%
Unalaska	1.0%	0.7%	0.8%	0.5%	0.5%
Valdez	0.7%	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%	0.7%
Wrangell	0.4%	0.7%	0.8%	0.4%	0.4%
Lower Vol. Cts.	3.5%	3.0%	29.8%	2.2%	2.0%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
1st District	12.1%	13.7%	16.1%	12.2%	12.5%
2nd District	3.8%	8.8%	12.1%	2.8%	2.8%
3rd District	64.5%	54.8%	46.0%	68.8%	67.9%
4th District	19.5%	22.7%	25.8%	16.3%	16.8%

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**Alaska Courts
Statewide Filings
FY 98**

Location	Superior Court	District Court	Total	% of Statewide Total	Filings per Judge
Anchorage	11,328	53,669	64,997	43.8%	2,031.2
Barrow	302	922	1,224	0.8%	612.0
Bethel	765	1,964	2,729	1.8%	1,364.5
Cordova		496	496	0.3%	496.0
Craig		1,060	1,060	0.7%	1,060.0
Delta Junction		489	489	0.3%	489.0
Dillingham	151	865	1,016	0.7%	508.0
Fairbanks	2,833	15,082	17,915	12.1%	1,492.9
Glennallen		1,128	1,128	0.8%	1,128.0
Haines		432	432	0.3%	432.0
Healy		434	434	0.3%	434.0
Homer		2,775	2,775	1.9%	2,775.0
Juneau	960	8,549	9,509	6.4%	2,377.3
Kenai	998	9,237	10,235	6.9%	3,411.7
Ketchikan	708	2,987	3,695	2.5%	923.8
Kodiak	422	2,877	3,299	2.2%	1,649.5
Kotzebue	282	865	1,147	0.8%	573.5
Nal. nek		374	374	0.3%	374.0
Nenana		279	279	0.2%	
Nome	378	1,138	1,516	1.0%	758.0
Palmer	1,630	12,522	14,152	9.5%	3,538.0
Petersburg	87	533	620	0.4%	620.0
Seward		1,398	1,398	0.9%	1,398.0
Sitka	208	991	1,199	0.8%	599.5
Tok		439	439	0.3%	439.0
Unalaska		789	789	0.5%	789.0
Valdez	103	903	1,006	0.7%	1,006.0
Wrangell	57	493	550	0.4%	550.0
Lower Vol. Cts.		3,324	3,324	2.2%	89.8
Total	21,212	127,014	148,226	100.0%	1,195.4
1st District	2,020	16,024	18,044	12.2%	902.2
2nd District	962	3,160	4,122	2.8%	274.8
3rd District	14,632	87,308	101,940	68.8%	1,788.4
4th District	3,598	20,522	24,120	16.3%	753.8

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**Alaska Courts
Statewide Dispositions
FY 98**

Location	Superior Court	District Court	Total	% of State-wide Total	Dispositions per Judge
Anchorage	9,643	52,267	61,910	42.8%	1,934.7
Barrow	235	832	1,067	0.7%	533.5
Bethel	520	1,765	2,285	1.6%	1,142.5
Cordova		496	496	0.3%	496.0
Craig		1,063	1,063	0.7%	1,063.0
Delta Junction		478	478	0.3%	478.0
Dillingham	106	791	897	0.6%	448.5
Fairbanks	2,881	16,089	18,970	13.1%	1,580.8
Glennallen		1,127	1,127	0.8%	1,127.0
Haines		411	411	0.3%	411.0
Healy		441	441	0.3%	441.0
Homer		2,812	2,812	1.9%	2,812.0
Juneau	880	8,645	9,525	6.6%	2,381.3
Kenai	808	8,873	9,681	6.7%	3,227.0
Ketchikan	673	3,128	3,801	2.6%	950.3
Kodiak	458	2,962	3,420	2.4%	1,710.0
Kotzebue	264	836	1,100	0.8%	550.0
Naknek		360	360	0.2%	360.0
Nenana		240	240	0.2%	
Nome	387	1,107	1,494	1.0%	747.0
Palmer	1,644	12,556	14,200	9.8%	3,550.0
Petersburg	109	566	675	0.5%	675.0
Seward		1,373	1,373	0.9%	1,373.0
Sitka	232	988	1,220	0.8%	610.0
Tok		443	443	0.3%	443.0
Unalaska		773	773	0.5%	773.0
Valdez	106	856	962	0.7%	962.0
Wrangell	53	493	546	0.4%	546.0
Lower Vol. Cts.		2,898	2,898	2.0%	78.3
Total	18,999	125,669	144,668	100.0%	1,166.7
1st District	1,947	16,189	18,136	12.5%	906.8
2nd District	886	3,093	3,979	2.8%	265.3
3rd District	12,765	85,479	98,244	67.9%	1,723.6
4th District	3,401	20,908	24,309	16.8%	759.7

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Superior. Court



**Superior Courts
Summary of Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	11,599	11,575	10,916	11,328	-2%	4%
Barrow	168	231	410	302	80%	-26%
Bethel	681	723	752	765	12%	2%
Dillingham			119	151		27%
Fairbanks	2,687	2,520	2,740	2,833	5%	3%
Juneau	1,237	1,156	1,242	960	-22%	-23%
Kenai	1,169	1,127	1,034	998	-15%	-3%
Ketchikan	881	798	813	708	-20%	-13%
Kodiak	452	447	477	422	-7%	-12%
Kotzebue	279	298	255	282	1%	11%
Nome	296	324	345	378	28%	10%
Palmer	1,333	1,328	1,573	1,630	22%	4%
Petersburg	104	113	77	87	-16%	13%
Sitka	304	260	253	208	-32%	-18%
Valdez	132	84	89	103	-22%	16%
Wrangell	56	56	78	57	2%	-27%
Total	21,378	21,040	21,173	21,212	-1%	
1st District	2,582	2,383	2,463	2,020	-22%	-18%
2nd District	743	853	1,010	962	29%	-5%
3rd District	14,685	14,561	14,208	14,632		3%
4th District	3,368	3,243	3,492	3,598	7%	3%

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Dillingham Superior Court established 7/1/96

**Superior Courts
Composition of Filings
FY 98**

Court	Felony	Civil				Total
		Probate	Domestic Relations	Other	Children's Matters	
Anchorage	1,342	1,469	5,413	1,686	1,418	11,328
Barrow	93	64	23	41	81	302
Bethel	269	117	47	93	239	765
Dillingham	55	30	28	16	22	151
Fairbanks	464	756	881	362	370	2,833
Juneau	199	217	250	184	110	960
Kenai	229	166	277	169	157	998
Ketchikan	160	165	181	86	116	708
Kodiak	89	51	102	146	34	422
Kotzebue	121	19	25	28	89	282
Nome	113	51	50	41	123	378
Palmer	348	119	774	167	222	1,630
Petersburg	25	18	31	8	5	87
Sitka	35	71	58	27	17	208
Valdez	31	9	32	21	10	103
Wrangell	15	13	18	8	3	57
Total	3,588	3,335	8,190	3,083	3,016	21,212
% of Total	16.9	15.7	38.6	14.5	14.2	100.0
1st District	434	484	538	313	251	2,020
2nd District	327	134	98	110	293	962
3rd District	2,094	1,844	6,626	2,205	1,863	14,632
4th District	733	873	928	455	609	3,598

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**Superior Courts
Summary of Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	10,153	10,042	9,791	9,643	-5%	-2%
Barrow	163	175	370	235	44%	-36%
Bethel	847	887	698	520	-39%	-26%
Dillingham			51	106		108%
Fairbanks	2,465	2,193	2,364	2,881	17%	22%
Juneau	1,245	1,061	1,047	880	-29%	-16%
Kenai	1,086	1,087	938	808	-26%	-14%
Ketchikan	873	728	842	673	-23%	-20%
Kodiak	438	416	480	458	5%	-5%
Kotzebue	319	255	269	264	-17%	-2%
Nome	292	302	343	387	33%	13%
Palmer	1,187	1,215	1,448	1,644	39%	14%
Petersburg	93	98	74	109	17%	47%
Sitka	280	283	253	232	-17%	-8%
Valdez	116	96	115	106	-9%	-8%
Wrangell	62	61	72	53	-15%	-26%
Total	19,619	18,899	19,155	18,999	-3%	-1%
1st District	2,553	2,231	2,288	1,947	-24%	-15%
2nd District	774	732	982	886	14%	-10%
3rd District	12,980	12,856	12,823	12,765	-2%	
4th District	3,312	3,080	3,062	3,401	3%	11%

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**Superior Courts
Composition of Dispositions
FY 98**

Court	Felony	Civil			Children's Matters	Total
		Probate	Domestic Relations	Other		
Anchorage	1,139	1,013	5,151	1,495	845	9,643
Barrow	76	28	33	54	44	235
Bethel	257	56	23	42	142	520
Dillingham	47	19	16	14	10	106
Fairbanks	506	888	896	358	233	2,881
Juneau	197	167	270	197	49	880
Kenai	184	111	235	127	151	808
Ketchikan	162	137	179	86	109	673
Kodiak	96	55	110	154	43	458
Kotzebue	113	24	21	25	81	264
Nome	131	38	36	43	139	387
Palmer	395	77	787	150	235	1,644
Petersburg	31	17	32	20	9	109
Sitka	49	57	55	25	46	232
Valdez	31	10	35	17	13	106
Wrangell	16	12	16	6	3	53
Total	3,430	2,709	7,895	2,813	2,152	18,999
% of Total	18.1	14.3	41.6	14.8	11.3	100.0
1st District	455	390	552	334	216	1,947
2nd District	320	90	90	122	264	886
3rd District	1,892	1,285	6,334	1,957	1,297	12,765
4th District	763	944	919	400	375	3,401

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**Superior Courts
Felony Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	1,040	1,223	1,183	1,342	29%	13%
Barrow	38	87	76	93	145%	22%
Bethel	217	263	237	269	24%	14%
Dillingham			53	55		4%
Fairbanks	386	348	482	464	20%	-4%
Juneau	146	174	213	199	36%	-7%
Kenai	167	202	144	229	37%	59%
Ketchikan	146	146	192	160	10%	-17%
Kodiak	83	94	94	89	7%	-5%
Kotzebue	110	163	111	121	10%	9%
Nome	87	120	117	113	30%	-3%
Palmer	231	281	328	348	51%	6%
Petersburg	40	42	26	25	-37%	-4%
Sitka	32	51	50	35	9%	-30%
Valdez	50	25	35	31	-38%	-11%
Wrangell	5	9	21	15		-29%
Total	2,778	3,228	3,362	3,588	29%	7%
1st District	369	422	502	434	18%	-14%
2nd District	235	370	304	327	39%	8%
3rd District	1,571	1,825	1,837	2,094	33%	14%
4th District	603	611	719	733	22%	2%

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**Superior Courts
Felony Case Composition of Filings
FY 98**

Court	Case Type						Total
	Violent	Property	Fraud / Forgery	Drugs / Alcohol	DWI	Other	
Anchorage	415	308	69	406	119	25	1,342
Barrow	46	17		13	17		93
Bethel	148	58	6	31	24	2	269
Dillingham	25	16	1	4	6	3	55
Fairbanks	144	129	20	90	41	40	464
Juneau	72	48	8	54	13	4	199
Kenai	66	64	17	42	27	13	229
Ketchikan	65	42	21	14	6	12	160
Kodiak	32	31	3	20	3		89
Kotzebue	56	23	6	20	15	1	121
Nome	71	14	4	12	5	7	113
Palmer	105	79	21	104	36	3	348
Petersburg	10	9	1	2	2	1	25
Sitka	13	6	1	8	6	1	35
Valdez	11	2	1	11	6		31
Wrangell	5	5		5			15
Total	1,284	851	179	836	326	112	3,588
% of Total	35.8	23.7	5.0	23.3	9.1	3.1	100.0
1st District	165	110	31	83	27	18	434
2nd District	173	54	10	45	37	8	327
3rd District	654	500	112	587	197	44	2,094
4th District	292	187	26	121	65	42	733

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**Superior Courts
Felony Case Descriptions
FY 98**

Violent

Assault
Child Abuse
Criminal Mischief
Disorderly Conduct
Felon in Possession
Kidnapping
Manslaughter
Murder / Homicide
Rape
Reckless Endangerment
Robbery
Sexual Abuse
Stalking
Terroristic Threats
Violate DV Order
Weapon Misconduct

Drugs / Alcohol

Contraband
Controlled Substance
Drugs
Importation of Alcohol

Other

Attempted Crime
Escape
Fail to Appear
Fugitive
Interfere with Custody
Official Proceedings
Promote Prostitution
Violate Parole

DWI

Traffic

Property

Arson
Auto Theft
Burglary
Criminal Trespass
Destruction of Property
Larceny
Theft

Fraud / Forgery

Embezzlement
Extortion
False Statement / Report
Forgery
Fraud Check
License Required
Perjury
Tampering with Evidence
Tampering with Witness
Theft of Service

**Superior Courts
Felony Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	921	1,095	1,221	1,139	24%	-7%
Barrow	52	56	73	76	46%	4%
Bethel	187	292	246	257	37%	4%
Dillingham			32	47		47%
Fairbanks	392	335	407	506	29%	24%
Juneau	155	145	160	197	27%	23%
Kenai	165	181	174	184	12%	6%
Ketchikan	142	140	175	162	14%	-7%
Kodiak	56	86	97	96	71%	-1%
Kotzebue	116	130	142	113	-3%	-20%
Nome	92	94	121	131	42%	8%
Palmer	210	199	314	395	88%	26%
Petersburg	29	49	24	31	7%	29%
Sitka	22	41	51	49	123%	-4%
Valdez	46	31	30	31	-33%	3%
Wrangell	8	4	18	16		-11%
Total	2,593	2,878	3,285	3,430	32%	4%
1st District	356	379	428	455	28%	6%
2nd District	260	280	336	320	23%	-5%
3rd District	1,398	1,592	1,868	1,892	35%	1%
4th District	579	627	653	763	32%	17%

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Dillingham Superior Court established 7/1/96

**Superior Courts
Felony Case Disposition Stage
FY 98**

Court	Stage of Disposition									Total
	At / Before Arraignment		Between Arraignment and Trial			Court Trial		Jury Trial		
	DS / DP *	PG *	DS / DP *	PG *	Other	Guilty	Not Guilty	Guilty	Not Guilty	
Anchorage	14	4	294	754	3	4		59	7	1,139
Barrow			43	29				3	1	76
Bethel	1		76	169	1			7	3	257
Dillingham		1	5	38	2			1		47
Fairbanks	16	8	49	383	1	2		39	8	506
Juneau	1	2	39	143				8	4	197
Kenai	10	7	28	137				1	1	184
Ketchikan	5	2	50	98				6	1	162
Kodiak	5	2	12	75		1		1		96
Kotzebue	1	2	15	92				2	1	113
Nome		2	26	102				1		131
Palmer	7	4	45	328	1	1		8	1	395
Petersburg		2	6	22				1		31
Sitka	1	2	7	37				1	1	49
Valdez	2	1	2	25	1					31
Wrangell			6	8				1	1	16
Total	63	39	703	2,440	9	8		139	29	3,430
% of Total	1.8	1.1	20.5	71.1	0.3	0.2	-	4.1	0.8	100.0
1st District	7	8	108	308				17	7	455
2nd District	1	4	84	223				6	2	320
3rd District	38	19	386	1,357	7	6		70	9	1,892
4th District	17	8	125	552	2	2		46	11	763

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* DS - dismissed DP - deferred prosecution PG - pled guilty

**Superior Courts
Probate Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	1,312	1,504	1,407	1,469	12%	4%
Barrow	22	40	56	64	191%	14%
Bethel	93	105	99	117	26%	18%
Dillingham			17	30		76%
Fairbanks	680	614	716	756	11%	6%
Juneau	212	205	218	217	2%	
Kenai	136	149	140	166	22%	19%
Ketchikan	159	144	141	165	4%	17%
Kodiak	43	47	51	51	19%	
Kotzebue	21	14	17	19	-10%	12%
Nome	38	44	32	51	34%	59%
Palmer	115	103	107	119	3%	11%
Petersburg	10	16	12	18		50%
Sitka	78	54	62	71	-9%	15%
Valdez	4	8	5	9		
Wrangell	6	9	23	13		-43%
Total	2,929	3,056	3,103	3,335	14%	7%
1st District	465	428	456	484	4%	6%
2nd District	81	98	105	134	65%	28%
3rd District	1,610	1,811	1,727	1,844	15%	7%
4th District	773	719	815	873	13%	7%

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**Superior Courts
Probate Case Composition of Filings
FY 98**

Court	Case Type						Total
	Adoption	Estates	Sanity / Alcohol	Guardian-ships	Protective	Other	
Anchorage	253	416	484	142	114	60	1,469
Barrow	46	7	9	2			64
Bethel	16	13	60	5	19	4	117
Dillingham	2	3	11	5	9		30
Fairbanks	102	173	348	89	23	21	756
Juneau	26	72	87	13	7	12	217
Kenai	21	45	63	29	4	4	166
Ketchikan	24	36	79	15	4	7	165
Kodiak	12	17	17	2	1	2	51
Kotzebue	4	3	3	4	2	3	19
Nome	2	11	18	11	7	2	51
Palmer	28	49	16	21	4	1	119
Petersburg	1	9	2	6			18
Sitka	10	13	28	9	7	4	71
Valdez			4	1	4		9
Wrangell	4	4	3	2			13
Total	551	871	1,232	356	205	120	3,335
% of Total	16.5	26.1	36.9	10.7	6.1	3.6	100.0
1st District	65	134	199	45	18	23	484
2nd District	52	21	30	17	9	5	134
3rd District	316	530	595	200	136	67	1,844
4th District	118	186	408	94	42	25	873

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**Superior Courts
Probate Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	1,172	1,242	1,215	1,013	-14%	-17%
Barrow	24	13	66	28	17%	-58%
Bethel	231	187	122	56	-76%	-54%
Dillingham			8	19		
Fairbanks	568	510	624	888	56%	42%
Juneau	209	189	191	167	-20%	-13%
Kenai	116	109	94	111	-4%	18%
Ketchikan	145	124	154	137	-6%	-11%
Kodiak	43	39	47	55	28%	17%
Kotzebue	24	12	9	24		
Nome	20	29	36	38	90%	6%
Palmer	96	90	79	77	-20%	-3%
Petersburg	13	6	9	17	31%	
Sitka	80	67	57	57	-29%	
Valdez	1	2	5	10		
Wrangell	7	11	20	12		-40%
Total	2,749	2,630	2,736	2,709	-1%	-1%
1st District	454	397	431	390	-14%	-10%
2nd District	68	54	111	90	32%	-19%
3rd District	1,428	1,482	1,448	1,285	-10%	-11%
4th District	799	697	746	944	18%	27%

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**Superior Courts
Domestic Relations Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	5,524	5,427	5,443	5,413	-2%	-1%
Barrow	18	26	45	23	28%	-49%
Bethel	72	62	87	47	-35%	-46%
Dillingham			7	28		
Fairbanks	772	851	864	881	14%	2%
Juneau	487	439	485	250	-49%	-48%
Kenai	492	422	411	277	-44%	-33%
Ketchikan	323	303	305	181	-44%	-41%
Kodiak	102	103	122	102		-16%
Kotzebue	25	20	28	25		-11%
Nome	52	40	38	50	-4%	32%
Palmer	625	598	788	774	24%	-2%
Petersburg	33	23	23	31	-6%	35%
Sitka	111	81	69	58	-48%	-16%
Valdez	30	25	20	32	7%	60%
Wrangell	26	23	18	18	-31%	
Total	8,692	8,443	8,753	8,190	-6%	-6%
1st District	980	869	900	538	-45%	-40%
2nd District	95	86	111	98	3%	-12%
3rd District	6,773	6,575	6,791	6,626	-2%	-2%
4th District	844	913	951	928	10%	-2%

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Superior Courts
Domestic Relations Case Composition of Filings
FY 98

Court	Case Type					Total
	Divorce	Dissolution of Marriage	Reciprocal Support	Domestic Violence	Other *	
Anchorage	882	1,058	8	2,936	529	5,413
Barrow	7	9		3	4	23
Bethel	12	17	1	4	13	47
Dillingham	8	11	2	3	4	28
Fairbanks	266	506	6	12	91	881
Juneau	72	117		26	35	250
Kenai	79	146		4	48	277
Ketchikan	71	63		5	42	181
Kodiak	33	57			12	102
Kotzebue	1	7		6	11	25
Nome	12	5	11	7	15	50
Palmer	94	192		433	55	774
Petersburg	2	28			1	31
Sitka	15	37		1	5	58
Valdez	5	24			3	32
Wrangell	6	6	1		5	18
Total	1,565	2,283	29	3,440	873	8,190
% of Total	19.1	27.9	0.4	42.0	10.7	100.0
1st District	166	251	1	32	88	538
2nd District	20	21	11	16	30	98
3rd District	1,101	1,488	10	3,376	651	6,626
4th District	278	523	7	16	104	928

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* Paternity, License Action, etc.

**Superior Courts
Domestic Relations Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	5,282	5,255	5,079	5,151	-2%	1%
Barrow	9	24	31	33		6%
Bethel	88	66	102	23	-74%	-77%
Dillingham			2	16		
Fairbanks	831	670	786	896	8%	14%
Juneau	490	420	464	270	-45%	-42%
Kenai	461	432	358	235	-49%	-34%
Ketchikan	337	273	348	179	-47%	-49%
Kodiak	95	99	128	110	16%	-14%
Kotzebue	29	22	40	21	-28%	-47%
Nome	53	43	44	36	-32%	-18%
Palmer	622	628	748	787	27%	5%
Petersburg	32	20	27	32		19%
Sitka	99	101	89	55	-44%	-38%
Valdez	26	29	39	35	35%	-10%
Wrangell	24	26	20	16	-33%	-20%
Total	8,478	8,108	8,305	7,895	-7%	-5%
1st District	982	840	948	552	-44%	-42%
2nd District	91	89	115	90	-1%	-22%
3rd District	6,486	6,443	6,354	6,334	-2%	
4th District	919	736	888	919		3%

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**Superior Courts
Domestic Relations Case Disposition Stage
FY 98**

Court	Stage of Disposition					Total
	Dismissed	Divorce Hearing	Trial	Domestic Violence	Other	
Anchorage	397	1,622	28	2,800	304	5,151
Barrow	9	12	2	5	5	33
Bethel	9	8		3	3	23
Dillingham		10		1	5	16
Fairbanks	204	599	18	12	63	896
Juneau	33	168	11	23	35	270
Kenai	29	159	10	4	33	235
Ketchikan	36	102	8	5	28	179
Kodiak	17	75	4	1	13	110
Kotzebue	5	5		4	7	21
Nome	4	11		8	13	36
Palmer	56	246	22	424	39	787
Petersburg	3	26			3	32
Sitka	6	40	1	1	7	55
Valdez	6	26		1	2	35
Wrangell	1	10		1	4	16
Total	815	3,119	104	3,293	564	7,895
% of Total	10.3	39.5	1.3	41.7	7.1	100.0
1st District	79	346	20	30	77	552
2nd District	18	28	2	17	25	90
3rd District	505	2,138	64	3,231	396	6,334
4th District	213	607	18	15	66	919

**Superior Courts
Other Civil Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	2,608	2,159	1,691	1,686	-35%	
Barrow	68	35	181	41	-40%	-77%
Bethel	185	220	168	93	-50%	-45%
Dillingham			16	16		
Fairbanks	562	495	386	362	-36%	-6%
Juneau	293	236	225	184	-37%	-18%
Kenai	215	155	145	169	-21%	17%
Ketchikan	174	146	97	86	-51%	-11%
Kodiak	168	157	159	146	-13%	-8%
Kotzebue	58	45	24	28	-52%	17%
Nome	68	48	30	41	-40%	37%
Palmer	186	172	144	167	-10%	16%
Petersburg	11	19	8	8		
Sitka	46	36	27	27	-41%	
Valdez	30	18	9	21	-30%	
Wrangell	13	9	7	8		
Total	4,685	3,950	3,317	3,083	-34%	-7%
1st District	537	446	364	313	-42%	-14%
2nd District	194	128	235	110	-43%	-53%
3rd District	3,207	2,661	2,164	2,205	-31%	2%
4th District	747	715	554	455	-39%	-18%

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**Superior Courts
Other Civil Case Composition of Filings
FY 98**

Court	Case Type					Total
	Admin. Review	Debt/ Contract	Pers. Injury / Damages	Title / Relief / Judgment	Other	
Anchorage	189	246	630	345	276	1,686
Barrow	1	4	6	14	16	41
Bethel		6	34	31	22	93
Dillingham		1	7	4	4	16
Fairbanks	37	51	99	109	66	362
Juneau	14	24	48	70	28	184
Kenai	4	18	69	62	16	169
Ketchikan	7	18	16	29	16	86
Kodiak	2	2	18	11	113	146
Kotzebue	1	1	8	4	14	28
Nome		3	14	12	12	41
Palmer	6	24	54	63	20	167
Petersburg		2	1	3	2	8
Sitka		4	12	11		27
Valdez		1	6	8	6	21
Wrangell		1	4	2	1	8
Total	261	406	1,026	778	612	3,083
% of Total	8.5	13.2	33.3	25.2	19.9	100.0
1st District	21	49	81	115	47	313
2nd District	2	8	28	30	42	110
3rd District	201	292	784	493	435	2,205
4th District	37	57	133	140	88	455

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**Superior Courts
Other Civil Case Descriptions
FY 98**

Administrative Review

Administrative Appeal

Debt / Contract

Debt - General

Real Estate Matter

Other Contract

Personal Injury / Damage

Personal Injury - Auto

Personal Injury - Other

Wrongful Death

Property Damage - Auto

Property Damage - Other

Medical Malpractice

Legal Malpractice

Other Malpractice

Title / Relief / Judgment

Foreclosure

Injunctive Relief

Quiet Title

Application for Post-Conviction Relief

Condemnation

Forcible Entry and Detainer

Registration of Foreign Judgment

Habeas Corpus

Other

Change of Name

Minor Settlement

Election Contest or Recant Appeal

Other

**Superior Courts
Other Civil Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	2,400	1,898	1,275	1,495	-38%	17%
Barrow	54	48	146	54		-63%
Bethel	231	249	147	42	-82%	-71%
Dillingham			2	14		
Fairbanks	513	502	346	358	-30%	3%
Juneau	321	247	195	197	-39%	1%
Kenai	169	203	121	127	-25%	5%
Ketchikan	167	140	100	86	-49%	-14%
Kodiak	194	137	167	154	-21%	-8%
Kotzebue	78	41	20	25	-68%	25%
Nome	71	51	19	43	-39%	126%
Palmer	134	160	132	150	12%	14%
Petersburg	9	10	8	20		
Sitka	52	40	21	25	-52%	19%
Valdez	26	22	20	17	-35%	-15%
Wrangell	12	15	6	6		
Total	4,431	3,763	2,725	2,813	-37%	3%
1st District	561	452	330	334	-40%	1%
2nd District	203	140	185	122	-40%	-34%
3rd District	2,923	2,420	1,717	1,957	-33%	14%
4th District	744	751	493	400	-46%	-19%

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**Superior Courts
Other Civil Case Disposition Stage
FY 98**

Court	Stage of Disposition						Total
	Dismiss / Settle	Default Judgment	Summary Judgment	Court Trial	Jury Trial	Other	
Anchorage	925	40	43	12	15	460	1,495
Barrow	39	8	1	1		5	54
Bethel	35	1			2	4	42
Dillingham	6	6				2	14
Fairbanks	203	19	16	3	2	115	358
Juneau	97	7	1	5	3	84	197
Kenai	71	10	2	3	4	37	127
Ketchikan	48	5	7	2	2	22	86
Kodiak	42	3		1	2	106	154
Kotzebue	7	6	1			11	25
Nome	19	4	1		2	17	43
Palmer	90	4	5	4	2	45	150
Petersburg	10		3			7	20
Sitka	14	1	1		1	8	25
Valdez	10	1				6	17
Wrangell	4			1		1	6
Total	1,620	115	81	32	35	930	2,813
% of Total	57.6	4.1	2.9	1.1	1.2	33.1	100.0
1st District	173	13	12	8	6	122	334
2nd District	65	18	3	1	2	33	122
3rd District	1,144	64	50	20	23	656	1,957
4th District	238	20	16	3	4	119	400

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**Superior Courts
Other Civil Case Disposition Stage
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Court	Stage of Disposition						Total
	Dismiss / Settle	Default Judgment	Summary Judgment	Court Trial	Jury Trial	Other	
Anchorage	925	40	43	12	15	460	1,495
Barrow	39	8	1	1		5	54
Bethel	35	1			2	4	42
Dillingham	6	6				2	14
Fairbanks	203	19	16	3	2	115	358
Juneau	97	7	1	5	3	84	197
Kenai	71	10	2	3	4	37	127
Ketchikan	48	5	7	2	2	22	86
Kodiak	42	3		1	2	106	154
Kotzebue	7	6	1			11	25
Nome	19	4	1		2	17	43
Palmer	90	4	5	4	2	45	150
Petersburg	10		3			7	20
Sitka	14	1	1		1	8	25
Valdez	10	1				6	17
Wrangell	4			1		1	6
Total	1,620	115	81	32	35	930	2,813
% of Total	57.6	4.1	2.9	1.1	1.2	33.1	100.0
1st District	173	13	12	8	6	122	334
2nd District	65	18	3	1	2	33	122
3rd District	1,144	64	50	20	23	656	1,957
4th District	238	20	16	3	4	119	400

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**Superior Courts
Children's Matters Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	1,115	1,262	1,192	1,418	27%	19%
Barrow	22	43	52	81	268%	56%
Bethel	114	73	161	239	110%	48%
Dillingham			26	22		-15%
Fairbanks	287	212	292	370	29%	27%
Juneau	99	102	101	110	11%	9%
Kenai	159	199	194	157	-1%	-19%
Ketchikan	79	59	78	116	47%	49%
Kodiak	56	46	51	34	-39%	-33%
Kotzebue	65	56	75	89	37%	19%
Nome	51	72	128	123	141%	-4%
Palmer	176	174	206	222	26%	8%
Petersburg	10	13	8	5		
Sitka	37	38	45	17	-54%	-62%
Valdez	18	8	20	10		
Wrangell	6	6	9	3		
Total	2,294	2,363	2,638	3,016	31%	14%
1st District	231	218	241	251	9%	4%
2nd District	138	171	255	293	112%	15%
3rd District	1,524	1,689	1,689	1,863	22%	10%
4th District	401	285	453	609	52%	34%

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Dillingham Superior Court established 7/1/96

**Superior Courts
Children's Matters Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	378	552	1,001	845	124%	-16%
Barrow	24	34	54	44	83%	-19%
Bethel	110	93	81	142	29%	75%
Dillingham			7	10		
Fairbanks	161	176	201	233	45%	16%
Juneau	70	60	37	49	-30%	32%
Kenai	175	162	191	151	-14%	-21%
Ketchikan	82	51	65	109	33%	68%
Kodiak	50	55	41	43	-14%	5%
Kotzebue	72	50	58	81	13%	40%
Nome	56	85	123	139	148%	13%
Palmer	125	138	175	235	88%	34%
Petersburg	10	13	6	9		
Sitka	27	34	35	46	70%	31%
Valdez	17	12	21	13	-24%	-38%
Wrangell	11	5	8	3		
Total	1,368	1,520	2,104	2,152	57%	2%
1st District	200	163	151	216	8%	43%
2nd District	152	169	235	264	74%	12%
3rd District	745	919	1,436	1,297	74%	-10%
4th District	271	269	282	375	38%	33%

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Dillingham Superior Court established 7/1/96

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Summary of Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	41,382	41,213	39,317	53,669	30%	37%
Barrow	859	830	770	922	7%	20%
Bethel	2,014	2,079	2,059	1,964	-2%	-5%
Cordova	433	515	500	496	15%	-1%
Craig	939	839	930	1,060	13%	14%
Delta Junction	593	526	546	489	-18%	-10%
Dillingham	824	902	875	865	5%	-1%
Fairbanks	17,062	18,060	14,031	15,082	-12%	7%
Glennallen	1,400	1,007	922	1,128	-19%	22%
Haines	277	433	346	432	56%	25%
Healy	446	860	762	434	-3%	-43%
Homer	2,445	3,093	3,226	2,775	13%	-14%
Juneau	8,192	9,512	9,295	8,549	4%	-8%
Kenai	8,969	9,793	8,690	9,237	3%	6%
Ketchikan	3,556	3,616	3,340	2,987	-16%	-11%
Kodiak	2,563	2,591	2,584	2,877	12%	11%
Kotzebue	565	909	735	865	53%	18%
Naknek	332	477	471	374	13%	-21%
Nenana	330	694	505	279	-15%	-45%
Nome	862	700	870	1,138	32%	31%
Palmer	14,665	12,838	10,884	12,522	-15%	15%
Petersburg	549	519	580	533	-3%	-8%
Seward	2,100	1,945	1,698	1,398	-33%	-18%
Sitka	885	930	990	991	12%	
Tok	812	538	520	439	-46%	-16%
Unalaska	733	836	769	789	8%	3%
Valdez	754	749	665	903	20%	36%
Wrangell	472	430	516	493	4%	-4%
Total	115,013	117,434	107,396	123,690	8%	15%
1st District	14,870	16,279	15,997	15,045	1%	-6%
2nd District	2,286	2,439	2,375	2,925	28%	23%
3rd District	76,600	75,959	70,601	87,033	14%	23%
4th District	21,257	22,757	18,423	18,687	-12%	1%

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Traffic / Minor Offense dispositions used as filings

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Composition of Case Filings
FY 98**

Court	Misde- meanor	Other		Civil		Total
		Traffic / Minor Offense @	Children's Matters	Small Claims	Other Civil	
Anchorage	9,798	34,885	*	4,638	4,348	53,669
Barrow	585	206	*	48	83	922
Bethel	1,229	409	*	168	158	1,964
Cordova	126	294	6	14	56	496
Craig	583	264	30	60	123	1,060
Delta Junction	126	309	3	21	30	489
Dillingham	540	138	*	109	78	865
Fairbanks	3,565	8,567	*	1,332	1,618	15,082
Glennallen	167	867	15	39	40	1,128
Haines	127	234	2	31	38	432
Healy	32	384		15	3	434
Homer	577	1,805	14	105	274	2,775
Juneau	2,357	2,493	*	1,354	2,345	8,549
Kenai	2,117	6,125	*	480	515	9,237
Ketchikan	1,310	1,033	*	391	253	2,987
Kodiak	748	1,618	*	298	213	2,877
Kotzebue	490	285	*	44	46	865
Naknek	235	94	5	27	13	374
Nenana	30	205		39	5	279
Nome	744	175	*	146	73	1,138
Palmer	2,384	9,126	*	810	202	12,522
Petersburg	231	204	*	84	14	533
Seward	353	874		80	91	1,398
Sitka	312	333	*	232	114	991
Tok	116	259		34	30	439
Unalaska	311	389	13	18	58	789
Valdez	279	506	*	66	52	903
Wrangell	170	225	*	74	24	493
Total	29,642	72,306	88	10,757	10,897	123,690
% of Total	24.0	58.5	0.1	8.7	8.8	100.0
1st District	5,090	4,786	32	2,226	2,911	15,045
2nd District	1,819	666		238	202	2,925
3rd District	17,635	56,721	53	6,684	5,940	87,033
4th District	5,098	10,133	3	1,609	1,844	18,687

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@ Traffic / Minor Offense dispositions used as filings.

*Children's matters reported in Superior Court.

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Summary of Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	41,973	40,742	37,685	52,267	25%	39%
Barrow	880	844	742	832	-5%	12%
Bethel	2,116	2,028	2,051	1,765	-17%	-14%
Cordova	436	523	493	496	14%	1%
Craig	939	891	872	1,063	13%	22%
Delta Junction	574	536	552	478	-17%	-13%
Dillingham	722	830	804	791	10%	-2%
Fairbanks	16,669	17,653	14,035	16,089	-3%	15%
Glennallen	1,394	1,014	910	1,127	-19%	24%
Haines	267	434	358	411	54%	15%
Healy	442	839	765	441		-42%
Homer	2,443	3,158	3,175	2,812	15%	-11%
Juneau	7,957	9,407	8,707	8,645	9%	-1%
Kenai	8,692	10,048	8,472	8,873	2%	5%
Ketchikan	3,518	3,465	3,396	3,128	-11%	-8%
Kodiak	2,517	2,677	2,489	2,962	18%	19%
Kotzebue	565	863	745	836	48%	12%
Naknek	304	410	494	360	18%	-27%
Nenana	321	692	501	240	-25%	-52%
Nome	817	693	831	1,107	35%	33%
Palmer	14,214	12,598	10,988	12,556	-12%	14%
Petersburg	525	490	579	566	8%	-2%
Seward	2,084	1,971	1,681	1,373	-34%	-18%
Sitka	867	978	913	988	14%	8%
Tok	807	550	502	443	-45%	-12%
Unalaska	790	830	794	773	-2%	-3%
Valdez	770	786	722	856	11%	19%
Wrangell	513	427	528	493	-4%	-7%
Total	114,116	116,377	104,784	122,771	8%	17%
1st District	14,586	16,092	15,353	15,294	5%	
2nd District	2,262	2,400	2,318	2,775	23%	20%
3rd District	76,339	75,587	68,707	85,246	12%	24%
4th District	20,929	22,298	18,406	19,456	-7%	6%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Composition of Case Dispositions
FY 98**

Court	Misde- meanor	Other		Civil		Total
		Traffic / Mi- nor Offense	Children's Matters	Small Claims	Other	
Anchorage	9,052	34,885	*	5,607	2,723	52,267
Barrow	488	206	*	58	80	832
Bethel	1,152	409	*	92	112	1,765
Cordova	131	294	7	15	49	496
Craig	575	264	38	61	125	1,063
Delta Junction	124	309	3	15	27	478
Dillingham	530	138	*	56	67	791
Fairbanks	3,558	8,567	*	1,704	2,260	16,089
Glennallen	173	867	4	36	47	1,127
Haines	115	234	1	28	33	411
Healy	35	384		19	3	441
Homer	571	1,805	64	77	295	2,812
Juneau	2,124	2,493	*	1,494	2,534	8,645
Kenai	2,024	6,125	*	338	386	8,873
Ketchikan	1,394	1,033	*	470	231	3,128
Kodiak	853	1,618	*	261	230	2,962
Kotzebue	458	285	*	53	40	836
Naknek	233	94	2	17	14	360
Nenana	28	205		1	6	240
Nome	706	175	*	164	62	1,107
Palmer	2,399	9,126	*	844	187	12,556
Petersburg	247	204	*	94	21	566
Seward	333	874		89	77	1,373
Sitka	309	333	*	234	112	988
Tok	118	259		26	40	443
Unalaska	287	389	12	21	64	773
Valdez	271	506	*	30	49	856
Wrangell	181	225	*	65	22	493
Total	28,469	72,306	131	11,969	9,896	122,771
% of Total	23.2	58.9	0.1	9.7	8.1	100.0
1st District	4,945	4,786	39	2,446	3,078	15,294
2nd District	1,652	666		275	182	2,775
3rd District	16,857	56,721	89	7,391	4,188	85,246
4th District	5,015	10,133	3	1,857	2,448	19,456

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* Children's Matters reported in Superior Court.

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Non-Traffic Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	15,899	16,902	17,158	18,784	18%	9%
Barrow	537	490	523	716	33%	37%
Bethel	1,590	1,404	1,413	1,555	-2%	10%
Cordova	211	213	216	202	-4%	-6%
Craig	718	639	713	796	11%	12%
Delta Junction	201	197	189	180	-10%	-5%
Dillingham	752	783	725	727	-3%	
Fairbanks	6,928	6,727	6,168	6,515	-6%	6%
Glennallen	286	267	252	261	-9%	4%
Haines	163	161	148	198	21%	34%
Healy	54	97	62	50	-7%	-19%
Homer	992	869	1,054	970	-2%	-8%
Juneau	4,347	5,737	6,144	6,056	39%	-1%
Kenai	2,593	2,693	2,724	3,112	20%	14%
Ketchikan	2,246	2,153	2,125	1,954	-13%	-8%
Kodiak	909	982	1,195	1,259	39%	5%
Kotzebue	398	513	458	580	46%	27%
Naknek	293	419	419	280	-4%	-33%
Nenana	92	84	70	74	-20%	6%
Nome	803	655	774	963	20%	24%
Palmer	3,295	3,277	3,147	3,396	3%	8%
Petersburg	380	369	371	329	-13%	-11%
Seward	555	503	482	524	-6%	9%
Sitka	663	626	655	658	-1%	
Tok	185	159	206	180	-3%	-13%
Unalaska	444	405	397	400	-10%	1%
Valdez	320	270	296	397	24%	34%
Wrangell	398	323	278	268	-33%	-4%
Total	46,252	47,917	48,362	51,384	11%	6%
1st District	8,915	10,008	10,434	10,259	15%	-2%
2nd District	1,738	1,658	1,755	2,259	30%	29%
3rd District	26,549	27,583	28,065	30,312	14%	8%
4th District	9,050	8,668	8,108	8,554	-5%	6%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Non-Traffic Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	16,490	16,431	15,526	17,382	5%	12%
Barrow	558	504	495	626	12%	26%
Bethel	1,692	1,353	1,405	1,356	-20%	-3%
Cordova	214	221	209	202	-6%	-3%
Craig	718	691	655	799	11%	22%
Delta Junction	182	207	195	169	-7%	-13%
Dillingham	650	711	654	653		
Fairbanks	6,535	6,320	6,172	7,522	15%	22%
Glennallen	280	274	240	260	-7%	8%
Haines	153	162	160	177	16%	11%
Healy	50	76	65	57	14%	-12%
Homer	990	934	1,003	1,007	2%	
Juneau	4,112	5,632	5,556	6,152	50%	11%
Kenai	2,316	2,948	2,506	2,748	19%	10%
Ketchikan	2,208	2,002	2,181	2,095	-5%	-4%
Kodiak	863	1,068	1,100	1,344	56%	22%
Kotzebue	398	467	468	551	38%	18%
Naknek	265	352	442	266		-40%
Nenana	83	82	66	35	-58%	-47%
Nome	758	648	735	932	23%	27%
Palmer	2,844	3,037	3,251	3,430	21%	6%
Petersburg	356	340	370	362	2%	-2%
Seward	539	529	465	499	-7%	7%
Sitka	645	674	578	655	2%	13%
Tok	180	171	188	184	2%	-2%
Unalaska	501	399	422	384	-23%	-9%
Valdez	336	307	353	350	4%	-1%
Wrangell	439	320	290	268	-39%	-8%
Total	45,355	46,860	45,750	50,465	11%	10%
1st District	8,631	9,821	9,790	10,508	22%	7%
2nd District	1,714	1,619	1,698	2,109	23%	24%
3rd District	26,288	27,211	26,171	28,525	9%	9%
4th District	8,722	8,209	8,091	9,323	7%	15%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Misdemeanor Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	8,401	9,194	8,923	9,798	17%	10%
Barrow	453	388	373	585	29%	57%
Bethel	1,389	1,147	1,149	1,229	-12%	7%
Cordova	146	148	140	126	-14%	-10%
Craig	600	510	505	583	-3%	15%
Delta Junction	166	145	139	126	-24%	-9%
Dillingham	531	536	506	540	2%	7%
Fairbanks	3,920	3,711	3,235	3,565	-9%	10%
Glennallen	211	200	159	167	-21%	5%
Haines	93	123	74	127	37%	72%
Healy	38	73	39	32	-16%	-18%
Homer	539	505	647	577	7%	-11%
Juneau	2,079	1,878	2,077	2,357	13%	13%
Kenai	1,873	1,944	1,856	2,117	13%	14%
Ketchikan	1,570	1,508	1,433	1,310	-17%	-9%
Kodiak	549	664	775	748	36%	-3%
Kotzebue	338	420	357	490	45%	37%
Naknek	263	330	379	235	-11%	-38%
Nenana	35	51	44	30	-14%	-32%
Nome	546	495	556	744	36%	34%
Palmer	2,576	2,537	2,240	2,384	-7%	6%
Petersburg	282	277	269	231	-18%	-14%
Seward	403	350	315	353	-12%	12%
Sitka	426	360	371	312	-27%	-16%
Tok	152	89	141	116	-24%	-18%
Unalaska	346	313	287	311	-10%	8%
Valdez	228	175	205	279	22%	36%
Wrangell	217	183	165	170	-22%	3%
Total	28,370	28,254	27,359	29,642	4%	8%
1st District	5,267	4,839	4,894	5,090	-3%	4%
2nd District	1,337	1,303	1,286	1,819	36%	41%
3rd District	16,066	16,896	16,432	17,635	10%	7%
4th District	5,700	5,216	4,747	5,098	-11%	7%

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Misdemeanor Case Composition of Filings
FY 98**

Court	Violence	Theft / Fraud	Environ- mental	Nui- sance	Alcohol / Drugs	Resisting / Evading	Vice	Traffic	Other	Total
Anchorage	2,332	1,751	63	706	331	309	143	3,319	844	9,798
Barrow	191	23	7	86	70	9		198	1	585
Bethel	388	46	23	305	178	9		204	76	1,229
Cordova	20	4	33	22	14			32	1	126
Craig	113	19	62	65	97	57		167	3	583
Delta Junction	27	3	15	5	9	1		61	5	126
Dillingham	117	14	136	126	24	5		89	29	540
Fairbanks	825	221	79	295	452	135	4	1,345	209	3,565
Glennallen	19	4	56	17	7	1		62	1	167
Haines	24	1	6	10	33	4		45	4	127
Healy	1	2		2	1			25	1	32
Homer	82	31	27	50	92	10		283	2	577
Juneau	585	86	63	242	329	176	4	783	89	2,357
Kenai	276	113	203	99	250	28		1,135	13	2,117
Ketchikan	291	91	55	172	281	10	1	390	19	1,310
Kodiak	150	14	16	65	136	6		353	8	748
Kotzebue	164	20	3	65	97	5	1	131	4	490
Naknek	40	5	93	11	49	3		30	4	235
Nenana	8	3			7			12		30
Nome	272	24	8	138	140	5	2	95	60	744
Palmer	362	144	135	86	232	20		1,337	68	2,384
Petersburg	40	7	21	40	47	4		62	10	231
Seward	70	17	5	47	35	4		170	5	353
Sitka	58	12	55	36	15	3		120	13	312
Tok	20	2	25	21	15	3		29	1	116
Unalaska	70	20	40	46	24	7	1	99	4	311
Valdez	42	28	5	21	51	1		121	10	279
Wrangell	27	2	13	26	51	4		47		170
Total	6,614	2,707	1,247	2,804	3,067	819	156	10,744	1,484	29,642
% of Total	22.3	9.1	4.2	9.5	10.3	2.8	0.5	36.2	5.0	100.0
1st District	1,138	218	275	591	853	258	5	1,614	138	5,090
2nd District	627	67	18	289	307	19	3	424	65	1,819
3rd District	3,580	2,145	812	1,296	1,245	394	144	7,030	989	17,635
4th District	1,269	277	142	628	662	148	4	1,676	292	5,098

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District Courts Misdemeanor Case Descriptions FY 98

Violence

Assault
Child Abuse
Concealed Weapon
DV Violation
Firearms
Malicious Destruction
Reckless Endangerment
Stalking
Terroristic Threats
Violate Protective Order
Weapon Misuse

Theft / Fraud

Auto Theft
Concealing Merchandise
Defraud
False Report
Fraudulent Use of Credit Card
Illegal Purchase
Impersonate Officer
Larceny
Official Misconduct
Pawnshop
Shoplift
Tax Violation
Telephones
Theft
Theft of Service
Vehicle Tampering
Worthless Check

Environmental

Animal Offenses
Archeological Offenses
Commercial Fishing
Fire Offenses
Fish and Game Offenses
Illegal Storage
Junk
Littering
Polluting
Public Excrement
Safety Requirements

Nuisance

Criminal Mischief
Disorderly Conduct
Disrupt Meetings
Disturbing the Peace
Harassment
Indecent Exposure
Trespass
Unauthorized Entry

Alcohol / Drugs

Alcohol After Hours
Contraband
Contributing to the
Delinquency of a Minor
Controlled Substance
Drunk in Public
Furnishing Alcohol
Importation / Selling
Minor Consuming
Minor on Premises
Open Container
Sell to Drunk

Resist / Evade Prosecution or Arrest

Arrest Prior Requi
Destroy Evidence
Escape
Evasion
Fail to Appear
Fugitive
Hinder Prosecution
Interfere with Official Proceedings
Resist Arrest
Tampering with Evidence

Vice

Assignment
Enticement
Gambling
Possess Child Pornography
Prostitution / Soliciting

Traffic

Accident Violation
Driving While Intoxicated
Leaving the Scene
License Violation
Notice of Accident
Reckless Driving

Other

Attempted Crime
Business License
Compulsory Attendance
Contempt of Court
Failure to Register as
a Sex Offender
Insurance
Interfere with Custody
Nonsupport
Official Proceedings
Tobacco
Truancy
Violation of Release

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Misdemeanor Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	9,170	8,853	8,783	9,052	-1%	3%
Barrow	491	404	340	488	-1%	44%
Bethel	1,381	1,130	1,169	1,152	-17%	-1%
Cordova	158	159	124	131	-17%	6%
Craig	615	550	481	575	-7%	20%
Delta Junction	149	155	143	124	-17%	-13%
Dillingham	468	534	487	530	13%	9%
Fairbanks	3,856	3,601	3,436	3,558	-8%	4%
Glennallen	204	201	165	173	-15%	5%
Haines	88	114	83	115	31%	39%
Healy	38	51	57	35	-8%	-39%
Homer	518	517	626	571	10%	-9%
Juneau	2,156	1,887	1,995	2,124	-1%	6%
Kenai	1,723	2,129	1,774	2,024	17%	14%
Ketchikan	1,590	1,495	1,476	1,394	-12%	-6%
Kodiak	495	688	762	853	72%	12%
Kotzebue	332	396	369	458	38%	24%
Naknek	242	299	414	233	-4%	-44%
Nenana	34	48	43	28	-18%	-35%
Nome	523	492	528	706	35%	34%
Palmer	2,260	2,334	2,442	2,399	6%	-2%
Petersburg	261	276	270	247	-5%	-9%
Seward	365	387	330	333	-9%	1%
Sitka	417	412	336	309	-26%	-8%
Tok	160	105	136	118	-26%	-13%
Unalaska	391	314	304	287	-27%	-6%
Valdez	194	183	251	271	40%	8%
Wrangell	248	181	171	181	-27%	6%
Total	28,527	27,895	27,495	28,469		4%
1st District	5,375	4,915	4,812	4,945	-8%	3%
2nd District	1,346	1,292	1,237	1,652	23%	34%
3rd District	16,188	16,598	16,462	16,857	4%	2%
4th District	5,618	5,090	4,984	5,015	-11%	1%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Misdemeanor Case Disposition Stage
FY 98**

Court	Stage of Disposition									Total
	At / Before Arraignment		Between Arraignment and Trial			Court Trials		Jury Trials		
	DS / DP *	PG *	DS / DP *	PG *	Other	Guilty	Not Guilty	Guilty	Not Guilty	
Anchorage	1,037	1,824	1,312	4,721	37	9	2	84	26	9,052
Barrow	4	15	189	277	1			1	1	488
Bethel	15	127	288	706	1	1	5	5	4	1,152
Cordova	2	34	37	48	2	3		4	1	131
Craig	20	239	139	167	7		1	2		575
Delta Junction	2	51	18	42	2	1		4	4	124
Dillingham	2	32	81	402	1	8		3	1	530
Fairbanks	135	1,306	543	1,483	8	17	5	28	33	3,558
Glennallen	17	53	21	79	1			2		173
Haines	4	52	22	35	1			1		115
Healy	3	11	7	13	1					35
Homer	5	58	161	328	16			1	2	571
Juneau	48	263	779	1,010	3	3		8	10	2,124
Kenai	348	559	383	711	4	8	2	4	5	2,024
Ketchikan	30	382	280	689	2	2		9		1,394
Kodiak	44	255	216	332	4			1	1	853
Kotzebue	36	79	107	233	1				2	458
Naknek	9	88	36	88		6	4	1	1	233
Nenana		3	6	16	3					28
Nome	25	214	88	370		3	1	3	2	706
Palmer	191	414	712	1,053	3	3		17	6	2,399
Petersburg	10	101	48	80	1	3	1	2	1	247
Seward	18	90	87	134	2	1		1		333
Sitka	6	126	43	129	1		2	1	1	309
Tok	7	26	23	57	2			2	1	118
Unalaska	1	68	50	161	5			1	1	287
Valdez	10	108	47	100	1	3		1	1	271
Wrangell			43	134	1	2	1			181
Total	2,029	6,578	5,766	13,598	111	73	24	186	104	28,469
% of Total	7.1	23.1	20.3	47.8	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.7	0.4	100.0
1st District	118	1,163	1,354	2,244	16	10	5	23	12	4,945
2nd District	65	308	384	880	2	3	1	4	5	1,652
3rd District	1,684	3,583	3,143	8,157	76	41	8	120	45	16,857
4th District	162	1,524	885	2,317	17	19	10	39	42	5,015

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* DS - dismissed. DP - deferred prosecution. PG - pled guilty.

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Small Claims Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	4,429	4,598	5,019	4,638	5%	-8%
Barrow	64	51	77	48	-25%	-38%
Bethel	85	137	157	168	98%	7%
Cordova	23	16	24	14	-39%	-42%
Craig	29	40	87	60	107%	-31%
Delta Junction	23	28	14	21	-9%	50%
Dillingham	117	103	156	109	-7%	-30%
Fairbanks	1,126	1,241	1,334	1,332	18%	
Glennallen	33	34	34	39	18%	15%
Haines	36	16	33	31	-14%	-6%
Healy	16	20	21	15	-6%	-29%
Homer	147	120	127	105	-29%	-17%
Juneau	920	1,473	1,654	1,354	47%	-18%
Kenai	422	419	456	480	14%	5%
Ketchikan	559	551	566	391	-30%	-31%
Kodiak	199	130	212	298	50%	41%
Kotzebue	32	44	35	44	38%	26%
Naknek	16	52	18	27	69%	50%
Nenana	53	25	17	39	-26%	129%
Nome	226	114	155	146	-35%	-6%
Palmer	593	599	701	810	37%	16%
Petersburg	80	63	85	84	5%	-1%
Seward	89	71	83	80	-10%	-4%
Sitka	154	190	200	232	51%	16%
Tok	12	17	14	34	183%	143%
Unalaska	35	36	50	18	-49%	-64%
Valdez	50	67	50	66	32%	32%
Wrangell	149	112	90	74	-50%	-18%
Total	9,717	10,367	11,469	10,757	11%	-6%
1st District	1,927	2,445	2,715	2,226	16%	-18%
2nd District	322	209	267	238	-26%	-11%
3rd District	6,153	6,245	6,930	6,684	9%	-4%
4th District	1,315	1,468	1,557	1,609	22%	3%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Small Claims Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	3,570	5,766	5,032	5,607	57%	11%
Barrow	49	55	82	58	18%	-29%
Bethel	127	118	127	92	-28%	-28%
Cordova	18	23	19	15	-17%	-21%
Craig	22	38	70	61	177%	-13%
Delta Junction	25	26	19	15	-40%	-21%
Dillingham	84	86	108	56	-33%	-48%
Fairbanks	1,176	889	1,072	1,704	45%	59%
Glennallen	42	33	32	36	-14%	13%
Haines	29	26	35	28	-3%	-20%
Healy	12	21	7	19	58%	
Homer	176	160	160	77	-56%	-52%
Juneau	923	1,314	1,464	1,494	62%	2%
Kenai	317	445	358	338	7%	-6%
Ketchikan	530	426	564	470	-11%	-17%
Kodiak	221	180	162	261	18%	61%
Kotzebue	39	27	42	53	36%	26%
Naknek	17	32	11	17		55%
Nenana	45	25	17	1		
Nome	203	114	141	164	-19%	16%
Palmer	451	563	646	844	87%	31%
Petersburg	81	41	83	94	16%	13%
Seward	109	84	57	89	-18%	56%
Sitka	147	189	158	234	59%	48%
Tok	11	10	16	26	136%	63%
Unalaska	23	36	54	21	-9%	-61%
Valdez	88	94	59	30	-66%	-49%
Wrangell	163	110	92	65	-60%	-29%
Total	8,698	10,931	10,687	11,969	38%	12%
1st District	1,895	2,144	2,466	2,446	29%	-1%
2nd District	291	196	265	275	-5%	4%
3rd District	5,116	7,502	6,698	7,391	44%	10%
4th District	1,396	1,089	1,258	1,857	33%	48%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Small Claims Case Disposition Stage
FY 98**

Court	Stage of Disposition					Total
	Dis.miss	Default Judgment	Judgment on the Pleadings	Trial	Other	
Anchorage	2,368	1,972	284	649	334	5,607
Barrow	27	21	3	4	3	58
Bethel	71	14	4		3	92
Cordova	5	5	2	3		15
Craig	31	15	4	7	4	61
Delta Junction	6	5	2	2		15
Dillingham	14	34	2		6	56
Fairbanks	835	547	127	142	53	1,704
Glennallen	14	8	1	12	1	36
Haines	2	12	1	6	7	28
Healy	11	5	2	1		19
Homer	17	25	15	11	9	77
Juneau	536	817	56	53	32	1,494
Kenai	47	157	48	71	15	338
Ketchikan	184	220	30	24	12	470
Kodiak	73	122	40	22	4	261
Kotzebue	6	16	15	4	12	53
Naknek	6	5	3	3		17
Nenana	1					1
Nome	56	70	24	9	5	164
Palmer	230	349	57	131	77	844
Petersburg	35	44	6	5	4	94
Seward	47	29	1	1	11	89
Sitka	76	123	13	16	6	234
Tok	7	9	3	5	2	26
Unalaska	10	6		4	1	21
Valdez	9	12	3	4	2	30
Wrangell	28	30	4	2	1	65
Total	4,752	4,672	750	1,191	604	11,969
% of Total	39.7	39.0	6.3	10.0	5.0	100.0
1st District	892	1,261	114	113	66	2,446
2nd District	89	107	42	17	20	275
3rd District	2,840	2,724	456	911	460	7,391
4th District	931	580	138	150	58	1,857

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Other Civil Case Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	3,069	3,110	3,216	4,348	42%	35%
Barrow	20	51	73	83	315%	14%
Bethel	116	120	107	158	36%	48%
Cordova	41	39	46	56	37%	22%
Craig	53	65	85	123	132%	45%
Delta Junction	12	24	36	30	150%	-17%
Dillingham	80	106	63	78	-2%	24%
Fairbanks	1,882	1,775	1,599	1,618	-14%	1%
Glennallen	40	31	44	40		-9%
Haines	29	20	35	38	31%	9%
Healy		4	2	3		
Homer	286	230	266	274	-4%	3%
Juneau	1,348	2,386	2,413	2,345	74%	-3%
Kenai	298	330	412	515	73%	25%
Ketchikan	117	94	126	253	116%	101%
Kodiak	161	188	208	213	32%	2%
Kotzebue	28	49	66	46	64%	-30%
Naknek	7	22	18	13		-28%
Nenana	3	8	9	5		
Nome	31	46	63	73	135%	16%
Palmer	126	141	206	202	60%	-2%
Petersburg	18	29	17	14	-22%	-18%
Seward	53	80	84	91	72%	8%
Sitka	83	76	84	114	37%	36%
Tok	21	53	51	30	43%	-41%
Unalaska	59	46	51	58	-2%	14%
Valdez	42	28	41	52	24%	27%
Wrangell	32	28	23	24	-25%	4%
Total	8,055	9,179	9,444	10,897	35%	15%
1st District	1,680	2,698	2,783	2,911	73%	5%
2nd District	79	146	202	202	156%	
3rd District	4,262	4,351	4,655	5,940	39%	28%
4th District	2,034	1,984	1,804	1,844	-9%	2%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Other Civil Case Composition of Filings
FY 98**

Court	Title / Relief / Pers. Injury / Damage	Debt / Contract	Other	Domestic Violence	Dom. Rel. / Probate Etc. *	Total
Anchorage	1,935	1,120	1,293			4,348
Barrow	2	5		76		83
Bethel	2	8	56	92		158
Cordova	5	2	1	24	24	56
Craig	3	5	63	52		123
Delta Junction				30		30
Dillingham		3	4	3	68	78
Fairbanks	327	425	69	797		1,618
Glennallen	1	3		24	12	40
Haines	5	2	4	26	1	38
Healy				3		3
Homer	36	23	12	90	113	274
Juneau	62	2,018	48	217		2,345
Kenai	49	64	109	293		515
Ketchikan	37	32	20	164		253
Kodiak	13	22	98	80		213
Kotzebue	2	1	6	37		46
Naknek	1	1		10	1	13
Nenana				3	2	5
Nome	7	10	1	55		73
Palmer	107	71	24			202
Petersburg		4	1	9		14
Seward	15	3	4	37	32	91
Sitka	15	12	2	85		114
Tok	1	7		22		30
Unalaska	6	3	1	22	26	58
Valdez	5	6		38	3	52
Wrangell	1	2		21		24
Total	2,637	3,852	1,816	2,310	282	10,897
% of Total	24.2	35.3	16.7	21.2	2.6	100.0
1st District	123	2,075	138	574	1	2,911
2nd District	11	16	7	168		202
3rd District	2,173	1,321	1,546	621	279	5,940
4th District	330	440	125	947	2	1,844

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* Case filings not reported in Superior Court.

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Other Civil Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	3,750	1,812	1,711	2,723	-27%	59%
Barrow	18	45	73	80	344%	10%
Bethel	184	105	109	112	-39%	3%
Cordova	33	30	54	49	48%	-9%
Craig	52	67	79	125	140%	58%
Delta Junction	8	26	33	27		-18%
Dillingham	75	67	59	67	-11%	14%
Fairbanks	1,503	1,830	1,664	2,260	50%	36%
Glennallen	31	31	36	47	52%	31%
Haines	30	21	35	33	10%	-6%
Healy		4	1	3		
Homer	296	251	214	295		38%
Juneau	1,033	2,431	2,097	2,534	145%	21%
Kenai	276	374	374	386	40%	3%
Ketchikan	88	81	141	231	163%	64%
Kodiak	147	200	176	230	56%	31%
Kotzebue	27	44	57	40	48%	-30%
Naknek	6	15	14	14		
Nenana	3	9	6	6		
Nome	32	42	66	62	94%	-6%
Palmer	133	140	163	187	41%	15%
Petersburg	14	23	17	21	50%	24%
Seward	55	56	78	77	40%	-1%
Sitka	81	73	84	112	38%	33%
Tok	9	56	36	40		11%
Unalaska	79	46	52	64	-19%	23%
Valdez	54	30	43	49	-9%	14%
Wrangell	28	29	27	22	-21%	-19%
Total	8,045	7,938	7,499	9,896	23%	32%
1st District	1,326	2,725	2,480	3,078	132%	24%
2nd District	77	131	196	182	136%	-7%
3rd District	4,935	3,052	2,974	4,188	-15%	41%
4th District	1,707	2,030	1,849	2,448	43%	32%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Other Civil Case Disposition Stage
FY 98**

Court	Stage of Disposition							Total
	Dismiss / Settle	Default Judgment	Summary Judgment	Court Trial	Jury Trial	Domestic Violence	Other	
Anchorage	1,532	749	33	9	3		397	2,723
Barrow	1	5				72	2	80
Bethel	51	1				57	3	112
Cordova	2					23	24	49
Craig	9	2		3	1	57	53	125
Delta Junction		2				25		27
Dillingham	8	2			1	55	1	67
Fairbanks	493	809	35	4	1	807	111	2,260
Glennallen	3		1	2		25	16	47
Haines	2	1		2	1	24	3	33
Healy						3		3
Homer	41	6		2		73	173	295
Juneau	150	2,017	93	2		207	65	2,534
Kenai	35	80	6	3		200	62	386
Ketchikan	22	18	5	2	1	158	25	231
Kodiak	27	8	2		4	84	105	230
Kotzebue	2	3	3	1		29	2	40
Naknek		1				9	4	14
Nenana	2	1				2	1	6
Nome	2	6	1			53		62
Palmer	85	66	10	7			19	187
Petersburg	7	1	1			11	1	21
Seward	7	1	2	1		38	28	77
Sitka	14	12	1	1	2	78	4	112
Tok	2	14				21	3	40
Unalaska	7	2	2	1	1	22	29	34
Valdez	5	2				39	3	49
Wrangell	1					21		22
Total	2,510	3,809	195	40	15	2,193	1,134	9,896
% of Total	25.4	38.5	2.0	0.4	0.2	22.2	11.5	100.0
1st District	205	2,051	100	10	5	556	151	3,078
2nd District	5	14	4	1		154	4	182
3rd District	1,752	917	56	25	9	568	861	4,188
4th District	548	827	35	4	1	915	118	2,448

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Traffic / Minor Offense Case Dispositions
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage	25,483	24,311	22,159	34,885	37%	57%
Barrow	322	340	247	206	-36%	-17%
Bethel	424	675	646	409	-4%	-37%
Cordova	222	302	284	294	32%	4%
Craig	221	200	217	264	19%	22%
Delta Junction	392	329	357	309	-21%	-13%
Dillingham	72	119	150	138	92%	-8%
Fairbanks	10,134	11,333	7,863	8,567	-15%	9%
Glennallen	1,114	740	670	867	-22%	29%
Haines	114	272	198	234	105%	18%
Healy	392	763	700	384	-2%	-45%
Homer	1,453	2,224	2,172	1,805	24%	-17%
Juneau	3,845	3,775	3,151	2,493	-35%	-21%
Kenai	6,376	7,100	5,966	6,125	-4%	3%
Ketchikan	1,310	1,463	1,215	1,033	-21%	-15%
Kodiak	1,654	1,609	1,389	1,618	-2%	16%
Kotzebue	167	396	277	285	71%	3%
Naknek	39	58	52	94	141%	81%
Nenana	238	610	435	205	-14%	-53%
Nome	59	45	96	175	197%	82%
Palmer	11,370	9,561	7,737	9,126	-20%	18%
Petersburg	169	150	209	204	21%	-2%
Seward	1,545	1,442	1,216	874	-43%	-28%
Sitka	222	304	335	333	50%	-1%
Tok	627	379	314	259	-59%	-18%
Unalaska	289	431	372	389	35%	5%
Valdez	434	479	369	506	17%	37%
Wrangell	74	107	238	225	204%	-5%
Total	68,761	69,517	59,034	72,306	5%	22%
1st District	5,955	6,271	5,563	4,786	-20%	-14%
2nd District	548	781	620	666	22%	7%
3rd District	50,051	48,376	42,536	56,721	13%	33%
4th District	12,207	14,089	10,315	10,133	-17%	-2%

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**District Courts - Higher Volume
Traffic / Minor Offense Case Composition of Dispositions
FY 98**

Court	Equip- ment	Speeding	Obey Signs / Control Devices	Maneu- vers	License Actions for Minor Consuming	Regis- tration / Title	Other	Minor Offense / Infraction	Total
Anchorage	3,044	7,781	4,149	2,842	385	7,041	4,337	5,306	34,885
Barrow		4	10	10	32			150	206
Bethel	15	39	24	17	250	13	5	46	409
Cordova	20	1	8	12	17	83	1	152	294
Craig	24	93	14	13	77	40	1	2	264
Delta Junction	19	143	5	6	6	23	7	100	309
Dillingham	7	20	3	11	23	16	2	56	138
Fairbanks	1,472	2,844	1,080	700	537	1,801	34	99	8,567
Glennallen	18	606	3	14	6	32	4	184	867
Haines	15	40	3	5	35	12	2	122	234
Healy	18	218	2	13		15	2	116	384
Homer	488	603	17	53	86	197	5	356	1,805
Juneau	158	614	153	150	335	380	2	701	2,493
Kenai	1,354	1,477	141	284	206	609	46	2,008	6,125
Ketchikan	105	135	7	31	239	64	3	449	1,033
Kodiak	77	503	53	161	74	189	9	552	1,618
Kotzebue		11	14	8	69		1	182	285
Naknek					31			63	94
Nenana	11	145	1	7	1	4	3	33	205
Nome	1	21	8	10	64	9		62	175
Palmer	2,618	2,785	411	485	257	1,059	152	1,359	9,126
Petersburg	28	39	6	14	64	21		32	204
Seward	84	243	12	50	36	86	15	348	874
Sitka	39	22	5	11	32	59	2	163	333
Tok	38	91	1	4	14	17	2	92	259
Unalaska	31	86	5	39	12	28		188	389
Valdez	43	284	10	24	32	38		75	506
Wrangell	4	67	2	7	47	31		67	225
Total	9,731	18,915	6,147	4,981	2,967	11,867	4,635	13,063	72,306
% of Total	13.5	26.2	8.5	6.9	4.1	16.4	6.4	18.1	100.0
1st District	373	1,010	190	231	829	607	10	1,536	4,786
2nd District	1	36	32	28	165	9	1	394	666
3rd District	7,784	14,389	4,812	3,975	1,165	9,378	4,571	10,647	56,721
4th District	1,573	3,480	1,113	747	808	1,873	53	486	10,133

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District Courts
Traffic / Minor Offense Case Descriptions
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Equipment

Equipment / Vehicles - Registrations, Defects and Misuse

Speeding

Obey Signs / Control Devices

Failure to obey stop signs, yield, flashing, etc.

Maneuvers

Following Improperly
Improper Lane or Location
Improper Passing
Failure to Yield
Failure to Signal
Improper Turn
Wrong Way
Miscellaneous Maneuvers

License Actions for Minor Consuming

Revocation of Minor's License -
caught drinking but not driving

Registration / Title

Expired License or Registration
Obstructed Plates
No Safety Inspection

Other

Citations not identified in APSIN
Parking Citations
Littering
Duty Failure

Minor Offense / Infraction

Curfew
Dog Tickets
Fish and Game
Other Local Ordinances
Tobacco

**District Courts - Higher Volume
Children's Matters Filings
FY 95 - FY 98**

Court	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	Change	
					FY 95 to FY 98	FY 97 to FY 98
Anchorage *						
Barrow *						
Bethel *						
Cordova	1	10	6	6		
Craig	36	24	36	30	-17%	-17%
Delta Junction				3		
Dillingham *	24	38				
Fairbanks *						
Glennallen	2	2	15	15		
Haines	5	2	6	2		
Healy						
Homer	20	14	14	14	-30%	
Juneau *						
Kenai *						
Ketchikan *						
Kodiak *						
Kotzebue *						
Naknek	7	15	4	5		
Nenana	1					
Nome *						
Palmer *						
Petersburg *						
Seward	10	2				
Sitka *						
Tok						
Unalaska	4	10	9	13		
Valdez *						
Wrangell *						
Total	110	117	90	88	-20%	-2%
1st District	41	26	42	32	-22%	-24%
2nd District						
3rd District	68	91	48	53	-22%	10%
4th District	1			3		

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* Children's Matters reported in Superior Court