

CY 2016 Filings in Iowa District Courts Statewide*			
Case types	2016* Filings	% of all filings	% of filings (excl. S. Msds)
Divorce & modification of div.	13,419	1.8%	5.4%
Domestic abuse (civil)	5,869	0.8%	2.3%
Other domestic cases	14,248	1.9%	5.7%
Total Domesitc Filings	33,536	4.5%	13.4%
Tort: medical/dental malp	161	0.0%	0.1%
Other torts	3,295	0.4%	1.3%
Total Tort Filings	3,456	0.5%	1.4%
Contract: debt collection	6,159	0.8%	2.5%
Mortgage foreclosure	6,013	0.8%	2.4%
Other law & equity**	6,119	0.8%	2.4%
Total Other Civil Filings	18,291	2.5%	7.3%
Landlord/Tenant (FEDs)	15,425	2.1%	6.2%
Small claims/civ infractions	54,543	7.4%	21.8%
Total Small Claims & FEDs	69,968	9.4%	27.9%
Total Simple Misdemeanors	491,308	66.2%	NA
Crim: OWI (1st/2nd)	14,901	2.0%	6.0%
Crim: other ser/agrv misds	43,898	5.9%	17.5%
Crim: OWI felony (3+)	1,194	0.2%	0.5%
Crim: Other felonies	25,859	3.5%	10.3%
Total Indictable Criminal	85,852	11.6%	34.3%
Adult MH commitment petitions	12,518	1.7%	5.0%
Probate: other	13,943	1.9%	5.6%
Total Probate	26,461	3.6%	10.6%
Juvenile: delinquency	4,056	0.5%	1.6%
Juvenile: CINA/FINA***	5,117	0.7%	2.0%
Juvenile: Term. of Parent Rts	2,001	0.3%	0.8%
Juv MH commitment petitions	1,615	0.2%	0.6%
Total Juvenile	12,789	1.7%	5.1%
TOTAL FILINGS	741,661	100.0%	NA
Total (excluding simple msds)	250,353		NA

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*In this table, "filings" include original complaints/petitions plus probation revocations and contempt filings during the given year.

"Filings" exclude liens, distress warrants, seized property, entry of foreign judgments, and entry of transcripts of judgement.