

**Table C-1.
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending
During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2009**

Circuit and District	Total Civil Cases				U.S. Civil Cases				Private Civil Cases			
	Pending Dec. 31, 2009	Commenced	Terminated	Pending Dec. 31, 2009	Pending Dec. 31, 2008	Commenced	Terminated	Pending Dec. 31, 2009	Pending Dec. 31, 2008	Commenced	Terminated	Pending Dec. 31, 2009
TOTAL	305,809	278,884	277,292	307,401	37,787	43,027	41,967	38,847	268,022	235,857	235,325	268,554
DC	2,806	2,567	2,509	2,864	1,507	1,395	1,385	1,517	1,299	1,172	1,124	1,347
1ST	7,117	6,181	6,083	7,215	1,246	1,443	1,498	1,191	5,871	4,738	4,585	6,024
ME	298	655	558	395	89	290	209	170	209	365	349	225
MA	2,930	2,818	2,870	2,878	599	631	683	547	2,331	2,187	2,187	2,331
NH	440	423	504	359	103	112	145	70	337	311	359	289
RI	1,766	1,034	671	2,129	127	128	152	103	1,639	906	519	2,026
PR	1,683	1,251	1,480	1,454	328	282	309	301	1,355	969	1,171	1,153
2ND	37,364	23,079	22,984	37,459	3,199	3,295	3,211	3,283	34,165	19,784	19,773	34,176
CT	2,297	2,239	2,215	2,321	280	448	381	347	2,017	1,791	1,834	1,974
NY,N	2,095	1,510	1,543	2,062	477	303	368	412	1,618	1,207	1,175	1,650
NY,E	7,179	5,909	5,459	7,629	1,036	968	937	1,067	6,143	4,941	4,522	6,562
NY,S	22,862	11,275	11,632	22,505	890	1,030	1,014	906	21,972	10,245	10,618	21,599
NY,W	2,648	1,841	1,851	2,638	445	460	423	482	2,203	1,381	1,428	2,156
VT	283	305	284	304	71	86	88	69	212	219	196	235
3RD	71,920	62,892	64,123	70,689	2,364	3,324	3,205	2,483	69,556	59,568	60,918	68,206
DE	1,376	1,053	1,054	1,375	101	102	74	129	1,275	951	980	1,246
NJ	5,713	6,992	6,732	5,973	687	1,104	1,023	768	5,026	5,888	5,709	5,205
PA,E	59,927	49,381	50,926	58,382	581	737	729	589	59,346	48,644	50,197	57,793
PA,M	1,980	2,691	2,465	2,206	378	798	733	443	1,602	1,893	1,732	1,763
PA,W	2,072	2,496	2,464	2,104	452	540	548	444	1,620	1,956	1,916	1,660
VI	852	279	482	649	165	43	98	110	687	236	384	539
4TH	13,602	17,192	16,413	14,381	3,446	3,753	3,685	3,514	10,156	13,439	12,728	10,867
MD	3,073	3,541	3,435	3,179	724	871	829	766	2,349	2,670	2,606	2,413
NC,E	1,466	1,410	1,239	1,637	592	489	501	580	874	921	738	1,057
NC,M	813	1,030	950	893	285	243	274	254	528	787	676	639
NC,W	861	1,141	1,143	859	216	263	195	284	645	878	948	575
SC	3,425	3,539	3,695	3,269	502	503	484	521	2,923	3,036	3,211	2,748
VA,E	1,571	3,258	3,133	1,696	294	536	469	361	1,277	2,722	2,664	1,335
VA,W	579	1,094	1,012	661	257	362	354	265	322	732	658	396
WV,N	617	577	681	513	201	158	228	131	416	419	453	382
WV,S	1,197	1,602	1,125	1,674	375	328	351	352	822	1,274	774	1,322

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5TH	33,695	30,708	30,488	33,915	4,522	5,596	4,651	5,467	29,173	25,112	25,837	28,448
LA,E	13,990	7,907	7,724	14,173	458	1,327	341	1,444	13,532	6,580	7,383	12,729
LA,M	871	1,149	984	1,036	80	148	152	76	791	1,001	832	960
LA,W	2,204	2,272	2,175	2,301	421	521	515	427	1,783	1,751	1,660	1,874
MS,N	1,017	858	925	950	143	116	133	126	874	742	792	824
MS,S	3,112	2,403	3,291	2,224	317	269	285	301	2,795	2,134	3,006	1,923
TX,N	3,082	4,319	3,958	3,443	635	838	744	729	2,447	3,481	3,214	2,714
TX,E	2,810	3,043	2,959	2,894	585	491	440	636	2,225	2,552	2,519	2,258
TX,S	4,195	5,793	5,440	4,548	1,139	1,089	1,181	1,047	3,056	4,704	4,259	3,501
TX,W	2,414	2,964	3,032	2,346	744	797	860	681	1,670	2,167	2,172	1,665
6TH	22,687	20,156	20,197	22,646	3,804	3,974	4,123	3,655	18,883	16,182	16,074	18,991
KY,E	1,494	1,461	1,552	1,403	627	615	727	515	867	846	825	888
KY,W	1,240	1,608	1,223	1,625	226	231	258	199	1,014	1,377	965	1,426
MI,E	4,929	5,009	5,065	4,873	640	1,014	980	674	4,289	3,995	4,085	4,199
MI,W	1,471	1,506	1,588	1,389	217	242	224	235	1,254	1,264	1,364	1,154
OH,N	6,100	3,773	4,279	5,594	464	616	584	496	5,636	3,157	3,695	5,098
OH,S	2,821	2,710	2,581	2,950	648	557	580	625	2,173	2,153	2,001	2,325
TN,E	1,473	1,398	1,217	1,654	383	281	281	383	1,090	1,117	936	1,271
TN,M	1,681	1,496	1,451	1,726	303	213	280	236	1,378	1,283	1,171	1,490
TN,W	1,478	1,195	1,241	1,432	296	205	209	292	1,182	990	1,032	1,140
7TH	14,862	17,191	16,114	15,939	1,876	2,284	2,222	1,938	12,986	14,907	13,892	14,001
IL,N	7,543	8,456	7,834	8,165	708	848	824	732	6,835	7,608	7,010	7,433
IL,C	1,132	1,208	1,124	1,216	199	213	204	208	933	995	920	1,008
IL,S	1,012	1,509	1,109	1,412	198	189	186	201	814	1,320	923	1,211
IN,N	1,485	1,518	1,470	1,533	197	282	277	202	1,288	1,236	1,193	1,331
IN,S	2,251	2,421	2,616	2,056	364	379	386	357	1,887	2,042	2,230	1,699
WI,E	1,065	1,254	1,191	1,128	144	202	176	170	921	1,052	1,015	958
WI,W	374	825	770	429	66	171	169	68	308	654	601	361
8TH	20,683	13,872	15,409	19,146	2,544	2,903	2,910	2,537	18,139	10,969	12,499	16,609
AR,E	8,101	1,921	2,057	7,965	314	342	370	286	7,787	1,579	1,687	7,679
AR,W	840	879	804	915	314	323	299	338	526	556	505	577
IA,N	476	544	551	469	214	232	248	198	262	312	303	271
IA,S	700	804	763	741	195	241	232	204	505	563	531	537
MN	5,664	3,828	5,671	3,821	271	333	358	246	5,393	3,495	5,313	3,575
MO,E	2,162	2,413	2,208	2,367	462	467	464	465	1,700	1,946	1,744	1,902
MO,W	1,550	2,187	2,078	1,659	474	648	598	524	1,076	1,539	1,480	1,135
NE	594	736	729	601	141	193	196	138	453	543	533	463
ND	189	211	200	200	40	46	42	44	149	165	158	156
SD	407	349	348	408	119	78	103	94	288	271	245	314

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9TH	39,745	44,289	43,178	40,856	6,795	7,771	7,663	6,903	32,950	36,518	35,515	33,953
AK	369	365	359	375	156	124	138	142	213	241	221	233
AZ	2,895	3,677	3,556	3,016	592	764	783	573	2,303	2,913	2,773	2,443
CA,N	7,720	6,296	6,924	7,092	611	617	603	625	7,109	5,679	6,321	6,467
CA,E	6,733	5,789	5,476	7,046	896	901	774	1,023	5,837	4,888	4,702	6,023
CA,C	10,200	13,703	13,450	10,453	2,027	2,616	2,666	1,977	8,173	11,087	10,784	8,476
CA,S	2,171	3,294	2,973	2,492	424	494	520	398	1,747	2,800	2,453	2,094
HI	543	628	624	547	104	100	99	105	439	528	525	442
ID	603	717	569	751	133	135	118	150	470	582	451	601
MT	502	627	604	525	144	195	191	148	358	432	413	377
NV	2,916	3,362	3,033	3,245	316	248	241	323	2,600	3,114	2,792	2,922
OR	2,394	2,240	2,198	2,436	711	599	635	675	1,683	1,641	1,563	1,761
WA,E	546	695	632	609	203	308	258	253	343	387	374	356
WA,W	2,054	2,818	2,718	2,154	448	652	623	477	1,606	2,166	2,095	1,677
GUAM	36	31	21	46	13	11	6	18	23	20	15	28
NMI	63	47	41	69	17	7	8	16	46	40	33	53
10TH	9,170	10,400	10,023	9,547	2,150	2,455	2,354	2,251	7,020	7,945	7,669	7,296
CO	2,270	3,141	3,084	2,327	530	650	667	513	1,740	2,491	2,417	1,814
KS	1,478	1,562	1,525	1,515	382	490	450	422	1,096	1,072	1,075	1,093
NM	1,398	1,259	1,328	1,329	294	260	289	265	1,104	999	1,039	1,064
OK,N	815	838	760	893	200	229	167	262	615	609	593	631
OK,E	423	518	474	467	188	194	179	203	235	324	295	264
OK,W	1,129	1,464	1,447	1,146	212	312	284	240	917	1,152	1,163	906
UT	1,343	1,317	1,097	1,563	236	242	229	249	1,107	1,075	868	1,314
WY	314	301	308	307	108	78	89	97	206	223	219	210
11TH	32,158	30,357	29,771	32,744	4,334	4,834	5,060	4,108	27,824	25,523	24,711	28,636
AL,N	3,277	2,689	2,673	3,293	451	491	459	483	2,826	2,198	2,214	2,810
AL,M	934	1,213	1,147	1,000	218	204	196	226	716	1,009	951	774
AL,S	642	857	833	666	152	190	176	166	490	667	657	500
FL,N	1,436	1,747	1,671	1,512	385	377	376	386	1,051	1,370	1,295	1,126
FL,M	16,460	8,038	7,948	16,550	1,391	1,424	1,558	1,257	15,069	6,614	6,390	15,293
FL,S	4,526	9,213	9,258	4,481	912	1,134	1,286	760	3,614	8,079	7,972	3,721
GA,N	3,097	4,538	4,189	3,446	445	661	611	495	2,652	3,877	3,578	2,951
GA,M	1,063	1,159	1,128	1,094	231	208	225	214	832	951	903	880
GA,S	723	903	924	702	149	145	173	121	574	758	751	581

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