

Table F-2.

**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Business and Nonbusiness Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2016**

Circuit and District	Total Filings	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 13	Predominant Nature of Debt <sup>1</sup>								
						Business Filings					Nonbusiness Filings			
						Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 12	Chapter 13	Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>805,580</b>	<b>498,367</b>	<b>7,450</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>299,150</b>	<b>24,457</b>	<b>15,191</b>	<b>6,329</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>2,326</b>	<b>781,123</b>	<b>483,176</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>296,824</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>127</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>25,701</b>	<b>15,189</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>10,028</b>	<b>1,223</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>24,478</b>	<b>14,539</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>9,879</b>
ME	1,613	1,323	11	4	275	96	72	8	4	12	1,517	1,251	3	263
MA	8,873	6,019	125	11	2,718	420	282	97	11	30	8,453	5,737	28	2,688
NH	1,878	1,412	17	1	448	172	122	16	1	33	1,706	1,290	1	415
RI	2,364	1,807	7	0	550	78	65	6	0	7	2,286	1,742	1	543
PR	10,973	4,628	285	23	6,037	457	109	258	23	67	10,516	4,519	27	5,970
<b>2ND</b>	<b>36,426</b>	<b>27,123</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>8,388</b>	<b>1,924</b>	<b>962</b>	<b>767</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>34,502</b>	<b>26,161</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>8,268</b>
CT	5,914	4,713	76	3	1,122	261	174	67	3	17	5,653	4,539	9	1,105
NY, N	6,241	4,829	40	20	1,352	184	102	37	20	25	6,057	4,727	3	1,327
NY, E	11,846	8,679	197	1	2,969	480	299	166	1	14	11,366	8,380	31	2,955
NY, S	7,639	5,440	487	1	1,664	781	246	459	1	28	6,858	5,194	28	1,636
NY, W	4,182	2,972	39	3	1,168	172	102	37	3	30	4,010	2,870	2	1,138
VT	604	490	1	0	113	46	39	1	0	6	558	451	0	107
<b>3RD</b>	<b>50,513</b>	<b>31,266</b>	<b>1,055</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18,122</b>	<b>2,301</b>	<b>1,041</b>	<b>981</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>48,212</b>	<b>30,225</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>17,913</b>
DE	2,876	1,503	584	0	738	745	106	584	0	4	2,131	1,397	0	734
NJ	25,651	16,892	249	5	8,503	777	490	195	5	85	24,874	16,402	54	8,418
PA, E	9,341	4,912	85	2	4,342	323	186	77	2	58	9,018	4,726	8	4,284
PA, M	5,460	3,426	32	2	2,000	167	100	31	2	34	5,293	3,326	1	1,966
PA, W	7,161	4,515	105	8	2,533	287	157	94	8	28	6,874	4,358	11	2,505
VI	24	18	0	0	6	2	2	0	0	0	22	16	0	6
<b>4TH</b>	<b>65,527</b>	<b>36,487</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>28,525</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>63,950</b>	<b>35,510</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>28,346</b>
MD	17,212	11,475	137	6	5,594	373	226	95	6	46	16,839	11,249	42	5,548
NC, E	6,950	2,276	81	8	4,585	210	95	62	8	45	6,740	2,181	19	4,540
NC, M	4,021	1,683	18	0	2,320	124	96	17	0	11	3,897	1,587	1	2,309
NC, W	4,304	2,215	39	1	2,049	143	90	33	1	19	4,161	2,125	6	2,030
SC	6,731	2,652	29	7	4,041	157	110	26	7	12	6,574	2,542	3	4,029
VA, E	17,376	9,906	106	3	7,359	352	234	87	3	26	17,024	9,672	19	7,333
VA, W	5,595	3,407	21	7	2,160	85	50	18	7	10	5,510	3,357	3	2,150
WV, N	1,336	1,119	15	1	201	50	33	15	1	1	1,286	1,086	0	200
WV, S	2,002	1,754	32	0	216	83	43	31	0	9	1,919	1,711	1	207

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<b>5TH</b>	<b>58,857</b>	<b>23,318</b>	<b>955</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>34,533</b>	<b>2,959</b>	<b>1,736</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>55,898</b>	<b>21,582</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>34,272</b>
LA, E	3,362	1,549	26	0	1,787	118	81	25	0	12	3,244	1,468	1	1,775
LA, M	1,518	798	14	0	702	41	22	13	0	2	1,477	776	1	700
LA, W	8,945	1,721	64	7	7,153	166	82	57	7	20	8,779	1,639	7	7,133
MS, N	4,656	1,942	16	9	2,689	92	51	16	9	16	4,564	1,891	0	2,673
MS, S	6,621	3,492	38	1	3,090	172	123	35	1	13	6,449	3,369	3	3,077
TX, N	12,112	4,786	211	7	7,106	729	444	203	7	73	11,383	4,342	8	7,033
TX, E	4,721	2,069	84	0	2,568	334	227	76	0	31	4,387	1,842	8	2,537
TX, S	9,072	3,228	322	2	5,514	716	343	315	2	51	8,356	2,885	7	5,463
TX, W	7,850	3,733	180	0	3,924	591	363	172	0	43	7,259	3,370	8	3,881
<b>6TH</b>	<b>119,990</b>	<b>76,956</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>42,559</b>	<b>1,937</b>	<b>1,270</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>118,053</b>	<b>75,686</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>42,308</b>
KY, E	7,891	5,434	15	4	2,438	106	75	14	4	13	7,785	5,359	1	2,425
KY, W	7,419	4,805	17	11	2,585	119	77	16	11	14	7,300	4,728	1	2,571
MI, E	24,250	18,670	116	16	5,448	406	242	100	16	48	23,844	18,428	16	5,400
MI, W	7,117	5,657	28	4	1,428	186	138	24	4	20	6,931	5,519	4	1,408
OH, N	19,696	16,024	74	0	3,598	361	241	70	0	50	19,335	15,783	4	3,548
OH, S	17,619	12,024	15	2	5,578	267	202	14	2	49	17,352	11,822	1	5,529
TN, E	11,426	5,985	53	8	5,380	212	138	45	8	21	11,214	5,847	8	5,359
TN, M	9,573	4,829	75	0	4,669	179	105	57	0	17	9,394	4,724	18	4,652
TN, W	14,999	3,528	36	0	11,435	101	52	30	0	19	14,898	3,476	6	11,416
<b>7TH</b>	<b>96,863</b>	<b>61,534</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>35,025</b>	<b>1,748</b>	<b>1,274</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>95,115</b>	<b>60,260</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>34,836</b>
IL, N	45,838	25,554	121	3	20,157	758	571	110	3	71	45,080	24,983	11	20,086
IL, C	5,163	4,217	4	3	939	105	84	4	3	14	5,058	4,133	0	925
IL, S	3,855	2,532	5	5	1,313	80	56	5	5	14	3,775	2,476	0	1,299
IN, N	10,026	7,210	34	5	2,777	166	115	31	5	15	9,860	7,095	3	2,762
IN, S	14,667	9,874	35	4	4,754	229	172	35	4	18	14,438	9,702	0	4,736
WI, E	12,816	8,471	26	16	4,303	232	163	24	16	29	12,584	8,308	2	4,274
WI, W	4,498	3,676	20	20	782	178	113	17	20	28	4,320	3,563	3	754

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						Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 12	Chapter 13	Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>8TH</b>	<b>49,092</b>	<b>33,426</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>15,202</b>	<b>1,522</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>47,570</b>	<b>32,494</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15,064</b>
AR, E	7,270	3,159	14	8	4,089	152	111	14	8	19	7,118	3,048	0	4,070
AR, W	3,265	1,759	15	7	1,484	104	69	11	7	17	3,161	1,690	4	1,467
IA, N	1,714	1,553	1	10	150	88	72	1	10	5	1,626	1,481	0	145
IA, S	2,636	2,271	6	9	350	104	82	6	9	7	2,532	2,189	0	343
MN	9,776	8,216	23	13	1,524	327	275	23	13	16	9,449	7,941	0	1,508
MO, E	11,100	7,107	272	5	3,716	419	116	270	5	28	10,681	6,991	2	3,688
MO, W	7,473	5,117	28	2	2,325	143	96	27	2	17	7,330	5,021	1	2,308
NE	4,114	2,701	17	14	1,381	111	65	15	14	16	4,003	2,636	2	1,365
ND	666	574	7	5	80	34	21	6	5	2	632	553	1	78
SD	1,078	969	2	4	103	40	25	0	4	11	1,038	944	2	92
<b>9TH</b>	<b>135,190</b>	<b>100,643</b>	<b>1,418</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>33,074</b>	<b>4,950</b>	<b>3,477</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>130,240</b>	<b>97,166</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>32,585</b>
AK	434	354	21	0	59	48	25	21	0	2	386	329	0	57
AZ	15,895	13,059	258	2	2,576	556	329	191	2	34	15,339	12,730	67	2,542
CA, N	10,607	5,541	185	2	4,879	575	355	108	2	110	10,032	5,186	77	4,769
CA, E	15,528	11,870	70	15	3,572	521	362	51	15	92	15,007	11,508	19	3,480
CA, C	42,225	31,082	456	9	10,677	1,756	1,380	282	9	84	40,469	29,702	174	10,593
CA, S	8,263	6,404	38	1	1,820	310	249	24	1	36	7,953	6,155	14	1,784
HI	1,463	982	20	0	461	58	32	19	0	7	1,405	950	1	454
ID	3,841	3,395	16	2	428	93	73	12	2	6	3,748	3,322	4	422
MT	1,365	1,143	11	4	207	62	38	11	4	9	1,303	1,105	0	198
NV	9,063	6,958	203	0	1,897	302	166	106	0	25	8,761	6,792	97	1,872
OR	9,488	7,434	26	5	2,022	229	156	25	5	42	9,259	7,278	1	1,980
WA, E	4,120	3,119	10	3	988	75	52	9	3	11	4,045	3,067	1	977
WA, W	12,739	9,178	100	3	3,457	350	249	67	3	31	12,389	8,929	33	3,426
GUAM	152	120	2	0	30	12	10	2	0	0	140	110	0	30
NMI	7	4	2	0	1	3	1	2	0	0	4	3	0	1
<b>10TH</b>	<b>44,823</b>	<b>32,543</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>11,964</b>	<b>1,268</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>43,555</b>	<b>31,687</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>11,851</b>
CO	13,191	10,476	74	0	2,639	408	302	71	0	33	12,783	10,174	3	2,606
KS	6,553	3,776	109	18	2,650	255	100	105	18	32	6,298	3,676	4	2,618
NM	3,315	2,971	31	2	311	116	82	27	2	5	3,199	2,889	4	306
OK, N	2,459	2,189	4	2	264	52	46	4	2	0	2,407	2,143	0	264
OK, E	1,372	1,242	5	5	119	38	26	5	5	1	1,334	1,216	0	118
OK, W	5,330	4,152	29	0	1,149	144	114	24	0	6	5,186	4,038	5	1,143
UT	11,667	6,907	28	0	4,732	215	153	27	0	35	11,452	6,754	1	4,697
WY	936	830	4	0	100	40	33	4	0	1	896	797	0	99

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<b>11TH</b>	<b>121,901</b>	<b>59,344</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>61,598</b>	<b>3,003</b>	<b>1,995</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>118,898</b>	<b>57,349</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>61,375</b>
AL, N	13,618	6,600	26	1	6,991	157	124	23	1	9	13,461	6,476	3	6,982
AL, M	8,010	1,665	14	0	6,331	73	52	14	0	7	7,937	1,613	0	6,324
AL, S	4,463	1,235	21	0	3,207	48	26	17	0	5	4,415	1,209	4	3,202
FL, N	2,457	1,937	42	3	475	150	103	38	3	6	2,307	1,834	4	469
FL, M	25,944	17,282	326	17	8,317	1,013	685	238	17	71	24,931	16,597	88	8,246
FL, S	19,317	10,149	279	2	8,883	631	366	214	2	45	18,686	9,783	65	8,838
GA, N	32,420	16,465	121	1	15,833	623	473	113	1	36	31,797	15,992	8	15,797
GA, M	8,381	2,576	31	31	5,743	198	105	31	31	31	8,183	2,471	0	5,712
GA, S	7,291	1,435	29	9	5,818	110	61	27	9	13	7,181	1,374	2	5,805

NOTE: These figures include the following cases not reflected elsewhere:

Chapter 9		Chapter 15	
KY, W	1	NY, S	47
MO, W	1	DE	51
NE	1	NJ	2
CA, E	1	SC	2
OK, E	1	VA, E	2
		LA, M	4
		TX, N	2
		TX, S	6
		TX, W	13
		IL, N	3
		CA, C	1
		NV	5
		OR	1
		WA, W	1
		CO	2
		WY	2
		FL, M	2
		FL, S	4

<sup>1</sup> Section 101 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code defines consumer (nonbusiness) debt as that incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose. If the debtor is a corporation or partnership, or if debt related to operation of a business predominates, the nature of the debt is business.