

Chapter Y

Armed Forces and Veterans (Series Y 849-1031)

Y 849-855. Estimates of total cost of U.S. wars.

Source: U.S. Congress, Joint Economic Committee, *The Military Budget and National Economic Priorities*, part I, pp. 149 and 150, 91st Congress, 1st session (statement of James L. Clayton, University of Utah, at Hearings before the Subcommittee on Economy in Government); and for series Y 853, U.S. Veterans Administration, *Annual Report of Administrator of Veterans Affairs*.

Details concerning individual estimates and the sources used by Professor Clayton are given in the source document.

An earlier study, *Cost of U.S. Wars* (typewritten form), was made by Raymond E. Manning, Senior Specialist in Taxation and Fiscal Policy, Legislative Reference Service, The Library of Congress, October 1956. This report gives details as to the period covered, the costs which are included and those excluded, and the assumptions and statistical method used for the computations for each war from the American Revolution through the Korean conflict.

Y 856-903. Selected characteristics of the Armed Forces, by war.

Source: The President's Commission on Veterans Pensions, *Veterans' Benefits in the United States*, vol. I; Staff Report No. IV, "Veterans in our Society," House Committee Print 261, 84th Cong., 2d session; and revised estimates prepared by the Department of Defense.

The time coverage for a particular war may vary from series to series. See source for exact coverage.

The number of personnel serving in the Revolutionary War is not known, but estimates range from 184,000 to 250,000. In the War of 1812, it is estimated that 286,730 served and in the Mexican War, 78,718. In the Civil War, estimates for Confederate forces range from 600,000 to 1,500,000.

Y 904-916. Military personnel on active duty, 1789-1970.

Source: U.S. Department of Defense, reports and unpublished data.

Primary sources of Army data are as follows: 1789, 1794, and 1795, *American State Papers, Military Affairs*, vol. 1 (except for officers, 1789, Thomas H. S. Hamersly, *Complete Regular Army Register of the United States for One Hundred Years (1779-1879)*, Washington, D.C., 1880); 1801-1821, *American State Papers, Military Affairs*, vol. 2; 1822-1939, *War Department Annual Reports* (except as follows: Regular Army, 1847 and 1866, Francis B. Heitman, *Historical Register and Dictionary of the United States Army*, vol. 2, Washington, D.C., 1903; Army Nurse Corps, 1920, Army field clerks, 1917, and Quartermaster Corps field clerks, 1917 and 1918, *Special Report 196*, Revised, Statistics Branch, War Department, General Staff, 1927; 1919 and 1920, Quartermaster Corps field clerks, *Regular Report 189*, Statistics Branch, War Department, General Staff, 1922; 1940-1957, Office of The Adjutant General, *Strength of the Army*, monthly reports. For data on U.S. Military Academy cadets, 1802-1821, *American State Papers, Military Affairs*, vol. 2; 1822-1920, *Official Register of the Officers and Cadets at the United States Military Academy* (except as follows: 1871, 1910, 1913, 1915, 1917, and 1918, *War Department Annual Reports*); 1921-1941, *War Department Annual Reports*; 1942-1970, *Strength of the Army*, monthly reports.

Some of the figures for the Navy and Marine Corps appear in the following sources: Gordon R. Young (ed.), *Army Almanac*, Stackpole Company, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, 1959; Bureau of Navy Personnel, *Navy and Marine Corps, Military Personnel Statistics*, June and December 1956; Navy Department, Bureau of Personnel, *Progress Report*, March 1948.

Officers include warrant officers, flight officers, nurses, medical specialists, and field clerks. Enlisted personnel include U.S. Military Academy cadets, U.S. Naval Academy midshipmen, U.S. Air Force Academy cadets, and other officer candidates.

Army data (series Y 905-907) begin with 1789, the year in which the Department of War (now Department of the Army) was established. Although a "regular" Army has existed continuously from that time, the total strengths cannot be documented from available records, nor can reliable estimates be made for 1790-1793 and 1796-1800. Beginning 1861, the data include all military personnel on extended active duty with the Army (Regulars, volunteers, militia, inductees, Reserves, National Guardsmen, and reactivated retired Regular personnel) and U.S. Military Academy cadets. Data prior to 1861 are for Regular Army and cadets only, except for 1836-1840 (Seminole Indian War) and 1846-1848 (Mexican War). Source documents for other years do not contain adequate strength statistics on nonregular personnel called out during the War of 1812 or for short periods of service during the numerous Indian disturbances. For most years prior to 1878, data were compiled from the latest returns received; some of the reports used, especially those from the frontier garrisons, were weeks or months in transit.

The Army figures include the Army Nurse Corps beginning 1898; Army field clerks and field clerks in the Quartermaster Corps for 1917-1925; warrant officers beginning 1919; flight officers for 1943-1947; and the Women's Army Corps (formerly the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps) and the Women's Medical Specialist Corps (later redesignated the Army Medical Specialist Corps), beginning 1943. All data for these categories are as of June 30, except the 1898 figure for the Army Nurse Corps which is as of September 15.

The Army Nurse Corps became a part of the permanent Army military establishment in 1901. It traces its origin, however, to 1898, when authority was received to employ by contract as many nurses as needed during the war with Spain. For this reason, data on nurses have been included for 1898-1900.

The positions of Army field clerks and field clerks in the Quartermaster Corps were created by Act of Congress, August 29, 1916. Field clerks of both classes were subject to the rules and articles of war, and had the status of officers, although not commissioned officers. By Act of Congress, April 27, 1926, the Secretary of War was authorized and directed to appoint as warrant officers all field clerks then in active service.

The Army figures for 1908-1947 include strength of the Army Air Force and predecessor agencies. Those beginning with 1948 consist of military personnel under the command of the Army only, resulting from the establishment of the Department of the Air Force as an executive department by the National Security Act of 1947. Data for 1948 and 1949 include a small number of Department of the Air Force military personnel assigned for duty with Army commands, and data for 1948-1955 exclude a larger number of Department of the Army military personnel assigned for duty with Air Force commands.

Navy data for 1794, 1795, and 1798 are an approximation of the "on board" personnel authorized by Congress in conjunction with the construction of six frigates to reconstitute a Navy which had existed for 1775-1785 under the Continental Congress. A separate Navy Department was authorized and organized in 1798. Since the crews usually were obligated, during the early years of the Navy, for only a specific sailing or mission, rather than a continuous tour of duty, the strengths shown are more in the nature of averages and are therefore noted as estimated. Data exclude an unknown number of Naval Militia, supplied by the States, who served during the War of

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1812, the Mexican War, and the Spanish-American War. Since 1916, naval reservist and retired personnel on extended active duty have been included.

The Marine Corps was founded in 1775 by the Continental Congress and served during the Revolutionary War, but ceased to exist in 1783. It was reactivated in 1794 when Congress authorized the building of the six frigates and a small number of marines were used as guards. The data in series Y 914-916 begin with 1798, since reliable estimates are not available for prior years. Since 1917, reservist and retired personnel on active duty have been included.

Y 917-926. Classification of selective service registrants, 1940-1970.

Source: U.S. Selective Service System. Series 917, 1940, *Selective Service in Peacetime*, Appendix 20. Series 917-925, 1941-1947, *Summary Reports of Classification, Continental United States, March 31, 1941-April 1, 1947*, vol. 1, parts 1-3; 1948-1950, *Statistics and Special Reports Digests, September 1948-September 1951*, U.S. Summary, vol. 1, part E; 1951-1952, *Statistics-Periodic Reports of Classifications, U.S. and State Summaries, October 1951-February 1956*, vol. II, part B, section 1, Regular Registrants; 1953-1970, compiled from Selective Service System Form 116. Series 926, 1940-1945, *Quotas, Calls, and Inductions*, Special Monograph No. 12, vol. II, Appendices F-H; 1946-1947, unpublished data; 1948-1970, compiled from Selective Service Form 262.

The Selective Service System is responsible for the registration, examination, classification, selection, and delivery for induction into the Armed Forces of all men required by law to register, or, in lieu of induction, for ordering them to perform civilian work. The law also provides exemptions or deferments from service for many persons for reasons of previous service, essential occupation, family dependency, etc.

The Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, which became law on September 16, 1940, was the first peacetime conscription law in U.S. history. The classification system under that Act provided for classification of registrants into four main groups in the order of their being called into the Armed Forces: Class I, persons available for training and service after the physical examination; Class II, persons available for training and service but temporarily deferred as necessary in defense industries for varying periods up to six months; Class III, persons who had dependents requiring their support; and Class IV, persons who were exempted from training and service by statute, or were nondeclarant aliens, or had completed military service (up to Pearl Harbor), or conscientious objectors against both combatant and noncombatant service, or who were physically, mentally, or morally unfit for service. Within these main classes there were certain subdivisions which indicated more specifically the status of the registrants.

For details concerning changes over time in legislation, classification, registration regulations, etc., see the annual and semiannual reports of the Director of the Selective Service System and the System's series of special monographs. A list of monographs covering the early years appears on the inside front cover of *Quotas, Calls, and Inductions*, cited in the source note.

Y 927-942. Disposition of defendants charged with violation of selective service acts, 1945-1970.

Source: U.S. Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts, *Federal Offenders in the United States District Courts, 1970*, table H10.

Statistics reflect defendants charged with violations of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 and the Universal Military Training and Service Act of 1948.

These data exclude District of Columbia, Canal Zone, Guam, and Virgin Islands.

Y 943-956. Estimated number of veterans in civil life, by age, 1865-1970.

Source: U.S. Veterans Administration, reports and unpublished data.

Age distribution for veterans of World War I, Spanish-American War, Civil War, Mexican War, and War of 1812 were obtained by procedures used in estimating the number of living veterans in civil life, as described in the text for series Y 957-970. The ages for veterans of Indian wars and Regular Establishment (peacetime service) were obtained from records of the Veterans Administration and predecessor agencies. Age distribution for Regular Establishment veterans is not included after 1965.

The ages of World War II veterans included in the total for 1945 were based on the ages of those veterans on the Veterans Administration disability compensation rolls on June 30, 1945. The estimated number of veterans by age, for 1950 and thereafter, were derived by the application of appropriate survival rates to the male and female components of the potential World War II veteran population as of July 25, 1947. In this particular case, the potential World War II veteran population is defined as: (a) The estimated number of men and women who had served in World War II and who had returned to civil life prior to July 25, 1947, and (b) those still in the service as of July 25, 1947. The age distribution of this population was derived from the Veterans Administration's sample of approximately 1 percent of the records of the men and women separated from the Armed Forces between September 16, 1940, and July 25, 1947, and from estimates provided by the Armed Forces for World War II participants who were still in service on the latter date.

The ages of Korean conflict veterans included for 1955 and thereafter were derived from the Veterans Administration's sample of approximately 1 percent of Department of Defense records for persons returning to civil life between June 27, 1950, and June 30, 1970.

The ages of veterans who served between the end of the Korean conflict and the inception of the Vietnam era included in 1966 and thereafter were derived from the Veterans Administration's sample of approximately 1 percent of Department of Defense records for persons returning to civil life in the period February 1, 1955, through August 4, 1964.

The ages of veterans who served in the Vietnam era included in 1966 and thereafter were derived from the Veterans Administration's sample of approximately 1 percent of Department of Defense records for persons returning to civil life between August 4, 1964, and June 30, 1970.

Y 957-970. Estimated number of veterans in civil life, by period of service, 1865-1970.

Source: U.S. Veterans Administration, reports and unpublished data.

The estimates for the War of 1812 were derived by a backward chain computation involving the application of appropriate survival rates to the age distribution of the 165 living veterans of this war on the pension rolls in 1892. It was assumed that all living veterans of the War of 1812 were on the pension rolls after 1873.

Estimates for the Mexican War were computed by applying appropriate survival rates to the age distribution of the 2,195 living Mexican War veterans on the pension rolls in 1907. For 1890 and later years, the estimates were based on the assumption that 90 percent of the living Mexican War veterans were on the pension rolls. Estimates for years prior to 1890 were based on a backward chain computation.

Estimates for the Indian wars include only veterans on pension rolls of the Veterans Administration or predecessor agencies.

The Civil War estimate for 1865 was based on Armed Forces data. Estimates for years after 1865 were computed from actuarial projections, based on the American Experience Mortality Table, 1868, applied to the age distribution of one million Civil War participants included in Surgeon General, *The Medical Department of the U.S. Army*

in the World War, vol. XV, *Statistics*, part I, 1921. The totals so obtained were modified by the assumptions that 75 percent of the living Civil War veterans were on the pension rolls in 1900-1915 and that practically all living Civil War veterans were on the rolls in 1920 and later years. The estimates pertain to Union forces only.

For the Spanish-American War, estimates for 1905 and later years were computed by application of appropriate survival rates to the 1902 age distribution of Spanish-American War participants (not shown here). For 1900, the estimate is based on total participants, inservice deaths, and discharges to civil life.

Estimates for World War I were computed by applying appropriate survival rates to the 1918 distribution of World War I participants by year of age based on records of 3.7 million War Risk Insurance applications (*The Medical Department of the U.S. Army . . .*, cited above).

For World War II, the Korean conflict, the Vietnam era, and service between the Korean conflict and Vietnam era, the estimates were derived from Armed Forces data on the number of persons returned to civil life less Veterans Administration estimates of deaths and less the number who reenlisted from civil life.

Data on the Regular Establishment include only former members of the peacetime forces receiving disability compensation or pension from the Veterans Administration or predecessor agencies.

The following periods are covered by the specified wars for determining veterans status:

- War of 1812—June 18, 1812, through February 17, 1815
- Mexican War—April 25, 1846, through May 30, 1848
- Civil War—April 12, 1861, through April 13, 1865
- Indian wars—1817 through 1898 (approximately)
- Spanish-American War—April 21, 1898, through July 4, 1902
(includes the war with Spain, Boxer Rebellion, and Philippine Insurrection. For persons serving in the Moro Province, hostilities ended July 15, 1903)
- World War I—April 6, 1917, through November 11, 1918
(for persons serving in Russia, the war ended April 1, 1920)
- World War II—September 16, 1940, through July 25, 1947
- Korean conflict—June 27, 1950, through January 31, 1955
- Service between Korean conflict and Vietnam era—February 1, 1955, through August 4, 1964
- Vietnam era—service after August 4, 1964

Y 971-983. Expenditures of Veterans Administration and predecessor agencies from appropriated funds, by period of service, 1790-1970.

Source: U.S. Veterans Administration. Original data are taken from annual reports of the Administrator of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Bureau, Bureau of Pensions, National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, and records of the Veterans Administration.

The data pertain to expenditures from appropriated funds (see text for series Y 984-997) for veterans and their dependents through June 30, 1970. Thus, they include expenditures for pensions since 1790 and for care in the National Homes (now Veterans Administration domiciliaries) since 1867. Grants-in-aid for the care of veterans in State homes were first made in 1889 and are included thereafter.

Expenditures on behalf of World War I veterans, made originally as allowances for the dependents of enlisted men in the Armed Forces, compensation for death and disability, medical care and treatment, vocational rehabilitation and training, and insurance against death or permanent disability, are included since October 1917. Subsequent adjustments of benefits for World War I veterans and for veterans of the earlier wars (e.g., extension of hospital benefits) are reflected in the ensuing years. Expenditures for World War II veterans began in 1941, and for veterans of the Korean conflict in 1951.

Trust and working fund expenditures (e.g., the U.S. Government Life and National Service Life Insurance Trust Funds, the Adjusted Service Certificate Trust Fund, and the General Post Fund) are excluded; transfers from appropriations to the insurance trust funds, however, are included. Also excluded are expenditures made by

other Federal and State agencies (e.g., unemployment compensation paid to Korean conflict veterans by the Department of Labor, expenditures for retirement pay by the Department of Defense, and bonus payments made by State governments).

Of the \$174.8 billion in total expenditures through 1970, \$139.0 billion (79 percent) was directly allocated by war. The distribution of the remaining expenditures was estimated. Therefore, the figures are subject to a varying and unknown degree of error. For example, variations in average hospital costs between wars, or unusual administrative workloads are not reflected in the distribution factors used.

Y 984-997. Expenditures for veterans benefits and services by Veterans Administration and predecessor agencies, 1790-1970.

Source: U.S. Veterans Administration, *Annual Report of the Administrator of Veterans Affairs*, various issues, and unpublished data.

Data are based on checks paid through December 31, 1947, and on vouchers approved for payment thereafter. The data are gross, since they include expenditures made from amounts earned (in the form of reimbursements) by the various accounts. Expenditures from revolving funds are also gross, i.e., receipts have not been netted out of these funds except in minor instances noted elsewhere. Accordingly, these data do not agree with those reported in the statements of the Treasury Department and the Bureau of the Budget.

Y 984, total expenditures. This series measures the gross cost of benefits and services (including capital expenditures and administrative costs) provided veterans and their beneficiaries, irrespective of the source of funds. Included are expenditures from general and special funds appropriated by the Congress, revolving and management funds authorized to finance a continuing cycle of operations using receipts derived from these operations, and trust funds held by the Government for the benefit of veterans and their beneficiaries. Transfers from appropriations to insurance trust funds, from which the actual expenditures are made, are not included in the total, in order to avoid duplication. Expenditures from the Veterans Administration Revolving Supply Fund, established July 1, 1954, also are excluded from the total, since these amounts generally duplicate expenditures made by Veterans Administration administrative appropriations for supplies, equipment, and certain services procured through the fund.

Y 985, compensation and pensions. Data represent total expenditures less refund of overpayments.

Y 986, insurance and servicemen's indemnities. Data include direct payments to beneficiaries from insurance appropriations, servicemen's indemnities, and benefits and dividends paid from insurance trust funds. Some noncash transactions (e.g., interest credited to dividends left on deposit) also are included as expenditures from the trust funds. Transfers from appropriations to the insurance trust funds, from which the benefit payments are made, are not included in these amounts. Beginning fiscal year 1949, the reporting of expenditures from the U.S. Government Life Insurance and National Service Life Insurance trust funds was changed from a net to a gross basis. This resulted in an understatement in varying amounts for prior years. The cumulative differences for the prior years between the net figures and what the figures would have been on a gross basis have been added in a lump sum to the 1948 figures. This adjustment amounted to \$295,651,000.

Y 987, education and training. This series includes subsistence allowances, tuition, supplies, and equipment of veterans training under Public Law 346, education and training allowances to veterans training under Public Law 550, veterans and servicemen training under Public Law 89-358, and educational assistance for dependents and survivors of totally disabled or deceased veterans under Public Laws 634, 88-361, and 90-631.

Y 988, vocational rehabilitation. Data include subsistence allowances, tuition, supplies, and equipment of veterans training under Public Laws 16, 894, and 87-815, and vocational rehabilitation allowances for World War I veterans.

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Y 989, unemployment and self-employment allowances. Includes allowances to World War II veterans to assist in their readjustment to civilian employment. Similar allowances paid to Korean conflict and Vietnam veterans by the Department of Labor are excluded.

Y 990, loan guaranty. Includes payments on defaulted loans, and the cost of property and securities acquired. The amounts are gross and do not reflect the cost of the loan guaranty program to the Government. Refunds and recoveries on claims paid returned to the general fund and deposits to the loan guaranty revolving fund amounted to \$2.9 billion through June 30, 1970. Other losses of the program are subject to further recovery from the liquidation of securities and repayments by borrowers.

Y 991, direct loans. Includes direct mortgage loans and advances to veterans, interest expenses on capital borrowed from the U.S. Treasury, and other expenses (excluding Veterans Administration administrative expenses) of the direct loan program. Expenditures are gross and do not reflect the cost of this program to the Government. Through June 30, 1970, receipts paid into the direct loan fund amounted to \$3.1 billion, bringing net expenditures to \$108 million. This will be further reduced, as the program matures, by payments of interest and principal by borrowers.

Y 992, miscellaneous benefit payments. Includes statutory burial allowances; expenditures not classified as to purpose from the compensation and pensions appropriation; automobiles and other conveyances for disabled veterans; specially adapted homes for paraplegic veterans; payments to participants in the yellow fever experiments; military and naval family allowances of World War I veterans; marine and seamen's insurance in World War I; adjusted service compensation (World War I bonus); General Post Fund expenditures; withdrawals of the personal funds of patients held by the Veterans Administration as banker and funds due incompetent beneficiaries; soldiers' and sailors' civil relief; and the vocational rehabilitation revolving fund. These expenditures are gross with the exceptions of soldiers' and sailors' civil relief and the vocational rehabilitation revolving fund, which are on a net basis.

Y 993, medical, hospital, and domiciliary services. Figures include expenditures for hospital nursing bed care, and domiciliary care, out-patient medical and dental treatment, medical research, and related costs; appropriations to the Canteen Service Revolving Fund; and grants to the Republic of the Philippines for medical care and treatment of veterans. Beginning 1921, the data are estimated. Prior to July 1, 1879, the fiscal year of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers ended on various dates. For this period, the data have been proportionately adjusted by the Veterans Administration to reflect expenditures for years ending June 30.

Y 994, hospital and domiciliary facilities. These data include expenditures for the construction and equipping of hospitals and domiciliary facilities, and major alterations, improvements, and repairs thereof; grants to the Republic of the Philippines for the construction and equipping of a hospital; grants for construction of State extended care facilities; expenditures from funds allotted under the National Recovery Act of 1933 and Public Works Administration Act of 1938; and \$436,623,692 transferred to the Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers, for the construction of hospitals.

Y 995, administration and other benefits. Includes expenses for vocational counseling of veterans, beneficiary travel for certain programs, reporting allowances paid schools for certifying the attendance of veteran trainees, private laws for relief, and all administrative salaries and expenses.

Y 996-997, expenditures from general and special fund appropriations. Series Y 996 represents expenditures from appropriations made by the Congress to finance the general and ordinary operations of the Veterans Administration and predecessor agencies. The figures differ from amounts shown under total expenditures (series

Y 984) after 1917 in that they do not include expenditures from trust funds, working funds, and deposit funds. Transfers from appropriations to insurance trust funds (series Y 997) are included in the figures for series Y 996.

Y 998-1009. Veterans pensions and compensation—number of veterans and expenditure, by type, 1866-1970.

Source: U.S. Veterans Administration, records. Data were compiled from various annual reports of the Administrator of Veterans Affairs, and of the Commissioner of Pensions.

The basic distinction between pension and compensation is that pension is a benefit payable for total and permanent disability or death which is not attributable to the veteran's military service. Compensation is payable for the disability or death resulting from injury or disease incurred in, or aggravated by, military service. In the series relating to death benefits, the number of veterans refers to the number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving benefits, rather than to the number of dependents in receipt of such benefits; the data on expenditures refer to the amount received by these dependents. In the disability cases, the data refer to the number of veterans, and the amount of money paid to these veterans in the form of retirement pay administered by the Veterans Administration or its predecessor agencies.

For 1866-1890, separate data are not available for the death and disability series. Likewise, information is not available which would permit a separation of the data on the pensions and compensation earned for military service prior to 1904. As a result, all data on veterans of the Spanish-American and earlier wars have been arbitrarily included in the pension series.

The compensation data refer (with the qualifications as noted above for the series on deaths) to the number of, or expenditures paid to, veterans of the Regular Establishment, World War I, World War II, the Korean conflict, and Vietnam. Data on these veterans were first included in 1904, 1918, 1942, 1951, and 1965, respectively.

Y 1010-1027. Patients receiving hospital or domiciliary care authorized by Veterans Administration, 1921-1970.

Source: U.S. Veterans Administration, *Annual Report of the Administrator of Veterans Affairs*, various issues, and unpublished data.

These data do not in all cases agree with information previously published in some of the earlier annual reports of the Veterans Administration. Revisions were made to adjust some of the data for earlier years for comparability with current data.

The data for admissions is by type of patient; through 1960 neurological patients were included with neuropsychiatric, thereafter with general. Tuberculosis patients are included with general.

The data for all veterans receiving hospital care (series Y 1014) and veterans with service-connected disabilities (series Y 1019) are identical prior to 1925. The act which made Veterans Administration hospital care available to veterans with nonservice-connected disability was passed in 1924, and it was not until 1925 that such patients were admitted to Veterans Administration hospitals.

Data for veterans receiving hospital care for service-connected disabilities (series Y 1019-1022) exclude those veterans with service-connected disabilities who are being treated for nonservice-connected ailments.

Series Y 1018 shows the number of nonveteran patients in Veterans Administration hospitals. This group of patients is made up for the most part of persons still in the military service who have not yet attained veteran status, and cases admitted to Veterans Administration hospitals for humanitarian reasons.

Domiciliary care was provided by the National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers through July 30, 1930; later, it was provided by other agencies. The number of veterans in State homes receiving domiciliary care (series Y 1025) is shown because the Veterans Administration contributes to the support of veterans cared for in approved State homes who would be eligible for admission to Veterans Administration domiciliaries.

Y 1028-1031. Government life insurance administered by Veterans Administration—number of policies, income received, and benefits paid, 1921-1970.

Source: U.S. Veterans Administration, *Annual Report of the Administrator of Veterans Affairs*, various issues, and unpublished data.

The U.S. Government, through the Veterans Administration, operates two life insurance programs for veterans and servicemen. The insurance program which had its origin in World War I is known as U.S. Government Life Insurance (USGLI); and the program which had its inception in 1940 is called National Service Life Insurance (NSLI). The administrative expenses of these programs are borne by the U.S. Government. All USGLI is participating (that is, entitled to dividends from any earnings). This program was closed to new issues effective April 25, 1951. All NSLI issued prior to April 25, 1951, with some minor exceptions, is participating and entitled to dividends. This type of insurance also was closed to new issues in 1951. Veterans separated from military service without a service-connected disability on or after April 25, 1951, and before January 1, 1957, could apply for nonparticipating NSLI on the 5-year non-convertible term plan only. Conversion to permanent plans was made available in 1959. This insurance is known as Veterans Special Life Insurance.

Veterans separated with a service-connected disability on or after April 25, 1951, are eligible to apply, within one year after service-connection is established, for permanent plan or term policies. This insurance is known as service-disabled veterans insurance.

In 1964 Congress enacted legislation which provided for a limited reopening of NSLI for a period of one year beginning May 1, 1965, to qualifying disabled veterans. To qualify they must have been eligible to buy National Service Life Insurance between October 8, 1940, and January 1, 1957, and have had either (1) a service-connected disability or (2) a nonservice disability, or a combination of service

and nonservice disabilities so serious that they could not obtain commercial insurance at the highest rates. This insurance is known as Veterans Reopened Insurance.

The maximum amount of all Government insurance for veterans is \$10,000 on one life. Excluded from these series are data on the Servicemen's Indemnity program, which was in effect from June 27, 1950, to January 1, 1957. This program provided free life insurance in the amount of \$10,000 (less any USGLI or NSLI in force) while in military service and for 120 days thereafter.

Income received (series Y 1030) includes: (1) Premiums received from policy holders for insurance and disability income benefits, including premiums waived because of disability, (2) advances from Congressional appropriations to the service-disabled veterans insurance fund, (3) interest on investments in U.S. Treasury Certificates of Indebtedness and in U.S. Treasury notes, (4) interest on policy loans and on premiums paid in arrears, (5) dividends credited to insureds or deposited to accumulate at interest, and (6) reimbursements from the U.S. Government as the Government's contribution for death and disability claims due to the extra hazards of military or naval service, for gratuitous insurance, and for other obligations.

Benefits paid (series Y 1031) include: (1) The actual cash payments to beneficiaries of deceased insureds, (2) cash payments to insureds under the total and permanent disability provisions of USGLI policies, (3) monthly income payments under total disability income provisions of USGLI and NSLI policies issued before April 25, 1951, (4) premiums waived for total disability, (5) cash surrender values paid on contracts surrendered, (6) payments on matured endowment policies, (7) dividends paid and dividends previously credited or left on deposit and later withdrawn, (8) interest added on dividend credits and deposits, (9) adjustments in policy liens, receivables, and overpayments waived, (10) transfers to U.S. Government in the Veterans Special Life Insurance program, and (11) administrative costs in the Veterans Reopened Insurance program.

***** More Recent Data for *Historical Statistics Series* *****

Statistics for more recent years in continuation of many of the still-active series shown here appear in annual issues of the *Statistical Abstract of the United States*, beginning with the 1975 edition. For direct linkage of the historical series to the tables in the *Abstract*, see Appendix I in the *Abstract*.

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[In millions of dollars, except percent]

War	Estimated total war costs	Original war costs ¹	Veterans' benefits			Estimated interest payments on war loans	
			Total costs under present laws ²	Percent of original war costs	Total costs to 1970	Total	Percent of original war costs
	849	850	851	852	853	854	855
Vietnam conflict ³	352,000	110,000	4220,000	4200	2,461	22,000	20
Korean conflict.....	164,000	54,000	99,000	184	15,016	11,000	20
World War II.....	664,000	288,000	290,000	100	87,445	86,000	30
World War I.....	112,000	26,000	75,000	290	45,585	11,000	42
Spanish-American War.....	6,460	400	6,000	1,505	5,436	60	15
Civil War (Union only).....	12,952	3,200	8,580	260	8,570	1,172	37
Mexican War.....	147	73	64	88	64	10	14
War of 1812.....	158	93	49	53	49	16	17
American Revolution.....	190	100	70	70	70	20	20

¹ Based on expenditures of Departments of the Army and Navy to World War I and major national security expenditures thereafter. Usually the figures begin with the year the war began but in all cases they extend one year beyond the end of the actual conflict.

² To World War I, estimates are based on Veterans Administration data. For World War I, World War II, and Korean conflict, estimates are those of the 1956 report of the President's Commission on Veterans' Pensions plus 25 percent (the increase in the average value of benefits since the Commission made its report).

³ Estimates based on assumption that war would end by June 30, 1970 (except for veterans' benefit costs to 1970). Occupation costs not included. Background data:

Original cost:

a. Major national security expenditures for Vietnam conflict, 1965-70 fiscal years..... 108.5
 b. Cost of supporting American personnel in South Vietnam, 1964-64, at \$25,000 per man per year..... 1.5

Total..... 110.0

Veterans' benefits:

Medium estimate, 200 percent of original cost..... 220.0

Interest on war debt:

Medium estimate, 20 percent of original cost..... 22.0

Total, medium estimate..... 352.0

⁴ Medium-level estimate of 200 percent (high, 300; low, 100) based on figures expressing relationship of veterans' benefits payments to original costs of other major U.S. wars.

⁵ Medium-level estimate of 20 percent (high, 30; low, 10) based on figures showing interest payments on war loans as percentage of original costs of other major U.S. wars.

Series Y 856-903. Selected Characteristics of the Armed Forces, by War

Series No.	Characteristic	Civil War (Union forces only)	Spanish-American War	World War I	World War II	Korean conflict	Series No.	Characteristic	Civil War (Union forces only)	Spanish-American War	World War I	World War II	Korean conflict
856	Military personnel.....1,000..	2,213	307	4,744	16,354	5,764		Annual rate per 1,000 average strength:					
857	Army.....1,000..	2,129	281	4,057	11,260	2,834		Total deaths.....	104.4	36.6	35.5	11.6	5.5
858	Air Force.....1,000..					1,285	883	Battle deaths.....	40.1	(NA)	17.1	8.6	3.4
859	Navy.....1,000..		23	599	4,183	1,177	884	Other deaths.....	64.3	(NA)	18.4	3.0	2.1
860	Marines.....1,000..	84	3	79	669	424	885	Medical care:					
861	Coast Guard.....1,000..			9	241	44		Army:					
862	Draftees:							Admissions for care, all causes:					
863	Classified.....1,000..	777		24,234	36,677	9,123		Number.....1,000..	6,455	317	4,039	17,919	2,717
864	Examined.....1,000..	522		3,764	17,955	3,685	886	Annual rate per 1,000 average strength.....	2,478	2,146	978	704	511
865	Rejected.....1,000..	160		803	6,420	1,189	887	Noneffectiveness, total:					
866	Inducted.....1,000..	46		2,820	10,022	1,560		Man-days lost.....1,000..	(NA)	4,355	86,947	413,393	49,810
867	Average duration of service.....months..	20	8	12	33	19	888	Daily rate per 1,000 average strength.....	(NA)	80.7	57.7	44.5	25.7
868	Officers.....months..	(NA)	8	14	39	24	889	Wounded who died subsequently.....percent..	13.3	6.3	8.1	4.5	2.6
869	Enlisted.....months..	(NA)	8	12	33	18	890	Annual nonbattle death rate per 1,000 average strength.....	68.7	25.9	15.4	3.0	2.0
870	Overseas service:						891	Navy and Marine Corps:					
871	Percent of total who served overseas.....	(NA)	29	53	73	56		Admissions for care, all causes:					
872	Average months served overseas ¹	(NA)	1.5	5.5	16.2	13.4	892	Number.....1,000..	(NA)	25	1,073	5,514	1,200
873	Occupation of enlisted personnel.....percent..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	893	Annual rate per 1,000 average strength.....	(NA)	1,038	1,024	553	337
874	Technical and scientific.....percent..	0.2	0.5	3.7	10.4	12.7	894	Noneffectiveness, total:					
875	Administrative and clerical.....percent..	0.7	3.1	8.0	12.6	18.1	895	Man-days lost.....1,000..	(NA)	248	12,705	115,700	23,998
876	Mechanics and repairmen.....percent..	0.1	1.0	8.5	16.6	15.3	896	Daily rate per 1,000 average strength.....	(NA)	28.3	33.2	31.8	18.5
877	Craftsmen.....percent..	0.5	.1	13.0	5.9	4.7	897	Wounded who died subsequently.....percent..	(NA)	5.9	9.0	3.2	2.2
878	Service workers.....percent..	2.4	6.5	12.5	9.6	12.4		Annual nonbattle death rate per 1,000 average strength.....	(NA)	17.6	11.6	2.8	1.9
879	Operators and laborers.....percent..	2.9	2.2	20.2	6.1	6.5	900	Military pay (current dol.):					
880	Military-type occupations, not elsewhere classified.....percent..	93.2	86.6	34.1	38.8	30.3		Basic pay (annual rate):					
881	Casualties, number:						901	All personnel.....dollars..	231	282	510	1,017	1,776
882	Total deaths.....	364,511	2,446	116,516	405,399	54,246	902	Officers.....dollars..	717	2,101	2,141	2,442	4,453
	Battle deaths.....	140,414	385	53,402	291,557	33,629	903	Enlisted.....dollars..	202	205	417	856	1,473
	Other deaths.....	224,097	2,061	63,114	113,842	20,617		Pay and allowances (annual rate):					
	Wounds not mortal.....	281,881	1,662	204,002	670,846	103,284	901	All personnel.....dollars..	510	528	968	1,811	2,940
							902	Officers.....dollars..	1,912	2,489	2,698	3,777	6,234
							903	Enlisted.....dollars..	427	444	870	1,587	2,584

NA Not available. ¹ During hostilities only. ² Army personnel only.

ARMED FORCES AND VETERANS

Y 904-916

Series Y 904-916. Military Personnel on Active Duty: 1789 to 1970

[As of June 30, beginning 1878 for Army, 1900 for Navy, and 1798 for Marine Corps. For prior years, the month for which most complete records were available was used]

Year	Grand total ¹	Army			Air Force ²			Navy			Marine Corps		
		Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted
		904	905	906	907	908	909	910	911	912	913	914	915
1970 ³	3,066,294	1,322,548	166,721	1,155,827	791,349	129,803	661,546	692,660	80,761	611,899	259,737	24,941	234,796
1969	3,460,162	1,512,169	172,690	1,339,579	862,353	135,476	726,877	775,869	85,199	690,670	309,771	25,698	284,078
1968	3,547,902	1,570,343	166,173	1,404,170	904,850	139,691	765,159	765,457	85,425	680,032	307,252	24,555	282,697
1967	3,376,880	1,442,498	148,517	1,298,981	897,494	135,485	762,009	751,619	81,902	669,717	285,269	23,592	261,677
1966	3,094,058	1,199,784	117,786	1,081,998	887,353	130,724	756,629	745,205	79,805	665,400	261,716	20,512	241,204
1965	2,655,389	969,066	112,120	856,946	824,662	131,578	693,084	671,448	77,866	593,582	190,213	17,258	172,955
1964	2,687,409	973,238	110,870	862,368	856,798	133,389	723,409	667,596	76,400	591,196	189,777	16,843	172,934
1963	2,699,677	975,916	108,302	867,614	869,431	133,763	735,668	664,647	75,549	589,098	189,683	16,737	172,946
1962	2,807,819	1,066,404	116,050	950,354	884,025	134,908	749,117	666,428	75,302	591,126	190,962	16,861	174,101
1961	2,483,771	858,622	99,921	758,701	821,151	128,793	692,358	627,089	69,981	557,108	176,909	16,132	160,777
1960	2,476,435	873,078	101,236	771,842	814,752	129,689	685,063	617,984	69,559	548,425	170,621	16,203	154,418
1959	2,504,310	861,964	101,690	760,274	840,435	131,602	708,833	626,340	69,795	556,545	175,571	16,065	159,506
1958	2,600,581	898,925	104,716	794,209	871,156	132,939	738,217	641,005	71,560	569,445	189,495	16,741	172,754
1957	2,795,798	997,994	111,187	886,807	919,835	140,563	779,272	677,108	73,703	603,405	200,861	17,434	183,427
1956	2,806,441	1,025,778	118,364	907,414	909,958	142,093	767,865	669,925	71,770	598,155	200,780	17,809	182,971
1955	2,935,107	1,109,296	121,947	987,349	959,946	137,149	822,797	660,695	74,527	586,168	205,170	18,417	186,753
1954	3,302,104	1,404,598	128,208	1,276,390	947,918	129,752	818,166	725,720	77,280	648,440	223,868	18,593	205,275
1953	3,555,067	1,533,815	145,638	1,388,182	977,593	130,769	846,824	794,440	81,731	712,709	249,219	18,731	230,488
1952	3,635,912	1,596,419	148,427	1,447,992	983,261	128,742	854,519	824,265	82,247	742,018	231,967	16,413	215,554
1951	3,249,455	1,531,774	130,540	1,401,234	788,381	107,099	681,282	736,680	70,513	666,167	192,620	15,150	177,470
1950	1,460,261	593,167	72,566	520,601	411,277	57,006	354,271	381,538	44,641	336,897	74,279	7,254	67,025
1949	1,615,360	660,473	77,272	583,201	419,347	57,851	361,496	449,575	47,975	401,600	85,965	7,250	78,715
1948	1,445,910	554,030	68,178	485,852	387,730	48,957	338,773	419,162	45,416	373,746	84,988	6,907	78,081
1947	1,582,999	591,285	132,504	458,781	387,730	48,957	338,773	498,661	52,434	446,227	93,053	7,506	85,547
1946	3,030,088	1,891,011	267,144	1,623,867	1,623,867	1,623,867	1,623,867	983,398	141,161	842,237	155,679	14,208	141,471
Year	Grand total ¹	Army			Navy			Marine Corps					
		Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted			
		904	905	906	907	911	912	913	914	915	916		
1945	12,123,455	8,267,958	891,663	7,376,295	3,380,817	331,379	3,049,438	474,680	37,067	437,613			
1944	11,451,719	7,994,750	776,980	7,217,770	2,981,365	276,153	2,705,212	475,604	32,788	442,816			
1943	9,044,745	6,994,472	579,576	6,414,896	1,741,750	179,676	1,562,074	308,523	21,384	287,139			
1942	3,858,791	3,075,608	206,422	2,869,186	640,570	69,564	571,006	142,613	7,138	135,475			
1941	1,801,101	1,462,315	99,536	1,362,779	284,427	29,092	255,335	54,359	3,339	51,020			
1940	458,365	269,023	18,326	250,697	160,997	13,604	147,393	28,345	1,800	26,545			
1939	334,473	189,839	14,486	175,353	125,202	12,023	113,179	19,432	1,380	18,052			
1938	322,932	185,488	13,975	171,513	119,088	10,739	108,349	18,356	1,359	16,997			
1937	311,808	179,968	13,740	166,228	113,617	10,367	103,250	18,223	1,312	16,911			
1936	291,356	167,816	13,512	154,304	106,292	10,247	96,045	17,248	1,208	16,040			
1935	251,799	139,486	13,471	126,015	95,053	10,115	84,938	17,260	1,163	16,097			
1934	247,137	138,464	13,761	124,703	92,312	9,972	82,340	16,361	1,187	15,174			
1933	243,845	136,547	13,896	122,651	91,230	9,947	81,283	16,068	1,192	14,876			
1932	244,902	134,957	14,111	120,846	93,384	9,967	83,417	16,561	1,196	15,365			
1931	252,605	140,516	14,159	126,357	93,307	9,849	83,458	18,782	1,196	17,586			
1930	255,648	139,378	14,151	125,227	96,890	9,540	87,350	19,380	1,208	18,172			
1929	255,031	139,118	14,047	125,071	97,117	9,434	87,683	18,796	1,181	17,615			
1928	250,907	136,084	14,019	122,065	95,803	9,401	86,402	19,020	1,198	17,822			
1927	248,943	134,829	14,020	120,809	94,916	9,440	85,476	19,198	1,198	18,000			
1926	247,396	134,938	14,143	120,795	93,304	9,091	84,213	19,154	1,178	17,976			
1925	251,756	137,048	14,594	122,454	95,230	8,918	86,312	19,478	1,168	18,310			
1924	261,189	142,673	13,784	128,889	98,184	8,651	89,533	20,332	1,157	19,175			
1923	247,011	133,243	14,021	119,222	94,094	8,410	85,684	19,674	1,141	18,533			
1922	270,207	148,763	15,667	133,096	100,211	8,334	91,877	21,233	1,136	20,098			
1921	386,542	230,725	16,501	214,224	132,827	9,979	122,848	22,990	1,087	21,903			
1920	343,302	204,292	18,999	185,293	121,845	10,642	111,203	17,165	1,104	16,061			
1919	1,172,602	851,624	91,975	759,649	272,144	19,357	252,787	48,834	2,270	46,564			
1918	2,897,167	2,395,742	130,485	2,265,257	448,606	23,631	424,975	52,819	1,503	51,316			
1917	643,833	421,467	34,224	387,243	194,617	8,383	186,234	27,749	776	26,973			
1916	179,376	108,399	5,175	103,224	60,376	4,022	56,354	10,601	348	10,253			
1915	174,112	106,754	4,948	101,806	57,072	3,593	53,479	10,286	338	9,948			
1914	165,919	98,544	5,033	93,511	56,989	3,406	53,583	10,386	336	10,050			
1913	154,914	92,756	4,970	87,786	52,202	3,273	48,929	9,956	331	9,625			
1912	153,174	92,121	4,775	87,346	51,357	3,074	48,283	9,696	337	9,359			
1911	144,846	84,006	4,585	79,421	51,230	2,886	48,344	9,610	328	9,282			
1910	139,344	81,251	4,535	76,716	48,533	2,699	45,834	9,560	328	9,232			
1909	142,200	84,971	4,299	80,672	47,533	2,630	44,903	9,696	328	9,368			
1908	128,500	76,942	4,047	72,895	42,322	2,463	39,859	9,236	283	8,953			
1907	108,375	64,170	3,896	60,274	36,119	2,238	33,881	8,086	279	7,807			
1906	112,216	68,945	3,989	64,956	35,053	2,133	32,920	8,218	278	7,940			
1905	108,301	67,526	4,034	63,492	33,764	2,079	31,685	7,011	270	6,741			
1904	110,129	70,387	3,971	66,416	32,158	2,014	30,144	7,584	255	7,329			
1903	106,043	69,595	3,927	65,668	29,790	1,893	27,897	6,658	213	6,445			
1902	111,145	81,275	4,049	77,226	23,648	1,822	21,826	6,222	191	6,031			
1901	112,322	85,557	3,468	82,089	20,900	1,742	19,158	5,865	171	5,694			
1900	125,923	101,713	4,227	97,486	18,796	1,683	17,113	5,414	174	5,240			
1899	100,166	80,670	3,581	77,089	16,354	1,588	14,766	3,142	76	3,066			
1898	235,785	209,714	10,516	199,198	22,492	1,432	21,060	3,579	98	3,481			
1897	43,656	27,865	2,179	25,686	11,985	1,399	10,586	3,806	71	3,735			
1896	41,680	27,375	2,169	25,206	12,088	1,425	10,663	2,217	72	2,145			

See footnotes at end of table.

Y 904-916

GOVERNMENT

Series Y 904-916. Military Personnel on Active Duty: 1789 to 1970—Con.

Year	Grand total ¹	Army			Navy			Marine Corps		
		Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted
		904	905	906	907	911	912	913	914	915
1895	42,226	27,495	2,154	25,341	11,846	1,412	10,434	2,885	71	2,814
1894	42,101	28,265	2,146	26,119	11,460	1,405	10,055	2,876	67	2,809
1893	39,492	27,830	2,158	25,672	9,529	1,486	8,043	2,133	63	2,070
1892	38,677	27,190	2,140	25,050	9,448	1,468	7,980	2,039	66	1,973
1891	37,868	26,463	2,052	24,411	9,247	1,510	7,737	2,158	66	2,092
1890	38,666	27,373	2,168	25,205	9,246	1,489	7,757	2,047	61	1,986
1889	39,462	27,759	2,177	25,582	9,921	1,530	8,391	1,772	54	1,718
1888	39,035	27,019	2,189	24,830	10,115	1,528	8,587	1,901	72	1,829
1887	38,763	26,719	2,200	24,519	10,113	1,542	8,571	1,931	61	1,870
1886	38,636	26,727	2,102	24,625	9,909	1,549	8,360	2,000	66	1,934
1885	39,098	27,157	2,154	25,003	10,057	1,611	8,446	1,884	65	1,819
1884	39,400	26,666	2,147	24,519	10,846	1,660	9,186	1,888	66	1,822
1883	37,278	25,652	2,143	23,509	9,842	1,819	8,023	1,784	60	1,724
1882	37,860	25,811	2,162	23,649	10,170	1,911	8,259	1,869	63	1,806
1881	37,845	25,842	2,181	23,661	10,101	1,866	8,235	1,902	70	1,832
1880	37,894	26,594	2,152	24,442	9,361	1,713	7,648	1,939	69	1,870
1879	38,022	26,601	2,127	24,474	9,453	1,695	7,758	1,968	62	1,906
1878	36,444	26,023	2,153	23,870	8,087	1,582	6,505	2,334	77	2,257
1877	34,094	24,140	2,177	21,963	8,057	1,591	6,466	1,897	73	1,824
1876	40,591	28,565	2,151	26,414	10,046	1,646	8,400	1,980	76	1,904
1875	38,105	25,513	2,068	23,445	10,479	1,571	8,908	2,113	76	2,037
1874	43,609	28,640	2,081	26,559	12,700	1,595	11,105	2,269	85	2,184
1873	43,228	28,812	2,076	26,736	11,654	1,655	9,999	2,762	87	2,675
1872	42,205	28,322	2,104	26,218	11,680	1,699	9,981	2,203	77	2,126
1871	42,238	29,115	2,105	27,010	10,610	1,702	8,908	2,513	74	2,439
1870	50,348	37,240	2,541	34,699	10,562	1,551	9,011	2,546	77	2,469
1869	51,632	36,953	2,700	34,253	12,295	1,649	10,646	2,384	70	2,314
1868	66,412	61,066	2,835	58,231	12,268	1,976	10,292	3,078	81	2,997
1867	74,786	67,194	3,056	64,138	14,081	1,801	12,280	3,511	73	3,438
1866	76,749	67,072	(NA)	(NA)	16,340	2,297	14,043	3,337	79	3,258
1865	1,062,848	1,000,692	(NA)	(NA)	58,296	6,759	51,537	3,860	87	3,773
1864	1,031,724	970,905	(NA)	(NA)	57,680	5,679	52,001	3,139	64	3,075
1863	960,061	918,354	(NA)	(NA)	38,707	4,209	34,498	3,000	69	2,931
1862	673,124	637,264	(NA)	(NA)	33,454	3,224	30,230	2,406	51	2,355
1861	217,112	186,845	(NA)	(NA)	27,881	1,114	26,767	2,386	48	2,338
1860	27,958	16,215	1,080	15,135	9,942	1,150	8,792	1,801	46	1,755
1859	28,978	17,243	1,070	16,173	9,884	1,117	8,767	1,851	47	1,804
1858	29,014	17,678	1,099	16,579	9,729	1,068	8,661	1,607	52	1,555
1857	27,345	15,918	1,097	14,821	9,676	1,031	8,645	1,751	57	1,694
1856	25,867	15,715	1,072	14,643	8,681	1,027	7,654	1,471	57	1,414
1855	26,402	15,911	1,042	14,869	8,887	1,236	7,651	1,604	52	1,552
1854	21,134	10,894	956	9,938	8,879	1,254	7,625	1,361	49	1,312
1853	20,667	10,572	961	9,611	8,841	1,250	7,591	1,254	49	1,205
1852	21,349	11,376	957	10,419	8,805	1,232	7,573	1,168	47	1,121
1851	20,699	10,714	944	9,770	8,792	1,246	7,546	1,193	43	1,150
1850	20,824	10,929	948	9,981	8,794	1,273	7,521	1,101	46	1,055
1849	23,165	10,744	945	9,799	11,345	1,282	10,063	1,076	46	1,030
1848	60,308	47,819	2,865	44,954	11,238	1,141	10,097	1,751	42	1,709
1847	57,761	44,736	2,863	41,873	11,193	1,126	10,067	1,832	75	1,757
1846	39,165	27,867	2,003	25,864	10,131	1,053	9,078	1,167	41	1,126
1845	20,726	8,509	826	7,683	11,189	1,095	10,094	1,028	42	986
1844	20,919	8,730	813	7,917	11,103	1,063	10,040	1,086	40	1,046
1843	20,741	9,102	805	8,297	10,555	1,055	9,500	1,084	43	1,041
1842	22,851	10,780	781	9,999	10,782	998	9,784	1,289	46	1,243
1841	20,793	11,319	754	10,565	8,274	940	7,334	1,200	44	1,156
1840	21,616	12,330	789	11,541	8,017	932	7,085	1,269	46	1,223
1839	19,317	10,691	749	9,942	7,676	922	6,754	950	34	916
1838	17,948	9,197	717	8,480	7,656	847	6,809	1,095	28	1,067
1837	22,462	12,449	873	11,576	8,452	801	7,651	1,561	37	1,524
1836	16,874	9,945	857	9,088	5,588	787	4,801	1,341	43	1,298
1835	14,311	7,337	680	6,657	5,557	756	4,801	1,417	68	1,349
1834	13,396	7,030	669	6,361	5,451	695	4,756	915	46	869
1833	12,895	6,579	666	5,913	5,420	664	4,756	896	43	853
1832	12,478	6,268	659	5,609	5,312	642	4,670	898	38	860
1831	11,173	6,055	613	5,442	4,303	612	3,691	815	35	780
1830	11,942	6,122	627	5,495	4,929	615	4,314	891	37	854
1829	12,096	6,332	608	5,724	4,869	555	4,314	895	43	852
1828	11,431	5,702	540	5,162	4,797	506	4,291	932	40	892
1827	11,627	5,885	546	5,339	4,796	505	4,291	946	43	903
1826	11,586	5,989	540	5,449	4,762	471	4,291	835	39	796
1825	11,089	5,903	562	5,341	4,405	505	3,900	781	35	746
1824	11,008	5,973	532	5,441	4,095	531	3,564	940	50	890
1823	10,871	6,117	525	5,592	4,053	553	3,500	701	20	681
1822	9,863	5,358	512	4,846	3,774	534	3,240	731	23	708
1821	10,587	5,773	547	5,226	3,935	484	3,451	879	35	844
1820	15,113	10,554	696	9,858	3,988	537	3,451	571	19	552
1819	13,259	8,506	705	7,801	4,068	568	3,500	685	21	664
1818	14,260	8,155	697	7,458	5,545	545	5,000	560	24	536
1817	14,606	8,446	647	7,799	5,494	494	5,000	666	14	652
1816	16,743	10,231	735	9,496	6,040	500	5,540	472	21	451
1815	40,885	33,424	2,272	31,152	6,773	531	6,242	688	8	680
1814	46,858	38,186	2,271	35,915	8,024	524	7,500	648	11	637
1813	25,152	19,086	1,476	17,610	5,525	525	5,000	591	12	579
1812	12,631	6,686	299	6,387	5,452	442	5,010	493	10	483
1811	11,528	5,608	396	5,212	5,364	454	4,910	566	14	543

See footnotes at end of table.

ARMED FORCES AND VETERANS

Y 904-926

Series Y 904-916. Military Personnel on Active Duty: 1789 to 1970—Con.

Year	Grand total ¹	Army			Navy			Marine Corps		
		Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted	Total	Officers	Enlisted
		904	905	906	907	911	912	913	914	915
1810-----	11,554	5,956	441	5,515	² 5,149	450	4,699	449	9	440
1809-----	12,375	6,977	533	6,444	² 4,875	450	4,425	523	10	513
1808-----	8,200	5,712	327	5,385	1,616	191	1,425	872	11	861
1807-----	5,323	2,775	146	2,629	² 2,145	191	1,954	403	11	392
1806-----	4,076	2,653	142	2,511	1,105	191	914	318	11	307
1805-----	6,498	2,729	159	2,570	² 3,191	191	3,000	578	22	556
1804-----	5,323	2,734	216	2,518	² 2,200	200	2,000	389	25	364
1803-----	4,528	2,486	174	2,312	² 1,700	200	1,500	342	25	317
1802-----	5,432	2,873	175	2,698	² 2,200	200	2,000	359	29	330
1801-----	7,108	4,051	248	3,803	² 2,700	200	2,500	357	38	319
1800-----	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	² 5,400	400	5,000	525	38	487
1799-----	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	² 2,200	200	2,000	368	25	343
1798-----	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	² 1,856	150	1,706	83	25	58
1795-----	5,296	3,440	212	3,228	² 1,856	150	1,706	-----	-----	-----
1794-----	5,669	3,813	² 235	3,578	² 1,856	150	1,706	-----	-----	-----
1789-----	718	718	46	672	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

NA Not available.

¹ Excludes Coast Guard.² Included with Army prior to 1948. Includes Army personnel assigned to Air Force Command. See text.³ Estimated.⁴ Includes 178 Navy medical officers on duty with the Army.

Series Y 917-926. Classification of Selective Service Registrants: 1940 to 1970

[In thousands. Data for 1940-1947 are for varying dates and age groups, as noted, and refer to conterminous United States; totals include classes not shown separately. Data for 1948-1970 are as of December 31 and include Puerto Rico and outlying areas]

Year	Classification status of registrants, 18½ to 26 years old									Inducted
	Total	Class I: Available for military service	Class IV: Conscientious objectors	Class I: Fulfilling military obligation	Class IV: Completed military obligation	Class II and III: Deferred	Class IV: Exempted	Class IV: Disqualified for military service	Unclassified	
	917	918	919	920	921	922	923	924	925	926
1970	22,705	2,596	28	3,504	3,801	6,151	130	5,959	537	163
1969	21,785	1,469	16	3,885	3,308	6,971	130	5,583	425	284
1968	20,829	1,446	13	3,887	2,946	6,798	126	5,189	424	296
1967	19,901	1,412	11	3,802	2,672	6,578	121	4,909	396	228
1966	18,971	1,165	9	3,733	2,521	6,091	115	4,988	350	382
1965	17,968	1,485	10	3,167	2,399	5,830	103	4,640	334	231
1964	16,835	2,006	11	2,866	2,304	4,899	95	4,149	514	112
1963	16,027	1,743	8	2,645	2,243	3,613	82	3,593	2,101	119
1962	15,410	2,298	10	2,543	2,175	2,634	79	3,598	2,174	82
1961	14,868	2,329	10	2,448	2,132	2,302	76	3,421	2,152	119
1960	14,057	2,287	9	2,180	2,191	2,014	70	3,315	1,992	87
1959	13,179	2,295	9	2,069	2,211	1,804	68	3,145	1,578	96
1958	12,376	2,132	8	2,037	2,231	1,607	67	2,936	1,359	142
1957	11,674	2,105	7	1,969	2,275	1,372	64	2,574	1,309	139
1956	11,087	1,904	6	1,903	2,281	1,361	63	2,293	1,275	152
1955	10,609	1,736	5	4,221	113	1,419	67	2,122	926	153
1954	10,157	1,564	5	4,219	255	1,439	70	1,992	612	253
1953	9,727	1,116	3	4,052	578	1,529	72	1,818	559	472
1952	8,993	1,117	5	3,364	1,253	1,483	75	1,532	164	438
1951	8,638	1,154	8	2,375	1,995	1,288	67	1,283	468	552
1950	9,239	1,402	12	870	2,699	1,236	50	907	2,063	220
1949	8,924	1,233	9	271	2,719	882	34	523	3,253	10
1948	8,946	501	5	47	213	212	17	284	7,718	20
1947 ¹	3,690	268	8	(NA)	(NA)	278	(NA)	2,217	(NA)	(NA)
1946 ²	3,459	268	9	(NA)	(NA)	305	(NA)	2,261	(NA)	(NA)
1945 ³	8,817	444	(NA)	6,228	(NA)	809	(NA)	1,288	(NA)	946
1944 ⁴	8,654	480	(NA)	5,803	117	841	(NA)	1,364	(NA)	1,592
1943 ⁵	22,138	1,090	(NA)	8,970	(NA)	8,660	(NA)	3,353	(NA)	3,324
1942 ⁶	28,477	1,572	11	5,778	(NA)	15,690	190	2,418	2,820	3,033
1941 ⁶	14,690	982	6	974	99	10,760	213	1,098	558	924
1940 ⁷	16,317									19

NA Not available.

¹ As of Apr. 1, ages 18-29. Excludes classes I-C (already in Armed Forces) and III-A (registrants having dependents).² As of Dec. 2. See also footnote 1.³ As of Dec. 1, ages 18-25.⁴ As of Dec. 1, ages 18-37.⁵ As of Dec. 31, ages 18-37.⁶ As of Sept. 30, ages 21-35.⁷ As of Oct. 20, ages 21-35.

Y 927-956

GOVERNMENT

Series Y 927-942. Disposition of Defendants Charged with Violation of Selective Service Acts: 1945 to 1970

Year	Total defend- ants	Not convicted				Convicted and sentenced				Type of sentence						Average sentence of im- prison- ment (in mo.)
		Total	Dis- missed	Acquitted by		Total	Plea of guilty or nolo con- tendere	Convicted by		Imprisonment ¹					Pro- bation, fine, and other	
				Court	Jury			Court	Jury	Total	1 year and 1 day and under ²	Over 1 year 1 day to 3 years	3-5 years	5 years and over		
927	928	929	930	931	932	933	934	935	936	937	938	939	940	941	942	
1970	2,833	1,806	1,570	222	14	1,027	570	321	136	450	53	144	208	45	577	33
1969	1,744	844	747	88	9	900	511	252	137	544	40	155	261	88	356	36
1968	1,192	408	353	49	6	784	520	196	68	580	44	131	301	104	204	37
1967	996	248	224	22	2	748	538	141	69	666	47	270	291	58	82	32
1966	516	145	132	11	2	371	265	74	32	301	61	128	95	17	70	26
1965	341	99	88	8	3	242	197	28	17	189	64	90	30	5	53	21
1964	276	70	63	6	1	206	161	32	13	146	46	77	22	1	60	21
1963	338	73	66	7	—	265	212	46	7	189	79	65	36	9	76	22
1962	274	49	46	2	1	225	182	31	12	164	58	75	28	3	61	22
1961	244	45	37	8	—	199	160	33	6	141	45	59	35	2	58	23
1960	239	73	65	7	1	166	131	31	4	126	47	48	28	3	40	22
1959	258	56	44	11	1	202	159	39	4	152	46	63	39	4	50	23
1958	325	96	66	26	4	229	154	66	9	190	66	81	42	1	39	22
1957	357	95	75	17	3	262	183	70	9	194	60	85	41	8	68	24
1956	371	185	167	16	2	186	109	67	10	123	35	50	35	3	63	24
1955	719	430	367	57	6	289	157	106	26	217	54	105	47	11	72	25
1954	822	398	278	116	4	424	194	185	45	356	78	137	126	15	68	26
1953	630	285	236	39	10	345	185	129	31	280	61	101	84	34	65	29
1952	561	248	222	16	10	313	160	97	56	272	58	77	97	40	41	31
1951	368	212	202	6	4	156	105	24	27	123	35	37	29	22	33	30
1950	449	274	272	1	1	175	156	6	13	109	78	24	6	1	66	13
1949	506	214	202	3	9	292	263	20	9	213	134	62	17	—	79	15
1948	833	529	511	7	11	304	264	11	29	212	133	69	9	1	92	14
1947	2,074	937	908	18	11	1,137	898	178	61	775	394	317	61	3	362	14
1946	2,651	999	953	26	20	1,652	1,130	222	300	1,339	547	501	244	47	313	21
1945	4,287	1,449	1,399	25	25	2,838	1,823	319	696	2,368	438	775	744	411	470	32

- Represents zero.

¹ Includes sentences of more than 6 months which are to be followed by a term of probation (mixed sentences).² Includes split sentences where a defendant receives a sentence on a one-count indictment of 6 months or less in a jail type institution, followed by a term of probation. Included in these figures are mixed sentences involving confinement for 6 months or less on one count, to be followed by a term of probation on one or more other counts.

Series Y 943-956. Estimated Number of Veterans in Civil Life, by Age: 1865 to 1970

[In thousands. As of June 30. Includes all veterans of the Vietnam era, service between Korean conflict and the Vietnam era, Korean conflict, World War II, World War I, Spanish-American War, Civil War, Mexican War, and War of 1812, as well as those veterans of the Indian wars and former members of the Regular Establishment (peacetime) who were on the benefit rolls of Veterans Administration or predecessor agencies. Veterans who served in 2 or more wars prior to the Korean conflict are included 2 or more times; veterans who served in both World War II and the Korean conflict, and in the Vietnam era, Korean conflict, and World War II are included only once.]

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20 years	20 to 24 years	25 to 29 years	30 to 34 years	35 to 39 years	40 to 44 years	45 to 49 years	50 to 54 years	55 to 59 years	60 to 64 years	65 to 69 years	70 years and over	Unknown
	943	944	945	946	947	948	949	950	951	952	953	954	955	956
1970.....	27,647	24	1,693	2,628	2,321	3,039	4,017	5,066	3,895	1,934	1,034	326	1,670	-
1969.....	26,925	18	1,527	2,561	2,318	3,291	4,243	5,071	3,469	1,709	894	315	1,709	-
1968.....	26,273	24	1,282	2,193	2,382	3,482	4,511	4,958	3,082	1,514	752	376	1,717	-
1967.....	25,805	31	1,095	2,149	2,541	3,580	4,791	4,785	2,680	1,374	610	466	1,703	-
1966.....	25,534	39	1,100	2,078	2,799	3,759	4,977	4,451	2,360	1,253	476	646	1,596	-
1965.....	21,834	(Z)	13	814	2,458	3,967	5,137	4,036	2,059	1,152	387	958	1,353	-
1964.....	22,013	-	18	580	2,930	4,222	5,148	3,596	1,823	996	378	1,200	1,127	-
1963.....	22,168	(Z)	13	906	3,316	4,508	5,025	3,189	1,614	835	451	1,365	944	-
1962.....	22,275	(Z)	20	1,426	3,502	4,778	4,839	2,765	1,451	676	555	1,478	780	-
1961.....	22,403	(Z)	98	1,976	3,715	4,955	4,494	2,429	1,333	530	772	1,461	640	-
1960.....	22,534	(Z)	281	2,425	3,962	5,127	4,060	2,115	1,219	426	1,138	1,260	521	-
1959.....	22,666	(Z)	521	2,890	4,222	5,139	3,624	1,873	1,054	418	1,423	1,091	411	-
1958.....	22,727	(Z)	857	3,195	4,498	5,023	3,227	1,665	889	503	1,617	944	309	-
1957.....	22,634	4	989	3,535	4,810	4,854	2,803	1,513	720	624	1,743	816	223	-
1956.....	22,372	17	1,446	3,526	5,008	4,528	2,469	1,380	563	866	1,720	691	158	-
1955.....	21,861	26	1,398	3,866	5,143	4,095	2,155	1,265	445	1,288	1,482	555	143	-
1950.....	19,077	1	2,196	5,023	4,054	2,154	1,280	458	1,390	1,653	650	72	136	-
1945.....	6,498	28	637	740	497	380	130	1,295	1,764	718	77	111	77	44
1940.....	4,286	-	-	-	-	16	1,287	1,848	773	86	131	72	35	38
1935.....	4,494	-	-	-	16	1,323	1,917	815	93	149	86	31	28	36
1930.....	4,680	-	-	17	1,356	1,974	849	98	162	97	37	13	56	21
1925.....	4,894	-	17	1,386	2,026	877	103	172	105	41	15	6	130	16
1920.....	5,146	17	1,416	2,075	903	107	180	112	44	18	7	3	245	19
1915.....	773	-	-	(Z)	19	145	100	40	16	8	3	8	417	17
1910.....	977	-	(Z)	20	150	105	42	17	8	4	11	380	238	2
1905.....	1,192	(Z)	21	156	109	44	18	9	4	13	458	208	150	2
1900.....	1,224	12	91	64	26	11	5	3	14	521	251	121	104	1
1895.....	1,187	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	578	289	148	85	71	3
1890.....	1,341	-	-	-	-	-	14	628	321	171	105	67	35	-
1885.....	1,475	-	-	-	-	15	670	347	189	121	82	44	7	-
1880.....	1,593	-	-	-	16	710	370	203	133	93	53	5	10	-
1875.....	1,698	-	-	17	748	390	216	142	103	59	7	(Z)	16	-
1870.....	1,802	-	17	784	411	228	152	109	65	8	(Z)	(Z)	28	-
1865.....	1,908	18	820	430	239	159	116	70	9	1	(Z)	9	37	-

- Represents zero. Z Less than 500.

ARMED FORCES AND VETERANS

Y 957-983

Series Y 957-970. Estimated Number of Veterans in Civil Life, by Period of Service: 1865 to 1970
[In thousands. As of June 30]

Year	Total veterans	War of 1812	Mexican War	Civil War	Indian wars ¹	Spanish-American War	World War I	World War II ²	Korean conflict		Service between Korean conflict and Vietnam ^{3,4}	Vietnam ^{5,6}		Regular Establishment ⁷
									Total ²	Without World War II service		Total ⁶	Without Korean conflict service	
	957	958	959	960	961	962	963	964	965	966	967	968	969	970
1970	27,647				(Z)	5	1,536	14,458	5,867	4,605	3,125	4,173	3,918	185
1969	26,925				(Z)	6	1,647	14,592	5,847	4,590	3,134	3,169	2,956	183
1968	26,273				(Z)	8	1,766	14,718	5,814	4,567	3,139	2,234	2,070	180
1967	25,805				(Z)	10	1,888	14,832	5,797	4,563	3,142	1,493	1,370	195
1966	25,534				(Z)	12	2,007	14,916	5,770	4,568	3,147	962	884	176
1965	21,834				(Z)	15	2,121	14,969	5,718	4,568	3,152	456	434	161
1964	22,013				(Z)	18	2,226	15,048	5,708	4,574	3,119			147
1963	22,166				(Z)	22	2,343	15,100	5,663	4,567	2,617			134
1962	22,275				(Z)	26	2,455	15,126	5,586	4,546	2,156			122
1961	22,403				(Z)	31	2,565	15,156	5,531	4,538	1,760			113
1960	22,534				(Z)	36	2,673	15,202	5,482	4,520	1,380			103
1959	22,666			(Z)	(Z)	43	2,778	15,243	5,448	4,507	967			95
1958	22,727			(Z)	(Z)	48	2,876	15,288	5,353	4,431	569			84
1957	22,634			(Z)	(Z)	55	2,971	15,332	5,105	4,202	186			74
1956	22,372			(Z)	(Z)	63	3,061	15,370	4,686	3,812	30			66
1955	21,861			(Z)	(Z)	72	3,150	15,405	3,999	3,171	4			63
1954	20,951			(Z)	(Z)	80	3,230	15,425	2,912	2,153				63
1953	20,196			(Z)	(Z)	89	3,308	15,440	1,955	1,297				62
1952	19,338			(Z)	(Z)	99	3,382	15,369	867	428				60
1951	18,919			(Z)	(Z)	108	3,452	15,200	211	100				59
1950	19,077			(Z)	1	118	3,518	15,386	(Z)	(Z)				54
1949	18,945			(Z)	1	127	3,587	15,182						48
1948	18,745			(Z)	1	136	3,651	14,914						43
1947	18,262			(Z)	1	146	3,711	14,361						43
1946	16,655			(Z)	1	155	3,768	12,687						44
1945	6,498			(Z)	1	164	3,821	2,469						43
1944	5,689			(Z)	1	173	3,871	1,601						43
1943	5,002			1	1	182	3,917	858						43
1942	4,485			1	2	190	3,961	289						42
1941	4,337			2	2	198	4,002	95						38
1940	4,286			2	2	206	4,040							36
1935	4,494			13	4	244	4,201							32
1930	4,680			49	5	274	4,336							16
1925	4,894		(Z)	127	4	298	4,453							12
1920	5,146		(Z)	244	4	317	4,566							15
1915	773		1	424	1	332								15
1910	977		2	624	2	349								
1905	1,192		5	821	2	364								
1900	1,224	(Z)	9	1,000	1	214								
1895	1,187	(Z)	14	1,170	3									
1890	1,341	(Z)	19	1,322										
1885	1,475	3	23	1,449										
1880	1,593	10	26	1,557										
1875	1,698	16	28	1,654										
1870	1,802	28	30	1,744										
1865	1,908	46	32	1,830										

Z Less than 500. ¹ Includes only veterans on the benefit rolls of the Veterans Administration or predecessor agencies.

² Includes veterans who served in both World War II and the Korean conflict.

³ Public Law 89-358, March 3, 1966, conferred veteran status on all persons serving on active duty in the Armed Forces after January 31, 1955. Veterans with service between the Korean conflict and Vietnam era (February 1, 1955-August 4, 1964) and Vietnam era veterans (service after August 4, 1964) included in the total veteran count beginning June 1966.

⁴ Veterans whose only service was on active duty between January 31, 1955, and

August 5, 1964. Excludes men who served on active duty for training only.

⁵ Service after August 4, 1964.

⁶ Includes veterans who served in both the Vietnam era and the Korean conflict or World War II.

⁷ Former members of Regular Establishment (peacetime) receiving disability compensation from the Veterans Administration or predecessor agencies. Beginning June 1966, Regular Establishment veterans are excluded from total veterans since they are for the most part included as veterans with service between the Korean conflict and Vietnam era or as veterans of a war period.

Series Y 971-983. Expenditures of Veterans Administration and Predecessor Agencies From Appropriated Funds, by Period of Service: 1790 to 1970
[In thousands of dollars. For years ending June 30]

Year	Total, all wars	War of 1812	Mexican War	Civil War	Indian wars	Spanish-American War	World War I	World War II	Korean conflict	Between Korean conflict and Vietnam	Vietnam era	Regular Establishment	Undistributed and other
	971	972	973	974	975	976	977	978	979	980	981	982	983
Total	¹ 174,760,880	² 48,747	³ 64,284	⁴ 8,569,583	123,225	5,430,693	48,970,260	87,450,145	15,190,502	2,049,917	2,617,062	4,159,608	⁵ 16,809
1970	8,905,065			1,014	167	54,475	1,943,366	3,880,834	898,251	480,794	1,327,690	318,474	
1969	7,907,776			945	190	60,948	1,910,450	3,521,688	675,500	844,240	624,258	269,557	
1968	7,290,882			1,090	206	58,999	1,901,226	3,295,979	755,536	535,088	464,537	278,221	
1967	6,913,666			1,132	205	65,413	1,891,630	3,483,144	794,651	189,796	200,576	287,119	
1966	6,410,840			1,309	243	70,390	1,980,136	3,323,174	707,581			328,007	
1965	6,150,021			1,522	297	78,947	1,962,712	3,108,782	720,802			276,959	
1964	6,008,129			1,774	362	89,899	1,946,465	3,058,185	664,094			247,350	
1963	5,866,233			2,052	400	96,909	1,947,434	2,856,483	746,745			216,209	(Z)
1962	5,636,630			2,533	468	103,872	1,907,004	2,661,322	767,487			193,940	2
1961	5,567,531			2,740	547	113,160	1,870,473	2,447,984	956,369			176,253	4

See footnotes at end of table.

Y 971-983

GOVERNMENT

Series Y 971-983. Expenditures of Veterans Administration and Predecessor Agencies From Appropriated Funds, by Period of Service: 1790 to 1970—Con.

[In thousands of dollars. For years ending June 30]

Year	Total, all wars	War of 1812	Mexican War	Civil War	Indian wars	Spanish- American War	World War I	World War II	Korean conflict	Regular Establish- ment	Un- distributed and other	
	971	972	973	974	975	976	977	978	979	982	983	
1960	5,389,378			2	3,130	632	123,733	1,693,360	2,398,350	1,008,037	162,129	5
1959	5,343,711			3	3,428	712	130,155	1,564,592	2,354,010	1,151,933	138,873	5
1958	5,205,941			3	2,458	724	129,569	1,445,443	2,270,189	1,234,720	122,831	4
1957	4,884,506			3	2,839	863	137,279	1,349,830	2,059,223	1,231,723	102,742	4
1956	4,801,885			4	3,257	983	145,738	1,284,202	2,135,904	1,140,840	90,955	2
1955	4,483,137			5	3,697	1,101	152,663	1,188,768	2,137,246	914,123	85,532	2
1954	4,282,592			5	4,112	1,192	164,889	1,067,701	2,416,000	548,801	79,891	1
1953	4,354,220			8	4,739	1,326	163,000	1,019,190	2,869,785	216,054	80,116	2
1952	4,944,187			11	5,168	1,348	160,434	903,432	3,747,014	53,706	73,070	4
1951	5,356,639			13	6,974	1,532	164,525	851,288	4,255,015	4,003	73,284	5
1950	6,627,657			14	6,864	1,719	168,449	793,337	5,593,899		63,369	6
1949	6,660,350			17	7,938	1,920	174,787	717,947	5,705,569		52,166	6
1948	6,497,681			23	9,081	1,971	175,716	647,393	5,624,766		38,725	6
1947	7,470,600			26	9,104	2,008	153,191	573,034	6,696,915		36,316	6
1946	4,425,001	(Z)		27	10,513	2,169	145,783	444,965	3,794,869		26,667	8
1945	2,084,668	(Z)		31	12,007	2,348	143,109	400,440	1,494,977		26,747	9
1944	743,596	(Z)		39	14,070	2,324	132,116	355,691	213,346		25,999	11
1943	605,893	(Z)		50	16,776	2,517	130,189	375,435	54,327		26,385	14
1942	556,198	(Z)		55	19,791	2,782	132,593	370,162	7,851		22,949	15
1941	553,013	(Z)		66	23,504	3,025	133,744	366,260	5,244		21,155	15
1940	557,690	(Z)		85	28,255	3,313	134,166	372,522			19,334	15
1939	555,175	(Z)		103	33,615	3,554	131,774	371,627			14,487	15
1938	581,923		1	117	39,791	3,671	125,160	398,895			14,273	15
1937	579,352		1	133	47,292	3,664	121,591	392,619			14,036	16
1936	580,249		1	155	56,340	3,911	116,189	391,916			11,720	17
1935	556,857		3	181	64,400	4,013	83,413	393,314			11,515	18
1934	496,215		3	199	70,797	3,887	61,415	350,201			9,695	18
1933	780,758		4	286	99,204	5,039	131,328	537,434			7,437	26
1932	789,251		4	327	109,315	4,865	122,829	544,910			6,977	24
1931	714,022		5	347	123,400	4,797	110,375	468,926			6,172	
1930	639,213		6	397	127,458	4,786	91,700	409,307			5,559	
1929	631,248		7	475	145,301	4,646	84,230	391,305			5,284	
1928	625,144		9	547	151,718	4,123	77,476	386,452			4,819	
1927	618,791		10	572	169,124	2,141	63,338	379,084			4,522	
1926	628,271		7	438	174,645	1,951	35,806	411,088			4,336	

Year	Total, all wars ^a	War of 1812	Mexi- can War	Civil War	Indian wars	Span- ish- Ameri- can War	World War I	Regular Estab- lish- ment	Undis- tributed and other	Year or period	Total, all wars ^a	War of 1812	Mexi- can War	Civil War	Indian wars
	971	972	973	974	975	976	977	982	983		971	972	973	974	975
1925	607,246	9	511	190,003	2,011	29,929	380,780	4,003		1895	147,606	561	2,340	143,821	820
1924	647,233	13	585	207,148	1,970	25,197	408,400	3,970		1894	147,408	668	2,291	143,366	871
1923	737,000	18	724	243,965	1,964	21,071	465,051	4,207		1893	165,315	758	2,257	161,783	251
1922	736,781	20	781	241,662	1,844	13,933	474,415	4,076		1892	147,784	876	2,254	144,295	
1921	652,157	24	894	252,792	1,614	8,046	384,582	4,205		1891	125,351	1,115	2,499	121,284	
1920	494,183	21	683	207,948	1,784	5,748	273,806	4,193		1890	112,647	1,359	2,598		
1919	499,311	18	765	217,640	1,594	4,813	270,236	4,245		1889	95,066	1,521	2,672		
1918	260,898	21	892	176,653	971	5,379	72,622	4,360		1888	84,512	1,755	2,624		
1917	169,264	19	852	159,237	428	4,948		3,780		1887	79,451	1,984	142		
1916	167,393	19	815	157,447	488	4,887		3,737		1886	68,931	1,727			
1915	173,729	23	939	163,778	526	4,821		3,642		1885	70,196	1,911			
1914	180,866	28	1,077	170,928	575	4,663		3,586	9	1884	62,184	2,157			
1913	183,138	33	1,207	173,038	545	4,735		3,569	11	1883	64,361	2,448			
1912	162,125	38	1,191	152,355	538	4,585		3,418		1882	56,882	2,656			
1911	166,448	45	1,348	156,651	592	4,508		3,302	2	1881	52,771	3,135			
1910	169,492	52	1,492	159,861	640	4,343		3,102		1880	58,585	3,573			
1909	171,458	64	1,647	161,747	659	4,279		2,972		1879	35,526	3,817			
1908	162,398	70	1,512	153,267	553	4,009		2,853		1878	28,764	1,128			
1907	147,482	86	1,381	138,808	587	3,770		2,727		1877	30,145	1,373			
1906	148,421	103	1,423	139,767	650	3,726		2,614		1876	29,887	1,622			
1905	150,851	117	1,572	142,191	686	3,667		2,512		1875	31,106	1,981			
1904	150,716	144	1,739	142,248	778	3,318		2,376		1874	31,908	2,305			
1903	147,079	165	1,687	142,295	447	2,369		3		1873	28,681	2,875			
1902	146,575	188	1,729	142,253	435	1,865		2		1872	31,454	2,411			
1901	147,275	216	1,788	143,409	488	1,247		(Z)		1871	30,081				
1900	146,887	255	1,893	143,726	545	344				1870	30,543				
1899	146,822	301	2,014	143,775	601	31				1869	29,658				
1898	152,814	357	2,150	149,559	644					1868	24,164				
1897	147,903	400	2,190	144,455	707					1867	21,276				
1896	145,789	471	2,277	142,093	777					1866	15,858				
										1790-1865	96,445				

Z. Less than \$500.

¹ Includes \$70,045,000 for the Revolutionary War spent prior to 1911.² Includes \$132,000 spent prior to 1872, not shown by year.³ Includes \$78,000 spent prior to 1887, not shown by year.⁴ Includes \$1,168,119,000 spent prior to 1891, not shown by year.⁵ Includes \$16,487,000 spent prior to 1911, not shown by year.⁶ Amounts in footnotes 1 to 5, which affect years prior to 1911, are not shown annually by war but are distributed by years in this column.

ARMED FORCES AND VETERANS

Y 984-997

Series Y 984-997. Expenditures for Veterans Benefits and Services by Veterans Administration and Predecessor Agencies: 1790 to 1970

[In thousands of dollars. For years ending June 30]

Year	Expenditures from general and special fund appropriations and trust, deposit, and working funds												Expenditures from general and special fund appropriations	
	Total expenditures	Compensation and pensions	Insurance and service-men's indemnities ¹	Readjustment benefits					Miscellaneous benefit payments	Medical, hospital, and domiciliary services	Hospital and domiciliary facilities	Administration and other benefits	Total	Transfers to insurance trust funds
				Education and training	Vocational rehabilitation	Unemployment and self-employment allowances	Loan guaranty	Direct loans						
	984	985	986	987	988	989	990	991	992	993	994	995	996	997
Total ²	194,364,921	94,415,801	25,349,218	21,599,199	2,599,252	3,804,876	4,005,094	3,508,283	6,639,876	24,255,295	1,862,119	6,326,846	174,760,880	7,626,965
1970 ³	10,122,477	5,253,840	1,169,451	991,443	41,643	-----	248,961	180,403	153,926	1,748,432	74,605	262,605	8,905,065	11,381
1969	9,025,846	4,848,852	1,068,437	661,095	29,965	-----	282,955	208,546	139,825	1,516,851	47,872	222,448	7,907,776	9,790
1968	8,425,437	4,519,304	1,083,385	446,490	22,755	-----	328,090	208,382	144,238	1,418,953	49,883	204,007	7,290,882	6,968
1967	8,003,404	4,392,834	1,039,099	286,597	19,186	-----	368,873	161,660	155,364	1,325,705	60,035	194,051	6,913,666	9,066
1966	7,325,325	4,306,368	867,999	30,988	17,426	-----	378,028	92,432	141,686	1,229,254	83,464	178,689	6,410,840	8,256
1965	*6,967,530	4,042,144	783,139	37,443	14,533	(Z)	363,926	171,394	118,376	1,181,512	76,996	178,125	6,150,021	8,910
1964	*6,866,474	3,900,203	827,763	58,566	11,757	(Z)	355,314	237,280	113,536	1,119,811	68,576	173,666	6,008,129	8,527
1963	*6,816,023	3,814,749	930,873	88,209	9,243	(Z)	309,520	246,332	104,737	1,071,790	66,170	174,640	5,866,233	8,053
1962	*6,629,104	3,652,598	882,269	142,557	10,336	(Z)	234,998	252,827	102,998	1,022,323	53,008	175,330	5,636,630	8,351
1961	*6,636,402	3,568,396	1,068,544	237,264	11,837	(Z)	159,885	286,271	96,241	978,048	51,428	178,917	5,567,581	9,829
1960	*6,215,378	3,314,761	831,760	382,861	17,910	(Z)	121,829	312,777	89,088	912,967	56,854	174,768	5,389,378	11,120
1959	*6,129,139	3,225,527	796,315	574,029	22,307	1	120,933	203,971	81,232	880,787	46,145	178,838	5,343,711	12,426
1958	*5,948,131	3,062,211	761,075	698,415	26,095	2	80,039	228,868	63,189	823,963	32,904	171,627	5,205,941	15,570
1957	*5,653,871	2,828,516	696,646	776,277	30,598	5	60,125	130,219	58,915	768,076	36,342	168,799	4,884,506	19,993
1956	*5,402,035	2,748,989	686,013	766,900	38,134	*2	40,062	103,118	55,726	760,409	26,882	176,944	4,801,885	79,041
1955	5,170,768	2,634,293	724,069	664,514	40,770	*200	28,831	125,126	51,000	696,750	32,510	173,105	4,483,137	31,160
1954	5,075,185	2,450,518	869,579	544,119	41,294	*245	44,640	117,709	51,537	712,828	51,043	192,163	4,282,592	73,477
1953	5,013,733	2,376,307	737,575	667,802	57,768	*516	65,843	92,760	63,809	662,858	88,183	201,344	4,354,220	84,725
1952	5,869,841	2,105,973	1,110,193	1,325,403	97,902	76	78,355	87,276	53,267	662,683	118,011	235,702	4,944,187	204,644
1951	5,953,879	2,035,988	607,104	1,943,341	176,875	8,378	90,108	60,932	62,530	594,084	108,878	270,661	5,356,639	44,555
1950	9,278,335	2,009,462	3,108,957	2,595,728	272,292	138,191	58,671	-----	41,222	592,082	151,532	310,198	6,627,657	474,648
1949	6,987,596	1,891,283	401,454	2,703,862	335,200	509,592	40,038	-----	40,700	574,178	124,025	367,264	6,660,350	89,154
1948	7,040,503	1,820,685	*676,932	2,498,884	333,313	677,256	64,354	-----	39,780	519,722	16,980	392,597	6,497,681	144,458
1947	6,972,077	1,781,973	328,211	2,122,292	221,147	1,447,916	75,493	-----	44,409	415,813	153,880	430,943	7,470,600	833,278
1946	3,382,777	1,215,688	340,594	350,561	45,087	1,000,909	5,229	-----	18,007	213,816	34,313	158,573	4,425,001	1,389,296
1945	1,140,829	732,535	175,935	8,693	8,348	23,512	-----	-----	21,744	101,611	15,801	52,650	2,084,668	1,130,490
1944	723,445	494,364	86,392	-----	659	-----	-----	-----	10,077	98,041	4,851	29,061	743,596	104,947
1943	619,764	442,360	55,508	-----	*3	-----	-----	-----	8,063	86,623	2,720	24,493	605,693	36,492
1942	642,917	431,284	56,516	-----	*4	-----	-----	-----	49,974	81,973	4,046	19,128	556,198	4,813
1941	612,721	433,114	69,588	-----	*4	-----	-----	-----	9,626	78,458	4,541	17,398	553,013	1,636
1940	637,611	429,138	87,899	-----	*3	-----	-----	-----	15,690	74,497	13,638	16,752	557,690	1,516
1939	597,461	416,704	70,965	-----	*4	-----	-----	-----	14,045	69,651	10,958	15,140	555,175	2,760
1938	627,399	402,769	111,727	-----	*1	-----	-----	-----	20,757	66,626	9,347	16,174	581,923	2,431
1937	891,426	396,030	114,880	-----	*9	-----	-----	-----	289,957	64,154	8,964	17,450	579,352	2,568
1936	*3,835,661	398,992	118,862	-----	*6	-----	-----	-----	*3,234,247	62,481	2,938	18,147	580,249	3,459
1935	605,686	374,407	123,297	-----	*9	-----	-----	-----	29,802	57,047	2,903	18,239	556,857	4,230
1934	540,991	321,377	124,494	-----	*7	-----	-----	-----	28,065	45,962	3,170	17,930	496,215	4,847
1933	827,825	550,559	145,426	-----	*16	-----	-----	-----	27,084	65,435	18,517	25,870	780,758	5,674
1932	855,357	545,777	146,397	-----	*17	-----	-----	-----	25,958	75,020	12,876	29,346	789,251	6,080
1931	762,816	488,389	137,325	-----	*22	-----	-----	-----	21,862	68,691	9,040	27,631	714,022	6,551
1930	675,788	418,433	139,212	-----	*20	-----	-----	-----	23,263	60,426	8,241	26,233	639,213	8,235
1929	665,342	418,821	135,704	-----	*3	-----	-----	-----	26,191	54,682	4,044	25,903	631,248	7,946
1928	652,712	410,765	131,277	-----	234	-----	-----	-----	27,189	53,121	5,222	24,904	625,144	7,158
1927	640,549	403,630	128,415	-----	2,206	-----	-----	-----	24,180	53,235	4,599	24,284	618,791	4,413
1926	649,143	372,281	142,507	-----	25,840	-----	-----	-----	20,927	53,113	4,511	29,964	628,271	4,350
1925	617,486	346,748	109,762	-----	60,486	-----	-----	-----	7,657	55,024	3,895	33,914	607,246	3,336
1924	652,101	345,490	106,036	-----	106,962	-----	-----	-----	17	48,422	9,215	35,959	647,283	2,685
1923	740,783	388,607	103,334	-----	149,433	-----	-----	-----	*264	59,262	2,644	37,767	737,000	2,785
1922	740,624	377,158	104,801	-----	166,051	-----	-----	-----	5,231	77,062	917	9,404	736,731	4,273
1921	664,588	380,026	96,961	-----	99,065	-----	-----	-----	23,831	53,128	-----	11,527	652,157	-----
1920	514,980	316,418	85,974	-----	34,652	-----	-----	-----	54,084	5,829	-----	18,023	494,183	-----
1919	701,181	233,461	43,798	-----	67	-----	-----	-----	400,589	5,512	-----	17,704	499,311	-----
1918	327,100	180,177	840	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	134,806	6,920	-----	4,857	260,898	-----

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Y 984-1009

GOVERNMENT

Series Y 984-997. Expenditures for Veterans Benefits and Services by Veterans Administration and Predecessor Agencies: 1790 to 1970—Con.

[In thousands of dollars. For years ending June 30]

Year	Expenditures from general and special fund appropriations and trust, deposit, and working funds				Expenditures from general and special fund appropriations	Year or period	Expenditures from general and special fund appropriations and trust, deposit, and working funds				Expenditures from general and special fund appropriations
	Total expenditure	Compensation and pensions	Medical, hospital, and domiciliary services	Administration and other benefits			Total expenditure	Compensation and pensions	Medical, hospital, and domiciliary services	Administration and other benefits	
	984	985	993	995			996	984	985	993	
1917	169,264	160,895	6,806	1,563	169,264	1890	112,647	106,094	3,027	3,526	112,647
1916	167,393	159,155	6,581	1,657	167,393	1889	95,066	88,843	2,756	3,467	95,066
1915	173,729	165,518	6,431	1,780	173,729	1888	84,512	78,951	2,046	3,515	84,512
1914	180,866	172,418	6,382	2,066	180,866	1887	79,451	73,753	1,945	3,753	79,451
1913	183,138	174,172	6,423	2,543	183,138	1886	68,931	64,091	1,595	3,245	68,931
1912	162,125	152,986	6,690	2,449	162,125						
1911	166,448	157,325	6,606	2,517	166,448	1885	70,196	65,172	1,631	3,398	70,196
						1884	62,184	57,912	1,437	2,835	62,184
1910	169,492	159,974	6,860	2,658	169,492	1883	64,361	60,428	1,341	2,592	64,361
1909	171,458	161,974	6,632	2,852	171,458	1882	56,882	54,318	1,103	1,466	56,882
1908	162,398	153,093	6,504	2,801	162,398	1881	52,771	50,583	1,116	1,072	52,771
1907	147,482	138,155	6,018	3,309	147,482						
1906	148,421	139,000	5,897	3,524	148,421	1880	58,585	56,689	961	935	58,585
						1879	35,526	33,664	1,024	838	35,526
1905	150,851	141,143	5,986	3,722	150,851	1878	28,764	26,786	945	1,033	28,764
1904	150,716	141,094	5,773	3,849	150,716	1877	30,145	28,183	928	1,034	30,145
1903	147,079	137,760	5,326	3,993	147,079	1876	29,887	27,936	936	1,015	29,887
1902	146,575	137,504	5,240	3,831	146,575						
1901	147,275	138,531	4,875	3,869	147,275	1875	31,106	29,270	853	983	31,106
						1874	31,908	30,207	734	967	31,908
1900	146,887	138,462	4,583	3,842	146,887	1873	28,681	26,982	695	1,004	28,681
1899	146,822	138,355	4,320	4,147	146,822	1872	31,454	29,753	750	951	31,454
1898	152,814	144,652	4,048	4,114	152,814	1871	30,081	28,519	699	863	30,081
1897	147,908	139,950	3,965	3,988	147,908						
1896	145,789	138,221	3,577	3,991	145,789	1870	30,543	29,351	591	601	30,543
						1869	29,658	28,513	580	565	29,658
1895	147,606	139,812	3,456	4,338	147,606	1868	24,164	23,102	509	553	24,164
1894	147,408	139,987	3,457	3,964	147,408	1867	21,276	20,785		491	21,276
1893	165,315	156,907	3,540	4,868	165,315	1866	15,858	15,451		407	15,858
1892	147,784	139,394	3,491	4,899	147,784						
1891	125,351	117,313	3,388	4,700	125,351	1790-1865	96,445	96,445			96,445

Z Less than \$500.

¹ Largely includes payments from trust accounts.² Detail does not add to total because of adjustments for overpayments collected and items written off as uncollectible under the readjustment benefits program.³ Data for 1970 are on an accrued expenditures basis. Prior year data based on nonaccrual basis.⁴ Credit.⁵ Includes adjustments for prior years; see text.⁶ Includes total payments to veterans and beneficiaries on adjusted service certificates.

Series Y 998-1009. Veterans Pensions and Compensation—Number of Veterans and Expenditure, by Type: 1866 to 1970

[For years ending June 30]

Year	Number of veterans ¹ (1,000)						Expenditure (mil. dol.)					
	Total		Pensions		Compensation		Total		Pensions		Compensation	
	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability
	998	999	1000	1001	1002	1003	1004	1005	1006	1007	1008	1009
1970	1,541	3,181	1,169	1,089	372	2,092	1,502	3,752	907	1,357	595	2,395
1969	1,497	3,160	1,125	1,120	372	2,040	1,385	3,466	849	1,318	536	2,148
1968	1,443	3,164	1,075	1,152	368	2,012	1,296	3,228	779	1,272	517	1,956
1967	1,388	3,182	1,025	1,182	363	2,000	1,210	3,183	713	1,263	497	1,920
1966	1,339	3,201	974	1,207	365	1,994	1,172	3,133	689	1,300	483	1,833
1965	1,294	3,217	929	1,224	365	1,993	1,111	2,931	640	1,224	471	1,707
1964	1,239	3,197	872	1,203	367	1,994	1,047	2,853	585	1,155	462	1,698
1963	1,183	3,181	810	1,191	373	1,990	995	2,820	547	1,151	448	1,669
1962	1,122	3,150	745	1,162	377	1,988	965	2,688	510	1,124	455	1,564
1961	1,067	3,107	683	1,106	384	2,001	926	2,642	461	1,072	465	1,570
1960	951	3,009	559	981	392	2,028	824	2,491	354	911	470	1,580
1959	916	2,934	528	880	388	2,054	811	2,414	339	815	472	1,599
1958	884	2,850	497	785	387	2,065	776	2,286	309	729	467	1,557
1957	863	2,797	478	720	385	2,076	729	2,100	295	657	434	1,443
1956	837	2,789	454	654	383	2,085	694	2,055	281	604	413	1,451
1955	808	2,669	426	832	382	1,837	664	1,970	265	538	400	1,432
1954	778	2,590	403	533	375	2,057	612	1,838	243	475	369	1,364
1953	748	2,506	379	485	369	2,021	608	1,768	231	431	377	1,337
1952	707	2,418	353	437	353	1,981	538	1,568	195	364	343	1,204
1951	683	2,374	339	394	343	1,980	501	1,535	190	330	311	1,205

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Y 998-1009

Series Y 998-1009. Veterans Pensions and Compensation—Number of Veterans and Expenditure, by Type:
1866 to 1970—Con.

[For years ending June 30]

Year	Number of veterans ¹ (1,000)						Expenditure (mil. dol.)					
	Total		Pensions		Compensation		Total		Pensions		Compensation	
	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability	Death	Disability
	998	999	1000	1001	1002	1003	1004	1005	1006	1007	1008	1009
1950	658	2,368	322	845	336	2,023	485	1,524	181	295	904	1,229
1949	636	2,314	302	290	334	2,024	457	1,434	171	253	286	1,181
1948	608	2,315	279	249	324	2,066	385	1,436	152	234	238	1,201
1947	566	2,354	253	233	314	2,121	367	1,365	138	194	229	1,171
1946	502	2,130	227	219	275	1,911	305	910	108	167	198	744
1945	369	1,144	177	220	193	924	185	547	69	166	116	381
1944	253	813	124	221	129	593	126	368	50	80	76	288
1943	239	622	127	227	112	395	113	330	52	139	61	190
1942	236	624	129	231	107	392	111	320	53	132	58	188
1941	238	619	130	229	108	390	113	320	54	132	59	188
1940	239	610	130	224	110	386	115	314	55	130	60	184
1939	240	603	130	225	109	378	109	308	55	129	54	179
1938	236	601	132	225	104	375	101	301	56	126	45	176
1937	243	599	136	227	107	371	96	300	60	121	37	179
1936	251	601	144	230	107	371	100	299	63	119	37	180
1935	253	586	146	215	107	371	96	278	61	96	35	182
1934	258	581	153	218	105	363	94	228	59	80	34	148
1933	273	998	169	636	103	362	122	428	85	228	37	200
1932	284	994	182	641	102	354	124	421	87	215	38	206
1931	289	791	192	468	97	323	124	365	91	168	32	197
1930	298	543	203	241	95	301	128	290	94	120	34	170
1929	306	526	215	245	91	281	132	287	100	126	32	162
1928	318	517	229	245	89	271	124	287	92	132	32	154
1927	327	490	240	233	86	257	126	278	96	131	30	147
1926	334	473	252	233	83	240	125	247	93	111	32	136
1925	334	457	264	232	70	224	124	223	97	117	26	107
1924	335	427	274	236	62	191	122	223	102	125	20	99
1923	341	437	282	241	59	196	133	256	113	146	20	110
1922	341	431	286	244	55	187	124	253	106	144	17	109
1921	346	423	294	254	52	169	127	253	108	147	19	106
1920	350	420	302	271	47	149	115	201	93	117	22	85
1919	336	398	307	299	29	40	101	133	95	124	6	9
1918	308	342	302	325	6	16	81	99	80	97	1	3
1917	303	370	298	354	5	16	55	106	54	103	1	3
1916	306	403	302	388	5	16	46	113	45	110	1	3
1915	310	438	306	422	4	15	47	119	46	116	1	3
1914	315	471	310	456	4	15	47	125	46	123	1	3
1913	317	504	312	489	4	15	47	127	46	124	1	3
1912	322	538	318	524	4	14	48	105	47	103	1	2
1911	322	570	317	557	4	14	48	109	47	107	1	2
1910	318	603	314	589	4	13	48	112	47	110	1	2
1909	314	633	310	620	4	12	47	115	46	113	1	2
1908	293	659	289	647	4	12	35	118	34	116	1	2
1907	287	680	283	659	4	11	35	104	34	102	1	2
1906	284	701	281	691	4	11	35	104	34	103	1	2
1905	281	718	277	708	3	10	35	106	34	104	1	2
1904	274	721	271	711	3	10	35	106	34	104	1	2

Year	Number of veterans ¹ (1,000)		Expenditure (mil. dol.)		Year	Number of veterans ¹ (1,000)	Expenditure (mil. dol.)	Year	Number of veterans ¹ (1,000)	Expenditure (mil. dol.)
	Death	Disability	Death	Disability						
	998	999	1004	1005						
1903	267	729	34	104	1890	538	106	1877	232	28
1902	260	739	33	104	1889	490	89	1876	232	28
1901	249	749	32	106	1888	453	79			
					1887	406	74	1875	235	29
1900	241	753	31	107	1886	366	64	1874	236	30
1899	237	754	32	107				1873	238	27
1898	235	759	35	110	1885	345	65	1872	232	30
1897	229	747	34	106	1884	323	58	1871	207	29
1896	222	749	32	106	1883	304	60			
					1882	286	54	1870	199	29
1895	219	751	32	108	1881	269	51	1869	188	29
1894	215	754	33	107				1868	170	23
1893	206	760	37	120	1880	251	57	1867	155	21
1892	173	703	31	109	1879	243	34	1866	127	15
1891	139	537	31	86	1878	224	27			

¹ Series Y 998, Y 1000, and Y 1002 represent the number of deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving pension or compensation. Series Y 999, Y 1001, and Y 1003 represent the number of living veterans who were receiving pension, compensation, disability allowance, or retirement pay.

Y 1010-1027

GOVERNMENT

Series Y 1010-1027. Patients Receiving Hospital or Domiciliary Care Authorized by Veterans Administration:
1921 to 1970

[Includes beneficiaries admitted and cared for in Army, Navy, other Federal, State, and civil (contract) hospitals. Patients receiving hospital care: 1921-54 as of June 30; 1955-62 as of May 31; 1963-70 as of census date]

Year	Patients admitted to hospitals			Patients receiving hospital care ¹					
	Total	Neuro-psychiatric	General	Total	Veterans				Non-veterans
					Total	Tuber-culosis	Neuro-psychiatric	General	
1970.....	711,289	102,919	608,370	88,870	88,174	2,433	50,735	35,006	696
1969.....	689,459	92,809	596,650	92,185	91,720	2,800	56,565	32,355	465
1968.....	670,600	86,316	584,284	99,970	99,325	3,420	62,840	33,065	645
1967.....	654,474	79,724	574,750	106,930	106,535	3,915	67,490	35,130	395
1966.....	641,469	71,288	570,181	109,338	109,178	4,340	68,020	36,818	160
1965.....	627,993	63,506	564,487	112,345	112,040	5,075	67,780	39,185	305
1964.....	634,308	61,152	563,156	112,715	112,275	5,950	67,760	38,565	440
1963.....	610,887	56,336	554,551	112,500	111,975	5,970	68,115	37,890	525
1962.....	589,975	54,246	535,729	111,302	110,941	7,180	61,742	42,019	361
1961.....	565,654	50,513	515,141	112,749	112,448	8,052	62,247	42,149	301
1960.....	539,243	64,927	474,316	113,246	112,919	8,665	62,325	41,929	327
1959.....	521,428	61,370	460,058	111,380	111,052	9,871	61,953	39,228	328
1958.....	512,754	59,283	453,471	110,721	110,278	10,678	61,638	37,962	443
1957.....	510,855	58,815	452,040	110,715	110,247	12,224	61,550	36,473	468
1956.....	517,455	60,186	457,269	112,660	112,131	13,595	61,703	36,833	529
1955.....	498,187	54,235	443,952	110,257	109,649	14,836	59,349	35,464	608
1954.....	477,915	(NA)	(NA)	108,357	107,509	15,636	54,916	36,957	848
1953.....	468,349	60,776	407,573	102,323	101,470	15,292	52,559	33,619	853
1952.....	495,056	47,116	447,940	103,774	102,974	15,362	53,570	34,042	800
1951.....	509,720	44,389	465,331	100,517	99,800	14,825	52,987	31,988	717
1950.....	577,715	48,200	529,515	102,303	101,862	14,361	54,419	33,082	441
1949.....	554,863	50,708	504,155	107,073	106,685	14,810	55,150	36,725	388
1948.....	534,723	55,869	478,854	103,576	103,263	13,045	54,790	35,428	313
1947.....	532,881	61,924	470,957	104,443	104,176	12,436	53,913	37,827	267
1946.....	349,092	53,136	295,956	87,257	86,998	8,475	48,687	29,836	259
1945.....	243,994	45,654	198,340	70,246	69,965	6,864	44,078	19,023	281
1944.....	197,858	34,464	163,394	63,890	63,581	6,314	40,076	17,191	309
1943.....	167,428	22,845	144,583	56,850	56,597	5,149	36,345	15,103	253
1942.....	182,158	24,480	157,678	56,103	55,847	5,090	34,596	16,161	256
1941.....	191,745	24,040	167,705	58,241	57,988	4,758	34,257	18,973	253
1940.....	182,136	24,315	157,821	56,450	56,216	4,848	32,882	18,486	234
1939.....	168,237	22,694	145,543	53,745	53,472	5,041	31,080	17,351	273
1938.....	154,361	23,471	130,890	50,640	50,385	5,062	29,299	16,024	255
1937.....	144,861	22,292	122,569	46,235	45,935	4,987	26,246	14,702	300
1936.....	125,224	19,063	106,161	41,251	40,899	4,553	24,025	12,321	352
1935.....	114,160	17,429	96,731	41,728	41,316	5,283	22,781	13,252	412
1934.....	63,900	12,536	51,364	38,733	38,026	5,283	21,475	11,268	707
1933.....	137,910	20,408	117,502	33,844	33,518	5,804	19,791	7,923	326
1932.....	148,662	21,556	127,106	43,469	43,334	6,985	19,528	16,821	135
1931.....	109,649	16,665	92,984	35,145	35,055	6,560	16,936	11,559	90
1930.....	92,115	13,523	78,592	30,556	30,447	6,733	15,035	8,679	109
1929.....	83,188	12,796	70,392	27,897	27,784	6,547	13,781	7,456	113
1928.....	73,270	11,454	61,816	26,257	26,139	6,542	13,057	6,540	118
1927.....	71,967	11,499	60,468	25,440	25,318	6,956	12,748	5,614	122
1926.....	69,441	12,489	56,952	25,965	25,858	7,863	12,902	5,093	107
1925.....	76,812	15,216	61,596	27,218	27,071	9,792	12,224	5,055	147
1924.....	64,053	12,119	51,934	22,978	22,726	8,831	9,875	4,020	252
1923.....	82,814	14,095	68,719	23,805	23,604	9,886	9,403	4,315	201
1922.....	134,354			27,240	26,869	10,849	9,231	6,789	371
1921.....	91,440			26,237	26,237	10,337	7,499	8,401	

Year	Veterans with service-connected disabilities receiving hospital care ¹				Veterans receiving domiciliary care ²			Operating expenses of VA hospitals (mil. dol.)	Per diem cost in VA hospitals (dol.)
	Total	Tuber-culosis	Neuro-psychiatric	General	Total	Veterans Administration	State homes ³		
	1019	1020	1021	1022	1023	1024	1025	1026	1027
1970.....	22,215	262	17,353	4,600	18,680	11,998	6,682	1,278.8	38.42
1969.....	23,240	345	19,715	3,180	19,552	12,412	7,140	1,145.4	34.16
1968.....	25,865	385	22,510	2,970	20,058	12,592	7,466	1,088.6	30.53
1967.....	28,455	530	24,885	3,040	20,382	12,694	7,688	1,034.4	27.41
1966.....	31,131	541	26,930	3,660	21,319	13,091	8,228	976.1	24.90
1965.....	32,130	635	27,775	3,720	23,526	14,380	9,146	946.4	23.75
1964.....	32,965	810	28,455	3,700	24,575	15,229	9,346	904.5	22.43
1963.....	34,635	865	30,075	3,695	25,173	16,012	9,161	873.3	21.56
1962.....	33,756	1,155	29,040	3,561	25,435	16,373	9,062	858.3	20.87
1961.....	34,998	1,357	30,108	3,533	26,197	16,812	9,385	822.5	19.93
1960.....	36,149	1,610	30,910	3,629	26,274	16,856	9,418	763.0	18.44
1959.....	37,136	2,013	31,182	3,941	26,518	16,840	9,678	732.6	17.82
1958.....	37,727	2,405	31,774	3,548	25,991	16,673	9,318	676.2	16.81
1957.....	39,063	3,138	32,083	3,842	25,846	16,908	8,938	617.7	15.45
1956.....	40,195	3,769	32,536	3,890	25,786	17,047	8,739	602.9	15.22

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Y 1019-1031

Series Y 1010-1027. Patients Receiving Hospital or Domiciliary Care Authorized by Veterans Administration:
1921 to 1970—Con.

[Includes beneficiaries admitted and cared for in Army, Navy, other Federal, State, and civil (contract) hospitals. Patients receiving hospital care: 1921-54 as of June 30; 1955-62 as of May 31; 1963-70 as of census date]

Year	Veterans with service-connected disabilities receiving hospital care ¹				Veterans receiving domiciliary care ²			Operating expenses of VA hospitals (mil. dol.)	Per diem cost in VA hospitals (dol.)
	Total	Tuber- culosis	Neuro- psychi- atric	General	Total	Veterans Adminis- tration	State homes ³		
	1019	1020	1021	1022	1023	1024	1025	1026	1027
1955	41,078	4,576	32,312	4,190	25,774	16,972	8,802	542.2	13.93
1954	40,711	4,150	30,106	4,455	25,291	16,945	8,346	530.6	14.05
1953	39,092	4,638	28,502	4,952	25,035	16,919	8,116	486.2	13.61
1952	36,182	5,917	26,564	3,701	24,792	16,892	7,900	474.9	13.24
1951	35,597	6,253	25,397	3,947	24,564	16,790	7,774	409.8	11.66
1950	34,596	5,323	25,347	3,926	24,307	16,870	7,437	384.6	10.90
1949	35,919	6,242	24,755	4,922	22,000	15,288	6,712	353.4	10.24
1948	34,872	6,158	23,478	5,236	20,552	14,402	6,150	307.7	9.05
1947	35,525	6,408	22,854	6,263	18,637	13,113	5,524	271.1	8.67
1946	28,806	3,921	20,282	4,603	15,190	10,547	4,643	136.2	5.22
1945	23,375	3,219	18,072	2,084	13,161	9,002	4,159	80.3	3.42
1944	18,476	2,398	14,608	1,470	13,852	9,447	4,405	72.1	3.38
1943	14,580	1,491	12,312	777	15,323	10,430	4,898	65.7	3.37
1942	13,324	1,185	11,393	746	20,101	14,371	5,730	59.1	2.96
1941	12,825	849	11,098	878	22,662	16,696	5,966	55.4	2.78
1940	12,670	873	10,826	971	22,926	16,708	6,218	49.9	2.60
1939	12,534	1,013	10,383	1,138	21,687	15,709	5,978	48.0	2.68
1938	12,394	1,045	10,209	1,140	19,136	13,514	5,622	44.2	2.65
1937	12,182	1,133	9,956	1,093	15,296	10,364	4,932	43.3	2.81
1936	11,906	1,123	9,818	965	16,741	12,008	4,733	42.4	2.82
1935	12,168	1,340	9,669	1,159	14,566	10,406	4,160	39.9	2.78
1934	11,451	1,145	9,241	1,065				32.6	2.51
1933	13,925	1,574	11,056	1,295				33.4	2.99
1932	15,199	1,991	11,414	1,794				32.0	3.44
1931	15,773	2,616	11,342	1,815				30.4	3.72
1930	16,418	3,278	11,170	1,970				28.5	3.86
1929	16,024	3,399	10,777	1,848				28.2	4.01
1928	16,597	3,802	10,809	1,986				26.1	4.00
1927	18,087	4,818	10,988	2,281				25.3	4.00
1926	20,811	6,576	11,438	2,797				25.3	4.19
1925	23,266	8,848	11,038	3,380				23.4	4.04
1924	22,726	8,831	9,875	4,020				19.2	4.55
1923	23,604	9,886	9,403	4,315				21.7	4.99
1922	26,869	10,849	9,231	6,789				23.5	4.74
1921	26,237	10,337	7,499	8,401					

NA Not available.

¹ From 1962-1970, type of care based on 20-percent sample of annual patient census.² Average daily member load.³ Average daily number for fiscal year.⁴ Estimated.

Series Y 1028-1031. Government Life Insurance Administered by Veterans Administration—Number of Policies, Income Received, and Benefits Paid: 1921 to 1970

[As of June 30]

Year	Policies in force		Income received	Benefits paid	Year	Policies in force		Income received	Benefits paid
	Number	Face value				Number	Face value		
	1028	1029	1030	1031		1028	1029	1030	1031
		1,000 dol.	1,000 dol.	1,000 dol.			1,000 dol.	1,000 dol.	1,000 dol.
1970	5,540,553	37,743,432	1,046,184	930,053	1945	16,512,099	126,034,439	2,412,815	287,219
1969	5,623,206	38,201,658	1,033,429	870,809	1944	15,068,150	110,707,707	1,263,124	124,864
1968	5,713,489	38,716,495	993,151	850,941	1943	9,394,598	63,304,655	693,624	76,414
1967	5,817,697	39,314,131	1,030,385	885,118	1942	3,217,499	16,986,809	263,188	66,176
1966	5,879,886	39,574,793	956,582	783,573	1941	972,860	3,847,972	121,498	71,816
1965	5,823,981	39,102,968	932,567	767,035	1940	609,094	2,565,327	116,159	91,989
1964	5,885,857	39,469,983	930,156	809,444	1939	606,071	2,562,354	130,808	97,397
1963	5,935,798	39,655,027	967,993	903,286	1938	602,963	2,569,893	159,772	99,481
1962	5,999,125	40,051,309	907,923	853,299	1937	596,982	2,578,339	185,251	120,396
1961	6,214,879	41,659,027	954,866	1,032,072	1936	593,213	2,590,922	193,146	123,785
1960	6,319,847	42,382,403	896,437	791,640	1935	590,865	2,605,400	193,617	130,670
1959	6,401,240	42,973,665	881,990	759,440	1934	598,266	2,666,733	196,844	141,810
1958	6,485,256	43,624,978	810,392	720,567	1933	616,069	2,782,709	208,826	149,112
1957	6,565,985	44,202,158	776,705	656,207	1932	641,247	2,977,330	216,342	158,712
1956	6,442,956	42,890,932	758,047	649,903	1931	646,055	3,024,445	210,865	148,982
1955	6,449,437	42,623,425	810,683	662,750	1930	648,248	3,042,743	208,080	142,870
1954	6,530,816	42,802,077	784,615	755,058	1929	650,066	3,059,919	206,157	141,523
1953	7,003,942	46,706,290	797,789	804,819	1928	660,374	3,113,649	204,143	136,978
1952	7,538,729	50,837,910	838,360	822,818	1927	587,980	2,893,045	196,352	130,636
1951	7,625,694	51,559,594	896,129	1,026,661	1926	553,660	2,781,587	185,682	136,784
1950	6,113,308	37,972,928	814,455	3,144,507	1925	552,340	2,865,029	167,735	127,005
1949	6,038,865	37,952,323	1,128,508	450,525	1924	562,000	2,984,573	142,936	109,108
1948	6,291,263	38,065,025	783,577	376,281	1923	560,065	3,070,210	137,521	105,218
1947	6,380,103	37,535,634	1,347,322	383,374	1922	581,778	3,348,400	131,865	104,363
1946	9,814,873	67,514,994	2,280,700	369,715	1921	651,054	3,849,376	115,109	101,410