

**Table B-5A.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Cases Terminated on Procedural Grounds, by Circuit and Nature of Proceeding,**  
**During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2024**

Circuit and Nature of Proceeding	Total Terminated	Terminated on Procedural Grounds											
		Total	By Consolidation	By Judge						By Staff			
				Total	Jurisdictional Defects	FRAP 42 <sup>1</sup>	Default	Cert. of Appealability	Other	Total	FRAP 42 <sup>1</sup>	Default	Other
<b>Total</b>	<b>40,086</b>	<b>14,748</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2,979</b>	<b>2,188</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>11,681</b>	<b>4,341</b>	<b>5,829</b>	<b>1,511</b>
Criminal	9,487	2,384	2	304	181	32	6	-	85	2,078	1,180	818	80
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	2,509	957	-	203	181	5	4	8	5	754	112	614	28
Other U.S. Civil	2,297	815	16	186	138	26	3	-	19	613	239	346	28
Private Prisoner Petitions	6,443	2,939	2	733	680	13	12	7	21	2,204	221	1,920	63
Other Private Civil	10,912	4,575	58	1,073	821	126	12	-	114	3,444	1,885	1,438	121
Bankruptcy	523	175	1	31	20	11	-	-	-	143	54	84	5
Administrative Agency Appeals	4,885	2,205	9	354	167	64	3	-	120	1,842	650	609	583
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	3,030	698	-	95	-	-	-	-	95	603	-	-	603
<b>DC</b>	<b>1,051</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>43</b>
Criminal	109	36	-	4	1	2	-	-	1	32	25	7	-
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	52	24	-	4	1	-	2	1	-	20	5	15	-
Other U.S. Civil	270	94	6	16	9	4	1	-	2	72	37	34	1
Private Prisoner Petitions	16	13	-	5	3	-	1	1	-	8	-	8	-
Other Private Civil	146	42	1	11	4	7	-	-	-	30	14	16	-
Bankruptcy	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	388	147	4	19	5	7	1	-	6	124	95	4	25
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	69	32	-	15	-	-	-	-	15	17	-	-	17
<b>1st</b>	<b>1,115</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>7</b>
Criminal	337	89	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	87	67	20	-
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	47	20	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	18	5	13	-
Other U.S. Civil	79	27	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	26	12	14	-
Private Prisoner Petitions	69	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	3	12	-
Other Private Civil	393	133	5	8	2	6	-	-	-	120	58	62	-
Bankruptcy	40	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	5	6	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	101	32	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	30	18	9	3
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	49	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	4
<b>2nd</b>	<b>3,477</b>	<b>1,422</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1,115</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>64</b>
Criminal	601	148	1	21	17	2	-	-	2	126	78	32	16
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	203	81	-	33	33	-	-	-	-	48	14	32	2
Other U.S. Civil	198	83	-	25	20	1	-	-	4	58	13	43	2
Private Prisoner Petitions	332	140	1	48	47	1	-	-	-	91	13	77	1
Other Private Civil	1,273	563	10	126	102	12	-	-	12	427	208	212	7
Bankruptcy	71	32	-	6	5	1	-	-	-	26	14	11	1
Administrative Agency Appeals	625	344	2	32	17	2	-	-	13	310	220	84	6
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	174	31	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	29	-	-	29

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<b>3rd</b>	<b>2,426</b>	<b>820</b>	-	<b>239</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>84</b>
Criminal	424	120	-	34	27	2	1	-	4	86	71	13	2
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	197	59	-	18	15	-	-	3	-	41	9	30	2
Other U.S. Civil	116	45	-	14	14	-	-	-	-	31	7	24	-
Private Prisoner Petitions	379	121	-	43	41	1	-	1	-	78	15	58	5
Other Private Civil	845	340	-	107	102	3	1	-	1	233	141	86	6
Bankruptcy	42	8	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	7	1	6	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	190	66	-	20	9	2	-	-	9	46	17	19	10
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	233	61	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	59	-	-	59
<b>4th</b>	<b>3,642</b>	<b>1,067</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>38</b>	-	-	<b>8</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>81</b>
Criminal	1,073	205	-	33	31	-	-	-	2	172	74	94	4
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	347	106	-	15	14	1	-	-	-	91	17	67	7
Other U.S. Civil	198	61	4	20	19	-	-	-	1	37	19	15	3
Private Prisoner Petitions	678	314	-	82	80	2	-	-	-	232	36	189	7
Other Private Civil	723	222	3	67	59	7	-	-	1	152	94	51	7
Bankruptcy	37	13	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	11	6	5	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	271	95	1	48	19	28	-	-	1	46	25	16	5
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	315	51	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	48	-	-	48
<b>5th</b>	<b>5,542</b>	<b>2,010</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>22</b>	-	<b>1</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>1,560</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>1,024</b>	<b>160</b>
Criminal	2,010	463	1	24	19	2	-	-	3	438	143	290	5
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	273	143	-	30	28	1	-	1	-	113	7	104	2
Other U.S. Civil	221	77	-	23	20	1	-	-	2	54	16	38	-
Private Prisoner Petitions	770	446	-	102	101	-	-	-	1	344	28	314	2
Other Private Civil	1,425	565	4	186	106	15	-	-	65	375	157	216	2
Bankruptcy	54	12	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	10	5	5	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	356	155	1	76	30	3	-	-	43	78	20	57	1
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	433	149	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	148	-	-	148
<b>6th</b>	<b>3,301</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>8</b>	-	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>172</b>
Criminal	926	254	-	42	37	1	-	-	4	212	115	57	40
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	187	73	-	18	18	-	-	-	-	55	10	35	10
Other U.S. Civil	141	45	-	13	10	-	-	-	3	32	10	17	5
Private Prisoner Petitions	566	236	-	83	79	2	-	1	1	153	21	113	19
Other Private Civil	852	341	3	87	83	2	-	-	2	251	159	76	16
Bankruptcy	15	5	-	4	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	227	48	-	6	4	2	-	-	-	42	25	11	6
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	387	76	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76	-	-	76

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<b>7th</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>1,007</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>18</b>
Criminal	506	164	-	22	18	1	1	-	2	142	116	22	4
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	132	55	-	10	9	-	-	-	1	45	6	39	-
Other U.S. Civil	122	51	1	9	5	2	1	-	1	41	15	25	1
Private Prisoner Petitions	610	380	-	62	44	5	5	1	7	318	30	285	3
Other Private Civil	647	285	5	90	69	6	9	-	6	190	124	64	2
Bankruptcy	23	11	-	9	1	8	-	-	-	2	1	1	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	85	41	-	16	1	6	1	-	8	25	20	5	-
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	175	20	-	12	-	-	-	-	12	8	-	-	8
<b>8th</b>	<b>2,760</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>14</b>
Criminal	982	172	-	65	10	6	4	-	45	107	100	7	-
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	217	36	-	18	16	-	2	-	-	18	2	16	-
Other U.S. Civil	118	40	1	12	6	6	-	-	-	27	20	7	-
Private Prisoner Petitions	410	110	-	60	53	1	5	-	1	50	6	44	-
Other Private Civil	726	366	1	43	34	9	-	-	-	322	284	37	1
Bankruptcy	6	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	119	30	-	8	3	2	1	-	2	22	15	1	6
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	182	10	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	7	-	-	7
<b>9th</b>	<b>8,150</b>	<b>3,130</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>678</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>2,430</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>698</b>
Criminal	974	262	-	19	17	-	-	-	2	243	213	25	5
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	355	93	-	40	39	-	-	-	1	53	20	29	4
Other U.S. Civil	519	183	1	46	32	11	1	-	2	136	69	51	16
Private Prisoner Petitions	1,379	448	1	208	204	1	1	-	2	239	49	165	25
Other Private Civil	2,107	921	18	260	217	27	1	-	15	643	396	173	74
Bankruptcy	155	45	1	3	3	-	-	-	-	41	19	19	3
Administrative Agency Appeals	2,229	1,120	1	100	77	6	-	-	17	1,019	171	333	515
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	432	58	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	56	-	-	56
<b>10th</b>	<b>1,775</b>	<b>638</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>18</b>
Criminal	440	116	-	24	4	2	-	-	18	92	68	20	4
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	164	64	-	13	8	1	-	3	1	51	11	39	1
Other U.S. Civil	97	32	3	6	3	-	-	-	3	23	7	16	-
Private Prisoner Petitions	278	133	-	36	28	-	-	3	5	97	15	81	1
Other Private Civil	538	235	4	48	37	2	1	-	8	183	100	80	3
Bankruptcy	24	9	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	7	2	4	1
Administrative Agency Appeals	105	38	-	19	2	5	-	-	12	19	12	7	-
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	129	11	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	8	-	-	8

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<b>11th</b>	<b>4,547</b>	<b>2,091</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>43</b>	-	-	<b>72</b>	<b>1,966</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>1,516</b>	<b>152</b>
Criminal	1,105	355	-	14	-	12	-	-	2	341	110	231	-
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	335	203	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	201	6	195	-
Other U.S. Civil	218	77	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	76	14	62	-
Private Prisoner Petitions	956	583	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	579	5	574	-
Other Private Civil	1,237	562	4	40	6	30	-	-	4	518	150	365	3
Bankruptcy	55	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	1	26	-
Administrative Agency Appeals	189	89	-	8	-	1	-	-	7	81	12	63	6
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	452	195	-	52	-	-	-	-	52	143	-	-	143

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Courts of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Beginning in March 2014, data include miscellaneous cases not included previously. Cert. of Appealability = Certificate of Appealability.  
<sup>1</sup> Voluntary Dismissal Under Rule 42(B), Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.