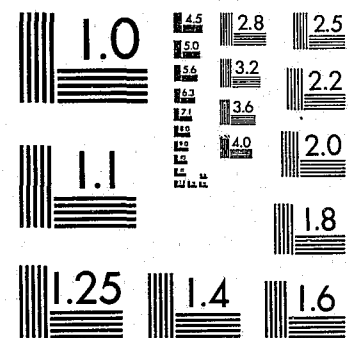


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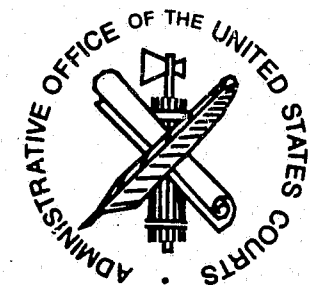
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During the decade of the 1970's, the workload of the U.S. courts of appeals rose dramatically from a total of 11,662 appeals commenced in 1970 to 20,219 in 1979 — an increase of over 73 percent. Over the same 10-year period, the appellate courts have increased the number of case dispositions by nearly 77 percent from 10,699 in 1970 to 18,928 in 1979. These data are presented following this introduction by a special table designed to give an historical overview of the trend of filings since 1930. This table contains the number of appeals filed by each circuit in the years 1930, 1940, 1950, and 1960 through 1979.

This volume, the first published by the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts providing ten years of appellate data, is a compilation of statistical tables extracted from Appendix I of the Annual Report of the Director of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts for the years ended June 30, 1970 through 1979. The primary purpose of this report is to assist researchers and other users of courts of appeals statistics by providing a single reference source for statistical tables presenting key information on the expanding workload of the appellate courts over the course of the 1970 decade.

Five series of tables are presented herein: Series B-1 containing data on appeals filed, terminated, and pending, by circuit and by major type of case; Series B-2, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court filed and disposed of; Series B-3, source of appeals and original proceedings (district courts and administrative agencies); Series B-4/5, median time intervals of cases disposed of after oral hearing or submission on briefs; and Series B-7, appeals commenced, by circuit and by nature of suit or offense (as originally filed in the U.S. district courts).

Statistics presented in this volume have been furnished by the clerks of court of the eleven U.S. courts of appeals. These were compiled by the Statistical Analysis and Reports Division (SARD), with the assistance of the Division of Information Systems. Analyses of these data and additional detailed statistics are presented in individual annual reports which can be obtained on a loan basis by writing to SARD. Comments and/or questions regarding any of the material contained in this volume may be referred, preferably in writing, to:

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Appeals Commenced in the U.S. Courts of Appeals
During the Twelve Month Periods Ended June 30, 1930, 1940, 1950, 1960 and 1961-1979

Year	Total	Circuit										
		D.C.	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
1930	2,874	325	101	463	263	162	318	233	201	314	307	187
1940	3,505	384	111	572	322	159	398	340	377	289	335	218
1950	2,830	434	67	318	236	196	408	238	274	184	317	158
1960	3,899	505	154	582	296	224	577	306	329	237	455	234
1961	4,204	527	146	674	334	250	630	340	328	246	443	286
1962	4,823	653	165	582	437	300	715	412	394	297	580	288
1963	5,437	791	143	695	410	357	874	411	434	290	719	313
1964	6,023	735	204	717	457	467	1,033	558	464	349	621	418
1965	6,766	685	210	860	497	610	1,065	685	514	333	840	467
1966	7,183	797	199	876	559	612	1,093	651	545	403	877	571
1967	7,903	798	193	979	693	803	1,173	717	554	458	935	600
1968	9,116	945	213	1,072	658	1,025	1,378	793	691	453	1,182	706
1969	10,248	1,094	221	1,263	671	1,098	1,763	868	712	440	1,494	624
1970	11,662	1,127	277	1,343	1,053	1,166	2,014	911	854	589	1,585	743
1971	12,788	1,055	383	1,423	1,100	1,211	2,316	1,015	902	713	1,936	734
1972	14,535	1,168	421	1,317	1,179	1,399	2,864	1,248	999	798	2,258	884
1973	15,629	1,360	401	1,709	1,197	1,573	2,964	1,261	1,117	821	2,316	910
1974	16,436	1,243	387	1,802	1,216	1,462	3,294	1,335	1,086	995	2,697	919
1975	16,658	1,113	477	1,739	1,392	1,319	3,292	1,436	1,170	1,009	2,731	980
1976	18,408	1,260	564	1,898	1,521	1,464	3,629	1,628	1,247	1,080	2,907	1,110
1977	19,118	1,175	563	2,063	1,729	1,656	3,563	1,827	1,386	1,123	2,905	1,128
1978	18,918	1,193	563	1,801	1,667	1,644	3,507	1,795	1,480	986	3,099	1,183
1979	20,219	1,415	599	2,058	1,702	1,925	3,854	1,889	1,603	970	3,010	1,194

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UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS

STATISTICAL TABLES Twelve Month Periods Ending June 30, 1970-1979

Source: Annual Report of the Director of the
Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts
1970-1979

TABLE B1.—U.S. courts of appeals, Cases commenced and terminated during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1971, by circuit

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1970	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1971	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ³
All circuits.....	8,812	12,788	12,368	9,232	1,371	3,391	7,606	5,765	375	1,377	89	18.1
Criminal.....	2,239	3,197	3,047	2,383	331	516	2,300	1,853	51	277	19	12.6
U.S. civil.....	1,567	2,367	2,258	1,676	172	670	1,416	1,015	85	302	13	21.3
Private civil.....	3,093	5,234	5,065	3,777	596	1,332	3,137	2,266	180	650	41	20.7
Bankruptcy.....	173	259	186	246	15	71	100	78	6	15	1	15.0
Administrative appeals.....	1,156	1,383	1,503	1,036	255	540	708	523	43	123	14	17.4
District of Columbia Court of Appeals.....	19	18	18	19		7	11	5	2	4		
Original proceedings.....	50	330	291	89	2	255	34	20	7	6	1	
District of Columbia.....	1,011	1,055	1,013	1,033	124	344	645	410	22	93	20	16.9
Criminal.....	462	383	428	417	48	100	280	243	4	30	3	10.7
U.S. civil.....	157	231	183	225	12	74	77	47	3	25	2	32.5
Private civil.....	183	214	202	195	26	82	94	69	5	25	5	25.6
Bankruptcy.....	4	1	2	3		1	1	1				
Administrative appeals.....	181	182	177	186	38	58	81	55	8	8	10	9.9
District of Columbia Court of Appeals.....	19	18	18	19		7	11	5	2	4		
Original proceedings.....	5	26	23	8		22	1			1		
First Circuit.....	97	383	350	130	24	104	222	153	22	47		21.2
Criminal.....	27	86	76	38	6	14	55	46	3	6		10.9
U.S. civil.....	18	55	57	16		25	32	17	4	11		34.4
Private civil.....	43	172	154	61	13	39	102	69	10	23		22.5
Bankruptcy.....	2	15	10	7		6	4	3		1		
Administrative appeals.....	7	51	53	5	5	19	29	18	5	6		20.7
Original proceedings.....		4	1	3		1						
Second Circuit.....	1,105	1,423	1,571	957	80	540	951	761	36	144	10	15.2
Criminal.....	236	382	373	225	19	92	262	224	4	29	5	11.1
U.S. civil.....	137	183	199	121	13	62	124	97	8	17	2	13.7
Private civil.....	480	621	664	437	24	200	440	361	12	64	3	14.5
Bankruptcy.....	28	25	31	22		16	15	12	1	2		
Administrative appeals.....	213	182	257	138	24	125	108	66	10	32		29.6
Original proceedings.....	11	50	47	14		45	2	1	1			
Third Circuit.....	866	1,100	1,105	861	382	297	426	256	51	119		27.6
Criminal.....	106	200	134	172	23	30	81	55	9	17		21.0
U.S. civil.....	127	202	177	152	18	70	89	49	15	25		28.1
Private civil.....	436	511	538	409	204	124	210	126	20	64		30.5
Bankruptcy.....	11	64	17	58	6	4	7	3	1	3		
Administrative appeals.....	181	90	203	68	130	39	34	21	6	7		20.6
Original proceedings.....	5	33	36	2	1	30	5	2		3		
Fourth Circuit.....	656	1,211	1,050	817	79	503	458	354	17	96	1	20.5
Criminal.....	114	239	198	155	24	31	143	129	1	12	1	8.4
U.S. civil.....	108	184	172	120	24	71	77	50	1	26		33.8
Private civil.....	397	695	606	486	27	372	207	139	14	54		26.1
Bankruptcy.....	2	5	4	3		1	3	3				
Administrative appeals.....	33	69	51	51	4	13	34	30	1	3		8.8
Original proceedings.....	2	19	19	2		15	4	3		1		

TABLE B1.—U.S. courts of appeals, Cases commenced and terminated during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1971, by circuit—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1970	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1971	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ³
Fifth Circuit.....	1,407	2,316	2,289	1,434	194	347	1,748	1,283	91	345	23	19.9
Criminal.....	368	544	530	382	72	64	394	330	14	46	4	11.7
U.S. civil.....	257	458	447	268	27	77	343	243	17	80	3	23.3
Private civil.....	636	1,073	1,086	623	73	141	872	601	55	198	18	22.7
Bankruptcy.....	23	41	32	32	3	12	17	13		4		
Administrative appeals.....	123	168	167	124	18	37	112	88	3	17	4	15.2
Original proceedings.....		32	27	5	1	16	10	8	2			
Sixth Circuit.....	489	1,015	1,001	503	76	243	682	546	24	102	10	15.0
Criminal.....	128	209	219	118	22	29	168	145	4	18	1	10.7
U.S. civil.....	100	181	202	82	9	55	138	104	4	30		21.7
Private civil.....	175	465	409	231	33	95	281	212	15	46	8	16.4
Bankruptcy.....	6	12	11	7	2	2	7	6			1	
Administrative appeals.....	80	139	154	65	10	57	87	78	1	8		9.2
Original proceedings.....		6	6			5	1	1				
Seventh Circuit.....	665	902	792	775	87	241	464	338	16	109	1	23.6
Criminal.....	234	183	216	201	38	39	139	108		31		22.3
U.S. civil.....	112	149	143	118	9	41	93	64	4	24	1	25.8
Private civil.....	231	430	286	375	25	84	177	127	8	42		23.7
Bankruptcy.....	9	17	14	12	2	6	6	4		2		
Administrative appeals.....	76	99	109	66	13	47	49	35	4	10		20.4
Original proceedings.....	3	24	24	3		24						
Eighth Circuit.....	404	713	703	414	83	169	451	345	38	63	5	13.8
Criminal.....	124	179	159	144	23	16	120	103	6	10	1	8.3
U.S. civil.....	79	187	174	92	16	58	100	70	16	14		14.0
Private civil.....	151	261	278	134	41	61	176	128	12	32	4	18.2
Bankruptcy.....	6	9	11	4		4	7	5	2			
Administrative appeals.....	44	64	68	40	3	19	46	39	1	6		13.0
Original proceedings.....		13	13			11	2		1	1		
Ninth Circuit.....	1,532	1,936	1,725	1,743	99	536	1,990	855	26	201	8	18.5
Criminal.....	358	618	580	396	39	98	443	368	3	68	4	15.3
U.S. civil.....	333	364	340	357	19	129	192	148	6	35	3	18.2
Private civil.....	570	515	480	603	31	123	326	240	12	73	1	22.4
Bankruptcy.....	78	57	48	87	2	19	27	24		3		11.1
Administrative appeals.....	182	307	227	262	8	120	99	73	4	22		22.2
Original proceedings.....	11	75	50	36		47	3	2	1			
Tenth Circuit.....	580	734	769	545	143	67	559	464	32	58	5	10.5
Criminal.....	82	194	135	141	17	3	115	102	3	10		8.7
U.S. civil.....	139	176	184	125	25	8	151	126	8	15	2	9.9
Private civil.....	306	277	362	221	99	11	262	204	17	29	2	11.5
Bankruptcy.....	4	13	6	11			6	4	2			
Administrative appeals.....	36	32	37	31	2	6	29	25		4		13.8
Original proceedings.....	13	48	45	16		39	6	3	2		1	

¹ All cases in which a judgment had been rendered before the end of the fiscal year are reported as terminated, even though the time for filing a petition for rehearing had not expired or a pending petition for rehearing had not been decided by June 30.

² Includes cases dismissed by the parties and cases dismissed by order of court. In one or more circuits the denial or dismissal by the court of an appeal or application by a State or Federal prisoner is frequently accompanied by a review of the trial court record and a written memorandum, filed in the case, which sets forth the reasons

for the denial or dismissal. Includes 516 cases in which memoranda were filed by the court setting forth reasons for the dismissal or in some cases the reversal of the appeal, 398 of which were in the Fourth Circuit.

³ Percent not shown where the total number of cases disposed of after hearing or submission is less than 25. No percentage of cases reversed or denied has been computed for original proceedings because of their difference from appeals, nor have they been included in the percentage of total appeals reversed or denied.

TABLE B 1.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Cases commenced and terminated during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1972, by circuit

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1971	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1972	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ³
All Circuits.....	9,232	14,535	13,823	9,939	1,373	3,918	8,537	6,267	640	1,664	117	19.4
Criminal.....	2,389	3,980	3,799	2,570	446	689	2,664	2,209	70	356	29	13.4
U.S. civil.....	1,676	2,601	2,512	1,768	200	786	1,526	1,071	104	333	18	21.8
Private civil.....	3,777	5,795	5,399	4,173	491	1,486	3,422	2,285	297	799	41	23.3
Bankruptcy.....	246	299	307	238	57	62	188	122	15	47	4	25.0
Administrative appeals.....	1,036	1,509	1,448	1,097	158	589	701	507	56	113	25	16.1
District of Columbia Court of Appeals.....	19		15	4			15	8		7		
Original proceedings.....	89	348	348	89	21	306	21	8	7	9		
District of Columbia.....	1,053	1,168	1,001	1,220	134	401	466	364	14	89	29	12.7
Criminal.....	417	456	395	478	56	108	231	204	1	17	9	7.4
U.S. civil.....	225	212	162	285	11	84	87	41	4	7	5	12.3
Private civil.....	195	239	190	244	19	91	80	88	3	17	2	21.3
Bankruptcy.....	3		3				1					
Administrative appeals.....	186	229	210	205	46	82	82	53	6	11	12	13.4
District of Columbia Court of Appeals.....	19		15	4			15	8		7		
Original proceedings.....	8	32	36	4		36						
First Circuit.....	130	421	385	166	34	98	253	157	29	67		25.8
Criminal.....	38	107	98	47	13	27	58	47		11		19.0
U.S. civil.....	16	88	67	37	4	14	49	33	5	11		22.4
Private civil.....	61	169	166	64	14	45	107	57	14	36		33.6
Bankruptcy.....	7	5	11	1	3		8	7		1		
Administrative appeals.....	5	46	35	16		9	26	13	8	5		19.2
Original proceedings.....	3	6	8	1		3	5		2	3		
Second Circuit.....	957	1,317	1,593	681	24	672	897	745	20	115	17	12.9
Criminal.....	225	463	434	204	1	130	353	328	4	19	2	5.4
U.S. civil.....	121	186	199	108	2	100	97	78	2	14	2	14.4
Private civil.....	437	436	634	239	12	287	335	259	6	66	4	19.7
Bankruptcy.....	22	29	27	24		16	11	9		2		
Administrative appeals.....	138	169	212	95	9	105	98	69	7	14	8	14.3
Original proceedings.....	14	34	37	11		34	3	2	1			
Third Circuit.....	861	1,179	1,201	839	267	259	575	446	79	150		22.2
Criminal.....	172	274	305	141	46	55	204	152	12	40		19.6
U.S. civil.....	152	169	208	103	49	60	109	67	17	25		22.9
Private civil.....	409	510	478	441	119	86	273	169	37	67		24.5
Bankruptcy.....	58	85	84	59	35	8	41	25	5	11		26.8
Administrative appeals.....	68	113	95	86	7	40	48	33	8	7		14.6
Original proceedings.....	2	38	31	9	11	20						
Fourth Circuit.....	817	1,399	1,391	825	92	438	861	606	111	141	3	16.4
Criminal.....	155	280	277	158	32	36	209	181	6	21	1	10.0
U.S. civil.....	120	216	229	107	9	76	144	100	15	29		20.1
Private civil.....	486	822	792	516	33	301	458	288	86	82	2	17.9
Bankruptcy.....	3	11	8	6		1	7	5		2		
Administrative appeals.....	51	61	77	35	17	17	43	32	4	7		16.3
Original proceedings.....	2	9	8	3	1	7						

TABLE B 1.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Cases commenced and terminated during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1972, by circuit—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1971	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1972	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ³
Fifth Circuit.....	1,434	2,564	2,662	1,636	327	458	1,877	1,325	116	395	41	21.0
Criminal.....	382	652	648	386	109	86	463	362	16	68	7	15.0
U.S. civil.....	268	571	539	300	40	99	400	272	22	103	3	25.8
Private civil.....	623	1,316	1,169	780	127	164	868	577	67	201	23	23.2
Bankruptcy.....	32	38	49	21	5	8	36	24	3	6	3	15.7
Administrative appeals.....	124	224	214	144	46	60	118	89	8	16	6	13.6
Original proceedings.....	5	53	53	5		51	2	1		1		
Sixth Circuit.....	503	1,248	1,098	653	104	315	679	511	20	140	8	20.6
Criminal.....	118	282	246	154	44	43	159	137	1	19	2	11.9
U.S. civil.....	82	206	182	106	14	69	109	83	1	23	2	21.1
Private civil.....	231	569	502	298	36	124	342	239	16	83	4	24.3
Bankruptcy.....	7	21	14	14	3	3	8	5		3		
Administrative appeals.....	65	155	141	79	7	73	61	47	2	12		19.7
Original proceedings.....		16	13	2		13						
Seventh Circuit.....	775	999	882	892	120	319	443	323	11	109		24.7
Criminal.....	201	226	197	230	39	47	111	89	2	20		18.0
U.S. civil.....	118	174	150	142	14	63	73	53	1	19		26.0
Private civil.....	375	445	412	408	59	143	210	140	6	64		30.5
Bankruptcy.....	12	13	13	-12	2	6	5	4		1		
Administrative appeals.....	66	108	80	94	6	31	43	36	2	5		11.6
Original proceedings.....	3	33	30	6		29	1	1				
Eighth Circuit.....	414	798	797	415	108	181	508	340	47	106	15	20.4
Criminal.....	144	186	224	106	43	13	168	123	9	20	6	17.9
U.S. civil.....	92	195	193	91	27	78	91	55	16	16	4	17.6
Private civil.....	134	314	286	162	33	56	197	124	20	48	5	24.4
Bankruptcy.....	4	10	6	8		8	6	5		1		
Administrative appeals.....	40	81	73	48	5	25	43	33	2	8		18.6
Original proceedings.....		12	12			9	3			3		
Ninth Circuit.....	1,743	2,258	1,968	2,033	65	682	1,221	886	44	291		23.8
Criminal.....	396	826	697	525	17	142	538	444	6	88		16.4
U.S. civil.....	357	399	375	381	13	162	220	142	8	70		31.8
Private civil.....	605	639	477	767	12	166	299	186	21	92		30.8
Bankruptcy.....	87	73	78	82	4	20	54	34	2	18		33.3
Administrative appeals.....	262	250	262	250	11	143	108	79	7	22		20.4
Original proceedings.....	36	71	79	28	8	69	2	1		1		
Tenth Circuit.....	545	884	850	579	98	95	657	504	58	91	4	13.8
Criminal.....	141	228	228	141	46	2	180	142	13	23	2	12.8
U.S. civil.....	125	198	215	108	17	21	177	147	13	16	1	9.0
Private civil.....	221	336	303	254	27	23	253	188	21	43	1	17.0
Bankruptcy.....	11	14	14	11	3		11	4	5	2		
Administrative appeals.....	31	63	49	45	4	14	31	23	2	6		19.4
Original proceedings.....	16	45	41	20	1	35	5		4	1		

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and a written memorandum, filed in the case, which sets forth the reasons for the denial or dismissal.

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TABLE B-1.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Cases commenced and terminated during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973, by circuit

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1972	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1973	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					Percent reversed or denied ³
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	
All Circuits.....	9,939	15,629	15,112	10,456	1,552	3,942	9,618	7,163	540	1,603	222	17.5
Criminal.....	2,570	4,453	4,210	2,813	540	675	2,905	2,483	86	374	52	12.5
U.S. civil.....	1,768	2,704	2,722	1,750	239	784	1,699	1,190	110	362	37	21.3
Private civil.....	4,173	6,172	6,030	4,315	523	1,520	3,987	2,820	224	782	101	19.6
Bankruptcy.....	238	338	316	260	55	73	188	120	14	47	7	25.0
Administrative appeals.....	1,097	1,616	1,493	1,220	189	579	725	546	39	115	25	15.9
D.C. Court of Appeals.....	89	346	340	93	6	311	23	4	7	12		
Original proceedings.....												
District of Columbia.....	1,220	1,360	1,288	1,292	217	470	601	446	27	99	29	16.3
Criminal.....	478	491	500	469	77	141	282	236	5	34		12.1
U.S. civil.....	285	238	293	230	62	123	108	77	6	18	7	16.7
Private civil.....	244	249	257	236	33	95	129	85	8	28	8	21.7
Bankruptcy.....	1	1	1	1								
Administrative appeals.....	205	352	212	345	44	88	80	48	8	17	7	21.3
D.C. Court of Appeals.....	4	1	3	3			1	1		1		
Original proceedings.....	4	29	25	8	1	23	1			1		
First Circuit.....	166	401	370	197	40	107	223	148	22	52	1	23.3
Criminal.....	47	112	89	70	8	21	60	50	1	9		15.0
U.S. civil.....	37	73	85	25	9	32	44	25	4	15		34.1
Private civil.....	64	165	148	81	18	36	94	55	13	25	1	26.6
Bankruptcy.....	1	6	6	4		4	2	1		1		
Administrative appeals.....	16	34	34	16	5	6	23	17	4	2		
Original proceedings.....	1	8	8	1		8						
Second Circuit.....	681	1,709	1,462	928	227	438	797	630	24	116	27	14.6
Criminal.....	204	588	547	245	130	92	325	274	7	33	11	10.2
U.S. civil.....	108	190	185	113	20	58	107	85	2	17	3	18.9
Private civil.....	239	626	474	391	51	152	271	205	14	43	9	15.9
Bankruptcy.....	24	34	44	14	9	29	21	1		6	2	20.7
Administrative appeals.....	95	221	162	154	18	80	64	44	1	17	2	26.6
Original proceedings.....	11	50	50	11	2	47	1	1				
Third Circuit.....	839	1,197	1,281	756	177	381	723	549	32	131	11	18.0
Criminal.....	141	322	314	149	41	53	220	191	1	28		12.7
U.S. civil.....	103	187	187	103	21	69	97	70	8	18		18.6
Private civil.....	441	470	545	366	72	155	318	230	22	58	8	18.2
Bankruptcy.....	59	94	83	70	31	17	35	16		18	1	51.4
Administrative appeals.....	88	82	114	54	12	51	51	42		8		15.7
Original proceedings.....	9	42	38	13		36	2		1			
Fourth Circuit.....	825	1,573	1,676	722	49	459	1,168	881	123	142	22	12.1
Criminal.....	158	309	282	185	18	26	238	203	16	14	5	5.9
U.S. civil.....	107	243	244	106	5	69	170	114	23	30	3	17.6
Private civil.....	516	957	1,080	393	25	336	719	534	78	94	13	13.1
Bankruptcy.....	6	7	9	4		4	9	6		2	1	
Administrative appeals.....	35	42	40	31	1	16	29	22	6			3.4
Original proceedings.....	3	15	15	3		12	3	2		1		
Fifth Circuit.....	1,636	2,964	2,871	1,729	349	430	2,092	1,559	128	372	33	17.8
Criminal.....	386	763	656	493	91	81	484	412	13	54	5	11.2
U.S. civil.....	300	583	591	292	54	99	438	306	38	80	5	20.3
Private civil.....	780	1,357	1,328	809	145	176	1,007	711	66	213	17	21.2
Bankruptcy.....	21	43	38	26	3	3	32	23	4	5		15.6
Administrative appeals.....	144	185	224	105	56	38	130	107	6	11	6	8.6
Original proceedings.....	5	33	34	4		33	1		1			
Sixth Circuit.....	653	1,261	1,239	675	111	383	745	543	17	171	14	23.0
Criminal.....	154	283	276	106	22	49	205	173	4	23	5	11.2
U.S. civil.....	106	242	239	109	11	97	131	91		39	1	29.8
Private civil.....	298	655	642	311	55	159	328	222	12	89	5	27.1
Bankruptcy.....	14	12	20	6	3	2	16	9	1	4	1	
Administrative appeals.....	79	148	148	79	20	62	66	48		16	2	24.2
Original proceedings.....	2	16	14	4		14						

TABLE B-1.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Cases commenced and terminated during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973, by circuit—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1972	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1973	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					Percent reversed or denied ³
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	
Seventh Circuit.....	892	1,117	1,088	921	63	395	630	452	14	161	3	25.4
Criminal.....	230	302	287	245	27	53	207	164	2	40	1	19.3
U.S. civil.....	142	182	193	131	7	77	109	69	5	35		32.1
Private civil.....	408	478	429	457	22	162	245	169	5	69	2	28.2
Bankruptcy.....	12	11	14	9	2	4	8	5	2	1		
Administrative appeals.....	94	102	123	73	4	59	60	45		15		25.0
Original proceedings.....	6	42	42	6	1	40	1			1		
Eighth Circuit.....	415	821	821	415	99	166	556	387	51	100	18	17.0
Criminal.....	106	227	191	142	17	12	162	128	16	17	1	10.5
U.S. civil.....	91	186	200	77	26	58	116	78	8	23	7	19.8
Private civil.....	162	297	310	149	42	57	211	138	23	42	8	19.9
Bankruptcy.....	8	14	18	4	4	5	9	6	1	2		
Administrative appeals.....	48	71	78	41	9	20	49	37	1	9	2	18.4
Original proceedings.....		26	24	2	1	14	9		2	7		
Ninth Circuit.....	2,033	2,316	2,140	2,209	117	676	1,347	1,013	38	242	54	17.9
Criminal.....	525	805	839	491	51	142	646	519	8	105	14	16.3
U.S. civil.....	381	379	318	442	15	99	204	140	8	47	9	23.0
Private civil.....	767	677	649	895	32	185	332	221	16	71	24	21.4
Bankruptcy.....	82	76	60	98	3	27	30	20	2	6	2	20.0
Administrative appeals.....	250	316	302	264	15	155	132	112	3	12	5	9.1
Original proceedings.....	28	63	72	19	1	68	3	1	1	1		
Tenth Circuit.....	579	910	876	613	103	37	736	555	64	107	10	14.6
Criminal.....	141	246	229	158	58	5	166	153	13	17	3	10.2
U.S. civil.....	108	201	187	122	9	3	175	135	8	31	1	17.7
Private civil.....	254	341	368	227	28	7	333	250	27	50	6	15.0
Bankruptcy.....	11	37	24	24	3	2	19	13	4	2		
Administrative appeals.....	45	63	50	58	5	4	41	24	10	7		17.1
Original proceedings.....	20	22	18	24		16	2		2			

¹ All cases in which a judgement had been rendered before the end of the fiscal year are reported as terminated, even though the time for filing a petition for rehearing had not expired or a pending petition for rehearing had not been decided by June 30.

² Includes cases dismissed by the parties and cases dismissed by order of court. In one or more circuits the denial or dismissal by the court of an appeal or application by a State or Federal prisoner is frequently accompanied by a review of the trial court record and a written memorandum, filed in the case, which sets forth the reasons for the denial or dismissal.

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TABLE B-1.—U.S. courts of appeals, cases commenced, terminated, and pending, by circuit, fiscal year 1974

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1973	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1974	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission ⁴					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ³
All circuits.....	10,456	16,436	15,422	11,470	1,936	5,035	8,451	6,429	263	1,679	180	18.6
Criminal.....	2,813	4,067	4,299	2,581	658	730	2,911	2,463	33	385	30	13.2
U.S. civil.....	1,750	3,267	2,791	2,226	252	1,119	1,420	1,025	51	288	56	20.3
Private civil.....	4,315	6,157	5,847	4,025	676	1,905	3,266	2,330	140	724	72	22.2
Bankruptcy.....	200	321	330	251	46	103	181	138	8	31	4	17.1
Administrative appeals.....	1,220	2,205	1,734	1,091	284	805	645	466	27	136	16	21.1
D.C. Court of Appeals.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	100.0
Original proceedings.....	95	410	418	96	20	370	28	7	4	15	2	18.6
District of Columbia.....	1,292	1,243	1,310	1,225	293	482	555	425	13	84	33	15.2
Criminal.....	469	247	440	276	83	107	250	217	27	27	6	10.8
U.S. civil.....	230	390	284	356	46	115	103	63	4	23	13	22.3
Private civil.....	236	154	230	160	36	86	108	88	3	13	4	12.0
Bankruptcy.....	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	345	423	344	424	123	128	93	57	6	21	9	22.6
D.C. Court of Appeals.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	100.0
Original proceedings.....	8	27	27	8	5	21	1	1	1	1	1	100.0
First circuit.....	197	387	420	164	51	110	259	204	5	50	1	19.4
Criminal.....	70	66	107	29	18	22	67	59	8	8	1	11.9
U.S. civil.....	25	80	70	35	1	24	45	33	12	12	3	26.7
Private civil.....	81	173	183	71	29	38	116	86	5	25	1	21.6
Bankruptcy.....	4	8	10	2	2	2	8	7	1	1	1	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	16	53	44	25	3	19	22	18	4	4	1	18.2
Original proceedings.....	1	7	6	2	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	100.0
Second circuit.....	928	1,802	1,819	911	378	623	819	600	30	114	15	13.7
Criminal.....	245	514	572	187	150	92	321	200	4	24	3	7.5
U.S. civil.....	113	192	181	124	39	65	77	60	3	13	1	16.0
Private civil.....	391	759	693	457	109	255	329	251	17	52	9	15.8
Bankruptcy.....	14	30	35	9	3	12	20	16	1	1	2	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	154	234	259	129	61	130	68	42	4	22	2	32.4
Original proceedings.....	11	73	79	5	7	68	4	1	1	2	2	100.0
Third circuit.....	755	1,216	1,216	755	135	381	700	594	22	130	14	18.4
Criminal.....	149	300	299	159	42	58	199	173	2	22	2	11.1
U.S. civil.....	103	231	169	165	9	54	106	78	2	24	2	22.6
Private civil.....	366	466	528	304	52	158	318	231	15	64	8	20.1
Bankruptcy.....	70	42	77	35	22	26	29	20	9	9	1	31.0
Administrative appeals.....	54	130	100	84	10	45	45	31	3	9	2	20.0
Original proceedings.....	13	38	43	8	8	40	3	1	1	2	2	100.0
Fourth circuit.....	722	1,402	1,201	983	33	609	550	425	9	105	20	18.7
Criminal.....	185	368	297	256	16	47	234	206	3	24	1	10.3
U.S. civil.....	106	241	208	141	5	110	82	54	21	21	7	25.6
Private civil.....	393	709	610	492	9	303	208	156	4	57	11	27.4
Bankruptcy.....	4	11	12	3	3	5	7	6	1	1	1	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	31	116	59	88	3	32	24	21	1	2	1	100.0
Original proceedings.....	3	17	17	3	3	13	4	2	1	1	1	100.0

TABLE B-1.—U.S. courts of appeals, cases commenced, terminated, and pending, by circuit, fiscal year 1974—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1973	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1974	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission ²	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission ⁴					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ³
Fifth Circuit.....	1,729	3,294	2,713	2,310	297	653	1,763	1,336	70	340	17	19.3
Criminal.....	493	791	736	548	104	115	517	426	11	77	3	14.9
U.S. civil.....	292	692	555	429	38	177	340	257	15	62	6	18.2
Private civil.....	809	1,443	1,131	1,121	113	235	783	573	37	166	7	21.2
Bankruptcy.....	26	55	54	27	12	16	26	18	2	6	2	23.1
Administrative appeals.....	105	254	187	172	30	60	97	62	5	29	1	29.9
Original proceedings.....	4	59	50	13	13	50	4	4	4	4	4	100.0
Sixth Circuit.....	675	1,335	1,207	803	113	432	662	518	9	126	9	19.0
Criminal.....	166	307	283	190	42	65	176	149	1	25	1	14.2
U.S. civil.....	109	287	245	151	12	131	102	83	16	16	3	15.7
Private civil.....	311	561	519	353	53	162	304	220	8	73	3	24.0
Bankruptcy.....	6	19	13	12	12	2	11	9	2	2	2	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	79	143	135	87	6	60	69	57	10	10	2	14.5
Original proceedings.....	4	18	12	10	10	12	4	4	4	4	4	100.0
Seventh Circuit.....	921	1,086	1,110	897	69	353	688	534	6	145	3	20.8
Criminal.....	245	325	322	248	16	58	248	218	1	29	1	11.7
U.S. civil.....	131	183	164	150	10	66	88	60	1	24	3	27.3
Private civil.....	457	418	494	381	38	162	294	210	4	80	1	27.2
Bankruptcy.....	9	17	11	15	15	2	9	8	1	1	1	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	73	103	90	86	4	39	47	38	9	9	1	19.1
Original proceedings.....	6	40	29	17	1	26	2	2	2	2	2	100.0
Eighth Circuit.....	415	995	918	492	141	252	525	380	30	104	11	19.5
Criminal.....	142	208	208	142	33	24	151	127	23	23	1	15.2
U.S. civil.....	77	269	248	98	42	101	105	79	9	14	3	13.3
Private civil.....	149	380	347	182	54	71	222	145	10	53	5	23.9
Bankruptcy.....	4	14	9	9	9	2	7	5	1	1	1	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	41	86	68	59	6	29	33	22	10	10	1	30.3
Original proceedings.....	2	38	38	2	6	25	7	2	1	3	1	100.0
Ninth Circuit.....	2,209	2,697	2,551	2,355	298	770	1,483	1,089	56	290	48	19.6
Criminal.....	491	736	801	426	88	106	907	483	8	105	11	17.3
U.S. civil.....	442	458	454	446	27	127	300	202	15	67	16	22.3
Private civil.....	895	747	772	870	147	210	415	275	25	95	20	22.9
Bankruptcy.....	98	100	74	124	2	28	44	36	2	6	1	13.6
Administrative appeals.....	264	586	383	467	34	233	116	93	5	17	1	14.7
Original proceedings.....	19	70	67	22	22	66	1	1	1	1	1	100.0
Tenth Circuit.....	613	919	957	575	128	391	438	324	13	91	10	19.0
Criminal.....	158	196	234	120	57	36	141	115	3	21	2	14.9
U.S. civil.....	122	244	235	131	23	140	72	56	2	12	2	16.7
Private civil.....	227	347	340	234	36	135	169	115	3	46	5	27.2
Bankruptcy.....	24	23	33	14	7	6	20	13	2	4	1	100.0
Administrative appeals.....	58	77	65	70	4	30	31	25	3	3	1	9.7
Original proceedings.....	24	32	50	6	1	44	5	5	5	5	5	100.0

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⁴ Beginning fiscal year 1974, the criteria for inclusion in this category was revised to require that each case meet the following: (1) Filing of complete record, (2) Filing of briefs pursuant to Rule 28, *Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure*, (3) Date of oral hearing or submission, and (4) A reported date of termination.

TABLE B-1.—U.S. courts of appeals, cases commenced, terminated, and pending, by circuit, fiscal year 1976

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1974	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1975	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					Percent reversed or denied ²
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	
All Circuits.....	11,470	16,658	16,000	12,128	1,925	4,998	9,077	6,763	418	1,632	264	17.8
Criminal.....	2,581	4,187	4,005	2,763	503	564	2,938	2,450	69	348	71	11.8
U.S. civil.....	2,226	2,981	3,094	2,113	339	1,116	1,639	1,144	74	368	55	22.3
Private civil.....	4,625	6,511	6,252	4,884	679	1,964	3,609	2,567	218	718	106	19.9
Bankruptcy.....	250	246	301	195	35	90	176	118	14	35	9	19.9
Administrative appeals.....	1,692	2,290	1,909	2,073	356	874	679	474	37	146	22	21.5
D.C. Court of Appeals Original proceedings.....	96	443	439	100	13	390	36	10	6	19	1	
District of Columbia.....	1,225	1,113	1,133	1,205	284	363	486	337	23	94	32	19.4
Criminal.....	276	192	293	175	55	63	170	134	3	23	10	13.5
U.S. civil.....	356	266	353	269	125	112	116	65	7	35	9	30.2
Private civil.....	160	132	157	135	31	44	82	65	3	12	2	14.6
Bankruptcy.....	1		1				1	1				
Administrative appeals.....	424	494	303	619	71	116	116	72	9	24	11	20.7
D.C. Court of Appeals Original proceedings.....	8	25	26	7	2	23	1		1			
First Circuit.....	164	477	416	225	39	136	241	185	10	46		19.0
Criminal.....	29	80	58	51	1	20	37	28	2	7		18.9
U.S. civil.....	35	104	91	48	7	34	50	36	3	11		22.0
Private civil.....	71	218	202	87	29	46	127	100	5	22		17.3
Bankruptcy.....	2	8	7	3		3	4	4				
Administrative appeals.....	25	58	50	33	2	29	19	14		5		
Original proceedings.....	2	9	8	3		4	4	3		1		
Second Circuit.....	911	1,739	1,803	842	341	684	783	616	28	128	11	16.4
Criminal.....	187	441	471	157	135	68	263	232	6	26	4	9.7
U.S. civil.....	124	164	187	101	21	75	91	68	3	17	3	18.7
Private civil.....	457	784	843	398	135	348	360	265	18	73	4	20.3
Bankruptcy.....	9	34	27	16	1	7	19	17		2		
Administrative appeals.....	129	258	223	164	48	131	44	33	1	10		22.7
Original proceedings.....	5	58	57	6	1	55	1	1				
Third Circuit.....	755	1,392	1,296	851	150	401	745	562	39	136	8	17.9
Criminal.....	159	321	307	173	41	50	216	188	5	23		10.6
U.S. civil.....	165	218	251	132	28	89	134	99	4	28	3	20.9
Private civil.....	304	594	501	397	48	140	304	226	24	52	2	17.1
Bankruptcy.....	35	31	43	33	9	6	28	11	4	11	2	30.3
Administrative appeals.....	84	176	146	114	22	65	59	37	2	19	1	32.2
Original proceedings.....	8	52	48	12	2	42	4	1		3		
Fourth Circuit.....	983	1,319	1,252	1,050	74	638	540	414	6	89	31	16.5
Criminal.....	256	324	313	267	29	51	233	197	1	19	16	8.2
U.S. civil.....	141	243	207	177	5	131	71	50	1	17	3	23.9
Private civil.....	492	599	656	435	33	426	197	143	3	42	9	21.3
Bankruptcy.....	3	8	4	7		3	1			1		
Administrative appeals.....	88	134	61	161	7	17	37	24		10	3	27.0
Original proceedings.....	3	11	11	3		10	1		1			

TABLE B-1.—U.S. courts of appeals, cases commenced, terminated, and pending, by circuit, fiscal year 1975—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1974	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1975	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					Percent reversed or denied ²
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	
Fifth Circuit.....	2,310	3,292	3,197	2,405	246	707	2,244	1,756	103	360	25	16.0
Criminal.....	548	833	760	612	26	71	672	581	16	70	5	10.4
U.S. civil.....	429	577	648	358	30	185	433	321	21	84	7	19.4
Private civil.....	1,121	1,524	1,452	1,193	152	308	992	737	57	186	12	18.8
Bankruptcy.....	27	30	39	18	5	8	26	17	4	4	1	15.4
Administrative appeals.....	172	285	244	213	33	90	121	100	5	16		13.2
Original proceedings.....	13	43	45	11		45						
Sixth Circuit.....	803	1,436	1,326	913	127	416	783	602	41	116	24	14.7
Criminal.....	190	347	289	248	40	37	212	187	7	15	3	7.1
U.S. civil.....	151	277	272	156	12	94	166	132	6	23	5	13.9
Private civil.....	353	636	589	400	62	170	357	252	25	65	15	18.2
Bankruptcy.....	12	5	16	1	4		12	7	1	4		
Administrative appeals.....	87	145	135	97	8	92	35	24	2	8	1	22.9
Original proceedings.....	10	26	25	11	1	23	1			1		
Seventh Circuit.....	897	1,170	1,281	786	69	317	895	593	51	203	48	22.0
Criminal.....	248	311	361	198	20	44	297	240	8	43	6	14.5
U.S. civil.....	150	195	228	117	21	61	146	98	1	39	8	26.7
Private civil.....	381	454	477	358	25	86	366	211	38	84	33	23.0
Bankruptcy.....	14	14	14	14		5	9	6	1	1		
Administrative appeals.....	87	141	143	86	3	71	68	37	3	28		41.2
Original proceedings.....	17	55	59	13		50	9	1		8		
Eighth Circuit.....	492	1,009	1,002	499	193	242	567	414	47	81	25	14.3
Criminal.....	142	237	253	126	61	31	161	138	11	11	1	6.8
U.S. civil.....	98	253	248	103	49	80	119	76	11	23	9	19.3
Private civil.....	182	390	356	216	61	69	226	152	20	42	12	18.6
Bankruptcy.....	9	6	12	3		4	8	7		1		
Administrative appeals.....	59	94	104	49	20	33	51	40	5	4	2	7.8
Original proceedings.....	2	29	29	2	2	25	2	1			1	
Ninth Circuit.....	2,355	2,731	2,450	2,636	310	753	1,387	992	46	297	52	21.4
Criminal.....	426	875	737	564	75	102	560	423	8	105	24	18.8
U.S. civil.....	446	470	396	520	34	125	237	148	16	65	8	27.4
Private civil.....	870	764	686	948	65	186	435	309	15	99	12	22.8
Bankruptcy.....	124	80	112	92	12	47	53	39	1	9	4	17.0
Administrative appeals.....	467	437	414	490	119	199	96	71	4	17	4	17.7
Original proceedings.....	22	105	105	22	5	94	6	2	2	2		
Tenth Circuit.....	575	980	839	716	92	341	406	292	24	82	8	19.5
Criminal.....	120	226	154	192	20	22	112	102	2	6	2	5.4
U.S. civil.....	131	214	213	132	7	130	76	51	1	24		31.6
Private civil.....	234	416	333	317	38	132	163	107	10	41	5	25.2
Bankruptcy.....	14	30	26	18	4	7	15	9	3	2	1	
Administrative appeals.....	70	64	87	47	23	31	33	22	6	5		15.2
Original proceedings.....	6	30	26	10		19	7	1	2	4		

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² Percent not shown where the total number of cases disposed of after hearing or submission is less than 25. No percentage of cases reversed or denied has been computed for original proceedings because of their difference from appeals, nor have they been included in the percentage of total appeals reversed or denied.

TABLE B-1.—U.S. courts of appeals, cases commenced, terminated, and pending, by circuit, fiscal year 1976

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1975	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1976	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ²
All Circuits	12,128	18,408	16,426	14,110	1,861	5,214	9,351	6,995	406	1,680	270	17.9
Criminal	2,763	4,650	4,238	3,175	489	635	3,114	2,689	51	334	40	10.7
U.S. civil	2,113	3,327	2,853	2,587	242	1,137	1,474	1,028	65	330	51	22.4
Private civil	4,884	7,077	6,248	5,713	665	1,837	3,746	2,621	215	813	97	21.7
Bankruptcy	195	302	210	287	15	60	135	80	14	33	8	24.4
Administrative appeals	2,073	2,615	2,359	2,229	436	1,049	874	573	60	167	74	19.1
Original proceedings	100	537	518	119	14	496	8	4	1	3		
District of Columbia	1,205	1,260	1,114	1,351	189	436	489	332	20	90	47	18.4
Criminal	175	148	219	104	52	30	137	110		18	9	13.1
U.S. civil	269	353	271	351	27	123	121	74	7	28	12	23.1
Private civil	135	171	157	149	13	53	91	63	2	23	3	25.3
Bankruptcy	1	1	1				1				1	
Administrative appeals	619	563	440	742	97	204	139	85	11	21	22	15.1
Original proceedings	7	24	26	5		26						
First Circuit	225	564	482	307	63	151	268	221	7	40		14.9
Criminal	51	159	108	102	23	26	59	52		7		11.9
U.S. civil	48	80	81	47	7	27	47	36	1	10		21.3
Private civil	87	241	203	125	21	55	127	109	2	16		12.6
Bankruptcy	3	10	13			8	5	3	1	1		
Administrative appeals	33	62	63	32	12	21	30	21	3	6		20.0
Original proceedings	3	12	14	2		14						
Second Circuit	842	1,898	1,947	793	359	691	897	701	41	130	25	14.5
Criminal	157	501	437	221	106	66	265	231	9	20	5	7.5
U.S. civil	101	238	231	108	48	84	99	82	3	11	3	11.1
Private civil	398	728	822	304	141	274	407	290	24	80	13	19.7
Bankruptcy	16	36	31	21	2	12	17	12		4		
Administrative appeals	164	313	349	128	58	183	108	85	5	15	3	13.9
Original proceedings	6	82	77	11	4	72	1	1				
Third Circuit	851	1,621	1,439	1,033	156	489	794	574	38	168	14	21.2
Criminal	173	323	295	201	33	42	220	201	2	17		7.7
U.S. civil	132	354	283	203	32	117	134	98	7	28	1	20.9
Private civil	397	650	611	436	81	174	356	236	24	94	2	26.4
Bankruptcy	23	43	28	38	2	5	21	12	2	6	1	
Administrative appeals	114	212	182	144	7	112	63	27	3	23	10	36.5
Original proceedings	12	39	40	11	1	39						
Fourth Circuit	1,050	1,464	1,336	1,178	53	527	756	544	6	150	56	19.7
Criminal	267	391	376	282	19	67	290	262		27	1	9.3
U.S. civil	177	253	236	194	7	127	102	69	3	34	6	33.3
Private civil	435	675	569	541	24	274	271	183	2	64	22	23.6
Bankruptcy	7	3	7			1	6	4			2	
Administrative appeals	161	108	118	151	3	29	86	36	1	24	25	27.9
Original proceedings	3	34	30	7		29	1	1				
Fifth Circuit	2,405	3,629	3,149	2,885	140	828	2,181	1,712	85	366	18	16.8
Criminal	612	1,033	913	732	7	131	775	671	16	84	4	10.8
U.S. civil	358	538	503	393	17	180	306	232	14	57	3	18.6
Private civil	1,193	1,625	1,345	1,473	74	344	927	665	43	209	10	22.5
Bankruptcy	18	48	25	41		6	19	15	1	2	1	
Administrative appeals	213	318	298	233	41	103	154	129	11	14		9.1
Original proceedings	11	67	65	13	1	64						
Sixth Circuit	913	1,628	1,396	1,145	136	491	769	601	34	117	17	15.3
Criminal	248	383	353	278	49	54	250	213	7	24	6	9.6
U.S. civil	156	312	256	212	13	99	144	111	6	24	3	16.7
Private civil	400	669	593	476	67	188	338	248	20	63	7	18.6
Bankruptcy	1	21	8	14		4	4	3				
Administrative appeals	97	216	149	164	7	112	30	23	1	5	1	16.7
Original proceedings	11	27	37	1		34	3	3				

TABLE B-1.—U.S. courts of appeals, cases commenced, terminated, and pending, by circuit, fiscal year 1976 — Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Cases pending July 1, 1975	Cases commenced	Cases terminated ¹	Cases pending June 30, 1976	Cases disposed of by consolidation	Cases disposed of without hearing or submission	Cases disposed of after hearing or submission					
							Total	Affirmed or granted	Dismissed	Reversed or denied	Other	Percent reversed or denied ²
Seventh Circuit	786	1,247	1,138	895	45	321	772	567	19	172	14	22.3
Criminal	198	303	267	234	10	52	205	175	3	24	3	11.7
U.S. civil	117	195	168	144	2	44	122	88	3	29	2	23.8
Private civil	358	511	498	371	30	89	379	269	11	91	8	24.0
Bankruptcy	14	31	18	27	1	8	9	5		4		
Administrative appeals	86	131	118	99	2	59	57	30	2	24	1	42.1
Original proceedings	13	76	69	20		69						
Eighth Circuit	499	1,080	987	592	162	229	596	448	27	104	17	17.3
Criminal	126	289	254	161	41	26	187	164	3	19	1	10.2
U.S. civil	103	201	169	116	18	71	100	68	4	21	7	21.0
Private civil	216	479	433	262	82	83	268	193	17	49	9	18.3
Bankruptcy	3	1	3			3	3			3		
Administrative appeals	49	81	79	51	13	29	37	23	3	11		29.7
Original proceedings	2	29	29	2	8	20	1			1		
Ninth Circuit	2,636	2,907	2,575	2,968	460	668	1,447	1,016	106	276	49	19.0
Criminal	564	865	798	631	113	96	589	490	8	81	10	13.8
U.S. civil	520	540	433	627	52	141	240	142	15	71	12	29.6
Private civil	948	888	700	1,136	97	170	433	270	57	92	14	21.2
Bankruptcy	92	67	58	101	7	14	37	19	7	9	2	24.3
Administrative appeals	490	440	497	433	191	159	147	95	19	22	11	15.0
Original proceedings	22	107	89	40		88	1			1		
Tenth Circuit	716	1,110	863	963	98	383	382	279	23	67	13	17.6
Criminal	192	255	218	229	36	45	137	120	3	13	1	9.5
U.S. civil	132	263	202	193	19	124	59	38	2	17	2	28.8
Private civil	317	440	317	440	35	133	149	95	13	32	9	21.5
Bankruptcy	18	41	18	41	3	13	7		3			
Administrative appeals	47	71	66	52	5	38	23	19	1		1	
Original proceedings	10	40	42	8		41	1					

¹All cases in which a judgment had been rendered before the end of the fiscal year are reported as terminated, even though the time for filing a petition for rehearing had not expired or a pending petition for rehearing had not been decided by June 30.

²Percent not shown where the total number of cases disposed of after hearing or

submission is less than 25. No percentage of cases reversed or denied has been computed for original proceedings because of their difference from appeals, nor have they been included in the percentage of total appeals reversed or denied.

TABLE B 1. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977, BY CIRCUIT

CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1976	CASES COM- MEN- CED	CASES TERMI- NATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1977	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLI- DATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED	DIS- MISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED	OTHER	
ALL CIRCUITS.....	14,110	19,118	17,784	15,444	2,317	4,067	11,400	7,826	1,451	1,715	408	14.6
CRIMINAL.....	3,175	4,738	4,554	3,359	723	496	3,335	2,763	186	344	42	10.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	2,587	3,622	3,198	3,011	309	863	2,026	1,266	323	317	120	15.6
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	5,713	7,358	6,680	6,391	734	1,473	4,473	2,968	600	779	126	17.4
BANKRUPTCY.....	287	303	320	270	60	79	181	110	39	29	3	16.0
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	2,229	2,564	2,510	2,283	479	762	1,269	706	268	180	115	14.2
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	119	533	522	130	12	394	116	13	35	66	2	-
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA..	1,351	1,175	1,381	1,145	462	262	657	279	211	79	88	10.2
CRIMINAL.....	104	144	143	105	23	17	103	62	21	13	7	12.6
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	351	328	348	331	68	80	200	83	54	28	35	14.0
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	149	130	150	129	26	27	97	46	26	12	13	12.4
BANKRUPTCY.....	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	742	541	713	570	345	124	244	88	110	13	33	5.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	5	31	26	10	-	13	13	-	-	13	-	-
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	307	563	547	323	81	130	336	266	9	60	1	18.2
CRIMINAL.....	102	122	138	86	34	35	69	59	2	8	-	11.6
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	47	74	74	47	4	20	50	42	-	8	-	16.0
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	125	258	248	135	39	47	162	128	3	31	-	19.1
BANKRUPTCY.....	-	15	10	5	1	3	6	5	-	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	32	79	62	49	1	19	42	26	3	12	1	28.6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	1	15	15	1	2	6	7	6	1	-	-	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	793	2,063	2,093	763	363	622	1,108	860	99	128	21	11.6
CRIMINAL.....	221	598	607	212	163	54	390	338	18	30	4	7.7
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	108	293	280	121	57	79	144	103	17	17	7	11.8
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	304	792	770	326	104	263	403	283	44	66	10	16.4
BANKRUPTCY.....	21	35	43	13	5	12	26	15	6	5	-	19.2
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	128	260	302	86	30	128	144	121	13	10	-	6.9
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	11	85	91	5	4	86	1	-	1	-	-	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	1,033	1,729	1,571	1,191	194	291	1,086	676	189	206	15	16.8
CRIMINAL.....	201	407	345	263	42	38	265	235	14	14	2	5.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	203	379	298	284	22	52	224	140	47	33	4	14.7
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	436	668	635	469	103	100	432	249	92	90	1	20.8
BANKRUPTCY.....	38	29	41	26	18	11	12	6	3	3	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	144	182	193	133	9	68	116	46	26	36	8	31.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	11	64	59	16	-	22	37	-	7	30	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	1,178	1,656	1,473	1,361	42	416	1,015	747	33	130	105	12.5
CRIMINAL.....	282	394	335	341	12	73	250	213	8	23	6	9.2
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	194	299	255	238	4	92	159	121	5	17	16	10.7
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	541	805	692	654	18	195	479	357	14	73	35	15.2
BANKRUPTCY.....	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	151	124	152	123	8	26	118	52	5	13	48	11.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	7	34	36	5	-	30	6	1	1	4	-	-

TABLE B 1. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977, BY CIRCUIT

CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1976	CASES COM- MEN- CED	CASES TERMI- NATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1977	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLI- DATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED	DIS- MISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED	OTHER	
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	2,885	3,563	3,188	3,260	217	790	2,181	1,646	154	350	31	15.9
CRIMINAL.....	732	908	877	763	36	112	729	617	23	84	5	11.5
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	393	507	466	434	22	163	281	193	25	56	7	19.9
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	1,473	1,625	1,440	1,658	107	314	1,019	731	86	185	17	18.2
BANKRUPTCY.....	41	66	49	56	3	20	26	19	1	6	-	23.1
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	233	389	291	331	46	127	118	83	18	15	2	12.7
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	13	68	65	16	3	54	8	3	1	4	-	-
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	1,145	1,827	1,425	1,547	185	363	877	619	115	112	31	12.8
CRIMINAL.....	278	371	427	222	87	32	308	255	10	40	3	13.0
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	212	421	261	372	16	102	143	87	26	15	15	10.5
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	476	711	551	636	75	135	341	228	57	44	12	12.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	14	28	17	25	2	4	11	6	2	3	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	164	267	148	283	4	78	66	42	14	9	1	13.6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	1	29	21	9	1	12	8	1	6	1	-	-
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	895	1,386	1,294	987	88	258	948	648	118	178	4	18.3
CRIMINAL.....	234	365	329	270	23	50	256	205	30	21	-	8.2
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	144	268	244	168	17	51	176	102	28	45	1	25.6
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	371	543	514	400	37	82	395	268	51	73	3	18.5
BANKRUPTCY.....	27	25	34	18	5	5	23	19	1	3	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	99	154	135	118	5	39	91	54	7	30	-	33.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	20	31	38	13	-	31	7	-	1	6	-	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT.....	592	1,123	1,059	656	115	242	702	506	45	129	22	12.4
CRIMINAL.....	161	256	271	146	51	24	196	168	5	21	2	10.7
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	115	274	255	134	22	76	157	109	11	27	10	17.2
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	262	467	430	299	39	87	304	201	23	71	9	23.4
BANKRUPTCY.....	1	3	3	1	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	51	101	79	73	3	34	42	28	4	9	1	21.4
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	2	22	21	3	-	19	2	-	2	-	-	-
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	2,968	2,905	2,659	3,214	383	465	1,811	1,098	403	261	49	14.3
CRIMINAL.....	631	877	834	674	178	45	611	482	46	75	8	12.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	627	556	457	726	50	88	319	157	94	54	14	16.9
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	1,136	892	812	1,216	117	143	552	280	166	90	16	16.3
BANKRUPTCY.....	101	73	80	94	12	18	50	21	23	5	1	10.0
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	433	391	363	461	24	79	260	157	62	32	9	12.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	40	116	113	43	2	92	19	1	12	5	1	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	963	1,128	1,094	997	187	228	679	481	75	82	41	11.8
CRIMINAL.....	229	296	248	277	74	16	158	129	9	15	5	9.5
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	193	223	260	156	27	60	173	129	16	17	11	9.8
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	440	467	438	469	69	80	289	197	38	44	10	15.2
BANKRUPTCY.....	41	28	39	30	13	3	23	16	3	2	2	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	52	76	72	56	4	40	28	9	6	1	12	3.6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	8	38	37	9	-	29	8	1	3	3	1	-

* PERCENT NOT SHOWN WHERE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION IS LESS THAN 25. NO PERCENTAGES OF CASES REVERSED OR DENIED HAS BEEN COMPUTED FOR ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS BECAUSE OF THEIR DIFFERENCE FROM APPEALS, NOR HAVE THEY BEEN INCLUDED IN THE PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL APPEALS REVERSED OR DENIED.

TABLE B 1. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1978, BY CIRCUIT

CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1977	CASES COM- MENCED	CASES TERMI- NATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1978	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLI- DATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED	DIS- MISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED	OTHER	
ALL CIRCUITS.....	15,444	18,918	17,714	16,648	2,867	5,997	8,850	6,717	393	1,536	264	17.3
CRIMINAL.....	3,359	4,487	4,461	3,385	899	672	2,890	2,503	37	316	34	10.9
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	3,011	3,928	3,437	3,502	477	1,337	1,623	1,173	64	310	76	19.1
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	6,391	7,234	6,813	6,812	1,008	2,414	3,391	2,433	189	674	95	19.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	270	435	291	414	51	122	118	88	10	18	2	15.3
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	2,283	2,382	2,256	2,409	413	1,016	827	520	33	217	57	26.2
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	130	452	456	126	19	436	1	-	-	1	-	-
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	1,145	1,193	1,085	1,253	305	411	369	257	9	49	54	13.3
CRIMINAL.....	105	142	133	114	42	29	62	54	-	6	2	9.7
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	331	405	360	376	102	128	130	84	2	21	23	16.2
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	129	132	147	114	36	56	55	40	3	7	5	12.7
BANKRUPTCY.....	1	7	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	570	481	414	637	125	167	122	79	4	15	24	12.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	10	26	30	6	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	323	563	563	323	94	157	312	226	17	69	-	22.1
CRIMINAL.....	86	104	117	73	21	28	68	59	1	8	-	11.8
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	47	101	82	66	7	22	53	37	2	14	-	26.4
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	125	245	263	117	39	71	153	107	11	35	-	22.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	5	16	14	7	6	2	6	5	1	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	49	88	77	60	21	24	32	18	2	12	-	37.5
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	1	9	10	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	763	1,801	1,888	676	307	664	917	742	30	130	15	14.2
CRIMINAL.....	212	447	476	183	127	32	317	286	9	20	2	6.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	121	318	322	117	39	116	167	141	3	22	1	13.2
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	326	715	758	283	110	292	356	258	16	73	9	20.5
BANKRUPTCY.....	13	56	51	18	6	17	17	14	-	3	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	86	200	215	71	19	136	60	43	2	12	3	20.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	5	65	66	4	6	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	1,191	1,667	1,582	1,276	338	427	817	608	25	169	15	20.7
CRIMINAL.....	263	352	373	242	109	37	227	208	-	18	1	7.9
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	284	394	358	320	64	115	179	133	5	39	2	21.8
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	469	582	593	458	126	165	302	221	18	60	3	19.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	26	111	30	107	15	4	11	9	1	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	133	176	179	130	22	59	98	37	1	51	9	52.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	16	52	49	19	2	47	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	1,361	1,644	1,557	1,448	172	869	516	383	15	85	33	16.5
CRIMINAL.....	341	295	326	310	66	100	160	143	1	10	6	6.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	238	372	294	316	23	173	95	56	4	30	8	30.6
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	654	819	801	672	61	529	211	153	5	39	14	18.5
BANKRUPTCY.....	-	4	4	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	123	130	108	145	19	43	46	30	5	6	5	13.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	5	24	24	5	-	24	-	-	-	-	-	-
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	3,260	3,507	3,361	3,406	299	903	2,159	1,630	104	386	39	17.9
CRIMINAL.....	763	1,001	949	815	51	152	746	611	9	121	5	16.2
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	434	587	506	515	31	192	283	217	15	44	7	15.5
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	1,658	1,438	1,434	1,662	120	358	956	664	73	194	25	20.3
BANKRUPTCY.....	58	54	63	49	1	21	41	32	2	7	-	17.1
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	331	360	337	354	96	108	133	106	5	20	2	15.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	16	67	72	11	-	72	-	-	-	-	-	-
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	1,547	1,795	1,503	1,839	106	574	823	647	33	107	36	13.0
CRIMINAL.....	222	456	389	289	22	51	316	275	4	28	9	8.9
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	372	382	332	422	15	139	178	126	12	27	13	15.2
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	636	730	552	814	60	188	304	233	15	44	12	14.5
BANKRUPTCY.....	25	26	13	38	-	9	4	2	1	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	283	181	192	272	9	162	21	11	1	7	2	-
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	9	20	25	4	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	987	1,480	1,269	1,198	272	348	649	465	14	163	7	25.1
CRIMINAL.....	270	350	325	295	101	50	174	155	1	18	-	10.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	168	238	200	206	37	59	104	63	2	39	-	37.5
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	400	691	554	537	113	154	287	198	9	76	4	26.5
BANKRUPTCY.....	18	22	18	22	2	4	12	11	-	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	118	152	142	128	18	52	72	38	2	29	3	40.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	13	27	30	10	1	29	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE B 1. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1978, BY CIRCUIT

CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1977	CASES COM- MENCED	CASES TERMI- NATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1978	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLI- DATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED	DIS- MISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED	OTHER	
EIGHTH CIRCUIT.....	656	986	1,093	549	231	247	615	473	10	122	10	19.8
CRIMINAL.....	146	224	248	122	73	21	154	141	1	12	-	7.8
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	134	267	258	143	35	84	139	104	3	27	5	19.4
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	299	386	457	228	110	85	262	198	4	56	4	21.4
BANKRUPTCY.....	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	73	90	111	52	13	39	59	29	2	27	1	45.8
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	3	19	18	4	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	3,214	3,099	2,715	3,598	447	1,026	1,242	956	53	195	38	15.6
CRIMINAL.....	674	877	839	712	171	139	529	452	8	64	5	12.1
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	726	576	494	808	78	212	204	144	12	33	15	16.2
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	1,216	1,032	806	1,442	128	344	334	238	22	63	11	18.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	94	89	63	120	7	43	13	5	4	3	1	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	461	425	415	471	59	195	161	117	7	31	6	19.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	43	100	98	45	4	93	1	-	-	1	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	997	1,183	1,098	1,082	296	371	431	330	23	61	17	14.2
CRIMINAL.....	277	239	286	230	116	33	137	119	3	11	4	8.0
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	156	288	231	213	46	97	88	68	4	14	2	15.9
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	469	464	448	485	105	172	171	123	13	27	8	15.8
BANKRUPTCY.....	30	50	33	47	11	10	12	8	1	2	1	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	56	99	66	89	12	31	23	12	2	7	2	-
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	9	43	34	18	6	28	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE B-1. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1979, BY CIRCUIT

CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1978	CASES COM-MENCED	CASES TERM-I-NATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1979	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLI-DATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED	DIS-MISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED	OTHER	
ALL CIRCUITS.....	16,648	20,219	18,928	17,939	3,217	6,350	9,361	7,125	462	1,548	226	16.5
CRIMINAL.....	3,384	4,102	4,320	3,166	904	667	2,749	2,381	52	283	33	10.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	3,503	3,983	3,857	3,629	563	1,400	1,894	1,365	112	351	66	18.5
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	6,812	8,237	7,175	7,874	1,037	2,465	3,673	2,678	225	693	77	18.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	414	423	421	416	154	122	145	104	14	26	1	17.9
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	2,409	2,922	2,602	2,729	546	1,163	893	596	56	192	49	21.5
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	126	552	553	125	13	533	7	1	3	3	-	-
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	1,253	1,415	1,310	1,358	455	461	394	278	17	61	38	15.5
CRIMINAL.....	114	103	133	84	42	25	66	57	1	5	3	7.6
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	376	460	425	411	119	172	134	91	6	26	11	19.4
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	114	158	116	156	23	48	45	32	2	8	3	17.8
BANKRUPTCY.....	6	-	4	2	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	637	666	608	695	268	192	148	97	8	22	21	14.9
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	6	28	24	10	-	24	-	-	-	-	-	-
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	323	599	622	300	115	174	333	251	14	58	10	17.4
CRIMINAL.....	73	120	107	86	32	29	46	36	-	10	-	21.7
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	66	114	140	40	15	41	84	62	2	15	5	17.9
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	117	256	258	115	50	57	151	114	8	24	5	15.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	7	29	24	12	8	7	9	9	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	60	63	77	46	10	24	43	30	4	9	-	20.9
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	-	17	16	1	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	676	2,058	2,060	674	309	790	961	808	25	111	17	11.6
CRIMINAL.....	183	443	467	159	117	40	310	277	6	23	4	7.4
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	117	307	322	102	38	116	168	145	4	18	1	10.7
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	283	914	886	311	118	377	391	315	12	56	8	14.3
BANKRUPTCY.....	18	71	64	25	13	25	26	20	1	4	1	15.4
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	71	234	235	70	20	150	65	50	2	10	3	15.4
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	4	89	86	7	3	82	1	1	-	-	-	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	1,276	1,702	1,816	1,162	392	680	744	558	33	137	16	18.4
CRIMINAL.....	242	313	355	200	117	53	185	165	2	15	3	8.1
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	320	377	402	295	43	177	182	136	13	28	5	15.4
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	458	713	666	505	93	280	293	215	15	59	4	20.1
BANKRUPTCY.....	107	42	132	17	93	23	16	10	1	5	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	130	207	209	128	46	95	68	32	2	30	4	44.1
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	19	50	52	17	-	52	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	1,448	1,925	1,703	1,670	173	835	695	510	23	134	28	19.1
CRIMINAL.....	310	276	277	309	54	66	157	141	2	12	2	7.6
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	316	361	358	319	32	174	152	89	6	45	12	29.6
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	672	1,032	856	848	53	485	318	236	9	65	8	20.4
BANKRUPTCY.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	145	202	160	187	34	63	63	44	3	10	6	15.9
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	5	54	52	7	-	47	5	-	3	2	-	-
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	3,406	3,854	3,402	3,858	314	920	2,168	1,650	119	372	27	17.2
CRIMINAL.....	815	915	1,012	718	44	139	829	709	21	94	5	11.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	515	593	589	519	53	194	342	254	19	61	8	17.8
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	1,662	1,721	1,337	2,046	154	360	823	566	65	181	11	22.0
BANKRUPTCY.....	49	117	53	113	5	17	31	21	2	8	-	25.8
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	354	430	335	449	57	135	143	100	12	28	3	19.6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	11	78	76	13	1	75	-	-	-	-	-	-
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	1,839	1,889	1,633	2,095	132	599	902	698	39	144	21	16.0
CRIMINAL.....	289	354	401	242	21	78	302	260	3	35	4	11.6
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	422	413	352	483	28	120	204	147	9	41	7	20.1
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	814	833	627	1,020	46	227	354	263	25	57	9	16.1
BANKRUPTCY.....	38	20	23	35	6	7	10	9	-	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	272	235	200	307	31	137	32	19	2	10	1	31.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	4	34	30	8	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-

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CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1978	CASES COM-MENCED	CASES TERM-I-NATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1979	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLI-DATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED	DIS-MISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED	OTHER	
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	1,198	1,603	1,703	1,098	413	533	757	574	31	143	9	18.9
CRIMINAL.....	295	336	367	264	131	78	158	138	2	17	1	10.8
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	206	271	289	188	67	86	136	101	7	26	2	19.1
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	537	718	770	485	199	196	375	279	17	77	2	20.5
BANKRUPTCY.....	22	27	22	27	3	8	11	8	2	1	-	28.6
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	128	208	204	132	11	116	77	48	3	22	4	-
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	10	43	51	2	2	49	-	-	-	-	-	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT.....	549	970	1,022	497	179	293	550	432	20	96	2	17.5
CRIMINAL.....	122	177	217	82	46	26	145	129	2	14	-	9.7
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	143	238	260	121	39	95	126	89	8	28	1	22.2
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	228	435	430	233	83	116	231	174	10	46	1	19.9
BANKRUPTCY.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	52	100	95	57	9	38	48	40	-	-	-	16.7
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	4	20	20	4	2	18	-	-	-	-	-	-
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	3,598	3,010	2,551	4,057	517	809	1,225	915	68	204	38	16.7
CRIMINAL.....	712	788	756	744	217	115	424	359	5	51	9	12.0
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	808	583	479	912	95	166	218	153	17	41	7	18.8
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	1,442	960	768	1,634	137	233	398	275	30	75	18	18.8
BANKRUPTCY.....	120	97	67	150	13	30	24	18	3	3	-	21.1
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	471	471	377	565	52	164	161	110	13	34	4	-
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	45	111	104	52	3	101	-	-	-	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	1,082	1,194	1,106	1,170	218	256	632	451	73	88	20	13.8
CRIMINAL.....	229	277	228	278	83	18	127	110	8	7	2	5.5
UNITED STATES CIVIL.....	214	266	241	239	34	59	148	98	21	22	7	14.9
PRIVATE CIVIL.....	485	497	461	521	81	86	294	209	32	45	8	15.3
BANKRUPTCY.....	47	20	32	35	10	5	17	8	5	4	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.....	89	106	102	93	8	49	45	26	7	9	3	20.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	18	28	42	4	2	39	1	-	-	1	-	-

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TABLE B 2.—United States courts of appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1970

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1969	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1970
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Total.....	478	1,977	107	1,817	42	489
Criminal cases.....	139	642	24	567	12	178
U.S. civil cases.....	76	282	26	282	7	63
Private civil cases.....	231	937	46	883	17	222
Administrative appeals.....	32	116	11	105	6	26
District of Columbia circuit.....	22	94	2	101	1	12
Criminal cases.....	5	48		44		9
U.S. civil cases.....	9	16	1	23	1	
Private civil cases.....	1	20		19		2
Administrative appeals.....	7	10	1	16		1
First circuit.....	11	68	2	40		37
Criminal cases.....	5	16		13		8
U.S. civil cases.....	3	6	1	6		2
Private civil cases.....	3	44	1	20		26
Administrative appeals.....		2		1		1
Second circuit.....	83	292	19	284	5	67
Criminal cases.....	23	90	4	77	1	31
U.S. civil cases.....	13	42	2	44		8
Private civil cases.....	42	146	9	150	3	26
Administrative appeals.....	5	14	3	13	1	2
Third circuit.....	23	85	5	89		14
Criminal cases.....	2	22	1	19		4
U.S. civil cases.....	1	15		15		1
Private civil cases.....	19	42	2	50		9
Administrative appeals.....	1	6	2	5		
Fourth circuit.....	34	178	4	179		29
Criminal cases.....	6	66	1	63		8
U.S. civil cases.....	2	2		3		1
Private civil cases.....	26	105	3	109		19
Administrative appeals.....		5		4		1
Fifth circuit.....	73	304	23	246	31	77
Criminal cases.....	32	109	7	96	10	28
U.S. civil cases.....	7	40	4	24	5	14
Private civil cases.....	28	135	11	110	12	30
Administrative appeals.....	6	20	1	16	4	5

TABLE B 2.—United States courts of appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1970—Concluded

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1969	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1970
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Sixth circuit.....	38	202	12	179	2	47
Criminal cases.....	10	59	2	51	1	15
U.S. civil cases.....		34	4	30		13
Private civil cases.....		95	5	86	1	16
Administrative appeals.....	2	14	1	12		3
Seventh circuit.....	56	179	8	181	2	44
Criminal cases.....	15	56	2	60		9
U.S. civil cases.....	4	24	4	19		5
Private civil cases.....	32	77	2	80	1	26
Administrative appeals.....	5	22		22	1	4
Eighth circuit.....	20	75	5	78	1	11
Criminal cases.....	9	23	1	27		4
U.S. civil cases.....	3	24	2	22	1	2
Private civil cases.....	6	27	1	27		5
Administrative appeals.....	2	1	1	2		
Ninth circuit.....	86	402	17	343		128
Criminal cases.....	22	120	5	84		53
U.S. civil cases.....	18	73	6	70		15
Private civil cases.....	43	191	4	177		53
Administrative appeals.....	3	18	2	12		7
Tenth circuit.....	32	98	10	97		23
Criminal cases.....	10	33	1	33		9
U.S. civil cases.....	3	6	1	6		2
Private civil cases.....	18	55	8	55		10
Administrative appeals.....	1	4		3		2

TABLE B2.—U.S. courts of appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1971

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1970	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1971
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Total.....	489	1,727	106	1,616	9	485
Criminal cases.....	178	568	30	559	2	155
U.S. civil cases.....	63	258	25	233	1	62
Private civil cases.....	222	791	40	725	4	244
Administrative appeals.....	26	110	11	99	2	24
District of Columbia circuit.....	12	83	5	77	1	12
Criminal cases.....	9	36	1	38	-----	6
U.S. civil cases.....	-----	14	1	10	-----	3
Private civil cases.....	2	15	1	16	-----	-----
Administrative appeals.....	1	18	2	13	1	3
First circuit.....	37	47	4	73	-----	7
Criminal cases.....	8	17	-----	23	-----	2
U.S. civil cases.....	2	5	1	6	-----	-----
Private civil cases.....	26	25	2	44	-----	5
Administrative appeals.....	1	-----	1	-----	-----	-----
Second circuit.....	67	303	18	300	1	51
Criminal cases.....	31	101	8	115	-----	9
U.S. civil cases.....	8	62	5	49	-----	16
Private civil cases.....	26	125	4	123	1	23
Administrative appeals.....	2	15	1	13	-----	3
Third circuit.....	14	76	-----	76	-----	14
Criminal cases.....	4	26	-----	26	-----	4
U.S. civil cases.....	1	10	-----	10	-----	1
Private civil cases.....	9	32	-----	34	-----	7
Administrative appeals.....	-----	8	-----	6	-----	2
Fourth circuit.....	29	142	1	120	-----	50
Criminal cases.....	8	20	-----	28	-----	-----
U.S. civil cases.....	1	5	-----	5	-----	1
Private civil cases.....	19	109	1	80	-----	47
Administrative appeals.....	1	8	-----	7	-----	2
Fifth circuit.....	77	347	22	314	1	87
Criminal cases.....	28	105	5	98	-----	31
U.S. civil cases.....	14	43	3	48	-----	6
Private civil cases.....	30	179	11	149	1	48
Administrative appeals.....	5	20	3	19	-----	3

TABLE B2.—U.S. courts of appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1971—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1970	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1971
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Sixth circuit.....	47	208	16	212	2	25
Criminal cases.....	15	69	4	63	1	6
U.S. civil cases.....	13	43	6	43	-----	7
Private civil cases.....	16	94	4	93	1	12
Administrative appeals.....	3	12	2	13	-----	-----
Seventh circuit.....	44	208	12	194	2	44
Criminal cases.....	9	78	2	66	-----	19
U.S. civil cases.....	5	24	2	20	1	6
Private civil cases.....	26	96	8	96	-----	18
Administrative appeals.....	4	10	-----	12	1	1
Eighth circuit.....	11	100	4	81	-----	26
Criminal cases.....	4	42	2	33	-----	11
U.S. civil cases.....	2	23	-----	24	-----	1
Private civil cases.....	5	27	1	18	-----	13
Administrative appeals.....	-----	8	1	6	-----	1
Ninth circuit.....	128	131	19	82	-----	158
Criminal cases.....	53	58	7	41	-----	63
U.S. civil cases.....	15	19	5	10	-----	19
Private civil cases.....	53	49	6	29	-----	67
Administrative appeals.....	7	5	1	2	-----	9
Tenth circuit.....	23	82	5	87	2	11
Criminal cases.....	9	26	1	28	1	5
U.S. civil cases.....	2	10	2	8	-----	2
Private civil cases.....	10	40	2	43	1	4
Administrative appeals.....	2	6	-----	8	-----	-----

TABLE B 2.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States, filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1972

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1971	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1972
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Total.....	485	2,322	134	2,008	21	644
Criminal cases.....	156	904	26	786	5	243
U.S. civil cases.....	62	345	24	278	2	103
Private civil cases.....	243	958	67	864	13	257
Administrative appeals.....	24	115	17	80	1	41
District of Columbia Circuit.....	12	95	10	74		23
Criminal cases.....	6	37	1	35		7
U.S. civil cases.....	3	18	2	10		9
Private civil cases.....		11	1	9		1
Administrative appeals.....	3	29	6	20		6
First Circuit.....	7	73	8	57		15
Criminal cases.....	2	31	4	23		6
U.S. civil cases.....		10	2	6		2
Private civil cases.....	5	31	1	28		7
Administrative appeals.....		1	1			
Second Circuit.....	51	367	18	334		68
Criminal cases.....	9	146	2	126		27
U.S. civil cases.....	16	36	3	36		13
Private civil cases.....	23	156	9	148		22
Administrative appeals.....	3	31	4	24		6
Third Circuit.....	14	161	8	129	2	36
Criminal cases.....	15	77	2	61		19
U.S. civil cases.....	1	20	2	14		5
Private civil cases.....	16	58	4	48	1	11
Administrative appeals.....	2	6		6	1	1
Fourth Circuit.....	50	189	12	174	10	43
Criminal cases.....		77		61	2	14
U.S. civil cases.....	1	13	3	9		2
Private civil cases.....	47	95	9	99	8	26
Administrative appeals.....	2	4		5		1
Fifth Circuit.....	87	430	22	371	3	121
Criminal cases.....	30	136	2	132	1	31
U.S. civil cases.....	6	93	3	69		27
Private civil cases.....	48	185	15	161	2	55
Administrative appeals.....	3	16	2	9		8

See footnote at end of table.

TABLE B 2.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States, filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1972—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1971	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1972
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Sixth Circuit.....	25	222	9	181	1	56
Criminal cases.....	6	73	2	62		15
U.S. civil cases.....	7	40	1	34	1	11
Private civil cases.....	12	109	6	85		30
Administrative appeals.....						
Seventh Circuit.....	44	171	11	140	1	63
Criminal cases.....	19	55	4	54		16
U.S. civil cases.....	6	26		19	1	12
Private civil cases.....	18	80	7	57		34
Administrative appeals.....	1	10		10		1
Eighth Circuit.....	26	144	11	133		26
Criminal cases.....	11	78	3	72		14
U.S. civil cases.....	1	25	1	24		1
Private civil cases.....	13	37	5	35		10
Administrative appeals.....	1	4	2	2		1
Ninth Circuit.....	158	321	19	292	4	164
Criminal cases.....	63	140	4	118	2	79
U.S. civil cases.....	19	49	5	43		20
Private civil cases.....	67	119	9	127	2	48
Administrative appeals.....	9	13	1	4		17
Tenth Circuit.....	11	147	6	123		29
Criminal cases.....	5	54	2	42		15
U.S. civil cases.....	2	15	2	14		1
Private civil cases.....	4	77	1	67		13
Administrative appeals.....		1	1			

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TABLE B-2.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States, filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1972	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1973
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Total.....	644	2,524	135	2,296	20	717
Criminal cases.....	243	1,046	28	932	6	323
U.S. civil cases.....	103	429	25	398	5	104
Private civil cases.....	257	948	67	883	9	246
Administrative appeals.....	41	101	15	83	-----	44
District of Columbia Circuit.....	23	101	16	82	1	25
Criminal cases.....	7	36	2	33	-----	8
U.S. civil cases.....	9	25	5	22	1	6
Private civil cases.....	1	20	2	15	-----	4
Administrative appeals.....	6	20	7	12	-----	7
First Circuit.....	15	63	2	53	-----	23
Criminal cases.....	6	25	1	18	-----	12
U.S. civil cases.....	2	16	-----	15	-----	3
Private civil cases.....	7	21	1	19	-----	8
Administrative appeals.....	-----	1	-----	1	-----	-----
Second Circuit.....	68	340	14	299	3	92
Criminal cases.....	27	176	4	157	1	41
U.S. civil cases.....	13	35	2	36	-----	10
Private civil cases.....	22	123	8	97	2	38
Administrative appeals.....	6	6	-----	9	-----	3
Third Circuit.....	36	170	4	153	-----	49
Criminal cases.....	19	75	1	70	-----	23
U.S. civil cases.....	5	25	2	21	-----	7
Private civil cases.....	11	54	1	48	-----	16
Administrative appeals.....	1	16	-----	14	-----	3
Fourth Circuit.....	43	197	16	177	2	45
Criminal cases.....	14	56	1	50	1	18
U.S. civil cases.....	2	1	-----	2	1	-----
Private civil cases.....	26	136	13	122	-----	27
Administrative appeals.....	1	4	2	3	-----	-----
Fifth Circuit.....	121	511	14	489	6	123
Criminal cases.....	31	206	-----	188	2	49
U.S. civil cases.....	27	106	6	95	-----	32
Private civil cases.....	55	187	8	193	4	37
Administrative appeals.....	8	12	-----	15	-----	5

TABLE B-2.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States, filed and disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1972	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1973
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Sixth Circuit.....	56	228	9	208	-----	67
Criminal cases.....	15	52	2	58	-----	7
U.S. civil cases.....	11	26	2	27	-----	8
Private civil cases.....	30	136	3	114	-----	49
Administrative appeals.....	-----	14	2	9	-----	3
Seventh Circuit.....	63	189	10	188	3	51
Criminal cases.....	16	80	2	63	-----	31
U.S. civil cases.....	12	33	2	30	2	5
Private civil cases.....	34	68	5	83	1	13
Administrative appeals.....	1	8	1	6	-----	2
Eighth Circuit.....	26	153	5	146	-----	28
Criminal cases.....	14	75	1	74	-----	14
U.S. civil cases.....	1	31	-----	25	-----	7
Private civil cases.....	10	46	3	47	-----	6
Administrative appeals.....	1	1	1	-----	-----	1
Ninth Circuit.....	164	414	43	358	5	172
Criminal cases.....	79	209	13	163	2	110
U.S. civil cases.....	20	60	6	59	1	14
Private civil cases.....	48	128	22	123	2	29
Administrative appeals.....	17	17	2	13	-----	19
Tenth Circuit.....	29	158	2	143	-----	42
Criminal cases.....	15	56	1	60	-----	10
U.S. civil cases.....	1	71	-----	60	-----	12
Private civil cases.....	13	29	1	22	-----	19
Administrative appeals.....	-----	2	-----	1	-----	1

TABLE B-2.—U.S. courts of appeals, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of, fiscal year 1974

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1973	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1974
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dismissed	
Total.....	717	2, 520	158	2, 321	28	730
Criminal cases.....	323	1, 129	36	1, 043	14	359
U.S. civil cases.....	104	336	27	309	2	102
Private civil cases.....	246	902	68	853	12	215
Administrative appeals	44	153	27	116	----	54
District of Columbia Circuit.....	25	117	28	86	2	26
Criminal cases.....	8	37	1	35	----	9
U.S. civil cases.....	6	28	9	17	1	7
Private civil cases.....	4	15	2	12	1	4
Administrative appeals.....	7	37	16	22	-----	6
First Circuit.....	23	53	5	56	-----	15
Criminal cases.....	12	18	1	24	-----	5
U.S. civil cases.....	3	10	1	9	-----	3
Private civil cases.....	8	23	3	22	-----	6
Administrative appeals.....	-----	2	-----	1	-----	1
Second Circuit.....	92	346	25	273	3	137
Criminal cases.....	41	183	12	128	2	82
U.S. civil cases.....	10	27	1	23	-----	13
Private civil cases.....	38	125	11	116	1	35
Administrative appeals.....	3	11	1	6	-----	7
Third Circuit.....	49	194	11	186	1	45
Criminal cases.....	23	88	2	86	1	22
U.S. civil cases.....	7	29	2	22	-----	12
Private civil cases.....	16	65	7	65	-----	9
Administrative appeals.....	3	12	-----	13	-----	2

TABLE B-2.—U.S. courts of appeals, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of, fiscal year 1974—Con.

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1973	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1974
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dismissed	
Fourth Circuit...	45	205	8	193	2	47
Criminal cases.....	18	82	1	76	1	22
U.S. civil cases.....		9	1	6		2
Private civil cases.....	27	111	5	109	1	23
Administrative appeals.....		3	1	2		
Fifth Circuit...	123	498	23	452	9	137
Criminal cases.....	49	225	6	198	4	66
U.S. civil cases.....	32	66	2	70		26
Private civil cases.....	37	179	13	159	5	39
Administrative appeals.....	5	28	2	25		6
Sixth Circuit...	67	192	19	184	2	54
Criminal cases.....	7	80	1	68		18
U.S. civil cases.....	8	34	4	26		12
Private civil cases.....	49	66	12	87	2	14
Administrative appeals.....	3	12	2	3		10
Seventh Circuit...	51	215	11	196	3	56
Criminal cases.....	31	83	4	87	1	22
U.S. civil cases.....	5	26		24	1	6
Private civil cases.....	13	87	6	68	1	25
Administrative appeals.....	2	19	1	17		3
Eighth Circuit...	28	157	5	149		31
Criminal cases.....	14	69	1	66		16
U.S. civil cases.....	7	29	1	30		5
Private civil cases.....	6	59	3	52		10
Administrative appeals.....	1			1		
Ninth Circuit...	172	373	20	362	5	158
Criminal cases.....	110	174	6	185	4	89
U.S. civil cases.....	14	59	6	56		11
Private civil cases.....	29	119	4	104	1	39
Administrative appeals.....	19	21	4	17		19
Tenth Circuit...	42	170	3	184	1	24
Criminal cases.....	10	90	1	90	1	8
U.S. civil cases.....	12	19		26		5
Private civil cases.....	19	53	2	59		11
Administrative appeals.....	1	8		9		

TABLE B-2.—U.S. courts of appeals, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of, fiscal year 1975

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pend- ing July 1, 1974	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pend- ing June 30, 1975
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Total.....	730	2, 412	136	2, 159	19	828
Criminal cases.....	359	1, 018	33	999	11	334
U.S. civil cases.....	102	338	33	296	2	109
Private civil cases.....	215	963	60	773	6	339
Administrative appeals.....	54	93	10	91	-----	46
District of Columbia Circuit.....	26	98	12	100	-----	12
Criminal cases.....	9	31	3	36	-----	1
U.S. civil cases.....	7	37	8	32	-----	4
Private civil cases.....	4	11	-----	11	-----	4
Administrative appeals.....	6	19	1	21	-----	3
First Circuit.....	15	60	5	56	-----	14
Criminal cases.....	5	11	-----	13	-----	3
U.S. civil cases.....	3	8	-----	8	-----	3
Private civil cases.....	6	40	5	33	-----	8
Administrative appeals.....	1	1	-----	2	-----	-----
Second Circuit.....	137	253	19	286	3	82
Criminal cases.....	82	96	1	142	1	34
U.S. civil cases.....	13	11	1	14	1	8
Private civil cases.....	35	138	16	119	1	37
Administrative appeals.....	7	8	1	11	-----	3
Third Circuit.....	45	208	14	189	2	48
Criminal cases.....	22	96	3	98	1	16
U.S. civil cases.....	12	32	5	27	1	11
Private civil cases.....	9	71	5	57	-----	18
Administrative appeals.....	2	9	1	7	-----	3
Fourth Circuit.....	47	170	6	128	1	82
Criminal cases.....	22	75	2	53	1	41
U.S. civil cases.....	2	9	-----	9	-----	2
Private civil cases.....	23	80	3	62	-----	38
Administrative appeals.....	-----	6	1	4	-----	1

TABLE B-2.—U.S. courts of appeals, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of, fiscal year 1975—Continued

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pend- ing July 1, 1974	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pend- ing June 30, 1975
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dis- missed	
Fifth Circuit.....	137	480	22	421	7	167
Criminal cases.....	66	214	9	194	4	73
U.S. civil cases.....	26	74	4	73		23
Private civil cases.....	39	181	7	144	3	66
Administrative appeals.....	6	11	2	10		5
Sixth Circuit.....	54	225	3	174	1	101
Criminal cases.....	18	85		67	1	35
U.S. civil cases.....	12	34	1	29		16
Private civil cases.....	14	100	2	73		39
Administrative appeals.....	10	6		5		11
Seventh Circuit.....	56	229	8	171		106
Criminal cases.....	22	107		86		43
U.S. civil cases.....	6	27	1	21		11
Private civil cases.....	25	86	7	58		46
Administrative appeals.....	3	9		6		6
Eighth Circuit.....	31	153	6	143	1	34
Criminal cases.....	16	70	2	72		12
U.S. civil cases.....	5	24	2	20		7
Private civil cases.....	10	58	2	50	1	15
Administrative appeals.....		1		1		
Ninth Circuit.....	158	392	37	360	3	150
Criminal cases.....	89	174	11	185	3	64
U.S. civil cases.....	11	54	9	45		11
Private civil cases.....	39	144	13	108		62
Administrative appeals.....	19	20	4	22		13
Tenth Circuit.....	24	144	4	131	1	32
Criminal cases.....	8	59	2	53		12
U.S. civil cases.....	5	28	2	18		13
Private civil cases.....	11	54		58	1	6
Administrative appeals.....		3		2		1

TABLE B-2.—U.S. courts of appeals, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of, fiscal year 1976

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1976	Filed	Disposed of			Pending June 30, 1976
			Granted	Denied	Dis-missed	
Total	1,772	2,619	162	2,343	18	868
Criminal cases	312	1,118	25	1,010	8	387
U.S. civil cases	103	293	29	271	3	93
Private civil cases	314	1,049	90	944	7	322
Administrative appeals	43	159	18	118	.....	66
District of Columbia Circuit	12	126	17	87	.....	34
Criminal cases	1	27	1	23	.....	4
U.S. civil cases	4	30	4	23	.....	7
Private civil cases	4	24	2	17	.....	9
Administrative appeals	3	45	10	24	.....	14
First Circuit	14	83	4	68	1	24
Criminal cases	3	21	.....	16	.....	8
U.S. civil cases	3	6	.....	5	.....	4
Private civil cases	8	53	3	46	1	11
Administrative appeals .....	.....	3	1	1	.....	1
Second Circuit	82	292	14	279	1	80
Criminal cases	34	126	.....	118	1	41
U.S. civil cases	8	22	2	20	.....	8
Private civil cases	37	134	12	130	.....	29
Administrative appeals	3	10	.....	11	.....	2
Third Circuit	48	188	13	169	2	52
Criminal cases	16	87	.....	77	1	25
U.S. civil cases	11	20	7	18	1	5
Private civil cases	18	69	5	64	.....	18
Administrative appeals	3	12	1	10	.....	4
Fourth Circuit	82	213	12	180	.....	103
Criminal cases	41	105	1	95	.....	50
U.S. civil cases	2	13	.....	9	.....	6
Private civil cases	38	83	8	73	.....	46
Administrative appeals	1	6	3	3	.....	1
Fifth Circuit	167	574	44	575	7	115
Criminal cases	73	246	15	233	2	69
U.S. civil cases	23	71	6	78	2	8
Private civil cases	66	222	20	234	3	31
Administrative appeals	5	35	3	30	.....	7
Sixth Circuit	101	287	22	242	2	122
Criminal cases	35	95	4	86	2	38
U.S. civil cases	16	38	3	31	.....	20
Private civil cases	39	137	15	114	.....	47
Administrative appeals	11	17	.....	11	.....	17
Seventh Circuit	150	195	13	174	1	57
Criminal cases	21	79	.....	75	.....	25
U.S. civil cases	5	23	3	17	.....	8
Private civil cases	21	86	10	73	1	23
Administrative appeals	3	7	.....	9	.....	1
Eighth Circuit	34	182	7	159	1	49
Criminal cases	12	79	1	60	1	29
U.S. civil cases	7	26	1	29	.....	3
Private civil cases	15	77	5	70	.....	17
Administrative appeals .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ninth Circuit	150	367	11	307	1	198
Criminal cases	64	200	3	177	.....	84
U.S. civil cases	11	26	1	18	.....	18
Private civil cases	62	120	7	96	1	78
Administrative appeals	13	21	.....	16	.....	18
Tenth Circuit	32	112	5	103	2	34
Criminal cases	12	53	.....	50	1	14
U.S. civil cases	13	18		23		6
Private civil cases	6	38	3	27	1	13
Administrative appeals	1	3		3		1

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TABLE B-2.—U.S. courts of appeals, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of during the twelve month period ended June 30, 1977

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1976	Filed	Disposed of			June 30, 1977
			Granted	Denied	Dis-missed	
TOTAL	1,783	2,612	165	2,363	15	652
CRIMINAL CASES	1,361	1,157	33	1,225	5	235
U.S. CIVIL CASES	1,85	358	33	316	1	83
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	1,277	907	68	880	7	229
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	1,60	190	31	142	2	75
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT	34	142	22	116	2	36
CRIMINAL CASES	4	26	1	25	.....	4
U.S. CIVIL CASES	7	44	6	34	.....	11
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	9	13	.....	22	.....	0
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	14	59	15	35	2	21
FIRST CIRCUIT	24	89	4	99	.....	10
CRIMINAL CASES	8	26	2	28	.....	4
U.S. CIVIL CASES	4	14	2	15	.....	1
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	11	41	.....	48	.....	4
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	1	8	.....	8	.....	1
SECOND CIRCUIT	80	266	18	231	3	94
CRIMINAL CASES	41	89	4	78	.....	48
U.S. CIVIL CASES	8	40	2	36	.....	10
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	29	117	10	102	3	31
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	2	20	2	15	.....	5
THIRD CIRCUIT	52	228	12	224	3	41
CRIMINAL CASES	25	111	2	114	1	19
U.S. CIVIL CASES	14	36	1	33	1	5
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	18	72	6	68	1	15
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	15	9	3	9	.....	2
FOURTH CIRCUIT	103	196	14	182	3	100
CRIMINAL CASES	50	88	5	91	2	40
U.S. CIVIL CASES	6	11	1	15	.....	1
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	46	81	7	68	1	51
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	1	16	1	8	.....	8
FIFTH CIRCUIT	115	474	25	460	1	103
CRIMINAL CASES	69	217	6	229	1	30
U.S. CIVIL CASES	8	38	6	48	.....	12
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	31	184	10	169	.....	36
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	7	15	3	14	.....	5
SIXTH CIRCUIT	147	235	13	213	.....	56
CRIMINAL CASES	116	117	5	106	.....	22
U.S. CIVIL CASES	16	14	1	14	.....	5
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	18	86	6	75	.....	21
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	19	18	1	18	.....	8
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	57	212	17	204	.....	48
CRIMINAL CASES	25	93	3	95	.....	20
U.S. CIVIL CASES	8	33	7	23	.....	11
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	23	74	7	72	.....	13
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	1	12	.....	9	.....	4
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	49	219	18	196	2	52
CRIMINAL CASES	29	91	2	103	1	14
U.S. CIVIL CASES	3	45	4	29	.....	15
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	17	73	10	63	1	16
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS .....	.....	10	2	1	.....	7
NINTH CIRCUIT	188	427	19	512	.....	84
CRIMINAL CASES	180	241	3	294	.....	24
U.S. CIVIL CASES	25	46	3	52	.....	16
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	64	122	10	145	.....	31
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	19	18	3	21	.....	13
TENTH CIRCUIT	34	124	3	126	1	28
CRIMINAL CASES	14	58	.....	62	.....	10
U.S. CIVIL CASES	6	17		17		6
PRIVATE CIVIL CASES	13	44	2	43	1	11
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	1	5	1	4		1

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TABLE B-2.—U.S. courts of appeals, petitions for review on writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States filed and disposed of during the 12-month period ended June 30, 1978

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1977	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1978
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dismissed	
Total	652	2,571	138	2,443	19	623
Criminal cases	255	1,191	33	1,146	9	258
U.S. civil cases	93	313	24	304	2	76
Private civil cases	229	922	54	863	6	228
Administrative appeals	75	145	27	130	2	61
District of Columbia Circuit	36	113	16	112	2	19
Criminal cases	4	19	1	20	2	2
U.S. civil cases	11	46	6	42	1	8
Private civil cases	17	77	15	72	2	2
Administrative appeals	21	31	9	35	1	7
First Circuit	10	96	2	80	2	24
Criminal cases	4	32	3	30	6	6
U.S. civil cases	1	7	1	6	1	1
Private civil cases	4	49	1	39	13	13
Administrative appeals	1	8	1	4	4	4
Second Circuit	94	322	11	324	3	78
Criminal cases	48	147	2	155	2	36
U.S. civil cases	10	51	1	46	14	14
Private civil cases	31	114	8	113	1	23
Administrative appeals	5	10	10	10	5	5
Third Circuit	41	245	8	234	3	41
Criminal cases	19	124	4	118	2	19
U.S. civil cases	5	44	3	38	11	11
Private civil cases	15	66	2	69	10	10
Administrative appeals	2	11	2	9	1	1
Fourth Circuit	100	191	8	206	1	76
Criminal cases	40	71	1	87	23	23
U.S. civil cases	1	79	3	17	13	13
Private civil cases	51	91	3	87	1	51
Administrative appeals	8	10	1	15	2	2
Fifth Circuit	103	485	30	431	6	121
Criminal cases	50	236	4	225	4	53
U.S. civil cases	12	48	7	39	1	13
Private civil cases	36	172	12	152	1	43
Administrative appeals	5	29	7	15	12	12
Sixth Circuit	56	261	17	248	5	52
Criminal cases	22	128	9	121	20	20
U.S. civil cases	5	20	1	20	4	4
Private civil cases	21	103	4	100	20	20
Administrative appeals	8	10	3	7	8	8
Seventh Circuit	48	197	14	185	1	45
Criminal cases	20	80	8	81	19	19
U.S. civil cases	11	7	2	13	3	3
Private civil cases	13	101	10	85	1	18
Administrative appeals	4	9	2	6	5	5
Eighth Circuit	52	177	8	198	2	21
Criminal cases	14	72	1	77	8	8
U.S. civil cases	15	32	1	42	4	4
Private civil cases	16	65	6	67	2	6
Administrative appeals	7	8	12	12	3	3
Ninth Circuit	84	340	23	291	110	110
Criminal cases	24	208	11	169	52	52
U.S. civil cases	16	29	3	28	14	14
Private civil cases	31	85	7	79	30	30
Administrative appeals	13	18	2	15	14	14
Tenth Circuit	28	144	1	134	1	36
Criminal cases	10	74	63	1	20	20
U.S. civil cases	6	10	12	1	4	4
Private civil cases	11	59	1	57	12	12
Administrative appeals	1	1	2	2	1	1

Table B-2
U.S. Court of Appeals, Petitions for Review on
Writ of Certiorari to the Supreme Court of the United States
Filed and Disposed of During the Twelve Month Period Ended June 30, 1979

Circuit and Nature of Proceeding	Pending July 1, 1978	Petitions for writs of certiorari				Pending June 30, 1979
		Filed	Disposed of			
			Granted	Denied	Dismissed	
Total	622	2,496	142	2,352	35	589
Criminal	265	1,057	15	1,090	6	211
U.S. Civil.	76	356	32	312	13	75
Private	226	938	70	810	14	270
Administrative Appeals.....	55	145	25	140	2	33
District of Columbia Circuit	19	111	15	99	3	13
Criminal	2	21	1	20	-	2
U.S. Civil.	8	50	8	43	1	6
Private	2	16	2	13	1	2
Administrative Appeals.....	7	24	4	23	1	3
First Circuit	24	86	5	88	-	17
Criminal	6	15	-	18	-	3
U.S. Civil.	1	10	-	9	-	2
Private	13	57	5	56	-	9
Administrative Appeals.....	4	4	-	5	-	3
Second Circuit	78	260	16	240	7	75
Criminal	36	85	2	97	3	19
U.S. Civil.	14	49	3	42	2	16
Private	23	119	10	93	2	37
Administrative Appeals.....	5	7	1	8	-	3
Third Circuit	41	215	8	191	-	57
Criminal	19	91	2	89	-	19
U.S. Civil.	11	32	2	31	-	10
Private	10	75	4	57	-	24
Administrative Appeals.....	1	17	-	14	-	4
Fourth Circuit	76	193	5	171	-	93
Criminal	23	69	1	61	-	30
U.S. Civil.	-	15	-	10	-	5
Private	51	107	4	96	-	58
Administrative Appeals.....	2	2	-	4	-	-
Fifth Circuit	121	468	22	475	3	89
Criminal	53	237	3	248	-	39
U.S. Civil.	13	54	2	54	-	11
Private	43	149	9	146	2	35
Administrative Appeals.....	12	28	8	27	1	4
Sixth Circuit	51	326	18	298	6	55
Criminal	27	150	1	155	-	21
U.S. Civil.	4	33	1	30	2	4
Private	18	130	15	100	4	29
Administrative Appeals.....	2	13	1	13	-	1
Seventh Circuit	45	215	12	209	3	36
Criminal	19	78	1	80	1	15
U.S. Civil.	3	26	4	22	1	2
Private	18	107	6	100	1	18
Administrative Appeals.....	5	4	1	7	-	1
Eighth Circuit	21	193	17	153	9	35
Criminal	8	71	1	68	1	9
U.S. Civil.	4	38	4	28	4	6
Private	6	76	6	53	4	19
Administrative Appeals.....	3	8	6	4	-	1
Ninth Circuit	110	303	16	319	4	74
Criminal	52	153	2	178	1	24
U.S. Civil.	14	38	5	32	3	12
Private	30	75	5	74	-	26
Administrative Appeals.....	14	37	4	35	-	12
Tenth Circuit	36	126	8	109	-	45
Criminal	20	87	1	76	-	30
U.S. Civil.	4	11	3	11	-	1
Private	12	27	4	22	-	13
Administrative Appeals.....	-	1	-	-	-	1

TABLE B-3.—U.S. courts of appeals, source of appeals and original proceedings commenced, by circuit fiscal years 1970 through 1974

Source	Fiscal year 1970	Fiscal year 1971	Fiscal year 1972	Fiscal year 1973	Fiscal year 1974
Total appeals.....	11, 662	12, 788	14, 535	15, 629	16, 436
U.S. District Courts.....	9, 866	11, 057	12, 678	13, 667	13, 812
Other courts.....	33	18			
Boards and commissions, total.....	1, 522	1, 383	1, 509	1, 616	2, 205
The Tax Court of the United States.....	237	296	202	241	261
Civil Aeronautics Board.....	23	7	24	58	37
Federal Communications Commission.....	74	83	70	75	90
Federal Power Commission.....	23	52	143	128	166
Federal Trade Commission.....	10	11	11	23	18
National Labor Relations Board.....	649	619	740	612	641
Secretary of Agriculture.....	3	10	7	5	4
Securities and Exchange Commission.....	16	22	18	20	15
Board of Tax Appeals (D.C.).....	4				
Immigration and Naturalization Service.....	413	201	175	228	237
All other boards and commissions.....	70	82	119	226	736
Original proceedings.....	241	330	348	346	419
District of Columbia Circuit.....	1, 127	1, 055	1, 168	1, 360	1, 243
U.S. District Court.....	892	829	907	979	793
District of Columbia Court of Appeals.....	33	18			
Board of Tax Appeals (D.C.).....	4				
The Tax Court of the United States.....		5	4	4	5
National Labor Relations Board.....	42	37	46	48	53
All other boards and commissions.....	134	140	179	300	365
Original proceedings.....	22	26	32	29	27
First Circuit.....	277	383	421	401	387
Maine.....	13	15	19	19	29
Massachusetts.....	141	207	229	223	149
New Hampshire.....	16	30	37	39	51
Rhode Island.....	25	18	36	34	37
Puerto Rico.....	38	58	48	43	61
The Tax Court of the United States.....	7	10	6	8	4
National Labor Relations Board.....	24	12	20	19	30
All other boards and commissions.....	9	29	20	8	19
Original proceedings.....	4	4	6	8	7
Second Circuit.....	1, 343	1, 423	1, 317	1, 709	1, 802
Connecticut.....	70	97	96	151	98
New York:					
Northern.....	74	35	32	60	57
Eastern.....	227	248	275	298	346
Southern.....	645	722	645	815	899
Western.....	55	67	53	84	57
Vermont.....	15	22	13	30	38
The Tax Court of the United States.....	48	29	23	69	27
National Labor Relations Board.....	82	64	98	82	96
All other boards and commissions.....	97	89	48	70	111
Original proceedings.....	30	50	34	50	73

TABLE B-3.—U.S. courts of appeals, source of appeals and original proceedings commenced, by circuit fiscal years 1970 through 1974—Continued

Source	Fiscal year 1970	Fiscal year 1971	Fiscal year 1972	Fiscal year 1973	Fiscal year 1974
Third Circuit.....	1, 053	1, 100	1, 179	1, 197	1, 216
Delaware.....	34	34	53	43	38
New Jersey.....	321	249	268	245	245
Pennsylvania:					
Eastern.....	236	337	372	408	361
Middle.....	40	74	85	85	108
Western.....	148	253	199	222	246
Virgin Islands.....	38	30	51	70	50
The Tax Court of the United States.....	24	17	31	16	35
National Labor Relations Board.....	16	37	43	42	44
All other boards and commissions.....	155	36	39	24	51
Original proceedings.....	41	33	38	42	38
Fourth Circuit.....	1, 166	1, 211	1, 399	1, 573	1, 462
Maryland.....	178	210	199	243	215
North Carolina:					
Eastern.....	89	63	107	145	144
Middle.....	66	66	102	112	103
Western.....	78	61	87	107	136
South Carolina.....	88	99	132	146	151
Virginia:					
Eastern.....	370	403	495	531	386
Western.....	90	95	85	98	75
West Virginia:					
Northern.....	66	66	65	54	43
Southern.....	90	60	57	80	76
The Tax Court of the United States.....	8	26	10	7	18
National Labor Relations Board.....	33	35	38	24	27
All other Boards and Commissions.....	3	8	13	11	71
Original Proceedings.....	7	19	9	15	17
Fifth Circuit.....	2, 014	2, 316	2, 864	2, 964	3, 294
Alabama:					
Northern.....	83	92	107	90	144
Middle.....	42	31	49	74	70
Southern.....	50	74	84	67	84
Florida:					
Northern.....	37	64	66	85	68
Middle.....	185	175	198	203	218
Southern.....	254	309	478	453	440
Georgia:					
Northern.....	174	216	236	305	296
Middle.....	65	75	76	74	91
Southern.....	27	26	47	39	38
Louisiana ¹ :					
Eastern.....	219	241	276	256	320
Middle.....			11	64	52
Western.....	67	86	100	121	113
Mississippi:					
Northern.....	60	55	64	58	48
Southern.....	69	85	72	75	72
Texas:					
Northern.....	145	222	256	261	296
Eastern.....	52	48	91	69	72
Southern.....	136	152	193	261	306
Western.....	155	157	157	185	246
Canal Zone.....	6	8	15	6	7
The Tax Court of the United States.....	29	32	51	22	49
National Labor Relations Board.....	113	106	108	86	81

See footnote at end of table.

TABLE B-3.—U.S. courts of appeals, source of appeals and original proceedings commenced, by circuit fiscal years 1970 through 1974—Continued

Source	Fiscal year 1970	Fiscal year 1971	Fiscal year 1972	Fiscal year 1973	Fiscal year 1974
All other Boards and Commissions.....	30	30	76	77	124
Original proceedings.....	16	32	53	33	59
Sixth Circuit.....	911	1, 015	1, 248	1, 261	1, 335
Kentucky:					
Eastern.....	58	79	78	80	131
Western.....	76	83	106	96	110
Michigan:					
Eastern.....	125	156	186	259	231
Western.....	17	24	30	32	39
Ohio:					
Northern.....	115	119	154	203	172
Southern.....	79	96	187	143	145
Tennessee:					
Eastern.....	126	155	157	105	128
Middle.....	65	67	95	80	99
Western.....	74	91	85	98	119
The Tax Court of the United States.....	27	22	12	17	20
National Labor Relations Boards.....	118	105	127	107	87
All other Boards and Commissions.....	12	12	16	25	36
Original proceedings.....	19	6	15	16	18
Seventh Circuit.....	854	902	999	1, 117	1, 086
Illinois:					
Northern.....	398	431	500	547	531
Eastern.....	32	45	63	60	70
Southern.....	32	43	58	51	63
Indiana:					
Northern.....	53	61	50	83	88
Southern.....	50	92	83	112	102
Wisconsin:					
Eastern.....	52	87	78	79	73
Western.....	23	20	26	41	16
The Tax Court of the United States.....	24	27	16	18	8
National Labor Relations Board.....	55	43	62	61	63
All other boards and commissions.....	110	29	30	23	32
Original proceedings.....	25	24	33	42	40
Eighth Circuit.....	589	713	798	821	995
Arkansas:					
Eastern.....	45	53	51	55	99
Western.....	40	45	38	27	38
Iowa:					
Northern.....	10	19	31	20	41
Southern.....	38	43	33	40	50
Minnesota.....	62	102	130	137	103
Missouri:					
Eastern.....	98	141	174	159	168
Western.....	130	110	101	136	219

TABLE B-3.—U.S. courts of appeals, source of appeals and original proceedings commenced, by circuit fiscal years 1970 through 1974—Continued

Source	Fiscal year 1970	Fiscal year 1971	Fiscal year 1972	Fiscal year 1973	Fiscal year 1974
Nebraska.....	56	53	97	66	69
North Dakota.....	24	23	17	34	27
South Dakota.....	16	47	33	50	57
The Tax Court of the United States.....	2	16	11	17	20
National Labor Relations Board.....	44	35	56	40	47
All other boards and commissions.....	5	13	14	14	19
Original proceedings.....	19	13	12	26	38
Ninth Circuit.....	1, 585	1, 936	2, 258	2, 316	2, 697
Alaska.....	22	24	27	22	24
Arizona.....	152	172	172	196	198
California:					
Northern.....	271	343	449	383	358
Eastern.....	43	74	89	72	82
Central.....	397	473	523	583	576
Southern.....	116	150	277	252	294
Hawaii.....	20	15	32	32	42
Idaho.....	10	11	20	25	29
Montana.....	25	28	21	30	34
Nevada.....	67	45	56	59	95
Oregon.....	96	85	103	101	111
Washington:					
Eastern.....	22	13	26	23	37
Western.....	68	107	115	130	128
Guam.....	11	14	28	29	33
The Tax Court of the United States.....	59	105	26	52	41
National Labor Relations Board.....	92	126	112	79	92
All other boards and commissions.....	73	76	111	185	453
Original proceedings.....	41	75	71	63	70
Tenth Circuit.....	743	734	884	910	919
Colorado.....	134	105	136	167	161
Kansas.....	218	205	196	216	174
New Mexico.....	78	94	108	98	113
Oklahoma:					
Northern.....	30	52	64	51	67
Eastern.....	29	31	53	29	48
Western.....	106	92	135	169	120
Utah.....	75	55	63	70	96
Wyoming.....	13	17	21	25	31
The Tax Court of the United States.....	9	7	12	11	34
National Labor Relations Board.....	30	19	29	23	20
All other boards and commissions.....	4	6	22	29	23
Original proceedings.....	17	48	45	22	32

¹ One additional District was added in the State of Louisiana, effective April 1, 1972, Public Law 92-208.

TABLE B3. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
SOURCE OF APPEALS AND ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUN. 30, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, AND 1979

SOURCE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
TOTAL APPEALS	16,658	18,408	19,118	18,918	20,219
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS	13,679	15,054	15,718	15,649	16,322
BANKRUPTCY	246	302	303	435	423
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, TOTAL	2,290	2,515	2,564	2,382	2,922
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	241	269	213	211	272
CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD	55	36	53	37	59
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION	210	158	130	74	93
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION	186	218	373	163	243
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION	11	29	10	20	89
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	616	674	718	796	931
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE	8	4	5	11	11
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION	15	10	26	19	13
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE	318	387	295	257	194
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	630	730	741	794	1,017
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	443	537	533	452	552
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT	1,113	1,260	1,175	1,193	1,415
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	590	672	602	607	641
BANKRUPTCY	4	1	1	7	5
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	35	38	28	38	41
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	459	520	508	439	620
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	25	24	31	26	28
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	477	564	563	563	599
FIRST CIRCUIT	1,739	1,898	2,063	1,801	2,058
MAINE	15	14	16	20	23
MASSACHUSETTS	220	267	247	199	254
NEW HAMPSHIRE	38	49	41	30	33
RHODE ISLAND	49	35	33	45	53
PUERTO RICO	80	115	117	156	127
BANKRUPTCY	8	10	15	16	29
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	3	10	3	3	4
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	32	22	39	47	27
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	23	30	37	38	32
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	9	12	15	9	17
SECOND CIRCUIT	1,739	1,898	2,063	1,801	2,058
CONNECTICUT	116	100	143	137	141
NEW YORK					
NORTHERN	61	54	64	47	51
EASTERN	309	320	388	308	465
SOUTHERN	778	903	951	870	865
WESTERN	85	68	98	98	121
VERMONT	40	22	39	20	21
BANKRUPTCY	34	36	35	56	71
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	17	54	28	14	38
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	101	99	115	97	114
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	140	160	117	89	82
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	58	82	85	65	89
THIRD CIRCUIT	1,392	1,621	1,729	1,667	1,702
DELAWARE	51	65	68	51	75
NEW JERSEY	271	339	373	312	354
PENNSYLVANIA					
EASTERN	370	471	495	517	482
MIDDLE	96	103	151	110	103
WESTERN	268	277	300	280	324
VIRGIN ISLANDS	77	72	67	58	65
BANKRUPTCY	31	43	29	111	42
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	14	23	10	17	14
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	50	57	61	71	79
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	112	132	111	88	114
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	52	39	64	52	50

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SOURCE OF APPEALS AND ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUN. 30, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, AND 1979

SOURCE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
FOURTH CIRCUIT	1,319	1,464	1,656	1,644	1,925
MARYLAND	205	281	281	323	326
NORTH CAROLINA					
EASTERN	111	77	89	105	139
MIDDLE	85	76	72	68	65
WESTERN	76	104	108	79	92
SOUTH CAROLINA	134	165	151	128	162
VIRGINIA					
EASTERN	360	444	518	487	594
WESTERN	93	75	156	176	164
WEST VIRGINIA					
NORTHERN	46	35	43	41	59
SOUTHERN	56	62	80	79	68
BANKRUPTCY	8	3		4	
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	16	14	13	19	17
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	22	47	27	35	58
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	96	47	84	76	127
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	11	34	34	24	54
FIFTH CIRCUIT	3,292	3,629	3,563	3,507	3,854
ALABAMA					
NORTHERN	144	172	158	177	175
MIDDLE	72	87	72	83	69
SOUTHERN	62	52	60	63	79
FLORIDA					
NORTHERN	58	67	79	71	67
MIDDLE	207	232	197	238	327
SOUTHERN	423	430	386	392	381
GEORGIA					
NORTHERN	262	333	302	306	329
MIDDLE	104	102	120	74	74
SOUTHERN	73	79	82	47	71
LOUISIANA					
EASTERN	279	325	316	252	320
MIDDLE	46	53	31	55	51
WESTERN	105	132	116	117	135
MISSISSIPPI					
NORTHERN	71	74	73	59	56
SOUTHERN	97	112	93	91	152
TEXAS					
NORTHERN	296	330	300	316	279
EASTERN	75	46	73	73	77
SOUTHERN	306	322	306	339	322
WESTERN	236	235	252	240	230
CANAL ZONE	17	13	23	33	35
BANKRUPTCY	30	48	66	54	117
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	34	48	47	35	42
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	72	74	88	123	108
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	179	196	254	202	280
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	43	67	68	67	78
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,436	1,628	1,827	1,795	1,889
KENTUCKY					
EASTERN	124	113	107	138	107
WESTERN	102	109	84	128	133
MICHIGAN					
EASTERN	261	340	383	364	378
WESTERN	41	48	52	48	47
OHIO					
NORTHERN	243	264	304	241	265
SOUTHERN	161	207	295	316	289
TENNESSEE					
EASTERN	123	84	78	108	113
MIDDLE	85	75	97	90	118
WESTERN	120	124	103	135	150
BANKRUPTCY	5	21	28	26	20
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	11	21	21	26	24
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	75	105	103	89	117
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	59	90	143	66	94
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	26	27	29	20	34

TABLE B3. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
SOURCE OF APPEALS AND ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUN. 30, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, AND 1979

SOURCE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	1,170	1,247	1,386	1,480	1,603
ILLINOIS					
NORTHERN.....	528	526	627	712	749
CENTRAL.....	50	66	71	49	57
SOUTHERN.....	53	60	63	110	102
INDIANA					
NORTHERN.....	92	118	131	139	153
SOUTHERN.....	117	101	130	99	114
WISCONSIN					
EASTERN.....	97	94	120	128	104
WESTERN.....	23	44	34	42	46
BANKRUPTCY.....	14	31	25	22	27
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.....	15	14	13	13	18
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD.....	60	63	66	64	124
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.....	66	54	75	75	66
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	55	76	31	27	43
EIGHTH CIRCUIT.....	1,009	1,080	1,123	986	970
ARKANSAS					
EASTERN.....	81	102	101	80	103
WESTERN.....	31	29	38	34	42
IOWA					
NORTHERN.....	33	55	47	39	34
SOUTHERN.....	45	68	55	44	45
MINNESOTA					
EASTERN.....	118	156	157	149	143
MISSOURI					
EASTERN.....	231	248	238	244	217
WESTERN.....	166	132	161	120	95
NEBRASKA.....	94	93	121	77	75
NORTH DAKOTA.....	39	38	37	37	45
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	42	48	42	53	51
BANKRUPTCY.....	6	1	3		
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.....	22	7	11	9	15
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD.....	40	31	44	42	62
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.....	32	43	46	39	23
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	29	29	22	19	20
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	2,731	2,907	2,905	3,099	3,010
ALASKA.....	25	38	59	82	45
ARIZONA.....	244	300	258	257	244
CALIFORNIA					
NORTHERN.....	332	403	416	430	382
EASTERN.....	103	103	86	113	100
CENTRAL.....	528	550	595	602	611
SOUTHERN.....	341	291	274	293	196
HAWAII.....	38	53	56	65	69
IDAHO.....	28	54	54	37	63
MONTANA.....	37	51	56	63	49
NEVADA.....	93	95	92	101	86
OREGON.....	112	129	134	151	151
WASHINGTON					
EASTERN.....	32	40	42	51	42
WESTERN.....	155	167	186	203	271
UTAH.....	41	19	17	37	20
NORTHERN MARIANA.....					2
BANKRUPTCY.....	80	67	73	89	97
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.....	98	65	47	59	86
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD.....	111	118	127	150	165
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.....	228	257	217	216	220
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS.....	105	107	116	100	111
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	980	1,110	1,128	1,183	1,194
COLORADO.....	162	178	231	213	239
KANSAS.....	227	168	126	134	141
NEW MEXICO.....	120	132	149	145	179
OKLAHOMA					
NORTHERN.....	50	67	84	70	56
EASTERN.....	34	31	36	49	75
WESTERN.....	174	209	199	210	189
UTAH.....	54	107	98	120	100
WYOMING.....					
BANKRUPTCY.....	30	41	28	50	20
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.....	7	8	15	12	9
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD.....	18	20	20	40	36
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.....	39	43	41	47	61

TABLE B 4.—United States courts of appeals. Median time interval in cases terminated after hearing or submission during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1970, by circuit

Circuit	From filing of complete record to final disposition		From filing of complete record to filing last brief		From filing last brief to hearing or submission		From hearing or submission to final disposition	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	6,139	8.2	5,886	3.5	5,886	1.8	6,139	1.6
District of Columbia.....	461	10.4	460	4.0	460	3.5	461	1.3
First.....	162	5.2	155	3.0	155	.4	162	1.4
Second.....	660	6.2	652	3.9	652	.4	660	1.2
Third.....	324	7.4	319	3.1	319	1.5	324	2.0
Fourth.....	345	7.8	342	3.4	342	1.7	345	1.3
Fifth.....	1,446	6.7	1,363	2.2	1,363	2.1	1,446	1.7
Sixth.....	664	8.9	636	3.9	636	2.4	664	1.7
Seventh.....	395	9.9	395	5.8	395	1.3	395	2.0
Eighth.....	311	8.1	306	2.2	306	2.2	311	2.3
Ninth.....	927	12.4	924	5.0	924	3.7	927	1.0
Tenth.....	444	7.3	334	3.4	334	1.2	444	1.8

TABLE B 5.—United States courts of appeals. Median time interval in civil and criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1970, by circuit

Circuit	From filing notice of appeal in lower court to filing of complete record in appellate court				From docketing in lower court to final disposition in appellate court			
	Civil		Criminal		Civil		Criminal	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	3,539	1.6	1,776	2.8	3,539	23.0	1,776	21.1
District of Columbia.....	130	1.3	259	4.6	130	29.8	259	24.7
First.....	108	1.3	27	1.3	108	20.2	27	18.2
Second.....	370	1.3	211	2.5	370	21.7	211	22.8
Third.....	228	1.5	46	5.0	228	24.6	46	25.8
Fourth.....	161	1.3	145	1.2	161	25.9	145	15.0
Fifth.....	925	2.7	310	2.7	925	25.0	310	22.1
Sixth.....	418	1.2	132	2.9	418	20.3	132	21.2
Seventh.....	247	1.3	87	2.2	247	23.7	87	27.5
Eighth.....	212	3.6	68	4.2	212	23.1	68	17.3
Ninth.....	403	1.5	410	2.5	403	25.3	410	20.2
Tenth.....	337	1.5	81	2.5	337	14.4	81	16.0

TABLE B4.—United States courts of appeals. Median time interval in cases terminated after hearing or submission during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1971 by circuit

Circuit	From filing of complete record to final disposition		From filing of complete record to filing last brief		From filing last brief to hearing or submission		From hearing or submission to final disposition	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	7,606	7.6	7,044	3.2	7,044	1.8	7,606	1.2
District of Columbia.....	545	11.2	535	4.1	535	3.6	545	1.8
First.....	222	4.0	194	2.5	194	.4	222	.8
Second.....	951	5.9	911	3.3	911	.4	951	.7
Third.....	426	8.1	387	2.8	387	2.1	426	1.5
Fourth.....	468	7.5	412	3.2	412	1.8	468	1.2
Fifth.....	1,748	6.5	1,610	2.3	1,610	2.0	1,748	1.1
Sixth.....	682	7.7	647	3.3	647	2.3	682	1.1
Seventh.....	464	10.7	450	5.9	450	1.7	464	1.7
Eighth.....	451	6.0	434	2.1	434	1.2	451	1.8
Ninth.....	1,090	10.6	1,082	4.2	1,082	3.1	1,090	.7
Tenth.....	559	7.8	382	3.6	382	1.8	559	1.7

TABLE B5.—United States courts of appeals. Median time interval in civil and criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1971, by circuit

Circuit	From filing notice of appeal in lower court to filing of complete record in appellate court				From docketing in lower court to final disposition in appellate court			
	Civil		Criminal		Civil		Criminal	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	4,553	1.3	2,200	2.5	4,553	21.0	2,200	19.7
District of Columbia.....	171	1.2	286	4.1	171	29.6	280	26.4
First.....	134	.7	55	.9	134	14.6	55	13.8
Second.....	564	1.2	262	1.8	564	24.7	262	21.7
Third.....	299	1.3	81	4.0	299	21.7	81	28.5
Fourth.....	284	1.2	143	1.4	284	21.9	143	13.8
Fifth.....	1,215	1.5	394	1.9	1,215	19.3	394	18.1
Sixth.....	419	1.2	168	2.8	419	19.0	168	18.1
Seventh.....	270	1.3	139	2.3	270	23.4	139	27.1
Eighth.....	276	2.6	120	3.0	276	19.1	120	15.5
Ninth.....	518	1.6	443	3.0	518	26.7	443	17.7
Tenth.....	403	1.6	115	2.9	403	16.0	115	16.7

TABLE B 4.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Median time intervals in cases terminated after hearing or submission during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1972, by circuit

Circuit	From filing of complete record to final disposition		From filing of complete record to filing last brief		From filing last brief to hearing or submission		From hearing or submission to final disposition	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	8,537	6.6	7,642	2.8	7,642	1.8	8,537	1.2
District of Columbia.....	466	12.6	461	4.5	461	4.2	466	1.4
First.....	253	3.9	227	2.5	227	0.4	253	0.8
Second.....	897	4.8	892	3.0	892	0.3	897	0.9
Third.....	675	8.5	603	2.3	603	2.8	675	1.6
Fourth.....	861	6.9	805	2.9	805	1.3	861	1.7
Fifth.....	1,877	5.3	1,762	2.2	1,762	1.8	1,877	0.8
Sixth.....	679	6.8	662	2.9	662	1.9	679	1.2
Seventh.....	443	11.4	438	5.1	438	2.6	443	2.1
Eighth.....	508	5.3	463	1.9	463	1.5	508	1.3
Ninth.....	1,221	8.4	1,197	3.2	1,197	2.5	1,221	1.1
Tenth.....	657	7.0	432	3.3	432	2.9	657	1.4

TABLE B 5.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Median time intervals in civil and criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1972, by circuit

Circuit	From filing notice of appeal in lower court to filing of complete record in appellate court				From docketing in lower court to final disposition in appellate court			
	Civil		Criminal		Civil		Criminal	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	4,948	1.4	2,664	2.3	4,948	20.9	2,664	17.6
District of Columbia.....	137	1.3	231	3.2	137	29.4	231	26.2
First.....	156	0.4	58	0.4	156	11.3	58	14.3
Second.....	432	1.2	353	1.4	432	19.2	353	18.1
Third.....	382	1.5	204	4.1	382	26.3	204	23.3
Fourth.....	602	1.1	209	1.4	602	20.2	209	14.9
Fifth.....	1,268	1.4	453	1.8	1,268	19.4	453	15.6
Sixth.....	451	1.3	169	2.8	451	18.1	169	17.9
Seventh.....	283	1.4	111	2.4	283	25.1	111	25.6
Eighth.....	288	2.7	168	2.5	288	19.8	168	14.6
Ninth.....	519	1.9	538	2.9	519	27.7	538	16.0
Tenth.....	430	1.5	180	2.1	430	15.9	180	15.9

TABLE B-4.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Median time intervals in cases terminated after hearing or submission, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973, by circuit

Circuit	From filing of complete record to final disposition		From filing of complete record to filing last brief		From filing last brief to hearing or submission		From hearing or submission to final disposition	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	9,779	6.4	8,575	2.7	8,575	1.8	9,779	1.1
District of Columbia.....	601	11.7	587	4.7	587	4.4	601	1.0
First.....	223	5.1	196	2.8	196	.4	223	1.2
Second.....	958	4.8	936	2.9	936	.4	958	.7
Third.....	723	8.9	685	3.0	685	3.3	723	.7
Fourth.....	1,168	5.8	496	2.9	496	1.1	1,168	1.9
Fifth.....	2,092	4.9	1,955	2.0	1,955	1.8	2,092	.7
Sixth.....	745	7.0	746	2.9	746	2.1	745	1.2
Seventh.....	630	11.1	627	4.5	627	2.6	630	2.2
Eighth.....	556	4.5	509	1.6	509	1.3	556	1.2
Ninth.....	1,347	7.3	1,344	2.7	1,344	2.1	1,347	1.2
Tenth.....	736	6.3	494	3.0	494	1.8	736	1.3

TABLE B-4a.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Median time intervals in civil cases terminated after hearing or submission, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973, by circuit

Circuit	From filing of complete record to final disposition		From filing of complete record to filing last brief		From filing last brief to hearing or submission		From hearing or submission to final disposition	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	5,728	6.9	4,682	2.7	4,682	2.3	5,728	1.2
District of Columbia.....	237	14.5	227	4.3	227	7.3	237	1.0
First.....	138	4.5	118	2.6	118	.4	138	1.2
Second.....	420	5.8	412	3.2	412	.9	420	.9
Third.....	415	10.0	399	3.0	399	5.3	415	.7
Fourth.....	889	5.3	258	3.0	258	1.2	889	2.1
Fifth.....	1,445	5.2	1,340	2.0	1,340	2.0	1,445	.7
Sixth.....	459	7.1	456	2.8	456	2.1	459	1.4
Seventh.....	354	12.0	353	4.4	353	3.8	354	2.1
Eighth.....	327	4.6	302	1.5	302	1.4	327	1.3
Ninth.....	536	13.8	522	3.9	522	6.3	536	1.4
Tenth.....	508	6.7	295	3.1	295	2.2	508	1.4

TABLE B-4b.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Median time intervals in criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973, by circuit

Circuit	From filing of complete record to final disposition		From filing of complete record to filing last brief		From filing last brief to hearing or submission		From hearing or submission to final disposition	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	3,104	5.5	3,014	2.5	3,014	1.3	3,104	1.0
District of Columbia.....	232	10.2	278	5.2	278	3.3	232	.7
First.....	60	6.4	58	4.4	58	.4	60	1.3
Second.....	434	3.8	424	2.6	424	.2	434	.4
Third.....	220	6.1	209	2.9	209	2.1	220	.6
Fourth.....	238	5.7	200	2.8	200	1.1	238	1.2
Fifth.....	484	4.3	469	2.0	469	1.4	484	.5
Sixth.....	205	6.7	205	2.9	205	2.2	205	.6
Seventh.....	207	9.6	205	5.0	205	1.8	207	2.3
Eighth.....	162	4.5	150	2.2	150	1.1	162	1.1
Ninth.....	646	4.9	653	2.1	653	1.3	646	1.0
Tenth.....	166	5.8	154	2.8	154	1.3	166	1.2

TABLE B-5.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Median time intervals in civil and criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973 by circuit

Circuit	From filing notice of appeal in lower court to filing of complete record in appellate court				From docketing in lower court to final disposition in appellate court			
	Civil		Criminal		Civil		Criminal	
	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	5,728	1.3	3,104	1.7	5,728	19.0	3,104	15.8
District of Columbia.....	237	1.2	282	1.8	237	20.1	282	22.5
First.....	138	.4	60	.2	138	15.4	60	17.2
Second.....	420	1.2	434	1.3	420	17.3	434	15.8
Third.....	415	1.3	220	1.3	415	24.1	220	19.0
Fourth.....	889	.9	238	1.4	889	14.0	238	13.3
Fifth.....	1,445	1.3	484	1.5	1,445	18.6	484	13.0
Sixth.....	459	1.3	205	2.7	459	18.3	205	16.5
Seventh.....	354	1.3	207	2.3	354	21.8	207	22.3
Eighth.....	327	2.5	162	2.5	327	19.7	162	13.2
Ninth.....	536	2.0	646	2.3	536	26.4	646	13.5
Tenth.....	508	1.4	166	2.3	508	14.9	166	12.8

TABLE B-4.—U.S. courts of appeals median time intervals in all cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1974

Circuit	Cases	From filing of complete record to final disposition	From filing of complete record to filing last brief	From filing last brief to hearing or submission	From hearing or submission to final disposition
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)
Total.....	8,451	6.8	2.6	1.7	1.3
District of Columbia.....	555	12.3	5.0	4.4	0.7
First.....	259	4.4	2.4	0.4	1.1
Second.....	819	5.3	3.0	0.5	0.4
Third.....	700	6.5	2.7	2.1	0.4
Fourth.....	559	7.0	2.8	1.1	1.8
Fifth.....	1,763	5.5	2.0	1.2	1.4
Sixth.....	662	7.2	2.8	2.0	1.4
Seventh.....	688	10.3	3.8	2.3	2.5
Eighth.....	525	4.1	1.5	0.6	1.2
Ninth.....	1,483	9.2	2.5	2.6	1.2
Tenth.....	438	6.9	2.9	1.6	1.8

TABLE B4a.—U.S. courts of appeals median time intervals in civil cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1974

Circuit	Cases	From filing of complete record to final disposition	From filing of complete record to filing last brief	From filing last brief to hearing or submission	From hearing or submission to final disposition
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)
Total.....	4,686	8.7	2.9	3.1	1.8
District of Columbia.....	211	13.6	4.7	6.3	1.2
First.....	161	4.3	2.3	0.4	1.2
Second.....	406	6.3	3.5	1.1	0.6
Third.....	424	7.7	3.0	2.5	0.7
Fourth.....	290	7.3	2.8	1.0	2.3
Fifth.....	1,123	5.8	2.0	1.4	1.4
Sixth.....	406	7.3	2.8	2.0	1.6
Seventh.....	382	11.5	4.0	4.0	2.5
Eighth.....	327	4.0	1.4	0.8	1.1
Ninth.....	715	17.0	3.6	9.4	4.0
Tenth.....	241	7.3	3.2	1.7	1.8

TABLE B4b.—U.S. courts of appeals median time intervals in criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1974

Circuit	Cases	From filing of complete record to final disposition	From filing of complete record to filing last brief	From filing last brief to hearing or submission	From hearing or submission to final disposition
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)
Total.....	2,911	5.5	2.4	1.3	1.2
District of Columbia.....	250	10.5	5.2	3.2	0.8
First.....	67	5.3	3.1	0.4	1.0
Second.....	321	3.7	2.6	0.3	0.0
Third.....	199	4.7	2.0	1.8	0.2
Fourth.....	234	6.5	2.8	1.3	1.3
Fifth.....	517	4.8	2.1	0.7	1.5
Sixth.....	176	6.7	2.8	1.7	1.0
Seventh.....	248	8.2	3.6	1.3	2.1
Eighth.....	151	4.2	2.1	0.5	1.5
Ninth.....	607	5.0	1.6	1.7	1.2
Tenth.....	141	6.4	2.7	1.5	1.4

TABLE B-5.—U.S. courts of appeals, median time intervals in civil and criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1974

Circuit	From filing notice of appeal in lower court to filing of complete record in appellate court						From notice of appeal in lower court to final disposition in appellate court			
	All cases		Civil		Criminal		Civil		Criminal	
	Total	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)
Total.....	7,889	1.4	4,686	1.4	2,911	1.7	4,686	9.8	2,911	7.8
District of Columbia.....	464	1.8	211	1.3	250	2.4	211	15.5	250	13.4
First.....	241	0.5	161	0.5	67	0.3	161	5.1	67	6.2
Second.....	765	1.2	406	1.2	321	1.1	406	8.0	321	5.2
Third.....	665	1.3	424	1.3	199	1.5	424	9.6	199	6.7
Fourth.....	530	1.5	290	1.4	234	1.7	290	9.0	234	8.8
Fifth.....	1,680	1.4	1,123	1.3	517	1.5	1,123	7.8	517	7.1
Sixth.....	605	1.9	406	1.6	176	2.8	406	9.7	176	9.6
Seventh.....	646	1.4	382	1.3	248	1.7	382	13.3	248	10.6
Eighth.....	492	2.2	327	2.1	151	2.3	327	6.3	151	7.0
Ninth.....	1,390	2.0	715	2.1	607	1.8	715	19.7	607	7.4
Tenth.....	411	1.7	241	1.6	141	2.0	241	9.5	141	8.7

¹ Includes administrative agency, original proceedings, and bankruptcy cases, in addition to civil and criminal cases.

TABLE B-4.—U.S. courts of appeals, median time intervals in cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1975

Circuit	Cases	From filing of complete record to final disposition	From filing of complete record to filing last brief	From filing last brief to hearing or submission	From hearing or submission to final disposition
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)
Total	8,983	7.4	2.6	2.0	1.4
District of Columbia	486	13.4	4.7	4.4	1.8
First	237	4.4	2.1	0.4	1.3
Second	774	5.3	2.9	0.7	0.6
Third	732	5.8	2.3	2.2	0.2
Fourth	535	8.1	2.9	1.9	1.6
Fifth	2,232	6.3	2.1	1.7	1.6
Sixth	772	6.6	2.6	1.7	1.1
Seventh	881	8.5	3.1	1.9	2.0
Eighth	559	4.2	1.3	0.7	1.3
Ninth	1,375	10.2	2.6	3.3	1.2
Tenth	400	8.1	3.4	1.8	1.8

TABLE B-4.—U.S. courts of appeals, median time intervals in cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1976

Circuit	Cases	From filing of complete record to final disposition	From filing of complete record to filing last brief	From filing last brief to hearing or submission	From hearing or submission to final disposition	From filing notice of appeal in lower court to filing complete record in appellate court	From filing in lower court to final disposition in appellate court	From filing of notice of appeal to final disposition
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)
Total	9,351	7.1	2.5	1.9	1.5	1.5	19.9	9.4
District of Columbia	489	11.9	4.5	3.6	2.5	1.3	28.9	14.0
First	268	5.3	2.3	0.5	2.0	1.3	22.5	7.2
Second	897	5.2	2.7	0.7	0.6	0.9	17.2	6.5
Third	794	6.4	2.9	2.3	0.2	1.3	20.7	8.1
Fourth	756	9.0	2.9	1.8	2.6	1.6	20.9	11.2
Fifth	2,181	6.0	2.1	1.6	1.6	1.5	17.8	8.3
Sixth	769	7.2	2.7	2.5	0.9	2.4	21.4	10.2
Seventh	772	7.0	2.6	1.6	2.2	1.5	20.5	9.4
Eighth	596	4.7	1.5	1.0	1.6	2.2	16.2	7.2
Ninth	1,447	11.1	2.8	4.3	1.2	1.9	21.8	14.0
Tenth	382	9.4	3.2	2.5	2.3	2.0	21.8	11.8

TABLE B-5.—U.S. courts of appeals, median time intervals in civil and criminal cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1975

Circuit	From filing notice of appeals in lower court to filing of complete record in appellate court				From filing of notice of appeal to final disposition		From filing in lower court to final disposition in appellate court		
	All cases ¹		Civil		Criminal		Civil		Criminal
	Total	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Cases	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)
Total	8,417	1.5	5,193	1.4	2,908	1.7	10.0	7.8	23.7
District of Columbia	373	1.4	198	1.3	170	2.2	15.6	13.6	26.0
First	216	1.1	174	0.9	37	2.2	5.9	7.3	18.1
Second	744	1.0	445	1.2	266	0.6	7.7	4.5	23.7
Third	687	1.7	431	1.4	212	2.6	8.9	6.4	25.2
Fourth	508	1.4	265	1.3	231	1.7	10.8	9.8	24.1
Fifth	2,130	1.4	1,413	1.4	672	1.7	9.4	8.3	20.8
Sixth	755	2.0	515	1.8	209	2.9	9.0	9.4	19.4
Seventh	815	1.4	510	1.4	285	1.7	11.9	8.7	25.6
Eighth	519	2.3	340	2.4	158	2.2	7.1	6.3	19.7
Ninth	1,303	1.9	667	2.0	554	1.4	18.7	7.2	32.3
Tenth	367	1.8	235	1.7	111	2.5	10.5	10.2	22.8

¹ Includes administrative agency, original proceedings, and bankruptcy cases, in addition to civil and criminal cases.

TABLE B-4A.—U.S. courts of appeals, median time intervals in cases terminated after hearing or submission, by circuit, fiscal year 1976

Circuit	Cases	From filing of complete record to final disposition	From filing of complete record to filing last brief	From filing last brief to hearing or submission	From hearing or submission to final disposition	From filing notice of appeal in lower court to filing complete record in appellate court	From filing in lower court to final disposition in appellate court	From filing of notice of appeal to final disposition		
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)		
Civil	Total	5,220	7.7	2.7	2.3	1.6	1.5	25.1	10.3	
	District of Columbia	212	13.5	4.3	5.3	2.2	1.3	33.4	15.5	
	First	174	5.2	2.3	0.6	1.9	1.2	23.2	6.8	
	Second	506	5.9	2.9	1.4	0.8	1.0	20.9	7.2	
	Third	490	6.8	3.0	2.5	0.5	1.3	24.9	8.6	
	Fourth	373	9.5	2.9	2.1	3.2	1.4	25.3	12.0	
	Fifth	1,233	6.2	2.1	1.5	1.6	1.4	21.7	8.5	
	Sixth	482	7.6	2.7	2.6	1.0	2.1	22.5	10.3	
	Seventh	501	8.0	2.8	2.0	2.5	1.5	27.1	11.0	
	Eighth	368	5.1	1.5	1.2	1.5	2.6	20.8	8.1	
	Ninth	673	15.9	4.0	7.8	1.5	2.2	31.9	18.9	
	Tenth	208	10.0	3.2	3.2	2.8	1.6	27.7	12.2	
	Criminal	Total	3,114	5.7	2.3	1.6	1.3	1.7	14.8	8.2
		District of Columbia	137	8.7	4.1	1.2	2.3	1.9	18.1	12.1
First		59	5.5	2.3	0.5	2.3	2.5	18.9	7.9	
Second		265	3.4	2.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	13.4	4.4	
Third		220	4.9	2.3	2.1	0.1	1.1	14.6	6.5	
Fourth		290	7.3	2.7	1.7	1.9	1.8	14.7	10.4	
Fifth		775	5.8	2.1	1.9	1.4	1.7	14.7	8.3	
Sixth		250	6.2	2.7	2.4	0.7	3.3	19.6	10.0	
Seventh		205	5.0	2.3	0.8	1.6	1.8	14.6	7.6	
Eighth		187	3.7	1.4	0.7	1.4	1.7	11.5	5.9	
Ninth		589	6.0	1.8	1.9	1.0	1.5	13.9	8.3	
Tenth		137	8.2	3.0	2.1	1.7	2.5	16.3	11.3	

TABLE B 4. U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS
MEDIAN TIME INTERVALS IN CASES TERMINATED AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION, BY CIRCUIT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit	Cases	From Filing of Complete Record to Final Disposition	From Filing of Complete Record to Filing Last Brief	From Filing Last Brief to Hearing or Submission	From Hearing or Submission to Final Disposition	From Filing Notice of Appeal		From Filing in Lower Court to Final Disposition in Appellate Court
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	To filing complete record	To final disposition	Interval (months)
Total	11,244	7.0	2.5	1.9	1.4	1.5	9.4	20.0
District of Columbia..	657	10.1	3.5	2.4	1.4	1.3	11.4	22.9
First.....	332	5.8	2.2	0.5	2.2	1.4	8.3	23.1
Second.....	1,070	4.5	2.5	0.6	0.4	0.9	5.7	16.6
Third.....	1,079	7.2	2.8	2.7	0.3	1.3	9.1	20.9
Fourth.....	994	8.9	2.9	2.3	2.3	1.8	11.8	20.1
Fifth.....	2,163	6.7	2.2	1.4	1.9	1.4	9.1	19.8
Sixth.....	871	7.2	2.6	2.5	0.7	2.4	10.6	20.3
Seventh.....	923	6.9	2.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	9.1	20.5
Eighth.....	700	4.4	1.1	1.5	1.2	2.3	7.0	16.1
Ninth.....	1,784	9.8	2.7	3.1	1.2	1.8	12.7	22.2
Tenth.....	671	8.7	2.9	2.9	1.4	1.5	11.7	19.6

TABLE B-4A.-U.S.COURTS OF APPEALS, MEDIAN TIME INTERVALS IN CASES TERMINATED AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION, BY CIRCUIT, FISCAL YEAR 1977

CIRCUIT	CASES	FROM FILING OF COMPLETE RECORD TO FINAL DISPOSITION	FROM FILING OF COMPLETE RECORD TO FILING LAST BRIEF	FROM FILING LAST BRIEF TO HEARING OR SUBMISSION	FROM HEARING OR SUBMISSION TO FINAL DISPOSITION	FROM FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL IN LOWER COURT TO FILING COMPLETE RECORD IN APPELLATE COURT	FROM FILING IN LOWER COURT TO FINAL DISPOSITION IN APPELLATE COURT	FROM FILING OF NOTICE OF APPEAL TO FINAL DISPOSITION TO FINAL DISPOSITION
		INTERVAL (MONTHS)	INTERVAL (MONTHS)	INTERVAL (MONTHS)	INTERVAL (MONTHS)	INTERVAL (MONTHS)	INTERVAL (MONTHS)	INTERVAL (MONTHS)
		CIVIL						
TOTAL.....	6,407	7.7	2.6	2.4	1.4	1.4	23.6	10.0
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	297	11.1	3.8	3.9	1.9	1.3	24.1	12.6
FIRST.....	208	5.9	2.2	0.6	2.3	1.3	24.0	7.8
SECOND.....	528	5.1	2.5	1.1	0.6	1.0	19.5	6.4
THIRD.....	652	7.7	2.8	3.2	0.4	1.3	24.6	9.4
FOURTH.....	627	9.1	2.9	2.9	2.2	1.7	22.1	11.9
FIFTH.....	1,292	7.2	2.2	1.6	1.9	1.3	23.9	9.3
SIXTH.....	482	9.4	2.5	3.5	0.8	2.0	22.3	12.4
SEVENTH.....	554	7.5	2.6	1.7	1.6	1.4	23.9	9.5
EIGHTH.....	459	4.5	1.1	1.8	1.1	2.4	21.3	7.7
NINTH.....	853	14.7	3.8	5.8	1.3	2.0	30.7	17.6
TENTH.....	455	8.4	2.8	3.1	1.3	1.4	20.5	11.0
CRIMINAL								
TOTAL.....	3,305	5.6	2.3	1.4	1.1	1.8	15.4	8.0
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	103	5.8	3.1	0.8	0.9	1.8	15.4	8.0
FIRST.....	69	5.9	2.2	0.5	2.6	3.4	18.7	9.7
SECOND.....	377	2.4	2.4	0.3	0.0	0.7	13.9	4.5
THIRD.....	264	5.8	2.6	2.2	0.2	1.1	15.1	7.6
FOURTH.....	248	7.4	2.4	1.8	2.0	2.6	16.9	11.4
FIFTH.....	721	6.0	2.3	1.2	1.8	1.9	15.7	8.7
SIXTH.....	306	5.7	2.6	1.7	0.6	3.2	17.8	9.3
SEVENTH.....	255	5.4	2.4	0.9	1.5	2.1	16.1	8.2
EIGHTH.....	196	3.9	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.8	11.7	6.0
NINTH.....	608	5.5	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.5	13.9	8.0
TENTH.....	158	9.2	3.4	2.9	1.5	2.1	17.5	13.1

Table B-4. - U. S. Courts of Appeals. Median Time Intervals in Cases Terminated
After Hearing or Submission, by Circuit, During the Twelve-Month Period Ending June 30, 1978

Circuit	Cases	From Filing of Complete Record To Final Disposition	From Filing of Complete Record To Filing of Last Brief	From Filing Last Brief To Hearing or Submission	From Hearing or Submission To Final Disposition	From Filing Notice of Appeal To Filing Complete Record	From Filing In Lower Court To Final Disposition In Appellate Court	From Filing of Notice of Appeal to Final Disposition
Total	8,984	8.0	2.7	2.4	1.5	1.6	22.5	10.5
District of Columbia	369	12.8	4.4	5.8	1.4	1.3	26.6	13.8
First	312	6.3	2.5	0.5	2.4	1.6	25.1	8.8
Second	917	4.3	2.7	0.4	0.3	0.9	16.6	5.6
Third	817	8.1	3.0	3.8	0.3	1.3	23.2	9.8
Fourth	650	9.9	2.8	3.1	2.1	2.3	23.2	13.8
Fifth	2,159	8.1	2.6	2.2	1.9	1.7	22.8	10.8
Sixth	823	9.0	2.7	3.4	0.5	2.2	22.8	13.0
Seventh	649	7.8	2.8	1.8	2.3	1.5	24.5	10.3
Eighth	615	5.0	1.2	1.7	1.4	2.2	17.4	7.6
Ninth	1,242	10.8	3.0	3.8	1.6	1.8	22.5	13.5
Tenth	431	13.8	3.0	6.4	2.0	1.6	26.5	16.7
Civil								
Total	5,082	9.0	2.7	3.1	1.6	1.5	27.9	11.5
District of Columbia	185	13.5	4.2	6.3	1.9	1.3	30.0	15.3
First	206	6.2	2.4	0.5	2.5	1.4	27.5	8.4
Second	523	4.5	2.6	0.6	0.5	1.0	22.7	5.9
Third	481	8.5	3.1	4.4	0.3	1.3	26.5	10.2
Fourth	377	10.8	2.8	3.5	2.5	2.0	27.0	14.1
Fifth	1,239	8.4	2.5	2.2	1.9	1.5	28.6	11.6
Sixth	482	15.9	2.8	9.2	0.5	1.8	28.3	17.8
Seventh	391	8.5	2.8	2.1	2.3	1.4	28.0	11.0
Eighth	401	5.4	1.3	1.9	1.5	2.4	21.9	8.3
Ninth	538	16.4	3.9	7.0	1.8	1.9	34.9	19.7
Tenth	259	14.7	2.9	2.9	2.0	1.4	30.1	17.4
Criminal								
Total	2,949	6.2	2.5	1.8	1.3	2.0	16.2	9.1
District of Columbia	62	6.3	3.5	0.9	0.2	2.0	14.4	8.7
First	68	6.9	2.5	0.5	2.4	2.5	20.3	10.8
Second	317	3.9	2.7	0.3	0.1	0.8	13.0	5.1
Third	227	6.2	2.5	2.7	0.2	1.3	17.1	8.0
Fourth	219	8.1	2.7	2.6	1.4	3.2	18.6	13.3
Fifth	746	7.3	2.7	2.0	1.9	2.4	16.9	10.2
Sixth	316	5.7	2.6	2.0	0.6	3.4	17.0	10.1
Seventh	174	6.1	2.5	0.9	1.8	2.1	17.5	9.1
Eighth	154	3.9	1.1	1.3	1.0	1.6	10.2	5.8
Ninth	529	6.3	2.0	2.1	1.4	1.7	15.1	8.9
Tenth	137	11.0	3.3	5.0	1.8	2.2	19.3	14.6

TABLE B 7.—United States courts of appeals. Nature of suit or offense of appeals from the United States district courts filed in the United States courts of appeals during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1970—Concluded

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Habeas corpus.....	21	18			1		2					
All other.....	70	68			1						1	
Total criminal cases.....	2,660	440	49	330	112	192	417	194	182	141	493	110
General Offenses.....	2,134	418	41	301	93	161	322	137	141	113	322	85
Homicide, total.....	51	40	1		5	1	1				1	2
Murder, first degree.....	22	15	1		4	1	1					
Other homicide.....	29	25			1						1	2
Robbery, total.....	382	158	2	32	29	26	31	30	17	17	33	7
Bank.....	231	23	2	32	18	26	31	29	16	16	31	7
Other robbery.....	151	135			11			1	1	1	2	
Assault.....	66	23		14	2	5	2	2	3		6	9
Burglary.....	70	45		1		2	8	5	1	1	4	3
Larceny and theft, total.....	170	9	3	40	8	28	20	19	10	14	13	6
Interstate shipment.....	67		1	18	3	9	7	6	9	10	4	
Transportation, etc. of stolen property.....	26					7	6	3		3	6	1
Other.....	77	9	2	22	5	12	7	10	1	1	3	5
Embezzlement.....	31			9		1	8	5	3	1	4	
Fraud, total.....	173	2	10	50	8	6	41	7	21	14	6	8
Income tax.....	44		6	9	3	1	12	1	8	3	1	
Postal and interstate wire, radio, etc.....	78			26		3	19	3	10	10	2	5
Other.....	51	2	4	15	5	2	10	3	3	1	3	3
Auto theft.....	206	15	3	3	7	24	45	23	7	27	20	23
Transportation of forged securities.....	70	2	1	14	3	5	22	7	3	3	7	3
Forgery.....	97	16	1	15	2	8	18	7	6	9	15	
Counterfeiting.....	72		2	14	2	9	17	10	11	2	5	
Sex Offenses, total.....	57	18	3		6	3	4	2	5	1	11	4
Rape.....	27	15			4	3					5	
White slave traffic.....	24		3			3	2	5	1	6		4
Other sex offenses.....	6	3			2	1						
Narcotics, total.....	395	51	12	70	3	13	61		18	5	155	7
Marihuana Tax Act.....	127	4	4	7		1	22		3		83	3
Other.....	268	47	8	63	3	12	39		15	5	72	4
Miscellaneous general offenses, total.....	294	39	3	39	18	30	44	20	36	19	33	13
Bribery.....	23	1		10		1	7	3			1	
Extortion, racketeering and threats.....	79	1	1	14	9	8	8	5	17	2	10	4
Gambling, lottery.....	10	2			3		4					1
Kidnapping.....	18	8		1			2		3	4		
Perjury.....	21			7		3	1		3	1	4	2
Other.....	143	27	2	7	6	18	22	12	13	12	18	6
Special offenses.....	526	22	8	29	19	31	95	57	41	28	171	25
Immigration laws.....	27	1		3	4		3		3		13	
Liquor, Internal Revenue.....	96		1			8	44	36	2		2	3
Federal statutes, total.....	403	21	8	25	15	23	48	21	36	28	156	22
Selective Service Act.....	244		5	12	7	18	26	14	23	21	112	6
Other national defense laws.....	3						2				1	
Other.....	156	21	3	13	8	5	20	7	13	7	43	16

TABLE B7.—U.S. courts of appeals. Nature of suit or offense of appeals from the U.S. district courts filed in the U.S. courts of appeals during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1971

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Total cases.....	10,798	828	313	1,166	913	1,118	2,075	858	762	627	1,497	641
Total criminal cases.....	3,197	383	85	362	200	239	544	209	183	179	618	194
Total civil cases.....	7,601	445	227	804	713	879	1,531	649	579	448	879	447
U.S. cases.....	2,367	231	55	183	202	184	458	184	149	187	364	170
U.S. plaintiff.....	363	6	13	34	19	18	79	29	29	53	73	10
Negotiable instruments.....	7			1		1	2				3	
Other contract actions.....	21		1	4	2		7				4	1
Condemnation of land.....	54		1	3		1	4	14	2	21	6	2
Other real property actions.....	27			1	1		11	1	3	1	8	1
Personal property tort actions.....	8			2							5	
Civil rights.....	34		1			5	19		4	5		
Fair Labor Standards Act.....	44			1	3	3	17	8		11	4	2
Labor Management Relations Act.....	23		2		3	1		1	1	2	13	
Securities, commodities and exchanges.....	20		1	9			3		3	1		3
Tax suits.....	26		1	5	4		4	1	5	3	3	
All other.....	99	6	6	8	6	7	12	7	10	9	27	1
U.S. defendant.....	2,004	225	42	149	183	166	379	155	120	134	291	160
Contract actions.....	155		4	8	15	5	13	1	5	3	18	4
Real property actions.....	19	1					3	1	1	1	7	5
Tort actions.....	119	2	2	8	18	9	23	8	7	6	31	5
Motions to vacate sentence.....	474	29	15	51	23	50	94	58	30	33	55	36
Habeas corpus.....	261	7	3	18	28	23	50	16	10	12	44	50
Other prisoner petitions.....	135	12	1	10	18	8	46	3	4	6	6	21
Selective Service Act.....	145	5	7	10	18	9	16	10	17	10	37	6
Social security laws.....	130	3	5	4	8	27	25	25	8	7	15	3
Tax suits.....	220		2	15	14	20	76	19	15	21	27	11
All other.....	346	87	3	25	41	15	33	14	23	35	51	19
Private cases.....	5,234	214	172	621	611	695	1,073	465	430	261	515	277
Federal question.....	3,697	43	120	503	356	588	758	345	283	154	374	173
Marine contract.....	61		4	17		3	25	3	5		4	
Other contract actions.....	30	1	1	2	6	1	7	1	3	2	5	1
Employers' Liability Act.....	31		1	3	7	2	9	2	1	2	3	1
Marine injury.....	120		4	16	7	17	63	1		1	11	
Other tort actions.....	40		3	8		4	17	3	1	1	3	
Civil rights.....	804	8	39	79	71	60	237	84	70	45	87	24
Antitrust.....	227	6	3	113	22	4	13	13	13	1	31	8
Habeas corpus.....	1,261	1	25	94	48	383	221	163	65	51	122	98
Prisoner civil rights.....	311	1	3	36	83	67	31	26	25	12	31	6
Other prisoner petitions.....	71		3	3	9	18	15	13	2	1	3	4
Labor Management Relations Act.....	172	10	12	23	51	11	21	12	8	8	14	2
Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act.....	30	3		5	7		8	3	1	2	1	
Railway Labor Act.....	34	8	1	3	3	1	7	2	3	5	1	
Patent.....	134		6	21	21	5	17	6	27	6	19	6
Securities, commodities and exchanges.....	143		4	55	10		16	1	30	5	12	10
All other.....	228	5	11	35	11	12	51	22	29	12	27	13
Diversity of citizenship.....	1,286		49	107	134	99	304	113	145	104	128	103
Insurance.....	220		3	6	13	14	56	22	16	24	41	25
Other contract actions.....	445		20	41	48	36	97	40	47	35	49	32
Real property actions.....	53		2	6	2	6	9	6	4	1	5	12
Personal injury—motor vehicle.....	186		7	19	33	14	45	12	21	16	5	14
Personal injury—other.....	316		13	33	36	21	81	29	46	23	22	12

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Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Other tort actions.....	60		4	2	2	8	14	2	9	5	6	8
All other.....	6						2	2	2			
General local jurisdiction.....	251	171	3	11	21	8	11	7	2	3	13	1
Contract actions.....	77	67			4						6	
Real property actions.....	15	12			2						1	
Tort actions.....	54	47			4						3	
Prisoner petitions.....	22	22										
All other.....	83	23	3	11	11	8	11	7	2	3	3	1
Total criminal cases.....	3,197	383	86	362	200	239	544	209	183	179	618	194
General offenses.....	2,591	370	73	322	165	195	427	177	131	148	417	166
Homicide, total.....	66	53		1		2	1	1	2	3	1	2
Murder, 1st degree.....	31	21		1		2	1		2	2	1	1
Other homicide.....	35	32						1		1		1
Robbery, total.....	430	103	4	47	64	45	30	39	11	29	44	14
Bank.....	333	11	4	47	63	44	29	38	11	29	43	14
Other robbery.....	97	92			1	1	1	1			1	
Assault.....	77	25	1	6	10	4	7	4	2	1	10	7
Burglary.....	70	32		3	2	3	17	4		1	3	5
Larceny and theft, total.....	248	6	9	41	22	21	47	22	13	20	38	9
Interstate shipment.....	101		1	29	17	11	7	8	9	6	8	5
Transportation, etc. of stolen property.....	38		4	3	2	4	14	3	3		4	1
Other.....	109	6	4	9	3	6	26	11	1	14	26	3
Embezzlement.....	43	3	2	7	4	1	7	2	1	4	5	7
Fraud, total.....	242	6	5	47	14	20	61	13	23	16	26	11
Income tax.....	78		1	17	4	9	15	5	6	6	10	5
Postal and interstate wire, radio, etc.....	102	5	2	16	9	6	32	1	12	8	9	2
Other.....	62	1	2	14	1	5	14	7	5	2	7	4
Auto theft.....	180	7	4	2	2	22	44	30	15	9	20	25
Transportation—forged securities.....	72		5	9	9	4	16	4	4	5	4	12
Forgery.....	87	11	1	14		7	18	9	2	4	17	4
Counterfeiting.....	85		4	11	5	10	19	10	5	8	7	6
Sex offenses, total.....	37	26		1	2		3		1	1	1	2
Rape.....	28	25			1					1		1
White slave traffic.....	8		1	1			3		1		1	1
Other sex offenses.....	1	1										

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Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Narcotics, total.....	565	57	29	85	16	11	96	12	23	18	186	32
Marihuana Tax Act.....	160	3	1	5	1		28	1	7		110	6
Other.....	405	54	28	80	15	11	70	11	16	18	76	26
Miscellaneous general offenses, total.....	389	41	9	48	15	45	61	27	29	29	55	30
Bribery.....	22	4		11			2		3		1	1
Extortion, racketeering and threats.....	78	3	2	17	9	9	13	5	11	2	6	1
Gambling, lottery.....	10	7					2				1	
Kidnapping.....	20	7			2	1	3	1	1	4		1
Firearms, weapons.....	173	15	7	10	3	16	30	13	13	18	30	18
Other.....	86	5		10	1	19	11	8	1	5	17	9
Special offenses.....	132		3	10		20	58	15	3		23	
Immigration laws.....	36		1	6			4		2		23	
Liquor, Internal Revenue.....	96		2	4		20	54	15	1			
Federal statutes, total.....	474	13	10	30	35	24	69	17	49	31	178	28
Selective Service Act.....	261		6	7	21	15	14	9	23	18	133	15
Other national defense laws.....	2						1			1		
Other.....	211	13	4	23	14	9	44	8	26	12	45	13

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Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		D. C.	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Total cases.....	12,379	907	364	1,085	943	1,318	2,539	1,057	845	695	1,864	762
Total criminal cases.....	3,980	456	107	463	274	280	652	282	226	186	826	228
Total civil cases.....	8,399	451	257	622	669	1,038	1,887	775	619	509	1,038	534
U.S. cases.....	2,604	212	88	186	159	216	571	206	174	195	399	198
U.S. plaintiff.....	399	6	9	34	14	24	117	18	38	51	54	34
Negotiable instruments.....	15			1	1	1	2		1	3	5	1
Other contract actions.....	30	2	2	1	1	3	7	1	2	7	4	
Condemnation of land.....	58				3	1	7	3	4	21	5	14
Other real property actions.....	12					1	1		1	2	7	
Personal property tort actions.....	20				1		5		7	6	1	
Civil rights.....	38			1		4	24	2	2	2		3
Fair Labor Standard Act.....	61		1	2	2	8	33	5	2	1	1	6
Labor Management Relations Act.....	22		1	1		2	7		2	3	6	
Securities, Commodities and Exchanges.....	28	1		14			5	1	1	2	2	2
Tax suits.....	34			5	1	1	7	3	6	1	6	4
All other.....	81	3	5	9	5	3	19	3	10	3	17	4
U.S. defendant.....	2,205	206	79	152	145	192	454	188	186	144	845	164
Contract actions.....	138	39	3	4	13	8	19	3	10	5	28	6
Real property actions.....	45	7			1	2	14	1	1	3	12	4
Tort actions.....	162	8	7	7	20	10	27	10	5	19	41	8
Motions to vacate sentence.....	504	18	16	38	24	66	117	63	34	26	60	42
Habeas corpus.....	234	11	4	12	29	9	41	9	27	21	36	35
Prisoner civil rights.....	39	2	2	7	6	3	3	3	1	2	3	7
Other prisoner petitions.....	113	7	2	5	2	5	45	7	11	3	5	21
Selective Service Act.....	88	2	3	9	2	6	13	6	11	6	30	
Social Security laws.....	210	8	10	10	10	38	33	47	6	15	25	8
Tax suits.....	260	1	8	16	9	24	94	21	14	24	38	13
All other.....	412	103	26	44	29	21	48	18	16	20	67	20
Private cases.....	5,795	229	169	436	510	822	1,316	569	445	314	639	336
Federal question.....	4,033	44	127	335	314	698	913	419	332	188	475	208
Marine contract.....	75		4	18	1	4	27		8		13	
Other contract actions.....	57	1	2	5	7	4	20	1	2	1	13	1
Employers' Liability Act.....	31		1	3	1	5	11	3		5	1	1
Marine injury.....	158		6	21	13	8	90	2		2	16	
Other tort actions.....	73		1	6	3	8	25	2	6	5	17	
Civil rights.....	991	10	41	60	80	89	286	134	87	54	102	48
Antitrust.....	131	2	2	16	16	1	16	4	8	13	41	12
Habeas corpus.....	1,819	1	21	58	58	440	255	161	82	50	97	96
Prisoner civil rights.....	349	1	17	35	44	77	43	26	37	13	47	9
Other prisoner petitions.....	56		2		3	15	15	6	4	3	4	4
Labor Management Relations Act.....	167	13	8	8	38	11	20	28	8	13	17	3
Labor Management Reporting and Disclosure Act.....	26	2	1	3	6	2	8	6	1		1	1
Railway Labor Act.....	33	4		1	5	2	5	4	3	3	5	1
Patent.....	117	3	2	13	11	13	13	10	27	2	19	4
Securities, Commodities and Exchanges.....	186	3	2	61	11	8	22	10	27	4	31	7
All other.....	284	4	17	27	17	11	62	22	32	20	51	21

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Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		D. C.	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Diversity of citizenship.....	1,499	2	42	101	172	124	401	150	113	126	140	128
Insurance.....	226		3	5	20	18	66	26	19	31	19	19
Other contract actions.....	533		14	59	53	45	145	45	53	47	52	50
Real property actions.....	95	1	1	1	5	8	40	4	4	1	11	19
Personal injury—motor vehicle.....	215		6	12	41	23	49	31	15	15	4	19
Personal injury—other.....	328		14	20	51	21	86	37	13	24	44	18
Other tort actions.....	67		2	4	2	9	15	6	9	8	9	3
All other.....	5	1	2					1			1	
General local jurisdiction.....	243	103			24		2				24	
Contract actions.....	25	17			4						4	
Real property actions.....	65	66					1				8	
Tort actions.....	7	7										
Prisoner petitions.....	146	113			20		1				12	
All other.....												
Total criminal cases.....	3,980	456	107	463	274	280	652	282	226	186	826	228
General offenses.....	3,288	446	81	420	225	245	552	227	163	155	578	196
Homicide, total.....	76	58			5	5	2	1		3	1	1
Murder, first degree.....	40	28			5	4	2					1
Other homicide.....	36	30				1		1		3	1	
Robbery, total.....	515	164	8	43	54	43	41	33	17	24	58	31
Bank.....	342	6	8	42	50	42	39	30	16	24	54	31
Other robbery.....	173	158			4	1	2	3	1		4	
Assault.....	93	20	7	1	12	12	7	2	3	10	11	8
Burglary.....	45	17		1	2	4	6	3	1	4	3	4
Larceny and theft, total.....	281	4	14	53	15	24	44	28	21	16	33	9
Interstate shipment.....	125		9	38	10	10	16	9	16	6	10	1
Transportation, etc., of stolen property.....	41		2	2	2	8	6	2	2	2	3	6
Other.....	95	4	3	13	3	6	20	13	3	8	20	2
Embezzlement.....	61	2	1	13	6	4	12	7	8	1	6	1
Fraud, total.....	227	2	5	51	15	13	47	19	18	17	24	16
Income tax.....	88		4	22	6	2	14	9	10	7	8	6
Postal and interstate wire, radio, etc.....	73	1		14	3	5	18	6	7	7	5	7
Other.....	66	1	1	15	6	6	15	4	1	3	11	3
Auto theft.....	178		4	6	3	32	50	21	5	10	21	26
Transportation—Forged securities.....	98	5	1	16	6	6	20	6	14	6	8	10
Forgery.....	110	8		23		13	28	8	4	8	15	3
Counterfeiting.....	140		10	13	7	9	35	31	4	5	21	5

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Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		D.C.	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Sex offenses, total.....	52	36			1	2	4	3	1			5
Rape.....	39	35			1	2	1					
White slave traffic.....	7						3	2	1			1
Other sex offenses.....	6	1						1				4
Narcotics, total.....	820	91	24	125	35	18	138	10	32	13	292	42
Marihuana Tax Act.....	111	1		2	2	3	23	1	3	1	69	6
Other.....	379	79	16	83	15	11	37	5	23	5	81	24
Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act, total.....	330	11	8	40	18	4	78	4	6	7	142	12
DAPCA marihuana.....	112	1		1		4	21	2			78	5
DAPCA narcotics.....	175	9	8	37	16		42	2	5	7	42	7
DAPCA controlled substances.....	43	1		2	2		15		1		22	
Miscellaneous general offenses, total.....	612	39	7	76	64	60	118	55	35	38	85	35
Bribery.....	21		1	15		2	2			1		
Extortion, racketeering, and threats.....	162	8	4	28	41	13	15	13	7	6	19	8
Gambling, lottery.....	56	5		5	9		19	2	2		11	1
Kidnapping.....	23	5			4	5	3	1	1		2	2
Firearms, weapons.....	246	15	2	13	7	29	50	31	19	27	39	14
Other.....	104	6		15	3	11	29	8	6	2	14	10
Special offenses.....	131		2	4	1	6	48	24		2	37	7
Immigration laws.....	50		1	3	1		5			1	37	2
Liquor, Internal Revenue.....	81		1	1		6	43	24		1		5
Federal statutes, total.....	561	10	24	59	48	29	52	31	63	29	211	25
Selective Service Act.....	324		18	11	31	15	16	13	59	18	152	11
Other national defense laws.....	2									2		
Other.....	235	10	6	28	17	14	36	18	24	9	59	14

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Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Total cases.....	18,329	978	350	1,404	979	1,509	2,703	1,085	962	710	1,861	788
Total criminal cases.....	4,453	491	112	588	322	309	763	288	302	227	805	246
Total civil cases.....	8,876	487	238	816	657	1,200	1,940	797	660	483	1,056	542
U.S. cases.....	2,704	238	73	190	187	243	583	242	182	186	379	201
U.S. plaintiff.....	388	12	13	41	35	24	79	39	29	36	66	14
Negotiable instruments.....	16	1	1				2	2	1	6	3	
Other contract actions.....	18	3	2		1	2	3	2	1	2	2	
Condemnation of land.....	54		1	3	1	10	2	3	4	18	8	4
Other real property actions.....	12	1					4		1		1	
Personal property tort actions.....	7				1		9	4	2	1	1	3
Civil rights.....	22						23	8	1		11	3
Fair Labor Standards Act.....	63			1	15	1	3		1		4	
Labor Management Relations Act.....	12			1	2	1	3				4	
Securities, commodities and exchanges.....	25		1	13	1	2	2	2		2	6	
Tax suits.....	56	1		4	10	1	14	8	10	7	20	1
All other.....	103	6	8	19	4	5	15	10	8			
U.S. defendant.....	2,316	226	60	149	152	219	504	203	153	150	313	187
Contract actions.....	129	30	4	2	8	14	21	13	5	7	15	10
Real property actions.....	51	14	2		1	4	3	3	3	3	15	3
Tort actions.....	165	23	6	8	9	13	38	10	7	5	43	3
Motions to vacate sentence.....	579	18	12	61	35	69	122	72	37	49	68	36
Habeas corpus.....	261	3	2	9	12	26	92	8	19	13	20	48
Prisoner civil rights.....	53	1			7	10	15	3	4	2	4	7
Other prisoner petitions.....	108	5		4	8	5	22	8	6	5	8	37
Selective Service Act.....	14		2	1			1	5	4	1		
Social Security laws.....	193	4	12	8	17	26	46	40	2	13	22	3
Tax suits.....	213	3	3	8	18	17	67	15	19	19	30	14
All other.....	550	125	17	48	37	35	78	30	46	30	78	26
Private cases.....	6,172	249	165	626	470	957	1,357	555	478	297	677	341
Federal question.....	4,483	74	113	479	305	820	998	431	353	184	512	214
Marine contract.....	71		2	23	1	4	25			4	12	
Other contract actions.....	42		2	10	2	5	4	4	4	2	8	1
Employers' Liability Act.....	43			6	9	1	5	9	5	3	4	
Marine injury.....	241		7	21	10	17	156	6			24	
Other tort actions.....	97	1	1	7	5	3	32	7	3	7	29	2
Civil rights.....	953	19	33	100	62	97	247	110	99	48	98	40
Antitrust.....	190	7	4	23	13	6	27	24	9	9	66	2
Habeas corpus.....	1,301	4	16	55	44	510	260	119	73	32	87	101
Prisoners civil rights.....	478	2	18	38	65	124	74	43	48	12	33	21
Other prisoners petitions.....	49	2		2	3	4	9	8	5	8	3	5
Labor Management Relations Act.....	202	7	3	14	27	8	38	35	19	13	31	5
Labor Management Reporting and Disclosure Act.....	33	2		12	1	1	2	1	5	1	5	3
Railway Labor Act.....	25	1		6	3	1	4	3	3	1	3	
Patent.....	144	2	2	17	11	7	16	22	29	8	23	7
Securities, commodities and exchange.....	227	4	10	61	27	4	37	10	26	5	31	12
All other.....	387	23	15	84	22	28	62	30	25	29	55	14

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Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Diversity of citizenship.....	1,468	15	52	147	135	137	355	124	125	113	138	127
Insurance.....	193		7	9	20	19	49	16	20	23	15	15
Other contract actions.....	586	4	18	83	41	55	131	42	52	40	66	54
Real property actions.....	64		5	5		4	13	3	3	5	11	15
Personal injury—motor vehicle.....	198		7	9	33	29	51	20	13	16	5	15
Personal injury—other.....	375	7	13	39	33	27	97	41	36	24	33	25
Other tort actions.....	47	2	2	2	7	3	13	2	1	5	7	3
All other.....	5	2			1		1				1	
General local jurisdiction.....	221	160			30		4				27	
Contract actions.....	119	88			15						16	
Real property actions.....	23	13			4						6	
Tort actions.....	74	55			10		4				5	
Prisoner petitions.....	5	4			1							
All other.....												
Total criminal cases.....	4,453	491	112	588	322	309	763	288	302	227	805	246
General offenses.....	1,842	462	100	526	273	263	681	225	254	200	665	193
Homicide, total.....	97	79			10	2	2		1	1	1	1
Murder, first degree.....	53	35			10	2	2		1	1	1	1
Other homicide.....	44	44										
Robbery, total.....	173	164	3	34	50	64	36	30	10	14	54	20
Bank.....	507	13	3	32	44	62	32	30	8	12	51	20
Other robbery.....	172	161		2	6	2	4		2	2	3	
Assault.....	83	18	4	10	6	5	14		5	8	11	2
Burglary.....	39	15	1		3	1	6			4	8	1
Larceny and theft, total.....	268	4	6	48	21	20	38	27	30	16	37	21
Interstate shipment.....	106	2	5	24	19	6	7	8	19	2	7	7
Transportation, etc. of stolen property.....	53			7	1	3	15	8	4	4	8	3
Other.....	109	2	1	17	1	11	16	11	7	10	22	11
Embezzlement.....	74	4	7	11	3	6	19	1	4	5	10	4
Fraud, total.....	295	3	5	52	26	14	66	23	38	15	37	16
Income tax.....	107		2	18	4	5	24	7	14	7	20	6
Postal and interstate wire, radio, etc.....	106	1	1	18	12	4	28	8	17	5	9	3
Other.....	82	2	2	16	10	5	14	8	7	3	8	7
Auto theft.....	178	2	5	8	2	35	60	14	12	14	10	16
Transportation—forged securities.....	85	1		16	13	3	11	3	13	6	5	14
Forgery.....	100	3	2	9	7	18	15	12	8	3	13	10
Counterfeiting.....	110		12	17	9	3	17	11	14	3	20	4
Sex offenses, total.....	68	43				7	6	1	3	2	4	2
Rape.....	45	38				2					3	2
White slave traffic.....	22	5				5		1	3	2	1	
Other sex offenses.....	1					1						

TABLE B-7.—U.S. Courts of Appeals. Nature of suit or offense of appeals from the U.S. district courts filed in the U.S. courts of appeals during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973—Continued

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Narcotics, total.....	1,271	93	34	208	64	31	278	41	47	49	372	54
Marihuana tax act.....	27			2	3	1	6	1	1		13	
Other.....	132	32	5	31	17	1	12	7	10		11	6
Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act, total.....	1,112	61	29	175	44	29	260	33	36	49	348	48
DAPCA marihuana.....	328	4	4	7	10	8	114	1	7	2	161	10
DAPCA narcotics.....	687	57	25	167	22	21	114	24	26	39	157	35
DAPCA controlled substances.....	97			1	12		32	8	3	8	30	3
Miscellaneous general offenses total.....	695	33	21	113	59	54	113	62	69	60	83	28
Bribery.....	33	3	12	13		3	1		1			
Extortion, racketeering and threats.....	165	4	2	27	36	5	28	11	21	16	16	1
Gambling, lottery.....	146	2		41	12	6	28	10	17	6	16	10
Kidnapping.....	26	7		1		2	2	6	2	4	1	1
Firearms, weapons.....	215	10	6	12	8	20	45	29	19	30	27	9
Other.....	110	7	1	19	3	18	13	6	9	4	23	7
Special offenses.....	116		1	3	3	12	33	26	5		27	6
Immigration laws.....	39		1	1	1		4	1	4		27	
Liquor, Internal Revenue.....	77			2	2	12	29	25	1			6
Federal statutes, total.....	495	29	11	59	46	34	49	37	43	27	113	47
Selective Service Act.....	214		7	36	20	13	13	8	18	15	71	13
Other national defense laws.....	22			3				1			1	17
Other.....	259	29	4	23	23	21	36	28	25	12	41	17

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts, by circuit, fiscal year 1974

Nature of suit or defense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Thrd	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Total cases.....	13,491	791	319	1,465	1,006	1,318	2,926	1,155	926	857	1,941	787
Total criminal cases.....	4,067	247	66	514	309	368	791	307	325	208	736	196
Total civil cases.....	9,424	544	253	951	697	950	2,135	848	601	649	1,205	591
U.S. cases.....	3,267	390	80	192	231	241	692	287	183	269	458	244
U.S. plaintiff.....	510	29	13	51	37	32	108	28	48	50	80	34
Negotiable instruments.....	17					1	6	2		2	6	
Other contract actions.....	28		1	7	2	2	6	3	1	2	3	1
Condemnation of land.....	60	5			6	11	7	3	3	15	8	2
Other real property actions.....	35			1	1		6			1	20	6
Personal property tort actions.....	9	1			3	1	1		1		2	
Civil rights.....	62			2		3	25	3	17	7	3	2
Fair Labor Standards Act.....	65	1	2		10	8	18	7		7	5	7
Labor Management Relations Act.....	17	1	1	4	2				1	2	6	
Securities, commodities, and exchanges.....	35	3	2	15		1	3		6		4	1
Tax suits.....	68		1	6	8		17	3	12	3	12	11
All other.....	114	18	6	16	10	5	19	7	7	11	11	4
U.S. defendant.....	2,757	361	67	141	194	209	584	259	135	219	378	210
Contract actions.....	156	39	2	3	8	7	28	16	3	2	34	9
Real property actions.....	40	14		3	1		2	1	2	1	7	9
Tort actions.....	163	8	11	16	8	13	32	14	3	16	34	8
Prisoner Petitions:												
Motions to vacate sentence.....	684	12	9	33	41	81	206	84	32	46	70	61
Habeas corpus.....	261	6	2	10	15	11	66	5	14	75	21	36
Prisoner civil rights.....	53	7			6	3	15	5	7	3	5	2
Other prisoner petitions.....	225	109	1		39	15	10	2	10	5	4	30
Selective Service Act.....	6	1	2	1	1						1	
Social security laws.....	246		14	10	20	31	49	66	7	15	22	12
Tax suits.....	233	3	5	16	17	11	62	28	13	23	42	13
All other.....	690	162	21	44	38	37	114	38	44	33	129	30
Private cases.....	6,157	154	173	759	466	709	1,443	561	418	380	747	347
Federal question.....	4,521	61	124	583	305	597	1,051	424	318	257	582	219
Marine contract.....	118		8	39	2	3	49	2	2		13	
Other contract actions.....	45	3	1	7	7		4	1	8	1	13	
Employers Liability Act.....	26		1	5	2	3	3	9			2	1
Marine injury.....	193		7	28	6	11	126	2		4	9	
Other tort actions.....	100		4	20	3	4	37	6	5	4	13	4

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts, by circuit, fiscal year 1974—Continued

Nature of suit or defense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Federal question—Continued												
Civil rights.....	1,118	15	37	118	84	90	272	139	106	68	138	51
Antitrust.....	256	8	5	26	18	11	51	9	22	6	82	18
Prisoner Petitions:												
Habeas corpus.....	1,084	1	11	83	30	310	262	115	53	48	106	65
Prisoner civil rights.....	472	2	22	19	48	105	92	34	37	46	50	17
Other prisoner petitions.....	46	4	3	1	1	13	4	3	2	6	4	5
Labor Management Relations Act.....	196	4	8	25	37	9	21	32	8	22	24	6
Labor Management Reporting and Disclosure Act.....	19	1		7	1			1	2	2	4	1
Railway Labor Act.....	20	1		2	4	2	7		3	1		
Patent.....	114	2	1	11	17	7	13	15	21	1	12	14
Securities, commodities and exchange.....	277		2	106	14	5	41	16	24	8	50	11
All other.....	437	20	14	86	31	24	69	40	25	40	62	26
Diversity of citizenship.....	1,527	28	49	176	140	112	392	137	100	123	142	128
Insurance.....	230	4		21	23	13	66	18	17	25	21	22
Other contract actions.....	634	15	21	76	55	45	153	53	58	47	64	47
Real property actions.....	56	3	1	6	2	5	12	3	3	3	9	9
Personal injury—motor vehicle.....	101	2	6	19	21	12	51	24	4	20	14	18
Personal injury—other.....	349	1	20	53	38	32	95	30	14	21	24	21
Other tort actions.....	65	2	1	1	1	5	15	9	4	7	10	10
All other.....	2	1										1
General local jurisdiction.....	109	65			21						23	
Contract actions.....	73	46			15						12	
Real property actions.....	13	4			3						6	
Tort actions.....	22	15			2						5	
Prisoner petitions.....	1				1							
All other.....												
Total criminal cases.....	4,067	247	66	514	300	368	791	307	325	208	736	196
General offenses.....	3,611	227	54	460	275	327	703	262	291	189	630	184
Homicide, total.....	46	15		5	14	2	1			3	4	2
Murder, first degree.....	32	8		5	12	2	1			2	1	1
Other homicide.....	14	7			2					1	3	1
Robbery, total.....	404	46	1	47	52	85	31	38	17	13	62	12
Bank.....	366	20	1	47	49	84	30	37	14	13	60	11
Other robbery.....	38	26			3	1	1	1	3		2	1
Assault.....	82	8	1	4	5	5	17	6	5	7	15	9
Burglary.....	31	6		1	2	2	7	1		3	8	1
Larceny and theft, total.....	223	8	1	31	26	17	30	27	28	14	23	18
Interstate shipment.....	91		1	18	16	3	8	16	16	5	1	7
Transportation, etc. of stolen property.....	61			5	8	9	14	1	9	1	13	1
Other.....	71	8		8	2	5	8	10	3	8	9	10
Embezzlement.....	56	1	2	3	5	7	7	3	8	6	10	4
Fraud, total.....	336	7	9	41	26	17	92	23	40	18	44	19
Income tax.....	123	1	7	12	13	9	32	11	10	7	17	4
Postal and interstate wire, radio, etc.....	123	5	2	9	10	6	43	3	18	10	11	6
Other.....	90	1		20	3	2	17	9	12	1	16	9

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts, by circuit, fiscal year 1974—Con.

Nature of suit or defense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Auto theft.....	164		6	4	4	24	53	25	15	7	6	20
Transportation—forged securities.....	79	2	1	11	5	6	23	5	11	6	6	3
Forgery.....	77	4		8	3	3	23	7	9	6	12	2
Counterfeiting.....	83		2	11	8	5	16	12	4	9	13	3
Sex offenses, total.....	36	13		1	1	3	3	2	7	2	3	1
Rape.....	20	11		1	1	3						
White slave traffic.....	16	2					3	2	7	2	2	
Other sex offenses.....											1	1
Narcotics, total.....	1,328	76	22	235	68	60	276	50	75	46	367	53
Marihuana Tax Act (old law).....	12		1				3	1			7	
Other (old law).....	51	13		17			7		3		8	3
Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act, total (new law).....	1,265	63	21	218	68	60	266	49	72	46	352	50
DAPCA marihuana.....	354	9	6	17	5	7	109	1	12	1	173	14
DAPCA narcotics.....	780	44	15	199	46	48	129	34	57	35	142	31
DAPCA controlled substances.....	131	10		2	17	5	28	14	3	10	37	5
Miscellaneous general offenses total.....	666	41	9	58	56	91	124	63	72	49	66	37
Bribery.....	28	1	3	10	3	1		2	2		4	2
Extortion, racketeering and threats.....	145	3	1	21	22	16	17	10	27	8	16	4
Gambling, lottery.....	61	1	1		11		26	6	3	8	5	
Kidnapping.....	43	13		1		12	4	5	1	1	4	2
Firearms, weapons.....	258	5	4	12	10	49	44	35	29	28	26	16
Other.....	131	18		14	10	13	33	5	10	4	11	13
Special offenses.....	124	2	3	6	2	15	41	7	3	1	42	2
Immigration laws.....	71		1	3	1		20					
Liquor, Internal Revenue.....	53	2	2	3	1	15	21	7	3		42	1
Federal statutes, total.....	332	18	9	48	32	26	47	38	31	18	55	10
Selective Service Act.....	95		4	15	12	4	12	9	6	5	25	3
Other national defense laws.....	6				2		1					3
Other.....	231	18	5	33	18	22	34	29	25	13	30	4

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts by circuit, fiscal year 1975

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Total cases.....	13,679	590	402	1,389	1,133	1,166	2,934	1,260	960	880	2,109	856
Total criminal cases.....	4,187	192	80	441	321	324	833	347	311	237	875	226
Total civil cases.....	9,492	398	322	948	812	842	2,101	913	649	643	1,234	630
U. S. cases.....	2,981	266	104	164	218	243	577	277	195	253	470	214
U.S. plaintiff.....	513	22	18	61	31	22	91	40	43	44	104	37
Negotiable instruments.....	17		1				4	3	1	3	2	3
Other contract actions.....	40	2		1	3	1	13	7	1	4	5	3
Condemnation of land.....	54	7			1	1	14	4	6	7	7	7
Other real property actions.....	19	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1		8	1
Personal property tort actions.....	6			1	2				1	2		
Civil rights.....	42		1		2		8	2	6	8	4	3
Fair Labor Standards Act.....	44			1		4	15	5	3	5	4	7
Labor Management Relations Act.....	21	2		4	4		2		7		2	
Securities, commodities, and exchanges.....	19		2	5	1		2	1	1	1	5	1
Tax suits.....	61	1	1	3	9	1	9	7	6	7	12	5
All other.....	190	9	12	45	7	5	23	10	10	7	55	7
U.S. defendant.....	2,468	244	86	103	187	221	486	237	152	209	366	177
Contract actions.....	115	28	5	1	3	5	24	5	10	7	19	8
Real property actions.....	40	4	1		4	1	7	2	1		18	2
Tort actions.....	146	6	5	9	11	8	27	7	7	10	44	12
Prisoner Petitions:												
Motions to vacate sentence.....	509	10	13	24	40	77	137	63	24	37	51	33
Habeas corpus.....	207		1	4	10	5	55	12	19	43	30	28
Prisoner civil rights.....	61	6		2	9	7	9	2	4	16	2	4
Other prisoner petitions.....	103	11	3	1	11	20	5	7	3	14	2	26
Selective Service Act.....	2					1			1			
Social security laws.....	247	3	9	12	15	29	40	72	19	19	19	10
Tax suits.....	220	5	8	15	13	19	68	13	9	12	49	9
All other.....	818	171	41	35	71	49	114	54	55	51	132	45
Private cases.....	6,511	132	218	784	594	599	1,524	636	454	390	764	416
Federal question.....	4,679	55	156	596	382	483	1,109	488	347	269	568	226
Marine contract.....	93		2	25	4	4	35	2	3	3	15	
Other contract actions.....	33	5		4	3		5	2	4	1	6	3
Employers' Liability Act.....	34	1		5	2	2	9	4	4		4	3
Marine injury.....	156		9	12	8	12	98	2	3	5	7	
Other tort actions.....	120	1		17	11	6	49	6	8	6	13	3
Civil rights.....	1,126	14	50	136	72	97	261	156	110	65	125	40
Antitrust.....	233	3	4	25	44	10	33	15	14	15	54	16
Habeas corpus.....	871	4	12	67	47	87	278	114	39	62	106	55
Prisoner civil rights.....	636	2	25	40	48	191	130	47	41	39	46	27
Other prisoner petitions.....	48	2	7	4	4	10	2	5	2	3	5	4
Labor Management Relations Act.....	221	1	9	18	42	13	30	34	17	17	25	15
Labor Management Reporting and Disclosure Act.....	32	1		6	3	3	3	1	2	1	12	
Railway Labor Act.....	31	2		5	4	2	7	5	2	1	3	
Patent.....	149	3	5	16	18	13	24	22	33	3	10	2

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts by circuit, fiscal year 1975—Continued

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Securities, commodities, and exchange	312	1	5	97	34	6	38	18	28	8	48	29
All other	584	15	28	119	38	27	107	55	37	40	89	29
Diversity of citizenship	1,745	43	62	188	183	116	415	148	107	121	172	190
Insurance	223	8	4	15	20	10	56	19	20	22	25	24
Other contract actions	781	17	20	89	72	43	193	56	60	40	70	121
Real property actions	53		4			10	15	7	2	4		
Personal injury—motor vehicle	181		10	12	27	9	57	15	8	21	8	3
Personal injury—other	373	13	22	60	52	30	67	31	13	27	43	16
Other tort actions	65	1		3	6	7	19	7	1	5	10	6
All other	69	4	2	9	6	7	8	13	3	2	11	4
General local jurisdiction	87	34			29						24	
Contract actions	47	19			15						13	
Real property actions	15	5			3						7	
Tort actions	22	10			11						1	
Prisoner petitions	3										3	
All other												
Total Criminal Cases	4,187	192	80	441	321	324	833	347	311	237	875	226
General offenses	3,700	185	70	374	291	291	732	301	285	221	753	197
Homicide, total	63	17		2	10	4	4		2	4	7	4
Murder, first degree	53	13		2	18	4	3		2	3	5	3
Other homicide	10	4			1		1			1	2	1
Robbery, total	396	26	5	37	43	78	32	58	19	23	61	14
Bank	370	18	5	34	41	73	31	57	18	22	58	13
Other robbery	26	8		3	2	5	1	1	1	1	3	1
Assault	88	5	2	4	6	9	8		5	22	14	13
Burglary	24	3			3	2	3	2	1	5	2	3

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts by circuit, fiscal year 1975—Continued

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		District of Columbia	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Larceny and theft, total	276	4	2	29	20	24	49	23	45	15	50	6
Interstate shipment	86		2	8	13	6	13	5	27	5	5	2
Transportation, etc. of stolen property	51			2	6	4	14	3	6	2	13	1
Other	139	4		19	10	14	22	15	12	8	32	3
Embezzlement	59	3	7	8	6	9	7	2	6	4	4	3
Fraud, total	365	17	8	66	21	20	70	22	33	29	68	11
Income tax	132	3	3	20	6	8	31	9	12	10	27	3
Postal and interstate wire, radio, etc.	111	5		10	8	5	21	10	15	6	27	4
Other	122	9	5	36	7	7	18	3	6	13	14	4
Auto theft	143	2	3	8	7	18	37	19	7	13	10	19
Transportation—forged securities	87			2	7	6	23	6	9	6	11	17
Forgery	85	3	1	8	9	7	24	11	6	4	10	2
Counterfeiting	64			10	8	10	8	8	7	1	5	7
Sex offenses, total	43	3			2	3	12	3	6	2	5	7
Rape	11	2			1	3				1	2	2
White slave traffic	31	1			1		12	3	6	1	2	5
Other sex offenses	1										1	
Narcotics, total	1,332	64	24	148	76	59	316	60	91	37	390	67
Old law:												
Marihuana Tax Act	6	2					1				3	
Other	33	7	4	8	4			1	5	2	2	
Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act, total	1,293	55	20	140	72	59	315	59	86	35	385	67
DAPCA marihuana	401	9	3	12	4	9	136	2	6	5	193	22
DAPCA narcotics	690	33	14	111	38	39	150	37	66	24	151	27
DAPCA controlled substances	202	13	3	17	30	11	29	20	14	6	41	18
Miscellaneous general offenses, total	675	38	18	52	55	43	139	87	48	56	114	24
Bribery	28	4		13	4		3	1	1		2	
Extortion, racketeering, and threats	111	5	1	10	23	1	26	13	6	5	12	0
Gambling, lottery	107	5	5	6	10	1	33	8	6	8	25	
Kidnapping	45	9		1	6	5	8	4	3	2	4	3
Firearms, weapons	265	6	11	12	8	28	46	49	23	30	45	7
Other	119	9	1	10	4	7	23	12	9	11	28	5
Special offenses	111			7	1	8	32	9	3	1	50	
Immigration laws	77			7	1		14	1	3	1	50	
Liquor, Internal Revenue	34					8	18	8				
Federal statutes, total	376	7	10	60	29	25	69	37	23	15	72	29
Selective Service Act	56		6	19	8	2	6	3	3	1	7	1
Other national defense laws	6				1		2				3	
Other	314	7	4	41	20	23	61	34	20	14	62	28

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts by circuit, fiscal year 1976

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		D.C.	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Total cases	15,054	672	480	1,467	1,327	1,319	3,196	1,364	1,009	969	2,293	958
Total criminal cases	4,650	148	159	501	323	391	1,033	383	303	289	865	255
Total civil cases	10,404	524	321	966	1,004	928	2,163	981	706	680	1,428	703
U.S. cases	3,327	353	80	238	354	253	538	312	195	201	540	253
U.S. plaintiff	407	10	13	42	41	20	75	28	36	31	75	36
Negotiable instruments	22				1	1	14	1		3		2
Other contract actions	19	1	1		2		6	3	1	2	3	
Condemnation of land	51	1	1		2		6	4		12	9	7
Other real property actions	16				3		1	1		2	3	3
Personal property tort actions	6				2		1					
Civil rights	44		1	6	2	1	5	3	16	2	3	
Fair Labor Standards Act	47		1	3	4	4	12	9		2	5	7
Labor Management Relations Act	12		2	3			3				4	
Securities, commodities and exchanges	27	4		12	3	1			2		4	1
Tax suits	43		1	5	7		7	3		1	10	5
All other	120	4	6	13	15	4	18	4	8	8	32	8
U.S. defendant	2,920	343	67	196	313	233	463	284	159	170	465	227
Contract actions	134	47	2	13	7	5	21	5	7	2	21	4
Real property actions	33	4		4			4	1	1		11	6
Tort actions	162	8	8	15	16	13	22	8	8	6	42	16
Motions to vacate sentence	526	13	9	21	53	68	124	65	33	53	42	45
Habeas corpus	206	11	1	18	28	1	47	15	21	21	29	31
Prisoner civil rights	64	7	2	4	10	2	9	8	8	1	8	5
Other prisoner petitions	99	3	2	4	35	23	2	3	7	8	3	9
Selective Service Act												
Social security laws	293	6	10	18	24	37	53	91	10	10	27	7
Tax suits	212	4	6	14	23	16	50	13	9	16	41	20
All other	1,191	240	27	85	115	68	131	86	61	53	241	84
Private cases	7,077	171	241	728	650	675	1,625	669	511	479	888	440
Federal question	5,267	82	173	579	443	534	1,198	521	396	355	707	279
Marine contract	100		9	27	4	4	32		3	1	20	
Other contract actions	43	3	1	5	5	1	13	2	1	1	8	3
Employers' Liability Act	24			2	4	3	1		2	5		
Marine injury	172		5	26	28	5	87	5	1	4	11	
Other tort actions	145	6	1	8	18	13	57	10		4	19	4
Civil rights	1,297	14	66	144	106	102	271	168	125	77	162	62
Antitrust	251	8	1	31	22	14	44	11	11	47	14	
Habeas corpus	866	2	16	53	43	77	289	107	51	79	86	63
Prisoner civil rights	619	4	21	23	64	185	133	39	43	42	52	23
Other prisoner petitions	54		2	13	2	6	2	3	4	9	6	7
Labor Management Relations Act	213	6	9	15	28	16	24	38	18	10	44	5
Labor Management Reporting and Disclosure Act	38	5	3	12	3	6	2		2	2	2	1
Rail Labor Act	28		2	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	4	1
Patent	150	3	4	19	27	5	13	8	31	2	29	9
Securities, commodities and exchange	311	8	3	85	25	16	40	10	25	8	59	32
All other	956	23	30	116	70	77	186	115	68	64	152	55
Diversity of citizenship	1,714	44	68	147	165	141	426	148	115	124	175	161
Insurance	209	3	6	13	25	19	42	27	15	14	22	23
Other contract actions	733	16	27	79	64	53	169	57	64	48	104	62
Real property actions	62	3	1		5	10	11	6	3	4	9	10
Personal injury—motor vehicle	216	5	2	14	25	20	60	27	12	24	4	23
Personal injury—other	423	13	28	35	54	28	123	27	20	26	30	38
Other tort actions	70	4	3	6	2	11	21	3		8	6	5
All other	1		1						1			
General local jurisdiction	96	45		2	42		1				6	
Contract actions	46	20			21		1				4	
Real property actions	14	6			6						2	
Tort actions	25	12			13							
Prisoner petitions	11	7			2							
All other												
Total criminal cases	4,650	148	159	501	323	391	1,033	383	303	289	865	255
General offenses	4,082	128	141	437	302	359	914	329	257	261	724	230
Homicide, total	48	7		2	6	8	3		4	2	6	10
Murder, first degree	44	6		2	6	8	3		4	1	4	10
Other homicide	4	1									2	

TABLE B-7.—U.S. courts of appeals, nature of suit or offense of appeals arising from the U.S. district courts by circuit, fiscal year 1976 — Continued

Nature of suit or offense	Total	Circuit										
		D.C.	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Robbery, total	462	17	3	30	60	112	39	63	28	37	60	13
Bank	426	13	3	30	54	108	35	62	24	27	58	12
Other robbery	36	4			6	4	4	1	4	10	2	1
Assault	77	2	3	2	3	9	16	3	5	15	12	7
Burglary	22		3		8	2	2			4	1	2
Larceny and theft, total	303	5	5	43	27	26	53	29	29	16	45	25
Interstate shipment	114		2	29	12	5	17	14	18	7	5	5
Transportation, etc. of stolen property	59	1	3	2	5	3	13	3	3	1	16	9
Other	130	4		12	10	18	23	12	8	8	24	11
Embezzlement	51			4	3	2	15	2	6	3	11	5
Fraud, total	431	6	11	85	31	11	95	20	36	27	69	40
Income tax	136	1	7	22	11	1	25	9	13	10	26	11
Postal and interstate wire, radio, etc.	160	5	1	28	11	5	45	3	17	10	24	11
Other	135		3	35	9	5	25	8	6	7	19	18
Auto theft	139	2	2	2	4	20	49	19	5	12	8	16
Transportation—forged securities	99		5	9	11	11	12	4	7	10	19	11
Forgery	125	4	7	12	9	13	31	9	7	5	22	6
Counterfeiting	64	1	5	9	6	4	11	13		3	8	4
Sex offenses, total	28	2			5	1	2	3		2	8	5
Rape	13	2			2		1	1		1	4	2
White slave traffic	13				3	1	1	2		1	2	3
Other sex offenses	2										2	
Narcotics, total	1,388	53	42	163	51	52	421	72	60	66	354	54
Marihuana Tax Act	3		2				1					
Other	24	1		8	1		11					1
Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act, total	1,361	52	40	155	50	52	409	72	58	66	354	53
DAPCA marihuana	392	2	17	4	5	7	194	2	3	4	136	18
DAPCA narcotics	819	41	20	143	29	35	187	52	47	47	186	32
DAPCA controlled substances	150	9	3	8	16	10	28	18	8	15	32	3
Miscellaneous general offenses, total	845	29	55	76	78	58	165	92	70	59	101	32
Bribery	39		16	2	2	6	3	4			6	2
Extortion, racketeering and threats	184		6	23	27	16	40	20	14	13	17	8
Gambling, lottery	135	9	39	2	10	10	20	14	4	6	15	6
Kidnapping	35	5		1	4	10	1	9	1	1	2	1
Firearms, weapons	301	9	9	21	22	33	60	35	33	27	40	12
Other	151	6	1	13	13	13	41	10	18	12	21	3
Special offenses	77			2		7	8	1	1		57	1
Immigration laws	62			2			5				54	
Liquor, Internal Revenue	15					7	3	1			3	1
Federal statutes, total	491	20	18	62	21	25	111	53	45	28	84	24
Selective Service Act	14	1	2	4	2		2				3	
Other national defense laws	12						1				10	
Other	465	19	16	58	19	25	108	52	45	28	71	24

TABLE B 7. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CASES.....	15,718	602	454	1,683	1,454	1,498	3,040	1,503	1,176	997	2,325	986
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES.....	4,738	144	122	598	407	394	908	371	365	256	877	296
TOTAL CIVIL CASES.....	10,980	458	332	1,085	1,047	1,104	2,132	1,132	811	741	1,448	690
UNITED STATES CASES.....	3,622	328	74	293	379	299	507	421	268	274	556	223
UNITED STATES PLAINTIFF.....	449	21	10	54	38	32	61	32	40	42	96	23
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS.....	10	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	-	-	4	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	14	-	-	1	-	1	4	3	-	-	2	1
CONDEMNATION OF LAND.....	44	5	-	-	1	3	6	2	-	18	7	2
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	29	-	2	2	-	2	8	1	1	1	9	3
PERSONAL PROPERTY TORT ACTIONS.....	12	1	1	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	55	-	-	13	8	8	3	2	17	3	1	-
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT.....	37	-	-	2	8	2	7	4	3	2	7	2
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT.....	15	-	-	2	2	2	-	1	5	2	1	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES AND EXCHANGES.....	43	-	3	11	1	1	2	1	5	-	18	1
TAX SUITS.....	50	1	2	2	3	8	9	4	3	4	10	4
ALL OTHER.....	140	14	2	19	8	3	20	13	6	12	33	10
UNITED STATES DEFENDANT.....	3,173	307	64	239	341	267	446	389	228	232	460	200
CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	107	18	1	8	1	4	15	15	8	13	14	10
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	32	2	-	1	1	1	7	2	1	2	9	6
TORT ACTIONS.....	181	11	3	5	15	4	45	15	8	8	50	17
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE.....	502	10	2	54	76	63	82	54	28	51	45	37
HABEAS CORPUS.....	242	7	2	27	29	4	33	18	24	32	39	27
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS.....	71	4	-	7	6	4	6	4	14	3	14	9
OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS.....	60	4	4	-	27	8	-	-	-	6	4	7
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.....	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS.....	478	11	14	15	61	83	56	161	21	20	22	14
TAX SUITS.....	193	2	4	12	10	8	65	17	21	20	28	6
ALL OTHER.....	1,304	238	34	109	113	88	137	103	103	77	235	67
PRIVATE CASES.....	7,358	130	258	792	668	805	1,625	711	543	467	892	467
FEDERAL QUESTION.....	5,589	84	183	607	457	686	1,258	561	404	327	708	314
MARINE CONTRACT.....	93	-	4	37	4	6	24	4	1	1	12	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	44	2	-	4	2	4	6	1	5	11	7	2
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT.....	27	-	1	3	5	2	3	6	1	2	3	1
MARINE INJURY.....	152	-	4	17	17	5	91	3	-	-	15	-
OTHER TORT ACTIONS.....	170	4	-	26	4	11	81	12	4	10	17	1
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	1,334	12	62	144	123	107	297	175	136	83	138	57
ANTITRUST.....	261	5	2	22	27	18	47	22	11	10	86	11
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
HABEAS CORPUS.....	887	5	12	66	28	108	224	104	59	52	81	98
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS.....	774	6	12	35	72	287	116	53	48	43	68	34
OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS.....	39	-	5	2	4	11	3	2	2	3	3	4
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT.....	224	-	14	19	56	12	20	26	16	12	35	14
LABOR MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT.....	31	5	-	6	3	1	3	2	2	3	6	-
RAILWAY LABOR ACT.....	32	-	-	3	-	1	10	7	2	2	7	-
PATENT.....	95	4	3	12	7	1	12	11	15	2	24	4
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES & EXCH.....	298	2	4	100	28	7	35	11	30	13	44	24
ALL OTHER.....	1,178	39	60	111	77	105	286	122	72	80	162	64
DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP.....	1,713	41	75	185	181	119	363	147	139	140	171	152
INSURANCE.....	220	3	8	11	30	19	50	17	14	20	27	21
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	776	22	28	94	67	46	150	66	74	76	93	60
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	89	1	1	6	8	12	14	11	17	-	4	15
PERSONAL INJURY - MOTOR VEHICLE.....	155	3	4	7	25	8	56	12	9	11	7	13
PERSONAL INJURY - OTHER.....	387	11	32	59	48	25	67	33	21	29	31	31
OTHER TORT ACTIONS.....	80	1	2	8	3	8	25	5	4	3	9	12
ALL OTHER.....	6	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	1	-	-
GENERAL LOCAL JURISDICTION.....	56	5	-	-	30	-	4	3	-	-	13	1
CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	30	1	-	-	20	-	3	-	-	-	6	-
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
TORT ACTIONS.....	14	3	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
PRISONER PETITIONS.....	9	1	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	3	1
ALL OTHER.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE B 7. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES.....	4,738	144	122	598	407	394	908	371	365	256	877	296
GENERAL OFFENSES.....	4,004	115	95	498	360	334	765	309	325	229	720	254
HOMICIDE, TOTAL.....	39	1	-	-	12	5	3	2	5	2	5	4
MURDER, FIRST DEGREE.....	31	-	-	-	9	4	2	2	5	2	4	3
OTHER HOMICIDE.....	8	1	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	1	1
ROBBERY, TOTAL.....	368	6	14	56	50	52	25	44	22	20	60	19
BANK.....	341	4	13	52	49	51	23	43	19	18	50	19
OTHER ROBBERY.....	27	2	1	4	1	1	2	1	3	2	10	-
ASSAULT.....	73	1	1	5	8	11	6	8	18	7	6	2
BURGLARY.....	28	2	1	4	2	3	3	-	4	4	2	3
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL.....	251	4	2	39	25	21	39	30	32	2	33	6
INTERSTATE SHIPMENT.....	80	-	1	18	11	5	14	11	12	5	2	1
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY.....	62	-	1	9	8	4	9	6	9	6	7	3
OTHER.....	109	4	-	12	6	12	16	13	11	9	24	2
EMBEZZLEMENT.....	93	-	3	22	7	7	14	8	15	1	12	4
FRAUD, TOTAL.....	557	4	18	83	62	35	108	31	47	23	118	28
INCOME TAX.....	180	1	2	29	19	14	34	9	15	2	43	12
POSTAL AND INTERSTATE WIRE, RADIO, ETC.....	185	3	5	20	29	6	41	5	17	15	36	8
OTHER.....	192	-	11	34	14	15	33	17	15	6	39	8
AUTO THEFT.....	116	-	1	5	9	7	50	12	2	11	4	15
TRANSPORTATION - FORGED SECURITIES.....	92	1	2	6	4	8	19	7	9	14	4	18
FORGERY.....	101	4	2	11	14	17	16	8	11	5	7	6
COUNTERFEITING.....	66	1	3	8	3	3	11	6	2	4	20	5
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL.....	33	3	1	1	3	1	9	1	-	3	9	2
RAPE.....	13	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	6	1
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.....	17	1	1	1	1	-	8	1	-	-	3	1
OTHER SEX OFFENSES.....	3	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
NARCOTICS, TOTAL.....	1,381	44	29	149	81	86	325	82	91	51	351	92
MARIHUANA TAX ACT.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
OTHER.....	16	6	-	3	-	4	2	-	-	-	1	-
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL.....	1,363	38	29	146	81	82	323	81	91	51	349	92
DAPCA MARIHUANA.....	313	1	8	7	15	8	136	1	2	3	98	34
DAPCA NARCOTICS.....	901	31	20	126	31	58	160	78	81	41	226	49
DAPCA CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.....	149	6	1	13	35	16	27	2	8	7	25	9
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES TOTAL.....	806	44	18	109	80	78	137	70	67	64	89	50
BRIBERY.....	25	-	3	6	8	1	1	3	-	-	3	-
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS.....	176	7	7	32	38	10	22	18	20	10	10	2
GAMBLING, LOTTERY.....	150	4	3	32	4	10	21	7	7	20	25	17
KIDNAPPING.....	43	7	-	7	6	1	8	4	3	1	2	4
FIREARMS, WEAPONS.....	276	23	3	20	14	34	57	30	19	23	35	18
OTHER.....	136	3	2	12	10	22	28	8	18	10	14	9
SPECIAL OFFENSES.....	68	-	-	-	2	2	15	2	2	-	43	2
IMMIGRATION LAWS.....	62	-	-	-	2	-	12	1	2	-	43	2
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE.....	6	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	-	-	-	-
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL.....	666	29	27	100	45	58	128	60	38	27	114	40
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.....	5	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS.....	15	-	-	2	6	2	1	-	-	-	4	-
OTHER.....	646	29	27	94	39	56	127	59	38	27	110	40

TABLE B 7. UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1978

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CASES.....	15,649	679	450	1,480	1,328	1,486	3,026	1,568	1,279	877	2,485	991
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES.....	4,487	142	104	447	352	295	1,001	456	350	224	877	239
TOTAL CIVIL CASES.....	11,162	537	346	1,033	976	1,191	2,025	1,112	929	653	1,608	752
UNITED STATES CASES.....	3,928	405	101	318	394	372	587	382	238	267	576	288
UNITED STATES PLAINTIFF.....	537	22	11	57	45	24	74	47	40	39	109	69
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS.....	22	-	1	-	-	1	8	1	-	4	7	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	30	1	1	3	2	1	5	3	1	1	8	4
CONDEMNATION OF LAND.....	31	1	1	-	3	2	2	1	1	7	5	8
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	36	2	-	4	-	2	1	4	2	4	11	6
PERSONAL PROPERTY TORT ACTIONS.....	49	-	-	-	8	-	3	-	2	-	1	-
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	32	-	1	2	1	3	9	7	7	5	3	8
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT.....	14	-	1	2	1	4	10	4	1	2	5	5
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT.....	14	-	1	2	3	-	-	2	1	3	2	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES AND EXCHANGES.....	33	10	-	9	1	1	2	3	-	5	1	1
TAX SUITS.....	102	1	1	12	5	3	16	6	8	2	20	28
ALL OTHER.....	184	7	5	24	21	7	28	15	15	11	42	9
UNITED STATES DEFENDANT.....	3,391	383	90	261	349	348	513	335	198	228	467	219
CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	214	27	4	20	22	9	39	14	5	15	44	15
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	53	4	-	-	2	4	3	4	4	5	16	11
TORT ACTIONS.....	286	11	10	23	37	22	50	17	21	21	66	8
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	405	76	8	46	45	25	61	23	34	16	43	28
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE.....	343	5	4	43	23	72	34	57	9	43	39	14
HABEAS CORPUS.....	268	12	2	14	23	16	102	13	19	18	26	24
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS.....	89	6	-	5	10	14	16	7	4	5	12	10
OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS.....	59	6	-	-	10	5	9	5	3	7	5	9
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS.....	399	5	44	22	31	46	66	89	22	22	35	17
TAX SUITS.....	240	3	2	15	17	13	53	21	23	27	42	24
ALL OTHER.....	1,035	228	16	73	129	122	80	86	54	49	139	59
PRIVATE CASES.....	7,234	132	245	715	582	819	1,438	730	691	386	1,032	464
FEDERAL QUESTION.....	5,383	86	182	535	392	686	1,022	558	539	281	809	293
MARINE CONTRACT.....	105	1	6	30	9	6	37	1	1	1	14	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	60	4	4	3	4	7	10	5	1	3	18	1
EMPLOYERS LIABILITY ACT.....	34	1	2	1	1	6	5	1	1	3	4	4
MARINE INJURY.....	138	-	3	17	7	6	91	3	1	2	8	-
OTHER TORT ACTIONS.....	206	6	4	28	8	11	59	17	28	7	32	6
ANTITRUST.....	279	9	4	25	37	12	48	10	38	20	57	19
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	1,535	22	60	140	126	118	341	194	178	72	223	71
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
HABEAS CORPUS.....	676	3	13	57	25	86	101	117	73	49	78	74
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS.....	753	6	18	21	67	308	93	79	48	35	36	42
OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS.....	37	2	2	3	2	5	12	2	1	2	3	3
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT.....	273	3	14	25	38	16	36	32	25	20	53	11
LABOR MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT.....	44	6	-	3	1	2	5	7	2	3	14	1
RAILWAY LABOR ACT.....	32	4	4	3	2	1	1	-	1	4	12	-
COPYRIGHT, PATENT, & TRADEMARK.....	145	-	3	12	11	3	23	16	30	2	39	6
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES & EXCH.....	346	4	4	81	19	11	46	20	49	18	63	31
ALL OTHER.....	720	15	41	85	35	88	114	60	63	40	155	24
DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP.....	1,796	44	60	178	169	131	407	167	151	105	213	171
INSURANCE.....	223	5	5	18	22	11	50	23	18	10	36	25
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	757	17	26	68	62	50	162	74	65	48	98	67
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	87	2	3	3	1	6	19	7	15	3	17	11
PERSONAL INJURY - MOTOR VEHICLE.....	162	3	1	10	16	13	53	18	13	11	8	16
PERSONAL INJURY - OTHER.....	185	9	9	16	21	17	43	14	14	12	13	17
OTHER TORT ACTIONS.....	353	8	15	42	46	30	73	18	26	20	40	35
ALL OTHER.....	29	-	1	1	1	4	7	13	-	1	1	-
GENERAL LOCAL JURISDICTION.....	55	2	3	2	21	2	9	5	1	-	10	-
CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	11	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	6	-
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
TORT ACTIONS.....	8	1	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRISONER PETITIONS.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALL OTHER.....	32	-	3	2	8	2	9	5	1	-	2	-

TABLE B 7. UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1978

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES.....	4,487	142	104	447	352	295	1,001	456	350	224	877	239
GENERAL OFFENSES.....	3,909	137	74	394	318	252	891	385	312	207	697	217
HOMICIDE, TOTAL.....	51	-	-	-	9	4	4	2	2	6	12	3
MURDER, FIRST DEGREE.....	37	-	-	-	9	3	2	-	2	3	8	3
OTHER HOMICIDE.....	14	2	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	3	4	-
ROBBERY, TOTAL.....	338	12	13	38	39	36	43	70	11	17	52	7
BANK.....	317	11	12	37	35	34	37	69	9	17	49	7
OTHER ROBBERY.....	21	1	1	1	4	2	6	1	2	-	3	-
ASSAULT.....	73	-	2	5	6	7	13	9	5	7	13	6
BURGLARY.....	20	3	-	1	3	2	11	-	-	-	-	-
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL.....	306	4	7	28	27	16	60	38	31	31	47	17
INTERSTATE SHIPMENT.....	70	-	2	7	11	-	7	18	14	5	4	2
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY.....	104	2	3	7	7	3	34	7	3	14	20	4
OTHER.....	132	2	2	14	9	13	19	13	14	12	23	11
EMBEZZLEMENT.....	92	1	-	14	6	3	18	15	8	1	19	7
FRAUD, TOTAL.....	112	3	10	57	39	31	156	50	66	42	119	39
INCOME TAX.....	93	-	4	18	14	10	56	14	14	17	41	7
POSTAL AND INTERSTATE WIRE, RADIO, ETC.....	208	-	1	17	13	6	65	12	39	16	31	8
OTHER.....	209	3	5	22	12	15	35	24	13	9	47	24
AUTO THEFT.....	84	4	1	3	1	8	23	20	3	6	7	8
TRANSPORTATION - FORGED SECURITIES.....	93	2	-	9	7	5	17	4	18	6	14	11
FORGERY.....	126	3	10	14	12	12	21	14	14	7	15	4
COUNTERFEITING.....	52	1	-	12	4	3	14	5	1	1	10	1
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL.....	27	-	-	-	-	4	7	-	-	7	8	1
RAPE.....	12	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	3	7	-
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.....	11	-	-	-	-	1	6	-	-	3	1	-
OTHER SEX OFFENSES.....	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
NARCOTICS, TOTAL.....	1,303	60	29	148	77	51	380	80	83	45	278	72
MARIHUANA TAX ACT.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
OTHER.....	18	1	-	6	1	7	3	-	-	-	-	-
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL.....	1,284	59	29	142	76	44	377	80	83	45	277	72
DAPCA MARIHUANA.....	269	-	2	2	19	4	170	3	11	2	41	15
DAPCA NARCOTICS.....	801	50	17	110	38	32	156	54	65	36	188	55
DAPCA CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.....	214	9	10	30	19	8	51	23	7	7	48	2
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES TOTAL.....	840	30	23	73	89	71	154	90	71	31	166	42
BRIBERY.....	17	-	2	1	2	3	3	2	1	1	2	-
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS.....	154	1	9	15	43	8	10	10	31	2	20	5
GAMBLING, LOTTERY.....	99	1	2	21	9	17	25	4	3	-	10	7
KIDNAPPING.....	28	6	-	1	5	2	2	3	5	3	-	1
FIREARMS, WEAPONS.....	298	17	6	19	21	30	53	45	21	22	46	18
OTHER.....	136	5	3	8	8	10	31	24	9	3	25	10
SPECIAL OFFENSES.....	108	-	1	8	1	1	30	2	1	-	63	1
IMMIGRATION LAWS.....	101	-	1	8	1	-	25	1	1	-	63	1
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE.....	7	-	-	-	-	1	5	1	-	-	-	-
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL.....	470	10	9	45	33	42	80	59	37	17	117	21
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS.....	31	-	-	1	1	-	2	1	-	1	25	-
OTHER.....	438	10	9	44	32	42	78	58	37	16	91	21

TABLE B7. UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1979

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CASES.....	16,322	721	490	1,664	1,403	1,669	3,229	1,600	1,325	850	2,331	1,040
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES.....	4,102	103	120	443	313	276	915	354	336	177	788	277
TOTAL CIVIL CASES.....	12,220	618	370	1,221	1,090	1,393	2,314	1,246	989	673	1,543	763
UNITED STATES CASES.....	3,983	460	114	307	377	361	593	413	271	238	583	266
UNITED STATES PLAINTIFF.....	720	16	16	61	65	57	127	56	60	62	122	78
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS.....	20	2	-	-	1	3	3	-	2	3	3	3
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	44	-	-	4	1	9	14	2	6	2	5	1
CONDEMNATION OF LAND.....	42	-	-	-	3	3	13	4	3	7	5	4
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	29	-	1	4	-	4	2	4	-	4	6	4
PERSONEL PROPERTY TORT ACTIONS.....	9	-	1	2	1	3	1	1	-	-	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	49	1	-	2	2	6	6	8	18	3	2	1
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT.....	30	-	-	2	3	8	2	2	1	5	5	2
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT.....	16	-	1	1	1	5	1	1	2	1	3	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES AND EXCHANGES.....	32	1	2	13	3	2	3	-	2	-	4	2
TAX SUITS.....	210	-	2	7	21	7	45	21	12	8	43	44
ALL OTHER.....	239	12	9	26	29	7	37	13	14	29	46	17
UNITED STATES DEFENDANT.....	3,263	444	98	246	312	304	466	357	211	176	461	188
CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	158	16	6	12	22	14	22	7	6	4	26	23
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	62	7	3	1	3	5	5	5	3	2	17	11
TORT ACTIONS.....	308	24	10	28	37	16	70	20	18	11	57	17
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	432	117	9	32	46	29	47	18	39	21	58	16
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE.....	389	11	6	50	22	70	41	79	12	37	49	12
HABEAS CORPUS.....	214	7	6	14	25	14	32	20	19	12	38	27
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS.....	102	13	1	4	13	21	11	9	12	2	6	10
OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS.....	70	4	1	-	33	6	6	2	2	4	5	7
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS.....	574	13	41	45	43	86	92	143	32	20	40	19
TAX SUITS.....	206	11	-	5	10	18	57	17	21	19	36	12
ALL OTHER.....	748	221	15	55	58	25	83	37	47	44	129	34
PRIVATE CASES.....	8,237	158	256	914	713	1,032	1,721	833	718	435	960	497
FEDERAL QUESTION.....	6,208	103	198	691	484	869	1,271	668	542	311	730	341
MARINE CONTRACT.....	115	-	3	33	3	6	57	1	3	2	7	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	86	4	4	15	5	4	25	4	3	4	15	3
EMPLOYERS LIABILITY ACT.....	24	-	-	2	2	4	4	1	1	2	4	4
MARINE INJURY.....	157	-	6	16	15	6	94	3	3	-	14	-
OTHER TORT ACTIONS.....	231	9	5	24	16	10	109	10	18	5	19	6
ANTITRUST.....	274	15	7	34	27	15	40	25	26	15	59	11
CIVIL RIGHTS.....	1,795	33	84	188	183	133	391	193	196	104	198	92
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
HABEAS CORPUS.....	859	1	12	53	31	116	210	187	42	46	76	85
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS.....	1,069	5	18	52	91	461	99	115	78	38	59	53
OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS.....	50	-	5	1	6	11	4	5	2	3	2	11
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT.....	276	7	11	37	37	19	26	32	28	19	49	11
LABOR MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT.....	46	2	-	10	3	4	2	6	2	1	15	1
RAILWAY LABOR ACT.....	41	1	-	6	1	5	11	2	4	3	7	1
COPYRIGHT, PATENT, & TRADEMARK.....	232	4	7	58	14	10	26	6	52	6	41	8
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES & EXCH.....	281	5	2	91	20	2	44	18	28	12	50	9
ALL OTHER.....	672	17	34	71	30	63	129	60	56	51	115	46
DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP.....	1,991	55	58	223	202	163	444	165	176	124	225	156
INSURANCE.....	268	8	6	17	28	20	68	23	19	22	43	14
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	861	18	19	118	89	71	183	53	92	52	94	72
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	68	2	1	2	2	6	20	6	4	2	9	14
PERSONAL INJURY - MOTOR VEHICLE.....	151	3	4	14	22	14	40	10	12	13	9	10
PERSONAL INJURY - OTHER.....	209	11	8	24	20	14	41	24	13	20	10	24
OTHER TORT ACTIONS.....	415	13	20	48	41	38	73	49	36	15	60	22
ALL OTHER.....	19	-	-	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	-
GENERAL LOCAL JURISDICTION.....	38	-	-	-	27	-	6	-	-	-	5	-
CONTRACT ACTIONS.....	10	-	-	-	5	-	3	-	-	-	2	-
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS.....	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TORT ACTIONS.....	11	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
PRISONER PETITIONS.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALL OTHER.....	13	-	-	-	8	-	3	-	-	-	2	-

TABLE B7. UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1979

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES.....	4,102	103	120	443	313	276	915	354	336	177	788	277
GENERAL OFFENSES.....	3,646	98	106	417	274	248	855	328	305	172	584	259
HOMICIDE, TOTAL.....	41	-	1	1	5	1	8	1	3	4	4	3
MURDER, FIRST DEGREE.....	30	-	1	1	4	1	8	1	3	4	4	3
OTHER HOMICIDE.....	11	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	8	1
ROBBERY, TOTAL.....	273	5	10	28	24	34	27	27	29	21	51	17
BANK.....	257	5	8	28	24	34	21	27	25	20	51	14
OTHER ROBBERY.....	16	-	2	-	-	-	6	-	4	1	-	3
ASSAULT.....	75	2	1	5	9	6	19	3	4	5	16	5
BURGLARY.....	18	-	1	1	3	5	2	1	-	-	3	2
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL.....	247	2	18	40	21	18	34	29	33	9	22	21
INTERSTATE SHIPMENT.....	49	-	3	10	7	1	4	6	9	1	4	4
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY.....	87	-	9	17	7	4	16	6	10	3	5	10
OTHER.....	111	2	6	13	7	13	14	17	14	5	13	7
EMBEZZLEMENT.....	85	1	-	6	13	3	23	3	13	4	14	5
FRAUD, TOTAL.....	604	5	24	58	45	49	120	48	70	29	96	60
INCOME TAX.....	194	-	5	16	14	24	40	15	17	13	27	23
POSTAL AND INTERSTATE WIRE, RADIO, ETC.....	198	4	7	15	16	10	38	16	35	8	34	15
OTHER.....	212	1	12	27	15	15	42	17	18	8	35	22
AUTO THEFT.....	95	2	1	-	2	5	26	16	9	7	4	23
TRANSPORTATION - FORGED SECURITIES.....	45	1	-	7	9	8	8	1	3	2	5	1
FORGERY.....	137	3	7	14	12	13	33	12	6	9	21	7
COUNTERFEITING.....	51	1	4	6	1	-	13	7	1	4	11	3
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL.....	30	2	1	-	4	7	3	1	-	4	6	2
RAPE.....	12	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	3	6	-
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.....	16	2	1	-	-	7	2	1	-	1	-	2
OTHER SEX OFFENSES.....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NARCOTICS, TOTAL.....	1,371	60	16	203	72	51	428	80	71	42	268	80
MARIHUANA TAX ACT.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL.....	1,369	60	16	203	72	51	427	80	71	42	267	80
DAPCA MARIHUANA.....	286	-	2	11	15	2	178	9	-	4	53	12
DAPCA NARCOTICS.....	731	37	5	119	30	34	167	52	57	32	144	54
DAPCA CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.....	352	23	9	73	27	15	82	19	14	6	70	14
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES TOTAL.....	676	14	23	60	59	51	134	99	67	31	107	31
BRIBERY.....	27	1	1	4	4	2	6	3	-	-	1	5
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS.....	153	-	13	10	30	8	32	21	20	11	7	1
GAMBLING, LOTTERY.....	52	1	1	10	-	8	8	10	4	3	6	1
KIDNAPPING.....	30	1	1	2	2	4	6	7	4	1	-	2
FIREARMS, WEAPONS.....	221	8	5	15	13	16	39	48	24	10	28	15
OTHER.....	91	3	1	7	5	10	20	10	11	6	13	5
SPECIAL OFFENSES.....	102	-	1	12	5	3	23	-	4	-	52	2
IMMIGRATION LAWS.....	97	-	1	12	5	1	20	-	4	-	52	2
L'QUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE.....	5	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL.....	354	5	13	14	34	25	37	26	27	5	152	16
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS.....	95	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	89	-
OTHER.....	259	5	13	14	32	25	35	26	25	5	63	16

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