

Dispositive Logic Table
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To assist with standardization of CM/ECF motion routing, this chart reflects the CM/ECF system configuration for each of the motion types listed. Please note the motions in the Non-Dispositive column will be addressed by Magistrate Judges unless District Judges communicate otherwise to the Magistrate Judge.

(All civil cases will automatically be referred to magistrate judges except **bankruptcy appeals and petitions/motion under 28 USC §2241, 28 USC §2254 or 28 USC §2255.**)

Motions in CM/ECF		
Type of Motion cr = criminal cv = civil	Dispositive (Presider)	Non-Dispositive (Presider + Ref)
Acquittal-cr	✓	
Alter Judgment-cv	✓	
Alter Judgment-cr	✓	
Amend/Correct-cr		✓
Amend/Correct-cv		✓
Appeal in Forma Pauperis-cv	✓	
Appeal in Forma Pauperis-cr	✓	
Appear-cr		✓
Appear-cv		✓
Appoint Counsel-cv		✓
Appoint Counsel-cr		✓
Appoint Custodian-cv		✓
Appoint Expert-cv		✓
Appoint Expert-cr		✓
Appoint Guardian/Attorney ad Litem-cv		✓
Appoint Receiver-cv		✓
Approve Consent Judgment-cv	✓	
Attorney Fees-cv	✓	

Type of Motion cr = criminal cv = civil	Dispositive (Presider)	Non-Dispositive (Presider + Ref)
Bifurcate-cv	✓	
Bifurcate-cr		✓
Bill of Costs-cv		✓
Bill of Particulars-cr		✓
Bond-cr		✓
Bond-cv		✓
Brady Materials-cr		✓
Certificate of Appealability-cr	✓	
Certificate of Appealability-cv	✓	
Certify Class-cv	✓	
Change Venue-cr		✓
Change Venue-cv		✓
Compel-cv		✓
Compel-cr		✓
Confirmation of Sale-cv	✓	
Consolidate Cases-cr		✓
Consolidate Cases-cv		✓
Continue-cv		✓
Continue-cr		✓
Declaration of Mistrial-cr	✓	
Declaration of Mistrial-cv	✓	
Declaratory Judgment-cv	✓	
Default Judgment-cv	✓	
Deposit Funds-cv		✓
Detain-cr		✓
Directed Verdict-cr	✓	

Type of Motion cr = criminal cv = civil	Dispositive (Presider)	Non-Dispositive (Presider + Ref)
Directed Verdict-cv	✓	
Disbursement of Funds-cv		✓
Disclosure-cv		✓
Disclosure-cr		✓
Discovery-cr		✓
Discovery-cv		✓
Dismiss-cv	✓	
Dismiss-cr	✓	
Dismiss for Failure to State a Claim-cv	✓	
Dismiss/Lack of Jurisdiction-cr	✓	
Dismiss/Lack of Jurisdiction-cv	✓	
Dismiss/Lack of Prosecution-cv	✓	
Dismiss/Speedy Trial-cr	✓	
Dismiss Post Judgment Proceedings-cv		✓
Disqualify Counsel-cr		✓
Disqualify Counsel-cv		✓
Disqualify Judge-cv	✓	
Disqualify Judge-cr	✓	
Disqualify Juror-cr	✓	
Disqualify Juror-cv	✓	
Downward Departure-cr	✓	
Early Termination of Probation-cr	✓	
Enforce Judgment-cv	✓	
Entry of Default-cv	✓	
Exclude-cr		✓
Exemption from Electronic Filing-cv		✓

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Exemption from Electronic Filing-cr		✓
Expedite-cr		✓
Expedite-cv		✓
Extension of Time to Amend-cv		✓
Extension of Time to Complete Discovery-cv		✓
Extension of Time to File Answer-cv		✓
Extension of Time to File Document-cv		✓
Extension of Time to File Document-cr		✓
Extension of Time to File Response/Reply-cr		✓
Extension of Time to File Response/Reply-cv		✓
Extension of Time to Indict-cr		✓
File Excess Pages-cr		✓
File Excess Pages-cv		✓
Forfeiture of Property-cv	✓	
Forfeiture of Property-cr	✓	
Garnishment-cr		✓
Garnishment-cv		✓
Handwriting Exemplars-cr		✓
Hearing-cr		✓
Hearing-cv		✓
In Limine-cv	✓	
In Limine-cr	✓	
Inspect-cr		✓
Interven-cv		✓
Issuance of Warrant in rem-cv		✓
Issuance of Warrant in rem-cr		✓

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Joinder-cr		✓
Joinder-cv		✓
Judgment Debtor Exam-cv		✓
Judgment NOV-cv	✓	
Judgment NOV-cr	✓	
Judgment as a Matter of Law-cv	✓	
Judgment of Forfeiture-cv	✓	
Judgment on Partial Findings-cv	✓	
Judgment on the Pleadings-cv	✓	
Judgment under Rule 54(b)-cv	✓	
Judicial Recommendation Against Deportation-cr	✓	
Leave to Appeal-cv	✓	
Leave to Appeal-cr	✓	
Leave to File Document-cr		✓
Leave to File Document-cv		✓
Letters Rogatory-cv		✓
Lift Stay-cv		✓
Limited Admission-cv		✓
Medical Exam-cr		✓
Medical Treatment-cr		✓
Miscellaneous Relief-cr		✓
Miscellaneous Relief-cv		✓
Modify Conditions of Release-cr		✓
More Definite Statement-cv		✓
New Trial-cr	✓	
New Trial-cv	✓	

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Order of Competency to Stand Trial-cr		✓
Order of Sale-cv		✓
Partial Summary Judgment-cv	✓	
Permanent Injunction-cv	✓	
Preliminary Injunction-cv	✓	
Proceed in Forma Pauperis-cv	✓	
Proceedings Supplemental-cv		✓
Produce-cv		✓
Produce-cr		✓
Protective Order-cr		✓
Protective Order-cv		✓
Psychiatric Exam-cr		✓
Psychiatric Treatment-cr	✓	
Quash-cr		✓
Quash-cv		✓
Quash Indictment/Information-cr	✓	
Reassign Case-cv	✓	
Reconsideration-cv		✓
Reconsideration-cr		✓
Reconvene the Grand Jury-cv	✓	
Recusal-cv	✓	
Recusal-cr	✓	
Reduce Sentence-cr	✓	
Release of Bond Obligation-cr	✓	
Release of Bond Obligation-cv	✓	
Release from Custody-cr	✓	

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Release of Funds-cv	✓	
Release of Funds-cr	✓	
Remand-cr	✓	
Remand-cv	✓	
Reopen Case-cv	✓	
Report and Recommendation-cv	✓	
Report and Recommendation-cr	✓	
Report and Recommendation - Special Master-cv	✓	
Reset-cv		✓
Reset-cr		✓
Return of Property-cr	✓	
Return of Property-cv	✓	
Return of Surety-cr	✓	
Review of Magistrate Decision by District Judge-cv	✓	
Revoke-cr		✓
Sanctions-cr		✓
Sanctions-cv		✓
Seal-cr		✓
Seal Case-cr		✓
Seal Case-cv		✓
Seal Document-cv		✓
Seal Document-cr		✓
Sealed Motion-cr		✓
Sealed Motion-cv		✓
Separate Trial on Counts-cr		✓
Service by Publication-cr		✓

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Service by Publication-cv		✓
Set Aside-cv	✓	
Set Aside Clerk's Default-cv	✓	
Set Aside Forfeiture-cv	✓	
Set Aside Forfeiture-cr	✓	
Set Aside Judgment-cr	✓	
Set Aside Judgment-cv	✓	
Set Aside Sentence-cr	✓	
Set Aside Verdict-cr	✓	
Set Aside Verdict-cv	✓	
Settlement-cv		✓
Sever-cr		✓
Sever Defendant-cr		✓
Show Cause-cr		✓
Show Cause-cv		✓
Show Cause re Revocation of Probation-cr	✓	
Show Cause re Revocation of Supervised Release-cr	✓	
Special Appearance-cr		✓
Stay-cv		✓
Stipulation-cv		✓
Stipulation-cr		✓
Stipulation to Dismiss-cv	✓	
Strike - Rule 12(f)-cv		✓
Strike - Rule 56-cv	✓	
Strike-cr		✓
Substitute Attorney-cr		✓

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Substitute Attorney-cv		✓
Substitute Party-cv		✓
Summary Judgment-cv	✓	
Suppress-cr	✓	
Take Deposition-cv		✓
Take Deposition-cr		✓
Taxation of Costs-cv	✓	
Temporary Restraining Order-cv	✓	
Transfer-cv		✓
Travel-cr		✓
Unseal Case-cr		✓
Unseal Case-cv		✓
Unseal Document-cv		✓
Unseal Document-cr		✓
Vacate-cr		✓
Vacate-cv		✓
Vacate (2255)-cr	✓	
Wage Assignment-cv		✓
Warrant-cr		✓
Warrant for Arrest of Property-cr		✓
Withdraw-cv		✓
Withdraw Document-cr		✓
Withdraw Plea of Guilty-cr	✓	
Withdraw Plea of Nolo Contendere-cr	✓	
Withdraw Reference-cv	✓	
Withdraw as Attorney-cv		✓

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Withdraw as Attorney-cr		✓
Writ-cr		✓
Writ-cr		✓
Writ of Garnishment-cv		✓
Writ of Habeas Corpus ad prosequendum-cv		✓
Writ of Habeas Corpus ad prosequendum-cr		✓
Writ of Habeas Corpus ad testificandum-cr		✓
Writ of Habeas Corpus ad testificandum-cv		✓
Writ of Mandamus-cv	✓	