

Table B-4B.

U.S. Courts of Appeals—Median Time Intervals in Months for Merit Terminations of Bankruptcy Appeals, by Circuit, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2008

Circuit	Total Cases	From Filing of Notice of Appeal to Filing of Last Brief		From Filing of Last Brief to Hearing or Submission		From Hearing to Final Disposition		From Submission to Final Disposition		From Filing of Notice of Appeal to Final Disposition		From Filing in Lower Court to Final Disposition in Appellate Court	
		Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval
BANKRUPTCY APPEALS													
TOTAL	405	329	4.8	329	6.0	225	2.1	180	1.0	405	13.8	405	23.7
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1	1	6.9	1	5.3	1	2.3	-	-	1	14.6	1	28.2
FIRST	16	5	4.5	5	1.4	5	2.0	11	1.9	16	9.9	16	15.6
SECOND	27	23	5.9	23	8.7	20	.6	7	.9	27	16.5	27	26.9
THIRD	39	29	6.8	29	7.1	16	2.7	23	2.1	39	16.0	39	26.1
FOURTH	27	19	4.8	19	5.4	11	2.5	16	.4	27	12.2	27	20.4
FIFTH	70	66	4.3	66	5.8	49	1.4	21	1.6	70	11.8	70	19.8
SIXTH	36	29	6.4	29	5.0	21	1.9	15	1.1	36	15.8	36	26.6
SEVENTH	18	13	3.7	13	3.9	13	4.9	5	.0	18	12.5	18	19.4
EIGHTH	23	21	3.1	21	5.6	16	4.3	7	.4	23	13.1	23	20.2
NINTH	81	68	5.5	68	12.7	43	1.3	38	.2	81	20.7	81	34.5
TENTH	28	22	4.3	22	4.5	13	2.1	15	1.6	28	10.7	28	21.2
ELEVENTH	39	33	3.4	33	3.5	17	2.1	22	1.2	39	9.2	39	18.3

NOTE: THIS TABLE DOES NOT INCLUDE DATA FOR THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT.