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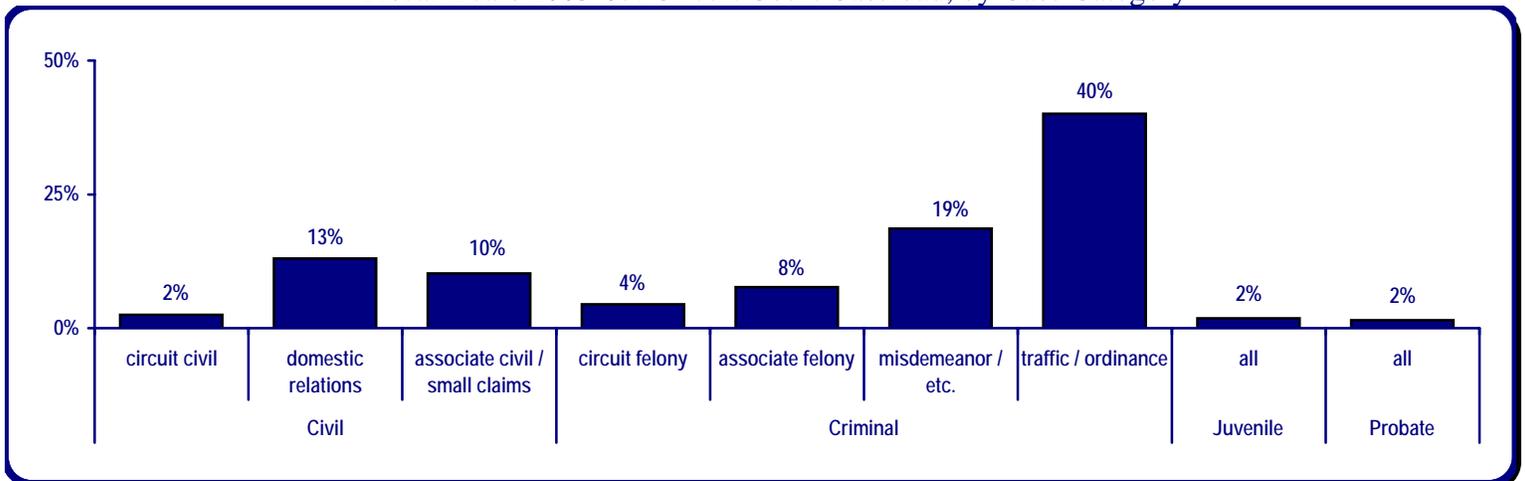
25th Circuit Court and Fine Collection Center Filings: Fiscal Years 2003-2007

	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	5-Year Average	Average Annual Percent Change	Average Annual Count Change
Civil Division	4,951	5,488	5,491	5,773	5,861	5,513	4.4%	228
circuit civil	470	540	527	605	509	530	2.9%	10
domestic relations	2,708	2,852	2,895	2,857	2,647	2,792	-0.5%	-15
associate civil and small claims	1,773	2,096	2,069	2,311	2,705	2,191	11.4%	233
Criminal Division	17,237	19,104	17,208	19,952	18,709	18,442	2.7%	368
circuit felony	727	902	983	1,093	1,081	957	10.8%	89
associate felony	1,570	1,635	1,553	1,853	1,601	1,642	1.2%	8
misdemeanor, municipal/cert., trial de novo	3,423	4,479	3,387	5,050	3,590	3,986	6.7%	42
traffic and ordinance	8,944	9,382	8,385	9,119	7,038	8,574	-4.9%	-477
Fine Collection Center (FCC)	2,573	2,706	2,900	2,837	5,399	3,283	25.1%	707
Juvenile Division	396	419	371	397	414	399	1.4%	5
abuse and neglect*	167	232	157	198	165	184	4.0%	-1
termination of parental rights	9	4	10	28	29	16	69.5%	5
adoption*	104	83	98	87	99	94	0.1%	-1
delinquency, status offense, ext. jurisdiction	116	100	106	84	121	105	3.9%	1
Probate Division	580	222	248	292	278	324	-9.3%	-76
estates	379	220	245	290	276	282	-4.3%	-26
petitions	201	2	3	2	2	42	-20.6%	-50
Total	23,164	25,233	23,318	26,414	25,262	24,678	2.6%	525

*Divergence in +/- indicators for percent/count change may indicate little overall change coupled with relatively wide annual fluctuation in case filings.

- On average, over 24,600 cases were filed with the 25th Circuit Court and FCC each year.
 - Filings increased over the 5-yr period by over 500 each year.
- By count, the largest increases in filings were with the FCC and in associate civil/small claims and circuit felony cases, while the largest decreases were in traffic/ordinance and petition cases.
- Traffic/ordinance cases accounted for two-fifths of the court's caseload, while misdemeanor/etc. accounted for approximately one-fifth and domestic relations for over one-eighth (see below).

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



*Fine Collection Center filings/cases excluded from calculations.