

Table C-6.
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Pending, by District and Length of Time Pending,
as of September 30, 2019

Circuit and District	Total	Length of Time Pending				
		Less Than 1 Year	1 to 2 Years	2 to 3 Years	3 Years or More	
					Number	Percent ¹
Total	357,566	190,576	76,355	34,279	56,356	15.8
DC	4,045	2,131	882	373	659	16.3
1st	9,143	4,861	2,455	1,011	816	8.9
ME	452	353	64	17	18	4.0
MA	3,902	1,871	1,022	500	509	13.0
NH	2,133	1,191	772	127	43	2.0
RI	765	447	183	59	76	9.9
PR	1,891	999	414	308	170	9.0
2nd	31,160	17,291	5,889	2,684	5,296	17.0
CT	2,227	1,410	507	213	97	4.4
NY,N	1,827	1,107	360	189	171	9.4
NY,E	9,212	4,905	1,753	908	1,646	17.9
NY,S	13,910	7,529	2,428	1,049	2,904	20.9
NY,W	3,671	2,156	772	303	440	12.0
VT	313	184	69	22	38	12.1
3rd	50,300	28,950	14,320	4,054	2,976	5.9
DE	2,378	1,472	435	241	230	9.7
NJ	35,930	20,225	11,900	3,069	736	2.0
PA,E	6,895	4,207	879	297	1,512	21.9
PA,M	2,657	1,514	642	237	264	9.9
PA,W	1,973	1,385	373	153	62	3.1
VI	467	147	91	57	172	36.8

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4th	21,358	11,593	3,312	1,357	5,096	23.9
MD	4,413	2,603	943	430	437	9.9
NC,E	1,924	1,164	360	141	259	13.5
NC,M	1,203	741	213	108	141	11.7
NC,W	1,151	761	215	66	109	9.5
SC	3,633	2,452	585	145	451	12.4
VA,E	2,308	1,793	336	95	84	3.6
VA,W	1,131	842	221	38	30	2.7
WV,N	806	536	204	44	22	2.7
WV,S ²	4,789	701	235	290	3,563	74.4
5th	78,761	28,882	16,678	10,398	22,803	29.0
LA,E	46,293	13,832	11,136	8,317	13,008	28.1
LA,M	1,781	595	1,016	123	47	2.6
LA,W	1,789	1,056	478	137	118	6.6
MS,N	680	492	139	35	14	2.1
MS,S	1,981	1,471	342	115	53	2.7
TX,N	14,151	3,021	1,381	904	8,845	62.5
TX,E	3,194	1,937	680	330	247	7.7
TX,S	5,796	4,191	1,013	266	326	5.6
TX,W	3,096	2,287	493	171	145	4.7

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Circuit and District	Total	Length of Time Pending				
		Less Than 1 Year	1 to 2 Years	2 to 3 Years	3 Years or More	
					Number	Percent ¹
6th	25,213	15,880	5,311	1,691	2,331	9.2
KY,E	1,391	801	385	81	124	8.9
KY,W	1,496	959	300	119	118	7.9
MI,E	3,885	2,345	770	421	349	9.0
MI,W	1,306	801	365	101	39	3.0
OH,N	5,874	2,904	1,768	214	988	16.8
OH,S	7,136	5,601	762	347	426	6.0
TN,E	1,304	805	341	98	60	4.6
TN,M	1,353	853	314	135	51	3.8
TN,W	1,468	811	306	175	176	12.0
7th	32,454	15,068	6,373	4,061	6,952	21.4
IL,N	14,224	5,202	2,097	1,521	5,404	38.0
IL,C	1,512	883	380	168	81	5.4
IL,S	2,107	976	628	219	284	13.5
IN,N	2,420	1,588	503	168	161	6.7
IN,S	9,284	4,507	2,134	1,760	883	9.5
WI,E	1,753	1,187	339	123	104	5.9
WI,W	1,154	725	292	102	35	3.0

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					Number	Percent ¹
8th	11,655	6,973	1,980	812	1,890	16.2
AR,E	1,539	1,139	284	85	31	2.0
AR,W	655	532	96	11	16	2.4
IA,N	427	303	107	14	3	0.7
IA,S	429	310	83	17	19	4.4
MN	3,683	1,432	452	297	1,502	40.8
MO,E	2,067	1,358	450	204	55	2.7
MO,W	1,423	1,030	203	71	119	8.4
NE	661	442	151	34	34	5.1
ND	361	206	68	32	55	15.2
SD	410	221	86	47	56	13.7

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9th	53,106	31,412	10,644	5,455	5,595	10.5
AK	375	230	66	29	50	13.3
AZ	11,153	6,190	2,322	1,742	899	8.1
CA,N	10,080	5,370	1,968	1,226	1,516	15.0
CA,E	5,433	3,013	1,192	489	739	13.6
CA,C	11,259	7,814	2,343	498	604	5.4
CA,S	2,711	1,342	455	275	639	23.6
HI	587	414	104	33	36	6.1
ID	645	385	147	46	67	10.4
MT	612	359	144	49	60	9.8
NV	4,150	2,060	797	650	643	15.5
OR	2,454	1,499	576	183	196	8.0
WA,E	849	686	95	22	46	5.4
WA,W	2,463	1,892	387	116	68	2.8
GUAM	301	144	43	97	17	5.6
NMI	34	14	5	0	15	44.1
10th	9,633	6,462	1,881	681	609	6.3
CO	2,848	2,068	530	156	94	3.3
KS	1,446	931	296	126	93	6.4
NM	1,332	868	278	90	96	7.2
OK,N	741	494	160	50	37	5.0
OK,E	427	312	71	28	16	3.7
OK,W	1,015	750	166	46	53	5.2
UT	1,589	870	350	167	202	12.7
WY	235	169	30	18	18	7.7

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		Less Than 1 Year	1 to 2 Years	2 to 3 Years	3 Years or More	
					Number	Percent ¹
11th	30,738	21,073	6,630	1,702	1,333	4.3
AL,N	2,490	1,453	493	173	371	14.9
AL,M	1,180	650	256	104	170	14.4
AL,S	864	679	111	54	20	2.3
FL,N	6,612	4,311	1,837	416	48	0.7
FL,M	6,471	4,660	1,060	389	362	5.6
FL,S	4,820	4,047	551	114	108	2.2
GA,N	6,261	3,876	1,918	337	130	2.1
GA,M	1,040	747	197	55	41	3.9
GA,S	1,000	650	207	60	83	8.3

NOTE: Includes cases filed in previous years as consolidated cases that thereafter were severed into individual cases. The number of pending cases in this report includes cases that have been transferred under a Multidistrict Litigation (MDL) order. Large numbers of civil cases may be temporarily assigned by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation to a district judge for pretrial management. As MDL cases vary greatly among districts, it is advisable to check with the relevant district court before drawing statistical conclusions about the number of pending cases for that district.

¹ Percent not computed when fewer than 10 cases reported.

² The higher number of pending cases reported for the Southern District of West Virginia is the result of reconciliation efforts conducted for pretrial management for the three-month period ending June 30, 2018.