

### Authorized Judgeships

| Calendar<br>Year | Supreme             | Regional                           | Court of                                    |                                  |                               | Supreme                     | Customs                                      |                                  | U.S. Court of                                 |  | Total Judgeships |          |
|------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---|--|------------------|----------|
|                  | Court<br>(Art. III) | Courts of<br>Appeals<br>(Art. III) | Federal<br>Appeals<br>Circuit<br>(Art. III) | District<br>Courts<br>(Art. III) | Territ.<br>Courts<br>(Art. I) | Court<br>D.C.<br>(Art. III) | and Patent<br>Appeals<br>(Art. III,<br>1958) | Court of<br>Claims<br>(Art. III) | International<br>Trade<br>(Art. III,<br>1956) | U.S. Court<br>of Federal<br>Claims<br>(Art. I) | (Art. III)       | (Art. I) |
| 1789             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 13                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 19               | -        |
| 1790             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 15                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 21               | -        |
| 1791             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 16                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 22               | -        |
| 1792             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 16                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 22               | -        |
| 1793             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 16                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 22               | -        |
| 1794             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 16                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 22               | -        |
| 1795             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 16                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 22               | -        |
| 1796             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 16                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 22               | -        |
| 1797             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 17                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 23               | -        |
| 1798             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 17                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 23               | -        |
| 1799             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 17                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 23               | -        |
| 1800             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 17                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 23               | -        |
| 1801             | 6                   | 18 <sup>(1)</sup>                  | -   | 17                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 41               | -        |
| 1802             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 17                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 23               | -        |
| 1803             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 24               | -        |
| 1804             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 24               | -        |
| 1805             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 24               | -        |
| 1806             | 6                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 24               | -        |
| 1807             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 25               | -        |
| 1808             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 25               | -        |
| 1809             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 25               | -        |
| 1810             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 25               | -        |
| 1811             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 18                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 25               | -        |
| 1812             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 20                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 27               | -        |
| 1813             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 20                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 27               | -        |
| 1814             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 20                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 27               | -        |
| 1815             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 21                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 28               | -        |
| 1816             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 21                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 28               | -        |
| 1817             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 22                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 29               | -        |
| 1818             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 23                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 30               | -        |

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| 1819             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 25                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 32               | -        |
| 1820             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 26                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 33               | -        |
| 1821             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 26                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 33               | -        |
| 1822             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1823             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1824             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1825             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1826             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1827             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1828             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1829             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1830             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1831             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1832             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1833             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1834             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1835             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 27                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 34               | -        |
| 1836             | 7                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 36               | -        |
| 1837             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1838             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1839             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1840             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1841             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1842             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1843             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1844             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 29                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 38               | -        |
| 1845             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 32                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 41               | -        |
| 1846             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 32                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 41               | -        |
| 1847             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 33                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 42               | -        |
| 1848             | 9                   | -                                  | -   | 34                               | -                             | -                           | -  | -                                | -   | -  | 43               | -        |

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| Calendar Year | Supreme Court | Regional Courts of Appeals | Court of Appeals Federal Circuit | District Courts   | Territ. Courts | Supreme Court D.C. | Customs and Patent Appeals | Court of Claims | U.S. Court of International Trade | U.S. Court of Federal Claims | Total Judgeships |          |
|---------------|---------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|----------|
|               | (Art. III)    | (Art. III)                 | (Art. III)                       | (Art. III)        | (Art. I)       | (Art. III)         | (Art. III, 1958)           | (Art. III)      | (Art. III, 1956)                  | (Art. I)                     | (Art. III)       | (Art. I) |
| 1849          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 35                | -              | -                  | -                          | -               | -                                 | -                            | 44               | -        |
| 1850          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 37                | -              | -                  | -                          | -               | -                                 | -                            | 46               | -        |
| 1851          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 37                | -              | -                  | -                          | -               | -                                 | -                            | 46               | -        |
| 1852          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 37                | -              | -                  | -                          | -               | -                                 | -                            | 46               | -        |
| 1853          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 37                | -              | -                  | -                          | -               | -                                 | -                            | 46               | -        |
| 1854          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 37                | -              | -                  | -                          | -               | -                                 | -                            | 46               | -        |
| 1855          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 39                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 51               | -        |
| 1856          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 39                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 51               | -        |
| 1857          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 41                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 53               | -        |
| 1858          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 42                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 54               | -        |
| 1859          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 43                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 55               | -        |
| 1860          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 43                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 55               | -        |
| 1861          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 44                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 56               | -        |
| 1862          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 44                | -              | -                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 56               | -        |
| 1863          | 9             | -                          | -                                | 45                | -              | 4 <sup>(2)</sup>   | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 61               | -        |
| 1864          | 10            | -                          | -                                | 46                | -              | 4                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 63               | -        |
| 1865          | 10            | -                          | -                                | 48                | -              | 4                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 65               | -        |
| 1866          | 10            | -                          | -                                | 46 <sup>(3)</sup> | -              | 4                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 63               | -        |
| 1867          | 10            | -                          | -                                | 47                | -              | 4                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 64               | -        |
| 1868          | 10            | -                          | -                                | 47                | -              | 4                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 64               | -        |
| 1869          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 47                | -              | 4                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 72               | -        |
| 1870          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 48                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 74               | -        |
| 1871          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 49                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 75               | -        |
| 1872          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 50                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 76               | -        |
| 1873          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 50                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 76               | -        |
| 1874          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 50                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 76               | -        |
| 1875          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 50                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 76               | -        |
| 1876          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 51                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 77               | -        |
| 1877          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 51                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 77               | -        |
| 1878          | 9             | 9                          | -                                | 52                | -              | 5                  | -                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 78               | -        |

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| 1879             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 53                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 80               | -        |
| 1880             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 53                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 80               | -        |
| 1881             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 54                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 81               | -        |
| 1882             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 56                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 83               | -        |
| 1883             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 56                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 83               | -        |
| 1884             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 56                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 83               | -        |
| 1885             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 56                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 83               | -        |
| 1886             | 9                   | 9                                  | -   | 58                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 85               | -        |
| 1887             | 9                   | 10                                 | -   | 58                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 86               | -        |
| 1888             | 9                   | 10                                 | -   | 58                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 86               | -        |
| 1889             | 9                   | 10                                 | -   | 59                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 87               | -        |
| 1890             | 9                   | 10                                 | -   | 64                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 92               | -        |
| 1891             | 9                   | 19                                 | -   | 64                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 101              | -        |
| 1892             | 9                   | 19                                 | -   | 64                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 101              | -        |
| 1893             | 9                   | 22                                 | -   | 64                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 104              | -        |
| 1894             | 9                   | 23                                 | -   | 65                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 106              | -        |
| 1895             | 9                   | 25                                 | -   | 65                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 108              | -        |
| 1896             | 9                   | 25                                 | -   | 65                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 108              | -        |
| 1897             | 9                   | 25                                 | -   | 65                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 108              | -        |
| 1898             | 9                   | 25                                 | -   | 65, 1T                           | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 108, 1T          | -        |
| 1899             | 9                   | 28                                 | -   | 65                               | -                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 111              | -        |
| 1900             | 9                   | 28                                 | -   | 67                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 113              | 1        |
| 1901             | 9                   | 28                                 | -   | 70                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 116              | 1        |
| 1902             | 9                   | 29                                 | -   | 71                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 118              | 1        |
| 1903             | 9                   | 30                                 | -   | 73                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 121              | 1        |
| 1904             | 9                   | 30                                 | -   | 74                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 122              | 1        |
| 1905             | 9                   | 32                                 | -   | 78                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 128              | 1        |
| 1906             | 9                   | 32                                 | -   | 81                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 131              | 1        |
| 1907             | 9                   | 32                                 | -   | 85                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 135              | 1        |
| 1908             | 9                   | 32                                 | -   | 85                               | 1                             | 6                           | -  | 3                                | -                            | -                                | 135              | 1        |

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| 1909          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 89                 | 2              | 6                  | 5 <sup>(4)</sup>           | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 139              | 7        |
| 1910          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 91, 1T             | 2              | 6                  | 5                          | 3               | -                                 | -                            | 141, 1T          | 7        |
| 1911          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 91                 | 2              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 143              | 7        |
| 1912          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 91                 | 2              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 143              | 7        |
| 1913          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 92                 | 2              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 144              | 7        |
| 1914          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 93, 1T             | 2              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 145, 1T          | 7        |
| 1915          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 94, 1T             | 2              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 146, 1T          | 7        |
| 1916          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 95                 | 2              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 147              | 7        |
| 1917          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 96                 | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 148              | 8        |
| 1918          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 96                 | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 148              | 8        |
| 1919          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 97                 | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 149              | 8        |
| 1920          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 97                 | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 149              | 8        |
| 1921          | 9             | 32                         | -                                | 97, 1T             | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 149, 1T          | 8        |
| 1922          | 9             | 33                         | -                                | 118, 1T            | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 171, 1T          | 8        |
| 1923          | 9             | 33                         | -                                | 118                | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 171              | 8        |
| 1924          | 9             | 33                         | -                                | 118                | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 171              | 8        |
| 1925          | 9             | 35                         | -                                | 120, 1T            | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | -                                 | -                            | 175, 1T          | 8        |
| 1926          | 9             | 35                         | -                                | 121                | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | 9 <sup>(5)</sup>                  | -                            | 176              | 17       |
| 1927          | 9             | 35                         | -                                | 128                | 3              | 6                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 183              | 17       |
| 1928          | 9             | 36                         | -                                | 128, 1T            | 3              | 7                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 185, 1T          | 17       |
| 1929          | 9             | 41                         | -                                | 136, 1T            | 3              | 7                  | 5 <sup>(4)</sup>           | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 198, 1T          | 17       |
| 1930          | 9             | 45                         | -                                | 139                | 3              | 9                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 207              | 17       |
| 1931          | 9             | 45                         | -                                | 143                | 3              | 9                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 211              | 17       |
| 1932          | 9             | 45                         | -                                | 143                | 3              | 9                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 211              | 17       |
| 1933          | 9             | 45                         | -                                | 143                | 3              | 9                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 211              | 17       |
| 1934          | 9             | 45                         | -                                | 143                | 4              | 9                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 211              | 18       |
| 1935          | 9             | 46                         | -                                | 147                | 4              | 9                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 216              | 18       |
| 1936          | 9             | 47                         | -                                | 163 <sup>(6)</sup> | 5              | - <sup>(2)</sup>   | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 224              | 19       |
| 1937          | 9             | 49                         | -                                | 164                | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 227              | 19       |
| 1938          | 9             | 54                         | -                                | 179                | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 247              | 19       |

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| Calendar Year | Supreme Court | Regional Courts of Appeals | Court of Appeals Federal Circuit | District Courts        | Territ. Courts | Supreme Court D.C. | Customs and Patent Appeals | Court of Claims | U.S. Court of International Trade | U.S. Court of Federal Claims | Total Judgeships |          |
|---------------|---------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|----------|
|               | (Art. III)    | (Art. III)                 | (Art. III)                       | (Art. III)             | (Art. I)       | (Art. III)         | (Art. III, 1958)           | (Art. III)      | (Art. III, 1956)                  | (Art. I)                     | (Art. III)       | (Art. I) |
| 1939          | 9             | 54                         | -                                | 179                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 247              | 19       |
| 1940          | 9             | 57                         | -                                | 186, 2T                | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 257, 2T          | 19       |
| 1941          | 9             | 57                         | -                                | 187                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 258              | 19       |
| 1942          | 9             | 58                         | -                                | 189                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 261              | 19       |
| 1943          | 9             | 58                         | -                                | 189                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 261              | 19       |
| 1944          | 9             | 59                         | -                                | 189                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 262              | 19       |
| 1945          | 9             | 59                         | -                                | 189                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 262              | 19       |
| 1946          | 9             | 59                         | -                                | 191, 1T                | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 264, 1T          | 19       |
| 1947          | 9             | 59                         | -                                | 191                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 264              | 19       |
| 1948          | 9             | 59                         | -                                | 191                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 264              | 19       |
| 1949          | 9             | 65                         | -                                | 210                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 289              | 19       |
| 1950          | 9             | 65                         | -                                | 212                    | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 291              | 20       |
| 1951          | 9             | 65                         | -                                | 212                    | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 291              | 20       |
| 1952          | 9             | 65                         | -                                | 212                    | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 291              | 20       |
| 1953          | 9             | 65                         | -                                | 212                    | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 291              | 20       |
| 1954          | 9             | 68                         | -                                | 238, 2T                | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 320, 2T          | 20       |
| 1955          | 9             | 68                         | -                                | 238                    | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 320              | 20       |
| 1956          | 9             | 68                         | -                                | 238                    | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9 <sup>(5)</sup>                  | -                            | 329              | 11       |
| 1957          | 9             | 68                         | -                                | 238                    | 6              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 329              | 11       |
| 1958          | 9             | 68                         | -                                | 239                    | 6              | -                  | 5 <sup>(4)</sup>           | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 335              | 6        |
| 1959          | 9             | 68                         | -                                | 241 <sup>(6)</sup>     | 4              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 337              | 4        |
| 1960          | 9             | 68                         | -                                | 241                    | 4              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 337              | 4        |
| 1961          | 9             | 78                         | -                                | 301, 2T                | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 407, 2T          | 5        |
| 1962          | 9             | 78                         | -                                | 301                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 407              | 5        |
| 1963          | 9             | 78                         | -                                | 301                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 407              | 5        |
| 1964          | 9             | 78                         | -                                | 301                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 407              | 5        |
| 1965          | 9             | 78                         | -                                | 301                    | 5              | -                  | 5                          | 5               | 9                                 | -                            | 407              | 5        |
| 1966          | 9             | 88                         | -                                | 337, 3T <sup>(6)</sup> | 3              | -                  | 5                          | 7               | 9                                 | -                            | 455, 3T          | 3        |
| 1967          | 9             | 88                         | -                                | 337                    | 3              | -                  | 5                          | 7               | 9                                 | -                            | 455              | 3        |
| 1968          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 337                    | 3              | -                  | 5                          | 7               | 9                                 | -                            | 464              | 3        |

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| Calendar Year | Supreme Court | Regional Courts of Appeals | Court of Appeals Federal Circuit | District Courts | Territ. Courts | Supreme Court D.C. | Customs and Patent Appeals (Art. III, 1958) | Court of Claims (Art. III) | U.S. Court of International Trade (Art. III, 1956) | U.S. Court of Federal Claims (Art. I) | Total Judgeships |          |
|---------------|---------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------------|----------|
|               | (Art. III)    | (Art. III)                 | (Art. III)                       | (Art. III)      | (Art. I)       | (Art. III)         | (Art. III, 1958)                            | (Art. III)                 | (Art. III, 1956)                                   | (Art. I)                              | (Art. III)       | (Art. I) |
| 1969          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 337             | 3              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 464              | 3        |
| 1970          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394, 1T         | 4              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521, 1T          | 4        |
| 1971          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394             | 4              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521              | 4        |
| 1972          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394             | 4              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521              | 4        |
| 1973          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394             | 4              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521              | 4        |
| 1974          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394             | 4              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521              | 4        |
| 1975          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394             | 4              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521              | 4        |
| 1976          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394             | 4              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521              | 4        |
| 1977          | 9             | 97                         | -                                | 394             | 5              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 521              | 5        |
| 1978          | 9             | 132                        | -                                | 510, 1T         | 5              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 672, 1T          | 5        |
| 1979          | 9             | 132                        | -                                | 510             | 5              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 672              | 5        |
| 1980          | 9             | 132                        | -                                | 510             | 5              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9 <sup>(5)</sup>                                   | -                                     | 672              | 5        |
| 1981          | 9             | 132                        | -                                | 510             | 5              | -                  | 5   | 7                          | 9  | -                                     | 672              | 5        |
| 1982          | 9             | 132                        | 12 <sup>(7)</sup>                | 510             | 4              | -                  | - <sup>(8)</sup>                            | - <sup>(8)</sup>           | 9  | 16 <sup>(9)</sup>                     | 672              | 20       |
| 1983          | 9             | 132                        | 12                               | 510             | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 672              | 20       |
| 1984          | 9             | 156                        | 12                               | 563, 8T         | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 749, 8T          | 20       |
| 1985          | 9             | 156                        | 12                               | 563, 8T         | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 749, 8T          | 20       |
| 1986          | 9             | 156                        | 12                               | 563, 8T         | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 749, 8T          | 20       |
| 1987          | 9             | 156                        | 12                               | 563, 8T         | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 749, 8T          | 20       |
| 1988          | 9             | 156                        | 12                               | 563, 8T         | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 749, 8T          | 20       |
| 1989          | 9             | 156                        | 12                               | 563, 8T         | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 749, 8T          | 20       |
| 1990          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 13T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 13T         | 20       |
| 1991          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 13T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 13T         | 20       |
| 1992          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 13T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16 <sup>(9)</sup>                     | 829, 13T         | 20       |
| 1993          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 13T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 13T         | 20       |
| 1994          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 13T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 13T         | 20       |
| 1995          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 13T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 13T         | 20       |
| 1996          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 11T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 11T         | 20       |
| 1997          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 10T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 10T         | 20       |
| 1998          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 632, 10T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 829, 10T         | 20       |

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|---------------|---------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------------|----------|
|               | (Art. III)    | (Art. III)                 | (Art. III)                       | (Art. III)      | (Art. I)       | (Art. III)         | (Art. III, 1958)                            | (Art. III)                 | (Art. III, 1956)                                   | (Art. I)                              | (Art. III)       | (Art. I) |
| 1999          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 641, 10T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 838, 10T         | 20       |
| 2000          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 651, 10T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 848, 10T         | 20       |
| 2001          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 651, 10T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 848, 10T         | 20       |
| 2002          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 651, 10T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 848, 10T         | 20       |
| 2003          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 667, 13T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 864, 13T         | 20       |
| 2004          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 667, 11T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 864, 11T         | 20       |
| 2005          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 667, 11T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 864, 11T         | 20       |
| 2006          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 667, 11T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 864, 11T         | 20       |
| 2007          | 9             | 167                        | 12                               | 667, 11T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 864, 11T         | 20       |
| 2008          | 9             | 166 <sup>(10)</sup>        | 12                               | 667, 11T        | 4              | -                  | -   | -                          | 9  | 16                                    | 863, 11T         | 20       |

NOTE: Table excludes the Commerce Court, established in 1910 with 5 Article III judgeships; abolished in 1913.

<sup>(1)</sup> The Judiciary Act of 1801 created 18 appellate judgeships, but the 1801 Act was repealed by The Judiciary Act of 1802.

<sup>(2)</sup> In 1863, the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia was established; the judges were empowered to hold a district court whenever necessary; the court was changed to the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia in 1936.

<sup>(3)</sup> In 1866, one district judgeship was abolished in Louisiana and one in California.

<sup>(4)</sup> The Court of Customs Appeals (established in 1909 as an Article I Court) was changed to the Court of Customs and Patent Appeals in 1929; language was added in 1958 making it an Article III court.

<sup>(5)</sup> Board of General Appraisers was designated the U.S. Customs Court (an Article I court) in 1926; language was added in 1956 making it an Article III court; became Court of International Trade (Article III) in 1980.

<sup>(6)</sup> Totals for District Court Judges include the District of Columbia starting in 1936; Hawaii in 1959; and Puerto Rico in 1966.

<sup>(7)</sup> The U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit was established in 1982.

<sup>(8)</sup> In 1982 the Court of Customs and Patent Appeals and the Court of Claims were abolished.

<sup>(9)</sup> The U.S. Claims Court was established as an Article I court in 1982. In 1992, in accordance with P.L. 102-572 (10/29/90), the name was changed to the U.S. Court of Federal Claims.

<sup>(10)</sup> The Act of January 7, 2008 (121 STAT. 2543) transferred one judgeship from the DC Circuit to the Ninth Circuit. The loss of the judgeship in the DC Circuit was effective the date the bill became law, but the effective date of the additional judgeship for the Ninth Circuit is January 21, 2009.