

**Table B-4D.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Median Time Intervals in Months for Original Proceedings and Miscellaneous Applications Terminated on the Merits, by Circuit, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2022**

Circuit	Terminated on the Merits									
	Total	By Consolidation	Median Time Intervals From							
			Docket Date to Oral Argument or Submission on Briefs		Oral Argument to Last Opinion or Final Order		Submission on Briefs to Last Opinion or Final Order		Docket Date to Last Opinion or Final Order	
			Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,871</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2,836</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2,817</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2,836</b>	<b>1.5</b>
DC	45	1	44	2.2	3	4.8	41	0.5	44	2.9
1st	69	-	69	0.6	-	-	69	1.7	69	3.1
2nd	187	5	182	2.7	1	0.1	181	0.1	182	2.8
3rd	192	-	192	1.1	-	-	192	0.5	192	1.8
4th	321	5	316	0.5	-	-	316	0.4	316	1.0
5th	339	7	332	1.0	1	12.5	331	0.3	332	1.4
6th	384	5	379	3.8	1	6.2	378	1.0	379	4.8
7th	164	-	164	0.0	-	-	164	0.3	164	0.4
8th	232	1	231	0.8	1	2.9	230	0.1	231	1.0
9th	496	2	494	1.6	12	1.7	482	0.3	494	1.8
10th	93	-	93	0.7	-	-	93	0.1	93	0.8
11th	349	9	340	0.3	-	-	340	0.3	340	0.6

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Beginning in March 2014, data include miscellaneous cases not included previously.