

Table 17. Volunteers by labor force status, sex, race and Hispanic origin, September 2002

(Levels in thousands)

Region ¹	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
Total									
Total United States ...	218,107	59,783	27.4	104,863	24,706	23.6	113,243	35,076	31.0
Northeast	42,556	10,714	25.2	20,338	4,494	22.1	22,218	6,221	28.0
New England	11,232	2,945	26.2	5,389	1,167	21.7	5,843	1,778	30.4
Middle Atlantic	31,323	7,770	24.8	14,949	3,326	22.3	16,374	4,443	27.1
North Central	50,601	16,063	31.7	24,281	6,568	27.0	26,320	9,495	36.1
East North Central	35,556	10,630	29.9	17,075	4,325	25.3	18,481	6,305	34.1
West North Central	15,045	5,433	36.1	7,206	2,243	31.1	7,839	3,190	40.7
South	76,845	19,891	25.9	36,589	8,149	22.3	40,256	11,741	29.2
South Atlantic	40,323	10,174	25.2	19,095	4,082	21.4	21,228	6,092	28.7
East South Central	13,016	3,366	25.9	6,099	1,365	22.4	6,917	2,001	28.9
West South Central									
Central	23,506	6,351	27.0	11,395	2,703	23.7	12,111	3,648	30.1
West	48,105	13,114	27.3	23,655	5,495	23.2	24,450	7,619	31.2
Mountain	14,020	4,137	29.5	7,062	1,821	25.8	6,958	2,316	33.3
Pacific	34,085	8,977	26.3	16,594	3,674	22.1	17,492	5,303	30.3
White									
Total United States ...	180,146	52,591	29.2	87,554	21,828	24.9	92,591	30,763	33.2
Northeast	35,821	9,679	27.0	17,204	4,082	23.7	18,616	5,597	30.1
New England	10,151	2,764	27.2	4,846	1,100	22.7	5,305	1,664	31.4
Middle Atlantic	25,670	6,915	26.9	12,358	2,982	24.1	13,312	3,933	29.5
North Central	44,283	14,854	33.5	21,448	6,102	28.4	22,835	8,752	38.3
East North Central	30,508	9,703	31.8	14,848	3,979	26.8	15,661	5,724	36.6
West North Central	13,775	5,151	37.4	6,601	2,123	32.2	7,174	3,028	42.2
South	60,191	16,560	27.5	29,040	6,827	23.5	31,150	9,733	31.2
South Atlantic	30,723	8,295	27.0	14,696	3,330	22.7	16,027	4,965	31.0
East South Central	10,458	2,882	27.6	5,019	1,192	23.8	5,438	1,690	31.1
West South Central									
Central	19,010	5,383	28.3	9,325	2,305	24.7	9,685	3,078	31.8
West	39,852	11,498	28.9	19,862	4,817	24.3	19,990	6,681	33.4
Mountain	12,921	3,891	30.1	6,516	1,727	26.5	6,405	2,163	33.8
Pacific	26,931	7,607	28.2	13,345	3,090	23.2	13,585	4,517	33.3
Black									
Total United States ...	25,675	4,896	19.1	11,439	1,900	16.6	14,236	2,997	21.0
Northeast	4,496	708	15.7	1,975	261	13.2	2,522	447	17.7
New England	619	115	18.6	306	47	15.4	313	68	21.7
Middle Atlantic	3,877	593	15.3	1,669	214	12.8	2,208	379	17.2
North Central	4,810	862	17.9	2,113	318	15.0	2,697	544	20.2
East North Central	3,972	684	17.2	1,703	235	13.8	2,269	449	19.8
West North Central	837	178	21.2	410	83	20.2	428	95	22.2
South	14,186	2,823	19.9	6,378	1,125	17.6	7,809	1,698	21.7
South Atlantic	8,402	1,672	19.9	3,827	647	16.9	4,575	1,025	22.4
East South Central	2,367	428	18.1	1,010	169	16.7	1,357	259	19.1
West South Central									
Central	3,417	723	21.2	1,540	310	20.1	1,877	413	22.0
West	2,183	504	23.1	974	195	20.1	1,208	309	25.5
Mountain	350	73	20.9	186	28	15.1	165	45	27.4
Pacific	1,832	431	23.5	789	167	21.2	1,044	263	25.2
Hispanic origin									
Total United States ...	26,185	4,059	15.5	13,334	1,696	12.7	12,850	2,363	18.4
Northeast	3,956	482	12.2	1,883	193	10.2	2,073	289	14.0
New England	685	96	14.0	307	29	9.4	378	67	17.6
Middle Atlantic	3,270	387	11.8	1,576	164	10.4	1,695	223	13.1
North Central	2,313	371	16.1	1,206	134	11.1	1,107	237	21.4
East North Central	1,810	279	15.4	927	94	10.1	884	185	21.0
West North Central	503	92	18.3	279	41	14.5	223	52	23.1
South	9,317	1,428	15.3	4,854	675	13.9	4,463	753	16.9
South Atlantic	3,669	398	10.9	1,922	192	10.0	1,746	206	11.8
East South Central	243	25	10.3	129	9	6.9	114	16	14.2
West South Central									
Central	5,406	1,005	18.6	2,803	474	16.9	2,603	531	20.4
West	10,599	1,777	16.8	5,391	694	12.9	5,208	1,083	20.8
Mountain	2,763	425	15.4	1,466	194	13.2	1,297	230	17.8
Pacific	7,836	1,352	17.3	3,925	499	12.7	3,910	853	21.8

¹ The states (including the District of Columbia) that compose the various census divisions are: New England: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont; Middle Atlantic: New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania; South Atlantic: Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia; East South Central: Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, and Tennessee; West South Central: Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas; East North Central: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin; West North Central: Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota; Mountain:

Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming; and Pacific: Alaska, California, Hawaii, Oregon, and Washington.

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.

Dash represents zero or rounds to zero.

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	Labor force	Volunteers		Labor force	Volunteers		Labor force	Volunteers	
		Number	Percent of the labor force		Number	Percent of the labor force		Number	Percent of the labor force
Total									
Total United States ...	146,187	42,773	29.3	78,186	19,699	25.2	68,001	23,074	33.9
Northeast	28,082	7,680	27.3	14,832	3,546	23.9	13,250	4,134	31.2
New England	7,776	2,172	27.9	4,088	943	23.1	3,688	1,228	33.3
Middle Atlantic	20,306	5,508	27.1	10,744	2,602	24.2	9,562	2,906	30.4
North Central	34,810	11,658	33.5	18,307	5,275	28.8	16,502	6,384	38.7
East North Central	23,993	7,543	31.4	12,702	3,416	26.9	11,291	4,128	36.6
West North Central	10,817	4,115	38.0	5,605	1,859	33.2	5,212	2,256	43.3
South	50,474	14,009	27.8	26,937	6,402	23.8	23,538	7,608	32.3
South Atlantic	26,638	7,115	26.7	14,003	3,141	22.4	12,635	3,975	31.5
East South Central	8,136	2,397	29.5	4,302	1,135	26.4	3,835	1,262	32.9
West South Central									
Central	15,700	4,497	28.6	8,632	2,126	24.6	7,068	2,371	33.6
West	32,821	9,426	28.7	18,111	4,477	24.7	14,711	4,949	33.6
Mountain	9,616	3,031	31.5	5,429	1,513	27.9	4,187	1,519	36.3
Pacific	23,206	6,395	27.6	12,681	2,965	23.4	10,524	3,430	32.6
White									
Total United States ...	121,083	37,520	31.0	65,808	17,475	26.6	55,275	20,045	36.3
Northeast	23,727	6,950	29.3	12,614	3,245	25.7	11,113	3,705	33.3
New England	7,000	2,045	29.2	3,678	898	24.4	3,322	1,147	34.5
Middle Atlantic	16,727	4,905	29.3	8,936	2,347	26.3	7,790	2,558	32.8
North Central	30,677	10,805	35.2	16,295	4,916	30.2	14,382	5,890	40.9
East North Central	20,745	6,905	33.3	11,136	3,146	28.3	9,609	3,759	39.1
West North Central	9,932	3,900	39.3	5,159	1,769	34.3	4,773	2,131	44.6
South	39,352	11,488	29.2	21,561	5,353	24.8	17,791	6,135	34.5
South Atlantic	20,115	5,693	28.3	10,859	2,549	23.5	9,256	3,144	34.0
East South Central	6,546	2,038	31.1	3,608	990	27.4	2,939	1,047	35.6
West South Central									
Central	12,690	3,758	29.6	7,094	1,814	25.6	5,596	1,944	34.7
West	27,327	8,277	30.3	15,338	3,961	25.8	11,989	4,316	36.0
Mountain	8,861	2,861	32.3	5,020	1,438	28.6	3,840	1,423	37.1
Pacific	18,466	5,416	29.3	10,317	2,523	24.5	8,149	2,893	35.5
Black									
Total United States ...	16,687	3,627	21.7	7,836	1,463	18.7	8,851	2,164	24.5
Northeast	2,809	497	17.7	1,304	179	13.7	1,505	318	21.1
New England	434	75	17.3	226	29	12.7	209	47	22.3
Middle Atlantic	2,375	422	17.8	1,079	150	13.9	1,297	271	20.9
North Central	3,023	590	19.5	1,414	232	16.4	1,610	358	22.3
East North Central	2,478	454	18.3	1,132	172	15.2	1,346	282	21.0
West North Central	545	136	24.9	282	60	21.2	263	76	28.9
South	9,461	2,157	22.8	4,444	898	20.2	5,017	1,259	25.1
South Atlantic	5,712	1,270	22.2	2,689	510	19.0	3,023	760	25.1
East South Central	1,457	319	21.9	635	141	22.2	822	178	21.7
West South Central									
Central	2,292	568	24.8	1,120	247	22.1	1,173	321	27.4
West	1,392	383	27.5	673	154	22.9	719	229	31.8
Mountain	230	44	19.3	138	17	12.2	92	27	29.8
Pacific	1,163	339	29.1	535	137	25.7	627	201	32.1
Hispanic origin									
Total United States ...	18,200	3,041	16.7	10,778	1,463	13.6	7,422	1,579	21.3
Northeast	2,519	329	13.1	1,399	153	11.0	1,120	176	15.7
New England	476	62	13.0	253	23	9.0	223	39	17.6
Middle Atlantic	2,044	267	13.1	1,146	131	11.4	897	136	15.2
North Central	1,742	303	17.4	1,027	120	11.7	716	182	25.5
East North Central	1,356	226	16.7	789	81	10.3	567	145	25.5
West North Central	386	77	19.8	238	39	16.4	148	38	25.3
South	6,331	1,061	16.8	3,855	576	14.9	2,476	484	19.6
South Atlantic	2,472	304	12.3	1,485	165	11.1	988	139	14.1
East South Central	169	18	10.7	112	6	5.0	56	12	22.0
West South Central									
Central	3,690	738	20.0	2,258	405	18.0	1,432	333	23.3
West	7,607	1,349	17.7	4,497	612	13.6	3,110	736	23.7
Mountain	1,950	336	17.2	1,200	177	14.8	750	158	21.1
Pacific	5,658	1,013	17.9	3,298	435	13.2	2,360	578	24.5

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	Both sexes			Men			Women		
	Not in the labor force	Volunteers		Not in the labor force	Volunteers		Not in the labor force	Volunteers	
		Number	Percent of those not in the labor force		Number	Percent of those not in the labor force		Number	Percent of those not in the labor force
Total									
Total United States ...	71,920	17,010	23.7	26,677	5,007	18.8	45,242	12,002	26.5
Northeast	14,474	3,035	21.0	5,506	948	17.2	8,968	2,087	23.3
New England	3,456	773	22.4	1,301	224	17.2	2,156	549	25.5
Middle Atlantic	11,017	2,262	20.5	4,205	724	17.2	6,813	1,538	22.6
North Central	15,791	4,405	27.9	5,974	1,293	21.7	9,817	3,112	31.7
East North Central	11,563	3,087	26.7	4,373	909	20.8	7,190	2,178	30.3
West North Central	4,228	1,318	31.2	1,601	384	24.0	2,627	934	35.6
South	26,371	5,881	22.3	9,653	1,748	18.1	16,718	4,134	24.7
South Atlantic	13,685	3,059	22.4	5,093	941	18.5	8,592	2,118	24.6
East South Central	4,880	969	19.8	1,797	230	12.8	3,083	739	24.0
West South Central									
Central	7,806	1,854	23.7	2,763	577	20.9	5,043	1,277	25.3
West	15,284	3,688	24.1	5,545	1,018	18.4	9,739	2,670	27.4
Mountain	4,404	1,106	25.1	1,633	308	18.9	2,772	797	28.8
Pacific	10,879	2,583	23.7	3,912	710	18.1	6,967	1,873	26.9
White									
Total United States ...	59,063	15,071	25.5	21,747	4,353	20.0	37,316	10,718	28.7
Northeast	12,094	2,729	22.6	4,590	837	18.2	7,504	1,892	25.2
New England	3,151	719	22.8	1,169	202	17.3	1,983	517	26.1
Middle Atlantic	8,943	2,010	22.5	3,422	635	18.6	5,521	1,375	24.9
North Central	13,605	4,049	29.8	5,153	1,186	23.0	8,452	2,863	33.9
East North Central	9,763	2,798	28.7	3,712	833	22.4	6,051	1,965	32.5
West North Central	3,842	1,251	32.6	1,441	354	24.5	2,401	898	37.4
South	20,839	5,072	24.3	7,480	1,474	19.7	13,359	3,598	26.9
South Atlantic	10,608	2,602	24.5	3,837	781	20.4	6,771	1,821	26.9
East South Central	3,912	844	21.6	1,412	202	14.3	2,500	642	25.7
West South Central									
Central	6,319	1,625	25.7	2,231	490	22.0	4,088	1,134	27.7
West	12,525	3,221	25.7	4,524	857	18.9	8,001	2,364	29.6
Mountain	4,060	1,030	25.4	1,496	290	19.4	2,564	740	28.9
Pacific	8,464	2,191	25.9	3,028	567	18.7	5,437	1,624	29.9
Black									
Total United States ...	8,989	1,269	14.1	3,604	437	12.1	5,385	833	15.5
Northeast	1,687	211	12.5	671	82	12.2	1,017	129	12.7
New England	185	40	21.6	80	18	23.1	105	21	20.4
Middle Atlantic	1,502	171	11.4	591	64	10.8	912	107	11.8
North Central	1,786	272	15.2	699	86	12.3	1,087	186	17.1
East North Central	1,494	230	15.4	571	63	11.1	923	167	18.0
West North Central	292	42	14.4	128	23	17.8	164	19	11.6
South	4,725	665	14.1	1,933	227	11.7	2,792	438	15.7
South Atlantic	2,689	402	15.0	1,138	137	12.0	1,552	265	17.1
East South Central	910	109	11.9	375	27	7.3	536	81	15.2
West South Central									
Central	1,125	155	13.8	421	63	14.9	704	92	13.1
West	790	121	15.3	301	41	13.7	489	80	16.3
Mountain	121	29	23.9	48	11	23.3	73	18	24.3
Pacific	670	92	13.7	253	30	11.9	416	62	14.9
Hispanic origin									
Total United States ...	7,984	1,018	12.7	2,556	233	9.1	5,428	784	14.5
Northeast	1,436	153	10.7	484	39	8.2	952	114	11.9
New England	210	34	16.1	55	6	11.3	155	28	17.7
Middle Atlantic	1,227	120	9.7	429	33	7.8	797	86	10.8
North Central	571	69	12.0	179	14	7.8	391	55	14.0
East North Central	455	53	11.7	138	12	9.0	317	41	12.9
West North Central	116	16	13.5	41	2	3.7	75	14	18.8
South	2,986	368	12.3	999	99	9.9	1,987	269	13.5
South Atlantic	1,196	94	7.9	437	27	6.1	759	68	8.9
East South Central	74	7	9.4	16	3	19.3	58	4	6.6
West South Central									
Central	1,715	266	15.5	545	69	12.6	1,170	198	16.9
West	2,991	428	14.3	894	81	9.1	2,098	347	16.5
Mountain	813	89	10.9	266	17	6.3	547	72	13.2
Pacific	2,178	339	15.6	628	64	10.2	1,550	275	17.7