

Table B-10.

U.S. Courts of Appeals—Cases Terminated on the Merits After Oral Arguments or Submission on Briefs, by Circuit, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2025

Circuit	Terminated on the Merits										
	Total	By Consolidation	Total Excluding Consolidated Appeals	After Oral Arguments				After Submission on Briefs			
				Total	Percent of Total	En Banc	Per Panel	Total	Percent of Total	En Banc	Per Panel
Total	25,969	1,651	24,318	5,798	23.8	35	5,763	18,520	76.2	7	18,513
DC	702	118	584	194	33.2	-	194	390	66.8	-	390
1st	617	45	572	205	35.8	-	205	367	64.2	-	367
2nd	2,564	178	2,386	1,211	50.8	1	1,210	1,175	49.2	1	1,174
3rd	1,617	85	1,532	148	9.7	2	146	1,384	90.3	-	1,384
4th	2,520	124	2,396	414	17.3	1	413	1,982	82.7	2	1,980
5th	3,546	443	3,103	851	27.4	6	845	2,252	72.6	2	2,250
6th	2,345	153	2,192	298	13.6	3	295	1,894	86.4	-	1,894
7th	1,177	70	1,107	386	34.9	3	383	721	65.1	-	721
8th	1,984	99	1,885	318	16.9	3	315	1,567	83.1	-	1,567
9th	5,378	178	5,200	1,132	21.8	12	1,120	4,068	78.2	2	4,066
10th	1,052	6	1,046	337	32.2	1	336	709	67.8	-	709
11th	2,467	152	2,315	304	13.1	3	301	2,011	86.9	-	2,011

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