U.S. Circuit Courts of Appeals Composition

The U.S. Circuit Courts of Appeals are often the courts of last resort for issues from voting rights to immigration to the environment to reproductive health. Due to obstruction by the Republican Senate Majority during President Obama's Administration, numerous nominations expired and vacancies were held open. During his term, President Trump and the Senate Majority ushered in radical transformation of the U.S. Circuit Courts of Appeals.

| T Sitting Judges | End of the Trump Administration January 2021 | | July 11, 2024 | |
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| Vacancies | Democratic President Appointments | Republican President Appointments | Democratic President Appointments | Republican President Appointments |
| 1st Circuit MA, ME, NH, PR, RI 6 Active Judgeships | | | | |
| 2nd Circuit CT, NY, VT 13 Active Judgeships | | | | |
| 3rd Circuit DE, NJ, PA, VI 14 Active Judgeships | | | | |
| 4th Circuit MD, NC, SC, VA, WV 15 Active Judgeships | | | | |
| 5th Circuit LA, MS, TX 17 Active Judgeships | | | | |
| 6th Circuit KY, MI, OH, TN 16 Active Judgeships | | | | |
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| 9th Circuit AK, AZ, CA, GU, HI, ID, MT, NV, NMI, OR, WA 29 Active Judgeships | | | | |
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