

FY 2012 PROFILE - 40TH CIRCUIT
U.S. Census 2011 Population: 81,391

	Filed	Disposed	Pending End	D/F Ratio	% Change in Filed FY11 - FY12
CIVIL					
Circuit Civil					
McDonald County	88	97	71	1.10	-16.2%
Newton County	210	233	242	1.11	-12.1%
Circuit Total	298	330	313	1.11	-13.4%
Domestic Relations					
McDonald County	550	517	166	0.94	6.2%
Newton County	831	780	371	0.94	13.8%
Circuit Total	1,381	1,297	537	0.94	10.7%
Associate Civil and Small Claims					
McDonald County	617	633	146	1.03	-15.7%
Newton County	1,827	1,998	490	1.09	-5.7%
Circuit Total	2,444	2,631	636	1.08	-8.5%
Civil Total	4,123	4,258	1,486	1.03	-3.3%

PROBATE*

* Probate includes decedent's estates, incapacitated/disabled estates, minors' estates, mental health petitions, and probable cause petitions.

McDonald County	80	63	362	0.79	-1.2%
Newton County	276	190	1,416	0.69	-14.3%
Circuit Total	356	253	1,778	0.71	-11.7%

* Simple probate including abbreviated matters - These case types were not included in the circuit profiles in previous years.

McDonald County	40	31	21	0.78	29.0%
Newton County	1,114	954	2,498	0.86	15.6%
Circuit Total	1,154	985	2,519	0.85	16.0%

JUVENILE**

** The D/F ratio and % change for Juvenile cases are not calculated because Juvenile dispositions do not include supplemental cases. The number of cases filed includes the number of MMOD (motion to modify) codes filed in FY 2012. That number (if any) is given in the first column.

	<u>Filed Cases</u>				
McDonald County	Includes 6 MMOD	104	116	115	NA
Newton County	Includes 7 MMOD	354	326	420	NA
Circuit Total		458	442	535	NA

JURY STATISTICS

	Trial Begun, No Verdict		Verdict Returned		Total Jury Days	
	Civil	Criminal	Civil	Criminal	Civil	Criminal
McDonald County	2	2	2	4	6	12
Newton County	0	3	1	5	4	14

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CRIMINAL						
Felony						
	McDonald County	170	160	75	0.94	-17.9%
	Newton County	315	308	181	0.98	-4.8%
	Circuit Total	485	468	256	0.96	-9.9%
Associate Felony						
	McDonald County	335	306	379	0.91	-17.5%
	Newton County	712	683	517	0.96	2.6%
	Circuit Total	1,047	989	896	0.94	-4.8%
Misdemeanors*						
	McDonald County*	873	784	1,963	0.90	-14.1%
	Newton County*	2,464	2,349	1,928	0.95	30.5%
	Circuit Total	3,337	3,133	3,891	0.94	14.9%
Traffic*						
	McDonald County*	560	587	520	1.05	-20.2%
	Newton County*	1,706	1,873	1,582	1.10	-18.0%
	Circuit Total	2,266	2,460	2,102	1.09	-18.6%
Ordinance**						
	McDonald County	11	20	18	1.82	-35.3%
	Newton County	4	5	1	1.25	300.0%
	Circuit Total	15	25	19	1.67	-16.7%
Municipal Cert./TDN						
	McDonald County	2	2	0	1.00	100.0%
	Newton County	1	1	0	1.00	100.0%
	Circuit Total	3	3	0	1.00	200.0%
Criminal Total		7,153	7,078	7,164	0.99	-2.6%
GRAND TOTALS						
	McDonald County	3,430	3,316	3,836	0.97	-12.7%
	Newton County	9,814	9,700	9,646	0.99	2.9%
	TOTAL	13,244	13,016	13,482	0.98	-1.6%

* For additional misdemeanor and/or traffic caseload information see Tables in Fine Collection Center section/tab.

** For information concerning ordinance cases heard in the municipal division, see Tables in Municipal Division section/tab.