

Appellate Civil Filing & Answer Fees in State Courts, 2014

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	Filing Fee	Answer Fee	Reference	Filing Fee	Answer Fee	Reference	
Alabama	\$200	None	Court Rules - Rule 35A	\$200	None	Court Rules - Rule 35A	
Alaska	\$150	\$150 cross-appeal or cross-petition	Alaska Rules of Administration - Rule 9	\$150 cross-appeal or cross-petition	\$150	Alaska Rules of Administration - Rule 9	
Arizona	\$280	\$140 answer; \$280 cross-appeal	Supreme Court Fee Schedule	\$280	\$140 answer; \$280 cross-appeal	Court of Appeals Fee Schedule	Statutes establishing filing fees - Supreme Court: A.R.S. §12-119.01; Court of Appeals: A.R.S §12-120.31 & §12-119.01
Arkansas	\$150	None	A.C.A §21-6-401	\$150	None	A.C.A §21-6-401	All filing fees paid to the Supreme Court or Court of Appeals deposited in Supreme Court Library Fund to be used for maintenance of Supreme Court Library.
California	\$710	\$390 answer	Government Code §68926.1 & §68927	\$605	\$390 answer	Government Code §68926	
Colorado	Appeal: \$150; Certiorari: \$225	Appeal: \$75 answer, \$150 cross-appeal; Certiorari: \$115 answer	Colorado Filing Fees	\$223	\$148 answer	Colorado Filing Fees	Statutes establishing filing fees - Supreme Court: C.R.S. §13-2-113, C.A.R. 51(b), & C.A.R. 51(d); Court of Appeals: C.R.S. §13-4-112
Connecticut	\$250	None	C.S. §52-259	\$250	None	C.S. §52-259	
Delaware	\$460	\$460 answer	Supreme Court Rule 20	N/A	N/A	N/A	Filing fee breakdown: \$450 filing fee + \$10 court security assessment

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District of Columbia	\$100	None	Court of Appeals Rules - Schedule of Fees and Costs	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Florida	\$300	\$295 cross-appeal	Florida Statute §25.241(3)(a) & §25.241(3)(b)	\$300	\$295 cross-appeal	Florida Statute §35.22(3)(a) & §35.22(3)(b)	
Georgia	\$300	None	O.C.G.A. §5-6-4	\$300	None	O.C.G.A. §5-6-4	
Hawaii	\$215	\$215 cross-appeal	Hawaii Rules of Appellate Procedure - Appendix B	\$215	\$215 cross appeal	Hawaii Rules of Appellate Procedure - Appendix B	Filing fee breakdown: \$100 filing fee (H.R.S. §607-6(a)) + \$50 Civil Administrative Fee (H.R.S. §607-5(c)(32)) + \$65 Indigent Services Surcharge (H.R.S. §607-5.7(c))
Idaho	\$94	\$94 cross-appeal	Idaho Appellate Rule 23	\$94	\$94 cross-appeal	Idaho Appellate Rule 23	Filing fee breakdown: \$68 filing fee (Idaho Statute §1-402) + \$26 Judges Retirement and Compensation Fund (Idaho Statute §1-2003)
Illinois	\$50	\$30 answer	Illinois Rules of Appellate Procedure - Rule 313	\$50	\$30 answer	Illinois Rules of Appellate Procedure - Rule 313	
Indiana	\$250	None	Indiana Code §33-24-8-2	\$250	None	Indiana Code §33-24-8-2	
Iowa	\$150	None	Iowa Court Rules - Rules of Appellate Procedure 6.702	\$150	None	Iowa Court Rules - Rules of Appellate Procedure 6.702	
Kansas	\$155	None	Supreme Court Rule 2.04	\$155	None	Supreme Court Rule 2.04	Filing fee breakdown: \$145 filing fee + \$10 surcharge

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Kentucky	\$150	\$150 cross-appeal	Kentucky Court Rule 76.42	Appeal: \$150; Appeal from Family Court for orders determining paternity, dependency, neglect or abuse, domestic violence, or juvenile status offense: \$75	Appeal: \$150; Appeal from Family Court for orders determining paternity, dependency, neglect or abuse, domestic violence, or juvenile status offense: \$75	Kentucky Court Rule 76.42	
Louisiana	\$323.50	None	Louisiana Revised Statutes - Chapter 13	\$123	None	Louisiana Revised Statutes Chapter 13	Filing fee breakdown - Supreme Court: \$300 filing fee (L.R.S. §13:126) + \$23.50 judges' supplemental compensation fund (L.R.S. §13:10.3); Court of Appeals: \$100 (L.R.S. §13:352) + \$23 judges' supplemental compensation fund (L.R.S. §13:10.3)
Maine	\$150	None	Administrative Order JB-05-26	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Maryland	\$50	None	Maryland Court of Appeals Fee Schedule	\$50	None	Maryland Court of Special Appeals Fee Schedule	Maryland Statute §7-102: State Court Administrator to determine fees for Court of Appeals and Court of Special Appeals
Massachusetts	\$300	\$300 cross-appeal	Massachusetts G.L.c. 262 §4	\$300	\$300 cross-appeal	Massachusetts G.L.c. 262 §4	
Michigan	\$375	None	M.C.L. 600.244	\$375	None	M.C.L. 600.321	

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Minnesota	\$550	\$100 answer	Minnesota Statute §357.08	\$550	\$100 answer	Minnesota Statute §357.08	
Mississippi	\$200	\$200 cross appeal	Mississippi Statute §25-7-3	\$200	\$200 cross-appeal	Mississippi Statute §25-7-3	Filing Fee breakdown: \$100 filing fee + \$100 Judicial Systems Operation Fund
Missouri	\$70	None	Missouri Statute §488.012	\$70	None	Missouri Statute §488.012	Fee includes \$20 increase for Basic Civil Legal Services Fund established by SB 447 (2003)
Montana	\$100	\$100 cross-appeal	M.C.A. §3-2-403	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Nebraska	\$125	None	Nebraska Filing Fees and Court Costs	\$125	None	Nebraska Filing Fees and Court Costs	Filing fee breakdown: \$100 Filing Fee (N.R.S. §33-103) + \$6 Judges' Retirement Fee (N.R.S. §24- 703) + \$5.25 Legal Services Fee (N.R.S. §33-107.01) + \$8 Automation Fee (N.R.S. §33-107.03) + \$1 NSC Education Fee (N.R.S. §33- 154) + \$0.75 Dispute Resolution Fee (N.R.S. §33-155) + \$3 Indigent Defense Fee (N.R.S. §33- 156) + \$1 Uniform Data Analysis Fee (N.R.S. §47-633)
Nevada	\$250	\$250 cross-appeal	N.R.S. §2.250	N/A	N/A	N/A	breakdown: \$200 Filing Fee + \$50 Court Automation

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New Hampshire	\$250	\$250 cross-appeal	Administrative Rules of the Supreme Court of New Hampshire - Rule 49	N/A	N/A	N/A	Filing fee breakdown: \$225 Filing Fee + \$25 surcharge (surcharge not applicable in actions relating to children, domestic violence actions, small claims actions, landlord/tenant actions, or stalking actions)
New Jersey	\$200	\$200 cross appeal	New Jersey Statute 22A:2-1	\$200	\$200 cross-appeal	New Jersey Statute 22A:2-5	
New Mexico	\$125	None	N.M.S. §34-2-5	\$125	None	N.M.S. §34-5-6	
New York	\$315	\$45 answer	New York Filing Fees	\$315	\$45 answer	New York Filing Fee	Statute establishing filing fees: C.L.P.R. §8022
North Carolina	\$250	None	North Carolina Statute §1-285	\$250	None	North Carolina Statute §1-285	
North Dakota	\$125	None	North Dakota C.C. §27-03-05	N/A	N/A	N/A	Additional fee if filing electronically
Ohio	\$100	None	O.R.C. §2503.17	First District: \$85; Second District: \$75; Third District: \$150; Fourth District: \$85; Fifth District: \$90; Sixth District: \$150; Seventh District: \$140; Eighth District: \$185; Ninth District: \$125; Tenth District: \$75; Eleventh District: \$150; Twelfth District: \$125	None	O.R.C. §2303.20(U)	\$25 filing fee (O.R.C. §2303.20(U)) + the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas may determine that additional costs are necessary for operation of court and establish them through local court rules (O.R.C. §2501.16(B)); The Clerk of Court of Common Pleas to act
Oklahoma	Non-Jury Trials: \$200; Jury Trials: \$300	None	Oklahoma Statute §28-155.1	Non-Jury Trials: \$200; Jury Trials: \$300	None	Oklahoma Statute §28-155.1	

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Oregon	\$373	\$373 answer and cross appeal or cross-petition	O.R.S. §21.010	\$373	\$373 answer and cross appeal or cross-petition	O.R.S. §21.010	
Pennsylvania	\$83.50	None	PA Supreme Court Filing Fees	\$83.50	None	PA Commonwealth Court Filing Fees	
Rhode Island	\$150	None	Rhode Island Supreme Court Rules - Rule 5	\$150	None	Rhode Island Supreme Court Rules - Rule 5	
South Carolina	\$100	None	SC Statute §8-21-310	\$100	None	SC Statute §8-21-310	
South Dakota	\$100	None	South Dakota Filing Fees	N/A	N/A	N/A	breakdown: \$50 Filing Fee (C.L. §16-2-29.1) + \$50 Court Automation Fee (C.L. §16-2-41.1)
Tennessee	\$300	None	Tennessee Code Annotated §8-21-401(i)(11)	\$300	None	Tennessee Code Annotated §8-21-401(i)(11)	Paid to clerk of lower court. No filing fee paid to appellate court clerk.
Texas	Petition for Review: \$145 + Additional fee if granted: \$75	None	Supreme Court Rule 13-912	\$195	None	Supreme Court Rule 13-912	
Utah	\$225	None	Utah Code §78A-2-310(1)(h)	\$225	None	Utah Code §78A-4-102(5)	
Vermont	\$265	\$105 cross-appeal	V.S.A. §1431 amended	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Virginia	\$50	None	Code of Virginia §17.1-328	\$50	None	Code of Virginia §17.1-416	
Washington	\$290	None	R.C.W. §38.18.028	\$290	None	R.C.W. §38.18.028	Filing fee breakdown: \$250 filing fee (R.C.W. §38.18.018(2)) + \$40 Surchagre (R.C.W. §38.18.018(4))
West Virginia	\$200	None	West Virginia Code §59-1-13	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Wisconsin	\$195	\$195 answer and cross appeal	Wisconsin Statute §809.25(2)	\$195	\$195 answer and cross appeal	Wisconsin Statute §809.25(2)	

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Wyoming	\$95	None	Wyoming Supreme Court Filing Fees Set by Supreme Court Order	N/A	N/A	N/A	Filing fee breakdown: \$10 Court Automation Fee + \$10 Indigent Civil Legal Services Fee (W.S.A. §5-2-202) + remainder of filing fee established by Supreme Court Order