

Table B.
U.S. Courts of Appeals—Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending
During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2014 and 2015

Circuit	Commenced			Terminated			Pending		
	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014	2015	Percent Change ¹	2014 ²	2015	Percent Change ¹
Total	54,988	52,698	-4.2	55,216	53,213	-3.6	41,323	40,808	-1.2
DC	1,003	1,125	12.2	1,069	1,134	6.1	1,403	1,394	-0.6
1st	1,421	1,504	5.8	1,401	1,589	13.4	1,343	1,258	-6.3
2nd	5,044	4,416	-12.5	4,853	4,942	1.8	3,861	3,335	-13.6
3rd	4,029	3,251	-19.3	3,521	3,315	-5.9	2,698	2,634	-2.4
4th	4,765	4,662	-2.2	4,872	4,499	-7.7	2,269	2,432	7.2
5th	7,886	7,443	-5.6	8,000	7,330	-8.4	4,717	4,830	2.4
6th	4,698	4,478	-4.7	4,778	4,654	-2.6	3,321	3,145	-5.3
7th	3,016	2,926	-3.0	3,085	2,842	-7.9	1,773	1,857	4.7
8th	2,927	2,952	0.9	2,904	2,978	2.5	1,537	1,511	-1.7
9th	12,061	11,870	-1.6	12,493	12,048	-3.6	13,886	13,708	-1.3
10th	1,986	1,956	-1.5	2,088	1,907	-8.7	1,162	1,211	4.2
11th	6,152	6,115	-0.6	6,152	5,975	-2.9	3,353	3,493	4.2

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Beginning in March 2014, data include miscellaneous cases not included previously.

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

² Revised.