

Table 1.70

Jury fees in State and Federal courts

By jurisdiction, 1998

Jurisdiction	Juror fees per day	Jurisdiction	Juror fees per day
Federal	\$40.00 <sup>a</sup>	Missouri	\$6.00
Alabama	10.00	Montana	12.00 <sup>d</sup>
Alaska	12.50 <sup>b,c</sup>	Nebraska	20.00
Arizona	12.00 <sup>d</sup>	Nevada	(p)
Arkansas	5.00 <sup>e</sup>	New Hampshire	10.00 <sup>d</sup>
California	5.00 <sup>f</sup>	New Jersey	5.00
Colorado	(g)	New Mexico	(q)
Connecticut	(h)	New York	(r)
Delaware	15.00	North Carolina	12.00 <sup>s</sup>
District of Columbia	30.00 <sup>i</sup>	North Dakota	25.00
Florida	(j)	Ohio	10.00 <sup>k,t</sup>
Georgia	5.00 <sup>k</sup>	Oklahoma	12.50
Hawaii	30.00	Oregon	10.00
Idaho	10.00 <sup>b</sup>	Pennsylvania	(u)
Illinois	4.00 <sup>k</sup>	Rhode Island	15.00
Indiana	7.50 <sup>l</sup>	South Carolina	10.00
Iowa	10.00	South Dakota	10.00 <sup>k,v</sup>
Kansas	10.00	Tennessee	10.00
Kentucky	12.50	Texas	6.00 <sup>k,w</sup>
Louisiana	12.00	Utah	17.00
Maine	10.00	Vermont	30.00
Maryland	15.00 <sup>k,m</sup>	Virginia	30.00
Massachusetts	(g)	Washington	10.00 <sup>k</sup>
Michigan	7.50 <sup>b</sup>	West Virginia	15.00
Minnesota	30.00 <sup>n</sup>	Wisconsin	8.00 <sup>b,k</sup>
Mississippi	15.00	Wyoming	30.00 <sup>x</sup>

Note: Daily juror fees are set by State statutes and do not include any mileage payments to jurors.

<sup>a</sup>May be raised to \$50.00 per day after 30 days of service upon discretion of the judge.

<sup>b</sup>Half-day rate.

<sup>c</sup>Anchorage provides \$5.00 half-day rate for the first day, then \$12.50 per half-day after the first day.

<sup>d</sup>No fee for first day (discretionary); \$12.00 per day thereafter.

<sup>e</sup>\$20.00 per day while actually serving (sworn).

<sup>f</sup>Fees vary among counties; \$20.00 maximum per day.

<sup>g</sup>No fee for first 3 days; \$50.00 per day thereafter. Expenses for unemployed available. Employers must pay employees for first 3 days while serving.

<sup>h</sup>No fee for first 5 days; \$50.00 per day thereafter. Expenses for unemployed available. Employers must pay employees for first 5 days while serving.

<sup>i</sup>No fee for first day; \$30.00 per day thereafter.

<sup>j</sup>If employer pays salary or wages of person on jury duty, then there is no fee paid for 3 days; then \$30.00 per day thereafter. If individual is not employed or employer does not pay salary, then fee is \$15.00 per day for first 3 days; then \$30.00 per day thereafter.

<sup>k</sup>Fees vary among counties.

<sup>l</sup>\$17.50 per day while actually serving (sworn).

<sup>m</sup>Provided as an expense; not reported as income nor remitted to employer.

<sup>n</sup>Child care expenses available.

<sup>o</sup>\$25.00 per day while actually serving (sworn).

<sup>p</sup>\$15.00 per day while actually serving (sworn). \$30.00 per day after 5 days of service. \$9.00 per day if not sworn.

<sup>q</sup>\$5.15 per hour.

<sup>r</sup>If employer has more than 10 employees, must pay at least \$40.00 per day for the first 3 days. After 3 days, the court must pay \$40.00 per day. If juror is not employed or if employer has less than 10 employees, then court must pay \$40.00 per day from day 1.

<sup>s</sup>\$30.00 per day after 5 days of service.

<sup>t</sup>County commission shall fix the compensation not to exceed \$40.00. After 10 days of actual service compensation to be one and a half times the daily rate--minimum of \$15.00. Maximum may be set by county not to exceed twice the daily rate for service of less than 10 days.

<sup>u</sup>\$9.00 for first 3 days; \$25.00 per day thereafter.

<sup>v</sup>\$40.00 maximum per day while actually serving (sworn).

<sup>w</sup>\$30.00 maximum per day while actually serving (sworn).

<sup>x</sup>May be raised to \$50.00 per day after 4 days of service upon discretion of the judge.

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