

**VERMONT SUPREME COURT
STATISTICS**

July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2011

CASES FILED				CASES CLOSED			
TOTAL CASES	APPEALS	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL CASES	APPEALS	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS		
480	430*	50	487	432	55		
ORIGIN OF APPEALS FILED							
APPEALS FILED	Superior Court	District Court	Probate Court	Environmental Court	Boards, etc.	Family Court	
430	132	121	4	10	52	111	
ORIGIN OF APPEALS CLOSED							
APPEALS CLOSED	Superior Court	District Court	Probate Court	Environmental Court	Boards, etc.	Family Court	
432	126	144	3	10	61	88	
MANNER OF DISPOSITION OF APPEALS CLOSED							
TOTAL CLOSED	Closed by Written Opinion	Closed by Full Court Mem.	Closed by Panel Mem.	Closed for Lack of Progress	Closed by Misc. Mem.	Closed by Stipulation of Parties	
432	69	51	141	60	47	64	
MANNER OF DISPOSITION OF ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED							
TOTAL CLOSED	Closed by Written Opinion	Closed by Full Court Mem.	Closed by Panel Mem.	Closed for Lack of Progress	Closed by Misc. Mem.	Closed by Stipulation of Parties	
55	4	2	0	0	44	5	

*Includes one reinstated case.

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TYPES OF APPEALS FILED									
APPEALS FILED	Civil	Criminal	Bail	Juvenile	Habeas Corpus	Post Conviction	Small Claims		
430	284	101	9	24	0	12	0		
TYPES OF ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS FILED									
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	Extraordinary Relief	Disciplinary Matters	Habeas Corpus	Other	Board of Bar Examiners	Motions for Interlocutory Appeal			
50	10	15	0	2	0	5(b) 5.1	3	9	6(b)
PRESENTATION OF CASES CONSIDERED									
APPEALS	Oral Argument	Submitted on Briefs	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	Oral Argument	Submitted on Pleadings				
275	165	110	48	5	43				
TYPES OF APPEALS CLOSED									
APPEALS CLOSED	Civil	Criminal	Bail	Juvenile	Habeas Corpus	Post Convictions	Small Claims		
432	271	121	11	23	0	6	0		
TYPES OF ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED									
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	Extraordinary Relief	Disciplinary Matters	Habeas Corpus	Other	Board of Bar Examiners	Motions for Interlocutory Appeal			
55	11	17	0	3	0	5(b) 5.1	3	10	6(b)

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RESULTS IN APPEALS CLOSED BY WRITTEN OPINIONS		RESULTS IN ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS CLOSED BY WRITTEN OPINIONS	
37	Affirmed	1	Affirmed
2	Affirmed and remanded	1	Suspension
5	Affirmed in part and reversed in part	2	Public Reprimand
1	Affirmed in part and stricken in part	4	TOTAL
13	Reversed (and remanded)		
8	Reversed; judgment entered		
2	Vacated (and remanded)		
<u>1</u>	Vacated in part and affirmed in part		
69	TOTAL		

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WRITTEN OPINIONS IN APPEALS AND ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS

15	Chief Justice Reiber ¹
16	Associate Justice Doolley ²
11	Associate Justice Johnson ³
13	Associate Justice Skoglund ⁴
18	Associate Justice Burgess ⁵
0	Superior Judge Davenport ⁵
0	Superior Judge Crawford ⁵
1	Per Curiam
74	TOTAL ⁶

APPEALS

70*

ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS

4

¹ Also wrote six dissenting opinions and one concurring and dissenting.

² Also wrote four dissenting opinions.

³ Also wrote two dissenting opinions, two concurring opinions and one concurring and dissenting opinion.

⁴ Also wrote two concurring opinions.

⁵ Also wrote one dissenting opinion.

⁶ Includes one opinion on reargument.

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REARGUMENTS

Motions Requesting Reargument Pending				
July 1, 2010				
2				
37	36	0	0	1
Motions Requesting Reargument Added During Reporting Period	Motions Requesting Reargument Denied Without Hearing	Motions Requesting Reargument Denied After Hearing	Motions Withdrawn	Motions Requesting Reargument Granted
Motions Requesting Reargument Pending				
July 1, 2011				
2				
EFFECT OF MOTIONS REQUESTING REARGUMENT				
Original Result Changed	Original Result Unchanged		Pending	
0	41		0	

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CASES PENDING AS OF JULY 1, 2011

245 Appeals Pending	
29 Original Proceedings Pending	
<u>274</u> Total Number of Cases Pending	

Age of Appeals Pending	Age of Original Proceedings Pending
133 Less than 6 months	28 Less than 6 months
75 6 to 12 months	3 6 to 12 months
30 1 to 1 ½ years	3 1 to 1 ½ years
7 1 ½ to 2 years	<u>3</u> 1 ½ to 2 years
<u>245</u> Total	29 Total

CASES PENDING AS OF JULY 1, 2010

247 Appeals Pending	
34 Original Proceedings Pending	
<u>281</u> Total Number of Cases Pending	

RECONCILIATION				
	Pending as of July 1, 2010	Added during Period	Closed during Period	Pending as of July 1, 2011
Appeals	247	430	432	245
Original Proceedings	<u>34</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>29</u>
TOTAL	<u>281</u>	<u>480</u>	<u>487</u>	<u>274</u>