

Table C-3B.

U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Terminated, by Nature of Suit and District, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2008

Circuit and District	Total Civil Cases	U.S. Cases														
		Total U.S. Civil	Contract	Real Property	Tort Actions	Civil Rights	Motions to Vacate Sentence	Habeas Corpus General	Death Penalty	Prisoner Petitions Civil Rights	Prison Condition	Mandamus and Other	Forfeitures and Penalties	Labor Suits	Social Security	All Other
TOTAL	234,571	45,190	3,517	1,713	1,933	2,524	6,076	3,148	6	994	284	720	2,218	399	13,128	8,530
DC	2,367	1,321	55	1	43	275	38	143	-	215	8	19	22	8	21	473
1ST	5,794	1,453	53	143	72	77	184	94	-	19	3	10	84	24	290	400
ME	421	100	2	1	6	3	18	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	49	13
MA	2,985	678	29	2	27	26	43	86	-	15	3	10	19	6	96	316
NH	464	116	9	-	8	6	17	2	-	1	-	-	12	5	32	24
RI	463	115	3	-	6	4	19	2	-	1	-	-	7	8	52	13
PR	1,461	444	10	140	25	38	87	4	-	2	-	-	39	4	61	34
2ND	22,777	3,407	163	71	186	208	339	166	1	33	16	92	230	55	1,016	831
CT	2,184	377	34	1	21	42	28	26	-	2	-	14	32	12	44	121
NY,N	1,728	442	8	2	29	21	33	3	-	-	-	-	46	4	282	14
NY,E	6,450	1,054	75	15	71	68	66	50	-	13	-	28	39	22	215	392
NY,S	10,673	1,060	28	8	50	65	185	57	1	14	12	50	50	14	258	268
NY,W	1,464	404	16	34	12	7	24	28	-	2	4	-	54	-	194	29
VT	278	70	2	11	3	5	3	2	-	2	-	-	9	3	23	7
3RD	20,925	3,317	120	209	166	202	287	490	1	154	10	115	126	31	869	537
DE	1,022	84	3	1	5	4	12	-	-	-	-	4	9	-	29	17
NJ	6,416	986	24	4	68	70	78	172	-	32	-	59	37	16	202	224
PA,E	8,072	885	27	22	44	69	106	80	-	1	-	43	9	9	281	194
PA,M	2,386	673	13	65	15	19	50	210	1	106	4	5	13	2	122	48
PA,W	2,598	609	43	105	19	30	35	22	-	14	6	1	56	3	235	40
VI	431	80	10	12	15	10	6	6	-	1	-	3	2	1	-	14
4TH	17,133	4,080	155	159	164	187	896	310	-	98	22	96	289	14	1,194	496
MD	3,392	827	46	7	54	74	91	6	-	6	-	51	96	5	208	183
NC,E	1,224	495	26	6	14	10	66	60	-	12	1	32	55	1	180	32
NC,M	1,030	304	14	-	5	14	142	2	-	2	-	1	34	1	76	13
NC,W	1,097	258	22	4	6	10	107	2	-	-	-	-	25	1	63	18
SC	4,119	645	23	139	20	16	162	34	-	17	10	2	22	1	168	31
VA,E	3,213	569	5	2	38	49	118	39	-	18	9	5	26	3	75	182
VA,W	1,197	430	6	-	9	6	86	62	-	16	-	-	11	-	218	16
WV,N	885	294	4	-	4	6	73	93	-	19	2	5	8	-	72	8
WV,S	976	258	9	1	14	2	51	12	-	8	-	-	12	2	134	13

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										Habeas Corpus General	Death Penalty	Conditions and Civil Rights	Mandamus and Other			
TOTAL	189,381	31,435	3,414	557	1,552	3,780	27,151	3,356	29,876	18,321	230	23,847	698	10,062	15,880	19,222
DC	1,046	135	18	1	-	17	152	23	270	22	-	67	2	46	113	180
1ST	4,341	815	82	24	58	67	551	138	849	216	1	265	20	338	385	532
ME	321	66	7	-	7	5	32	13	78	9	-	25	-	24	21	34
MA	2,307	457	24	23	43	27	240	98	355	142	1	113	16	216	224	328
NH	348	59	3	-	-	3	37	5	64	39	-	56	3	34	18	27
RI	348	82	13	-	3	5	36	13	69	16	-	14	-	25	25	47
PR	1,017	151	35	1	5	27	206	9	283	10	-	57	1	39	97	96
2ND	19,370	3,479	87	110	135	439	3,244	326	3,445	1,057	-	1,480	42	1,236	1,857	2,433
CT	1,807	287	19	21	9	38	140	41	510	56	-	140	-	96	120	330
NY,N	1,286	107	6	10	4	24	96	23	243	253	-	319	-	51	62	88
NY,E	5,396	466	31	18	34	184	1,678	61	1,010	235	-	158	8	251	689	573
NY,S	9,613	2,503	25	59	88	149	1,212	191	1,423	381	-	620	32	757	890	1,283
NY,W	1,060	78	4	1	-	32	88	6	222	112	-	220	2	70	82	143
VT	208	38	2	1	-	12	30	4	37	20	-	23	-	11	14	16
3RD	17,608	2,393	284	117	60	486	3,341	317	3,192	1,106	14	1,857	30	921	1,351	2,139
DE	938	90	2	1	2	17	12	7	134	83	-	171	-	180	24	215
NJ	5,430	921	36	10	37	175	660	115	929	180	1	551	10	401	702	702
PA,E	7,187	823	42	87	13	190	2,360	144	1,242	432	7	493	6	246	331	771
PA,M	1,713	240	131	5	-	73	93	24	342	200	2	321	5	35	86	156
PA,W	1,989	263	22	14	5	21	107	23	512	201	4	317	5	56	202	237
VI	351	56	51	-	3	10	109	4	33	10	-	4	4	3	6	58
4TH	13,053	1,826	198	4	46	407	1,675	265	1,664	1,284	10	3,145	159	589	901	880
MD	2,565	369	57	-	9	121	280	67	383	94	-	516	114	92	221	242
NC,E	729	128	9	-	14	6	61	14	134	71	3	121	1	71	41	55
NC,M	726	87	7	-	-	6	105	10	121	133	1	130	2	63	21	40
NC,W	839	163	10	-	1	13	199	11	126	47	2	61	-	80	41	85
SC	3,474	386	25	-	9	122	316	64	361	370	1	1,337	16	105	279	83
VA,E	2,644	408	21	3	7	55	379	58	318	325	3	457	19	144	178	269
VA,W	767	71	33	-	-	25	49	18	81	86	-	301	2	18	43	40
WV,N	591	98	19	-	1	22	62	8	63	87	-	164	4	8	25	30
WV,S	718	116	17	1	5	37	224	15	77	71	-	58	1	8	52	36

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5TH	34,371	5,237	1,169	84	237	231	902	561	1	145	7	37	211	29	925	698
LA,E	9,221	380	134	9	74	27	27	2	-	2	-	3	3	1	56	42
LA,M	2,422	119	3	3	5	1	19	1	-	1	-	-	2	1	34	49
LA,W	2,203	434	26	10	33	11	58	83	-	10	1	1	2	7	163	29
MS,N	1,202	118	12	7	7	8	27	2	-	-	-	-	5	1	42	7
MS,S	2,655	193	30	11	11	12	24	33	-	4	2	1	14	2	35	14
TX,N	4,009	848	34	7	13	45	131	159	-	23	3	11	16	7	169	230
TX,E	3,049	538	4	3	12	16	78	139	-	81	1	8	21	1	127	47
TX,S	6,497	1,786	861	28	30	54	348	70	1	18	-	10	56	6	161	143
TX,W	3,113	821	65	6	52	57	190	72	-	6	-	3	92	3	138	137
6TH	21,851	4,503	611	281	131	247	379	118	-	80	45	44	229	69	1,724	545
KY,E	1,664	884	8	104	7	9	31	64	-	52	42	3	8	2	523	31
KY,W	1,331	344	20	116	11	8	20	3	-	7	1	2	19	1	114	22
MI,E	5,841	1,085	433	10	22	95	50	16	-	2	1	18	57	11	197	173
MI,W	1,555	231	20	2	8	12	33	8	-	1	-	1	25	4	91	26
OH,N	4,787	613	68	8	29	28	91	11	-	9	-	11	16	20	234	88
OH,S	2,967	636	39	7	14	44	42	4	-	4	-	8	62	16	305	91
TN,E	1,196	237	10	6	10	11	52	3	-	-	1	-	2	11	117	14
TN,M	1,434	275	9	26	13	20	33	-	-	-	-	-	15	2	84	73
TN,W	1,076	198	4	2	17	20	27	9	-	5	-	1	25	2	59	27
7TH	15,285	2,234	115	136	111	144	325	87	-	38	14	8	110	23	549	574
IL,N	7,384	907	26	14	54	89	98	17	-	13	4	5	18	11	127	431
IL,C	966	200	15	38	3	7	46	5	-	1	4	1	11	-	54	15
IL,S	989	184	14	19	20	6	22	42	-	3	3	-	7	-	27	21
IN,N	1,470	221	12	26	7	12	38	-	-	1	-	-	18	4	86	17
IN,S	2,542	325	33	30	16	19	40	7	-	3	2	-	17	4	126	28
WI,E	1,233	220	12	4	9	8	38	2	-	1	1	1	27	3	85	29
WI,W	701	177	3	5	2	3	43	14	-	16	-	1	12	1	44	33
8TH	16,392	2,895	159	118	85	152	460	149	3	23	28	20	133	29	1,218	318
AR,E	1,589	358	13	14	9	24	31	44	-	3	23	1	6	1	173	16
AR,W	752	257	13	7	8	5	10	-	-	-	1	-	10	-	202	1
IA,N	541	251	11	15	-	2	47	6	-	-	-	-	12	1	151	6
IA,S	791	241	5	23	2	7	49	8	-	1	-	10	10	1	114	11
MN	7,038	344	34	3	12	10	36	36	-	8	-	-	15	6	73	111
MO,E	2,184	436	23	3	11	48	86	10	1	7	1	4	36	7	167	32
MO,W	2,095	614	33	3	13	42	96	33	2	1	3	2	20	10	267	89
NE	779	207	22	26	11	6	53	2	-	-	-	3	16	3	34	31
ND	289	89	5	18	6	3	25	4	-	-	-	-	6	-	11	11
SD	334	98	-	6	13	5	27	6	-	3	-	-	2	-	26	10

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5TH	29,134	9,898	514	65	687	800	4,570	533	2,657	2,884	53	2,770	50	1,007	966	1,680
LA,E	8,841	6,423	33	6	347	174	799	125	222	261	1	183	2	28	82	155
LA,M	2,303	169	15	1	11	50	1,600	15	109	58	-	191	-	6	31	47
LA,W	1,769	440	57	1	124	120	212	79	187	115	-	271	-	28	83	52
MS,N	1,084	139	15	1	4	42	399	23	197	80	4	100	1	18	36	25
MS,S	2,462	805	211	2	21	121	281	43	321	182	2	310	2	20	70	71
TX,N	3,161	474	50	11	2	46	160	70	519	660	10	537	17	169	155	281
TX,E	2,511	414	30	23	16	121	211	28	193	491	6	386	11	305	84	192
TX,S	4,711	744	66	16	161	81	766	105	489	663	21	490	8	202	272	627
TX,W	2,292	290	37	4	1	45	142	45	420	374	9	302	9	231	153	230
6TH	17,348	2,123	1,226	61	77	321	2,528	308	3,090	1,782	27	1,467	38	659	1,544	2,097
KY,E	780	182	25	2	3	47	98	19	130	39	-	69	1	25	70	70
KY,W	987	168	15	4	23	52	126	15	182	82	-	118	5	24	113	60
MI,E	4,756	572	89	16	31	41	365	75	714	713	1	340	9	204	472	1,114
MI,W	1,324	124	19	2	5	15	32	53	189	209	-	358	3	45	98	172
OH,N	4,174	410	638	13	6	31	1,387	45	504	355	11	112	18	119	288	237
OH,S	2,331	282	401	14	5	26	130	44	527	199	9	94	-	109	276	215
TN,E	959	144	14	7	-	53	132	17	236	43	3	99	-	31	74	106
TN,M	1,159	132	17	2	3	27	163	19	312	78	3	157	2	71	106	67
TN,W	878	109	8	1	1	29	95	21	296	64	-	120	-	31	47	56
7TH	13,051	1,611	88	70	31	229	704	216	3,015	1,114	3	1,539	15	666	2,002	1,748
IL,N	6,477	881	44	23	16	76	283	135	1,526	162	1	415	6	399	1,364	1,146
IL,C	766	75	8	9	3	9	37	5	155	75	-	207	-	17	96	70
IL,S	805	72	6	17	10	46	121	24	125	46	-	186	-	8	70	74
IN,N	1,249	147	9	7	-	44	79	13	325	171	1	191	1	37	108	116
IN,S	2,217	255	18	6	2	46	126	22	580	453	1	258	2	69	203	176
WI,E	1,013	118	1	7	-	6	40	11	215	150	-	144	4	79	110	128
WI,W	524	63	2	1	-	2	18	6	89	57	-	138	2	57	51	38
8TH	13,497	1,232	82	21	8	211	5,730	275	1,652	762	4	1,494	15	423	932	656
AR,E	1,231	99	10	2	1	40	200	22	265	110	-	370	-	16	53	43
AR,W	495	76	7	2	-	23	61	9	95	21	1	136	-	10	32	22
IA,N	290	42	4	-	-	2	32	4	68	33	-	53	1	14	20	17
IA,S	550	70	7	4	1	5	48	13	130	52	-	109	4	32	30	45
MN	6,694	318	13	2	-	20	4,857	154	314	132	-	84	1	169	426	204
MO,E	1,748	245	12	2	4	46	208	32	317	162	3	286	5	112	187	127
MO,W	1,481	204	19	1	2	43	187	23	274	168	-	287	1	33	133	106
NE	572	108	5	5	-	13	39	8	142	47	-	91	2	19	33	60
ND	200	38	4	2	-	8	54	6	15	9	-	23	-	10	11	20
SD	236	32	1	1	-	11	44	4	32	28	-	55	1	8	7	12

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9TH	40,227	9,215	488	94	457	465	1,053	617	-	90	7	219	385	74	2,805	2,461
AK	372	130	9	4	24	9	18	-	-	1	1	1	11	2	31	19
AZ	3,707	1,035	41	6	50	32	402	160	-	6	4	20	24	6	150	134
CA,N	6,327	1,079	66	9	55	91	32	27	-	18	1	10	26	19	129	596
CA,E	4,631	772	12	6	34	15	87	103	-	40	-	20	49	7	284	115
CA,C	12,012	2,947	241	6	107	95	109	153	-	13	-	28	133	17	1,116	929
CA,S	2,704	661	26	4	55	46	141	17	-	3	-	65	55	2	72	175
HI	671	128	12	3	17	26	32	-	-	-	1	1	6	-	4	26
ID	608	123	9	9	1	12	14	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	38	35
MT	710	225	13	27	21	15	59	2	-	-	-	-	3	2	57	26
NV	2,407	303	6	9	22	52	47	19	-	4	-	47	13	4	19	61
OR	2,350	707	25	3	12	17	33	6	-	1	-	26	29	8	448	99
WA,E	656	258	7	7	11	10	30	4	-	1	-	-	9	-	158	21
WA,W	3,000	826	21	1	44	42	44	126	-	2	-	1	18	6	299	222
GUAM	34	15	-	-	3	2	4	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	2
NMI	38	6	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1
10TH	9,588	2,329	107	136	118	129	327	129	-	34	80	7	115	21	754	372
CO	2,752	573	6	24	18	38	36	76	-	12	71	1	27	7	118	139
KS	1,487	398	18	28	6	22	57	44	-	18	7	2	29	3	132	32
NM	1,211	246	19	4	37	23	46	1	-	-	2	-	28	1	61	24
OK,N	753	208	13	34	8	5	36	1	-	-	-	-	5	1	92	13
OK,E	528	203	8	16	9	2	29	6	-	3	-	-	5	-	115	10
OK,W	1,419	358	34	22	28	12	30	-	-	-	-	3	4	2	171	52
UT	1,128	275	7	7	9	23	73	1	-	1	-	1	8	6	61	78
WY	310	68	2	1	3	4	20	-	-	-	-	-	9	1	4	24
11TH	27,861	5,199	322	281	163	207	886	284	-	65	44	53	284	22	1,763	825
AL,N	2,614	558	19	6	9	20	48	32	-	1	-	1	23	3	372	24
AL,M	1,157	183	9	1	5	10	22	4	-	1	-	2	19	-	100	10
AL,S	905	197	9	2	7	6	40	2	-	-	-	-	12	-	100	19
FL,N	1,630	417	28	3	11	26	100	40	-	-	10	3	23	2	148	23
FL,M	7,508	1,457	49	61	59	39	251	97	-	42	19	10	44	3	564	219
FL,S	7,538	1,328	134	202	35	41	245	50	-	5	12	16	61	11	165	351
GA,N	4,425	665	58	3	14	51	105	54	-	15	3	19	63	2	144	134
GA,M	1,193	242	10	-	3	9	39	1	-	-	-	-	24	-	130	26
GA,S	891	152	6	3	20	5	36	4	-	1	-	2	15	1	40	19

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9TH	31,012	3,707	373	47	192	224	1,586	472	4,788	5,434	66	5,329	216	2,944	2,094	3,540
AK	242	60	2	-	4	7	27	4	60	23	-	12	2	3	16	22
AZ	2,672	360	68	2	1	30	124	42	461	348	21	683	8	171	88	265
CA,N	5,248	477	47	3	21	13	292	64	618	824	6	1,091	13	531	474	774
CA,E	3,859	204	22	14	2	25	105	33	644	1,258	2	1,156	17	77	114	186
CA,C	9,065	1,123	110	9	15	36	364	178	1,210	1,733	8	819	7	1,524	777	1,152
CA,S	2,043	234	18	-	11	5	71	33	297	393	-	344	7	177	84	369
HI	543	119	10	-	22	2	43	10	162	23	-	53	2	18	39	40
ID	485	70	6	-	-	8	30	11	78	68	1	133	2	17	28	33
MT	485	122	20	1	-	19	47	12	63	47	-	87	4	3	17	43
NV	2,104	383	30	2	-	26	136	28	372	249	27	364	32	169	91	195
OR	1,643	210	9	2	11	31	79	24	391	252	1	177	122	85	107	142
WA,E	398	38	12	6	-	4	21	4	84	47	-	114	-	13	14	41
WA,W	2,174	297	17	8	104	14	241	29	331	168	-	295	-	156	239	275
GUAM	19	5	2	-	-	2	2	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
NMI	32	5	-	-	1	2	4	-	13	1	-	-	-	-	6	-
10TH	7,259	1,189	98	30	6	220	765	99	1,705	670	4	894	13	367	349	850
CO	2,179	387	30	11	5	44	148	21	360	182	1	349	-	131	88	422
KS	1,089	135	7	5	-	52	117	22	274	93	-	151	3	37	78	115
NM	965	137	17	3	-	39	104	11	362	69	-	98	1	23	35	66
OK,N	545	102	9	2	-	7	71	4	148	67	1	33	5	17	49	30
OK,E	325	38	8	5	-	15	33	3	87	56	1	55	2	2	7	13
OK,W	1,061	176	13	-	1	26	151	14	259	151	-	108	2	30	38	92
UT	853	177	12	2	-	11	108	19	151	27	-	68	-	125	48	105
WY	242	37	2	2	-	26	33	5	64	25	1	32	-	2	6	7
11TH	22,662	3,027	364	7	252	359	2,305	384	3,549	1,990	48	3,540	98	866	3,386	2,487
AL,N	2,056	310	23	3	2	68	160	32	534	198	6	323	-	39	163	195
AL,M	974	118	3	-	-	38	68	19	271	95	2	242	10	9	35	64
AL,S	708	169	37	-	13	24	46	35	101	82	3	108	-	17	22	51
FL,N	1,213	124	8	-	2	9	56	6	296	220	2	333	11	30	67	49
FL,M	6,051	668	41	-	26	55	1,132	54	804	569	20	582	10	241	1,301	548
FL,S	6,210	1,044	68	-	201	36	503	92	643	300	9	387	30	305	1,586	1,006
GA,N	3,760	454	171	2	1	74	234	120	652	282	2	882	29	196	156	505
GA,M	951	70	8	1	1	29	72	12	158	120	2	378	3	22	36	39
GA,S	739	70	5	1	6	26	34	14	90	124	2	305	5	7	20	30

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