

ARIZONA COURT REVENUE
Appellate and Superior Court Narrative Summary
State Fiscal Year 2020

The revenue data provided in this summary represent revenue generated by the appellate and superior courts of Arizona. The appellate courts consist of the Supreme Court, Division 1 and 2, and 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) 2020. 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 were 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 increased from \$4,601,854 in FY 2019 to \$4,795,963 in FY 2020 an increase of 4.2%. 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 slightly decreased from \$329,520 in FY 2019 to \$322,712 in FY 2020, a decrease of 2.1%.

Superior Court

Superior Court revenue (including revenue collected by probation) decreased from \$89,190,096 in FY 2019 to \$84,962,760 in FY 2020, a decrease of 4.7%. Maricopa County's superior court accounted for 62.6% of all Superior Court's state revenue, followed by Pima County with 11.7%. Fees made up the largest proportion of the Superior Court revenue (including revenue collected by probation), a total of \$66,895,568, or 78.7%. Fines levied by the Superior Court comprised the second largest revenue source and totaled \$13,114,259, or 15.4% for FY 2020.

According to the Annual Trust Money Collection Summary, Arizona superior courts processed \$88,394,503 in "pass-through" trust monies during FY 2020.

Note 1. Year-over-year monthly comparisons for revenue collected by Superior Court can be viewed on AOC's interactive data dashboard: <https://www.azcourts.gov/statistics/Interactive-Data-Dashboards/>

Note 2. Some of the FY 2019 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.

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**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2020**

Court Level=Supreme Court

| | | Fiscal Year | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | 2020 | 2019 |
| Court | Revenue Category | Revenue Collected | Revenue Collected |
| ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS | 3-Fees | \$4,701,898 | \$4,513,510 |
| ARIZONA SUPREME COURT | 3-Fees | \$94,065 | \$88,344 |
| GRAND TOTAL REVENUE | | \$4,795,963 | \$4,601,854 |

Court Level=Court of Appeals

| | | Fiscal Year | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | 2020 | 2019 |
| Court | Revenue Category | Revenue Collected | Revenue Collected |
| ARIZONA COURT OF APPEALS - DIV 1 | 3-Fees | \$268,832 | \$286,707 |
| ARIZONA COURT OF APPEALS - DIV 2 | 3-Fees | \$53,880 | \$42,813 |
| GRAND TOTAL REVENUE | | \$322,712 | \$329,520 |

**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2020**

Court Level=Total Statewide

| | Fiscal Year | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | 2020 | 2019 |
| Revenue Category | Revenue Collected | Revenue Collected |
| STATEWIDE TOTAL COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$50,454,835 | \$53,224,290 |
| Fees - Probation | \$16,440,733 | \$17,027,091 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$13,114,259 | \$13,383,921 |
| Other | \$656,286 | \$1,485,016 |
| Surcharges | \$4,296,647 | \$4,069,777 |
| Total County Revenue | \$84,962,760 | \$89,190,096 |
| | \$84,962,760 | \$89,190,096 |

**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2020**

Court Level=Superior Court

| | Fiscal Year | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | 2020 | 2019 |
| Revenue Category | Revenue Collected | Revenue Collected |
| APACHE COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$237,816 | \$275,552 |
| Fees - Probation | \$185,758 | \$172,805 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$37,564 | \$41,597 |
| Other | \$0 | \$5 |
| Surcharges | \$21,772 | \$20,584 |
| Total County Revenue | \$482,909 | \$510,544 |
| COCHISE COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$817,044 | \$885,052 |
| Fees - Probation | \$395,393 | \$395,096 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$172,694 | \$228,028 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$86,891 | \$81,744 |
| Total County Revenue | \$1,472,022 | \$1,589,921 |
| COCONINO COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$827,419 | \$868,018 |
| Fees - Probation | \$511,312 | \$570,323 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$262,015 | \$285,413 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$69,029 | \$99,389 |
| Total County Revenue | \$1,669,775 | \$1,823,143 |
| GILA COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$324,162 | \$361,678 |
| Fees - Probation | \$189,608 | \$176,255 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$149,881 | \$98,307 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$56,168 | \$44,083 |
| Total County Revenue | \$719,819 | \$680,323 |
| GRAHAM COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$268,932 | \$271,309 |
| Fees - Probation | \$261,169 | \$241,555 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$145,968 | \$93,870 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$41,557 | \$27,279 |
| Total County Revenue | \$717,625 | \$634,013 |

**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2020**

Court Level=Superior Court

| | Fiscal Year | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | 2020 | 2019 |
| Revenue Category | Revenue Collected | Revenue Collected |
| GREENLEE COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$70,968 | \$74,978 |
| Fees - Probation | \$60,773 | \$61,441 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$44,197 | \$38,681 |
| Other | \$2,545 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$11,879 | \$9,502 |
| Total County Revenue | \$190,361 | \$184,602 |
| LA PAZ COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$120,001 | \$126,356 |
| Fees - Probation | \$92,027 | \$84,628 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$37,130 | \$42,695 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$24,505 | \$22,898 |
| Total County Revenue | \$273,663 | \$276,577 |
| MARICOPA COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$33,440,146 | \$35,329,661 |
| Fees - Probation | \$8,265,586 | \$8,973,507 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$8,194,049 | \$9,049,353 |
| Other | \$465,495 | \$1,245,165 |
| Surcharges | \$2,803,441 | \$2,616,449 |
| Total County Revenue | \$53,168,717 | \$57,214,136 |
| MOHAVE COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$1,931,544 | \$2,000,165 |
| Fees - Probation | \$734,894 | \$689,208 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$947,101 | \$525,390 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$197,853 | \$161,924 |
| Total County Revenue | \$3,811,393 | \$3,376,687 |
| NAVAJO COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$490,082 | \$446,254 |
| Fees - Probation | \$339,931 | \$301,290 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$285,806 | \$269,668 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$156,148 | \$143,391 |
| Total County Revenue | \$1,271,967 | \$1,160,604 |

**Annual Revenue Summary
Fiscal Year 2020**

Court Level=Superior Court

| | Fiscal Year | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | 2020 | 2019 |
| Revenue Category | Revenue Collected | Revenue Collected |
| PIMA COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$6,551,658 | \$6,201,537 |
| Fees - Probation | \$2,096,435 | \$2,103,513 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$904,939 | \$838,004 |
| Other | \$169,926 | \$193,680 |
| Surcharges | \$235,801 | \$222,145 |
| Total County Revenue | \$9,958,759 | \$9,558,879 |
| PINAL COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$2,224,728 | \$2,863,101 |
| Fees - Probation | \$1,130,130 | \$1,100,886 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$500,361 | \$540,523 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$150,214 | \$172,578 |
| Total County Revenue | \$4,005,433 | \$4,677,088 |
| SANTA CRUZ COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$222,684 | \$250,280 |
| Fees - Probation | \$116,740 | \$115,601 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$65,716 | \$78,713 |
| Other | \$867 | \$1,374 |
| Surcharges | \$24,391 | \$20,644 |
| Total County Revenue | \$430,398 | \$466,612 |
| YAVAPAI COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$1,538,438 | \$1,740,964 |
| Fees - Probation | \$1,428,952 | \$1,426,632 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$1,056,875 | \$892,330 |
| Other | \$17,452 | \$44,792 |
| Surcharges | \$362,104 | \$368,811 |
| Total County Revenue | \$4,403,820 | \$4,473,528 |
| YUMA COUNTY | | |
| Fees | \$1,389,215 | \$1,529,385 |
| Fees - Probation | \$632,024 | \$614,352 |
| Fines, Sanctions and Forfeitures | \$309,966 | \$361,348 |
| Other | \$0 | \$0 |
| Surcharges | \$54,894 | \$58,355 |
| Total County Revenue | \$2,386,099 | \$2,563,441 |

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Fiscal Year 2020**

Court Level=Superior Court

| | Fiscal Year | |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | 2020 | 2019 |
| Revenue Category | Revenue Collected | Revenue Collected |
| | | |
| | \$84,962,760 | \$89,190,096 |

Annual Trust Money Collection Summary Fiscal Year 2020

Court Level=Superior Court

| | | Fiscal Year | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | 2020 | 2019 |
| Court County | Trust Money Category | Trust Money Collected | Trust Money Collected |
| APACHE COUNTY | | | |
| APACHE SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$103,000 | \$29,500 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$53,016 | \$50,530 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$89,209 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$156,016 | \$169,239 |
| COCHISE COUNTY | | | |
| COCHISE SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$13,308 | \$151,550 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$208,394 | \$223,911 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$422 | \$593 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$222,124 | \$376,054 |
| COCONINO COUNTY | | | |
| COCONINO SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$725,665 | \$418,730 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$255,294 | \$332,138 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$980,959 | \$750,868 |
| GILA COUNTY | | | |
| GILA SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$874,655 | \$260,303 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$151,368 | \$197,216 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$110 | \$66 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$1,026,132 | \$457,585 |

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Court Level=Superior Court

| | | Fiscal Year | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | 2020 | 2019 |
| Court County | Trust Money Category | Trust Money Collected | Trust Money Collected |
| GRAHAM COUNTY | | | |
| GRAHAM SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$60,242 | \$197,450 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$137,283 | \$99,529 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$197,525 | \$296,979 |
| GREENLEE COUNTY | | | |
| GREENLEE SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$72,250 | \$19,200 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$27,027 | \$50,171 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$99,277 | \$69,371 |
| LA PAZ COUNTY | | | |
| LA PAZ SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$243,350 | \$426,125 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$34,542 | \$40,024 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$277,892 | \$466,149 |
| MARICOPA COUNTY | | | |
| MARICOPA SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$14,335,424 | \$18,390,010 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$1,335,567 | \$1,968,519 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$6,296,013 | \$7,252,385 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$8,854,125 | \$12,204,268 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$33,515,595 | \$45,697,663 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$64,336,724 | \$85,512,845 |

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| | | Fiscal Year | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | 2020 | 2019 |
| Court County | Trust Money Category | Trust Money Collected | Trust Money Collected |
| MOHAVE COUNTY | | | |
| MOHAVE SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$2,122,333 | \$1,927,251 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$891,789 | \$709,895 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$3,014,122 | \$2,637,146 |
| NAVAJO COUNTY | | | |
| NAVAJO SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$194,090 | \$155,025 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$139,025 | \$137,118 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$333,115 | \$292,143 |
| PIMA COUNTY | | | |
| PIMA SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$6,325,278 | \$6,738,280 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$18,204 | \$22,106 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$2,022 | \$2,457 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$2,294,173 | \$2,189,722 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$8,639,677 | \$8,952,565 |
| PINAL COUNTY | | | |
| PINAL SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$1,519,792 | \$1,522,345 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$487,359 | \$494,489 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$365,223 | \$94,112 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$2,372,374 | \$2,110,946 |

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Court Level=Superior Court

| | | Fiscal Year | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | 2020 | 2019 |
| Court County | Trust Money Category | Trust Money Collected | Trust Money Collected |
| SANTA CRUZ COUNTY | | | |
| SANTA CRUZ SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$1,560,666 | \$143,960 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$20,706 | \$39,959 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$100,255 | \$127,650 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$0 | \$0 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$1,681,627 | \$311,569 |
| YAVAPAI COUNTY | | | |
| YAVAPAI SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$2,576,200 | \$2,429,850 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$790,318 | \$749,867 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$783,233 | \$784,272 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$4,149,751 | \$3,963,989 |
| YUMA COUNTY | | | |
| YUMA SUPERIOR COURT CLERK | 5-Bail Bonds | \$440,853 | \$570,768 |
| | 6-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 7-Non-IV-D Payments | \$0 | \$0 |
| | 8-Restitution Payments | \$312,531 | \$385,041 |
| | 9-Other Unspecified Trust | \$153,803 | \$23,417 |
| | Total Court Revenue | \$907,187 | \$979,226 |

Annual Trust Money Collection Summary Fiscal Year 2020

Court Level=Superior Court

| | | Fiscal Year | |
|---------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | 2020 | 2019 |
| Court County | Trust Money Category | Trust Money Collected | Trust Money Collected |
| GRAND TOTAL REVENUE | | \$88,394,503 | \$107,346,674 |