

SUMMARY INFORMATION REGARDING THE TERM

Status of Cases

Granted but not argued	3	Argued but not decided	1	Decided	71
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Decided Cases: Method of Disposition

After argument and by signed opinion	67	After argument and without signed opinion	2	On the briefs	2
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Splits in Decided Cases

Unanimous	14	9-0	7	8-1 or 7-1	6	4-4	2
7-2/6-2/5-2	20	6-3 or 5-3	10	5-4 or 5-3	12		

Treatment of the Lower Court

Lower court reversed or vacated	46	Lower court affirmed	24	Lower court reversed or vacated in part and affirmed in	0	Other	1
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OPINION AUTHORSHIP

Opinion Authorship: Total Number of Opinions

Roberts	17	Stevens	23	Scalia	23	Kennedy	12	Souter	15
Thomas	24	Ginsburg	16	Breyer	21	Alito	18		

Opinion Authorship: Majority Opinions (including Unanimous Opinions, excluding Pluralities)

Per Curiam	2	Roberts	7	Stevens	6	Scalia	7	Kennedy	7
Souter	7	Thomas	7	Ginsburg	8	Breyer	8	Alito	7

Opinion Authorship: Plurality or Plurality-Like Opinions

Per Curiam	0	Roberts	1	Stevens	1	Scalia	1	Kennedy	0
Souter	0	Thomas	0	Ginsburg	0	Breyer	0	Alito	0

Opinion Authorship: Concurring Opinions

Roberts	5	Stevens	8	Scalia	10	Kennedy	1	Souter	4
Thomas	7	Ginsburg	3	Breyer	2	Alito	3		

Opinion Authorship: Dissenting Opinions

Roberts	4	Stevens	8	Scalia	5	Kennedy	4	Souter	4
Thomas	10	Ginsburg	5	Breyer	11	Alito	8		

Opinion Authorship: Unanimous Majority Opinions

Per Curiam	1	Roberts	4	Stevens	0	Scalia	0	Kennedy	0
Souter	1	Thomas	4	Ginsburg	3	Breyer	0	Alito	1

DISSENTING VOTES

Dissenting Votes: Total Number

Roberts	7	Stevens	17	Scalia	13	Kennedy	10	Souter	16
Thomas	17	Ginsburg	17	Breyer	14	Alito	12		

Dissenting Votes: Number of Times the only Dissenter in a Case

Roberts	0	Stevens	0	Scalia	0	Kennedy	0	Souter	0
Thomas	4	Ginsburg	1	Breyer	1	Alito	0		

FIVE-TO-FOUR CASES

Number of cases (entirely 5-4 or 5-4 on a major issue)	12
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Five to Four Cases: Alignments		5-4 Cases:
Roberts, Scalia, Kennedy, Thomas, Alito	4	Stoneridge (5-3, Breyer recused), Plains Commerce Bank Heller (DC Guns), Davis v. FEC
Stevens, Kennedy, Souter, Ginsburg, Breyer	4	Boumediene, Sprint v. APCC, Dada, Kennedy v. Louisiana
Roberts, Stevens, Souter, Thomas, Breyer	1	Kentucky Retirement
Roberts, Stevens, Scalia, Thomas, Alito	1	Irizarry
Roberts, Scalia, Thomas, Ginsburg, Alito	1	Ali v. BoP
Stevens, Scalia, Souter, Thomas, Ginsburg	1	Santos

Five-to-Four Cases: Authorship of the Opinion									
Roberts	1	Stevens	1	Scalia	2	Kennedy	4	Souter	0
Thomas	1	Ginsburg	0	Breyer	2	Alito	1		

Five-to-Four Cases: Membership in the Majority									
Roberts	7	Stevens	7	Scalia	7	Kennedy	8	Souter	6
Thomas	8	Ginsburg	6	Breyer	5	Alito	6		

NOTES:

Judgments made in line with **StatPack**

Pluralities: Santos, Crawford, Baze

4-4 Per Curiam Opinions with no Voting Records Released: Tom F., W.-Lambert

Cases with Opinion(s) Concurring in Part and Dissenting in Part:

Counted as Concurrences : Greenlaw, New Jersey v. Delaware, Dept. of Rev. of KY v. Davis

Counted as Dissents : Meacham, Metlife, Philippines

5-3 Cases With One Recusal:

Counted as 5-4: Stoneridge

Counted as 6-3: Exxon

5-2 Cases With Two Recusals:

Counted as 7-2: Morgan Stanley