

**Table S-17.**  
**Matters Disposed of by U.S. Magistrate Judges**  
**During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2007 Through 2016**

Activity	2007	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Percent Change 2015 - 2016
<b>Total Matters</b>	<b>1,056,996</b>	<b>1,159,812</b>	<b>1,181,283</b>	<b>1,110,253</b>	<b>1,086,287</b>	<b>1,087,249</b>	<b>0.1</b>
<b>Additional Duties</b>	<b>559,989</b>	<b>577,228</b>	<b>601,900</b>	<b>580,073</b>	<b>561,796</b>	<b>566,336</b>	<b>0.8</b>
<b>Criminal</b>	<b>170,568</b>	<b>199,672</b>	<b>201,475</b>	<b>182,268</b>	<b>186,746</b>	<b>191,654</b>	<b>2.6</b>
Non-Dispositive Motions	97,359	103,527	107,697	98,308	102,010	103,385	1.3
Dispositive Motions (R&Rs)	5,989	3,210	3,177	3,200	5,279	3,949	-25.2
Pretrial Conferences	21,066	41,989	38,138	29,294	27,542	27,750	0.8
Evidentiary Hearings	1,976	2,172	2,104	1,907	1,896	1,859	-2.0
Motion Hearings/Arguments	8,904	6,822	6,981	6,234	5,897	6,181	4.8
Guilty Plea Proceedings	21,881	30,507	30,727	29,536	28,072	29,438	4.9
Probation Revocation Hearings	539	161	179	151	169	259	53.3
Supervised Release Revocation Hearings	2,410	2,138	2,488	2,370	2,195	2,493	13.6
Reentry/Drug Court Proceedings <sup>1</sup>	0	0	599	2,650	5,103	7,226	41.6
Other <sup>2</sup>	10,444	9,146	9,385	8,618	8,583	9,114	6.2
<b>Civil</b>	<b>366,847</b>	<b>351,186</b>	<b>374,195</b>	<b>371,666</b>	<b>349,536</b>	<b>348,568</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
Non-Dispositive Motions	245,566	216,190	229,201	227,946	217,369	214,970	-1.1
Dispositive Motions (R&Rs)	9,616	15,671	21,992	19,083	14,305	14,676	2.6
Social Security Appeal R&Rs	4,770	4,684	4,966	5,881	5,444	4,680	-14.0
Settlement Conferences/Mediations	22,350	21,095	22,757	20,644	22,137	22,157	0.1
Other Pretrial Conferences	53,503	55,373	56,813	59,678	55,666	57,660	3.6
Evidentiary Hearings	790	1,079	1,020	1,196	994	1,217	22.4
Motion Hearings/Arguments	13,249	12,859	12,414	12,847	10,378	10,307	-0.7
Special Masterships	410	143	5	2	1	1	0.0
Other <sup>3</sup>	16,593	24,092	25,027	24,389	23,242	22,900	-1.5
<b>Prisoner Litigation</b>	<b>22,574</b>	<b>26,370</b>	<b>26,230</b>	<b>26,139</b>	<b>25,514</b>	<b>26,114</b>	<b>2.4</b>
State Habeas R&Rs	8,981	8,965	8,681	8,464	8,160	7,991	-2.1
Federal Habeas R&Rs	2,944	3,354	3,281	3,415	3,055	3,740	22.4
Civil Rights R&Rs	10,649	14,051	14,268	14,260	14,299	14,383	0.6
Evidentiary Hearings	504	432	436	420	458	463	1.1
<b>Civil Consent</b>	<b>10,788</b>	<b>14,958</b>	<b>15,803</b>	<b>15,970</b>	<b>16,796</b>	<b>16,656</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
Without Trial	10,268	14,461	15,347	15,561	16,419	16,285	-0.8
Jury Trial	327	358	313	271	265	265	0.0
Nonjury Trial	193	139	143	138	112	106	-5.4

**Table S-17. (September 30, 2016—Continued)**

Activity	2007	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Percent Change 2015 - 2016
<b>Criminal Trial Jurisdiction</b>	<b>104,981</b>	<b>127,770</b>	<b>125,232</b>	<b>107,139</b>	<b>95,036</b>	<b>86,786</b>	<b>-8.7</b>
Class A Misdemeanors	10,482	8,763	8,404	8,355	8,591	6,817	-20.6
Petty Offenses	94,499	119,007	116,828	98,784	86,445	79,969	-7.5
<b>Felony Preliminary Proceedings</b>	<b>329,898</b>	<b>376,542</b>	<b>377,976</b>	<b>346,447</b>	<b>350,884</b>	<b>363,017</b>	<b>3.5</b>
Search Warrants	34,456	58,612	62,801	61,805	67,191	72,960	8.6
Arrest Warrants/Summonses	41,054	52,008	53,237	46,372	46,824	48,160	2.9
Initial Appearances	98,893	102,552	101,337	93,305	92,608	94,609	2.2
Detention Hearings	48,215	49,362	49,927	45,084	45,764	47,408	3.6
Preliminary Exams	20,698	23,314	23,513	23,048	22,930	24,683	7.6
Arraignments	58,631	67,501	64,210	56,073	54,918	54,389	-1.0
Bail Reviews/Nebbia Hearings	11,009	9,204	9,445	8,061	8,084	8,378	3.6
Attorney Appointment	11,129	9,989	8,575	7,582	7,659	6,378	-16.7
Material Witness	5,813	4,000	4,931	5,117	4,906	6,052	23.4
<b>Miscellaneous Matters <sup>4</sup></b>	<b>51,340</b>	<b>63,314</b>	<b>60,372</b>	<b>60,624</b>	<b>61,775</b>	<b>54,454</b>	<b>-11.9</b>

NOTE: R&Rs = reports and recommendations.

<sup>1</sup> The reentry/drug court proceedings category was added in 2013.

<sup>2</sup> Category includes writs, mental competency hearings, and oral argument hearings.

<sup>3</sup> Category includes fee applications and summary jury trials. In 2006, early neutral evaluations were added. In 2012, fee applications and grants of in forma pauperis waivers, including those occurring in prisoner and social security appeals, were added.

<sup>4</sup> Due to a reporting problem, beginning in 2011, CJA fee applications, a component of miscellaneous matters, are estimated at the 2009 level. Beginning in 2013, orders on nondispositive motions are included in the total.