

Table 3.2

**U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit—Appeals Filed, by Source,  
During the 12-Month Periods Ending June 30, 1990 and September 30, 1995 Through 2020**

Fiscal Year	Total	Board of Contract Appeals	Court of International Trade	U.S. Court of Federal Claims <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims <sup>2</sup>	U.S. District Courts	U.S. Department of Agriculture	U.S. Department of Justice	Department of Veterans Affairs	Government Accountability Board	International Trade Commission	Merit Systems Protection Board	Office of Compliance <sup>3</sup>	Patent & Trademark Office	Writs <sup>4</sup>
2020	1,456	16	53	152	144	325	0	1	7	0	26	130	0	541	53
2019	1,511	24	41	170	103	321	0	3	7	0	20	134	1	659	26
2018	1,530	14	45	158	76	424	0	4	6	0	21	121	9	589	62
2017	1,731	13	32	187	133	506	0	4	3	0	15	204	9	577	41
2016	1,840	22	43	175	104	561	0	2	7	0	17	231	2	642	28
2015	1,710	16	44	161	109	632	0	3	7	1	11	258	0	411	57
2010	1,208	15	43	178	150	428	-	1	5	-	21	230	1	87	49
2005	1,555	29	62	191	202	488	-	0	2	-	7	479	3	64	28
2000	1,509	38	43	144	186	455	-	0	9	-	2	501	3	91	37
1995	1,847	58	68	173	75	373	-	0	3	-	5	970	2	85	35
1990 <sup>5</sup>	1,466	84	39	172	2	308	-	0	5	-	8	687	0	131	30

<sup>1</sup> In accordance with Public Law 102-572 of October 29, 1990, the U.S. Claims Court was renamed the U.S. Court of Federal Claims.

<sup>2</sup> In accordance with Public Law 105-368 of November 11, 1998, the U.S. Court of Veterans' Appeals was renamed the U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims.

<sup>3</sup> Petitions prior to 2005 were from the Senate Select Committee on Ethics.

<sup>4</sup> This category includes petitions for writs of mandamus, other extraordinary writs, permission to appeal, and discretionary review.

<sup>5</sup> Twelve-month period ending June 30.

Source: Table G-2 (1990) and Table B-8 (1995, 2000, 2005, and 2009 - 2015), *Annual Report of the Director: Judicial Business of the United States Courts*.