

**Table S-1.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Appeals Terminated on the Merits After Oral Hearings or Submission on Briefs**  
**During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2013**

Circuit	Total	Cases Disposed of by Consolidation	Total Excluding Consolidations	After Oral Hearing				After Submission on Briefs			
				Total	Percent of Total	En Banc	Panel	Total	Percent of Total	En Banc	Panel
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>37,820</b>	<b>2,518</b>	<b>35,302</b>	<b>6,914</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>6,873</b>	<b>28,388</b>	<b>80.4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>28,384</b>
DC	537	98	439	233	53.1	-	233	206	46.9	-	206
First	997	61	936	259	27.7	1	258	677	72.3	-	677
Second	3,399	314	3,085	958	31.1	-	958	2,127	68.9	-	2,127
Third	2,845	130	2,715	225	8.3	2	223	2,490	91.7	-	2,490
Fourth	4,023	195	3,828	432	11.3	2	430	3,396	88.7	-	3,396
Fifth	4,789	613	4,176	796	19.1	11	785	3,380	80.9	-	3,380
Sixth	3,798	210	3,588	655	18.3	4	651	2,933	81.7	1	2,932
Seventh	1,868	166	1,702	644	37.8	4	640	1,058	62.2	-	1,058
Eighth	2,296	135	2,161	396	18.3	2	394	1,765	81.7	-	1,765
Ninth	7,582	335	7,247	1,512	20.9	12	1,500	5,735	79.1	2	5,733
Tenth	1,490	30	1,460	354	24.2	-	354	1,106	75.8	-	1,106
Eleventh	4,196	231	3,965	450	11.3	3	447	3,515	88.7	1	3,514

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

**Table S-2.**

**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Total Case Participations in Cases Terminated on the Merits After Oral Hearings or Submission on Briefs During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2013**

Circuit	Total	Cases Disposed of by Consolidation	Total Excluding Consolidation	Case Participations by						Percent by Senior and Visiting Judges
				Resident Active Circuit Judges		Resident Senior Circuit Judges		Visiting Judges		
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>107,383</b>	<b>7,527</b>	<b>99,856</b>	<b>76,648</b>	<b>76.8</b>	<b>19,238</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>3,970</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>23.2</b>
District of Columbia	1,605	294	1,311	1,083	82.6	228	17.4	-	0.0	17.4
First	2,993	183	2,810	2,195	78.1	388	13.8	227	8.1	21.9
Second	10,130	939	9,191	6,217	67.6	2,328	25.3	646	7.0	32.4
Third	8,554	390	8,164	6,539	80.1	1,553	19.0	72	0.9	19.9
Fourth	12,110	609	11,501	10,631	92.4	759	6.6	111	1.0	7.6
Fifth	13,146	1,732	11,414	9,515	83.4	1,857	16.3	42	0.4	16.6
Sixth	10,179	654	9,525	6,323	66.4	1,834	19.3	1,368	14.4	33.6
Seventh	5,333	509	4,824	3,761	78.0	954	19.8	109	2.3	22.0
Eighth	6,905	405	6,500	5,133	79.0	1,305	20.1	62	1.0	21.0
Ninth	21,229	1,051	20,178	14,223	70.5	5,003	24.8	952	4.7	29.5
Tenth	4,468	90	4,378	2,905	66.4	1,445	33.0	28	0.6	33.6
Eleventh	10,731	671	10,060	8,123	80.7	1,584	15.7	353	3.5	19.3

NOTE: Due to rounding, percents may not add up to 100. This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

**Table S-3.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Types of Opinions or Orders Filed in Cases Terminated**  
**on the Merits After Oral Hearings or Submission on Briefs**  
**During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2013**

Circuit	Total	Cases Disposed of by Consolidation	Opinion or Order Total	Oral	Written, Signed <sup>1</sup>		Written, Reasoned, Unsigned <sup>1</sup>		Written, Unsigned, Without Comment		Percent Unpublished
					Published	Unpublished	Published	Unpublished	Published	Unpublished	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>37,820</b>	<b>2,518</b>	<b>35,302</b>	-	<b>3,850</b>	<b>6,737</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>19,684</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>4,716</b>	<b>88.2</b>
DC	537	98	439	-	191	-	11	237	-	-	54.0
FIRST	997	61	936	-	307	16	11	585	7	10	65.3
SECOND	3,399	314	3,085	-	303	2,725	56	1	-	-	88.4
THIRD	2,845	130	2,715	-	163	1,663	3	759	3	124	93.8
FOURTH	4,023	195	3,828	-	227	433	6	3,162	-	-	93.9
FIFTH	4,789	613	4,176	-	312	63	46	3,734	-	21	91.4
SIXTH	3,798	210	3,588	-	329	750	9	2,493	2	5	90.5
SEVENTH	1,868	166	1,702	-	544	1	25	1,124	1	7	66.5
EIGHTH	2,296	135	2,161	-	484	8	35	510	-	1,124	76.0
NINTH	7,582	335	7,247	-	537	1	42	3,356	10	3,301	91.9
TENTH	1,490	30	1,460	-	259	1,042	5	154	-	-	81.9
ELEVENTH	4,196	231	3,965	-	194	35	43	3,569	-	124	94.0

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

<sup>1</sup> Includes only those opinions and orders that expound on the law as applied to the facts of each case and that detail the judicial reasons upon which the judgment is based.

**Table S-4.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Sources of Pro Se Appeals During the**  
**12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2012 and 2013**

Source	2012		2013		Pro Se Appeals Percent Change 2012 - 2013
	Total	Pro Se	Total	Pro Se	
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,501</b>	<b>29,075</b>	<b>56,475</b>	<b>28,800</b>	<b>-0.9</b>
U.S. District Courts	44,034	22,370	42,175	21,062	-5.8
Criminal	13,675	3,342	11,924	2,301	-31.1
Civil—Total	30,359	19,028	30,251	18,761	-1.4
Prisoner Petitions	15,020	13,582	15,031	13,556	-0.2
U.S. Civil	2,655	1,100	2,649	1,067	-3.0
Private Civil	12,684	4,346	12,571	4,138	-4.8
Other Appeals					
Bankruptcy Courts	811	227	907	313	37.9
Administrative Agencies	8,391	2,508	8,287	2,723	8.6
Original Proceedings	4,265	3,970	5,106	4,702	18.4

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

**Table S-5.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Appeals Under Submission More Than Three Months**  
**on September 30, 2012 and 2013**

Circuit	2012 Total	2013				
		Total	3 - 5 Months	6 - 8 Months	9 - 11 Months	12 Months or More
<b>Total</b>	<b>938</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>150</b>
Federal	37	21	11	6	2	2
DC	1	0	0	0	0	0
First	23	23	15	6	2	0
Second	261	294	129	62	29	74
Third	83	66	42	9	4	11
Fourth	3	4	4	0	0	0
Fifth	33	44	21	13	4	6
Sixth	92	61	37	17	5	2
Seventh	99	103	40	18	23	22
Eighth	21	16	9	5	2	0
Ninth	89	113	57	31	14	11
Tenth	109	108	38	40	18	12
Eleventh	87	51	26	8	7	10