

ARIZONA COURT REVENUE
Appellate and Superior Court Narrative Summary
State Fiscal Year 2019

The revenue data provided in this summary represent revenue generated by the appellate and superior courts of Arizona. The appellate courts consist the Supreme Court and Division 1 and 2 of the Appellate Court. The Superior Court, which is the state's general jurisdiction court, is a single entity with locations in each county. The figures were compiled from probation fee reports and the monthly revenue surveys distributed by the Supreme Court during the state fiscal year (FY) 2019. The major revenue categories listed below represent monies collected from four sources:

- **FINES, SANCTIONS, FORFEITURES:** Revenue from monetary penalties assessed in criminal and juvenile matters, and bond monies that are forfeited;
- **SURCHARGES:** Revenue from monetary assessments authorized by statute and in addition to criminal penalties assessed and certain civil fees;
- **FEES:** Revenue from collectible fees for court services and chargeable aspects of case processing; and,
- **OTHER REVENUE:** Revenue from sources not otherwise specified.

Appellate Courts

Total revenue collected by the Supreme Court decreased from \$4,707,024 in FY 2018 to \$4,601,854 in FY 2019, a slight decrease of 2.2%. Most of this revenue originated from Defensive Driving and JCEF Diversion fees sent directly to the Administrative Office of the Courts. The revenue for the Court of Appeals decreased from \$343,141 in FY 2018 to \$329,520 in FY 2019, a decrease of 4.0%.

Superior Court

Superior Court revenue (including revenue collected by probation) slightly increased from \$87,174,724 in FY 2018 to \$89,190,096 in FY 2019, an increase of 2.3%. Maricopa County's superior court accounted for 64.1% of all Superior Court's state revenue, followed by Pima County with 10.7%. Fees made up the largest proportion of the Superior Court revenue (including revenue collected by probation), a total of \$70,251,381, or 78.8%. Fines levied by the Superior Court comprised the second largest revenue source and totaled \$13,383,921, or 15.0% for FY 2019.

According to the Annual Trust Money Collection Summary, Arizona superior courts processed \$107,346,674 in "pass-through" trust monies during FY 2019.

Note. Some of the FY 2018 figures may not correspond to figures published in the previous year's Data Report due to the use of more accurate figures received after publication of the Data Report. Revenue reports received from courts are checked for mathematical accuracy but are not audited by the Supreme Court.

**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2019**

Court Level=Supreme Court

		Fiscal Year	
		2019	2018
Court	Revenue Category	Revenue Collected	Revenue Collected
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS	3-Fees	\$4,513,510	\$4,619,872
ARIZONA SUPREME COURT	3-Fees	\$88,344	\$87,152
GRAND TOTAL REVENUE		\$4,601,854	\$4,707,024

Court Level=Court of Appeals

		Fiscal Year	
		2019	2018
Court	Revenue Category	Revenue Collected	Revenue Collected
ARIZONA COURT OF APPEALS - DIV 1	3-Fees	\$286,707	\$286,092
ARIZONA COURT OF APPEALS - DIV 2	3-Fees	\$42,813	\$57,049
GRAND TOTAL REVENUE		\$329,520	\$343,141

**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2019**

Court Level=Total Statewide

	Fiscal Year	
	2019	2018
Revenue Category	Revenue Collected	Revenue Collected
STATEWIDE TOTAL COUNTY		
Fees	\$53,224,290	\$51,509,947
Fees - Probation	\$17,027,091	\$17,003,419
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$13,383,921	\$13,429,271
Other	\$1,485,016	\$1,263,969
Surcharges	\$4,069,777	\$3,968,117
Total County Revenue	\$89,190,096	\$87,174,724
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**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2019**

Court Level=Superior Court

	Fiscal Year	
	2019	2018
Revenue Category	Revenue Collected	Revenue Collected
APACHE COUNTY		
Fees	\$275,552	\$200,432
Fees - Probation	\$172,805	\$134,151
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$41,597	\$27,071
Other	\$5	\$2
Surcharges	\$20,584	\$9,869
Total County Revenue	\$510,544	\$371,524
COCHISE COUNTY		
Fees	\$885,052	\$855,795
Fees - Probation	\$395,096	\$329,169
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$228,028	\$123,605
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$81,744	\$64,690
Total County Revenue	\$1,589,921	\$1,373,260
COCONINO COUNTY		
Fees	\$868,018	\$819,111
Fees - Probation	\$570,323	\$531,062
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$285,413	\$220,273
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$99,389	\$60,071
Total County Revenue	\$1,823,143	\$1,630,517
GILA COUNTY		
Fees	\$361,678	\$401,346
Fees - Probation	\$176,255	\$190,290
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$98,307	\$110,104
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$44,083	\$49,406
Total County Revenue	\$680,323	\$751,145
GRAHAM COUNTY		
Fees	\$271,309	\$267,691
Fees - Probation	\$241,555	\$246,771
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$93,870	\$157,027
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$27,279	\$40,640
Total County Revenue	\$634,013	\$712,130

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	2019	2018
Revenue Category	Revenue Collected	Revenue Collected
GREENLEE COUNTY		
Fees	\$74,978	\$66,624
Fees - Probation	\$61,441	\$64,783
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$38,681	\$33,227
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$9,502	\$10,375
Total County Revenue	\$184,602	\$175,009
LA PAZ COUNTY		
Fees	\$126,356	\$117,491
Fees - Probation	\$84,628	\$63,807
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$42,695	\$103,049
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$22,898	\$27,116
Total County Revenue	\$276,577	\$311,463
MARICOPA COUNTY		
Fees	\$35,329,661	\$34,319,829
Fees - Probation	\$8,973,507	\$9,338,893
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$9,049,353	\$9,388,500
Other	\$1,245,165	\$1,233,895
Surcharges	\$2,616,449	\$2,643,002
Total County Revenue	\$57,214,136	\$56,924,118
MOHAVE COUNTY		
Fees	\$2,000,165	\$2,068,149
Fees - Probation	\$689,208	\$625,353
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$525,390	\$339,323
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$161,924	\$152,903
Total County Revenue	\$3,376,687	\$3,185,728
NAVAJO COUNTY		
Fees	\$446,254	\$439,787
Fees - Probation	\$301,290	\$303,818
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$269,668	\$245,991
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$143,391	\$125,189
Total County Revenue	\$1,160,604	\$1,114,785

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PIMA COUNTY		
Fees	\$6,201,537	\$6,108,632
Fees - Probation	\$2,103,513	\$2,054,985
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$838,004	\$811,665
Other	\$193,680	\$0
Surcharges	\$222,145	\$220,195
Total County Revenue	\$9,558,879	\$9,195,477
PINAL COUNTY		
Fees	\$2,863,101	\$2,557,818
Fees - Probation	\$1,100,886	\$1,139,325
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$540,523	\$562,109
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$172,578	\$161,909
Total County Revenue	\$4,677,088	\$4,421,161
SANTA CRUZ COUNTY		
Fees	\$250,280	\$235,013
Fees - Probation	\$115,601	\$118,286
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$78,713	\$98,658
Other	\$1,374	\$607
Surcharges	\$20,644	\$25,726
Total County Revenue	\$466,612	\$478,290
YAVAPAI COUNTY		
Fees	\$1,740,964	\$1,636,866
Fees - Probation	\$1,426,632	\$1,273,124
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$892,330	\$869,454
Other	\$44,792	\$29,466
Surcharges	\$368,811	\$324,390
Total County Revenue	\$4,473,528	\$4,133,299
YUMA COUNTY		
Fees	\$1,529,385	\$1,415,364
Fees - Probation	\$614,352	\$589,603
Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures	\$361,348	\$339,216
Other	\$0	\$0
Surcharges	\$58,355	\$52,635
Total County Revenue	\$2,563,441	\$2,396,819

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