



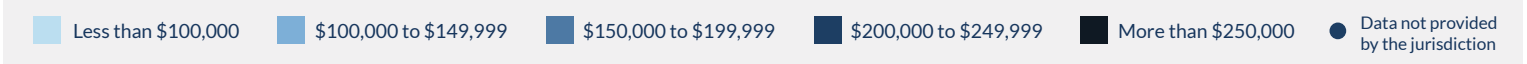
SURVEY OF Judicial Salaries

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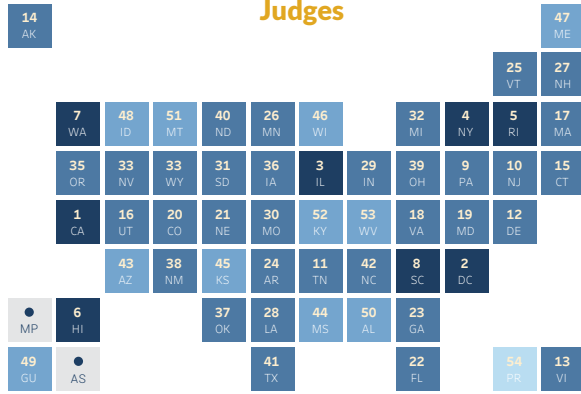
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Data and Rankings as of July 1, 2022

These graphics depict the rankings of judicial salaries, with the highest salary for each position having a rank of "1."

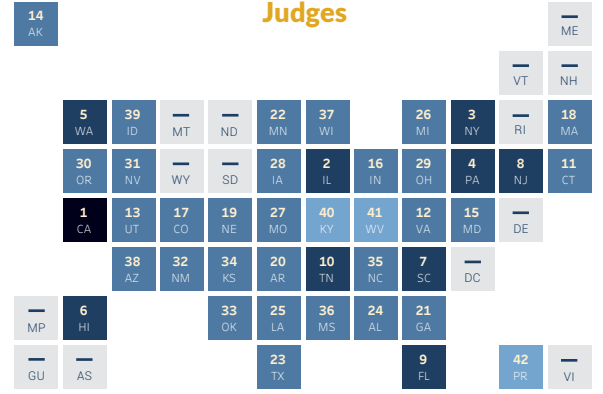
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General Jurisdiction Judges

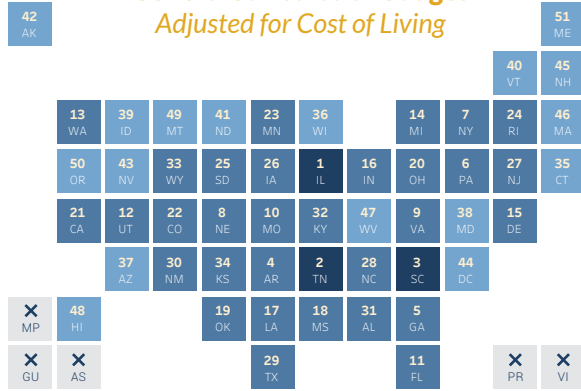


Intermediate Appellate Court Judges



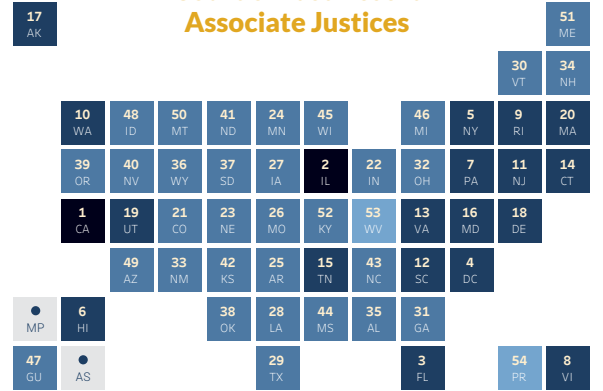
— States without an intermediate appellate court.

General Jurisdiction Judges Adjusted for Cost of Living



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Court of Last Resort Associate Justices



Judicial Salaries at a Glance

	Mean	Median	Range
Chief, Court of Last Resort	\$198,908	\$196,965	\$125,000 to \$288,100
Associate Justice, Court of Last Resort	\$191,806	\$187,020	\$120,000 to \$274,732
Judge, Intermediate Appellate Court	\$183,010	\$181,652	\$105,000 to \$257,562
Judge, General Jurisdiction Trial Courts	\$171,954	\$168,255	\$89,600 to \$225,074



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Salaries and Rankings - Listed Alphabetically by Jurisdiction Name

The table below lists the salaries and rankings for associate justices of the courts of last resort, associate judges of intermediate appellate courts and judges of general jurisdiction trial courts (actual salaries and cost-of-living-adjusted salaries as of July 1, 2022). Salaries are ranked from highest to lowest, with the highest salary for each position having a rank of "1." The lowest salary has a rank of 54, except for the intermediate appellate courts, which exist in only 42 jurisdictions, and adjusted general jurisdiction, for which the adjustment factor is only available for 51 of the jurisdictions.

	Court of Last Resort		Intermediate Appellate Court		General-Jurisdiction Court		General-Jurisdiction Court <i>Adjusted for Cost-of-Living Index</i>		
	Salary	Rank	Salary	Rank	Salary	Rank	Factor	Salary	Rank
Alabama	\$178,500	35	\$177,990	24	\$142,800	50	93.0	\$153,506	31
Alaska	\$205,176	17	\$193,836	14	\$189,720	14	131.9	\$143,876	42
American Samoa	No Response		No Response		No Response		Not Available		
Arizona	\$159,685	49	\$154,534	38	\$149,383	43	102.3	\$145,958	37
Arkansas	\$190,126	25	\$184,497	20	\$180,129	24	90.6	\$198,794	4
California	\$274,732	1	\$257,562	1	\$225,074	1	135.2	\$166,481	21
Colorado	\$199,632	21	\$191,724	17	\$183,816	20	111.1	\$165,481	22
Connecticut	\$209,770	14	\$197,046	11	\$189,483	15	127.0	\$149,216	35
Delaware	\$205,135	18	Not Applicable		\$192,862	12	110.1	\$175,215	15
District of Columbia	\$236,900	4	Not Applicable		\$223,400	2	160.0	\$139,602	44
Florida	\$239,442	3	\$202,440	9	\$182,060	22	101.3	\$179,771	11
Georgia	\$184,112	31	\$182,990	21	\$181,239	23	93.4	\$194,120	5
Guam	\$160,454	47	Not Applicable		\$144,110	49	Not Available		
Hawaii	\$229,668	6	\$212,784	6	\$207,084	6	150.2	\$137,838	48
Idaho	\$160,400	48	\$150,400	39	\$144,400	48	99.6	\$145,045	39
Illinois	\$258,456	2	\$243,256	2	\$223,219	3	100.0	\$223,212	1
Indiana	\$199,059	22	\$193,501	16	\$165,276	29	95.6	\$172,922	16
Iowa	\$187,326	27	\$169,765	28	\$158,056	36	97.7	\$161,711	26
Kansas	\$168,598	42	\$163,156	34	\$148,912	45	98.1	\$151,799	34
Kentucky	\$153,751	52	\$147,562	40	\$141,401	52	92.2	\$153,322	32
Louisiana	\$186,714	28	\$174,597	25	\$167,749	28	97.2	\$172,561	17
Maine	\$155,397	51	Not Applicable		\$145,642	47	116.9	\$124,554	51
Maryland	\$206,433	16	\$193,633	15	\$184,433	19	126.7	\$145,563	38
Massachusetts	\$200,984	20	\$190,087	18	\$184,694	17	133.0	\$138,890	46
Michigan	\$164,610	46	\$173,528	26	\$160,325	32	91.4	\$175,472	14
Minnesota	\$191,359	24	\$180,313	22	\$169,264	26	102.6	\$164,957	23
Mississippi	\$166,500	44	\$158,500	36	\$149,000	44	88.4	\$168,542	18
Missouri	\$189,198	26	\$172,937	27	\$163,082	30	90.5	\$180,285	10
Montana	\$155,920	50	Not Applicable		\$142,683	51	103.9	\$137,376	49
Nebraska	\$198,427	23	\$188,505	19	\$183,545	21	100.8	\$182,128	8
Nevada	\$170,000	40	\$165,000	31	\$160,000	33	112.4	\$142,369	43
New Hampshire	\$179,942	34	Not Applicable		\$168,761	27	120.9	\$139,576	45
New Jersey	\$217,505	11	\$207,176	8	\$196,238	10	121.7	\$161,227	27
New Mexico	\$180,748	33	\$164,930	32	\$156,683	38	100.1	\$156,509	30
New York	\$233,400	5	\$222,200	3	\$210,900	4	112.4	\$187,708	7
North Carolina	\$167,807	43	\$160,866	35	\$152,188	42	95.2	\$159,788	28
North Dakota	\$169,162	41	Not Applicable		\$155,219	40	107.8	\$143,958	41
Northern Mariana Islands	No Response		No Response		No Response		Not Available		
Ohio	\$181,400	32	\$169,075	29	\$155,485	39	92.6	\$167,932	20
Oklahoma	\$173,469	38	\$164,339	33	\$156,732	37	93.3	\$168,026	19
Oregon	\$171,408	39	\$168,108	30	\$158,556	35	119.1	\$133,143	50
Pennsylvania	\$227,080	7	\$214,261	4	\$197,119	9	102.3	\$192,661	6
Puerto Rico	\$120,000	54	\$105,000	42	\$89,600	54	Not Available		
Rhode Island	\$225,804	9	Not Applicable		\$210,860	5	128.6	\$164,024	24
South Carolina	\$213,321	12	\$207,987	7	\$202,654	8	98.8	\$205,125	3
South Dakota	\$174,551	37	Not Applicable		\$163,036	31	99.5	\$163,865	25
Tennessee	\$208,704	15	\$201,768	10	\$194,808	11	92.3	\$211,019	2
Texas	\$184,800	29	\$178,400	23	\$154,000	41	96.4	\$159,670	29
Utah	\$203,700	19	\$194,450	13	\$185,200	16	103.2	\$179,471	12
Vermont	\$184,771	30	Not Applicable		\$175,654	25	121.2	\$144,939	40
Virgin Islands	\$226,564	8	Not Applicable		\$191,360	13	Not Available		
Virginia	\$212,365	13	\$195,422	12	\$184,617	18	102.4	\$180,290	9
Washington	\$224,176	10	\$213,400	5	\$203,169	7	114.9	\$176,846	13
West Virginia	\$149,600	53	\$142,500	41	\$132,300	53	95.5	\$138,489	47
Wisconsin	\$165,772	45	\$156,388	37	\$147,535	46	100.4	\$147,016	36
Wyoming	\$175,000	36	Not Applicable		\$160,000	33	105.3	\$151,876	33
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