

Table S-4.
U.S. Courts of Appeals—Sources of Pro Se Appeals During the
12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2007 and 2008

Source	2007		2008		Percent Change for Pro Se 2008/2007
	Total	Pro Se	Total	Pro Se	
Total	58,410	25,167	61,104	28,055	11.5
U.S. District Courts					
Criminal	13,167	1,078	13,667	2,369	119.8
Civil—Total	30,241	18,102	31,454	19,588	8.2
Prisoner Petitions	15,472	13,766	16,853	14,993	8.9
U.S. Civil	2,931	1,156	2,914	1,167	1.0
Private Civil	11,838	3,180	11,687	3,428	7.8
Bankruptcy Court	845	252	773	243	-3.6
Administrative Agency	10,382	2,699	11,583	2,899	7.4
Original Proceedings	3,775	3,036	3,627	2,956	-2.6

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