

**Table 502. Veterans by Sex, Period of Service, and State: 2007**

[In thousands (23,579 represents 23,579,000). As of September 30, VetPop2007 is the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) latest official estimate and projection of the veteran population. It is based on detailed tabulations of Census 2000 data (prepared for the VA Office of the Actuary by the Census Bureau) and on recent American Community Survey data. VetPop2007 also uses administrative data and projections of service member separations from active duty provided by the Department of Defense (the Defense Manpower Data Center and the Office of the Actuary), as well as VA administrative data on veterans' benefits]

State	Total veterans <sup>1</sup>			Gulf War <sup>2</sup>	Vietnam era	Korean conflict	World War II	Peace-time
	Total	Male	Female					
<b>United States . . . . .</b>	<b>23,579</b>	<b>21,815</b>	<b>1,763</b>	<b>4,921</b>	<b>7,810</b>	<b>2,922</b>	<b>2,886</b>	<b>6,013</b>
Alabama . . . . .	417	384	33	99	142	51	42	106
Alaska . . . . .	75	67	8	24	27	4	3	19
Arizona . . . . .	568	522	45	117	181	81	78	140
Arkansas . . . . .	262	244	19	56	90	32	30	67
California . . . . .	2,132	1,965	167	440	697	277	278	537
Colorado . . . . .	428	391	37	103	155	46	40	106
Connecticut . . . . .	254	238	15	36	84	35	39	67
Delaware . . . . .	81	74	6	17	26	11	10	21
District of Columbia . . . . .	39	35	4	9	12	5	5	10
Florida . . . . .	1,747	1,609	137	346	527	259	279	436
Georgia . . . . .	765	694	72	211	260	72	59	199
Hawaii . . . . .	119	108	11	31	37	14	13	30
Idaho . . . . .	137	127	10	31	47	17	16	32
Illinois . . . . .	842	786	55	162	270	104	109	216
Indiana . . . . .	518	486	32	97	173	61	59	141
Iowa . . . . .	251	237	14	44	84	35	34	61
Kansas . . . . .	237	219	17	54	78	28	29	57
Kentucky . . . . .	347	324	23	76	118	40	37	89
Louisiana . . . . .	326	300	26	80	104	38	38	79
Maine . . . . .	144	134	10	26	51	18	16	38
Maryland . . . . .	484	437	47	121	155	50	48	132
Massachusetts . . . . .	441	414	27	62	140	65	72	115
Michigan . . . . .	761	716	45	123	264	94	97	200
Minnesota . . . . .	408	386	23	61	147	54	50	107
Mississippi . . . . .	216	199	17	54	70	27	24	53
Missouri . . . . .	531	495	36	103	178	67	63	138
Montana . . . . .	104	97	8	21	37	13	12	26
Nebraska . . . . .	153	142	11	32	53	21	18	35
Nevada . . . . .	246	225	20	53	87	29	24	65
New Hampshire . . . . .	132	124	9	22	47	17	15	36
New Jersey . . . . .	507	478	29	70	155	76	85	133
New Mexico . . . . .	179	164	16	43	59	22	20	45
New York . . . . .	1,066	1,000	66	158	333	151	165	281
North Carolina . . . . .	774	708	65	193	255	86	77	199
North Dakota . . . . .	58	54	4	14	19	7	6	14
Ohio . . . . .	958	898	60	170	320	116	123	253
Oklahoma . . . . .	338	313	25	80	115	41	39	80
Oregon . . . . .	352	327	25	62	125	44	46	89
Pennsylvania . . . . .	1,057	994	63	159	342	145	165	276
Rhode Island . . . . .	80	74	5	13	26	11	13	20
South Carolina . . . . .	410	377	33	101	141	48	41	103
South Dakota . . . . .	74	69	6	16	24	10	8	18
Tennessee . . . . .	512	475	37	111	181	59	51	133
Texas . . . . .	1,707	1,562	145	444	580	183	170	417
Utah . . . . .	157	147	10	34	52	21	21	37
Vermont . . . . .	55	52	4	8	20	7	7	16
Virginia . . . . .	807	721	86	261	262	76	65	198
Washington . . . . .	643	590	53	151	229	70	66	161
West Virginia . . . . .	178	166	11	34	60	23	22	45
Wisconsin . . . . .	446	419	27	76	149	56	55	121
Wyoming . . . . .	56	52	4	13	21	6	5	13

<sup>1</sup> Veterans serving in more than one period of service are counted only once in the total. <sup>2</sup> Service from August 2, 1990, to the present.

Source: U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs, Veteran Data and Information, Veteran Demographics. <<http://www1.va.gov/vetdata/page.cfm?pg=15>>.