

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, 2017

Circuit and District	Total Cases		No Court Action		Court Action					
	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
Total	219,952	9.9	41,448	5.1	147,793	10.9	28,335	12.7	2,376	25.9
DC	1,850	7.2	917	4.4	899	10.4	16	30.8	18	34.4
1st	6,024	10.2	1,776	6.2	2,506	8.9	1,650	17.7	92	30.7
ME	484	5.9	225	3.9	233	8.3	16	18.6	10	18.3
MA	2,946	13.3	688	7.1	795	7.9	1,411	18.1	52	32.6
NH	367	8.7	61	5.9	205	7.6	96	14.0	5	-
RI	492	10.4	98	12.1	323	9.7	61	14.2	10	30.3
PR	1,735	8.6	704	6.3	950	9.8	66	27.7	15	43.3
2nd	21,227	9.7	2,835	3.9	13,415	9.7	4,690	12.9	287	31.7
CT	1,790	10.4	288	3.6	880	9.1	579	15.5	43	32.3
NY,N	1,142	11.3	181	4.1	686	12.8	257	12.3	18	31.1
NY,E	6,568	9.5	1,353	4.6	3,903	9.6	1,220	15.1	92	36.9
NY,S	10,153	9.2	843	3.1	6,593	8.7	2,596	11.5	121	27.5
NY,W	1,323	12.1	136	3.5	1,144	13.0	33	17.0	10	67.6
VT	251	10.1	34	2.5	209	10.6	5	-	3	-
3rd	17,746	7.0	1,782	3.3	11,518	5.9	4,207	11.0	239	26.7
DE	1,121	10.4	264	3.8	604	10.2	175	20.2	78	29.2
NJ	6,677	7.6	417	3.0	3,581	5.0	2,640	12.9	39	30.9
PA,E	6,510	5.7	474	3.1	4,710	5.0	1,254	8.0	72	19.2
PA,M	1,472	9.9	279	5.8	1,102	10.1	61	17.2	30	26.1
PA,W	1,803	6.1	273	2.1	1,505	6.9	10	25.4	15	28.5
VI	163	19.1	75	18.8	16	19.9	67	18.2	5	-
4th	39,827	26.4	2,039	5.7	36,018	28.6	1,623	10.9	147	20.5
MD	3,128	7.9	279	7.1	1,974	6.1	838	13.8	37	30.6
NC,E	876	9.5	269	6.5	589	11.3	11	28.5	7	-
NC,M	579	9.9	368	8.6	176	12.4	30	18.8	5	-
NC,W	775	8.7	154	6.3	552	8.7	57	13.7	12	18.7
SC	5,186	17.2	211	3.4	4,875	18.1	81	7.6	19	30.3
VA,E	2,031	5.2	567	4.2	984	4.4	437	7.9	43	13.0
VA,W	613	8.8	112	4.1	422	9.9	63	9.7	16	17.1
WV,N	342	9.2	49	9.0	214	8.2	78	12.8	1	-
WV,S	26,297	32.6	30	7.5	26,232	32.6	28	17.1	7	-

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5th	25,400	10.0	5,216	5.8	16,732	11.2	3,145	12.0	307	23.5
LA,E	4,543	7.1	168	2.4	2,688	4.8	1,638	11.4	49	17.8
LA,M	667	12.3	168	9.8	441	11.1	39	21.2	19	35.1
LA,W	5,291	28.9	218	5.3	4,719	30.8	335	16.2	19	29.9
MS,N	494	9.0	97	8.4	238	8.0	152	12.4	7	-
MS,S	1,242	10.6	614	9.8	582	11.0	27	18.1	19	28.5
TX,N	2,990	7.1	398	4.0	2,534	7.5	6	-	52	22.5
TX,E	3,298	7.2	1,357	5.5	1,869	8.4	26	19.3	46	21.4
TX,S	4,263	8.2	1,468	5.0	1,962	9.1	767	10.3	66	22.6
TX,W	2,612	6.9	728	6.2	1,699	6.5	155	13.8	30	21.7
6th	15,940	10.8	4,707	8.6	7,594	11.2	3,467	12.7	172	27.5
KY,E	961	9.4	146	6.6	798	9.5	8	-	9	-
KY,W	2,091	24.1	1,095	34.6	664	9.9	320	30.7	12	34.0
MI,E	3,287	9.0	476	3.2	1,314	6.2	1,459	13.1	38	25.4
MI,W	1,021	8.2	77	2.1	720	8.1	212	11.3	12	26.4
OH,N	3,653	12.9	798	5.3	1,992	23.8	837	9.4	26	21.5
OH,S	2,104	8.8	1,045	8.4	480	10.2	562	12.2	17	32.7
TN,E	949	12.5	323	9.4	556	12.9	51	15.9	19	25.2
TN,M	1,165	11.2	212	6.1	923	11.4	6	-	24	28.3
TN,W	709	8.9	535	8.5	147	8.3	12	18.1	15	25.8
7th	16,166	9.1	3,454	5.3	10,542	9.5	1,974	12.1	196	33.3
IL,N	7,830	7.3	1,750	4.9	5,574	7.6	417	11.0	89	36.8
IL,C	757	10.4	299	6.6	418	11.9	25	22.9	15	37.7
IL,S	1,616	34.8	537	29.3	1,067	47.3	3	-	9	-
IN,N	1,981	22.5	127	2.8	1,356	26.9	484	16.3	14	44.2
IN,S	2,257	8.1	335	3.5	1,043	6.5	840	11.1	39	36.1
WI,E	1,135	6.6	260	3.2	833	7.4	27	11.0	15	18.4
WI,W	590	6.9	146	3.3	251	6.4	178	11.5	15	18.0
8th	11,138	9.8	3,914	6.9	5,627	9.5	1,465	19.9	132	24.8
AR,E	934	10.0	208	11.1	703	9.5	0	-	23	23.7
AR,W	744	12.0	110	12.3	574	12.0	55	11.9	5	-
IA,N	365	9.0	60	8.6	294	8.6	2	-	9	-
IA,S	391	10.3	99	7.5	263	10.3	21	15.0	8	-
MN	2,769	9.0	867	3.4	609	4.1	1,284	23.6	9	-
MO,E	3,173	8.8	1,377	12.5	1,771	6.9	1	-	24	23.5
MO,W	1,686	8.7	1,063	7.3	514	10.4	91	12.0	18	24.8
NE	511	9.5	28	3.7	456	9.3	6	-	21	38.4
ND	345	20.4	6	-	332	20.4	0	-	7	-
SD	220	12.8	96	7.8	111	15.1	5	-	8	-

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9th	33,290	6.7	10,520	4.2	19,045	6.9	3,348	12.9	377	24.9
AK	252	8.9	30	5.2	214	9.6	0	-	8	-
AZ	2,692	6.5	138	2.7	1,957	5.1	577	11.7	20	34.5
CA,N	4,629	7.4	1,249	4.0	1,916	6.2	1,424	12.5	40	25.4
CA,E	2,751	8.4	1,147	5.7	1,518	11.1	65	22.4	21	29.4
CA,C	11,920	4.8	5,276	3.9	6,316	5.3	193	14.0	135	19.7
CA,S	2,376	6.4	437	3.2	1,210	5.5	682	12.1	47	35.6
HI	514	8.0	274	7.7	205	7.3	22	23.0	13	29.1
ID	342	11.7	24	2.0	247	11.1	63	18.8	8	-
MT	375	10.4	50	2.7	159	5.8	156	14.3	10	27.5
NV	2,370	9.1	723	6.2	1,494	10.3	137	9.1	16	35.5
OR	1,703	10.7	399	7.4	1,278	11.3	10	20.6	16	22.7
WA,E	749	9.0	199	5.0	539	10.3	4	-	7	-
WA,W	2,539	6.6	552	3.1	1,940	7.1	12	16.7	35	18.7
GUAM	48	10.1	7	-	38	10.9	3	-	0	-
NMI	30	11.9	15	12.6	14	11.1	0	-	1	-
10th	8,016	8.9	1,920	4.7	4,951	9.2	1,007	14.0	138	25.4
CO	2,383	7.1	847	5.0	1,394	7.8	97	20.7	45	26.4
KS	1,091	7.9	354	5.3	660	8.8	57	19.6	20	25.6
NM	1,021	10.7	69	1.8	537	9.7	404	13.6	11	36.8
OK,N	651	10.4	40	2.4	596	11.1	7	-	8	-
OK,E	468	12.7	14	1.5	442	12.7	5	-	7	-
OK,W	1,085	8.3	306	4.3	459	7.3	305	11.6	15	17.5
UT	1,133	9.6	230	5.0	834	10.4	50	28.4	19	31.2
WY	184	9.6	60	2.4	29	10.2	82	11.8	13	16.1
11th	23,328	6.0	2,368	3.7	18,946	5.8	1,743	11.4	271	20.8
AL,N	1,533	10.4	23	4.6	1,467	10.1	28	27.3	15	27.8
AL,M	514	10.0	91	6.8	409	10.4	10	18.0	4	-
AL,S	439	8.6	59	5.0	371	9.1	4	-	5	-
FL,N	1,069	7.3	22	2.0	1,014	7.2	12	12.5	21	20.5
FL,M	6,331	7.1	345	6.4	5,712	6.9	209	13.7	65	24.3
FL,S	7,769	4.1	1,104	3.3	6,526	4.2	35	13.7	104	16.1
GA,N	4,272	5.7	404	2.6	2,390	4.1	1,438	10.6	40	24.0
GA,M	860	12.6	206	6.7	638	15.0	3	-	13	17.3
GA,S	541	9.6	114	8.7	419	9.7	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.