

**Table C.**  
**U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending**  
**During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2018 and 2019**

Circuit and District	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>2</sup>	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>
<b>Total</b>	<b>282,936</b>	<b>297,877</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>276,311</b>	<b>311,900</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>371,589</b>	<b>357,566</b>	<b>-3.8</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>3,124</b>	<b>3,886</b>	<b>24.4</b>	<b>2,736</b>	<b>3,381</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>3,540</b>	<b>4,045</b>	<b>14.3</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>6,543</b>	<b>6,960</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>7,316</b>	<b>8,083</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>10,266</b>	<b>9,143</b>	<b>-10.9</b>
ME	519	554	6.7	505	558	10.5	456	452	-0.9
MA	3,219	3,063	-4.8	4,375	4,882	11.6	5,721	3,902	-31.8
NH	1,154	1,370	18.7	478	519	8.6	1,282	2,133	66.4
RI	690	670	-2.9	621	637	2.6	732	765	4.5
PR	961	1,303	35.6	1,337	1,487	11.2	2,075	1,891	-8.9
<b>2nd</b>	<b>26,163</b>	<b>27,622</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>25,151</b>	<b>26,792</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>30,330</b>	<b>31,160</b>	<b>2.7</b>
CT	2,256	2,144	-5.0	2,412	2,287	-5.2	2,370	2,227	-6.0
NY,N	1,737	1,775	2.2	1,808	1,729	-4.4	1,781	1,827	2.6
NY,E	7,443	7,652	2.8	8,102	7,469	-7.8	9,029	9,212	2.0
NY,S	12,089	12,946	7.1	10,602	12,534	18.2	13,498	13,910	3.1
NY,W	2,406	2,852	18.5	1,995	2,540	27.3	3,359	3,671	9.3
VT	232	253	9.1	232	233	0.4	293	313	6.8
<b>3rd</b>	<b>36,297</b>	<b>40,005</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>26,232</b>	<b>26,116</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>36,411</b>	<b>50,300</b>	<b>38.1</b>
DE	2,115	2,489	17.7	2,045	2,233	9.2	2,122	2,378	12.1
NJ	22,086	25,076	13.5	12,220	11,911	-2.5	22,765	35,930	57.8
PA,E	6,664	7,228	8.5	6,837	6,453	-5.6	6,120	6,895	12.7
PA,M	2,624	2,340	-10.8	2,412	2,591	7.4	2,908	2,657	-8.6
PA,W	2,623	2,704	3.1	2,547	2,786	9.4	2,055	1,973	-4.0
VI	185	168	-9.2	171	142	-17.0	441	467	5.9

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	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>2</sup>	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>
<b>4th</b>	<b>19,011</b>	<b>18,520</b>	<b>-2.6</b>	<b>44,357</b>	<b>58,611</b>	<b>32.1</b>	<b>61,449</b>	<b>21,358</b>	<b>-65.2</b>
MD	4,039	3,968	-1.8	3,725	3,512	-5.7	3,957	4,413	11.5
NC,E	1,711	1,842	7.7	1,655	1,972	19.2	2,054	1,924	-6.3
NC,M	1,123	1,245	10.9	1,132	1,222	8.0	1,180	1,203	1.9
NC,W	1,224	1,120	-8.5	1,323	1,126	-14.9	1,157	1,151	-0.5
SC	3,517	3,711	5.5	3,505	3,605	2.9	3,527	3,633	3.0
VA,E	3,459	3,402	-1.6	3,257	3,436	5.5	2,342	2,308	-1.5
VA,W	1,212	1,370	13.0	1,135	1,206	6.3	967	1,131	17.0
WV,N	794	883	11.2	684	869	27.0	792	806	1.8
WV,S <sup>3</sup>	1,932	979	-49.3	27,941	41,663	49.1	45,473	4,789	-89.5
<b>5th</b>	<b>41,300</b>	<b>42,461</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>29,678</b>	<b>33,888</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>70,188</b>	<b>78,761</b>	<b>12.2</b>
LA,E	16,640	17,640	6.0	6,363	9,582	50.6	38,235	46,293	21.1
LA,M	2,012	906	-55.0	949	1,268	33.6	2,143	1,781	-16.9
LA,W	1,813	1,716	-5.4	1,967	1,773	-9.9	1,846	1,789	-3.1
MS,N	790	746	-5.6	825	735	-10.9	669	680	1.6
MS,S	1,650	2,008	21.7	1,721	1,581	-8.1	1,554	1,981	27.5
TX,N	5,650	5,268	-6.8	5,231	5,084	-2.8	13,967	14,151	1.3
TX,E	3,054	2,983	-2.3	3,153	3,257	3.3	3,468	3,194	-7.9
TX,S	6,255	7,084	13.3	5,983	6,834	14.2	5,546	5,796	4.5
TX,W	3,436	4,110	19.6	3,486	3,774	8.3	2,760	3,096	12.2
<b>6th</b>	<b>19,715</b>	<b>22,581</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>18,082</b>	<b>22,709</b>	<b>25.6</b>	<b>25,341</b>	<b>25,213</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
KY,E	1,610	1,337	-17.0	1,462	1,532	4.8	1,586	1,391	-12.3
KY,W	1,406	1,470	4.6	1,373	1,446	5.3	1,472	1,496	1.6
MI,E	4,147	3,903	-5.9	4,238	4,176	-1.5	4,158	3,885	-6.6
MI,W	1,663	1,415	-14.9	1,450	1,489	2.7	1,380	1,306	-5.4
OH,N	4,364	4,164	-4.6	3,118	3,751	20.3	5,461	5,874	7.6
OH,S	2,703	6,388	136.3	2,347	5,987	155.1	6,735	7,136	6.0
TN,E	1,152	1,157	0.4	1,275	1,335	4.7	1,482	1,304	-12.0
TN,M	1,507	1,557	3.3	1,561	1,679	7.6	1,475	1,353	-8.3
TN,W	1,163	1,190	2.3	1,258	1,314	4.5	1,592	1,468	-7.8

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	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>2</sup>	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>
<b>7th</b>	<b>23,718</b>	<b>23,573</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>21,998</b>	<b>22,594</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>31,475</b>	<b>32,454</b>	<b>3.1</b>
IL,N	9,560	8,979	-6.1	10,041	9,620	-4.2	14,865	14,224	-4.3
IL,C	1,504	1,340	-10.9	1,553	1,409	-9.3	1,581	1,512	-4.4
IL,S	2,130	1,523	-28.5	1,866	1,910	2.4	2,494	2,107	-15.5
IN,N	2,051	2,284	11.4	2,118	2,220	4.8	2,356	2,420	2.7
IN,S	5,374	6,330	17.8	3,653	4,409	20.7	7,363	9,284	26.1
WI,E	2,052	2,000	-2.5	1,857	1,970	6.1	1,723	1,753	1.7
WI,W	1,047	1,117	6.7	910	1,056	16.0	1,093	1,154	5.6
<b>8th</b>	<b>13,707</b>	<b>14,023</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>13,257</b>	<b>19,324</b>	<b>45.8</b>	<b>16,956</b>	<b>11,655</b>	<b>-31.3</b>
AR,E	1,897	1,963	3.5	1,910	1,899	-0.6	1,475	1,539	4.3
AR,W	1,017	888	-12.7	1,081	1,045	-3.3	812	655	-19.3
IA,N	501	423	-15.6	492	370	-24.8	374	427	14.2
IA,S	572	584	2.1	577	614	6.4	459	429	-6.5
MN	3,858	3,266	-15.3	3,218	8,575	166.5	8,992	3,683	-59.0
MO,E	2,482	3,489	40.6	2,455	3,449	40.5	2,027	2,067	2.0
MO,W	2,023	2,057	1.7	2,130	2,084	-2.2	1,450	1,423	-1.9
NE	774	702	-9.3	713	656	-8.0	615	661	7.5
ND	267	295	10.5	338	280	-17.2	346	361	4.3
SD	316	356	12.7	343	352	2.6	406	410	1.0

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	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>2</sup>	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>
<b>9th</b>	<b>48,389</b>	<b>50,538</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>44,200</b>	<b>46,443</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>49,011</b>	<b>53,106</b>	<b>8.4</b>
AK	361	427	18.3	353	458	29.7	406	375	-7.6
AZ	5,563	8,252	48.3	3,678	4,738	28.8	7,639	11,153	46.0
CA,N	7,727	7,900	2.2	6,632	6,847	3.2	9,027	10,080	11.7
CA,E	5,043	4,221	-16.3	4,905	4,408	-10.1	5,620	5,433	-3.3
CA,C	15,335	15,514	1.2	14,057	15,265	8.6	11,010	11,259	2.3
CA,S	3,066	2,760	-10.0	3,093	2,983	-3.6	2,934	2,711	-7.6
HI	522	697	33.5	629	636	1.1	526	587	11.6
ID	567	554	-2.3	643	576	-10.4	667	645	-3.3
MT	738	573	-22.4	773	628	-18.8	667	612	-8.2
NV	3,010	2,957	-1.8	3,347	3,480	4.0	4,673	4,150	-11.2
OR	2,271	2,065	-9.1	2,065	2,095	1.5	2,484	2,454	-1.2
WA,E	1,033	1,238	19.8	988	1,201	21.6	812	849	4.6
WA,W	3,070	3,204	4.4	2,958	3,071	3.8	2,330	2,463	5.7
GUAM	54	152	181.5	32	30	-6.3	179	301	68.2
NMI	29	24	-17.2	47	27	-42.6	37	34	-8.1
<b>10th</b>	<b>9,900</b>	<b>10,238</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>11,078</b>	<b>10,664</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>10,059</b>	<b>9,633</b>	<b>-4.2</b>
CO	3,292	3,637	10.5	3,181	3,431	7.9	2,642	2,848	7.8
KS	1,517	1,490	-1.8	2,267	2,224	-1.9	2,180	1,446	-33.7
NM	1,210	1,255	3.7	1,337	1,161	-13.2	1,238	1,332	7.6
OK,N	663	711	7.2	673	660	-1.9	690	741	7.4
OK,E	459	415	-9.6	488	448	-8.2	460	427	-7.2
OK,W	1,334	1,251	-6.2	1,457	1,292	-11.3	1,056	1,015	-3.9
UT	1,212	1,206	-0.5	1,441	1,206	-16.3	1,589	1,589	0.0
WY	213	273	28.2	234	242	3.4	204	235	15.2

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	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>2</sup>	2019	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>
<b>11th</b>	<b>35,069</b>	<b>37,470</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>32,226</b>	<b>33,295</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>26,563</b>	<b>30,738</b>	<b>15.7</b>
AL,N	2,154	2,211	2.6	2,217	2,267	2.3	2,546	2,490	-2.2
AL,M	1,088	1,003	-7.8	1,079	939	-13.0	1,116	1,180	5.7
AL,S	565	868	53.6	537	541	0.7	537	864	60.9
FL,N	3,517	5,110	45.3	1,941	1,995	2.8	3,497	6,612	89.1
FL,M	8,561	8,904	4.0	8,574	8,796	2.6	6,363	6,471	1.7
FL,S	9,602	10,395	8.3	9,307	10,512	12.9	4,937	4,820	-2.4
GA,N	7,164	6,647	-7.2	6,165	5,875	-4.7	5,489	6,261	14.1
GA,M	1,396	1,280	-8.3	1,435	1,440	0.3	1,200	1,040	-13.3
GA,S	1,022	1,052	2.9	971	930	-4.2	878	1,000	13.9

NOTE: The number of pending cases in this report includes cases that have been transferred under a Multidistrict Litigation (MDL) order. Large numbers of civil cases may be temporarily assigned by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation to a district judge for pretrial management. As MDL cases vary greatly among districts, it is advisable to check with the relevant district court before drawing statistical conclusions about the number of pending cases for that district.

<sup>1</sup> Percent change not computed when fewer than 10 cases reported for the previous period.

<sup>2</sup> Revised.

<sup>3</sup> The higher number of pending cases reported for the Southern District of West Virginia is the result of reconciliation efforts conducted for pretrial management for the three-month period ending June 30, 2018.