

# Bankruptcy Filing Trends in Kansas



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State at a Glance		
	Kansas	National
Population (7/1/2024)	2,970,606	340,110,988
- Change since April 2020	1.1%	2.6%
- Foreign Born	7.2%	13.9%
Size (Square Miles)	81,759	3,533,038
Median Household Income	\$72,639	\$78,538
Persons per Household	2.46	2.54
Per Capita Income	\$39,638	\$43,289
Median Home Value	\$203,400	\$303,400
Homeownership Rate	66.9%	65.0%
High School Graduate (or Higher)	91.9%	89.4%
College Graduate (or Higher)	35.2%	35.0%
Disabled	9.7%	9.1%
No Health Insurance	9.9%	9.5%
In Poverty	11.2%	11.1%
Source: U.S. Census Bureau January 2025		

**Bankruptcy Filings in Kansas****Calendar Years 2000 - 2024**

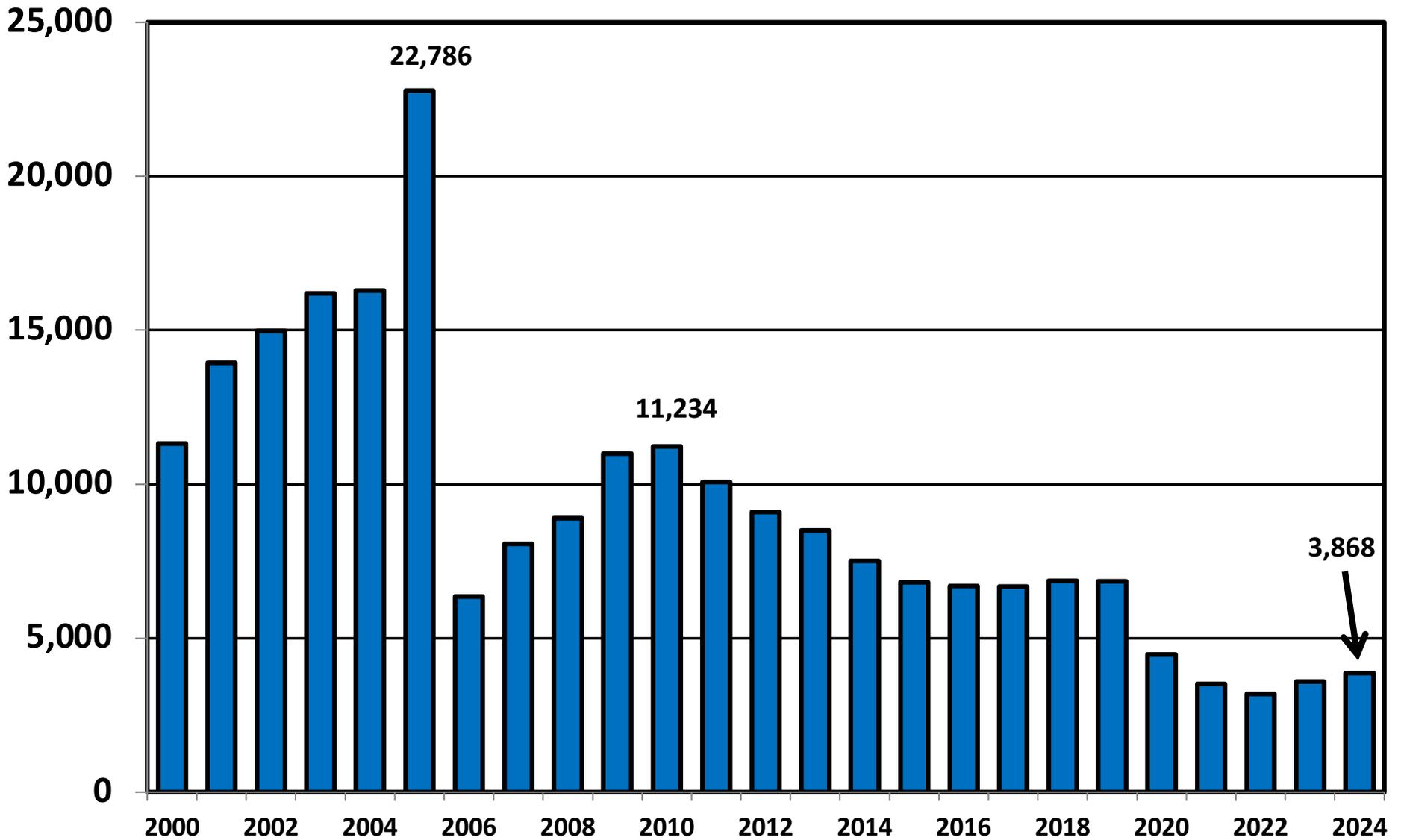
<b>Year</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Chapter 7</b>	<b>Chapter 11</b>	<b>Chapter 13</b>	<b>Other Cases*</b>
<b>2024</b>	<b>3,868</b>	<b>6,094</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>1,560</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>2023</b>	<b>3,591</b>	<b>1,746</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>1,813</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>2022</b>	<b>3,189</b>	<b>1,542</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1,614</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>2021</b>	<b>3,521</b>	<b>2,012</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1,477</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>2020</b>	<b>4,470</b>	<b>2,665</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>2019</b>	<b>6,839</b>	<b>3,716</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>3,032</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>2018</b>	<b>6,856</b>	<b>3,724</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>3,069</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>2017</b>	<b>6,679</b>	<b>3,731</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>2,882</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>2016</b>	<b>6,696</b>	<b>3,802</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>2,768</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>2015</b>	<b>6,816</b>	<b>3,905</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>2,877</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>2014</b>	<b>7,511</b>	<b>4,429</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3,041</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>2013</b>	<b>8,493</b>	<b>5,252</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>3,185</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>2012</b>	<b>9,097</b>	<b>5,848</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>3,184</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>2011</b>	<b>10,073</b>	<b>6,882</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>3,103</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>2010</b>	<b>11,234</b>	<b>7,858</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>3,298</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>2009</b>	<b>10,996</b>	<b>7,668</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>3,226</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>2008</b>	<b>8,900</b>	<b>6,116</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>2,736</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>2007</b>	<b>8,072</b>	<b>5,380</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>2,647</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>2006</b>	<b>6,347</b>	<b>4,228</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2,086</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>2005</b>	<b>22,786</b>	<b>19,312</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3,432</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>2004</b>	<b>16,289</b>	<b>13,158</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>3,085</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>2003</b>	<b>16,192</b>	<b>12,984</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>2002</b>	<b>14,969</b>	<b>12,093</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>2,814</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>2001</b>	<b>13,937</b>	<b>11,477</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,389</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>2000</b>	<b>11,315</b>	<b>9,208</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2,067</b>	<b>6</b>

**\*Chapters 9, 12 and 15**

<b>Business Bankruptcy Cases Filed - Kansas</b>					
<b>Years Ended December 31, 2000 - 2024</b>					
<b>CALENDAR YEAR</b>	<b>TOTAL FILINGS</b>	<b>CHAPTER 7</b>	<b>CHAPTER 11</b>	<b>CHAPTER 13</b>	<b>OTHER CASES*</b>
<b>2024</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>2023</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>2022</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>2021</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>2020</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>2019</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>2018</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>2017</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>2016</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>2015</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>2014</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>2013</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>2012</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>2011</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>2010</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>2009</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>2008</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>2007</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>2006</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>2005</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>2004</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>2003</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>2002</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>2001</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>2000</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>* Chapters 9, 12 and 15</b>					

# Total Bankruptcy Cases Filed In Kansas

## Calendar Years 2000 - 2024



# Total Filings Relative to Population 2000 - 2024



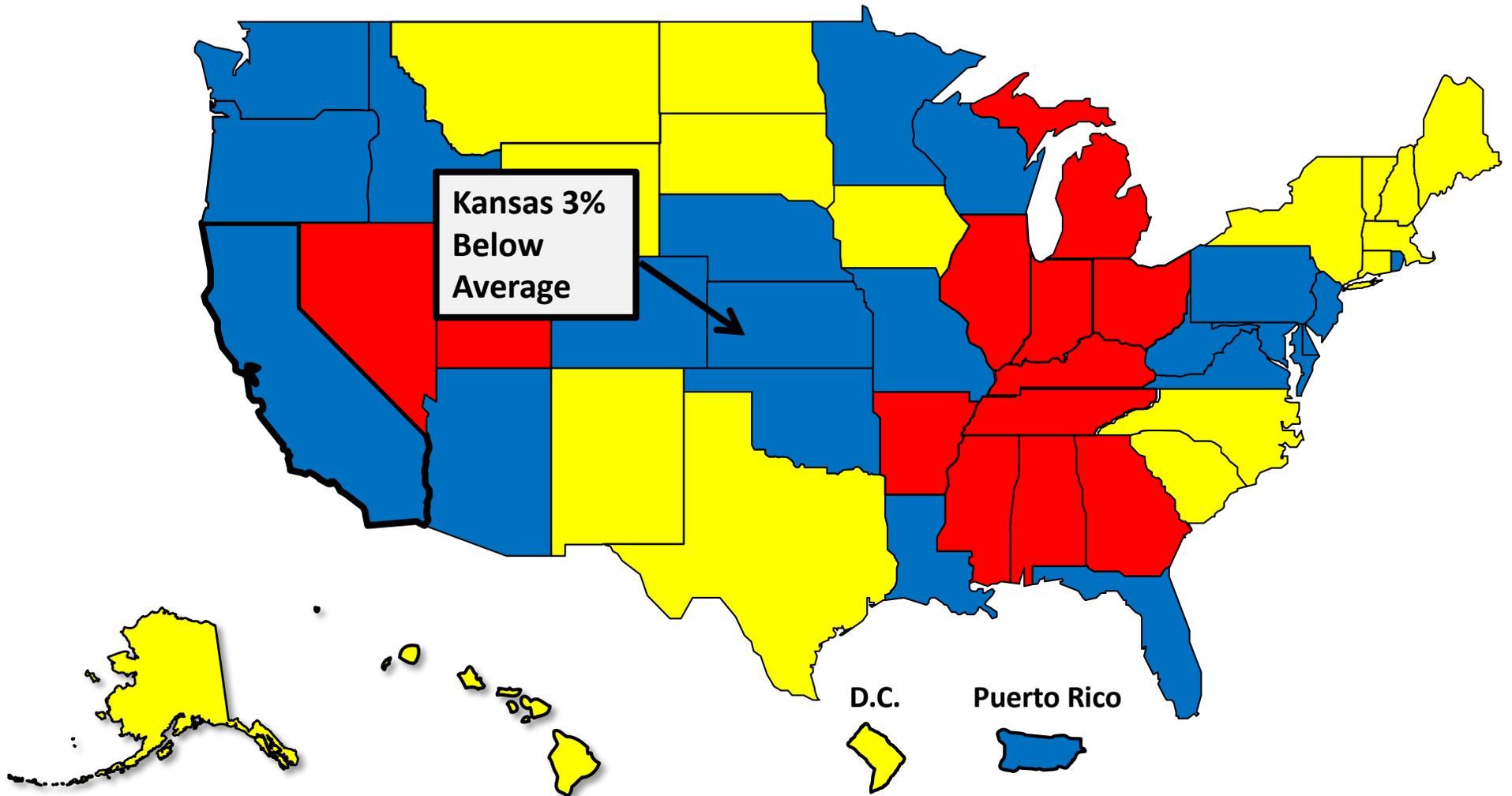
More than 25%  
Above Average



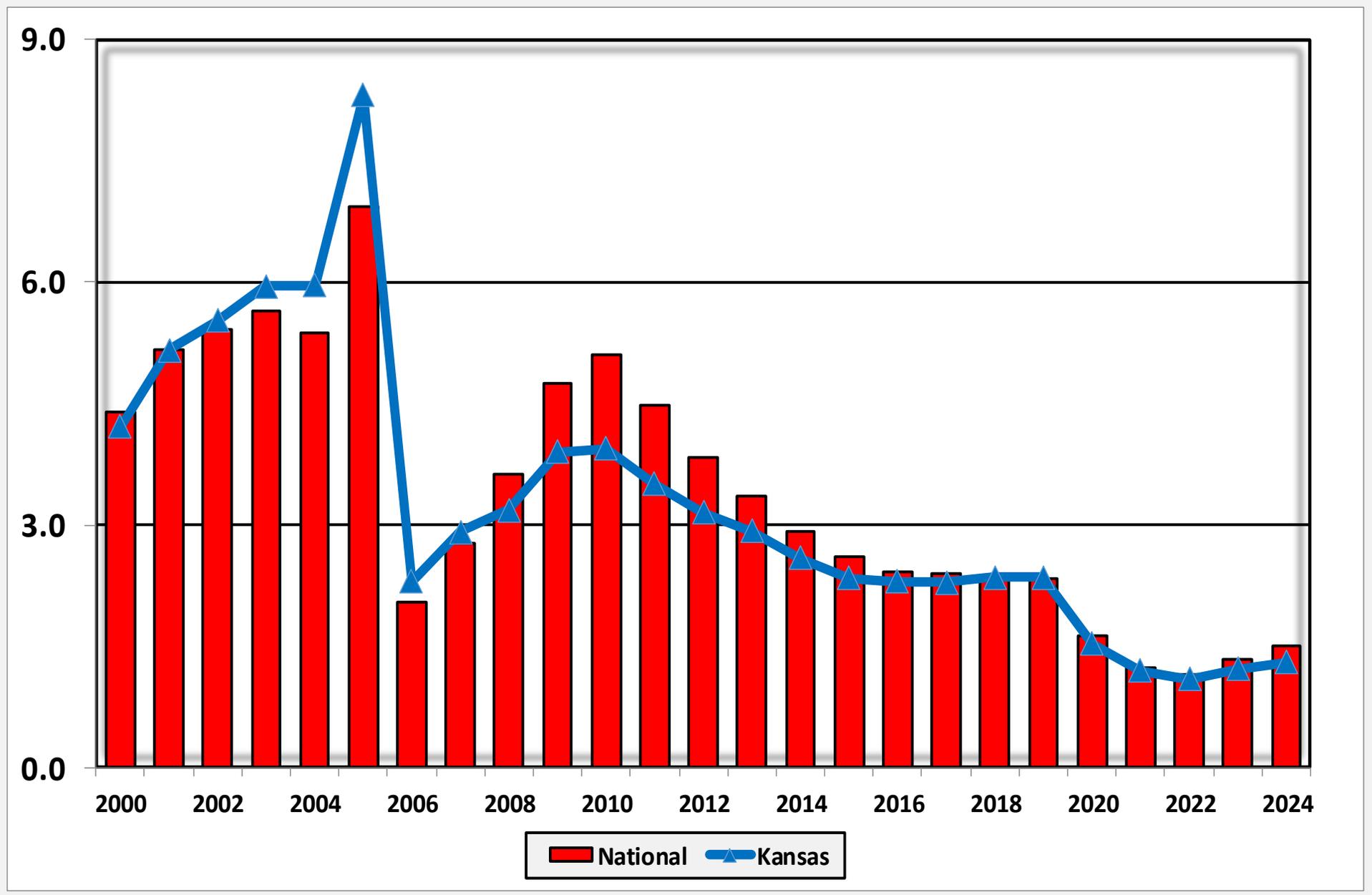
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of Average



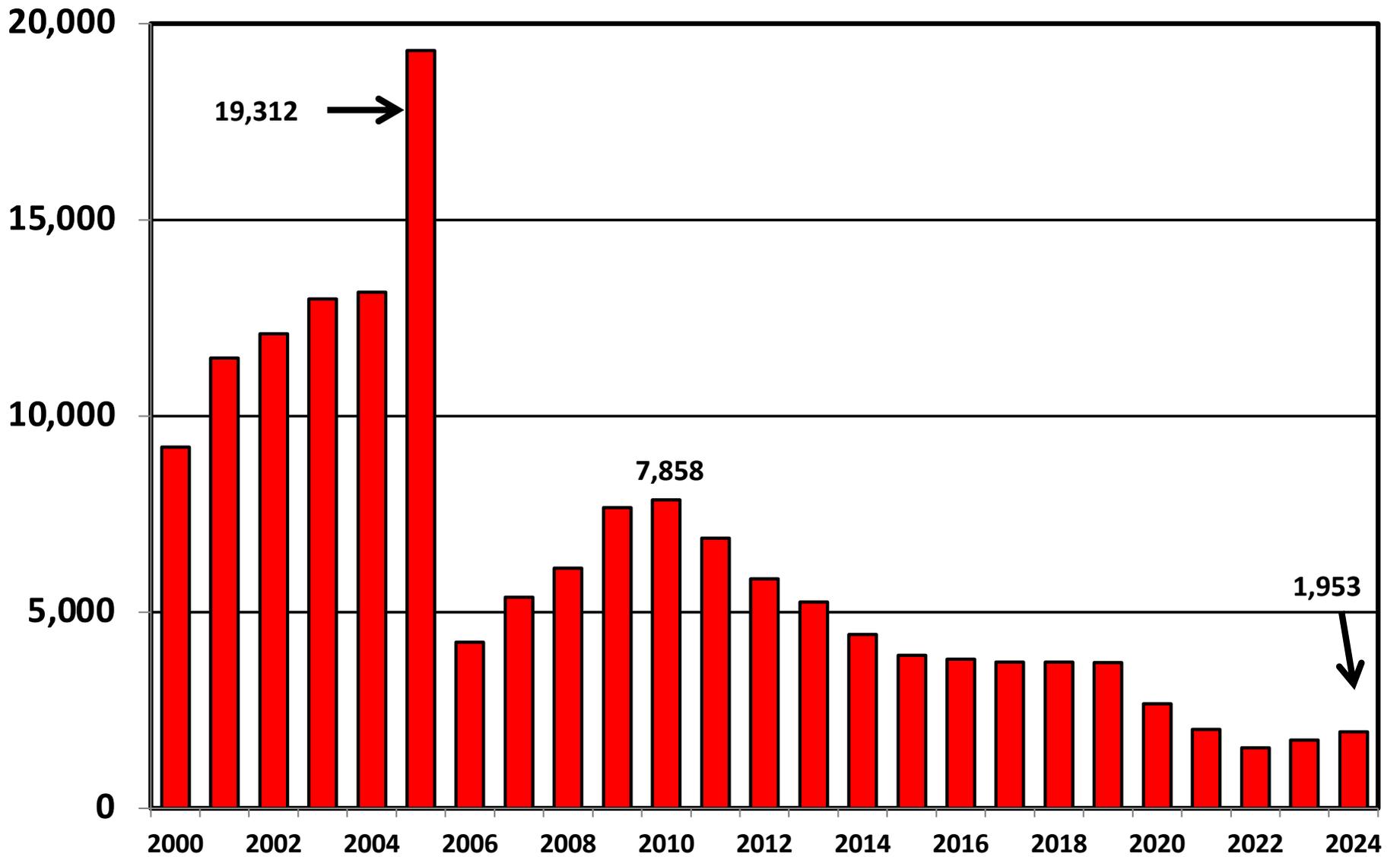
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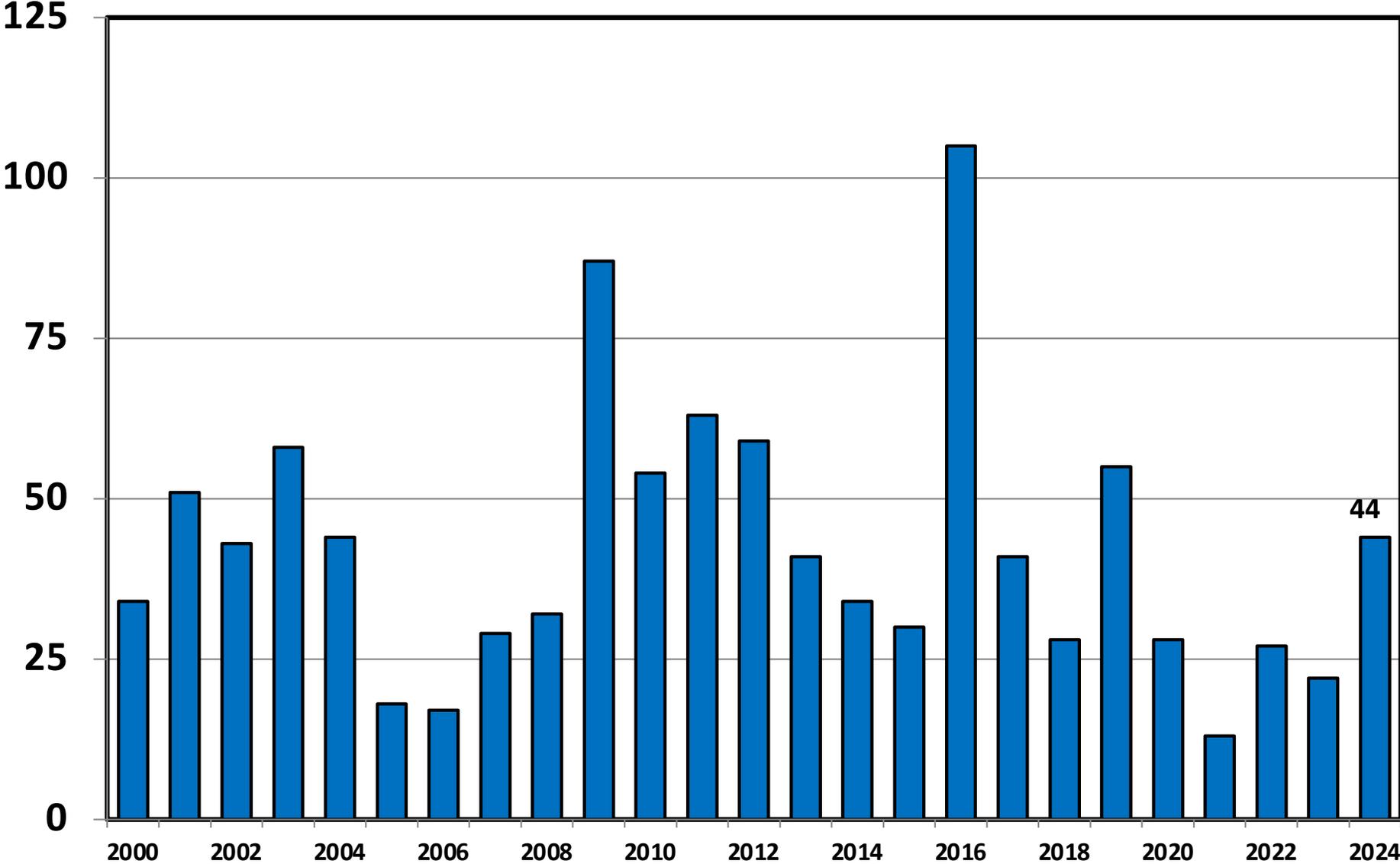
**Bankruptcy Filings per 1,000 Population  
Kansas vs. National Average 2000 - 2024**



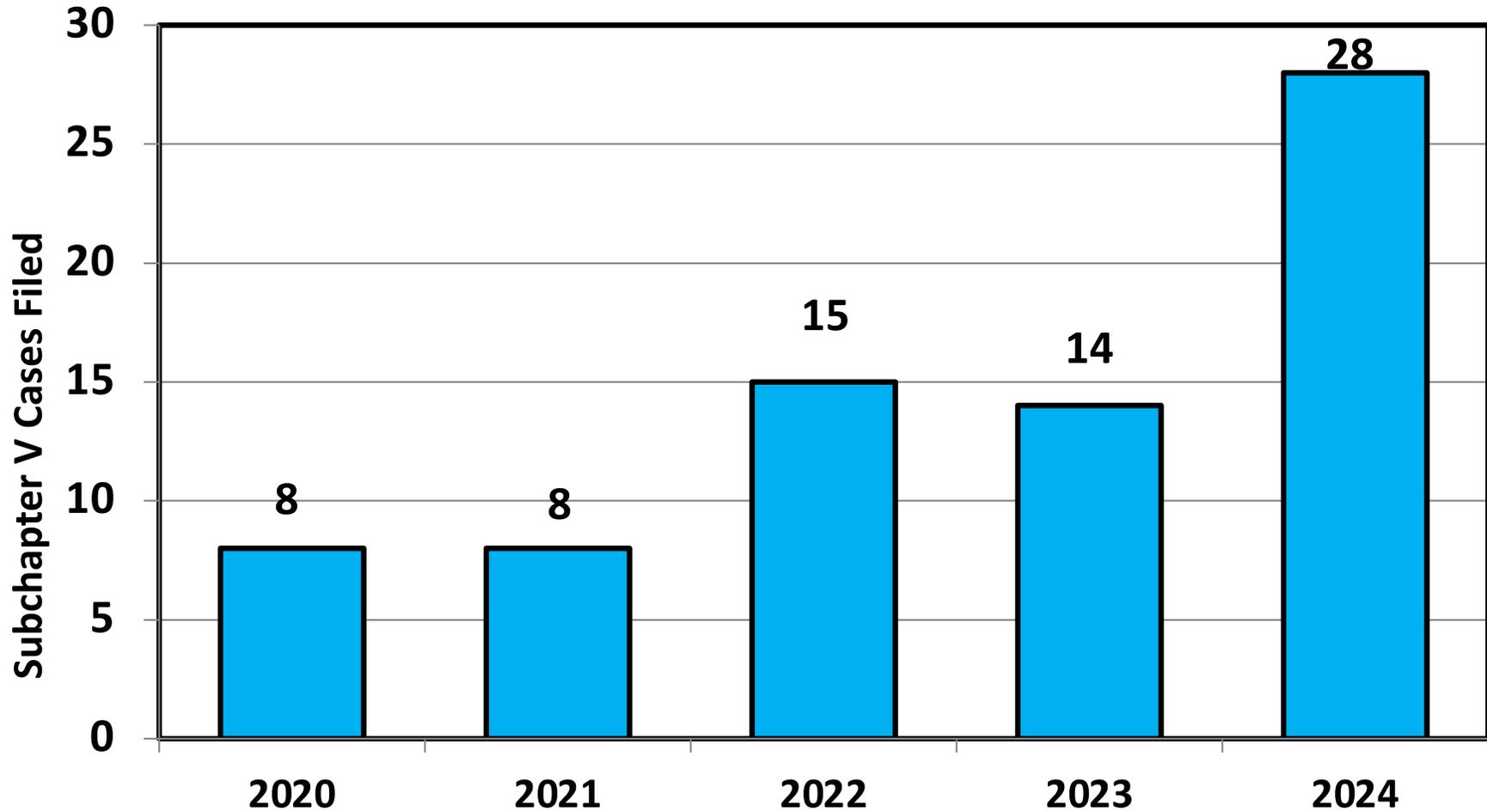
# Chapter 7 Cases Filed In Kansas Calendar Years 2000 - 2024



# Chapter 11 Cases Filed in Kansas 2000 - 2024

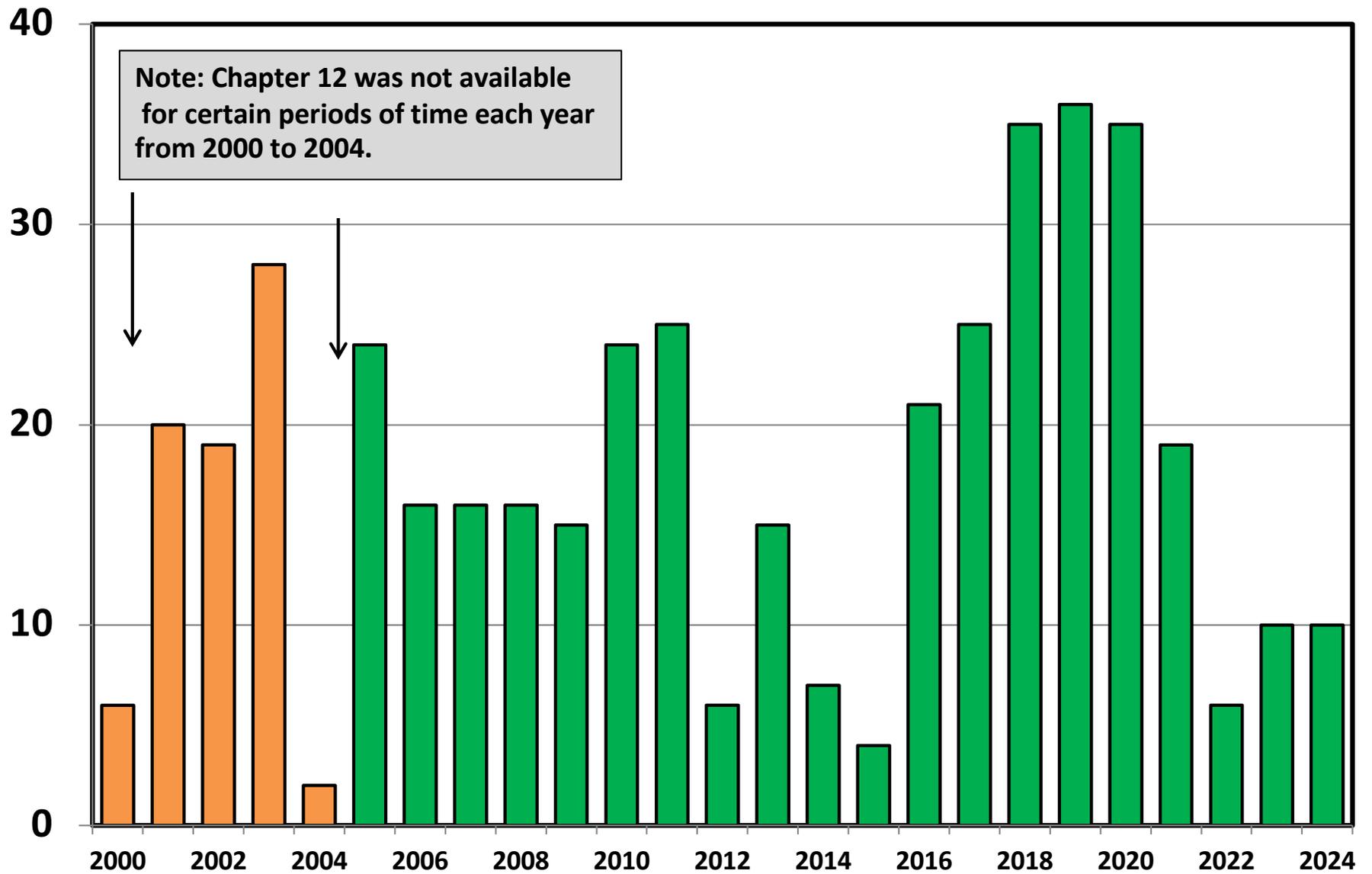


**Subchapter V Cases Filed in Kansas  
Calendar Years 2020 - 2024**

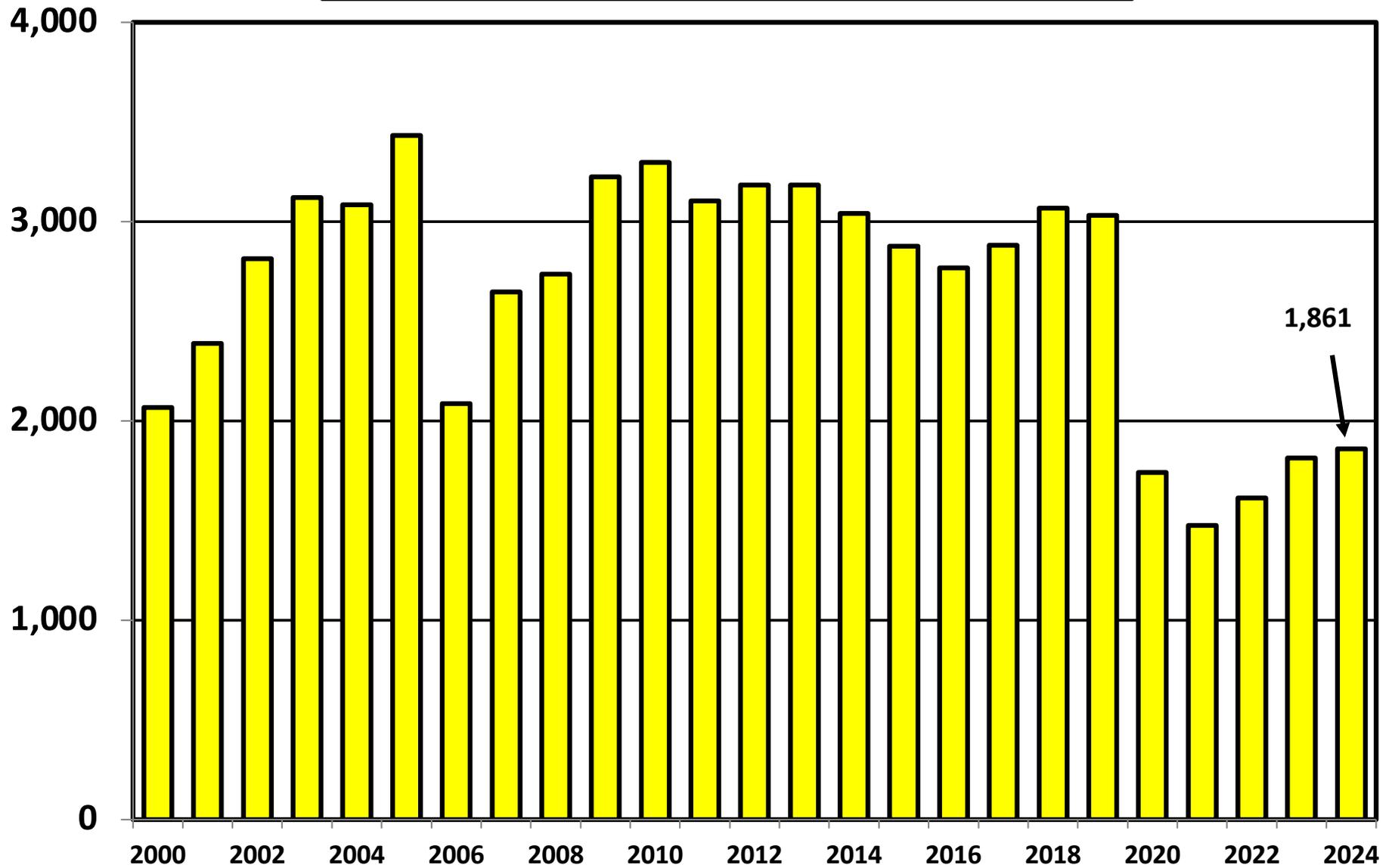


Source: ABI review of PACER records

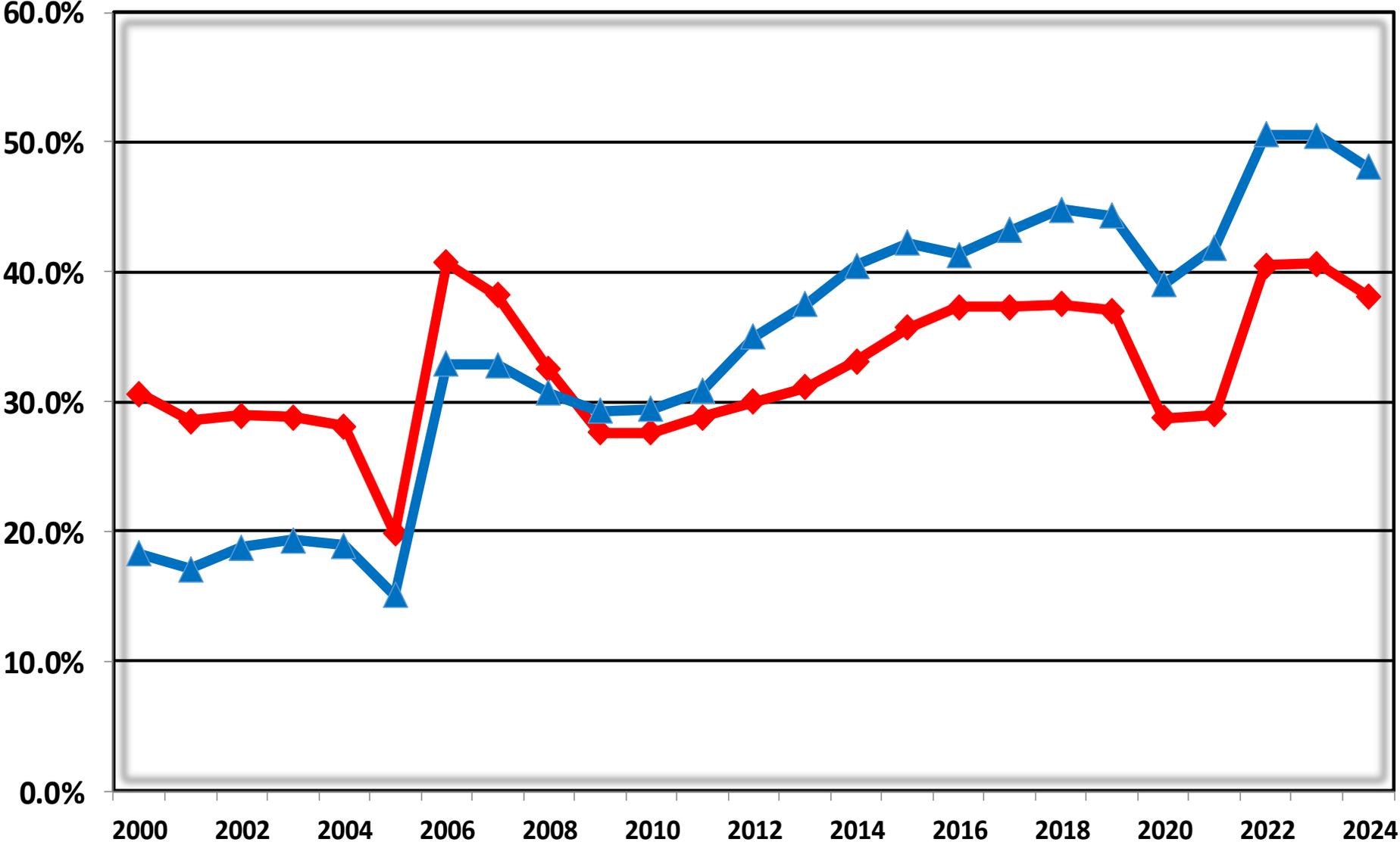
# Chapter 12 Cases Filed in Kansas 2000 - 2024



# Chapter 13 Cases Filed in Kansas 2000 - 2024

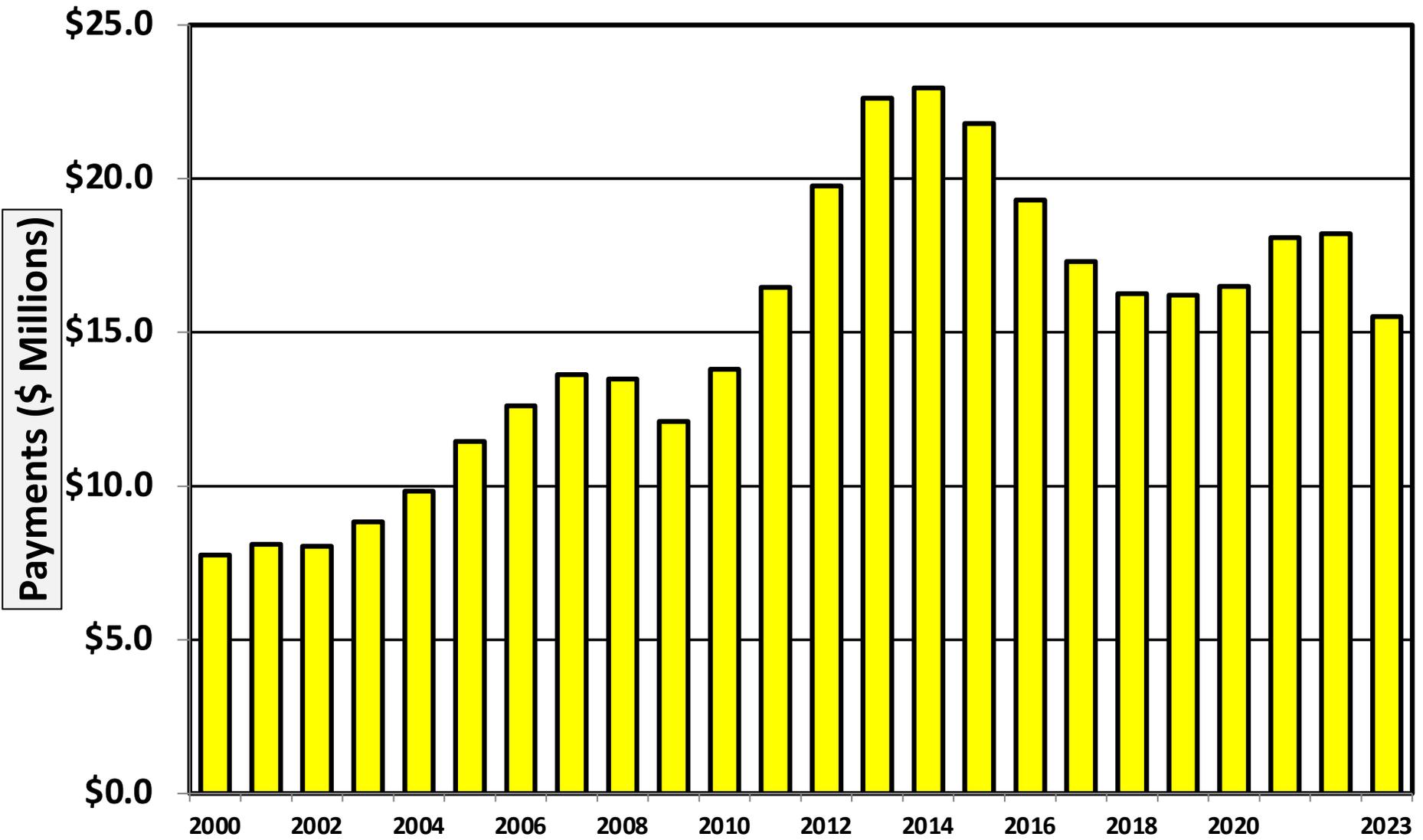


**Percent of Cases Filed as Chapter 13  
Calendar Years 2000 - 2024**



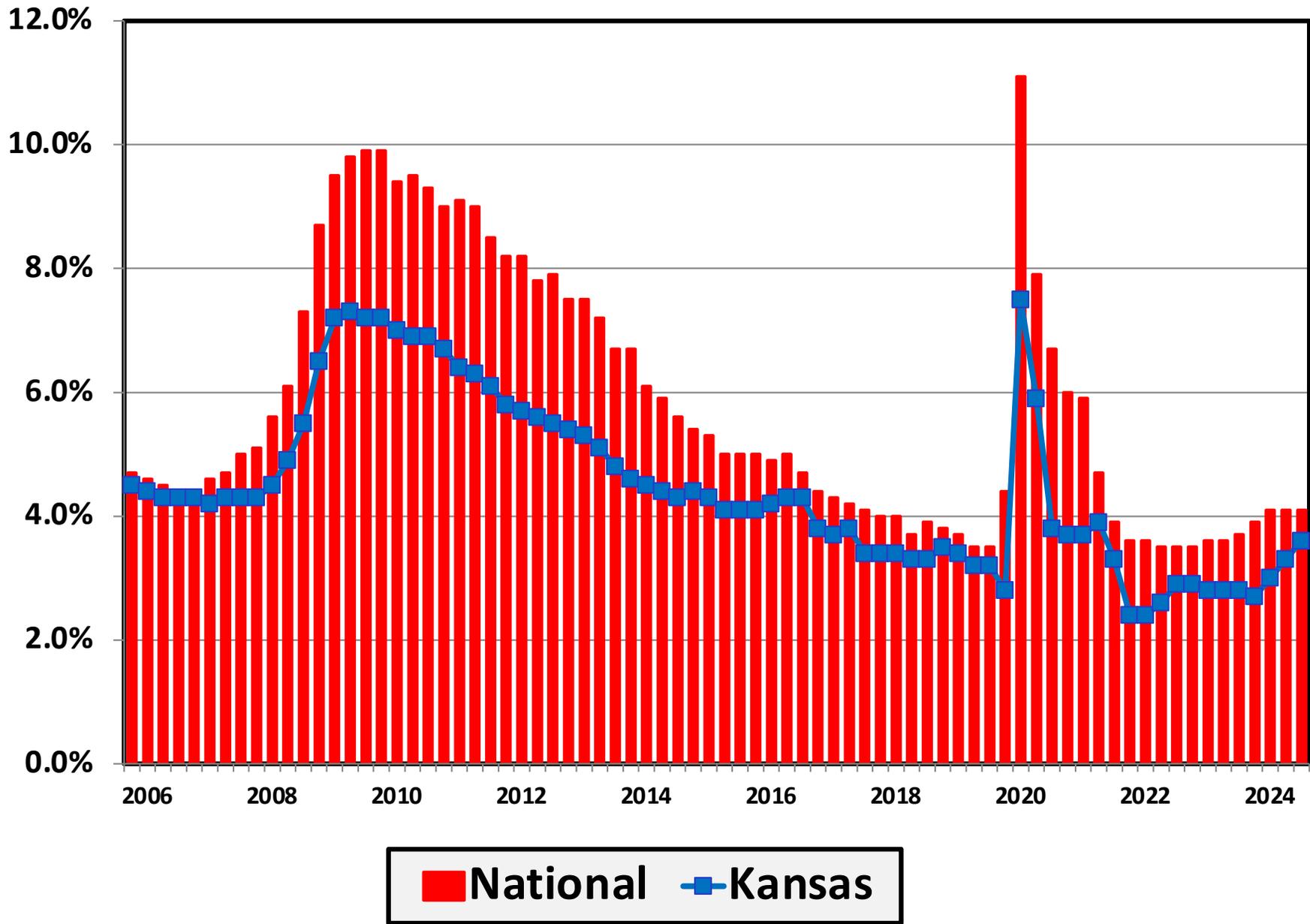
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**Chapter 13 Cases in Kansas**  
Amount (in Millions) Paid to Unsecured Creditors  
Fiscal Years 2000 - 2023



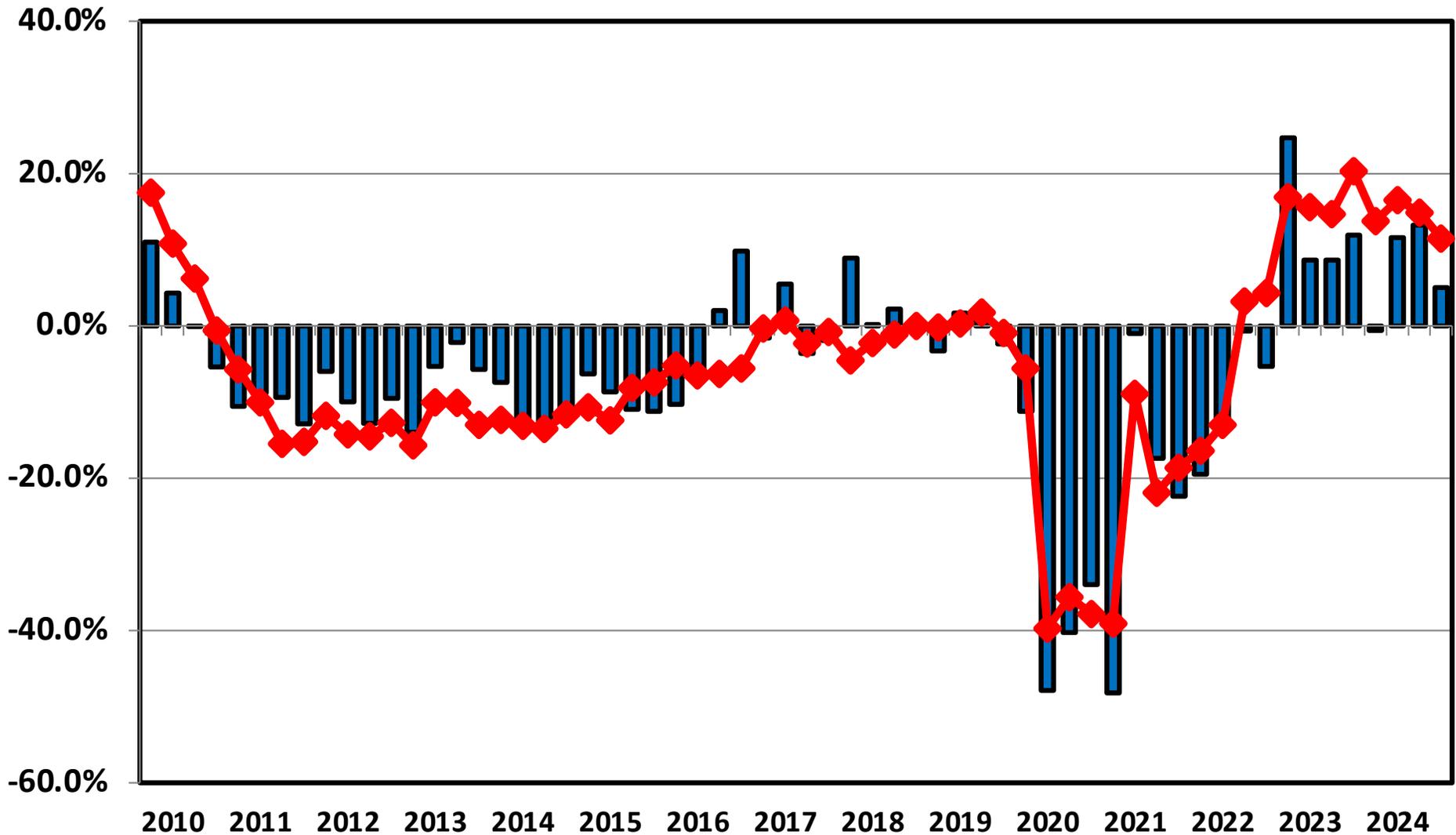
Source: Executive Office for United States Trustees

# Unemployment Rate By Quarter 2006 - 2024



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

**Filing Trends By Quarter Kansas vs. National Average  
(Percent Change From Same Quarter One Year Prior)**

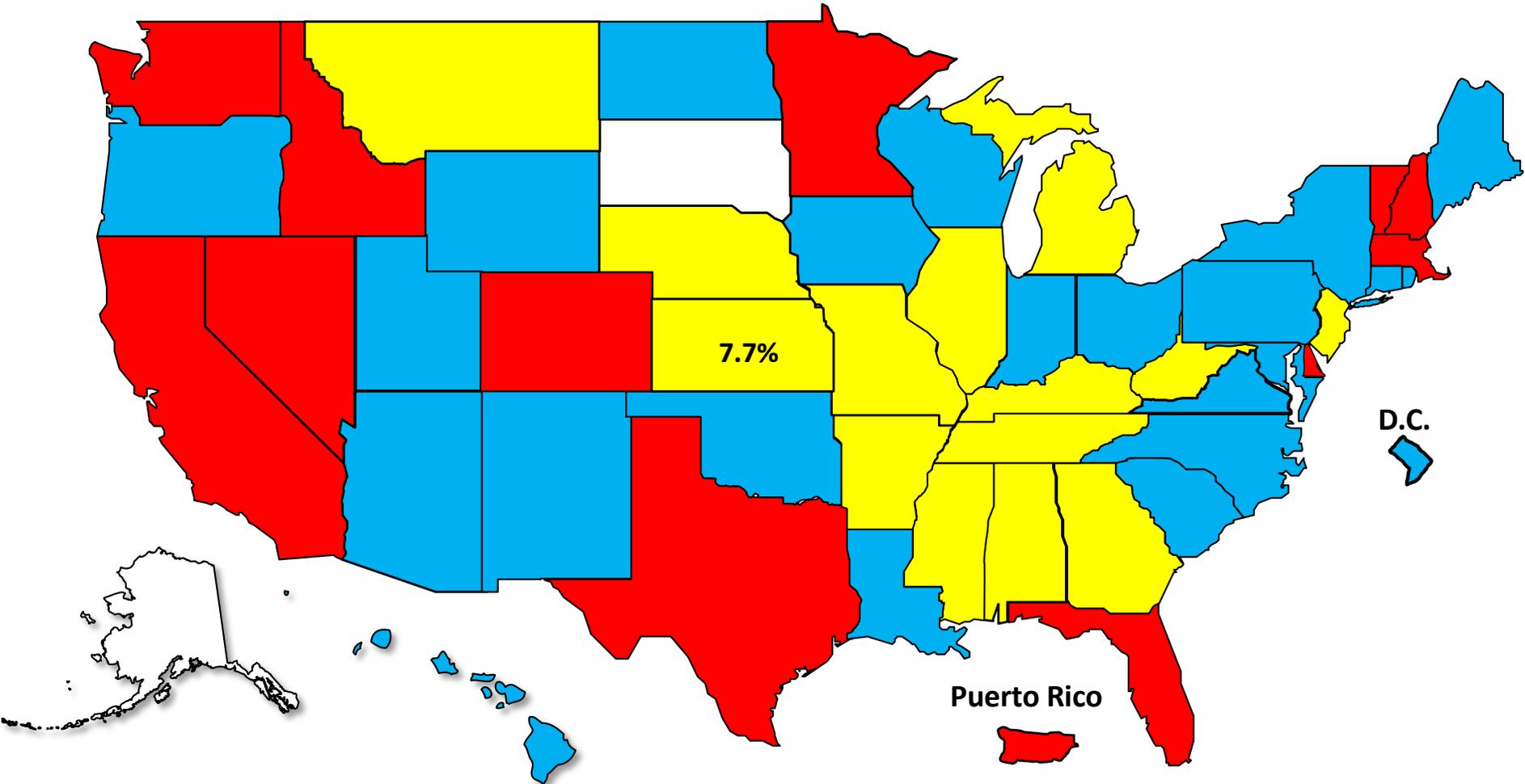


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# Bankruptcy Filing Trends

Calendar Year 2024 vs. 2023

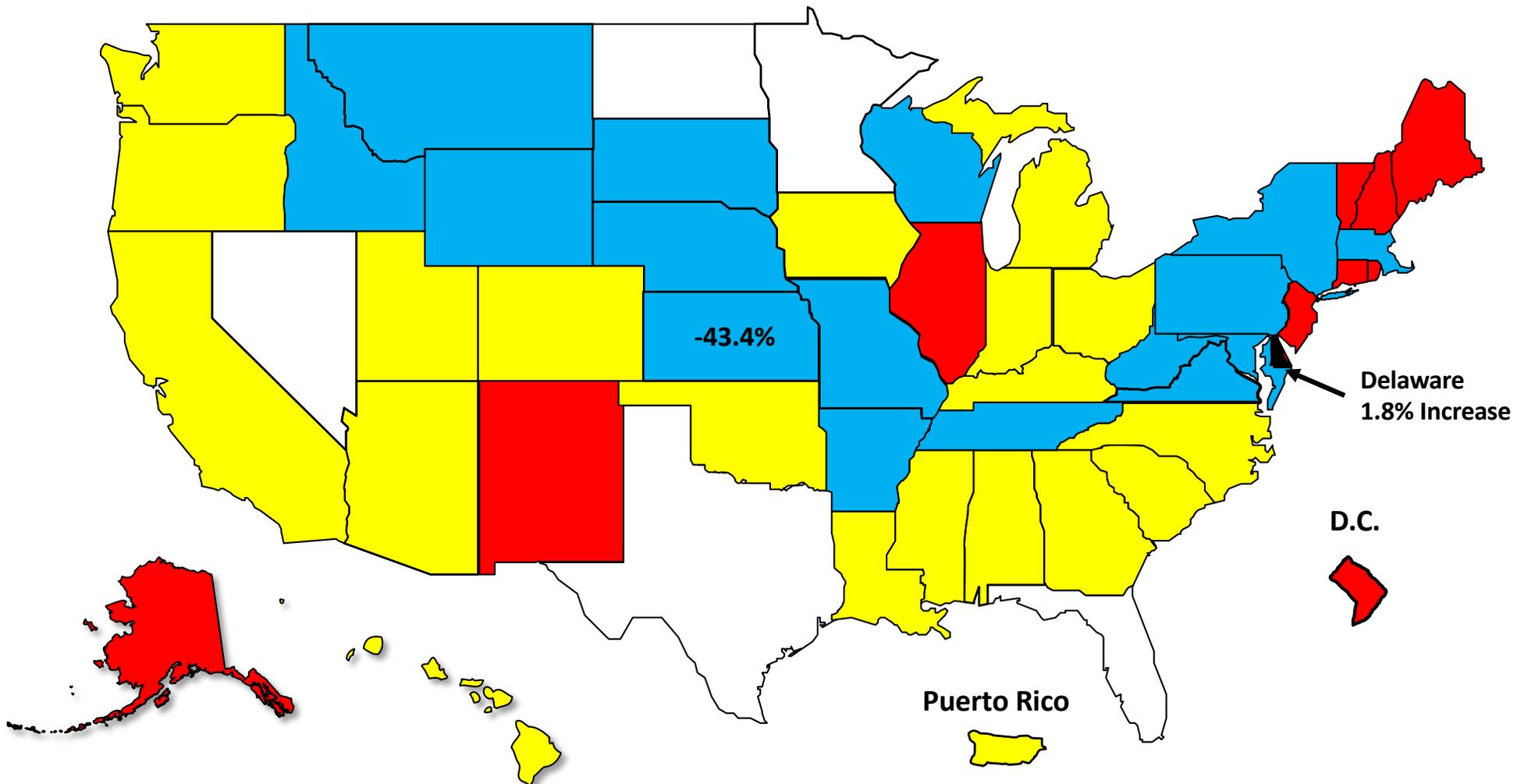
National Average = 14.2% Increase



# Bankruptcy Filing Trends Since the Pandemic Calendar Year 2024 vs. 2019

National Average = 33.2% Decrease

Decline Under 25%    Decline 25.0% – 34.9%    Decline 35.0% – 44.9%    Decline 45% or More







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