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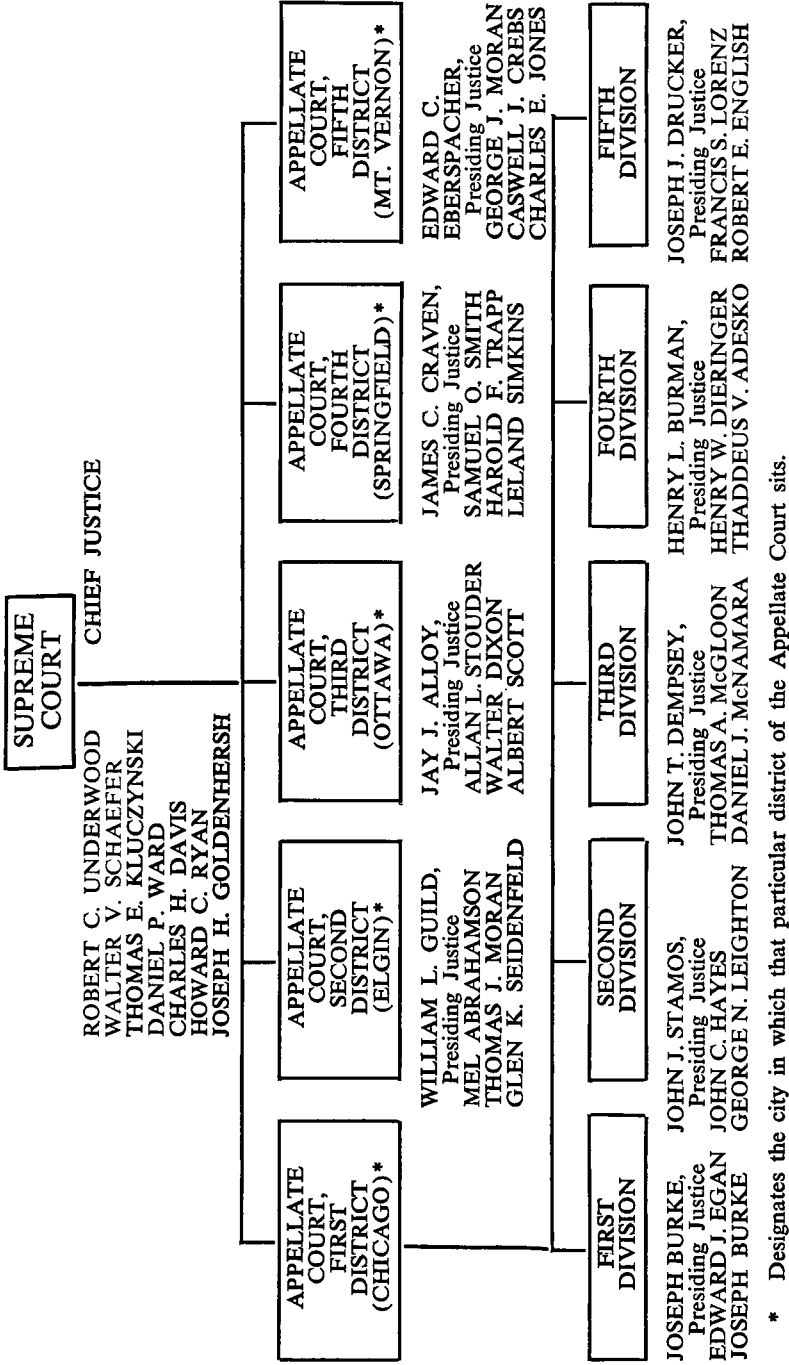
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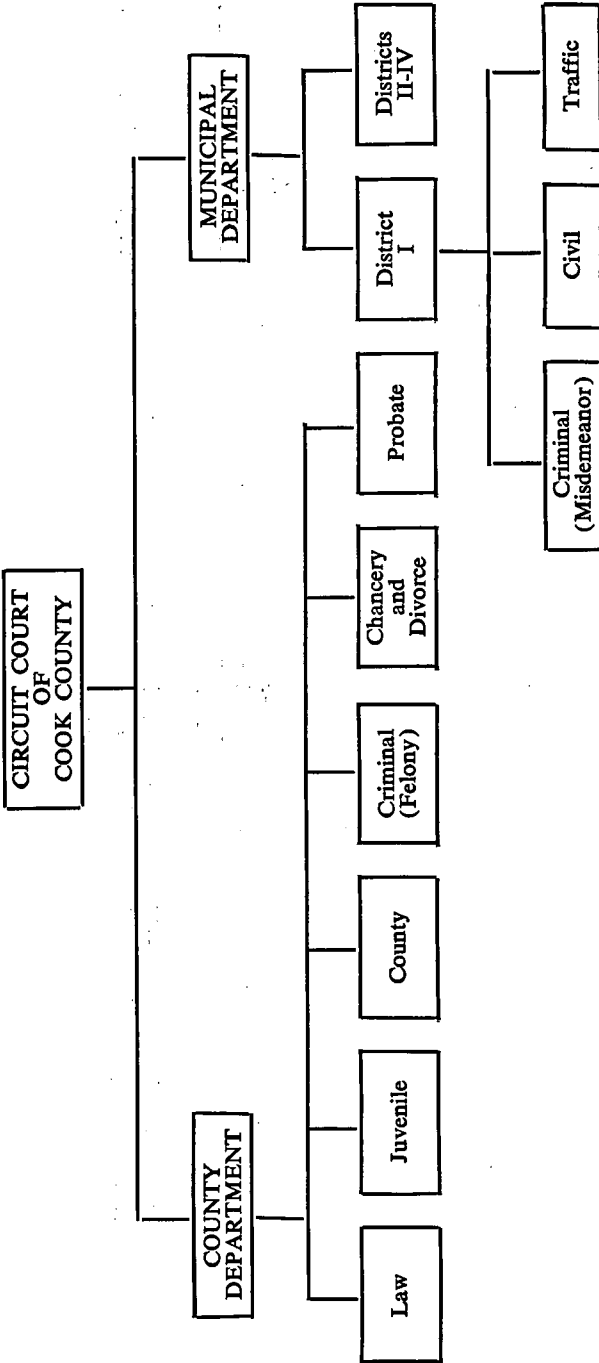
Structure of the Illinois Courts



* Designates the city in which that particular district of the Appellate Court sits.

SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS

Dockets in the Supreme Court	1971	1972
Advisement Docket	316	431
Rehearing Docket	88	70
People's Docket	2,870	1,380
Civil Docket	777	458
Leave to Appeal Docket	364	493
Motions		
Presented	1,664	930
Dispositions Announced	1,633	911
Remand on Confession of Error	11	6
Petitions For Leave to Appeal		
Allowed	62	77
Denied or Dismissed	273	370
Petitions For Rehearing		
Allowed	4	2
Denied or Dismissed	73	68
Call of the People's Docket		
Submitted on Briefs	27	16
Argued Orally	131	88
Dismissed on Motion	15	7
Dismissed by Court	18	21
Call of the Civil Docket		
Submitted on Briefs	11	11
Argued Orally	122	129
Dismissed on Motion	12	8
Dismissed by Court	19	12
Transferred to Appellate Court	245	143
Opinions Filed	208	246
Memorandum Opinions Filed	62	72
Prisoner Cases		
Habeas Corpus	81	56
Mandamus	58	65
Other	116	135
Counsel Appointed	78	35
Appeals	28	10
Petitions For Leave to Appeal	8	32
Number of Days Sitting	83	70
Lawyers Admitted to the Bar	1,060	1,221



NUMBER OF CASES IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, COUNTY DEPARTMENT
CALENDAR 1971, JAN.-OCT. 1972

	Pending at Start		Begun, Reinstated and Transferred		Terminated		Pending at End	
	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972
LAW, OVER	36196	32875	14730	11975	18247	16840	32875	282831
\$15,000	6926	3653	3968	4007	7241	4038	3653	46242
NON JURY	10449	14233	31060	29944	26431	22838	14233	21339
TAX	440	499	142	135	83	141	499	493
CONDEMNATION	308	12	3327	2857	3373	2843	12	26
MENTAL HEALTH	144	33	73	48	36	29	33	52
MUNICIPAL CORP.	1200	1502	967	856	665	551	1502	1807
MISC. REMEDY	3413	3564	6997	6586	8819	7262	3564	46183
CHANCERY	4290	5898	5888	5516	4280	3227	5898	8187
HOUSING	2047	5024	31210	18577	35819	19899	5024	3702
JUVENILE	13288	11448	26116	23184	27956	22595	11448	12037
DIVORCE	/	/	10731	8976	10580	8168	/	/
PROBATE	2185	1491	4522	3527	5216	3052	1491	2042
FELONY	4745	2597	3076	1514	1821	1028	2585	3083
MISDEMEANOR	/	/	142807	117702	150067	112511	/	/
TOTALS	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/

1. Total reflects an adjustment of +273 cases due to physical inventory of cases in May.
2. Total reflects an adjustment of +1002 cases due to physical inventory of cases in May (+734) and physical inventory of cases filed in 1969 in August (+268).
3. Total reflects an adjustment of +1730 cases due to physical inventory of cases in June.

AGE OF CASES PENDING IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY,
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, LAW DIVISION
AS OF CALENDAR 1971, JAN.-OCT. 1972

AS OF	During 1967		During 1968		During 1969		During 1970		During 1971		During 1972		TOTALS	
	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972
Total Filed or Transferred in	12968	13311	13026	13180	13354	13409	12862	12973	10459	12571	7928	/	/	/
Pending	2061	162	5109	381	6436	3323	9690	7144	9472	9581	7575	32875	28283	
% Terminated	84.1%	98.8%	60.8%	97.1%	51.8%	75.2%	24.7%	44.9%	9.4%	23.8%	4.5%	/	/	/
Total Filed	4470	4470	4362	4376	4142	4295	3796	4750	6933	7174	9969	/	/	/
Pending	0	0	141	0	529	196	506	344	2469	1602	2481	3653	4624	
% Terminated or Transferred out	100.0%	100.0%	96.8%	100.0%	87.2%	95.4%	86.7%	92.8%	64.4%	77.7%	75.1%	/	/	/

NATURE OF THE DISPOSITION OF CRIMINAL CASES IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CRIMINAL DIVISION DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1971
ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS IN CASES DISPOSED OF—5087

	Convicted and Sentenced		Type of Sentence	
	2340	2703	Imprisonment	1871 ²
Dismissed	1884 ¹	2111	Probation	810
Acquitted by Court	367	389	Fine Only	22
Acquitted by Jury	89	203		

1. Includes: stricken with leave to reinstate 1483
nolle prossed 242
discharged 42
others 117
2. Includes: 484 probationers serving some jail time

NUMBER OF CASES IN THE CIRCUIT OF COOK COUNTY, MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT
CALENDAR 1971,¹ JAN.-OCT. 1972

	Pending at Start		Begun, Reinstated and Transferred		Terminated		Pending at End	
	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972	Calendar 1971	Jan.-Oct. 1972
Law, Jury Cases, \$15,000 and Less	15826	15537	10815	7990	11359	9668	15537	13867
	333	327	422	315	428	399	327	243
	353	309	410	302	454	313	309	298
	407	388	494	315	513	425	388	278
	329	280	243	128	292	253	280	234 ²
	234	231	452	278	455	327	231	182
	26329	23303	76107	64384	79229	64912	23303	22775
Law, Non Jury Cases, \$15,000 and Less	118	70	306	280	354	304	70	46
	268	260	400	388	408	399	260	249
	205	194	790	568	801	607	194	155
	235	288	569	469	516	425	288	231 ³
	242	209	417	362	450	361	209	210
	3666	3692	73365	61527	73339	60707	3692	4512
	1024	1046	4289	3645	4267	3552	1046	1112 ⁴
Small Claims	/	/	255736	200048	216140	187757	/	/
Ordinance Violations and Misdemeanors	/	/	23167	21910	12363	23946	/	/
	/	/	978269	754179	961630	738719	/	/
Traffic	/	/	407070	336557	410816	335725	/	/
Taxes	2551	6077	62619	53098	59093	51117	6077	8058
Family and Youth	/	/	51555	41259	51022	40850	/	/
TOTALS	/	/	1947495	1548002	1883929	1520866	/	/

1. Total reflects an adjustment of +7 cases transferred from County Department, Law Division.
2. Total reflects an adjustment of +79 cases due to physical inventory of cases in March.
3. Total reflects an adjustment of -101 cases due to a physical inventory of cases in March.
4. Total reflects an adjustment of -27 cases due to a physical inventory of cases in District 5 in March.