

# Difference Between High Court and Supreme Court

The Supreme Court is the highest judicial authority in India, and it is directed by the Chief Justice of India. The headquarters of the Supreme Court is located in New Delhi. Supreme Court has more power than the High Court. The judges of the Supreme Court are appointed by the President of India.

The High Court is the highest judicial body of the state of Union Territory. It consists of the chief justice and several other judges, and they are selected by the President of India. Let's Take a look at the Difference Between High Court and Supreme Court in brief below.

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We have mentioned the Difference Between High Court and Supreme Court based on various factors below.

Factors	Supreme Court	High Court
Level	Apex Judicial Body	→Intermediate Level of Court and comes under the Supreme Court →The highest court at State or UT level
No. of Courts	Only one	→There can be one High Court for two or more states based on the area of jurisdiction. →25 High Courts in India.
Located in	Capital of India, New Delhi	Present in their respective states
Appeal	Supreme Court provides the final verdict on the appeal	High Court decisions can be challenged, and the appeal can be taken to the Supreme Court.

Judges	32 judges, out of which one is the Chief Justice of India	1104 judges, out of which 271 are additional judges and 833 are permanent. The High court is headed by one chief justice of the state, appointed by the Governor
Head of the Court	Chief Justice of India	Chief Justice of State
Judges Appointed By	The President of India	The President of India on the consultation of the Chief Justice of India and the State Governor.
Judge Retirement Age	65 Years	62 Years
Article of the Constitution Followed to Deal with Writs	Article 32	Article 226

## Key Difference Between High Court and Supreme Court

The judicial system is an important part of the country. In India, there are several levels of the judicial system at the district, state, and national levels. The Supreme Court is the apex body of the judicial system. This is followed by the High Courts and District Courts. The Difference Between High Court and Supreme Court is due to the levels of the judiciary system. The judicial system of India is a part of the UPSC Syllabus, and questions related to the High Court Vs Supreme Court can be asked in the IAS Exam, which is why candidates must have a clear picture of the Difference Between the High Court and the Supreme Court.