

**Table 16**  
**Circuit Court, FY 2013**  
**Statistical Summary**  
**Statewide Totals**

**FY 2013 Caseload**

	<u>Filed</u>	<u>Disposed</u>	<u>Pending End</u>	<u>D/F Ratio</u>	<u>% Change in Filed FY 12 - FY 13</u>
<b>Civil</b>					
Circuit Civil	30,135	30,446	30,490	1.01	-13.4%
Domestic Relations	105,109	104,841	42,343	1.00	-4.7%
Associate Civil/Small Claims	212,271	216,212	53,878	1.02	-7.0%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>347,515</b>	<b>351,499</b>	<b>126,711</b>	<b>1.01</b>	<b>-6.9%</b>
<b>Criminal</b>					
Circuit Felony	45,363	44,754	26,695	0.99	9.9%
Associate Felony	56,060	57,179	32,189	1.02	3.6%
Misdemeanors*	112,963	114,850	117,360	1.02	-2.5%
Traffic*	139,462	140,120	131,038	1.00	-7.6%
Ordinance	19,504	19,872	8,717	1.02	13.3%
Municipal Cert./TDN	2,192	2,779	825	1.27	-7.8%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>375,544</b>	<b>379,554</b>	<b>316,824</b>	<b>1.01</b>	<b>-1.6%</b>
83,001 crime victims compensation act judgments were assessed in fiscal year 2013.					
<b>Juvenile**</b>	<b>17,073</b>	<b>14,236</b>	<b>20,369</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>
<b>Probate</b>					
Decedents' Estates	4,267	4,087	11,207	0.96	-3.7%
Incap./Disabled Estates	3,215	2,470	29,183	0.77	3.6%
Minors' Estates	3,942	2,843	22,368	0.72	16.2%
Mental Health Petitions	1,570	1,278	954	0.81	-23.2%
Probable Cause Petitions	15	12	124	0.80	-25.0%
Simple Probate***	24,909	23,450	11,584	0.94	2.7%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>37,918</b>	<b>34,140</b>	<b>75,420</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>1.8%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>778,050</b>	<b>779,429</b>	<b>539,324</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>-3.9%</b>

\* Misdemeanor and traffic caseloads do not include traffic and conservation/watercraft cases reported to the Fine Collection Center.

\*\* The D/F ratio and % change for Juvenile cases are not calculated because Juvenile dispositions do not include supplemental cases. Dispositions are no longer reported until court jurisdiction is terminated.

\*\*\*Simple Probate (abbreviated matters) case types were included in the profiles for the first time in the FY 2012 supplement.

	<u>Filed</u>	<u>Disposed</u>	<u>Pending End</u>
<b>Municipal Division</b>			
Alcohol/Drug Related Traffic	17,826	17,354	44,446
Other Traffic	1,258,124	1,066,289	1,673,248
Non-Traffic Ordinance	325,720	276,137	610,895
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,601,670</b>	<b>1,359,780</b>	<b>2,328,589</b>
<b>Fine Collection Center</b>			
Traffic	259,162	259,905	18,434
Conservation	5,646	5,605	519
Watercraft	892	963	61
Municipal Cases	2,111	2,101	122
<b>Total</b>	<b>267,811</b>	<b>268,574</b>	<b>19,136</b>

\* 188,995 FCC cases were disposed by guilty plea.

\* 45,901 FCC cases were returned to the county due to a not guilty plea.

\* 33,678 FCC cases were returned to the county due to no response.

**Table 17**  
**Circuit Court, FY 2013**  
**Circuit Civil/Domestic Relations Cases Filed and Disposed by Case Type**  
**Statewide Totals**

**Circuit Civil**

Tort	Description	Filings		Dispositions	
	Asbestos	153		74	
	Personal Injury- Federal Employee Liability Act	55		82	
	Personal Injury- Malpractice	634		609	
	Personal Injury- Product Liability	381		236	
	Personal Injury- Vehicular	4,002		3,987	
	Personal Injury- Other	2,144		2,059	
	Property Damage	422		453	
	Wrongful Death	628		630	
	Employment Discrimination	692		582	
	Public Accommodation	7		3	
	Other Tort	1,146		1,164	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>10,264</b>	<b>34.1%</b>	<b>9,879</b>	<b>32.4%</b>
<b>Contract</b>					
	Breach of Contract	2,838		2,978	
	Promissory Note	761		858	
	Specific Performance	83		82	
	Suit on Account	1,786		1,848	
	Other Contract	434		433	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>5,902</b>	<b>19.6%</b>	<b>6,199</b>	<b>20.4%</b>
<b>Administrative Review</b>					
	Chapter 536 State Agency Review	200		161	
	License Revoc / Suspended	400		373	
	Limit Driver Privilege	269		240	
	Hearing-Refuse Take Breathalyzer	975		1,045	
	TDN of DOR decision	450		490	
	Other Administrative Review	686		623	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>2,980</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>2,932</b>	<b>9.6%</b>
<b>Real Estate</b>					
	Application to Enforce Mechanics' Liens	101		121	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation-State	26		15	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation-Other	50		48	
	Exception	17		60	
	Foreclosure	213		211	
	Landlord Complaint	13		11	
	Partition	193		201	
	Quiet Title	1,057		1,103	
	Rent and Possession	156		153	
	Unlawful Detainer	96		85	
	Other Real Estate	496		562	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>2,418</b>	<b>8.0%</b>	<b>2,570</b>	<b>8.4%</b>
<b>Extraordinary Remedy</b>					
	Declaratory Judgment	773		770	
	Habeas Corpus	311		268	
	Injunction	303		361	
	Show Cause to Enforce Jury Service	350		771	
	Temporary Restraining Order	168		162	
	Other Extraordinary Remedy	301		295	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>2,206</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	<b>2,627</b>	<b>8.6%</b>

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Description		Filings	Dispositions	
Miscellaneous				
Delinquent City License Fee		1		1
Delinquent City Taxes		4		4
Delinquent County License Fee		0		0
Delinquent County Taxes		4		5
Delinquent Sales Tax		0		1
Delinquent State Tax		0		19
Personal Property Tax		3		33
Tax Action-Other		47		27
Action Against Garnishee		103		105
Arbitration Filed		2		3
CAFA Forfeiture		551		427
Common Law Lien Petition		2		
Contempt		25		21
Establishment of Charters		1		1
Examination Judgment Debtor		2		3
Expungment/Correction of Arrest Record		352		359
Expungment Criminal Records		119		89
Grandparent Visitation		0		
Gun Permit Appeal		0		
Incarceration Reimburs 217.835		57		68
Pro Forma		18		18
Registration of Foreign Judgment		528		517
Replevin		317		360
Registration of Foreign Protection Order		0		
Revival of Judgment		4		5
Sm. Claims Certified to Circuit		6		9
Small Claims Trial de Novo		584		558
Supreme Court Rules 24.035 and 29.15		917		832
Out of State Witness		225		212
Trial De Novo		431		416
Will Contest		22		26
Other Miscellaneous		2,040		2,120
Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases		6,365	21.1%	6,239 20.5%
Total Circuit Civil		30,135		30,446
Domestic Relations				
Description	Filings	Dispositions		
Adult Abuse-Ext/Mod	0	0		
Adult Abuse-Not Stalking	27,042	26,756		
Adult Abuse-Stalking	16,027	15,920		
Change of Name	1,978	1,881		
Child Protection Ext/Mod	2	1		
Child Protection Order	8,486	8,369		
Contempt (Includes IV-D)	3,195	3,384		
Dissolution of Marriage w/ Children	13,072	13,541		
Dissolution of Marriage w/o Children	12,999	13,174		
Family Access Motion	669	617		
Habeas Corpus	48	41		
IV-D Admin. Order w/ Hearing	449	456		
Legal Separation, Annulment, Separate Maintenance	443	436		
Modify Registration of Foreign Judgment	49	46		
Motion to Modify (Includes IV-D)	8,624	8,376		
Paternity (Includes IV-D)	9,207	9,115		
Registration of Foreign Judgment-Custody	129	118		
Registration of Foreign Judgment-Dissolution	235	240		
Registration of Foreign Order of Protection	19	17		
UIFSA - Initiating IV-D	135	147		
UIFSA - Responding IV-D	337	349		
URES A - Initiating, URES A - Initiating IV-D	14	12		
URES A - Responding, URES A - Responding IV-D	2	3		
Other Domestic Relations (Includes IV-D)	1,347	1,195		
Set Aside Paternity Judgement	28	106		
Motion to Modify Paternity	573	541		
Total Domestic Relations	#####	104,841		

**Table 18**  
**Circuit Court, FY 2013**  
**Associate Civil Cases Filed and Disposed by Case Type**  
**Statewide Totals**

**Associate Civil**

Description		Filings	Dispositions		
Tort					
	Asbestos	0		0	
	Employment Discrimination 213.111	2		1	
	Personal Injury-Federal Employee Liability Act	0		1	
	Personal Injury- Malpractice	6		4	
	Personal Injury- Product Liability	6		5	
	Personal Injury- Vehicular	573		496	
	Personal Injury- Other	172		161	
	Property Damage	2,406		2,270	
	Wrongful Death	13		11	
	Tort Damages	493		987	
	Other Tort	551		487	
	Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil Cases	4,222	2.0%	4,423	2.0%
Contract					
	Breach of Contract	37,397		37,529	
	Promissory Note	4,885		5,034	
	Specific Performance	70		80	
	Suit on Account	63,791		66,931	
	Contract Account	30,488		30,200	
	Other Contract	1,278		1,005	
	Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil Cases	137,909	65.0%	140,779	65.1%
Administrative Review					
	Chapter 536 State Agency Review	15		15	
	Drivers' License Revocation 302.311 RSMo	580		555	
	Petition for SATOP Review	356		347	
	Refuse Breathalyzer 302.750/577.04 RSMo	3,570		3,894	
	Limit Driver Privledge 302.309 RSMo	488		418	
	TDN of DOR Decision	628		615	
	Other Administrative Review	234		217	
	Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil Cases	5,871	2.8%	6,061	2.8%
Real Estate					
	Application to Enforce Mechanics' Liens	49		59	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation-Other	0		0	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation-State	0		0	
	Exception	0		0	
	Foreclosure	14		13	
	Landlord Complaint	4,973		4,985	
	Landlord Actions	8,611		8,760	
	Partition	8		6	
	Quiet Title	44		44	
	Rent and Possession	25,182		24,987	
	Unlawful Detainer	6,340		6,538	
	Other Real Estate	438		439	
	Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil Cases	45,659	21.5%	45,831	21.2%

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<b>Extraordinary Remedy</b>				
Declaratory Judgment	403		385	
Habeas Corpus	2		0	
Injunction	7		6	
Out of State Witness	0		0	
Show Cause to Enforce Jury Service	1		4	
Temporary Restraining Order	2		2	
Other Extraordinary Remedy	17		13	
<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil Cases</b>	<b>432</b>	0.2%	<b>410</b>	0.2%
<b>Miscellaneous</b>				
Action Against Garnishee	1		1	
Arbitration Filed	0		1	
CAFA Forfeiture	61		73	
Common Law Lien Petition	0		2	
Contempt	3		2	
Delinquent City License Fee	9		7	
Delinquent City Taxes	1,366		1,479	
Delinquent County License Fee	0		0	
Delinquent County Taxes	535		806	
Delinquent Sales Tax	1		1	
Delinquent State Tax	0		1	
Personal Property Tax	2,801		2,600	
Tax Action-Other	4		4	
Establishment of Charters				
Examination Judgment Debtor			1	
Expungment/Correction of Arrest Record	97		114	
Expungment Criminal Records	34		17	
Grandparent Visitation	20		18	
Gun Permit Appeal	3		2	
Out of State Witness	4		7	
Owner/Lienholder Petition for Property Release	6		3	
Registration of Foreign Judgment, Excl. Dr.	1,018		1,004	
Replevin	806		846	
Revival of Judgment	22		16	
Other Miscellaneous	930		900	
<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil Cases</b>	<b>7,721</b>	3.6%	<b>7,905</b>	3.7%
<b>Small Claims</b>				
Small Claims	10,394		10,746	
Conceal Carry Appeal	53		50	
Pet Revoc Conceal Carry	10		7	
<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil Cases</b>	<b>10,457</b>	4.9%	<b>10,803</b>	5.0%
<b>Total Associate Civil and Small Claims</b>	<b>212,271</b>		<b>216,212</b>	