

**APPEALS COUNCIL REVIEW LEVEL PROCESSING TIMES AND DISPOSITION TYPE FOR
SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION PROGRAMS
NATIONAL**

Fiscal Year	Processing Time			Dispositions									
	Total	Request for Review	Quality Assurance	Total Denials	Grant Rev Rate	Affirmed Number	Percent	Reversed Number	Percent	Dismissed Number	Percent	Remanded Number	Percent
1996	250	272	96	44,136	22.8%	641	1.1%	1,679	2.8%	1,757	3.0%	11,162	18.9%
1997	340	353	116	69,369	21.4%	593	0.6%	2,124	2.3%	2,521	2.8%	16,849	18.4%
1998	417	430	109	78,991	20.9%	594	0.6%	2,147	2.1%	2,901	2.8%	18,920	18.3%
1999	441	458	115	66,100	26.4%	558	0.6%	2,079	2.2%	2,794	3.0%	22,014	23.5%
2000	495	505	152	93,746	24.4%	545	0.5%	2,102	1.7%	3,257	2.6%	28,221	22.3%
2001	439	447	150	80,236	26.3%	535	0.5%	2,214	2.0%	2,720	2.4%	27,112	23.8%
2002	404	412	152	81,208	28.4%	1,211	1.1%	2,763	2.3%	3,066	2.6%	29,542	25.1%
2003	288	294	125	71,053	28.4%	501	0.5%	2,295	2.3%	2,526	2.5%	26,487	25.7%
2004	247	251	133	68,216	29.3%	529	0.6%	2,196	2.2%	2,362	2.4%	26,616	26.5%
FY to date	266	272	128	29,145	28.6%	251	0.6%	1,046	2.5%	1,089	2.6%	10,786	25.5%
October	256	262	139	5,439	27.6%	63	0.8%	163	2.1%	204	2.6%	1,928	24.7%
November	246	251	109	4,178	28.7%	31	0.5%	139	2.3%	164	2.7%	1,581	25.9%
December	267	275	123	4,733	29.8%	45	0.6%	168	2.4%	183	2.6%	1,873	26.7%
Quarter 1	257	263	126	14,350	28.7%	139	0.7%	470	2.2%	551	2.6%	5,382	25.8%
January	283	288	150	4,157	27.7%	38	0.6%	151	2.6%	120	2.0%	1,451	24.5%
February	276	281	135	5,218	29.1%	41	0.5%	217	2.8%	195	2.6%	1,959	25.7%
March	267	273	113	5,420	28.4%	33	0.4%	208	2.6%	223	2.8%	1,994	25.3%
Quarter 2	274	280	130	14,795	28.4%	112	0.5%	576	2.7%	538	2.5%	5,404	25.2%
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May													
June													
Quarter 3													
July													
August													
September													
Quarter 4													