

Table C-11.
U.S. District Courts—Product Liability Cases Commenced, by Nature of Suit,
During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2018 and 2019

Circuit and District	2018 Total	2019 Total	Contract Actions	Real Property	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury Product Liability				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
Total	48,420	57,632	455	526	494	188	19	405	267	55,278
DC	231	651	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	645
1ST	1,310	1,660	12	16	15	1	0	7	11	1,598
ME	23	44	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	41
MA	524	635	8	7	10	0	0	4	7	599
NH	700	896	1	5	3	0	0	0	1	886
RI	45	63	2	2	2	0	0	0	1	56
PR	18	22	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	16
2ND	1,467	1,182	22	66	35	3	2	117	62	875
CT	59	66	0	7	4	1	0	2	8	44
NY,N	40	88	1	3	7	0	0	0	9	68
NY,E	159	293	4	38	12	1	1	3	2	232
NY,S	1,121	571	6	13	8	1	0	111	41	391
NY,W	81	153	11	4	2	0	1	1	2	132
VT	7	11	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	8
3RD	14,306	18,217	19	33	90	6	1	16	50	18,002
DE	151	47	1	0	0	2	1	0	9	34
NJ	13,537	16,811	13	25	29	0	0	5	14	16,725
PA,E	417	1,209	4	4	41	2	0	9	21	1,128
PA,M	142	67	0	1	14	0	0	1	1	50
PA,W	55	80	1	3	5	2	0	1	5	63
VI	4	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2

Table C-11. (September 30, 2019—Continued)

Circuit and District	2018 Total	2019 Total	Contract Actions	Real Property	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury Product Liability				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
4TH	1,687	848	16	51	52	5	0	15	24	685
MD	368	364	4	7	7	0	0	6	4	336
NC,E	32	51	1	0	5	0	0	0	1	44
NC,M	18	29	0	1	3	1	0	0	6	18
NC,W	24	25	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	20
SC	87	193	5	38	26	4	0	5	7	108
VA,E	33	65	2	3	4	0	0	0	4	52
VA,W	12	27	0	0	2	0	0	3	1	21
WV,N	21	13	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	9
WV,S	1,092	81	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	77
5TH	13,678	12,202	29	30	46	1	5	64	27	12,000
LA,E	12,578	11,038	3	8	9	0	0	8	14	10,996
LA,M	38	42	1	1	2	0	0	1	4	33
LA,W	56	87	3	4	2	0	2	7	0	69
MS,N	34	25	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
MS,S	65	83	1	0	6	0	1	2	0	73
TX,N	681	377	6	2	9	0	0	4	1	355
TX,E	56	79	2	4	4	0	0	19	0	50
TX,S	104	162	9	9	9	0	2	12	8	113
TX,W	66	309	3	2	5	1	0	11	0	287
6TH	1,122	4,828	28	77	60	1	0	49	10	4,603
KY,E	252	165	2	1	7	0	0	5	0	150
KY,W	38	51	0	1	3	1	0	2	1	43
MI,E	88	129	9	8	22	0	0	23	2	65
MI,W	23	25	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	17
OH,N	380	330	5	10	8	0	0	6	7	294
OH,S	236	4,008	6	51	11	0	0	2	0	3,938
TN,E	38	51	0	2	3	0	0	5	0	41
TN,M	28	47	2	1	3	0	0	3	0	38
TN,W	39	22	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	17

Table C-11. (September 30, 2019—Continued)

Circuit and District	2018 Total	2019 Total	Contract Actions	Real Property	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury Product Liability				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
7TH	2,983	3,092	25	20	34	163	0	12	4	2,834
IL,N	583	490	18	3	12	163	0	3	3	288
IL,C	23	26	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	20
IL,S	91	37	1	3	3	0	0	0	1	29
IN,N	188	40	2	5	4	0	0	3	0	26
IN,S	2,054	2,438	0	5	7	0	0	3	0	2,423
WI,E	23	34	3	3	2	0	0	1	0	25
WI,W	21	27	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	23
8TH	2,442	2,093	17	42	40	0	2	7	7	1,978
AR,E	32	44	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	41
AR,W	15	21	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	18
IA,N	22	28	0	3	6	0	0	2	1	16
IA,S	14	22	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	16
MN	1,811	1,115	3	0	10	0	0	1	1	1,100
MO,E	457	700	5	18	5	0	0	1	0	671
MO,W	55	108	3	16	5	0	1	3	0	80
NE	21	28	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	22
ND	9	17	1	0	3	0	0	0	5	8
SD	6	10	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	6

Table C-11. (September 30, 2019—Continued)

Circuit and District	2018 Total	2019 Total	Contract Actions	Real Property	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury Product Liability				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
9TH	4,984	7,594	237	85	59	3	5	67	60	7,078
AK	14	16	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	13
AZ	1,982	4,291	3	3	3	2	0	7	1	4,272
CA,N	946	1,869	54	29	7	0	0	11	13	1,755
CA,E	404	158	18	4	8	0	0	4	5	119
CA,C	1,303	813	135	32	11	1	1	25	17	591
CA,S	111	127	17	3	5	0	1	6	0	95
HI	10	33	2	5	1	0	0	1	6	18
ID	12	14	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
MT	15	25	0	0	5	0	0	1	2	17
NV	44	63	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	56
OR	52	52	3	0	7	0	0	4	4	34
WA,E	15	19	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	15
WA,W	74	113	3	5	6	0	0	8	11	80
GUAM	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
NMI	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10TH	252	328	22	25	25	1	0	21	5	229
CO	53	78	8	5	4	0	0	6	0	55
KS	21	75	7	11	9	0	0	3	0	45
NM	33	35	0	5	0	0	0	5	3	22
OK,N	25	29	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	24
OK,E	13	8	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	5
OK,W	56	50	3	0	3	0	0	2	2	40
UT	44	38	2	0	3	1	0	4	0	28
WY	7	15	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	10

Table C-11. (September 30, 2019—Continued)

Circuit and District	2018 Total	2019 Total	Contract Actions	Real Property	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury Product Liability				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
11TH	3,958	4,937	25	80	38	4	4	29	6	4,751
AL,N	56	88	2	2	1	0	0	5	0	78
AL,M	23	20	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	18
AL,S	16	20	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	15
FL,N	1,814	2,945	0	10	3	0	1	1	0	2,930
FL,M	335	408	5	32	12	0	1	7	3	348
FL,S	225	198	13	27	8	1	2	5	3	139
GA,N	1,426	1,174	3	2	6	1	0	6	0	1,156
GA,M	35	42	1	6	3	0	0	1	0	31
GA,S	28	42	0	0	2	2	0	2	0	36