

**Table F-2.**  
**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Business and Nonbusiness Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code,**  
**During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2021**

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 13	Total Other Chapters <sup>1</sup>	Predominant Nature of Debt								
						Business					Nonbusiness			
						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters <sup>1</sup>	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>Total</b>	<b>413,616</b>	<b>288,327</b>	<b>4,836</b>	<b>120,002</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>14,347</b>	<b>8,678</b>	<b>4,366</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>399,269</b>	<b>279,649</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>119,150</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>9,868</b>	<b>6,094</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>3,610</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9,435</b>	<b>5,829</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>3,575</b>
ME	654	559	9	85	1	39	27	8	3	1	615	532	1	82
MA	3,492	2,478	90	923	1	225	142	71	11	1	3,267	2,336	19	912
NH	753	612	7	134	0	53	41	7	5	0	700	571	0	129
RI	992	832	3	157	0	34	29	3	2	0	958	803	0	155
PR	3,977	1,613	48	2,311	5	82	26	37	14	5	3,895	1,587	11	2,297
<b>2nd</b>	<b>18,025</b>	<b>15,296</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>2,305</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>17,141</b>	<b>14,828</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>2,272</b>
CT	3,018	2,601	15	402	0	71	56	11	4	0	2,947	2,545	4	398
NY,N	3,190	2,693	15	477	5	77	49	13	10	5	3,113	2,644	2	467
NY,E	5,559	4,896	145	517	1	308	187	120	0	1	5,251	4,709	25	517
NY,S	3,940	3,272	166	445	57	339	117	157	8	57	3,601	3,155	9	437
NY,W	2,045	1,610	13	419	3	71	48	12	8	3	1,974	1,562	1	411
VT	273	224	1	45	3	18	11	1	3	3	255	213	0	42
<b>3rd</b>	<b>22,499</b>	<b>15,312</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>6,320</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>1,472</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>21,027</b>	<b>14,745</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>6,251</b>
DE	1,667	807	524	297	39	669	106	524	0	39	998	701	0	297
NJ	10,446	7,585	178	2,682	1	416	235	155	25	1	10,030	7,350	23	2,657
PA,E	3,497	2,142	39	1,315	1	133	81	36	15	1	3,364	2,061	3	1,300
PA,M	2,831	1,847	27	956	1	83	47	25	10	1	2,748	1,800	2	946
PA,W	4,054	2,929	49	1,070	6	169	98	46	19	6	3,885	2,831	3	1,051
VI	4	2	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	2	0	0
<b>4th</b>	<b>32,399</b>	<b>20,391</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>11,616</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1,045</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>31,354</b>	<b>19,794</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11,540</b>
MD	8,323	6,117	86	2,120	0	238	140	75	23	0	8,085	5,977	11	2,097
NC,E	2,973	1,181	45	1,740	7	133	67	40	19	7	2,840	1,114	5	1,721
NC,M	1,995	911	13	1,071	0	72	51	13	8	0	1,923	860	0	1,063
NC,W	1,609	888	27	689	5	96	60	27	4	5	1,513	828	0	685
SC	3,376	1,595	14	1,766	1	86	63	12	10	1	3,290	1,532	2	1,756
VA,E	9,515	6,222	165	3,125	3	308	137	164	4	3	9,207	6,085	1	3,121
VA,W	2,933	2,000	13	918	2	56	37	13	4	2	2,877	1,963	0	914
WV,N	699	589	3	107	0	24	18	3	3	0	675	571	0	104
WV,S	976	888	8	80	0	32	24	7	1	0	944	864	1	79

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						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters <sup>1</sup>	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>5th</b>	<b>31,977</b>	<b>18,165</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>12,793</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>2,290</b>	<b>1,226</b>	<b>926</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>29,687</b>	<b>16,939</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>12,716</b>
LA,E	1,537	762	30	745	0	85	55	27	3	0	1,452	707	3	742
LA,M	641	428	5	208	0	20	16	4	0	0	621	412	1	208
LA,W	3,871	1,062	28	2,780	1	84	51	26	6	1	3,787	1,011	2	2,774
MS,N	2,563	1,246	15	1,302	0	41	20	15	6	0	2,522	1,226	0	1,296
MS,S	3,603	2,206	52	1,343	2	107	49	50	6	2	3,496	2,157	2	1,337
TX,N	6,574	4,059	169	2,342	4	481	298	162	17	4	6,093	3,761	7	2,325
TX,E	3,356	2,021	43	1,290	2	224	171	38	13	2	3,132	1,850	5	1,277
TX,S	5,381	3,161	519	1,653	48	859	289	515	7	48	4,522	2,872	4	1,646
TX,W	4,451	3,220	97	1,130	4	389	277	89	19	4	4,062	2,943	8	1,111
<b>6th</b>	<b>62,273</b>	<b>43,607</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>18,422</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>61,348</b>	<b>42,993</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18,336</b>
KY,E	4,266	3,146	9	1,109	2	52	33	9	8	2	4,214	3,113	0	1,101
KY,W	4,828	2,786	10	2,029	3	54	32	10	9	3	4,774	2,754	0	2,020
MI,E	13,846	10,746	68	3,027	5	168	88	63	12	5	13,678	10,658	5	3,015
MI,W	3,076	2,541	5	528	2	83	67	4	10	2	2,993	2,474	1	518
OH,N	11,464	9,647	38	1,778	1	201	149	37	14	1	11,263	9,498	1	1,764
OH,S	9,354	7,041	18	2,293	2	145	108	14	21	2	9,209	6,933	4	2,272
TN,E	5,828	3,732	12	2,080	4	76	56	12	4	4	5,752	3,676	0	2,076
TN,M	4,065	2,345	46	1,672	2	107	61	40	4	2	3,958	2,284	6	1,668
TN,W	5,546	1,623	17	3,906	0	39	20	15	4	0	5,507	1,603	2	3,902
<b>7th</b>	<b>44,710</b>	<b>31,502</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>12,993</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>43,775</b>	<b>30,844</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>12,915</b>
IL,N	16,790	11,485	86	5,217	2	457	360	76	19	2	16,333	11,125	10	5,198
IL,C	2,464	2,056	8	397	3	57	34	8	12	3	2,407	2,022	0	385
IL,S	1,690	1,176	4	509	1	35	23	4	7	1	1,655	1,153	0	502
IN,N	5,634	4,193	20	1,419	2	66	42	18	4	2	5,568	4,151	2	1,415
IN,S	8,853	5,908	27	2,913	5	130	87	25	13	5	8,723	5,821	2	2,900
WI,E	6,653	4,591	10	2,045	7	87	62	10	8	7	6,566	4,529	0	2,037
WI,W	2,626	2,093	20	493	20	103	50	18	15	20	2,523	2,043	2	478

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						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters <sup>1</sup>	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>8th</b>	<b>27,549</b>	<b>19,455</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>7,898</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>716</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>26,833</b>	<b>19,006</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7,823</b>
AR <sup>2</sup>	5,493	2,885	13	2,591	4	123	86	12	21	4	5,370	2,799	1	2,570
IA,N	1,120	1,016	7	87	10	66	46	7	3	10	1,054	970	0	84
IA,S	1,726	1,516	18	185	7	78	51	18	2	7	1,648	1,465	0	183
MN	5,754	4,745	23	960	26	182	121	21	14	26	5,572	4,624	2	946
MO,E	5,722	3,803	18	1,897	4	78	49	18	7	4	5,644	3,754	0	1,890
MO,W	4,015	2,575	18	1,420	2	68	33	17	16	2	3,947	2,542	1	1,404
NE	2,589	1,902	15	654	18	70	32	15	5	18	2,519	1,870	0	649
ND	531	483	3	44	1	22	17	3	1	1	509	466	0	43
SD	599	530	4	60	5	29	14	4	6	5	570	516	0	54
<b>9th</b>	<b>72,768</b>	<b>61,651</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>10,253</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>3,037</b>	<b>2,176</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>69,731</b>	<b>59,475</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>10,075</b>
AK	218	188	5	25	0	18	13	5	0	0	200	175	0	25
AZ	9,884	8,461	82	1,338	3	246	169	60	14	3	9,638	8,292	22	1,324
CA,N	4,700	3,204	148	1,345	3	383	241	109	30	3	4,317	2,963	39	1,315
CA,E	8,179	6,811	59	1,305	4	355	263	49	39	4	7,824	6,548	10	1,266
CA,C	23,104	20,329	322	2,447	6	1,144	859	246	33	6	21,960	19,470	76	2,414
CA,S	4,989	4,511	19	458	1	196	165	16	14	1	4,793	4,346	3	444
HI	1,212	871	9	332	0	47	30	9	8	0	1,165	841	0	324
ID	2,000	1,814	11	173	2	51	38	10	1	2	1,949	1,776	1	172
MT	654	561	7	82	4	37	19	7	7	4	617	542	0	75
NV	6,995	6,173	91	731	0	226	143	76	7	0	6,769	6,030	15	724
OR	4,771	3,827	25	915	4	129	90	22	13	4	4,642	3,737	3	902
WA,E	1,550	1,260	9	280	1	34	22	8	3	1	1,516	1,238	1	277
WA,W	4,457	3,595	48	814	0	164	118	37	9	0	4,293	3,477	11	805
GU	53	44	1	8	0	6	5	1	0	0	47	39	0	8
NMI	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
<b>10th</b>	<b>23,562</b>	<b>18,001</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>5,404</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>22,886</b>	<b>17,510</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5,368</b>
CO	6,462	5,198	68	1,191	5	247	159	64	19	5	6,215	5,039	4	1,172
KS	3,521	2,012	13	1,477	19	102	65	12	6	19	3,419	1,947	1	1,471
NM	1,510	1,353	10	146	1	50	36	9	4	1	1,460	1,317	1	142
OK,N	1,495	1,382	2	110	1	40	37	2	0	1	1,455	1,345	0	110
OK,E	949	887	0	61	1	12	11	0	0	1	937	876	0	61
OK,W	3,488	2,957	8	516	7	118	100	8	3	7	3,370	2,857	0	513
UT	5,576	3,697	8	1,868	3	78	65	7	3	3	5,498	3,632	1	1,865
WY	561	515	7	35	4	29	18	6	1	4	532	497	1	34

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						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters <sup>1</sup>	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>11th</b>	<b>67,677</b>	<b>38,593</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>28,357</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>1,895</b>	<b>1,145</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>65,782</b>	<b>37,448</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>28,248</b>
AL,N	7,744	3,891	17	3,829	7	92	64	14	7	7	7,652	3,827	3	3,822
AL,M	4,551	1,143	6	3,401	1	36	27	6	2	1	4,515	1,116	0	3,399
AL,S	2,645	828	11	1,803	3	29	15	10	1	3	2,616	813	1	1,802
FL,N	1,625	1,301	36	286	2	72	38	30	2	2	1,553	1,263	6	284
FL,M	17,367	13,753	226	3,382	6	713	475	195	37	6	16,654	13,278	31	3,345
FL,S	12,549	7,621	245	4,671	12	478	231	205	30	12	12,071	7,390	40	4,641
GA,N	14,006	7,854	120	6,031	1	364	231	115	17	1	13,642	7,623	5	6,014
GA,M	4,158	1,571	18	2,560	9	90	52	18	11	9	4,068	1,519	0	2,549
GA,S	3,032	631	7	2,394	0	21	12	7	2	0	3,011	619	0	2,392

NOTE: 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, as defined in Section 101 of the U.S. Bankruptcy code, or other debt that the debtor indicates is not consumer debt or business debt. Because the bankruptcy database is continually updated, the numbers in this table may not match those in previously published tables. The United States territorial courts assume the jurisdiction of United States bankruptcy courts within their respective territories, which do not have separate bankruptcy courts.

<sup>1</sup> Other Chapters includes cases filed under chapters 9 (4), 12 (276) and 15 (171) as well as Section 304 (0).

<sup>2</sup> The United States Bankruptcy Court for Arkansas (AR) includes both the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas.

**Table F-2.**  
**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Bankruptcy Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code,**  
**During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2021**

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 9	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 15 <sup>1</sup>	All Other Chapters
<b>Total</b>	<b>413,616</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>413,165</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>309</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>9,868</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,861</b>
ME	654	0	1	0	653
MA	3,492	0	1	0	3,491
NH	753	0	0	0	753
RI	992	0	0	0	992
PR	3,977	0	5	0	3,972
<b>2nd</b>	<b>18,025</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>17,956</b>
CT	3,018	0	0	0	3,018
NY,N	3,190	0	5	0	3,185
NY,E	5,559	0	0	1	5,558
NY,S	3,940	0	1	56	3,883
NY,W	2,045	0	3	0	2,042
VT	273	0	3	0	270
<b>3rd</b>	<b>22,499</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>22,451</b>
DE	1,667	0	1	38	1,628
NJ	10,446	0	1	0	10,445
PA,E	3,497	0	0	1	3,496
PA,M	2,831	0	1	0	2,830
PA,W	4,054	0	6	0	4,048
VI	4	0	0	0	4
<b>4th</b>	<b>32,399</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>32,381</b>
MD	8,323	0	0	0	8,323
NC,E	2,973	0	7	0	2,966
NC,M	1,995	0	0	0	1,995
NC,W	1,609	0	5	0	1,604
SC	3,376	0	1	0	3,375
VA,E	9,515	0	3	0	9,512
VA,W	2,933	0	2	0	2,931
WV,N	699	0	0	0	699
WV,S	976	0	0	0	976

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<b>5th</b>	<b>31,977</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>31,916</b>
LA,E	1,537	0	0	0	1,537
LA,M	641	0	0	0	641
LA,W	3,871	0	1	0	3,870
MS,N	2,563	0	0	0	2,563
MS,S	3,603	0	2	0	3,601
TX,N	6,574	1	3	0	6,570
TX,E	3,356	0	2	0	3,354
TX,S	5,381	0	0	48	5,333
TX,W	4,451	0	4	0	4,447
<b>6th</b>	<b>62,273</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>62,252</b>
KY,E	4,266	0	2	0	4,264
KY,W	4,828	0	3	0	4,825
MI,E	13,846	0	5	0	13,841
MI,W	3,076	0	2	0	3,074
OH,N	11,464	0	1	0	11,463
OH,S	9,354	0	2	0	9,352
TN,E	5,828	0	4	0	5,824
TN,M	4,065	0	2	0	4,063
TN,W	5,546	0	0	0	5,546
<b>7th</b>	<b>44,710</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>44,670</b>
IL,N	16,790	0	0	2	16,788
IL,C	2,464	0	3	0	2,461
IL,S	1,690	0	1	0	1,689
IN,N	5,634	0	2	0	5,632
IN,S	8,853	0	5	0	8,848
WI,E	6,653	0	7	0	6,646
WI,W	2,626	0	20	0	2,606

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<b>8th</b>	<b>27,549</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27,472</b>
AR <sup>2</sup>	5,493	0	4	0	5,489
IA,N	1,120	0	10	0	1,110
IA,S	1,726	0	7	0	1,719
MN	5,754	0	26	0	5,728
MO,E	5,722	0	4	0	5,718
MO,W	4,015	0	2	0	4,013
NE	2,589	1	17	0	2,571
ND	531	0	1	0	530
SD	599	0	5	0	594
<b>9th</b>	<b>72,768</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>72,740</b>
AK	218	0	0	0	218
AZ	9,884	0	3	0	9,881
CA,N	4,700	0	1	2	4,697
CA,E	8,179	0	4	0	8,175
CA,C	23,104	1	3	2	23,098
CA,S	4,989	0	1	0	4,988
HI	1,212	0	0	0	1,212
ID	2,000	0	2	0	1,998
MT	654	0	4	0	650
NV	6,995	0	0	0	6,995
OR	4,771	0	3	1	4,767
WA,E	1,550	0	1	0	1,549
WA,W	4,457	0	0	0	4,457
GU	53	0	0	0	53
NMI	2	0	0	0	2
<b>10th</b>	<b>23,562</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>23,521</b>
CO	6,462	0	5	0	6,457
KS	3,521	0	19	0	3,502
NM	1,510	0	1	0	1,509
OK,N	1,495	0	1	0	1,494
OK,E	949	0	1	0	948
OK,W	3,488	0	7	0	3,481
UT	5,576	0	0	3	5,573
WY	561	0	0	4	557

**Table F-2. (December 31, 2021—Continued)**

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 9	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 15 <sup>1</sup>	All Other Chapters
<b>11th</b>	<b>67,677</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>67,636</b>
AL,N	7,744	0	7	0	7,737
AL,M	4,551	0	1	0	4,550
AL,S	2,645	1	2	0	2,642
FL,N	1,625	0	2	0	1,623
FL,M	17,367	0	3	3	17,361
FL,S	12,549	0	2	10	12,537
GA,N	14,006	0	1	0	14,005
GA,M	4,158	0	9	0	4,149
GA,S	3,032	0	0	0	3,032

<sup>1</sup> Total Chapter 15 column includes cases filed under chapter 15 (171) as well as Section 304 (0).

<sup>2</sup> The United States Bankruptcy Court for Arkansas (AR) includes both the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas.