

Table F-2.

U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Business and Nonbusiness Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code, During the 12-Month Period Ending March 31, 2011

Circuit and District	Total Filings	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 13	Predominant Nature of Debt ¹								
						Business Filings					Nonbusiness Filings			
						Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 12	Chapter 13	Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
TOTAL	1,571,183	1,118,481	13,051	743	438,788	54,212	38,153	11,093	743	4,106	1,516,971	1,080,328	1,958	434,682
DC	1,236	830	63	0	343	107	44	52	0	11	1,129	786	11	332
1ST	50,369	34,089	504	59	15,717	1,950	1,235	411	59	245	48,419	32,854	93	15,472
ME	4,115	3,508	26	8	573	235	182	21	8	24	3,880	3,326	5	549
MA	22,655	17,152	242	15	5,246	557	331	186	15	25	22,098	16,821	56	5,221
NH	5,524	4,343	43	0	1,138	538	414	38	0	86	4,986	3,929	5	1,052
RI	5,425	4,652	17	0	756	165	134	17	0	14	5,260	4,518	0	742
PR	12,650	4,434	176	36	8,004	455	174	149	36	96	12,195	4,260	27	7,908
2ND	67,717	55,350	1,382	39	10,911	3,117	1,568	1,300	39	177	64,600	53,782	82	10,734
CT	11,143	9,935	128	3	1,077	437	313	98	3	23	10,706	9,622	30	1,054
NY, N	11,179	8,562	44	23	2,549	287	171	42	23	50	10,892	8,391	2	2,499
NY, E	22,017	19,067	266	0	2,681	720	448	249	0	22	21,297	18,619	17	2,659
NY, S	13,419	10,444	903	3	2,039	1,312	381	872	3	26	12,107	10,063	31	2,013
NY, W	8,472	6,153	35	5	2,278	293	205	34	5	48	8,179	5,948	1	2,230
VT	1,487	1,189	6	5	287	68	50	5	5	8	1,419	1,139	1	279
3RD	84,492	62,119	1,289	32	20,997	3,412	1,857	1,203	32	265	81,080	60,262	86	20,732
DE	4,133	2,544	585	3	946	748	99	584	3	7	3,385	2,445	1	939
NJ	41,774	32,317	348	5	9,104	1,345	959	293	5	88	40,429	31,358	55	9,016
PA, E	15,076	10,126	152	6	4,792	518	309	141	6	62	14,558	9,817	11	4,730
PA, M	10,418	7,377	40	7	2,994	299	204	35	7	53	10,119	7,173	5	2,941
PA, W	13,064	9,735	161	11	3,157	496	283	147	11	55	12,568	9,452	14	3,102
VI	27	20	3	0	4	6	3	3	0	0	21	17	0	4
4TH	107,304	70,112	976	34	36,181	3,825	2,689	799	34	302	103,479	67,423	177	35,879
MD	29,414	22,030	260	7	7,117	782	540	188	7	47	28,632	21,490	72	7,070
NC, E	10,688	4,092	149	13	6,434	498	296	133	13	56	10,190	3,796	16	6,378
NC, M	6,925	3,608	33	0	3,284	386	274	31	0	81	6,539	3,334	2	3,203
NC, W	8,559	6,105	104	2	2,348	452	337	94	2	19	8,107	5,768	10	2,329
SC	9,142	4,508	92	3	4,538	404	318	64	3	18	8,738	4,190	28	4,520
VA, E	28,115	18,563	242	6	9,304	862	603	204	6	49	27,253	17,960	38	9,255
VA, W	8,664	6,087	41	3	2,533	201	151	33	3	14	8,463	5,936	8	2,519
WV, N	2,601	2,260	21	0	320	132	97	19	0	16	2,469	2,163	2	304
WV, S	3,196	2,859	34	0	303	108	73	33	0	2	3,088	2,786	1	301

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5TH	90,412	42,359	1,246	70	46,734	5,045	3,208	1,169	70	595	85,367	39,151	77	46,139
LA, E	4,812	2,548	45	0	2,219	269	200	43	0	26	4,543	2,348	2	2,193
LA, M	2,110	1,138	15	1	956	78	60	15	1	2	2,032	1,078	0	954
LA, W	12,048	3,543	60	11	8,434	372	171	56	11	134	11,676	3,372	4	8,300
MS, N	6,366	3,325	28	19	2,994	206	142	28	19	17	6,160	3,183	0	2,977
MS, S	7,748	4,592	35	1	3,120	222	170	35	1	16	7,526	4,422	0	3,104
TX, N	20,270	9,364	362	14	10,529	1,387	862	351	14	159	18,883	8,502	11	10,370
TX, E	7,783	4,195	116	5	3,467	557	399	108	5	45	7,226	3,796	8	3,422
TX, S	15,927	6,547	356	13	9,009	1,059	622	332	13	90	14,868	5,925	24	8,919
TX, W	13,348	7,107	229	6	6,006	895	582	201	6	106	12,453	6,525	28	5,900
6TH	208,322	150,656	752	74	56,840	5,058	3,932	648	74	404	203,264	146,724	104	56,436
KY, E	12,038	9,026	34	6	2,972	243	187	33	6	17	11,795	8,839	1	2,955
KY, W	12,148	9,046	44	9	3,049	237	171	42	9	15	11,911	8,875	2	3,034
MI, E	50,295	41,774	179	9	8,333	1,321	1,073	157	9	82	48,974	40,701	22	8,251
MI, W	15,833	13,692	43	15	2,083	558	459	40	15	44	15,275	13,233	3	2,039
OH, N	36,773	30,122	86	3	6,562	862	708	82	3	69	35,911	29,414	4	6,493
OH, S	31,801	22,194	61	13	9,533	782	616	56	13	97	31,019	21,578	5	9,436
TN, E	17,059	10,673	97	14	6,275	405	276	83	14	32	16,654	10,397	14	6,243
TN, M	14,088	8,380	148	5	5,555	410	284	105	5	16	13,678	8,096	43	5,539
TN, W	18,287	5,749	60	0	12,478	240	158	50	0	32	18,047	5,591	10	12,446
7TH	156,213	118,613	641	61	36,896	3,985	3,085	576	61	262	152,228	115,528	65	36,634
IL, N	65,214	49,728	363	5	15,117	1,858	1,476	325	5	52	63,356	48,252	38	15,065
IL, C	9,922	7,911	23	6	1,982	219	174	23	6	16	9,703	7,737	0	1,966
IL, S	5,944	3,595	20	3	2,325	137	84	20	3	29	5,807	3,511	0	2,296
IN, N	18,155	14,258	50	4	3,843	302	222	45	4	31	17,853	14,036	5	3,812
IN, S	27,373	19,372	106	4	7,891	565	414	99	4	48	26,808	18,958	7	7,843
WI, E	20,458	15,768	38	9	4,643	528	430	33	9	56	19,930	15,338	5	4,587
WI, W	9,147	7,981	41	30	1,095	376	285	31	30	30	8,771	7,696	10	1,065

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8TH	91,309	68,618	411	86	22,191	2,919	2,237	391	86	202	88,390	66,381	20	21,989
AR, E	9,463	4,823	27	2	4,611	225	170	26	2	27	9,238	4,653	1	4,584
AR, W	6,757	4,120	68	13	2,556	300	194	66	13	27	6,457	3,926	2	2,529
IA, N	3,389	3,202	6	9	172	162	142	4	9	7	3,227	3,060	2	165
IA, S	5,983	5,374	29	1	579	226	192	28	1	5	5,757	5,182	1	574
MN	21,896	18,867	76	10	2,943	756	640	74	10	32	21,140	18,227	2	2,911
MO, E	17,044	12,221	43	8	4,772	348	283	39	8	18	16,696	11,938	4	4,754
MO, W	15,430	11,200	72	15	4,142	408	282	67	15	43	15,022	10,918	5	4,099
NE	7,718	5,572	69	23	2,052	323	203	67	23	28	7,395	5,369	2	2,024
ND	1,626	1,443	11	3	169	78	63	11	3	1	1,548	1,380	0	168
SD	2,003	1,796	10	2	195	93	68	9	2	14	1,910	1,728	1	181
9TH	405,870	311,946	3,552	139	90,223	13,779	10,114	2,553	139	963	392,091	301,832	999	89,260
AK	1,111	929	9	2	171	74	57	9	2	6	1,037	872	0	165
AZ	42,403	35,168	589	7	6,635	1,565	1,045	458	7	51	40,838	34,123	131	6,584
CA, N	38,926	25,353	452	16	13,100	1,510	1,016	256	16	217	37,416	24,337	196	12,883
CA, E	55,023	44,327	221	40	10,435	1,381	1,001	167	40	173	53,642	43,326	54	10,262
CA, C	146,352	110,745	1,141	9	34,457	5,207	4,180	788	9	230	141,145	106,565	353	34,227
CA, S	23,710	18,982	144	4	4,580	639	491	88	4	56	23,071	18,491	56	4,524
HI	3,949	3,041	20	1	887	142	115	14	1	12	3,807	2,926	6	875
ID	8,362	7,290	65	12	994	327	247	56	12	11	8,035	7,043	9	983
MT	3,066	2,576	29	11	450	150	97	26	11	16	2,916	2,479	3	434
NV	29,274	21,945	452	3	6,874	997	642	327	3	25	28,277	21,303	125	6,849
OR	19,911	15,521	75	20	4,295	577	399	74	20	84	19,334	15,122	1	4,211
WA, E	6,968	5,522	44	9	1,393	246	172	42	9	23	6,722	5,350	2	1,370
WA, W	26,629	20,399	311	5	5,914	952	640	248	5	59	25,677	19,759	63	5,855
GUAM	179	142	0	0	37	11	11	0	0	0	168	131	0	37
NMI	7	6	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	5	0	1
10TH	84,946	66,372	464	51	18,059	3,103	2,428	424	51	200	81,843	63,944	40	17,859
CO	32,587	27,079	164	8	5,336	1,280	1,050	150	8	72	31,307	26,029	14	5,264
KS	10,963	7,612	64	21	3,266	307	189	58	21	39	10,656	7,423	6	3,227
NM	6,359	5,819	43	3	494	267	212	39	3	13	6,092	5,607	4	481
OK, N	4,370	3,878	26	2	464	179	147	25	2	5	4,191	3,731	1	459
OK, E	2,266	2,035	7	6	218	66	47	6	6	7	2,200	1,988	1	211
OK, W	7,882	6,113	49	7	1,713	262	195	47	7	13	7,620	5,918	2	1,700
UT	18,965	12,535	92	3	6,335	662	528	83	3	48	18,303	12,007	9	6,287
WY	1,554	1,301	19	1	233	80	60	16	1	3	1,474	1,241	3	230

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11TH	222,993	137,417	1,771	98	83,696	7,912	5,756	1,567	98	480	215,081	131,661	204	83,216
AL, N	19,420	9,621	87	9	9,703	405	300	75	9	21	19,015	9,321	12	9,682
AL, M	8,080	2,342	40	4	5,694	189	121	37	4	27	7,891	2,221	3	5,667
AL, S	6,019	2,100	41	2	3,876	118	74	35	2	7	5,901	2,026	6	3,869
FL, N	5,255	4,625	37	1	592	319	276	35	1	7	4,936	4,349	2	585
FL, M	64,115	47,857	690	23	15,540	2,697	1,944	572	23	153	61,418	45,913	118	15,387
FL, S	41,384	30,145	391	7	10,835	1,661	1,191	367	7	90	39,723	28,954	24	10,745
GA, N	55,815	33,193	321	11	22,290	1,782	1,403	288	11	80	54,033	31,790	33	22,210
GA, M	12,665	5,010	80	31	7,544	452	278	77	31	66	12,213	4,732	3	7,478
GA, S	10,240	2,524	84	10	7,622	289	169	81	10	29	9,951	2,355	3	7,593

NOTE: These figures include the following cases not reflected elsewhere:

CHAPTER 9	CHAPTER 15
NY, E 1	NY, N 1
SC 1	NY, E 2
IL, S 1	NY, S 30
MO, W 1	NY, W 1
NE 2	DE 55
ID 1	TX, N 1
	TX, S 2
	IL, N 1
	AZ 4
	CA, N 5
	FL, M 5
	FL, S 6

¹ Section 101 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code defines consumer (nonbusiness) debt as that incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose. If the debtor is a corporation or partnership, or if debt related to operation of a business predominates, the nature of the debt is business.