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THE JUDICIAL BRANCH

Research the following elements of the judicial branch to complete the table.



ROLES AND STRUCTURE	
What is the role of the judicial branch?	
What are the three types of federal courts?	
FEDERAL JUDGES	
How does a federal judge get in office?	
How long can someone serve as a federal judge?	
THE SUPREME COURT	
What is the Supreme Court?	
How many judges are on the Supreme Court? What are they called?	
What main power does the Supreme Court have? Describe this power.	
CHECKS AND BALANCES	
Give an example of how the Supreme Court can keep the president in check.	
Give an example of how the Supreme Court can keep Congress in check.	