

eCourts Services



eCourts



eCourts Services is a Mission Mode Project of the Government of India under the National e-Governance Plan (NeGP) to computerize courts across the country and make judicial services accessible online.

MAIN OBJECTIVES-



- Speedy and transparent justice.
- Easy public access to court information.
- Digitization of court records.
- Online services for litigants and lawyers.

IMPORTANT SERVICES:-

- Case status search.
- Cause list
- Court orders & judgments.
- Case filing details.
- SMS/email case alerts.
- e-Filing and e-Payments (in many courts).

Website & portals are integrated with all District Courts and High Courts.



SMS Facility SMS Push & SMS Pull

SMS push

SMS on occurrence of event in a case like filing, registration, adjournment, scrutiny, listing, transfer of case, disposal, uploading of order etc., on mobile registered with the court.

SMS pull

SMS pull facility can be used by a stakeholder to send 16 character CNR number of a case to 97668-99899, and get its current status.

Current Status

- More than 6 lakh SMS are pushed monthly.





Automated e-Mails

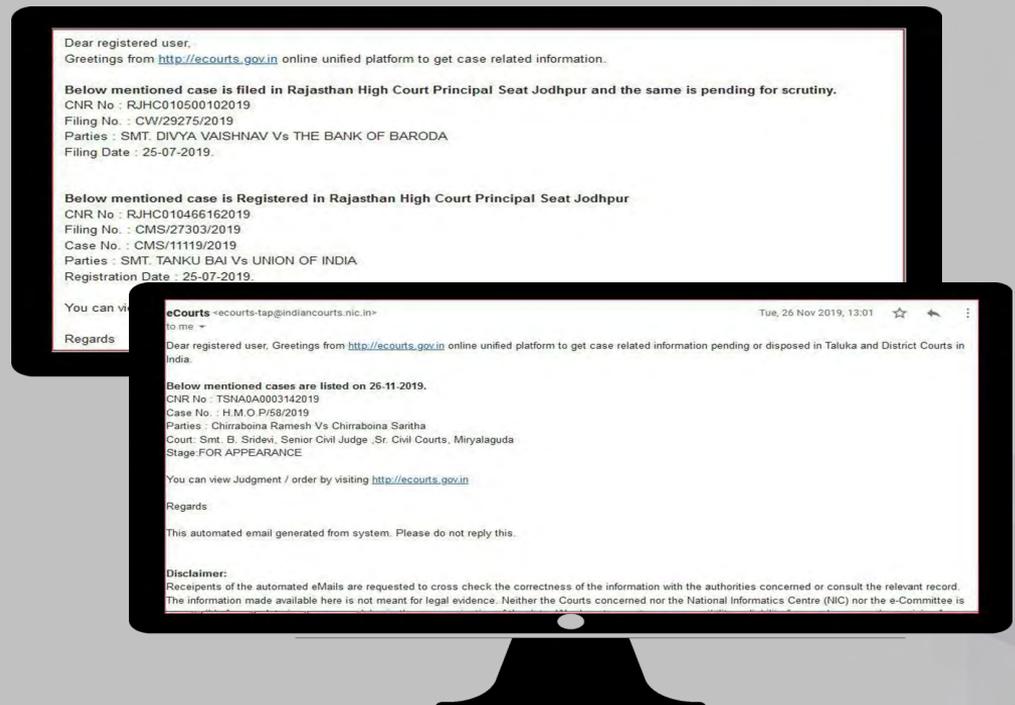
Email sent to Litigants, advocates and police stations

Automated e-Mails

- E-Mails are automatically sent to Litigants, advocates and police stations.
- Daily get cause lists (pertaining to their cases), events like next dates, transfer of case, disposal etc is sent.
- Copy of order, copy of judgment etc., in .pdf format is also mailed. This is useful specially in family court cases where judgment/order is not publicly available on the portal and delivered in the email account of the litigant.

Current Status:

- More than 75 lakh emails are sent monthly.





Touch Screen Kiosks and Service Centre

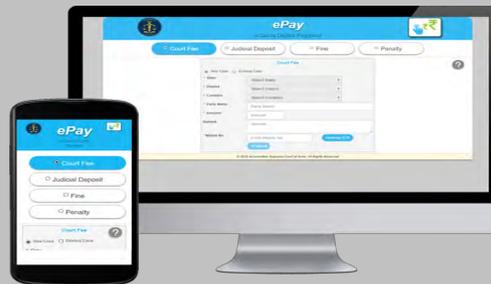
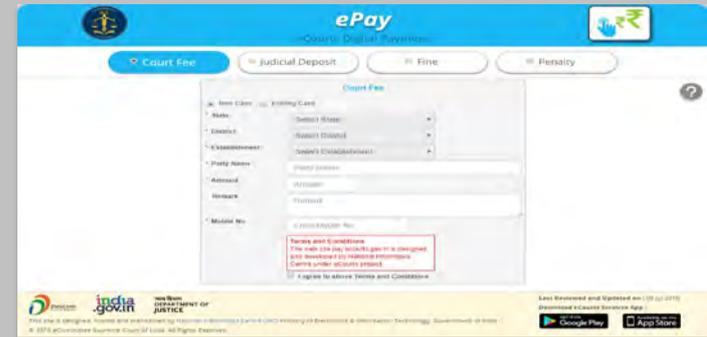
- Touch screen kiosks are installed at various court complexes across the country.
- Litigants and advocates can view case status, cause lists etc., on kiosk.
- Same information can also be obtained from Judicial Service Centre established at each court complex.





ePayments pay.ecourts.gov.in

- Online payment of court fee, fine, penalty and judicial deposits has been initiated online through pay.ecourts.gov.in.
- ePayment portal is also integrated with state specific vendors like SBI ePay, GRAS, eGRAS, JeGRAS, Himkosh etc.

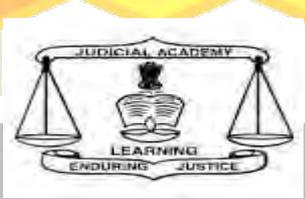




eFiling 3.0

- ✓ File a case
- ✓ Use of readymade templates
- ✓ Upload documents
- ✓ Authenticate documents
- ✓ Online Payments
- ✓ File IAs/Applications in bulk
- ✓ Manage Partners
- ✓ Online Vakalat
- ✓ Oath recording using online video
- ✓ Manage Portfolio
- ✓ Maintain planner for cases
- ✓ Access to clients
- ✓ Bilingual (English and local language of the respective courts)

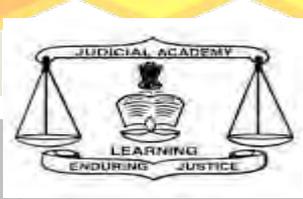




National Service and Tracking of Electronic Processes (NSTEP)

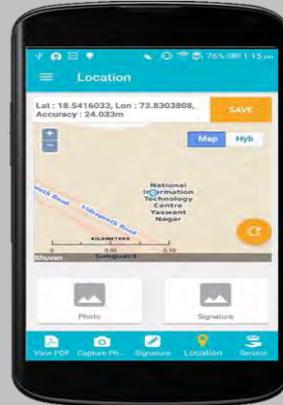
- Centralized process service tracking application and a mobile app for bailiffs.
- Mobile app available in bilingual mode
- NSTEP is used for speedy delivery of processes and reducing inordinate delays in process serving.
- Speedy transmission of processes and service status within state (intra-state) and outside state (inter-state).
- NSTEP mobile app, provided to bailiff, helps in real time and transparent tracking of service.
- GPS location, photograph of addressee, photograph of door lock as proof of non service can be tracked.

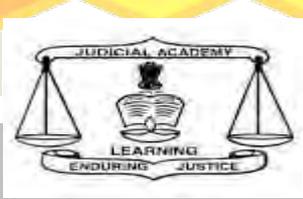




NSTEP

National Service and Tracking of Electronic Processes





Virtual Courts – Online Adjudication

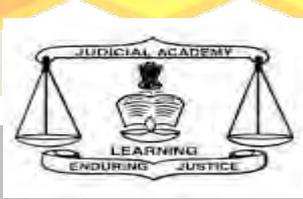
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Key Features

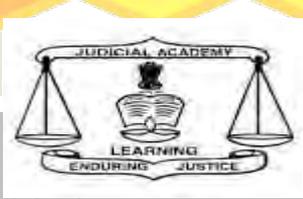
- Virtual Court eliminates physical presence of offender/violator in the court.
- Number of judges performing judicial work in adjudicating traffic challans across the state can be reduced virtually to single judge located in any part of the state.
- Electronic traffic challans are made available to the virtual court for adjudication.
- Virtual Judge can proceed adjudication of the cases online by imposing fine.
- On imposing the fine by virtual judge, violator gets the SMS on his/her mobile to visit portal vcourts.gov.in and may pay the fine amount.
- On successful payment of the fine, the case is deemed disposed off.
- If violator, wish to contest the case, response is recorded by entering OTP on the portal. In such eventuality the case is transferred to regular court for further hearing.

In the current scenario facility is provided for Litigants to file the plaint electronically through e-Filing and also pay the Court Fees or Fine online through <https://vcourts.gov.in> Litigant can view the status of the case also online through various channels created for service delivery. However for adjudication purpose the Litigant may have to appear in person or through the Lawyer in the Court. Virtual Court is a concept aimed at eliminating presence of litigant or lawyer in the court and adjudication of the case online.





Integration with other systems



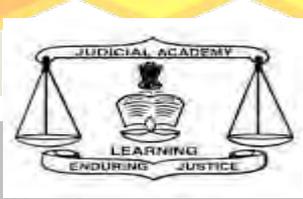
Integration with other systems

eCourts system is integrated with other systems. Services are extended to UMANG and CSCs.

UMANG

- UMANG (Unified Mobile Application for New-age Governance) a mobile app that provides a single platform to citizens to access pan India e-Gov services ranging from central to local government bodies and other citizen-centric services.
- e-Courts services are integrated with UMANG app and launched for district and subordinate courts.
- All the APIs required by UMANG were shared by e-Courts team.
- Case status, orders/ judgments, cause lists etc., are also available through UMANG app to common citizens.





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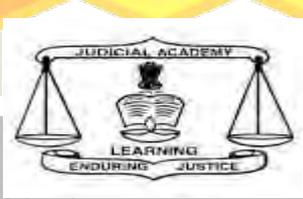
Common Service Centres

- Common Service Centers (CSCs) are access points for delivering services to citizens from rural and remote parts of the country.
- e-Courts APIs are shared with CSCs.
- Citizens can now get the status of their cases through these centres.
- Those who are not connected on internet platform or mobile app can get the services through nearest CSC.

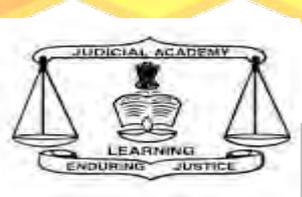
LIMBS

- LIMBS mechanism is developed by Department of Legal Affairs Government of India to provide status of litigation to central government institutions.
- eCourts APIs are shared with LIMBS.





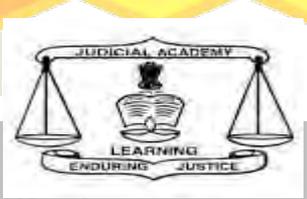
Integration with Interoperable Criminal Justice System (ICJS)



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- Inter-operable Criminal Justice System (ICJS) aims at integrating
 - ✓ Crime and Criminals Tracking Network and Systems (CCTNS)
 - ✓ e-Courts
 - ✓ e-Prisons databases
- CCTNS shares FIR and Charge Sheet data in electronic form to eCourts application.
- Names of the accused, details of offence, time, date, place of occurrence, details of arrest, acts-sections etc. is shared.
- Minimizes data entry on courts side.
- eCourts shares CNR number to the CCTNS through ICJS. Further updates about the case are made available through APIs.



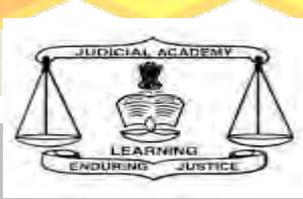


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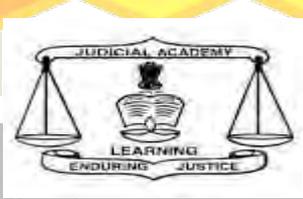
Replication in other states

- For replication in other state ICJS APIs to be deployed by the state CCTNS.
- As two distinct systems like CCTNS and eCourts will be sharing data with each other, certain masters may have to use common codes.
 - ✓ Act Codes (as specified by eCommittee)
 - ✓ District codes (Census Codes)
 - ✓ Police station codes (NCRB Codes)
- High court should be ready with national codification for central acts (already shared by eCommittee) and state acts and should share the same with CCTNS.
- High Court should ensure that mapping of Acts, districts and police Station is completed in CIS.
- CCTNS should map national Act codes provided by high court.
- Once these activities are completed, ICJS can be implemented at some pilot location and further replicated in entire state.





Facilities for Judicial Officers

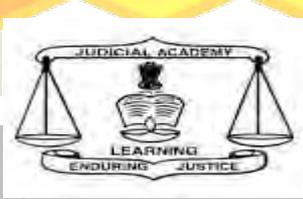


Facilities for Judicial Officers

SMS Alerts

- SMS alerts are provided to Judges when cases remain undated in the court.
- More alerts can be provided.





Facilities for Judicial Officers

JustIS Mobile App

- JustIS Mobile App, provided to judicial officers, helps them to monitor pendency and disposal at finger tips.
- Many reports, graphical and in grid form are available in the mobile app.
- Calendar feature provides occupancy at a glance.
- Facility to tag important cases and mark short note for such case is available. These cases are specially marked when listed. Judge can identify the cases of important nature on the cause list.



Dashboard

The cause list screenshot shows a table of cases with columns for Sr. No., Case Number, Party Name, and Advocate. The table lists two cases, each with a 'Judgment' section and an 'Arguments' section.

Sr. No.	Case Number	Party Name	Advocate
1	2017-2018-1023	Fyoti Shrivastava Sable	
2	2017-2018-1023	The State of Maharashtra	

Cause List



Open APIs

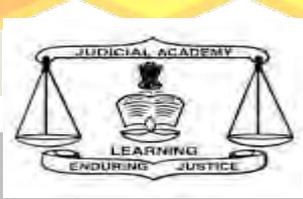
Open APIs

- Open APIs are developed and are being published for district courts.
- These APIs may be used by institutional litigants (like government departments) to further develop their own monitoring and compliance mechanism/ software to track and manage their cases.
- This will help major stakeholders proactively take actions on the courts directions and comply accordingly.
- APIs can be used for particular state or for entire country.
- Accordingly user may have to apply in prescribed format to e-Committee (if data from entire country is required) or respective high court (if data from specific state is required).
- eCommittee or respective state can authorize the user for further use by providing authentication credentials.

Current Status

- Open APIs for district and sub-ordinate courts are ready and published on bhara API.
- Authorization mechanism is ready.





Open APIs

National API Exchange Platform
Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology
National Informatics Centre, Government of India

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eCourts APIs

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 Act API provides list of cases from a court establishment matching the Act. Input for this API is Read More	 Act Master Every Act has unique National Act Code. API provides list of the Acts and relevant National Act Read More	 Advocate Barcode Registration API provides list of cases from a court establishment for a given Advocate Registration number. Read More	 Advocate Causelist API provides cases listed on a particular date Bar Registration Number. Input for this API is Read More	 Advocate Name API provides list of Cases from a court establishment matching name of the Advocate. Input for this Read More	 Show Business API provides details of business transacted on a particular date based on CNR number and date for Read More
 Case Number API provides list of cases from a court establishment matching the Case Registration Number. Input Read More	 Case Type API provides list of the Case Types (referred as type_name) and relevant Case Type Codes (referred Read More	 Caveat Details API provides complete history of the caveat from a court establishment matching the Caveat Code. Read More	 Caveat Name API provides list of caveats from a court establishment matching name of the party. Input for this Read More	 Caveat Number API provides list of Caveats from a court number. Input for this API is Establishment Code, Caveat Read More	 CNR API provides complete list case including: Case details names, current status, Read More

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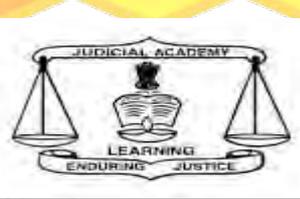
Version: v1.0
Last Updated: 06-Dec-2019 12:54:04 PM IST
Status: [Active](#)

Description: API provides list of cases from a court establishment matching the Act. Input for this API is Establishment Code, National Act Code, Case Registration Year, Status of the Case (Pending or Disposed) and other details.

Overview API Details Documentation FAQs

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JUDGEMENT SEARCH- eSCR



Free text judgment search for high courts and Supreme Court

Judgment Search

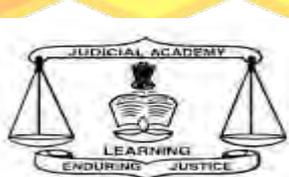
- New portal for searching high court Judgments is being developed.
- Facility to search judgments on various parameters like Case Type, Act, judge, decision date etc. including combination of five free text search criteria is developed.
- The system is integrated with high court NJDG and can leverage all the benefits of NJDG.
- Developed using Elastic Search technology.

Current Status

- Currently **1,72,88,323** judgments are ingested in the application.



JUDGEMENT SEARCH- eSCR



 **eSCR, Judgements and Orders**
Indian Judiciary

High Court



Enter free text search

Phrase(s) Any Words All Words

 Court  Judge  Act/Section  Decision Date

About 1,72,88,323 results (0 seconds)

Show entries

1 [WP/12923/2016 of M. SEENAPPA, CHITTOOR DIST AND 3 OTHERS Vs PRL SECY, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY DAIRY DEV. AND FISHERIES DEPT., HYD](#)
Judge : TARLADA RAJASEKHAR RAO
ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATHI MAIN CASE: W.P.No.12923 of 2016 and C.C.No.3039 of 2024 PROCEEDING SHEET Sl. No DATE ORDER Office Note 19.11.2024 TRR, J At request of the learned counsel for the petitioners, list these matters on 27.11.2024. _____ TRR, J KBN 2
CNR : APHC010460892016 | Date of registration : 18-04-2016 | Decision Date : 01-12-5000 | Disposal Nature : DISPOSED OF NO COSTS
Court : High Court of Andhra Pradesh

2 [WP\(C\)/1506/2023 of KEFAYAT AHMAD SOFI Vs UNION TERRITORY OF J AND K AND OTHERS. \(REVENUE DEPARTMENT\)](#)
Judge : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJNESH OSWAL
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Related Topics

Court

Bombay High Court **1773285**
Allahabad High Court **1708080**
High Court of Punjab and Haryana **1693168**
Patna High Court **1657332**
Madras High Court **1600945**

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Judges

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Disposal Year

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NJDG (National Judicial Data Grid)



National Judicial Data Grid njdg.ecourts.gov.in

- ✓ Web site for monitoring pendency and disposal of the cases.
- ✓ Acknowledged as innovation in ease of doing business.
- ✓ Developed using elastic search technology.
- ✓ Pendency and disposal monitoring on various parameters like case type, age of the case, stage, disposal nature etc is available on the portal.

Current Status

- NJDG contains data of **15,68,92,477** cases (Pending and disposed) from district and taluka courts.



NJDG (National Judicial Data Grid)



NJDG is an online data repository developed under the eCourts project which provides real-time statistics of court cases across India.

IT SHOWS-

- Total pending and disposed cases.
- Court-wise, state-wise, and district-wise data.
- Judge-wise and case-type-wise pendency.
- Performance and trend analysis.

• IMPORTANCE-

- Helps government and judiciary in policy making.
- Improves transparency and accountability.
- Useful for monitoring pendency and disposal.

N.J.D.G is used by Supreme Court, High Courts, District Courts, and policymakers.



Civil Cases **1,11,07,088**

More Than 1 Year Old: 8022163

72.23%
> 1 Year old

Criminal Cases **3,67,48,548**

More Than 1 Year Old: 27586093

75.07%
> 1 Year old

Total Cases **4,78,55,636**

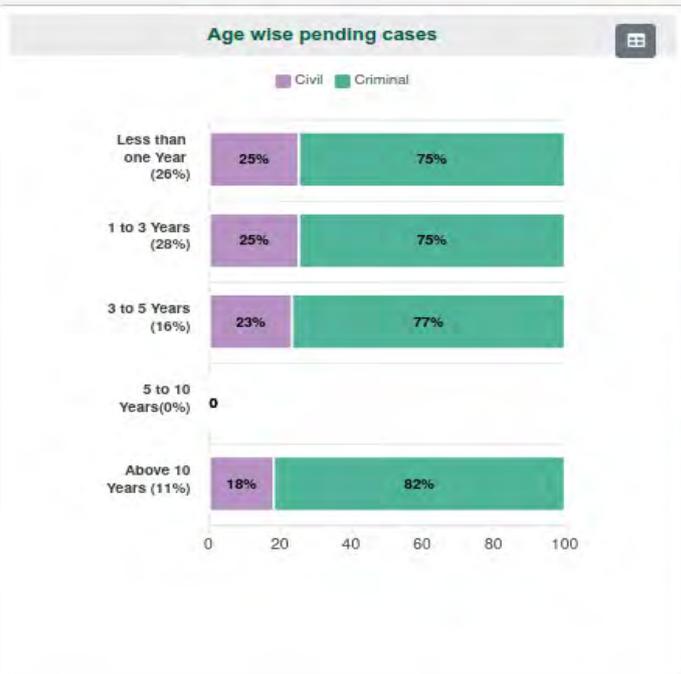
More than 1 year old: 35608256

74.41%
> 1 Year old

Pre-Litigation / Pre-Trial **12,82,894**

More Than 1 Year Old: 866061

67.51%
> 1 Year old



Instituted in last month

3,11,115 Civil	26,17,803 Criminal	29,28,903 Total
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Disposal in last month

3,58,921 Civil	31,89,388 Criminal	35,48,309 Total
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Contested

10% of Disposal in last month

71,320 Civil	2,97,498 Criminal	3,68,818 Total
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Uncontested

90% of Disposal in last month

2,87,601 Civil	28,91,890 Criminal	31,79,491 Total
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Cases Listed Today

3% of Total Pending Cases

4,20,942 Civil	8,23,178 Criminal	12,44,120 Total
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Undated

3% of Total Pending Cases

3,05,637 Civil	13,27,818 Criminal	16,33,455 Total
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Excessive Dated Cases

9% of Total Pending Cases

3,46,174 Civil	37,72,038 Criminal	41,18,212 Total
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Cases Filed By Woman

8% of Total Pending Cases

18,40,272 Civil	20,14,720 Criminal	38,54,992 Total
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Cases Filed By Senior Citizen

7% of Total Pending Cases

24,35,431 Civil	7,56,919 Criminal	31,92,350 Total
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High Courts of India hcservices.ecourts.gov.in

- ✓ Centralized portal for high courts providing case information to citizens from all High Courts of the country.
- ✓ Case status/cause lists/orders/judgments are available on the site.

Current Status

- Data from across 21 high courts online.
- Total 2,43,81,330 cases (pending and disposed) and 48,07,989 orders and judgments are available.

The screenshot displays the eCourts Services website interface. The top navigation bar includes links for Home, Supreme Court, High Courts, District Courts, NJDG, and Contact Us. The main content area features a search menu on the left with options for CNR Number, Case Status, Court Orders, Cause List, and Caveat Search. The central search area is titled 'SEARCH BY CNR NUMBER' and includes a search box, a captcha, and a search button. Below the search area, there is a 'How to' section with instructions on how to use the search functionality.

The bottom screenshot shows a detailed case status page for a specific case. The page includes a table with the following data:

Field	Value
Case Status	Case Status
Party Status	Party Status
Case Number	Case Number
Filing Number	Filing Number
Subordinate Number	Subordinate Number
ENR Number	ENR Number
Case Details	Case Details
Filing Number	1442 124244
Subordinate Number	1442 124244
ENR Number	144244 124244
Case Status	Case Status
Filing Date	27th January 2020
Case Hearing Date	27th January 2020
Order of Case	APPLICATION
Case Number and Judge	Case Number and Judge
Branch Type	Branch Type
Judicial Branch	Judicial Branch
Name	Name
Postcode and Address	Postcode and Address

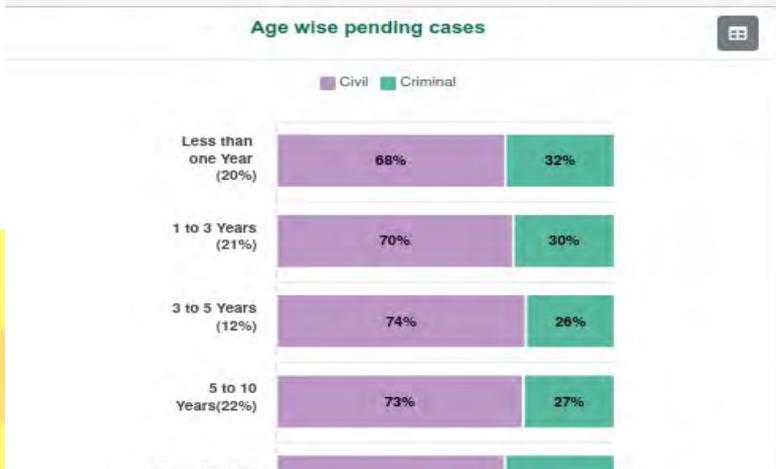


Instituted in last month

94,555 Civil	65,772 Criminal	1,60,327 Total
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Disposal in last month

1,14,051 Civil	63,343 Criminal	1,77,394 Total
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	Civil	Criminal	Total
Case Type Wise			
Writ Petition	17,94,442	98,561	18,93,002
Second Appeal	3,09,308	5	3,09,313
First Appeal	5,14,068	198	5,14,266
Appeal	4,03,391	7,65,681	11,69,072
Case/Petition	2,70,809	2,00,219	4,71,028
Revision	98,595	2,56,703	3,55,298
Reference	2,272	492	2,764
Suit	34,938	0	34,939
Review	21,937	36	21,973
Application	4,38,772	4,60,743	8,99,515

Instituted in current year

3%

1,02,696 Civil	71,571 Criminal	1,74,267 Total
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Disposal in current year

1,21,849 Civil	69,051 Criminal	1,90,900 Total
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District Court App



eCourts Services Mobile App



The District Court App (eCourts Mobile App) is a mobile application launched under the eCourts project to provide court services on smartphones.

District Court App



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Mobile App

- Common app for district courts and high courts.
- Available on android and iOS.
- Facility to search and track case using QR code.
- Portfolio of interested cases can be created for automatically tracking the future status. Useful for institutions and advocates having multiple cases.
- Calendar feature to view occupancy at a glance
- Import/export facility available to take backup of portfolio cases and save it on local storage or google drive.

Current Status

- More than 50 Lakh android users have downloaded the mobile app from google playstore.
- Average rating on google play store is 4.2 acquired from 22,000 ratings.
- 2,50,000 installs on iOS.

