

Table S-10.
U.S. District Courts—Product Liability Cases Commenced, by Nature of Suit,
During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 1998 and 1999

Circuit and District	1998 Total	1999 Total	Contract Actions	Torts to Land	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
TOTAL	27,775	19,664	304	60	519	163	48	433	8,948	9,189
DC	52	75	2	3	2	-	-	3	1	64
1ST	510	564	22	5	24	4	3	30	178	298
ME	154	127	3	-	5	1	-	2	66	50
MA	184	281	13	1	9	3	1	7	98	149
NH	44	37	2	1	3	-	-	2	3	26
RI	86	55	2	1	1	-	-	2	10	39
PR	42	64	2	2	6	-	2	17	1	34
2ND	862	1,647	41	1	46	42	5	32	141	1,339
CT	75	108	2	1	6	7	-	7	5	80
NY,N	48	69	3	-	7	2	-	7	-	50
NY,E	306	394	11	-	16	10	3	11	1	342
NY,S	370	958	23	-	12	23	2	5	134	759
NY,W	51	103	-	-	4	-	-	2	1	96
VT	12	15	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	12
3RD	1,759	1,628	14	1	44	5	4	30	24	1,506
DE	5	23	1	-	4	-	-	1	-	17
NJ	144	261	3	-	13	1	4	6	1	233
PA,E	1,452	1,163	7	-	17	3	-	16	19	1,101
PA,M	47	63	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	59
PA,W	93	107	2	1	8	-	-	3	3	90
VI	18	11	-	-	1	1	-	2	1	6
4TH	1,918	2,065	28	6	42	5	2	36	1,385	561
MD	309	122	4	1	6	3	1	15	8	84
NC,E	88	135	2	3	18	-	-	2	49	61
NC,M	33	60	3	-	2	-	-	-	39	16
NC,W	85	62	-	-	1	-	-	-	39	22
SC	486	315	12	1	8	2	1	7	162	122
VA,E	605	1,144	2	-	2	-	-	5	1,084	51
VA,W	209	119	3	-	3	-	-	-	2	111
WV,N	18	14	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	11
WV,S	85	94	1	-	2	-	-	6	2	83

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Circuit and District	1998 Total	1999 Total	Contract Actions	Torts to Land	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
5TH	3,117	4,438	44	6	65	9	10	78	2,389	1,837
LA,E	241	306	11	-	10	-	3	16	36	230
LA,M	53	56	2	-	4	-	1	3	6	40
LA,W	174	148	8	1	8	1	-	2	12	116
MS,N	39	31	2	-	6	1	1	2	-	19
MS,S	222	263	5	1	10	-	3	10	23	211
TX,N	110	159	2	1	6	4	-	12	1	133
TX,E	1,972	2,505	2	1	7	1	1	7	2,305	181
TX,S	237	871	7	1	10	1	1	20	5	826
TX,W	69	99	5	1	4	1	-	6	1	81
6TH	11,118	3,472	32	3	35	6	3	44	2,795	554
KY,E	71	74	1	-	2	-	1	7	18	45
KY,W	102	79	4	-	4	1	-	2	35	33
MI,E	4,627	195	11	2	4	3	1	5	1	168
MI,W	30	27	3	-	2	-	-	-	1	21
OH,N	5,954	2,853	2	-	7	-	-	11	2,730	103
OH,S	125	74	5	-	6	-	1	1	1	60
TN,E	92	82	3	-	-	1	-	11	8	59
TN,M	33	36	1	1	2	1	-	2	1	28
TN,W	84	52	2	-	8	-	-	5	-	37
7TH	863	874	21	3	38	4	3	30	506	269
IL,N	170	282	11	3	18	2	2	13	148	85
IL,C	55	62	1	-	1	-	-	1	42	17
IL,S	51	94	4	-	2	-	-	7	46	35
IN,N	320	159	1	-	8	-	-	4	95	51
IN,S	172	135	1	-	6	2	1	5	77	43
WI,E	61	114	2	-	3	-	-	-	81	28
WI,W	34	28	1	-	-	-	-	-	17	10
8TH	1,009	617	20	5	93	3	4	19	19	454
AR,E	101	118	2	1	62	-	-	5	1	47
AR,W	43	48	2	-	3	1	1	1	1	39
IA,N	26	28	1	-	1	-	-	1	3	22
IA,S	33	52	-	-	1	-	-	1	8	42
MN	530	117	4	2	5	1	-	3	1	101
MO,E	103	89	-	2	8	-	1	6	4	68
MO,W	98	95	3	-	6	-	2	-	-	84
NE	35	29	4	-	6	-	-	1	-	18
ND	19	28	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	25
SD	21	13	3	-	-	1	-	1	-	8

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Circuit and District	1998 Total	1999 Total	Contract Actions	Torts to Land	Personal Property Damage	Personal Injury				
						Airline	Marine	Motor Vehicle	Asbestos	Other
9TH	1,316	1,071	28	14	36	60	7	44	101	781
AK	13	14	-	-	2	2	-	1	1	8
AZ	132	67	1	1	4	1	-	2	16	42
CA,N	170	85	4	1	3	7	-	3	14	53
CA,E	102	45	1	3	4	1	-	2	-	34
CA,C	253	289	7	2	5	24	-	13	2	236
CA,S	72	102	2	2	2	3	-	1	11	81
HI	63	30	2	-	-	4	-	2	6	16
ID	44	22	-	-	1	2	-	1	1	17
MT	71	49	2	1	3	-	-	9	16	18
NV	169	230	1	2	3	-	-	4	23	197
OR	79	58	1	-	4	4	-	4	10	35
WA,E	58	13	2	1	-	3	-	1	-	6
WA,W	89	65	5	1	5	8	7	1	1	37
GUAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NMI	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
10TH	544	474	16	3	23	7	1	28	10	386
CO	56	79	5	2	7	-	-	4	-	61
KS	105	104	6	-	7	2	-	6	2	81
NM	98	45	1	1	1	-	-	3	3	36
OK,N	38	35	-	-	3	5	-	1	2	24
OK,E	39	17	2	-	1	-	1	1	-	12
OK,W	113	63	1	-	1	-	-	5	-	56
UT	76	118	-	-	3	-	-	6	1	108
WY	19	13	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	8
11TH	4,707	2,739	36	10	71	18	6	59	1,399	1,140
AL,N	3,441	438	8	8	2	1	-	8	3	408
AL,M	32	45	3	-	6	-	-	3	-	33
AL,S	45	33	3	-	2	-	-	5	1	22
FL,N	110	41	-	-	2	-	-	2	1	36
FL,M	361	223	8	-	8	-	4	10	3	190
FL,S	153	267	13	2	10	15	2	8	38	179
GA,N	401	251	-	-	6	2	-	10	6	227
GA,M	40	47	-	-	19	-	-	7	-	21
GA,S	124	1,394	1	-	16	-	-	6	1,347	24