

## CHART 12.1

## COMMON REPORTER ABBREVIATIONS

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Reporter	Abbreviation
United States Reports	U.S.
Supreme Court Reporter	S.▲Ct.
United States Supreme Court Reports, Lawyers' Edition	L.▲Ed., L.▲Ed.▲2d
Federal Reporter	F., F.2d, F.3d
Federal Appendix*	Fed.▲Appx.
Federal Supplement	F.▲Supp., F.▲Supp.▲2d
Federal Rules Decisions	F.R.D.
Bankruptcy Reporter	B.R.
Atlantic Reporter	A., A.2d, A.3d
California Reporter	Cal.▲Rptr., Cal.▲Rptr.▲2d, Cal.▲Rptr.▲3d
New York Supplement	N.Y.S., N.Y.S.2d, N.Y.S.3d
North Eastern Reporter	N.E., N.E.2d, N.E.3d
North Western Reporter	N.W., N.W.2d
Pacific Reporter	P., P.2d, P.3d
South Eastern Reporter	S.E., S.E.2d
South Western Reporter	S.W., S.W.2d, S.W.3d
Southern Reporter	So., So.▲2d, So.▲3d

**Note:** West Group typically starts a new reporter series when the prior series reaches volume 999. To date, West has not permitted a series of reporters to reach volume 1,000. A few abbreviations are included in anticipation of a new series starting in the near future.

\*Consult **Rule 12.14(b)** for information about how to cite cases that appear in the Federal Appendix. In addition, consult **Sidebar 12.7** for information about citing unpublished cases.

- A West reporter (regional reporters for state cases and the appropriate reporter, such as F.3d or F. Supp. 2d, for federal cases; see **Rule 12.4(c)** regarding United States Supreme Court cases);
- Another print reporter in which the case appears (e.g., an offset reporter such as N.Y.S.2d or an official reporter such as Ohio App. 3d);