

USBC Northern District of Iowa Case Filings

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		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Annual Total (YTD)
2025	Chapter 7	102	98	111	117	107	99							634
	Chapter 11	1	0	0	0	1	1							3
	Chapter 12	3	2	2	3	1	1							12
	Chapter 13	11	11	11	15	11	15							74
	Total Filings	117	111	124	135	120	116							723
	Cumulative Change from 2024	42.68%	31.03%	23.51%	21.45%	19.96%	15.50%							15.50%
2024	Chapter 7	76	83	99	104	90	96	104	95	94	112	101	102	1156
	Chapter 11	1	1	0	2	0	3	1	3	0	0	0	0	11
	Chapter 12	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3
	Chapter 13	5	8	12	9	15	21	13	14	10	10	12	15	144
	Total Filings	82	92	111	116	105	120	118	113	105	122	113	117	1314
	Cumulative Change from 2023	3.80%	20.83%	8.37%	13.92%	10.96%	14.03%	20.98%	20.53%	21.16%	19.51%	16.67%	18.49%	18.49%
2023	Chapter 7	66	51	104	85	85	76	57	85	68	97	106	74	954
	Chapter 11	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2	2	1	0	9
	Chapter 12	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3
	Chapter 13	13	14	15	4	18	16	9	7	13	14	11	9	143
	Total Filings	79	65	119	89	104	93	66	96	83	113	119	83	1109
	Cumulative Change from 2022	75.56%	39.81%	49.43%	35.38%	32.94%	34.23%	30.85%	31.18%	26.23%	25.28%	29.87%	27.91%	27.91%
2022	Chapter 7	41	51	64	72	72	60	58	67	76	86	57	62	766
	Chapter 11	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	6
	Chapter 12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	4
	Chapter 13	3	5	9	12	11	6	3	5	10	6	8	13	91
	Total Filings	45	58	73	84	83	66	61	72	87	95	66	77	867
	Cumulative Change from 2021	-48.86%	-34.81%	-33.83%	-34.67%	-31.94%	-32.73%	-34.54%	-33.74%	-31.48%	-26.35%	-25.12%	-22.59%	-22.59%
2021	Chapter 7	79	65	98	122	95	96	100	91	93	58	59	60	1016
	Chapter 11	0	0	2	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	7
	Chapter 12	2	0	1	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	10
	Chapter 13	7	5	7	8	9	8	6	7	7	7	11	5	87
	Total Filings	88	70	108	132	106	104	110	100	100	65	72	65	1120
	Cumulative Change from 2020	-41.72%	-45.89%	-42.17%	-35.28%	-32.80%	-30.11%	-28.27%	-24.12%	-23.31%	-23.74%	-23.88%	-24.02%	-24.02%
2020	Chapter 7	120	113	151	149	128	109	118	71	108	87	89	80	1323
	Chapter 11	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
	Chapter 12	6	8	2	0	1	2	3	0	1	2	2	0	27
	Chapter 13	25	19	13	6	6	9	10	6	9	3	6	8	120
	Total Filings	151	141	168	155	135	120	131	77	119	92	97	88	1474
	Cumulative Change from 2019	46.60%	47.47%	25.34%	9.63%	0.40%	-5.84%	-5.83%	-13.20%	-14.38%	-18.52%	-20.25%	-20.84%	-20.84%
2019	Chapter 7	88	82	149	171	162	161	122	159	134	169	138	114	1649
	Chapter 11	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	11
	Chapter 12	0	1	3	1	2	2	4	1	3	1	1	1	20
	Chapter 13	15	12	17	14	22	14	13	18	18	14	17	8	182
	Total Filings	103	95	169	194	186	177	139	179	156	184	156	124	1862
	Cumulative Change from 2018	0.00%	-13.54%	-12.41%	-4.75%	-3.11%	-0.54%	-2.57%	0.08%	0.14%	1.02%	2.48%	2.93%	2.93%
2018	Chapter 7	92	113	172	151	171	146	141	136	131	150	116	104	1623
	Chapter 11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5
	Chapter 12	0	2	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	10
	Chapter 13	11	11	16	18	9	11	21	14	19	20	12	9	171
	Total Filings	103	126	190	170	182	158	162	150	155	170	130	113	1809
	Cumulative Change from 2017	7.29%	21.81%	18.36%	12.84%	10.46%	8.91%	9.54%	7.26%	6.16%	7.78%	6.47%	5.48%	5.48%
2017	Chapter 7	82	85	154	146	154	136	128	144	145	118	128	107	1527
	Chapter 11	1	0	0	12	3	6	0	0	1	0	1	0	24
	Chapter 12	0	0	0	1	5	2	2	3	0	2	0	0	15
	Chapter 13	13	7	12	9	14	11	13	14	12	18	11	15	149
	Total Filings	96	92	166	168	176	155	143	161	158	138	140	122	1715
	Cumulative Change from 2016	11.63%	10.59%	-1.67%	1.36%	-1.27%	0.71%	-0.90%	-2.28%	0.23%	1.18%	1.27%	1.12%	1.12%

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2016	Chapter 7	74	78	176	139	174	130	144	161	113	109	124	113	1535
	Chapter 11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Chapter 12	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	7
	Chapter 13	12	6	12	15	16	10	14	17	14	15	13	10	154
	Total Filings	86	84	190	155	192	140	158	179	128	124	137	123	1696
	Cumulative Change from 2015	-20.37%	-29.75%	-18.55%	-21.85%	-15.73%	-14.96%	-12.76%	-7.86%	-7.67%	-8.42%	-8.76%	-7.47%	-7.47%
2015	Chapter 7	101	127	183	203	168	148	144	120	131	129	140	103	1697
	Chapter 11	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
	Chapter 12	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	9
	Chapter 13	7	7	15	13	10	9	12	11	4	15	15	6	124
	Total Filings	108	134	200	217	180	157	156	133	136	147	156	109	1833
	Cumulative Change from 2014	-17.56%	-10.70%	-8.49%	-9.10%	-11.40%	-18.02%	-16.46%	-16.99%	-16.75%	-15.61%	-12.97%	-12.88%	-12.88%
2014	Chapter 7	121	132	201	232	217	256	150	156	147	138	117	113	1980
	Chapter 11	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3
	Chapter 12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3
	Chapter 13	10	8	11	10	5	12	13	11	10	12	6	10	118
	Total Filings	131	140	212	242	222	268	164	169	159	151	123	123	2104
	Cumulative Change from 2013	11.97%	-2.17%	-0.62%	3.72%	-0.21%	8.29%	4.87%	2.52%	0.77%	-1.80%	-4.62%	-9.58%	-9.58%
2013	Chapter 7	112	148	196	203	242	160	182	182	173	184	177	232	2191
	Chapter 11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3
	Chapter 12	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
	Chapter 13	4	12	12	10	8	12	11	13	11	13	7	16	129
	Total Filings	117	160	209	213	250	173	193	195	184	198	185	250	2327
	Cumulative Change from 2012	-19.31%	-14.24%	-20.46%	-16.79%	-13.96%	-13.96%	-10.36%	-9.96%	-9.22%	-9.69%	-7.48%	-2.35%	-2.35%
2012	Chapter 7	126	169	273	211	243	189	149	191	172	209	136	133	2201
	Chapter 11	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	6
	Chapter 12	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	7
	Chapter 13	17	9	14	18	19	12	12	19	15	17	12	5	169
	Total Filings	145	178	288	229	263	201	163	210	189	229	150	138	2383
	Cumulative Change from 2011	-24.48%	-14.55%	-16.64%	-19.85%	-17.07%	-19.16%	-20.57%	-19.91%	-19.01%	-16.50%	-17.95%	-18.61%	-18.61%
2011	Chapter 7	177	179	345	288	267	269	220	234	200	192	208	178	2757
	Chapter 11	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	1	10
	Chapter 12	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
	Chapter 13	15	6	10	24	14	12	12	11	10	12	17	13	156
	Total Filings	192	186	355	315	282	283	234	247	210	205	227	192	2928
	Cumulative Change from 2010	4.35%	-15.63%	-16.23%	-16.63%	-14.58%	-15.02%	-15.74%	-16.54%	-17.27%	-17.33%	-16.97%	-17.22%	-17.22%
2010	Chapter 7	175	255	411	359	284	322	278	301	261	234	244	224	3348
	Chapter 11	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	7
	Chapter 12	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	11
	Chapter 13	7	8	16	22	12	19	15	13	15	16	15	13	171
	Total Filings	184	264	427	382	300	341	294	317	276	250	260	242	3537

NOTE: Case filing statistics were posted at a specific point (e.g., after month end). The cases can change over time due to conversions, consolidations, re-openings, etc.

As a result, total filing statistics between charts with different posting dates, such as statistics on the US Courts website, may differ slightly. Statistics on the US Courts website are the official statistics.