

COMMISSIONED OFFICER Ranks of the US Military

0-1	0-2	0-3	0-4	0-5	0-6	0-7	0-8	0-9	0-10	SPECIAL
<i>ARMY - AIR FORCE - MARINES</i>										
<i>NAVY - COAST GUARD</i>										

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TIME IN SERVICE until promotion (APPROXIMATE varies by service & era)						
0-2 Years	2-4 Years	4-10 Years	11-14 Years	14-17 Years	20 Years	20+ Years
Automatic Promotion		Selection Board			Presidential Nomination Congressional Approval	
Skill Levels/Civilian Titles						
Operations Officer, Program Administrator, Supervisor, Junior Manager		Executive Officer, Deputy Director, Operations Manager		Chief Executive Officer, Director, Chief Operating Officer, Deputy Chief, Chief Administrator		
General Titles / Manner of Address (Commissioned Officers)						
Junior Officer "Sir" or "Mam" "Drop the 1 st , 2 nd or Junior Grade"		Field Grade Officer "Sir" "Mam" Drop the "Lieutenant"		Flag Officer "General" or "Admiral" Drop the "Brigadier, Major, or Lieutenant"		
<p>"Commander" is term that identifies someone as being responsible/in-charge for an organization/mission and the person can be of any Officer rank. The noticeable exception is that in the Navy this can also be a rank (0-4 or 0-5).</p> <p>"Captain" is generally a rank. Except in the Navy it can designate a rank (0-6) OR identify the person who is in charge of a ship or submarine.</p>						
EDUCATION						
Bachelor's Degree required Commissioned through: Military Academy, ROTC or Officer Tng Sch		Advanced Degrees increase "promotability"				
MILITARY TRAINING						
Technical Training	Advanced Leadership (8 wks residence)	Senior Military Leadership (War College, 10-12 Months with Degree)		Executive Military Leadership		

Department of Defense
Active Duty Military Personnel by Rank/Grade
June 30, 2013

Rank/Grade - All	Services				Total
	Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Air Force	Services
GENERAL -ADMIRAL	11	9	4	11	35
LT GENERAL -VICE ADMIRAL	52	41	19	46	158
MAJ GENERAL -REAR ADMIRAL (U)	117	65	31	95	308
BRIG GENERAL -REAR ADMIRAL (L)	137	117	32	146	432
COLONEL -CAPTAIN	4,454	3,145	688	3,708	11,995
LIEUTENANT COL-COMMANDER	10,373	6,539	1,890	10,154	28,956
MAJOR -LT COMMANDER	17,474	10,488	3,815	14,461	46,238
CAPTAIN -LIEUTENANT	29,061	18,939	7,236	22,631	77,867
1st LIEUTENANT-LIEUTENANT (JG)	13,626	6,752	3,800	7,316	31,494
2nd LIEUTENANT-ENSIGN	8,419	6,369	2,418	6,543	23,749
CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER W-5	674	70	98	0	842
CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER W-4	2,395	409	284	0	3,088
CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER W-3	3,896	641	538	0	5,075
CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER W-2	6,707	478	837	0	8,022
WARRANT OFFICER W-1	2,049	0	355	0	2,404
TOTAL OFFICER	99,445	54,062	22,045	65,111	240,663
E-9	3,619	2,543	1,626	2,605	10,393
E-8	12,320	6,142	3,988	5,200	27,650
E-7	40,960	19,092	8,718	27,158	95,928
E-6	63,217	48,791	16,215	42,026	170,249
E-5	80,670	61,857	27,945	67,559	238,031
E-4	129,940	51,974	34,942	56,035	272,891
E-3	57,039	45,398	47,762	51,572	201,771
E-2	24,689	16,409	22,447	3,745	67,290
E-1	17,254	11,441	9,405	8,498	46,598
TOTAL ENLISTED	429,708	263,647	173,048	264,398	1,130,801
CADETS-MIDSHIPMEN	3,377	4,533	0	3,997	11,907
GRAND TOTAL	532,530	322,242	195,093	333,506	1,383,371