

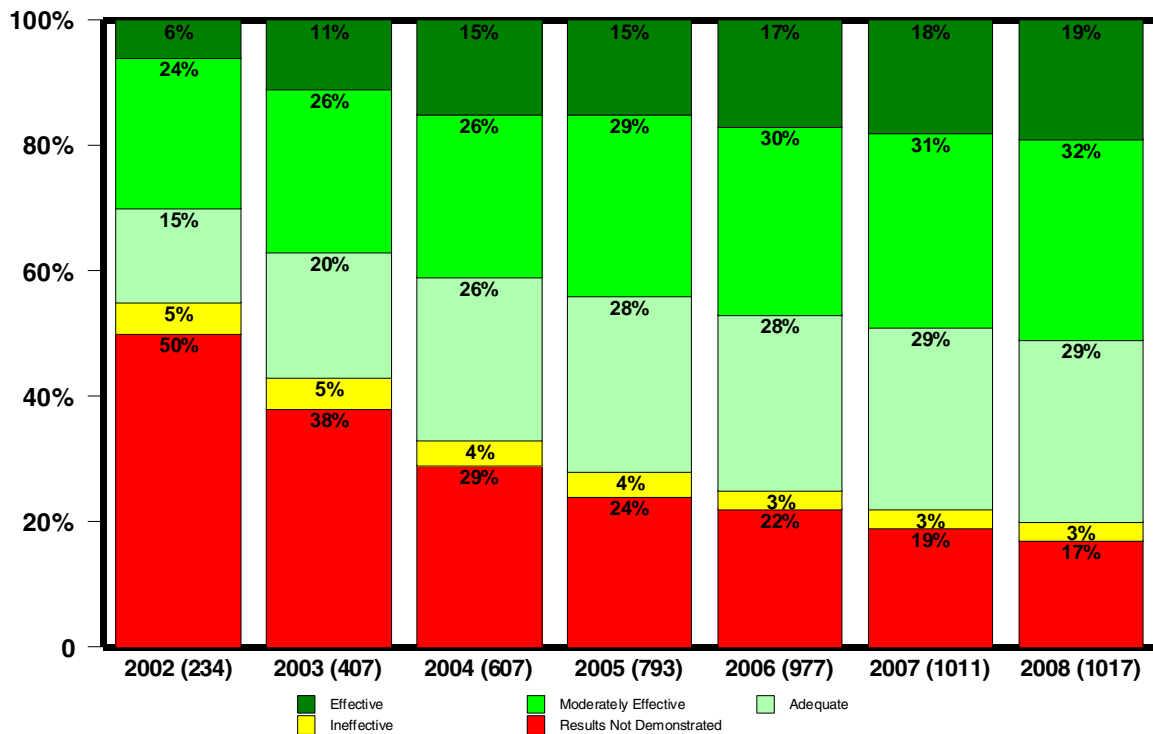
Performance Improvement Initiative

What we've all accomplished over the past six years

Over the past six years, agencies and OMB have assessed 1,017 Federal programs, including 234 reassessments. In 2002, the Federal government could not show what results programs and spending achieved. After six years program assessments, the Federal government now has 6,516 performance measures, including 1,367 efficiency measures. This is the first time in history that we have assembled government performance measures in one database and reported them transparently on www.ExpectMore.gov.

The following chart shows the hard work involved in this effort and how programs have learned to better measure their outcomes and focus on results. Much more work remains, but the baseline has been set and the mindset of achieving results is well-established throughout the Federal government. Programs are consistently demonstrating results.

**Cumulative Program Results by Ratings Category
(2002-2008)**



Agencies are now collaborating to improve government programs. The Performance Improvement Council (PIC), established by Executive Order, has met over the past year to share best practices of program performance. The PIC is in the position to lead many efforts government-wide to continue the focus on results and to increase performance in

all programs. Career Performance Improvement Officers are in place for each agency and Proud-to-Be VI plans are being implemented. The PIC is also establishing a new public website to share its work with all Americans and people around the world interested in performance improvement.