

Table B-4B.

U.S. Courts of Appeals—Median Time Intervals in Months for Merit Terminations of Bankruptcy Appeals, by Circuit, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2009

Circuit	Total Cases	From Filing of Notice of Appeal to Filing of Last Brief		From Filing of Last Brief to Hearing or Submission		From Hearing to Final Disposition		From Submission to Final Disposition		From Filing of Notice of Appeal to Final Disposition		From Filing in Lower Court to Final Disposition in Appellate Court	
		Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval
BANKRUPTCY APPEALS													
TOTAL	433	333	5.3	333	5.6	235	2.4	198	0.9	433	15.0	433	24.3
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1	1	7.1	1	5.3	-	-	1	1.0	1	13.3	1	83.7
FIRST	19	12	6.9	12	1.8	6	4.9	13	1.9	19	11.7	19	19.8
SECOND	51	50	4.7	50	6.2	42	.9	9	0.9	51	14.7	51	25.4
THIRD	37	25	7.1	25	4.7	10	3.8	27	1.3	37	14.6	37	24.2
FOURTH	24	11	4.4	11	7.7	9	2.4	15	0.2	24	8.6	24	15.4
FIFTH	52	47	4.4	47	5.1	39	2.1	13	1.9	52	12.5	52	23.4
SIXTH	38	33	8.4	33	4.4	24	2.2	14	1.4	38	15.4	38	31.1
SEVENTH	29	7	8.5	7	3.8	22	3.4	7	0.5	29	13.8	29	21.5
EIGHTH	25	24	3.3	24	5.8	15	7.0	10	0.5	25	15.4	25	23.4
NINTH	104	83	5.3	83	11.7	50	2.1	54	0.5	104	18.7	104	29.0
TENTH	20	15	4.5	15	4.9	8	5.9	12	1.8	20	11.6	20	19.1
ELEVENTH	33	25	3.7	25	3.1	10	3.4	23	1.3	33	10.1	33	18.6

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.