

Superior Court

2003 Annual Caseload

Report

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Overall Court Activity

- Superior courts in Washington State handled 299,293 new case filings in 2003. The 13,564 increase over 2002 filings represented the largest percentage increase (4.7%) in the past few years. The filing rate (number of cases filed per 1,000 population) rose from 47 in 2002 to 49 in 2003.
- Civil case filings make up the largest proportion (42.8%) of the total, followed by: criminal (15.8%), domestic/URESAs (12.6%), juvenile offender (9.1%), juvenile dependency (6.8%), probate (5.2%), adoption and paternity (3.8%), mental illness (3.0%), and guardianship (0.9%).
- The largest year to year increase in filings occurred in civil cases (up 11.5%) with criminal (up 5.8%), mental illness (up 2.5%) and juvenile offender (up 1.4%) accounting for the remainder of the positive influence. The remaining case types experienced a drop in filings, ranging from -11.2% for adoption and paternity to minus 0.3% for domestic/URESAs.
- The number of cases resolved in Washington's superior courts in 2003 rose by 3.3% over the 2002 figure. An 11.1% increase in civil case resolutions was the major contributor to the total increase. Decreases in adoption and paternity resolutions (-8.8%) and juvenile dependency resolutions (-9.3%) were mitigated by their lower numbers in relation to civil cases.
- The total number of cases resolved rose from 275,638 in 2002 to 284,745 in 2003. Again, civil cases comprise the highest portion, at 42.9%. The next largest components are criminal (15.6%), domestic/URESAs (12.5%), and juvenile offender (9.4%). The remainder of the case types account for 19.6% of the total.
- Statewide, 723,483 proceedings were conducted in Washington's superior courts. Of those, 8,894 (1.2%) were trials. The trials were predominately domestic/URESAs (30.8%), criminal (25.7%), and civil (19.0%) in nature.

Criminal Activity

- Criminal filings totaled 47,395 cases in 2003 - an increase of 5.8% over the 44,799 cases filed in 2002.
- For 2003, the case type components, in descending order, of criminal filings were: controlled substance (30.5%), theft/burglary (23.2%), other felonies (16.4%), assault (12.6%), sex crimes (5.3%), robbery (2.8%), motor vehicle theft (2.1%), appeals of lower court criminal cases (1.7%), homicide (0.6%), and misdemeanors or gross misdemeanors (0.6%). The remaining 4.3% represents non-charge filings, where a case is initiated in order to conduct hearings to determine whether formal charges will be filed. If charges are filed, the case is counted as a criminal case as of the date the information is filed. If no charges result, the matter is considered

a "non-charge" matter and this classification is maintained for caseload purposes.

- Decreases in homicide (-8.8%) and motor vehicle theft (-7.7%) filings were more than offset by increases in most other case types. Two significant increases (in both number and percentage) took place in controlled substance filings, which were up 9.1% to 14,458, and assault filings, which rose 9.6% to 5,978.
- Appeals of lower-court criminal cases experienced a dramatic turnaround in 2003. Following a two-year decrease, lower-court appeals rose 19.9% to 807. This is still below the 2000 level of 938, however.

Civil Activity

- Civil case filings were up 11.5% over the year, increasing from 114,978 in 2002 to 127,943 in 2003.
- As was the case in 2002, a large portion of that increase (5,702) was in "other matters filed with the clerk." These cases are generally handled administratively, usually do not require court time, and are often resolved and completed at the time they are filed. Examples are tax warrants, abstracts of judgment, and foreign judgments. The strongest positive component was in commercial cases, up 24.9% over the year to 24,408.
- More moderate increases in tort and property rights cases (each up 4.3%), and domestic violence (up 1.5%) balanced out the overall increase in filings.
- The overwhelming majority (98.9%) of civil cases are resolved without trial. Civil cases that were uncontested or resolved when filed comprise 43.5% of all resolutions.
- The number of civil cases which proceeded to the trial stage was up 10.4% over 2002, from 1,238 to 1,367.

Domestic Activity

- Domestic case filings dropped slightly in 2003 from the 2002 total. Decreased dissolution filings, which comprise 79.8% of all domestic case filings, set the tone for the drop. Relatively small actual changes in the other causes of action were outweighed by the 695 increase in the miscellaneous category.
- The number of proceedings per resolution increased again, from 2.6 in 2002 to 2.7 in 2003.

Juvenile Offender Activity

- A slight increase in juvenile offender case filings marked the first year-to-year rise since 1998. The largest components of juvenile offender case filings are misdemeanors and gross misdemeanors (51.0%), "non charge matters" (13.0%), and theft and burglary (12.8%). The impact of increases in the first two categories noted was tempered by a slight drop (-0.3%) in felony filings.
- The number of juvenile offenders sentenced in 2003, 15,443, represented a drop from the 2002 total of 15,887. Nearly half (49.8%) of the sentences involved detention, community supervision, or both. State or local commitments were the result in 13.5% of juvenile offender sentences. The remaining 36.7% of sentences were ordered served using other sanctions.
- The number of juvenile offender proceedings held was up 6.0% over 2002, following two consecutive year-to-year decreases.

Caseloads of the Courts of Washington Caution Regarding Figures Published In Prior Years

Correction implemented for 2003 report

In past years, certain proceedings were improperly classified as "trials". In the aggregation process, miscoded criminal and juvenile offender "non-charge" proceedings and civil "matters filed with the clerk" proceedings were included in "trial" counts. This has been corrected. The few miscoded proceedings have been removed from "trial proceeding" counts and included in "non-trial proceeding" counts. This change was imposed on data back to 1999 for the Trend Tables and forward through 2003. The breakout of "non-trial" and "trial" proceedings for 1999 through 2002 will differ from the trend tables published last year. However, the total number of proceedings for those years remains the same.

Improvements to statistical tables are continually being made to enhance usability of the data for the courts. As a consequence, *extreme caution* must be exercised when comparing current year statistics to figures published in earlier years. Failure to carefully consider all footnotes, definitions, and explanatory text can lead to faulty interpretations and erroneous conclusions.

In particular, all publications since **1998** have included certain types of cases in total filings that were previously excluded from the totals. These include "matters filed with the clerks," now included in civil totals; "non-charge matters," now included in criminal and juvenile offender totals; and "pre-placement reports," now included in adoption/paternity totals. **Caseload increases attributable to that change in reporting convention should not be misconstrued as reflecting actual increases in court workload.**

In addition, in **1992**, the Washington State Association of County Clerks implemented an entirely revised reporting model. Figures prior to 1992 are largely non-comparable to those compiled since 1992.

With continual improvements to caseload data, important **revisions occur every year** data are published. Your sound interpretation on the information depends upon a thorough review of footnotes, glossary entries, and explanatory text accompanying caseload publications.

Superior Court Glossary

This glossary is included to assist in understanding the caseload measures presented in this report.

Judicial Needs Estimates (Annual Report Only)

Judges - The number of full-time resident judges in court at year-end. Excludes visiting and pro tempore judges.

Authorized Unfilled Judge Positions - The number of judge positions authorized under Chapter 2.08 RCW that were not funded at the county level as of the end of the calendar year.

Commissioners - The number of full-time and part-time commissioners in court at year-end. Excludes visiting and pro tempore commissioners.

Total Judicial Officers - The number of full-time judges, full-time commissioners, and part-time commissioners, excluding visiting and pro tempore judges and commissioners.

Total Estimated Judge Need - The estimate has two basic components: (1) a 'base' estimate derived from projected filings by case type, and (2) a non-negative time standards adjustment factor. [See Description](#)

Staffing (Annual Report Only)

Full Time Equivalent (FTE) - The combined number of hours for which a group of individuals is paid to work each week during the year, divided by a standard number of hours per week. For example, a person that is paid to work 40 hours per week equals one FTE. Two people working a 20-hour week are equivalent to one FTE.

Judges - The number of full-time resident judges in superior court as of year end, including juvenile court judges.

Commissioners - The number of court commissioners in superior court as of year end. These numbers are broken down into full- and part-time positions as reported by the court.

Permanent Full Time Staff - The number of full time administrative staff, excluding the court administrator.

Part-Time and Temporary Staff - The number of permanent administrative staff working at less than a full time workweek and the number of staff working less than a full year. Full-time status is based on the staff workweek.

Staff Workweek - The number of hours that are officially recognized as constituting a full-time work week for administrative staff.

Case Type Reporting Categories

Criminal and Juvenile Offender Filings

Criminal and juvenile offender filings are categorized by the primary (i.e., most serious) original

charge against the defendant in the following order: homicide, sex crimes, robbery, assault, theft/burglary, motor vehicle theft, controlled substances, other felony, and misdemeanors. Other filing categories include appeals from lower courts and "non-charge" matters.

Homicide - Cases where the primary charge involves murder, manslaughter, excusable homicide, or justifiable homicide.

Sex Crimes - Cases where the primary charge involves sexual exploitation of a minor, incest, rape, statutory rape, or indecent liberties.

Robbery - Cases where the primary charge involves theft of property by the use of force, violence, or fear of injury to a person or his or her property.

Assault - Cases where the primary charge involves assault or intent to cause another person physical harm, including malicious harassment and coercion.

Theft/Burglary - Cases where the primary charge involves theft of property (other than a motor vehicle), possession of stolen property, extortion, burglary, or criminal trespass.

Motor Vehicle Theft - Cases where the primary charge involves taking a motor vehicle without permission of the owner.

Controlled Substance - Cases where the primary charge involves violation of the Uniform Controlled Substances Act (UCSA) or violation of regulations regarding prescription drugs.

Other Felony - Cases where the primary charge involves a felony which is not specifically defined above.

Misdemeanor and Gross Misdemeanor - Cases where the primary charge involves a misdemeanor or gross misdemeanor based on the *Revised Code of Washington*.

Appeals from Lower Courts - Cases involving the appeal of a judgment rendered on a criminal charge in a court of limited jurisdiction.

Non-charge - A matter brought before the court for which no formal charges have been filed, such as a preliminary appearance prior to the filing of an information; a non-charge matter for which a charging document is eventually filed becomes a criminal or juvenile offender filing as of the date the information is filed.

Civil

Civil cases pertain to the settlement of disputes between and among individuals, organizations, or groups and have to do with the establishment, recovery, or redress of private and civil rights.

Tort - Cases involving injury to another person or damage to another's property that does not involve a contract.

Commercial - Cases involving monetary disputes where damages are not at issue.

Meretricious Relationship - Cases involving the distribution of property from a meretricious relationship (i.e., a stable, marital-like relationship where both parties cohabit with knowledge that a lawful marriage between them does not exist).

Property Rights - Cases involving land and items attached to land.

Civil Harassment - Petitions for protection from civil harassment.

Domestic Violence - Petitions for protection from domestic violence.

Administrative Law Review - Petitions to review rulings made by state administrative agencies.

Other Petitions and Complaints - Cases involving civil matters which are not specifically defined above.

Appeals from Lower Courts - Appeals of judgments from courts of limited jurisdiction to superior courts involving civil or traffic infraction matters.

Matters Filed with the Clerk - Matters that are primarily handled by the clerk. Examples are tax warrants, abstracts of judgment, transcripts of judgment, and foreign judgments.

Domestic

Child Custody - Dispute involving immediate charge and control of a child.

Dissolution with Children of the Marriage - Termination of a marriage other than by annulment, with dependent children of that marriage.

Dissolution with No Children of the Marriage - Termination of a marriage other than by annulment, with no dependent children of that marriage.

Annulment/Invalidity - Claim that a marriage is illegal or invalid.

Modification - Change of a previous order or decree, when a new case file is opened and a new case number assigned (e.g., when the dissolution decree or order at issue was previously entered in another county or state).

Out-of-State Child Custody - Recording custody established out-of-state.

Legal Separation - Petition by parties in a marriage to live separate and apart.

Mandatory Wage Assignment - Petition for wage assignment (RCW 26.18.070).

Foreign Judgment - Any judgment, decree, or order of a court of the United States, or of any state or territory which is entitled to full faith and credit in this state.

Miscellaneous Domestic - Any other petition not specified by other domestic causes-of-action.

UIFSA - Uniform Interstate Family Support Act. The law which regulates the processing of all cases in which parties are located in more than one state. The Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 required each state to adopt the UIFSA, verbatim, by January 1, 1998. It can be found at 26.21 RCW.

Probate and Guardianship

Probate - Cases involving the registering of a will, the determination of whether a will is a valid instrument, the statutory method of establishing a will's proper execution, or the disposition of an estate in the absence of a will.

Guardianship - Cases involving the relationship between a person lawfully invested with the power and charged with the duty of taking care of the rights of another person who is considered by the court to be incapable of caring for himself or herself.

Adoption and Paternity

Adoption - Petition for the establishment of a new, permanent relationship of a parent and child between persons not having that relationship. This includes adoption petitions filed in relation to actions of relinquishment or termination of parental rights.

Paternity - Petition to determine the legal status of an alleged biological father.

Paternity - UIFSA - Petition to determine the legal status of an alleged biological father which is filed in conjunction with the reciprocal report entered under the UIFSA agreement.

Relinquishment - Petition to voluntarily relinquish parental rights of a child to the Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS), an agency, or a prospective adoptive parent.

Termination - Petition for termination of a parent-child relationship of a parent or alleged parent who has not executed a written consent.

Modification - Change of a previous order or decree, when a new case file is opened and a new case number assigned (e.g., when the decree or order at issue was previously entered in another county or state).

Confidential Name Change - Petition for a confidential change of name for a victim of domestic violence.

Initial Pre-Placement Reports Filed with the Clerk - A report by the DSHS submitted to the court prior to the filing of adoption papers on a child.

Mental Illness and Alcohol

Mental Illness - Cases involving the determination as to whether an individual is mentally ill or incapacitated and should be placed in or remain under care, custody, and treatment.

Alcohol - Cases involving the determination as to whether an individual is incapacitated by alcohol and should be committed to an institution for treatment.

Juvenile Dependency

Child In Need Of Services (CHINS) - Petition to allow out-of-home placement of a minor.

Dependency - Petition alleging that a person under the age of 18 is dependent and requires court intervention to ensure his or her well being.

Developmental Disability Placement - Petition for a voluntary placement agreement when the sole reason for the out-of-home placement is the child's developmental disability.

Termination - Petition for the termination of a parent-child relationship following a finding of dependency.

At-Risk Youth (ARY) - Petition to request available juvenile court services for personal or family situations which present a serious and imminent threat to the at-risk child or family.

Truancy - Petition to request the juvenile court to intervene on behalf of a juvenile who is unjustifiably truant from school.

Filings

A filing is the initiation of a case in court by formal submission to the court of a document alleging the facts of a matter and requesting relief.

A separate case filing occurs for each criminal and juvenile offender defendant. For a non-criminal case, a separate filing is reported for each complaint or petition filed.

Each unique mental illness/alcohol case number is reported as a single filing, no matter how many subsequent petitions are filed during the life of a case. A case reopened for subsequent adjudication after the initial judgment is not considered a new filing unless a new case number is assigned.

Ex Parte Actions

An ex parte action is a judicial action on the behalf of one party, without notice to or contestation by any person adversely interested. Such an action may take place on or off the bench, and does not necessarily result in a signed order. **Note: In order for this workload item to be included in caseload statistics, the judicial officer needs to complete a transaction slip. At local option, this step may be eliminated.**

For criminal and juvenile offender cases, ex parte actions are recorded in the offense reporting category that corresponds to the most serious charge current at the time of the action.

Proceedings Held

A proceeding is a matter held in open court with at least one of the parties present in a case or non-charge matter. Trials and adjudicatory hearings are contested proceedings conducted by a judge to determine the guilt or innocence of the defendant in criminal and juvenile offender cases, or to resolve the issues of a case in non-criminal cases.

For any case, a single session of the court can result in one or more proceedings, except during trials. Any given type of proceeding that occurs during a single court session will only be counted once (e.g., despite numerous motions made to the court, only one motion hearing is counted).

For criminal and juvenile offender cases, proceedings are counted in the offense category that corresponds to the primary charge the day prior to the date on which the proceeding was held. Non-criminal case proceedings are counted in the category in which the case is filed.

60-Day Alcohol Hearing - A hearing to determine whether probable cause exists to involuntarily commit a person who is incapacitated by alcohol for intensive treatment and evaluation.

Adjudicatory Hearing - A hearing in which the issues of fact and law are to be determined by the judicial officer of a court of competent jurisdiction, and in which the defendant is not sentenced.

Adjudicatory and Sentencing Hearing - A hearing in which the issues of fact and law are to be determined by the judicial officer of a court of competent jurisdiction and the defendant receives the sentence imposed.

Arraignment and Guilty Plea Hearing - A hearing at which an initial arraignment is held and the defendant enters a plea of guilty.

Arraignment, Guilty Plea, and Sentencing Hearing - A hearing at which all three actions take place.

Commitment Hearing - A hearing to determine whether probable cause exists to involuntarily commit a person for intensive treatment and evaluation.

Contempt Hearing - A hearing to determine whether an existing order has been violated.

Continued Prosecution Hearing - A hearing in which a defendant accepts court supervision with specific conditions of behavior resulting from deferred prosecution or a continued order of prosecution.

Declination Hearing - A hearing to determine whether a juvenile defendant should be transferred to adult court for all subsequent proceedings.

Detention Hearing - A hearing to determine whether (1) probable cause exists to detain a defendant, or (2) a person will be involuntarily detained for mental health evaluation for a period not to exceed 72 hours.

Dismissal Hearing - A hearing in which the case is dismissed either before or after a trial or adjudicatory hearing has commenced.

Evidentiary Hearing - A hearing to determine the admissibility, relevancy, weight, and sufficiency of evidence before the court.

Execution/Death Penalty Jury Proceeding - A post-trial hearing in which a jury determines whether a defendant convicted of aggravated first degree murder should receive the death penalty.

Fact Finding and Disposition Hearing - A hearing to determine issues pertaining to families in conflict, the dependency of a juvenile, and/or the appointment of a guardian, where a disposition hearing immediately follows.

Fact Finding Only Hearing - A hearing to determine issues pertaining to families in conflict, the dependency of a juvenile, and/or the appointment of a guardian when a disposition hearing does not immediately follow.

Financial Review Hearing - A hearing to monitor a convicted defendant's performance in meeting legal financial obligations.

Guilty Plea Only Hearing - Any hearing in which a defendant formally admits guilt, is convicted, and is not sentenced.

Guilty Plea and Sentencing Hearing - A hearing in which a defendant formally admits guilt, is convicted, and receives the sentence imposed.

Initial Arraignment - A hearing that consists of reading the original complaint to the defendant or stating the substance of the charge, and advising the defendant of his or her rights for the purpose of allowing the defendant to make a plea. There is only one initial arraignment per case. Depending on the defendant's plea, subsequent arraignments that occur for amended informations are recorded as either a (1) not guilty plea hearing, (2) guilty plea hearing, or (3) a motion hearing where charges are read but no plea is entered.

Jury Trial - A trial in which the issues of fact are determined by verdict from a body of citizens of a particular district before a court of competent jurisdiction.

Medication Hearing - A hearing to determine whether anti-psychotic medication will be involuntarily administered to an individual as part of treatment.

Modification Hearing - A post-resolution hearing in which a modification is sought to an existing order or decree.

Motion Hearing - A motion hearing held prior to case resolution.

Non-Jury Trial - A trial in which the issues of fact and law are determined by a judicial officer of a court of competent jurisdiction.

Not Guilty Plea Hearing - Any subsequent arraignment held in which a defendant enters a plea of not guilty to the amended information.

Omnibus Hearing - A hearing potentially involving many unrelated matters on the agenda for discussion and consideration.

Other Hearing - A hearing which leads to the final resolution of a non-charge matter, such as for a material witness or an extradition.

Post-Resolution Motion Hearing - A proceeding, other than a modification hearing, for a case in which all issues were previously resolved.

Preliminary Appearance - Any hearing held prior to case filing involving issues of detainment in jail or court authorized conditions of release.

Pre-Resolution/Motion Conference - A status conference or motion hearing held prior to case resolution.

Pre-Trial Management Hearing - A hearing whereby the court considers compliance with discovery and motion deadlines, attempts to frame issues of fact and law for trial, sets a briefing schedule, and makes further rulings as necessary, including the determination of readiness for trial.

RALJ Hearing - A hearing by the superior court to decide issues on an appellate case under the rules for appeal of decisions of courts of limited jurisdiction.

Review Hearing - A hearing held within the statutorily prescribed time limits to (1) review or modify a dispositional plan, (2) to monitor a guardian's performance, or (3) to review a patient's progress in connection with an existing commitment order.

Revocation Hearing - A hearing to revoke an existing commitment order and impose a more restrictive treatment alternative.

Sentence Conditions Violation Hearing - A hearing to seek a modification or revocation of an existing sentencing order or to consider additional penalties for the violation(s).

Sentencing Hearing - A hearing in which a convicted defendant receives the sentence imposed.

Separate Disposition Hearing - A hearing in which only the disposition of a case is determined. Excludes proceedings where fact finding and case disposition occurred in the same hearing.

Shelter Care Hearing - A hearing to determine whether a child alleged to be dependent is in need of services such as temporary housing or medical care.

Stipulated Trial - A hearing at which issues of fact and law are determined by the judicial officer's review of the previously stipulated facts when a defendant fails or opts out of a drug court program or

fails to satisfy the conditions of behavior specified in a continued prosecution agreement.

Summary Judgment Hearing - A hearing before the court in which a judgment is granted prior to trial on the basis that the case involves no dispute as to factual matters, and that the party is entitled to judgment as a matter of law.

Trial by Affidavit - A trial in which the issues of fact and law are to be determined by the judicial officer of a court or competent jurisdiction based on the agreed statement of facts contained in one or more affidavits.

Trial Settlement Hearing - A hearing requested by the court whereby parties or their attorneys prepare and present their issues in lieu of a trial.

Uncontested Resolution Hearing - A hearing in which all remaining uncontested issues are adjudicated, and the case is resolved.

Voir Dire Only Hearing - A pre-trial hearing in which the court and attorneys examine prospective jurors to determine their suitability to serve as jurors. This hearing is recorded only if jury empanelment begins but the scheduled jury trial does not take place.

Warrant Identification Hearing - A hearing at which a defendant is identified on a bench warrant arrest and at which conditions of release are determined.

Proceedings Continued

A granted hearing continuance is only an instance where a hearing has been set for a specific date and is deferred before that hearing commences. Continued hearings are classified by the reason for the scheduling change.

Judicial Conflict - A continuance caused by the filing of an affidavit of prejudice or by the recusal of the judge.

Calendar Conflict - A granted hearing continuance caused by the court's calendar becoming too full to hear the case. These continuances result from judicial or courtroom resources being unavailable.

Defense Requested - A granted hearing continuance requested by the defense for reasons other than a judicial or calendar conflict.

Prosecutor/Plaintiff Requested - A granted hearing continuance requested by the prosecuting attorney for reasons other than a judicial or calendar conflict.

Stipulated - A granted hearing continuance requested by stipulation of all concerned parties for reasons other than a judicial or calendar conflict.

Unspecified - A granted hearing continuance requested by unknown concerned parties for reasons other than a judicial or calendar conflict.

Proceedings Stricken or Canceled

A stricken proceeding is one which has been removed from the court calendar by a judicial officer and not recorded on a calendar to take place at another date. A canceled proceeding is one removed from the court calendar by a non-judicial officer and not recorded on a calendar to take place at another

date. A stricken or canceled proceeding is only an instance where a proceeding is set for a specific date and stricken or canceled before that scheduled commencement.

For criminal and juvenile offender cases, proceedings stricken or canceled are recorded in the offense reporting category that corresponds to the most serious charge current on the day the proceeding was stricken or canceled.

Original Counts Filed

This statistical reporting category classifies every charge and count on the original information filed using the offense reporting categories. These charges and counts are reported in the month in which they are filed.

Final Counts Resolved

This statistical reporting category classifies every charge and count on the final information filed using the offense reporting categories. These charges and counts are reported in the month in which the case is resolved. Only those charges with result codes on the final information filed will be included in caseload statistics.

Change of Venue - Final counts transferred from the court to another jurisdiction for adjudication.

Pending - Final counts for which a respondent has been granted continued prosecution, with the final outcome of the charge(s) still pending.

Dismissed - Final counts dismissed.

Guilty - Final counts for which a defendant or respondent has pleaded guilty or has been found guilty.

Acquitted/Not Guilty - Final counts for which a defendant or respondent has been acquitted or found not guilty.

Cases Resolved

Resolution signifies that a case has been tried, settled, or otherwise concluded. It occurs when a judicial decision has been rendered or when a case has been transferred to another jurisdiction for subsequent adjudication. In some instances a case can be "completed" (i.e., the dispositive case documents filed with the clerk for the legal record) at the point of case resolution; however, a case can never be completed prior to resolution. For mental illness and alcohol cases, resolution occurs at the adjudication of the first commitment petition filed in a case other than the initial petition for detention.

Each case results in only one resolution, reflecting the extent to which court resources were involved. For criminal and juvenile offender cases the resolution is listed in the reporting category corresponding to the most serious charge obtaining a conviction or, where no conviction was obtained, to the charge which involved the greatest amount of court resources to obtain a resolution. Non-criminal case resolutions are based on the extent of court resources needed to obtain a resolution.

Resolutions Not Involving Trial or Adjudicatory Hearing

Change of Venue - Resolution of a case which has been transferred to another jurisdiction for all subsequent adjudication, upon motion of a party or upon the court's own initiative. Also includes the

resolution of a case that has been consolidated into another case for all subsequent adjudication.

Closed by Court - Resolution of a case closed by court order, where no commitment order has been signed and no other resolution category applies.

Closed by Court Order After Hearing - Resolution for a case after a hearing, resulting in an order that resolves the issues in the case other than by default judgment, summary judgment, or settlement.

Completed When Filed - Resolution for a judgment transferred to the superior court from another jurisdiction or agency, which occurs at the time the record of judgment is filed with the clerk.

Court Decision to Commit - Resolution of a case by involuntary commitment of a person for treatment and evaluation at the conclusion of the first commitment hearing, or upon receiving a transferred case with an existing commitment order.

Decision on Lower Court Appeal/Review - Resolution upon the return of jurisdiction over a case from the superior court to the originating district or municipal court, following a decision to affirm, reverse, or modify the lower court judgment.

Declination of Jurisdiction - Resolution of a case which has been transferred to adult court for all subsequent proceedings.

Default Judgment - Resolution by the court for failure of a defendant to appear and/or answer complaint, upon motion of plaintiff.

Deferred/Continued Prosecution - Resolution upon placing a defendant under court supervision with specific conditions of behavior, before any formal finding of guilt exists.

Dismissal - Resolution by the court dismissing the case for all parties before trial or adjudicatory hearing commencement.

Dismissal by Clerk - Resolution by the court where dismissal action is initiated by the clerk and approval is granted by the court as a matter of routine, with no opposition by the affected parties.

Extradition - Resolution of a case transferred to another state or country for all subsequent adjudication, upon motion of the other territory or by a governor's warrant.

Guilty Plea - Resolution by guilty plea to any or all charges before trial or adjudicatory hearing commencement.

Personal Representative/Guardian Appointed - Resolution upon the appointment of a permanent guardian in a guardianship case, or a personal representative, administrator, or executor in a probate case.

Resolved When Filed - Resolution upon the filing of a tax warrant, abstract of judgment, transcript of judgment, or foreign judgment.

Settled by Arbitration - Resolution of a case that was reached through the arbitration process as evidenced by the parties agreeing to the arbitrator's award.

Settled by Parties/Agreed Judgment - Resolution by the court upon agreement of parties including stipulated judgments, settlements at court conference, and settlement outside of the court's involvement. The case is still settled even if the final judgment includes an order of dismissal.

Summary Judgment - Resolution upon motion for summary judgment, when the court finds there are no material facts in dispute and that the moving party is entitled to judgment as a matter of law.

Uncontested Resolution - Resolution of a case that is not contested in superior court and is not given a default judgment. Also includes the resolution of a case (1) that has been consolidated into another case for all subsequent adjudication, or (2) prior to a signed commitment order where dispositive documents not requiring a judge's signature have been filed.

Resolutions After Commencement of Trial or Adjudicatory Hearing

Acquittal/Not Guilty - Resolution by acquittal of all charges after jury trial, non-jury trial, or adjudicatory hearing commencement, or by a formal court decision or verdict of "not guilty by reason of insanity."

Approved Petition - Resolution by the court where a petition has been approved.

Convicted - Resolution by a verdict or court decision to convict on any or all charges after a jury trial, non-jury trial, or adjudicatory hearing.

Court Decision - Resolution by the court upon entering a judgment after completion of a non-jury trial.

Deferred Disposition - Final resolution of a case by placing the juvenile respondent under court supervision with specific conditions of behavior after there is a formal finding of guilt by the court.

Dismissal - Resolution by the court dismissing all issues in dispute after jury trial, non-jury trial, or adjudicatory hearing commencement.

Guilty Plea - Resolution by guilty plea to any or all charges after jury trial, non-jury trial, or adjudicatory hearing commencement.

Jury Verdict - Resolution by the court upon entering a judgment after completion of a jury trial.

Settlement - Resolution by the court upon agreement of the parties, including stipulated judgments and settlements, reached after the commencement of a jury or non-jury trial.

Transfer of Jurisdiction - Resolution for a juvenile dependency case which has been previously resolved (i.e., petition approved) in another jurisdiction, and has been transferred for ongoing review hearings.

Defendants Sentenced

Sentences are counted only for defendants with a judgment of guilty, and are based on the most serious charge obtaining a conviction.

Community Supervision - Juvenile respondents who are sentenced to community supervision without being sentenced to spend time in detention or in a state or local institution.

Community Supervision and/or Probation - Defendants who are placed under community supervision and/or probation without being sentenced to spend time in jail or a state institution.

Detention - Juvenile respondents who are sentenced to detention without being sentenced to community supervision or to spend time in a state or local institution.

Detention and Community Supervision - Juvenile respondents who are sentenced to detention and community supervision service, without being sentenced to spend time in a state or local institution.

Jail - Defendants who are sentenced to jail without being sentenced to spend time in a state institution.

Jail/Community Supervision/Probation - Defendants who are sentenced to jail and placed under community supervision and/or probation, without being sentenced to spend time in a state institution.

Local Commitment - Juvenile respondents committed to the Juvenile Rehabilitation Administration (JRA) for placement in a local institution (e.g., a special commitment program funded by the JRA), and not sentenced to the JRA for placement in a state juvenile institution (e.g., Echo Glen, Maple Lane).

Other - Criminal defendants who receive a deferred sentence, a suspended sentence to either jail or a state institution, and who are placed under community supervision and/or probation. Juvenile offender respondents who, pursuant to referral to a Special Sexual Offender Dispositional Alternative (SSODA) program, receive a deferred or suspended sentence, or whose sentence is not specifically defined by other sentencing categories.

State Commitment - Juvenile respondents committed to the Juvenile Rehabilitation Administration (JRA) for placement in a state juvenile institution (e.g., Echo Glen, Maple Lane) and not sentenced to the JRA for placement in a local institution (e.g. a special commitment program funded by the JRA).

State Institution - Defendants who are sentenced to a state institution, not including sentences to county detention facilities.

Cases Completed

Completion signifies that the dispositive documents for a case have been filed with the clerk for inclusion in the legal record. In some instances a case can be completed at the point of case resolution (i.e., when tried, settled, or otherwise concluded); however, a case can never be completed prior to resolution. Each case will result in only one completion.

Completed When Filed - Completion for a matter normally resolved and completed at the same time it is filed, such as a UIFSA matter or an abstract of judgment filed with the clerk.

Dismissed/Closed on Motion of Clerk - Completion by the filing of an order of dismissal on the clerk's motion due to case inactivity.

Judgment/Order/Decree Filed - Completion by the filing of final dispositive documents by parties or their representatives.

Uncontested Completion - Completion for an uncontested matter that is not dismissed, such as the extradition of a non-charge matter for which no formal charging document has been filed, or the filing of a notice of bankruptcy. Includes completion for a case where no dispositive document is filed following the expiration of a commitment or other release.

The Superior Courts
Court Activity Trends by Type of Case, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg10	2001	% Chg10	2002	% Chg10	2003	% Chg10
FILINGS									
Criminal1	41,091	42,783	4.1%	44,307	3.6%	44,799	1.1%	47,395	5.8%
Civil2	101,455	105,567	4.1%	107,919	2.2%	114,798	6.4%	127,943	11.5%
Domestic/UIFSA	37,390	38,173	2.1%	37,006	-3.1%	37,804	2.2%	37,685	-0.3%
Probate	16,117	15,606	-3.2%	15,797	1.2%	15,736	-0.4%	15,655	-0.5%
Guardianship	2,695	2,442	-9.4%	2,455	0.5%	2,584	5.3%	2,566	-0.7%
Adoption/Paternity3,4	13,216	13,511	2.2%	12,897	-4.5%	12,881	-0.1%	11,441	-11.2%
Mental Illness	8,727	9,014	3.3%	8,993	-0.2%	8,797	-2.2%	9,020	2.5%
Juvenile Dependency	22,723	24,415	7.4%	23,903	-2.1%	21,577	-9.7%	20,449	-5.2%
Juvenile Offender1	31,494	29,449	-6.5%	27,094	-8.0%	26,753	-1.3%	27,139	1.4%
Total Filings	274,908	280,960	2.2%	280,371	-0.2%	285,729	1.9%	299,293	4.7%
Tot. Filings per 1,000 Population5	47	48	0.4%	47	-1.6%	47	0.8%	49	3.8%
RESOLUTIONS6									
Criminal1	40,166	41,615	3.6%	43,734	5.1%	44,056	0.7%	44,244	0.4%
Civil2	99,198	103,568	4.4%	105,366	1.7%	110,084	4.5%	122,272	11.1%
Domestic/UIFSA	37,493	38,140	1.7%	36,299	-4.8%	36,077	-0.6%	35,631	-1.2%
Probate	15,501	14,786	-4.6%	15,298	3.5%	15,060	-1.6%	14,847	-1.4%
Guardianship	2,399	2,268	-5.5%	2,136	-5.8%	2,163	1.3%	2,216	2.5%
Adoption/Paternity3,4	12,576	12,210	-2.9%	11,869	-2.8%	12,096	1.9%	11,036	-8.8%
Mental Illness	8,032	8,600	7.1%	8,648	0.6%	8,460	-2.2%	8,446	-0.2%
Juvenile Dependency	20,851	20,908	0.3%	23,860	14.1%	21,172	-11.3%	19,205	-9.3%
Juvenile Offender1	31,339	28,976	-7.5%	27,387	-5.5%	26,470	-3.3%	26,848	1.4%
Total Resolutions	267,555	271,071	1.3%	274,597	1.3%	275,638	0.4%	284,745	3.3%
COMPLETIONS7									
Criminal1	39,217	40,714	3.8%	43,091	5.8%	44,354	2.9%	44,336	0.0%
Civil2	98,218	102,608	4.5%	104,784	2.1%	109,757	4.7%	121,771	10.9%
Domestic/UIFSA	37,604	38,011	1.1%	36,385	-4.3%	36,068	-0.9%	35,655	-1.1%
Probate	14,395	14,302	-0.6%	14,161	-1.0%	14,263	0.7%	14,387	0.9%
Guardianship	2,430	1,828	-24.8%	2,002	9.5%	2,179	8.8%	1,844	-15.4%
Adoption/Paternity3,4	12,499	12,126	-3.0%	11,786	-2.8%	11,970	1.6%	11,013	-8.0%
Mental Illness	7,872	8,358	6.2%	8,184	-2.1%	8,600	5.1%	7,866	-8.5%
Juvenile Dependency	18,250	19,913	9.1%	22,756	14.3%	21,720	-4.6%	20,257	-6.7%
Juvenile Offender1	30,735	28,480	-7.3%	26,794	-5.9%	26,040	-2.8%	26,106	0.3%
Total Completions	261,220	266,340	2.0%	269,943	1.4%	274,951	1.9%	283,235	3.0%
NON-TRIAL PROCEEDINGS									
Criminal1	279,157	303,255	8.6%	300,043	-1.1%	293,264	-2.3%	294,569	0.4%
Civil2	57,630	58,772	2.0%	55,072	-6.3%	54,378	-1.3%	56,680	4.2%
Domestic/UIFSA	72,853	78,441	7.7%	80,493	2.6%	90,758	12.8%	92,405	1.8%
Probate	7,264	7,109	-2.1%	7,055	-0.8%	7,392	4.8%	7,420	0.4%
Guardianship	6,369	6,338	-0.5%	6,310	-0.4%	7,800	23.6%	7,914	1.5%
Adoption/Paternity3,4	28,281	31,833	12.6%	32,974	3.6%	38,065	15.4%	38,040	-0.1%
Mental Illness	14,057	15,305	8.9%	15,890	3.8%	15,673	-1.4%	11,702	-25.3%
Juvenile Dependency	81,884	81,954	0.1%	84,789	3.5%	83,539	-1.5%	86,598	3.7%
Juvenile Offender1	113,710	121,407	6.8%	113,200	-6.8%	112,304	-0.8%	119,261	6.2%
Total Non-Trial Proceedings	661,205	704,414	6.5%	695,826	-1.2%	703,173	1.1%	714,589	1.6%
TRIAL PROCEEDINGS8									
Criminal	2,517	2,480	-1.5%	2,465	-0.6%	2,460	-0.2%	2,283	-7.2%
Civil2	1,818	1,720	-5.4%	1,658	-3.6%	1,684	1.6%	1,686	0.1%
Domestic/UIFSA	2,641	2,577	-2.4%	2,518	-2.3%	2,638	4.8%	2,743	4.0%
Probate	37	33	-10.8%	36	9.1%	34	-5.6%	37	8.8%
Guardianship	27	19	. %	30	. %	28	. %	22	. %
Adoption/Paternity3,4	1,013	990	-2.3%	871	-12.0%	1,086	24.7%	989	-8.9%
Mental Illness	39	25	. %	26	. %	42	. %	14	. %
Juvenile Offender9	1,568	1,279	-18.4%	1,466	14.6%	1,250	-14.7%	1,120	-10.4%
Total Trial Proceedings	9,660	9,123	-5.6%	9,070	-0.6%	9,222	1.7%	8,894	-3.6%

1 Criminal and Juvenile Offender data include counts on "non-charge matters."

2 Prior to 1992, the civil case type included data from the current model now shown as domestic relations, uniform interstate family support act (UIFSA), paternity causes of action, and confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence. Includes "matters filed with the clerk." Refer to the section titled "Caution Regarding Figures Published in Prior Years".

3 Adoption data include relinquishment, termination, and modification causes of action; these sealed cases also include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence.

4 Adoption data include counts on "pre-placement reports."

5 Population data source: Office of Financial Management, "Official April 1, 2003 Population Estimates, June 2003." <http://www.ofm.wa.gov/pop/April1/index.htm>

6 Resolution signifies that a case has been tried, settled, or otherwise concluded. It occurs when a judicial decision has been rendered (regardless of whether a dispositive document has been filed with the clerk), or when a case has been transferred to another jurisdiction for subsequent adjudication. (For additional information see the Superior Court Glossary.)

7 Completion signifies that the dispositive documents for a case have been filed with the clerk for inclusion in the legal record. In some instances a case can be completed at the point of case resolution; however, a case can never be completed prior to resolution. (For additional information see the Superior Court Glossary.)

8 In addition to jury and non-jury trials, these figures include counts for trials by affidavit and stipulated trials.

9 Juvenile offender adjudicatory, and adjudicatory and sentencing hearings are counted as trials.

10 Percentages are not provided when numbers are small (less than 30).

The Superior Courts
Criminal Activity, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg6	2001	% Chg6	2002	% Chg6	2003	% Chg6
FILINGS									
Homicide	277	302	9.0%	277	-8.3%	285	2.9%	260	-8.8%
Sex Crimes	1,940	2,062	6.3%	2,227	8.0%	2,522	13.2%	2,520	-0.1%
Robbery	1,089	1,199	10.1%	1,321	10.2%	1,179	-10.7%	1,309	11.0%
Assault	4,876	4,987	2.3%	5,166	3.6%	5,453	5.6%	5,978	9.6%
Theft/Burglary	8,972	8,890	-0.9%	10,032	12.8%	10,418	3.8%	11,012	5.7%
Motor Vehicle Theft	928	1,059	14.1%	1,023	-3.4%	1,060	3.6%	978	-7.7%
Controlled Substance	12,595	13,703	8.8%	13,308	-2.9%	13,255	-0.4%	14,458	9.1%
Other Felony	7,318	7,492	2.4%	8,033	7.2%	7,736	-3.7%	7,796	0.8%
Total Felony Filings	37,995	39,694	4.5%	41,387	4.3%	41,908	1.3%	44,311	5.7%
Misdemeanor/Gross Misdemeanor	328	339	3.4%	236	-30.4%	262	11.0%	259	-1.1%
Appeals from Lower Courts	918	938	2.2%	767	-18.2%	673	-12.3%	807	19.9%
Non-Charge Filings ¹	1,850	1,812	-2.1%	1,917	5.8%	1,956	2.0%	2,018	3.2%
Total Criminal Filings	41,091	42,783	4.1%	44,307	3.6%	44,799	1.1%	47,395	5.8%
RESOLUTIONS									
Before Trial									
Change of Venue	17	15	. %	21	. %	22	. %	23	. %
Extradition	485	502	3.5%	482	-4.0%	476	-1.2%	471	-1.1%
Deferred Prosecution	988	1,040	5.3%	948	-8.8%	737	-22.3%	747	1.4%
Decision Lower Court Appeal	810	838	3.5%	870	3.8%	626	-28.0%	630	0.6%
Dismissed	5,969	6,075	1.8%	6,349	4.5%	6,369	0.3%	6,703	5.2%
Guilty Plea	28,634	30,023	4.9%	31,444	4.7%	32,572	3.6%	32,524	-0.1%
Other ²	1,160	1,034	-10.9%	1,576	52.4%	1,137	-27.9%	1,177	3.5%
Total Pre-Trial Resolutions	38,063	39,527	3.8%	41,690	5.5%	41,939	0.6%	42,275	0.8%
After Trial Commencement									
Dismissed	27	25	. %	15	. %	32	. %	27	. %
Guilty Plea	43	35	-18.6%	36	2.9%	40	11.1%	28	. %
Acquitted/Not Guilty	312	304	-2.6%	301	-1.0%	304	1.0%	295	-3.0%
Convicted	1,721	1,724	0.2%	1,692	-1.9%	1,741	2.9%	1,619	-7.0%
Total Post-Trial Resolutions	2,103	2,088	-0.7%	2,044	-2.1%	2,117	3.6%	1,969	-7.0%
Total Resolutions	40,166	41,615	3.6%	43,734	5.1%	44,056	0.7%	44,244	0.4%
SENTENCES									
Comm. Supervision/Probation	189	186	-1.6%	244	31.2%	262	7.4%	450	71.8%
Jail/Supervision/Probation	18,261	19,597	7.3%	19,166	-2.2%	20,535	7.1%	18,114	-11.8%
Jail Only	3,005	3,241	7.9%	4,544	40.2%	3,976	-12.5%	5,684	43.0%
State Institution	7,069	7,312	3.4%	7,517	2.8%	8,758	16.5%	8,934	2.0%
Other	1,096	1,005	-8.3%	1,259	25.3%	968	-23.1%	1,021	5.5%
Total Sentences	29,620	31,341	5.8%	32,730	4.4%	34,499	5.4%	34,203	-0.9%
PROCEEDINGS									
Non-Jury Trial	829	860	3.7%	791	-8.0%	748	-5.4%	665	-11.1%
Jury Trial	1,688	1,620	-4.0%	1,674	3.3%	1,712	2.3%	1,618	-5.5%
Preliminary Appearance	8,220	9,410	14.5%	9,929	5.5%	11,039	11.2%	12,178	10.3%
Initial Arraignment	36,054	37,697	4.6%	34,136	-9.4%	34,074	-0.2%	36,102	6.0%
Other Pre-Resolution Hearing ³	85,059	99,874	17.4%	102,168	2.3%	103,822	1.6%	107,452	3.5%
Guilty Plea Hearing ⁴	28,708	29,430	2.5%	27,171	-7.7%	28,063	3.3%	27,951	-0.4%
Sentence Hearing	16,420	16,817	2.4%	16,897	0.5%	17,428	3.1%	16,045	-7.9%
Review Hearing ⁵	33,388	34,881	4.5%	33,683	-3.4%	29,692	-11.8%	25,676	-13.5%
Post-Resolution Hearing	55,755	63,864	14.5%	67,425	5.6%	60,492	-10.3%	60,041	-0.7%
Other Hearing	79	33	-58.2%	43	30.3%	40	-7.0%	22	. %
Non-Charge Hearing ¹	15,474	11,249	-27.3%	8,591	-23.6%	8,614	0.3%	9,102	5.7%
Total Proceedings	281,674	305,735	8.5%	302,508	-1.1%	295,724	-2.2%	296,852	0.4%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	7.0	7.3	. %	6.9	. %	6.7	. %	6.7	. %

1 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a criminal case as of the date the information is filed.

2 Other resolutions include dismissals/closures by clerks and uncontested resolutions.

3 Other pre-resolution hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, omnibus hearings, evidentiary hearings, not guilty plea hearings, continued prosecution hearings, voir dire hearings, dismissal hearings, and RALJ hearings.

4 Guilty plea hearings include both guilty plea only and guilty plea and sentencing hearings.

5 Review hearings include financial review hearings and sentence conditions violation hearings.

6 Percentages are not provided when numbers are small (less than 30).

The Superior Courts
Civil Activity, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg3	2001	% Chg3	2002	% Chg3	2003	% Chg3
FILINGS									
Tort	11,674	11,277	-3.4%	10,849	-3.8%	11,483	5.8%	11,982	4.3%
Commercial	17,638	18,549	5.2%	18,865	1.7%	19,546	3.6%	24,408	24.9%
Meretricious Relationship	113	120	6.2%	129	7.5%	105	-18.6%	125	19.0%
Property Rights	21,192	22,347	5.5%	23,007	3.0%	22,176	-3.6%	23,123	4.3%
Civil Harassment	1,302	1,703	30.8%	2,227	30.8%	2,917	31.0%	3,239	11.0%
Domestic Violence	16,515	16,503	-0.1%	15,695	-4.9%	15,367	-2.1%	15,596	1.5%
Administrative Law Review	1,080	1,113	3.1%	1,177	5.8%	1,358	15.4%	1,493	9.9%
Other Petitions/Complaints	4,805	5,033	4.7%	5,383	7.0%	6,057	12.5%	6,470	6.8%
Appeals from Lower Courts	595	660	10.9%	514	-22.1%	567	10.3%	583	2.8%
Other Matters Filed	26,541	28,262	6.5%	30,073	6.4%	35,222	17.1%	40,924	16.2%
Total Civil Filings	101,455	105,567	4.1%	107,919	2.2%	114,798	6.4%	127,943	11.5%
RESOLUTIONS									
Before Trial									
Uncon./Resolved When Filed ¹	41,584	45,590	9.6%	46,449	1.9%	50,231	8.1%	53,223	6.0%
Dismissed by Clerk	4,800	4,368	-9.0%	4,800	9.9%	3,524	-26.6%	3,351	-4.9%
Change of Venue	530	507	-4.3%	494	-2.6%	447	-9.5%	591	32.2%
Decision on Appeal/Review	704	704	0.0%	742	5.4%	703	-5.3%	829	17.9%
Dismissed	14,176	15,064	6.3%	15,091	0.2%	16,385	8.6%	17,072	4.2%
Settled/Agreed Judgment	9,473	9,441	-0.3%	9,040	-4.2%	9,342	3.3%	10,264	9.9%
Settled by Arbitration	1,651	1,573	-4.7%	1,296	-17.6%	1,351	4.2%	1,396	3.3%
Default/Summary Judgment	16,311	16,465	0.9%	17,160	4.2%	17,360	1.2%	23,494	35.3%
Closed by Court After Hearing	8,581	8,488	-1.1%	9,112	7.4%	9,503	4.3%	10,685	12.4%
Total Pre-Trial Resolutions	97,810	102,200	4.5%	104,184	1.9%	108,846	4.5%	120,905	11.1%
After Trial Commencement									
Dismissed/Settled	49	48	-2.0%	42	-12.5%	46	9.5%	38	-17.4%
Court Decision	796	842	5.8%	730	-13.3%	797	9.2%	905	13.6%
Jury Verdict	543	478	-12.0%	410	-14.2%	395	-3.7%	424	7.3%
Total Post-Trial Resolutions	1,388	1,368	-1.4%	1,182	-13.6%	1,238	4.7%	1,367	10.4%
Total Resolutions	99,198	103,568	4.4%	105,366	1.7%	110,084	4.5%	122,272	11.1%
PROCEEDINGS									
Non-Jury Trial	1,124	1,067	-5.1%	1,106	3.7%	1,178	6.5%	1,152	-2.2%
Jury Trial	694	653	-5.9%	552	-15.5%	506	-8.3%	534	5.5%
Trial Settlement Hearing	653	531	-18.7%	543	2.3%	589	8.5%	604	2.5%
Pre-Resolution Motion/Conf.	43,889	44,771	2.0%	41,108	-8.2%	42,007	2.2%	43,898	4.5%
Voir Dire Only Hearing	65	70	7.7%	49	-30.0%	42	-14.3%	48	14.3%
RALJ Hearing	374	393	5.1%	467	18.8%	357	-23.6%	383	7.3%
Uncontested Resolution Hrg.	414	1,055	154.8%	1,261	19.5%	1,118	-11.3%	1,319	18.0%
Post-Resolution Motion Hrg.	11,601	11,312	-2.5%	10,995	-2.8%	9,529	-13.3%	9,514	-0.2%
Total Other Matter Hearing ²	634	640	0.9%	649	1.4%	736	13.4%	914	24.2%
Total Proceedings	59,448	60,492	1.8%	56,730	-6.2%	56,062	-1.2%	58,366	4.1%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	0.6	0.6	. %	0.5	. %	0.5	. %	0.5	. %

1 Includes both uncontested resolutions and cases that were resolved when filed.

2 Includes all trial and non-trial proceedings associated with civil "matters filed with clerk."

3 Percentages are not provided when numbers are small (less than 30).

The Superior Courts
Domestic Activity, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg2	2001	% Chg2	2002	% Chg2	2003	% Chg2
FILINGS									
Child Custody	1,304	1,463	12.2%	1,604	9.6%	1,617	0.8%	1,633	1.0%
Dissolution With Children	15,718	15,688	-0.2%	15,062	-4.0%	15,080	0.1%	14,460	-4.1%
Dissolution Without Children	15,942	16,232	1.8%	15,572	-4.1%	15,810	1.5%	15,620	-1.2%
Annulment/Invalidity	223	217	-2.7%	225	3.7%	223	-0.9%	195	-12.6%
Modification	1,446	1,555	7.5%	1,537	-1.2%	1,516	-1.4%	1,534	1.2%
Out-of-State Child Custody	14	17	. %	10	. %	20	. %	11	. %
Legal Separation	1,438	1,564	8.8%	1,584	1.3%	1,638	3.4%	1,587	-3.1%
Mandatory Wage Assignment	1	1	. %	0	. %	0	. %	0	. %
Foreign Judgment	52	32	-38.5%	48	50.0%	45	-6.3%	66	46.7%
Miscellaneous Domestic	1,012	1,055	4.2%	1,114	5.6%	1,562	40.2%	2,257	44.5%
Total Domestic Filings	37,150	37,824	1.8%	36,756	-2.8%	37,511	2.1%	37,363	-0.4%
URESAs	240	349	45.4%	250	-28.4%	293	17.2%	322	9.9%
Total Filings	37,390	38,173	2.1%	37,006	-3.1%	37,804	2.2%	37,685	-0.3%
RESOLUTIONS									
Before Trial									
Uncon./Resolved When Filed ¹	11,098	10,843	-2.3%	10,142	-6.5%	9,929	-2.1%	9,940	0.1%
Dismissed by Clerk	2,910	3,081	5.9%	2,006	-34.9%	1,749	-12.8%	1,574	-10.0%
Change of Venue	144	129	-10.4%	125	-3.1%	122	-2.4%	127	4.1%
Dismissed	2,708	2,827	4.4%	3,041	7.6%	2,909	-4.3%	3,062	5.3%
Settled/Agreed Judgment	15,478	15,930	2.9%	15,626	-1.9%	15,850	1.4%	15,235	-3.9%
Settled by Arbitration	9	12	. %	21	. %	10	. %	15	. %
Default/Summary Judgment	2,474	2,542	2.7%	2,544	0.1%	2,463	-3.2%	2,364	-4.0%
Closed by Court After Hearing	1,425	1,593	11.8%	1,450	-9.0%	1,625	12.1%	2,023	24.5%
Total Pre-Trial Resolutions	36,246	36,957	2.0%	34,955	-5.4%	34,657	-0.9%	34,340	-0.9%
After Trial Commencement									
Dismissed/Settled	32	25	. %	24	. %	19	. %	15	. %
Court Decision	1,215	1,158	-4.7%	1,320	14.0%	1,401	6.1%	1,276	-8.9%
Total Post-Trial Resolutions	1,247	1,183	-5.1%	1,344	13.6%	1,420	5.7%	1,291	-9.1%
Total Resolutions	37,493	38,140	1.7%	36,299	-4.8%	36,077	-0.6%	35,631	-1.2%
PROCEEDINGS									
Non-Jury Trial	2,641	2,577	-2.4%	2,518	-2.3%	2,638	4.8%	2,743	4.0%
Trial Settlement Hearing	2,761	2,622	-5.0%	2,381	-9.2%	2,480	4.2%	2,426	-2.2%
Pre-Resolution Motion/Conf.	41,014	43,484	6.0%	44,437	2.2%	50,279	13.1%	48,537	-3.5%
Modification Hearing	2,472	2,153	-12.9%	2,301	6.9%	1,372	-40.4%	1,437	4.7%
Post-Resolution Motion Hearing	21,315	24,479	14.8%	26,032	6.3%	30,980	19.0%	34,333	10.8%
Uncontested Resolution Hearing	5,291	5,703	7.8%	5,342	-6.3%	5,647	5.7%	5,672	0.4%
Total Proceedings	75,494	81,018	7.3%	83,011	2.5%	93,396	12.5%	95,148	1.9%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	2.0	2.1	. %	2.3	. %	2.6	. %	2.7	. %

1 Includes both uncontested resolutions and cases that were resolved when filed.
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The Superior Courts

Probate and Guardianship Activity, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg3	2001	% Chg3	2002	% Chg3	2003	% Chg3
FILINGS									
Probate	16,117	15,606	-3.2%	15,797	1.2%	15,736	-0.4%	15,655	-0.5%
Guardianship	2,695	2,442	-9.4%	2,455	0.5%	2,584	5.3%	2,566	-0.7%
Total Filings	18,812	18,048	-4.1%	18,252	1.1%	18,320	0.4%	18,221	-0.5%
PROBATE RESOLUTIONS									
Dismissal by Clerk	62	30	-51.6%	156	420.0%	68	-56.4%	26	. %
Uncontested	4,398	3,880	-11.8%	3,930	1.3%	3,986	1.4%	3,798	-4.7%
Change of Venue	7	7	. %	8	. %	11	. %	9	. %
Dismissal	16	31	. %	32	3.2%	80	150.0%	36	-55.0%
Closed by Court After Hearing	54	107	98.1%	150	40.2%	163	8.7%	159	-2.5%
Personal Rep. Appointed	10,964	10,731	-2.1%	11,022	2.7%	10,752	-2.4%	10,819	0.6%
Total Probate Resolutions	15,501	14,786	-4.6%	15,298	3.5%	15,060	-1.6%	14,847	-1.4%
GUARDIANSHIP RESOLUTIONS									
Dismissal by Clerk	59	35	-40.7%	17	. %	29	. %	18	. %
Change of Venue	18	12	. %	21	. %	25	. %	35	. %
Dismissal	185	185	0.0%	144	-22.2%	164	13.9%	172	4.9%
Closed by Court After Hearing	326	342	4.9%	333	-2.6%	329	-1.2%	313	-4.9%
Uncon./Guardian Appointed	1,811	1,694	-6.5%	1,621	-4.3%	1,616	-0.3%	1,678	3.8%
Total Guardianship Resolutions	2,399	2,268	-5.5%	2,136	-5.8%	2,163	1.3%	2,216	2.5%
Total Resolutions	17,900	17,054	-4.7%	17,434	2.2%	17,223	-1.2%	17,063	-0.9%
PROBATE PROCEEDINGS									
Hearing1	7,264	7,109	-2.1%	7,055	-0.8%	7,392	4.8%	7,420	0.4%
Trial	37	33	-10.8%	36	9.1%	34	-5.6%	37	8.8%
Total Probate Proceedings	7,301	7,142	-2.2%	7,091	-0.7%	7,426	4.7%	7,457	0.4%
GUARDIANSHIP PROCEEDINGS									
Hearing2	6,332	6,297	-0.6%	6,282	-0.2%	7,775	23.8%	7,893	1.5%
Trial	27	19	. %	30	. %	28	. %	22	. %
Review Hearing	37	41	10.8%	28	. %	25	. %	21	. %
Total Guardianship Proceedings	6,396	6,357	-0.6%	6,340	-0.3%	7,828	23.5%	7,936	1.4%
Total Proceedings	13,697	13,499	-1.4%	13,431	-0.5%	15,254	13.6%	15,393	0.9%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	0.8	0.8	. %	0.8	. %	0.9	. %	0.9	. %

1 Probate hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, review hearings, and post-resolution motion hearings.

2 Guardianship hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, and post-resolution motion hearings.

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The Superior Courts

Mental Illness and Alcohol Activity, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg2	2001	% Chg2	2002	% Chg2	2003	% Chg2
FILINGS									
Mental Illness - Adult	7,987	8,128	1.8%	8,227	1.2%	7,954	-3.3%	8,084	1.6%
Mental Illness - Minor	452	423	-6.4%	391	-7.6%	324	-17.1%	323	-0.3%
Alcohol	288	463	60.8%	375	-19.0%	519	38.4%	613	18.1%
Total Filings	8,727	9,014	3.3%	8,993	-0.2%	8,797	-2.2%	9,020	2.5%
MENTAL ILLNESS/ALCOHOL RESOLUTIONS									
Change of Venue	306	294	-3.9%	274	-6.8%	278	1.5%	342	23.0%
Dismissal	754	755	0.1%	742	-1.7%	740	-0.3%	744	0.5%
Uncontested	1,825	2,280	24.9%	2,222	-2.5%	1,984	-10.7%	2,172	9.5%
Closed by Court	563	340	-39.6%	185	-45.6%	99	-46.5%	48	-51.5%
Court Decision to Commit	4,584	4,931	7.6%	5,225	6.0%	5,359	2.6%	5,140	-4.1%
Total Resolutions	8,032	8,600	7.1%	8,648	0.6%	8,460	-2.2%	8,446	-0.2%
MENTAL ILLNESS/ALCOHOL PROCEEDINGS									
Commitment Hearing	8,657	9,251	6.9%	9,643	4.2%	9,286	-3.7%	6,342	-31.7%
Other Hearing ¹	5,400	6,054	12.1%	6,247	3.2%	6,387	2.2%	5,360	-16.1%
Trial	39	25	. %	26	. %	42	. %	14	. %
Total Proceedings	14,096	15,330	8.8%	15,916	3.8%	15,715	-1.3%	11,716	-25.4%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	1.8	1.8	. %	1.8	. %	1.9	. %	1.4	. %

1 Other hearings include detention, motion, medication, review, revocation, modification, and 60-day alcohol hearings.

2 Percentages are not provided when numbers are small (less than 30).

The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Activity¹, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg2	2001	% Chg2	2002	% Chg2	2003	% Chg2
FILINGS									
Paternity/UIFSA	476	377	-20.8%	366	-2.9%	272	-25.7%	307	12.9%
Paternity	9,576	9,723	1.5%	9,445	-2.9%	9,219	-2.4%	7,639	-17.1%
Relinquishment	71	80	12.7%	70	-12.5%	109	55.7%	53	-51.4%
Termination	26	40	. %	84	110.0%	73	-13.1%	70	-4.1%
Adoption	2,962	3,133	5.8%	2,802	-10.6%	3,045	8.7%	3,286	7.9%
Modification	55	102	85.5%	71	-30.4%	84	18.3%	35	-58.3%
Confidential Name Change	29	32	. %	45	40.6%	43	-4.4%	39	-9.3%
Initial Pre-Placement Report	21	24	. %	14	. %	36	. %	12	. %
Total Filings	13,216	13,511	2.2%	12,897	-4.5%	12,881	-0.1%	11,441	-11.2%
RESOLUTIONS									
Before Trial									
Uncontested	2,794	2,617	-6.3%	2,777	6.1%	2,488	-10.4%	2,527	1.6%
Dismissed by Clerk	526	451	-14.3%	299	-33.7%	583	95.0%	332	-43.1%
Change of Venue	25	18	. %	27	. %	22	. %	15	. %
Dismissed	776	673	-13.3%	812	20.7%	793	-2.3%	737	-7.1%
Settled/Agreed Judgment	1,598	1,451	-9.2%	1,603	10.5%	1,381	-13.8%	974	-29.5%
Settled by Arbitration	0	0	. %	0	. %	0	. %	1	. %
Default/Summary Judgment	4,067	4,017	-1.2%	3,585	-10.8%	3,763	5.0%	3,047	-19.0%
Closed by Court After Hearing	2,573	2,800	8.8%	2,544	-9.1%	2,791	9.7%	3,173	13.7%
Total Pre-Trial Resolutions	12,359	12,027	-2.7%	11,647	-3.2%	11,821	1.5%	10,806	-8.6%
After Trial Commencement									
Dismissed/Settled	5	2	. %	3	. %	2	. %	2	. %
Court Decision	212	181	-14.6%	219	21.0%	273	24.7%	228	-16.5%
Total Post-Trial Resolutions	217	183	-15.7%	222	21.3%	275	23.9%	230	-16.4%
Total Resolutions	12,576	12,210	-2.9%	11,869	-2.8%	12,096	1.9%	11,036	-8.8%
PROCEEDINGS									
Non-Jury Trial	1,013	990	-2.3%	871	-12.0%	1,086	24.7%	989	-8.9%
Trial Settlement Hearing	194	224	15.5%	237	5.8%	229	-3.4%	226	-1.3%
Pre-Resolution Motion/Conference	15,012	15,943	6.2%	15,588	-2.2%	17,630	13.1%	17,108	-3.0%
Summary Judgment Hearing	905	1,251	38.2%	1,122	-10.3%	1,019	-9.2%	1,120	9.9%
Uncontested Resolution Hearing	619	445	-28.1%	500	12.4%	529	5.8%	508	-4.0%
Modification Hearing	543	517	-4.8%	579	12.0%	498	-14.0%	443	-11.0%
Post-Resolution Motion Hearing	11,008	13,453	22.2%	14,948	11.1%	18,160	21.5%	18,635	2.6%
Total Proceedings	29,294	32,823	12.0%	33,845	3.1%	39,151	15.7%	39,029	-0.3%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	2.3	2.7	. %	2.9	. %	3.2	. %	3.5	. %

1 These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence.

2 Percentages are not shown when numbers are small (less than 30).

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Activity, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg4	2001	% Chg4	2002	% Chg4	2003	% Chg4
FILINGS									
Child in Need of Services	529	585	10.6%	467	-20.2%	412	-11.8%	422	2.4%
Dependency	4,010	3,988	-0.5%	4,018	0.8%	3,924	-2.3%	3,911	-0.3%
Developmental Disability Placement	46	41	-10.9%	82	100.0%	21	. %	9	. %
Termination	1,034	1,331	28.7%	1,468	10.3%	1,434	-2.3%	1,485	3.6%
At-Risk Youth	2,054	2,232	8.7%	2,102	-5.8%	2,156	2.6%	2,049	-5.0%
Truancy	15,050	16,238	7.9%	15,766	-2.9%	13,630	-13.5%	12,573	-7.8%
Total Filings	22,723	24,415	7.4%	23,903	-2.1%	21,577	-9.7%	20,449	-5.2%
RESOLUTIONS									
Child in Need of Services									
Approved Petition	313	353	12.8%	230	-34.8%	201	-12.6%	204	1.5%
Other Resolution1	222	222	0.0%	232	4.5%	216	-6.9%	199	-7.9%
Dependency									
Approved Petition	2,800	2,854	1.9%	2,900	1.6%	2,661	-8.2%	2,764	3.9%
Other Resolution1	1,208	1,098	-9.1%	1,230	12.0%	1,228	-0.2%	1,073	-12.6%
Developmental Disability Placement									
Approved Petition	15	21	. %	49	. %	17	. %	8	. %
Other Resolution1	9	6	. %	14	. %	14	. %	11	. %
Termination									
Approved Petition	681	782	14.8%	904	15.6%	789	-12.7%	1,020	29.3%
Other Resolution1	145	177	22.1%	227	28.2%	252	11.0%	198	-21.4%
At-Risk Youth									
Approved Petition	1,279	1,432	12.0%	1,332	-7.0%	1,226	-8.0%	1,363	11.2%
Other Resolution1	749	732	-2.3%	751	2.6%	805	7.2%	696	-13.5%
Truancy									
Approved Petition	8,352	7,630	-8.6%	7,968	4.4%	7,440	-6.6%	6,945	-6.7%
Other Resolution1	5,078	5,601	10.3%	8,023	43.2%	6,323	-21.2%	4,724	-25.3%
Total Approved Petition	13,440	13,072	-2.7%	13,383	2.4%	12,334	-7.8%	12,304	-0.2%
Total Other Resolution	7,411	7,836	5.7%	10,477	33.7%	8,838	-15.6%	6,901	-21.9%
Total Resolutions	20,851	20,908	0.3%	23,860	14.1%	21,172	-11.3%	19,205	-9.3%
PROCEEDINGS									
Fact Finding Only	3,585	3,361	-6.2%	3,025	-10.0%	1,894	-37.4%	2,837	49.8%
Fact Finding and Disposition	10,683	8,890	-16.8%	9,575	7.7%	7,393	-22.8%	7,629	3.2%
Detention Hearing	677	893	31.9%	1,029	15.2%	963	-6.4%	1,015	5.4%
Motion Hearing2	25,589	27,288	6.6%	27,381	0.3%	29,941	9.3%	28,273	-5.6%
Shelter Care Hearing	5,111	5,132	0.4%	5,210	1.5%	4,939	-5.2%	5,051	2.3%
Separate Disposition Hearing	3,667	3,169	-13.6%	3,484	9.9%	3,610	3.6%	3,782	4.8%
Other Post-Resolution Hearing3	32,572	33,221	2.0%	35,085	5.6%	34,799	-0.8%	38,011	9.2%
Total Proceedings	81,884	81,954	0.1%	84,789	3.5%	83,539	-1.5%	86,598	3.7%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	3.9	3.9	. %	3.6	. %	3.9	. %	4.5	. %

1 Other resolutions include changes of venue, uncontested resolutions, dismissals, and transfers of jurisdiction.
 2 Motion hearings include status conferences, pre-fact finding management hearings, and motion hearings.
 3 Other post-resolution hearings include review and contempt hearings.
 4 Percentages are not provided when numbers are small (less than 30).

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Activity, 1999-2003

	1999	2000	% Chg7	2001	% Chg7	2002	% Chg7	2003	% Chg7
FILINGS									
Homicide	12	22	. %	24	. %	11	. %	16	. %
Sex Crimes	545	615	12.8%	557	-9.4%	555	-0.4%	620	11.7%
Robbery	422	363	-14.0%	340	-6.3%	353	3.8%	371	5.1%
Assault	1,030	1,021	-0.9%	968	-5.2%	879	-9.2%	828	-5.8%
Theft/Burglary	4,482	3,889	-13.2%	3,538	-9.0%	3,585	1.3%	3,461	-3.5%
Motor Vehicle Theft	1,607	1,503	-6.5%	1,365	-9.2%	1,249	-8.5%	1,337	7.0%
Controlled Substance	855	801	-6.3%	741	-7.5%	816	10.1%	747	-8.5%
Other Felony	2,686	2,531	-5.8%	2,364	-6.6%	2,332	-1.4%	2,374	1.8%
Total Felony Filings	11,639	10,745	-7.7%	9,897	-7.9%	9,780	-1.2%	9,754	-0.3%
Misdemeanor/Gross Misdemeanor	16,287	15,189	-6.7%	13,845	-8.8%	13,717	-0.9%	13,853	1.0%
Non-Charge Filings ¹	3,568	3,515	-1.5%	3,352	-4.6%	3,256	-2.9%	3,532	8.5%
Total Juvenile Offender Filings	31,494	29,449	-6.5%	27,094	-8.0%	26,753	-1.3%	27,139	1.4%
RESOLUTIONS									
Before Trial									
Change of Venue	87	38	-56.3%	16	. %	35	. %	35	0.0%
Declination of Jurisdiction	80	43	-46.3%	46	7.0%	57	23.9%	38	-33.3%
Deferred Prosecution	183	173	-5.5%	305	76.3%	286	-6.2%	479	67.5%
Dismissal	6,908	6,248	-9.6%	6,368	1.9%	6,002	-5.7%	6,106	1.7%
Guilty Plea	17,452	16,442	-5.8%	14,708	-10.5%	14,249	-3.1%	13,854	-2.8%
Other ²	2,107	2,005	-4.8%	2,166	8.0%	2,151	-0.7%	2,412	12.1%
Total Pre-Trial Resolutions	26,817	24,949	-7.0%	23,609	-5.4%	22,780	-3.5%	22,924	0.6%
After Trial Commencement									
Deferred Disposition	3,283	2,885	-12.1%	2,723	-5.6%	2,716	-0.3%	3,065	12.8%
Dismissal	14	7	. %	7	. %	6	. %	8	. %
Guilty Plea	9	4	. %	1	. %	2	. %	0	. %
Acquitted/Not Guilty	222	198	-10.8%	171	-13.6%	173	1.2%	141	-18.5%
Convicted	994	933	-6.1%	876	-6.1%	793	-9.5%	710	-10.5%
Total Post-Trial Resolutions	4,522	4,027	-10.9%	3,778	-6.2%	3,690	-2.3%	3,924	6.3%
Total Resolutions	31,339	28,976	-7.5%	27,387	-5.5%	26,470	-3.3%	26,848	1.4%
SENTENCES									
Community Supervision	4,334	4,357	0.5%	3,750	-13.9%	3,180	-15.2%	3,082	-3.1%
Detention	1,090	1,066	-2.2%	918	-13.9%	1,036	12.9%	927	-10.5%
Detention/Comm. Supervision	5,456	5,105	-6.4%	4,392	-14.0%	3,734	-15.0%	3,677	-1.5%
State Commitment	1,062	1,124	5.8%	926	-17.6%	1,008	8.9%	915	-9.2%
Local Commitment	624	460	-26.3%	471	2.4%	734	55.8%	1,176	60.2%
Other	6,289	5,912	-6.0%	5,781	-2.2%	6,195	7.2%	5,666	-8.5%
Total Sentences	18,855	18,024	-4.4%	16,238	-9.9%	15,887	-2.2%	15,443	-2.8%
PROCEEDINGS									
Adjudicatory Hearing	1,239	1,054	-14.9%	1,061	0.7%	1,071	0.9%	987	-7.8%
Adjudicatory and Sentence Hrg.	329	225	-31.6%	405	80.0%	179	-55.8%	133	-25.7%
Preliminary Appearance	3,901	3,933	0.8%	3,898	-0.9%	4,069	4.4%	3,732	-8.3%
Detention	7,859	7,755	-1.3%	7,616	-1.8%	7,635	0.2%	7,595	-0.5%
Declination	170	126	-25.9%	112	-11.1%	114	1.8%	113	-0.9%
Initial Arraignment	16,621	19,392	16.7%	17,733	-8.6%	16,187	-8.7%	17,441	7.7%
Other Pre-Resolution Hearing ³	28,747	30,485	6.0%	27,389	-10.2%	29,063	6.1%	31,126	7.1%
Guilty Plea Hearing ⁴	16,419	17,257	5.1%	15,457	-10.4%	14,592	-5.6%	14,878	2.0%
Sentencing Hearing	5,470	5,218	-4.6%	4,607	-11.7%	5,274	14.5%	5,110	-3.1%
Review Hearing ⁵	12,593	13,170	4.6%	13,861	5.2%	13,006	-6.2%	13,378	2.9%
Post-Resolution Hearing ⁶	13,876	15,947	14.9%	15,399	-3.4%	16,126	4.7%	19,534	21.1%
Non-Charge Hearing ¹	8,054	8,124	0.9%	7,128	-12.3%	6,238	-12.5%	6,354	1.9%
Total Proceedings	115,278	122,686	6.4%	114,666	-6.5%	113,554	-1.0%	120,381	6.0%
Total Proceedings/Resolutions	3.7	4.2	. %	4.2	. %	4.3	. %	4.5	. %

1 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a juvenile offender case as of the date the information is filed.

2 Other pre-resolutions include dismissals/closures by clerk and uncontested resolutions.

3 Other pre-resolution hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, evidentiary hearings, not guilty plea hearings, continued prosecution hearings, and dismissal hearings.

4 Guilty plea hearings include both guilty plea only and guilty plea and sentencing hearings.

5 Review hearings include financial review hearings and sentence conditions violation hearings.

6 Post-resolution hearings include other hearings.

7 Percentages are not provided when numbers are small (less than 30).

The Superior Courts

Superior Court Staffing by Full Time Equivalents, 2003

Court	<u>Judicial</u>				<u>Administrative</u>					
	Judges	Full-Time Commissioners	Part-Time Commissioners	Total Judicial Officers	Court Administrator	Permanent Full-Time Staff	Part-Time and Temporary Staff	Total Staff	Staff Workweek	Total Staff - 40 hour Workweek Standard
Adams	1	0	0.03	1.03	1.00	1	0.00	2.00	40.0	2.00
Asotin/Columbia/Garfield	1	0	0.14	1.14	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	40.0	0.00
Benton/Franklin	5	2	0.25	7.25	1.00	8	4.00	13.00	40.0	13.00
Chelan	3	1	0.12	4.12	1.00	2	0.00	3.00	40.0	3.00
Clallam	2	1	0.17	3.17	1.00	1	1.96	3.96	40.0	3.96
Clark	8	2	0.45	10.45	1.00	14	0.00	15.00	40.0	15.00
Cowlitz	4	0	0.19	4.19	1.00	1	0.82	2.82	37.5	2.64
Douglas	1	0	0.12	1.12	1.00	0	0.05	1.05	40.0	1.05
Ferry/Stevens/Pend Oreille	2	0	0.30	2.30	1.00	0	0.88	1.88	37.5	1.76
Grant	3	0	0.50	3.50	1.00	2	0.00	3.00	40.0	3.00
Grays Harbor	3	0	0.00	3.00	1.00	1	0.00	2.00	40.0	2.00
Island/San Juan	2	0	0.50	2.50	1.00	1	1.00	3.00	40.0	3.00
Jefferson	1	0	0.25	1.25	0.50	0	0.50	1.00	40.0	1.00
King	51	10	0.00	61.00	1.00	217	12.00	230.00	35.0	201.25
Kitsap	7	1	0.09	8.09	1.00	10	2.25	13.25	40.0	13.25
Kittitas	1	0	0.41	1.41	1.00	0	0.63	1.63	37.5	1.53
Klickitat/Skamania	1	0	0.13	1.13	1.00	2	0.00	3.00	40.0	3.00
Lewis	3	1	0.00	4.00	1.00	0	0.90	1.90	40.0	1.90
Lincoln	1	0	0.00	1.00	0.50	0	0.05	0.55	40.0	0.55
Mason	2	0	0.67	2.67	1.00	0	1.00	2.00	40.0	2.00
Okanogan	1	0	0.55	1.55	1.00	1	0.75	2.75	40.0	2.75
Pacific/Wahkiakum	1	0	0.02	1.02	0.60	1	0.00	1.60	40.0	1.60
Pierce	21	6	0.00	27.00	1.00	41	1.57	43.57	35.0	38.12
Skagit	3	1	0.18	4.18	1.00	6	0.00	7.00	35.0	6.13
Snohomish	14	4	0.00	18.00	1.00	34	0.00	35.00	40.0	35.00
Spokane	12	6	0.00	18.00	1.00	26	1.01	28.01	37.5	26.26
Thurston	7	2	0.14	9.14	1.00	19	6.00	26.00	40.0	26.00
Walla Walla	2	0	0.38	2.38	1.00	2	0.00	3.00	35.0	2.63
Whatcom	3	3	0.50	6.50	0.25	7	0.54	7.79	40.0	7.79
Whitman	1	0	0.00	1.00	1.00	0	0.00	1.00	37.5	0.94
Yakima	8	3	0.00	11.00	1.00	11	0.35	12.35	40.0	12.35
All Superior Courts	175	43	6.06	224.06	27.85	408	36.26	472.11	--	434.46

The Superior Courts
County Clerk Staffing by Full Time Equivalents, 2003

Courts	Permanent Full Time Staff	Part-Time and Temporary Staff	Total Staff	Staff Workweek	Total Staff -40 hour Workweek Standard
Adams	3	0.00	3.00	40.0	3.00
Asotin	4	0.27	4.27	40.0	4.27
Benton	26	1.05	27.05	40.0	27.05
Chelan	17	0.38	17.38	40.0	17.38
Clallam	7	0.73	7.73	37.5	7.25
Clark	37	0.00	37.00	40.0	37.00
Columbia	2	0.00	2.00	35.0	1.75
Cowlitz	16	1.47	17.47	37.5	16.38
Douglas	6	0.25	6.25	40.0	6.25
Ferry	3	0.00	3.00	40.0	3.00
Franklin	11	0.00	11.0	37.5	10.31
Garfield	1	0.00	1.00	37.5	0.94
Grant	16	0.00	16.00	40.0	16.00
Grays Harbor	11	0.00	11.00	40.0	11.0
Island	1	0.00	1.00	40.0	1.00
Jefferson	6	0.50	6.00	40.0	6.00
King	211	7.50	218.50	35	191.19
Kitsap	41	0.32	41.32	40.0	41.32
Kittitas	4	0.53	4.53	40.0	4.53
Klickitat	5	0.00	5.00	35.0	4.38
Lewis	14	0.00	14.00	40.0	14.00
Lincoln	3	0.50	3.50	40.0	3.50
Mason	10	1.40	11.40	40.0	11.40
Okanogan	7	0.23	7.23	40.0	7.23
Pacific	4	0.00	4.00	40.0	4.00
Pend Oreille	3	0.60	3.60	37.5	3.38
Pierce	56	1.82	57.82	37.5	54.21
San Juan	4	1.25	5.25	40.0	5.25
Skagit	19	0.00	19.00	35.0	16.63
Skamania	7	0.00	7.00	40.0	7.00
Snohomish	81	4.01	85.01	40.0	85.01
Spokane	51	0.60	51.60	37.5	48.38
Stevens	6	0.00	6.00	37.5	5.63
Thurston	37	2.45	39.45	40.0	39.45
Wahkiakum	2	0.00	2.00	35.0	1.75
Walla Walla	7	0.43	7.43	35.0	6.50
Whatcom	22	1.75	23.75	40.0	23.75
Whitman	3	0.00	3.00	40.0	3.00
Yakima	31	1.56	32.56	37.5	30.53
All County Clerks	795	30.58	825.08	--	781.54

The Superior Courts
Judicial Need Estimates by Full-Time Equivalents, 2004
Projected Filings¹

Court	Judges	Authorized			Total Judicial Officers	Total Estimated Judge Need ³
		Unfilled Judge Positions ²	Full-Time Commissioners	Part-Time Commissioners		
Adams	1	-	0	0.03	1.03	0.88
Asotin/Columbia/Garfield	1	-	0	0.14	1.14	1.54
Benton/Franklin	5	1	2	0.25	7.25	9.09
Chelan	3	1	1	0.12	4.12	3.70
Clallam	2	-	1	0.17	3.17	3.53
Clark	8	2	2	0.45	10.45	13.52
Cowlitz	4	-	0	0.19	4.19	6.21
Douglas	1	-	0	0.12	1.12	1.30
Ferry/Stevens/Pend Oreille	2	-	0	0.30	2.30	2.54
Grant	3	-	0	0.50	3.50	4.27
Grays Harbor	3	-	0	0.00	3.00	4.56
Island/San Juan	2	-	0	0.50	2.50	2.97
Jefferson	1	-	0	0.25	1.25	1.27
King	51	7	10	0.00	61.00	68.45
Kitsap	7	1	1	0.09	8.09	9.48
Kittitas	1	1	0	0.41	1.41	1.77
Klickitat/Skamania	1	-	0	0.13	1.13	1.64
Lewis	3	-	1	0.00	4.00	4.16
Lincoln	1	-	0	0.00	1.00	1.00
Mason	2	-	0	0.67	2.67	2.56
Okanogan	1	1	0	0.55	1.55	2.28
Pacific/Wahkiakum	1	-	0	0.02	1.02	1.37
Pierce	21	3	6	0.00	27.00	28.54
Skagit	3	-	1	0.18	4.18	5.69
Snohomish	14	1	4	0.00	18.00	20.82
Spokane	12	1	6	0.00	18.00	17.87
Thurston	7	1	2	0.14	9.14	10.69
Walla Walla	2	-	0	0.38	2.38	2.72
Whatcom	3	-	3	0.50	6.50	7.09
Whitman	1	-	0	0.00	1.00	1.19
Yakima	8	-	3	0.00	11.00	10.96
Total	175	20	43	6.06	224.06	253.64

- 1. Year 2004 projected filings are based on the previous five year filing trends of the various case types in a given court; need estimates are based on the previous five years of data for the number of total judicial officers and case resolutions.*
- 2. Superior court judge positions authorized by state statute yet unfunded at the county level.*
- 3. This column represents the estimated number of judge positions needed, as required by RCW 2.56.030 (11). Individual counties or judicial districts may choose to establish and fund court commissioner positions instead of superior court judge positions. Identical indicators are used to measure the workload of both judges and commissioners.*
- 4. The estimation process eliminates Lincoln County due to caseload anomalies which strongly influence the overall results. In order to obtain a complete statewide total, the estimated judge need for Lincoln County is imputed to be identical to the current judicial officer FTE count in that county.*

Description of Superior Court Judicial Needs Estimation

In March 2001, a new methodology for estimating judicial needs in the superior courts was adopted by the Administrative Office of the Courts in conjunction with the Superior Court Judges Association. Beginning with the 2001 Annual Report, an annual table will be published displaying court-level judicial needs estimates using this methodology along with a brief description of the process.

The superior court model for estimating judicial needs is workload-based. The estimates are derived from a statistical model with two primary data components: (1) the observed caseload processed and (2) the number of available judicial officers. The caseload measure is represented by case resolutions and the judicial officer measure is represented by judge and commissioner FTEs. Furthermore, any significant effects due to differences in court size will be captured during the estimation process. In order to insure that a good representative sample underlies the estimation, the data are drawn from courts across the state and from the past several years.

This type of approach has wide usage in a number of diverse applications and so provides a well-established base model. One of the inherent advantages of this methodology is the facility to capture changes in practice over time. Another advantage is that qualitative adjustments - based upon objective data - are possible. A qualitative adjustment adopted for use in the superior court model relies upon the published case management statistics for various case types to create a 'time standards adjustment factor'. This adjustment allocates additional resources based upon an individual court's time-in-process results versus the case processing time standards adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration*. In other words, the model recognizes when a court has a case backlog problem and takes into consideration the judicial resources needed by that court to reduce the delay in case processing. This adjustment factor is a way to introduce an *objective* quality assurance check on the baseline prediction from the input-output model.

*The case processing time standards were adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration as an objective means for courts to measure the pace of cases from filing to resolution. They are published in the Washington Court Rules.

The Superior Courts
Cases Filed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Criminal1	Civil2	Domestic	Probate/ Guardian- ship	Adoption/ Paternity3	Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Juvenile Dependency	Juvenile Offender1	Total Filings	Filings per 1,000 Population4
Adams	124	359	64	36	27	18	44	80	752	45
Asotin	195	369	138	70	47	15	71	125	1,030	50
Columbia	23	79	16	11	3	7	11	28	178	43
Garfield	20	51	17	9	10	1	4	6	118	49
..Judicial District	238	499	171	90	60	23	86	159	1,326	49
Benton	1,269	2,824	1,052	361	313	213	635	1,099	7,766	51
Franklin	459	972	294	113	204	53	498	333	2,926	55
..Judicial District	1,728	3,796	1,346	474	517	266	1,133	1,432	10,692	52
Chelan	766	1,444	579	251	123	116	219	539	4,037	59
Clallam	517	1,134	395	320	160	69	461	342	3,398	52
Clark	2,625	7,631	2,167	914	696	532	1,189	1,281	17,035	46
Cowlitz	1,874	2,477	746	278	220	147	882	582	7,206	76
Douglas	249	414	66	79	52	0	134	223	1,217	36
Ferry	36	98	27	14	6	11	25	32	249	34
Pend Oreille	57	254	94	28	26	19	60	30	568	48
Stevens	288	651	273	107	53	46	117	182	1,717	42
..Judicial District	381	1,003	394	149	85	76	202	244	2,534	42
Grant	1,093	1,682	402	182	217	65	180	713	4,534	59
Grays Harbor	686	1,932	506	260	220	15	621	541	4,781	69
Island	300	940	418	282	107	8	220	256	2,531	34
San Juan	32	190	82	73	14	0	12	40	443	30
..Judicial District	332	1,130	500	355	121	8	232	296	2,974	33
Jefferson	135	422	176	135	26	2	93	102	1,091	41
King	10,315	40,227	7,525	5,841	2,432	2,189	3,375	5,497	77,401	44
Kitsap	1,742	3,285	1,554	849	457	311	553	1,167	9,918	42
Kittitas	413	819	175	72	51	11	64	131	1,736	49
Klickitat	207	398	130	45	32	17	51	120	1,000	52
Skamania	69	161	58	23	23	6	37	28	405	41
..Judicial District	276	559	188	68	55	23	88	148	1,405	48
Lewis	1,018	1,767	455	260	163	10	286	458	4,417	63
Lincoln	33	162	4,458	43	41	13	47	44	4,841	479
Mason	475	1,146	337	185	119	0	245	214	2,721	54
Okanogan	423	698	193	100	104	82	216	482	2,298	58
Pacific	207	501	111	88	24	3	68	158	1,160	56
Wahkiakum	29	82	26	19	4	3	2	17	182	48
..Judicial District	236	583	137	107	28	6	70	175	1,342	54
Pierce	6,164	14,711	3,973	1,766	1,608	1,400	2,056	2,985	34,663	47
Skagit	981	2,059	718	363	227	511	672	543	6,074	57
Snohomish	2,752	13,939	3,416	1,526	1,148	728	3,028	2,544	29,081	46
Spokane	4,055	8,517	2,819	1,476	1,067	1,499	2,211	1,808	23,452	55
Thurston	2,458	6,859	1,574	619	334	240	571	1,292	13,947	65
Walla Walla	531	995	390	222	131	45	123	273	2,710	49
Whatcom	1,706	2,958	819	487	289	152	331	852	7,594	44
Whitman	200	276	138	128	36	23	33	97	931	23
Yakima	2,869	4,460	1,304	586	627	440	1,004	1,895	13,185	58
State	47,395	127,943	37,685	18,221	11,441	9,020	20,449	27,139	299,293	49

1 Includes counts on "non-charge matters."

2 Includes counts on "matters filed with the clerk."

3 These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence. Data include counts on "pre-placement reports."

4 Population data source: OFM "Official April 1, 2003 Population Estimates, June 2003."
<http://www.ofm.wa.gov/pop/Aprill1/index.htm>

The Superior Courts
Cases Resolved by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Criminal ¹	Civil ²	Domestic	Probate/ Guardian- ship	Adoption/ Paternity ³	Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Juvenile Dependency	Juvenile Offender ¹	Total Resolutions
Adams	109	329	74	32	17	18	34	82	695
Asotin	199	353	127	75	48	15	72	124	1,013
Columbia	33	74	19	10	1	7	13	24	181
Garfield	19	45	9	7	6	0	4	2	92
..Judicial District	251	472	155	92	55	22	89	150	1,286
Benton	1,038	2,635	846	349	340	214	550	1,038	7,010
Franklin	455	956	276	102	162	33	575	301	2,860
..Judicial District	1,493	3,591	1,122	451	502	247	1,125	1,339	9,870
Chelan	626	1,304	493	219	116	110	170	525	3,563
Clallam	426	1,040	351	310	114	66	481	344	3,132
Clark	2,700	6,915	1,897	865	624	443	1,222	1,295	15,961
Cowlitz	1,803	2,395	545	267	190	113	829	555	6,697
Douglas	210	415	47	63	56	0	129	242	1,162
Ferry	44	89	25	12	4	10	18	26	228
Pend Oreille	58	249	84	28	26	18	64	46	573
Stevens	278	650	275	119	81	58	125	214	1,800
..Judicial District	380	988	384	159	111	86	207	286	2,601
Grant	1,003	1,425	342	149	179	59	156	782	4,095
Grays Harbor	596	1,748	471	156	172	4	691	581	4,419
Island	270	881	338	271	118	8	176	232	2,294
San Juan	31	179	93	53	12	0	9	37	414
..Judicial District	301	1,060	431	324	130	8	185	269	2,708
Jefferson	110	386	173	126	37	2	84	113	1,031
King	9,579	40,083	7,747	5,574	2,423	2,133	3,022	5,488	76,049
Kitsap	1,710	3,052	1,423	717	423	304	560	1,288	9,477
Kittitas	401	752	177	64	34	11	59	134	1,632
Klickitat	220	352	101	37	16	16	39	118	899
Skamania	73	153	58	23	18	6	29	27	387
..Judicial District	293	505	159	60	34	22	68	145	1,286
Lewis	957	1,593	445	205	74	1	281	404	3,960
Lincoln	37	142	4,107	37	45	13	47	48	4,476
Mason	483	1,007	351	164	127	0	280	247	2,659
Okanogan	358	572	137	85	34	80	188	419	1,873
Pacific	184	473	91	78	20	3	42	139	1,030
Wahkiakum	29	78	23	20	2	4	4	18	178
..Judicial District	213	551	114	98	22	7	46	157	1,208
Pierce	6,090	12,815	4,023	1,656	1,500	1,034	1,872	2,962	31,952
Skagit	682	1,843	616	341	194	626	532	447	5,281
Snohomish	2,601	13,673	3,366	1,527	1,226	717	2,935	2,293	28,338
Spokane	3,486	8,469	2,557	1,476	1,105	1,530	1,981	1,782	22,386
Thurston	2,346	6,764	1,455	467	361	237	525	1,283	13,438
Walla Walla	512	973	351	211	162	5	114	296	2,624
Whatcom	1,551	2,656	748	464	255	102	431	868	7,075
Whitman	212	318	138	132	38	23	30	113	1,004
Yakima	2,725	4,436	1,232	572	676	423	832	1,911	12,807
State	44,244	122,272	35,631	17,063	11,036	8,446	19,205	26,848	284,745

1 Includes counts on "non-charge matters."

2 Includes counts on "matters filed with the clerk."

3 These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence. Data include counts on "pre-placement reports."

The Superior Courts
Cases Completed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Criminal1	Civil2	Domestic	Probate/ Guardian- ship	Adoption/ Paternity3	Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Juvenile Dependency	Juvenile Offender1	Total Completions
Adams	108	329	74	29	17	18	34	80	689
Asotin	194	350	129	62	48	15	71	124	993
Columbia	34	75	19	11	1	7	12	25	184
Garfield	19	45	9	6	6	0	0	0	85
..Judicial District	247	470	157	79	55	22	83	149	1,262
Benton	1,044	2,604	845	269	340	192	521	1,015	6,830
Franklin	463	942	276	81	161	33	574	296	2,826
..Judicial District	1,507	3,546	1,121	350	501	225	1,095	1,311	9,656
Chelan	623	1,298	493	159	111	111	170	521	3,486
Clallam	419	1,050	349	234	114	66	432	343	3,007
Clark	2,661	6,884	1,906	673	624	435	1,024	1,291	15,498
Cowlitz	1,826	2,390	555	192	188	113	822	556	6,642
Douglas	214	409	48	47	56	0	128	219	1,121
Ferry	42	88	25	8	4	10	11	22	210
Pend Oreille	64	249	84	22	26	18	41	46	550
Stevens	287	651	276	145	81	61	124	215	1,840
..Judicial District	393	988	385	175	111	89	176	283	2,600
Grant	1,025	1,430	338	161	180	59	152	790	4,135
Grays Harbor	607	1,745	471	148	172	4	688	516	4,351
Island	271	872	339	221	118	8	168	215	2,212
San Juan	29	179	93	48	12	0	11	32	404
..Judicial District	300	1,051	432	269	130	8	179	247	2,616
Jefferson	111	384	171	91	37	2	77	104	977
King	9,376	40,110	7,746	6,398	2,541	2,133	4,224	5,294	77,822
Kitsap	1,742	3,025	1,431	644	417	298	687	1,226	9,470
Kittitas	416	750	176	61	34	11	61	135	1,644
Klickitat	220	353	101	28	16	16	45	119	898
Skamania	81	151	58	24	18	6	30	34	402
..Judicial District	301	504	159	52	34	22	75	153	1,300
Lewis	977	1,592	443	120	42	1	347	401	3,923
Lincoln	37	143	4,153	36	45	13	26	47	4,500
Mason	464	996	351	159	129	0	272	258	2,629
Okanogan	362	567	136	51	34	80	185	418	1,833
Pacific	182	475	90	49	20	3	36	135	990
Wahkiakum	27	74	21	21	2	4	5	15	169
..Judicial District	209	549	111	70	22	7	41	150	1,159
Pierce	6,030	12,515	3,965	1,423	1,500	723	1,692	2,814	30,662
Skagit	672	1,838	616	234	195	625	533	462	5,175
Snohomish	2,603	13,690	3,377	1,534	1,132	710	2,986	2,201	28,233
Spokane	3,681	8,426	2,550	1,303	1,099	1,397	2,025	1,674	22,155
Thurston	2,347	6,767	1,475	432	366	222	544	1,303	13,456
Walla Walla	522	955	352	195	161	5	113	288	2,591
Whatcom	1,632	2,634	744	310	252	21	430	859	6,882
Whitman	213	319	138	105	38	23	31	116	983
Yakima	2,711	4,417	1,232	497	676	423	925	1,897	12,778
State	44,336	121,771	35,655	16,231	11,013	7,866	20,257	26,106	283,235

1 Includes counts on "non-charge matters."

2 Includes counts on "matters filed with the clerk."

3 These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence. Data include counts on "pre-placement reports."

The Superior Courts
Trial Proceedings¹ by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Criminal	Civil	Domestic	Probate/ Guardian- ship	Adoption/ Paternity ²	Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Juvenile Offender ³	Total Trials
Adams	1	6	2	0	2	0	0	11
Asotin	1	12	18	2	7	0	1	41
Columbia	6	1	0	0	0	0	1	8
Garfield	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	4
..Judicial District	8	15	19	2	7	0	2	53
Benton	68	27	90	1	8	0	131	325
Franklin	31	7	10	0	1	0	20	69
..Judicial District	99	34	100	1	9	0	151	394
Chelan	15	151	78	2	48	0	11	305
Clallam	57	23	25	0	5	1	12	123
Clark	98	57	134	10	41	2	43	385
Cowlitz	131	41	97	5	23	0	19	316
Douglas	6	10	10	0	18	0	1	45
Ferry	4	0	1	1	0	0	2	8
Pend Oreille	2	1	4	0	4	0	1	12
Stevens	13	7	22	0	4	0	1	47
..Judicial District	19	8	27	1	8	0	4	67
Grant	43	18	38	0	73	0	53	225
Grays Harbor	61	60	189	8	52	0	1	371
Island	7	56	20	1	5	0	74	163
San Juan	1	13	15	0	0	0	6	35
..Judicial District	8	69	35	1	5	0	80	198
Jefferson	10	16	10	1	1	0	4	42
King	512	416	978	10	534	2	202	2,654
Kitsap	49	54	47	3	2	4	12	171
Kittitas	11	19	16	0	0	0	13	59
Klickitat	21	1	5	0	2	0	3	32
Skamania	5	3	5	0	0	0	0	13
..Judicial District	26	4	10	0	2	0	3	45
Lewis	52	16	27	1	9	0	6	111
Lincoln	2	1	13	0	2	0	1	19
Mason	53	17	10	0	3	0	26	109
Okanogan	16	3	22	0	5	0	5	51
Pacific	3	11	6	1	2	0	13	36
Wahkiakum	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	4
..Judicial District	4	13	7	1	2	0	13	40
Pierce	235	132	166	0	4	0	222	759
Skagit	30	27	80	4	16	0	1	158
Snohomish	221	121	235	5	42	1	90	715
Spokane	203	135	139	1	33	1	36	548
Thurston	142	120	80	2	21	0	28	393
Walla Walla	22	10	8	0	1	0	5	46
Whatcom	64	43	55	0	8	2	65	237
Whitman	9	9	13	0	3	0	0	34
Yakima	76	38	73	1	10	1	11	210
State	2,283	1,686	2,743	59	989	14	1,120	8,894

1 Trial proceedings include jury trials, non-jury trials, trials by affidavit, and stipulated trials.

2 These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence.

3 Juvenile offender adjudicatory, and adjudicatory and sentencing hearings are counted as trials.

The Superior Courts
Non-Trial Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Criminal1	Civil2	Domestic	Probate/ Guardian- ship	Adoption/ Paternity3	Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Juvenile Dependency	Juvenile Offender1	Total Non-Trial Proceedings
Adams	646	147	126	18	101	0	58	78	1,174
Asotin	1,550	309	355	48	176	0	391	1,043	3,872
Columbia	225	42	29	11	7	0	38	91	443
Garfield	101	38	22	8	10	0	19	14	212
..Judicial District	1,876	389	406	67	193	0	448	1,148	4,527
Benton	13,218	1,528	6,876	154	1,143	285	1,688	7,407	32,299
Franklin	2,264	381	629	36	343	91	944	1,607	6,295
..Judicial District	15,482	1,909	7,505	190	1,486	376	2,632	9,014	38,594
Chelan	5,803	705	2,102	114	684	0	669	3,145	13,222
Clallam	10,603	1,317	1,948	306	671	7	1,972	3,352	20,176
Clark	31,898	2,762	4,941	589	1,871	275	4,744	7,035	54,115
Cowlitz	17,082	1,849	3,502	203	1,204	324	6,237	4,241	34,642
Douglas	1,900	153	134	27	113	0	712	968	4,007
Ferry	259	48	79	6	5	1	130	119	647
Pend Oreille	240	124	94	9	43	6	214	105	835
Stevens	1,718	258	579	38	147	5	746	702	4,193
..Judicial District	2,217	430	752	53	195	12	1,090	926	5,675
Grant	9,197	784	1,114	90	682	2	1,086	3,937	16,892
Grays Harbor	3,553	815	1,448	117	722	3	4,743	3,045	14,446
Island	1,870	630	863	115	212	9	925	1,240	5,864
San Juan	351	146	147	16	29	0	191	261	1,141
..Judicial District	2,221	776	1,010	131	241	9	1,116	1,501	7,005
Jefferson	1,202	233	368	51	124	0	549	571	3,098
King	53,349	13,402	17,020	8,102	9,363	3,336	8,872	16,102	129,546
Kitsap	16,402	2,433	5,308	764	1,429	616	3,841	6,035	36,828
Kittitas	2,106	416	290	24	73	0	174	387	3,470
Klickitat	1,909	239	209	20	46	0	286	522	3,231
Skamania	530	139	148	15	70	0	148	113	1,163
..Judicial District	2,439	378	357	35	116	0	434	635	4,394
Lewis	9,517	1,455	1,559	96	585	8	982	1,597	15,799
Lincoln	217	103	224	7	36	0	78	54	719
Mason	4,515	880	1,031	96	486	0	2,120	1,200	10,328
Okanogan	3,187	322	413	77	175	4	725	1,503	6,406
Pacific	1,122	286	251	82	76	3	347	596	2,763
Wahkiakum	213	88	44	31	18	6	25	55	480
..Judicial District	1,335	374	295	113	94	9	372	651	3,243
Pierce	1,579	4,684	10,408	1,914	5,319	2	13,077	16,920	53,903
Skagit	8,236	1,241	2,110	133	928	652	2,226	3,104	18,630
Snohomish	27,314	5,875	9,075	806	3,771	768	13,113	13,573	74,295
Spokane	16,308	4,644	7,911	404	2,781	4,018	5,455	1,518	43,039
Thurston	16,603	4,100	5,259	336	1,284	501	3,130	5,004	36,217
Walla Walla	2,701	539	966	39	232	13	330	1,414	6,234
Whatcom	9,173	1,169	1,490	203	679	77	1,243	3,793	17,827
Whitman	1,221	146	278	50	77	4	135	439	2,350
Yakima	14,687	2,250	3,055	179	2,325	686	4,235	6,371	33,788
State	294,569	56,680	92,405	15,334	38,040	11,702	86,598	119,261	714,589

1 Includes proceedings associated with "non-charge matters."

2 Includes proceedings associated with "matters filed with the clerk."

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The Superior Courts
Total Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Criminal ¹	Civil ²	Domestic	Probate/ Guardian/ ship	Adoption Paternity	Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Juvenile Dependency	Juvenile Offender ¹	Total Proceedings
Adams	647	153	128	18	103	0	58	78	1,185
Asotin	1,551	321	373	50	183	0	391	1,044	3,913
Columbia	231	43	29	11	7	0	38	92	451
Garfield	102	40	23	8	10	0	19	14	216
..Judicial District	1,884	404	425	69	200	0	448	1,150	4,580
Benton	13,286	1,555	6,966	155	1,151	285	1,688	7,538	32,624
Franklin	2,295	388	639	36	344	91	944	1,627	6,364
..Judicial District	15,581	1,943	7,605	191	1,495	376	2,632	9,165	38,988
Chelan	5,818	856	2,180	116	732	0	669	3,156	13,527
Clallam	10,660	1,340	1,973	306	676	8	1,972	3,364	20,299
Clark	31,996	2,819	5,075	599	1,912	277	4,744	7,078	54,500
Cowlitz	17,213	1,890	3,599	208	1,227	324	6,237	4,260	34,958
Douglas	1,906	163	144	27	131	0	712	969	4,052
Ferry	263	48	80	7	5	1	130	121	655
Pend Oreille	242	125	98	9	47	6	214	106	847
Stevens	1,731	265	601	38	151	5	746	703	4,240
..Judicial District	2,236	438	779	54	203	12	1,090	930	5,742
Grant	9,240	802	1,152	90	755	2	1,086	3,990	17,117
Grays Harbor	3,614	875	1,637	125	774	3	4,743	3,046	14,817
Island	1,877	686	883	116	217	9	925	1,314	6,027
San Juan	352	159	162	16	29	0	191	267	1,176
..Judicial District	2,229	845	1,045	132	246	9	1,116	1,581	7,203
Jefferson	1,212	249	378	52	125	0	549	575	3,140
King	53,861	13,818	17,998	8,112	9,897	3,338	8,872	16,304	132,200
Kitsap	16,451	2,487	5,355	767	1,431	620	3,841	6,047	36,999
Kittitas	2,117	435	306	24	73	0	174	400	3,529
Klickitat	1,930	240	214	20	48	0	286	525	3,263
Skamania	535	142	153	15	70	0	148	113	1,176
..Judicial District	2,465	382	367	35	118	0	434	638	4,439
Lewis	9,569	1,471	1,586	97	594	8	982	1,603	15,910
Lincoln	219	104	237	7	38	0	78	55	738
Mason	4,568	897	1,041	96	489	0	2,120	1,226	10,437
Okanogan	3,203	325	435	77	180	4	725	1,508	6,457
Pacific	1,125	297	257	83	78	3	347	609	2,799
Wahkiakum	214	90	45	31	18	6	25	55	484
..Judicial District	1,339	387	302	114	96	9	372	664	3,283
Pierce	1,814	4,816	10,574	1,914	5,323	2	13,077	17,142	54,662
Skagit	8,266	1,268	2,190	137	944	652	2,226	3,105	18,788
Snohomish	27,535	5,996	9,310	811	3,813	769	13,113	13,663	75,010
Spokane	16,511	4,779	8,050	405	2,814	4,019	5,455	1,554	43,587
Thurston	16,745	4,220	5,339	338	1,305	501	3,130	5,032	36,610
Walla Walla	2,723	549	974	39	233	13	330	1,419	6,280
Whatcom	9,237	1,212	1,545	203	687	79	1,243	3,858	18,064
Whitman	1,230	155	291	50	80	4	135	439	2,384
Yakima	14,763	2,288	3,128	180	2,335	687	4,235	6,382	33,998
State	296,852	58,366	95,148	15,393	39,029	11,716	86,598	120,381	723,483

1 Includes proceedings associated with "non-charge matters."

2 Includes proceedings associated with "matters filed with the clerk."

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The Superior Courts
 Proceedings Continued, Canceled, and Stricken by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Criminal ¹	Civil ²	Domestic	Probate/ Guardian- ship	Adoption/ Paternity ³	Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Juvenile Dependency	Juvenile Offender ¹	Total Proceedings
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	10	3	0	0	0	0	2	6	21
Garfield	8	1	6	1	0	0	6	3	25
..Judicial District	18	4	6	1	0	0	8	9	46
Benton	4,988	442	5,118	66	805	0	134	1,554	13,107
Franklin	2,396	297	1,226	18	885	10	186	646	5,664
..Judicial District	7,384	739	6,344	84	1,690	10	320	2,200	18,771
Chelan	686	283	683	30	159	0	53	160	2,054
Clallam	701	248	433	21	144	0	561	728	2,836
Clark	3,705	2,001	3,753	80	865	150	586	1,042	12,182
Cowlitz	5,177	751	989	47	243	24	611	479	8,321
Douglas	1,189	127	154	8	78	0	320	750	2,626
Ferry	161	18	42	3	2	1	40	37	304
Pend Oreille	160	104	103	3	23	1	99	46	539
Stevens	58	61	84	0	30	0	76	11	320
..Judicial District	379	183	229	6	55	2	215	94	1,163
Grant	753	393	394	22	127	0	96	362	2,147
Grays Harbor	1,494	583	855	75	200	0	989	690	4,886
Island	193	126	378	26	35	0	194	183	1,135
San Juan	53	49	54	1	7	0	57	66	287
..Judicial District	246	175	432	27	42	0	251	249	1,422
Jefferson	2,093	101	139	15	40	0	153	132	2,673
King	43,362	2,161	7,969	700	3,983	2,882	1,798	1,342	64,197
Kitsap	125	103	262	345	139	0	0	9	983
Kittitas	2,133	202	171	16	29	0	28	97	2,676
Klickitat	0	20	17	1	1	0	20	0	59
Skamania	151	40	52	2	14	0	11	14	284
..Judicial District	151	60	69	3	15	0	31	14	343
Lewis	417	315	1,274	26	457	0	21	74	2,584
Lincoln	65	62	138	1	13	0	26	21	326
Mason	759	341	617	51	215	0	160	276	2,419
Okanogan	608	109	86	7	26	0	70	118	1,024
Pacific	106	38	31	2	9	0	9	46	241
Wahkiakum	18	11	4	1	1	0	0	3	38
..Judicial District	124	49	35	3	10	0	9	49	279
Pierce	115	165	326	1	3	0	4,468	4,666	9,744
Skagit	656	513	668	41	186	13	167	172	2,416
Snohomish	13,688	3,899	7,244	357	2,144	143	5,302	5,035	37,812
Spokane	3,543	2,102	6,514	74	1,688	181	258	33	14,393
Thurston	5,514	3,734	2,865	113	516	5	912	408	14,067
Walla Walla	229	156	367	12	58	0	14	148	984
Whatcom	1,802	258	278	12	81	15	112	666	3,224
Whitman	96	50	114	11	15	0	39	37	362
Yakima	4,383	469	801	40	417	75	389	1,066	7,640
State	101,595	20,336	44,209	2,229	13,638	3,500	17,967	21,126	224,600

1 Includes proceedings associated with "non-charge matters."

2 Includes proceedings associated with "matters filed with the clerk."

3 These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence. Includes proceedings associated with "pre-placement reports."

The Superior Courts
Criminal Case Management Statistics, December 31, 2003

County/Court	-----TIME STANDARDS1-----			Cases Filed2	Total Cases Resolved	Active Cases Pending Resolution	Ratio Of Active Cases Pending To Cases Resolved3	Cases Pending Resolution Over 9 Months4
	90% 4 Months	98% 6 Months	100% 9 Months					
Adams	82.24	90.65	98.13	123	107	59	0.55	19
Asotin	91.41	93.43	95.96	195	198	43	0.22	2
Benton	72.22	82.77	89.74	1,258	1,033	507	0.49	96
Chelan	78.69	89.90	96.47	752	624	440	0.71	206
Clallam	62.29	80.91	91.65	516	419	280	0.67	68
Clark	76.04	89.03	95.63	2,594	2,680	699	0.26	78
Columbia	72.73	78.79	81.82	22	33	8	0.24	3
Cowlitz	77.70	86.69	92.35	1,846	1,803	591	0.33	163
Douglas	75.96	86.54	97.12	246	208	98	0.47	15
Ferry	50.00	65.91	88.64	34	44	10	0.23	1
Franklin	78.05	88.25	94.46	457	451	144	0.32	44
Garfield	78.95	100.00	100.00	20	19	6	0.32	1
Grant	77.73	89.36	96.48	1,091	1,024	273	0.27	35
Grays Harbor	82.13	91.75	96.56	668	582	247	0.42	75
Island	79.03	89.89	94.38	291	267	86	0.32	14
Jefferson	67.31	82.69	88.46	125	104	51	0.49	14
King	78.18	87.68	93.48	10,009	9,247	2,730	0.30	338
Kitsap	85.35	91.07	93.64	1,729	1,713	453	0.26	93
Kittitas	76.53	87.04	93.40	403	409	92	0.22	17
Klickitat	52.94	68.78	84.62	206	221	103	0.47	32
Lewis	83.38	90.77	95.49	1,006	975	254	0.26	35
Lincoln	97.14	100.00	100.00	31	35	8	0.23	3
Mason	82.24	92.60	97.89	469	473	114	0.24	31
Okanogan	73.95	85.71	92.16	423	357	240	0.67	97
Pacific	88.40	93.37	96.69	206	181	185	1.02	142
Pend Oreille	76.27	93.22	100.00	56	59	24	0.41	7
Pierce	75.02	85.41	92.80	6,099	6,024	1,967	0.33	438
San Juan	62.96	70.37	77.78	28	27	14	0.52	1
Skagit	68.79	83.28	92.60	898	676	454	0.67	156
Skamania	78.26	85.51	89.86	66	69	23	0.33	4
Snohomish	75.43	86.11	92.68	2,702	2,556	853	0.33	99
Spokane	61.91	79.93	90.93	4,014	3,628	1,493	0.41	123
Stevens	66.67	82.05	89.01	278	273	76	0.28	2
Thurston	77.69	86.86	93.28	2,436	2,322	809	0.35	169
Wahkiakum	75.86	89.66	96.55	29	29	5	0.17	0
Walla Walla	82.81	89.26	93.36	529	512	261	0.51	141
Whatcom	55.21	68.54	81.74	1,690	1,621	1,619	1.00	1,056
Whitman	75.36	83.41	91.47	195	211	78	0.37	31
Yakima	69.38	78.32	87.21	2,848	2,698	1,164	0.43	303
Statewide	74.57	85.37	92.47	46,588	43,912	16,561	0.38	4,152

1 Standards adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration recommend that 90 percent of all criminal cases should be adjudicated within 4 months of the date of filing of the information, 98 percent within 6 months of filing, and 100 percent within 9 months. The figures under this heading reflect the actual percentages of these cases resolved within 4, 6 and 9 months.

2 Non-charge filings are included. Appeals from lower courts are not included in this table.

3 Lower numbers suggest proportionately smaller backlogs of pending cases.

4 Time-in-process figures do not include the time cases are placed in suspended status. A case is said to be in suspended status if it is out on warrant, in mediation, stayed, in arbitration, on appeal, on post-filing diversion, or has been continued for prosecution or placed on deferred prosecution.

The Superior Courts
Civil Case Management Statistics, December 31, 2003

County/Court	-----TIME STANDARDS1-----			Cases Filed2	Total Cases Resolved	Active Cases Pending Resolution	Ratio Of Active Cases Pending To Cases Resolved3	Cases Pending Resolution Over 24 Months4
	90% 12 Months	98% 18 Months	100% 24 Months					
Adams	93.25	94.48	96.32	354	326	128	0.39	20
Asotin	88.60	94.87	96.58	366	351	106	0.30	20
Benton	95.24	97.60	98.17	2,820	2,624	1,585	0.60	815
Chelan	87.02	91.55	95.70	1,442	1,302	733	0.56	115
Clallam	88.17	93.17	95.96	1,128	1,040	445	0.43	60
Clark	94.55	96.55	97.71	7,606	6,902	3,713	0.54	1,539
Columbia	93.24	95.95	97.30	79	74	15	0.20	3
Cowlitz	92.54	94.19	96.46	2,463	2,374	842	0.35	188
Douglas	77.29	89.13	96.86	412	414	177	0.43	22
Ferry	92.13	96.63	100.00	98	89	29	0.33	5
Franklin	89.39	96.53	97.69	967	952	293	0.31	67
Garfield	97.67	100.00	100.00	51	43	18	0.42	0
Grant	86.12	91.12	95.21	1,673	1,419	751	0.53	84
Grays Harbor	87.23	89.30	92.29	1,918	1,738	862	0.50	153
Island	93.59	95.88	97.48	931	873	491	0.56	189
Jefferson	83.99	92.91	95.54	415	381	181	0.48	18
King	88.62	95.28	98.07	40,057	39,944	11,971	0.30	1,091
Kitsap	82.96	92.67	95.87	3,264	3,029	1,398	0.46	154
Kittitas	91.57	93.98	95.98	812	747	323	0.43	82
Klickitat	85.51	88.92	91.19	393	352	209	0.59	42
Lewis	87.98	96.04	97.61	1,762	1,589	608	0.38	48
Lincoln	92.91	95.74	97.87	161	141	82	0.58	29
Mason	88.71	92.41	95.90	1,141	1,001	503	0.50	40
Okanogan	95.04	96.63	97.34	683	564	756	1.34	461
Pacific	88.22	89.94	91.01	497	467	226	0.48	57
Pend Oreille	87.45	94.74	95.55	252	247	83	0.34	13
Pierce	91.77	96.10	97.88	14,623	12,753	8,118	0.64	1,856
San Juan	77.65	84.71	90.00	189	170	139	0.82	30
Skagit	84.73	92.91	95.09	2,055	1,834	1,006	0.55	154
Skamania	80.13	86.75	91.39	160	151	76	0.50	11
Snohomish	88.48	95.28	97.06	13,894	13,623	3,873	0.28	435
Spokane	91.97	97.19	98.74	8,484	8,430	1,941	0.23	112
Stevens	84.23	91.04	93.82	645	647	186	0.29	27
Thurston	94.55	96.80	97.97	6,843	6,757	1,235	0.18	138
Wahkiakum	92.31	93.59	93.59	82	78	26	0.33	7
Walla Walla	91.26	97.12	98.46	988	972	193	0.20	24
Whatcom	83.38	88.22	93.84	2,933	2,648	1,471	0.56	171
Whitman	73.40	76.60	77.56	271	312	146	0.47	45
Yakima	87.88	92.94	97.38	4,448	4,421	1,285	0.29	198
Statewide	89.62	95.00	97.34	127,360	121,779	46,223	0.38	8,523

1 Standards adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration recommend that 90 percent of all civil cases should be adjudicated within 12 months of the date of filing of the information, 98 percent within 18 months of filing, and 100 percent within 24 months. The figures under this heading reflect the actual percentages of these cases resolved within 12, 18 and 24 months.

2 These figures include "other matters filed with the clerk." Appeals from lower courts are not included in this table.

3 Lower numbers suggest proportionately smaller backlogs of pending cases.

4 Time-in-process figures do not include the time cases are placed in suspended status. A case is said to be in suspended status if it is out on warrant, in mediation, stayed, in arbitration, on appeal, on post-filing diversion, or has been continued for prosecution or placed on deferred prosecution.

The Superior Courts
Domestic Relations Case Management Statistics, December 31, 2003

County/Court	-----TIME STANDARDS-----			Cases Filed ²	Total Cases Resolved	Active Cases Pending Resolution	Ratio Of Active Cases Pending To Cases Resolved ³	Cases Pending Resolution Over 18 Months ⁴
	90% 10 Months	98% 14 Months	100% 18 Months					
Adams	70.27	82.43	87.84	64	74	59	0.80	17
Asotin	77.95	87.40	95.28	138	127	105	0.83	11
Benton	81.80	88.18	92.91	1,052	846	1,522	1.80	726
Chelan	72.15	81.91	87.40	579	492	555	1.13	135
Clallam	72.08	81.20	90.03	395	351	347	0.99	53
Clark	79.55	87.56	92.36	2,167	1,897	2,386	1.26	975
Columbia	73.68	78.95	89.47	16	19	13	0.68	4
Cowlitz	84.22	91.38	93.94	746	545	601	1.10	141
Douglas	78.72	80.85	85.11	66	47	61	1.30	10
Ferry	44.00	60.00	76.00	27	25	34	1.36	2
Franklin	80.73	86.55	92.36	294	275	175	0.64	18
Garfield	66.67	77.78	88.89	17	9	15	1.67	2
Grant	69.30	77.49	85.67	402	342	407	1.19	61
Grays Harbor	65.18	72.19	79.62	506	471	471	1.00	89
Island	70.41	81.66	87.87	418	338	438	1.30	136
Jefferson	70.52	78.61	89.60	176	173	130	0.75	16
King	82.25	94.02	96.26	7,525	7,748	3,679	0.47	108
Kitsap	68.31	80.46	92.41	1,554	1,423	1,096	0.77	85
Kittitas	63.28	71.75	77.40	175	177	202	1.14	69
Klickitat	60.40	69.31	74.26	130	101	150	1.49	32
Lewis	67.42	77.98	88.76	455	445	416	0.93	80
Lincoln	97.52	98.69	99.22	4,458	4,107	1,840	0.45	234
Mason	61.54	67.52	78.06	337	351	255	0.73	32
Okanogan	79.56	83.21	89.78	193	137	537	3.92	372
Pacific	86.81	92.31	94.51	111	91	133	1.46	55
Pend Oreille	66.67	76.19	89.29	94	84	82	0.98	12
Pierce	69.79	84.65	91.68	3,973	4,025	2,861	0.71	509
San Juan	64.52	70.97	79.57	82	93	69	0.74	14
Skagit	63.31	74.19	84.42	718	616	709	1.15	131
Skamania	62.07	67.24	81.03	58	58	49	0.84	8
Snohomish	66.36	79.07	89.76	3,416	3,368	2,434	0.72	224
Spokane	81.82	93.82	97.03	2,819	2,558	1,744	0.68	85
Stevens	66.18	74.18	86.91	273	275	199	0.72	19
Thurston	86.53	92.99	96.91	1,574	1,455	881	0.61	98
Wahkiakum	95.65	95.65	95.65	26	23	11	0.48	0
Walla Walla	59.83	72.65	82.62	390	351	328	0.93	55
Whatcom	62.43	71.52	84.36	819	748	817	1.09	154
Whitman	75.36	82.61	84.78	138	138	122	0.88	49
Yakima	62.26	70.86	83.52	1,304	1,232	1,075	0.87	162
Statewide	77.26	87.02	92.68	37,685	35,635	27,008	0.76	4,983

1 Standards adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration recommend that 90 percent of all domestic relations cases should be adjudicated within 10 months of the date of filing of the information, 98 percent within 14 months of filing, and 100 percent within 18 months. The figures under this heading reflect the actual percentages of these cases resolved within 10, 14 and 18 months.

2 UIFSA filings are included.

3 Lower numbers suggest proportionately smaller backlogs of pending cases.

4 Time-in-process figures do not include the time cases are placed in suspended status. A case is said to be in suspended status if it is out on warrant, in mediation, stayed, in arbitration, on appeal, on post-filing diversion, or has been continued for prosecution or placed on deferred prosecution.

The Superior Courts
 Probate Case Management Statistics, December 31, 2003

County/Court	-----TIME STANDARDS-----			Cases Filed ²	Total Cases Resolved	Active Cases Pending Resolution	Ratio Of Active Cases Pending To Cases Resolved ³	Cases Pending Resolution Over 36 Months ⁴
	90% 8 Months	98% 18 Months	100% 36 Months					
Adams	93.10	96.55	96.55	31	29	52	1.79	32
Asotin	98.44	98.44	100.00	62	64	2	0.03	0
Benton	99.68	99.68	99.68	319	314	28	0.09	8
Chelan	95.59	99.51	99.51	229	204	51	0.25	0
Clallam	99.33	99.33	99.67	307	300	79	0.26	49
Clark	95.92	99.58	99.86	749	711	363	0.51	177
Columbia	100.00	100.00	100.00	10	9	2	0.22	0
Cowlitz	99.54	99.54	100.00	235	218	299	1.37	257
Douglas	96.67	96.67	100.00	72	60	17	0.28	0
Ferry	100.00	100.00	100.00	14	12	4	0.33	0
Franklin	97.96	100.00	100.00	106	98	36	0.37	10
Garfield	80.00	100.00	100.00	6	5	9	1.80	0
Grant	100.00	100.00	100.00	167	142	36	0.25	5
Grays Harbor	79.33	92.00	98.67	244	150	276	1.84	35
Island	99.23	100.00	100.00	264	260	27	0.10	5
Jefferson	100.00	100.00	100.00	128	124	64	0.52	55
King	95.61	97.06	98.67	4,857	4,735	825	0.17	147
Kitsap	95.90	98.85	99.34	702	610	216	0.35	1
Kittitas	98.39	98.39	100.00	71	62	13	0.21	0
Klickitat	100.00	100.00	100.00	43	35	20	0.57	3
Lewis	97.46	97.97	99.49	234	197	186	0.94	59
Lincoln	100.00	100.00	100.00	37	34	6	0.18	0
Mason	88.82	96.71	99.34	167	152	50	0.33	3
Okanogan	97.44	98.72	98.72	89	78	139	1.78	82
Pacific	97.06	98.53	100.00	80	68	36	0.53	17
Pend Oreille	100.00	100.00	100.00	26	26	5	0.19	4
Pierce	98.55	98.96	99.45	1,500	1,449	185	0.13	69
San Juan	100.00	100.00	100.00	67	50	26	0.52	0
Skagit	98.76	99.07	99.38	329	323	29	0.09	0
Skamania	76.19	90.48	100.00	21	21	5	0.24	0
Snohomish	99.09	99.55	99.85	1,326	1,319	47	0.04	3
Spokane	98.59	99.59	99.75	1,241	1,205	79	0.07	1
Stevens	90.65	90.65	90.65	98	107	10	0.09	5
Thurston	91.86	95.02	97.74	568	442	196	0.44	8
Wahkiakum	94.74	100.00	100.00	18	19	2	0.11	0
Walla Walla	100.00	100.00	100.00	186	179	9	0.05	1
Whatcom	99.76	99.76	99.76	430	413	126	0.31	87
Whitman	95.97	96.77	97.58	123	124	25	0.20	14
Yakima	99.60	99.80	100.00	499	496	43	0.09	12
Statewide	96.92	98.31	99.22	15,655	14,844	3,623	0.24	1,149

1 Standards adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration recommend that 90 percent of all probate cases should be adjudicated within 8 months of the date of filing of the information, 98 percent within 18 months of filing, and 100 percent within 36 months. The figures under this heading reflect the actual percentages of these cases resolved within 8, 18 and 36 months.

2 This table includes only probate cases. Guardianship and mental illness cases are not included.

3 Lower numbers suggest proportionately smaller backlogs of pending cases.

4 Time-in-process figures do not include the time cases are placed in suspended status. A case is said to be in suspended status if it is out on warrant, in mediation, stayed, in arbitration, on appeal, on post-filing diversion, or has been continued for prosecution or placed on deferred prosecution.

The Superior Courts
 RALJ1 Appeals Case Management Statistics, December 31, 2003

County/Court	-----TIME STANDARDS2-----			Cases Filed	Total Cases Resolved	Active Cases Pending Resolution	Ratio Of Active Cases Pending To Cases Resolved3	Cases Pending Resolution Over 6 Months4
	90% 4 Months	98% 5 Months	100% 6 Months					
Adams	50.00	75.00	75.00	6	4	3	0.75	2
Asotin	66.67	66.67	66.67	3	3	6	2.00	5
Benton	21.05	26.32	36.84	15	19	19	1.00	11
Chelan	28.57	28.57	42.86	16	7	22	3.14	11
Clallam	0.00	0.00	0.00	7	6	19	3.17	14
Clark	27.27	30.30	36.36	56	33	85	2.58	58
Columbia	0.00	0.00	0.00	1	0	1	0.00	0
Cowlitz	13.64	13.64	18.18	42	22	68	3.09	39
Douglas	100.00	100.00	100.00	5	3	4	1.33	1
Ferry	0.00	0.00	0.00	2	0	2	0.00	0
Franklin	11.11	11.11	11.11	7	9	14	1.56	11
Garfield	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	2	3	1.50	3
Grant	0.00	0.00	0.00	11	6	28	4.67	22
Grays Harbor	23.08	30.77	34.62	32	26	31	1.19	15
Island	15.38	15.38	30.77	18	13	29	2.23	20
Jefferson	54.55	72.73	81.82	17	11	12	1.09	7
King	19.21	26.24	34.71	476	484	332	0.69	132
Kitsap	26.67	33.33	46.67	34	30	28	0.93	13
Kittitas	76.92	84.62	84.62	17	13	10	0.77	6
Klickitat	0.00	0.00	0.00	6	0	10	0.00	5
Lewis	0.00	9.09	9.09	17	11	41	3.73	33
Lincoln	0.00	0.00	0.00	3	2	5	2.50	4
Mason	0.00	0.00	5.88	11	17	12	0.71	7
Okanogan	12.50	25.00	25.00	15	8	45	5.63	35
Pacific	28.57	42.86	42.86	5	7	7	1.00	5
Pend Oreille	33.33	33.33	66.67	3	3	1	0.33	0
Pierce	14.38	17.12	23.97	153	146	260	1.78	186
San Juan	7.69	7.69	7.69	5	13	4	0.31	2
Skagit	6.25	6.25	12.50	87	16	123	7.69	45
Skamania	16.67	16.67	33.33	4	6	2	0.33	2
Snohomish	24.21	31.58	37.89	95	95	63	0.66	23
Spokane	27.27	36.36	48.05	74	77	58	0.75	29
Stevens	12.50	37.50	50.00	16	8	12	1.50	4
Thurston	14.81	18.52	37.04	38	27	47	1.74	28
Wahkiakum	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0
Walla Walla	25.00	25.00	25.00	9	4	13	3.25	7
Whatcom	25.00	25.00	25.00	41	20	440	22.00	427
Whitman	28.57	42.86	71.43	10	7	11	1.57	6
Yakima	30.95	45.24	50.00	33	42	24	0.57	8
Statewide	20.75	27.00	34.83	1,390	1,200	1,894	1.58	1,226

1 Rules for Appeal of Decision of Courts of Limited Jurisdiction.

2 Standards adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration recommend that 90 percent of all RALJ appeals cases should be adjudicated within 4 months of the date of filing of the information, 98 percent within 5 months of filing, and 100 percent within 6 months. The figures under this heading reflect the actual percentages of these cases resolved within 4, 5 and 6 months.

3 Lower numbers suggest proportionately smaller backlogs of pending cases.

4 Time-in-process figures do not include the time cases are placed in suspended status. A case is said to be in suspended status if it is out on warrant, in mediation, stayed, in arbitration, on appeal, on post-filing diversion, or has been continued for prosecution or placed on deferred prosecution.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Case Management Statistics, December 31, 2003

County/Court	-----TIME STANDARDS1-----			Cases Filed2	Total Cases Resolved	Active Cases Pending Resolution	Ratio Of Active Cases Pending To Cases Resolved3	Cases Pending Resolution Over 9 Months4
	90% 4 Months	98% 6 Months	100% 9 Months					
Adams	96.34	97.56	98.78	80	82	25	0.30	24
Asotin	79.03	87.90	92.74	125	124	55	0.44	18
Benton	86.71	92.00	95.38	1,099	1,038	363	0.35	121
Chelan	94.86	96.19	97.52	539	525	395	0.75	310
Clallam	66.76	74.34	81.63	342	343	469	1.37	371
Clark	97.92	99.07	99.61	1,281	1,296	111	0.09	8
Columbia	87.50	87.50	91.67	28	24	5	0.21	0
Cowlitz	93.33	96.04	97.48	582	555	187	0.34	96
Douglas	96.15	98.72	98.72	223	234	35	0.15	8
Ferry	91.67	100.00	100.00	32	24	12	0.50	3
Franklin	86.71	94.02	97.67	333	301	149	0.50	67
Garfield	100.00	100.00	100.00	6	2	5	2.50	5
Grant	88.42	92.66	95.37	713	777	111	0.14	38
Grays Harbor	80.21	83.99	85.37	541	581	273	0.47	197
Island	85.34	94.40	97.41	256	232	81	0.35	36
Jefferson	97.27	98.18	98.18	102	110	29	0.26	6
King	89.84	95.77	98.12	5,497	5,491	998	0.18	102
Kitsap	90.76	93.01	94.64	1,167	1,288	202	0.16	67
Kittitas	94.93	98.55	99.28	131	138	34	0.25	16
Klickitat	73.73	88.98	94.92	120	118	60	0.51	32
Lewis	96.29	98.27	99.75	458	404	254	0.63	150
Lincoln	87.76	95.92	97.96	44	49	5	0.10	1
Mason	92.31	94.74	97.17	214	247	28	0.11	1
Okanogan	92.12	94.99	96.66	482	419	149	0.36	52
Pacific	89.21	97.12	99.28	158	139	119	0.86	89
Pend Oreille	86.96	95.65	100.00	30	46	13	0.28	12
Pierce	95.06	97.97	99.12	2,985	2,955	2,927	0.99	2,474
San Juan	89.19	97.30	100.00	40	37	5	0.14	0
Skagit	84.56	91.95	96.42	543	447	933	2.09	744
Skamania	96.30	96.30	96.30	28	27	6	0.22	0
Snohomish	90.75	97.60	98.78	2,544	2,293	520	0.23	23
Spokane	81.14	90.97	98.15	1,808	1,782	384	0.22	28
Stevens	79.44	81.78	81.78	182	214	31	0.14	2
Thurston	96.34	98.67	99.45	1,292	1,283	364	0.28	190
Wahkiakum	94.44	94.44	94.44	17	18	5	0.28	4
Walla Walla	75.68	80.74	89.19	273	296	85	0.29	41
Whatcom	91.01	97.00	98.04	852	868	464	0.53	301
Whitman	88.50	90.27	92.92	97	113	19	0.17	11
Yakima	94.30	98.17	99.32	1,895	1,911	265	0.14	35
Statewide	90.28	95.09	97.32	27,139	26,831	10,175	0.38	5,683

1 Standards adopted by the Board for Judicial Administration recommend that 90 percent of all juvenile offender cases should be adjudicated within 4 months of the date of filing of the information, 98 percent within 6 months of filing, and 100 percent within 9 months. The figures under this heading reflect the actual percentages of these cases resolved within 4, 6 and 9 months.

2 Non-charge filings are included.

3 Lower numbers suggest proportionately smaller backlogs of pending cases.

4 Time-in-process figures do not include the time cases are placed in suspended status. A case is said to be in suspended status if it is out on warrant, in mediation, stayed, in arbitration, on appeal, on post-filing diversion, or has been continued for prosecution or placed on deferred prosecution.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Cases Filed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	-----Felony-----											Total Criminal
	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Appeals from Lower Courts	Non- Charge ¹	
Adams	0	7	1	19	30	5	35	25	1	1	0	124
Asotin	1	11	0	30	47	4	50	50	0	0	2	195
Columbia	0	5	0	3	2	0	8	3	1	1	0	23
Garfield	0	1	0	4	6	0	6	2	0	0	1	20
..Judicial District	1	17	0	37	55	4	64	55	1	1	3	238
Benton	3	84	13	137	345	22	397	245	4	11	8	1,269
Franklin	0	27	7	48	70	6	133	78	2	2	86	459
..Judicial District	3	111	20	185	415	28	530	323	6	13	94	1,728
Chelan	3	22	12	58	162	22	231	99	10	14	133	766
Clallam	2	30	3	80	105	12	184	73	7	1	20	517
Clark	9	155	73	300	768	22	887	364	5	31	11	2,625
Cowlitz	4	98	29	193	375	35	508	272	8	28	324	1,874
Douglas	2	18	3	19	59	7	73	44	1	3	20	249
Ferry	0	3	0	10	7	0	5	7	0	2	2	36
Pend Oreille	2	3	0	11	14	2	15	8	0	1	1	57
Stevens	6	16	4	35	66	5	75	49	0	10	22	288
..Judicial District	8	22	4	56	87	7	95	64	0	13	25	381
Grant	3	47	16	132	286	10	322	254	11	2	10	1,093
Grays Harbor	3	39	10	45	155	7	274	98	9	18	28	686
Island	1	18	4	46	84	4	66	44	6	9	18	300
San Juan	0	4	0	2	9	4	2	4	1	4	2	32
..Judicial District	1	22	4	48	93	8	68	48	7	13	20	332
Jefferson	1	12	1	17	25	0	36	27	1	10	5	135
King	80	471	488	1,400	2,162	469	3,370	1,471	91	306	7	10,315
Kitsap	8	110	29	265	426	46	448	327	2	13	68	1,742
Kittitas	2	14	0	21	94	2	139	55	11	10	65	413
Klickitat	1	16	0	36	41	2	66	40	2	1	2	207
Skamania	0	3	0	5	16	9	13	7	1	3	12	69
..Judicial District	1	19	0	41	57	11	79	47	3	4	14	276
Lewis	2	93	16	116	233	11	290	242	2	12	1	1,018
Lincoln	1	0	1	4	14	0	10	1	0	2	0	33
Mason	0	14	3	62	92	2	133	55	11	6	97	475
Okanogan	6	34	7	56	65	14	109	86	4	0	42	423
Pacific	3	9	0	33	45	6	52	25	1	1	32	207
Wahkiakum	0	2	0	3	8	1	11	3	1	0	0	29
..Judicial District	3	11	0	36	53	7	63	28	2	1	32	236
Pierce	34	320	170	874	1,433	52	2,168	1,005	11	65	32	6,164
Skagit	2	52	15	125	291	14	206	190	2	83	1	981
Snohomish	22	227	68	252	729	34	750	440	7	50	173	2,752
Spokane	21	121	162	496	966	48	1,453	726	14	41	7	4,055
Thurston	14	150	44	348	459	22	714	371	7	22	307	2,458
Walla Walla	3	26	13	58	127	9	103	76	2	2	112	531
Whatcom	6	70	47	207	412	19	450	419	7	16	53	1,706
Whitman	1	15	1	11	35	2	42	20	3	5	65	200
Yakima	14	173	69	417	749	49	624	491	13	21	249	2,869
State	260	2,520	1,309	5,978	11,012	978	14,458	7,796	259	807	2,018	47,395

1 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a criminal case as of the date the information is filed.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Original Counts Filed by Category of Offense, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Criminal
Adams	0	7	1	22	41	10	41	52	174	25	199
Asotin	1	12	0	35	100	6	72	75	301	120	421
Columbia	0	7	0	3	4	0	11	6	31	4	35
Garfield	0	2	0	4	6	0	6	7	25	13	38
..Judicial District	1	21	0	42	110	6	89	88	357	137	494
Benton	4	99	13	148	384	24	428	339	1,439	32	1,471
Franklin	0	29	7	53	80	7	181	97	454	40	494
..Judicial District	4	128	20	201	464	31	609	436	1,893	72	1,965
Chelan	5	28	12	74	297	30	399	332	1,177	267	1,444
Clallam	4	40	3	94	142	16	223	131	653	101	754
Clark	9	325	82	384	1,107	29	1,126	890	3,952	843	4,795
Cowlitz	5	152	31	316	688	53	749	653	2,647	573	3,220
Douglas	2	31	3	26	82	8	116	108	376	65	441
Ferry	0	4	0	11	9	0	7	15	46	13	59
Pend Oreille	3	3	0	13	16	6	18	9	68	11	79
Stevens	9	25	5	49	110	9	86	112	405	97	502
..Judicial District	12	32	5	73	135	15	111	136	519	121	640
Grant	5	65	17	163	394	20	510	605	1,779	684	2,463
Grays Harbor	3	44	12	54	180	10	359	159	821	27	848
Island	1	27	4	63	196	6	97	142	536	91	627
San Juan	0	8	0	2	17	4	4	6	41	8	49
..Judicial District	1	35	4	65	213	10	101	148	577	99	676
Jefferson	1	12	1	19	25	1	40	38	137	23	160
King	91	613	584	1,610	3,042	551	3,636	2,293	12,420	771	13,191
Kitsap	8	115	30	282	551	52	477	542	2,057	53	2,110
Kittitas	2	19	0	24	127	2	210	96	480	268	748
Klickitat	1	22	0	38	62	2	87	82	294	63	357
Skamania	0	3	0	5	28	10	20	25	91	23	114
..Judicial District	1	25	0	43	90	12	107	107	385	86	471
Lewis	4	179	18	204	612	23	380	667	2,087	557	2,644
Lincoln	1	0	1	6	34	0	11	4	57	0	57
Mason	0	19	3	67	121	4	180	132	526	65	591
Okanogan	7	55	16	75	137	15	216	231	752	212	964
Pacific	4	18	0	40	77	7	77	60	283	101	384
Wahkiakum	0	2	0	3	10	2	13	5	35	11	46
..Judicial District	4	20	0	43	87	9	90	65	318	112	430
Pierce	38	570	211	1,206	2,059	61	2,862	1,952	8,959	2,229	11,188
Skagit	2	80	15	167	494	24	360	493	1,635	141	1,776
Snohomish	25	262	72	269	822	36	823	611	2,920	45	2,965
Spokane	24	212	244	739	1,922	71	1,935	1,710	6,857	545	7,402
Thurston	18	264	59	513	890	28	942	932	3,646	439	4,085
Walla Walla	3	30	13	83	182	10	167	206	694	143	837
Whatcom	6	101	48	287	616	23	667	763	2,511	304	2,815
Whitman	1	15	1	11	47	2	51	36	164	22	186
Yakima	18	249	79	570	1,069	77	926	1,090	4,078	705	4,783
State	305	3,748	1,585	7,732	16,780	1,239	18,513	15,706	65,608	9,734	75,342

The Superior Courts
Criminal Case Resolutions¹, 2003

County/Court	Not Involving Trials	After Trial	Total Resolutions ¹
Adams	108	1	109
Asotin	198	1	199
Columbia	29	4	33
Garfield	19	0	19
..Judicial District	246	5	251
Benton	985	53	1,038
Franklin	437	18	455
..Judicial District	1,422	71	1,493
Chelan	617	9	626
Clallam	387	39	426
Clark	2,628	72	2,700
Cowlitz	1,696	107	1,803
Douglas	202	8	210
Ferry	40	4	44
Pend Oreille	56	2	58
Stevens	264	14	278
..Judicial District	360	20	380
Grant	968	35	1,003
Grays Harbor	567	29	596
Island	264	6	270
San Juan	30	1	31
..Judicial District	294	7	301
Jefferson	101	9	110
King	9,109	470	9,579
Kitsap	1,651	59	1,710
Kittitas	392	9	401
Klickitat	204	16	220
Skamania	69	4	73
..Judicial District	273	20	293
Lewis	920	37	957
Lincoln	35	2	37
Mason	431	52	483
Okanogan	347	11	358
Pacific	182	2	184
Wahkiakum	28	1	29
..Judicial District	210	3	213
Pierce	5,830	260	6,090
Skagit	653	29	682
Snohomish	2,417	184	2,601
Spokane	3,289	197	3,486
Thurston	2,239	107	2,346
Walla Walla	494	18	512
Whatcom	1,501	50	1,551
Whitman	206	6	212
Yakima	2,682	43	2,725
State	42,275	1,969	44,244

¹ Includes resolutions of non-charge cases.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Case Resolutions¹ Not Involving Trial, 2003

County/Court	Change of Venue	Extra-dition	Deferred Prosecution	Decision on Lower Court Appeal	Dis-missed	Guilty Plea	Other ²	Pre-Trial Total
Adams	0	0	0	1	18	89	0	108
Asotin	0	0	0	0	21	171	6	198
Columbia	0	0	0	0	13	16	0	29
Garfield	0	0	0	0	1	18	0	19
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	35	205	6	246
Benton	0	0	0	11	135	839	0	985
Franklin	0	18	0	1	24	329	65	437
..Judicial District	0	18	0	12	159	1,168	65	1,422
Chelan	0	17	0	1	106	476	17	617
Clallam	3	0	0	2	102	274	6	387
Clark	0	0	127	18	314	2,169	0	2,628
Cowlitz	0	52	7	0	312	1,102	223	1,696
Douglas	0	0	0	0	12	190	0	202
Ferry	1	0	0	0	13	26	0	40
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	1	22	32	0	56
Stevens	0	18	0	6	56	181	3	264
..Judicial District	1	19	0	7	91	239	3	360
Grant	0	2	7	1	105	853	0	968
Grays Harbor	0	19	0	14	42	491	1	567
Island	0	9	0	6	32	217	0	264
San Juan	4	0	0	4	3	19	0	30
..Judicial District	4	9	0	10	35	236	0	294
Jefferson	0	0	1	5	32	62	1	101
King	3	0	292	349	1,134	7,328	3	9,109
Kitsap	0	16	0	6	161	1,421	47	1,651
Kittitas	1	14	1	6	65	280	25	392
Klickitat	0	0	4	1	50	148	1	204
Skamania	0	10	2	2	9	46	0	69
..Judicial District	0	10	6	3	59	194	1	273
Lewis	0	0	1	7	104	808	0	920
Lincoln	0	0	1	1	4	29	0	35
Mason	0	31	0	7	55	278	60	431
Okanogan	1	0	0	0	65	245	36	347
Pacific	0	9	1	2	30	123	17	182
Wahkiakum	0	0	3	0	5	20	0	28
..Judicial District	0	9	4	2	35	143	17	210
Pierce	0	0	43	63	910	4,803	11	5,830
Skagit	0	26	6	4	131	486	0	653
Snohomish	0	122	98	41	202	1,922	32	2,417
Spokane	0	0	0	28	951	2,307	3	3,289
Thurston	1	1	138	13	282	1,500	304	2,239
Walla Walla	0	85	0	0	95	307	7	494
Whatcom	3	3	9	2	291	1,154	39	1,501
Whitman	6	11	0	0	43	97	49	206
Yakima	0	7	6	27	753	1,668	221	2,682
State	23	471	747	630	6,703	32,524	1,177	42,275

1 Includes resolutions of non-charge cases.

2 Other resolutions include dismissals/closures by clerks and uncontested resolutions.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Case Resolutions After Trial Commencement, 2003

County/Court	Dis- missed	Guilty Plea	Acquitted/ Not Guilty	Con- victed	Post- Trial Total
Adams	0	0	0	1	1
Asotin	0	0	1	0	1
Columbia	0	0	2	2	4
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	3	2	5
Benton	1	0	14	38	53
Franklin	1	1	7	9	18
..Judicial District	2	1	21	47	71
Chelan	0	0	2	7	9
Clallam	0	0	10	29	39
Clark	0	1	12	59	72
Cowlitz	0	0	18	89	107
Douglas	0	0	0	8	8
Ferry	0	0	3	1	4
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	2	2
Stevens	0	2	5	7	14
..Judicial District	0	2	8	10	20
Grant	1	2	5	27	35
Grays Harbor	1	0	2	26	29
Island	0	0	0	6	6
San Juan	0	0	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	0	0	7	7
Jefferson	0	0	4	5	9
King	7	9	54	400	470
Kitsap	0	0	8	51	59
Kittitas	0	0	0	9	9
Klickitat	1	0	1	14	16
Skamania	0	0	0	4	4
..Judicial District	1	0	1	18	20
Lewis	0	0	13	24	37
Lincoln	0	0	0	2	2
Mason	0	5	11	36	52
Okanogan	0	0	2	9	11
Pacific	0	0	0	2	2
Wahkiakum	0	0	1	0	1
..Judicial District	0	0	1	2	3
Pierce	1	2	30	227	260
Skagit	0	0	8	21	29
Snohomish	2	3	28	151	184
Spokane	8	1	24	164	197
Thurston	0	2	15	90	107
Walla Walla	0	0	2	16	18
Whatcom	3	0	2	45	50
Whitman	0	0	1	5	6
Yakima	1	0	10	32	43
State	27	28	295	1,619	1,969

The Superior Courts
Criminal Cases Resolved by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Resolution¹, 2003

County/Court	-----Felony-----								Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Appeals from Lower Courts	Non- Charge ²	Total Criminal
	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony				
Adams	0	6	0	14	23	5	26	15	19	1	0	109
Asotin	1	5	0	23	38	4	50	44	27	1	6	199
Columbia	1	3	0	3	1	0	18	5	2	0	0	33
Garfield	0	1	0	6	4	0	7	0	1	0	0	19
..Judicial District	2	9	0	32	43	4	75	49	30	1	6	251
Benton	5	76	8	68	249	13	295	199	113	8	4	1,038
Franklin	4	24	4	39	73	6	116	72	31	4	82	455
..Judicial District	9	100	12	107	322	19	411	271	144	12	86	1,493
Chelan	3	17	6	54	124	20	199	95	64	5	39	626
Clallam	1	19	2	47	81	8	159	58	32	6	13	426
Clark	8	154	31	239	706	31	857	466	185	20	3	2,700
Cowlitz	4	82	17	148	317	37	470	312	139	1	276	1,803
Douglas	2	15	0	17	37	5	65	37	29	2	1	210
Ferry	0	5	0	9	7	2	7	7	6	0	1	44
Pend Oreille	0	3	0	9	9	0	18	8	9	1	1	58
Stevens	4	16	3	24	47	4	58	38	50	5	29	278
..Judicial District	4	24	3	42	63	6	83	53	65	6	31	380
Grant	4	35	9	79	203	11	261	220	173	0	8	1,003
Grays Harbor	2	32	6	41	114	8	222	87	47	16	21	596
Island	0	11	4	22	62	5	57	44	45	5	15	270
San Juan	1	3	0	4	5	3	1	6	2	4	2	31
..Judicial District	1	14	4	26	67	8	58	50	47	9	17	301
Jefferson	1	9	0	16	20	0	28	17	12	6	1	110
King	59	351	248	983	1,747	427	3,195	1,355	858	345	11	9,579
Kitsap	13	110	22	198	387	42	424	324	120	7	63	1,710
Kittitas	3	11	1	11	66	3	111	46	75	8	66	401
Klickitat	3	16	0	27	46	1	64	44	17	0	2	220
Skamania	1	3	0	8	16	8	13	9	1	4	10	73
..Judicial District	4	19	0	35	62	9	77	53	18	4	12	293
Lewis	4	79	16	114	215	7	272	193	49	7	1	957
Lincoln	1	0	1	4	14	0	10	4	2	1	0	37
Mason	6	15	4	51	77	3	137	56	34	11	89	483
Okanogan	3	26	3	38	40	11	82	74	45	0	36	358
Pacific	0	9	1	17	27	5	36	23	38	1	27	184
Wahkiakum	0	3	0	2	4	1	12	2	5	0	0	29
..Judicial District	0	12	1	19	31	6	48	25	43	1	27	213
Pierce	36	259	95	660	1,255	73	2,026	1,098	489	84	15	6,090
Skagit	3	38	8	75	168	12	144	158	65	7	4	682
Snohomish	21	190	53	212	679	37	704	410	80	44	171	2,601
Spokane	27	95	97	411	823	54	1,111	574	253	36	5	3,486
Thurston	5	129	22	225	443	18	650	374	157	20	303	2,346
Walla Walla	1	21	10	37	83	7	111	98	45	3	96	512
Whatcom	4	54	32	143	302	28	385	350	199	13	41	1,551
Whitman	0	7	2	11	33	7	42	17	31	1	61	212
Yakima	10	151	47	281	515	71	595	519	280	27	229	2,725
State	241	2,083	752	4,370	9,060	977	13,038	7,458	3,829	704	1,732	44,244

1 Criminal case resolutions are classified into the offense reporting category that corresponds to the most serious charge resulting in a conviction or, for cases not resulting in a conviction, into the category which involved the greatest amount of resources to obtain a resolution.

2 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a criminal case as of the date the information is filed.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Counts Resolved¹ by Result Category, 2003

County/Court	Change of Venue	Deferred/Continued Prosecution	Dismissed	Guilty	Acquittal/Not Guilty	Total Final Counts Resolved
Adams	0	0	66	111	0	177
Asotin	0	0	140	237	2	379
Columbia	0	0	54	29	3	86
Garfield	0	0	9	32	0	41
..Judicial District	0	0	203	298	5	506
Benton	0	0	206	1,057	25	1,288
Franklin	0	0	49	434	11	494
..Judicial District	0	0	255	1,491	36	1,782
Chelan	0	0	473	829	5	1,307
Clallam	4	0	227	504	22	757
Clark	0	196	1,570	2,843	37	4,646
Cowlitz	0	0	1,369	1,736	33	3,138
Douglas	0	0	120	292	2	414
Ferry	1	0	27	39	6	73
Pend Oreille	0	0	34	40	1	75
Stevens	0	0	207	285	12	504
..Judicial District	1	0	268	364	19	652
Grant	0	10	553	1,564	21	2,148
Grays Harbor	0	0	151	594	11	756
Island	0	0	156	393	4	553
San Juan	3	0	7	31	0	41
..Judicial District	3	0	163	424	4	594
Jefferson	0	0	49	110	4	163
King	3	312	2,630	9,701	137	12,783
Kitsap	0	0	232	1,974	19	2,225
Kittitas	2	1	272	393	0	668
Klickitat	0	4	147	211	2	364
Skamania	0	6	14	72	1	93
..Judicial District	0	10	161	283	3	457
Lewis	0	0	604	1,873	39	2,516
Lincoln	0	0	14	49	0	63
Mason	0	0	138	504	34	676
Okanogan	3	4	355	380	4	746
Pacific	0	1	143	166	10	320
Wahkiakum	0	2	19	27	2	50
..Judicial District	0	3	162	193	12	370
Pierce	0	100	1,340	6,574	109	8,123
Skagit	0	42	423	856	13	1,334
Snohomish	0	95	242	2,726	58	3,121
Spokane	0	0	2,344	3,662	56	6,062
Thurston	69	189	993	2,300	52	3,603
Walla Walla	0	0	394	421	3	818
Whatcom	3	15	1,161	1,545	10	2,734
Whitman	9	0	59	134	4	206
Yakima	0	8	2,626	2,088	22	4,744
State	97	985	19,617	46,816	774	68,289

¹ Includes counts for only those cases in which all charges on the final information have been resolved.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Counts Resolved¹ by Category of Offense at Time of Resolution, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Criminal
Adams	0	12	0	17	35	5	30	48	147	30	177
Asotin	1	5	0	30	71	4	70	70	251	128	379
Columbia	1	3	0	5	2	0	34	18	63	23	86
Garfield	0	2	0	6	4	0	9	7	28	13	41
..Judicial District	2	10	0	41	77	4	113	95	342	164	506
Benton	6	101	8	82	281	17	317	310	1,122	166	1,288
Franklin	5	29	6	45	81	7	155	96	424	70	494
..Judicial District	11	130	14	127	362	24	472	406	1,546	236	1,782
Chelan	6	28	7	74	230	23	341	325	1,034	273	1,307
Clallam	1	25	6	69	119	10	234	148	612	145	757
Clark	9	242	41	312	1,061	36	1,085	930	3,716	930	4,646
Cowlitz	5	111	22	229	621	55	677	714	2,434	704	3,138
Douglas	3	28	1	23	52	7	110	97	321	93	414
Ferry	0	6	0	11	10	2	12	14	55	18	73
Pend Oreille	0	4	0	10	9	0	24	10	57	18	75
Stevens	6	27	4	36	99	6	70	120	368	136	504
..Judicial District	6	37	4	57	118	8	106	144	480	172	652
Grant	5	51	10	110	316	19	412	513	1,436	712	2,148
Grays Harbor	3	51	6	45	143	8	292	140	688	68	756
Island	0	28	4	31	160	7	81	117	428	125	553
San Juan	1	5	0	6	8	3	2	7	32	9	41
..Judicial District	1	33	4	37	168	10	83	124	460	134	594
Jefferson	1	11	1	26	25	1	33	23	121	42	163
King	108	516	327	1,212	2,770	506	3,452	2,135	11,026	1,757	12,783
Kitsap	14	132	25	230	519	46	454	577	1,997	228	2,225
Kittitas	3	16	2	17	96	3	175	90	402	266	668
Klickitat	4	45	0	36	79	1	78	70	313	51	364
Skamania	1	5	0	9	20	9	19	17	80	13	93
..Judicial District	5	50	0	45	99	10	97	87	393	64	457
Lewis	6	162	19	195	579	18	366	597	1,942	574	2,516
Lincoln	1	0	1	6	24	0	14	14	60	3	63
Mason	9	46	9	56	118	8	185	135	566	110	676
Okanogan	4	35	3	51	93	13	176	164	539	207	746
Pacific	0	18	1	21	53	6	50	68	217	103	320
Wahkiakum	0	3	0	2	9	2	13	4	33	17	50
..Judicial District	0	21	1	23	62	8	63	72	250	120	370
Pierce	43	412	108	808	1,552	75	2,266	1,729	6,993	1,130	8,123
Skagit	3	60	8	94	288	14	308	341	1,116	218	1,334
Snohomish	28	264	66	242	828	43	835	658	2,964	157	3,121
Spokane	31	146	145	581	1,484	87	1,567	1,342	5,383	679	6,062
Thurston	6	207	27	340	858	19	863	749	3,069	534	3,603
Walla Walla	3	26	11	61	144	11	180	227	663	155	818
Whatcom	11	94	41	217	520	31	555	765	2,234	500	2,734
Whitman	0	8	4	15	46	7	47	20	147	59	206
Yakima	13	238	68	458	896	85	850	1,226	3,834	910	4,744
State	341	3,202	981	5,818	14,303	1,194	16,441	14,635	56,915	11,374	68,289

¹ Includes counts for only those cases in which all charges on the final information have been resolved.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Case Convictions¹ by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Appeals from	
	Homicide	Crimes									Lower Courts	Total Criminal
Adams	0	4	0	14	16	5	20	12	71	19	0	90
Asotin	1	5	0	22	33	3	43	38	145	26	0	171
Columbia	1	2	0	2	1	0	10	0	16	2	0	18
Garfield	0	1	0	5	4	0	7	0	17	1	0	18
..Judicial District	2	8	0	29	38	3	60	38	178	29	0	207
Benton	5	52	7	54	214	7	255	173	767	110	0	877
Franklin	4	20	4	32	68	5	110	66	309	30	0	339
..Judicial District	9	72	11	86	282	12	365	239	1,076	140	0	1,216
Chelan	1	15	6	47	103	17	157	74	420	63	0	483
Clallam	1	7	1	36	64	7	112	46	274	29	0	303
Clark	5	124	21	219	580	27	684	384	2,044	183	0	2,227
Cowlitz	1	68	17	112	248	27	379	201	1,053	136	0	1,189
Douglas	1	15	0	17	36	5	59	36	169	28	0	197
Ferry	0	3	0	6	6	2	2	2	21	6	0	27
Pend Oreille	0	2	0	4	7	0	9	3	25	9	0	34
Stevens	2	12	1	19	34	4	45	27	144	46	0	190
..Judicial District	2	17	1	29	47	6	56	32	190	61	0	251
Grant	3	32	7	71	173	10	239	180	715	167	0	882
Grays Harbor	2	32	5	39	102	8	199	85	472	45	0	517
Island	0	11	3	18	55	4	54	34	179	43	0	222
San Juan	1	2	0	4	5	3	0	3	18	2	0	20
..Judicial District	1	13	3	22	60	7	54	37	197	45	0	242
Jefferson	1	6	0	8	11	0	20	11	57	10	0	67
King	57	301	205	871	1,561	362	2,346	1,188	6,891	846	0	7,737
Kitsap	12	96	18	176	354	37	378	282	1,353	118	0	1,471
Kittitas	3	10	1	8	58	3	99	35	217	72	0	289
Klickitat	2	14	0	17	34	0	45	34	146	16	0	162
Skamania	1	3	0	7	14	8	8	8	49	1	0	50
..Judicial District	3	17	0	24	48	8	53	42	195	17	0	212
Lewis	4	69	14	102	199	5	233	158	784	48	0	832
Lincoln	1	0	1	3	13	0	8	3	29	2	0	31
Mason	5	11	2	40	65	3	122	43	291	28	0	319
Okanogan	2	17	1	29	32	9	69	54	213	41	0	254
Pacific	0	8	1	13	17	3	30	18	90	35	0	125
Wahkiakum	0	2	0	2	3	1	7	1	16	4	0	20
..Judicial District	0	10	1	15	20	4	37	19	106	39	0	145
Pierce	31	214	85	592	1,073	61	1,737	763	4,556	464	1	5,021
Skagit	2	28	7	61	138	9	108	88	441	63	0	504
Snohomish	19	162	50	185	611	32	568	366	1,993	80	0	2,073
Spokane	26	70	91	278	592	29	774	366	2,226	246	0	2,472
Thurston	4	104	20	192	307	10	538	271	1,446	146	0	1,592
Walla Walla	1	18	4	29	60	4	93	70	279	44	0	323
Whatcom	4	45	23	112	251	23	301	244	1,003	196	0	1,199
Whitman	0	6	2	6	26	5	24	8	77	25	0	102
Yakima	8	82	29	152	384	55	437	282	1,429	271	0	1,700
State	211	1,673	626	3,604	7,552	793	10,329	5,657	30,445	3,701	1	34,147

¹ Convictions include guilty plea case resolutions before trial, as well as guilty pleas and convictions after trial commencement. Tables published prior to 1998 exclude pre-trial guilty pleas from conviction counts.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Cases Sentenced by Most Serious Charge Resulting in a Conviction, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Criminal
Adams	0	4	0	14	16	5	19	12	70	19	89
Asotin	1	4	0	22	32	3	41	37	140	26	166
Columbia	1	2	0	2	1	0	10	0	16	2	18
Garfield	0	1	0	5	4	0	7	0	17	1	18
..Judicial District	2	7	0	29	37	3	58	37	173	29	202
Benton	5	55	8	50	215	9	263	183	788	107	895
Franklin	3	21	3	31	65	5	117	65	310	34	344
..Judicial District	8	76	11	81	280	14	380	248	1,098	141	1,239
Chelan	1	14	6	47	100	17	155	74	414	61	475
Clallam	2	9	1	35	63	7	107	44	268	30	298
Clark	5	120	21	225	606	31	730	393	2,131	183	2,314
Cowlitz	1	64	18	114	251	27	387	201	1,063	140	1,203
Douglas	1	16	0	19	35	5	57	37	170	28	198
Ferry	0	2	0	5	5	2	2	2	18	7	25
Pend Oreille	0	2	0	3	8	0	11	4	28	10	38
Stevens	2	14	1	16	32	4	42	28	139	49	188
..Judicial District	2	18	1	24	45	6	55	34	185	66	251
Grant	3	27	7	69	175	11	242	178	712	166	878
Grays Harbor	2	30	8	42	108	8	208	86	492	40	532
Island	0	11	3	19	55	3	54	34	179	42	221
San Juan	1	2	0	4	3	2	0	4	16	2	18
..Judicial District	1	13	3	23	58	5	54	38	195	44	239
Jefferson	1	6	0	8	11	0	20	12	58	11	69
King	57	297	194	852	1,548	359	2,317	1,178	6,802	834	7,636
Kitsap	9	101	20	176	356	37	388	288	1,375	117	1,492
Kittitas	3	9	0	8	59	3	99	35	216	72	288
Klickitat	2	16	0	17	33	0	44	34	146	16	162
Skamania	1	4	0	7	12	8	7	8	47	1	48
..Judicial District	3	20	0	24	45	8	51	42	193	17	210
Lewis	4	68	15	99	197	5	230	161	779	49	828
Lincoln	1	0	1	3	13	0	8	4	30	2	32
Mason	7	12	3	33	61	2	109	44	271	28	299
Okanogan	2	22	1	31	36	8	71	53	224	44	268
Pacific	0	11	1	13	17	3	30	17	92	31	123
Wahkiakum	0	2	0	2	3	1	7	1	16	4	20
..Judicial District	0	13	1	15	20	4	37	18	108	35	143
Pierce	32	198	84	589	1,061	62	1,717	761	4,504	467	4,971
Skagit	1	26	7	61	133	10	107	87	432	62	494
Snohomish	17	161	60	177	650	32	592	377	2,066	75	2,141
Spokane	26	73	90	274	597	28	775	370	2,233	246	2,479
Thurston	5	110	19	192	321	10	535	277	1,469	146	1,615
Walla Walla	1	17	4	27	59	4	98	72	282	48	330
Whatcom	4	48	23	112	247	23	300	245	1,002	197	1,199
Whitman	0	5	2	5	27	5	24	8	76	26	102
Yakima	8	85	26	147	385	54	432	285	1,422	267	1,689
State	209	1,669	626	3,555	7,600	793	10,362	5,699	30,513	3,690	34,203

The Superior Courts
 Criminal Cases With a Sentence to State Institution by Most Serious Charge Resulting in a Conviction, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Criminal
Adams	0	3	0	5	3	1	5	2	19	0	19
Asotin	1	1	0	4	14	0	11	7	38	0	38
Columbia	1	2	0	1	0	0	8	0	12	0	12
Garfield	0	1	0	1	0	0	5	0	7	0	7
..Judicial District	2	4	0	6	14	0	24	7	57	0	57
Benton	5	25	6	13	62	3	75	42	231	3	234
Franklin	3	7	3	8	15	0	40	9	85	0	85
..Judicial District	8	32	9	21	77	3	115	51	316	3	319
Chelan	1	4	4	17	21	2	49	26	124	5	129
Clallam	2	1	1	13	15	0	17	9	58	0	58
Clark	5	54	17	92	212	9	170	91	650	2	652
Cowlitz	1	19	16	35	83	9	94	45	302	2	304
Douglas	1	3	0	7	9	0	15	8	43	0	43
Ferry	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	1	0	0	6	0	8	0	8
Stevens	2	5	1	2	13	1	6	4	34	0	34
..Judicial District	2	7	1	4	13	1	12	4	44	0	44
Grant	3	12	6	11	49	2	60	17	160	4	164
Grays Harbor	2	12	8	14	28	2	28	16	110	0	110
Island	0	2	3	8	17	0	10	4	44	0	44
San Juan	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	0	4
..Judicial District	1	3	3	8	18	0	10	5	48	0	48
Jefferson	1	3	0	3	3	0	3	2	15	0	15
King	56	118	134	309	380	68	712	168	1,945	11	1,956
Kitsap	9	45	15	67	94	5	115	52	402	1	403
Kittitas	3	4	0	6	10	0	18	2	43	0	43
Klickitat	2	8	0	5	3	0	7	1	26	0	26
Skamania	1	1	0	0	4	1	2	1	10	0	10
..Judicial District	3	9	0	5	7	1	9	2	36	0	36
Lewis	3	29	13	27	91	1	53	50	267	1	268
Lincoln	1	0	1	0	3	0	2	1	8	0	8
Mason	7	9	3	16	25	1	31	13	105	1	106
Okanogan	2	10	1	6	11	1	25	9	65	0	65
Pacific	0	9	1	3	4	0	6	4	27	0	27
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	9	1	3	4	0	6	4	27	0	27
Pierce	32	80	68	232	333	2	501	195	1,443	2	1,445
Skagit	1	9	6	21	45	1	39	15	137	1	138
Snohomish	17	83	41	63	218	5	145	89	661	0	661
Spokane	23	35	70	78	192	6	177	85	666	2	668
Thurston	5	29	15	68	97	3	143	66	426	1	427
Walla Walla	1	9	4	5	9	0	38	14	80	0	80
Whatcom	3	30	21	42	76	3	68	56	299	0	299
Whitman	0	2	2	0	10	0	5	2	21	0	21
Yakima	8	20	18	54	81	4	93	43	321	0	321
State	203	687	478	1,238	2,231	130	2,782	1,149	8,898	36	8,934

The Superior Courts
Criminal Cases With Non-Institutional Sentences by Most Serious Charge Resulting in a Conviction, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Criminal
Adams	0	1	0	9	13	4	14	10	51	19	70
Asotin	0	3	0	18	18	3	30	30	102	26	128
Columbia	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	4	2	6
Garfield	0	0	0	4	4	0	2	0	10	1	11
..Judicial District	0	3	0	23	23	3	34	30	116	29	145
Benton	0	30	2	37	153	6	188	141	557	104	661
Franklin	0	14	0	23	50	5	77	56	225	34	259
..Judicial District	0	44	2	60	203	11	265	197	782	138	920
Chelan	0	10	2	30	79	15	106	48	290	56	346
Clallam	0	8	0	22	48	7	90	35	210	30	240
Clark	0	66	4	133	394	22	560	302	1,481	181	1,662
Cowlitz	0	45	2	79	168	18	293	156	761	138	899
Douglas	0	13	0	12	26	5	42	29	127	28	155
Ferry	0	1	0	4	5	2	2	2	16	7	23
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	2	8	0	5	4	20	10	30
Stevens	0	9	0	14	19	3	36	24	105	49	154
..Judicial District	0	11	0	20	32	5	43	30	141	66	207
Grant	0	15	1	58	126	9	182	161	552	162	714
Grays Harbor	0	18	0	28	80	6	180	70	382	40	422
Island	0	9	0	11	38	3	44	30	135	42	177
San Juan	0	1	0	4	2	2	0	3	12	2	14
..Judicial District	0	10	0	15	40	5	44	33	147	44	191
Jefferson	0	3	0	5	8	0	17	10	43	11	54
King	1	179	60	543	1,168	291	1,605	1,010	4,857	823	5,680
Kitsap	0	56	5	109	262	32	273	236	973	116	1,089
Kittitas	0	5	0	2	49	3	81	33	173	72	245
Klickitat	0	8	0	12	30	0	37	33	120	16	136
Skamania	0	3	0	7	8	7	5	7	37	1	38
..Judicial District	0	11	0	19	38	7	42	40	157	17	174
Lewis	1	39	2	72	106	4	177	111	512	48	560
Lincoln	0	0	0	3	10	0	6	3	22	2	24
Mason	0	3	0	17	36	1	78	31	166	27	193
Okanogan	0	12	0	25	25	7	46	44	159	44	203
Pacific	0	2	0	10	13	3	24	13	65	31	96
Wahkiakum	0	2	0	2	3	1	7	1	16	4	20
..Judicial District	0	4	0	12	16	4	31	14	81	35	116
Pierce	0	118	16	357	728	60	1,216	566	3,061	465	3,526
Skagit	0	17	1	40	88	9	68	72	295	61	356
Snohomish	0	78	19	114	432	27	447	288	1,405	75	1,480
Spokane	3	38	20	196	405	22	598	285	1,567	244	1,811
Thurston	0	81	4	124	224	7	392	211	1,043	145	1,188
Walla Walla	0	8	0	22	50	4	60	58	202	48	250
Whatcom	1	18	2	70	171	20	232	189	703	197	900
Whitman	0	3	0	5	17	5	19	6	55	26	81
Yakima	0	65	8	93	304	50	339	242	1,101	267	1,368
State	6	982	148	2,317	5,369	663	7,580	4,550	21,615	3,654	25,269

The Superior Courts
Criminal Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Total Trial ¹	Total Non- Trial Hearing	Non- Charge Hearing	Total Proceeding
Adams	1	644	2	647
Asotin	1	1,546	4	1,551
Columbia	6	221	4	231
Garfield	1	98	3	102
..Judicial District	8	1,865	11	1,884
Benton	68	13,190	28	13,286
Franklin	31	1,899	365	2,295
..Judicial District	99	15,089	393	15,581
Chelan	15	5,662	141	5,818
Clallam	57	10,555	48	10,660
Clark	98	29,753	2,145	31,996
Cowlitz	131	15,406	1,676	17,213
Douglas	6	1,823	77	1,906
Ferry	4	253	6	263
Pend Oreille	2	238	2	242
Stevens	13	1,681	37	1,731
..Judicial District	19	2,172	45	2,236
Grant	43	9,081	116	9,240
Grays Harbor	61	3,521	32	3,614
Island	7	1,850	20	1,877
San Juan	1	344	7	352
..Judicial District	8	2,194	27	2,229
Jefferson	10	1,193	9	1,212
King	512	53,315	34	53,861
Kitsap	49	16,237	165	16,451
Kittitas	11	1,962	144	2,117
Klickitat	21	1,905	4	1,930
Skamania	5	516	14	535
..Judicial District	26	2,421	18	2,465
Lewis	52	9,507	10	9,569
Lincoln	2	216	1	219
Mason	53	4,061	454	4,568
Okanogan	16	2,848	339	3,203
Pacific	3	972	150	1,125
Wahkiakum	1	213	0	214
..Judicial District	4	1,185	150	1,339
Pierce	235	1,576	3	1,814
Skagit	30	8,225	11	8,266
Snohomish	221	26,998	316	27,535
Spokane	203	16,275	33	16,511
Thurston	142	15,068	1,535	16,745
Walla Walla	22	2,516	185	2,723
Whatcom	64	9,096	77	9,237
Whitman	9	1,117	104	1,230
Yakima	76	13,886	801	14,763
State	2,283	285,467	9,102	296,852

1 Includes counts for jury trials, non-jury trials, trials by affidavit, and stipulated trials.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Trial Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Jury Trial	Non-Jury Trial	Stipulated Trial	Trial By Affidavit	Total Trial
Adams	1	0	0	0	1
Asotin	1	0	0	0	1
Columbia	6	0	0	0	6
Garfield	1	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	8	0	0	0	8
Benton	56	6	6	0	68
Franklin	25	4	1	1	31
..Judicial District	81	10	7	1	99
Chelan	12	3	0	0	15
Clallam	42	14	1	0	57
Clark	92	4	2	0	98
Cowlitz	51	17	63	0	131
Douglas	4	1	1	0	6
Ferry	3	1	0	0	4
Pend Oreille	2	0	0	0	2
Stevens	10	2	1	0	13
..Judicial District	15	3	1	0	19
Grant	27	16	0	0	43
Grays Harbor	32	29	0	0	61
Island	6	0	1	0	7
San Juan	1	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	7	0	1	0	8
Jefferson	9	0	1	0	10
King	399	113	0	0	512
Kitsap	46	3	0	0	49
Kittitas	10	1	0	0	11
Klickitat	16	5	0	0	21
Skamania	4	1	0	0	5
..Judicial District	20	6	0	0	26
Lewis	36	15	1	0	52
Lincoln	2	0	0	0	2
Mason	42	3	0	8	53
Okanogan	15	1	0	0	16
Pacific	3	0	0	0	3
Wahkiakum	1	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	4	0	0	0	4
Pierce	206	10	19	0	235
Skagit	23	2	5	0	30
Snohomish	121	7	93	0	221
Spokane	128	19	56	0	203
Thurston	68	67	7	0	142
Walla Walla	22	0	0	0	22
Whatcom	35	27	2	0	64
Whitman	4	5	0	0	9
Yakima	56	5	15	0	76
State	1,618	381	275	9	2,283

The Superior Courts
Criminal Non-Trial Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Preliminary Appearance	Initial Arraignment	Other Pre-Resolution Hearing ¹	Guilty Plea Hearing ²	Sentence Hearing	Review Hearing ³	Post-Resolution Hearing	Other Hearing	Total Non-Trial Hearing
Adams	38	113	322	94	7	32	38	0	644
Asotin	225	169	384	172	37	145	414	0	1,546
Columbia	2	14	91	15	11	40	48	0	221
Garfield	8	18	20	18	0	21	13	0	98
..Judicial District	235	201	495	205	48	206	475	0	1,865
Benton	191	1,149	6,874	864	359	841	2,912	0	13,190
Franklin	21	352	478	353	157	130	408	0	1,899
..Judicial District	212	1,501	7,352	1,217	516	971	3,320	0	15,089
Chelan	584	565	2,622	487	118	766	520	0	5,662
Clallam	435	459	2,917	178	185	1,642	4,739	0	10,555
Clark	734	2,362	8,152	2,220	505	5,496	10,284	0	29,753
Cowlitz	307	1,419	8,996	1,118	420	818	2,327	1	15,406
Douglas	77	225	627	192	65	392	245	0	1,823
Ferry	3	30	147	27	7	13	26	0	253
Pend Oreille	2	52	93	32	16	22	20	1	238
Stevens	51	244	803	185	75	86	236	1	1,681
..Judicial District	56	326	1,043	244	98	121	282	2	2,172
Grant	821	937	3,527	855	309	1,206	1,413	13	9,081
Grays Harbor	610	684	798	482	453	110	384	0	3,521
Island	20	234	818	221	42	95	419	1	1,850
San Juan	14	13	116	21	11	31	138	0	344
..Judicial District	34	247	934	242	53	126	557	1	2,194
Jefferson	117	108	406	61	17	162	322	0	1,193
King	0	9,418	17,214	7,265	6,175	5,361	7,882	0	53,315
Kitsap	203	1,666	6,772	1,609	1,509	1,269	3,209	0	16,237
Kittitas	159	328	761	274	22	191	227	0	1,962
Klickitat	202	203	881	150	33	0	436	0	1,905
Skamania	45	49	99	39	18	30	236	0	516
..Judicial District	247	252	980	189	51	30	672	0	2,421
Lewis	1,570	841	2,692	818	273	823	2,490	0	9,507
Lincoln	0	33	83	27	7	47	19	0	216
Mason	39	357	1,629	280	283	33	1,440	0	4,061
Okanogan	93	375	1,386	247	64	329	354	0	2,848
Pacific	40	153	438	121	21	71	128	0	972
Wahkiakum	15	29	55	20	2	46	46	0	213
..Judicial District	55	182	493	141	23	117	174	0	1,185
Pierce	2	1	782	61	144	0	586	0	1,576
Skagit	0	756	4,634	483	131	718	1,502	1	8,225
Snohomish	0	2,478	10,518	1,940	2,178	2,990	6,894	0	26,998
Spokane	1,497	3,543	6,114	2,281	729	30	2,081	0	16,275
Thurston	28	2,049	5,707	1,558	690	889	4,147	0	15,068
Walla Walla	424	400	348	283	308	172	579	2	2,516
Whatcom	1,467	1,687	3,659	1,170	169	211	733	0	9,096
Whitman	117	87	528	76	34	96	179	0	1,117
Yakima	2,017	2,502	4,961	1,654	461	322	1,967	2	13,886
State	12,178	36,102	107,452	27,951	16,045	25,676	60,041	22	285,467

1 Other pre-resolution hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, omnibus hearings, evidentiary hearings, not guilty plea hearings, continued prosecution hearings, voir dire only hearings, dismissal hearings, RALJ hearings, warrant identification hearings, and pre-trial management hearings.
2 Guilty plea hearings include guilty plea only, guilty plea and sentencing, arraignment and guilty plea, and arraignment, guilty plea and sentencing hearings.
3 Review hearings include financial review hearings and sentence conditions violation hearings.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Trial Proceedings¹ by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Proceeding, 2003

-----Felony-----

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Appeals from Lower Courts	Total Criminal
	Homicide	Crimes									
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Columbia	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	6
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	1	1	0	1	0	1	4	0	0	0	8
Benton	1	8	0	8	19	0	20	10	1	1	68
Franklin	2	10	1	10	1	1	2	4	0	0	31
..Judicial District	3	18	1	18	20	1	22	14	1	1	99
Chelan	3	2	0	2	1	0	4	3	0	0	15
Clallam	0	5	2	11	10	1	17	9	2	0	57
Clark	6	18	5	27	12	2	13	13	1	1	98
Cowlitz	0	9	1	13	29	2	49	27	1	0	131
Douglas	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	6
Ferry	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Stevens	0	1	0	3	4	0	3	2	0	0	13
..Judicial District	0	3	0	5	4	0	4	3	0	0	19
Grant	0	4	1	3	10	0	19	6	0	0	43
Grays Harbor	5	3	3	16	17	0	9	8	0	0	61
Island	0	1	1	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	7
San Juan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	0	1	1	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	8
Jefferson	0	2	1	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	10
King	18	61	53	107	76	5	145	46	1	0	512
Kitsap	2	7	1	14	9	1	8	6	1	0	49
Kittitas	2	1	0	2	1	0	4	1	0	0	11
Klickitat	3	1	0	4	1	0	11	1	0	0	21
Skamania	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	5
..Judicial District	3	2	0	5	1	0	12	3	0	0	26
Lewis	1	5	3	14	7	0	12	10	0	0	52
Lincoln	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Mason	3	7	0	12	6	0	19	4	1	1	53
Okanogan	0	2	0	3	6	0	4	1	0	0	16
Pacific	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	4
Pierce	12	35	11	69	17	0	58	32	0	1	235
Skagit	5	8	0	6	7	0	1	3	0	0	30
Snohomish	11	65	8	16	39	1	60	20	1	0	221
Spokane	8	11	11	31	36	2	70	33	1	0	203
Thurston	3	14	2	14	21	0	66	12	1	9	142
Walla Walla	0	3	1	2	6	0	6	4	0	0	22
Whatcom	3	1	2	8	12	0	26	12	0	0	64
Whitman	0	2	0	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	9
Yakima	3	14	5	16	11	1	13	11	0	2	76
State	93	305	112	425	367	17	653	285	11	15	2,283

1 Includes jury trials, non-jury trials, trials by affidavit, and stipulated trials.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Non-Trial Proceedings by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	-----Felony-----											Total Criminal
	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Appeals from Lower Courts	Non- Charge ¹	
Adams	0	66	3	86	183	22	170	107	6	1	2	646
Asotin	3	51	7	213	346	18	393	422	92	1	4	1,550
Columbia	6	20	0	19	28	3	89	33	23	0	4	225
Garfield	0	7	0	23	20	0	39	6	3	0	3	101
..Judicial District	9	78	7	255	394	21	521	461	118	1	11	1,876
Benton	67	1,044	169	1,264	3,539	207	4,225	2,401	236	38	28	13,218
Franklin	47	163	41	272	353	26	565	393	30	9	365	2,264
..Judicial District	114	1,207	210	1,536	3,892	233	4,790	2,794	266	47	393	15,482
Chelan	41	206	111	592	1,488	158	1,972	945	133	16	141	5,803
Clallam	35	453	78	968	2,343	198	4,609	1,585	284	2	48	10,603
Clark	192	1,604	608	2,778	8,205	340	10,555	4,673	722	76	2,145	31,898
Cowlitz	87	748	250	1,784	4,084	324	5,229	2,528	372	0	1,676	17,082
Douglas	18	185	20	145	449	43	564	299	93	7	77	1,900
Ferry	5	22	0	67	67	12	32	41	5	2	6	259
Pend Oreille	3	24	0	32	65	3	68	36	7	0	2	240
Stevens	46	167	17	229	448	29	413	265	51	16	37	1,718
..Judicial District	54	213	17	328	580	44	513	342	63	18	45	2,217
Grant	76	466	168	1,117	2,212	86	2,730	1,723	503	0	116	9,197
Grays Harbor	44	203	63	297	810	44	1,403	548	82	27	32	3,553
Island	10	103	32	242	548	32	468	317	91	7	20	1,870
San Juan	6	47	2	40	113	24	61	35	7	9	7	351
..Judicial District	16	150	34	282	661	56	529	352	98	16	27	2,221
Jefferson	15	97	10	172	251	15	338	223	62	10	9	1,202
King	600	2,709	2,353	7,028	10,238	2,425	18,628	6,948	1,828	558	34	53,349
Kitsap	165	1,053	224	2,238	3,733	405	5,205	2,926	263	25	165	16,402
Kittitas	14	84	23	100	533	11	776	278	131	12	144	2,106
Klickitat	45	159	5	310	392	17	601	341	35	0	4	1,909
Skamania	10	32	0	61	140	26	152	66	25	4	14	530
..Judicial District	55	191	5	371	532	43	753	407	60	4	18	2,439
Lewis	35	844	128	1,073	2,306	110	2,747	2,145	98	21	10	9,517
Lincoln	18	7	4	19	68	4	78	17	1	0	1	217
Mason	51	175	53	553	1,005	28	1,392	654	141	9	454	4,515
Okanogan	36	280	31	427	490	78	801	573	130	2	339	3,187
Pacific	31	86	3	165	237	19	267	123	34	7	150	1,122
Wahkiakum	0	14	0	22	65	7	72	18	15	0	0	213
..Judicial District	31	100	3	187	302	26	339	141	49	7	150	1,335
Pierce	209	332	63	235	153	2	344	157	29	52	3	1,579
Skagit	91	594	129	989	2,915	142	1,726	1,515	118	6	11	8,236
Snohomish	332	1,672	602	2,112	7,342	407	9,849	4,272	277	133	316	27,314
Spokane	195	573	609	1,721	4,269	166	6,587	2,050	61	44	33	16,308
Thurston	103	917	257	1,924	3,323	141	5,962	2,135	289	17	1,535	16,603
Walla Walla	15	131	51	281	769	57	648	441	123	0	185	2,701
Whatcom	70	481	258	1,108	2,105	118	2,918	1,857	173	8	77	9,173
Whitman	5	117	8	102	286	45	340	138	74	2	104	1,221
Yakima	171	929	387	1,895	3,619	212	4,008	2,485	157	23	801	14,687
State	2,897	16,865	6,767	32,703	69,540	6,004	97,024	45,719	6,804	1,144	9,102	294,569

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The Superior Courts
Criminal Proceedings by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Proceeding, 2003

-----Felony-----												
County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Appeals from Lower Courts	Non- Charge ¹	Total Criminal
	Homicide	Crimes										
Adams	0	66	3	86	183	22	171	107	6	1	2	647
Asotin	3	51	7	213	346	19	393	422	92	1	4	1,551
Columbia	7	21	0	20	28	3	92	33	23	0	4	231
Garfield	0	7	0	23	20	0	40	6	3	0	3	102
..Judicial District	10	79	7	256	394	22	525	461	118	1	11	1,884
Benton	68	1,052	169	1,272	3,558	207	4,245	2,411	237	39	28	13,286
Franklin	49	173	42	282	354	27	567	397	30	9	365	2,295
..Judicial District	117	1,225	211	1,554	3,912	234	4,812	2,808	267	48	393	15,581
Chelan	44	208	111	594	1,489	158	1,976	948	133	16	141	5,818
Clallam	35	458	80	979	2,353	199	4,626	1,594	286	2	48	10,660
Clark	198	1,622	613	2,805	8,217	342	10,568	4,686	723	77	2,145	31,996
Cowlitz	87	757	251	1,797	4,113	326	5,278	2,555	373	0	1,676	17,213
Douglas	18	186	20	145	450	43	566	301	93	7	77	1,906
Ferry	5	23	0	69	67	12	32	42	5	2	6	263
Pend Oreille	3	25	0	32	65	3	69	36	7	0	2	242
Stevens	46	168	17	232	452	29	416	267	51	16	37	1,731
..Judicial District	54	216	17	333	584	44	517	345	63	18	45	2,236
Grant	76	470	169	1,120	2,222	86	2,749	1,729	503	0	116	9,240
Grays Harbor	49	206	66	313	827	44	1,412	556	82	27	32	3,614
Island	10	104	33	244	550	32	469	317	91	7	20	1,877
San Juan	6	47	2	40	114	24	61	35	7	9	7	352
..Judicial District	16	151	35	284	664	56	530	352	98	16	27	2,229
Jefferson	15	99	11	176	251	15	341	223	62	10	9	1,212
King	618	2,770	2,406	7,135	10,314	2,430	18,773	6,994	1,829	558	34	53,861
Kitsap	167	1,060	225	2,252	3,742	406	5,213	2,932	264	25	165	16,451
Kittitas	16	85	23	102	534	11	780	279	131	12	144	2,117
Klickitat	48	160	5	314	393	17	612	342	35	0	4	1,930
Skamania	10	33	0	62	140	26	153	68	25	4	14	535
..Judicial District	58	193	5	376	533	43	765	410	60	4	18	2,465
Lewis	36	849	131	1,087	2,313	110	2,759	2,155	98	21	10	9,569
Lincoln	19	7	4	19	69	4	78	17	1	0	1	219
Mason	54	182	53	565	1,011	28	1,411	658	142	10	454	4,568
Okanogan	36	282	31	430	496	78	805	574	130	2	339	3,203
Pacific	31	86	3	165	238	19	267	125	34	7	150	1,125
Wahkiakum	0	14	0	22	66	7	72	18	15	0	0	214
..Judicial District	31	100	3	187	304	26	339	143	49	7	150	1,339
Pierce	221	367	74	304	170	2	402	189	29	53	3	1,814
Skagit	96	602	129	995	2,922	142	1,727	1,518	118	6	11	8,266
Snohomish	343	1,737	610	2,128	7,381	408	9,909	4,292	278	133	316	27,535
Spokane	203	584	620	1,752	4,305	168	6,657	2,083	62	44	33	16,511
Thurston	106	931	259	1,938	3,344	141	6,028	2,147	290	26	1,535	16,745
Walla Walla	15	134	52	283	775	57	654	445	123	0	185	2,723
Whatcom	73	482	260	1,116	2,117	118	2,944	1,869	173	8	77	9,237
Whitman	5	119	8	106	288	45	341	138	74	2	104	1,230
Yakima	174	943	392	1,911	3,630	213	4,021	2,496	157	25	801	14,763
State	2,990	17,170	6,879	33,128	69,907	6,021	97,677	46,004	6,815	1,159	9,102	296,852

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The Superior Courts
Criminal Proceedings Continued, Canceled, and Stricken¹, 2003

-----Proceedings Continued-----

County/Court	Proceedings Continued						Total Proceedings Continued	Proceedings Canceled/ Stricken	Total Proceedings Continued/ Canceled/ Stricken
	Judicial Conflict	Calendar Conflict	Defense Requested	Prosecutor Requested	Stipulated	Unspecified			
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	1	0	2	2	4	0	9	1	10
Garfield	0	0	1	4	3	0	8	0	8
..Judicial District	1	0	3	6	7	0	17	1	18
Benton	0	3	3	3	0	4,954	4,963	25	4,988
Franklin	0	0	839	350	904	0	2,093	303	2,396
..Judicial District	0	3	842	353	904	4,954	7,056	328	7,384
Chelan	0	0	130	69	192	0	391	295	686
Clallam	0	9	170	15	362	31	587	114	701
Clark	0	0	89	205	509	334	1,137	2,568	3,705
Cowlitz	94	0	1,024	214	2,923	0	4,255	922	5,177
Douglas	1	1	207	210	94	0	513	676	1,189
Ferry	8	3	40	10	35	1	97	64	161
Pend Oreille	0	0	30	4	105	0	139	21	160
Stevens	0	2	1	0	10	0	13	45	58
..Judicial District	8	5	71	14	150	1	249	130	379
Grant	0	0	0	2	9	0	11	742	753
Grays Harbor	0	0	3	6	1,191	109	1,309	185	1,494
Island	0	0	45	56	8	1	110	83	193
San Juan	0	0	26	6	8	0	40	13	53
..Judicial District	0	0	71	62	16	1	150	96	246
Jefferson	0	101	36	39	93	0	269	1,824	2,093
King	0	0	0	166	11,745	29,547	41,458	1,904	43,362
Kitsap	0	0	0	0	92	0	92	33	125
Kittitas	0	3	86	20	294	4	407	1,726	2,133
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skamania	0	1	4	0	4	0	9	142	151
..Judicial District	0	1	4	0	4	0	9	142	151
Lewis	0	0	1	5	366	0	372	45	417
Lincoln	0	0	3	3	22	0	28	37	65
Mason	0	10	116	29	131	113	399	360	759
Okanogan	2	1	19	0	418	0	440	168	608
Pacific	0	0	4	6	1	0	11	95	106
Wahkiakum	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	15	18
..Judicial District	0	0	5	6	3	0	14	110	124
Pierce	0	1	0	0	97	2	100	15	115
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	656	656
Snohomish	0	20	3,222	1,105	2,488	583	7,418	6,270	13,688
Spokane	3	41	992	98	535	40	1,709	1,834	3,543
Thurston	0	206	607	568	2,567	4	3,952	1,562	5,514
Walla Walla	0	14	84	38	1	29	166	63	229
Whatcom	0	0	241	116	190	101	648	1,154	1,802
Whitman	0	0	3	11	18	4	36	60	96
Yakima	0	17	345	98	2,890	6	3,356	1,027	4,383
State	109	433	8,374	3,458	28,311	35,863	76,548	25,047	101,595

¹ Includes proceedings associated with non-charges.

The Superior Courts
Criminal Case Completions and Sentences, 2003

County/Court	-----Completions-----				-----Sentences-----					
	Judgment/ Order/ Decree Filed	Uncon- tested	Dismissed/ Closed Due to Litigant Inact- ivity	Total Comple- tions	Com- munity Super- vision/ Pro- bation	Jail/ Community Super- vision/ Probation	Jail Only	State Insti- tution	Other	Total Sentences
Adams	108	0	0	108	0	26	43	19	1	89
Asotin	188	6	0	194	3	82	14	38	29	166
Columbia	34	0	0	34	0	4	2	12	0	18
Garfield	19	0	0	19	2	4	2	7	3	18
..Judicial District	241	6	0	247	5	90	18	57	32	202
Benton	1,040	4	0	1,044	0	514	147	234	0	895
Franklin	386	77	0	463	1	203	53	85	2	344
..Judicial District	1,426	81	0	1,507	1	717	200	319	2	1,239
Chelan	606	17	0	623	3	300	14	129	29	475
Clallam	416	0	3	419	3	166	55	58	16	298
Clark	2,661	0	0	2,661	0	113	1,437	652	112	2,314
Cowlitz	1,603	223	0	1,826	0	812	79	304	8	1,203
Douglas	214	0	0	214	7	86	34	43	28	198
Ferry	42	0	0	42	3	16	4	2	0	25
Pend Oreille	64	0	0	64	1	26	2	8	1	38
Stevens	287	0	0	287	3	135	16	34	0	188
..Judicial District	393	0	0	393	7	177	22	44	1	251
Grant	1,024	0	1	1,025	9	441	232	164	32	878
Grays Harbor	606	1	0	607	10	177	203	110	32	532
Island	271	0	0	271	1	129	38	44	9	221
San Juan	29	0	0	29	2	9	1	4	2	18
..Judicial District	300	0	0	300	3	138	39	48	11	239
Jefferson	111	0	0	111	10	35	2	15	7	69
King	9,376	0	0	9,376	231	4,228	891	1,956	330	7,636
Kitsap	1,683	59	0	1,742	8	1,032	43	403	6	1,492
Kittitas	388	4	24	416	0	162	82	43	1	288
Klickitat	219	1	0	220	1	123	12	26	0	162
Skamania	81	0	0	81	2	25	7	10	4	48
..Judicial District	300	1	0	301	3	148	19	36	4	210
Lewis	977	0	0	977	0	9	542	268	9	828
Lincoln	37	0	0	37	0	21	1	8	2	32
Mason	405	59	0	464	1	179	12	106	1	299
Okanogan	339	23	0	362	0	116	19	65	68	268
Pacific	165	17	0	182	1	54	23	27	18	123
Wahkiakum	27	0	0	27	0	2	2	0	16	20
..Judicial District	192	17	0	209	1	56	25	27	34	143
Pierce	6,020	10	0	6,030	58	2,967	383	1,445	118	4,971
Skagit	672	0	0	672	2	185	162	138	7	494
Snohomish	2,538	62	3	2,603	12	1,257	190	661	21	2,141
Spokane	3,681	0	0	3,681	56	1,547	158	668	50	2,479
Thurston	2,046	301	0	2,347	0	1,047	129	427	12	1,615
Walla Walla	519	3	0	522	11	194	14	80	31	330
Whatcom	1,588	44	0	1,632	3	579	312	299	6	1,199
Whitman	168	45	0	213	5	65	8	21	3	102
Yakima	2,516	195	0	2,711	1	1,044	316	321	7	1,689
State	43,154	1,151	31	44,336	450	18,114	5,684	8,934	1,021	34,203

1 Includes completions of non-charge cases.

The Superior Courts
Civil Cases Filed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Tort	Com- mercial	Mere- tricious Relation- ship	Property Rights	Civil Harass- ment	Domestic Violence	Adminis- trative Law Review	Other Petition/ Com- plaint	Appeals from Lower Courts	Other Matters Filed	Total Civil Filings
Adams	23	58	1	19	5	56	2	18	5	172	359
Asotin	17	45	2	64	4	79	6	21	3	128	369
Columbia	3	9	0	8	0	20	0	3	0	36	79
Garfield	5	4	0	0	17	9	0	3	0	13	51
..Judicial District	25	58	2	72	21	108	6	27	3	177	499
Benton	209	439	1	430	133	420	30	106	4	1,052	2,824
Franklin	70	140	0	125	14	114	10	47	5	447	972
..Judicial District	279	579	1	555	147	534	40	153	9	1,499	3,796
Chelan	98	224	0	170	22	245	11	115	2	557	1,444
Clallam	67	155	2	144	10	261	19	78	6	392	1,134
Clark	441	1,374	7	1,762	0	935	41	419	25	2,627	7,631
Cowlitz	105	357	3	528	16	417	19	96	14	922	2,477
Douglas	30	68	0	72	1	38	3	25	2	175	414
Ferry	2	9	0	8	6	26	3	15	0	29	98
Pend Oreille	4	23	0	26	22	67	4	21	2	85	254
Stevens	32	101	3	70	15	62	10	40	6	312	651
..Judicial District	38	133	3	104	43	155	17	76	8	426	1,003
Grant	90	246	2	187	25	278	13	91	9	741	1,682
Grays Harbor	81	249	3	388	14	296	11	80	14	796	1,932
Island	43	183	2	114	82	171	6	43	9	287	940
San Juan	9	23	0	23	10	27	2	15	1	80	190
..Judicial District	52	206	2	137	92	198	8	58	10	367	1,130
Jefferson	32	68	2	70	4	51	3	20	7	165	422
King	5,050	8,765	28	7,055	1,732	2,399	473	1,773	170	12,782	40,227
Kitsap	327	808	4	813	99	687	39	229	21	258	3,285
Kittitas	33	88	0	124	41	84	20	113	7	309	819
Klickitat	12	65	0	37	12	72	5	25	5	165	398
Skamania	6	21	0	19	1	31	5	16	1	61	161
..Judicial District	18	86	0	56	13	103	10	41	6	226	559
Lewis	77	185	4	246	15	493	12	120	5	610	1,767
Lincoln	7	20	0	14	13	30	2	20	1	55	162
Mason	47	139	0	195	34	180	15	79	5	452	1,146
Okanogan	17	95	0	58	34	78	14	75	15	312	698
Pacific	19	63	0	51	13	81	6	19	4	245	501
Wahkiakum	3	21	0	9	0	15	1	4	0	29	82
..Judicial District	22	84	0	60	13	96	7	23	4	274	583
Pierce	1,644	3,758	10	3,518	1	3,576	184	970	88	962	14,711
Skagit	171	356	5	285	23	316	61	126	4	712	2,059
Snohomish	1,303	2,911	23	2,701	287	1,404	120	427	45	4,718	13,939
Spokane	915	1,095	12	1,864	156	675	87	433	33	3,247	8,517
Thurston	352	882	6	587	260	672	154	347	16	3,583	6,859
Walla Walla	31	127	0	100	29	218	6	169	7	308	995
Whatcom	238	506	5	496	21	277	50	149	25	1,191	2,958
Whitman	28	56	0	34	9	21	9	19	5	95	276
Yakima	341	672	0	709	59	715	37	101	12	1,814	4,460
State	11,982	24,408	125	23,123	3,239	15,596	1,493	6,470	583	40,924	127,943

The Superior Courts
Civil Case Resolutions¹, 2003

County/Court	Non-Trial Total	Trial Total	Total Resolutions
Adams	327	2	329
Asotin	344	9	353
Columbia	73	1	74
Garfield	45	0	45
..Judicial District	462	10	472
Benton	2,615	20	2,635
Franklin	952	4	956
..Judicial District	3,567	24	3,591
Chelan	1,176	128	1,304
Clallam	1,029	11	1,040
Clark	6,882	33	6,915
Cowlitz	2,375	20	2,395
Douglas	407	8	415
Ferry	89	0	89
Pend Oreille	248	1	249
Stevens	635	15	650
..Judicial District	972	16	988
Grant	1,418	7	1,425
Grays Harbor	1,558	190	1,748
Island	871	10	881
San Juan	157	22	179
..Judicial District	1,028	32	1,060
Jefferson	380	6	386
King	39,725	358	40,083
Kitsap	3,024	28	3,052
Kittitas	728	24	752
Klickitat	349	3	352
Skamania	149	4	153
..Judicial District	498	7	505
Lewis	1,592	1	1,593
Lincoln	140	2	142
Mason	996	11	1,007
Okanogan	572	0	572
Pacific	471	2	473
Wahkiakum	76	2	78
..Judicial District	547	4	551
Pierce	12,709	106	12,815
Skagit	1,831	12	1,843
Snohomish	13,560	113	13,673
Spokane	8,375	94	8,469
Thurston	6,724	40	6,764
Walla Walla	962	11	973
Whatcom	2,623	33	2,656
Whitman	304	14	318
Yakima	4,414	22	4,436
State	120,905	1,367	122,272

¹ Includes counts on "matters filed with the clerk."

The Superior Courts
Civil Case Resolutions Not Involving Trial, 2003

County/Court	Uncon- tested/ Resolved When Filed ²	Dis- missed by Clerk	Change of Venue	Decision on Appeal/ Review	Dis- missed	Settled/ Agreed Judg- ment	Settled by Arbitra- tion	Default/ Summary Judg- ment	Closed by Court After Hearing	Non- Trial Total
Adams	236	8	2	4	34	6	0	37	0	327
Asotin	239	21	0	2	56	6	0	20	0	344
Columbia	56	0	1	0	9	0	0	7	0	73
Garfield	11	1	0	1	13	1	0	2	16	45
..Judicial District	306	22	1	3	78	7	0	29	16	462
Benton	1,484	0	4	16	580	61	5	360	105	2,615
Franklin	526	45	3	5	172	6	5	123	67	952
..Judicial District	2,010	45	7	21	752	67	10	483	172	3,567
Chelan	663	2	4	3	300	38	8	158	0	1,176
Clallam	565	56	2	2	183	73	0	121	27	1,029
Clark	3,046	26	11	0	741	44	27	1,440	1,547	6,882
Cowlitz	1,164	65	2	23	126	102	0	306	587	2,375
Douglas	194	51	2	1	65	0	1	50	43	407
Ferry	41	3	0	0	21	2	0	7	15	89
Pend Oreille	124	15	1	2	55	22	0	29	0	248
Stevens	324	69	3	4	77	19	0	89	50	635
..Judicial District	489	87	4	6	153	43	0	125	65	972
Grant	749	106	1	0	288	18	7	150	99	1,418
Grays Harbor	913	99	4	5	247	30	6	211	43	1,558
Island	303	4	0	5	221	26	0	156	156	871
San Juan	95	18	0	0	30	6	0	7	1	157
..Judicial District	398	22	0	5	251	32	0	163	157	1,028
Jefferson	183	24	3	4	63	18	0	53	32	380
King	14,627	745	185	375	4,755	5,905	711	8,266	4,156	39,725
Kitsap	787	126	18	16	768	188	49	884	188	3,024
Kittitas	433	10	6	4	149	15	0	80	31	728
Klickitat	255	32	0	0	19	5	0	34	4	349
Skamania	70	16	2	2	23	2	1	13	20	149
..Judicial District	325	48	2	2	42	7	1	47	24	498
Lewis	1,006	116	1	3	357	3	0	105	1	1,592
Lincoln	82	0	0	3	17	0	0	13	25	140
Mason	464	61	0	6	156	77	12	131	89	996
Okanogan	439	0	1	0	52	25	5	50	0	572
Pacific	265	35	1	7	57	4	0	66	36	471
Wahkiakum	53	1	1	0	9	1	0	11	0	76
..Judicial District	318	36	2	7	66	5	0	77	36	547
Pierce	5,587	0	112	65	2,241	617	117	3,539	431	12,709
Skagit	856	132	5	7	346	41	17	296	131	1,831
Snohomish	5,431	752	77	60	1,677	1,402	203	3,303	655	13,560
Spokane	3,698	75	58	99	1,308	918	38	1,292	889	8,375
Thurston	3,822	6	62	78	684	438	83	762	789	6,724
Walla Walla	705	45	0	1	80	6	0	125	0	962
Whatcom	1,264	224	3	5	316	70	35	467	239	2,623
Whitman	127	48	3	6	68	1	0	50	1	304
Yakima	2,336	314	13	15	709	68	66	681	212	4,414
State	53,223	3,351	591	829	17,072	10,264	1,396	23,494	10,685	120,905

1 Includes counts on "matters filed with the clerk."

2 Includes both uncontested resolutions and cases that were resolved when filed.

The Superior Courts
Civil Case Resolutions After Trial Commencement 2003

County/Court	Dis- missed/ Settled	Court Deci- sion	Jury Ver- dict	Trial Total
Adams	0	1	1	2
Asotin	0	7	2	9
Columbia	1	0	0	1
Garfield	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	1	7	2	10
Benton	1	10	9	20
Franklin	1	2	1	4
..Judicial District	2	12	10	24
Chelan	0	123	5	128
Clallam	0	8	3	11
Clark	0	18	15	33
Cowlitz	0	9	11	20
Douglas	0	4	4	8
Ferry	0	0	0	0
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	1
Stevens	0	15	0	15
..Judicial District	0	16	0	16
Grant	1	3	3	7
Grays Harbor	0	181	9	190
Island	0	6	4	10
San Juan	5	17	0	22
..Judicial District	5	23	4	32
Jefferson	0	3	3	6
King	7	198	153	358
Kitsap	0	11	17	28
Kittitas	0	23	1	24
Klickitat	1	2	0	3
Skamania	2	2	0	4
..Judicial District	3	4	0	7
Lewis	0	0	1	1
Lincoln	0	2	0	2
Mason	1	6	4	11
Okanogan	0	0	0	0
Pacific	0	2	0	2
Wahkiakum	0	1	1	2
..Judicial District	0	3	1	4
Pierce	8	60	38	106
Skagit	1	6	5	12
Snohomish	5	67	41	113
Spokane	3	42	49	94
Thurston	0	25	15	40
Walla Walla	0	7	4	11
Whatcom	0	22	11	33
Whitman	1	11	2	14
Yakima	0	10	12	22
State	38	905	424	1,367

The Superior Courts
Civil Cases Resolved by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Tort	Commercial	Mere- tricious Relation- ship	Property Rights	Civil Harass- ment	Domestic Violence	Adminis- trative Law Review	Other Petitions/ Complaints	Appeals from Lower Courts	Other Matters Filed	Total Civil Resolu- tions
Adams	18	53	1	11	4	57	3	6	3	173	329
Asotin	12	38	0	73	3	78	4	15	2	128	353
Columbia	2	7	0	7	0	19	0	2	0	37	74
Garfield	1	4	0	1	17	8	0	1	2	11	45
..Judicial District	15	49	0	81	20	105	4	18	4	176	472
Benton	202	430	1	277	133	423	17	88	11	1,053	2,635
Franklin	72	134	1	116	13	122	10	41	5	442	956
..Judicial District	274	564	2	393	146	545	27	129	16	1,495	3,591
Chelan	111	177	0	143	19	206	10	83	2	553	1,304
Clallam	68	155	2	94	10	257	18	44	0	392	1,040
Clark	343	1,145	3	1,564	1	905	20	293	13	2,628	6,915
Cowlitz	126	324	4	477	16	424	9	72	21	922	2,395
Douglas	37	67	1	73	1	32	3	26	1	174	415
Ferry	1	9	0	5	5	24	2	14	0	29	89
Pend Oreille	5	21	0	25	24	62	5	21	2	84	249
Stevens	21	110	2	86	14	56	10	36	3	312	650
..Judicial District	27	140	2	116	43	142	17	71	5	425	988
Grant	83	202	2	138	16	191	18	39	6	730	1,425
Grays Harbor	91	215	3	276	10	281	20	49	10	793	1,748
Island	53	161	0	80	86	173	5	29	8	286	881
San Juan	9	18	2	20	9	15	0	18	9	79	179
..Judicial District	62	179	2	100	95	188	5	47	17	365	1,060
Jefferson	26	62	2	50	3	42	2	29	5	165	386
King	5,075	8,779	26	7,175	1,757	2,465	423	1,471	139	12,773	40,083
Kitsap	303	730	0	735	97	668	54	184	23	258	3,052
Kittitas	30	96	0	67	37	79	31	97	5	310	752
Klickitat	9	61	1	22	11	54	5	24	0	165	352
Skamania	12	15	0	24	1	28	2	9	2	60	153
..Judicial District	21	76	1	46	12	82	7	33	2	225	505
Lewis	73	164	4	179	14	428	12	106	4	609	1,593
Lincoln	3	18	0	5	13	30	5	12	1	55	142
Mason	34	114	1	138	36	172	12	45	6	449	1,007
Okanogan	13	61	0	18	32	77	7	52	8	304	572
Pacific	22	59	1	46	4	58	5	27	6	245	473
Wahkiakum	4	19	0	10	0	15	0	1	0	29	78
..Judicial District	26	78	1	56	4	73	5	28	6	274	551
Pierce	1,559	3,633	4	3,054	1	2,667	158	716	62	961	12,815
Skagit	142	303	5	232	21	302	32	86	9	711	1,843
Snohomish	1,202	2,835	17	2,646	283	1,434	128	363	51	4,714	13,673
Spokane	954	1,083	14	1,807	159	682	93	399	41	3,237	8,469
Thurston	333	889	2	563	254	659	148	326	7	3,583	6,764
Walla Walla	34	108	0	109	30	218	6	159	1	308	973
Whatcom	239	457	6	386	21	252	17	80	7	1,191	2,656
Whitman	24	76	1	40	10	26	7	33	6	95	318
Yakima	313	671	0	713	58	719	46	89	15	1,812	4,436
State	11,659	23,503	106	21,485	3,223	14,408	1,347	5,185	496	40,860	122,272

The Superior Courts
Civil Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Jury Trial	Non-Jury Trial	Trial by Affidavit	Total Trial	Trial Settlement Hearing	Pre-Resolution Motion/Conference	Uncontested Resolution Hearing	Post-Resolution Motion Hearing	RALJ Hearing	Total Non-Trial Hearing	Total Other Matter Hearing ²	Total Hearing
Adams	3	3	0	6	0	62	11	72	0	145	2	153
Asotin	3	9	0	12	23	207	51	27	0	308	1	321
Columbia	0	1	0	1	0	34	0	8	0	42	0	43
Garfield	0	2	0	2	0	30	1	7	0	38	0	40
..Judicial District	3	12	0	15	23	271	52	42	0	388	1	404
Benton	8	19	0	27	0	1,276	0	171	1	1,448	80	1,555
Franklin	1	6	0	7	0	218	96	47	1	362	19	388
..Judicial District	9	25	0	34	0	1,494	96	218	2	1,810	99	1,943
Chelan	5	146	0	151	14	577	1	100	0	692	13	856
Clallam	4	19	0	23	3	1,027	0	261	0	1,291	26	1,340
Clark	27	30	0	57	0	2,416	0	330	0	2,746	16	2,819
Cowlitz	18	23	0	41	3	1,285	54	475	2	1,819	30	1,890
Douglas	5	5	0	10	0	137	0	15	0	152	1	163
Ferry	0	0	0	0	0	44	0	4	0	48	0	48
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	1	0	101	9	13	1	124	0	125
Stevens	0	7	0	7	0	214	2	31	2	249	9	265
..Judicial District	0	8	0	8	0	359	11	48	3	421	9	438
Grant	7	11	0	18	0	685	0	87	0	772	12	802
Grays Harbor	12	48	0	60	0	634	0	105	0	739	76	875
Island	4	52	0	56	0	505	49	73	1	628	2	686
San Juan	0	13	0	13	0	120	0	24	0	144	2	159
..Judicial District	4	65	0	69	0	625	49	97	1	772	4	845
Jefferson	5	11	0	16	0	198	0	32	0	230	3	249
King	179	237	0	416	7	10,151	0	2,792	281	13,231	171	13,818
Kitsap	30	24	0	54	46	2,034	0	334	4	2,418	15	2,487
Kittitas	2	17	0	19	2	316	0	87	0	405	11	435
Klickitat	1	0	0	1	0	202	0	37	0	239	0	240
Skamania	0	3	0	3	1	101	2	35	0	139	0	142
..Judicial District	1	3	0	4	1	303	2	72	0	378	0	382
Lewis	6	10	0	16	3	1,257	0	145	0	1,405	50	1,471
Lincoln	0	1	0	1	0	59	0	44	0	103	0	104
Mason	6	11	0	17	0	698	0	112	1	811	69	897
Okanogan	0	3	0	3	0	169	0	148	0	317	5	325
Pacific	0	11	0	11	0	221	1	53	0	275	11	297
Wahkiakum	1	1	0	2	0	55	3	29	0	87	1	90
..Judicial District	1	12	0	13	0	276	4	82	0	362	12	387
Pierce	53	79	0	132	234	3,453	23	849	3	4,562	122	4,816
Skagit	8	19	0	27	0	1,114	0	111	8	1,233	8	1,268
Snohomish	42	79	0	121	4	4,847	1	893	55	5,800	75	5,996
Spokane	53	82	0	135	6	3,413	703	488	22	4,632	12	4,779
Thurston	19	101	0	120	4	2,927	311	821	0	4,063	37	4,220
Walla Walla	4	6	0	10	251	159	1	126	0	537	2	549
Whatcom	13	30	0	43	0	977	0	175	0	1,152	17	1,212
Whitman	2	7	0	9	0	134	0	12	0	146	0	155
Yakima	13	25	0	38	3	1,889	0	341	1	2,234	16	2,288
State	534	1,152	0	1,686	604	43,946	1,319	9,514	383	55,766	914	58,366

1 Includes status conferences, summary judgment, pre-trial management, and voir dire only hearings.

2 Includes all non-trial proceedings associated with civil "matters filed with clerk."

The Superior Courts
Civil Trials¹ by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Tort	Commercial	Mere- tricious Relation- ship	Property Rights	Civil Harass- ment	Domestic Violence	Adminis- trative Law Review	Other Petitions/ Complaints	Appeals from Lower Courts	Total Civil Trials
Adams	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	6
Asotin	2	1	0	3	0	2	2	2	0	12
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Garfield	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
..Judicial District	2	1	0	3	1	2	2	3	1	15
Benton	11	2	1	7	0	0	5	1	0	27
Franklin	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	7
..Judicial District	12	3	2	9	0	0	6	1	1	34
Chelan	4	5	0	19	9	106	1	7	0	151
Clallam	1	4	1	5	0	0	6	5	1	23
Clark	22	5	1	12	0	0	8	6	3	57
Cowlitz	17	10	1	11	0	0	0	2	0	41
Douglas	4	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	10
Ferry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Stevens	0	3	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	7
..Judicial District	0	3	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	8
Grant	9	4	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	18
Grays Harbor	10	4	1	26	1	0	4	12	2	60
Island	3	2	0	5	17	26	2	0	1	56
San Juan	2	3	0	2	2	4	0	0	0	13
..Judicial District	5	5	0	7	19	30	2	0	1	69
Jefferson	3	2	1	6	0	0	1	3	0	16
King	153	84	4	62	3	0	81	27	2	416
Kitsap	19	4	0	8	0	0	19	2	2	54
Kittitas	0	4	0	9	0	0	2	4	0	19
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Skamania	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
..Judicial District	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	4
Lewis	4	1	1	5	0	0	1	4	0	16
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Mason	3	1	0	4	0	0	8	1	0	17
Okanogan	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	3
Pacific	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	4	2	11
Wahkiakum	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
..Judicial District	1	2	0	4	0	0	0	4	2	13
Pierce	43	29	1	23	0	0	14	17	5	132
Skagit	6	7	1	8	0	0	2	3	0	27
Snohomish	36	34	6	15	0	0	19	11	0	121
Spokane	59	5	6	12	0	0	39	11	3	135
Thurston	15	5	0	22	1	0	66	9	2	120
Walla Walla	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	4	0	10
Whatcom	12	8	2	13	0	0	1	6	1	43
Whitman	1	3	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	9
Yakima	8	11	0	7	0	0	7	2	3	38
State	454	245	28	308	34	138	298	148	33	1,686

¹ Includes jury trials, non-jury trials, and trials by affidavit.

The Superior Courts
Civil Non-Trial Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Tort	Commercial	Mere- Relation- ship	Property Rights	Civil Harass- ment	Domestic Violence	Adminis- trative Law Review	Other Petitions/ Complaints	Appeals from Lower Courts	Other Matters Filed	Total Non- Trial Pro- ceedings
Adams	16	19	0	11	3	72	1	22	1	2	147
Asotin	24	44	8	96	6	99	5	26	0	1	309
Columbia	2	0	0	6	0	27	0	7	0	0	42
Garfield	6	1	0	0	22	6	0	3	0	0	38
..Judicial District	32	45	8	102	28	132	5	36	0	1	389
Benton	147	211	6	212	167	593	12	83	17	80	1,528
Franklin	40	59	3	63	15	140	8	32	2	19	381
..Judicial District	187	270	9	275	182	733	20	115	19	99	1,909
Chelan	67	111	0	159	18	164	13	158	2	13	705
Clallam	105	122	13	282	18	580	43	116	12	26	1,317
Clark	219	484	8	779	1	919	24	294	18	16	2,762
Cowlitz	161	226	6	487	23	687	18	186	25	30	1,849
Douglas	23	27	1	49	1	29	5	15	2	1	153
Ferry	1	1	0	3	2	29	7	5	0	0	48
Pend Oreille	2	9	0	11	25	59	4	13	1	0	124
Stevens	17	26	3	62	13	80	10	36	2	9	258
..Judicial District	20	36	3	76	40	168	21	54	3	9	430
Grant	73	128	4	130	28	290	12	97	10	12	784
Grays Harbor	72	71	2	294	24	165	21	80	10	76	815
Island	43	67	3	69	93	258	6	79	10	2	630
San Juan	13	21	1	33	14	35	3	20	4	2	146
..Judicial District	56	88	4	102	107	293	9	99	14	4	776
Jefferson	24	36	2	55	5	68	0	29	11	3	233
King	1,174	1,911	26	3,146	2,303	2,881	543	1,078	169	171	13,402
Kitsap	260	283	7	395	141	1,015	29	244	44	15	2,433
Kittitas	29	54	0	114	39	81	37	45	6	11	416
Klickitat	12	32	1	34	14	125	5	16	0	0	239
Skamania	2	13	0	35	1	70	6	11	1	0	139
..Judicial District	14	45	1	69	15	195	11	27	1	0	378
Lewis	47	30	7	117	29	1,080	11	83	1	50	1,455
Lincoln	6	12	0	8	12	48	6	9	2	0	103
Mason	69	56	2	204	44	287	18	125	6	69	880
Okanogan	15	45	0	42	39	106	8	54	8	5	322
Pacific	18	24	3	53	16	119	14	25	3	11	286
Wahkiakum	6	20	0	21	0	38	0	2	0	1	88
..Judicial District	24	44	3	74	16	157	14	27	3	12	374
Pierce	945	1,174	7	1,500	0	20	125	738	53	122	4,684
Skagit	106	146	15	145	32	597	59	129	4	8	1,241
Snohomish	621	1,049	39	854	402	2,274	83	412	66	75	5,875
Spokane	1,745	449	28	1,216	117	560	106	356	55	12	4,644
Thurston	318	437	6	427	579	1,743	116	429	8	37	4,100
Walla Walla	22	36	0	96	37	258	9	78	1	2	539
Whatcom	148	182	7	248	32	339	32	148	16	17	1,169
Whitman	14	34	0	29	12	19	5	25	8	0	146
Yakima	236	280	0	446	68	1,059	33	92	20	16	2,250
State	6,848	7,930	208	11,931	4,395	17,019	1,437	5,400	598	914	56,680

The Superior Courts
Civil Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Tort	Commercial	Mere- tricious Relation- ship	Property Rights	Civil Harass- ment	Domestic Violence	Adminis- trative Law Review	Other Petitions/ Complaints	Appeals from Lower Courts	Other Matters Filed	Total Pro- ceedings
Adams	19	19	0	11	3	72	2	22	3	2	153
Asotin	26	45	8	99	6	101	7	28	0	1	321
Columbia	2	0	0	6	0	27	0	8	0	0	43
Garfield	6	1	0	0	23	6	0	3	1	0	40
..Judicial District	34	46	8	105	29	134	7	39	1	1	404
Benton	158	213	7	219	167	593	17	84	17	80	1,555
Franklin	41	60	4	65	15	140	9	32	3	19	388
..Judicial District	199	273	11	284	182	733	26	116	20	99	1,943
Chelan	71	116	0	178	27	270	14	165	2	13	856
Clallam	106	126	14	287	18	580	49	121	13	26	1,340
Clark	241	489	9	791	1	919	32	300	21	16	2,819
Cowlitz	178	236	7	498	23	687	18	188	25	30	1,890
Douglas	27	28	1	53	1	29	5	15	3	1	163
Ferry	1	1	0	3	2	29	7	5	0	0	48
Pend Oreille	2	9	0	12	25	59	4	13	1	0	125
Stevens	17	29	3	63	13	80	12	37	2	9	265
..Judicial District	20	39	3	78	40	168	23	55	3	9	438
Grant	82	132	4	132	28	290	15	97	10	12	802
Grays Harbor	82	75	3	320	25	165	25	92	12	76	875
Island	46	69	3	74	110	284	8	79	11	2	686
San Juan	15	24	1	35	16	39	3	20	4	2	159
..Judicial District	61	93	4	109	126	323	11	99	15	4	845
Jefferson	27	38	3	61	5	68	1	32	11	3	249
King	1,327	1,995	30	3,208	2,306	2,881	624	1,105	171	171	13,818
Kitsap	279	287	7	403	141	1,015	48	246	46	15	2,487
Kittitas	29	58	0	123	39	81	39	49	6	11	435
Klickitat	12	32	1	34	14	125	6	16	0	0	240
Skamania	2	13	0	38	1	70	6	11	1	0	142
..Judicial District	14	45	1	72	15	195	12	27	1	0	382
Lewis	51	31	8	122	29	1,080	12	87	1	50	1,471
Lincoln	6	12	0	8	12	48	6	10	2	0	104
Mason	72	57	2	208	44	287	26	126	6	69	897
Okanogan	15	45	0	43	39	106	8	55	9	5	325
Pacific	18	26	3	56	16	119	14	29	5	11	297
Wahkiakum	7	20	0	22	0	38	0	2	0	1	90
..Judicial District	25	46	3	78	16	157	14	31	5	12	387
Pierce	988	1,203	8	1,523	0	20	139	755	58	122	4,816
Skagit	112	153	16	153	32	597	61	132	4	8	1,268
Snohomish	657	1,083	45	869	402	2,274	102	423	66	75	5,996
Spokane	1,804	454	34	1,228	117	560	145	367	58	12	4,779
Thurston	333	442	6	449	580	1,743	182	438	10	37	4,220
Walla Walla	24	36	0	99	37	258	10	82	1	2	549
Whatcom	160	190	9	261	32	339	33	154	17	17	1,212
Whitman	15	37	0	32	12	19	6	26	8	0	155
Yakima	244	291	0	453	68	1,059	40	94	23	16	2,288
State	7,302	8,175	236	12,239	4,429	17,157	1,735	5,548	631	914	58,366

The Superior Courts
Civil Proceedings Continued, Canceled, and Stricken¹, 2003

-----Proceedings Continued-----

County/Court	Judicial Conflict	Calendar Conflict	Defense Requested	Plaintiff Requested	Stipulated	Unspecified	Total Proceedings		
							Continued	Canceled/ Stricken	Continued/ Canceled/ Stricken
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	3
Garfield	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
..Judicial District	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	1	4
Benton	0	1	30	66	1	125	223	219	442
Franklin	0	3	7	43	67	6	126	171	297
..Judicial District	0	4	37	109	68	131	349	390	739
Chelan	0	0	8	18	8	0	34	249	283
Clallam	0	1	7	19	33	8	68	180	248
Clark	0	22	23	108	25	80	258	1,743	2,001
Cowlitz	8	2	18	81	35	2	146	605	751
Douglas	0	1	0	19	4	0	24	103	127
Ferry	4	1	0	0	1	1	7	11	18
Pend Oreille	1	1	9	16	18	0	45	59	104
Stevens	0	0	1	3	3	0	7	54	61
..Judicial District	5	2	10	19	22	1	59	124	183
Grant	3	2	9	41	2	0	57	336	393
Grays Harbor	0	0	9	26	36	147	218	365	583
Island	0	0	6	14	0	2	22	104	126
San Juan	3	0	3	5	4	0	15	34	49
..Judicial District	3	0	9	19	4	2	37	138	175
Jefferson	0	1	0	5	8	0	14	87	101
King	0	0	0	0	1	1,707	1,708	453	2,161
Kitsap	0	0	0	0	20	0	20	83	103
Kittitas	0	0	5	9	59	7	80	122	202
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	20
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	40
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	60
Lewis	0	0	0	1	10	0	11	304	315
Lincoln	1	0	0	0	13	0	14	48	62
Mason	0	4	14	37	24	14	93	248	341
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	10	0	10	99	109
Pacific	0	0	0	1	3	1	5	33	38
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	10	11
..Judicial District	0	0	0	2	3	1	6	43	49
Pierce	0	0	0	0	0	80	80	85	165
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	512	513
Snohomish	1	25	235	378	199	603	1,441	2,458	3,899
Spokane	1	28	59	314	172	23	597	1,505	2,102
Thurston	3	459	93	297	305	41	1,198	2,536	3,734
Walla Walla	0	7	13	35	0	9	64	92	156
Whatcom	0	1	9	33	7	2	52	206	258
Whitman	0	0	0	1	11	1	13	37	50
Yakima	0	0	2	8	18	1	29	440	469
State	25	559	560	1,581	1,097	2,862	6,684	13,652	20,336

¹ Includes counts on "matters filed with the clerk."

The Superior Courts
Civil Cases Completed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Tort	Commercial	Mere- tricious Relation- ship	Property Rights	Civil Harass- ment	Domestic Violence	Adminis- trative Law Review	Other Petitions/ Complaints	Appeals from Lower Courts	Other Matters Filed	Total Civil Comple- tions
Adams	18	53	1	11	4	57	3	6	3	173	329
Asotin	10	38	0	73	3	78	4	14	2	128	350
Columbia	2	7	0	7	0	19	0	3	0	37	75
Garfield	1	4	0	1	17	8	0	1	2	11	45
..Judicial District	13	49	0	81	20	105	4	18	4	176	470
Benton	198	411	1	272	133	423	15	87	11	1,053	2,604
Franklin	68	129	1	113	13	122	11	38	5	442	942
..Judicial District	266	540	2	385	146	545	26	125	16	1,495	3,546
Chelan	110	174	0	146	19	206	8	81	2	552	1,298
Clallam	67	158	2	99	10	256	20	46	0	392	1,050
Clark	329	1,135	3	1,561	1	905	21	290	12	2,627	6,884
Cowlitz	125	320	3	476	16	424	12	71	21	922	2,390
Douglas	34	67	1	69	1	32	3	26	2	174	409
Ferry	1	9	0	4	5	24	2	14	0	29	88
Pend Oreille	5	21	0	25	24	62	5	21	2	84	249
Stevens	21	112	2	86	14	56	10	35	3	312	651
..Judicial District	27	142	2	115	43	142	17	70	5	425	988
Grant	85	203	2	139	16	191	18	40	6	730	1,430
Grays Harbor	87	215	3	277	10	282	19	49	10	793	1,745
Island	53	162	0	72	86	173	3	29	8	286	872
San Juan	9	17	2	20	9	15	0	19	9	79	179
..Judicial District	62	179	2	92	95	188	3	48	17	365	1,051
Jefferson	24	62	2	49	3	42	2	30	5	165	384
King	5,066	8,848	22	7,163	1,757	2,466	421	1,455	139	12,773	40,110
Kitsap	290	723	0	735	97	669	51	181	21	258	3,025
Kittitas	34	95	0	67	37	79	32	93	3	310	750
Klickitat	9	61	1	22	11	55	5	24	0	165	353
Skamania	11	17	0	21	1	28	2	9	2	60	151
..Judicial District	20	78	1	43	12	83	7	33	2	225	504
Lewis	72	164	4	179	14	428	12	106	4	609	1,592
Lincoln	3	19	0	5	13	30	5	12	1	55	143
Mason	32	113	1	135	36	172	9	43	6	449	996
Okanogan	12	59	0	18	32	77	7	50	8	304	567
Pacific	22	59	1	47	4	58	5	27	7	245	475
Wahkiakum	4	17	0	7	0	16	0	1	0	29	74
..Judicial District	26	76	1	54	4	74	5	28	7	274	549
Pierce	1,525	3,574	4	3,030	1	2,511	153	699	57	961	12,515
Skagit	137	303	5	231	21	303	32	86	9	711	1,838
Snohomish	1,200	2,850	18	2,651	283	1,434	125	369	46	4,714	13,690
Spokane	943	1,073	12	1,792	159	682	92	396	40	3,237	8,426
Thurston	317	881	2	561	259	676	151	329	8	3,583	6,767
Walla Walla	34	107	0	107	31	203	6	158	1	308	955
Whatcom	234	450	5	380	21	252	18	76	7	1,191	2,634
Whitman	24	76	1	41	10	26	7	33	6	95	319
Yakima	301	666	0	712	58	719	45	89	15	1,812	4,417
State	11,517	23,452	99	21,404	3,229	14,259	1,334	5,136	483	40,858	121,771

The Superior Courts
Domestic Cases Filed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child Custody	--Dissolution-- With Children	With No Children	Annul- ment/ Inval- idity	Modifica- tion	Out-of- State Child Custody	Legal Separa- tion	Man- datory Wage Assign- ment	Foreign Judg- ment	Miscel- laneous Dom- estic	UIFSA	Total Domestic
Adams	0	36	21	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	64
Asotin	3	47	56	0	16	1	3	0	0	12	0	138
Columbia	1	8	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Garfield	0	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	17
..Judicial District	4	63	69	0	18	1	3	0	1	12	0	171
Benton	62	424	362	4	86	0	28	0	5	77	4	1,052
Franklin	10	120	116	0	12	0	12	0	0	24	0	294
..Judicial District	72	544	478	4	98	0	40	0	5	101	4	1,346
Chelan	40	232	201	3	10	0	18	0	2	46	27	579
Clallam	31	181	138	2	19	0	14	0	0	2	8	395
Clark	123	918	885	5	81	0	78	0	5	60	12	2,167
Cowlitz	70	301	283	2	34	0	18	0	1	36	1	746
Douglas	9	23	13	0	10	0	0	0	1	0	10	66
Ferry	4	14	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
Pend Oreille	12	30	39	0	4	0	4	0	0	5	0	94
Stevens	18	64	88	1	43	0	9	0	1	49	0	273
..Judicial District	34	108	135	1	48	0	13	0	1	54	0	394
Grant	24	171	165	1	25	1	8	0	0	3	4	402
Grays Harbor	82	165	191	1	14	0	15	0	0	38	0	506
Island	14	179	178	4	8	0	22	0	1	10	2	418
San Juan	0	19	47	0	3	1	4	0	0	8	0	82
..Judicial District	14	198	225	4	11	1	26	0	1	18	2	500
Jefferson	3	67	73	1	8	0	8	0	1	14	1	176
King	188	2,722	3,451	42	267	5	385	0	8	427	30	7,525
Kitsap	65	597	582	8	43	1	78	0	2	178	0	1,554
Kittitas	8	73	76	1	8	0	4	0	0	4	1	175
Klickitat	4	60	45	0	6	0	4	0	0	7	4	130
Skamania	1	29	23	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	58
..Judicial District	5	89	68	1	7	0	4	0	0	8	6	188
Lewis	32	208	153	0	29	0	13	0	0	20	0	455
Lincoln	15	1,637	2,648	37	15	0	97	0	0	9	0	4,458
Mason	31	106	133	0	19	0	11	0	0	37	0	337
Okanogan	7	60	84	1	3	0	3	0	0	25	10	193
Pacific	17	34	49	2	2	0	4	0	2	1	0	111
Wahkiakum	4	7	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	26
..Judicial District	21	41	62	2	3	0	4	0	2	2	0	137
Pierce	205	1,549	1,491	22	253	0	212	0	12	53	176	3,973
Skagit	29	314	273	2	16	0	30	0	1	53	0	718
Snohomish	106	1,345	1,320	13	167	1	177	0	4	281	2	3,416
Spokane	144	1,024	922	14	130	0	120	0	0	464	1	2,819
Thurston	110	609	549	10	92	0	94	0	1	85	24	1,574
Walla Walla	27	134	120	2	60	0	9	0	0	38	0	390
Whatcom	43	338	331	3	13	0	41	0	0	47	3	819
Whitman	6	46	53	0	4	0	7	0	18	4	0	138
Yakima	85	561	427	11	26	1	55	0	0	138	0	1,304
State	1,633	14,460	15,620	195	1,534	11	1,587	0	66	2,257	322	37,685

The Superior Courts
Domestic Case Resolutions, 2003

County/Court	Non-Trial Total	Trial Total	Total Resolutions
Adams	73	1	74
Asotin	115	12	127
Columbia	19	0	19
Garfield	8	1	9
..Judicial District	142	13	155
Benton	840	6	846
Franklin	269	7	276
..Judicial District	1,109	13	1,122
Chelan	458	35	493
Clallam	348	3	351
Clark	1,815	82	1,897
Cowlitz	480	65	545
Douglas	44	3	47
Ferry	24	1	25
Pend Oreille	84	0	84
Stevens	251	24	275
..Judicial District	359	25	384
Grant	321	21	342
Grays Harbor	383	88	471
Island	322	16	338
San Juan	92	1	93
..Judicial District	414	17	431
Jefferson	166	7	173
King	7,402	345	7,747
Kitsap	1,399	24	1,423
Kittitas	172	5	177
Klickitat	101	0	101
Skamania	53	5	58
..Judicial District	154	5	159
Lewis	424	21	445
Lincoln	4,106	1	4,107
Mason	349	2	351
Okanogan	137	0	137
Pacific	90	1	91
Wahkiakum	22	1	23
..Judicial District	112	2	114
Pierce	3,919	104	4,023
Skagit	573	43	616
Snohomish	3,230	136	3,366
Spokane	2,427	130	2,557
Thurston	1,416	39	1,455
Walla Walla	345	6	351
Whatcom	713	35	748
Whitman	137	1	138
Yakima	1,213	19	1,232
State	34,340	1,291	35,631

The Superior Courts
Domestic Case Resolutions Not Involving Trial, 2003

County/Court	Uncon- tested/ Resolved When Filed ¹	Dis- missed by Clerk	Change of Venue	Dis- missed	Settled/ Agreed Judg- ment	Settled by Arbitra- tion	Default/ Summary Judg- ment	Closed by Court After Hearing	Non- Trial Total
Adams	37	8	0	2	12	0	14	0	73
Asotin	74	6	1	4	28	0	2	0	115
Columbia	18	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Garfield	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8
..Judicial District	99	7	1	4	28	0	2	1	142
Benton	81	0	4	147	569	0	39	0	840
Franklin	52	16	1	30	137	0	32	1	269
..Judicial District	133	16	5	177	706	0	71	1	1,109
Chelan	81	9	0	45	300	0	23	0	458
Clallam	119	27	1	19	167	0	15	0	348
Clark	1,229	5	8	136	224	1	189	23	1,815
Cowlitz	0	5	2	33	373	0	51	16	480
Douglas	34	6	1	1	1	0	1	0	44
Ferry	0	8	0	2	8	0	6	0	24
Pend Oreille	37	17	1	4	24	0	1	0	84
Stevens	9	42	3	8	125	0	29	35	251
..Judicial District	46	67	4	14	157	0	36	35	359
Grant	2	43	0	9	208	0	45	14	321
Grays Harbor	4	23	0	80	162	0	55	59	383
Island	6	0	0	19	254	0	27	16	322
San Juan	69	13	1	8	1	0	0	0	92
..Judicial District	75	13	1	27	255	0	27	16	414
Jefferson	16	16	2	9	114	0	9	0	166
King	32	85	11	878	5,651	0	597	148	7,402
Kitsap	18	178	9	59	1,008	0	77	50	1,399
Kittitas	94	20	2	14	34	0	8	0	172
Klickitat	76	19	1	0	1	0	3	1	101
Skamania	18	7	4	3	18	0	3	0	53
..Judicial District	94	26	5	3	19	0	6	1	154
Lewis	1	59	2	22	290	0	50	0	424
Lincoln	3,696	0	34	75	0	0	249	52	4,106
Mason	0	66	0	34	210	0	38	1	349
Okanogan	21	0	1	5	110	0	0	0	137
Pacific	24	0	0	6	5	0	0	55	90
Wahkiakum	19	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	22
..Judicial District	43	1	0	7	6	0	0	55	112
Pierce	2,708	0	14	789	291	0	2	115	3,919
Skagit	5	68	1	26	398	0	62	13	573
Snohomish	153	413	10	9	2,366	14	265	0	3,230
Spokane	36	44	5	286	1,532	0	228	296	2,427
Thurston	45	0	4	192	8	0	42	1,125	1,416
Walla Walla	158	59	1	40	49	0	38	0	345
Whatcom	586	115	0	8	0	0	2	2	713
Whitman	111	13	1	8	0	0	4	0	137
Yakima	264	182	2	51	556	0	158	0	1,213
State	9,940	1,574	127	3,062	15,235	15	2,364	2,023	34,340

¹ Includes both uncontested resolutions and cases that were resolved when filed.

The Superior Courts
Domestic Case Resolutions After Trial Commencement 2003

County/Court	Dis- missed/ Settled	Court Decision	After Trial Total
Adams	0	1	1
Asotin	0	12	12
Columbia	0	0	0
Garfield	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	13	13
Benton	1	5	6
Franklin	1	6	7
..Judicial District	2	11	13
Chelan	1	34	35
Clallam	0	3	3
Clark	1	81	82
Cowlitz	0	65	65
Douglas	0	3	3
Ferry	0	1	1
Pend Oreille	0	0	0
Stevens	0	24	24
..Judicial District	0	25	25
Grant	1	20	21
Grays Harbor	0	88	88
Island	0	16	16
San Juan	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	17	17
Jefferson	0	7	7
King	0	345	345
Kitsap	0	24	24
Kittitas	0	5	5
Klickitat	0	0	0
Skamania	0	5	5
..Judicial District	0	5	5
Lewis	0	21	21
Lincoln	0	1	1
Mason	0	2	2
Okanogan	0	0	0
Pacific	0	1	1
Wahkiakum	1	0	1
..Judicial District	1	1	2
Pierce	5	99	104
Skagit	0	43	43
Snohomish	1	135	136
Spokane	2	128	130
Thurston	0	39	39
Walla Walla	0	6	6
Whatcom	1	34	35
Whitman	0	1	1
Yakima	0	19	19
State	15	1,276	1,291

The Superior Courts
Domestic Cases Resolved by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child Custody	--Dissolution-- With Children	With No Children	Annul- ment/ Inval- idity	Modifica- tion	Out-of- State Child Custody	Legal Separa- tion	Man- datory Wage Assign- ment	Foreign Judg- ment	Miscel- laneous Dom- estic	UIFSA	Total Domestic
Adams	1	41	28	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	74
Asotin	2	53	57	0	8	1	1	0	0	5	0	127
Columbia	0	6	11	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	19
Garfield	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
..Judicial District	2	61	75	0	9	1	2	0	0	5	0	155
Benton	14	443	343	4	16	0	21	0	2	3	0	846
Franklin	14	116	105	3	11	0	11	0	0	16	0	276
..Judicial District	28	559	448	7	27	0	32	0	2	19	0	1,122
Chelan	13	210	206	4	4	0	18	0	0	21	17	493
Clallam	12	178	137	1	7	0	10	0	0	2	4	351
Clark	82	869	837	3	32	0	56	0	3	15	0	1,897
Cowlitz	53	224	234	1	14	0	15	0	0	4	0	545
Douglas	6	14	13	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	47
Ferry	2	6	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	25
Pend Oreille	11	24	34	1	4	0	6	0	0	4	0	84
Stevens	18	85	82	0	43	0	11	0	1	31	4	275
..Judicial District	31	115	132	1	47	0	18	0	1	35	4	384
Grant	9	152	152	1	9	0	8	0	1	10	0	342
Grays Harbor	58	186	189	3	15	1	15	0	0	4	0	471
Island	5	158	157	4	2	0	9	0	1	0	2	338
San Juan	1	17	50	1	6	1	6	0	0	10	1	93
..Judicial District	6	175	207	5	8	1	15	0	1	10	3	431
Jefferson	4	46	92	1	4	0	8	0	0	10	8	173
King	176	2,850	3,554	45	268	3	315	0	7	486	43	7,747
Kitsap	42	598	543	5	39	1	79	0	0	116	0	1,423
Kittitas	6	85	76	0	0	0	8	0	1	1	0	177
Klickitat	3	55	34	0	3	0	3	0	0	1	2	101
Skamania	2	20	32	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	58
..Judicial District	5	75	66	0	4	0	3	0	0	2	4	159
Lewis	28	213	170	1	15	0	9	0	0	8	1	445
Lincoln	14	1,513	2,427	37	14	0	97	0	0	5	0	4,107
Mason	30	141	131	1	20	0	13	0	0	15	0	351
Okanogan	7	58	68	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	137
Pacific	10	32	47	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	91
Wahkiakum	3	6	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
..Judicial District	13	38	60	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	114
Pierce	226	1,733	1,516	22	155	0	185	0	9	6	171	4,023
Skagit	30	279	260	0	14	0	25	0	0	8	0	616
Snohomish	75	1,458	1,386	15	159	0	142	0	3	127	1	3,366
Spokane	143	1,004	885	13	88	1	116	0	0	307	0	2,557
Thurston	110	575	589	7	72	0	71	0	0	27	4	1,455
Walla Walla	21	142	114	1	36	0	8	0	2	27	0	351
Whatcom	19	323	350	1	9	0	35	0	0	10	1	748
Whitman	6	48	52	0	5	0	6	0	17	4	0	138
Yakima	77	565	408	14	21	0	37	0	0	110	0	1,232
State	1,333	14,528	15,405	191	1,104	8	1,351	0	48	1,394	269	35,631

The Superior Courts
Domestic Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Non-Jury Trial	Trial by Affidavit	Total Trials	Trial Settlement Hearing	Pre-Resolution Motion/Conference	Modification Hearing	Post-Resolution Motion Hearing	Total Uncontested Resolution Hearing	Non-Trial Hearing	Total Hearing
Adams	2	0	2	0	46	2	63	15	126	128
Asotin	18	0	18	19	135	7	152	42	355	373
Columbia	0	0	0	0	14	2	5	8	29	29
Garfield	1	0	1	1	13	0	5	3	22	23
..Judicial District	19	0	19	20	162	9	162	53	406	425
Benton	90	0	90	13	4,548	0	2,315	0	6,876	6,966
Franklin	10	0	10	0	363	12	141	113	629	639
..Judicial District	100	0	100	13	4,911	12	2,456	113	7,505	7,605
Chelan	78	0	78	80	677	62	954	329	2,102	2,180
Clallam	25	0	25	25	1,325	0	598	0	1,948	1,973
Clark	134	0	134	331	2,844	0	1,766	0	4,941	5,075
Cowlitz	97	0	97	55	1,752	28	1,343	324	3,502	3,599
Douglas	10	0	10	0	77	0	57	0	134	144
Ferry	1	0	1	0	45	2	27	5	79	80
Pend Oreille	4	0	4	0	63	3	23	5	94	98
Stevens	22	0	22	0	309	4	259	7	579	601
..Judicial District	27	0	27	0	417	9	309	17	752	779
Grant	38	0	38	0	637	45	432	0	1,114	1,152
Grays Harbor	189	0	189	0	887	2	558	1	1,448	1,637
Island	20	0	20	0	479	0	236	148	863	883
San Juan	15	0	15	0	83	1	55	8	147	162
..Judicial District	35	0	35	0	562	1	291	156	1,010	1,045
Jefferson	10	0	10	11	201	0	152	4	368	378
King	321	657	978	1	10,186	0	6,833	0	17,020	17,998
Kitsap	47	0	47	421	2,892	51	1,944	0	5,308	5,355
Kittitas	16	0	16	14	180	1	68	27	290	306
Klickitat	5	0	5	0	139	0	70	0	209	214
Skamania	5	0	5	1	42	3	99	3	148	153
..Judicial District	10	0	10	1	181	3	169	3	357	367
Lewis	27	0	27	21	998	2	527	11	1,559	1,586
Lincoln	13	0	13	0	108	18	98	0	224	237
Mason	10	0	10	66	729	0	235	1	1,031	1,041
Okanogan	22	0	22	0	245	15	153	0	413	435
Pacific	6	0	6	1	174	2	52	22	251	257
Wahkiakum	1	0	1	0	26	1	16	1	44	45
..Judicial District	7	0	7	1	200	3	68	23	295	302
Pierce	166	0	166	473	5,636	3	4,057	239	10,408	10,574
Skagit	80	0	80	0	1,411	0	699	0	2,110	2,190
Snohomish	235	0	235	35	3,127	0	3,252	2,661	9,075	9,310
Spokane	139	0	139	4	3,828	285	3,275	519	7,911	8,050
Thurston	80	0	80	405	1,669	643	1,456	1,086	5,259	5,339
Walla Walla	8	0	8	197	463	0	305	1	966	974
Whatcom	55	0	55	0	885	48	470	87	1,490	1,545
Whitman	13	0	13	1	161	9	105	2	278	291
Yakima	73	0	73	251	1,140	186	1,478	0	3,055	3,128
State	2,086	657	2,743	2,426	48,537	1,437	34,333	5,672	92,405	95,148

The Superior Courts
Domestic Trials by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child Custody	--Dissolution--		Annul- ment/ Inval- idity	Modifica- tion	Out-of- State Child Custody	Legal Separa- tion	Man- datory Wage Assign- ment	Foreign Judg- ment	Miscel- aneous Dom- estic	UIFSA	Total
		With Children	With No Children									Domestic
Adams	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Asotin	0	16	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	18
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	0	17	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	19
Benton	3	60	18	0	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	90
Franklin	1	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
..Judicial District	4	68	19	0	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	100
Chelan	3	48	18	0	3	0	2	0	0	4	0	78
Clallam	1	18	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	25
Clark	15	77	35	1	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	134
Cowlitz	6	64	23	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	97
Douglas	3	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Ferry	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pend Oreille	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Stevens	0	12	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	22
..Judicial District	2	13	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	27
Grant	0	29	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	38
Grays Harbor	37	112	27	0	5	0	7	0	0	1	0	189
Island	0	18	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
San Juan	0	2	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
..Judicial District	0	20	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
Jefferson	0	6	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
King	15	724	63	1	138	0	15	0	2	16	4	978
Kitsap	1	30	9	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	47
Kittitas	0	11	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Klickitat	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Skamania	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
..Judicial District	0	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Lewis	2	15	7	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	27
Lincoln	0	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Mason	1	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Okanogan	3	15	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Pacific	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	0	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Pierce	13	119	26	1	3	0	3	0	0	1	0	166
Skagit	5	45	23	1	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	80
Snohomish	5	165	44	0	16	0	5	0	0	0	0	235
Spokane	10	87	24	0	5	0	10	0	0	3	0	139
Thurston	6	46	17	1	6	0	3	0	0	1	0	80
Walla Walla	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Whatcom	2	30	17	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	55
Whitman	0	8	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	13
Yakima	1	54	15	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	73
State	135	1,861	429	5	199	0	76	0	2	32	4	2,743

1 Includes non-jury trials and trials by affidavit.

The Superior Courts
Domestic Non-Trial Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child Custody	--Dissolution-- With Children	With No Children	Annul- ment/ Inval- idity	Modifica- tion	Out-of- State Child Custody	Legal Separa- tion	Man- datory Wage Assign- ment	Foreign Judg- ment	Miscel- laneous Dom- estic	UIFSA	Total Domestic
Adams	5	65	14	1	22	0	3	0	0	16	0	126
Asotin	6	179	61	0	53	0	3	0	5	48	0	355
Columbia	2	16	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Garfield	0	15	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
..Judicial District	8	210	75	0	57	0	3	0	5	48	0	406
Benton	241	4,226	894	1	452	0	188	0	8	763	103	6,876
Franklin	21	392	157	1	12	0	17	0	0	29	0	629
..Judicial District	262	4,618	1,051	2	464	0	205	0	8	792	103	7,505
Chelan	60	1,206	296	4	57	0	58	0	5	260	156	2,102
Clallam	117	1,283	363	2	79	0	79	0	0	2	23	1,948
Clark	246	3,059	1,035	14	214	0	190	0	20	109	54	4,941
Cowlitz	170	1,965	644	2	420	0	56	0	5	206	34	3,502
Douglas	15	41	8	0	36	0	5	0	0	1	28	134
Ferry	8	47	18	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	79
Pend Oreille	21	33	31	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	0	94
Stevens	20	158	63	0	89	0	17	0	0	187	45	579
..Judicial District	49	238	112	0	95	0	18	0	0	193	47	752
Grant	30	673	220	1	93	2	6	0	0	82	7	1,114
Grays Harbor	278	786	268	3	42	0	40	0	0	31	0	1,448
Island	19	538	213	3	18	0	39	0	0	30	3	863
San Juan	0	64	34	1	18	2	8	0	0	19	1	147
..Judicial District	19	602	247	4	36	2	47	0	0	49	4	1,010
Jefferson	9	174	83	0	22	0	18	0	0	19	43	368
King	462	8,404	4,233	46	460	10	536	0	12	2,602	255	17,020
Kitsap	148	2,818	1,114	19	137	10	249	0	3	809	1	5,308
Kittitas	13	164	67	1	19	0	4	0	0	22	0	290
Klickitat	5	136	39	0	14	0	7	0	0	5	3	209
Skamania	3	68	20	0	3	0	1	0	0	11	42	148
..Judicial District	8	204	59	0	17	0	8	0	0	16	45	357
Lewis	54	895	218	0	119	0	30	0	0	238	5	1,559
Lincoln	2	156	38	2	6	0	1	0	0	19	0	224
Mason	93	603	197	1	55	0	31	0	0	51	0	1,031
Okanogan	14	218	106	3	10	0	7	0	0	16	39	413
Pacific	29	125	85	1	5	0	1	0	2	3	0	251
Wahkiakum	7	19	13	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	44
..Judicial District	36	144	98	1	7	0	1	0	2	6	0	295
Pierce	425	5,848	2,208	45	480	0	357	0	13	50	982	10,408
Skagit	92	1,154	301	3	156	0	47	0	0	350	7	2,110
Snohomish	272	5,113	1,846	24	400	0	242	0	6	1,171	1	9,075
Spokane	248	3,161	949	5	242	1	200	0	0	3,095	10	7,911
Thurston	525	2,916	907	19	278	0	236	0	2	195	181	5,259
Walla Walla	39	445	140	1	176	0	28	0	0	137	0	966
Whatcom	62	803	296	1	25	0	64	0	0	218	21	1,490
Whitman	11	163	48	0	16	0	11	0	27	2	0	278
Yakima	174	1,706	318	5	78	0	89	0	0	685	0	3,055
State	3,946	49,835	17,559	209	4,318	25	2,869	0	108	11,490	2,046	92,405

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Domestic Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child Custody	--Dissolution--		Annul-ment/ Inval- idity	Modifica- tion	Out-of- State Child Custody	Legal Separa- tion	Man- datory Wage Assign- ment	Foreign Judg- ment	Miscel- laneous Dom- estic	UIFSA	Total
		With Children	With No Children									Domestic
Adams	5	67	14	1	22	0	3	0	0	16	0	128
Asotin	6	195	61	0	54	0	3	0	5	49	0	373
Columbia	2	16	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Garfield	0	16	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
..Judicial District	8	227	75	0	58	0	3	0	5	49	0	425
Benton	244	4,286	912	1	456	0	193	0	8	763	103	6,966
Franklin	22	400	158	1	12	0	17	0	0	29	0	639
..Judicial District	266	4,686	1,070	2	468	0	210	0	8	792	103	7,605
Chelan	63	1,254	314	4	60	0	60	0	5	264	156	2,180
Clallam	118	1,301	367	2	80	0	80	0	0	2	23	1,973
Clark	261	3,136	1,070	15	216	0	194	0	20	109	54	5,075
Cowlitz	176	2,029	667	2	421	0	57	0	5	208	34	3,599
Douglas	18	45	10	0	37	0	5	0	0	1	28	144
Ferry	8	47	19	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	80
Pend Oreille	23	34	32	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	0	98
Stevens	20	170	70	0	89	0	18	0	0	189	45	601
..Judicial District	51	251	121	0	95	0	19	0	0	195	47	779
Grant	30	702	228	1	94	2	6	0	0	82	7	1,152
Grays Harbor	315	898	295	3	47	0	47	0	0	32	0	1,637
Island	19	556	215	3	18	0	39	0	0	30	3	883
San Juan	0	66	47	1	18	2	8	0	0	19	1	162
..Judicial District	19	622	262	4	36	2	47	0	0	49	4	1,045
Jefferson	9	180	85	0	24	0	18	0	0	19	43	378
King	477	9,128	4,296	47	598	10	551	0	14	2,618	259	17,998
Kitsap	149	2,848	1,123	19	138	10	255	0	3	809	1	5,355
Kittitas	13	175	70	1	21	0	4	0	0	22	0	306
Klickitat	5	140	40	0	14	0	7	0	0	5	3	214
Skamania	3	71	22	0	3	0	1	0	0	11	42	153
..Judicial District	8	211	62	0	17	0	8	0	0	16	45	367
Lewis	56	910	225	0	121	0	31	0	0	238	5	1,586
Lincoln	2	165	42	2	6	0	1	0	0	19	0	237
Mason	94	611	197	1	56	0	31	0	0	51	0	1,041
Okanogan	17	233	110	3	10	0	7	0	0	16	39	435
Pacific	29	130	86	1	5	0	1	0	2	3	0	257
Wahkiakum	7	19	13	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	45
..Judicial District	36	149	99	1	8	0	1	0	2	6	0	302
Pierce	438	5,967	2,234	46	483	0	360	0	13	51	982	10,574
Skagit	97	1,199	324	4	157	0	52	0	0	350	7	2,190
Snohomish	277	5,278	1,890	24	416	0	247	0	6	1,171	1	9,310
Spokane	258	3,248	973	5	247	1	210	0	0	3,098	10	8,050
Thurston	531	2,962	924	20	284	0	239	0	2	196	181	5,339
Walla Walla	39	450	143	1	176	0	28	0	0	137	0	974
Whatcom	64	833	313	1	26	0	69	0	0	218	21	1,545
Whitman	11	171	52	0	16	0	12	0	27	2	0	291
Yakima	175	1,760	333	5	79	0	90	0	0	686	0	3,128
State	4,081	51,696	17,988	214	4,517	25	2,945	0	110	11,522	2,050	95,148

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Domestic Proceedings Continued, Canceled, and Stricken, 2003

-----Proceedings Continued-----

County/Court	Judicial Conflict	Calendar Conflict	Defense Requested	Prosecutor Requested	Stipulated	Unspecified	Total Proceedings		
							Continued	Canceled/ Stricken	Continued/ Canceled/ Stricken
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	2	1	0	3	3	6
..Judicial District	0	0	0	2	1	0	3	3	6
Benton	0	0	118	207	0	4,144	4,469	649	5,118
Franklin	0	0	230	476	173	34	913	313	1,226
..Judicial District	0	0	348	683	173	4,178	5,382	962	6,344
Chelan	0	0	30	110	53	0	193	490	683
Clallam	0	2	17	30	160	6	215	218	433
Clark	0	16	366	1,079	125	250	1,836	1,917	3,753
Cowlitz	6	2	55	231	87	18	399	590	989
Douglas	0	1	2	68	9	0	80	74	154
Ferry	5	0	2	5	7	2	21	21	42
Pend Oreille	0	0	8	15	12	0	35	68	103
Stevens	0	1	3	6	12	0	22	62	84
..Judicial District	5	1	13	26	31	2	78	151	229
Grant	0	1	0	1	57	0	59	335	394
Grays Harbor	0	4	81	122	211	187	605	250	855
Island	0	0	55	134	8	4	201	177	378
San Juan	2	1	3	8	10	0	24	30	54
..Judicial District	2	1	58	142	18	4	225	207	432
Jefferson	0	2	6	27	17	0	52	87	139
King	0	0	0	0	15	4,241	4,256	3,713	7,969
Kitsap	0	0	0	0	57	0	57	205	262
Kittitas	0	2	4	11	39	5	61	110	171
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	17
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	52
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	69
Lewis	0	0	58	67	295	1	421	853	1,274
Lincoln	3	2	7	9	25	0	46	92	138
Mason	0	1	85	225	91	2	404	213	617
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	78	86
Pacific	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	27	31
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	31	35
Pierce	0	0	0	0	0	115	115	211	326
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	668	668
Snohomish	2	30	676	1,136	592	1,958	4,394	2,850	7,244
Spokane	1	18	280	1,333	2,641	97	4,370	2,144	6,514
Thurston	3	317	343	660	304	34	1,661	1,204	2,865
Walla Walla	0	6	31	149	1	23	210	157	367
Whatcom	0	0	6	26	3	5	40	238	278
Whitman	0	1	2	14	32	2	51	63	114
Yakima	0	1	20	37	138	0	196	605	801
State	22	408	2,488	6,188	5,187	11,128	25,421	18,788	44,209

The Superior Courts
Domestic Cases Completed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child Custody	--Dissolution-- With Children	With No Children	Annul- ment/ Inval- idity	Modifica- tion	Out-of- State Child Custody	Legal Separa- tion	Man- datory Wage Assign- ment	Foreign Judg- ment	Miscel- laneous Dom- estic	UIFSA	Total Domestic
Adams	1	41	28	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	74
Asotin	2	54	57	0	9	1	1	0	0	5	0	129
Columbia	0	6	11	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	19
Garfield	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
..Judicial District	2	62	75	0	10	1	2	0	0	5	0	157
Benton	15	443	342	4	13	0	23	0	2	3	0	845
Franklin	14	116	105	3	11	0	11	0	0	16	0	276
..Judicial District	29	559	447	7	24	0	34	0	2	19	0	1,121
Chelan	13	212	204	4	4	0	18	0	0	21	17	493
Clallam	12	178	136	1	7	0	10	0	0	2	3	349
Clark	81	872	842	3	32	0	58	0	3	15	0	1,906
Cowlitz	56	231	235	1	14	0	14	0	0	4	0	555
Douglas	6	14	14	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	48
Ferry	2	6	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	25
Pend Oreille	11	24	34	1	4	0	6	0	0	4	0	84
Stevens	18	86	82	0	43	0	11	0	1	31	4	276
..Judicial District	31	116	132	1	47	0	18	0	1	35	4	385
Grant	9	151	149	1	9	0	8	0	1	10	0	338
Grays Harbor	58	186	189	3	15	1	15	0	0	4	0	471
Island	5	158	158	4	2	0	9	0	1	0	2	339
San Juan	1	17	50	1	6	1	6	0	0	10	1	93
..Judicial District	6	175	208	5	8	1	15	0	1	10	3	432
Jefferson	3	45	92	1	4	0	8	0	0	10	8	171
King	182	2,841	3,566	45	263	3	309	0	7	487	43	7,746
Kitsap	42	603	545	5	38	1	81	0	0	116	0	1,431
Kittitas	6	84	76	0	0	0	8	0	1	1	0	176
Klickitat	3	55	34	0	3	0	3	0	0	1	2	101
Skamania	2	20	32	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	58
..Judicial District	5	75	66	0	4	0	3	0	0	2	4	159
Lewis	28	212	171	1	14	0	8	0	0	8	1	443
Lincoln	14	1,523	2,460	37	14	0	100	0	0	5	0	4,153
Mason	30	141	131	1	20	0	13	0	0	15	0	351
Okanogan	7	57	68	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	136
Pacific	10	31	47	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	90
Wahkiakum	2	6	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
..Judicial District	12	37	60	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	111
Pierce	221	1,698	1,508	22	150	0	180	0	9	6	171	3,965
Skagit	30	279	260	0	14	0	25	0	0	8	0	616
Snohomish	78	1,470	1,389	15	154	0	141	0	3	126	1	3,377
Spokane	140	998	887	13	85	1	116	0	0	309	1	2,550
Thurston	105	596	591	8	76	0	71	0	0	23	5	1,475
Walla Walla	22	142	114	1	36	0	8	0	2	27	0	352
Whatcom	20	320	349	1	9	0	34	0	0	10	1	744
Whitman	6	48	52	0	5	0	6	0	17	4	0	138
Yakima	77	565	408	14	21	0	37	0	0	110	0	1,232
State	1,332	14,531	15,452	192	1,085	8	1,345	0	48	1,392	270	35,655

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Cases Filed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Probate	Guardian-ship	---Mental Adult	Illness---Minor	Alcohol	Total Mental Illness/Alcohol	Total Probate/Guardian-ship/Mental Illness/Alcohol
Adams	31	5	18	0	0	18	54
Asotin	62	8	15	0	0	15	85
Columbia	10	1	7	0	0	7	18
Garfield	6	3	1	0	0	1	10
..Judicial District	78	12	23	0	0	23	113
Benton	319	42	172	38	3	213	574
Franklin	106	7	47	5	1	53	166
..Judicial District	425	49	219	43	4	266	740
Chelan	229	22	116	0	0	116	367
Clallam	307	13	66	3	0	69	389
Clark	749	165	532	0	0	532	1,446
Cowlitz	235	43	116	1	30	147	425
Douglas	72	7	0	0	0	0	79
Ferry	14	0	8	0	3	11	25
Pend Oreille	26	2	12	0	7	19	47
Stevens	98	9	42	0	4	46	153
..Judicial District	138	11	62	0	14	76	225
Grant	167	15	65	0	0	65	247
Grays Harbor	244	16	15	0	0	15	275
Island	264	18	0	0	8	8	290
San Juan	67	6	0	0	0	0	73
..Judicial District	331	24	0	0	8	8	363
Jefferson	128	7	2	0	0	2	137
King	4,857	984	1,966	153	70	2,189	8,030
Kitsap	702	147	222	11	78	311	1,160
Kittitas	71	1	11	0	0	11	83
Klickitat	43	2	17	0	0	17	62
Skamania	21	2	6	0	0	6	29
..Judicial District	64	4	23	0	0	23	91
Lewis	234	26	2	0	8	10	270
Lincoln	37	6	13	0	0	13	56
Mason	167	18	0	0	0	0	185
Okanogan	89	11	81	1	0	82	182
Pacific	80	8	3	0	0	3	91
Wahkiakum	18	1	1	0	2	3	22
..Judicial District	98	9	4	0	2	6	113
Pierce	1,500	266	1,255	11	134	1,400	3,166
Skagit	329	34	511	0	0	511	874
Snohomish	1,326	200	728	0	0	728	2,254
Spokane	1,241	235	1,248	93	158	1,499	2,975
Thurston	568	51	132	4	104	240	859
Walla Walla	186	36	42	3	0	45	267
Whatcom	430	57	152	0	0	152	639
Whitman	123	5	23	0	0	23	151
Yakima	499	87	437	0	3	440	1,026
State	15,655	2,566	8,084	323	613	9,020	27,241

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 Probate and Guardianship Cases Resolved by Type of Resolution, 2003

County/Court	-----Probate-----						-----Guardianship-----					
	Dis- missal by Clerk	Uncon- tested	Change of Venue	Dis- missal	Closed by Court After Hearing	Personal Represen- tative Appointed	Dis- missal by Clerk	Change of Venue	Dis- missal	Closed by Court After Hearing	Uncon- tested/ Guardian Appointed	
Adams	0	10	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	3	
Asotin	1	2	1	0	0	60	0	1	2	0	8	
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	1	
Garfield	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	
..Judicial District	1	5	1	0	0	71	0	1	2	0	11	
Benton	0	84	0	0	1	229	0	0	0	1	34	
Franklin	0	12	0	0	0	86	0	0	1	2	1	
..Judicial District	0	96	0	0	1	315	0	0	1	3	35	
Chelan	0	55	0	1	0	148	0	1	3	0	11	
Clallam	0	97	1	0	0	202	0	0	2	0	8	
Clark	0	11	0	1	0	699	0	1	1	0	152	
Cowlitz	0	31	0	0	0	187	0	1	1	1	46	
Douglas	0	13	0	0	0	47	0	0	0	0	3	
Ferry	0	2	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	
Pend Oreille	0	7	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	2	
Stevens	10	19	0	1	0	77	3	0	1	1	7	
..Judicial District	10	28	0	1	0	106	3	0	1	1	9	
Grant	0	39	0	0	0	103	0	1	1	0	5	
Grays Harbor	0	58	0	1	19	72	0	2	1	0	3	
Island	0	94	0	0	1	165	0	1	0	0	10	
San Juan	0	21	0	0	0	29	0	0	1	0	2	
..Judicial District	0	115	0	0	1	194	0	1	1	0	12	
Jefferson	0	43	0	0	0	81	0	0	0	0	2	
King	0	1,089	4	19	117	3,505	0	2	73	274	491	
Kitsap	3	266	0	1	0	340	1	3	14	2	87	
Kittitas	0	9	0	0	0	53	0	0	1	0	1	
Klickitat	0	10	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	2	
Skamania	3	7	0	0	0	11	1	0	0	0	1	
..Judicial District	3	17	0	0	0	36	1	0	0	0	3	
Lewis	0	12	0	0	0	185	0	0	0	0	8	
Lincoln	0	1	0	0	0	33	0	0	0	1	2	
Mason	2	67	0	1	0	83	4	0	0	0	7	
Okanogan	0	15	0	0	0	63	0	0	0	0	7	
Pacific	0	14	0	0	0	54	0	0	4	1	5	
Wahkiakum	0	4	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	1	
..Judicial District	0	18	0	0	0	69	0	0	4	1	6	
Pierce	0	329	2	3	0	1,116	0	4	20	0	182	
Skagit	0	323	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	16	
Snohomish	4	339	0	3	0	974	5	0	16	26	160	
Spokane	3	286	0	2	0	915	1	6	14	3	246	
Thurston	0	124	0	2	21	295	0	2	3	1	19	
Walla Walla	0	48	0	0	0	131	3	0	6	0	23	
Whatcom	0	78	0	0	0	335	0	3	1	0	47	
Whitman	0	26	0	0	0	98	0	0	1	0	7	
Yakima	0	150	1	1	0	344	0	6	4	0	66	
State	26	3,798	9	36	159	10,819	18	35	172	313	1,678	

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Mental Illness and Alcohol Cases Resolved by Type of Resolution, 2003

County/Court	Change of Venue	Dis-missal	Uncon- tested Resolu- tion	Closed by Court	Court Decision to Commit
Adams	0	0	18	0	0
Asotin	0	0	15	0	0
Columbia	0	0	7	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	22	0	0
Benton	121	5	26	0	62
Franklin	2	0	19	1	11
..Judicial District	123	5	45	1	73
Chelan	0	0	110	0	0
Clallam	0	1	65	0	0
Clark	0	87	151	0	205
Cowlitz	2	1	0	2	108
Douglas	0	0	0	0	0
Ferry	0	0	10	0	0
Pend Oreille	0	0	18	0	0
Stevens	0	12	42	2	2
..Judicial District	0	12	70	2	2
Grant	59	0	0	0	0
Grays Harbor	3	0	1	0	0
Island	0	0	5	0	3
San Juan	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	5	0	3
Jefferson	1	0	1	0	0
King	1	359	115	0	1,658
Kitsap	1	19	3	13	268
Kittitas	1	0	10	0	0
Klickitat	0	0	16	0	0
Skamania	0	0	6	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	22	0	0
Lewis	0	0	1	0	0
Lincoln	13	0	0	0	0
Mason	0	0	0	0	0
Okanogan	1	0	79	0	0
Pacific	1	0	2	0	0
Wahkiakum	0	0	1	0	3
..Judicial District	1	0	3	0	3
Pierce	1	19	252	3	759
Skagit	11	0	615	0	0
Snohomish	9	12	380	0	316
Spokane	24	83	157	1	1,265
Thurston	60	4	7	3	163
Walla Walla	0	0	4	0	1
Whatcom	19	2	0	0	81
Whitman	0	0	22	0	1
Yakima	12	140	14	23	234
State	342	744	2,172	48	5,140

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Cases Resolved by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Probate	Guardian-ship	---Mental Adult	Illness---Minor	Alcohol	Total Mental Illness/Alcohol	Total Probate/Guardian-ship/Mental Illness/Alcohol
Adams	29	3	18	0	0	18	50
Asotin	64	11	15	0	0	15	90
Columbia	9	1	7	0	0	7	17
Garfield	5	2	0	0	0	0	7
..Judicial District	78	14	22	0	0	22	114
Benton	314	35	171	39	4	214	563
Franklin	98	4	28	4	1	33	135
..Judicial District	412	39	199	43	5	247	698
Chelan	204	15	110	0	0	110	329
Clallam	300	10	63	3	0	66	376
Clark	711	154	443	0	0	443	1,308
Cowlitz	218	49	82	1	30	113	380
Douglas	60	3	0	0	0	0	63
Ferry	12	0	8	0	2	10	22
Pend Oreille	26	2	12	0	6	18	46
Stevens	107	12	51	0	7	58	177
..Judicial District	145	14	71	0	15	86	245
Grant	142	7	59	0	0	59	208
Grays Harbor	150	6	4	0	0	4	160
Island	260	11	0	0	8	8	279
San Juan	50	3	0	0	0	0	53
..Judicial District	310	14	0	0	8	8	332
Jefferson	124	2	2	0	0	2	128
King	4,734	840	1,912	151	70	2,133	7,707
Kitsap	610	107	216	10	78	304	1,021
Kittitas	62	2	11	0	0	11	75
Klickitat	35	2	16	0	0	16	53
Skamania	21	2	6	0	0	6	29
..Judicial District	56	4	22	0	0	22	82
Lewis	197	8	0	0	1	1	206
Lincoln	34	3	13	0	0	13	50
Mason	153	11	0	0	0	0	164
Okanogan	78	7	79	1	0	80	165
Pacific	68	10	3	0	0	3	81
Wahkiakum	19	1	1	0	3	4	24
..Judicial District	87	11	4	0	3	7	105
Pierce	1,450	206	928	8	98	1,034	2,690
Skagit	323	18	626	0	0	626	967
Snohomish	1,320	207	717	0	0	717	2,244
Spokane	1,206	270	1,275	96	159	1,530	3,006
Thurston	442	25	129	4	104	237	704
Walla Walla	179	32	5	0	0	5	216
Whatcom	413	51	102	0	0	102	566
Whitman	124	8	23	0	0	23	155
Yakima	496	76	421	0	2	423	995
State	14,847	2,216	7,556	317	573	8,446	25,509

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	-----Probate-----			-----Guardianship-----				-----Mental Illness/Alcohol-----			
	Hearing1	Trial2	Total Hearing	Hearing3	Trial2	Review Hearing	Total Hearing	Commitment Hearing	Hearing4	Trial2	Total Hearing
Adams	10	0	10	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	0
Asotin	21	2	23	25	0	2	27	0	0	0	0
Columbia	7	0	7	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
Garfield	6	0	6	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	34	2	36	31	0	2	33	0	0	0	0
Benton	64	1	65	89	0	1	90	243	42	0	285
Franklin	14	0	14	22	0	0	22	85	6	0	91
..Judicial District	78	1	79	111	0	1	112	328	48	0	376
Chelan	66	0	66	48	2	0	50	0	0	0	0
Clallam	227	0	227	79	0	0	79	0	7	1	8
Clark	160	8	168	429	2	0	431	269	6	2	277
Cowlitz	100	0	100	103	5	0	108	230	94	0	324
Douglas	18	0	18	9	0	0	9	0	0	0	0
Ferry	5	1	6	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
Pend Oreille	5	0	5	4	0	0	4	0	6	0	6
Stevens	19	0	19	19	0	0	19	0	5	0	5
..Judicial District	29	1	30	24	0	0	24	0	12	0	12
Grant	60	0	60	30	0	0	30	0	2	0	2
Grays Harbor	74	7	81	43	1	0	44	0	3	0	3
Island	69	0	69	45	1	1	47	0	9	0	9
San Juan	7	0	7	9	0	0	9	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	76	0	76	54	1	1	56	0	9	0	9
Jefferson	21	1	22	20	0	10	30	0	0	0	0
King	4,793	7	4,800	3,309	3	0	3,312	2,366	970	2	3,338
Kitsap	202	1	203	561	2	1	564	0	616	4	620
Kittitas	20	0	20	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
Klickitat	17	0	17	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Skamania	8	0	8	7	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	25	0	25	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
Lewis	44	0	44	52	1	0	53	0	8	0	8
Lincoln	2	0	2	5	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
Mason	52	0	52	44	0	0	44	0	0	0	0
Okanogan	53	0	53	24	0	0	24	0	4	0	4
Pacific	74	1	75	8	0	0	8	0	3	0	3
Wahkiakum	28	0	28	3	0	0	3	0	6	0	6
..Judicial District	102	1	103	11	0	0	11	0	9	0	9
Pierce	514	0	514	1,400	0	0	1,400	1	1	0	2
Skagit	58	2	60	75	2	0	77	489	163	0	652
Snohomish	214	3	217	592	2	0	594	0	768	1	769
Spokane	88	1	89	315	0	1	316	2,331	1,687	1	4,019
Thurston	110	1	111	226	1	0	227	221	280	0	501
Walla Walla	22	0	22	17	0	0	17	2	11	0	13
Whatcom	69	0	69	129	0	5	134	66	11	2	79
Whitman	12	0	12	38	0	0	38	0	4	0	4
Yakima	87	1	88	92	0	0	92	39	647	1	687
State	7,420	37	7,457	7,893	22	21	7,936	6,342	5,360	14	11,716

1 Probate hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, voir dire only hearings, review hearings, and post-resolution motion hearings.
 2 Includes jury trials, non-jury trials, and trials by affidavit.
 3 Guardianship hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, post-resolution motion hearings, and voir dire only hearings.
 4 Mental illness/alcohol hearings include detention, motion, medication, review, revocation, modification, voir dire only, and 60-day alcohol hearings.

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Trials¹ by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Probate	Guardian- ship	----Mental Adult	Illness---- Minor	Alcohol	Total Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Total Probate/ Guardian- ship/ Mental Illness/ Alcohol
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Benton	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Chelan	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Clallam	0	0	1	0	0	1	1
Clark	8	2	2	0	0	2	12
Cowlitz	0	5	0	0	0	0	5
Douglas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ferry	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stevens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Grant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grays Harbor	7	1	0	0	0	0	8
Island	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
San Juan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Jefferson	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
King	7	3	2	0	0	2	12
Kitsap	1	2	4	0	0	4	7
Kittitas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mason	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pacific	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pierce	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skagit	2	2	0	0	0	0	4
Snohomish	3	2	1	0	0	1	6
Spokane	1	0	1	0	0	1	2
Thurston	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
Walla Walla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whatcom	0	0	2	0	0	2	2
Whitman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yakima	1	0	1	0	0	1	2
State	37	22	14	0	0	14	73

1 Includes jury trials, non-jury trials, and trials by affidavit.

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Non-Trial Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Probate	Guardian- ship	----Mental Illness----		Alcohol	Total Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Total Probate/ Guardian- ship/ Mental Illness/ Alcohol
			Adult	Minor			
Adams	10	8	0	0	0	0	18
Asotin	21	27	0	0	0	0	48
Columbia	7	4	0	0	0	0	11
Garfield	6	2	0	0	0	0	8
..Judicial District	34	33	0	0	0	0	67
Benton	64	90	223	58	4	285	439
Franklin	14	22	82	9	0	91	127
..Judicial District	78	112	305	67	4	376	566
Chelan	66	48	0	0	0	0	114
Clallam	227	79	7	0	0	7	313
Clark	160	429	275	0	0	275	864
Cowlitz	100	103	322	1	1	324	527
Douglas	18	9	0	0	0	0	27
Ferry	5	1	0	0	1	1	7
Pend Oreille	5	4	0	0	6	6	15
Stevens	19	19	1	0	4	5	43
..Judicial District	29	24	1	0	11	12	65
Grant	60	30	2	0	0	2	92
Grays Harbor	74	43	3	0	0	3	120
Island	69	46	0	0	9	9	124
San Juan	7	9	0	0	0	0	16
..Judicial District	76	55	0	0	9	9	140
Jefferson	21	30	0	0	0	0	51
King	4,793	3,309	3,001	265	70	3,336	11,438
Kitsap	202	562	509	21	86	616	1,380
Kittitas	20	4	0	0	0	0	24
Klickitat	17	3	0	0	0	0	20
Skamania	8	7	0	0	0	0	15
..Judicial District	25	10	0	0	0	0	35
Lewis	44	52	0	0	8	8	104
Lincoln	2	5	0	0	0	0	7
Mason	52	44	0	0	0	0	96
Okanogan	53	24	4	0	0	4	81
Pacific	74	8	3	0	0	3	85
Wahkiakum	28	3	0	0	6	6	37
..Judicial District	102	11	3	0	6	9	122
Pierce	514	1,400	2	0	0	2	1,916
Skagit	58	75	652	0	0	652	785
Snohomish	214	592	768	0	0	768	1,574
Spokane	88	316	3,639	218	161	4,018	4,422
Thurston	110	226	381	12	108	501	837
Walla Walla	22	17	13	0	0	13	52
Whatcom	69	134	77	0	0	77	280
Whitman	12	38	4	0	0	4	54
Yakima	87	92	684	0	2	686	865
State	7,420	7,914	10,652	584	466	11,702	27,036

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Probate	Guardian- ship	----Mental Illness----		Alcohol	Total Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Total Probate/ Guardian- ship/ Mental Illness/ Alcohol
			Adult	Minor			
Adams	10	8	0	0	0	0	18
Asotin	23	27	0	0	0	0	50
Columbia	7	4	0	0	0	0	11
Garfield	6	2	0	0	0	0	8
..Judicial District	36	33	0	0	0	0	69
Benton	65	90	223	58	4	285	440
Franklin	14	22	82	9	0	91	127
..Judicial District	79	112	305	67	4	376	567
Chelan	66	50	0	0	0	0	116
Clallam	227	79	8	0	0	8	314
Clark	168	431	277	0	0	277	876
Cowlitz	100	108	322	1	1	324	532
Douglas	18	9	0	0	0	0	27
Ferry	6	1	0	0	1	1	8
Pend Oreille	5	4	0	0	6	6	15
Stevens	19	19	1	0	4	5	43
..Judicial District	30	24	1	0	11	12	66
Grant	60	30	2	0	0	2	92
Grays Harbor	81	44	3	0	0	3	128
Island	69	47	0	0	9	9	125
San Juan	7	9	0	0	0	0	16
..Judicial District	76	56	0	0	9	9	141
Jefferson	22	30	0	0	0	0	52
King	4,800	3,312	3,003	265	70	3,338	11,450
Kitsap	203	564	513	21	86	620	1,387
Kittitas	20	4	0	0	0	0	24
Klickitat	17	3	0	0	0	0	20
Skamania	8	7	0	0	0	0	15
..Judicial District	25	10	0	0	0	0	35
Lewis	44	53	0	0	8	8	105
Lincoln	2	5	0	0	0	0	7
Mason	52	44	0	0	0	0	96
Okanogan	53	24	4	0	0	4	81
Pacific	75	8	3	0	0	3	86
Wahkiakum	28	3	0	0	6	6	37
..Judicial District	103	11	3	0	6	9	123
Pierce	514	1,400	2	0	0	2	1,916
Skagit	60	77	652	0	0	652	789
Snohomish	217	594	769	0	0	769	1,580
Spokane	89	316	3,640	218	161	4,019	4,424
Thurston	111	227	381	12	108	501	839
Walla Walla	22	17	13	0	0	13	52
Whatcom	69	134	79	0	0	79	282
Whitman	12	38	4	0	0	4	54
Yakima	88	92	685	0	2	687	867
State	7,457	7,936	10,666	584	466	11,716	27,109

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Proceedings Continued, Canceled, and Stricken, 2003

-----Proceedings Continued-----

County/Court	Judicial Conflict	Calendar Conflict	Defense Requested	Prosecutor Requested	Stipulated	Unspecified	Total Proceedings Continued	Proceedings Canceled/ Stricken	Total Proceedings Continued/ Canceled/ Stricken
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Benton	0	0	0	21	0	11	32	34	66
Franklin	0	0	0	9	10	1	20	8	28
..Judicial District	0	0	0	30	10	12	52	42	94
Chelan	0	0	3	7	2	0	12	18	30
Clallam	0	0	0	3	3	2	8	13	21
Clark	0	0	11	19	1	25	56	174	230
Cowlitz	1	1	4	16	15	0	37	34	71
Douglas	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	6	8
Ferry	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	2	4
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2	4
Stevens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	3	1	0	4	4	8
Grant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	22
Grays Harbor	0	0	4	11	19	15	49	26	75
Island	0	0	0	14	0	0	14	12	26
San Juan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	0	0	14	0	0	14	13	27
Jefferson	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	12	15
King	0	0	0	819	285	2,471	3,575	7	3,582
Kitsap	0	0	0	0	328	0	328	17	345
Kittitas	0	0	0	0	3	1	4	12	16
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Lewis	0	0	0	1	3	0	4	22	26
Lincoln	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
Mason	0	0	0	25	8	0	33	18	51
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	7
Pacific	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	2
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	3
Pierce	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	54
Snohomish	1	4	6	87	28	121	247	253	500
Spokane	0	0	3	4	48	160	215	40	255
Thurston	0	10	0	26	19	1	56	62	118
Walla Walla	0	0	2	7	0	1	10	2	12
Whatcom	0	0	4	2	2	1	9	18	27
Whitman	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	9	11
Yakima	0	0	0	13	64	0	77	38	115
State	2	16	38	1,092	843	2,811	4,802	927	5,729

The Superior Courts
 Probate, Guardianship, Mental Illness, and Alcohol Cases Completed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Probate	Guardian- ship	----Mental Illness----		Alcohol	Total Mental Illness/ Alcohol	Total Probate/ Guardian- ship/ Mental Illness/ Alcohol
			Adult	Minor			
Adams	28	1	18	0	0	18	47
Asotin	53	9	15	0	0	15	77
Columbia	10	1	7	0	0	7	18
Garfield	6	0	0	0	0	0	6
..Judicial District	69	10	22	0	0	22	101
Benton	256	13	152	36	4	192	461
Franklin	77	4	27	5	1	33	114
..Judicial District	333	17	179	41	5	225	575
Chelan	153	6	111	0	0	111	270
Clallam	228	6	63	3	0	66	300
Clark	629	44	435	0	0	435	1,108
Cowlitz	174	18	82	1	30	113	305
Douglas	46	1	0	0	0	0	47
Ferry	8	0	8	0	2	10	18
Pend Oreille	19	3	12	0	6	18	40
Stevens	137	8	54	0	7	61	206
..Judicial District	164	11	74	0	15	89	264
Grant	155	6	59	0	0	59	220
Grays Harbor	144	4	4	0	0	4	152
Island	217	4	0	0	8	8	229
San Juan	46	2	0	0	0	0	48
..Judicial District	263	6	0	0	8	8	277
Jefferson	88	3	2	0	0	2	93
King	5,591	807	1,912	151	70	2,133	8,531
Kitsap	553	91	211	10	77	298	942
Kittitas	58	3	11	0	0	11	72
Klickitat	26	2	16	0	0	16	44
Skamania	23	1	6	0	0	6	30
..Judicial District	49	3	22	0	0	22	74
Lewis	120	0	0	0	1	1	121
Lincoln	34	2	13	0	0	13	49
Mason	151	8	0	0	0	0	159
Okanogan	49	2	79	1	0	80	131
Pacific	43	6	3	0	0	3	52
Wahkiakum	21	0	1	0	3	4	25
..Judicial District	64	6	4	0	3	7	77
Pierce	1,263	160	634	4	85	723	2,146
Skagit	226	8	625	0	0	625	859
Snohomish	1,335	199	710	0	0	710	2,244
Spokane	1,021	282	1,179	69	149	1,397	2,700
Thurston	404	28	126	4	92	222	654
Walla Walla	165	30	5	0	0	5	200
Whatcom	291	19	21	0	0	21	331
Whitman	98	7	23	0	0	23	128
Yakima	441	56	421	0	2	423	920
State	14,387	1,844	7,045	284	537	7,866	24,097

The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Cases Filed by Type of Case1, 2003

County/Court	Paternity/ UIFSA	Relin- quishment	Termin- ation	Adoption	Modifi- cation	Total Adoption/ Paternity	Confidential Name Change	Initial/ Pre- Placement Reports Filed With Clerk	Total Adoption/ Paternity/ Name Change
Adams	0	22	0	0	4	1	27	0	27
Asotin	10	31	0	1	5	0	47	0	47
Columbia	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	0	3
Garfield	1	4	0	2	3	0	10	0	10
..Judicial District	11	36	0	3	10	0	60	0	60
Benton	3	212	1	12	85	0	313	0	313
Franklin	1	183	0	2	16	1	203	1	204
..Judicial District	4	395	1	14	101	1	516	1	517
Chelan	2	79	0	2	40	0	123	0	123
Clallam	4	120	3	0	32	0	159	1	160
Clark	0	483	16	12	182	0	693	3	696
Cowlitz	1	151	0	0	68	0	220	0	220
Douglas	0	41	0	0	11	0	52	0	52
Ferry	0	5	0	0	1	0	6	0	6
Pend Oreille	0	15	0	0	11	0	26	0	26
Stevens	0	39	3	0	10	0	52	1	53
..Judicial District	0	59	3	0	22	0	84	1	85
Grant	0	175	0	1	36	5	217	0	217
Grays Harbor	0	186	0	0	31	3	220	0	220
Island	8	66	0	4	29	0	107	0	107
San Juan	1	5	0	0	6	0	12	0	14
..Judicial District	9	71	0	4	35	0	119	0	121
Jefferson	0	16	0	0	10	0	26	0	26
King	85	1,463	7	15	843	8	2,421	11	2,432
Kitsap	45	246	0	0	165	0	456	1	457
Kittitas	7	33	1	0	10	0	51	0	51
Klickitat	0	22	0	1	9	0	32	0	32
Skamania	0	11	0	0	12	0	23	0	23
..Judicial District	0	33	0	1	21	0	55	0	55
Lewis	0	117	0	0	44	0	161	1	163
Lincoln	0	10	1	0	30	0	41	0	41
Mason	3	79	0	1	35	1	119	0	119
Okanogan	21	73	0	0	10	0	104	0	104
Pacific	0	19	0	0	5	0	24	0	24
Wahkiakum	0	3	0	0	1	0	4	0	4
..Judicial District	0	22	0	0	6	0	28	0	28
Pierce	0	1,135	6	2	465	0	1,608	0	1,608
Skagit	0	176	0	0	50	1	227	0	227
Snohomish	97	749	1	1	293	0	1,141	6	1,148
Spokane	3	656	7	1	386	13	1,066	1	1,067
Thurston	8	201	0	0	117	0	326	8	334
Walla Walla	0	83	0	9	39	0	131	0	131
Whatcom	0	218	0	0	58	0	276	5	289
Whitman	0	24	0	0	10	2	36	0	36
Yakima	7	487	7	4	122	0	627	0	627
State	307	7,639	53	70	3,286	35	11,390	39	11,441

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The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Cases Resolved by Type of Resolution¹, 2003

County/Court	Resolutions Not Involving Trial	Resolutions After Trial	Total Resolutions
Adams	17	0	17
Asotin	46	2	48
Columbia	1	0	1
Garfield	6	0	6
..Judicial District	53	2	55
Benton	339	1	340
Franklin	162	0	162
..Judicial District	501	1	502
Chelan	77	39	116
Clallam	114	0	114
Clark	621	3	624
Cowlitz	173	17	190
Douglas	56	0	56
Ferry	4	0	4
Pend Oreille	26	0	26
Stevens	79	2	81
..Judicial District	109	2	111
Grant	121	58	179
Grays Harbor	134	38	172
Island	118	0	118
San Juan	11	1	12
..Judicial District	129	1	130
Jefferson	36	1	37
King	2,389	34	2,423
Kitsap	423	0	423
Kittitas	34	0	34
Klickitat	15	1	16
Skamania	18	0	18
..Judicial District	33	1	34
Lewis	74	0	74
Lincoln	45	0	45
Mason	127	0	127
Okanogan	34	0	34
Pacific	18	2	20
Wahkiakum	2	0	2
..Judicial District	20	2	22
Pierce	1,500	0	1,500
Skagit	189	5	194
Snohomish	1,217	9	1,226
Spokane	1,101	4	1,105
Thurston	355	6	361
Walla Walla	160	2	162
Whatcom	254	1	255
Whitman	36	2	38
Yakima	674	2	676
State	10,806	230	11,036

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The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Cases Resolved Without Trial by Type of Resolution¹, 2003

County/Court	Uncon- tested	Dis- missed by Clerk	Change of Venue	Dis- missed	Settled/ Agreed Judg- ment	Settled by Arbitra- tion	Default/ Summary Judg- ment	Closed by Court After Hearing	Non- Trial Total
Adams	12	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	17
Asotin	41	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	46
Columbia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Garfield	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6
..Judicial District	46	2	0	1	1	0	1	2	53
Benton	8	0	2	6	44	0	180	99	339
Franklin	47	0	0	18	8	0	82	7	162
..Judicial District	55	0	2	24	52	0	262	106	501
Chelan	39	0	0	6	27	0	5	0	77
Clallam	84	0	0	9	16	0	5	0	114
Clark	290	0	2	31	0	0	140	158	621
Cowlitz	4	22	0	2	44	0	40	61	173
Douglas	40	9	0	2	4	0	0	1	56
Ferry	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	4
Pend Oreille	18	0	0	1	3	0	4	0	26
Stevens	8	17	0	0	7	0	42	5	79
..Judicial District	27	18	0	2	10	0	47	5	109
Grant	16	0	0	1	60	0	18	26	121
Grays Harbor	6	2	1	5	17	0	45	58	134
Island	4	0	0	21	3	0	52	38	118
San Juan	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	11
..Judicial District	14	0	0	21	3	0	53	38	129
Jefferson	5	2	1	1	14	0	7	6	36
King	54	15	1	226	298	0	954	841	2,389
Kitsap	13	23	1	37	22	0	162	165	423
Kittitas	24	0	0	1	2	0	7	0	34
Klickitat	12	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	15
Skamania	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
..Judicial District	28	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	33
Lewis	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	74
Lincoln	15	0	1	0	0	0	0	29	45
Mason	81	2	0	19	3	0	21	1	127
Okanogan	26	0	1	0	7	0	0	0	34
Pacific	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	10	18
Wahkiakum	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
..Judicial District	6	1	0	0	3	0	0	10	20
Pierce	918	0	1	126	0	0	161	294	1,500
Skagit	8	10	0	11	2	0	25	133	189
Snohomish	80	99	2	57	168	1	526	284	1,217
Spokane	10	18	0	123	9	0	239	702	1,101
Thurston	23	0	1	14	2	0	147	168	355
Walla Walla	63	21	1	8	4	0	63	0	160
Whatcom	248	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	254
Whitman	28	1	0	2	0	0	5	0	36
Yakima	190	85	0	4	201	0	110	84	674
State	2,527	332	15	737	974	1	3,047	3,173	10,806

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The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Cases Resolved After Trial Commencement, by Type of Resolution¹, 2003

County/Court	Dismissed/ Settled	Court Decision	Trial Total
Adams	0	0	0
Asotin	0	2	2
Columbia	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	2	2
Benton	0	1	1
Franklin	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	1	1
Chelan	0	39	39
Clallam	0	0	0
Clark	0	3	3
Cowlitz	0	17	17
Douglas	0	0	0
Ferry	0	0	0
Pend Oreille	0	0	0
Stevens	0	2	2
..Judicial District	0	2	2
Grant	0	58	58
Grays Harbor	0	38	38
Island	0	0	0
San Juan	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	1	1
Jefferson	0	1	1
King	0	34	34
Kitsap	0	0	0
Kittitas	0	0	0
Klickitat	0	1	1
Skamania	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	1	1
Lewis	0	0	0
Lincoln	0	0	0
Mason	0	0	0
Okanogan	0	0	0
Pacific	1	1	2
Wahkiakum	0	0	0
..Judicial District	1	1	2
Pierce	0	0	0
Skagit	0	5	5
Snohomish	0	9	9
Spokane	0	4	4
Thurston	0	6	6
Walla Walla	0	2	2
Whatcom	0	1	1
Whitman	0	2	2
Yakima	1	1	2
State	2	228	230

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Figures include counts on pre-placement reports.

The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Cases Resolved by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Paternity/ UIFSA	Relin- quishment	Termin- ation	Adoption	Modifi- cation	Total Adoption/ Paternity	Confi- dential Name Change	Initial/ Pre- Placement Reports Filed With Clerk	Total Adoption/ Paternity/ Name Change
Adams	0	13	0	0	4	0	17	0	17
Asotin	10	30	0	1	7	0	48	0	48
Columbia	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Garfield	0	2	0	2	2	0	6	0	6
..Judicial District	10	33	0	3	9	0	55	0	55
Benton	0	240	1	9	90	0	340	0	340
Franklin	1	144	0	3	12	1	161	1	162
..Judicial District	1	384	1	12	102	1	501	1	502
Chelan	0	78	0	0	38	0	116	0	116
Clallam	1	78	1	1	31	1	113	1	114
Clark	0	450	2	6	164	0	622	2	624
Cowlitz	0	128	0	0	61	1	190	0	190
Douglas	0	43	0	0	13	0	56	0	56
Ferry	0	3	0	0	1	0	4	0	4
Pend Oreille	0	11	0	0	15	0	26	0	26
Stevens	1	64	3	0	12	0	80	1	81
..Judicial District	1	78	3	0	28	0	110	1	111
Grant	0	138	0	0	39	2	179	0	179
Grays Harbor	0	139	0	0	32	1	172	0	172
Island	9	75	0	3	31	0	118	0	118
San Juan	1	3	0	0	6	0	10	0	12
..Judicial District	10	78	0	3	37	0	128	0	130
Jefferson	0	27	0	0	9	1	37	0	37
King	61	1,433	7	9	884	17	2,411	11	2,423
Kitsap	20	234	0	0	167	1	422	1	423
Kittitas	3	20	0	0	11	0	34	0	34
Klickitat	0	10	0	1	5	0	16	0	16
Skamania	0	8	0	0	10	0	18	0	18
..Judicial District	0	18	0	1	15	0	34	0	34
Lewis	0	58	0	0	15	0	73	1	74
Lincoln	0	15	1	0	29	0	45	0	45
Mason	2	86	0	1	37	1	127	0	127
Okanogan	3	24	0	0	7	0	34	0	34
Pacific	0	10	0	0	10	0	20	0	20
Wahkiakum	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	2
..Judicial District	0	11	0	0	11	0	22	0	22
Pierce	11	1,119	6	2	362	0	1,500	0	1,500
Skagit	0	157	0	0	37	0	194	0	194
Snohomish	101	814	0	1	301	3	1,220	6	1,226
Spokane	2	710	8	1	368	15	1,104	1	1,105
Thurston	9	232	0	0	113	0	354	7	361
Walla Walla	0	119	0	7	36	0	162	0	162
Whatcom	0	186	0	0	64	0	250	4	255
Whitman	0	25	0	0	13	0	38	0	38
Yakima	8	537	5	4	122	0	676	0	676
State	243	7,465	34	51	3,159	44	10,996	36	11,036

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The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Proceedings by Type of Proceeding¹, 2003

County/Court	Non-Jury Trial	Trial By Affidavit	Total Trial	Trial Settlement Hearing	Pre-Resolution Motion/Conference	Summary Judgment Hearing	Uncontested Resolution Hearing	Modification Hearing	Post Resolution Motion Hearing	Total Non-Trial Hearing	Total Hearing
Adams	2	0	2	0	25	0	8	1	67	101	103
Asotin	7	0	7	3	20	0	30	0	123	176	183
Columbia	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	7	7
Garfield	0	0	0	0	3	2	5	0	0	10	10
..Judicial District	7	0	7	3	26	2	35	0	127	193	200
Benton	8	0	8	0	607	0	0	1	535	1,143	1,151
Franklin	1	0	1	0	145	12	54	10	122	343	344
..Judicial District	9	0	9	0	752	12	54	11	657	1,486	1,495
Chelan	48	0	48	10	186	0	15	28	445	684	732
Clallam	5	0	5	7	410	1	0	0	253	671	676
Clark	41	0	41	1	1,306	0	0	0	564	1,871	1,912
Cowlitz	23	0	23	10	541	11	50	13	579	1,204	1,227
Douglas	18	0	18	0	53	0	0	0	60	113	131
Ferry	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	5	5
Pend Oreille	4	0	4	0	11	3	7	2	20	43	47
Stevens	4	0	4	0	48	38	1	0	60	147	151
..Judicial District	8	0	8	0	62	41	9	2	81	195	203
Grant	73	0	73	0	318	0	0	28	336	682	755
Grays Harbor	52	0	52	0	485	0	0	0	237	722	774
Island	5	0	5	0	79	46	18	0	69	212	217
San Juan	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	11	29	29
..Judicial District	5	0	5	0	97	46	18	0	80	241	246
Jefferson	1	0	1	2	29	1	1	1	90	124	125
King	127	407	534	0	4,094	1	0	0	5,268	9,363	9,897
Kitsap	2	0	2	20	679	0	0	12	718	1,429	1,431
Kittitas	0	0	0	0	31	8	0	0	34	73	73
Klickitat	2	0	2	0	29	0	1	0	16	46	48
Skamania	0	0	0	0	9	0	11	0	50	70	70
..Judicial District	2	0	2	0	38	0	12	0	66	116	118
Lewis	9	0	9	0	152	5	0	0	428	585	594
Lincoln	2	0	2	0	33	0	0	0	3	36	38
Mason	3	0	3	11	292	0	0	0	183	486	489
Okanogan	5	0	5	0	97	0	0	13	65	175	180
Pacific	2	0	2	0	34	0	4	2	36	76	78
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	14	18	18
..Judicial District	2	0	2	0	37	0	5	2	50	94	96
Pierce	4	0	4	2	2,765	0	1	0	2,551	5,319	5,323
Skagit	16	0	16	0	419	0	0	0	509	928	944
Snohomish	42	0	42	4	1,336	562	0	0	1,869	3,771	3,813
Spokane	33	0	33	0	866	304	150	124	1,337	2,781	2,814
Thurston	21	0	21	49	353	125	149	123	485	1,284	1,305
Walla Walla	1	0	1	58	52	1	1	0	120	232	233
Whatcom	8	0	8	0	405	0	0	20	254	679	687
Whitman	3	0	3	0	60	0	0	3	14	77	80
Yakima	10	0	10	49	1,109	0	0	62	1,105	2,325	2,335
State	582	407	989	226	17,108	1,120	508	443	18,635	38,040	39,029

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The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Trials by Type of Case1, 2003

County/Court	Paternity/ UIFSA	Relin- quishment	Termin- ation	Adoption	Modifi- cation	Total Adoption/ Paternity	Confidential Name Change	Initial/ Pre- Placement Reports Filed With Clerk	Total Adoption/ Paternity/ Name Change
Adams	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Asotin	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
Benton	0	7	0	1	0	8	0	0	8
Franklin	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
..Judicial District	0	8	0	1	0	9	0	0	9
Chelan	0	47	0	0	1	48	0	0	48
Clallam	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Clark	0	40	0	0	1	41	0	0	41
Cowlitz	0	22	0	0	0	23	0	0	23
Douglas	0	18	0	0	0	18	0	0	18
Ferry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pend Oreille	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	4
Stevens	0	3	0	0	1	4	0	0	4
..Judicial District	0	7	0	0	1	8	0	0	8
Grant	0	73	0	0	0	73	0	0	73
Grays Harbor	0	51	0	0	1	52	0	0	52
Island	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
San Juan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Jefferson	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
King	6	520	0	0	4	534	0	0	534
Kitsap	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	2
Kittitas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Klickitat	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Lewis	0	9	0	0	0	9	0	0	9
Lincoln	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Mason	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Okanogan	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Pacific	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Pierce	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	4
Skagit	0	16	0	0	0	16	0	0	16
Snohomish	0	40	0	0	2	42	0	0	42
Spokane	0	30	0	0	3	33	0	0	33
Thurston	1	19	0	0	1	21	0	0	21
Walla Walla	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Whatcom	0	8	0	0	0	8	0	0	8
Whitman	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Yakima	0	9	0	0	1	10	0	0	10
State	7	960	0	1	16	989	0	0	989

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The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Non-Trial Proceedings by Type of Case1, 2003

County/Court	Paternity/ UIFSA	Relin- quishment	Termin- ation	Adoption	Modifi- cation	Total Adoption/ Paternity	Confi- dential Name Change	Initial/ Pre- Placement Reports Filed With Clerk	Total Adoption/ Paternity/ Name Change	
Adams	0	79	0	0	19	3	101	0	0	101
Asotin	9	154	0	1	12	0	176	0	0	176
Columbia	0	6	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	7
Garfield	1	5	0	2	2	0	10	0	0	10
..Judicial District	10	165	0	3	15	0	193	0	0	193
Benton	12	1,019	2	11	99	0	1,143	0	0	1,143
Franklin	2	325	0	1	4	11	343	0	0	343
..Judicial District	14	1,344	2	12	103	11	1,486	0	0	1,486
Chelan	22	621	0	1	40	0	684	0	0	684
Clallam	9	597	3	2	56	2	669	2	0	671
Clark	0	1,632	62	14	163	0	1,871	0	0	1,871
Cowlitz	39	1,062	0	0	76	27	1,204	0	0	1,204
Douglas	7	92	0	0	14	0	113	0	0	113
Ferry	0	3	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	5
Pend Oreille	0	35	0	0	8	0	43	0	0	43
Stevens	1	113	21	0	12	0	147	0	0	147
..Judicial District	1	151	21	0	22	0	195	0	0	195
Grant	0	549	0	0	121	12	682	0	0	682
Grays Harbor	0	685	0	0	32	5	722	0	0	722
Island	12	163	0	4	33	0	212	0	0	212
San Juan	1	21	0	0	7	0	29	0	0	29
..Judicial District	13	184	0	4	40	0	241	0	0	241
Jefferson	0	105	0	0	10	9	124	0	0	124
King	222	8,085	6	16	974	53	9,356	6	1	9,363
Kitsap	44	1,187	0	0	193	4	1,428	1	0	1,429
Kittitas	0	64	0	0	7	2	73	0	0	73
Klickitat	0	38	0	0	8	0	46	0	0	46
Skamania	0	58	0	0	12	0	70	0	0	70
..Judicial District	0	96	0	0	20	0	116	0	0	116
Lewis	2	576	0	0	7	0	585	0	0	585
Lincoln	0	7	1	0	28	0	36	0	0	36
Mason	35	340	0	2	101	8	486	0	0	486
Okanogan	14	150	0	0	10	1	175	0	0	175
Pacific	0	64	0	0	10	2	76	0	0	76
Wahkiakum	0	11	0	0	7	0	18	0	0	18
..Judicial District	0	75	0	0	17	2	94	0	0	94
Pierce	58	4,937	7	2	315	0	5,319	0	0	5,319
Skagit	0	847	0	0	70	11	928	0	0	928
Snohomish	78	3,355	0	2	321	15	3,771	0	0	3,771
Spokane	3	2,517	9	2	186	64	2,781	0	0	2,781
Thurston	47	1,087	0	0	140	0	1,274	10	0	1,284
Walla Walla	0	206	0	7	19	0	232	0	0	232
Whatcom	3	661	0	0	10	0	674	5	0	679
Whitman	0	66	0	0	10	1	77	0	0	77
Yakima	4	2,211	7	2	101	0	2,325	0	0	2,325
State	625	33,733	118	69	3,240	230	38,015	24	1	38,040

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The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Proceedings by Type of Case1, 2003

County/Court	Paternity/ UIFSA	Relin- quishment	Termin- ation	Adoption	Modifi- cation	Total Adoption/ Paternity	Confidential Name Change	Initial/ Pre- Placement Reports Filed With Clerk	Total Adoption/ Paternity/ Name Change	
Adams	0	81	0	0	19	3	103	0	0	103
Asotin	9	161	0	1	12	0	183	0	0	183
Columbia	0	6	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	7
Garfield	1	5	0	2	2	0	10	0	0	10
..Judicial District	10	172	0	3	15	0	200	0	0	200
Benton	12	1,026	2	12	99	0	1,151	0	0	1,151
Franklin	2	326	0	1	4	11	344	0	0	344
..Judicial District	14	1,352	2	13	103	11	1,495	0	0	1,495
Chelan	22	668	0	1	41	0	732	0	0	732
Clallam	9	602	3	2	56	2	674	2	0	676
Clark	0	1,672	62	14	164	0	1,912	0	0	1,912
Cowlitz	39	1,084	0	0	76	28	1,227	0	0	1,227
Douglas	7	110	0	0	14	0	131	0	0	131
Ferry	0	3	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	5
Pend Oreille	0	39	0	0	8	0	47	0	0	47
Stevens	1	116	21	0	13	0	151	0	0	151
..Judicial District	1	158	21	0	23	0	203	0	0	203
Grant	0	622	0	0	121	12	755	0	0	755
Grays Harbor	0	736	0	0	33	5	774	0	0	774
Island	12	168	0	4	33	0	217	0	0	217
San Juan	1	21	0	0	7	0	29	0	0	29
..Judicial District	13	189	0	4	40	0	246	0	0	246
Jefferson	0	106	0	0	10	9	125	0	0	125
King	228	8,605	6	16	978	57	9,890	6	1	9,897
Kitsap	44	1,188	0	0	194	4	1,430	1	0	1,431
Kittitas	0	64	0	0	7	2	73	0	0	73
Klickitat	0	40	0	0	8	0	48	0	0	48
Skamania	0	58	0	0	12	0	70	0	0	70
..Judicial District	0	98	0	0	20	0	118	0	0	118
Lewis	2	585	0	0	7	0	594	0	0	594
Lincoln	0	9	1	0	28	0	38	0	0	38
Mason	35	343	0	2	101	8	489	0	0	489
Okanogan	14	155	0	0	10	1	180	0	0	180
Pacific	0	66	0	0	10	2	78	0	0	78
Wahkiakum	0	11	0	0	7	0	18	0	0	18
..Judicial District	0	77	0	0	17	2	96	0	0	96
Pierce	58	4,941	7	2	315	0	5,323	0	0	5,323
Skagit	0	863	0	0	70	11	944	0	0	944
Snohomish	78	3,395	0	2	323	15	3,813	0	0	3,813
Spokane	3	2,547	9	2	189	64	2,814	0	0	2,814
Thurston	48	1,106	0	0	141	0	1,295	10	0	1,305
Walla Walla	0	207	0	7	19	0	233	0	0	233
Whatcom	3	669	0	0	10	0	682	5	0	687
Whitman	0	69	0	0	10	1	80	0	0	80
Yakima	4	2,220	7	2	102	0	2,335	0	0	2,335
State	632	34,693	118	70	3,256	235	39,004	24	1	39,029

1 These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence.

The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Proceedings Continued, Canceled, and Stricken¹, 2003

-----Proceedings Continued-----

County/Court	Judicial Conflict	Calendar Conflict	Defense Requested	Prosecutor Requested	Stipulated	Unspecified	Total Proceedings		
							Continued	Canceled/ Stricken	Continued/ Canceled/ Stricken
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Benton	0	0	85	176	0	308	569	236	805
Franklin	0	0	52	587	42	10	691	194	885
..Judicial District	0	0	137	763	42	318	1,260	430	1,690
Chelan	1	0	6	24	8	1	40	119	159
Clallam	0	0	2	16	63	7	88	56	144
Clark	0	1	51	325	23	59	459	406	865
Cowlitz	3	0	9	41	26	0	79	164	243
Douglas	0	0	0	25	1	0	26	52	78
Ferry	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2
Pend Oreille	0	0	1	3	2	1	7	16	23
Stevens	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	27	30
..Judicial District	0	0	1	5	4	1	11	44	55
Grant	0	0	0	1	17	0	18	109	127
Grays Harbor	0	0	8	12	57	63	140	60	200
Island	0	0	2	2	0	0	4	31	35
San Juan	0	0	2	2	2	0	4	3	7
..Judicial District	0	0	2	4	2	0	8	34	42
Jefferson	0	1	0	12	10	0	23	17	40
King	0	0	0	0	8	3,513	3,521	462	3,983
Kitsap	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	133	139
Kittitas	1	1	1	0	5	2	10	19	29
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	14
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	15
Lewis	0	0	14	44	85	0	143	314	457
Lincoln	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	12	13
Mason	0	0	14	104	38	0	156	59	215
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	24	26
Pacific	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	7	9
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	8	10
Pierce	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	3
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	186	186
Snohomish	2	7	223	122	165	943	1,462	682	2,144
Spokane	1	7	44	220	810	36	1,118	570	1,688
Thurston	1	53	56	99	49	7	265	251	516
Walla Walla	0	1	10	17	0	8	36	22	58
Whatcom	0	0	2	7	4	1	14	67	81
Whitman	0	0	1	5	2	0	8	7	15
Yakima	0	0	10	16	36	0	62	355	417
State	9	71	592	1,863	1,463	4,963	8,961	4,677	13,638

¹ These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence. Includes counts on pre-placement reports.

The Superior Courts
Adoption and Paternity Cases Completed by Type of Case¹, 2003

County/Court	Paternity/ UIFSA	Relin- quishment	Termin- ation	Adoption	Modifi- cation	Total Adoption/ Paternity	Confi- dential Name Change	Initial/ Pre- Placement Reports Filed With Clerk	Total Adoption/ Paternity/ Name Change	
Adams	0	13	0	0	4	0	17	0	0	17
Asotin	10	30	0	1	7	0	48	0	0	48
Columbia	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Garfield	0	2	0	2	2	0	6	0	0	6
..Judicial District	10	33	0	3	9	0	55	0	0	55
Benton	0	240	1	9	90	0	340	0	0	340
Franklin	1	144	0	1	13	1	160	1	0	161
..Judicial District	1	384	1	10	103	1	500	1	0	501
Chelan	0	73	0	0	38	0	111	0	0	111
Clallam	1	78	1	1	31	1	113	1	0	114
Clark	0	450	2	6	164	0	622	2	0	624
Cowlitz	0	126	0	0	61	1	188	0	0	188
Douglas	0	43	0	0	13	0	56	0	0	56
Ferry	0	3	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	4
Pend Oreille	0	11	0	0	15	0	26	0	0	26
Stevens	1	64	3	0	12	0	80	1	0	81
..Judicial District	1	78	3	0	28	0	110	1	0	111
Grant	0	139	0	0	39	2	180	0	0	180
Grays Harbor	0	139	0	0	32	1	172	0	0	172
Island	9	75	0	3	31	0	118	0	0	118
San Juan	1	3	0	0	6	0	10	0	2	12
..Judicial District	10	78	0	3	37	0	128	0	2	130
Jefferson	0	27	0	0	9	1	37	0	0	37
King	66	1,547	7	9	884	16	2,529	11	1	2,541
Kitsap	19	230	0	0	166	1	416	1	0	417
Kittitas	3	20	0	0	11	0	34	0	0	34
Klickitat	0	10	0	1	5	0	16	0	0	16
Skamania	0	8	0	0	10	0	18	0	0	18
..Judicial District	0	18	0	1	15	0	34	0	0	34
Lewis	0	27	0	0	15	0	42	0	0	42
Lincoln	0	15	1	0	29	0	45	0	0	45
Mason	2	88	0	1	37	1	129	0	0	129
Okanogan	3	24	0	0	7	0	34	0	0	34
Pacific	0	10	0	0	10	0	20	0	0	20
Wahkiakum	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	2
..Judicial District	0	11	0	0	11	0	22	0	0	22
Pierce	11	1,119	6	2	362	0	1,500	0	0	1,500
Skagit	0	158	0	0	37	0	195	0	0	195
Snohomish	102	717	0	1	303	3	1,126	6	0	1,132
Spokane	2	706	8	1	366	15	1,098	1	0	1,099
Thurston	9	238	0	0	112	0	359	7	0	366
Walla Walla	0	118	0	7	36	0	161	0	0	161
Whatcom	0	183	0	0	64	0	247	4	1	252
Whitman	0	25	0	0	13	0	38	0	0	38
Yakima	8	537	5	4	122	0	676	0	0	676
State	248	7,442	34	49	3,158	43	10,974	35	4	11,013

¹ These sealed cases include confidential name changes for victims of domestic violence.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Cases Filed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child In Need Of Services	Dependency	Developmental Disability Placement	Termination	At-Risk Youth	Truancy	Total Juvenile Dependency
Adams	0	13	0	0	0	31	44
Asotin	0	15	0	4	0	52	71
Columbia	1	6	0	1	0	3	11
Garfield	0	4	0	0	0	0	4
..Judicial District	1	25	0	5	0	55	86
Benton	3	79	0	25	40	488	635
Franklin	0	43	0	10	19	426	498
..Judicial District	3	122	0	35	59	914	1,133
Chelan	2	32	0	22	16	147	219
Clallam	14	43	0	8	97	299	461
Clark	28	318	0	92	19	732	1,189
Cowlitz	9	150	1	99	157	466	882
Douglas	1	6	0	5	18	104	134
Ferry	0	12	0	0	1	12	25
Pend Oreille	9	11	0	0	8	32	60
Stevens	12	22	0	11	26	46	117
..Judicial District	21	45	0	11	35	90	202
Grant	0	60	0	17	13	90	180
Grays Harbor	12	128	0	37	124	320	621
Island	2	58	1	0	8	151	220
San Juan	0	1	0	0	1	10	12
..Judicial District	2	59	1	0	9	161	232
Jefferson	7	14	0	0	17	55	93
King	127	713	5	262	394	1,874	3,375
Kitsap	1	139	1	76	15	321	553
Kittitas	1	13	0	2	10	38	64
Klickitat	0	22	0	7	2	20	51
Skamania	2	13	0	4	4	14	37
..Judicial District	2	35	0	11	6	34	88
Lewis	2	40	0	25	20	199	286
Lincoln	3	8	0	2	4	30	47
Mason	8	52	0	19	22	144	245
Okanogan	0	30	0	10	4	172	216
Pacific	8	20	0	17	9	14	68
Wahkiakum	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
..Judicial District	9	21	0	17	9	14	70
Pierce	10	469	0	236	199	1,142	2,056
Skagit	6	123	0	17	32	494	672
Snohomish	36	428	1	216	309	2,038	3,028
Spokane	76	379	0	154	131	1,471	2,211
Thurston	13	100	0	29	115	314	571
Walla Walla	0	66	0	0	7	50	123
Whatcom	14	73	0	10	59	175	331
Whitman	4	13	0	2	6	8	33
Yakima	10	194	0	66	143	591	1,004
State	422	3,911	9	1,485	2,049	12,573	20,449

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Cases Resolved by Approved Petition, 2003

County/Court	Child In Need Of Services ¹	Dependency	Developmental Disability Placement	Termination	At-Risk Youth	Truancy	Total Juvenile Dependency
Adams	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Asotin	0	15	0	7	0	29	51
Columbia	0	4	0	0	0	3	7
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	19	0	7	0	32	58
Benton	2	37	0	24	28	107	198
Franklin	0	45	0	8	7	145	205
..Judicial District	2	82	0	32	35	252	403
Chelan	0	7	0	7	7	69	90
Clallam	7	18	0	3	38	239	305
Clark	19	239	0	58	15	576	907
Cowlitz	6	114	0	69	142	235	566
Douglas	1	1	0	0	17	100	119
Ferry	0	4	0	0	1	8	13
Pend Oreille	5	9	0	0	5	24	43
Stevens	6	11	0	4	22	38	81
..Judicial District	11	24	0	4	28	70	137
Grant	0	36	0	14	11	77	138
Grays Harbor	7	102	0	32	110	236	487
Island	2	25	1	0	6	94	128
San Juan	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
..Judicial District	2	25	1	0	7	96	131
Jefferson	3	6	0	0	12	43	64
King	46	448	4	119	190	368	1,175
Kitsap	1	80	1	45	6	136	269
Kittitas	0	3	0	0	8	29	40
Klickitat	0	18	0	1	0	17	36
Skamania	0	6	0	0	4	14	24
..Judicial District	0	24	0	1	4	31	60
Lewis	2	23	0	25	20	155	225
Lincoln	3	8	0	2	4	30	47
Mason	1	37	0	16	5	20	79
Okanogan	0	26	0	6	4	124	160
Pacific	3	7	0	0	2	7	19
Wahkiakum	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
..Judicial District	3	8	0	0	2	7	20
Pierce	4	565	2	156	165	849	1,741
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Snohomish	19	332	0	183	218	1,675	2,427
Spokane	51	308	0	154	100	616	1,229
Thurston	10	37	0	15	98	260	420
Walla Walla	0	27	0	0	0	33	60
Whatcom	0	48	0	2	11	122	183
Whitman	1	3	0	3	4	3	14
Yakima	5	112	0	67	102	462	748
State	204	2,764	8	1,020	1,363	6,945	12,304

¹ The Child In Need Of Services (CNS) cause replaced the Alternative Residential Placement (ARP) cause in 1995. Resolutions of legacy ARP cases are reported in the CNS category.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Cases Resolved by Other Resolution¹, 2003

County/Court	Child In Need Of Services ²	Dependency	Developmental Disability Placement	Termination	At-Risk Youth	Truancy	Total Juvenile Dependency
Adams	0	2	1	0	0	29	32
Asotin	0	5	0	0	0	16	21
Columbia	1	4	0	1	0	0	6
Garfield	0	4	0	0	0	0	4
..Judicial District	1	13	0	1	0	16	31
Benton	1	11	0	3	4	333	352
Franklin	0	31	1	3	10	325	370
..Judicial District	1	42	1	6	14	658	722
Chelan	1	34	0	2	4	39	80
Clallam	7	51	1	0	80	37	176
Clark	16	141	1	25	8	124	315
Cowlitz	4	22	1	5	14	217	263
Douglas	0	5	0	0	1	4	10
Ferry	0	5	0	0	0	0	5
Pend Oreille	5	1	0	2	6	7	21
Stevens	12	6	0	5	9	12	44
..Judicial District	17	12	0	7	15	19	70
Grant	0	8	0	1	2	7	18
Grays Harbor	2	27	0	1	63	111	204
Island	0	12	0	0	1	35	48
San Juan	0	3	1	0	1	1	6
..Judicial District	0	15	1	0	2	36	54
Jefferson	4	5	0	0	6	5	20
King	64	277	3	21	179	1,303	1,847
Kitsap	1	37	0	51	9	193	291
Kittitas	0	5	0	0	2	12	19
Klickitat	0	1	0	1	0	1	3
Skamania	2	2	0	0	1	0	5
..Judicial District	2	3	0	1	1	1	8
Lewis	0	10	0	3	0	43	56
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mason	5	26	0	2	8	160	201
Okanogan	0	5	0	1	0	22	28
Pacific	3	9	0	2	4	5	23
Wahkiakum	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
..Judicial District	4	9	0	2	6	5	26
Pierce	7	23	0	35	33	33	131
Skagit	5	40	0	0	34	453	532
Snohomish	15	67	0	7	87	332	508
Spokane	21	58	0	19	29	625	752
Thurston	5	18	0	4	23	55	105
Walla Walla	0	38	0	0	8	8	54
Whatcom	12	48	1	1	34	152	248
Whitman	1	4	1	2	3	5	16
Yakima	4	28	0	1	31	20	84
State	199	1,073	11	198	696	4,724	6,901

¹ Other resolutions include changes of venue, uncontested resolutions, dismissals, and transfers of jurisdiction.

² The Child In Need Of Services (CNS) cause replaced the Alternative Residential Placement (ARP) cause in 1995. Resolutions of legacy ARP cases are reported in the CNS category.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Cases Resolved by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child In Need Of Services ¹	Dependency	Developmental Disability Placement	Termination	At-Risk Youth	Truancy	Total Juvenile Dependency
Adams	0	4	1	0	0	29	34
Asotin	0	20	0	7	0	45	72
Columbia	1	8	0	1	0	3	13
Garfield	0	4	0	0	0	0	4
..Judicial District	1	32	0	8	0	48	89
Benton	3	48	0	27	32	440	550
Franklin	0	76	1	11	17	470	575
..Judicial District	3	124	1	38	49	910	1,125
Chelan	1	41	0	9	11	108	170
Clallam	14	69	1	3	118	276	481
Clark	35	380	1	83	23	700	1,222
Cowlitz	10	136	1	74	156	452	829
Douglas	1	6	0	0	18	104	129
Ferry	0	9	0	0	1	8	18
Pend Oreille	10	10	0	2	11	31	64
Stevens	18	17	0	9	31	50	125
..Judicial District	28	36	0	11	43	89	207
Grant	0	44	0	15	13	84	156
Grays Harbor	9	129	0	33	173	347	691
Island	2	37	1	0	7	129	176
San Juan	0	3	1	0	2	3	9
..Judicial District	2	40	2	0	9	132	185
Jefferson	7	11	0	0	18	48	84
King	110	725	7	140	369	1,671	3,022
Kitsap	2	117	1	96	15	329	560
Kittitas	0	8	0	0	10	41	59
Klickitat	0	19	0	2	0	18	39
Skamania	2	8	0	0	5	14	29
..Judicial District	2	27	0	2	5	32	68
Lewis	2	33	0	28	20	198	281
Lincoln	3	8	0	2	4	30	47
Mason	6	63	0	18	13	180	280
Okanogan	0	31	0	7	4	146	188
Pacific	6	16	0	2	6	12	42
Wahkiakum	1	1	0	0	2	0	4
..Judicial District	7	17	0	2	8	12	46
Pierce	11	588	2	191	198	882	1,872
Skagit	5	40	0	0	34	453	532
Snohomish	34	399	0	190	305	2,007	2,935
Spokane	72	366	0	173	129	1,241	1,981
Thurston	15	55	0	19	121	315	525
Walla Walla	0	65	0	0	8	41	114
Whatcom	12	96	1	3	45	274	431
Whitman	2	7	1	5	7	8	30
Yakima	9	140	0	68	133	482	832
State	403	3,837	19	1,218	2,059	11,669	19,205

¹ Resolutions of legacy Alternative Residential Placement cases are reported in this category.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Fact Finding Only	Fact Finding By Affidavit	Fact Finding/Disposition	Total Fact Finding Hearing	Detention Hearing	Motion Hearing ¹	Shelter Care Hearing	Separate Disposition Hearing	Other Post-Resolution Hearing ²	Total Non-Fact Finding Hearing	Total Hearing
Adams	3	0	0	3	0	26	14	1	14	55	58
Asotin	4	0	10	14	0	90	13	62	212	377	391
Columbia	1	0	1	2	0	10	6	4	16	36	38
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	17	19	19
..Judicial District	5	0	11	16	0	102	19	66	245	432	448
Benton	24	0	304	328	0	435	111	68	746	1,360	1,688
Franklin	20	0	60	80	0	289	51	35	489	864	944
..Judicial District	44	0	364	408	0	724	162	103	1,235	2,224	2,632
Chelan	24	0	80	104	1	228	73	62	201	565	669
Clallam	32	0	362	394	117	313	56	212	880	1,578	1,972
Clark	270	0	1,110	1,380	0	913	469	83	1,899	3,364	4,744
Cowlitz	63	0	630	693	161	1,521	294	397	3,171	5,544	6,237
Douglas	26	0	93	119	0	71	13	11	498	593	712
Ferry	10	0	0	10	2	35	16	2	65	120	130
Pend Oreille	45	0	2	47	10	8	10	23	116	167	214
Stevens	7	0	0	7	8	307	23	75	326	739	746
..Judicial District	62	0	2	64	20	350	49	100	507	1,026	1,090
Grant	92	0	61	153	0	313	145	79	396	933	1,086
Grays Harbor	6	0	45	51	31	1,247	69	309	3,036	4,692	4,743
Island	12	0	28	40	0	340	89	19	437	885	925
San Juan	0	0	1	1	0	92	1	2	95	190	191
..Judicial District	12	0	29	41	0	432	90	21	532	1,075	1,116
Jefferson	54	0	0	54	0	113	11	46	325	495	549
King	37	1	996	1,034	214	3,057	828	215	3,524	7,838	8,872
Kitsap	106	0	0	106	1	1,830	396	144	1,364	3,735	3,841
Kittitas	43	3	0	46	1	24	8	14	81	128	174
Klickitat	6	0	0	6	1	98	17	19	145	280	286
Skamania	8	0	17	25	0	29	12	12	70	123	148
..Judicial District	14	0	17	31	1	127	29	31	215	403	434
Lewis	2	0	1	3	2	316	38	15	608	979	982
Lincoln	3	0	23	26	0	17	10	1	24	52	78
Mason	47	0	8	55	41	924	50	89	961	2,065	2,120
Okanogan	171	0	0	171	0	71	44	32	407	554	725
Pacific	34	0	6	40	0	91	23	28	165	307	347
Wahkiakum	1	0	0	1	0	5	1	5	13	24	25
..Judicial District	35	0	6	41	0	96	24	33	178	331	372
Pierce	1,323	0	730	2,053	62	4,762	401	548	5,251	11,024	13,077
Skagit	35	0	8	43	0	1,609	103	61	410	2,183	2,226
Snohomish	17	0	1,249	1,266	4	5,592	872	548	4,831	11,847	13,113
Spokane	105	0	963	1,068	11	1,057	380	48	2,891	4,387	5,455
Thurston	128	0	72	200	102	529	93	134	2,072	2,930	3,130
Walla Walla	12	0	0	12	0	91	55	4	168	318	330
Whatcom	9	0	283	292	44	155	69	79	604	951	1,243
Whitman	1	0	0	1	0	109	5	0	20	134	135
Yakima	52	0	486	538	202	1,554	182	296	1,463	3,697	4,235
State	2,833	4	7,629	10,466	1,015	28,273	5,051	3,782	38,011	76,132	86,598

1 Motion hearings include status conferences, pre-fact finding management hearings, warrant identification hearings, and motion hearings.

2 Other post-resolution hearings include review and contempt hearings.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Proceedings by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child In Need Of Services	Dependency	Developmental Disability Placement	Termination	At-Risk Youth	Truancy	Total Juvenile Dependency
Adams	0	54	1	0	0	3	58
Asotin	0	257	0	17	0	117	391
Columbia	1	25	0	3	0	9	38
Garfield	0	19	0	0	0	0	19
..Judicial District	1	301	0	20	0	126	448
Benton	6	925	17	106	139	495	1,688
Franklin	0	455	0	29	47	413	944
..Judicial District	6	1,380	17	135	186	908	2,632
Chelan	8	394	0	80	48	139	669
Clallam	43	673	2	38	380	836	1,972
Clark	63	3,458	8	416	41	758	4,744
Cowlitz	68	2,086	4	509	1,484	2,086	6,237
Douglas	6	84	0	8	98	516	712
Ferry	0	96	0	0	2	32	130
Pend Oreille	21	77	0	4	39	73	214
Stevens	50	178	0	23	125	370	746
..Judicial District	71	351	0	27	166	475	1,090
Grant	0	611	1	52	123	299	1,086
Grays Harbor	69	879	0	85	1,530	2,180	4,743
Island	8	722	2	0	16	177	925
San Juan	0	53	1	0	9	128	191
..Judicial District	8	775	3	0	25	305	1,116
Jefferson	34	138	0	0	75	302	549
King	317	5,503	29	462	1,463	1,098	8,872
Kitsap	7	2,804	4	550	107	369	3,841
Kittitas	0	93	0	0	29	52	174
Klickitat	0	193	0	31	8	54	286
Skamania	2	78	0	25	11	32	148
..Judicial District	2	271	0	56	19	86	434
Lewis	6	480	0	74	142	280	982
Lincoln	8	41	0	4	9	16	78
Mason	23	468	0	70	118	1,441	2,120
Okanogan	0	223	0	12	22	468	725
Pacific	17	247	0	46	25	12	347
Wahkiakum	2	17	0	0	6	0	25
..Judicial District	19	264	0	46	31	12	372
Pierce	33	8,122	12	1,027	1,458	2,425	13,077
Skagit	30	1,428	0	24	220	524	2,226
Snohomish	136	6,191	26	486	2,769	3,505	13,113
Spokane	188	3,223	21	549	534	940	5,455
Thurston	54	2,024	3	56	508	485	3,130
Walla Walla	3	268	0	0	12	47	330
Whatcom	33	545	2	14	274	375	1,243
Whitman	12	57	3	23	12	28	135
Yakima	38	2,373	0	262	599	963	4,235
State	1,286	45,562	136	5,085	12,482	22,047	86,598

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Proceedings Continued, Canceled, and Stricken, 2003

-----Proceedings Continued-----

County/Court	Judicial Conflict	Calendar Conflict	Defense Requested	Prosecutor Requested	Stipulated	Unspecified	Total Proceedings		
							Continued	Canceled/ Stricken	Continued/ Canceled/ Stricken
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Garfield	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	6
..Judicial District	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	7	8
Benton	0	0	0	0	0	106	106	28	134
Franklin	0	0	7	1	75	1	84	102	186
..Judicial District	0	0	7	1	75	107	190	130	320
Chelan	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	47	53
Clallam	0	0	22	0	457	4	483	78	561
Clark	0	0	0	0	1	394	395	191	586
Cowlitz	8	34	85	176	93	8	404	207	611
Douglas	0	0	21	126	28	0	175	145	320
Ferry	2	4	0	0	7	7	20	20	40
Pend Oreille	0	0	18	12	39	2	71	28	99
Stevens	0	2	2	0	6	0	10	66	76
..Judicial District	2	6	20	12	52	9	101	114	215
Grant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96	96
Grays Harbor	0	0	6	102	153	552	813	176	989
Island	0	0	7	76	2	0	85	109	194
San Juan	0	0	5	15	32	0	52	5	57
..Judicial District	0	0	12	91	34	0	137	114	251
Jefferson	0	0	4	40	81	2	127	26	153
King	0	0	0	0	0	1,487	1,487	311	1,798
Kitsap	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kittitas	0	3	0	0	10	0	13	15	28
Klickitat	0	6	2	9	0	2	19	1	20
Skamania	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	8	11
..Judicial District	0	6	2	12	0	2	22	9	31
Lewis	0	0	0	3	12	0	15	6	21
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	12	0	12	14	26
Mason	0	0	0	15	4	0	19	141	160
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	70
Pacific	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	6	9
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	6	9
Pierce	0	0	0	0	81	1,666	1,747	2,721	4,468
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	167	167
Snohomish	0	8	151	347	300	2,010	2,816	2,486	5,302
Spokane	0	4	70	28	102	12	216	42	258
Thurston	0	44	0	6	98	0	148	764	912
Walla Walla	0	0	0	7	0	0	7	7	14
Whatcom	0	0	0	0	24	0	24	88	112
Whitman	0	0	0	23	3	0	26	13	39
Yakima	0	0	90	58	51	0	199	190	389
State	10	105	490	1,048	1,677	6,256	9,586	8,381	17,967

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Dependency Cases Completed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Child In Need Of Services ¹	Dependency	Developmental Disability Placement	Termination	At-Risk Youth	Truancy	Total Juvenile Dependency
Adams	0	4	1	0	0	29	34
Asotin	0	20	0	6	0	45	71
Columbia	1	7	0	1	0	3	12
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	1	27	0	7	0	48	83
Benton	3	40	0	32	24	422	521
Franklin	0	76	1	11	17	469	574
..Judicial District	3	116	1	43	41	891	1,095
Chelan	1	43	0	9	11	106	170
Clallam	9	53	1	4	90	275	432
Clark	24	210	1	81	14	694	1,024
Cowlitz	12	150	1	89	151	419	822
Douglas	1	6	0	0	18	103	128
Ferry	0	10	0	0	1	0	11
Pend Oreille	8	8	0	2	16	7	41
Stevens	18	17	0	8	31	50	124
..Judicial District	26	35	0	10	48	57	176
Grant	0	46	0	15	13	78	152
Grays Harbor	10	129	0	30	171	348	688
Island	2	30	0	0	7	129	168
San Juan	0	4	1	0	2	4	11
..Judicial District	2	34	1	0	9	133	179
Jefferson	10	11	0	0	19	37	77
King	95	777	6	240	349	2,757	4,224
Kitsap	8	216	2	96	24	341	687
Kittitas	0	10	0	0	8	43	61
Klickitat	0	25	0	2	0	18	45
Skamania	2	10	0	0	4	14	30
..Judicial District	2	35	0	2	4	32	75
Lewis	2	100	0	28	19	198	347
Lincoln	4	4	0	2	4	12	26
Mason	6	65	0	18	13	170	272
Okanogan	0	26	0	7	5	147	185
Pacific	4	13	0	2	5	12	36
Wahkiakum	1	1	0	0	3	0	5
..Judicial District	5	14	0	2	8	12	41
Pierce	14	503	2	98	211	864	1,692
Skagit	5	41	0	0	34	453	533
Snohomish	34	458	0	187	302	2,005	2,986
Spokane	71	407	4	173	129	1,241	2,025
Thurston	12	94	1	18	92	327	544
Walla Walla	0	64	0	0	8	41	113
Whatcom	12	94	1	3	45	275	430
Whitman	2	8	1	5	7	8	31
Yakima	9	231	0	69	134	482	925
State	380	4,011	23	1,236	1,981	12,626	20,257

¹ Includes completions of legacy Alternative Residential Placement cases.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Cases Filed by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross	Non- Charges ¹	Total Offender
	Homicide	Crimes								Misde- meanor		
Adams	0	2	0	1	18	3	1	0	25	36	19	80
Asotin	1	2	0	2	24	1	3	11	44	72	9	125
Columbia	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	4	10	17	1	28
Garfield	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	6	0	0	6
..Judicial District	1	2	0	5	30	4	3	15	60	89	10	159
Benton	0	24	4	25	117	40	37	80	327	616	156	1,099
Franklin	0	4	1	3	34	9	10	31	92	203	38	333
..Judicial District	0	28	5	28	151	49	47	111	419	819	194	1,432
Chelan	0	7	7	11	49	24	20	42	160	322	57	539
Clallam	0	6	1	20	52	8	14	33	134	173	35	342
Clark	2	45	24	56	238	117	37	130	649	588	44	1,281
Cowlitz	0	27	5	23	79	28	17	39	218	282	82	582
Douglas	0	2	0	6	34	7	4	24	77	96	50	223
Ferry	0	1	0	3	8	2	0	3	17	7	8	32
Pend Oreille	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	6	21	3	30
Stevens	0	4	3	5	22	7	3	24	68	78	36	182
..Judicial District	0	7	3	8	30	11	3	29	91	106	47	244
Grant	2	13	2	19	102	21	15	91	265	419	29	713
Grays Harbor	0	10	5	13	68	9	18	43	166	350	25	541
Island	0	2	5	7	50	8	4	21	97	116	43	256
San Juan	0	3	0	0	6	1	1	0	11	29	0	40
..Judicial District	0	5	5	7	56	9	5	21	108	145	43	296
Jefferson	0	4	0	4	7	10	2	11	38	55	9	102
King	3	106	164	127	436	468	173	365	1,842	2,731	924	5,497
Kitsap	0	21	2	28	71	30	15	88	255	860	52	1,167
Kittitas	0	4	0	5	17	4	8	13	51	70	10	131
Klickitat	0	2	0	6	28	10	8	14	68	37	15	120
Skamania	0	3	0	1	3	0	0	3	10	8	10	28
..Judicial District	0	5	0	7	31	10	8	17	78	45	25	148
Lewis	0	26	4	25	70	14	10	53	202	214	42	458
Lincoln	0	1	0	2	13	3	0	3	22	13	9	44
Mason	0	11	0	4	21	7	6	16	65	84	65	214
Okanogan	0	5	0	15	82	11	15	51	179	257	46	482
Pacific	0	2	0	5	27	2	0	18	54	92	12	158
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	6	11	0	17
..Judicial District	0	2	0	6	29	2	1	20	60	103	12	175
Pierce	3	81	75	146	538	123	76	359	1,401	1,409	175	2,985
Skagit	1	8	2	17	63	10	6	20	127	260	156	543
Snohomish	2	45	18	44	298	127	51	121	706	1,343	495	2,544
Spokane	1	39	24	59	310	88	70	204	795	721	292	1,808
Thurston	1	37	6	39	148	21	42	145	439	739	114	1,292
Walla Walla	0	9	0	15	41	7	6	29	107	136	30	273
Whatcom	0	26	6	21	103	18	27	72	273	522	57	852
Whitman	0	1	0	1	8	1	8	13	32	48	17	97
Yakima	0	35	13	66	268	93	39	196	710	818	367	1,895
State	16	620	371	828	3,461	1,337	747	2,374	9,754	13,853	3,532	27,139

1 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a juvenile offender case as of the date the information is filed.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Original Counts Filed by Category of Offense, 2003

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross	Total Offender
	Homicide	Crimes								Misde- meanor	
Adams	0	2	0	1	21	4	1	0	29	42	71
Asotin	1	4	0	2	31	2	3	21	64	191	255
Columbia	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	4	13	26	39
Garfield	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	1	7	7	14
..Judicial District	1	4	0	5	40	5	3	26	84	224	308
Benton	0	35	6	27	135	41	41	110	395	865	1,260
Franklin	0	4	1	3	37	9	11	35	100	242	342
..Judicial District	0	39	7	30	172	50	52	145	495	1,107	1,602
Chelan	0	8	7	16	100	28	27	66	252	664	916
Clallam	0	7	1	20	74	9	17	41	169	246	415
Clark	2	86	25	62	299	135	41	221	871	1,044	1,915
Cowlitz	0	52	5	32	107	33	20	73	322	459	781
Douglas	0	6	0	7	47	7	6	41	114	177	291
Ferry	0	1	0	3	27	6	0	9	46	26	72
Pend Oreille	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	3	7	26	33
Stevens	0	10	3	5	40	10	3	33	104	97	201
..Judicial District	0	13	3	8	67	18	3	45	157	149	306
Grant	2	20	2	29	179	23	19	151	425	702	1,127
Grays Harbor	0	15	5	18	95	10	18	71	232	557	789
Island	0	3	5	7	65	9	4	33	126	164	290
San Juan	0	9	0	0	6	1	1	2	19	46	65
..Judicial District	0	12	5	7	71	10	5	35	145	210	355
Jefferson	0	6	0	4	7	10	2	14	43	78	121
King	4	124	178	149	490	505	186	450	2,086	3,171	5,257
Kitsap	0	21	2	28	76	30	15	94	266	958	1,224
Kittitas	0	5	0	6	21	4	9	21	66	109	175
Klickitat	0	4	0	6	37	12	8	25	92	58	150
Skamania	0	8	0	1	7	0	0	4	20	14	34
..Judicial District	0	12	0	7	44	12	8	29	112	72	184
Lewis	0	48	5	28	154	19	11	88	353	341	694
Lincoln	0	1	0	3	26	5	0	10	45	29	74
Mason	0	12	0	4	25	9	6	21	77	113	190
Okanogan	0	5	0	21	147	16	22	93	304	543	847
Pacific	0	5	0	8	48	2	0	33	96	151	247
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	2	7	14	21
..Judicial District	0	5	0	9	50	3	1	35	103	165	268
Pierce	3	137	88	183	703	135	95	566	1,910	2,442	4,352
Skagit	1	9	2	18	95	11	16	43	195	467	662
Snohomish	4	58	18	46	331	129	52	142	780	1,500	2,280
Spokane	1	43	25	66	420	104	86	311	1,056	1,256	2,312
Thurston	1	62	8	47	204	22	48	196	588	1,104	1,692
Walla Walla	0	9	0	18	63	9	8	56	163	259	422
Whatcom	0	37	6	22	115	18	32	98	328	784	1,112
Whitman	0	1	0	1	13	2	8	14	39	72	111
Yakima	0	62	15	81	369	117	48	317	1,009	1,530	2,539
State	19	921	407	976	4,625	1,492	865	3,513	12,818	20,574	33,392

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Case Resolutions¹, 2003

County/Court	Pre-Adjudicatory Hearing Resolutions ¹	Post-Adjudicatory Hearing Resolutions	Total Resolutions ¹
Adams	81	1	82
Asotin	102	22	124
Columbia	22	2	24
Garfield	0	2	2
..Judicial District	124	26	150
Benton	934	104	1,038
Franklin	283	18	301
..Judicial District	1,217	122	1,339
Chelan	466	59	525
Clallam	279	65	344
Clark	1,257	38	1,295
Cowlitz	508	47	555
Douglas	194	48	242
Ferry	25	1	26
Pend Oreille	42	4	46
Stevens	206	8	214
..Judicial District	273	13	286
Grant	718	64	782
Grays Harbor	459	122	581
Island	176	56	232
San Juan	29	8	37
..Judicial District	205	64	269
Jefferson	92	21	113
King	3,940	1,548	5,488
Kitsap	1,274	14	1,288
Kittitas	100	34	134
Klickitat	99	19	118
Skamania	24	3	27
..Judicial District	123	22	145
Lewis	317	87	404
Lincoln	40	8	48
Mason	218	29	247
Okanogan	412	7	419
Pacific	130	9	139
Wahkiakum	15	3	18
..Judicial District	145	12	157
Pierce	2,208	754	2,962
Skagit	421	26	447
Snohomish	1,986	307	2,293
Spokane	1,641	141	1,782
Thurston	1,119	164	1,283
Walla Walla	292	4	296
Whatcom	804	64	868
Whitman	107	6	113
Yakima	1,904	7	1,911
State	22,924	3,924	26,848

¹ Includes resolutions of non-charge cases.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Case Resolutions¹ Not Involving Adjudicatory Hearing, 2003

County/Court	Change of Venue	Declina- tion of Juris- diction	Deferred Prose- cution	Dis- missal	Guilty Plea	Other ²	Total
Adams	0	0	0	5	57	19	81
Asotin	0	1	0	40	53	8	102
Columbia	0	0	2	5	14	1	22
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	1	2	45	67	9	124
Benton	0	1	0	235	642	56	934
Franklin	0	0	1	62	185	35	283
..Judicial District	0	1	1	297	827	91	1,217
Chelan	0	5	0	93	328	40	466
Clallam	0	0	0	125	130	24	279
Clark	0	12	0	127	1,075	43	1,257
Cowlitz	0	3	0	100	330	75	508
Douglas	0	0	3	26	115	50	194
Ferry	0	0	0	6	12	7	25
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	22	17	3	42
Stevens	1	0	0	80	102	23	206
..Judicial District	1	0	0	108	131	33	273
Grant	0	1	0	92	592	33	718
Grays Harbor	30	0	0	162	266	1	459
Island	0	0	1	60	100	15	176
San Juan	0	0	0	4	24	1	29
..Judicial District	0	0	1	64	124	16	205
Jefferson	0	0	0	26	55	11	92
King	0	0	35	1,217	1,881	807	3,940
Kitsap	0	0	122	288	824	40	1,274
Kittitas	0	0	0	24	67	9	100
Klickitat	0	0	0	28	57	14	99
Skamania	0	0	2	7	9	6	24
..Judicial District	0	0	2	35	66	20	123
Lewis	0	1	0	63	228	25	317
Lincoln	0	0	0	11	19	10	40
Mason	0	0	0	70	86	62	218
Okanogan	0	0	1	96	283	32	412
Pacific	0	0	0	42	85	3	130
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	6	9	0	15
..Judicial District	0	0	0	48	94	3	145
Pierce	0	0	0	551	1,486	171	2,208
Skagit	0	0	0	84	302	35	421
Snohomish	0	0	14	608	1,216	148	1,986
Spokane	2	3	226	663	664	83	1,641
Thurston	0	0	7	167	845	100	1,119
Walla Walla	0	0	0	64	204	24	292
Whatcom	0	0	0	193	570	41	804
Whitman	2	0	0	39	53	13	107
Yakima	0	11	65	615	869	344	1,904
State	35	38	479	6,106	13,854	2,412	22,924

1 Includes resolutions of non-charge cases.

2 Other resolutions include dismissals/closures by clerk and uncontested resolutions.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Cases Resolved After Commencement of Adjudicatory Hearing, 2003

County/Court	Deferred Dis- position	Dis- missal	Guilty Plea	Acquitted/ Not Guilty	Con- victed	Total
Adams	1	0	0	0	0	1
Asotin	20	0	0	0	2	22
Columbia	1	0	0	1	0	2
Garfield	2	0	0	0	0	2
..Judicial District	23	0	0	1	2	26
Benton	79	0	0	5	20	104
Franklin	13	0	0	1	4	18
..Judicial District	92	0	0	6	24	122
Chelan	59	0	0	0	0	59
Clallam	30	0	0	1	34	65
Clark	6	0	0	11	21	38
Cowlitz	32	1	0	1	13	47
Douglas	48	0	0	0	0	48
Ferry	0	0	0	0	1	1
Pend Oreille	3	0	0	0	1	4
Stevens	7	0	0	0	1	8
..Judicial District	10	0	0	0	3	13
Grant	16	3	0	8	37	64
Grays Harbor	69	1	0	14	38	122
Island	53	1	0	0	2	56
San Juan	3	0	0	1	4	8
..Judicial District	56	1	0	1	6	64
Jefferson	16	0	0	1	4	21
King	1,194	0	0	43	311	1,548
Kitsap	0	0	0	3	11	14
Kittitas	22	0	0	2	10	34
Klickitat	16	0	0	1	2	19
Skamania	2	1	0	0	0	3
..Judicial District	18	1	0	1	2	22
Lewis	82	0	0	2	3	87
Lincoln	8	0	0	0	0	8
Mason	26	0	0	0	3	29
Okanogan	4	0	0	2	1	7
Pacific	2	0	0	2	5	9
Wahkiakum	3	0	0	0	0	3
..Judicial District	5	0	0	2	5	12
Pierce	679	0	0	17	58	754
Skagit	19	0	0	0	7	26
Snohomish	227	0	0	10	70	307
Spokane	131	0	0	5	5	141
Thurston	137	1	0	3	23	164
Walla Walla	0	0	0	0	4	4
Whatcom	50	0	0	4	10	64
Whitman	5	0	0	0	1	6
Yakima	0	0	0	3	4	7
State	3,065	8	0	141	710	3,924

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Cases Resolved by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Resolution, 2003

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Non- Charges ¹	Total Offender
	Homicide	Crimes										
Adams	0	2	0	0	19	3	1	0	25	38	19	82
Asotin	1	2	0	2	18	2	4	10	39	77	8	124
Columbia	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	6	17	1	24
Garfield	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
..Judicial District	1	2	0	4	22	2	4	12	47	94	9	150
Benton	0	21	1	17	120	43	31	75	308	654	76	1,038
Franklin	0	2	2	9	33	7	7	18	78	188	35	301
..Judicial District	0	23	3	26	153	50	38	93	386	842	111	1,339
Chelan	0	5	2	10	48	22	18	36	141	340	44	525
Clallam	0	5	1	14	42	10	12	30	114	200	30	344
Clark	1	39	20	52	235	118	36	108	609	641	45	1,295
Cowlitz	0	24	3	21	45	18	14	31	156	324	75	555
Douglas	0	1	0	5	31	5	5	28	75	115	52	242
Ferry	0	1	0	1	6	0	1	0	9	8	9	26
Pend Oreille	0	2	0	1	3	2	1	3	12	31	3	46
Stevens	1	6	2	1	27	6	4	11	58	111	45	214
..Judicial District	1	9	2	3	36	8	6	14	79	150	57	286
Grant	0	15	1	21	92	27	11	90	257	488	37	782
Grays Harbor	0	8	4	12	83	15	12	53	187	350	44	581
Island	0	1	1	4	45	7	4	22	84	105	43	232
San Juan	0	2	0	0	5	1	1	0	9	28	0	37
..Judicial District	0	3	1	4	50	8	5	22	93	133	43	269
Jefferson	0	2	0	2	2	5	5	9	25	76	12	113
King	2	67	98	111	385	502	147	342	1,654	2,773	1,061	5,488
Kitsap	0	18	3	29	103	41	25	108	327	906	55	1,288
Kittitas	0	2	0	3	12	6	7	12	42	82	10	134
Klickitat	0	4	0	6	24	6	8	7	55	49	14	118
Skamania	0	2	0	0	5	0	1	0	8	11	8	27
..Judicial District	0	6	0	6	29	6	9	7	63	60	22	145
Lewis	0	17	4	23	63	13	10	33	163	216	25	404
Lincoln	0	1	0	1	12	3	0	3	20	18	10	48
Mason	0	10	0	3	27	5	6	15	66	117	64	247
Okanogan	0	4	0	14	65	10	16	38	147	231	41	419
Pacific	0	0	0	6	17	1	1	14	39	93	7	139
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	6	12	0	18
..Judicial District	0	0	0	7	19	1	2	16	45	105	7	157
Pierce	2	66	43	141	492	130	73	313	1,260	1,524	178	2,962
Skagit	0	5	3	11	46	16	5	27	113	295	39	447
Snohomish	2	28	18	34	248	135	41	105	611	1,386	296	2,293
Spokane	4	28	10	52	228	80	62	166	630	855	297	1,782
Thurston	1	27	7	33	146	16	36	129	395	784	104	1,283
Walla Walla	0	12	0	14	33	9	5	24	97	170	29	296
Whatcom	0	28	1	19	76	12	23	65	224	597	47	868
Whitman	0	0	0	3	8	2	4	11	28	68	17	113
Yakima	0	27	4	41	235	87	39	143	576	975	360	1,911
State	14	484	228	719	3,085	1,365	677	2,083	8,655	14,953	3,240	26,848

1 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a juvenile offender case as of the date the information is filed.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Counts Resolved by Result Category, 2003

County/Court	Change of Venue	Deferred/Continued Prosecution	Dismissed	Guilty	Acquittal/Not Guilty	Total Final Counts Resolved
Adams	0	0	7	67	0	74
Asotin	0	0	113	133	0	246
Columbia	0	1	25	18	0	44
Garfield	0	0	0	6	0	6
..Judicial District	0	1	138	157	0	296
Benton	1	0	373	943	2	1,319
Franklin	0	1	74	237	1	313
..Judicial District	1	1	447	1,180	3	1,632
Chelan	0	1	326	573	0	900
Clallam	0	9	168	219	1	397
Clark	0	2	564	1,345	16	1,927
Cowlitz	5	0	281	477	5	768
Douglas	0	19	70	217	0	306
Ferry	0	0	20	35	0	55
Pend Oreille	0	0	30	27	0	57
Stevens	3	2	96	126	0	227
..Judicial District	3	2	146	188	0	339
Grant	0	2	281	893	8	1,184
Grays Harbor	2	52	251	465	16	786
Island	0	0	54	189	0	243
San Juan	0	0	9	52	2	63
..Judicial District	0	0	63	241	2	306
Jefferson	0	0	42	83	0	125
King	0	0	2,085	3,131	57	5,273
Kitsap	0	100	304	945	1	1,350
Kittitas	0	0	54	124	4	182
Klickitat	0	0	48	107	1	156
Skamania	0	2	12	15	1	30
..Judicial District	0	2	60	122	2	186
Lewis	0	0	222	418	2	642
Lincoln	0	0	42	35	0	77
Mason	0	0	98	145	0	243
Okanogan	0	5	331	386	3	725
Pacific	0	3	90	106	2	201
Wahkiakum	0	1	8	13	0	22
..Judicial District	0	4	98	119	2	223
Pierce	0	131	1,057	2,591	2	3,781
Skagit	0	24	196	446	0	666
Snohomish	1	8	624	1,572	18	2,223
Spokane	3	45	1,065	1,076	9	2,198
Thurston	0	0	437	1,267	5	1,709
Walla Walla	0	0	172	280	0	452
Whatcom	0	27	401	740	3	1,171
Whitman	2	3	70	67	0	142
Yakima	1	64	1,473	1,051	3	2,592
State	18	502	11,573	20,620	162	32,875

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Counts Resolved by Category of Offense at Time of Resolution, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Offender
Adams	0	2	0	0	22	4	1	0	29	45	74
Asotin	1	2	0	2	26	2	4	19	56	190	246
Columbia	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	2	8	36	44
Garfield	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	4	6
..Judicial District	1	2	0	4	32	2	4	21	66	230	296
Benton	0	29	1	19	144	48	34	116	391	928	1,319
Franklin	0	2	2	9	35	7	8	24	87	226	313
..Judicial District	0	31	3	28	179	55	42	140	478	1,154	1,632
Chelan	0	6	2	14	103	24	30	58	237	663	900
Clallam	0	5	1	15	62	11	13	37	144	253	397
Clark	1	59	21	61	295	136	41	208	822	1,105	1,927
Cowlitz	0	46	5	31	72	21	16	69	260	508	768
Douglas	0	3	0	6	49	7	6	47	118	188	306
Ferry	0	1	0	1	9	4	1	2	18	37	55
Pend Oreille	0	2	0	1	7	2	1	4	17	40	57
Stevens	2	10	3	2	51	8	6	22	104	123	227
..Judicial District	2	13	3	4	67	14	8	28	139	200	339
Grant	0	22	1	28	158	29	14	128	380	804	1,184
Grays Harbor	0	10	4	18	122	17	14	88	273	513	786
Island	0	2	1	4	54	7	4	28	100	143	243
San Juan	0	7	0	0	5	1	1	1	15	48	63
..Judicial District	0	9	1	4	59	8	5	29	115	191	306
Jefferson	0	2	0	2	2	6	5	10	27	98	125
King	2	78	112	139	440	540	160	451	1,922	3,351	5,273
Kitsap	0	20	3	33	113	43	25	117	354	996	1,350
Kittitas	0	3	1	3	15	6	8	19	55	127	182
Klickitat	0	7	0	6	35	8	8	13	77	79	156
Skamania	0	2	0	1	8	0	2	3	16	14	30
..Judicial District	0	9	0	7	43	8	10	16	93	93	186
Lewis	0	34	4	27	148	17	12	60	302	340	642
Lincoln	0	1	0	1	22	5	0	10	39	38	77
Mason	0	11	0	3	33	6	7	22	82	161	243
Okanogan	0	4	0	25	128	13	20	68	258	467	725
Pacific	0	0	0	10	30	3	1	22	66	135	201
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	2	7	15	22
..Judicial District	0	0	0	11	32	4	2	24	73	150	223
Pierce	2	99	48	163	614	138	79	469	1,612	2,169	3,781
Skagit	0	7	3	14	72	20	7	48	171	495	666
Snohomish	4	36	18	37	278	141	41	128	683	1,540	2,223
Spokane	4	34	10	60	324	96	73	248	849	1,349	2,198
Thurston	1	50	9	41	204	21	40	193	559	1,150	1,709
Walla Walla	0	14	1	15	52	10	9	58	159	293	452
Whatcom	0	40	2	21	100	13	27	87	290	881	1,171
Whitman	0	0	0	3	13	4	9	15	44	98	142
Yakima	0	57	9	68	376	123	44	258	935	1,657	2,592
State	17	707	261	886	4,229	1,542	772	3,154	11,568	21,307	32,875

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Case Convictions by Type of Case, 2003

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross	Total Offender
	Homicide	Crimes								Misde- meanor	
Adams	0	2	0	0	18	3	1	0	24	34	58
Asotin	0	2	0	1	18	2	4	7	34	41	75
Columbia	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	5	10	15
Garfield	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
..Judicial District	0	2	0	2	22	2	4	9	41	51	92
Benton	0	15	1	14	103	37	26	53	249	483	732
Franklin	0	2	2	4	32	7	7	14	68	134	202
..Judicial District	0	17	3	18	135	44	33	67	317	617	934
Chelan	0	4	1	10	42	19	16	32	124	260	384
Clallam	0	2	1	8	30	8	7	16	72	121	193
Clark	1	33	17	49	216	107	32	101	556	545	1,101
Cowlitz	0	22	2	17	38	16	12	24	131	244	375
Douglas	0	0	0	4	29	4	5	21	63	98	161
Ferry	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	6	7	13
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	5	16	21
Stevens	0	5	1	0	20	5	2	5	38	72	110
..Judicial District	0	6	1	1	27	6	2	6	49	95	144
Grant	0	11	0	19	82	21	11	81	225	420	645
Grays Harbor	0	6	4	10	57	11	9	35	132	240	372
Island	0	1	1	4	41	6	3	17	73	81	154
San Juan	0	2	0	0	5	1	1	0	9	22	31
..Judicial District	0	3	1	4	46	7	4	17	82	103	185
Jefferson	0	1	0	2	2	5	2	8	20	55	75
King	1	46	79	89	331	425	122	259	1,352	1,830	3,182
Kitsap	0	17	3	10	39	23	7	48	147	687	834
Kittitas	0	2	0	2	11	6	7	10	38	61	99
Klickitat	0	1	0	6	17	5	5	7	41	34	75
Skamania	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	5	6	11
..Judicial District	0	3	0	6	20	5	5	7	46	40	86
Lewis	0	14	4	20	62	13	9	29	151	162	313
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	3	15	12	27
Mason	0	6	0	1	21	3	5	7	43	71	114
Okanogan	0	3	0	11	40	9	8	25	96	185	281
Pacific	0	0	0	6	9	1	1	12	29	61	90
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	4	8	12
..Judicial District	0	0	0	6	11	1	2	13	33	69	102
Pierce	1	43	38	124	459	118	67	274	1,124	1,096	2,220
Skagit	0	3	3	10	42	13	5	25	101	226	327
Snohomish	2	21	15	31	224	115	29	83	520	928	1,448
Spokane	3	26	6	36	140	54	39	95	399	401	800
Thurston	1	22	6	31	133	16	32	117	358	645	1,003
Walla Walla	0	7	0	12	31	7	3	17	77	128	205
Whatcom	0	22	1	15	65	10	22	55	190	439	629
Whitman	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	6	16	43	59
Yakima	0	21	1	32	131	58	20	78	341	532	873
State	9	365	186	582	2,522	1,129	522	1,568	6,883	10,438	17,321

1 Convictions include guilty plea case resolutions before trial, as well as guilty pleas and convictions after trial commencement. Tables published prior to 1998 exclude pre-trial guilty pleas from conviction counts.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Cases Sentenced by Most Serious Charge Resulting in a Conviction, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Offender
Adams	0	2	0	0	18	3	1	0	24	34	58
Asotin	0	2	0	1	18	2	5	7	35	41	76
Columbia	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	4	11	15
Garfield	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	3
..Judicial District	0	2	0	2	22	3	5	8	42	52	94
Benton	0	15	0	13	99	35	25	51	238	475	713
Franklin	0	2	2	3	26	7	7	14	61	134	195
..Judicial District	0	17	2	16	125	42	32	65	299	609	908
Chelan	0	5	1	11	35	22	16	28	118	252	370
Clallam	0	1	1	6	30	7	7	10	62	106	168
Clark	1	35	16	51	212	106	31	101	553	543	1,096
Cowlitz	0	22	2	17	39	14	13	26	133	242	375
Douglas	0	0	0	3	18	4	1	9	35	86	121
Ferry	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	5	6	11
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	5	14	19
Stevens	0	5	1	0	17	5	2	5	35	69	104
..Judicial District	0	6	1	1	23	6	2	6	45	89	134
Grant	0	12	0	20	76	24	10	75	217	419	636
Grays Harbor	0	6	2	8	41	10	7	19	93	219	312
Island	0	1	1	2	30	4	2	8	48	66	114
San Juan	0	0	0	0	5	1	1	0	7	19	26
..Judicial District	0	1	1	2	35	5	3	8	55	85	140
Jefferson	0	1	0	2	3	5	2	8	21	53	74
King	1	42	73	71	209	326	101	176	999	1,201	2,200
Kitsap	0	17	3	15	59	29	11	59	193	699	892
Kittitas	0	2	0	2	11	6	7	9	37	61	98
Klickitat	0	2	0	6	16	5	5	7	41	34	75
Skamania	0	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	6	6	12
..Judicial District	0	4	0	7	19	5	5	7	47	40	87
Lewis	0	13	4	19	59	13	9	29	146	150	296
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	3	15	12	27
Mason	0	5	0	1	20	4	5	7	42	72	114
Okanogan	0	3	0	9	36	9	7	26	90	185	275
Pacific	0	0	0	6	8	0	1	10	25	60	85
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	8	11
..Judicial District	0	0	0	6	10	0	1	11	28	68	96
Pierce	1	36	34	92	338	91	43	215	850	965	1,815
Skagit	0	6	4	10	35	10	4	26	95	227	322
Snohomish	2	18	12	28	207	108	26	84	485	891	1,376
Spokane	2	23	6	34	131	53	39	86	374	403	777
Thurston	0	21	6	33	111	15	25	97	308	563	871
Walla Walla	0	7	0	12	29	7	4	19	78	119	197
Whatcom	0	21	1	14	46	10	13	47	152	434	586
Whitman	0	1	0	2	6	0	2	3	14	43	57
Yakima	0	20	0	32	131	58	21	79	341	530	871
State	7	349	169	526	2,146	995	453	1,346	5,991	9,452	15,443

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Cases With a Sentence to State Institution by Most Serious Charge Resulting in a Conviction, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Offender
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Benton	0	6	0	0	6	1	1	3	17	3	20
Franklin	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	2	8	0	8
..Judicial District	0	6	1	1	8	1	3	5	25	3	28
Chelan	0	1	1	2	9	6	5	2	26	8	34
Clallam	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	4	6	10
Clark	1	10	6	13	17	6	3	6	62	0	62
Cowlitz	0	9	1	4	8	1	2	1	26	8	34
Douglas	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	2
Ferry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2
Stevens	0	4	1	0	4	1	0	1	11	1	12
..Judicial District	0	5	1	0	5	1	0	1	13	1	14
Grant	0	3	0	3	12	1	0	7	26	4	30
Grays Harbor	0	3	2	2	13	2	2	1	25	6	31
Island	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	2	8	0	8
San Juan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
..Judicial District	0	1	1	0	5	0	0	2	9	0	9
Jefferson	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2
King	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2
Kitsap	0	9	2	4	6	2	0	3	26	8	34
Kittitas	0	1	0	1	2	1	0	1	6	1	7
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
Lewis	0	7	2	4	17	0	1	5	36	3	39
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	2
Mason	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	7	1	8
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	2
Pacific	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	4	10	5	15
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	4	10	5	15
Pierce	1	29	21	19	62	11	6	27	176	33	209
Skagit	0	3	2	3	5	0	1	1	15	5	20
Snohomish	2	17	7	7	45	12	2	10	102	20	122
Spokane	1	5	1	3	10	0	3	2	25	1	26
Thurston	0	14	4	7	16	2	4	23	70	21	91
Walla Walla	0	3	0	4	3	0	0	1	11	1	12
Whatcom	0	14	1	9	19	0	1	6	50	0	50
Whitman	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	3
Yakima	0	1	0	3	6	2	3	0	15	0	15
State	5	146	53	94	282	49	37	112	778	137	915

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Cases With Non-Institutional Sentences by Most Serious Charge Resulting in a Conviction, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Offender
Adams	0	2	0	0	18	3	1	0	24	34	58
Asotin	0	2	0	1	18	2	5	7	35	40	75
Columbia	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	4	11	15
Garfield	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	3
..Judicial District	0	2	0	2	22	3	5	8	42	51	93
Benton	0	9	0	13	93	34	24	48	221	472	693
Franklin	0	2	1	2	24	7	5	12	53	134	187
..Judicial District	0	11	1	15	117	41	29	60	274	606	880
Chelan	0	4	0	9	26	16	11	26	92	244	336
Clallam	0	1	1	4	28	7	7	10	58	100	158
Clark	0	25	10	38	195	100	28	95	491	543	1,034
Cowlitz	0	13	1	13	31	13	11	25	107	234	341
Douglas	0	0	0	3	17	4	1	8	33	86	119
Ferry	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	5	6	11
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	3	14	17
Stevens	0	1	0	0	13	4	2	4	24	68	92
..Judicial District	0	1	0	1	18	5	2	5	32	88	120
Grant	0	9	0	17	64	23	10	68	191	415	606
Grays Harbor	0	3	0	6	28	8	5	18	68	213	281
Island	0	0	0	2	26	4	2	6	40	66	106
San Juan	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	6	19	25
..Judicial District	0	0	0	2	30	5	3	6	46	85	131
Jefferson	0	0	0	2	2	5	2	8	19	53	72
King	1	42	73	71	209	325	101	175	997	1,201	2,198
Kitsap	0	8	1	11	53	27	11	56	167	691	858
Kittitas	0	1	0	1	9	5	7	8	31	60	91
Klickitat	0	2	0	6	15	5	5	7	40	34	74
Skamania	0	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	6	6	12
..Judicial District	0	4	0	7	18	5	5	7	46	40	86
Lewis	0	6	2	15	42	13	8	24	110	147	257
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	2	13	12	25
Mason	0	2	0	1	16	4	5	7	35	71	106
Okanogan	0	3	0	9	36	9	6	25	88	185	273
Pacific	0	0	0	3	5	0	1	6	15	55	70
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	8	11
..Judicial District	0	0	0	3	7	0	1	7	18	63	81
Pierce	0	7	13	73	276	80	37	188	674	932	1,606
Skagit	0	3	2	7	30	10	3	25	80	222	302
Snohomish	0	1	5	21	162	96	24	74	383	871	1,254
Spokane	1	18	5	31	121	53	36	84	349	402	751
Thurston	0	7	2	26	95	13	21	74	238	542	780
Walla Walla	0	4	0	8	26	7	4	18	67	118	185
Whatcom	0	7	0	5	27	10	12	41	102	434	536
Whitman	0	0	0	2	5	0	2	3	12	42	54
Yakima	0	19	0	29	125	56	18	79	326	530	856
State	2	203	116	432	1,864	946	416	1,234	5,213	9,315	14,528

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Proceedings by Type of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Total Adjudi- catory ¹	Total Non- Adjudi- catory	Non- Charge ²	Total Hearing
Adams	0	78	0	78
Asotin	1	1,029	14	1,044
Columbia	1	87	4	92
Garfield	0	14	0	14
..Judicial District	2	1,130	18	1,150
Benton	131	7,148	259	7,538
Franklin	20	1,486	121	1,627
..Judicial District	151	8,634	380	9,165
Chelan	11	3,064	81	3,156
Clallam	12	3,261	91	3,364
Clark	43	6,535	500	7,078
Cowlitz	19	4,020	221	4,260
Douglas	1	853	115	969
Ferry	2	106	13	121
Pend Oreille	1	102	3	106
Stevens	1	675	27	703
..Judicial District	4	883	43	930
Grant	53	3,896	41	3,990
Grays Harbor	1	2,967	78	3,046
Island	74	1,192	48	1,314
San Juan	6	261	0	267
..Judicial District	80	1,453	48	1,581
Jefferson	4	530	41	575
King	202	15,294	808	16,304
Kitsap	12	5,922	113	6,047
Kittitas	13	368	19	400
Klickitat	3	513	9	525
Skamania	0	94	19	113
..Judicial District	3	607	28	638
Lewis	6	1,561	36	1,603
Lincoln	1	53	1	55
Mason	26	1,094	106	1,226
Okanogan	5	1,330	173	1,508
Pacific	13	558	38	609
Wahkiakum	0	55	0	55
..Judicial District	13	613	38	664
Pierce	222	16,410	510	17,142
Skagit	1	2,892	212	3,105
Snohomish	90	12,031	1,542	13,663
Spokane	36	1,482	36	1,554
Thurston	28	4,547	457	5,032
Walla Walla	5	1,337	77	1,419
Whatcom	65	3,707	86	3,858
Whitman	0	415	24	439
Yakima	11	5,940	431	6,382
State	1,120	112,907	6,354	120,381

1 Includes adjudicatory hearings, adjudicatory and sentencing hearings, stipulated adjudicatory hearings, and adjudicatory hearings by affidavit.

2 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a criminal case as of the date the information is filed.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Adjudicatory Hearings by Type of Hearing, 2003

County/Court	Adjudi- catory	Adjudi- catory & Sentencing	Stipulated Adjudi- catory Hearing	Adjudi- catory Hearing By Affidavit	Total Adjudi- catory
Adams	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	1	0	0	1
Columbia	1	0	0	0	1
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	1	1	0	0	2
Benton	120	0	11	0	131
Franklin	19	0	1	0	20
..Judicial District	139	0	12	0	151
Chelan	1	10	0	0	11
Clallam	7	5	0	0	12
Clark	43	0	0	0	43
Cowlitz	9	10	0	0	19
Douglas	0	1	0	0	1
Ferry	0	1	0	1	2
Pend Oreille	0	1	0	0	1
Stevens	0	1	0	0	1
..Judicial District	0	3	0	1	4
Grant	53	0	0	0	53
Grays Harbor	1	0	0	0	1
Island	70	2	2	0	74
San Juan	5	1	0	0	6
..Judicial District	75	3	2	0	80
Jefferson	4	0	0	0	4
King	167	35	0	0	202
Kitsap	12	0	0	0	12
Kittitas	8	1	0	4	13
Klickitat	3	0	0	0	3
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	3	0	0	0	3
Lewis	5	1	0	0	6
Lincoln	1	0	0	0	1
Mason	6	2	0	18	26
Okanogan	5	0	0	0	5
Pacific	10	3	0	0	13
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	10	3	0	0	13
Pierce	222	0	0	0	222
Skagit	0	1	0	0	1
Snohomish	60	30	0	0	90
Spokane	31	4	1	0	36
Thurston	13	15	0	0	28
Walla Walla	5	0	0	0	5
Whatcom	62	2	1	0	65
Whitman	0	0	0	0	0
Yakima	5	6	0	0	11
State	948	133	16	23	1,120

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Non-Adjudicatory Hearings by Type of Hearing, 2003

County/Court	Preliminary Appearance	Detention	Declination	Initial Arraignment	Other Pre-Resolution1	Guilty Plea2	Sentencing	Review3	Post-Resolution4	Total Non-Adjudicatory
Adams	0	0	0	1	15	58	0	4	0	78
Asotin	36	26	1	102	282	73	5	271	233	1,029
Columbia	4	1	0	18	27	12	11	4	10	87
Garfield	3	0	0	3	4	2	0	2	0	14
..Judicial District	43	27	1	123	313	87	16	277	243	1,130
Benton	171	294	4	596	2,237	702	101	555	2,488	7,148
Franklin	7	125	1	214	407	202	30	220	280	1,486
..Judicial District	178	419	5	810	2,644	904	131	775	2,768	8,634
Chelan	288	265	9	340	558	375	101	601	527	3,064
Clallam	3	390	0	274	630	182	50	205	1,527	3,261
Clark	715	81	11	544	1,233	1,073	271	2,181	426	6,535
Cowlitz	314	242	14	349	848	364	98	705	1,086	4,020
Douglas	23	6	0	170	102	142	23	165	222	853
Ferry	3	5	0	18	30	12	4	13	21	106
Pend Oreille	0	11	0	18	16	17	1	30	9	102
Stevens	9	73	1	90	152	105	5	114	126	675
..Judicial District	12	89	1	126	198	134	10	157	156	883
Grant	470	0	0	251	789	605	619	447	715	3,896
Grays Harbor	97	55	0	480	788	255	138	147	1,007	2,967
Island	0	11	0	169	534	90	24	68	296	1,192
San Juan	5	2	0	32	110	22	4	30	56	261
..Judicial District	5	13	0	201	644	112	28	98	352	1,453
Jefferson	7	0	0	81	91	62	9	118	162	530
King	0	2,433	40	4,191	2,483	1,880	746	1,251	2,270	15,294
Kitsap	374	65	0	521	860	846	920	875	1,461	5,922
Kittitas	3	45	0	15	109	71	6	94	25	368
Klickitat	15	7	0	97	206	59	4	2	123	513
Skamania	0	5	0	14	8	8	5	10	44	94
..Judicial District	15	12	0	111	214	67	9	12	167	607
Lewis	16	154	1	322	449	248	32	160	179	1,561
Lincoln	0	0	0	4	9	26	0	8	6	53
Mason	2	55	0	128	252	88	22	198	349	1,094
Okanogan	22	0	0	263	210	275	169	213	178	1,330
Pacific	15	0	0	97	203	83	12	81	67	558
Wahkiakum	4	1	0	10	13	9	0	12	6	55
..Judicial District	19	1	0	107	216	92	12	93	73	613
Pierce	5	1,253	16	2,515	6,347	2,071	621	1,396	2,186	16,410
Skagit	2	0	0	363	1,552	304	299	18	354	2,892
Snohomish	21	827	7	1,942	5,390	1,183	214	1,108	1,339	12,031
Spokane	106	109	6	74	350	623	107	62	45	1,482
Thurston	0	99	1	726	1,343	986	145	661	586	4,547
Walla Walla	238	31	0	220	99	195	189	91	274	1,337
Whatcom	306	370	0	680	750	569	77	606	349	3,707
Whitman	47	0	0	41	137	35	17	49	89	415
Yakima	401	554	1	1,468	1,503	966	31	603	413	5,940
State	3,732	7,595	113	17,441	31,126	14,878	5,110	13,378	19,534	112,907

1 Other pre-resolution hearings include pre-resolution/motion conferences, evidentiary hearings, not guilty plea hearings, continued prosecution hearings, dismissal hearings, pre-trial management hearings, and warrant identification hearings.

2 Guilty plea hearings include guilty plea only, guilty plea and sentencing, arraignment and guilty plea, and arraignment, guilty plea and sentencing hearings.

3 Review hearings include financial review hearings and sentence conditions violation hearings.

4 Post-resolution hearings include other hearings.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Adjudicatory Hearings by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Hearing¹, 2003

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Offender
	Homicide	Crimes									
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Columbia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Benton	0	1	0	6	58	13	13	21	112	19	131
Franklin	0	0	1	1	9	1	2	2	16	4	20
..Judicial District	0	1	1	7	67	14	15	23	128	23	151
Chelan	0	0	0	1	4	2	0	1	8	3	11
Clallam	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	4	8	12
Clark	0	5	3	7	6	4	1	3	29	14	43
Cowlitz	0	0	0	2	1	1	2	1	7	12	19
Douglas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Ferry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Pend Oreille	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Stevens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
Grant	0	3	0	2	11	1	1	7	25	28	53
Grays Harbor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Island	0	0	4	3	28	2	1	13	51	23	74
San Juan	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	6
..Judicial District	0	2	4	3	28	2	1	13	53	27	80
Jefferson	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	4
King	1	6	8	8	9	11	10	22	75	127	202
Kitsap	0	3	0	2	2	0	0	0	7	5	12
Kittitas	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	6	7	13
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	3
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	3
Lewis	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	5	1	6
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Mason	0	0	0	1	10	2	3	3	19	7	26
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	5
Pacific	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	13
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	13
Pierce	0	19	4	27	57	6	5	26	144	78	222
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Snohomish	0	2	3	5	14	9	1	6	40	50	90
Spokane	0	4	0	6	7	1	0	7	25	11	36
Thurston	1	4	0	2	4	0	0	3	14	14	28
Walla Walla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Whatcom	0	0	0	3	23	2	9	13	50	15	65
Whitman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yakima	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	5	6	11
State	2	54	23	82	246	57	49	137	650	470	1,120

¹ Includes adjudicatory hearings, adjudicatory and sentencing hearings, adjudicatory hearings by affidavit, and stipulated adjudicatory hearings.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Non-Adjudicatory Hearings by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Hearing, 2003

County/Court	Homicide	Sex Crimes	Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Total Offender
Adams	0	2	0	1	22	4	1	0	30	48	78
Asotin	4	14	4	23	258	34	27	113	477	552	1,029
Columbia	0	0	0	6	11	0	0	14	31	56	87
Garfield	0	0	0	2	4	8	0	0	14	0	14
..Judicial District	4	14	4	31	273	42	27	127	522	608	1,130
Benton	0	271	27	198	1,189	404	280	661	3,030	4,118	7,148
Franklin	0	16	18	29	225	98	53	127	566	920	1,486
..Judicial District	0	287	45	227	1,414	502	333	788	3,596	5,038	8,634
Chelan	0	54	37	102	472	188	138	287	1,278	1,786	3,064
Clallam	0	33	18	174	352	209	82	252	1,120	2,141	3,261
Clark	12	393	108	337	1,281	591	237	690	3,649	2,886	6,535
Cowlitz	0	290	38	145	688	190	100	298	1,749	2,271	4,020
Douglas	0	7	0	25	196	52	16	122	418	435	853
Ferry	0	7	0	14	54	3	1	8	87	19	106
Pend Oreille	0	3	0	0	14	4	1	5	27	75	102
Stevens	2	45	11	23	177	24	18	65	365	310	675
..Judicial District	2	55	11	37	245	31	20	78	479	404	883
Grant	35	168	14	149	655	133	78	476	1,708	2,188	3,896
Grays Harbor	0	60	19	96	530	147	99	261	1,212	1,755	2,967
Island	0	13	24	39	324	108	22	92	622	570	1,192
San Juan	0	28	0	0	38	6	28	5	105	156	261
..Judicial District	0	41	24	39	362	114	50	97	727	726	1,453
Jefferson	0	17	0	13	25	31	13	57	156	374	530
King	14	492	652	559	1,917	2,177	876	1,350	8,037	7,257	15,294
Kitsap	0	100	22	128	467	246	199	417	1,579	4,343	5,922
Kittitas	0	7	1	19	66	21	26	43	183	185	368
Klickitat	0	35	16	27	172	35	28	62	375	138	513
Skamania	0	10	0	4	25	4	4	12	59	35	94
..Judicial District	0	45	16	31	197	39	32	74	434	173	607
Lewis	0	163	35	118	272	52	45	230	915	646	1,561
Lincoln	0	4	0	0	31	1	0	3	39	14	53
Mason	0	64	0	38	179	55	37	108	481	613	1,094
Okanogan	0	18	0	76	316	49	53	140	652	678	1,330
Pacific	0	8	0	29	118	11	7	68	241	317	558
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	3	6	2	7	8	26	29	55
..Judicial District	0	8	0	32	124	13	14	76	267	346	613
Pierce	20	658	380	1,019	3,485	837	543	1,973	8,915	7,495	16,410
Skagit	2	100	23	136	519	108	64	249	1,201	1,691	2,892
Snohomish	10	272	119	282	2,110	1,137	514	751	5,195	6,836	12,031
Spokane	15	84	35	112	354	117	77	220	1,014	468	1,482
Thurston	6	202	21	180	644	103	183	615	1,954	2,593	4,547
Walla Walla	0	36	2	95	214	43	35	155	580	757	1,337
Whatcom	0	176	19	132	554	129	134	434	1,578	2,129	3,707
Whitman	0	7	0	7	52	7	30	57	160	255	415
Yakima	0	186	77	299	1,241	429	172	693	3,097	2,843	5,940
State	120	4,043	1,720	4,639	19,257	7,797	4,228	11,121	52,925	59,982	112,907

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Proceedings by Category of Most Serious Charge at Time of Proceeding, 2003

County/Court	Sex		Robbery	Assault	Theft/ Burglary	Motor Vehicle Theft	Con- trolled Sub- stance	Other Felony	Total Felony	Misde- meanor/ Gross Misde- meanor	Non- Charges ¹	Total Offender
	Homicide	Crimes										
Adams	0	2	0	1	22	4	1	0	30	48	0	78
Asotin	4	14	4	23	258	34	27	113	477	553	14	1,044
Columbia	0	0	0	7	11	0	0	14	32	56	4	92
Garfield	0	0	0	2	4	8	0	0	14	0	0	14
..Judicial District	4	14	4	32	273	42	27	127	523	609	18	1,150
Benton	0	272	27	204	1,247	417	293	682	3,142	4,137	259	7,538
Franklin	0	16	19	30	234	99	55	129	582	924	121	1,627
..Judicial District	0	288	46	234	1,481	516	348	811	3,724	5,061	380	9,165
Chelan	0	54	37	103	476	190	138	288	1,286	1,789	81	3,156
Clallam	0	33	18	175	353	210	82	253	1,124	2,149	91	3,364
Clark	12	398	111	344	1,287	595	238	693	3,678	2,900	500	7,078
Cowlitz	0	290	38	147	689	191	102	299	1,756	2,283	221	4,260
Douglas	0	7	0	25	196	52	16	122	418	436	115	969
Ferry	0	7	0	14	54	3	1	8	87	21	13	121
Pend Oreille	0	3	0	0	14	4	1	5	27	76	3	106
Stevens	2	45	11	23	177	24	18	65	365	311	27	703
..Judicial District	2	55	11	37	245	31	20	78	479	408	43	930
Grant	35	171	14	151	666	134	79	483	1,733	2,216	41	3,990
Grays Harbor	0	60	19	96	530	147	99	261	1,212	1,756	78	3,046
Island	0	13	28	42	352	110	23	105	673	593	48	1,314
San Juan	0	30	0	0	38	6	28	5	107	160	0	267
..Judicial District	0	43	28	42	390	116	51	110	780	753	48	1,581
Jefferson	0	17	0	14	25	31	13	57	157	377	41	575
King	15	498	660	567	1,926	2,188	886	1,372	8,112	7,384	808	16,304
Kitsap	0	103	22	130	469	246	199	417	1,586	4,348	113	6,047
Kittitas	0	10	1	20	67	21	26	44	189	192	19	400
Klickitat	0	35	16	27	172	36	28	64	378	138	9	525
Skamania	0	10	0	4	25	4	4	12	59	35	19	113
..Judicial District	0	45	16	31	197	40	32	76	437	173	28	638
Lewis	0	164	35	119	273	52	45	232	920	647	36	1,603
Lincoln	0	4	0	0	31	1	0	3	39	15	1	55
Mason	0	64	0	39	189	57	40	111	500	620	106	1,226
Okanogan	0	18	0	76	316	49	54	140	653	682	173	1,508
Pacific	0	8	0	29	118	11	7	68	241	330	38	609
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	3	6	2	7	8	26	29	0	55
..Judicial District	0	8	0	32	124	13	14	76	267	359	38	664
Pierce	20	677	384	1,046	3,542	843	548	1,999	9,059	7,573	510	17,142
Skagit	2	100	23	136	519	108	64	249	1,201	1,692	212	3,105
Snohomish	10	274	122	287	2,124	1,146	515	757	5,235	6,886	1,542	13,663
Spokane	15	88	35	118	361	118	77	227	1,039	479	36	1,554
Thurston	7	206	21	182	648	103	183	618	1,968	2,607	457	5,032
Walla Walla	0	36	2	95	214	43	35	155	580	762	77	1,419
Whatcom	0	176	19	135	577	131	143	447	1,628	2,144	86	3,858
Whitman	0	7	0	7	52	7	30	57	160	255	24	439
Yakima	0	187	77	300	1,241	429	172	696	3,102	2,849	431	6,382
State	122	4,097	1,743	4,721	19,503	7,854	4,277	11,258	53,575	60,452	6,354	120,381

1 A non-charge case is one opened for which no formal charges have been filed, such as for conducting one or more preliminary appearances prior to the filing of an information. If an information is subsequently filed, the case is counted as a juvenile offender case as of the date the information is filed.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Proceedings¹ Continued, Canceled, and Stricken, 2003

-----Proceedings Continued-----

County/Court	Judicial Conflict	Calendar Conflict	Defense Requested	Prosecutor Requested	Stipulated	Unspecified	Total Proceedings		
							Continued	Canceled/ Stricken	Continued/ Canceled/ Stricken
Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	0	0	2	4	0	6	0	6
Garfield	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	3
..Judicial District	0	0	0	2	7	0	9	0	9
Benton	1	0	5	0	0	1,439	1,445	109	1,554
Franklin	0	0	142	60	229	0	431	215	646
..Judicial District	1	0	147	60	229	1,439	1,876	324	2,200
Chelan	0	0	5	5	38	0	48	112	160
Clallam	0	0	354	23	256	15	648	80	728
Clark	0	0	3	2	0	777	782	260	1,042
Cowlitz	6	0	170	120	30	1	327	152	479
Douglas	0	0	185	144	116	0	445	305	750
Ferry	2	1	2	1	16	1	23	14	37
Pend Oreille	0	0	10	2	25	0	37	9	46
Stevens	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	9	11
..Judicial District	2	1	14	3	41	1	62	32	94
Grant	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	359	362
Grays Harbor	0	0	38	3	195	365	601	89	690
Island	0	0	16	104	6	2	128	55	183
San Juan	0	0	33	5	19	1	58	8	66
..Judicial District	0	0	49	109	25	3	186	63	249
Jefferson	0	0	22	36	58	0	116	16	132
King	0	0	0	0	0	1,326	1,326	16	1,342
Kitsap	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	6	9
Kittitas	0	1	3	1	36	0	41	56	97
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	14
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	14
Lewis	0	0	8	3	49	0	60	14	74
Lincoln	0	0	1	0	10	0	11	10	21
Mason	0	0	1	8	39	2	50	226	276
Okanogan	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	116	118
Pacific	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	45	46
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
..Judicial District	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	48	49
Pierce	0	9	0	0	1,552	12	1,573	3,093	4,666
Skagit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	172	172
Snohomish	0	0	685	247	947	631	2,510	2,525	5,035
Spokane	0	0	4	12	13	1	30	3	33
Thurston	0	0	1	7	68	1	77	331	408
Walla Walla	1	3	24	64	0	9	101	47	148
Whatcom	0	2	1	0	148	0	151	515	666
Whitman	0	0	0	5	8	0	13	24	37
Yakima	0	0	1,029	6	14	0	1,049	17	1,066
State	10	16	2,744	860	3,887	4,584	12,101	9,025	21,126

1 Includes counts on proceedings associated with non-charge matters.

The Superior Courts
 Juvenile Offender Case Completions and Sentences, 2003

County/Court	-----Completions-----					-----Sentences-----						
	Judgment Order/ Decree Filed	Com- pleted When Filed	Uncon- tested	Dismissed/ Closed/ Due to Litigant Inact- ivity	Total Comple- tions	Com- munity Super- vision Only	Deten- tion Only	Detention/ Com- munity Super- vision	State Commit- ment	Local Commit- ment	Other	Total Sen- tences
Adams	64	0	16	0	80	0	0	0	0	5	53	58
Asotin	116	5	3	0	124	9	8	49	1	0	9	76
Columbia	25	0	0	0	25	0	1	11	0	1	2	15
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	3
..Judicial District	141	5	3	0	149	10	9	60	1	2	12	94
Benton	968	44	3	0	1,015	103	1	577	20	9	3	713
Franklin	263	11	22	0	296	58	0	126	8	3	0	195
..Judicial District	1,231	55	25	0	1,311	161	1	703	28	12	3	908
Chelan	482	26	13	0	521	34	19	84	34	40	159	370
Clallam	331	12	0	0	343	1	2	4	10	0	151	168
Clark	1,247	42	2	0	1,291	25	0	39	62	39	931	1,096
Cowlitz	483	6	67	0	556	10	22	99	34	1	209	375
Douglas	177	40	2	0	219	40	6	47	2	0	26	121
Ferry	17	3	2	0	22	1	0	10	0	0	0	11
Pend Oreille	43	3	0	0	46	9	2	6	2	0	0	19
Stevens	197	13	5	0	215	11	5	41	12	2	33	104
..Judicial District	257	19	7	0	283	21	7	57	14	2	33	134
Grant	768	21	0	1	790	243	17	127	30	193	26	636
Grays Harbor	500	13	3	0	516	33	3	207	31	2	36	312
Island	201	14	0	0	215	45	2	55	8	3	1	114
San Juan	32	0	0	0	32	9	1	7	1	1	7	26
..Judicial District	233	14	0	0	247	54	3	62	9	4	8	140
Jefferson	96	0	8	0	104	62	0	3	2	5	2	74
King	4,489	0	805	0	5,294	123	346	227	2	243	1,259	2,200
Kitsap	1,186	27	13	0	1,226	255	2	17	34	556	28	892
Kittitas	125	10	0	0	135	58	7	19	7	0	7	98
Klickitat	105	14	0	0	119	31	4	33	1	0	6	75
Skamania	29	4	1	0	34	7	0	3	0	0	2	12
..Judicial District	134	18	1	0	153	38	4	36	1	0	8	87
Lewis	376	0	25	0	401	47	8	131	39	9	62	296
Lincoln	40	6	1	0	47	8	0	13	2	0	4	27
Mason	198	27	33	0	258	50	2	52	8	0	2	114
Okanogan	417	0	1	0	418	0	3	5	2	1	264	275
Pacific	132	0	3	0	135	24	2	1	15	5	38	85
Wahkiakum	15	0	0	0	15	0	0	1	0	0	10	11
..Judicial District	147	0	3	0	150	24	2	2	15	5	48	96
Pierce	2,669	145	0	0	2,814	610	151	790	209	7	48	1,815
Skagit	427	35	0	0	462	209	7	37	20	25	24	322
Snohomish	2,053	0	148	0	2,201	441	226	484	122	0	103	1,376
Spokane	1,591	78	5	0	1,674	69	28	64	26	1	589	777
Thurston	1,205	0	98	0	1,303	18	7	35	91	22	698	871
Walla Walla	274	11	3	0	288	158	1	2	12	2	22	197
Whatcom	817	13	29	0	859	267	26	234	50	0	9	586
Whitman	104	4	8	0	116	12	1	33	3	0	8	57
Yakima	1,843	35	19	0	1,897	1	17	4	15	0	834	871
State	24,105	662	1,338	1	26,106	3,082	927	3,677	915	1,176	5,666	15,443

1 Includes completions of non-charge cases.