

Table B-3.
U.S. Courts of Appeals—Sources of Appeals, Original Proceedings, and
Miscellaneous Applications Commenced, by Circuit,
During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2010 Through 2014

Source	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Total	55,992	55,126	57,501	56,475	54,988
U.S. District Courts	43,737	42,931	44,034	42,175	41,571
Bankruptcy	678	683	811	907	784
Administrative Agencies, Total	7,813	7,550	8,391	8,287	6,927
IRS	171	233	216	175	177
Labor	19	15	20	23	18
FCC	28	34	92	16	32
FERC	68	43	110	61	40
NLRB	245	302	277	248	178
EPA	183	243	235	186	226
BIA	6,750	6,333	7,035	7,225	5,982
Other Administrative Agencies	349	347	406	353	274
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	3,764	3,962	4,265	5,106	5,706
DC Circuit	1,178	1,132	1,193	1,105	1,003
U.S. District Courts	691	547	565	619	514
Bankruptcy	2	7	6	7	4
Administrative Agencies, Total	380	472	512	345	375
IRS	12	13	26	8	8
NLRB	58	126	92	79	61
BIA	1	2	0	1	1
Other Administrative Agencies	309	331	394	257	305
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	105	106	110	134	110
1st Circuit	1,530	1,507	1,587	1,578	1,421
ME	97	125	140	118	113
MA	509	518	516	497	418
NH	103	90	86	95	74
RI	73	91	98	89	94
PR	497	409	431	501	425
Bankruptcy	37	29	27	35	29
Administrative Agencies, Total	158	171	216	165	161
IRS	8	6	5	4	4
NLRB	7	5	10	4	5
BIA	137	152	186	153	144
Other Administrative Agencies	6	8	15	4	8
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	56	74	73	78	107

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Source	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
2nd Circuit	5,371	5,541	5,531	5,093	5,044
CT	290	281	360	314	304
NY,N	422	434	427	397	348
NY,E	929	873	851	829	844
NY,S	1,637	1,721	1,662	1,521	1,820
NY,W	368	392	345	324	312
VT	49	52	60	64	51
Bankruptcy	85	92	98	84	70
Administrative Agencies, Total	1,357	1,475	1,493	1,290	898
IRS	9	23	11	17	24
NLRB	29	29	31	28	13
BIA	1,299	1,405	1,430	1,226	837
Other Administrative Agencies	20	18	21	19	24
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	234	221	235	270	397
3rd Circuit	3,951	3,645	3,766	3,893	4,029
DE	158	199	122	137	145
NJ	726	717	629	561	1,093
PA,E	1,014	881	1,034	1,054	933
PA,M	562	512	555	499	508
PA,W	546	458	463	464	450
VI	85	82	65	49	60
Bankruptcy	52	44	58	67	54
Administrative Agencies, Total	542	449	452	367	268
IRS	15	13	7	12	9
NLRB	23	26	21	20	15
BIA	484	386	393	320	224
Other Administrative Agencies	20	24	31	15	20
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	266	303	388	695	518

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Source	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
4th Circuit	4,854	4,576	5,002	5,061	4,765
MD	668	545	595	653	558
NC,E	530	562	574	740	660
NC,M	306	328	217	290	278
NC,W	347	318	408	408	360
SC	826	763	769	731	607
VA,E	923	876	1,031	823	922
VA,W	319	245	321	251	276
WV,N	176	151	119	159	142
WV,S	143	156	128	123	101
Bankruptcy	43	43	63	56	56
Administrative Agencies, Total	242	260	339	326	224
IRS	14	16	4	13	11
NLRB	12	15	24	9	4
BIA	191	173	199	236	161
Other Administrative Agencies	25	56	112	68	48
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	331	329	438	501	581
5th Circuit	7,462	7,401	7,641	7,439	7,886
LA,E	573	585	513	482	631
LA,M	215	223	255	182	188
LA,W	437	417	431	530	426
MS,N	164	165	149	143	166
MS,S	321	282	299	261	253
TX,N	1,197	1,181	1,238	1,243	1,312
TX,E	502	544	501	468	376
TX,S	1,638	1,760	1,747	1,655	1,768
TX,W	1,227	1,227	1,314	1,173	1,368
Bankruptcy	88	76	130	125	80
Administrative Agencies, Total	562	433	481	491	461
IRS	25	20	18	16	9
NLRB	10	11	14	17	4
BIA	440	362	411	420	416
Other Administrative Agencies	87	40	38	38	32
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	538	508	583	686	857

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Source	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
6th Circuit	4,954	4,725	4,855	5,137	4,698
KY,E	318	303	314	327	339
KY,W	258	251	211	245	181
MI,E	950	895	923	1,025	970
MI,W	518	557	517	474	453
OH,N	663	579	681	591	513
OH,S	506	518	457	480	461
TN,E	311	325	293	293	282
TN,M	277	233	265	303	262
TN,W	318	299	291	377	302
Bankruptcy	41	56	51	56	56
Administrative Agencies, Total	398	325	390	396	283
IRS	18	9	13	5	3
NLRB	28	17	24	26	16
BIA	327	266	306	317	237
Other Administrative Agencies	25	33	47	48	27
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	396	384	462	570	596
7th Circuit	3,124	3,038	2,994	2,949	3,016
IL,N	1,032	1,053	968	997	1,003
IIL,C	293	340	291	303	323
IL,S	248	250	234	236	279
IN,N	227	287	212	230	194
IN,S	345	267	333	311	327
WI,E	346	304	309	265	278
WI,W	219	166	182	174	163
Bankruptcy	41	48	42	50	35
Administrative Agencies, Total	173	149	169	167	143
IRS	5	9	19	11	18
NLRB	25	20	16	19	10
BIA	123	105	101	113	100
Other Administrative Agencies	20	15	33	24	15
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	200	174	254	216	271

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Source	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
8th Circuit	2,878	2,876	3,080	2,937	2,927
AR,E	325	367	348	343	377
AR,W	102	124	147	124	117
IA,N	163	156	178	161	191
IA,S	204	206	264	192	173
MN	338	378	417	355	341
MO,E	421	397	398	404	364
MO,W	507	414	488	453	457
NE	234	216	199	173	150
ND	58	82	83	59	95
SD	123	116	108	110	106
Bankruptcy	18	27	24	41	31
Administrative Agencies, Total	111	135	150	169	144
IRS	7	24	11	13	15
NLRB	8	8	9	4	14
BIA	83	90	111	137	101
Other Administrative Agencies	13	13	19	15	14
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	274	258	276	353	381
9th Circuit	11,982	12,141	12,684	12,826	12,061
AK	97	96	101	87	68
AZ	730	815	831	841	788
CA,N	950	914	902	843	861
CA,E	1,087	1,250	1,104	941	844
CA,C	2,144	2,241	2,329	2,323	2,068
CA,S	554	528	609	588	598
HI	123	119	156	136	145
ID	130	132	121	159	138
MT	278	218	201	231	239
NV	600	647	602	522	585
ORr	412	412	368	416	415
WA,E	188	153	182	168	127
WA,W	438	486	564	482	446
GUAM	12	15	10	11	13
NMI	16	9	12	12	11
Bankruptcy	159	179	196	273	229
Administrative Agencies, Total	3,325	3,130	3,675	4,054	3,555
IRS	39	55	55	49	50
NLRB	24	30	29	29	21
BIA	3,169	2,963	3,501	3,881	3,419
Other Administrative Agencies	93	82	90	95	65
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	739	797	721	739	931

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Source	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
10th Circuit	2,270	2,311	2,170	2,091	1,986
CO	560	556	472	498	502
KS	323	336	332	297	279
NM	283	244	203	211	220
OK,N	153	164	168	170	134
OK,E	93	90	69	79	90
OK,W	290	300	313	280	244
UT	210	216	189	163	157
WY	108	105	99	91	79
Bankruptcy	35	22	34	31	25
Administrative Agencies, Total	92	108	137	117	113
IRS	7	19	15	7	5
NLRB	5	7	3	7	6
BIA	69	60	73	80	89
Other Administrative Agencies	11	22	46	23	13
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	123	170	154	154	143
11th Circuit	6,438	6,233	6,998	6,366	6,152
AL,N	322	278	351	283	295
AL,M	165	173	158	127	157
AL,S	137	176	226	140	158
FL,N	439	364	546	407	449
FL,M	1,540	1,300	1,666	1,451	1,251
FL,S	1,445	1,437	1,527	1,386	1,286
GA,N	816	850	855	762	774
GA,M	268	254	271	295	257
GA,S	254	260	368	323	294
Bankruptcy	77	60	82	82	115
Administrative Agencies, Total	473	443	377	400	302
IRS	12	26	32	20	21
NLRB	16	8	4	6	9
BIA	427	369	324	341	253
Other Administrative Agencies	18	40	17	33	19
Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications	502	638	571	710	814

NOTE: Totals include reopened and remanded appeals as well as original appeals. This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Administrative agency appeals previously reported as appeals of decisions by the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) are now shown as appeals of decisions by the Board of Immigration Appeals (BIA). Appeals of decisions by the U.S. Tax Court are shown as Internal Revenue Service (IRS) appeals. Beginning in March 2014, data include miscellaneous cases not included previously.