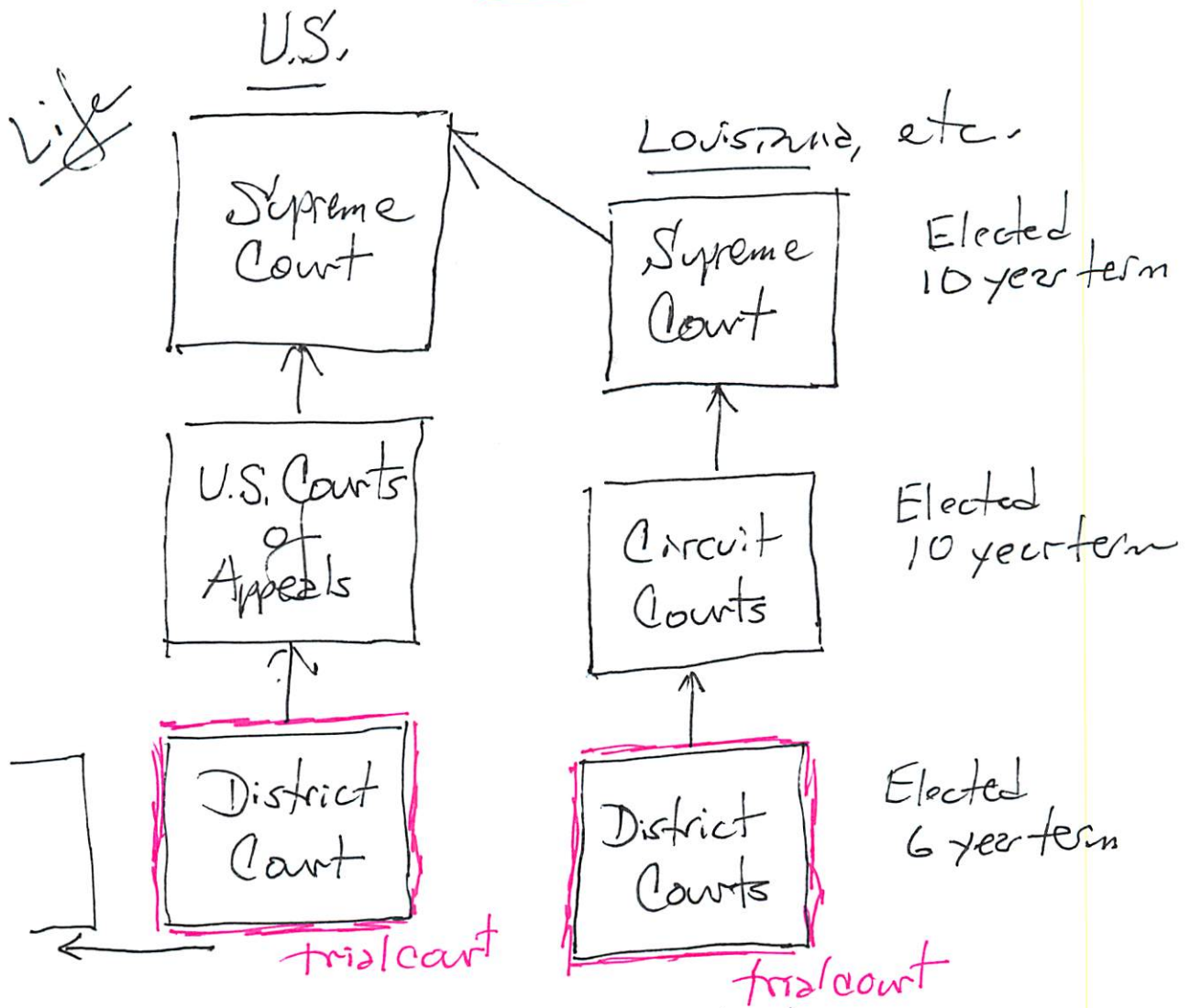


# U.S. Court System



Life Appointments  
6 year term  
appointment  
for specialized  
federal courts,  
e.g. tax court,  
land court,  
etc.

Must retire  
at age 70.

write of certiorari / 1925  
appeals  
Original jurisdiction  
(in Constitution)