

COURTS OF CIVIL APPEALS

1971

	First at Houston	Second at Fort Worth	Third at Austin	Fourth at San Antonio	Fifth at Dallas	Sixth at Texas	Seventh at Amarillo	Eighth at El Paso	Ninth at Beaumont	Tenth at Waco	Eleventh at Eastland	Twelfth at Tyler	Thirteenth at Corpus Christi	Fourteenth at Houston	Total for all courts
1. Cases pending January 1	42	61	46	55	75	24	41	42	25	16	21	27	34	47	556
2. New cases filed	133	98	99	90	236	47	102	76	67	48	54	52*	94#	112	1,330
3. Cases transferred from other courts	5	0	0	1	0	18	0	0	42	75	32	15	0	34	222
4. Cases transferred to other courts	34	16	1	16	131	0	16	0	0	0	3	0	3	5	225
5. Rehearings granted	5	3	1	0	6	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	23
6. Cases affirmed	48	52	35	42	54	27	15	31	50	60	46	41	39	77	647
7. Cases reformed or modified and affirmed	5	1	5	5	3	2	5	3	4	8	1	0	6	4	52
8. Cases affirmed in part and in part dismissed	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	6
9. Cases affirmed in part and in part reversed and remanded	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	3	0	0	11
10. Cases affirmed in part and in part reversed and remanded	5	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	1	5	1	2	2	2	32
11. Cases reversed and remanded	21	16	14	19	14	15	19	15	23	23	11	11	19	11	231
12. Cases reversed and rendered in part and in part reversed and remanded	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
13. Cases remanded on agreed motion	2	2	0	3	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	13
14. Cases reversed and finally adjudicated	6	8	13	5	11	4	7	7	5	6	8	9	5	9	103
15. Cases dismissed:															
(a) with written opinion	2	8	3	7	4	13	5	0	5	20	1	7	16	0	91
(b) without written opinion	15	10	7	8	16	0	0	5	7	1	3	0	1	15	88
16. Cases otherwise disposed:															
(a) with written opinion	6	0	1	1	2	2	2	1	4	1	5	0	0	3	29
(b) without written opinion	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10	12
17. Total cases disposed	112	100	82	93	121	66	85	67	102	127	78	76	89	132	1,330
18. Total cases decided:															
(a) including dismissals with written opinions	97	90	75	85	104	66	85	62	95	126	74	76	88	107	1,230
(b) excluding dismissals with written opinions	95	82	72	78	100	53	80	62	88	106	71	69	72	107	1,135
19. Cases pending December 31	61	46	63	37	71	29	42	51	33	13	27	19	38	56	586
On docket:															
(a) up to 6 months	50	44	55	31	63	19	33	30	32	12	23	14	34	54	484
(b) 6 to 12 months	11	0	8	4	8	9	9	21	1	1	4	5	4	2	86
(c) over 12 months	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Average time between date of filing and disposition (months)	5	4-3/4	5-1/4	6	5	6	7	7-2/3	3-4/5	2-1/3	5-1/4	5-2/3	5	3-3/4	5-1/4

*Includes 1 case remanded by Supreme Court

#Includes 3 cases remanded by Supreme Court

OPINIONS¹ WRITTEN BY JUSTICES OF THE COURTS OF CIVIL APPEALS

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Court and Justices	(a) Original Opinions of the Court on Merits ²	(b) Concurring Opinions	(c) Dissenting Opinions	(d) Opinions Refusing Rehearing ³	(e) Opinions Granting Rehearing ⁴	(f) Opinions Dismissing Appeal	(g) Per Curiam	(h) Total Per Justice	(i) Total for Court
FIRST									
S. Bell	16	0	2	0	1	0	4	19)	98
T. Coleman	41	0	0	1	2	1		45)	
P. Peden	29	0	0	0	1	0		30)	
SECOND									
F. Massey	29	1	0	0	0	1	0	31)	90
H. Brewster	24	0	0	0	0	2		26)	
J. Langdon	28	0	0	0	0	5	4	33)	
THIRD									
J. Phillips	18	0	0	0	0	1		19)	76
T. O'Quinn	26	0	0	0	0	1		27)	
B. Shannon	23	0	1	0	1	1		26)	
FOURTH									
C. Barrow	33	2	0	0	0	0	5	35)	92
C. Cadena	19	2	5	0	0	0		26)	
F. Klingeman	23	0	0	1	0	2	1	26)	
FIFTH									
H. Bateman	28	0	0	0	1	1		30)	93
C. Williams	30	0	1	0	0	0		31)	
C. Guittard	26	1	1	0	1	2	0	31)	
SIXTH									
T. Chadick	18	0	1	0	3	4		26)	73
M. Davis	19	0	3	1	3	5		31)	
C. Ray	11	1	0	1	0	3	7	16)	
SEVENTH									
J. Ellis	25	0	0	0	0	0		25)	88
J. Joy	20	0	1	0	0	1		22)	
C. Reynolds	30	0	1	1	0	2	1	34)	
EIGHTH									
S. Preslar	20	0	0	0	0	0		20)	62
W. Ward	17	0	0	0	0	0		17)	
M. Ramsey	24	0	0	0	0	0	4	24)	
NINTH									
*J. Parker	9	0	0	0	1	0		10)	103
Q. Keith	39	0	2	0	0	1		42)	
H. Stephenson	28	0	6	0	0	0		34)	
*M. Dies	10	1	1	0	0	1	0	13)	
TENTH									
F. McDonald	48	0	0	0	1	9		58)	134
V. Hall	28	0	0	0	0	6		34)	
#F. Wilson	19	0	1	0	0	2		22)	
#J. James	15	0	0	1	0	4	0	20)	

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CASES FILED

COURT AND LOCATION	1962 ****	1963 ****	1964 ****	1965 ****	1966 ****	1967 ****	1968 ****	1969 ****	1970 ****	1971 ****
FIRST at HOUSTON	211	205	191	229	263	228	161	154	139	153
SECOND at FORT WORTH	103	93	86	90	88	107	94	83	110	98
THIRD at AUSTIN	83	80	109	96	75	83	70	74	87	99
FOURTH at SAN ANTONIO	155	148	113	96	89	102	91	85	103	90
FIFTH at DALLAS	147	172	175	171	196	172	177	175	187	236
SIXTH at TEXARKANA	55	55	41	41	46	38	43	31	39	47
SEVENTH at AMARILLO	92	111	118	113	118	110	94	117	101	102
EIGHTH at EL PASO	64	56	63	72	77	65	65	73	75	76
NINTH at BEAUMONT	75	82	70	61	59	68	67	61	48	67

TENTH	45	46	54	64	52	37	51	54	54	48
at										
WACO										
ELEVENTH	58	45	33	38	41	34	33	46	60	54
at										
EASTLAND										
TWELFTH		+11	51	54	61	58	41	46	54	52
at										
TYLER										
THIRTEENTH		+25	67	76	92	91	86	51	72	94
at										
CORPUS CHRISTI										
FOURTEENTH						#6	60	103	99	112
at										
HOUSTON										
TOTALS	1,088	1,129	1,171	1,201	1,257	1,199	1,133	1,153	1,228	1,328

+Created effective 9-1-1963
#Created effective 9-1-1967