

Table F-2.

**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Business and Nonbusiness Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code,  
During the Three-Month Period Ending December 31, 2016, Based on Data Current as of December 31, 2016**

Circuit and District	Total Filings	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 13	Predominant Nature of Debt <sup>1</sup>								
						Business Filings					Nonbusiness Filings			
						Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 12	Chapter 13	Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>184,019</b>	<b>110,356</b>	<b>1,542</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>71,958</b>	<b>5,666</b>	<b>3,697</b>	<b>1,287</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>178,353</b>	<b>106,659</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>71,439</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>5,576</b>	<b>3,289</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2,199</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5,341</b>	<b>3,153</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2,174</b>
ME	327	266	3	2	56	22	13	3	2	4	305	253	0	52
MA	1,977	1,350	25	3	599	94	66	20	3	5	1,883	1,284	5	594
NH	411	311	4	0	96	18	14	4	0	0	393	297	0	96
RI	514	387	5	0	122	19	13	4	0	2	495	374	1	120
PR	2,347	975	42	4	1,326	82	30	34	4	14	2,265	945	8	1,312
<b>2ND</b>	<b>8,626</b>	<b>6,199</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2,161</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>8,100</b>	<b>5,947</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2,136</b>
CT	1,340	1,066	12	0	261	42	28	12	0	1	1,298	1,038	0	260
NY, N	1,325	989	26	1	309	59	30	26	1	2	1,266	959	0	307
NY, E	2,982	2,116	53	0	813	143	99	44	0	0	2,839	2,017	9	813
NY, S	1,866	1,302	125	0	410	217	64	117	0	7	1,649	1,238	8	403
NY, W	979	619	13	1	346	55	27	13	1	14	924	592	0	332
VT	134	107	3	2	22	10	4	3	2	1	124	103	0	21
<b>3RD</b>	<b>11,744</b>	<b>7,145</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4,334</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>11,223</b>	<b>6,900</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4,302</b>
DE	726	356	138	0	217	165	12	138	0	0	561	344	0	217
NJ	6,115	3,929	67	1	2,118	184	119	52	1	12	5,931	3,810	15	2,106
PA, E	2,071	1,060	19	0	992	84	61	17	0	6	1,987	999	2	986
PA, M	1,192	748	3	0	441	33	21	3	0	9	1,159	727	0	432
PA, W	1,636	1,051	22	0	563	54	32	18	0	4	1,582	1,019	4	559
VI	4	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	2
<b>4TH</b>	<b>14,909</b>	<b>8,166</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6,644</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>14,516</b>	<b>7,894</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>6,606</b>
MD	3,914	2,577	32	0	1,305	110	76	27	0	7	3,804	2,501	5	1,298
NC, E	1,511	473	9	1	1,028	41	28	7	1	5	1,470	445	2	1,023
NC, M	941	364	2	3	572	18	11	2	3	2	923	353	0	570
NC, W	962	474	6	0	482	28	20	6	0	2	934	454	0	480
SC	1,565	653	6	0	906	45	35	3	0	7	1,520	618	3	899
VA, E	3,997	2,232	25	4	1,736	98	67	20	4	7	3,899	2,165	5	1,729
VA, W	1,260	737	3	1	519	22	16	3	1	2	1,238	721	0	517
WV, N	304	253	3	0	48	17	10	3	0	4	287	243	0	44
WV, S	455	403	4	0	48	14	9	3	0	2	441	394	1	46

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<b>5TH</b>	<b>14,245</b>	<b>5,394</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8,651</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>13,551</b>	<b>4,964</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8,577</b>
LA, E	760	327	10	0	423	36	24	10	0	2	724	303	0	421
LA, M	262	148	0	0	114	9	8	0	0	1	253	140	0	113
LA, W	2,091	359	10	7	1,715	39	21	7	7	4	2,052	338	3	1,711
MS, N	1,093	416	9	0	668	26	11	9	0	6	1,067	405	0	662
MS, S	1,546	759	9	0	778	30	15	9	0	6	1,516	744	0	772
TX, N	2,779	1,120	65	3	1,591	190	111	63	3	13	2,589	1,009	2	1,578
TX, E	1,208	483	22	2	701	74	41	20	2	11	1,134	442	2	690
TX, S	2,433	839	36	1	1,556	159	106	34	1	17	2,274	733	2	1,539
TX, W	2,073	943	24	1	1,105	131	93	23	1	14	1,942	850	1	1,091
<b>6TH</b>	<b>27,112</b>	<b>16,837</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10,198</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>26,675</b>	<b>16,520</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10,145</b>
KY, E	1,828	1,238	3	0	587	24	18	2	0	4	1,804	1,220	1	583
KY, W	1,595	1,001	2	0	592	23	19	2	0	2	1,572	982	0	590
MI, E	5,281	3,960	22	2	1,297	81	49	20	2	10	5,200	3,911	2	1,287
MI, W	1,522	1,190	5	0	327	41	30	5	0	6	1,481	1,160	0	321
OH, N	4,513	3,606	4	1	902	86	72	4	1	9	4,427	3,534	0	893
OH, S	3,929	2,620	5	0	1,304	81	64	5	0	12	3,848	2,556	0	1,292
TN, E	2,740	1,465	8	0	1,267	37	28	6	0	3	2,703	1,437	2	1,264
TN, M	2,161	985	14	0	1,162	36	23	10	0	3	2,125	962	4	1,159
TN, W	3,543	772	11	0	2,760	28	14	10	0	4	3,515	758	1	2,756
<b>7TH</b>	<b>21,255</b>	<b>12,776</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8,395</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>20,843</b>	<b>12,479</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8,353</b>
IL, N	10,364	5,540	45	1	4,778	182	129	40	1	12	10,182	5,411	5	4,766
IL, C	1,169	928	2	2	237	37	27	1	2	7	1,132	901	1	230
IL, S	832	539	4	1	288	21	13	4	1	3	811	526	0	285
IN, N	2,108	1,431	8	0	669	32	27	5	0	0	2,076	1,404	3	669
IN, S	2,977	1,751	6	3	1,217	56	44	5	3	4	2,921	1,707	1	1,213
WI, E	2,800	1,752	2	3	1,043	42	30	1	3	8	2,758	1,722	1	1,035
WI, W	1,005	835	3	4	163	42	27	3	4	8	963	808	0	155

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<b>8TH</b>	<b>11,404</b>	<b>7,602</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3,747</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>11,114</b>	<b>7,397</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3,714</b>
AR, E	1,771	728	2	2	1,039	25	18	1	2	4	1,746	710	1	1,035
AR, W	794	435	1	4	354	21	13	0	4	4	773	422	1	350
IA, N	377	339	0	0	38	15	15	0	0	0	362	324	0	38
IA, S	586	515	2	0	69	17	14	2	0	1	569	501	0	68
MN	2,270	1,882	13	3	372	87	67	13	3	4	2,183	1,815	0	368
MO, E	2,473	1,600	4	0	869	30	23	3	0	4	2,443	1,577	1	865
MO, W	1,726	1,118	9	2	597	44	26	9	2	7	1,682	1,092	0	590
NE	978	621	2	2	351	29	17	2	2	6	949	604	0	345
ND	186	157	1	2	26	12	8	1	2	1	174	149	0	25
SD	243	207	0	4	32	10	4	0	4	2	233	203	0	30
<b>9TH</b>	<b>30,082</b>	<b>22,102</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>7,634</b>	<b>1,162</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>28,920</b>	<b>21,279</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>7,519</b>
AK	109	86	0	0	23	10	10	0	0	0	99	76	0	23
AZ	3,501	2,792	52	2	655	130	79	38	2	11	3,371	2,713	14	644
CA, N	2,336	1,216	51	0	1,067	128	71	29	0	26	2,208	1,145	22	1,041
CA, E	3,546	2,696	13	7	830	106	73	6	7	20	3,440	2,623	7	810
CA, C	9,527	6,918	100	1	2,508	431	330	66	1	34	9,096	6,588	34	2,474
CA, S	1,929	1,536	12	0	381	79	66	7	0	6	1,850	1,470	5	375
HI	342	209	1	0	132	8	7	1	0	0	334	202	0	132
ID	845	755	2	4	84	26	19	2	4	1	819	736	0	83
MT	282	223	4	1	54	19	13	4	1	1	263	210	0	53
NV	1,948	1,447	54	0	446	66	43	20	0	2	1,882	1,404	34	444
OR	2,053	1,566	5	1	481	45	37	4	1	3	2,008	1,529	1	478
WA, E	915	706	4	1	204	21	15	3	1	2	894	691	1	202
WA, W	2,714	1,925	26	1	761	92	59	22	1	9	2,622	1,866	4	752
GUAM	35	27	0	0	8	1	1	0	0	0	34	26	0	8
NMI	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>10TH</b>	<b>10,363</b>	<b>7,187</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3,123</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>10,085</b>	<b>6,979</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3,100</b>
CO	2,938	2,261	24	0	653	88	59	23	0	6	2,850	2,202	1	647
KS	1,618	854	5	4	755	44	33	3	4	4	1,574	821	2	751
NM	774	692	9	0	73	42	31	8	0	3	732	661	1	70
OK, N	519	462	1	0	56	19	18	1	0	0	500	444	0	56
OK, E	334	296	0	0	38	11	11	0	0	0	323	285	0	38
OK, W	1,223	934	3	1	285	28	23	2	1	2	1,195	911	1	283
UT	2,742	1,502	6	0	1,234	39	26	5	0	8	2,703	1,476	1	1,226
WY	215	186	0	0	29	7	7	0	0	0	208	179	0	29

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<b>11TH</b>	<b>28,531</b>	<b>13,544</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14,817</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>27,821</b>	<b>13,037</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>14,759</b>
AL, N	3,257	1,443	3	2	1,809	52	45	3	2	2	3,205	1,398	0	1,807
AL, M	1,997	401	1	1	1,594	16	12	1	1	2	1,981	389	0	1,592
AL, S	1,171	282	2	0	887	3	1	2	0	0	1,168	281	0	887
FL, N	623	484	9	0	130	28	16	9	0	3	595	468	0	127
FL, M	5,663	3,992	55	2	1,614	230	177	34	2	17	5,433	3,815	21	1,597
FL, S	3,918	2,018	51	0	1,843	147	86	48	0	7	3,771	1,932	3	1,836
GA, N	8,106	4,054	25	0	4,027	156	116	25	0	15	7,950	3,938	0	4,012
GA, M	2,091	548	6	3	1,534	47	29	6	3	9	2,044	519	0	1,525
GA, S	1,705	322	3	1	1,379	31	25	2	1	3	1,674	297	1	1,376

<sup>1</sup> The nature of debt is business if the debtor is a corporation or partnership, or if debt related to the operation of a business predominates. Nonbusiness debt includes consumer debt or other debt that the debtor indicates is not consumer debt or business debt.

Note: Because the bankruptcy database is continually updated, the numbers in this table may not match those in previously published tables.

Note: These figures include the following cases not reflected elsewhere:

Chapter 9		Chapter 15	
NE	2	CT	1
CA, N	1	NY, S	29
		DE	15
		TX, S	1
		CA, N	1
		NV	1
		WA, W	1
		FL, S	6