



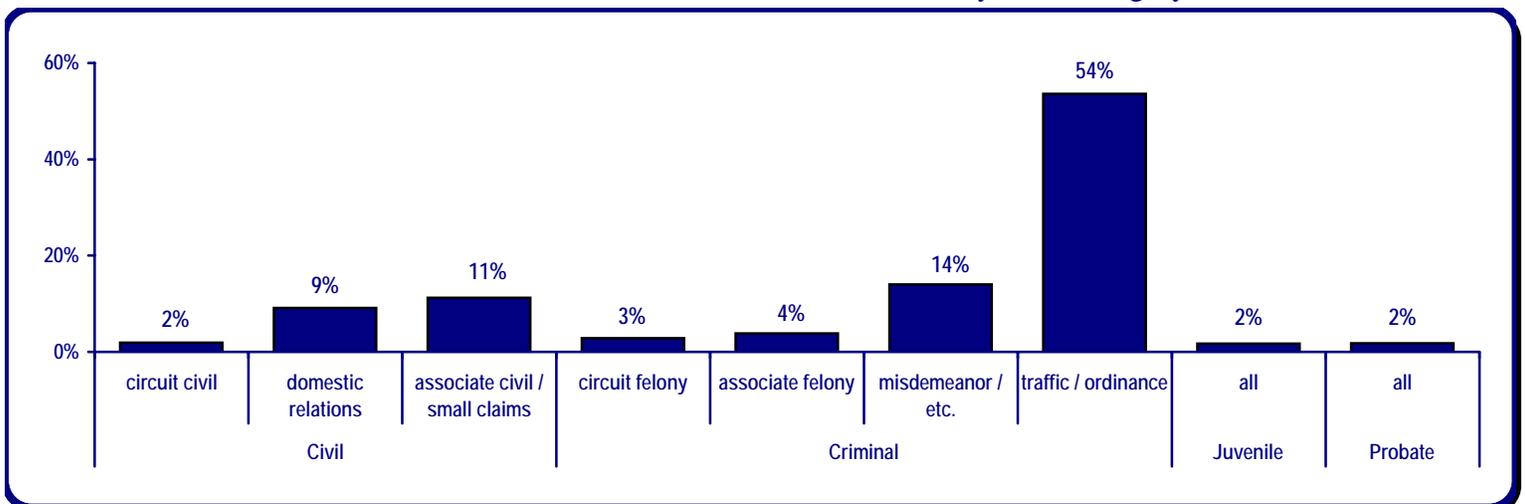
SUPREME COURT OF MISSOURI
OFFICE OF STATE COURTS ADMINISTRATOR

4th Circuit Court and Fine Collection Center Filings: Fiscal Years 2003-2007

	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	5-Year Average	Average Annual Percent Change	Average Annual Count Change
Civil Division	1,504	1,595	1,493	1,479	1,526	1,519	0.5%	6
circuit civil	132	122	117	145	131	129	0.7%	0
domestic relations	644	691	618	618	542	623	-3.9%	-26
associate civil and small claims	728	782	758	716	853	767	4.5%	31
Criminal Division	10,981	11,807	12,153	12,448	9,749	11,428	-2.2%	-308
circuit felony	173	196	188	182	221	192	6.9%	12
associate felony	269	254	245	233	301	260	3.8%	8
misdemeanor, municipal/cert., trial de novo	1,053	1,008	953	878	904	959	-3.7%	-37
traffic and ordinance	3,641	4,000	3,935	3,850	2,872	3,660	-4.8%	-192
Fine Collection Center (FCC)	5,845	6,349	6,832	7,305	5,451	6,356	-0.6%	-99
Juvenile Division	106	129	111	118	130	119	6.1%	6
abuse and neglect	46	48	58	51	36	48	-4.1%	-3
termination of parental rights	0	3	1	4	5	3	N/C	1
adoption	18	18	16	18	16	17	-2.4%	-1
delinquency, status offense, ext. jurisdiction	42	60	36	45	73	51	22.5%	8
Probate Division	144	124	161	103	84	123	-9.6%	-15
estates	144	123	159	101	72	120	-12.6%	-18
petitions	0	1	2	2	12	3	N/C	3
Total	12,735	13,655	13,918	14,148	11,489	13,189	-2.0%	-312

- On average, over 13,100 cases were filed with the 4th Circuit Court and FCC each year.
 - Although filings for several case categories increased, overall filings decreased by approximately 300 each year.
- By count, the largest decrease in filings was in traffic/ordinance cases followed by the FCC and misdemeanor/etc. cases, while the largest increase was in associate/civil cases.
- Traffic ordinance cases accounted for over one half of the court's caseload, while misdemeanor/etc. accounted for one-seventh. (see below).

Fiscal Years 2003-07: Circuit Court Caseload, by Case Category*



*Fine Collection Center filings/cases excluded from calculations.