

Table F-2.

**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Business and Nonbusiness Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code,
During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2018**

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 13	Total Other Chapters ¹	Predominant Nature of Debt								
						Business					Nonbusiness			
						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters ¹	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
Total	773,418	475,575	7,095	290,146	602	22,232	13,678	6,078	1,874	602	751,186	461,897	1,017	288,272
DC	824	528	24	272	0	39	20	13	6	0	785	508	11	266
1st	21,892	12,702	266	8,889	35	754	434	190	95	35	21,138	12,268	76	8,794
ME	1,476	1,227	17	226	6	76	46	15	9	6	1,400	1,181	2	217
MA	8,582	5,217	99	3,257	9	322	214	61	38	9	8,260	5,003	38	3,219
NH	1,808	1,300	11	495	2	71	51	9	9	2	1,737	1,249	2	486
RI	2,165	1,613	4	548	0	69	60	4	5	0	2,096	1,553	0	543
PR	7,861	3,345	135	4,363	18	216	63	101	34	18	7,645	3,282	34	4,329
2nd	41,343	28,170	1,185	11,900	88	2,311	1,057	1,072	94	88	39,032	27,113	113	11,806
CT	6,077	4,911	51	1,114	1	195	134	42	18	1	5,882	4,777	9	1,096
NY,N	5,899	4,543	27	1,313	16	127	65	25	21	16	5,772	4,478	2	1,292
NY,E	16,217	9,589	394	6,233	1	859	524	334	0	1	15,358	9,065	60	6,233
NY,S	8,478	5,827	666	1,923	62	942	230	626	24	62	7,536	5,597	40	1,899
NY,W	4,117	2,843	43	1,226	5	151	76	41	29	5	3,966	2,767	2	1,197
VT	555	457	4	91	3	37	28	4	2	3	518	429	0	89
3rd	50,691	29,530	1,085	20,048	28	2,164	940	998	198	28	48,527	28,590	87	19,850
DE	2,979	1,412	615	941	11	786	154	615	6	11	2,193	1,258	0	935
NJ	26,274	15,844	287	10,142	1	679	388	213	77	1	25,595	15,456	74	10,065
PA,E	8,603	4,192	72	4,337	2	308	187	68	51	2	8,295	4,005	4	4,286
PA,M	5,543	3,436	33	2,071	3	150	82	32	33	3	5,393	3,354	1	2,038
PA,W	7,281	4,640	77	2,553	11	237	128	69	29	11	7,044	4,512	8	2,524
VI	11	6	1	4	0	4	1	1	2	0	7	5	0	2
4th	63,630	35,312	416	27,872	30	1,480	945	346	159	30	62,150	34,367	70	27,713
MD	17,255	11,361	118	5,770	6	352	214	96	36	6	16,903	11,147	22	5,734
NC,E	6,239	2,147	77	4,006	9	235	123	64	39	9	6,004	2,024	13	3,967
NC,M	3,696	1,504	20	2,170	2	97	65	20	10	2	3,599	1,439	0	2,160
NC,W	4,014	2,041	38	1,932	3	113	50	34	26	3	3,901	1,991	4	1,906
SC	6,598	2,597	27	3,971	3	140	106	25	6	3	6,458	2,491	2	3,965
VA,E	17,275	9,737	87	7,449	2	341	255	59	25	2	16,934	9,482	28	7,424
VA,W	5,503	3,314	15	2,170	4	99	67	14	14	4	5,404	3,247	1	2,156
WV,N	1,217	1,000	11	205	1	49	35	11	2	1	1,168	965	0	203
WV,S	1,833	1,611	23	199	0	54	30	23	1	0	1,779	1,581	0	198

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						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters ¹	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
5th	60,569	25,797	1,222	33,508	42	3,145	1,735	1,175	193	42	57,424	24,062	47	33,315
LA,E	3,509	1,504	32	1,972	1	144	98	30	15	1	3,365	1,406	2	1,957
LA,M	1,521	792	7	722	0	34	27	7	0	0	1,487	765	0	722
LA,W	8,360	1,699	45	6,605	11	132	68	43	10	11	8,228	1,631	2	6,595
MS,N	5,196	2,120	20	3,052	4	82	47	20	11	4	5,114	2,073	0	3,041
MS,S	7,597	3,910	25	3,661	1	132	92	22	17	1	7,465	3,818	3	3,644
TX,N	11,441	5,149	444	5,839	9	906	417	433	47	9	10,535	4,732	11	5,792
TX,E	5,078	2,379	56	2,641	2	326	250	51	23	2	4,752	2,129	5	2,618
TX,S	9,694	3,925	469	5,293	7	878	378	453	40	7	8,816	3,547	16	5,253
TX,W	8,173	4,319	124	3,723	7	511	358	116	30	7	7,662	3,961	8	3,693
6th	116,191	74,407	295	41,451	38	1,551	1,092	260	161	38	114,640	73,315	35	41,290
KY,E	7,561	5,160	10	2,383	8	94	69	9	8	8	7,467	5,091	1	2,375
KY,W	7,353	4,537	21	2,792	3	117	80	20	14	3	7,236	4,457	1	2,778
MI,E	23,949	18,221	87	5,633	8	299	179	77	35	8	23,650	18,042	10	5,598
MI,W	5,737	4,479	9	1,247	2	110	87	8	13	2	5,627	4,392	1	1,234
OH,N	20,193	16,133	41	4,017	2	267	201	38	26	2	19,926	15,932	3	3,991
OH,S	17,017	11,572	16	5,424	5	274	220	14	35	5	16,743	11,352	2	5,389
TN,E	12,034	6,758	30	5,241	5	141	98	26	12	5	11,893	6,660	4	5,229
TN,M	8,755	4,214	60	4,478	3	163	104	49	7	3	8,592	4,110	11	4,471
TN,W	13,592	3,333	21	10,236	2	86	54	19	11	2	13,506	3,279	2	10,225
7th	87,784	54,577	240	32,893	74	1,467	1,046	218	129	74	86,317	53,531	22	32,764
IL,N	39,413	21,421	116	17,872	4	676	516	105	51	4	38,737	20,905	11	17,821
IL,C	5,157	4,118	16	1,022	1	115	91	15	8	1	5,042	4,027	1	1,014
IL,S	3,571	2,374	15	1,177	5	81	49	15	12	5	3,490	2,325	0	1,165
IN,N	8,935	6,112	22	2,800	1	88	57	20	10	1	8,847	6,055	2	2,790
IN,S	14,206	8,979	57	5,156	14	203	126	52	11	14	14,003	8,853	5	5,145
WI,E	12,126	8,030	5	4,075	16	172	138	4	14	16	11,954	7,892	1	4,061
WI,W	4,376	3,543	9	791	33	132	69	7	23	33	4,244	3,474	2	768

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						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters ¹	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
8th	48,431	32,842	144	15,334	111	1,130	771	128	120	111	47,301	32,071	16	15,214
AR ²	10,734	5,208	29	5,484	13	192	118	25	36	13	10,542	5,090	4	5,448
IA,N	1,791	1,605	5	171	10	71	55	5	1	10	1,720	1,550	0	170
IA,S	2,838	2,469	14	352	3	95	75	13	4	3	2,743	2,394	1	348
MN	9,911	7,930	27	1,928	26	296	228	23	19	26	9,615	7,702	4	1,909
MO,E	9,873	6,396	12	3,461	4	134	104	9	17	4	9,739	6,292	3	3,444
MO,W	7,376	4,835	25	2,510	6	131	88	22	15	6	7,245	4,747	3	2,495
NE	4,043	2,759	26	1,231	27	113	51	26	9	27	3,930	2,708	0	1,222
ND	781	689	2	81	9	42	26	1	6	9	739	663	1	75
SD	1,084	951	4	116	13	56	26	4	13	13	1,028	925	0	103
9th	123,777	93,992	1,183	28,559	43	4,352	3,081	802	426	43	119,425	90,911	381	28,133
AK	450	356	1	93	0	32	27	1	4	0	418	329	0	89
AZ	16,337	13,156	174	3,004	3	435	289	120	23	3	15,902	12,867	54	2,981
CA,N	8,657	4,771	146	3,737	3	487	315	90	79	3	8,170	4,456	56	3,658
CA,E	14,847	11,366	71	3,396	14	447	303	62	68	14	14,400	11,063	9	3,328
CA,C	37,192	28,489	463	8,237	3	1,576	1,169	301	103	3	35,616	27,320	162	8,134
CA,S	7,972	6,461	32	1,479	0	303	217	23	63	0	7,669	6,244	9	1,416
HI	1,529	1,030	4	495	0	61	49	4	8	0	1,468	981	0	487
ID	3,724	3,300	24	394	6	94	67	18	3	6	3,630	3,233	6	391
MT	1,302	1,092	4	199	7	42	25	4	6	7	1,260	1,067	0	193
NV	9,404	7,479	161	1,764	0	307	206	96	5	0	9,097	7,273	65	1,759
OR	8,815	6,642	27	2,144	2	203	146	24	31	2	8,612	6,496	3	2,113
WA,E	3,644	2,790	13	836	5	79	56	11	7	5	3,565	2,734	2	829
WA,W	9,750	6,935	63	2,752	0	283	210	48	25	0	9,467	6,725	15	2,727
GUAM	154	125	0	29	0	3	2	0	1	0	151	123	0	28
NMI	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10th	41,902	30,014	183	11,650	55	1,102	788	170	89	55	40,800	29,226	13	11,561
CO	11,445	8,882	63	2,492	8	370	276	59	27	8	11,075	8,606	4	2,465
KS	6,856	3,724	28	3,069	35	212	128	26	23	35	6,644	3,596	2	3,046
NM	3,274	2,891	22	361	0	83	58	21	4	0	3,191	2,833	1	357
OK,N	2,592	2,283	10	297	2	63	48	10	3	2	2,529	2,235	0	294
OK,E	1,450	1,300	3	146	1	32	28	2	1	1	1,418	1,272	1	145
OK,W	5,488	4,243	8	1,234	3	126	108	4	11	3	5,362	4,135	4	1,223
UT	9,771	5,785	28	3,952	6	166	114	27	19	6	9,605	5,671	1	3,933
WY	1,026	906	21	99	0	50	28	21	1	0	976	878	0	98

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						Business					Nonbusiness			
						All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13	Other Chapters ¹	All Chapters	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
11th	116,384	57,704	852	57,770	58	2,737	1,769	706	204	58	113,647	55,935	146	57,566
AL,N	13,614	6,318	44	7,247	5	161	103	44	9	5	13,453	6,215	0	7,238
AL,M	7,931	1,777	10	6,144	0	45	36	6	3	0	7,886	1,741	4	6,141
AL,S	5,301	1,475	13	3,813	0	37	25	7	5	0	5,264	1,450	6	3,808
FL,N	2,570	1,992	38	536	4	103	67	31	1	4	2,467	1,925	7	535
FL,M	24,312	17,363	285	6,661	3	941	661	213	64	3	23,371	16,702	72	6,597
FL,S	16,930	9,192	263	7,455	20	637	357	216	44	20	16,293	8,835	47	7,411
GA,N	30,741	15,485	144	15,105	7	557	387	136	27	7	30,184	15,098	8	15,078
GA,M	8,417	2,741	37	5,621	18	173	81	36	38	18	8,244	2,660	1	5,583
GA,S	6,568	1,361	18	5,188	1	83	52	17	13	1	6,485	1,309	1	5,175

NOTE: The nature of debt is business if the debtor is a corporation or partnership, or if debt related to the operation of a business predominates. Nonbusiness debt includes consumer debt, as defined in Section 101 of the U.S. Bankruptcy code, or other debt that the debtor indicates is not consumer debt or business debt. Because the bankruptcy database is continually updated, the numbers in this table may not match those in previously published tables. The United States territorial courts assume the jurisdiction of United States bankruptcy courts within their respective territories, which do not have separate bankruptcy courts.

¹ Other Chapters includes cases filed under chapters 9 (4), 12 (498) and 15 (100) as well as Section 304 (0).

² The United States Bankruptcy Court for Arkansas (AR) includes both the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas.

Table F-2.
U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Bankruptcy Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code,
During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2018

Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 9	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 15 ¹	All Other Chapters
Total	773,418	4	498	100	772,816
DC	824	0	0	0	824
1st	21,892	0	35	0	21,857
ME	1,476	0	6	0	1,470
MA	8,582	0	9	0	8,573
NH	1,808	0	2	0	1,806
RI	2,165	0	0	0	2,165
PR	7,861	0	18	0	7,843
2nd	41,343	0	28	60	41,255
CT	6,077	0	1	0	6,076
NY,N	5,899	0	16	0	5,883
NY,E	16,217	0	0	1	16,216
NY,S	8,478	0	3	59	8,416
NY,W	4,117	0	5	0	4,112
VT	555	0	3	0	552
3rd	50,691	0	15	13	50,663
DE	2,979	0	0	11	2,968
NJ	26,274	0	0	1	26,273
PA,E	8,603	0	2	0	8,601
PA,M	5,543	0	3	0	5,540
PA,W	7,281	0	10	1	7,270
VI	11	0	0	0	11
4th	63,630	0	28	2	63,600
MD	17,255	0	6	0	17,249
NC,E	6,239	0	8	1	6,230
NC,M	3,696	0	2	0	3,694
NC,W	4,014	0	2	1	4,011
SC	6,598	0	3	0	6,595
VA,E	17,275	0	2	0	17,273
VA,W	5,503	0	4	0	5,499
WV,N	1,217	0	1	0	1,216
WV,S	1,833	0	0	0	1,833

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5th	60,569	0	41	1	60,527
LA,E	3,509	0	0	1	3,508
LA,M	1,521	0	0	0	1,521
LA,W	8,360	0	11	0	8,349
MS,N	5,196	0	4	0	5,192
MS,S	7,597	0	1	0	7,596
TX,N	11,441	0	9	0	11,432
TX,E	5,078	0	2	0	5,076
TX,S	9,694	0	7	0	9,687
TX,W	8,173	0	7	0	8,166
6th	116,191	0	38	0	116,153
KY,E	7,561	0	8	0	7,553
KY,W	7,353	0	3	0	7,350
MI,E	23,949	0	8	0	23,941
MI,W	5,737	0	2	0	5,735
OH,N	20,193	0	2	0	20,191
OH,S	17,017	0	5	0	17,012
TN,E	12,034	0	5	0	12,029
TN,M	8,755	0	3	0	8,752
TN,W	13,592	0	2	0	13,590
7th	87,784	0	74	0	87,710
IL,N	39,413	0	4	0	39,409
IL,C	5,157	0	1	0	5,156
IL,S	3,571	0	5	0	3,566
IN,N	8,935	0	1	0	8,934
IN,S	14,206	0	14	0	14,192
WI,E	12,126	0	16	0	12,110
WI,W	4,376	0	33	0	4,343

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Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 9	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 15 ¹	All Other Chapters
8th	48,431	1	110	0	48,320
AR ²	10,734	0	13	0	10,721
IA,N	1,791	0	10	0	1,781
IA,S	2,838	0	3	0	2,835
MN	9,911	0	26	0	9,885
MO,E	9,873	1	3	0	9,869
MO,W	7,376	0	6	0	7,370
NE	4,043	0	27	0	4,016
ND	781	0	9	0	772
SD	1,084	0	13	0	1,071
9th	123,777	2	40	1	123,734
AK	450	0	0	0	450
AZ	16,337	0	3	0	16,334
CA,N	8,657	0	3	0	8,654
CA,E	14,847	2	12	0	14,833
CA,C	37,192	0	3	0	37,189
CA,S	7,972	0	0	0	7,972
HI	1,529	0	0	0	1,529
ID	3,724	0	6	0	3,718
MT	1,302	0	6	1	1,295
NV	9,404	0	0	0	9,404
OR	8,815	0	2	0	8,813
WA,E	3,644	0	5	0	3,639
WA,W	9,750	0	0	0	9,750
GUAM	154	0	0	0	154
NMI	0	-	-	-	-
10th	41,902	1	54	0	41,847
CO	11,445	1	7	0	11,437
KS	6,856	0	35	0	6,821
NM	3,274	0	0	0	3,274
OK,N	2,592	0	2	0	2,590
OK,E	1,450	0	1	0	1,449
OK,W	5,488	0	3	0	5,485
UT	9,771	0	6	0	9,765
WY	1,026	0	0	0	1,026

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Circuit and District	Total All Chapters	Total Chapter 9	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 15 ¹	All Other Chapters
11th	116,384	0	35	23	116,326
AL,N	13,614	0	5	0	13,609
AL,M	7,931	0	0	0	7,931
AL,S	5,301	0	0	0	5,301
FL,N	2,570	0	2	2	2,566
FL,M	24,312	0	2	1	24,309
FL,S	16,930	0	0	20	16,910
GA,N	30,741	0	7	0	30,734
GA,M	8,417	0	18	0	8,399
GA,S	6,568	0	1	0	6,567

¹ Total Chapter 15 column includes cases filed under chapter 15 (100) as well as Section 304 (0).

² The United States Bankruptcy Court for Arkansas (AR) includes both the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas.