



Judicial Salaries by Salary Group (effective 1 April 2022)

| Salary Group | Annual Full Time Salary |
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| 1 | £275,534 |
| 1.1 | £246,034 |
| 2 | £237,639 |
| 3 | £225,978 |
| 4 | £198,459 |
| 5 | £159,163 |
| 5.1 | £153,285 |
| 5.2 | £147,388 |
| 6 | £138,759 |
| 7 | £118,237 |
| 8 | £93,954 |

The table above provides an overview of judicial salaries from 1 April 2022. The table below specifies which judicial offices fall within each group in the salary scale and where different salary arrangements are in place for individual judicial offices.

Judicial Salaries by Post (effective 1 April 2022)

| Judge Title and Salary Group | Amount (£) |
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| Salary Group 1 | |
| Lord Chief Justice | 275,534 |

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| Salary Group 1.1 | |
| Lady Chief Justice of Northern Ireland | 246,034 |
| Lord President of the Court of Session (Scotland) | 246,034 |
| Master of the Rolls | 246,034 |
| President of the Supreme Court | 246,034 |

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| Salary Group 2 | |
| Chancellor of the High Court | 237,639 |
| Deputy President of the Supreme Court | 237,639 |
| Justices of the Supreme Court | 237,639 |
| Lord Justice Clerk (Scotland) | 237,639 |
| President of the Family Division | 237,639 |
| President of the King's Bench Division | 237,639 |
| Senior President of Tribunals | 237,639 |

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| Salary Group 3 | |
| Inner House Judges of the Court of Session (Scotland), including: | 225,978 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President of Scottish Tribunals | |
| Lords/Lady Justices of Appeal, including: | 225,978 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Presiding Judge • Deputy Senior Presiding Judge • Deputy Head of Civil Justice • Vice President of the Court of Appeal (Civil Division) • Vice President King's Bench Division | |
| Lords/Lady Justices of Appeal (Northern Ireland) | 225,978 |

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| Salary Group 4 | |
| Puisne Judge of the High Court, including: | 198,459 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presiding Judge • Family Division Liaison Judge • Chancery Supervising Judge / Business & Property Courts Supervising Judge • President of the Employment Appeal Tribunal • President of the Upper Tribunal (Administrative Appeals, Immigration & Asylum, Tax & Chancery, Lands) | |
| Vice-Chancellor of the County Palatine of Lancaster | 198,459 |
| Puisne Judge of the High Court (Northern Ireland) | 198,459 |
| Outer House Judges of the Court of Session (Scotland) | 198,459 |

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| Salary Group 5 | |
| Chair of the Scottish Land Court / President, Lands Tribunal for Scotland | 159,163 |
| Chamber Presidents of First-tier Tribunals | 159,163 |
| Chief Social Security Commissioner and Child Support Commissioner (Northern Ireland) | 159,163 |

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| Senior Circuit Judge, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCJ at the Central Criminal Court in London (Old Bailey Judges) • Specialist Circuit Judges, Chancery, Circuit Commercial, Patents (IPEC) & Technology & Construction Courtⁱ • Designated Civil Judge • Designated Family Judge • Resident Judge • Recorder of Liverpool • Recorder of Manchester | 159,163 |
| Judge Advocate General | 159,163 |
| Circuit Judge of the Employment Appeals Tribunal | 159,163 |
| President, Employment Tribunals (England & Wales) | 159,163 |
| President, Employment Tribunals (Scotland) | 159,163 |
| Recorder of Belfast ⁱⁱ (Northern Ireland) | 159,163 |
| Senior District Judge (Chief Magistrate) | 159,163 |
| Sheriffs Principal (Scotland) | 159,163 |
| Judges of the Business and Property Courts | 159,163 |
| Vice Presidents of the Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) | 159,163 |
| Deputy Chamber President, Upper Tribunal Lands | 159,163 |

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| Salary Group 5.1 | |
| Senior Masters and Registrars, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief Insolvency and Companies Court Judge • Chief Chancery Master • Senior Master – King's Bench Division • Senior Costs Judge | 153,285 |
| Upper Tribunal Judge, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Administrative Appeals Chamber • Immigration and Asylum Chamber • Lands Chamber • Tax and Chancery Chamber | 153,285 |
| Surveyor Member, Upper Tribunal (Lands) | 153,285 |
| Social Security and Child Support Commissioner (Northern Ireland) | 153,285 |
| Deputy Chamber President, Health, Education & Social Care Chamber | 153,285 |

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| Salary Group 5.2 | |
| Circuit Judge, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designated Civil Judgeⁱⁱⁱ • Designated Family Judgeⁱⁱⁱ • Resident Judgeⁱⁱⁱ | 147,388 |
| County Court Judge (Northern Ireland) ^{iv} | 159,163 |
| Deputy Chair of the Scottish Land Court | 147,388 |
| Senior Judge of the Court of Protection | 147,388 |
| Regional Judge (First Tier Tribunal), including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional Tribunal Judge Social Entitlement Chamber • Resident Judge, Asylum and Immigration Chamber | 147,388 |
| Regional Employment Judge | 147,388 |
| Registrar of Criminal Appeals | 147,388 |
| President, Appeal Tribunals (Northern Ireland) | 147,388 |
| President, Industrial Tribunals and Fair Employment Tribunal (Northern Ireland) | 147,388 |

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| President, Lands Tribunal Northern Ireland ^v | 147,388 |
| Sheriffs (Scotland) | 147,388 |
| Vice-President, Employment Tribunal (Scotland) | 147,388 |
| President, Mental Health Review Tribunal (Wales) | 147,388 |
| Deputy Senior District Judge (Magistrates' Courts) | 147,388 |
| Masters and Cost Judges of the Senior Courts, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master of the King's Bench Division • Chancery Division • Cost Judges of the Senior Courts (Taxing Masters) | 147,388 |
| Insolvency and Company Court Judges (Formerly Bankruptcy Registrar) | 147,388 |
| Principal Judge, First-tier Tribunal, Property Chamber | 147,388 |
| Legal Member, Lands Tribunal for Scotland | 147,388 |
| Masters of the Court of Judicature (Northern Ireland) | 147,388 |
| Presiding Master of the Court of Judicature (Northern Ireland) | 147,388 |
| Surveyor Member, Lands Tribunal (Northern Ireland) | 147,388 |

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| Salary Group 6 | |
| Designated Judge, First Tier Tribunal, Immigration & Asylum Chamber | 138,759 |
| Surveyor Member, Lands Tribunal for Scotland | 138,759 |
| Vice-Judge Advocate General | 138,759 |
| Vice-President, Industrial Tribunals and Fair Employment Tribunal (Northern Ireland) | 138,759 |
| Regional Judge, First-tier Tribunal, Property Chamber | 138,759 |
| Presiding District Judge (Magistrates' Courts) (Northern Ireland) | 138,759 |

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| Salary Group 7^{vi} | |
| Assistant Judge Advocate General | 118,237 |
| Employment Judge (Northern Ireland) | 118,237 |
| Chief Medical Member, First-tier Tribunal, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Entitlement Chamber • Health, Education & Social Care Chamber | 118,237 |
| Presiding Coroner (Northern Ireland) ^{vii} | 118,237 |
| Coroner (Northern Ireland) | 118,237 |
| District Judge | 118,237 |
| District Judge (Northern Ireland) | 118,237 |
| District Judge (Magistrates' Courts) | 118,237 |
| District Judge (Magistrates' Courts) (Northern Ireland) | 118,237 |
| Employment Judge (England and Wales, Scotland) | 118,237 |
| Judge of the First-tier Tribunal, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deputy Regional Judge • Regional Surveyor | 118,237 |
| Presiding District Judge (Northern Ireland) | 118,237 |
| Full-time Salaried Legal Member of the Appeal Tribunals (Chair) (Northern Ireland) | 118,237 |
| Summary Sheriff (Scotland) | 118,237 |

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| Salary Group 8 | |
| Salaried (Regional) Medical Members, Social Entitlement Chamber ^{viii} | 93,954 |

ⁱ Chancery, Patents, Mercantile, and Technology and Construction Court Judges

ⁱⁱ The current post-holder receives a salary of 108% of Group 5

ⁱⁱⁱ Post holders are paid an allowance of 4% of salary whilst performing this role (introduced October 2020)

^{iv} Post holders are paid the salary for Group 5 so long as they are required to carry out significantly different work from their counterparts elsewhere in the UK

^v The office of President, Lands Tribunal (Northern Ireland) is situated in salary group 5.2; the post is currently held by a High Court Judge

^{vi} Group 7 post-holders in London are paid an additional £2,000 salary lead and an additional £2,000 London allowance

^{vii} The office of Presiding Coroner (Northern Ireland) is situated in salary group 7; the post is currently held by a High Court Judge.

^{viii} Salaried medical members receive the full time equivalent of their daily fee rate

^{ix} Includes Deputy Regional Judge and Regional Surveyor in Property Chamber