

Table 16. Volunteers by age, sex, marital status, and presence of children, September 2002

(Levels in thousands)

Characteristics in September 2002	Both sexes			Men			Women		
	Civilian non-institutional population	Volunteers		Civilian non-institutional population	Volunteers		Civilian non-institutional population	Volunteers	
		Number	Percent of population		Number	Percent of population		Number	Percent of population
All marital statuses									
With no own children under 18 years old ¹									
Total, 16 years and over	151,663	35,807	23.6	75,268	15,287	20.3	76,394	20,520	26.9
16 to 19 years	15,446	4,216	27.3	8,043	1,851	23.0	7,404	2,365	31.9
20 to 24 years	15,662	2,880	18.4	8,820	1,295	14.7	6,843	1,585	23.2
25 to 34 years	18,845	3,819	20.3	11,192	1,890	16.9	7,653	1,929	25.2
35 to 44 years	16,009	3,438	21.5	8,985	1,604	17.9	7,024	1,834	26.1
45 to 54 years	26,920	6,973	25.9	12,443	2,789	22.4	14,477	4,183	28.9
55 to 64 years	25,116	6,824	27.2	11,657	2,834	24.3	13,460	3,990	29.6
65 years and over	33,663	7,658	22.7	14,129	3,024	21.4	19,534	4,634	23.7
With own children under 18 years old									
Total, 16 years and over	66,444	23,976	36.1	29,595	9,419	31.8	36,849	14,556	39.5
16 to 19 years	474	60	12.7	57	6	11.1	417	54	12.9
20 to 24 years	3,766	586	15.6	911	107	11.8	2,855	479	16.8
25 to 34 years	19,715	5,755	29.2	7,837	1,799	23.0	11,878	3,957	33.3
35 to 44 years	27,841	11,533	41.4	12,550	4,507	35.9	15,291	7,026	45.9
45 to 54 years	12,958	5,505	42.5	6,990	2,622	37.5	5,968	2,883	48.3
55 to 64 years	1,560	507	32.5	1,151	355	30.8	409	152	37.1
65 years and over	129	29	22.7	100	23	23.1	29	6	21.2
Married, spouse present									
With no own children under 18 years old ¹									
Total, 16 years and over	64,514	17,891	27.7	32,381	8,064	24.9	32,133	9,827	30.6
16 to 19 years	134	23	16.9	34	10	29.9	100	12	12.4
20 to 24 years	1,417	361	25.5	534	133	24.9	883	228	25.9
25 to 34 years	5,189	1,292	24.9	2,666	603	22.6	2,523	689	27.3
35 to 44 years	5,879	1,465	24.9	2,782	588	21.1	3,097	876	28.3
45 to 54 years	16,309	4,820	29.6	7,418	1,918	25.9	8,891	2,902	32.6
55 to 64 years	17,408	5,222	30.0	8,759	2,338	26.7	8,649	2,884	33.3
65 years and over	18,179	4,709	25.9	10,188	2,474	24.3	7,991	2,235	28.0
With own children under 18 years old									
Total, 16 years and over	53,608	20,427	38.1	27,264	8,883	32.6	26,343	11,544	43.8
16 to 19 years	142	25	17.3	33	5	15.0	109	20	18.0
20 to 24 years	2,009	333	16.6	680	90	13.3	1,329	242	18.2
25 to 34 years	15,579	4,639	29.8	7,136	1,648	23.1	8,443	2,991	35.4
35 to 44 years	23,247	10,054	43.2	11,668	4,273	36.6	11,579	5,781	49.9
45 to 54 years	11,159	4,885	43.8	6,587	2,501	38.0	4,572	2,385	52.2
55 to 64 years	1,375	469	34.1	1,077	350	32.5	299	119	39.9
65 years and over	97	22	22.8	84	16	18.8	13	6	49.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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Single never married									
With no own children under 18 years old ¹									
Total, 16 years and over	52,389	11,075	21.1	30,023	5,155	17.2	22,366	5,919	26.5
16 to 19 years	15,235	4,178	27.4	7,986	1,841	23.0	7,250	2,338	32.2
20 to 24 years	13,908	2,476	17.8	8,107	1,144	14.1	5,802	1,332	23.0
25 to 34 years	11,411	2,136	18.7	7,135	1,077	15.1	4,276	1,059	24.8
35 to 44 years	5,765	1,141	19.8	3,696	610	16.5	2,069	531	25.7
45 to 54 years	3,415	617	18.1	1,908	285	14.9	1,507	332	22.0
55 to 64 years	1,477	318	21.5	715	139	19.4	762	180	23.6
65 years and over	1,179	208	17.7	478	60	12.5	701	149	21.3
With own children under 18 years old									
Total, 16 years and over	5,330	1,072	20.1	911	131	14.4	4,418	941	21.3
16 to 19 years	321	35	11.0	24	1	5.7	297	34	11.4
20 to 24 years	1,442	214	14.9	206	17	8.1	1,236	198	16.0
25 to 34 years	2,287	533	23.3	438	91	20.7	1,849	442	23.9
35 to 44 years	1,031	221	21.4	199	18	9.2	832	203	24.3
45 to 54 years	220	60	27.3	37	4	11.6	183	56	30.5
55 to 64 years	28	8	28.2	8	—	—	20	8	38.7
65 years and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other marital status²									
With no own children under 18 years old ¹									
Total, 16 years and over	34,759	6,841	19.7	12,864	2,067	16.1	21,895	4,774	21.8
16 to 19 years	77	15	19.6	23	—	—	54	15	27.8
20 to 24 years	338	43	12.9	180	19	10.4	158	25	15.6
25 to 34 years	2,245	390	17.4	1,391	209	15.1	854	181	21.2
35 to 44 years	4,365	832	19.1	2,507	406	16.2	1,858	427	23.0
45 to 54 years	7,197	1,536	21.3	3,117	586	18.8	4,079	950	23.3
55 to 64 years	6,232	1,283	20.6	2,183	358	16.4	4,049	926	22.9
65 years and over	14,306	2,741	19.2	3,463	490	14.2	10,843	2,251	20.8
With own children under 18 years old									
Total, 16 years and over	7,507	2,476	33.0	1,420	405	28.5	6,087	2,072	34.0
16 to 19 years	11	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—
20 to 24 years	315	39	12.4	25	—	1.4	290	39	13.3
25 to 34 years	1,850	583	31.5	264	60	22.8	1,586	523	33.0
35 to 44 years	3,563	1,258	35.3	682	216	31.6	2,880	1,042	36.2
45 to 54 years	1,579	559	35.4	366	116	31.8	1,213	443	36.5
55 to 64 years	157	30	18.9	67	5	7.2	90	25	27.6
65 years and over	32	7	22.4	16	7	46.4	17	—	—

¹ Own children include sons, daughters, stepchildren, and adopted children. Not included are nieces, nephews, grandchildren, and other related and unrelated children.

² Includes divorced, separated, and widowed persons.

Dash represents zero or rounds to zero.

NOTE: Data on volunteers relate to persons who performed unpaid volunteer activities for

an organization at any point from September 1, 2001 through the survey period in September 2002. Detail for the above race and Hispanic origin groups will not sum to totals because data for the "other races" group are not presented and Hispanics are included in both the white and black population groups.