Asylum Decision Rates¹



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FY	Grants	Grant Rate	Denials	Denial Rate	Other ²	Other Rate	Admin Closure ³	Admin Closure Rate	Total
2008	8,781	23.72%	11,559	31.22%	14,343	38.74%	2,339	6.32%	37,022
2009	8,385	24.04%	9,857	28.26%	14,416	41.33%	2,222	6.37%	34,880
2010	8,234	25.36%	8,354	25.73%	12,548	38.65%	3,331	10.26%	32,467
2011	9,866	31.24%	9,354	29.61%	10,933	34.61%	1,433	4.54%	31,586
2012	10,461	30.47%	8,524	24.83%	10,470	30.50%	4,875	14.20%	34,330
2013	9,690	24.77%	8,881	22.70%	10,682	27.31%	9,864	25.22%	39,117
2014	8,562	22.64%	9,292	24.57%	10,418	27.55%	9,540	25.23%	37,812
2015	8,113	18.69%	8,847	20.39%	11,018	25.39%	15,420	35.53%	43,398
2016	8,684	15.81%	11,737	21.37%	12,883	23.45%	21,623	39.37%	54,927
2017	10,539	19.59%	17,632	32.77%	14,745	27.40%	10,889	20.24%	53,805
2018	13,161	20.51%	26,594	41.44%	22,328	34.79%	2,098	3.27%	64,181
2019 (First Quarter ⁴)	4,133	20.98%	9,238	46.89%	6,301	31.98%	30	0.15%	19,702

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 $^{^{1}}$ Asylum decisions on affirmative and defensive applications issues in completed removal, deportation, exclusion, and asylum only proceedings or in proceedings that have been administratively closed. Initial case completions only.

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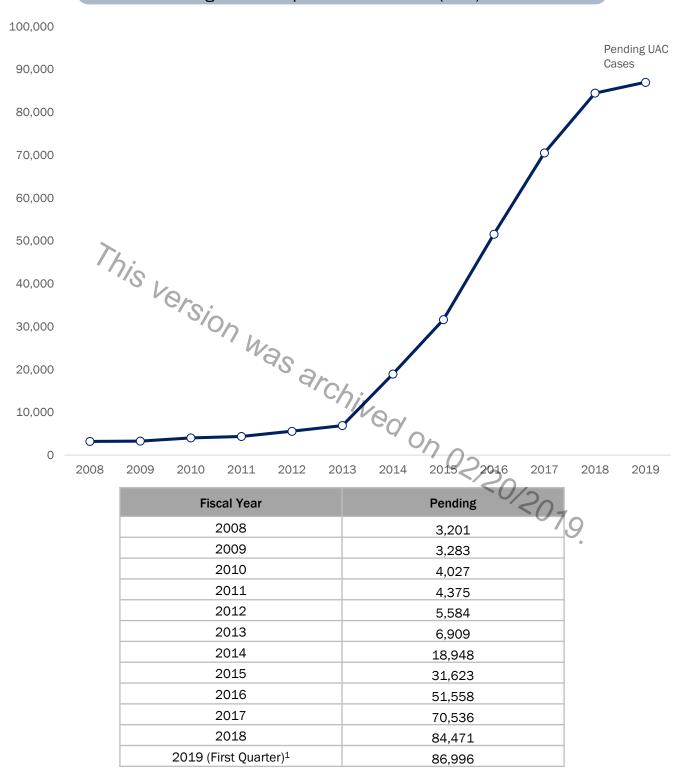
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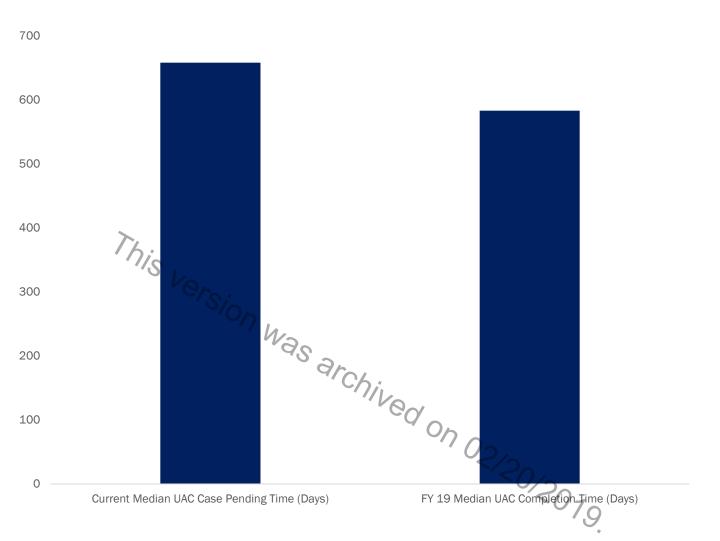


Fiscal Year	Immigration Court MTRs	Board of Immigration Appeals MTRs
2008	22,155	10,793
2009	20,668	10,071
2010	21,786	9,534
2011	21,427	9,097
2012	19,734	8,246
2013	20,362	7,693
2014	19,875	6,693
2015	25,174	5,908
2016	27,962	5,641
2017	36,208	5,897
2018	38,626	7,663
2019 (First Quarter) ¹	7,636	1,560

Pending Unaccompanied Alien Child (UAC) Cases

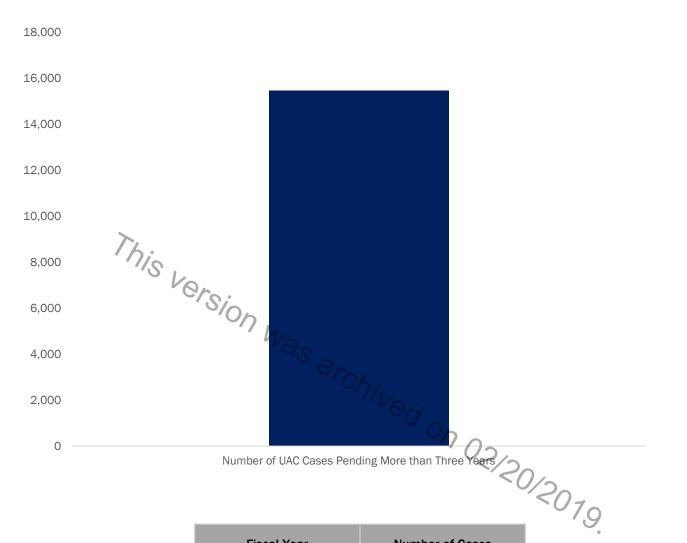


Median Unaccompanied Alien Child (UAC) Case Completion and Case Pending Time



Fiscal Year	Median Pending Time (Days)	Median Completion Time (Days)	
	2019 (First Quarter) ¹	658	583

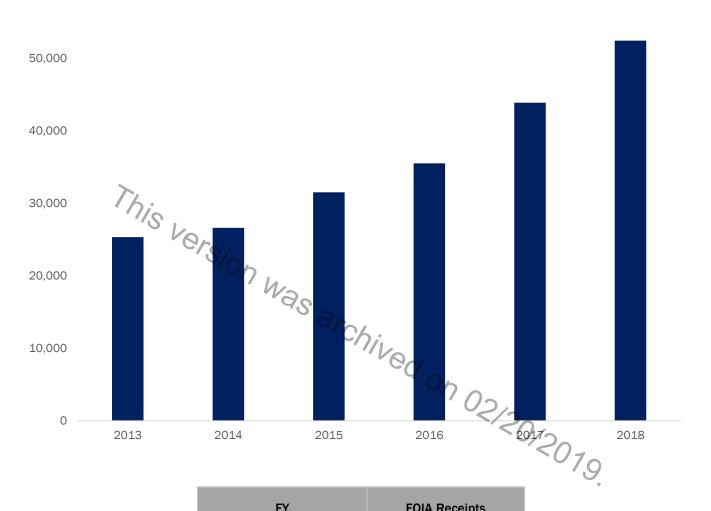
Current Unaccompanied Alien Child (UAC) Cases Pending More than Three Years



Fiscal Year	Number of Cases
2019 (First Quarter) ¹	15,445

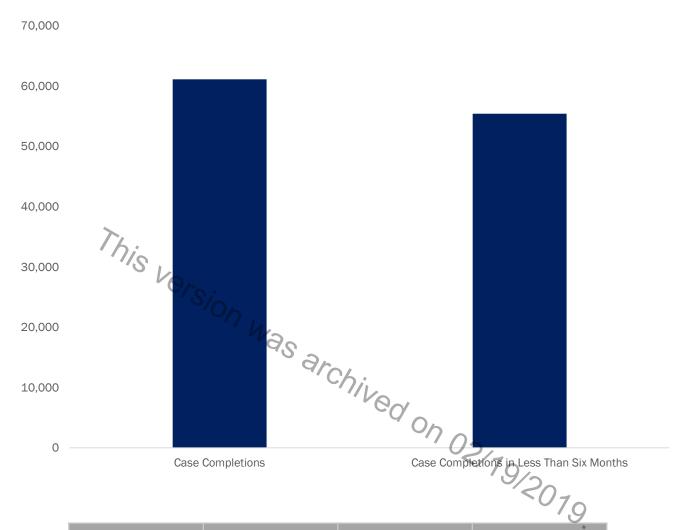
Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Receipts





FY	FOIA Receipts
2013	25,336
2014	26,614
2015	31,513
2016	35,500
2017	43,859
2018	52,432
2019 (First Quarter) ¹	13,064

Percentage of DHS-Detained Cases Completed within Six Months¹



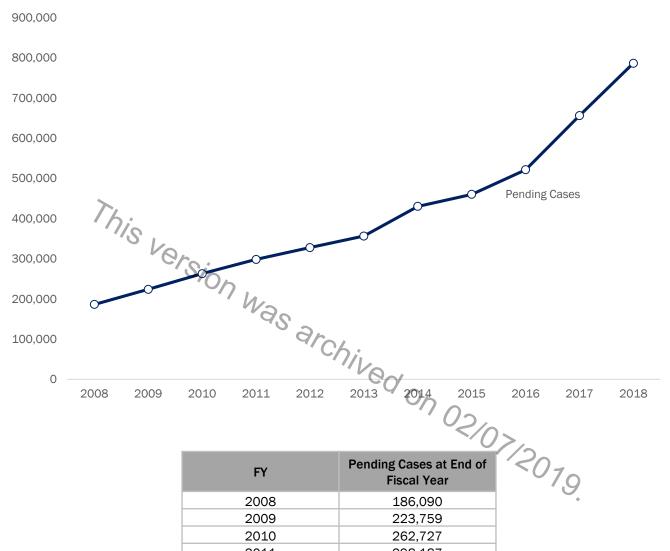
Fiscal Year	Case Completions	Case Completions in Less than Six Months	Percentage
2018	61,115	55,406	91%

Immigration Judge (IJ) Complaints



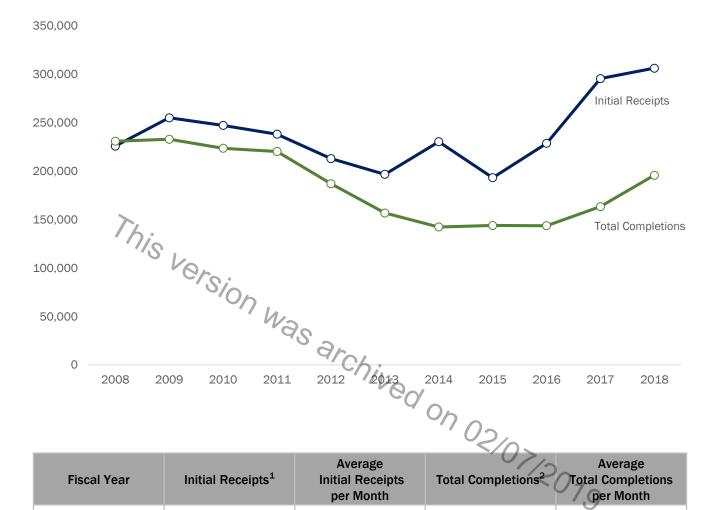
FY	Initial Receipts
2009	192
2010	168
2011	161
2012	126
2013	127
2014	119
2015	114
2016	138
2017	156
2018	98

Pending Cases¹



FY	Pending Cases at End of Fiscal Year
2008	186,090
2009	223,759
2010	262,727
2011	298,187
2012	327,594
2013	356,243
2014	430,088
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2017	655,850
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New Cases and Total Completions

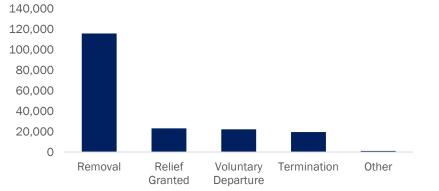


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FY 2018 Decision Outcomes



I-862 Initial Case Decisions ¹		
Outcome	Decisions	
Removal	115,567	
Relief Granted	23,060	
Voluntary Departure	22,128	
Termination	19,469	
Other	1,055	





I-863 Initial Case Decisions ²			
Outcome	Decisions		
Deny	1,923		
Withdraw	748		
Grant	402		
Abandonment	143		
Other	85		

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Review Initial Case Decisions ³						
Outcome	9 Decisions					
Affirmed - DHS Decision and No Credible Fear	5,205					
Affirmed - DHS Decision and No Reasonable Fear	2,194					
Vacated - DHS Decision and Found Credible Fear	1,383					
Vacated - DHS Decision and Found Reasonable Fear	506					
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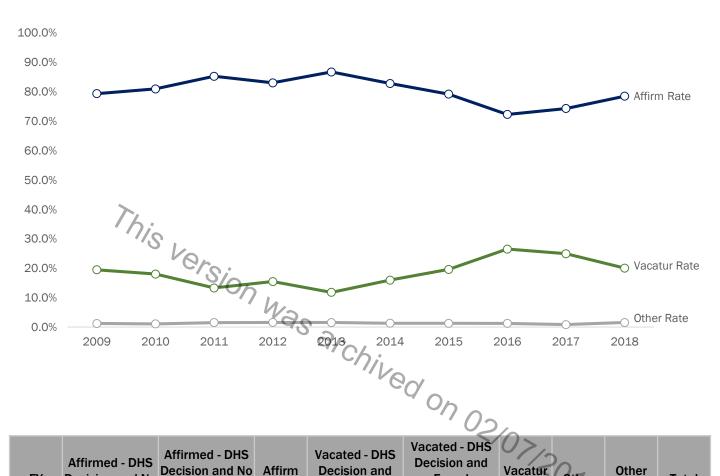
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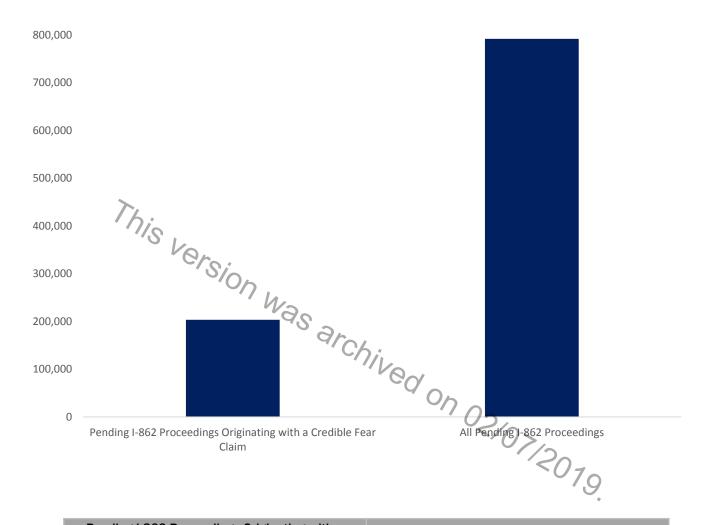
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Credible Fear Review and Reasonable Fear Review Decisions



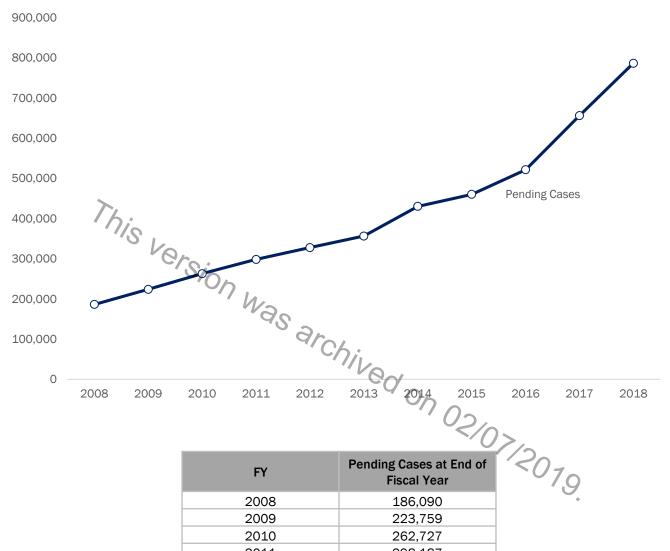
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2009	683	173	79.3%	169	41	19.5%	13	1.2%	1,079
2010	908	310	80.9%	203	68	18.0%	16	1.1%	1,505
2011	774	363	85.2%	110	67	13.3%	20	1.5%	1,334
2012	617	612	83.0%	81	148	15.5%	23	1.6%	1,481
2013	1,503	977	86.7%	206	131	11.8%	44	1.5%	2,861
2014	5,232	1,439	82.8%	1,055	230	15.9%	104	1.3%	8,060
2015	5,217	2,053	79.2%	1,347	451	19.6%	115	1.3%	9,183
2016	5,333	1,914	72.3%	2,088	570	26.5%	123	1.2%	10,028
2017	4,852	1,812	74.3%	1,647	588	24.9%	73	0.8%	8,972
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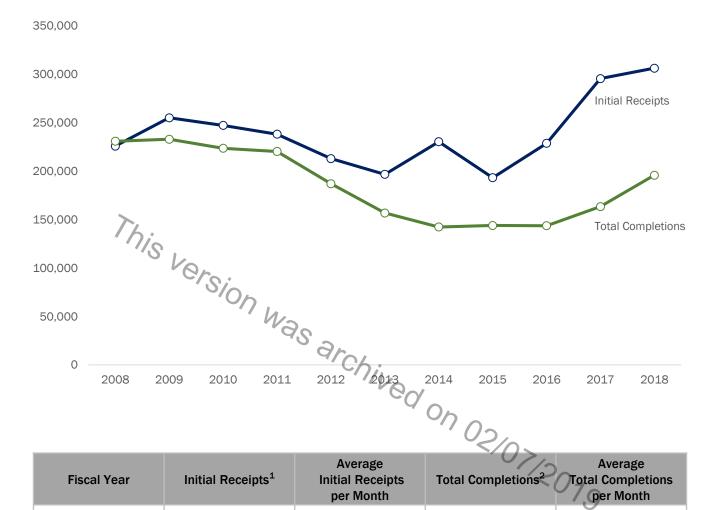
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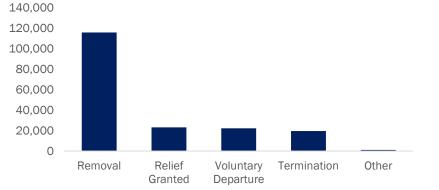


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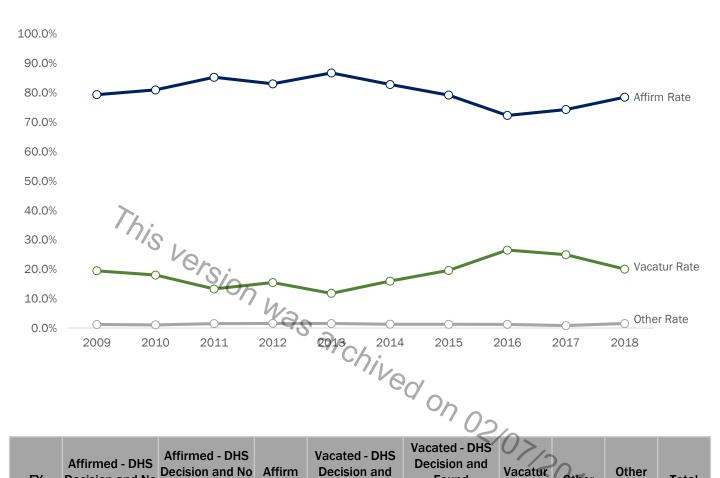
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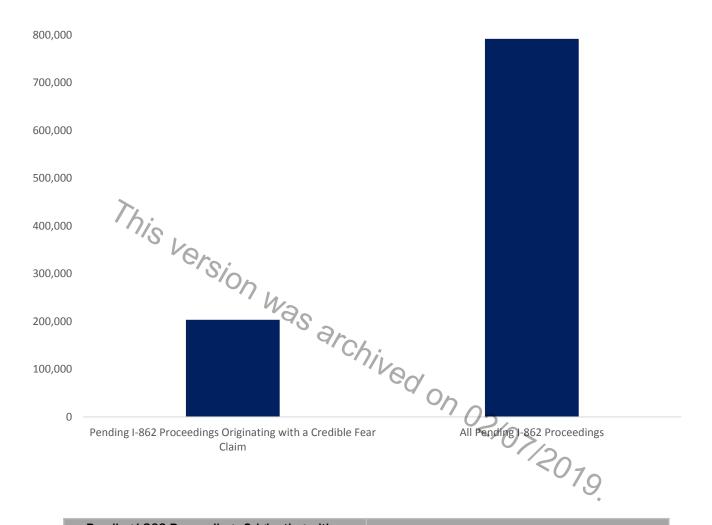
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