

Table 7.2—U.S. Bankruptcy Courts-Voluntary and Involuntary Bankruptcy Cases Filed, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code, During the 12-Month Periods Ending June 30, 1990, and September 30, 1995 Through 2020

| Fiscal Year | Total Filings ¹ | Voluntary | | | | | Involuntary | | |
|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------|-----------|------------|
| | | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 | Chapter 12 ² | Chapter 13 | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 |
| 2020 | 612,561 | 612,318 | 408,971 | 8,138 | 581 | 194,384 | 243 | 193 | 50 |
| 2019 | 776,674 | 776,397 | 478,601 | 7,280 | 583 | 289,802 | 277 | 237 | 40 |
| 2018 | 773,375 | 773,089 | 476,992 | 6,984 | 468 | 288,550 | 286 | 256 | 30 |
| 2017 | 790,830 | 790,548 | 486,304 | 7,008 | 508 | 296,599 | 282 | 238 | 44 |
| 2016 | 805,580 | 805,243 | 498,087 | 7,393 | 458 | 299,150 | 337 | 280 | 57 |
| 2015 | 860,182 | 859,831 | 549,727 | 6,998 | 383 | 302,642 | 351 | 309 | 42 |
| 2010 | 1,596,355 | 1,595,301 | 1,145,576 | 14,072 | 707 | 434,839 | 1,054 | 935 | 119 |
| 2005 | 1,782,643 | 1,782,080 | 1,345,723 | 6,552 | 364 | 429,316 | 563 | 478 | 85 |
| 2000 | 1,262,102 | 1,261,372 | 870,183 | 9,728 | 551 | 380,880 | 730 [4] | 622 | 107 |
| 1995 | 883,457 | 882,315 | 597,302 | 12,445 | 883 | 271,650 | 1,142 | 948 | 194 |
| 1990 ³ | 749,981 | 748,344 | 520,047 | 19,741 | 1,320 | 207,211 | 1,637 | 1,311 | 326 |

Note: The general effective date of the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005 (BAPCPA) was October 17, 2005.

¹ Totals may include cases filed under provisions of the bankruptcy code other than chapters 7, 11, 12, or 13.

² In 2005, BAPCPA made chapter 12 a permanent part of the bankruptcy code and added bankruptcies involving debts of family fishermen to the chapter.

³ Twelve-month period ending June 30.

[4] Total includes one case filed under Section 304 and not reported under chapter 7 or chapter 11.

Source: Table F-2A and Table F-2B (unpublished).