

Business Bankruptcies by State, 2017-2022

State	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Percent Change		Rank
						2022	2021-2022	
Alabama	263	243	257	256	157	147	-6.4	37
Alaska	35	32	36	29	18	11	-38.9	2
Arizona	498	435	421	339	246	221	-10.2	32
Arkansas	229	192	207	189	123	98	-20.3	14
California	2,910	2,813	2,773	2,431	2,078	1,775	-14.6	24
Colorado	407	370	384	369	247	241	-2.4	40
Connecticut	179	195	189	114	71	85	19.7	48
Delaware	803	786	695	1,882	669	488	-27.1	9
District of Columbia	39	39	54	49	39	42	7.7	47
Florida	1,658	1,681	1,817	1,613	1,263	1,271	0.6	43
Georgia	790	813	863	660	475	506	6.5	46
Hawaii	54	61	59	63	47	48	2.1	44
Idaho	117	94	85	83	51	42	-17.6	18
Illinois	938	872	965	728	549	464	-15.5	21
Indiana	327	291	318	234	196	168	-14.3	25
Iowa	166	166	183	165	144	104	-27.8	7
Kansas	176	212	228	177	102	94	-7.8	33
Kentucky	222	211	271	191	106	87	-17.9	17
Louisiana	365	310	352	239	189	157	-16.9	20
Maine	94	76	64	71	39	36	-7.7	34
Maryland	349	352	363	278	238	205	-13.9	26
Massachusetts	337	322	338	287	225	198	-12.0	28
Michigan	456	409	546	362	251	213	-15.1	22
Minnesota	300	296	299	272	182	150	-17.6	19
Mississippi	242	214	204	253	148	121	-18.2	16
Missouri	322	265	292	255	146	117	-19.9	15
Montana	58	42	56	100	37	32	-13.5	27
Nebraska	116	113	143	121	70	72	2.9	45
Nevada	279	307	307	255	226	212	-6.2	38
New Hampshire	79	71	74	48	53	36	-32.1	5
New Jersey	760	679	662	496	416	576	38.5	49
New Mexico	113	83	83	85	50	39	-22.0	11
New York	1,913	2,079	2,056	1,710	795	1,231	54.8	50
North Carolina	466	445	439	368	301	230	-23.6	10
North Dakota	37	42	25	27	22	15	-31.8	6
Ohio	636	541	620	440	346	274	-20.8	13
Oklahoma	232	221	282	222	170	152	-10.6	31
Oregon	200	203	220	167	129	114	-11.6	29
Pennsylvania	744	695	702	516	385	387	0.5	42
Rhode Island	82	69	64	31	34	29	-14.7	23
South Carolina	144	140	143	122	86	80	-7.0	36
South Dakota	44	56	63	61	29	18	-37.9	3
Tennessee	442	390	421	363	222	206	-7.2	35
Texas	2,642	2,621	2,429	3,500	1,953	1,878	-3.8	39
Utah	168	166	143	119	78	77	-1.3	41
Vermont	35	37	44	39	18	5	-72.2	1
Virginia	480	440	452	478	364	242	-33.5	4
Washington	407	362	383	268	198	176	-11.1	30
West Virginia	116	202	97	66	56	44	-21.4	12
Wisconsin	383	304	355	299	190	574	202.1	51
Wyoming	34	50	40	48	29	21	-27.6	8
United States	23,157	22,232	22,780	21,655	14,347	13,481	-6.0	

Source: U.S. Courts, Caseload Statistics Data Tables, <https://www.uscourts.gov/statistics-reports/caseload-statistics-data-tables> (accessed February 13, 2023).

Business bankruptcies are firms that file for bankruptcy with the U.S. court system.

Data for total U.S. bankruptcies include territories.

Rank based on percent change 2021-2022 with the largest percentage decrease in business bankruptcies being ranked the highest.