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Members Who Have Served in the U.S. Congress 30 Years or More

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Summary

This report identifies those 234 Members of Congress whose service in the House or Senate, or both, has been 30 years or more. The information provided is current through July 7, 2007.

To place this information in perspective, it should be noted that some 11,814 individuals have served in Congress since 1789. Excluding Delegates and Resident Commissioners, this includes 9,919 persons who have served only in the House, 1,250 persons who have served only in the Senate, and 645 who have served in both houses.

Of the names listed here, 137 have spent all of their congressional careers in the House; 27 have spent all of their careers in the Senate; and 70 have had combined service in the House and Senate to achieve 30 or more years of service. Three women are included in the listing. Seventeen incumbent Senators and 17 incumbent Representatives have served 30 years or longer.

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This report contains the names of all Members of the United States Congress who have served 30 or more years, as of January 3, 2006. The names are listed in order of length of congressional service. Party affiliation, state(s) represented, service in the House or Senate, or both, and total length of congressional service are provided for each Member.

As of July 7, 2007, a total of 234 individuals have served 30 or more years in Congress. To place this figure in perspective, it should be noted that 11,814 individuals have served in Congress since 1789.¹ It is of further interest to note that only nine of the 234 individuals with 30 or more years of service served during the 18th and 19th centuries. The remaining 225 served entirely during the 20th century, partially in the 19th century and partially in the 20th century, or partially in the 20th century and partially in the 21st century. Seventeen incumbent Senators and 17 incumbent Representatives have served 30 years or longer. Their names are listed in boldface type. Three women are included in the list. All served in the 20th century, and their names are listed in italics.

In compiling the list, leap year days were calculated separately and added to a Member's years, months, and days of service. In addition, for Members who served part of any year, the figure of 30 days was used to calculate the number of days in a month when converting days into months. For example, if a Member served 30 years, eight months, and 36 days, 30 of the 36 days were used to constitute a month so that the end result for this hypothetical Member would be 30 years, nine months, and six days.

The sources for this compilation include a similar list appearing in "Service Time of Congressmen," *Congressional Record*, vol. 113, March 9, 1967, pp. 6191-6193, which contained numerous inaccuracies, the *Biographical Directory of the American Congress, 1774-2005*, and various editions of the *Congressional Directory* (Washington: GPO).

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(as of July 7, 2007)

Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Carl T. Hayden	1	(D-AZ)	House Senate	Feb. 19, 1912-Mar. 3, 1927 Mar. 4, 1927-Jan. 3, 1969	(15 yrs., 17 days) (41 yrs., 10 mos., 11 days)	56 yrs., 10 mos., 28 days
Robert C. Byrd	2	(D-WV)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1959 Jan. 3, 1959-	(6 yrs., 1 day) (48 yrs., 6 mos., 16 days)	54 yrs., 6 mos., 17 days
Jamie L. Whitten	3	(D-MS)	House	Nov. 4, 1941-Jan. 3, 1995	(53 yrs., 2 mos., 13 days)	53 yrs., 2 mos., 13 days
John Dingell, Jr.	4	(D-MI)	House	Dec. 13, 1955-	(51 yrs., 7 mos, 7 days)	51 yrs., 7 mos., 7 days
Carl Vinson	5	(D-GA)	House	Nov. 3, 1914-Jan. 3, 1965	(50 yrs., 2 mos., 13 days)	50 yrs., 2 mos., 13 days
Emanuel Celler	6	(D-NY)	House	Mar. 4, 1923-Jan. 3, 1973	(49 yrs., 10 mos., 13 days)	49 yrs., 10 mos., 13 days
Sam T. Rayburn	7	(D-TX)	House	Mar. 4, 1913-Nov. 16, 1961	(48 yrs., 8 mos., 25 days)	48 yrs., 8 mos., 25 days
Sidney Yates	8	(D-IL)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1963 Jan. 3, 1965-Jan 3, 1999	(14 yrs., 3 days) (34 yrs., 8 days)	48 yrs., 11 days
Daniel Inouye	9	(D-HI)	House Senate	Aug. 21, 1959-Jan. 3, 1963 Jan. 3, 1963-	(3 yrs., 4 mos., 14 days) (44 yrs., 6 mos., 15 days)	47 yrs., 10 mos., 29 days
Strom Thurmond	10	(D-SC) (R-SC)	Senate	Dec. 24, 1954-Apr. 4, 1956 Nov. 7, 1956-Jan. 3, 2003	(47 yrs., 5 mos., 19 days)	47 yrs., 5 mos., 19 days
Wright Patman	11	(D-TX)	House	Mar. 4, 1929-Mar. 7, 1976	(47 yrs., 15 days)	47 yrs., 15 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Joseph G. Cannon	12	(R-IL)	House	Mar. 4, 1873-Mar. 3, 1891 Mar. 4, 1893-Mar. 3, 1913 Mar. 4, 1915-Mar. 3, 1923	(18 yrs., 4 days) (20 yrs., 4 days) (8 yrs., 2 days)	46 yrs., 10 days
Adolph J. Sabath	13	(D-IL)	House	Mar. 4, 1907-Nov. 6, 1952	(45 yrs., 8 mos., 14 days)	45 yrs., 8 mos., 14 days
J. Lister Hill	14	(D-AL)	House Senate	Aug. 14, 1923-Jan. 11, 1938 Jan. 11, 1938-Jan. 3, 1969	(14 yrs., 5 mos., 3 days) (31 yrs., 1 day)	45 yrs., 5 mos. 4 days
Edward M. Kennedy	15	(D-MA)	Senate	Nov. 7, 1962-	(44 yrs., 8 mos., 11 days)	44 yrs., 8 mos., 11 days
Charles E. Bennett	16	(D-FL)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1993	(44 yrs., 11 days)	44 yrs., 11 days
George H. Mahon	16	(D-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1935-Jan. 3, 1979	(44 yrs., 11 days)	44 yrs., 11 days
Warren G. Magnuson	18	(D-WA)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1937-Dec. 13, 1944 Dec. 14, 1944-Jan. 3, 1981	(7 yrs., 11 mos., 13 days) (36 yrs., 26 days)	44 yrs., 9 days
Justin S. Morrill	19	(R-VT)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1855-Mar. 3, 1867 Mar. 4, 1867-Dec. 28, 1898	(12 yrs., 3 days) (31 yrs., 10 mos., 3 days)	43 yrs., 10 mos., 6 days
William B. Allison	20	(R-IA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1863-Mar. 3, 1871 Mar. 4, 1873-Aug. 4, 1908	(8 yrs., 2 days) (35 yrs., 5 mos., 8 days)	43 yrs., 5 mos., 10 days
Melvin Price	21	(D-IL)	House	Jan. 3, 1945-April 22, 1988	(43 yrs., 4 mos.)	43 yrs., 4 mos.
Henry M. Jackson	22	(D-WA)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1941-Jan. 3, 1953 Jan. 3, 1953-Sept. 1, 1983	(12 yrs., 3 days) (30 yrs., 8 mos., 6 days)	42 yrs., 8 mos., 9 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Carter Glass	23	(D-VA)	House Senate	Nov. 4, 1902-Dec. 16, 1918 Feb. 2, 1920-May 28, 1946	(16 yrs., 1 mo., 17 days) (26 yrs., 4 mos., 4 days)	42 yrs., 5 mos., 21 days
John W. McCormack	24	(D-MA)	House	Nov. 6, 1928-Jan. 3, 1971	(42 yrs., 2 mos., 9 days)	42 yrs., 2 mos., 9 days
John Conyers, Jr.	25	(D-MI)	House	Jan. 3, 1965-	(42 yrs., 14 days)	42 yrs., 14 days
Jack Brooks	26	(D-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1995	(42 yrs., 10 days)	42 yrs., 10 days
John J. Sparkman	26	(D-AL)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1937-Nov. 5, 1946 Nov. 6, 1946-Jan. 3, 1979	(9 yrs., 10 mos., 5 days) (32 yrs., 2 mos., 5 days)	42 yrs., 10 days
W.R. Poage	26	(D-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1937-Jan. 3, 1979	(42 yrs., 10 days)	42 yrs., 10 days
Robert L. Doughton	29	(D-NC)	House	Mar. 4, 1911-Jan. 3, 1953	(41 yrs., 10 mos., 11 days)	41 yrs., 10 mos., 11 days
Joseph W. Martin	30	(R-MA)	House	Mar. 4, 1925-Jan. 3, 1967	(41 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days)	41 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days
Clarence A. Cannon	31	(D-MO)	House	Mar. 4, 1923-May 12, 1964	(41 yrs., 2 mos., 20 days)	41 yrs., 2 mos., 20 days
John C. Stennis	32	(D-MS)	Senate	Nov. 5, 1947-Jan. 3, 1989	(41 yrs., 2 mos., 10 days)	41 yrs., 2 mos., 10 days
Kenneth D. McKellar	33	(D-TN)	House Senate	Nov. 9, 1911-Mar. 3, 1917 Mar. 4, 1917-Jan. 3, 1953	(5 yrs., 3 mos., 25 days) (35 yrs., 10 mos., 9 days)	41 yrs., 2 mos., 4 days
William Natcher	34	(D-KY)	House	Aug. 1, 1953-Mar. 29, 1994	(40 yrs., 8 mos., 8 days)	40 yrs., 8 mos., 8 days
Claude Pepper	35	(D-FL)	Senate House	Nov. 4, 1936-Jan. 3, 1951 Jan. 3, 1963-May 27, 1989	(14 yrs., 2 mos., 3 days) (26 yrs., 5 mos., 1 day)	40 yrs., 7 mos., 4 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
William P. Fyre	36	(R-ME)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1871-Mar. 17, 1881 Mar. 18, 1881-Aug. 8 1911	(10 yrs., 17 days) (30 yrs., 4 mos., 28 days)	40 yrs., 5 mos., 15 days
Carl T. Curtis	37	(R-NE)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1939-Dec. 31, 1954 Jan. 1, 1955-Jan. 3, 1979	(16 yrs., 3 days) (24 yrs., 9 days)	40 yrs., 12 days
Leslie C. Arends	38	(R-IL)	House	Jan. 3, 1935-Jan. 3, 1975	(40 yrs., 10 days)	40 yrs., 10 days
Peter W. Rodino, Jr.	38	(D-NJ)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1989	(40 yrs., 10 days)	40 yrs., 10 days
Jennings Randolph	40	(D-WV)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1933-Jan. 3, 1947 Nov. 5, 1958-Jan. 3, 1985	(13 yrs., 10 mos., 3 days) (26 yrs., 2 mos., 6 days)	40 yrs., 9 days
Eugene Hale	41	(R-ME)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1869-Mar. 3, 1879 Mar. 4, 1881-Mar. 3, 1911	(10 yrs., 2 days) (30 yrs., 6 days)	40 yrs., 8 days
Daniel A. Reed	42	(R-NY)	House	Mar. 4, 1919-Feb. 19, 1959	(39 yrs., 11 mos., 26 days)	39 yrs., 11 mos., 26 days
George W. Norris	43	(R-NE)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1903-Mar. 3, 1913 Mar. 4, 1913-Jan. 3, 1943	(10 yrs., 3 days) (29 yrs., 10 mos., 7 days)	39 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days
John Taber	43	(R-NY)	House	Mar. 4, 1923-Jan. 3, 1963	(39 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days)	39 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days
William M. Colmer	43	(D-MS)	House	Mar. 4, 1933-Jan. 3, 1973	(39 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days)	39 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days
Samuel Smith	46	(D-MD)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1793-Mar. 3, 1803 Jan. 31, 1816-Dec. 17, 1822 Mar. 4, 1803-Mar. 3, 1815 Dec. 17, 1822-Mar. 3, 1833	(10 yrs., 1 day) (6 yrs., 10 mos., 20 days) (12 yrs., 2 days) (10 yrs., 2 mos., 18 days)	39 yrs., 1 mo., 11 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
John L. McClellan	47	(D-AR)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1935-Jan. 3, 1939 Jan. 3, 1943-Nov. 28, 1977	(4 yrs., 1 day) (34 yrs., 11 mos., 4 days)	38 yrs., 11 mos., 5 days
Ted Stevens	48	(R-AK)	Senate	Dec. 24, 1968-	(38 yrs., 6 mos., 22 days)	38 yrs., 6 mos., 22 days)
David Obey	49	(D-WI)	House	April 1, 1969-	(38 yrs., 3 mos., 15 days)	38 yrs., 3 mos., 15 days)
Morris Sheppard	50	(D-TX)	House Senate	Nov. 15, 1902-Feb. 3, 1913 Feb. 3, 1913-Apr. 9, 1941	(10 yrs., 2 mos., 22 days) (28 yrs., 2 mos., 14 days)	38 yrs., 5 mos., 6 days
Ernest F. Hollings	51	(D-SC)	Senate	Nov. 9, 1966-Jan. 3, 2005	(38 yrs., 2 mos., 5 days)	38 yrs., 2 mos., 5 days
Richard B. Russell	52	(D-GA)	Senate	Jan. 12, 1933-Jan. 21, 1971	(38 yrs., 19 days)	38 yrs., 19 days
John Sherman	53	(R-OH)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1855-Mar. 21, 1861 Mar. 21, 1861-Mar. 8, 1877 Mar. 4, 1881-Mar. 4, 1897	(6 yrs., 20 days) (15 yrs., 11 mos., 19 days) (16 yrs., 5 days)	38 yrs., 14 days
Russell B. Long	54	(D-LA)	Senate	Dec. 31, 1948-Jan. 3, 1987	(38 yrs., 12 days)	38 yrs., 12 days
Dante B. Fascell	55	(D-FL)	House	Jan. 3, 1955-Jan. 3, 1993	(38 yrs., 10 days)	38 yrs., 10 days
Wilbur D. Mills	55	(D-AR)	House	Jan. 3, 1939-Jan. 3, 1977	(38 yrs., 10 days)	38 yrs., 10 days
Robert Michel	57	(R-IL)	House	Jan. 3, 1957-Jan. 3, 1995	(38 yrs., 9 days)	38 yrs., 9 days
Frederick H. Gillett	58	(R-MA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1893-Mar. 3, 1925 Mar. 4, 1925-Mar. 3, 1931	(32 yrs., 7 days) (6 yrs., 1 day)	38 yrs., 8 days
Robert Crosser	59	(D-OH)	House	Mar. 4, 1913-Mar. 3, 1919 Mar. 4, 1923-Jan. 3, 1955	(6 yrs., 1 day) (31 yrs., 10 mos., 9 days)	37 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Robert L. F. Sikes	60	(D-FL)	House	Jan. 3, 1941-Oct. 19, 1944 Jan. 3, 1945-Jan. 3, 1979	(3 yrs., 9 mos., 18 days) (34 yrs., 8 days)	37 yrs., 9 mos., 26 days
Nathaniel Macon	61	(D-NC)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1791-Dec. 13, 1815 Dec. 13, 1815-Nov. 14, 1828	(24 yrs., 9 mos., 14 days) (12 yrs., 11 mos., 16 days)	37 yrs., 9 mos.
Henry Cabot Lodge	62	(R-MA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1887-Mar. 3, 1893 Mar. 4, 1893-Nov. 9, 1924	(6 yrs., 2 days) (31 yrs., 8 mos., 12 days)	37 yrs., 8 mos., 14 days
Alben W. Barkley	63	(D-KY)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1913-Mar. 3, 1927 Mar. 4, 1927-Jan. 19, 1949 Jan. 3, 1955-Apr. 30, 1956	(14 yrs., 3 days) (21 yrs., 10 mos., 22 days) (1 yr., 3 mos., 29 days)	37 yrs., 2 mos., 24 days
Henry Gonzalez	64	(D-TX)	House	Nov. 4, 1961-Jan. 3, 1999	(37 yrs., 2 mos., 9 days)	37 yrs., 2 mos., 9 days
Francis E. Warren	65	(R-WY)	Senate	Nov. 18, 1890-Mar. 4, 1893 Mar. 4, 1895-Nov. 24, 1929	(2 yrs., 3 mos., 17 days) (34 yrs., 8 mos., 28 days)	37 yrs., 15 days
Charles B. Rangel	66	(D-NY)	House	Jan. 3, 1971-	(36 yrs., 6 mos., 13 days)	36 yrs., 6 mos., 13 days)
C. W. (Bill) Young	66	(R-FL)	House	Jan. 3, 1971-	(36 yrs., 6 mos., 13 days)	36 yrs., 6 mos., 13 days)
James O. Eastland	68	(D-MS)	Senate	June 30, 1941-Sept. 28, 1941 Jan. 3, 1943-Dec. 27, 1978	(2 mos., 29 days) (36 yrs., 2 days)	36 yrs., 3 mos., 1 day
Edward Boland	69	(D-MA)	House	Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1989	(36 yrs., 9 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
Henry L. Dawes	69	(R-MA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1857-Mar. 3, 1875 Mar. 4, 1875-Mar. 3, 1893	(18 yrs., 4 days) (18 yrs., 5 days)	36 yrs., 9 days

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William Broomfield	69	(R-MI)	House	Jan. 3, 1957-Jan. 3, 1993	(36 yrs., 9 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
Dan Rostenkowski	69	(D-IL)	House	Jan. 3, 1959-Jan. 3, 1995	(36 yrs., 9 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
Neal Smith	69	(R-IA)	House	Jan. 3, 1959-Jan. 3, 1995	(36 yrs., 9 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
F. Edward Herbert	69	(D-LA)	House	Jan. 3, 1941-Jan. 3, 1977	(36 yrs., 9 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
Claiborne Pell	69	(D-RI)	Senate	Jan. 3, 1961-Jan. 3, 1997	(36 yrs., 9 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
Joseph McDade	69	(R-PA)	House	Jan. 3, 1963-Jan. 3, 1999	(36 yrs., 9 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
Paul S. Sarbanes	69	(D-MD)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1971-Jan. 3, 1977 Jan. 3, 1977-Jan. 3, 2007	(6 yrs., 2 days) (30 yrs., 7 days)	36 yrs., 9 days
Shelby M. Cullom	78	(R-IL)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1865-Mar. 3, 1871 Mar. 4, 1883-Mar. 3, 1913	(6 yrs., 1 day) (30 yrs., 7 days)	36 yrs., 8 days
Henry A. Cooper	79	(R-WI)	House	Mar. 4, 1893-Mar. 3, 1919 Mar. 4, 1921-Mar. 1, 1931	(26 yrs., 5 days) (9 yrs., 11 mos., 28 days)	36 yrs., 3 days
Thomas T. Connally	80	(D-TX)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1917-Mar. 3, 1929 Mar. 4, 1929-Jan. 3, 1953	(12 yrs., 3 days) (23 yrs., 10 mos., 6 days)	35 yrs., 10 mos., 9 days
Howard W. Smith	80	(D-VA)	House	Mar. 4, 1931-Jan. 3, 1967	(35 yrs., 10 mos., 9 days)	35 yrs., 10 mos., 9 days
Milton Young	82	(R-ND)	Senate	Mar. 12, 1945-Jan. 3 1981	(35 yrs., 9 mos., 28 days)	35 yrs., 9 mos., 28 days
Ellison D. Smith	83	(D-SC)	Senate	Mar. 4, 1909-Nov. 17, 1944	(35 yrs., 8 mos., 23 days)	35 yrs., 8 mos., 23 days
Carl D. Perkins	84	(D-KY)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Aug. 3, 1984	(35 yrs., 7 mos., 9 days)	35 yrs., 7 mos., 9 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
George F. Hoar	85	(R-MA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1869-Mar. 3, 1877 Mar. 4, 1877-Sept. 30, 1904	(8 yrs., 2 days) (27 yrs., 7 mos., 2 days)	35 yrs., 7 mos., 4 days
Allen J. Ellender	85	(D-LA)	Senate	Jan. 3, 1937-July 27, 1972	(35 yrs., 7 mos., 4 days)	35 yrs., 7 mos., 4 days
Claude A. Swanson	87	(D-VA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1893-Jan. 30, 1906 Aug. 1, 1910-Mar. 3, 1933	(12 yrs., 10 mos., 28 days) (22 yrs., 7 mos., 8 days)	35 yrs., 6 mos., 6 days
Robert J. Dole	88	(R-KS)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1961-Jan. 3, 1969 Jan. 3, 1969-June 11, 1996	(8 yrs., 2 days) (27 yrs., 5 mos., 9 days)	35 yrs., 5 mos., 11 days
Phillip Crane	89	(R-IL)	House	Nov. 25, 1969-Jan. 3, 2005	(35 yrs., 3 mos., 15 days)	35 yrs., 3 mos., 15 days
<i>Edith N. Rogers</i>	90	(R-MA)	House	June 30, 1925-Sept. 10, 1960	(35 yrs., 2 mos., 20 days)	<i>35 yrs., 2 mos., 20 days</i>
Clement J. Zablocki	91	(D-WI)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Dec. 3, 1983	(34 yrs., 11 mos., 8 days)	34 yrs., 11 mos., 8 days
George E. Brown, Jr.	92	(D-CA)	House	Jan. 3, 1963-Jan. 3, 1971 Jan. 3, 1973-July 15, 1999	(8 yrs., 2 days) (26 yrs., 6 mos., 18 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 20 days
Everett M. Dirksen	93	(R-IL)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1933-Jan. 3, 1949 Jan. 3, 1951-Sept. 7, 1969	(15 yrs., 10 mos., 4 days) (18 yrs., 8 mos., 10 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 14 days
Thad Cochran	94	(R-MS)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1973-Dec. 26, 1978 Dec. 27, 1978-	(5 yrs., 11 mos., 24 days) (28 yrs., 6 mos., 18 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Trent Lott	94	(R-MS)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1973-Jan. 3, 1989 Jan. 3, 1989-	(16 yrs., 4 days) (18 yrs., 6 mos., 8 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days

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Joseph R. Biden	94	(D-DE)	Senate	Jan. 3, 1973-	(34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Pete V. Domenici	94	(R-NM)	Senate	Jan. 3, 1973-	(34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Ralph Regula	94	(R-OH)	House	Jan. 3, 1973-	(34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Fortney (Pete) Stark	94	(D-CA)	House	Jan. 3, 1973-	(34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
James C. Wright	100	(D-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1955-June 30, 1989	(34 yrs., 6 mos., 6 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 6 days
William R. King	101	(NP-NC)	House	Mar. 4, 1811-Nov. 4, 1816	(5 yrs., 8 mos., 3 days)	34 yrs., 6 mos., 3 days
		(D-AL)	Senate	Dec. 14, 1819-Apr. 15, 1844 July 1, 1848-Dec. 20, 1852	(24 yrs., 4 mos., 9 days) (4 yrs., 5 mos., 21 days)	
Don Young	102	(R-AK)	House	Mar. 6, 1973-	(34 yrs., 4 mos., 9 days)	34 yrs., 4 mos., 9 days
Matthew M. Neely	103	(D-WV)	House Senate	Oct. 14, 1913-Mar. 3, 1921 Jan. 3, 1945-Jan. 3, 1947 Mar. 4, 1923-Mar. 3, 1929 Mar. 4, 1931-Jan. 12, 1941 Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 18, 1958)	(7 yrs., 4 mos., 20 days) (2 yrs.) (6 yrs., 2 days) (9 yrs., 10 mos., 12 days) (9 yrs., 18 days)	34 yrs., 3 mos., 22 days
Joseph T. Robinson	104	(D-AR)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1903-Jan. 14, 1913 Mar. 4, 1913-July 14, 1937	(9 yrs., 10 mos., 14 days) (24 yrs., 4 mos., 17 days)	34 yrs., 3 mos., 1 day
Knut Nelson	105	(R-MN)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1883-Mar. 3, 1889 Mar. 4, 1895-Apr. 28, 1923	(6 yrs., 2 days) (28 yrs., 2 mos., 1 day)	34 yrs., 2 mos., 3 days
Walter F. George	106	(D-GA)	Senate	Nov. 22, 1922-Jan. 3, 1957	(34 yrs., 1 mo., 21 days)	34 yrs., 1 mo., 21 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Brazilla C. Reece	107	(R-TN)	House	Mar. 4, 1921-Mar. 3, 1931 Mar. 4, 1933-Jan. 3, 1947 Jan. 3, 1951-Mar. 19, 1961	(10 yrs., 2 days) (13 yrs., 10 mos., 4 days) (10 yrs., 2 mos., 20 days)	34 yrs., 26 days
Karl E. Mundt	108	(R-SD)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1939-Dec. 30, 1948 Dec. 31, 1948-Jan. 3, 1973	(10 yrs., 1 day) (24 yrs., 9 days)	34 yrs., 10 days
Michael J. Mansfield	108	(D-MT)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1943-Jan. 3, 1953 Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1977	(10 yrs., 4 days) (24 yrs., 6 days)	34 yrs., 10 days
Hugh D. Scott, Jr.	108	(R-PA)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1941-Jan. 3, 1945 Jan. 3, 1947-Jan. 3, 1959 Jan. 3, 1959-Jan. 3, 1977	(4 yrs., 1 day); (12 yrs., 4 days) (18 yrs., 5 days)	34 yrs., 10 days
John L. McMillan	111	(D-SC)	House	Jan. 3, 1939-Jan. 3, 1973	(34 yrs., 9 days)	34 yrs., 9 days
Ray J. Madden	111	(D-IN)	House	Jan. 3, 1943-Jan. 3, 1977	(34 yrs., 9 days)	34 yrs., 9 days
Sam M. Gibbons	111	(D-FL)	House	Jan. 3, 1963-Jan. 3, 1997	(34 yrs., 9 days)	34 yrs., 9 days
James Quillen	111	(R-TN)	House	Jan. 3, 1963-Jan. 3, 1997	(34 yrs., 9 days)	34 yrs., 9 days
William V. Roth	111	(R-DE)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1967-Jan. 3, 1971 Jan. 3, 1971-Jan. 3, 2001	(4 yrs., 1 day) (30 yrs., 8 days)	34 yrs., 9 days
Gilbert N. Haugen	116	(R-IA)	House	Mar. 4, 1899-Mar. 3, 1933	(34 yrs., 8 days)	34 yrs., 8 days
George D. Aiken	116	(R-VT)	Senate	Jan. 10, 1941-Jan. 3, 1975	(34 yrs., 8 days)	34 yrs., 8 days
Richard Bolling	116	(D-MO)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1983	(34 yrs., 8 days)	34 yrs., 8 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr.	116	(D-MA)	House	Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1987	(34 yrs., 8 days)	34 yrs., 8 days
Lee Hamilton	116	(D-IN)	House	Jan. 3, 1965-Jan. 3, 1999	(34 yrs., 8 days)	34 yrs., 8 days
Charles Curtis	121	(R-KS)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1893-Jan. 28, 1907 Jan. 29, 1909-Mar. 3, 1913 Mar. 4, 1915-Mar. 3, 1929	(13 yrs., 10 mos., 27 days) (6 yrs., 1 mo., 5 days); (14 yrs., 4 days)	34 yrs., 6 days
Charles A. Halleck	122	(R-IN)	House	Jan. 29, 1935-Jan. 3, 1969	(33 yrs., 11 mos., 15 days)	33 yrs., 11 mos., 15 days
A. Willis Robertson	123	(D-VA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1933-Nov. 5, 1946 Nov. 6, 1946-Jan. 3, 1967	(13 yrs., 8 mos., 5 days) (20 yrs., 2 mos., 4 days)	33 yrs., 10 mos., 9 days
Thomas A. Jenkins	124	(R-OH)	House	Mar. 4, 1925-Jan. 3, 1959	(33 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	33 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
Hatton W. Sumners	124	(D-TX)	House	Mar. 4, 1913-Jan. 3, 1947	(33 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	33 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
Roy O. Woodruff	126	(R-MI)	House	Mar. 4, 1913-Mar. 3, 1915 Mar. 4, 1921-Jan. 3, 1953	(2 yrs.); (31 yrs., 10 mos., 3 days)	33 yrs., 10 mos., 3 days
Wesley L. Jones	127	(R-WA)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1899-Mar. 3, 1909 Mar. 4, 1909-Nov. 19, 1932	(10 yrs., 2 days) (23 yrs., 8 mos., 22 days)	33 yrs., 8 mos., 24 days
Quentin Burdick	128	(D-ND)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1959-Aug. 8, 1960 Aug. 8, 1960-Sept. 8, 1992	(1 yr., 7 mos., 6 days) (32 yrs., 1 mo., 8 days)	33 yrs., 8 mo., 14 days
John H. Ketcham	129	(R-NY)	House	Mar. 4, 1865-Mar. 3, 1873 Mar. 4, 1877-Mar. 3, 1893 Mar. 4, 1897-Nov. 4, 1906	(8 yrs., 2 days) (16 yrs., 4 days) (9 yrs., 8 mos., 2 days)	33 yrs., 8 mos., 8 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Michael J. Kirwan	130	(D-OH)	House	Jan. 3, 1937-July 7, 1970	(33 yrs., 7 mos., 3 days)	33 yrs., 7 mos., 3 days
John Murtha	131	(D-PA)	House	Feb. 5, 1974-	(33 yrs., 5 mos., 10 days)	33 yrs., 5 mos., 10 days
Edward W. Pou	132	(D-NC)	House	Mar. 4, 1901-Apr. 1, 1934	(33 yrs., 1 mo., 7 days)	33 yrs., 1 mo., 7 days
Henry H. Bingham	133	(R-PA)	House	Mar. 4, 1879-Mar. 22, 1912	(33 yrs., 28 days)	33 yrs., 28 days
William E. Borah	134	(R-ID)	Senate	Mar. 4, 1907-Jan. 19, 1940	(32 yrs., 10 mos., 24 days)	32 yrs., 10 mos., 24 days
John H. Bankhead	135	(D-AL)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1887-Mar. 3, 1907 June 18, 1907-Mar. 1, 1920	(20 yrs., 4 days) (12 yrs., 8 mos., 16 days)	32 yrs., 8 mos., 20 days
Harry F. Byrd, Sr.	136	(D-VA)	Senate	Mar. 4, 1933-Nov. 10, 1965	(32 yrs., 8 mos., 15 days)	32 yrs., 8 mos., 15 days
Clifford P. Case	137	(R-NJ)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1945-Aug. 16, 1953 Jan. 3, 1955-Jan. 3, 1979	(8 yrs., 7 mos., 19 days) (24 yrs., 6 days)	32 yrs., 7 mos., 25 days
<i>Margaret Chase Smith</i>	138	(R-ME)	House Senate	June 3, 1940-Jan. 3, 1949 Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1973	(8 yrs., 7 mos., 2 days) (24 yrs., 6 days)	<i>32 yrs., 7 mos., 8 days</i>
Edward T. Taylor	139	(D-CO)	House	Mar. 4, 1909-Sept. 3, 1941	(32 yrs., 6 mos., 8 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 8 days
Harold D. Cooley	140	(D-NC)	House	July 7, 1934-Jan. 3, 1967	(32 yrs., 6 mos., 6 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 6 days
Max S. Baucus	141	(D-MT)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1975-Dec. 14, 1978 Dec. 15, 1978-	(3 yrs. 11 mos., 12 days) (28 yrs., 6 mos., 30 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Christopher J. Dodd	141	(D-CT)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1975-Jan. 3, 1981 Jan. 3, 1981-	(6 yrs., 2 days) (26 yrs., 6 mos., 10 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Charles E. Grassley	141	(R-IA)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1975-Jan. 3, 1981 Jan. 3, 1981-	(6 yrs., 2 days) (26 yrs., 6 mos., 10 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Thomas R. Harkin	141	(R-IA)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1975-Jan. 3, 1985 Jan. 3, 1985-	(10 yrs., 3 days) (22 yrs., 6 mos., 9 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Patrick J. Leahy	141	(D-VT)	Senate	Jan. 3, 1975-	(32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
George Miller	141	(D-CA)	House	Jan. 3, 1975-	(32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
James L. Oberstar	141	(D-MN)	House	Jan. 3, 1975-	(32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Henry A. Waxman	141	(D-CA)	House	Jan. 3, 1975-	(32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days)	32 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days
Olin E. Teague	149	(D-TX)	House	Aug. 24, 1946-Jan. 3, 1979	(32 yrs., 4 mos., 18 days)	32 yrs., 4 mos., 18 days
John Breaux	150	(D-LA)	House Senate	Oct. 12, 1972-Jan. 3, 1987 Jan. 3, 1987-Jan. 3, 2005	(14 yrs., 2 mos., 24 days) (18 yrs., 5 days)	32 yrs., 2 mos., 29 days
Silvio Conte	151	(R-MA)	House	Jan. 3, 1959-Feb. 8, 1991	(32 yrs., 1 mo., 13 days)	32 yrs., 1 mo., 13 days
William Clay	152	(D-MO)	House	Jan. 3, 1969-Jan. 3, 2001	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
Robert Kastenmeier	152	(D-WI)	House	Jan. 3, 1959-Jan. 3, 1991	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
J. William Fulbright	152	(D-AR)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1943-Jan. 3, 1945 Jan. 3, 1945-Jan. 3, 1975	(2 yrs., 1 day) (30 yrs., 7 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
Furnifold M. Simmons	152	(D-NC)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1887-Mar. 3, 1889 Mar. 4, 1901-Mar. 3, 1931	(2 yrs., 1 day) (30 yrs., 7 days)	32 yrs., 8 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Thomas E. Morgan	152	(D-PA)	House	Jan. 3, 1945-Jan. 3, 1977	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
O.C. Fisher	152	(D-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1943-Jan. 3, 1975	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
Chet E. Holifield	152	(D-CA)	House	Jan. 3, 1943-Jan. 3, 1975	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
Omar Burleson	152	(D-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1947-Jan. 3, 1979	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
H.O. Staggers, Sr.	152	(D-WV)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1981	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
Tom Steed	152	(D-OK)	House	Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1981	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
Don Edwards	152	(D-CA)	House	Jan. 3, 1963-Jan. 3, 1995	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
E. (Kika) de la Garza	152	(D-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1965-Jan. 3, 1997	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
James M. Jeffords	152	(R-VT) (R-VT) (I-VT)	House Senate Senate	Jan. 3, 1975-Jan. 3, 1989 Jan. 3, 1989-June 6, 2001 June 6, 2001-Jan. 3, 2007	(14 yrs., 4 days) (12 yrs., 5 mos., 6 days) (5 yrs., 6 mos., 28 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
Henry J. Hyde	152	(R-IL)	House	Jan. 3, 1975-Jan. 3, 2007	(32 yrs., 8 days)	32 yrs., 8 days
James J. Delaney	166	(D-NY)	House	Jan. 3, 1945-Jan. 3, 1947 Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1979	(2 yrs.) (30 yrs., 7 days)	32 yrs., 7 days
Nelson W. Aldrich	167	(R-RI)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1879-Oct. 4, 1881 Oct. 5, 1881-Mar. 3, 1911	(2 yrs., 7 mos., 2 days) (29 yrs., 5 mos., 3 days)	32 yrs., 5 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Julius C. Burrows	168	(R-MI)	House	Mar. 4, 1873-Mar. 3, 1875 Mar. 4, 1879-Mar. 3, 1883 Mar. 4, 1885-Jan. 23, 1895	(2 yrs.) (4 yrs., 1 day) (9 yrs., 10 mos., 22 days)	32 yrs., 4 days
			Senate	Jan. 24, 1895-May 3, 1911	(16 yrs., 1 mo., 11 days)	
Jacob Javits	169	(R-NY)	House	Jan. 3, 1947-Dec. 31, 1954	(8 yrs.)	32 yrs., 1 day
			Senate	Jan. 9, 1957-Jan. 3, 1981	(24 yrs., 1 day)	
Albert A. Gore, Sr.	170	(D-TN)	House	Jan. 3, 1939-Dec. 4, 1944 Jan. 3, 1945-Jan. 3, 1953	(5 yrs., 11 mos., 3 days) (8 yrs., 2 days)	31 yrs., 11 mos., 9 days
			Senate	Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1971	(18 yrs., 4 days)	
Harold Knutson	171	(R-MN)	House	Mar. 4, 1917-Jan. 3, 1949	(31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
Clarence F. Lea	171	(D-CA)	House	Mar. 4, 1917-Jan. 3, 1949	(31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
Brent Spence	171	(D-KY)	House	Mar. 4, 1931-Jan. 3, 1963	(31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
John E. Rankin	171	(D-MS)	House	Mar. 4, 1921-Jan. 3, 1953	(31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
Allen T. Treadway	171	(R-MA)	House	Mar. 4, 1913-Jan. 3, 1945	(31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
Charles Wolverton	171	(R-NJ)	House	Mar. 4, 1927-Jan. 3, 1959	(31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days)	31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
Wallace H. White	171	(R-ME)	House	Mar. 4, 1917-Mar. 3, 1931	(14 yrs., 3 days)	31 yrs., 10 mos., 8 days
			Senate	Mar. 4, 1931-Jan. 3, 1949	(17 yrs., 10 mos., 5 days)	
Schuyler O. Bland	178	(D-VA)	House	July 2, 1918-Feb. 16, 1950	(31 yrs., 7 mos., 23 days)	31 yrs., 7 mos., 23 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Thomas H. Benton	179	(D-MO)	Senate House	Aug. 10, 1821-Mar. 3, 1851 Mar. 4, 1853-Mar. 3, 1855	(29 yrs., 6 mos., 29 days) (2 yrs.)	31 yrs., 6 mos., 29 days
Joseph E. Ransdell	180	(D-LA)	House Senate	Aug. 29, 1899-Mar. 3, 1913 Mar. 4, 1913-Mar. 3, 1931	(13 yrs., 6 mos., 7 days) (18 yrs., 4 days)	31 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days
Jacob H. Gallinger	181	(R-NH)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1885-Mar. 3, 1889 Mar. 4, 1891-Aug. 17, 1918	(4 yrs., 1 day) (27 yrs., 5 mos., 20 days)	31 yrs., 5 mos., 21 days
William Proxmire	182	(D-WI)	Senate	Aug. 28, 1957-Jan. 3, 1989	(31 yrs., 4 mos., 14 days)	31 yrs., 4 mos., 14 days
Oscar Underwood	183	(D-AL)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1895-June 9, 1896 Mar. 4, 1897-Mar. 3, 1915 Mar. 4, 1915-Mar. 3, 1927	(1 yr., 3 mos., 7 days) (18 yrs., 3 days) (2 yrs., 3 days)	31 yrs., 3 mos., 13 days
Thomas S. Butler	184	(R-PA)	House	Mar. 4, 1897-May 26, 1928	(31 yrs., 2 mos., 29 days)	31 yrs., 2 mos., 29 days
Daniel J. Flood	185	(D-PA)	House	Jan. 3, 1945-Jan. 3, 1947 Jan. 3, 1949-Jan. 3, 1953 Jan. 3, 1955-Jan. 31, 1980	(2 yrs.) (4 yrs., 1 day) (25 yrs., 1 mo., 4 days)	31 yrs., 1 mo., 5 days
J. J. Pickle	186	(D-TX)	House	Dec. 21, 1963-Jan. 3, 1995	(31 yrs., 21 days)	31 yrs., 21 days
August H. Andresen	187	(R-MN)	House	Mar. 4, 1925-Mar. 3, 1933 Jan. 3, 1935-Jan. 14, 1958	(8 yrs., 2 days) (23 yrs., 18 days)	31 yrs., 20 days
Thomas Newton, Jr.	188	(D-VA)	House	Mar. 4, 1801-Mar. 9, 1830 Mar. 4, 1831-Mar. 3, 1833	(29 yrs., 12 days) (2 yrs., 1 day)	31 yrs., 13 days
William D. Ford	189	(D-MI)	House	Jan. 3, 1965-Jan. 3, 1995	(31 yrs., 7 days)	31 yrs., 7 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Edward J. Markey	190	(D-MA)	House	Nov. 2, 1976-	(30 yrs., 8 mos., 12 days)	30 yrs., 8 mos., 12 days
Theodore E. Burton	191	(R-OH)	House	Mar. 4, 1889-Mar. 3, 1891 Mar. 4, 1895-Mar. 3, 1909 Mar. 4, 1921-Dec. 15, 1928	(2 yrs.) (14 yrs., 3 days) (7 yrs., 9 mos., 13 days)	30 yrs., 8 mos.
			Senate	Mar. 4, 1909-Mar. 3, 1915 Dec. 15, 1928-Oct. 28, 1929	(6 yrs., 1 day) (10 mos., 13 days)	
Floyd D. Spence	192	(R-SC)	House	Jan. 3, 1971-August 16, 2001	(30 yrs., 7 mos., 21 days)	30 yrs., 7 mos., 21 days
John J. Rooney	193	(D-NY)	House	June 6, 1944-Jan. 3, 1975	(30 yrs., 7 mos., 4 days)	30 yrs., 7 mos., 4 days
Orrin G. Hatch	194	(R-UT)	Senate	Dec. 30, 1976-	(30 yrs., 6 mos., 14 days)	30 yrs., 6 mos., 14 days
Richard G. Lugar	194	(R-IN)	Senate	Dec. 30, 1976-	(30 yrs., 6 mos., 14 days)	30 yrs., 6 mos., 14 days
<i>Barbara A. Mikulski</i>	<i>196</i>	<i>(D-MD)</i>	<i>House</i> <i>Senate</i>	<i>Jan. 3, 1977-Jan. 3, 1987</i> <i>Jan. 3, 1987-</i>	<i>(10 yrs., 2 days)</i> <i>(20 yrs., 6 mos., 9 days)</i>	<i>30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days</i>
Daniel K. Akaka	196	(D-HI)	House Senate	Jan. 3, 1977-May 15, 1990 May 16, 1990-	(13 yrs., 4 mos., 15 days) (17 yrs., 1 mo., 25 days)	30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days
Norman D. Dicks	196	(D-WA)	House	Jan. 3, 1977-	(30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days)	30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days
Dale E. Kildee	196	(D-MI)	House	Jan. 3, 1977-	(30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days)	30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days
Nick J. Rahall	196	(D-WV)	House	Jan. 3, 1977-	(30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days)	30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days
Ike Skelton	196	(D-MO)	House	Jan. 3, 1977-	(30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days)	30 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days
Joseph J. Mansfield	202	(D-TX)	House	Mar. 4, 1917-July 12, 1947	(30 yrs., 4 mos., 16 days)	30 yrs., 4 mos., 16 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Byron P. Harrison	203	(D-MS)	House Senate	Mar. 4, 1911-Mar. 3, 1919 Mar. 4, 1919-June 22, 1941	(8 yrs., 2 days) (22 yrs., 3 mos., 25 days)	30 yrs., 3 mos., 27 days
John T. Morgan	204	(D-AL)	Senate	Mar. 14, 1877-June 11, 1907	(30 yrs., 3 mos., 5 days)	30 yrs., 3 mos., 5 days
Francis E. Walter	205	(D-PA)	House	Mar. 4, 1933-May 31, 1963	(30 yrs., 3 mos., 5 days)	30 yrs., 3 mos., 5 days
William S. Holman	206	(D-IN)	House	Mar. 4, 1859-Mar. 3, 1865 Mar. 4, 1867-Mar. 3, 1877 Mar. 14, 1881-Mar. 3, 1895 Mar. 4, 1897-Apr. 22, 1897	(6 yrs., 2 days) (10 yrs., 3 days) (14 yrs., 3 days) (1 mo., 19 days)	30 yrs., 1 mo., 27 days
Morris Udall	207	(D-AZ)	House	May 2, 1961-May 4, 1991	(30 yrs., 10 days)	30 yrs., 10 days
Samuel Stratton	208	(D-NY)	House	Jan. 3, 1959-Jan. 3, 1989	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Delbert Latta	208	(R-OH)	House	Jan. 3, 1959-Jan. 3, 1989	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Carl Albert	208	(D-OK)	House	Jan. 3, 1947-Jan. 3, 1977	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
E.C. Gathings	208	(D-AR)	House	Jan. 3, 1939-Jan. 3, 1969	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Joe L. Evins	208	(D-TN)	House	Jan. 3, 1947-Jan. 3, 1977	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Otto E. Passman	208	(D-LA)	House	Jan. 3, 1947-Jan. 3, 1977	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Thomas G. Abernathy	208	(D-MS)	House	Jan. 3, 1943-Jan. 3, 1973	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Alvin E. O'Konski	208	(R-WI)	House	Jan. 3, 1943-Jan. 3, 1973	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Charles A. Buckley	208	(D-NY)	House	Jan. 3, 1935-Jan. 3, 1965	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
John N. Garner	208	(D-TX)	House	Mar. 4, 1903-Mar. 3, 1933	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Reed Smoot	208	(R-UT)	Senate	Mar. 4, 1903-Mar. 3, 1933	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Earl C. Michener	208	(R-MI)	House	Mar. 4, 1919-Mar. 3, 1933 Jan 3, 1935-Jan. 3, 1951	(14 yrs., 4 days) (16 yrs., 4 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Frank Horton	208	(R-NY)	House	Jan. 3, 1963-Jan. 3, 1993	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Edward Roybal	208	(D-CA)	House	Jan. 3, 1963-Jan. 3, 1993	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Tom Bevill	208	(D-AL)	House	Jan. 3, 1967-Jan. 3, 1997	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
G.V. (Sonny) Montgomery	208	(D-MS)	House	Jan. 3, 1967-Jan. 3, 1997	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
John T. Myers	208	(R-IN)	House	Jan. 3, 1967-Jan. 3, 1997	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Andrew Jacobs, Jr.	208	(D-IN)	House	Jan. 4, 1965-Jan. 3, 1973 Jan. 3, 1975-Jan. 3, 1997	(8 yrs., 2 days) (22 yrs., 6 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
William (Bill) Archer	208	(R-TX)	House	Jan. 3, 1971-Jan. 3, 2001	(30 yrs., 8 days)	30 yrs., 8 days
Francis M. Cockrell	227	(D-MD)	Senate	Mar. 4, 1875-Mar. 3, 1905	(30 yrs., 7 days)	30 yrs., 7 days
Eugene J. Keogh	227	(D-NY)	House	Jan. 3, 1937-Jan. 3, 1967	(30 yrs., 7 days)	30 yrs., 7 days
John Jacob Rhodes	227	(R-AZ)	House	Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1983	(30 yrs., 7 days)	30 yrs., 7 days
L.H. Fountain	227	(D-NC)	House	Jan. 3, 1953-Jan. 3, 1983	(30 yrs., 7 days)	30 yrs., 7 days
Thomas S. Foley	227	(D-WA)	House	Jan. 3, 1965-Jan. 3, 1995	(30 yrs., 7 days)	30 yrs., 7 days

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Member	Rank ^a	Party/State	Chamber and Years in Each			Total Length of Service ^b
Louis Stokes	227	(D-OH)	House	Jan. 3, 1969-Jan. 3, 1999	(30 yrs., 7 days)	30 yrs., 7 days
James A. Leach	227	(R-IA)	House	Jan. 3, 1997-Jan. 3, 2007	(30 yrs., 7 days)	30 yrs., 7 days
John P. Jones	234	(R-NE)	Senate	Mar. 4, 1873-Mar. 3, 1903	(30 yrs., 6 days)	30 yrs., 6 days

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Note: Service calculated as of July 7, 2007. Members currently serving are identified in bold. The three women who have served more than 30 years are listed in italics.

- a. Members with the identical length of service are ranked with the same number. The total number of Members of Congress with 30 years of service is 234.
- b. In calculating the congressional service of these Members, leap year days were counted as extra days, and 30 days were counted as one month.