Legal Analytics® for Harris County

Lex Machina's award-winning Legal Analytics platform allows practitioners to anticipate the behavior of courts, judges, lawyers, law firms, and parties. Over three quarters of AmLaw100 firms and some of the largest global corporations use Legal Analytics to supplement traditional legal research with previously unavailable strategic insights that give them a winning edge.

As part of the Houston metropolitan area, Harris County courts are important venues for Texas state court litigation. Lex Machina's Legal Analytics for Harris County includes two modules: Harris County Court and Harris County District Court. Thus, practitioners can search for meaningful information from one court, both Harris County Courts together, or across all state offerings.
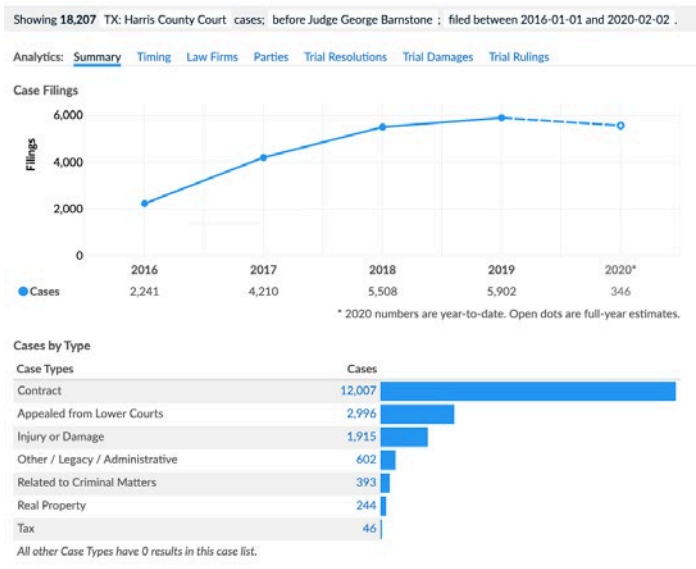
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The Winning Edge

Lex Machina gathers raw information from state court cases and the underlying documents, and then uses a unique Natural Language Processing engine to clean, tag, enhance, and present the resulting data in a way that allows users to make data-driven decisions. Lex Machina is the only analytics provider that has both the documents and the technology to ensure that the resulting data is as accurate and complete as possible. Lex Machina also adds high-value trial outcomes data to reveal who won cases and what the damage awards were.

Practitioners can now investigate a party's litigation track record, assess a law firm's experience in similar cases, understand the range of damages awarded at trial, or search docket entry text.

The Legal Analytics platform provides data-driven insights and trends in state court. Features available include:

- Searching by judge, law firm, attorney name, or party
- Timing analytics, trial resolutions, trial damages, and trial rulings
- Keyword searching within docket entry text and documents
- Filtering by court or viewing analytics throughout all state court modules
- Court-specific filters

Lex Machina helps you answer questions such as:

- What is the median time to trial and time to termination in cases with Judge Kovach presiding?

- How much experience does the opposing law firm have in this venue? Has the firm ever taken a case to trial here, and, if so, what was the resolution?

- How many Contract cases have been awarded damages by a jury verdict? Which cases are those and what were the damages amounts?

- Has an opposing attorney ever appeared in a case before Judge Hawkins? If so, how many were Employment cases?

Unique Litigation Data

Lex Machina allows users to filter by the following information in order to find the most relevant cases:

Harris County District Court Case Types – Contract, Employment, Injury or Damage, Real Property, Multi-District Litigation (MDL), Related to Criminal Matters, Tax, Other Civil

Harris County Court Case Types – Contract, Injury or Damage, Appealed from Lower Court, Other / Legacy / Administrative, Real Property, Related to Criminal Matters, Tax

Case Tags – Jury, Order re: Summary Judgment

Trial Damages – General Damages (Judgment on the Merits), General Damages (Jury Verdict), Attorneys' Fees / Costs

Trial Rulings – Bench Trial, Jury Verdict, Default Judgment, Consent Judgment, Other Judgment

Trial Resolutions – Plaintiff Win, Defendant Win, Likely Settlement, Procedural, Indeterminable

Showing **18,207** TX: Harris County Court cases; before Judge George Barnstone ; filed between 2016-01-01 and 2020-02-02 .

Analytics: Summary   Timing   Law Firms   Parties   Trial Resolutions   Trial Damages   Trial Rulings

Case Filings

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020*
Cases	2,241	4,210	5,508	5,902	346

* 2020 numbers are year-to-date. Open dots are full-year estimates.

Cases by Type

Case Types	Cases
Contract	12,007
Appealed from Lower Courts	2,996
Injury or Damage	1,915
Other / Legacy / Administrative	602
Related to Criminal Matters	393
Real Property	244
Tax	46

All other Case Types have 0 results in this case list.

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