APPENDIX VI Employment in FAA and Predecessor Agencies at the End of Fiscal Years 1927-1996¹

Year	Personnel	Year	Personnel	Year	Personnel
(Aeronautics Branch) ²		1949	18,452	1973	53,646 ⁸
1927	234	1950	18,045	1974	56,386
1928	821	1951	18,390	1975	57,678
1929	1,337	1952	17,066	1976	59,064
1930	1,698	1953	16,685	1977	58,081
1931	$2,411^3$	1954	15,067	1978	57,494
1932	$2,407^4$	1955	15,554	1979	56,435
1933	2,033	1956	17,110	1980	55,361
1934	2.050	1957	21,510	1981	42,590
(Bureau if Air Commerce)		1958	25,805	1982	46,511
1935	2,685	(Federal Aviation Agency)		1983	46,922
1936	2,133	1959	33,755 ⁶	1984	47,216
1937	2,326	1960	38,261	1985	47,138
1938	2,938	1961	42,958	1986	46,682
(Civil Aeronautics Authority)		1962	44,482	1987	47,897
1939	3,788 ⁵	1963	46,432	1988	49,002
1940	4,841	1964	45,473	1989	50,875
(Civil Aeronautics Admin.)		1965	45,350	1990	52,010
1941	6,019	1966	43,557	1991	53,959
1942	8,056	(Federal Aviation Admin.)		1992	53,972
1943	10,120	1967	44,328	1993	53,117
1944	11,492	1968	46,825	1994	48,974 ⁹
1945	10,847	1969	49,106 ⁷	1995	48,295
1946	12,953	1970	51,477	1996	48,370
1947	14,884	1971	54,550	1997	48,903
1948	17,056	1972	53,330		

¹Federal fiscal years ended on June 30 through 1976. Jul-Sep., 1976, was designated a transition quarter. Subsequent fiscal years ended on Sept. 30.

² Figures are close approximations.

³ Includes part-time caretakers numbering 808.

⁴ Includes part-time caretakers numbering 897.

⁵ As of Sep. 30, 1939.

⁶ Sources for years 1959-68 state that the figures include "full-time, part-time, and temporary civilian employees and military personnel assigned on a reimbursable basis."

⁷ Source for 1969-72 states that the figures include "all paid civilian employees (full-time, part-time, and intermittent), and military personnel assigned on a reimbursable basis."

⁸ Sources for 1973-93 state that the figures represent "total paid" including "full-time, part-time, and intermittent. Full time includes permanent paid full-time employees who occupy permanent positions." ⁹ Sources for 1994-97 state that the figures include "Full-time permanent, and part-time permanent employees only."