

Table D-1.
U.S. District Courts—Criminal Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending
During the Twelve-Month Period Ended September 30, 1997

Circuit and District	Pending October 1, 1996				Commenced						
	Total ¹	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²	Total Commenced	Original Proceedings				Reopens ³	Transfers
						Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²		
TOTAL	32,156	27,914	3,936	306	50,363	49,279	37,484	11,236	559	376	708
DC	508	444	64	-	662	659	525	133	1	3	-
1ST	1,183	1,144	31	8	1,034	986	951	21	14	15	33
ME	88	85	3	-	138	137	130	6	1	-	1
MA	416	399	13	4	352	340	327	9	4	7	5
NH	181	180	-	1	145	143	143	-	-	-	2
RI	200	192	7	1	99	98	95	1	2	1	-
PR	298	288	8	2	300	268	256	5	7	7	25
2ND	5,245	4,697	496	52	3,541	3,455	3,003	430	22	29	57
CT	206	200	5	1	229	219	211	7	1	3	7
NY,N	260	214	46	-	501	492	244	248	-	4	5
NY,E	1,456	1,414	41	1	1,108	1,084	1,049	33	2	5	19
NY,S ⁴	2,911	2,495	367	49	1,252	1,216	1,109	90	17	16	20
NY,W	308	272	36	-	362	356	305	50	1	1	5
VT	104	102	1	1	89	88	85	2	1	-	1
3RD	1,930	1,719	169	42	2,460	2,403	1,947	363	93	14	43
DE	71	69	2	-	120	120	96	24	-	-	-
NJ	741	598	137	6	922	907	623	279	5	4	11
PA,E	578	569	6	3	638	619	595	20	4	7	12
PA,M	215	203	8	4	300	291	270	20	1	1	8
PA,W	157	144	12	1	254	241	225	15	1	1	12
VI	168	136	4	28	226	225	138	5	82	1	-
4TH	2,604	2,152	425	27	6,106	5,992	3,369	2,522	101	52	62
MD	438	366	57	15	548	537	418	109	10	3	8
NC,E	241	179	61	1	767	752	276	443	33	4	11
NC,M	168	164	1	3	291	278	271	5	2	5	8
NC,W	314	302	11	1	354	342	312	18	12	8	4
SC	448	436	11	1	649	630	613	14	3	1	18
VA,E	584	325	255	4	2,873	2,843	917	1,890	36	23	7
VA,W	202	183	17	2	285	274	238	31	5	7	4
WV,N	87	85	2	-	132	132	127	5	-	-	-
WV,S	122	112	10	-	207	204	197	7	-	1	2

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Circuit and District	Terminated							Pending September 30, 1997			
	Total Terminated	Original Proceedings				Reopens ³	Transfers	Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²
		Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²						
TOTAL	46,887	45,886	34,191	10,611	1,084	313	688	35,632	30,843	4,420	369
DC	562	558	417	140	1	3	1	608	544	63	1
1ST	1,024	1,009	977	21	11	8	7	1,193	1,147	35	11
ME	154	151	143	7	1	1	2	72	70	2	-
MA	357	354	344	7	3	1	2	411	391	15	5
NH	140	140	137	2	1	-	-	186	186	-	-
RI	104	100	97	-	3	3	1	195	187	8	-
PR	269	264	256	5	3	3	2	329	313	10	6
2ND	3,130	3,076	2,665	352	59	25	29	5,656	5,048	546	62
CT	222	213	201	9	3	6	3	213	209	4	-
NY,N	451	448	215	190	43	1	2	310	247	63	-
NY,E	1,143	1,127	1,085	40	2	8	8	1,421	1,381	38	2
NY,S ⁴	900	885	811	67	7	8	7	3,263	2,805	398	60
NY,W	323	315	269	44	2	1	7	347	305	42	-
VT	91	88	84	2	2	1	2	102	101	1	-
3RD	2,300	2,247	1,855	295	97	12	41	2,090	1,811	238	41
DE	89	87	75	12	-	-	2	102	87	15	-
NJ	870	844	610	225	9	8	18	793	601	188	4
PA,E	594	586	561	19	6	1	7	622	614	6	2
PA,M	282	277	259	14	4	1	4	233	215	16	2
PA,W	249	240	217	22	1	1	8	162	155	7	-
VI	216	213	133	3	77	1	2	178	139	6	33
4TH	5,667	5,584	2,971	2,388	225	40	43	3,043	2,522	479	42
MD	449	444	329	110	5	2	3	537	459	58	20
NC,E	789	776	296	382	98	6	7	219	155	63	1
NC,M	277	261	253	5	3	9	7	182	179	1	2
NC,W	318	307	270	21	16	8	3	350	341	5	4
SC	640	626	586	37	3	3	11	457	445	10	2
VA,E	2,632	2,616	749	1,771	96	10	6	825	495	321	9
VA,W	240	234	186	44	4	2	4	247	229	14	4
WV,N	128	126	121	5	-	-	2	91	89	2	-
WV,S	194	194	181	13	-	-	-	135	130	5	-

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Circuit and District	Pending October 1, 1996				Commenced						
	Total ¹	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²	Total Commenced	Original Proceedings				Reopens ³	Transfers
						Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²		
5TH	3,225	2,998	174	53	6,941	6,796	5,728	1,001	67	44	101
LA,E	168	159	9	-	278	263	253	9	1	8	7
LA,M	63	52	10	1	118	115	106	8	1	1	2
LA,W	198	137	57	4	299	293	164	121	8	1	5
MS,N	81	78	1	2	127	122	116	5	1	4	1
MS,S	122	111	9	2	227	219	200	14	5	2	6
TX,N	510	479	10	21	772	743	694	41	8	5	24
TX,E	218	211	6	1	401	391	379	12	-	2	8
TX,S	941	918	21	2	1,814	1,775	1,652	112	11	10	29
TX,W	924	853	51	20	2,905	2,875	2,164	679	32	11	19
6TH	2,328	2,072	243	13	3,232	3,170	2,601	557	12	14	48
KY,E	201	196	4	1	318	309	297	12	-	2	7
KY,W	271	110	160	1	541	531	142	389	-	1	9
MI,E	584	545	35	4	623	607	589	16	2	5	11
MI,W	146	143	3	-	208	203	192	10	1	-	5
OH,N	287	286	1	-	421	418	410	8	-	-	3
OH,S	246	227	18	1	328	321	272	48	1	-	7
TN,E	165	160	5	-	295	292	276	15	1	2	1
TN,M	123	118	5	-	156	151	142	8	1	3	2
TN,W	305	287	12	6	342	338	281	51	6	1	3
7TH	1,133	1,061	60	12	1,629	1,582	1,437	129	16	27	20
IL,N	463	433	29	1	473	463	431	30	2	7	3
IL,C	148	135	11	2	241	234	199	35	-	2	5
IL,S	145	142	1	2	173	160	135	20	5	11	2
IN,N	138	135	1	2	219	212	190	16	6	4	3
IN,S	88	73	10	5	193	186	175	9	2	3	4
WI,E	124	119	5	-	223	220	207	13	-	-	3
WI,W	27	24	3	-	107	107	100	6	1	-	-
8TH	1,501	1,430	55	16	2,645	2,597	2,344	181	72	17	31
AR,E	174	169	3	2	242	239	217	10	12	-	3
AR,W	51	45	5	1	119	110	88	19	3	1	8
IA,N	125	119	6	-	160	157	152	4	1	2	1
IA,S	104	103	1	-	160	159	153	4	2	-	1
MN	171	165	6	-	314	299	290	9	-	7	8
MO,E	210	191	19	-	494	489	412	76	1	4	1
MO,W	254	248	6	-	273	270	258	12	-	-	3
NE	154	153	1	-	304	301	262	16	23	-	3
ND	73	70	3	-	164	163	150	12	1	-	1
SD	185	167	5	13	415	410	362	19	29	3	2

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	Total Terminated	Original Proceedings				Reopens ³	Transfers	Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²
		Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²						
5TH	6,457	6,336	5,196	1,011	129	36	85	3,709	3,470	190	49
LA,E	241	226	211	15	-	5	10	205	200	4	1
LA,M	113	109	92	16	1	1	3	68	63	3	2
LA,W	246	237	144	85	8	1	8	251	152	93	6
MS,N	141	134	124	7	3	2	5	67	66	1	-
MS,S	188	182	161	18	3	2	4	161	150	6	5
TX,N	790	766	707	43	16	4	20	492	454	16	22
TX,E	348	341	321	17	3	4	3	271	265	6	-
TX,S	1,776	1,750	1,601	124	25	9	17	979	955	19	5
TX,W	2,614	2,591	1,835	686	70	8	15	1,215	1,165	42	8
6TH	3,121	3,034	2,418	576	40	20	67	2,439	2,198	229	12
KY,E	309	303	288	14	1	2	4	210	205	5	-
KY,W	578	568	144	411	13	1	9	234	107	127	-
MI,E	545	535	494	34	7	4	6	662	636	23	3
MI,W	231	226	212	11	3	1	4	123	118	5	-
OH,N	445	439	428	8	3	-	6	263	261	2	-
OH,S	322	312	263	43	6	1	9	252	231	21	-
TN,E	239	222	207	14	1	5	12	221	213	8	-
TN,M	149	137	123	14	-	3	9	130	127	2	1
TN,W	303	292	259	27	6	3	8	344	300	36	8
7TH	1,568	1,519	1,361	139	19	22	27	1,194	1,125	58	11
IL,N	483	475	425	46	4	5	3	453	435	16	2
IL,C	246	237	207	28	2	4	5	143	124	19	-
IL,S	207	195	174	18	3	10	2	111	105	3	3
IN,N	175	171	153	12	6	2	2	182	174	6	2
IN,S	170	167	150	13	4	1	2	111	102	6	3
WI,E	216	210	194	16	-	-	6	131	125	6	-
WI,W	71	64	58	6	-	-	7	63	60	2	1
8TH	2,409	2,344	2,126	173	45	14	51	1,737	1,608	89	40
AR,E	238	233	212	15	6	1	4	178	167	3	8
AR,W	125	114	95	17	2	3	8	45	34	9	2
IA,N	155	151	141	9	1	2	2	130	128	2	-
IA,S	152	151	149	1	1	-	1	112	107	4	1
MN	277	269	255	14	-	5	3	208	202	6	-
MO,E	434	420	366	52	2	3	11	270	227	43	-
MO,W	291	286	276	10	-	-	5	236	225	11	-
NE	222	219	192	17	10	-	3	236	221	1	14
ND	153	151	131	17	3	-	2	84	82	2	-
SD	362	350	309	21	20	-	12	238	215	8	15

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						Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²		
9TH	6,881	5,307	1,518	56	12,584	12,354	9,225	3,036	93	70	160
AK	60	41	12	7	180	175	99	72	4	2	3
AZ	823	784	35	4	2,028	1,987	1,457	522	8	16	25
CA,N	623	469	153	1	732	713	605	107	1	-	19
CA,E	568	396	155	17	940	936	729	194	13	-	4
CA,C	1,246	1,203	35	8	1,264	1,173	1,107	31	35	28	63
CA,S	986	888	96	2	3,312	3,299	3,125	166	8	4	9
HI	635	166	469	-	1,292	1,291	188	1,103	-	-	1
ID	70	57	9	4	104	100	81	12	7	3	1
MT	248	186	60	2	434	431	274	156	1	1	2
NV	274	268	5	1	295	281	261	19	1	3	11
OR	381	369	12	-	590	582	544	32	6	-	8
WA,E	209	203	4	2	303	287	278	8	1	12	4
WA,W	680	200	472	8	923	912	307	600	5	1	10
GUAM	62	61	1	-	155	155	145	7	3	-	-
NMI	16	16	-	-	32	32	25	7	-	-	-
10TH	1,865	1,392	459	14	3,072	3,023	2,240	754	29	17	32
CO	309	243	64	2	542	539	388	147	4	-	3
KS	202	175	26	1	349	339	295	42	2	5	5
NM	749	475	271	3	982	977	722	244	11	1	4
OK,N	98	96	1	1	168	162	153	8	1	3	3
OK,E	35	34	1	-	67	65	64	1	-	1	1
OK,W	157	94	62	1	467	456	187	268	1	-	11
UT	263	228	32	3	377	367	337	28	2	6	4
WY	52	47	2	3	120	118	94	16	8	1	1
11TH	3,753	3,498	242	13	6,457	6,262	4,114	2,109	39	74	121
AL,N	117	111	6	-	346	339	283	50	6	2	5
AL,M	139	85	54	-	231	218	146	72	-	4	9
AL,S	204	203	1	-	235	226	223	3	-	4	5
FL,N	189	172	15	2	295	282	264	17	1	2	11
FL,M	748	736	8	4	1,098	1,053	1,028	20	5	22	23
FL,S	1,684	1,649	30	5	1,371	1,302	1,279	17	6	29	40
GA,N	339	313	24	2	880	861	539	302	20	4	15
GA,M	202	167	35	-	1,640	1,635	225	1,410	-	2	3
GA,S	131	62	69	-	361	346	127	218	1	5	10

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	Total Terminated	Original Proceedings				Reopens ³	Transfers	Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²
		Total	Felony	Misdemeanor	Other ²						
9TH	11,853	11,693	8,516	2,826	351	51	109	7,612	5,914	1,629	69
AK	125	116	67	42	7	3	6	115	72	38	5
AZ	1,965	1,942	1,382	540	20	15	8	886	848	32	6
CA,N	718	700	537	159	4	2	16	637	531	105	1
CA,E	766	757	546	154	57	-	9	742	514	208	20
CA,C	1,018	993	932	33	28	13	12	1,492	1,435	37	20
CA,S	3,337	3,329	3,043	271	15	2	6	961	937	24	-
HI	1,032	1,023	154	844	25	-	9	895	195	700	-
ID	109	105	81	18	6	3	1	65	56	4	5
MT	378	374	228	141	5	-	4	304	220	84	-
NV	281	269	247	20	2	3	9	288	281	6	1
OR	624	613	559	41	13	1	10	347	331	14	2
WA,E	318	310	290	17	3	6	2	194	191	3	-
WA,W	1,039	1,020	318	536	166	3	16	564	190	368	6
GUAM	112	111	107	4	-	-	1	105	98	4	3
NMI	31	31	25	6	-	-	-	17	15	2	-
10TH	2,807	2,658	2,004	604	50	23	126	2,130	1,522	594	14
CO	472	427	342	77	8	2	43	379	235	142	2
KS	302	294	241	49	4	5	3	249	229	20	-
NM	879	829	642	167	20	-	50	852	529	321	2
OK,N	165	153	143	9	1	4	8	101	94	5	2
OK,E	70	67	65	2	-	1	2	32	32	-	-
OK,W	440	432	178	250	4	-	8	184	105	78	1
UT	369	354	309	39	6	10	5	271	247	21	3
WY	110	102	84	11	7	1	7	62	51	7	4
11TH	5,989	5,828	3,685	2,086	57	59	102	4,221	3,934	270	17
AL,N	323	314	266	44	4	2	7	140	126	12	2
AL,M	195	187	112	71	4	2	6	175	122	53	-
AL,S	216	212	209	3	-	1	3	223	221	2	-
FL,N	264	258	235	20	3	1	5	220	208	12	-
FL,M	941	897	864	25	8	15	29	905	893	8	4
FL,S	1,355	1,295	1,262	26	7	29	31	1,700	1,669	25	6
GA,N	795	781	454	304	23	2	12	424	389	30	5
GA,M	1,578	1,571	170	1,397	4	4	3	264	222	42	-
GA,S	322	313	113	196	4	3	6	170	84	86	-

NOTE: PENDING TOTALS EXCLUDE EACH CASE IN WHICH THE DEFENDANT WAS A FUGITIVE SINCE BEFORE APRIL 1, 1996. HOWEVER, NO CASE WITH MULTIPLE DEFENDANTS HAS BEEN EXCLUDED UNLESS ALL DEFENDANTS IN THE CASE WERE FUGITIVES SINCE BEFORE APRIL 1, 1996.

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²PRIMARILY PETTY OFFENSES ASSIGNED TO DISTRICT JUDGES.

³INCLUDES APPEALS FROM MAGISTRATE JUDGES, REOPENS, AND REMANDS.

⁴PENDING CASE TOTALS INCLUDE SOME CASES IN WHICH ALL DEFENDANTS HAVE BEEN FUGITIVES SINCE BEFORE APRIL 1, 1996.