

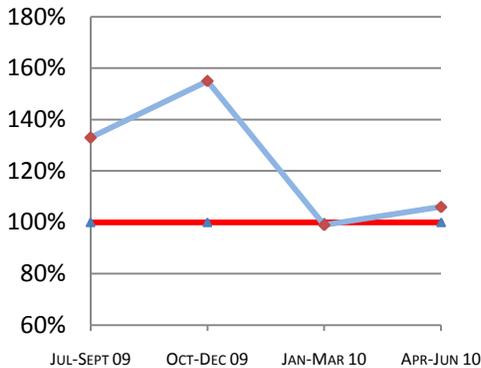
Montana Supreme Court

Case Processing Measures

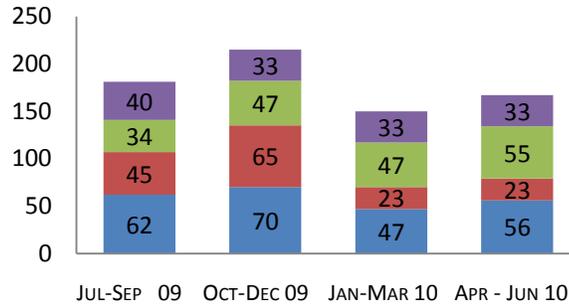
Quarterly Report (Apr - Jun)

2010

Case Clearance



Manner of Disposition



Published Opinion Non-Cite Opinion or Memorandum
Closed Other Original Proceeding Dispositive Order

Age of Pending Cases as of 06/30/2010

Age in Days from Date Sent to Court	# Cases Less than 365 Days Old	# Cases More than 365 Days old	Percent Current (less than 365 days old)
Direct Appeal			
Civil General	25	0	100%
Domestic Relations	7	0	100%
Abuse & Neglect	2	0	100%
Criminal	30	0	100%
Direct Appeal All	64	0	100%
Original Proceedings	26	1	96%

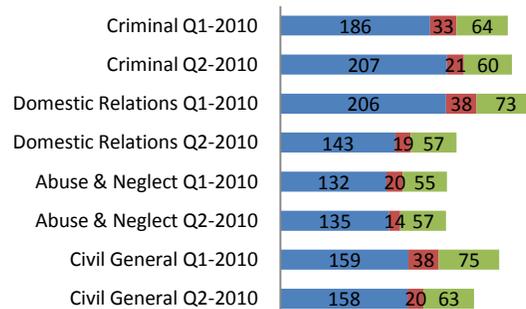
Quarter Highlights

156 new cases were filed during the quarter - the highest number since Q2 2009.

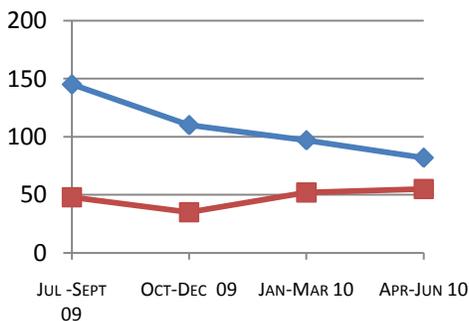
Direct appeal cases are 100% current.

Direct Appeal Lifecycle - Median Days by Case Type

- Median Days from Notice of Appeal to Court
- Median Days from Date Sent to Court to Classification
- Median Days from Classification to Remittitur



Time to Disposition



Direct Appeals Original Proceedings

Case Clearance: The ratio between the number of cases closed (outgoing) and the number of cases filed (incoming).

Manner of Disposition: The manner by which the Court disposes of its cases.

Age of Pending Cases: The age of the Court's active cases (does not include stayed cases).

Time to Disposition: The length of time (median days) it takes the Court to dispose of cases.

Baseline information and a description of the methodology used is available at www.courts.mt.gov