

**Table 17**  
**Circuit Court, FY 2021**  
**Circuit Civil/Domestic Relations Cases Filed and Disposed by Case Type**  
**Statewide Totals**

**Circuit Civil**

	<u>Description</u>	<u>Filings</u>		<u>Dispositions</u>	
<b>Tort</b>					
	Asbestos	261		98	
	Personal Injury - Federal Employee Liability Act	50		26	
	Personal Injury - Malpractice	507		414	
	Personal Injury - Product Liability	2,043		176	
	Personal Injury - Vehicular	4,105		3,477	
	Personal Injury - Other	1,889		1,532	
	Property Damage	215		213	
	Wrongful Death	691		597	
	Employment Discrimination	608		580	
	Public Accommodation	25		13	
	Other Tort	1,183		976	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>11,577</b>	<b>25.7%</b>	<b>8,102</b>	<b>26.5%</b>
<b>Contract</b>					
	Breach of Contract	2,334		2,128	
	Promissory Note	147		173	
	Specific Performance	139		82	
	Suit on Account	825		816	
	Other Contract	663		661	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>4,108</b>	<b>9.1%</b>	<b>3,860</b>	<b>12.6%</b>
<b>Administrative Review</b>					
	Chapter 536 State Agency Review	118		115	
	License Revocation/Suspended	606		610	
	Limited Driving Privilege	313		337	
	Hearing - Refuse Take Breathalyzer	503		529	
	Trial De Novo of Department of Revenue Decision	212		234	
	Review Department of Revenue Dealer License	7		5	
	Other Administrative Review	425		426	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>2,184</b>	<b>4.9%</b>	<b>2,256</b>	<b>7.4%</b>
<b>Real Estate</b>					
	Application to Enforce Mechanics' Liens	59		69	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation - State	16		6	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation - Other	48		44	
	Exception	11		8	
	Foreclosure	112		138	
	Landlord Complaint	15		14	
	Partition	268		218	
	Quiet Title	1,268		1,200	
	Rent and Possession	141		160	
	Unlawful Detainer	58		53	
	Other Real Estate	2,725		2,004	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>4,721</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>3,914</b>	<b>12.8%</b>
<b>Extraordinary Remedy</b>					
	Declaratory Judgment	872		868	
	Habeas Corpus	173		197	
	Injunction	291		279	
	Show Cause to Enforce Jury Service	9		7	
	Temporary Restraining Order	101		94	
	Other Extraordinary Remedy	139		110	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>	<b>1,585</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>1,555</b>	<b>5.1%</b>

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<b>Miscellaneous</b>			
Delinquent City License Fee		0	0
Delinquent City Taxes		21	14
Delinquent County License Fee		0	0
Delinquent County Taxes		0	0
Delinquent Sales Tax		0	0
Delinquent State Tax		0	0
Personal Property Tax		15,393	5,602
Tax Action - Other		21	29
Action Against Garnishee		60	56
Arbitration Filed		26	22
Criminal Activity Forfeiture Act		435	353
Common Law Lien Petition		1	1
Contempt		12	4
Establishment of Charters		0	2
Examination Judgment Debtor		0	0
Expungment/Correction of Arrest Record		356	362
Expungment Criminal Records		894	896
Incarceration Reimbursement 217.835		0	16
Pro Forma		8	9
Registration of Foreign Judgment		485	484
Replevin		302	315
Revival of Judgment		3	1
Small Claims Certified to Circuit		4	3
Small Claims Trial De Novo		309	323
Supreme Court Rules 24.035 and 29.15		492	654
Out of State Witness		131	69
Trial De Novo		184	167
Will Contest		44	32
Other Miscellaneous		1,650	1,497
<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Circuit Civil Cases</b>		<b>20,831</b>	<b>10,911</b>
		46.3%	35.7%
<b>Total Circuit Civil</b>		<b>45,006</b>	<b>30,598</b>
<b>Domestic Relations</b>			
Adult Abuse - Ext/Mod			
Adult Abuse - Not Stalking		26,314	26,399
Adult Abuse - Stalking		15,156	15,194
Change of Name		3,346	3,012
Child Protection Extension/Modification		0	0
Child Protection Order		7,590	7,393
Contempt (Includes IV-D)		393	488
Dissolution of Marriage with Children		10,725	10,667
Dissolution of Marriage without Children		12,242	12,193
Family Access Motion		780	714
Habeas Corpus		55	33
IV-D Administrative Order with Hearing		303	330
Legal Separation, Annulment, Separate Maintenance		327	290
Modify Registration of Foreign Judgment		42	38
Motion to Modify (Includes IV-D)		6,150	5,879
Paternity (Includes IV-D)		6,151	5,782
Registration of Foreign Judgment - Custody		115	114
Registration of Foreign Judgment - Dissolution		137	138
Registration of Foreign Order of Protection		8	9
UIFSA - Initiating IV-D		74	67
UIFSA - Responding IV-D		222	206
URES - Initiating, URES - Initiating IV-D		5	5
URES - Responding, URES - Responding IV-D		7	7
Other Domestic Relations (Includes IV-D)		758	1,032
Set Aside Paternity Judgment		5	8
Motion to Modify Paternity		876	773
<b>Total Domestic Relations</b>		<b>91,781</b>	<b>90,771</b>

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**Associate Civil**

	Description	Filings		Dispositions	
<b>Tort</b>	Asbestos	2		2	
	Employment Discrimination 213.111	2		0	
	Personal Injury - Federal Employee Liability Act	0		2	
	Personal Injury - Malpractice	2		4	
	Personal Injury - Product Liability	2		1	
	Personal Injury - Vehicular	292		329	
	Personal Injury - Other	92		104	
	Property Damage	1,336		1,479	
	Wrongful Death	12		14	
	Tort Damages	13		11	
	Other Tort	1,261		1,275	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil</b>	<b>3,014</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>3,221</b>	<b>2.4%</b>
<b>Contract</b>	Breach of Contract	29,202		32,108	
	Promissory Note	3,076		3,483	
	Specific Performance	20		28	
	Suit on Account	59,261		66,396	
	Contract Account	10,550		6,741	
	Other Contract	6,315		0	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil</b>	<b>108,424</b>	<b>68.8%</b>	<b>108,756</b>	<b>81.3%</b>
<b>Administrative Review</b>	Chapter 536 State Agency Review	13		12	
	Driver's License Revocation 302.311 RSMo	843		841	
	Petition for SATOP Review	515		540	
	Refuse Breathalyzer 302.750/577.04 RSMo	2,255		2,024	
	Limited Driving Privilege 302.309 RSMo	537		574	
	Trial De Novo of Department of Revenue Decision	379		311	
	Other Administrative Review	305		350	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil</b>	<b>4,847</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>4,652</b>	<b>3.5%</b>
<b>Real Estate</b>	Application to Enforce Mechanic's Liens	20		26	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation - Other	0		0	
	Eminent Domain/Condemnation - State	0		0	
	Exception	0		3	
	Foreclosure	6		6	
	Landlord Complaint	1,583		1,651	
	Landlord Actions	6,413		0	
	Partition	1		0	
	Quiet Title	20		20	
	Rent and Possession	15,534		0	
	Unlawful Detainer	3,971		0	
	Other Real Estate	268		0	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil</b>	<b>27,816</b>	<b>17.7%</b>	<b>1,706</b>	<b>1.3%</b>
<b>Extraordinary Remedy</b>	Declaratory Judgment	952		946	
	Habeas Corpus	2		1	
	Injunction	3		5	
	Show Cause to Enforce Jury Service	9		9	
	Temporary Restraining Order	0		0	
	Other Extraordinary Remedy	2		3	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>0.7%</b>

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<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Action Against Garnishee	3		3	
	Arbitration Filed	3		5	
	Criminal Activity Forfeiture Act	60		63	
	Common Law Lien Petition	0		1	
	Contempt	8		8	
	Delinquent City License Fee	0		2	
	Delinquent City Taxes	3,976		5,370	
	Delinquent County License Fee	0		0	
	Delinquent County Taxes	0		187	
	Delinquent Sales Tax	0		0	
	Delinquent State Tax	0		0	
	Personal Property Tax	359		235	
	Tax Action - Other	2		3	
	Establishment of Charters	0		0	
	Examination Judgment Debtor	1		0	
	Expungment/Correction of Arrest Record	23		44	
	Expungment Criminal Records	8		15	
	Grandparent Visitation	8		11	
	Gun Permit Appeal	0		0	
	Out of State Witness	1		2	
	Owner/Lienholder Petition for Property Release	4		9	
	Registration of Foreign Judgment, Excluding Domes	1,130		1,119	
	Replevin	323		347	
	Revival of Judgment	3		2	
	Other Miscellaneous	1,213		1,217	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil</b>	<b>7,125</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>8,643</b>	<b>6.5%</b>
<b>Small Claims</b>	Small Claims	5,272		5,830	
	Conceal Carry Appeal	34		30	
	Petition Revocation Conceal Carry	2		1	
	<b>Subtotal and Percentage of Total Associate Civil</b>	<b>5,308</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>5,861</b>	<b>4.4%</b>
<b>Total Associate Civil and Small Claims</b>		<b>157,502</b>		<b>133,803</b>	