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Active Component Applicant Tables

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**Table A-1. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Service, Gender, and Age with Civilian Comparison Group**

<b>Number</b>																		
<b>SERVICE</b>																		
<b>AGE</b>	<b>ARMY</b>			<b>NAVY</b>			<b>MARINE CORPS</b>			<b>AIR FORCE</b>			<b>TOTAL DoD</b>			<b>17-35 YR-OLD CIVILIAN POP</b>		
	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>
17	11,073	3,425	14,498	6,599	3,080	9,679	14,187	1,628	15,815	5,658	2,389	8,047	37,517	10,522	48,039	2,162,362	2,165,223	4,327,585
18	16,536	4,021	20,557	11,324	4,074	15,398	12,776	1,457	14,233	9,060	2,774	11,834	49,696	12,326	62,022	2,168,775	2,072,083	4,240,858
19	12,500	2,710	15,210	7,716	2,513	10,229	5,680	656	6,336	6,356	1,925	8,281	32,252	7,804	40,056	2,009,960	1,952,474	3,962,434
20	8,906	1,912	10,818	5,583	1,771	7,354	3,176	346	3,522	4,551	1,360	5,911	22,216	5,389	27,605	2,222,279	2,088,907	4,311,185
21	6,616	1,466	8,082	4,159	1,295	5,454	1,851	201	2,052	3,200	898	4,098	15,826	3,860	19,686	2,243,964	2,287,898	4,531,862
22	5,287	1,165	6,452	3,154	1,066	4,220	1,284	165	1,449	2,437	745	3,182	12,162	3,141	15,303	2,139,508	2,206,372	4,345,880
23	4,026	848	4,874	2,434	747	3,181	841	89	930	1,816	573	2,389	9,117	2,257	11,374	2,153,340	2,128,334	4,281,673
24	2,998	682	3,680	1,793	491	2,284	559	86	645	1,296	364	1,660	6,646	1,623	8,269	2,110,287	2,113,100	4,223,387
25	2,366	485	2,851	1,318	371	1,689	383	34	417	935	256	1,191	5,002	1,146	6,148	2,079,107	1,991,130	4,070,237
26	1,795	423	2,218	1,014	261	1,275	236	23	259	690	184	874	3,735	891	4,626	2,068,913	2,027,896	4,096,809
27	1,409	313	1,722	765	247	1,012	156	23	179	391	105	496	2,721	688	3,409	2,094,796	2,045,952	4,140,748
28	1,135	266	1,401	612	180	792	80	19	99	98	30	128	1,925	495	2,420	2,062,905	2,180,160	4,243,065
29	942	223	1,165	449	141	590	16	2	18	78	21	99	1,485	387	1,872	2,023,020	2,194,687	4,217,707
30	652	153	805	341	110	451	8	2	10	80	22	102	1,081	287	1,368	2,096,810	2,039,511	4,136,322
31	537	153	690	267	78	345	6	1	7	47	7	54	857	239	1,096	1,991,603	2,141,233	4,132,836
32	445	134	579	211	67	278	6	0	6	25	6	31	687	207	894	2,046,173	2,073,606	4,119,779
33	370	99	469	157	50	207	1	3	4	22	2	24	550	154	704	1,895,444	2,016,305	3,911,748
34	296	89	385	114	51	165	1	1	2	21	6	27	432	147	579	1,980,229	2,037,276	4,017,506
35-39	92	15	107	211	72	283	4	0	4	29	6	35	336	93	429	1,884,498	2,017,531	3,902,030
40+	45	6	51	13	4	17	22	2	24	7	1	8	87	13	100			
<b>Total</b>	<b>78,026</b>	<b>18,588</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>48,234</b>	<b>16,669</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>41,273</b>	<b>4,738</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>36,797</b>	<b>11,674</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>204,330</b>	<b>51,669</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>39,433,974</b>	<b>39,779,678</b>	<b>79,213,651</b>

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<b>Percent</b>																		
<b>AGE</b>	<b>SERVICE</b>												<b>TOTAL DoD</b>			<b>17-35 YR-OLD CIVILIAN POP</b>		
	<b>ARMY</b>			<b>NAVY</b>			<b>MARINE CORPS</b>			<b>AIR FORCE</b>			<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>
	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>						
17	14.2	18.4	15.0	13.7	18.5	14.9	34.4	34.4	34.4	15.4	20.5	16.6	18.4	20.4	18.8	5.5	5.4	5.5
18	21.2	21.6	21.3	23.5	24.4	23.7	31.0	30.8	30.9	24.6	23.8	24.4	24.3	23.9	24.2	5.5	5.2	5.4
19	16.0	14.6	15.7	16.0	15.1	15.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	17.3	16.5	17.1	15.8	15.1	15.6	5.1	4.9	5.0
20	11.4	10.3	11.2	11.6	10.6	11.3	7.7	7.3	7.7	12.4	11.6	12.2	10.9	10.4	10.8	5.6	5.3	5.4
21	8.5	7.9	8.4	8.6	7.8	8.4	4.5	4.2	4.5	8.7	7.7	8.5	7.7	7.5	7.7	5.7	5.8	5.7
22	6.8	6.3	6.7	6.5	6.4	6.5	3.1	3.5	3.1	6.6	6.4	6.6	6.0	6.1	6.0	5.4	5.5	5.5
23	5.2	4.6	5.0	5.0	4.5	4.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.5	4.4	4.4	5.5	5.4	5.4
24	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.7	2.9	3.5	1.4	1.8	1.4	3.5	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.2	5.4	5.3	5.3
25	3.0	2.6	3.0	2.7	2.2	2.6	0.93	0.7	0.91	2.5	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.4	5.3	5.0	5.1
26	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.1	1.6	2.0	0.57	0.49	0.56	1.9	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	5.2	5.1	5.2
27	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.6	0.38	0.49	0.39	1.1	0.90	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.3	5.3	5.1	5.2
28	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.2	0.19	0.40	0.22	0.27	0.26	0.26	0.9	1.0	0.9	5.2	5.5	5.4
29	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.85	0.9	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.21	0.18	0.20	0.73	0.75	0.73	5.1	5.5	5.3
30	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.71	0.66	0.69	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.22	0.19	0.21	0.53	0.56	0.53	5.3	5.1	5.2
31	0.69	0.82	0.71	0.55	0.47	0.53	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.13	0.06	0.11	0.42	0.46	0.43	5.1	5.4	5.2
32	0.57	0.72	0.60	0.44	0.40	0.43	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.07	0.05	0.06	0.34	0.40	0.35	5.2	5.2	5.2
33	0.47	0.53	0.49	0.33	0.30	0.32	0.00	0	0.01	0.06	0	0.05	0.27	0.30	0.28	4.8	5.1	4.9
34	0.38	0.48	0.40	0.24	0.31	0.25	0.00	0	0.00	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.21	0.28	0.23	5.0	5.1	5.1
35-39	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.44	0.43	0.44	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.08	0.05	0.07	0.16	0.18	0.17	4.8	5.1	4.9
40+	0.06	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.04			
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

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Rows and columns may not add to totals due to rounding.

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Defense Manpower Data Center (DMDC).

**Table A-2. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Gender, Marital Status, and Age with Civilian Comparison Group**

<b>Number</b>												
<b>MILITARY</b>							<b>17-35 YR-OLD CIVILIAN POPULATION</b>					
<b>AGE</b>	<b>MALES</b>			<b>FEMALES</b>			<b>MALES</b>			<b>FEMALES</b>		
	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>
17	146	37,371	37,517	47	10,475	10,522	10,772	2,151,590	2,162,362	19,774	2,145,449	2,165,223
18	504	49,192	49,696	149	12,177	12,326	24,459	2,144,316	2,168,775	37,582	2,034,501	2,072,083
19	780	31,472	32,252	307	7,497	7,804	33,257	1,976,703	2,009,960	70,452	1,882,022	1,952,474
20	934	21,282	22,216	405	4,984	5,389	74,720	2,147,559	2,222,279	123,578	1,965,329	2,088,907
21	1,086	14,740	15,826	421	3,439	3,860	104,962	2,139,002	2,243,964	235,857	2,052,041	2,287,898
22	1,141	11,021	12,162	455	2,686	3,141	157,237	1,982,271	2,139,508	341,478	1,864,894	2,206,372
23	1,200	7,917	9,117	454	1,803	2,257	258,463	1,894,877	2,153,340	401,122	1,727,212	2,128,334
24	1,098	5,548	6,646	426	1,197	1,623	337,113	1,773,174	2,110,287	517,062	1,596,038	2,113,100
25	1,053	3,949	5,002	296	850	1,146	416,736	1,662,371	2,079,107	605,944	1,385,186	1,991,130
26	1,009	2,726	3,735	297	594	891	536,425	1,532,488	2,068,913	734,699	1,293,197	2,027,896
27	813	1,908	2,721	265	423	688	685,634	1,409,162	2,094,796	839,422	1,206,530	2,045,952
28	662	1,263	1,925	197	298	495	803,340	1,259,565	2,062,905	1,034,296	1,145,864	2,180,160
29	584	901	1,485	182	205	387	882,170	1,140,850	2,023,020	1,149,153	1,045,534	2,194,687
30	493	588	1,081	137	150	287	995,607	1,101,203	2,096,810	1,082,671	956,840	2,039,511
31	393	464	857	123	116	239	1,011,949	979,654	1,991,603	1,223,268	917,965	2,141,233
32	335	352	687	116	91	207	1,102,755	943,418	2,046,173	1,227,042	846,564	2,073,606
33	286	264	550	77	77	154	1,101,676	793,768	1,895,444	1,225,523	790,782	2,016,305
34	240	192	432	93	54	147	1,156,191	824,038	1,980,229	1,235,106	802,170	2,037,276
35-39	211	125	336	37	56	93	1,203,453	681,045	1,884,498	1,253,019	764,512	2,017,531
40+	42	45	87	6	7	13						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13,010</b>	<b>191,320</b>	<b>204,330</b>	<b>4,490</b>	<b>47,179</b>	<b>51,669</b>	<b>10,896,919</b>	<b>28,537,054</b>	<b>39,433,974</b>	<b>13,357,047</b>	<b>26,422,631</b>	<b>39,779,678</b>

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<b>Percent</b>												
<b>MILITARY</b>							<b>17-35 YR-OLD CIVILIAN POPULATION</b>					
<b>AGE</b>	<b>MALES</b>			<b>FEMALES</b>			<b>MALES</b>			<b>FEMALES</b>		
	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Married</b>	<b>Single</b>	<b>Total</b>
17	0.39	99.6	100	0.45	99.6	100	0.50	99.5	100	0.91	99.1	100
18	1.0	99.0	100	1.2	98.8	100	1.13	98.9	100	1.8	98.2	100
19	2.4	97.6	100	3.9	96.1	100	1.7	98.3	100	3.6	96.4	100
20	4.2	95.8	100	7.5	92.5	100	3.4	96.6	100	5.9	94.1	100
21	6.9	93.1	100	10.9	89.1	100	4.7	95.3	100	10.3	89.7	100
22	9.4	90.6	100	14.5	85.5	100	7.3	92.7	100	15.5	84.5	100
23	13.2	86.8	100	20.1	79.9	100	12.0	88.0	100	18.8	81.2	100
24	16.5	83.5	100	26.2	73.8	100	16.0	84.0	100	24.5	75.5	100
25	21.1	78.9	100	25.8	74.2	100	20.0	80.0	100	30.4	69.6	100
26	27.0	73.0	100	33.3	66.7	100	25.9	74.1	100	36.2	63.8	100
27	29.9	70.1	100	38.5	61.5	100	32.7	67.3	100	41.0	59.0	100
28	34.4	65.6	100	39.8	60.2	100	38.9	61.1	100	47.4	52.6	100
29	39.3	60.7	100	47.0	53.0	100	43.6	56.4	100	52.4	47.6	100
30	45.6	54.4	100	47.7	52.3	100	47.5	52.5	100	53.1	46.9	100
31	45.9	54.1	100	51.5	48.5	100	50.8	49.2	100	57.1	42.9	100
32	48.8	51.2	100	56.0	44.0	100	53.9	46.1	100	59.2	40.8	100
33	52.0	48.0	100	50.0	50.0	100	58.1	41.9	100	60.8	39.2	100
34	55.6	44.4	100	63.3	36.7	100	58.4	41.6	100	60.6	39.4	100
35-39	62.8	37.2	100	39.8	60.2	100	63.9	36.1	100	62.1	37.9	100
40+	48.3	51.7	100	46.2	53.8	100						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

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RACE/ ETHNICITY <sup>2</sup>	SERVICE												TOTAL DoD			18-24 YR-OLD CIVILIAN POP		
	ARMY			NAVY			MARINE CORPS			AIR FORCE			Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total						
<b>Number</b>																		
White	56,421	10,418	66,839	27,393	7,803	35,196	34,711	3,590	38,301	27,190	7,628	34,818	145,715	29,439	175,154	11,441,255	11,085,534	22,526,789
Black	16,399	6,768	23,167	10,022	4,965	14,987	4,247	795	5,042	6,846	3,068	9,914	37,514	15,596	53,110	2,182,852	2,355,911	4,538,764
AIAN <sup>3</sup>	567	194	761	1,504	518	2,022	415	91	506	312	121	433	2,798	924	3,722	202,090	190,072	392,162
Asian	2,518	586	3,104	2,101	676	2,777	1,049	114	1,163	1,251	409	1,660	6,919	1,785	8,704	731,341	734,928	1,466,270
NHPI <sup>4</sup>	479	184	663	505	214	719	378	56	434	363	139	502	1,725	593	2,318	68,846	68,961	137,807
Two or more	403	140	543	5,756	2,161	7,917	419	85	504	755	270	1,025	7,333	2,656	9,989	421,727	413,760	835,488
Unknown	1,239	298	1,537	953	332	1,285	54	7	61	80	39	119	2,326	676	3,002	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>78,026</b>	<b>18,588</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>48,234</b>	<b>16,669</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>41,273</b>	<b>4,738</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>36,797</b>	<b>11,674</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>204,330</b>	<b>51,669</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>15,048,113</b>	<b>14,849,167</b>	<b>29,897,280</b>
Hispanic	11,427	2,911	14,338	6,065	2,429	8,494	8,992	1,370	10,362	5,891	2,013	7,904	32,375	8,723	41,098	3,244,523	2,929,808	6,174,332
Not Hispanic	65,550	15,411	80,961	35,888	12,059	47,947	32,208	3,352	35,560	30,738	9,586	40,324	164,384	40,408	204,792	11,803,589	11,919,359	23,722,948
Unknown	1,049	266	1,315	6,281	2,181	8,462	73	16	89	168	75	243	7,571	2,538	10,109	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>78,026</b>	<b>18,588</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>48,234</b>	<b>16,669</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>41,273</b>	<b>4,738</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>36,797</b>	<b>11,674</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>204,330</b>	<b>51,669</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>15,048,113</b>	<b>14,849,167</b>	<b>29,897,280</b>
<b>Percent</b>																		
White	72.3	56.0	69.2	56.8	46.8	54.2	84.1	75.8	83.2	73.9	65.3	71.8	71.3	57.0	68.4	76.0	74.7	75.3
Black	21.0	36.4	24.0	20.8	29.8	23.1	10.3	16.8	11.0	18.6	26.3	20.5	18.4	30.2	20.7	14.5	15.9	15.2
AIAN <sup>3</sup>	0.73	1.04	0.79	3.1	3.1	3.1	1.01	1.9	1.1	0.85	1.0	0.89	1.4	1.8	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.3
Asian	3.2	3.2	3.2	4.4	4.1	4.3	2.5	2.4	2.5	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	4.9	4.9	4.9
NHPI <sup>4</sup>	0.61	1.0	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.1	0.92	1.2	0.94	1.0	1.2	1.0	0.84	1.1	0.9	0.46	0.46	0.46
Two or more	0.52	0.75	0.56	11.9	13.0	12.2	1.02	1.79	1.10	2.1	2.3	2.1	3.6	5.1	3.9	2.8	2.8	2.8
Unknown	1.6	1.6	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
Hispanic	14.6	15.7	14.8	12.6	14.6	13.1	21.8	28.9	22.5	16.0	17.2	16.3	15.8	16.9	16.1	21.6	19.7	20.7
Not Hispanic	84.0	82.9	83.8	74.4	72.3	73.9	78.0	70.7	77.3	83.5	82.1	83.2	80.5	78.2	80.0	78.4	80.3	79.3
Unknown	1.3	1.4	1.4	13.0	13.1	13.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.5	3.7	4.9	3.9	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

1. Refers to non-prior service (NPS) individuals whose first formal application (i.e., taking a screening physical exam or the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)) was in FY12. Does not include participants in the High School Testing Program unless otherwise tested.

2. The race groupings used in this table reflect the number of individuals who indicate a single racial identity. Individuals who self-identify as multiracial are counted in the "two or more" category.

3. American Indian, Alaska Native

4. Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander

Rows and columns may not add to totals due to rounding.

Source: Civilian data from Bureau of Labor Statistics Current Population Survey, noninstitutional, age 18-24, October 2009-September 2010 average.

**Table A-4. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Armed Forces Qualification Test (AFQT) Category, Service, and Gender with Civilian Comparison Group**

Number GENDER	AFQT CATEGORY <sup>2</sup>							TOTAL	I + II + IIIA SUBTOTAL
	I	II	IIIA	IIIB	IV	V	Other/Unk.		
<b>ARMY</b>									
Males	4,081	22,406	16,517	20,998	10,850	1,998	1,176	78,026	43,004
Females	499	3,861	3,588	6,055	3,873	580	132	18,588	7,948
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,580</b>	<b>26,267</b>	<b>20,105</b>	<b>27,053</b>	<b>14,723</b>	<b>2,578</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>50,952</b>
Percent Females	10.9	14.7	17.8	22.4	26.3	22.5	10.1	19.2	15.6
<b>NAVY</b>									
Males	4,443	19,615	11,569	8,376	3,555	439	237	48,234	35,627
Females	621	5,175	4,491	4,065	2,074	174	69	16,669	10,287
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,064</b>	<b>24,790</b>	<b>16,060</b>	<b>12,441</b>	<b>5,629</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>45,914</b>
Percent Females	12.3	20.9	28.0	32.7	36.8	28.4	22.5	25.7	22.4
<b>MARINE CORPS</b>									
Males	1,927	15,240	11,043	9,870	2,791	286	116	41,273	28,210
Females	143	1,377	1,266	1,401	485	38	28	4,738	2,786
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,070</b>	<b>16,617</b>	<b>12,309</b>	<b>11,271</b>	<b>3,276</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>30,996</b>
Percent Females	6.9	8.3	10.3	12.4	14.8	11.7	19.4	10.3	9.0
<b>AIR FORCE</b>									
Males	3,047	17,574	9,659	4,482	1,609	167	259	36,797	30,280
Females	445	4,452	3,508	2,128	978	81	82	11,674	8,405
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,492</b>	<b>22,026</b>	<b>13,167</b>	<b>6,610</b>	<b>2,587</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>38,685</b>
Percent Females	12.7	20.2	26.6	32.2	37.8	32.7	24.0	24.1	21.7
<b>TOTAL DoD</b>									
Males	13,498	74,835	48,788	43,726	18,805	2,890	1,788	204,330	137,121
Females	1,708	14,865	12,853	13,649	7,410	873	311	51,669	29,426
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,206</b>	<b>89,700</b>	<b>61,641</b>	<b>57,375</b>	<b>26,215</b>	<b>3,763</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>166,547</b>
Percent Females	11.2	16.6	20.9	23.8	28.3	23.2	14.8	20.2	17.7
<b>1997, 18-23 YR-OLD CIVILIANS<sup>3</sup></b>									
Males	858,426	3,063,109	1,619,470	1,943,276	2,075,562	0	1,012,481	10,572,324	5,541,005
Females	800,745	2,775,846	1,661,068	2,021,007	2,303,734	0	972,965	10,535,365	5,237,659
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,659,171</b>	<b>5,838,955</b>	<b>3,280,538</b>	<b>3,964,283</b>	<b>4,379,296</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,985,446</b>	<b>21,107,689</b>	<b>10,778,664</b>
Percent Females	48.3	47.5	50.6	51.0	52.6	----	49.0	49.9	48.6



**Table A-4. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Armed Forces Qualification Test (AFQT) Category, Service, and Gender with Civilian Comparison Group**

Percent GENDER	AFQT CATEGORY <sup>2</sup>							TOTAL	I + II + IIIA SUBTOTAL
	I	II	IIIA	IIIB	IV	V	Other/Unk.		
<b>ARMY</b>									
Males	5.2	28.7	21.2	26.9	13.9	2.6	1.5	100	55.1
Females	2.7	20.8	19.3	32.6	20.8	3.1	0.7	100	42.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>52.7</b>
<b>NAVY</b>									
Males	9.2	40.7	24.0	17.4	7.4	0.9	0.49	100	73.9
Females	3.7	31.0	26.9	24.4	12.4	1.0	0.41	100	61.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>38.2</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>70.7</b>
<b>MARINE CORPS</b>									
Males	4.7	36.9	26.8	23.9	6.8	0.69	0.28	100	68.3
Females	3.0	29.1	26.7	29.6	10.2	0.8	0.59	100	58.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>36.1</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.31</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>67.4</b>
<b>AIR FORCE</b>									
Males	8.3	47.8	26.2	12.2	4.4	0.45	0.70	100	82.3
Females	3.8	38.1	30.0	18.2	8.4	0.7	0.70	100	72.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>45.4</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.51</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>79.8</b>
<b>TOTAL DoD</b>									
Males	6.6	36.6	23.9	21.4	9.2	1.4	0.9	100	67.1
Females	3.3	28.8	24.9	26.4	14.3	1.7	0.6	100	57.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>65.1</b>
<b>1997, 18-23 YR-OLD CIVILIANS<sup>3</sup></b>									
Males	8.1	29.0	15.3	18.4	19.6	0	9.6	100	52.4
Females	7.6	26.3	15.8	19.2	21.9	0	9.2	100	49.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>27.7</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>51.1</b>

1. Refers to non-prior service (NPS) individuals whose first formal application (i.e., taking a screening physical exam or the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)) was in FY12. Does not include participants in the High School Testing Program unless otherwise tested.

2. AFQT scores are percentiles that are normalized to the 1997 American youth population. For example, a score of 92 represents the 92nd percentile and means that 92 percent of the youth population scored at or below that score. It is standard to report these AFQT score percentiles in the categories listed below.

Cat I: 100-93                      Cat IIIB: 49-31  
 Cat II: 92-65                      Cat IV: 30-10  
 Cat IIIA: 64-50                    Cat V: 9-1

3. AFQT percentile scores are normed by a nationally-representative sample of American youth. The 1997 norming replaced the 1980 norming, which replaced the WWII norming. AFQT category V individuals are ineligible for military service.

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**Table A-5. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Armed Forces Qualification Test (AFQT) Category, Service, and Race/Ethnicity**

RACE/ ETHNICITY <sup>3</sup>	AFQT CATEGORY <sup>2</sup>							TOTAL	I + II + IIIA SUBTOTAL
	I	II	IIIA	IIIB	IV	V	Other/Unk.		
<b>ARMY</b>									
White	4,048	21,437	14,866	16,928	7,356	1,182	1,022	66,839	40,351
Black	172	3,207	4,092	8,454	6,077	981	184	23,167	7,471
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	19	193	174	225	128	14	8	761	386
Asian	248	868	530	796	505	108	49	3,104	1,646
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	8	67	61	116	231	178	2	663	136
Two or more	26	148	106	127	93	35	8	543	280
Unknown	59	347	276	407	333	80	35	1,537	682
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,580</b>	<b>26,267</b>	<b>20,105</b>	<b>27,053</b>	<b>14,723</b>	<b>2,578</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>50,952</b>
Hispanic	284	2,880	2,929	4,694	2,852	545	154	14,338	6,093
Not Hispanic	4,238	23,075	16,941	22,057	11,564	1,968	1,118	80,961	44,254
Unknown	58	312	235	302	307	65	36	1,315	605
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,580</b>	<b>26,267</b>	<b>20,105</b>	<b>27,053</b>	<b>14,723</b>	<b>2,578</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>50,952</b>
<b>NAVY</b>									
White	3,629	15,612	8,483	5,394	1,744	144	190	35,196	27,724
Black	214	3,233	3,894	4,516	2,731	336	63	14,987	7,341
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	152	875	502	334	147	8	4	2,022	1,529
Asian	215	972	621	542	344	56	27	2,777	1,808
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	35	255	174	140	96	15	4	719	464
Two or more	729	3,398	2,071	1,246	425	37	11	7,917	6,198
Unknown	90	445	315	269	142	17	7	1,285	850
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,064</b>	<b>24,790</b>	<b>16,060</b>	<b>12,441</b>	<b>5,629</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>45,914</b>
Hispanic	411	3,133	2,268	1,712	844	93	33	8,494	5,812
Not Hispanic	4,004	18,556	11,709	9,069	3,946	439	224	47,947	34,269
Unknown	649	3,101	2,083	1,660	839	81	49	8,462	5,833
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,064</b>	<b>24,790</b>	<b>16,060</b>	<b>12,441</b>	<b>5,629</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>45,914</b>
<b>MARINE CORPS</b>									
White	1,886	14,572	10,298	8,867	2,366	207	105	38,301	26,756
Black	61	1,143	1,292	1,761	669	87	29	5,042	2,496
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	13	146	140	150	49	5	3	506	299
Asian	85	416	308	258	84	6	6	1,163	809
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	5	133	113	103	66	14	0	434	251
Two or more	19	188	143	114	35	5	0	504	350
Unknown	1	19	15	18	7	0	1	61	35
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,070</b>	<b>16,617</b>	<b>12,309</b>	<b>11,271</b>	<b>3,276</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>30,996</b>
Hispanic	197	2,880	2,915	3,064	1,141	117	48	10,362	5,992
Not Hispanic	1,866	13,716	9,368	8,181	2,128	206	95	35,560	24,950
Unknown	7	21	26	26	7	1	1	89	54
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,070</b>	<b>16,617</b>	<b>12,309</b>	<b>11,271</b>	<b>3,276</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>30,996</b>
<b>AIR FORCE</b>									
White	3,018	17,269	9,031	3,877	1,227	115	281	34,818	29,318
Black	187	3,060	3,083	2,287	1,139	121	37	9,914	6,330
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	24	189	130	57	32	0	1	433	343
Asian	140	762	450	203	89	6	10	1,660	1,352
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	32	206	152	61	46	2	3	502	390
Two or more	85	486	294	111	40	2	7	1,025	865
Unknown	6	54	27	14	14	2	2	119	87
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,492</b>	<b>22,026</b>	<b>13,167</b>	<b>6,610</b>	<b>2,587</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>38,685</b>
Hispanic	406	3,435	2,343	1,141	492	41	46	7,904	6,184
Not Hispanic	3,069	18,500	10,759	5,422	2,076	205	293	40,324	32,328
Unknown	17	91	65	47	19	2	2	243	173
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,492</b>	<b>22,026</b>	<b>13,167</b>	<b>6,610</b>	<b>2,587</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>38,685</b>
<b>TOTAL DoD</b>									
White	12,581	68,890	42,678	35,066	12,693	1,648	1,598	175,154	124,149
Black	634	10,643	12,361	17,018	10,616	1,525	313	53,110	23,638
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	208	1,403	946	766	356	27	16	3,722	2,557
Asian	688	3,018	1,909	1,799	1,022	176	92	8,704	5,615
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	80	661	500	420	439	209	9	2,318	1,241
Two or more	859	4,220	2,614	1,598	593	79	26	9,989	7,693
Unknown	156	865	633	708	496	99	45	3,002	1,654
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15,206</b>	<b>89,700</b>	<b>61,641</b>	<b>57,375</b>	<b>26,215</b>	<b>3,763</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>166,547</b>
Hispanic	1,298	12,328	10,455	10,611	5,329	796	281	41,098	24,081
Not Hispanic	13,177	73,847	48,777	44,729	19,714	2,818	1,730	204,792	135,801
Unknown	731	3,525	2,409	2,035	1,172	149	88	10,109	6,665
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15,206</b>	<b>89,700</b>	<b>61,641</b>	<b>57,375</b>	<b>26,215</b>	<b>3,763</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>166,547</b>

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RACE/ ETHNICITY <sup>3</sup>	AFQT CATEGORY <sup>2</sup>							TOTAL	I + II + IIIA SUBTOTAL
	I	II	IIIA	IIIB	IV	V	Other/Unk.		
<b>ARMY</b>									
White	6.1	32.1	22.2	25.3	11.0	1.8	1.5	100	60.4
Black	0.7	13.8	17.7	36.5	26.2	4.2	0.8	100	32.2
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	2.5	25.4	22.9	29.6	16.8	1.8	1.1	100	50.7
Asian	8.0	28.0	17.1	25.6	16.3	3.5	1.6	100	53.0
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	1.2	10.1	9.2	17.5	34.8	26.8	0.3	100	20.5
Two or more	4.8	27.3	19.5	23.4	17.1	6.4	1.5	100	51.6
Unknown	3.8	22.6	18.0	26.5	21.7	5.2	2.3	100	44.4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>52.7</b>
Hispanic	2.0	20.1	20.4	32.7	19.9	3.8	1.1	100	42.5
Not Hispanic	5.2	28.5	20.9	27.2	14.3	2.4	1.4	100	54.7
Unknown	4.4	23.7	17.9	23.0	23.3	4.9	2.7	100	46.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>52.7</b>
<b>NAVY</b>									
White	10.3	44.4	24.1	15.3	5.0	0.41	0.54	100	78.8
Black	1.4	21.6	26.0	30.1	18.2	2.2	0.42	100	49.0
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	7.5	43.3	24.8	16.5	7.3	0.40	0.20	100	75.6
Asian	7.7	35.0	22.4	19.5	12.4	2.0	0.97	100	65.1
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	4.9	35.5	24.2	19.5	13.4	2.1	0.56	100	64.5
Two or more	9.2	42.9	26.2	15.7	5.4	0.47	0.14	100	78.3
Unknown	7.0	34.6	24.5	20.9	11.1	1.3	0.5	100	66.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>38.2</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>70.7</b>
Hispanic	4.8	36.9	26.7	20.2	9.9	1.1	0.39	100	68.4
Not Hispanic	8.4	38.7	24.4	18.9	8.2	0.9	0.47	100	71.5
Unknown	7.7	36.6	24.6	19.6	9.9	1.0	0.6	100	68.9
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>38.2</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>70.7</b>
<b>MARINE CORPS</b>									
White	4.9	38.0	26.9	23.2	6.2	0.54	0.27	100	69.9
Black	1.2	22.7	25.6	34.9	13.3	1.7	0.58	100	49.5
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	2.6	28.9	27.7	29.6	9.7	1.0	0.59	100	59.1
Asian	7.3	35.8	26.5	22.2	7.2	0.52	0.5	100	69.6
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	1.2	30.6	26.0	23.7	15.2	3.2	0	100	57.8
Two or more	3.8	37.3	28.4	22.6	6.9	0.99	0.0	100	69.4
Unknown	1.6	31.1	24.6	29.5	11.5	0	1.6	100	57.4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>36.1</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.31</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>67.4</b>
Hispanic	1.9	27.8	28.1	29.6	11.0	1.1	0.46	100	57.8
Not Hispanic	5.2	38.6	26.3	23.0	6.0	0.58	0.27	100	70.2
Unknown	7.9	23.6	29.2	29.2	7.9	1	1.1	100	60.7
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>36.1</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.31</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>67.4</b>
<b>AIR FORCE</b>									
White	8.7	49.6	25.9	11.1	3.5	0.33	0.81	100	84.2
Black	1.9	30.9	31.1	23.1	11.5	1.2	0.37	100	63.8
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	5.5	43.6	30.0	13.2	7.4	0.0	0.23	100	79.2
Asian	8.4	45.9	27.1	12.2	5.4	0.4	0.60	100	81.4
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	6.4	41.0	30.3	12.2	9.2	0.4	0.60	100	77.7
Two or more	8.3	47.4	28.7	10.8	3.9	0.20	0.68	100	84.4
Unknown	5.0	45.4	22.7	11.8	11.8	1.7	2	100	73.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>45.4</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.51</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>79.8</b>
Hispanic	5.1	43.5	29.6	14.4	6.2	0.5	0.58	100	78.2
Not Hispanic	7.6	45.9	26.7	13.4	5.1	0.51	0.73	100	80.2
Unknown	7.0	37.4	26.7	19.3	7.8	0.8	0.82	100	71.2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>45.4</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>0.51</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>79.8</b>
<b>TOTAL DoD</b>									
White	7.2	39.3	24.4	20.0	7.2	0.9	0.9	100	70.9
Black	1.2	20.0	23.3	32.0	20.0	2.9	0.6	100	44.5
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	5.6	37.7	25.4	20.6	9.6	0.7	0.43	100	68.7
Asian	7.9	34.7	21.9	20.7	11.7	2.0	1.1	100	64.5
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	3.5	28.5	21.6	18.1	18.9	9.0	0.39	100	53.5
Two or more	8.6	42.2	26.2	16.0	5.9	0.8	0.26	100	77.0
Unknown	5.2	28.8	21.1	23.6	16.5	3.3	1.5	100	55.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>65.1</b>
Hispanic	3.2	30.0	25.4	25.8	13.0	1.9	0.7	100	58.6
Not Hispanic	6.4	36.1	23.8	21.8	9.6	1.4	0.8	100	66.3
Unknown	7.2	34.9	23.8	20.1	11.6	1.5	0.9	100	65.9
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>65.1</b>

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1. Refers to non-prior service (NPS) individuals whose first formal application (i.e., taking a screening physical exam or the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)) was in FY12. Does not include participants in the High School Testing Program unless otherwise tested.
  2. AFQT scores are percentiles that are normalized to the 1997 American youth population. For example, a score of 92 represents the 92nd percentile and means that 92 percent of the youth population scored at or below that score. It is standard to report these AFQT score percentiles in the categories listed below.

Cat I: 100-93	Cat IIIB: 49-31
Cat II: 92-65	Cat IV: 30-10
Cat IIIA: 64-50	Cat V: 9-1
  3. The race groupings used in this table reflect the number of individuals who indicate a single racial identity. Individuals who self-identify as multiracial are counted in the "two or more" category.
  4. American Indian, Alaska Native
  5. Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander
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- Rows and columns may not add to totals due to rounding.

**Table A-6. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Education, Service, and Gender with Civilian Comparison Group**

GENDER	EDUCATIONAL TIER <sup>2</sup>							
	TIER 1		TIER 2		TIER 3		TOTAL	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>ARMY</b>								
Males	71,425	91.5	5,545	7.1	1,056	1.4	78,026	100
Females	17,634	94.9	723	3.9	231	1.2	18,588	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>89,059</b>	<b>92.2</b>	<b>6,268</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>1,287</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>100</b>
Percent Females	19.8		11.5		17.9		19.2	
<b>NAVY</b>								
Males	47,463	98.4	725	1.5	46	0.10	48,234	100
Females	16,437	98.6	217	1.3	15	0.09	16,669	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>63,900</b>	<b>98.5</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>100</b>
Percent Females	25.7		23.0		24.6		25.7	
<b>MARINE CORPS</b>								
Males	40,843	99.0	355	0.86	75	0.18	41,273	100
Females	4,700	99.2	30	0.63	8	0.17	4,738	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>45,543</b>	<b>99.0</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>100</b>
Percent Females	10.3		7.8		9.6		10.3	
<b>AIR FORCE</b>								
Males	34,906	94.9	549	1.5	1,342	3.6	36,797	100
Females	11,068	94.8	125	1.1	481	4.1	11,674	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>45,974</b>	<b>94.8</b>	<b>674</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1,823</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>100</b>
Percent Females	24.1		18.5		26.4		24.1	
<b>TOTAL DoD</b>								
Males	194,637	95.3	7,174	3.5	2,519	1.2	204,330	100
Females	49,839	96.5	1,095	2.1	735	1.4	51,669	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>244,476</b>	<b>95.5</b>	<b>8,269</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3,254</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>100</b>
Percent Females	20.4		13.2		22.6		20.2	
<b>18-24 YR-OLD CIVILIAN POPULATION</b>								
Males	12,234,456	81.3	(3)	(3)	2,813,657	18.7	15,048,113	100
Females	12,604,594	84.9	(3)	(3)	2,244,572	15.1	14,849,166	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>24,839,049</b>	<b>83.1</b>	(3)	(3)	<b>5,058,229</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>29,897,279</b>	<b>100</b>
Percent Females	50.7				44.4		49.7	

1. Refers to non-prior service (NPS) individuals whose first formal application (i.e., taking a screening physical exam or the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)) was in FY12.

2. Tier 1 indicates individuals with at least a high school diploma. Tier 2 indicates alternate high school credentials, such as the General Educational Development certificate (GED). Tier 3 represents non-high school graduates.

3. Civilian numbers and percentages combine Tiers 1 and 2.

Rows and columns may not add to totals due to rounding.

Source: Civilian data from Bureau of Labor Statistics Current Population Survey, noninstitutional, age 18-24, October 2011-September 2012 average.

**Table A-7. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Education, Service, and Race/Ethnicity with Civilian Comparison Group**

RACE / ETHNICITY <sup>3</sup>	EDUCATIONAL TIER <sup>2</sup>						TOTAL	
	TIER 1		TIER 2		TIER 3			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>ARMY</b>								
White	60,848	91.0	4,956	7.4	1,035	1.5	66,839	100
Black	22,007	95.0	974	4.2	186	0.8	23,167	100
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	693	91.1	62	8.1	6	0.8	761	100
Asian	2,966	95.6	111	3.6	27	0.87	3,104	100
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	632	95.3	30	4.5	1	0.15	663	100
Two or more	512	94.3	27	5.0	4	0.7	543	100
Unknown	1,401	91.2	108	7.0	28	1.8	1,537	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>89,059</b>	<b>92.2</b>	<b>6,268</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>1,287</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>100</b>
Hispanic	13,431	93.7	722	5.0	185	1.3	14,338	100
Not Hispanic	74,434	91.9	5,448	6.7	1,079	1.3	80,961	100
Unknown	1,194	90.8	98	7.5	23	1.7	1,315	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>89,059</b>	<b>92.2</b>	<b>6,268</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>1,287</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>96,614</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>NAVY</b>								
White	34,572	98.2	602	1.7	22	0.06	35,196	100
Black	14,829	98.9	142	0.9	16	0.11	14,987	100
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	1,984	98.1	37	1.8	1	0.05	2,022	100
Asian	2,738	98.6	20	0.72	19	0.68	2,777	100
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	708	98.5	10	1.39	1	0.14	719	100
Two or more	7,799	98.5	117	1.5	1	0.01	7,917	100
Unknown	1,270	98.8	14	1.1	1	0.08	1,285	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>63,900</b>	<b>98.5</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>100</b>
Hispanic	8,401	98.9	84	0.99	9	0.11	8,494	100
Not Hispanic	47,142	98.3	757	1.6	48	0.10	47,947	100
Unknown	8,357	98.8	101	1.2	4	0.05	8,462	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>63,900</b>	<b>98.5</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>64,903</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>MARINE CORPS</b>								
White	37,881	98.9	351	0.92	69	0.18	38,301	100
Black	5,012	99.4	21	0.42	9	0.18	5,042	100
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	502	99.2	4	0.79	0	0.00	506	100
Asian	1,157	99.5	1	0.09	5	0.43	1,163	100
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	432	99.5	2	0.46	0	0	434	100
Two or more	499	99.0	5	0.99	0	0.00	504	100
Unknown	60	98.4	1	1.64	0	0.00	61	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>45,543</b>	<b>99.0</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>100</b>
Hispanic	10,299	99.4	42	0.41	21	0.20	10,362	100
Not Hispanic	35,155	98.9	343	0.96	62	0.17	35,560	100
Unknown	89	100.0	0	0.00	0	0.00	89	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>45,543</b>	<b>99.0</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>46,011</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>AIR FORCE</b>								
White	32,792	94.2	538	1.5	1,488	4.3	34,818	100
Black	9,583	96.7	93	0.9	238	2.4	9,914	100
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	409	94.5	8	1.8	16	3.7	433	100
Asian	1,606	96.7	11	0.7	43	2.6	1,660	100
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	488	97.2	4	0.8	10	2.0	502	100
Two or more	983	95.9	16	1.6	26	2.5	1,025	100
Unknown	113	95.0	4	3.4	2	1.68	119	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>45,974</b>	<b>94.8</b>	<b>674</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1,823</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>100</b>
Hispanic	7,519	95.1	85	1.1	300	3.8	7,904	100
Not Hispanic	38,224	94.8	583	1.4	1,517	3.8	40,324	100
Unknown	231	95.1	6	2.5	6	2.47	243	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>45,974</b>	<b>94.8</b>	<b>674</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1,823</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>48,471</b>	<b>100</b>

**Table A-7. Applicants<sup>1</sup> for Active Component Enlistment, FY12: by Education, Service, and Race/Ethnicity with Civilian Comparison Group**

RACE / ETHNICITY <sup>3</sup>	EDUCATIONAL TIER <sup>2</sup>						TOTAL	
	TIER 1		TIER 2		TIER 3			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>TOTAL DoD</b>								
White	166,093	94.8	6,447	3.7	2,614	1.5	175,154	100
Black	51,431	96.8	1,230	2.3	449	0.8	53,110	100
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	3,588	96.4	111	3.0	23	0.62	3,722	100
Asian	8,467	97.3	143	1.6	94	1.1	8,704	100
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	2,260	97.5	46	2.0	12	0.52	2,318	100
Two or more	9,793	98.0	165	1.7	31	0.31	9,989	100
Unknown	2,844	94.7	127	4.2	31	1.0	3,002	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>244,476</b>	<b>95.5</b>	<b>8,269</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3,254</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>100</b>
Hispanic	39,650	96.5	933	2.3	515	1.3	41,098	100
Not Hispanic	194,955	95.2	7,131	3.5	2,706	1.3	204,792	100
Unknown	9,871	97.6	205	2.0	33	0.3	10,109	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>244,476</b>	<b>95.5</b>	<b>8,269</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3,254</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>255,999</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>18-24 YR-OLD CIVILIAN POPULATION</b>								
White	18,797,966	83.4	(6)	(6)	3,728,822	16.6	22,526,789	100
Black	3,657,082	80.6	(6)	(6)	881,682	19.4	4,538,763	100
AIAN <sup>4</sup>	285,686	72.8	(6)	(6)	106,477	27.2	392,162	100
Asian	1,299,528	88.6	(6)	(6)	166,742	11.4	1,466,270	100
NHPI <sup>5</sup>	114,574	83.1	(6)	(6)	23,233	16.9	137,807	100
Two or more	684,214	81.9	(6)	(6)	151,274	18.1	835,488	100
Unknown	0	-----	(6)	(6)	0	-----	0	-----
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24,839,049</b>	<b>83.1</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>5,058,229</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>29,897,279</b>	<b>100</b>
Hispanic	4,599,118	74.5	(6)	(6)	1,575,213	25.5	6,174,331	100
Not Hispanic	20,239,932	85.3	(6)	(6)	3,483,016	14.7	23,722,947	100
Unknown	0	-----	(6)	(6)	0	-----	0	-----
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24,839,049</b>	<b>83.1</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>5,058,229</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>29,897,279</b>	<b>100</b>

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3. The race groupings used in this table reflect the number of individuals who indicate a single racial identity. Individuals who self-identify as multiracial are counted in the "two or more" category.

4. American Indian, Alaska Native

5. Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander

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