

Table C.
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending
During the 12-Month Periods Ending December 31, 2009 and 2010

Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2009	2010	Percent Change ¹	2009	2010	Percent Change ¹	2009 ²	2010	Percent Change ¹
TOTAL	278,884	293,352	5.2	277,292	314,559	13.4	307,633	286,426	-6.9
DC	2,567	2,410	-6.1	2,509	2,458	-2.0	2,848	2,800	-1.7
1ST	6,181	6,403	3.6	6,083	5,404	-11.2	7,204	8,203	13.9
ME	655	535	-18.3	558	540	-3.2	392	387	-1.3
MA	2,818	2,892	2.6	2,870	2,665	-7.1	2,872	3,099	7.9
NH	423	608	43.7	504	456	-9.5	357	509	42.6
RI	1,034	1,088	5.2	671	493	-26.5	2,129	2,724	27.9
PR	1,251	1,280	2.3	1,480	1,250	-15.5	1,454	1,484	2.1
2ND	23,079	22,544	-2.3	22,984	22,098	-3.9	38,062	38,508	1.2
CT	2,239	2,165	-3.3	2,215	2,127	-4.0	2,323	2,361	1.6
NY,N	1,510	1,633	8.1	1,543	1,664	7.8	2,067	2,036	-1.5
NY,E	5,909	6,236	5.5	5,459	6,187	13.3	7,625	7,674	0.6
NY,S	11,275	10,350	-8.2	11,632	9,823	-15.6	23,103	23,630	2.3
NY,W	1,841	1,820	-1.1	1,851	1,996	7.8	2,638	2,462	-6.7
VT	305	340	11.5	284	301	6.0	306	345	12.7
3RD	62,892	69,474	10.5	64,123	98,782	54.1	69,568	40,260	-42.1
DE	1,053	1,216	15.5	1,054	991	-6.0	1,370	1,595	16.4
NJ	6,992	7,253	3.7	6,732	7,185	6.7	5,971	6,039	1.1
PA,E	49,381	55,409	12.2	50,926	85,067	67.0	57,308	27,650	-51.8
PA,M	2,691	2,785	3.5	2,465	2,711	10.0	2,176	2,250	3.4
PA,W	2,496	2,518	0.9	2,464	2,477	0.5	2,105	2,146	1.9
VI	279	293	5.0	482	351	-27.2	638	580	-9.1
4TH	17,192	17,590	2.3	16,413	16,504	0.6	14,440	15,526	7.5
MD	3,541	3,732	5.4	3,435	3,597	4.7	3,185	3,320	4.2
NC,E	1,410	1,588	12.6	1,239	1,321	6.6	1,613	1,880	16.6
NC,M	1,030	1,000	-2.9	950	898	-5.5	894	996	11.4
NC,W	1,141	1,141	0.0	1,143	1,009	-11.7	859	991	15.4
SC	3,539	3,535	-0.1	3,695	3,770	2.0	3,359	3,124	-7.0
VA,E	3,258	3,320	1.9	3,133	3,022	-3.5	1,683	1,981	17.7
VA,W	1,094	1,175	7.4	1,012	1,164	15.0	662	673	1.7
WV,N	577	637	10.4	681	603	-11.5	513	547	6.6
WV,S	1,602	1,462	-8.7	1,125	1,120	-0.4	1,672	2,014	20.5

Table C. (December 31, 2010—Continued)

Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2009	2010	Percent Change ¹	2009	2010	Percent Change ¹	2009 ²	2010	Percent Change ¹
5TH	30,708	29,267	-4.7	30,488	32,628	7.0	34,707	31,346	-9.7
LA,E	7,907	4,607	-41.7	7,724	9,841	27.4	14,998	9,764	-34.9
LA,M	1,149	899	-21.8	984	956	-2.8	1,020	963	-5.6
LA,W	2,272	1,994	-12.2	2,175	2,008	-7.7	2,302	2,288	-0.6
MS,N	858	917	6.9	925	885	-4.3	936	968	3.4
MS,S	2,403	2,249	-6.4	3,291	2,389	-27.4	2,204	2,064	-6.4
TX,N	4,319	4,728	9.5	3,958	4,495	13.6	3,468	3,701	6.7
TX,E	3,043	3,272	7.5	2,959	2,763	-6.6	2,893	3,402	17.6
TX,S	5,793	7,478	29.1	5,440	6,168	13.4	4,551	5,861	28.8
TX,W	2,964	3,123	5.4	3,032	3,123	3.0	2,335	2,335	0.0
6TH	20,156	20,233	0.4	20,197	21,152	4.7	22,590	21,671	-4.1
KY,E	1,461	1,529	4.7	1,552	1,446	-6.8	1,404	1,487	5.9
KY,W	1,608	1,382	-14.1	1,223	1,531	25.2	1,615	1,466	-9.2
MI,E	5,009	5,172	3.3	5,065	5,173	2.1	4,890	4,889	0.0
MI,W	1,506	1,737	15.3	1,588	1,652	4.0	1,372	1,457	6.2
OH,N	3,773	3,543	-6.1	4,279	4,665	9.0	5,579	4,457	-20.1
OH,S	2,710	2,670	-1.5	2,581	2,752	6.6	2,933	2,851	-2.8
TN,E	1,398	1,296	-7.3	1,217	1,246	2.4	1,655	1,705	3.0
TN,M	1,496	1,555	3.9	1,451	1,398	-3.7	1,718	1,875	9.1
TN,W	1,195	1,349	12.9	1,241	1,289	3.9	1,424	1,484	4.2
7TH	17,191	21,837	27.0	16,114	16,466	2.2	16,040	21,411	33.5
IL,N	8,456	8,918	5.5	7,834	8,216	4.9	8,218	8,920	8.5
IL,C	1,208	1,150	-4.8	1,124	1,233	9.7	1,219	1,136	-6.8
IL,S	1,509	5,512	265.3	1,109	1,210	9.1	1,411	5,713	304.9
IN,N	1,518	1,661	9.4	1,470	1,483	0.9	1,526	1,704	11.7
IN,S	2,421	2,508	3.6	2,616	2,343	-10.4	2,054	2,219	8.0
WI,E	1,254	1,231	-1.8	1,191	1,265	6.2	1,193	1,159	-2.8
WI,W	825	857	3.9	770	716	-7.0	419	560	33.7
8TH	13,872	17,059	23.0	15,409	14,307	-7.2	19,129	21,881	14.4
AR,E	1,921	3,158	64.4	2,057	1,926	-6.4	7,934	9,166	15.5
AR,W	879	1,005	14.3	804	863	7.3	916	1,058	15.5
IA,N	544	537	-1.3	551	484	-12.2	470	523	11.3
IA,S	804	812	1.0	763	906	18.7	741	647	-12.7
MN	3,828	5,047	31.8	5,671	4,245	-25.1	3,835	4,637	20.9
MO,E	2,413	2,826	17.1	2,208	2,326	5.3	2,369	2,869	21.1
MO,W	2,187	2,404	9.9	2,078	2,237	7.7	1,655	1,822	10.1
NE	736	728	-1.1	729	747	2.5	600	581	-3.2
ND	211	211	0.0	200	221	10.5	201	191	-5.0
SD	349	331	-5.2	348	352	1.1	408	387	-5.1

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Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2009	2010	Percent Change ¹	2009	2010	Percent Change ¹	2009 ²	2010	Percent Change ¹
9TH	44,289	44,794	1.1	43,178	43,482	0.7	40,641	41,953	3.2
AK	365	343	-6.0	359	348	-3.1	370	365	-1.4
AZ	3,677	3,875	5.4	3,556	3,697	4.0	3,019	3,197	5.9
CA,N	6,296	6,170	-2.0	6,924	6,745	-2.6	7,117	6,542	-8.1
CA,E	5,789	5,818	0.5	5,476	5,570	1.7	7,007	7,255	3.5
CA,C	13,703	14,334	4.6	13,450	13,650	1.5	10,463	11,147	6.5
CA,S	3,294	3,007	-8.7	2,973	3,018	1.5	2,475	2,464	-0.4
HI	628	791	26.0	624	635	1.8	548	704	28.5
ID	717	665	-7.3	569	635	11.6	753	783	4.0
MT	627	530	-15.5	604	592	-2.0	524	462	-11.8
NV	3,362	3,162	-5.9	3,033	2,774	-8.5	3,042	3,430	12.8
OR	2,240	2,266	1.2	2,198	2,292	4.3	2,434	2,408	-1.1
WA,E	695	792	14.0	632	690	9.2	602	704	16.9
WA,W	2,818	2,975	5.6	2,718	2,793	2.8	2,175	2,357	8.4
GUAM	31	35	12.9	21	25	19.0	47	57	21.3
NMI	47	31	-34.0	41	18	-56.1	65	78	20.0
10TH	10,400	10,713	3.0	10,023	10,631	6.1	9,538	9,620	0.9
CO	3,141	3,246	3.3	3,084	3,296	6.9	2,329	2,279	-2.1
KS	1,562	1,584	1.4	1,525	1,641	7.6	1,503	1,446	-3.8
NM	1,259	1,289	2.4	1,328	1,294	-2.6	1,332	1,327	-0.4
OK,N	838	859	2.5	760	864	13.7	892	887	-0.6
OK,E	518	515	-0.6	474	484	2.1	465	496	6.7
OK,W	1,464	1,469	0.3	1,447	1,426	-1.5	1,147	1,190	3.7
UT	1,317	1,457	10.6	1,097	1,323	20.6	1,563	1,697	8.6
WY	301	294	-2.3	308	303	-1.6	307	298	-2.9
11TH	30,357	31,028	2.2	29,771	30,647	2.9	32,866	33,247	1.2
AL,N	2,689	3,738	39.0	2,673	3,666	37.1	3,340	3,412	2.2
AL,M	1,213	1,144	-5.7	1,147	1,052	-8.3	994	1,086	9.3
AL,S	857	746	-13.0	833	740	-11.2	655	661	0.9
FL,N	1,747	1,735	-0.7	1,671	1,647	-1.4	1,512	1,600	5.8
FL,M	8,038	7,718	-4.0	7,948	8,148	2.5	16,548	16,118	-2.6
FL,S	9,213	8,650	-6.1	9,258	8,234	-11.1	4,470	4,886	9.3
GA,N	4,538	5,105	12.5	4,189	4,876	16.4	3,554	3,783	6.4
GA,M	1,159	1,155	-0.3	1,128	1,280	13.5	1,091	966	-11.5
GA,S	903	1,037	14.8	924	1,004	8.7	702	735	4.7

NOTE: Includes cases filed in previous years as consolidated cases that thereafter were severed into individual cases.

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

² Revised.