

**Table C.
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending
During the 12-Month Periods Ending December 31, 2000 and 2001**

| Circuit | Filings | | | Terminations | | | Pending | | |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2000 | 2001 | Percent Change | 2000 | 2001 | Percent Change | 2000 ¹ | 2001 | Percent Change |
| TOTAL | 257,832 | 259,927 | 0.8 | 252,524 | 248,447 | -1.6 | 254,536 | 266,016 | 4.5 |
| DC | 3,228 | 2,838 | -12.1 | 3,216 | 2,948 | -8.3 | 3,388 | 3,278 | -3.3 |
| 1ST | 6,901 | 6,427 | -6.9 | 7,075 | 6,594 | -6.8 | 7,528 | 7,361 | -2.2 |
| ME | 715 | 587 | -17.9 | 670 | 585 | -12.7 | 440 | 442 | 0.5 |
| MA | 3,204 | 2,887 | -9.9 | 3,080 | 3,175 | 3.1 | 3,825 | 3,537 | -7.5 |
| NH | 647 | 502 | -22.4 | 667 | 568 | -14.9 | 522 | 456 | -12.7 |
| RI | 639 | 649 | 1.6 | 704 | 642 | -8.8 | 580 | 587 | 1.2 |
| PR | 1,696 | 1,802 | 6.3 | 1,954 | 1,624 | -16.9 | 2,161 | 2,339 | 8.2 |
| 2ND | 25,523 | 28,734 | 12.6 | 27,287 | 25,067 | -8.1 | 30,262 | 33,929 | 12.1 |
| CT | 2,649 | 2,582 | -2.5 | 3,019 | 2,762 | -8.5 | 3,274 | 3,094 | -5.5 |
| NY,N | 2,255 | 2,058 | -8.7 | 2,505 | 1,951 | -22.1 | 3,306 | 3,413 | 3.2 |
| NY,E | 7,940 | 8,760 | 10.3 | 8,727 | 7,814 | -10.5 | 9,133 | 10,079 | 10.4 |
| NY,S | 10,416 | 13,330 | 28.0 | 10,719 | 10,605 | -1.1 | 11,882 | 14,607 | 22.9 |
| NY,W | 1,733 | 1,588 | -8.4 | 1,833 | 1,475 | -19.5 | 2,204 | 2,317 | 5.1 |
| VT | 530 | 416 | -21.5 | 484 | 460 | -5.0 | 463 | 419 | -9.5 |
| 3RD | 22,188 | 21,855 | -1.5 | 20,865 | 21,455 | 2.8 | 20,469 | 20,869 | 2.0 |
| DE | 1,163 | 965 | -17.0 | 899 | 955 | 6.2 | 1,412 | 1,422 | 0.7 |
| NJ | 6,507 | 6,382 | -1.9 | 6,589 | 6,141 | -6.8 | 5,501 | 5,742 | 4.4 |
| PA,E | 8,274 | 8,063 | -2.6 | 7,374 | 8,347 | 13.2 | 7,753 | 7,469 | -3.7 |
| PA,M | 2,378 | 2,559 | 7.6 | 2,349 | 2,399 | 2.1 | 1,819 | 1,979 | 8.8 |
| PA,W | 3,412 | 3,435 | 0.7 | 3,183 | 3,162 | -0.7 | 3,192 | 3,465 | 8.6 |
| VI | 454 | 451 | -0.7 | 471 | 451 | -4.3 | 792 | 792 | 0.0 |
| 4TH | 21,137 | 26,511 | 25.4 | 20,903 | 21,505 | 2.9 | 14,190 | 19,196 | 35.3 |
| MD | 3,914 | 4,323 | 10.4 | 4,106 | 3,742 | -8.9 | 2,476 | 3,057 | 23.5 |
| NC,E | 1,523 | 1,487 | -2.4 | 1,454 | 1,512 | 4.0 | 1,138 | 1,113 | -2.2 |
| NC,M | 1,288 | 1,156 | -10.3 | 1,232 | 1,119 | -9.2 | 974 | 1,011 | 3.8 |
| NC,W | 1,130 | 1,171 | 3.6 | 1,100 | 1,151 | 4.6 | 1,035 | 1,055 | 1.9 |
| SC | 4,145 | 4,965 | 19.8 | 4,240 | 4,234 | -0.2 | 3,187 | 3,918 | 22.9 |
| VA,E | 5,392 | 9,298 | 72.4 | 5,011 | 6,106 | 21.9 | 2,469 | 5,661 | 129.3 |
| VA,W | 1,815 | 1,791 | -1.3 | 1,980 | 1,723 | -13.0 | 1,150 | 1,218 | 5.9 |
| WV,N | 683 | 558 | -18.3 | 602 | 606 | 0.7 | 644 | 596 | -7.5 |
| WV,S | 1,247 | 1,762 | 41.3 | 1,178 | 1,312 | 11.4 | 1,117 | 1,567 | 40.3 |

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| | 2000 | 2001 | Percent Change | 2000 | 2001 | Percent Change | 2000 ¹ | 2001 | Percent Change |
| 5TH | 31,180 | 30,566 | -2.0 | 32,725 | 30,489 | -6.8 | 33,579 | 33,656 | 0.2 |
| LA,E | 3,702 | 3,670 | -0.9 | 3,828 | 3,581 | -6.5 | 2,704 | 2,793 | 3.3 |
| LA,M | 1,021 | 1,185 | 16.1 | 1,172 | 1,073 | -8.5 | 8,741 | 8,853 | 1.3 |
| LA,W | 2,911 | 2,840 | -2.4 | 2,659 | 2,627 | -1.2 | 2,367 | 2,580 | 9.0 |
| MS,N | 1,439 | 1,329 | -7.7 | 1,192 | 1,248 | 4.7 | 1,235 | 1,316 | 6.6 |
| MS,S | 2,463 | 2,695 | 9.4 | 2,355 | 2,394 | 1.7 | 2,416 | 2,717 | 12.5 |
| TX,N | 6,266 | 5,457 | -12.9 | 6,178 | 5,368 | -13.1 | 3,998 | 4,087 | 2.2 |
| TX,E | 3,180 | 3,119 | -1.9 | 4,511 | 3,866 | -14.3 | 4,354 | 3,607 | -17.2 |
| TX,S | 6,863 | 7,099 | 3.4 | 7,528 | 7,154 | -5.0 | 5,312 | 5,257 | -1.0 |
| TX,W | 3,335 | 3,172 | -4.9 | 3,302 | 3,178 | -3.8 | 2,452 | 2,446 | -0.3 |
| 6TH | 26,084 | 24,204 | -7.2 | 24,761 | 21,082 | -14.9 | 36,870 | 39,992 | 8.5 |
| KY,E | 2,349 | 2,164 | -7.9 | 2,267 | 2,159 | -4.8 | 1,905 | 1,910 | 0.3 |
| KY,W | 1,670 | 1,459 | -12.6 | 1,670 | 1,385 | -17.1 | 1,362 | 1,436 | 5.4 |
| MI,E | 5,739 | 4,904 | -14.6 | 5,868 | 4,841 | -17.5 | 18,949 | 19,012 | 0.3 |
| MI,W | 1,578 | 1,460 | -7.5 | 1,555 | 1,401 | -9.9 | 1,067 | 1,126 | 5.5 |
| OH,N | 6,594 | 6,457 | -2.1 | 5,085 | 3,798 | -25.3 | 6,057 | 8,716 | 43.9 |
| OH,S | 3,219 | 2,780 | -13.6 | 3,428 | 2,831 | -17.4 | 3,247 | 3,196 | -1.6 |
| TN,E | 1,715 | 1,613 | -6.0 | 1,883 | 1,592 | -15.5 | 1,628 | 1,649 | 1.3 |
| TN,M | 1,606 | 1,899 | 18.2 | 1,442 | 1,594 | 10.5 | 1,586 | 1,891 | 19.2 |
| TN,W | 1,614 | 1,468 | -9.1 | 1,563 | 1,481 | -5.3 | 1,069 | 1,056 | -1.2 |
| 7TH | 19,273 | 21,470 | 11.4 | 18,848 | 19,768 | 4.9 | 15,165 | 16,867 | 11.2 |
| IL,N | 8,882 | 10,565 | 18.9 | 9,121 | 9,964 | 9.2 | 7,189 | 7,790 | 8.4 |
| IL,C | 1,290 | 1,372 | 6.4 | 1,228 | 1,316 | 7.2 | 1,116 | 1,172 | 5.0 |
| IL,S | 1,342 | 2,005 | 49.4 | 1,254 | 1,274 | 1.6 | 1,245 | 1,976 | 58.7 |
| IN,N | 2,210 | 2,205 | -0.2 | 2,073 | 2,255 | 8.8 | 1,626 | 1,576 | -3.1 |
| IN,S | 3,071 | 3,231 | 5.2 | 2,769 | 2,733 | -1.3 | 2,499 | 2,997 | 19.9 |
| WI,E | 1,696 | 1,346 | -20.6 | 1,627 | 1,444 | -11.3 | 1,206 | 1,108 | -8.1 |
| WI,W | 782 | 746 | -4.6 | 776 | 782 | 0.8 | 284 | 248 | -12.7 |
| 8TH | 14,379 | 14,462 | 0.6 | 15,068 | 13,774 | -8.6 | 12,081 | 12,769 | 5.7 |
| AR,E | 2,377 | 2,179 | -8.3 | 2,424 | 2,250 | -7.2 | 2,072 | 2,001 | -3.4 |
| AR,W | 1,198 | 1,347 | 12.4 | 1,078 | 1,077 | -0.1 | 740 | 1,010 | 36.5 |
| IA,N | 695 | 629 | -9.5 | 705 | 606 | -14.1 | 575 | 598 | 4.0 |
| IA,S | 1,055 | 1,033 | -2.1 | 1,056 | 973 | -7.9 | 997 | 1,057 | 6.0 |
| MN | 2,849 | 2,460 | -13.7 | 3,123 | 2,389 | -23.5 | 1,936 | 2,007 | 3.7 |
| MO,E | 2,371 | 2,431 | 2.5 | 2,482 | 2,417 | -2.6 | 2,234 | 2,248 | 0.6 |
| MO,W | 2,004 | 2,577 | 28.6 | 2,250 | 2,408 | 7.0 | 2,055 | 2,224 | 8.2 |
| NE | 1,057 | 1,045 | -1.1 | 1,156 | 949 | -17.9 | 846 | 942 | 11.3 |
| ND | 325 | 311 | -4.3 | 348 | 261 | -25.0 | 229 | 279 | 21.8 |
| SD | 448 | 450 | 0.4 | 446 | 444 | -0.5 | 397 | 403 | 1.5 |

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| 9TH | 44,711 | 41,649 | -6.9 | 39,733 | 43,394 | 9.2 | 44,169 | 42,424 | -4.0 |
| AK | 480 | 449 | -6.5 | 524 | 600 | 14.5 | 658 | 507 | -23.0 |
| AZ | 3,331 | 3,303 | -0.9 | 2,979 | 3,288 | 10.4 | 3,655 | 3,670 | 0.4 |
| CA,N | 6,014 | 6,813 | 13.3 | 5,514 | 5,551 | 0.7 | 5,700 | 6,962 | 22.1 |
| CA,E | 4,858 | 3,915 | -19.4 | 4,302 | 4,232 | -1.6 | 5,177 | 4,860 | -6.1 |
| CA,C | 16,164 | 13,751 | -14.9 | 12,843 | 16,347 | 27.3 | 16,768 | 14,172 | -15.5 |
| CA,S | 2,838 | 2,616 | -7.8 | 2,856 | 2,465 | -13.7 | 1,923 | 2,074 | 7.9 |
| HI | 830 | 859 | 3.5 | 981 | 896 | -8.7 | 1,095 | 1,058 | -3.4 |
| ID | 760 | 666 | -12.4 | 648 | 703 | 8.5 | 799 | 762 | -4.6 |
| MT | 752 | 734 | -2.4 | 694 | 701 | 1.0 | 815 | 848 | 4.0 |
| NV | 2,300 | 2,298 | -0.1 | 2,263 | 2,234 | -1.3 | 2,425 | 2,489 | 2.6 |
| OR | 2,450 | 2,484 | 1.4 | 2,267 | 2,435 | 7.4 | 2,259 | 2,308 | 2.2 |
| WA,E | 766 | 698 | -8.9 | 689 | 721 | 4.6 | 595 | 572 | -3.9 |
| WA,W | 3,060 | 2,934 | -4.1 | 3,077 | 3,098 | 0.7 | 2,139 | 1,975 | -7.7 |
| GUAM | 71 | 76 | 7.0 | 48 | 72 | 50.0 | 121 | 125 | 3.3 |
| NMI | 37 | 53 | 43.2 | 48 | 51 | 6.3 | 40 | 42 | 5.0 |
| 10TH | 12,141 | 11,290 | -7.0 | 11,918 | 11,460 | -3.9 | 10,811 | 10,641 | -1.6 |
| CO | 2,678 | 2,643 | -1.3 | 2,576 | 2,756 | 7.0 | 2,725 | 2,612 | -4.2 |
| KS | 1,856 | 1,802 | -2.9 | 1,733 | 1,809 | 4.4 | 1,740 | 1,733 | -0.4 |
| NM | 1,931 | 1,503 | -22.2 | 1,856 | 1,542 | -16.9 | 1,426 | 1,387 | -2.7 |
| OK,N | 1,143 | 997 | -12.8 | 1,171 | 990 | -15.5 | 1,022 | 1,029 | 0.7 |
| OK,E | 807 | 767 | -5.0 | 687 | 902 | 31.3 | 651 | 516 | -20.7 |
| OK,W | 2,230 | 2,057 | -7.8 | 2,308 | 2,003 | -13.2 | 1,411 | 1,465 | 3.8 |
| UT | 1,182 | 1,207 | 2.1 | 1,157 | 1,143 | -1.2 | 1,483 | 1,547 | 4.3 |
| WY | 314 | 314 | 0.0 | 430 | 315 | -26.8 | 353 | 352 | -0.3 |
| 11TH | 31,087 | 29,921 | -3.8 | 30,125 | 30,911 | 2.6 | 26,024 | 25,034 | -3.8 |
| AL,N | 3,865 | 3,493 | -9.6 | 3,879 | 3,762 | -3.0 | 3,410 | 3,141 | -7.9 |
| AL,M | 1,793 | 1,596 | -11.0 | 1,685 | 1,795 | 6.5 | 1,544 | 1,345 | -12.9 |
| AL,S | 1,169 | 960 | -17.9 | 1,140 | 1,026 | -10.0 | 942 | 876 | -7.0 |
| FL,N | 1,617 | 1,490 | -7.9 | 1,788 | 1,592 | -11.0 | 1,174 | 1,072 | -8.7 |
| FL,M | 6,882 | 6,733 | -2.2 | 7,004 | 7,063 | 0.8 | 5,613 | 5,283 | -5.9 |
| FL,S | 8,574 | 8,716 | 1.7 | 7,383 | 8,406 | 13.9 | 7,125 | 7,435 | 4.4 |
| GA,N | 4,398 | 4,567 | 3.8 | 4,360 | 4,529 | 3.9 | 3,816 | 3,854 | 1.0 |
| GA,M | 1,497 | 1,249 | -16.6 | 1,586 | 1,407 | -11.3 | 1,447 | 1,289 | -10.9 |
| GA,S | 1,292 | 1,117 | -13.6 | 1,300 | 1,331 | 2.4 | 953 | 739 | -22.5 |

NOTE: PENDING CASES EXCLUDE ASBESTOS CASES TRANSFERRED TO PA,E UNDER ORDER 875 OF THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION.

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