

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, 2019**

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 13	Total Other Chapters <sup>1</sup>	Predominant Nature of Debt								
						Business					Nonbusiness			
						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters <sup>1</sup>	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>Total</b>	<b>772,646</b>	<b>474,046</b>	<b>7,023</b>	<b>290,963</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>22,157</b>	<b>13,678</b>	<b>6,005</b>	<b>1,860</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>750,489</b>	<b>460,368</b>	<b>1,018</b>	<b>289,103</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>815</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>272</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>21,682</b>	<b>12,458</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>8,930</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>20,933</b>	<b>12,026</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>8,835</b>
ME	1,438	1,200	17	216	5	73	42	15	11	5	1,365	1,158	2	205
MA	8,415	5,126	91	3,187	11	319	217	54	37	11	8,096	4,909	37	3,150
NH	1,812	1,298	9	502	3	71	52	8	8	3	1,741	1,246	1	494
RI	2,144	1,610	4	530	0	72	63	4	5	0	2,072	1,547	0	525
PR	7,873	3,224	135	4,495	19	214	58	103	34	19	7,659	3,166	32	4,461
<b>2nd</b>	<b>42,057</b>	<b>28,519</b>	<b>1,428</b>	<b>12,027</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>2,559</b>	<b>1,068</b>	<b>1,312</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>39,498</b>	<b>27,451</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>11,931</b>
CT	6,149	4,938	51	1,157	3	213	141	44	25	3	5,936	4,797	7	1,132
NY,N	5,926	4,581	21	1,309	15	120	67	19	19	15	5,806	4,514	2	1,290
NY,E	16,566	9,826	409	6,330	1	895	549	345	0	1	15,671	9,277	64	6,330
NY,S	8,784	5,897	895	1,937	55	1,146	210	854	27	55	7,638	5,687	41	1,910
NY,W	4,100	2,859	48	1,188	5	150	75	46	24	5	3,950	2,784	2	1,164
VT	532	418	4	106	4	35	26	4	1	4	497	392	0	105
<b>3rd</b>	<b>50,638</b>	<b>29,464</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>20,196</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2,043</b>	<b>946</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>48,595</b>	<b>28,518</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>20,006</b>
DE	2,856	1,387	480	980	9	637	142	479	7	9	2,219	1,245	1	973
NJ	26,414	15,821	290	10,302	1	717	409	235	72	1	25,697	15,412	55	10,230
PA,E	8,451	4,083	68	4,298	2	295	183	62	48	2	8,156	3,900	6	4,250
PA,M	5,536	3,467	35	2,031	3	156	86	35	32	3	5,380	3,381	0	1,999
PA,W	7,376	4,702	77	2,584	13	235	124	68	30	13	7,141	4,578	9	2,554
VI	5	4	0	1	0	3	2	0	1	0	2	2	0	0
<b>4th</b>	<b>63,527</b>	<b>34,853</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>28,232</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1,493</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>62,034</b>	<b>33,904</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>28,063</b>
MD	17,252	11,164	106	5,975	7	357	224	84	42	7	16,895	10,940	22	5,933
NC,E	6,064	2,068	85	3,900	11	247	122	73	41	11	5,817	1,946	12	3,859
NC,M	3,678	1,506	19	2,149	4	94	64	19	7	4	3,584	1,442	0	2,142
NC,W	3,853	1,922	30	1,898	3	102	52	24	23	3	3,751	1,870	6	1,875
SC	6,798	2,634	30	4,128	6	154	110	28	10	6	6,644	2,524	2	4,118
VA,E	17,303	9,698	80	7,523	2	332	246	57	27	2	16,971	9,452	23	7,496
VA,W	5,605	3,332	22	2,247	4	112	73	20	15	4	5,493	3,259	2	2,232
WV,N	1,191	972	10	208	1	45	31	10	3	1	1,146	941	0	205
WV,S	1,783	1,557	21	204	1	50	27	21	1	1	1,733	1,530	0	203

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<b>5th</b>	<b>61,126</b>	<b>26,119</b>	<b>963</b>	<b>33,997</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2,890</b>	<b>1,726</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>58,236</b>	<b>24,393</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>33,794</b>
LA,E	3,538	1,497	23	2,017	1	125	91	21	12	1	3,413	1,406	2	2,005
LA,M	1,540	788	4	748	0	34	31	3	0	0	1,506	757	1	748
LA,W	8,270	1,692	45	6,520	13	141	78	41	9	13	8,129	1,614	4	6,511
MS,N	5,369	2,171	11	3,186	1	80	47	11	21	1	5,289	2,124	0	3,165
MS,S	7,480	3,856	27	3,596	1	127	85	25	16	1	7,353	3,771	2	3,580
TX,N	11,481	5,281	351	5,842	7	811	408	342	54	7	10,670	4,873	9	5,788
TX,E	5,303	2,459	61	2,780	3	323	245	56	19	3	4,980	2,214	5	2,761
TX,S	10,000	4,007	339	5,646	8	766	391	321	46	8	9,234	3,616	18	5,600
TX,W	8,145	4,368	102	3,662	13	483	350	94	26	13	7,662	4,018	8	3,636
<b>6th</b>	<b>115,977</b>	<b>73,965</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>41,618</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1,665</b>	<b>1,133</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>114,312</b>	<b>72,832</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>41,444</b>
KY,E	7,531	5,121	20	2,385	5	107	70	20	12	5	7,424	5,051	0	2,373
KY,W	7,487	4,608	25	2,851	3	124	81	24	16	3	7,363	4,527	1	2,835
MI,E	24,119	18,222	131	5,759	7	384	215	124	38	7	23,735	18,007	7	5,721
MI,W	5,654	4,383	12	1,256	3	117	90	11	13	3	5,537	4,293	1	1,243
OH,N	19,802	15,831	33	3,936	2	266	209	31	24	2	19,536	15,622	2	3,912
OH,S	17,115	11,637	15	5,455	8	266	210	13	35	8	16,849	11,427	2	5,420
TN,E	12,125	6,783	25	5,312	5	143	102	22	14	5	11,982	6,681	3	5,298
TN,M	8,598	4,112	75	4,408	3	174	104	57	10	3	8,424	4,008	18	4,398
TN,W	13,546	3,268	20	10,256	2	84	52	18	12	2	13,462	3,216	2	10,244
<b>7th</b>	<b>87,078</b>	<b>54,305</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>32,446</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>1,480</b>	<b>1,042</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>85,598</b>	<b>53,263</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>32,311</b>
IL,N	39,194	21,645	132	17,413	4	703	536	117	46	4	38,491	21,109	15	17,367
IL,C	5,103	4,074	18	1,010	1	118	89	16	12	1	4,985	3,985	2	998
IL,S	3,471	2,304	7	1,153	7	76	50	7	12	7	3,395	2,254	0	1,141
IN,N	8,923	6,088	23	2,809	3	94	58	22	11	3	8,829	6,030	1	2,798
IN,S	14,139	8,840	61	5,228	10	191	115	56	10	10	13,948	8,725	5	5,218
WI,E	11,943	7,876	14	4,042	11	170	128	13	18	11	11,773	7,748	1	4,024
WI,W	4,305	3,478	8	791	28	128	66	8	26	28	4,177	3,412	0	765

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<b>8th</b>	<b>47,905</b>	<b>32,273</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>15,329</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>1,164</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>46,741</b>	<b>31,501</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15,226</b>
AR <sup>2</sup>	10,685	5,182	29	5,460	14	195	125	25	31	14	10,490	5,057	4	5,429
IA,N	1,740	1,550	5	175	10	70	54	5	1	10	1,670	1,496	0	174
IA,S	2,801	2,429	8	360	4	94	80	7	3	4	2,707	2,349	1	357
MN	9,865	7,834	35	1,965	31	313	231	32	19	31	9,552	7,603	3	1,946
MO,E	9,773	6,230	40	3,500	3	157	103	37	14	3	9,616	6,127	3	3,486
MO,W	7,166	4,676	24	2,458	8	126	79	22	17	8	7,040	4,597	2	2,441
NE	4,084	2,811	45	1,207	21	124	54	44	5	21	3,960	2,757	1	1,202
ND	776	676	1	89	10	38	23	1	4	10	738	653	0	85
SD	1,015	885	5	115	10	47	23	5	9	10	968	862	0	106
<b>9th</b>	<b>123,750</b>	<b>94,056</b>	<b>1,144</b>	<b>28,507</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>4,232</b>	<b>3,022</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>119,518</b>	<b>91,034</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>28,097</b>
AK	450	348	3	99	0	28	22	3	3	0	422	326	0	96
AZ	16,662	13,382	165	3,113	2	435	291	119	23	2	16,227	13,091	46	3,090
CA,N	8,490	4,736	141	3,609	4	446	293	76	73	4	8,044	4,443	65	3,536
CA,E	14,972	11,436	60	3,463	13	438	302	51	72	13	14,534	11,134	9	3,391
CA,C	37,193	28,674	431	8,086	2	1,506	1,149	263	92	2	35,687	27,525	168	7,994
CA,S	7,874	6,361	40	1,473	0	293	211	25	57	0	7,581	6,150	15	1,416
HI	1,598	1,088	6	504	0	63	50	6	7	0	1,535	1,038	0	497
ID	3,733	3,319	26	380	8	99	68	20	3	8	3,634	3,251	6	377
MT	1,285	1,063	3	211	8	38	21	3	6	8	1,247	1,042	0	205
NV	9,581	7,549	163	1,869	0	329	216	104	9	0	9,252	7,333	59	1,860
OR	8,800	6,633	27	2,139	1	204	148	24	31	1	8,596	6,485	3	2,108
WA,E	3,561	2,719	18	819	5	78	51	16	6	5	3,483	2,668	2	813
WA,W	9,401	6,627	60	2,714	0	271	198	46	27	0	9,130	6,429	14	2,687
GUAM	148	119	1	28	0	4	2	1	1	0	144	117	0	27
NMI	2	2	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	2	2	0	0
<b>10th</b>	<b>41,505</b>	<b>29,630</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>11,614</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1,096</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>40,409</b>	<b>28,855</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>11,535</b>
CO	11,312	8,793	76	2,440	3	371	276	68	24	3	10,941	8,517	8	2,416
KS	6,805	3,653	35	3,080	37	207	115	32	23	37	6,598	3,538	3	3,057
NM	3,208	2,809	26	373	0	90	62	24	4	0	3,118	2,747	2	369
OK,N	2,612	2,294	11	303	4	63	46	10	3	4	2,549	2,248	1	300
OK,E	1,470	1,316	3	149	2	36	31	2	1	2	1,434	1,285	1	148
OK,W	5,466	4,216	8	1,238	4	129	112	5	8	4	5,337	4,104	3	1,230
UT	9,660	5,697	29	3,928	6	151	102	28	15	6	9,509	5,595	1	3,913
WY	972	852	16	103	1	49	31	16	1	1	923	821	0	102

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<b>11th</b>	<b>116,586</b>	<b>57,895</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>57,789</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>2,746</b>	<b>1,793</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>113,840</b>	<b>56,102</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>57,589</b>
AL,N	13,529	6,208	42	7,274	5	157	101	40	11	5	13,372	6,107	2	7,263
AL,M	7,879	1,759	9	6,111	0	42	34	6	2	0	7,837	1,725	3	6,109
AL,S	5,185	1,410	15	3,758	2	44	26	10	6	2	5,141	1,384	5	3,752
FL,N	2,551	2,017	32	500	2	108	74	29	3	2	2,443	1,943	3	497
FL,M	25,073	17,920	273	6,873	7	954	675	200	72	7	24,119	17,245	73	6,801
FL,S	17,314	9,472	277	7,545	20	643	353	227	43	20	16,671	9,119	50	7,502
GA,N	30,234	15,130	145	14,951	8	564	401	134	21	8	29,670	14,729	11	14,930
GA,M	8,322	2,678	30	5,593	21	165	82	29	33	21	8,157	2,596	1	5,560
GA,S	6,499	1,301	13	5,184	1	69	47	12	9	1	6,430	1,254	1	5,175

NOTE: The nature of debt is business if the debtor is a corporation or partnership, or if debt related to the operation of a business predominates. Nonbusiness debt includes consumer debt, as defined in Section 101 of the U.S. Bankruptcy code, or other debt that the debtor indicates is not consumer debt or business debt. Because the bankruptcy database is continually updated, the numbers in this table may not match those in previously published tables. The United States territorial courts assume the jurisdiction of United States bankruptcy courts within their respective territories, which do not have separate bankruptcy courts.

<sup>1</sup> Other Chapters includes cases filed under chapters 9 (3), 12 (513) and 15 (98) as well as Section 304 (0).

<sup>2</sup> The United States Bankruptcy Court for Arkansas (AR) includes both the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas.

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**During the 12-Month Period Ending March 31, 2019**

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 9	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 15 <sup>1</sup>	All Other Chapters
<b>Total</b>	<b>772,646</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>772,032</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>815</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>815</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>21,682</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21,644</b>
ME	1,438	0	5	0	1,433
MA	8,415	0	11	0	8,404
NH	1,812	0	3	0	1,809
RI	2,144	0	0	0	2,144
PR	7,873	0	19	0	7,854
<b>2nd</b>	<b>42,057</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>41,974</b>
CT	6,149	0	3	0	6,146
NY,N	5,926	0	15	0	5,911
NY,E	16,566	0	0	1	16,565
NY,S	8,784	0	4	51	8,729
NY,W	4,100	0	5	0	4,095
VT	532	0	4	0	528
<b>3rd</b>	<b>50,638</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>50,610</b>
DE	2,856	0	0	9	2,847
NJ	26,414	0	0	1	26,413
PA,E	8,451	0	2	0	8,449
PA,M	5,536	0	3	0	5,533
PA,W	7,376	0	12	1	7,363
VI	5	0	0	0	5
<b>4th</b>	<b>63,527</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>63,488</b>
MD	17,252	0	7	0	17,245
NC,E	6,064	0	10	1	6,053
NC,M	3,678	0	4	0	3,674
NC,W	3,853	0	2	1	3,850
SC	6,798	0	6	0	6,792
VA,E	17,303	0	2	0	17,301
VA,W	5,605	0	4	0	5,601
WV,N	1,191	0	1	0	1,190
WV,S	1,783	0	1	0	1,782

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<b>5th</b>	<b>61,126</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>61,079</b>
LA,E	3,538	0	0	1	3,537
LA,M	1,540	0	0	0	1,540
LA,W	8,270	0	13	0	8,257
MS,N	5,369	0	1	0	5,368
MS,S	7,480	0	1	0	7,479
TX,N	11,481	0	7	0	11,474
TX,E	5,303	0	3	0	5,300
TX,S	10,000	0	8	0	9,992
TX,W	8,145	0	7	6	8,132
<b>6th</b>	<b>115,977</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>115,939</b>
KY,E	7,531	0	5	0	7,526
KY,W	7,487	0	3	0	7,484
MI,E	24,119	0	7	0	24,112
MI,W	5,654	0	3	0	5,651
OH,N	19,802	0	2	0	19,800
OH,S	17,115	0	8	0	17,107
TN,E	12,125	0	5	0	12,120
TN,M	8,598	0	3	0	8,595
TN,W	13,546	0	2	0	13,544
<b>7th</b>	<b>87,078</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>87,014</b>
IL,N	39,194	0	4	0	39,190
IL,C	5,103	0	1	0	5,102
IL,S	3,471	0	7	0	3,464
IN,N	8,923	0	3	0	8,920
IN,S	14,139	0	10	0	14,129
WI,E	11,943	0	11	0	11,932
WI,W	4,305	0	28	0	4,277

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<b>8th</b>	<b>47,905</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>47,794</b>
AR <sup>2</sup>	10,685	0	14	0	10,671
IA,N	1,740	0	10	0	1,730
IA,S	2,801	0	4	0	2,797
MN	9,865	0	31	0	9,834
MO,E	9,773	0	3	0	9,770
MO,W	7,166	0	8	0	7,158
NE	4,084	1	20	0	4,063
ND	776	0	10	0	766
SD	1,015	0	10	0	1,005
<b>9th</b>	<b>123,750</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>123,707</b>
AK	450	0	0	0	450
AZ	16,662	0	2	0	16,660
CA,N	8,490	0	4	0	8,486
CA,E	14,972	1	12	0	14,959
CA,C	37,193	0	2	0	37,191
CA,S	7,874	0	0	0	7,874
HI	1,598	0	0	0	1,598
ID	3,733	0	8	0	3,725
MT	1,285	0	7	1	1,277
NV	9,581	0	0	0	9,581
OR	8,800	0	1	0	8,799
WA,E	3,561	0	5	0	3,556
WA,W	9,401	0	0	0	9,401
GUAM	148	0	0	0	148
NMI	2	0	0	0	2
<b>10th</b>	<b>41,505</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>41,448</b>
CO	11,312	1	2	0	11,309
KS	6,805	0	37	0	6,768
NM	3,208	0	0	0	3,208
OK,N	2,612	0	4	0	2,608
OK,E	1,470	0	2	0	1,468
OK,W	5,466	0	4	0	5,462
UT	9,660	0	6	0	9,654
WY	972	0	1	0	971

**Table F-2. (March 31, 2019—Continued)**

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 9	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 15 <sup>1</sup>	All Other Chapters
<b>11th</b>	<b>116,586</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>116,520</b>
AL,N	13,529	0	5	0	13,524
AL,M	7,879	0	0	0	7,879
AL,S	5,185	0	2	0	5,183
FL,N	2,551	0	1	1	2,549
FL,M	25,073	0	3	4	25,066
FL,S	17,314	0	0	20	17,294
GA,N	30,234	0	8	0	30,226
GA,M	8,322	0	21	0	8,301
GA,S	6,499	0	1	0	6,498

<sup>1</sup> Total Chapter 15 column includes cases filed under chapter 15 (98) as well as Section 304 (0).

<sup>2</sup> The United States Bankruptcy Court for Arkansas (AR) includes both the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas.