

Days Between Oral Argument and Opinion Filing

This table shows the average number of days between oral argument and the filing of majority (or lead) opinions authored by each of the justices. Given that a variety of factors could influence the length of time between oral argument and the filing of an opinion in a particular case—including the time taken by other justices to write concurring or dissenting opinions—averages for individual justices should be compared over an extended period. (Of course, the table does not include the 122 cases that were submitted on briefs.)¹

	Number of Majority/Lead Opinions Authored in Cases that Included Oral Argument	Ave. No. of Days From Oral Argument to Opinion Filing
Wilkie	21	45
Day	23	77
Heffernan	27	50
Beilfuss	23	29
C. Hansen	23	35
Hanley	23	31
R. Hansen	27	35

¹ This table includes the lead opinion authored by Justice Connor Hansen in the fragmented decision for *Security Sav. & Loan Assn. v. Wauwatosa Colony, Inc.*