

Table C-10.
U.S. District Courts—Median Time Intervals from Filing to Trial of Civil Cases in Which Trials Were Completed, by District, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2002

Circuit and District	Total Trials		Nonjury Trials		Jury Trials	
	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals in Months*	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals in Months*	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals in Months*
TOTAL	4,106	21.8	1,460	19.6	2,646	22.9
DC	39	29.0	21	24.0	18	32.0
1ST	171	23.3	41	22.0	130	24.7
ME	15	11.0	4	-	11	11.0
MA	101	25.5	24	23.0	77	27.7
NH	5	-	-	-	5	-
RI	16	17.0	6	-	10	17.0
PR	34	25.0	7	-	27	31.0
2ND	538	28.8	185	23.0	353	31.6
CT	94	31.0	21	26.0	73	31.2
NY,N	64	29.0	15	27.5	49	31.0
NY,E	151	30.4	55	26.0	96	32.0
NY,S	200	23.0	87	17.5	113	26.6
NY,W	18	38.0	3	-	15	40.0
VT	11	24.5	4	-	7	-
3RD	403	21.5	134	19.9	269	22.6
DE	33	22.5	13	27.0	20	21.0
NJ	104	30.0	32	35.5	72	28.8
PA,E	134	17.3	42	15.0	92	18.5
PA,M	79	16.7	33	14.5	46	19.8
PA,W	51	22.0	13	21.0	38	24.0
VI	2	-	1	-	1	-
4TH	289	15.0	101	14.2	188	16.7
MD	54	22.5	19	19.0	35	24.5
NC,E	18	28.0	8	-	10	19.0
NC,M	12	18.0	6	-	6	-
NC,W	7	-	-	-	7	-
SC	63	16.5	12	15.0	51	16.5
VA,E	77	9.0	43	9.7	34	9.0
VA,W	28	12.0	6	-	22	14.0
WV,N	13	15.5	2	-	11	15.5
WV,S	17	21.0	5	-	12	17.0

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	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals in Months*	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals in Months*	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals In Months*
5TH	549	18.6	238	18.1	311	18.4
LA,E	81	16.4	52	17.0	29	15.3
LA,M	20	25.5	13	24.0	7	-
LA,W	55	19.0	33	17.0	22	29.0
MS,N	50	21.5	7	-	43	21.0
MS,S	54	20.0	24	22.5	30	18.0
TX,N	75	18.7	46	18.4	29	18.0
TX,E	61	14.0	11	18.0	50	13.7
TX,S	104	18.9	43	18.0	61	18.7
TX,W	49	16.7	9	-	40	16.4
6TH	323	23.9	92	20.7	231	23.3
KY,E	16	25.0	4	-	12	25.0
KY,W	19	31.5	5	-	14	31.0
MI,E	79	21.0	30	20.0	49	21.8
MI,W	18	23.0	8	-	10	23.5
OH,N	50	23.0	15	15.5	35	28.0
OH,S	36	23.0	10	27.0	26	22.5
TN,E	27	21.5	2	-	25	21.0
TN,M	53	26.0	16	19.0	37	27.0
TN,W	25	20.0	2	-	23	23.4
7TH	297	21.3	103	19.0	194	22.2
IL,N	140	26.0	60	20.0	80	30.0
IL,C	30	26.0	6	-	24	26.0
IL,S	30	18.0	6	-	24	19.0
IN,N	21	20.0	3	-	18	19.5
IN,S	40	22.4	16	21.0	24	22.7
WI,E	14	15.0	6	-	8	-
WI,W	22	7.5	6	-	16	7.0
8TH	313	19.1	103	17.6	210	21.2
AR,E	81	19.5	35	13.0	46	19.3
AR,W	40	13.7	11	12.0	29	13.5
IA,N	8	-	3	-	5	-
IA,S	11	26.0	2	-	9	-
MN	42	26.0	10	19.0	32	26.0
MO,E	49	23.4	10	23.0	39	23.3
MO,W	40	18.0	10	15.0	30	21.0
NE	18	22.0	8	-	10	23.5
ND	5	-	2	-	3	-
SD	19	12.0	12	5.0	7	-

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	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals in Months*	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals in Months*	Number of Trials	Median Time Intervals In Months*
9TH	492	23.5	192	21.2	300	24.4
AK	10	24.0	5	-	5	-
AZ	47	37.8	18	35.0	29	41.0
CA,N	72	23.5	31	22.0	41	23.0
CA,E	39	26.0	11	19.0	28	28.0
CA,C	141	20.0	57	16.2	84	23.3
CA,S	29	21.0	18	15.0	11	30.0
HI	7	-	4	-	3	-
ID	12	39.0	5	-	7	-
MT	15	24.0	9	-	6	-
NV	35	31.0	10	27.0	25	31.0
OR	28	17.5	6	-	22	16.0
WA,E	9	-	3	-	6	-
WA,W	45	18.0	14	17.0	31	19.5
GUAM	1	-	1	-	-	-
NMI	2	-	-	-	2	-
10TH	229	20.3	62	21.0	167	20.4
CO	59	28.0	21	31.0	38	28.0
KS	41	21.0	11	20.0	30	24.0
NM	17	17.0	6	-	11	17.5
OK,N	26	18.0	7	-	19	18.0
OK,E	11	8.8	1	-	10	8.0
OK,W	44	14.0	5	-	39	14.3
UT	16	37.0	4	-	12	37.0
WY	15	10.0	7	-	8	-
11TH	463	19.0	188	18.1	275	20.8
AL,N	51	18.4	16	13.8	35	20.7
AL,M	22	19.5	10	33.0	12	19.5
AL,S	16	16.0	5	-	11	15.0
FL,N	16	15.5	6	-	10	15.0
FL,M	129	19.3	82	19.2	47	18.5
FL,S	130	15.0	52	13.8	78	17.9
GA,N	50	23.5	9	-	41	26.0
GA,M	33	25.5	6	-	27	31.5
GA,S	16	19.0	2	-	14	21.0

NOTE: INCLUDES TRIALS CONDUCTED BY DISTRICT AND APPELLATE JUDGES ONLY. ALL TRIALS CONDUCTED BY MAGISTRATE JUDGES ARE EXCLUDED. EXCLUDES THE FOLLOWING TRIALS: LAND CONDEMNATION; FORFEITURES AND PENALTY CASES; PRISONER PETITIONS (HABEAS CORPUS, MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE UNDER 28 U.S.C. 2255, HEARINGS ON EVIDENTIARY MATTERS); BANKRUPTCY PETITIONS; AND THREE-JUDGE COURT CASES. FOR CIVIL CASES RESULTING IN A COMPLETED TRIAL, THE MEDIAN TIME IS BASED ON THE ORIGINAL FILING DATE AND THE DATE THE TRIAL WAS COMPLETED. FOR REOPENED CIVIL CASES RESULTING IN A SECOND COMPLETED TRIAL, THE MEDIAN TIME REMAINS BASED ON THE ORIGINAL FILING DATE AND THE DATE THE TRIAL WAS COMPLETED.

* TIME INTERVALS COMPUTED ONLY FOR 10 OR MORE TRIALS.