

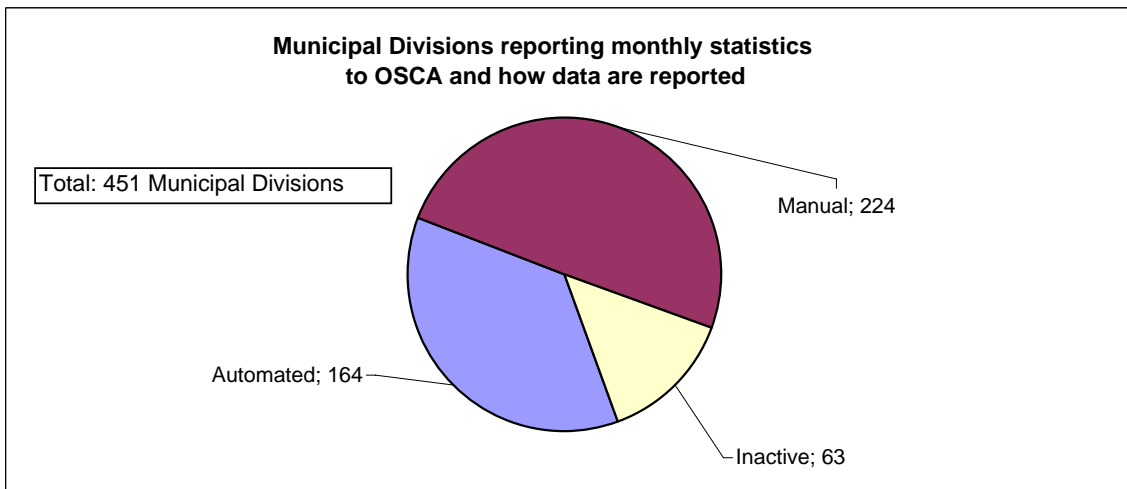
FY 2005 - Municipal Division Caseload

Municipal divisions in Missouri can operate within one of three basic structures pursuant to section 479.060 RSMo:

1. Municipal funded court facility with municipal judge(s) (either lawyer or non-lawyer) and municipal clerk(s).
2. Municipal funded clerk(s) with cases processed and managed by the clerk(s) but heard by a state funded associate judge.
3. Municipal cases filed and heard through the associate division, where the judge and the clerk(s) are funded by the state.

The data in this section are for municipal divisions which operate under the first and second types of structures. The municipal divisions reported monthly to OSCA using the Municipal Division Summary Reporting Form.

Municipal divisions which operate under the third type of structure report data through the Justice Information System (JIS) or Statewide Judicial Information System (SWJIS). These data are reported as 'Ordinance' cases in the Circuit Court sections of this supplement.



Automated - Municipal divisions using an approved case management system that meets the guidelines for Court Operating Rules 1, 2 and 4.

Manual - Municipal divisions that are not using an approved automated system.

Inactive - Municipal divisions that are not reporting data to OSCA due to abolishment of police department, lack of court clerk, etc.

