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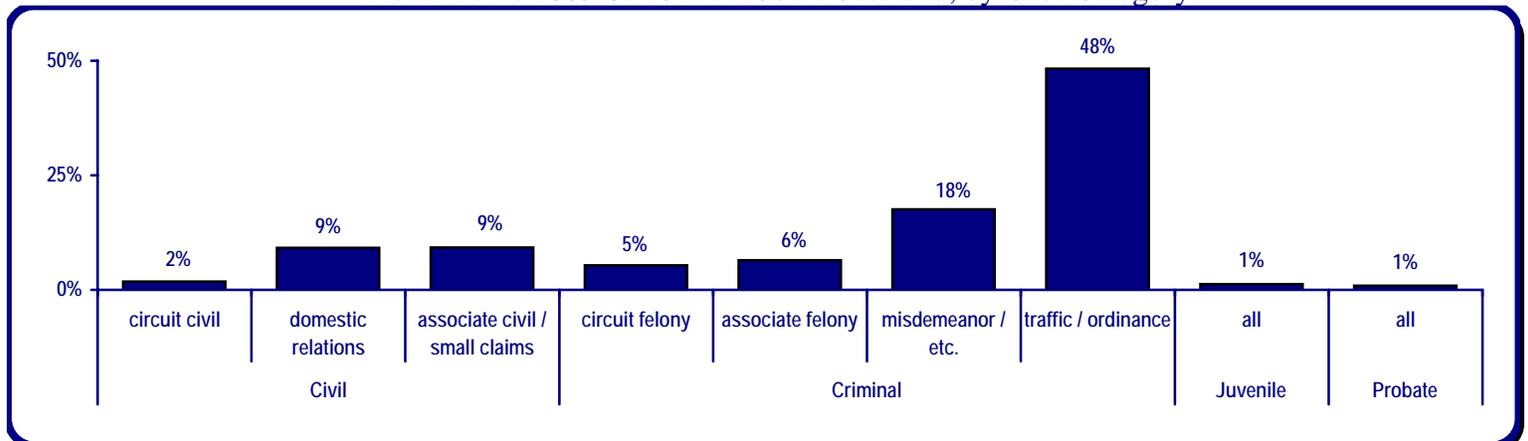
34th Circuit Court and Fine Collection Center Filings: Fiscal Years 2003-2007

	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	5-Year Average	Average Annual Percent Change	Average Annual Count Change
Civil Division	2,346	2,500	2,222	2,323	2,466	2,371	1.5%	30
circuit civil	236	207	187	220	228	216	-0.2%	-2
domestic relations	1,045	1,087	1,018	1,087	1,122	1,072	1.9%	19
associate civil and small claims	1,065	1,206	1,017	1,016	1,116	1,084	1.8%	13
Criminal Division	9,397	11,313	9,817	11,333	10,213	10,415	3.2%	204
circuit felony	565	576	606	696	687	626	5.2%	31
associate felony	678	734	729	852	779	754	4.0%	25
misdemeanor, municipal/cert., trial de novo	2,060	1,690	1,855	2,408	2,294	2,061	4.2%	59
traffic and ordinance*	5,254	6,521	5,303	5,986	5,197	5,652	1.3%	-14
Fine Collection Center (FCC)	840	1,792	1,324	1,391	1,256	1,321	20.6%	104
Juvenile Division	95	187	141	130	165	144	22.8%	18
abuse and neglect	32	76	63	64	93	66	41.8%	15
termination of parental rights	3	2	0	2	4	2	N/C	0
adoption*	12	18	18	25	8	16	5.2%	-1
delinquency, status offense, ext. jurisdiction	48	91	60	39	60	60	18.6%	3
Probate Division	89	102	115	128	106	108	5.4%	4
estates	89	102	114	128	106	108	5.4%	4
petitions	0	0	1	0	0	0	N/C	0
Total	11,927	14,102	12,295	13,914	12,950	13,038	2.9%	256

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

- On average, over 13,000 cases were filed with the 34th Circuit Court and FCC each year.
 - Filings increased over the 5-yr period by over 250 each year.
- By count, the largest increases in filings were with the FCC and in misdemeanor/etc. and circuit felony cases, while the largest decrease was in traffic/ordinance cases.
- Traffic/ordinance cases accounted for almost one-half of the court's caseload each, while misdemeanor/etc. accounted for nearly one-fifth and domestic relations and associate civil/small claims for almost one-tenth each (see below).

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



*Fine Collection Center filings/cases excluded from calculations.