

Time Between Oral Argument and Opinion

The following charts address the time it takes for the Court to release opinions following oral argument. The Court has thus far released forty-nine signed opinions after argument during October Term 2014.

Argued	Avg.	Total	Remain
October	91d	9	-
November	120d	9	-
December	94d	12	-
January	108d	10	2
February	95d	11	5
March	52d	9	4
April	47d	8	6
Overall	95d	68	17

Average	95d
Median	91d
St. Dev.	39d

Shortest	<i>Bullard</i>	33d
Longest	<i>Zivotofsky</i>	217d

Averages

OT03	82d
OT04	91d
OT05	79d
OT06	96d
OT07	94d
OT08	94d
OT09	109d
OT10	106d
OT11	97d
OT12	95d
OT13	95d

	Rank			Author	Vote	Argued	Decided
Shortest	1	<i>Bullard v. Blue Hills</i>	33d	Roberts	9-0	Apr 1, 2015	May 4, 2015
	2	<i>Whitfield v. U.S.</i>	42d	Scalia	9-0	Dec 2, 2014	Jan 13, 2015
	3	<i>Gelboim v. BoA</i>	43d	Ginsburg	9-0	Dec 9, 2014	Jan 21, 2015
	4	<i>Reyes Mata v. Lynch</i>	47d	Kagan	8-1	Apr 29, 2015	Jun 15, 2015
	4	<i>Harris v. Viegelaahn</i>	47d	Ginsburg	9-0	Apr 1, 2015	May 18, 2015
	6	<i>Hana Finacial v. Hana Bank</i>	49d	Sotomayor	9-0	Dec 3, 2014	Jan 21, 2015
	7	<i>Commil v. Cisco</i>	56d	Kennedy	6-2	Mar 31, 2015	May 26, 2015
	7	<i>San Francisco v. Sheehan</i>	56d	Alito	6-2	Mar 23, 2015	May 18, 2015
	9	<i>Warger v. Shauers</i>	62d	Sotomayor	9-0	Oct 8, 2014	Dec 9, 2014
	9	<i>Integrity Staffing v. Busk</i>	62d	Thomas	9-0	Oct 8, 2014	Dec 9, 2014

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Longest	1	<i>Zivotofsky v. Kerry</i>	217d	Kennedy	6-3	Nov 3, 2014	Jun 8, 2015
	2	<i>Comptroller v. Wynne</i>	187d	Alito	5-4	Nov 12, 2014	May 18, 2015
	3	<i>Elonis v. U.S.</i>	182d	Roberts	8-1	Dec 1, 2014	Jun 1, 2015
	4	<i>Omnicare v. Laborers Pension Fu</i>	141d	Kagan	9-0	Nov 3, 2014	Mar 24, 2015
	5	<i>Mellouli v. Lynch</i>	138d	Ginsburg	7-2	Jan 14, 2015	Jun 1, 2015
	6	<i>Dental Examiners v. FTC</i>	134d	Kennedy	6-3	Oct 14, 2014	Feb 25, 2015
	7	<i>AL Black Caucus v. Alabama</i>	133d	Breyer	5-4	Nov 12, 2014	Mar 25, 2015
	7	<i>U.S. v. Wong</i>	133d	Kagan	5-4	Dec 10, 2014	Apr 22, 2015
	7	<i>Kellogg Brown & Root v. Carter</i>	133d	Alito	9-0	Jan 13, 2015	May 26, 2015
	7	<i>Kansas v. Nebraska</i>	133d	Kagan	6-3	Oct 14, 2014	Feb 24, 2015

	Less than 30 days	30-59	60-89	90-119	120-149	150-179	180-209	210-239	More than 240
OT11	2	5	19	24	8	6	1	0	0
OT12	1	15	21	20	8	4	2	1	1
OT13	1	17	20	13	7	5	4	0	0
OT14	0	8	15	15	8	0	2	1	0

	9-0	8-1	7-2	6-3	5-4
OT14	78d	99d	90d	120d	114d