

2.F Administrative Data: Hearings and Appeals

Table 2.F8.—Workload of SSA's Administrative Law Judges (ALJs),¹ fiscal years 1999–2001

Item	1999	2000	2001 ²
Number of ALJs	1,107	989	954
Average monthly hearing dispositions per ALJ	38	42	46
Average hearings pending per ALJ	289	348	354

¹ Excludes Regional Chief ALJs; based on average number of ALJs available during fiscal year 2000.

² Estimated data.

Table 2.F9.—Number of hearing receipts, dispositions, and end-of-year pending cases, fiscal years 2000–2001

Program	Hearing receipts		Hearing dispositions		End-of-year pending cases	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
Total ¹	569,276	557,422	539,426	525,636	346,756	378,542
OASI	3,419	3,345	3,220	3,154	2,554	2,745
Disability:						
DI	185,375	181,491	163,856	159,736	110,459	132,214
SSI	161,844	158,475	154,354	150,384	106,162	114,253
DI/SSI	140,758	137,850	129,905	126,573	91,673	102,950
Medicare (Parts A and B and adversarial)	77,872	76,255	88,084	85,783	35,904	26,376
Black Lung	8	6	7	6	4	4

¹ Data estimated for 2001.

Table 2.F10.—Number of civil litigation cases, fiscal year 2000

Program	New cases	Court decisions ¹	Affirmations	Reversals	Dismissals	End-of-year pending cases
Total	14,747	12,173	4,799	746	801	26,366
OASI	109	160	67	12	26	244
Disability:						
DI	5,468	4,558	1,847	332	271	9,804
SSI	4,217	3,191	1,210	157	256	7,199
DI/SSI	4,922	4,262	1,675	245	246	9,090
SSI nondisability	9	6	0	0	2	29
Black Lung	0	0	0	0	0	0

¹ Includes 5,827 remands that may not be a final court decision.

Table 2.F11.—Number of SSA Appeals Council cases, fiscal years 1999–2001

Cases	1999	2000	2001 ¹
Beginning-of-year pending	120,548	146,564	127,190
Receipts	115,150	100,950	91,370
Dispositions	91,173	134,191	128,580
End-of-year pending	144,525	113,323	89,980

¹ Estimated data.