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Table 1: The number of cases that have had their jury trials conducted in the District Court by financial year, from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2024

	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022	2022/2023	2023/2024
District Court	908	1,162	871	1,173	1,302

Notes for Table 1:

- This data is limited to Category 3 cases. This is because only Category 3 cases can elect a Jury Trial in the District Court. All Category 4 jury trials are heard in the High Court.
- This data counts the number of jury trial cases with a disposed outcome.
- A case is counted if guilt or another outcome was established on the hearing date or during the hearing. For example, A guilty plea, Heard - Found not guilty or Mistrial.
- Year is based on the date guilt, or another outcome occurred.
- Financial years start 1 July and end on 30 June.
- Statistics are based on the Case Management System as at 5 September 2024. Since this is an operational system, data for earlier months may have been updated since any previous publication.