

## CPLR ARTICLE 6: JOINDER.

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In an action, a Plaintiff and/or Defendant may join as many claims as each has against the other.

If 2 or more *Plaintiffs* have the same attorney, they may join no more than 5 claims total against the same defendant within 1 action.

Cases can be CONSOLIDATED *upon motion*, if they involve questions of law or fact common to one another.

Upon motion, the Supreme Court may remove to itself any action pending in another court. County Court may so remove cases from: City, Municipal, District, or Justice court, **of that county**. A Supreme Court can also order that any case in another court be tried by another *Supreme Court*, **EXCEPT:** Real Property actions in County Court.

A court may also SEVER claims, or order separate trials; for purposes of convenience, or to avoid prejudice.