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Opinion Author Versus Vote Split

The chart below displays the number of majority opinions each Justice has written during this Term, excluding *Citizens United* (which Justice Kennedy authored), according to the size of majority they captured.

Opinion Author	5-4	6-3 (or 5-3)	7-2	8-1 (or 7-1)	9-0 (or unan.)	Total
Roberts	0	3	0	1	1	5
Stevens	0	0	2	0	1	3
Scalia	1	0	1	0	2	3
Kennedy	0	3	0	0	1	4
Thomas	0	0	1	0	3	4
Ginsburg	0	0	1	1	3	5
Breyer	0	0	1	2	3	6
Alito	2	1	0	0	2	5
Sotomayor	0	0	2	0	3	5

Separate Opinion Authorship

This chart shows each Justice's concurring opinions, concurring votes, dissenting opinions, and dissenting votes. Dissents and concurrences to all *per curiam* opinions are included, except when the main opinion dismissed the case as improvidently granted (so far, only *Robertson v. United States ex rel. Watson*).

Opinion Author	Concurrences Authored	Total Concurring Votes	Dissents Authored	Total Dissenting Votes
Roberts	2	3	1	2
Stevens	7	8	8	12
Scalia	5	7	3	6
Kennedy	3	3	1	4
Thomas	7	10	3	9
Ginsburg	3	4	2	6
Breyer	0	1	4	10
Alito	5	5	4	7
Sotomayor	0	1	1	6