## **Strength of the Majority**

Cases Affirmed by an Equally Divided Court				
Term	Total			
ОТ05	0			
ОТ06	0			
ОТ07	2			
ОТ08	0			
ОТ09	0			
OT10	2			
OT11	0			
OT12	0			
<b>OT13</b>	0			
<b>OT14</b>	0			
OT15	4			
OT16	0			
OT17	1			
OT18	0			
OT19	0			
Average (OT05- OT19)	.6			

Argument Sitting	Decided	9-0	8-1	7-2	6-3	5-4	Average Majority
October	7	2	1	-	3	1	7.0
November	10	4	1	1	1	3	7.2
December	12	4	1	4	1	2	7.3
January	8	5	1	-	-	2	7.9
February	9	3	1	3	-	2	7.3
May	2	-	1	-	-	1	6.5
Summary Reversal	5	3	-	-	1	1	7.6

Number of Opinions Per Case			
2.9			
2.8			
2.2			
2.8			
2.6			
3.0			
1.6			

Term Recusals				
Justice	Total			
Kavanaugh	1			
Kagan	1			
Sotomayor	1			
Gorsuch	1			

Solo Dissents					
Justice	Total (OT19)	Average* (OT05-OT18)			
Breyer	1	.40			
Thomas	2	2.1			
Gorsuch	-	.67			
Alito	1	.58			
Sotomayor	1	.80			
Kagan	-	0			
Roberts	-	0			
Kavanaugh	-	0			
Ginsburg	1	.86			

\* Averages consider only the terms during which a justice served on the court. Chief Justice John Roberts and Justices Elena Kagan and Brett Kavanaugh have never filed a lone dissenting vote.