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WISCONSIN COURT OF APPEALS MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

NOVEMBER 2024

This statistical report presents information about the case filings and dispositions of the Wisconsin Court of Appeals during the month of November 2024 and to date for the year that began on January 1, 2024.

Opinions and Orders Issued by the Court

The Court of Appeals issued 50 opinions, 50 summary dispositions, and 90 other written decisions this month. Opinions include three-judge and one-judge authored opinions and per curiam opinions. Summary dispositions include opinions issued in the form of a court order after the court has reviewed the briefs and the record and, generally, following a screening and decision conference. Other written decisions include memorandum opinions, issued before a screening and decision conference, and miscellaneous orders terminating cases (e.g., voluntary dismissals and stipulations to dismiss). The breakdown by district and type of disposition is as follows:

NOVEMBER 2024	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Cases Terminated	66	45	27	52	190
<i>By Opinion - Civil</i>	7	3	6	9	25
<i>By Opinion - Criminal</i>	11	6	1	7	25
<i>By Summ. Disp. - Civil</i>	2	6	1	8	17
<i>By Summ. Disp. - Criminal</i>	16	12	2	3	33
<i>By Memo Opinion - Civil</i>	12	4	7	8	31
<i>By Memo Opinion - Criminal</i>	6	5	2	6	19
<i>By Other - Civil</i>	11	7	7	8	33
<i>By Other - Criminal</i>	1	2	1	3	7

So far this year, the Court of Appeals has issued 609 opinions, 555 summary dispositions, and 1,105 other written decisions.

<i>Year to Date</i>	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Cases Terminated	529	686	455	599	2,269
<i>By Opinion - Civil</i>	83	89	64	113	349
<i>By Opinion - Criminal</i>	65	77	55	63	260
<i>By Summ. Disp. - Civil</i>	28	49	36	60	173
<i>By Summ. Disp. - Criminal</i>	123	144	54	61	382
<i>By Memo Opinion - Civil</i>	98	125	97	133	453
<i>By Memo Opinion - Criminal</i>	42	76	57	63	238
<i>By Other - Civil</i>	68	95	75	92	330
<i>By Other - Criminal</i>	22	31	17	14	84

Appeals Filed

An appeal asks the Court of Appeals to review the decision of the circuit court. A total of 179 appeals were filed during the month.

<i>NOVEMBER 2024</i>	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Cases Filed	48	48	36	47	179
<i>Civil</i>	19	27	18	32	96
<i>Criminal</i>	29	21	18	15	83

So far this year, a total of 2,328 appeals have been filed.

<i>Year to Date</i>	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Cases Filed	589	629	502	608	2,328
<i>Civil</i>	312	324	288	376	1,300
<i>Criminal</i>	277	305	214	232	1,028

Appeals Pending

At the end of the month, a total of 2,156 cases were pending before the Court of Appeals.

<i>NOVEMBER 2024</i>	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Cases Pending	577	537	514	528	2,156
<i>Civil</i>	263	228	250	266	1,007
<i>Criminal</i>	314	309	264	262	1,149

Petitions for Supervisory Writ

A petition for supervisory writ asks the Court of Appeals to order the circuit court to take a certain action in a case. The Court of Appeals received 17 and disposed of 19 petitions for supervisory writ during the month.

NOVEMBER 2024	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Supervisory Writs Filed	5	4	4	4	17
Supervisory Writs Terminated	10	2	5	2	19
<i>Granted</i>	3	0	0	0	3
<i>Denied, Dismissed, Other</i>	7	2	5	2	16
Supervisory Writs Pending	24	12	6	7	49

Petitions for Leave to Appeal

A petition for leave to appeal asks the Court of Appeals to invoke its discretionary jurisdiction and accept the appeal of a case in which a final order has not been issued. The Court of Appeals received 10 and disposed of 10 petitions for leave to appeal during the month.

NOVEMBER 2024	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Petitions for Leave to Appeal Filed	1	2	4	3	10
Petitions Terminated	1	0	3	6	10
<i>Granted</i>	0	0	1	2	3
<i>Denied, Dismissed, Other</i>	1	0	2	4	7
Petitions Pending	2	4	5	2	13

Petitions for Review, Petitions for Bypass, and Certifications to the Supreme Court

In a petition for bypass, a party requests that the Supreme Court take jurisdiction of an appeal or other proceeding pending in the Court of Appeals. In a request for certification, the Court of Appeals asks the Supreme Court to exercise its appellate jurisdiction before the Court of Appeals hears the matter. The Supreme Court received 56 petitions for review of decisions of the Court of Appeals, no petitions to bypass the Court of Appeals, and no requests for certification this month.

NOVEMBER 2024	<i>Dist. I</i>	<i>Dist. II</i>	<i>Dist. III</i>	<i>Dist. IV</i>	<i>Total</i>
Petitions for Review Filed	18	19	7	12	56
<i>Civil</i>	7	7	4	6	24
<i>Criminal</i>	11	12	3	6	32
Petitions for Bypass Filed	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Civil</i>	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Criminal</i>	0	0	0	0	0
Certification Requests Filed	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Civil</i>	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Criminal</i>	0	0	0	0	0