

Table B-3.
U.S. Courts of Appeals—Sources of Appeals and Original Proceedings Commenced, by Circuit,
During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2006 Through 2010

Source	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
TOTAL APPEALS	66,618	58,410	61,104	57,740	55,992
U.S. DISTRICT COURTS	47,237	43,408	45,121	44,677	43,737
BANKRUPTCY	821	845	773	793	678
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	13,102	10,382	11,583	8,570	7,813
IRS	199	230	242	194	171
LABR	24	26	27	21	19
FCC	51	56	146	45	28
FERC	154	129	141	150	68
NLRB	268	232	216	225	245
EPA	120	118	81	86	183
BIA	11,911	9,123	10,280	7,518	6,750
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	375	468	450	331	349
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	5,458	3,775	3,627	3,700	3,764
DC CIRCUIT	1,281	1,310	1,307	1,097	1,178
U.S. DISTRICT COURTS	765	759	769	687	691
BANKRUPTCY	3	-	4	3	2
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	420	483	456	324	380
IRS	6	1	11	7	12
NLRB	73	66	67	70	58
BIA	-	-	-	1	1
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	341	416	378	246	309
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	93	68	78	83	105
1ST CIRCUIT	1,852	1,863	1,631	1,746	1,530
ME	132	120	126	136	97
MA	610	621	582	614	509
NH	98	94	125	104	103
RI	139	141	103	104	73
PR	518	563	417	477	497
BANKRUPTCY	27	24	31	53	37
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	239	239	191	190	158
IRS	5	3	3	7	8
NLRB	6	10	4	4	7
BIA	219	214	172	173	137
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	9	12	12	6	6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	89	61	56	68	56

Table B-3. (September 30, 2010—Continued)

Source	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
2ND CIRCUIT	7,029	6,334	6,904	5,747	5,371
CT	340	347	323	380	290
NY,N	373	420	451	407	422
NY,E	870	955	896	835	929
NY,S	1,856	1,651	1,585	1,755	1,637
NY,W	337	290	297	266	368
VT	65	55	66	44	49
BANKRUPTCY	103	100	78	130	85
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	2,752	2,271	2,988	1,705	1,357
IRS	13	21	24	14	9
NLRB	38	34	35	30	29
BIA	2,640	2,177	2,865	1,624	1,299
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	61	39	64	37	20
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	333	245	220	225	234
3RD CIRCUIT	4,503	3,924	4,054	3,750	3,951
DE	143	133	193	145	158
NJ	779	690	706	693	726
PA,E	1,166	989	1,062	917	1,014
PA,M	567	547	597	481	562
PA,W	558	511	497	478	546
VI	78	88	124	87	85
BANKRUPTCY	120	78	76	77	52
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	810	665	601	654	542
IRS	9	8	11	8	15
NLRB	22	23	10	21	23
BIA	748	602	553	578	484
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	31	32	27	47	20
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	282	223	198	218	266
4TH CIRCUIT	5,460	4,542	5,185	5,311	4,854
MD	567	520	574	623	668
NC,E	508	471	409	591	530
NC,M	309	289	235	255	306
NC,W	427	350	426	468	347
SC	706	686	972	939	826
VA,E	1,083	924	1,059	1,053	923
VA,W	415	329	374	299	319
WV,N	137	123	314	223	176
WV,S	207	154	181	142	143
BANKRUPTCY	53	59	36	53	43
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	406	300	318	303	242
IRS	10	10	10	16	14
NLRB	30	12	9	14	12
BIA	317	244	257	235	191
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	49	34	42	38	25
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	642	337	287	362	331

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Source	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
5TH CIRCUIT	9,479	8,055	7,667	7,246	7,462
LA,E	466	573	530	552	573
LA,M	202	200	199	186	215
LA,W	488	411	468	465	437
MS,N	196	189	157	132	164
MS,S	299	273	383	309	321
TX,N	1,436	1,338	1,210	1,217	1,197
TX,E	664	505	579	561	502
TX,S	2,461	1,753	1,604	1,636	1,638
TX,W	1,742	1,619	1,342	1,200	1,227
BANKRUPTCY	116	137	104	100	88
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	723	542	642	492	562
IRS	23	20	29	19	25
NLRB	11	12	7	9	10
BIA	644	467	560	429	440
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	45	43	46	35	87
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	686	515	449	396	538
6TH CIRCUIT	5,151	4,818	4,853	4,859	4,954
KY,E	321	335	347	280	318
KY,W	234	208	220	242	258
MI,E	874	942	1,013	896	950
MI,W	465	483	439	510	518
OH,N	615	630	646	671	663
OH,S	574	495	510	505	506
TN,E	356	295	286	305	311
TN,M	279	245	241	285	277
TN,W	368	317	303	299	318
BANKRUPTCY	70	58	58	54	41
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	474	395	424	421	398
IRS	19	18	18	12	18
NLRB	21	22	17	31	28
BIA	401	294	351	343	327
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	33	61	38	35	25
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	521	415	366	391	396

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Source	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
7TH CIRCUIT	3,634	3,227	3,307	3,337	3,124
IL,N	1,079	1,032	1,104	1,229	1,032
IL,C	322	267	318	345	293
IL,S	266	247	205	255	248
IN,N	317	265	278	240	227
IN,S	396	382	342	336	345
WI,E	358	305	333	293	346
WI,W	249	275	250	233	219
BANKRUPTCY	45	48	58	59	41
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	244	209	252	160	173
IRS	15	5	14	11	5
NLRB	13	13	20	21	25
BIA	202	172	187	107	123
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	14	19	31	21	20
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	358	197	167	187	200
8TH CIRCUIT	3,312	3,020	3,022	3,113	2,878
AR,E	397	353	370	350	325
AR,W	85	111	103	101	102
IA,N	204	188	199	200	163
IA,S	225	204	213	275	204
MN	422	418	375	384	338
MO,E	431	427	437	503	421
MO,W	581	485	521	522	507
NE	246	238	222	214	234
ND	51	57	66	71	58
SD	124	127	105	110	123
BANKRUPTCY	29	43	36	20	18
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	157	159	157	106	111
IRS	7	7	16	16	7
NLRB	7	5	3	7	8
BIA	124	122	125	76	83
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	19	25	13	7	13
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	360	210	218	257	274

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Source	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
9TH CIRCUIT	14,636	12,549	13,577	12,211	11,982
AK	112	88	121	104	97
AZ	768	767	774	758	730
CA,N	862	815	857	791	950
CA,E	795	767	958	1,130	1,087
CA,C	2,039	1,996	2,115	2,079	2,144
CA,S	569	479	545	564	554
HI	190	149	177	132	123
ID	160	122	155	122	130
MT	331	345	297	274	278
NV	550	439	546	526	600
OR	488	398	392	421	412
WA,E	237	163	174	216	188
WA,W	471	468	464	478	438
GUAM	28	15	14	24	12
NMI	15	13	14	14	16
BANKRUPTCY	135	190	174	145	159
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	6,040	4,485	4,861	3,542	3,325
IRS	65	93	61	52	39
NLRB	34	26	33	6	24
BIA	5,862	4,280	4,625	3,351	3,169
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	79	86	142	133	93
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	846	850	939	891	739
10TH CIRCUIT	2,742	2,407	2,226	2,328	2,270
CO	510	492	444	545	560
KS	408	343	332	337	323
NM	357	305	271	308	283
OK,N	214	164	165	164	153
OK,E	122	105	118	110	93
OK,W	318	267	247	261	290
UT	281	262	242	218	210
WY	100	171	88	112	108
BANKRUPTCY	32	38	38	38	35
ADMIN AGENCIES, TOTAL	110	100	96	94	92
IRS	6	12	13	14	7
NLRB	5	5	1	5	5
BIA	89	71	65	65	69
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	10	12	17	10	11
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	290	160	185	141	123

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Source	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
11TH CIRCUIT	7,539	6,361	7,371	6,995	6,438
AL,N	429	375	382	333	322
AL,M	201	217	223	191	165
AL,S	204	181	247	160	137
FL,N	418	458	489	520	439
FL,M	1,595	1,366	1,559	1,720	1,540
FL,S	1,470	1,320	1,489	1,541	1,445
GA,N	819	778	1,224	890	816
GA,M	271	273	270	247	268
GA,S	359	295	347	272	254
BANKRUPTCY	88	70	80	61	77
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES, TOTAL	727	534	597	579	473
IRS	21	32	32	18	12
NLRB	8	4	10	7	16
BIA	665	480	520	536	427
OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES	33	18	35	18	18
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	958	494	464	481	502

NOTE: Totals include reopened and remanded appeals as well as original appeals. This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Administrative agency appeals previously reported as appeals of decisions by the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) are now shown as appeals of decisions by the Board of Immigration Appeals (BIA). Appeals of decisions by the U.S. Tax Court are shown as Internal Revenue Service (IRS) appeals.