

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, 2017**

Circuit and District	Total Filings	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 13	Predominant Nature of Debt ¹								
						Business Filings					Nonbusiness Filings			
						Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 12	Chapter 13	Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
Total	790,830	486,542	7,052	508	296,599	23,109	14,407	5,966	508	2,099	767,721	472,135	1,086	294,500
DC	738	490	23	0	225	37	15	19	0	3	701	475	4	222
1st	23,038	13,603	303	34	9,097	914	510	244	34	125	22,124	13,093	59	8,972
ME	1,450	1,190	9	4	247	94	64	8	4	18	1,356	1,126	1	229
MA	8,458	5,565	105	11	2,776	345	234	73	11	26	8,113	5,331	32	2,750
NH	1,840	1,354	16	1	469	79	60	16	1	2	1,761	1,294	0	467
RI	2,262	1,724	17	0	521	84	62	16	0	6	2,178	1,662	1	515
PR	9,028	3,770	156	18	5,084	312	90	131	18	73	8,716	3,680	25	5,011
2nd	38,570	26,822	982	21	10,675	2,031	966	886	21	88	36,539	25,856	96	10,587
CT	5,654	4,503	46	2	1,102	183	132	41	2	7	5,471	4,371	5	1,095
NY, N	5,907	4,542	48	5	1,312	177	105	46	5	21	5,730	4,437	2	1,291
NY, E	14,240	9,096	257	0	4,887	603	394	208	0	1	13,637	8,702	49	4,886
NY, S	7,929	5,359	587	1	1,913	846	201	547	1	28	7,083	5,158	40	1,885
NY, W	4,273	2,858	41	4	1,370	186	113	41	4	28	4,087	2,745	0	1,342
VT	567	464	3	9	91	36	21	3	9	3	531	443	0	88
3rd	51,868	31,238	1,034	13	19,557	2,094	927	940	13	188	49,774	30,311	94	19,369
DE	2,858	1,500	435	0	897	535	70	434	0	5	2,323	1,430	1	892
NJ	26,716	16,699	357	5	9,655	791	436	288	5	62	25,925	16,263	69	9,593
PA, E	8,864	4,574	93	1	4,196	311	182	86	1	42	8,553	4,392	7	4,154
PA, M	5,386	3,319	37	1	2,029	168	86	37	1	44	5,218	3,233	0	1,985
PA, W	8,031	5,142	109	6	2,774	284	152	92	6	34	7,747	4,990	17	2,740
VI	13	4	3	0	6	5	1	3	0	1	8	3	0	5
4th	64,263	36,287	454	34	27,488	1,584	1,019	379	34	152	62,679	35,268	75	27,336
MD	17,271	11,595	110	3	5,563	359	230	88	3	38	16,912	11,365	22	5,525
NC, E	6,387	2,178	88	4	4,117	216	106	73	4	33	6,171	2,072	15	4,084
NC, M	3,929	1,642	23	6	2,258	98	62	22	6	8	3,831	1,580	1	2,250
NC, W	4,138	2,175	31	3	1,929	130	86	30	3	11	4,008	2,089	1	1,918
SC	6,492	2,644	28	4	3,816	146	108	20	4	14	6,346	2,536	8	3,802
VA, E	17,283	9,878	114	7	7,284	410	287	91	7	25	16,873	9,591	23	7,259
VA, W	5,458	3,309	18	5	2,126	104	71	16	5	12	5,354	3,238	2	2,114
WV, N	1,329	1,135	15	0	179	49	32	13	0	4	1,280	1,103	2	175
WV, S	1,976	1,731	27	2	216	72	37	26	2	7	1,904	1,694	1	209

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5th	61,099	24,947	1,196	49	34,902	3,233	1,768	1,160	49	251	57,866	23,179	36	34,651
LA, E	3,477	1,602	40	0	1,835	154	100	38	0	16	3,323	1,502	2	1,819
LA, M	1,248	650	5	1	592	33	24	5	1	3	1,215	626	0	589
LA, W	8,793	1,775	78	19	6,921	192	88	73	19	12	8,601	1,687	5	6,909
MS, N	4,864	1,976	26	4	2,858	98	50	26	4	18	4,766	1,926	0	2,840
MS, S	7,199	3,696	27	1	3,475	142	99	27	1	15	7,057	3,597	0	3,460
TX, N	12,035	5,212	354	13	6,455	886	474	347	13	51	11,149	4,738	7	6,404
TX, E	5,272	2,249	99	3	2,920	347	216	92	3	35	4,925	2,033	7	2,885
TX, S	10,009	3,669	476	4	5,857	904	370	463	4	64	9,105	3,299	13	5,793
TX, W	8,202	4,118	91	4	3,989	477	347	89	4	37	7,725	3,771	2	3,952
6th	119,316	76,884	299	48	42,084	1,773	1,263	244	48	217	117,543	75,621	55	41,867
KY, E	8,159	5,735	12	5	2,407	98	68	8	5	17	8,061	5,667	4	2,390
KY, W	7,513	4,938	13	10	2,552	113	79	13	10	11	7,400	4,859	0	2,541
MI, E	24,120	18,522	77	12	5,508	321	205	69	12	34	23,799	18,317	8	5,474
MI, W	6,487	5,165	12	4	1,306	155	120	10	4	21	6,332	5,045	2	1,285
OH, N	20,464	16,398	37	4	4,025	366	283	34	4	45	20,098	16,115	3	3,980
OH, S	17,150	11,710	19	3	5,418	289	229	16	3	41	16,861	11,481	3	5,377
TN, E	11,960	6,571	42	6	5,341	171	116	32	6	17	11,789	6,455	10	5,324
TN, M	8,994	4,340	53	2	4,599	150	101	33	2	14	8,844	4,239	20	4,585
TN, W	14,469	3,505	34	2	10,928	110	62	29	2	17	14,359	3,443	5	10,911
7th	92,620	57,806	285	63	34,466	1,689	1,182	257	63	187	90,931	56,624	28	34,279
IL, N	42,829	23,247	149	2	19,431	756	554	132	2	68	42,073	22,693	17	19,363
IL, C	5,263	4,227	12	3	1,021	110	79	11	3	17	5,153	4,148	1	1,004
IL, S	3,676	2,474	15	5	1,182	86	57	15	5	9	3,590	2,417	0	1,173
IN, N	9,402	6,521	29	2	2,850	121	81	25	2	13	9,281	6,440	4	2,837
IN, S	14,237	9,309	42	10	4,876	225	161	37	10	17	14,012	9,148	5	4,859
WI, E	12,751	8,361	14	15	4,361	195	135	13	15	32	12,556	8,226	1	4,329
WI, W	4,462	3,667	24	26	745	196	115	24	26	31	4,266	3,552	0	714

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8th	48,732	33,186	204	75	15,264	1,190	796	188	75	128	47,542	32,390	16	15,136
AR, E	7,293	3,259	12	6	4,016	109	78	9	6	16	7,184	3,181	3	4,000
AR, W	3,342	1,875	11	8	1,448	96	64	8	8	16	3,246	1,811	3	1,432
IA, N	1,663	1,498	9	13	143	80	57	9	13	1	1,583	1,441	0	142
IA, S	2,645	2,317	6	2	320	83	72	6	2	3	2,562	2,245	0	317
MN	9,744	8,012	59	15	1,658	304	211	58	15	20	9,440	7,801	1	1,638
MO, E	10,642	6,951	46	1	3,644	174	110	44	1	19	10,468	6,841	2	3,625
MO, W	7,499	5,005	32	4	2,458	145	93	28	4	20	7,354	4,912	4	2,438
NE	4,058	2,681	18	14	1,342	111	63	16	14	15	3,947	2,618	2	1,327
ND	788	688	6	2	92	43	28	6	2	7	745	660	0	85
SD	1,058	900	5	10	143	45	20	4	10	11	1,013	880	1	132
9th	128,102	95,283	1,278	71	31,460	4,634	3,291	828	71	434	123,468	91,992	450	31,026
AK	460	365	7	3	85	40	28	7	3	2	420	337	0	83
AZ	15,682	12,688	197	6	2,791	511	334	140	6	31	15,171	12,354	57	2,760
CA, N	9,394	4,987	185	5	4,213	544	343	106	5	86	8,850	4,644	79	4,127
CA, E	15,526	11,849	78	21	3,577	503	339	61	21	81	15,023	11,510	17	3,496
CA, C	39,325	28,905	415	3	10,001	1,627	1,241	273	3	109	37,698	27,664	142	9,892
CA, S	8,201	6,519	43	2	1,637	310	256	24	2	28	7,891	6,263	19	1,609
HI	1,388	919	8	2	459	38	26	6	2	4	1,350	893	2	455
ID	3,771	3,324	17	7	423	113	88	14	7	4	3,658	3,236	3	419
MT	1,314	1,088	13	8	205	63	39	13	8	3	1,251	1,049	0	202
NV	8,760	6,626	205	0	1,927	277	161	96	0	18	8,483	6,465	109	1,909
OR	9,078	7,007	22	6	2,043	190	138	19	6	27	8,888	6,869	3	2,016
WA, E	3,928	3,018	11	1	897	80	61	8	1	9	3,848	2,957	3	888
WA, W	11,129	7,879	76	7	3,166	328	232	60	7	28	10,801	7,647	16	3,138
GUAM	143	107	0	0	36	9	5	0	0	4	134	102	0	32
NMI	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0
10th	44,412	31,822	224	34	12,330	1,133	798	204	34	95	43,279	31,024	20	12,235
CO	12,475	9,690	94	2	2,689	400	281	89	2	28	12,075	9,409	5	2,661
KS	6,711	3,746	41	25	2,899	182	99	37	25	21	6,529	3,647	4	2,878
NM	3,340	2,994	38	2	306	127	85	33	2	7	3,213	2,909	5	299
OK, N	2,536	2,242	5	1	288	60	53	5	1	1	2,476	2,189	0	287
OK, E	1,473	1,317	1	0	154	35	33	1	0	0	1,438	1,284	0	154
OK, W	5,357	4,171	18	3	1,165	130	100	16	3	11	5,227	4,071	2	1,154
UT	11,531	6,773	23	0	4,735	169	122	20	0	27	11,362	6,651	3	4,708
WY	989	889	4	1	94	30	25	3	1	0	959	864	1	94

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11th	118,072	58,174	770	66	59,051	2,797	1,872	617	66	231	115,275	56,302	153	58,820
AL, N	14,082	6,645	34	7	7,396	165	116	32	7	10	13,917	6,529	2	7,386
AL, M	8,169	1,803	14	2	6,350	80	59	13	2	6	8,089	1,744	1	6,344
AL, S	4,909	1,368	17	0	3,524	36	20	14	0	2	4,873	1,348	3	3,522
FL, N	2,510	1,979	26	4	501	94	61	24	4	5	2,416	1,918	2	496
FL, M	24,429	16,985	294	9	7,141	977	679	216	9	73	23,452	16,306	78	7,068
FL, S	16,565	8,565	222	1	7,766	590	358	168	1	52	15,975	8,207	54	7,714
GA, N	31,984	16,677	110	6	15,191	548	401	104	6	37	31,436	16,276	6	15,154
GA, M	8,538	2,697	39	26	5,776	206	109	36	26	35	8,332	2,588	3	5,741
GA, S	6,886	1,455	14	11	5,406	101	69	10	11	11	6,785	1,386	4	5,395

¹ 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.

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

Chapter 9		Chapter 15	
TX, E	1	MA	1
NE	3	CT	1
CA, N	1	NY, S	69
CA, E	1	DE	26
WA, E	1	TX, N	1
OK, E	1	TX, S	3
		MI, E	1
		CA, N	3
		CA, C	1
		NV	2
		WA, W	1
		WY	1
		FL, S	11