

Table C-5.

**U.S. District Courts—Median Time Intervals From Filing to Disposition of Civil Cases  
Terminated, by District and Method of Disposition,  
During the 12-Month Period Ending March 31, 2016**

| Circuit and District | Total Cases     |                                | No Court Action |                                | Court Action    |                                |                          |                                |                 |                                |
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|                      | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months | Before Pretrial |                                | During or After Pretrial |                                | Trial           |                                |
|                      |                 |                                |                 |                                | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months | Number of Cases          | Median Time Interval in Months | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months |
| <b>TOTAL</b>         | <b>213,976</b>  | <b>8.7</b>                     | <b>47,603</b>   | <b>5.2</b>                     | <b>133,946</b>  | <b>8.6</b>                     | <b>29,913</b>            | <b>12.9</b>                    | <b>2,514</b>    | <b>24.9</b>                    |
| <b>DC</b>            | <b>1,820</b>    | <b>7.9</b>                     | <b>872</b>      | <b>4.7</b>                     | <b>905</b>      | <b>10.3</b>                    | <b>13</b>                | <b>23.6</b>                    | <b>30</b>       | <b>38.0</b>                    |
| <b>1ST</b>           | <b>5,641</b>    | <b>9.1</b>                     | <b>1,327</b>    | <b>4.0</b>                     | <b>2,803</b>    | <b>8.7</b>                     | <b>1,416</b>             | <b>15.0</b>                    | <b>95</b>       | <b>26.7</b>                    |
| ME                   | 472             | 7.2                            | 185             | 4.9                            | 263             | 8.6                            | 14                       | 18.7                           | 10              | 25.2                           |
| MA                   | 2,702           | 10.3                           | 673             | 3.7                            | 779             | 7.5                            | 1,195                    | 15.0                           | 55              | 29.8                           |
| NH                   | 422             | 7.9                            | 88              | 3.3                            | 227             | 6.9                            | 99                       | 13.0                           | 8               | -                              |
| RI                   | 700             | 16.3                           | 62              | 7.3                            | 591             | 17.1                           | 42                       | 17.5                           | 5               | -                              |
| PR                   | 1,345           | 6.5                            | 319             | 4.0                            | 943             | 7.7                            | 66                       | 20.6                           | 17              | 21.8                           |
| <b>2ND</b>           | <b>21,292</b>   | <b>9.1</b>                     | <b>3,116</b>    | <b>4.3</b>                     | <b>12,515</b>   | <b>8.5</b>                     | <b>5,358</b>             | <b>13.1</b>                    | <b>303</b>      | <b>29.9</b>                    |
| CT                   | 1,745           | 9.8                            | 395             | 4.1                            | 784             | 9.3                            | 525                      | 15.7                           | 41              | 36.0                           |
| NY,N                 | 1,190           | 11.8                           | 153             | 3.0                            | 753             | 13.2                           | 264                      | 13.5                           | 20              | 35.5                           |
| NY,E                 | 6,880           | 9.0                            | 1,379           | 4.8                            | 3,895           | 8.8                            | 1,505                    | 12.4                           | 101             | 30.9                           |
| NY,S                 | 9,841           | 8.4                            | 944             | 4.0                            | 5,757           | 6.9                            | 3,010                    | 12.8                           | 130             | 27.4                           |
| NY,W                 | 1,397           | 11.0                           | 216             | 5.0                            | 1,126           | 11.9                           | 48                       | 19.8                           | 7               | -                              |
| VT                   | 239             | 8.6                            | 29              | 2.5                            | 200             | 9.3                            | 6                        | -                              | 4               | -                              |
| <b>3RD</b>           | <b>21,659</b>   | <b>7.4</b>                     | <b>2,513</b>    | <b>3.8</b>                     | <b>13,587</b>   | <b>5.7</b>                     | <b>5,314</b>             | <b>13.8</b>                    | <b>245</b>      | <b>28.0</b>                    |
| DE                   | 1,465           | 12.4                           | 373             | 5.8                            | 773             | 13.0                           | 272                      | 17.9                           | 47              | 34.1                           |
| NJ                   | 8,067           | 8.4                            | 689             | 3.9                            | 3,753           | 4.8                            | 3,587                    | 15.8                           | 38              | 39.0                           |
| PA,E                 | 8,736           | 5.5                            | 644             | 2.9                            | 6,672           | 4.8                            | 1,320                    | 8.6                            | 100             | 16.9                           |
| PA,M                 | 1,471           | 8.9                            | 412             | 5.4                            | 988             | 10.1                           | 47                       | 17.0                           | 24              | 30.4                           |
| PA,W                 | 1,716           | 6.4                            | 282             | 2.7                            | 1,386           | 7.1                            | 17                       | 24.3                           | 31              | 31.2                           |
| VI                   | 204             | 14.8                           | 113             | 11.7                           | 15              | 23.6                           | 71                       | 24.9                           | 5               | -                              |
| <b>4TH</b>           | <b>23,943</b>   | <b>14.5</b>                    | <b>2,539</b>    | <b>5.8</b>                     | <b>19,829</b>   | <b>15.8</b>                    | <b>1,426</b>             | <b>10.6</b>                    | <b>149</b>      | <b>22.8</b>                    |
| MD                   | 3,162           | 7.1                            | 339             | 6.7                            | 2,046           | 5.1                            | 736                      | 12.4                           | 41              | 30.2                           |
| NC,E                 | 1,088           | 9.1                            | 526             | 6.8                            | 544             | 10.6                           | 9                        | -                              | 9               | -                              |
| NC,M                 | 610             | 10.5                           | 383             | 9.0                            | 190             | 13.3                           | 28                       | 18.2                           | 9               | -                              |
| NC,W                 | 840             | 9.1                            | 248             | 7.1                            | 521             | 9.4                            | 53                       | 14.4                           | 18              | 23.7                           |
| SC                   | 2,399           | 8.5                            | 177             | 3.5                            | 2,152           | 8.9                            | 55                       | 10.2                           | 15              | 28.1                           |
| VA,E                 | 2,362           | 5.3                            | 655             | 4.5                            | 1,215           | 4.4                            | 463                      | 8.2                            | 29              | 10.8                           |
| VA,W                 | 541             | 10.3                           | 110             | 4.7                            | 369             | 11.8                           | 51                       | 11.4                           | 11              | 16.1                           |
| WV,N                 | 449             | 9.9                            | 56              | 7.4                            | 381             | 10.0                           | 6                        | -                              | 6               | -                              |
| WV,S                 | 12,492          | 19.8                           | 45              | 2.7                            | 12,411          | 19.8                           | 25                       | 17.4                           | 11              | 23.5                           |

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| Circuit and District | Total Cases     |                                | No Court Action |                                | Court Action    |                                |                          |                                |                 |                                |
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|                      |                 |                                |                 |                                | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months | Number of Cases          | Median Time Interval in Months | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months |
| <b>5TH</b>           | <b>20,182</b>   | <b>7.4</b>                     | <b>5,600</b>    | <b>5.5</b>                     | <b>11,900</b>   | <b>7.1</b>                     | <b>2,377</b>             | <b>12.6</b>                    | <b>305</b>      | <b>21.5</b>                    |
| LA,E                 | 2,762           | 7.2                            | 203             | 3.5                            | 1,511           | 3.6                            | 1,011                    | 13.6                           | 37              | 16.7                           |
| LA,M                 | 544             | 11.0                           | 83              | 7.2                            | 425             | 11.2                           | 19                       | 23.5                           | 17              | 29.5                           |
| LA,W                 | 1,346           | 11.7                           | 265             | 5.6                            | 766             | 12.1                           | 290                      | 15.4                           | 25              | 31.5                           |
| MS,N                 | 502             | 9.5                            | 148             | 7.2                            | 227             | 9.2                            | 120                      | 12.6                           | 7               | -                              |
| MS,S                 | 1,191           | 10.6                           | 657             | 9.4                            | 485             | 11.0                           | 22                       | 21.5                           | 27              | 23.6                           |
| TX,N                 | 3,247           | 6.5                            | 585             | 4.3                            | 2,610           | 6.9                            | 10                       | 16.6                           | 42              | 23.4                           |
| TX,E                 | 3,945           | 6.5                            | 1,555           | 5.5                            | 2,326           | 6.9                            | 29                       | 18.6                           | 35              | 22.8                           |
| TX,S                 | 4,240           | 7.3                            | 1,468           | 4.8                            | 1,948           | 8.0                            | 743                      | 10.5                           | 81              | 20.5                           |
| TX,W                 | 2,405           | 6.6                            | 636             | 6.2                            | 1,602           | 5.9                            | 133                      | 12.9                           | 34              | 20.0                           |
| <b>6TH</b>           | <b>20,275</b>   | <b>12.5</b>                    | <b>7,765</b>    | <b>14.8</b>                    | <b>8,424</b>    | <b>11.9</b>                    | <b>3,886</b>             | <b>11.3</b>                    | <b>200</b>      | <b>29.0</b>                    |
| KY,E                 | 964             | 10.4                           | 143             | 4.9                            | 791             | 10.8                           | 17                       | 19.0                           | 13              | 33.7                           |
| KY,W                 | 1,027           | 8.8                            | 204             | 5.1                            | 697             | 8.7                            | 121                      | 16.0                           | 5               | -                              |
| MI,E                 | 3,712           | 8.1                            | 702             | 3.0                            | 1,354           | 5.7                            | 1,612                    | 12.7                           | 44              | 19.7                           |
| MI,W                 | 1,097           | 9.2                            | 103             | 2.2                            | 812             | 9.3                            | 173                      | 13.7                           | 9               | -                              |
| OH,N                 | 8,158           | 28.2                           | 4,278           | 35.5                           | 2,606           | 21.4                           | 1,243                    | 8.1                            | 31              | 34.4                           |
| OH,S                 | 2,234           | 9.2                            | 1,096           | 5.9                            | 492             | 10.6                           | 627                      | 12.8                           | 19              | 25.9                           |
| TN,E                 | 1,010           | 12.1                           | 354             | 8.6                            | 578             | 12.7                           | 54                       | 19.6                           | 24              | 33.7                           |
| TN,M                 | 1,104           | 12.0                           | 170             | 6.2                            | 890             | 12.7                           | 19                       | 18.3                           | 25              | 32.7                           |
| TN,W                 | 969             | 9.7                            | 715             | 9.6                            | 204             | 7.6                            | 20                       | 22.0                           | 30              | 28.2                           |
| <b>7TH</b>           | <b>18,443</b>   | <b>11.5</b>                    | <b>4,567</b>    | <b>8.4</b>                     | <b>11,754</b>   | <b>12.2</b>                    | <b>1,950</b>             | <b>12.2</b>                    | <b>172</b>      | <b>30.2</b>                    |
| IL,N                 | 8,085           | 7.3                            | 1,907           | 4.8                            | 5,631           | 7.8                            | 461                      | 10.4                           | 86              | 34.0                           |
| IL,C                 | 773             | 11.0                           | 303             | 7.1                            | 442             | 12.7                           | 12                       | 18.6                           | 16              | 33.0                           |
| IL,S                 | 3,871           | 23.5                           | 1,598           | 19.5                           | 2,255           | 34.7                           | 8                        | -                              | 10              | 22.0                           |
| IN,N                 | 1,945           | 17.0                           | 159             | 2.7                            | 1,294           | 17.9                           | 477                      | 17.1                           | 15              | 39.1                           |
| IN,S                 | 1,963           | 9.0                            | 279             | 3.6                            | 925             | 8.0                            | 741                      | 11.3                           | 18              | 25.0                           |
| WI,E                 | 1,178           | 6.9                            | 186             | 2.6                            | 947             | 7.5                            | 30                       | 14.7                           | 15              | 26.1                           |
| WI,W                 | 628             | 7.5                            | 135             | 3.6                            | 260             | 7.0                            | 221                      | 10.9                           | 12              | 18.7                           |
| <b>8TH</b>           | <b>13,173</b>   | <b>9.5</b>                     | <b>5,168</b>    | <b>3.6</b>                     | <b>6,883</b>    | <b>12.1</b>                    | <b>987</b>               | <b>12.4</b>                    | <b>135</b>      | <b>22.1</b>                    |
| AR,E                 | 1,046           | 10.1                           | 261             | 10.1                           | 759             | 9.8                            | 3                        | -                              | 23              | 16.4                           |
| AR,W                 | 802             | 11.5                           | 121             | 12.2                           | 670             | 11.5                           | 3                        | -                              | 8               | -                              |
| IA,N                 | 509             | 3.0                            | 228             | 0.8                            | 269             | 7.8                            | 4                        | -                              | 8               | -                              |
| IA,S                 | 456             | 9.9                            | 75              | 3.8                            | 227             | 8.1                            | 138                      | 16.0                           | 16              | 25.0                           |
| MN                   | 4,923           | 7.8                            | 1,795           | 1.7                            | 2,389           | 15.0                           | 720                      | 11.5                           | 19              | 30.5                           |
| MO,E                 | 2,485           | 13.3                           | 1,249           | 18.9                           | 1,219           | 12.2                           | 2                        | -                              | 15              | 18.8                           |
| MO,W                 | 1,803           | 9.0                            | 1,043           | 7.8                            | 642             | 10.3                           | 102                      | 12.0                           | 16              | 22.9                           |
| NE                   | 452             | 8.4                            | 37              | 2.4                            | 385             | 8.4                            | 13                       | 22.0                           | 17              | 30.4                           |
| ND                   | 201             | 11.3                           | 7               | -                              | 188             | 11.4                           | 0                        | -                              | 6               | -                              |
| SD                   | 496             | 1.2                            | 352             | 1.1                            | 135             | 15.0                           | 2                        | -                              | 7               | -                              |

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|                      |                 |                                |                 |                                | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months | Number of Cases          | Median Time Interval in Months | Number of Cases | Median Time Interval in Months |
| <b>9TH</b>           | <b>34,140</b>   | <b>7.1</b>                     | <b>8,928</b>    | <b>4.4</b>                     | <b>20,659</b>   | <b>7.0</b>                     | <b>4,116</b>             | <b>14.2</b>                    | <b>437</b>      | <b>24.4</b>                    |
| AK                   | 234             | 9.4                            | 34              | 5.3                            | 193             | 9.7                            | 2                        | -                              | 5               | -                              |
| AZ                   | 2,405           | 7.1                            | 133             | 2.2                            | 1,793           | 6.0                            | 449                      | 13.3                           | 30              | 33.1                           |
| CA,N                 | 4,458           | 7.3                            | 1,086           | 3.9                            | 1,853           | 6.5                            | 1,457                    | 11.6                           | 62              | 24.3                           |
| CA,E                 | 2,692           | 9.4                            | 832             | 6.3                            | 1,771           | 10.6                           | 50                       | 19.8                           | 39              | 31.1                           |
| CA,C                 | 12,480          | 5.3                            | 4,208           | 4.6                            | 7,940           | 5.4                            | 202                      | 15.1                           | 130             | 20.9                           |
| CA,S                 | 3,183           | 9.9                            | 434             | 2.8                            | 1,166           | 6.1                            | 1,541                    | 17.0                           | 42              | 32.5                           |
| HI                   | 561             | 9.5                            | 306             | 7.9                            | 212             | 8.9                            | 34                       | 24.6                           | 9               | -                              |
| ID                   | 386             | 11.3                           | 29              | 1.4                            | 282             | 10.4                           | 67                       | 18.0                           | 8               | -                              |
| MT                   | 421             | 8.6                            | 81              | 4.6                            | 189             | 5.9                            | 146                      | 15.4                           | 5               | -                              |
| NV                   | 2,097           | 9.0                            | 487             | 7.6                            | 1,456           | 9.7                            | 132                      | 6.9                            | 22              | 39.4                           |
| OR                   | 1,836           | 10.0                           | 434             | 5.3                            | 1,348           | 11.0                           | 21                       | 17.4                           | 33              | 21.6                           |
| WA,E                 | 649             | 9.8                            | 194             | 6.7                            | 445             | 10.5                           | 6                        | -                              | 4               | -                              |
| WA,W                 | 2,683           | 6.6                            | 652             | 3.1                            | 1,977           | 7.1                            | 7                        | -                              | 47              | 18.5                           |
| GUAM                 | 30              | 10.7                           | 7               | -                              | 20              | 10.2                           | 2                        | -                              | 1               | -                              |
| NMI                  | 25              | 9.2                            | 11              | 3.3                            | 14              | 21.2                           | 0                        | -                              | 0               | -                              |
| <b>10TH</b>          | <b>9,503</b>    | <b>7.5</b>                     | <b>2,904</b>    | <b>2.5</b>                     | <b>5,235</b>    | <b>8.7</b>                     | <b>1,236</b>             | <b>14.1</b>                    | <b>128</b>      | <b>20.7</b>                    |
| CO                   | 2,357           | 8.2                            | 716             | 6.2                            | 1,470           | 8.2                            | 114                      | 19.7                           | 57              | 20.6                           |
| KS                   | 2,698           | 2.1                            | 1,549           | 1.8                            | 1,059           | 4.9                            | 78                       | 21.8                           | 12              | 25.0                           |
| NM                   | 1,037           | 10.5                           | 55              | 1.2                            | 446             | 8.5                            | 525                      | 12.7                           | 11              | 29.4                           |
| OK,N                 | 672             | 10.0                           | 57              | 2.4                            | 601             | 10.6                           | 10                       | 27.5                           | 4               | -                              |
| OK,E                 | 475             | 13.2                           | 17              | 2.3                            | 448             | 13.6                           | 4                        | -                              | 6               | -                              |
| OK,W                 | 1,120           | 8.4                            | 267             | 3.5                            | 488             | 6.6                            | 351                      | 11.7                           | 14              | 15.0                           |
| UT                   | 927             | 10.8                           | 165             | 4.9                            | 702             | 11.7                           | 45                       | 20.4                           | 15              | 26.0                           |
| WY                   | 217             | 11.1                           | 78              | 3.0                            | 21              | 12.7                           | 109                      | 14.0                           | 9               | -                              |
| <b>11TH</b>          | <b>23,905</b>   | <b>6.1</b>                     | <b>2,304</b>    | <b>3.8</b>                     | <b>19,452</b>   | <b>5.8</b>                     | <b>1,834</b>             | <b>10.9</b>                    | <b>315</b>      | <b>20.5</b>                    |
| AL,N                 | 1,833           | 10.4                           | 32              | 1.8                            | 1,759           | 10.3                           | 19                       | 26.4                           | 23              | 32.2                           |
| AL,M                 | 631             | 8.6                            | 94              | 2.4                            | 499             | 9.1                            | 28                       | 16.2                           | 10              | 14.9                           |
| AL,S                 | 468             | 8.0                            | 85              | 2.1                            | 370             | 8.4                            | 4                        | -                              | 9               | -                              |
| FL,N                 | 1,130           | 8.0                            | 30              | 3.2                            | 1,060           | 7.9                            | 18                       | 11.3                           | 22              | 17.7                           |
| FL,M                 | 6,323           | 6.7                            | 373             | 5.2                            | 5,719           | 6.5                            | 151                      | 13.5                           | 80              | 20.5                           |
| FL,S                 | 7,886           | 4.4                            | 799             | 3.7                            | 6,854           | 4.3                            | 122                      | 8.4                            | 111             | 15.0                           |
| GA,N                 | 4,230           | 6.4                            | 484             | 2.6                            | 2,220           | 4.6                            | 1,481                    | 10.3                           | 45              | 28.2                           |
| GA,M                 | 823             | 12.3                           | 205             | 10.5                           | 600             | 12.4                           | 7                        | -                              | 11              | 24.2                           |
| GA,S                 | 581             | 10.1                           | 202             | 8.0                            | 371             | 10.9                           | 4                        | -                              | 4               | -                              |

NOTE: Median time intervals are not computed when fewer than 10 cases reported. This table excludes land condemnations, prisoner petitions, deportation reviews, recovery of overpayments, and enforcement of judgments. Includes cases filed in previous years as consolidated cases that thereafter were severed into individual cases. For fiscal years prior to 2001, this table included data on recovery of overpayments and enforcement of judgments.