

Table C.
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending
During the 12-Month Periods Ending December 31, 2014 and 2015

Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014 ²	2015	Percent Change ¹
TOTAL	290,358	277,290	-4.5	260,629	273,152	4.8	342,724	346,862	1.2
DC	2,247	2,373	5.6	2,166	2,132	-1.6	2,411	2,652	10.0
1ST	7,863	8,501	8.1	6,942	6,266	-9.7	9,426	11,661	23.7
ME	551	539	-2.2	522	545	4.4	425	419	-1.4
MA	5,238	4,709	-10.1	2,905	3,133	7.8	6,345	7,921	24.8
NH	547	520	-4.9	562	524	-6.8	472	468	-0.8
RI	602	552	-8.3	1,920	863	-55.1	945	634	-32.9
PR	925	2,181	135.8	1,033	1,201	16.3	1,239	2,219	79.1
2ND	25,382	24,114	-5.0	23,965	24,553	2.5	31,225	30,786	-1.4
CT	2,062	1,994	-3.3	2,063	2,036	-1.3	2,458	2,416	-1.7
NY,N	1,901	1,748	-8.0	1,932	1,841	-4.7	2,149	2,056	-4.3
NY,E	7,755	7,575	-2.3	6,830	7,538	10.4	9,857	9,894	0.4
NY,S	11,498	10,638	-7.5	11,005	11,110	1.0	13,969	13,497	-3.4
NY,W	1,887	1,883	-0.2	1,863	1,745	-6.3	2,505	2,643	5.5
VT	279	276	-1.1	272	283	4.0	287	280	-2.4
3RD	25,758	25,969	0.8	27,599	28,320	2.6	24,716	22,365	-9.5
DE	1,712	1,350	-21.1	2,092	1,805	-13.7	2,233	1,778	-20.4
NJ	8,952	9,799	9.5	8,411	9,387	11.6	8,644	9,056	4.8
PA,E	9,706	9,447	-2.7	11,406	11,887	4.2	8,866	6,426	-27.5
PA,M	2,579	2,585	0.2	2,744	2,503	-8.8	2,598	2,680	3.2
PA,W	2,568	2,599	1.2	2,709	2,510	-7.3	1,903	1,992	4.7
VI	241	189	-21.6	237	228	-3.8	472	433	-8.3
4TH	50,301	35,218	-30.0	20,495	31,690	54.6	89,066	92,594	4.0
MD	4,118	4,139	0.5	4,020	4,114	2.3	3,264	3,289	0.8
NC,E	2,090	1,848	-11.6	2,027	2,116	4.4	2,167	1,899	-12.4
NC,M	1,101	1,125	2.2	1,350	1,486	10.1	1,451	1,090	-24.9
NC,W	1,247	1,053	-15.6	1,343	1,238	-7.8	1,088	903	-17.0
SC	4,939	5,093	3.1	3,644	3,661	0.5	4,771	6,203	30.0
VA,E	3,412	3,421	0.3	3,079	3,672	19.3	2,539	2,288	-9.9
VA,W	1,193	1,178	-1.3	1,207	1,166	-3.4	768	780	1.6
WV,N	651	698	7.2	702	733	4.4	598	563	-5.9
WV,S	31,550	16,663	-47.2	3,123	13,504	332.4	72,420	75,579	4.4

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Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014 ²	2015	Percent Change ¹
5TH	29,413	33,639	14.4	26,476	27,751	4.8	37,386	43,274	15.7
LA,E	2,657	6,694	151.9	2,892	3,520	21.7	5,882	9,056	54.0
LA,M	834	897	7.6	862	795	-7.8	892	994	11.4
LA,W	3,181	3,026	-4.9	1,833	2,158	17.7	5,993	6,861	14.5
MS,N	733	660	-10.0	846	724	-14.4	650	586	-9.8
MS,S	1,796	1,629	-9.3	1,853	1,777	-4.1	1,823	1,675	-8.1
TX,N	6,496	6,147	-5.4	4,760	4,873	2.4	10,712	11,986	11.9
TX,E	4,053	5,075	25.2	4,024	4,667	16.0	3,855	4,263	10.6
TX,S	6,242	5,977	-4.2	5,925	6,062	2.3	5,215	5,130	-1.6
TX,W	3,421	3,534	3.3	3,481	3,175	-8.8	2,364	2,723	15.2
6TH	23,104	22,199	-3.9	22,410	23,746	6.0	30,819	29,272	-5.0
KY,E	1,432	1,232	-14.0	1,457	1,410	-3.2	1,368	1,190	-13.0
KY,W	1,587	1,510	-4.9	1,305	1,238	-5.1	2,156	2,428	12.6
MI,E	5,090	4,659	-8.5	5,153	4,948	-4.0	5,340	5,051	-5.4
MI,W	1,652	1,590	-3.8	1,605	1,634	1.8	1,536	1,492	-2.9
OH,N	3,523	4,497	27.6	4,336	7,138	64.6	10,922	8,281	-24.2
OH,S	4,248	4,411	3.8	2,657	2,792	5.1	4,271	5,890	37.9
TN,E	1,420	1,333	-6.1	1,570	1,386	-11.7	1,789	1,736	-3.0
TN,M	2,746	1,786	-35.0	2,996	1,781	-40.6	1,678	1,683	0.3
TN,W	1,406	1,181	-16.0	1,331	1,419	6.6	1,759	1,521	-13.5
7TH	23,481	22,351	-4.8	25,993	24,673	-5.1	29,287	26,965	-7.9
IL,N	10,983	12,381	12.7	9,601	10,113	5.3	11,686	13,954	19.4
IL,C	1,377	1,454	5.6	1,296	1,385	6.9	1,623	1,692	4.3
IL,S	2,458	1,472	-40.1	7,805	5,496	-29.6	7,723	3,699	-52.1
IN,N	3,114	1,651	-47.0	2,086	2,356	12.9	3,677	2,972	-19.2
IN,S	2,909	2,908	-0.0	2,739	2,964	8.2	2,507	2,451	-2.2
WI,E	1,693	1,614	-4.7	1,531	1,543	0.8	1,307	1,378	5.4
WI,W	947	871	-8.0	935	816	-12.7	764	819	7.2
8TH	15,516	15,071	-2.9	14,198	16,424	15.7	16,061	14,708	-8.4
AR,E	1,887	1,969	4.3	2,141	2,069	-3.4	1,534	1,434	-6.5
AR,W	1,187	1,027	-13.5	1,158	1,144	-1.2	1,210	1,093	-9.7
IA,N	532	776	45.9	580	724	24.8	388	440	13.4
IA,S	685	674	-1.6	682	701	2.8	549	522	-4.9
MN	5,108	4,492	-12.1	3,515	5,288	50.4	5,182	4,386	-15.4
MO,E	2,402	2,319	-3.5	2,403	2,471	2.8	3,765	3,613	-4.0
MO,W	2,401	2,241	-6.7	2,465	2,414	-2.1	1,935	1,762	-8.9
NE	679	634	-6.6	612	671	9.6	626	589	-5.9
ND	290	306	5.5	310	269	-13.2	447	484	8.3
SD	345	633	83.5	332	673	102.7	425	385	-9.4

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Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014 ²	2015	Percent Change ¹
9TH	45,434	44,188	-2.7	46,771	44,089	-5.7	38,417	38,516	0.3
AK	321	326	1.6	296	312	5.4	346	360	4.0
AZ	5,797	3,736	-35.6	6,185	3,846	-37.8	3,246	3,136	-3.4
CA,N	5,650	6,282	11.2	6,083	5,630	-7.4	5,177	5,829	12.6
CA,E	5,006	4,567	-8.8	4,859	4,731	-2.6	5,851	5,687	-2.8
CA,C	14,506	14,676	1.2	14,928	14,866	-0.4	10,051	9,861	-1.9
CA,S	3,283	3,256	-0.8	2,969	3,826	28.9	3,393	2,823	-16.8
HI	637	596	-6.4	716	633	-11.6	568	531	-6.5
ID	580	615	6.0	525	610	16.2	737	742	0.7
MT	718	618	-13.9	686	604	-12.0	581	595	2.4
NV	2,842	3,114	9.6	2,834	2,820	-0.5	3,425	3,719	8.6
OR	2,106	2,449	16.3	2,375	2,222	-6.4	2,086	2,313	10.9
WA,E	832	810	-2.6	903	758	-16.1	670	722	7.8
WA,W	3,103	3,075	-0.9	3,359	3,163	-5.8	2,172	2,084	-4.1
GUAM	26	44	69.2	31	41	32.3	52	55	5.8
NMI	27	24	-11.1	22	27	22.7	62	59	-4.8
10TH	10,353	12,695	22.6	10,507	11,621	10.6	9,588	10,662	11.2
CO	3,495	2,874	-17.8	3,542	3,069	-13.4	2,557	2,362	-7.6
KS	1,447	4,596	217.6	1,477	3,069	107.8	1,346	2,873	113.4
NM	1,192	1,212	1.7	1,237	1,240	0.2	1,297	1,269	-2.2
OK,N	799	754	-5.6	776	800	3.1	831	785	-5.5
OK,E	572	519	-9.3	522	591	13.2	625	553	-11.5
OK,W	1,473	1,430	-2.9	1,401	1,453	3.7	1,208	1,185	-1.9
UT	1,111	1,072	-3.5	1,255	1,125	-10.4	1,483	1,430	-3.6
WY	264	238	-9.8	297	274	-7.7	241	205	-14.9
11TH	31,506	30,972	-1.7	33,107	31,887	-3.7	24,322	23,407	-3.8
AL,N	2,561	2,427	-5.2	3,831	2,507	-34.6	2,613	2,533	-3.1
AL,M	1,294	1,007	-22.2	1,334	1,051	-21.2	1,104	1,060	-4.0
AL,S	629	680	8.1	664	609	-8.3	502	573	14.1
FL,N	1,973	1,824	-7.6	1,917	1,890	-1.4	1,638	1,572	-4.0
FL,M	8,537	8,309	-2.7	8,833	8,964	1.5	7,428	6,773	-8.8
FL,S	8,968	8,952	-0.2	8,922	9,469	6.1	4,960	4,443	-10.4
GA,N	5,106	5,394	5.6	5,061	5,146	1.7	3,926	4,174	6.3
GA,M	1,304	1,280	-1.8	1,465	1,241	-15.3	1,283	1,322	3.0
GA,S	1,134	1,099	-3.1	1,080	1,010	-6.5	868	957	10.3

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

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