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§ 41. Number and composition of circuits

The thirteen judicial circuits of the United States are constituted as follows:

Circuits	Composition
District of Columbia .....	District of Columbia.
First .....	Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island.
Second .....	Connecticut, New York, Vermont.
Third .....	Delaware, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virgin Islands.
Fourth .....	Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.
Fifth .....	District of the Canal Zone, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas.
Sixth .....	Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, Tennessee.
Seventh .....	Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin.
Eighth .....	Arkansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota.
Ninth .....	Alaska, Arizona, California, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, Guam, Hawaii.
Tenth .....	Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Utah, Wyoming.
Eleventh .....	Alabama, Florida, Georgia.
Federal .....	All Federal judicial districts.

**HISTORY:**

(June 25, 1948, ch 646, § 1, 62 Stat. 870; Oct. 31, 1951, ch 655, § 34, 65 Stat. 723; Oct. 14, 1980, P.L. 96-452, § 2,  
94 Stat. 1994; April 2, 1982, P.L. 97-164, Title I, Part A, § 101, 96 Stat. 25.)