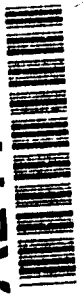


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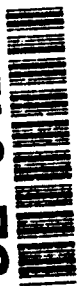
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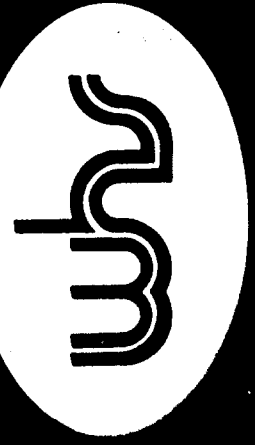
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FOREWORD

This publication provides data on worldwide active duty military personnel casualties as reported during the period October 1, 1979 through September 30, 1991. It is intended to provide summary information for the Office of the Secretary of Defense and various other Department of Defense (DoD) and Federal Government offices. Starting with Fiscal Year 1991, an annual list of active duty military personnel who died since October 1, 1979, will be available which contains data on military service, name, pay grade, date of death, and home of record. This listing entitled, "Worldwide U.S. Active Duty Military Deaths, Alphabetical Index by Name (ST33)," is available each fiscal year from the following:

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This publication is designed to be used as a planning document and is not a record of day-to-day casualty counts. Since there is a lead time for casualty information to be reported by field activities to the military service casualty offices and then to the Office of the Secretary of Defense, the data cannot be used for publication or release as current data. It is imperative that the detailed information and the resulting casualty statistics be treated with the utmost sensitivity.

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TABLE 1
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

TOTAL

Fiscal Year As Of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	2,050,627	2,390	117
1981	2,082,560	2,420	116
1982	2,108,612	2,310	110
1983	2,123,349	2,202	104
1984	2,138,157	2,312	108
1985	2,151,032	2,014	94
1986	2,169,112	2,242	103
1987	2,174,217	1,992	92
1988	2,138,213	1,845	86
1989	2,130,229	1,679	79
1990	2,043,705	1,527	75
1991	1,984,967	1,783	90

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TABLE 1A
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
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ARMY

Fiscal Year As Of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	7,7036	889	114
1981	781,419	946	121
1982	780,391	954	122
1983	779,643	831	107
1984	780,180	806	103
1985	780,787	824	106
1986	780,980	1,036	133
1987	780,815	764	98
1988	771,847	702	91
1989	769,741	597	78
1990	732,403	632	86
1991	710,233	762	107

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**TABLE 1B
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS**

NAVY

Fiscal Year As Of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	527,153	693	131
1981	540,219	641	119
1982	552,996	562	102
1983	557,573	617	111
1984	564,638	583	103
1985	570,705	537	94
1986	581,119	545	94
1987	586,842	602	103
1988	592,570	560	95
1989	592,652	525	89
1990	579,417	429	74
1991	570,262	502	88

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TABLE 1C
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

AIR FORCE

Fiscal Year As Of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	557,969	520	93
1981	570,302	564	99
1982	582,845	543	93
1983	592,044	491	83
1984	597,125	466	78
1985	601,515	427	71
1986	608,199	429	71
1987	607,035	427	70
1988	576,446	385	67
1989	570,880	337	59
1990	535,233	304	57
1991	510,432	295	58

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TABLE 1D
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

MARINE CORPS

Fiscal Year As Of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	188,469	288	153
1981	190,620	269	141
1982	192,380	251	130
1983	194,089	263	136
1984	196,214	457	233
1985	198,025	226	114
1986	198,814	232	117
1987	199,525	199	100
1988	197,350	198	100
1989	196,956	220	112
1990	196,652	162	82
1991	194,040	224	115

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**TABLE 2
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY CASUALTIES
BY CASUALTY GROUP AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1, 1979 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1991**

CASUALTY GROUP		USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
DEATHS	HOSTILE - Killed in Action	129	75	22	262	488
	Died of Wounds	6	1	0	5	12
	Died While Missing	0	0	0	1	1
	Died While Captured	0	1	0	0	1
	TOTAL	135	77	22	268	502
	NONHOSTILE - Accident	5,947	4,267	3,043	1,901	15,158
	Illness	1,900	1,166	1,138	270	4,474
	Homicide	582	342	182	172	1,278
	Self Inflicted	1,119	737	762	323	2,941
	Pending	60	207	41	55	363
	TOTAL	9,608	6,719	5,166	2,721	24,214
	TOTAL DEATHS	9,743	6,796	5,188	2,989	24,716
MISSING	HOSTILE - Missing in Action	0	0	0	0	0
	Captured/Interned	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
	NONHOSTILE - Missing	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL MISSING	0	0	0	0	0
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL (RMC)	FROM Missing in Action	0	0	0	3	3
	Captured	7	9	13	15	44
	Nonhostile Missing	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL RMC	7	9	13	18	47

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TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1991

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE	06	6	20	22	144
- Killed in Action					
Died of Wounds	2	0	0	2	4
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	98	6	20	24	148
NONHOSTILE	370	289	116	141	916
- Accident					
Illness	150	85	59	20	314
Homicide	40	37	13	12	102
Self Inflicted	96	42	51	21	210
Pending	8	43	36	6	93
TOTAL	664	496	275	200	1,635
TOTAL DEATHS	762	502	295	224	1,783

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WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1990

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	15	4	0	2	21
Died of Wounds	3	0	0	0	3
Died While Missing	0	0	0	1	1
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	18	4	0	3	25
NONHOSTILE - Accident	357	242	164	100	863
Illness	121	73	71	10	275
Homicide	25	23	10	12	70
Self Inflicted	103	55	58	33	249
Pending	8	32	1	4	45
TOTAL	614	425	304	159	1,502
TOTAL DEATHS	632	429	304	162	1,527

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WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1989

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE					
- Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
NONHOSTILE - Accident	375	344	175	164	1,058
Illness	107	81	96	17	301
Homicide	23	24	6	6	59
Self Inflicted	76	57	59	29	221
Pending	16	19	1	4	40
TOTAL	597	525	337	220	1,679
TOTAL DEATHS	597	525	337	220	1,679

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1988

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	2	0	0	2
Died of Wounds	0	1	0	0	1
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	3	0	0	3
NONHOSTILE - Accident	422	348	199	135	1,104
Illness	138	93	70	23	324
Homicide	42	28	18	11	99
Self Inflicted	97	71	98	25	291
Pending	3	17	0	4	24
TOTAL	702	557	385	198	1,842
TOTAL DEATHS	702	560	385	198	1,845

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WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1987

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	1	37	0	0	38
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	37	0	0	38
NONHOSTILE - Accident	465	326	245	136	1,172
Illness	162	116	93	26	397
Homicide	52	23	9	13	97
Self Inflicted	82	83	79	19	263
Pending	2	17	1	5	25
TOTAL	763	565	427	199	1,954
TOTAL DEATHS	764	602	427	199	1,992

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WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1986

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	2	0	2
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	2	0	2
NONHOSTILE - Accident	722	339	258	154	1,473
Illness	151	92	85	31	359
Homicide	48	27	26	13	114
Self Inflicted	110	68	58	27	263
Pending	5	19	0	7	31
TOTAL	1,036	545	427	232	2,240
TOTAL DEATHS	1,036	545	429	232	2,242

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1985

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE					
- Killed in Action	0	0	0	4	4
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	0	1	0	4	5
NONHOSTILE - Accident	483	326	243	162	1,214
Illness	163	110	108	19	400
Homicide	52	25	9	11	97
Self Inflicted	123	57	67	26	273
Pending	3	18	0	4	25
TOTAL	824	536	427	222	2,009
TOTAL DEATHS	824	537	427	226	2,014

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1984

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	16	25	0	230	271
Died of Wounds	1	0	0	2	3
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	17	25	0	232	274
NONHOSTILE - Accident	504	362	301	168	1,335
Illness	162	106	93	19	380
Homicide	42	23	19	10	94
Self Inflicted	79	59	53	24	215
Pending	2	8	0	4	14
TOTAL	789	558	466	225	2,038
TOTAL DEATHS	806	583	466	457	2,312

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1983

CASUALTY TYPE	MILITARY SERVICE				TOTAL
	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	
HOSTILE					
- Killed in Action	0	1	0	4	5
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	1	1
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	1	0	5	6
NONHOSTILE - Accident	518	403	311	177	1,409
Illness	174	101	111	27	413
Homicide	57	36	7	14	114
Self Inflicted	79	65	61	30	235
Pending	3	11	1	10	25
TOTAL	831	616	491	258	2,196
TOTAL DEATHS	831	617	491	263	2,202

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1982

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
NONHOSTILE - Accident	590	385	350	176	1,501
Illness	201	90	117	29	437
Homicide	58	22	16	16	112
Self Inflicted	99	56	60	28	243
Pending	6	9	0	2	17
TOTAL	954	562	543	251	2,310
TOTAL DEATHS	954	562	543	251	2,310

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1981

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE					
- Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
NONHOSTILE					
- Accident	569	426	359	182	1,536
Illness	207	117	120	29	473
Homicide	79	31	27	23	160
Self Inflicted	89	63	57	33	242
Pending	2	4	1	2	9
TOTAL	946	641	564	269	2,420
TOTAL DEATHS	946	641	564	269	2,420

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1980

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	1	0	0	0	1
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	0	0	0	1
NONHOSTILE - Accident	572	477	322	206	1,577
Illness	164	102	115	20	401
Homicide	64	43	22	31	160
Self Inflicted	86	61	61	28	236
Pending	2	10	0	3	15
TOTAL	888	693	520	288	2,389
TOTAL DEATHS	889	693	520	288	2,390

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TABLE 4
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY HOME STATE OF RECORD AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1, 1979 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1991

HOME STATE OF RECORD	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
ALABAMA	272	130	102	55	559
ALASKA	40	7	7	1	55
ARIZONA	100	107	68	54	329
ARKANSAS	150	53	52	27	282
CALIFORNIA	686	598	458	275	2,017
COLORADO	119	101	58	37	315
CONNECTICUT	101	77	68	41	287
DELAWARE	38	28	12	8	86
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	42	17	12	8	79
FLORIDA	520	352	283	161	1,316
GEORGIA	331	186	116	58	691
HAWAII	36	28	30	3	97
IDAHO	47	33	28	16	124
ILLINOIS	381	272	247	160	1,060
INDIANA	248	143	135	68	594
IOWA	105	77	55	35	272
KANSAS	94	80	69	20	263
KENTUCKY	161	67	74	52	354
LOUISIANA	173	101	97	50	421
MAINE	64	49	32	22	167
MARYLAND	200	129	75	60	464
MASSACHUSETTS	162	135	117	63	477
MICHIGAN	352	293	159	126	930
MINNESOTA	141	119	97	53	410
MISSISSIPPI	166	70	61	25	322

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BY HOME STATE OF RECORD AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1, 1979 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1991**

HOME STATE OF RECORD	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
MISSOURI	201	155	143	72	571
MONTANA	41	35	26	7	109
NEBRASKA	64	54	50	24	192
NEVADA	37	23	11	9	80
NEW HAMPSHIRE	41	31	33	13	118
NEW JERSEY	194	197	106	92	589
NEW MEXICO	78	86	58	28	250
NEW YORK	550	458	342	226	1,576
NORTH CAROLINA	365	172	132	77	746
NORTH DAKOTA	25	17	22	13	77
OHIO	418	310	244	145	1,117
OKLAHOMA	137	74	57	29	297
OREGON	102	108	65	28	303
PENNSYLVANIA	487	366	305	170	1,328
RHODE ISLAND	31	31	27	14	103
SOUTH CAROLINA	217	119	89	53	478
SOUTH DAKOTA	32	28	23	3	86
TENNESSEE	236	158	105	45	544
TEXAS	661	419	367	177	1,624
UTAH	52	23	28	10	113
VERMONT	28	18	10	6	62
VIRGINIA	345	176	108	95	724
WASHINGTON	191	149	107	67	514
WEST VIRGINIA	96	50	48	28	222
WISCONSIN	147	126	82	64	419

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BY HOME STATE OF RECORD AND MILITARY SERVICE
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HOME STATE OF RECORD	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
WYOMING	25	17	11	4	57
TOTAL DEATHS(BY STATE)	9,530	6,652	5,111	2,977	24,270
OTHER	213	144	77	12	446
TOTAL DEATHS	9,743	6,796	5,188	2,989	24,716

TABLE 5
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY PAY GRADE AND RACE
OCTOBER 1, 1979 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1991

RANK / GRADE	White	Black	Asian	Other	TOTAL
GEN OF THE ARMY - FLEET ADM	1	0	0	0	1
GENERAL - ADMIRAL	2	0	0	0	2
LT GENERAL - VICE ADMIRAL	4	0	0	0	4
MAJ GENERAL - REAR ADMIRAL(U)	7	0	0	0	7
BRIG GENERAL - REAR ADM(L)/COMMODORE	8	0	0	0	8
COLONEL - CAPTAIN	189	3	0	0	192
LIEUTENANT COL - COMMANDER	326	11	2	4	343
MAJOR - LT COMMANDER	518	19	2	6	545
CAPTAIN - LIEUTENANT	916	50	4	6	976
1st LIEUTENANT - LIEUTENANT(JG)	481	24	2	6	513
2nd LIEUTENANT - ENSIGN	266	25	1	3	295
W4 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	73	1	0	1	75
W3 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	81	8	1	0	90
W2 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	121	9	0	2	132
W1 WARRANT OFFICER	56	0	0	1	57
TOTAL OFFICERS	3,049	150	12	29	3,240
E-9	226	35	4	6	271
E-8	384	97	9	7	497
E-7	1,219	235	21	27	1,502
E-6	1,795	527	55	65	2,442
E-5	2,680	827	39	102	3,648
E-4	3,938	1,153	38	143	5,272
E-3	3,350	829	38	137	4,354
E-2	1,673	341	14	65	2,093
E-1	999	285	10	42	1,336
TOTAL ENLISTED	16,264	4,329	228	594	21,415
TOTAL CADETS	27	4	0	0	31
UNKNOWN	28	1	0	1	30
TOTAL DEATHS FOR ALL GRADES	19,368	4,484	240	624	24,716

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TABLE 6
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY PAY GRADE AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1, 1979 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1991

RANK / GRADE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
GEN OF THE ARMY - FLEET ADM	1	0	0	0	1
GENERAL - ADMIRAL	0	1	1	0	2
LT GENERAL - VICE ADMIRAL	0	1	2	1	4
MAJ GENERAL - REAR ADMIRAL(U)	3	3	1	0	7
BRIG GENERAL - REAR ADM(L)/COMMODORE	5	0	3	0	8
COLONEL - CAPTAIN	67	50	63	12	192
LIEUTENANT COL - COMMANDER	108	100	119	16	343
MAJOR - LT COMMANDER	123	165	207	50	545
CAPTAIN - LIEUTENANT	207	230	415	124	976
1st LIEUTENANT - LIEUTENANT(JG)	120	146	145	102	513
2nd LIEUTENANT - ENSIGN	79	97	95	24	295
W4 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	59	14	0	2	75
W3 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	80	7	0	3	90
W2 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	116	8	0	8	132
W1 WARRANT OFFICER	53	0	0	4	57
TOTAL OFFICERS	1,021	822	1,051	346	3,240
E-9	96	77	64	34	271
E-8	208	122	127	40	497
E-7	687	352	380	83	1,502
E-6	1,052	729	511	150	2,442
E-5	1,453	1,064	773	358	3,648
E-4	2,467	1,306	964	535	5,272
E-3	1,368	1,173	918	895	4,354
E-2	804	667	268	354	2,093
E-1	565	456	121	194	1,336
TOTAL ENLISTED	8,700	5,946	4,126	2,643	21,415
TOTAL CADETS	8	12	11	0	31
UNKNOWN	14	16	0	0	30
TOTAL DEATHS FOR ALL GRADES	9,743	6,796	5,188	2,989	24,716

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TABLE 7
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY ATTAINED AGE AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1, 1979 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1991

ATTAINED AGE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
17	39	21	5	12	77
18	340	209	93	116	758
19	793	539	254	323	1,909
20	962	717	359	436	2,474
21	955	704	365	430	2,454
22	743	611	346	304	2,004
23	624	455	323	220	1,622
24	531	394	294	152	1,371
25	433	368	236	155	1,192
26	424	271	218	132	1,045
27	374	268	210	105	957
28	331	222	196	91	840
29	275	178	179	75	707
30	220	186	163	65	634
31	263	139	135	38	575
32	212	133	138	41	524
33	175	130	152	41	498
34	171	121	150	32	474
35	175	108	143	32	458
36	171	121	143	20	455
37	182	131	147	24	484
38	169	104	119	21	413
39	145	98	131	22	396
40	143	77	108	13	341
41	138	70	105	19	332

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ATTAINED AGE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
42	117	63	80	14	274
43	89	64	76	8	237
44	73	47	50	4	174
45	66	46	49	14	175
46	67	38	41	6	152
47	57	35	41	6	139
48	45	18	22	1	86
49	44	20	19	6	89
50	38	24	21	2	85
51 AND OVER	159	66	77	9	311
TOTAL DEATHS	9,743	6,796	5,188	2,989	24,716

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TABLE 8
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 BY PLACE OF CASUALTY AND MILITARY SERVICE
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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
AEGEAN SEA	3	2	0	0	5
AMERICAN SAMOA	0	7	0	0	7
ANDAMAN SEA	0	1	0	0	1
ANTARCTICA	0	2	0	0	2
ARABIAN SEA	0	20	0	11	31
ARGENTINA	0	1	0	0	1
AUSTRALIA	0	8	5	1	14
AUSTRIA	2	0	1	0	3
BAHAMAS, THE	0	2	0	0	2
BAHRAIN	1	9	0	1	11
BELGIUM	15	3	14	0	32
BERMUDA	1	7	0	1	9
BLACK SEA	1	0	0	0	1
BOLIVIA	1	0	0	1	2
BRAZIL	0	2	0	0	2
BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY	0	12	0	0	12
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	1	0	0	1
BULGARIA	0	0	0	1	1
CANADA	253	9	18	1	281
CARIBBEAN SEA	0	13	0	1	14
CLASSIFIED LOCATION	0	0	1	0	1
COLOMBIA	2	1	0	1	4
COSTA RICA	0	1	0	0	1
CUBA	0	21	0	5	26
CYPRUS	0	0	0	1	1
DENMARK	1	1	1	0	3

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
DRAKE PASSAGE	0	4	1	0	5
EAST CHINA SEA	0	0	3	0	3
EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN	0	33	2	6	41
ECUADOR	4	0	0	0	4
EGYPT	18	1	18	0	37
EL SALVADOR	14	1	2	5	22
ETHIOPIA	0	0	0	1	1
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA	1	0	0	0	1
FINLAND	1	0	0	0	1
FRANCE	5	9	3	11	28
FRENCH SOUTHERN AND ANTARCTIC LA	0	2	0	0	2
GERMANY	1,823	20	326	4	2,173
GIBRALTAR	1	0	0	0	1
GREECE	3	22	17	0	42
GREENLAND	0	0	1	0	1
GRENADA	12	0	0	4	16
GUATEMALA	1	0	0	0	1
GULF OF MEXICO	0	11	9	0	20
GULF OF OMAN	0	1	0	0	1
GULF OF SIAM	0	0	0	1	1
GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE	0	0	1	0	1
HONDURAS	36	2	7	1	46
HONG KONG	0	4	0	1	5
HUNGARY	0	0	0	1	1
ICELAND	0	5	1	1	7
INDIA	0	0	1	0	1

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
INDIAN OCEAN	0	56	3	1	60
INDONESIA	0	1	0	0	1
IRAN	0	0	5	3	8
IRAQ	66	3	2	0	71
ISRAEL	7	24	2	1	34
ITALY	73	91	75	6	245
JAMAICA	0	2	0	0	2
JAPAN	12	80	81	190	363
KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUB	0	0	3	1	4
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF (S)	181	8	67	57	313
KUWAIT	10	1	1	11	23
LEBANON	10	23	0	235	268
LUXEMBOURG	0	0	3	0	3
MALAYSIA	0	1	0	1	2
MEXICO	4	16	3	9	32
MISCELLANEOUS PACIFIC ISLANDS	1	1	0	0	2
MOROCCO	1	0	0	0	1
NAMIBIA	1	0	0	0	1
NEPAL	1	0	0	0	1
NETHERLANDS	9	0	15	1	25
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	0	0	1	0	1
NEW ZEALAND	0	1	0	0	1
NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	0	165	20	11	196
NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN	0	143	4	4	151
NORTH SEA	0	0	8	5	13
NORWAY	1	0	1	10	12

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
NORWEGIAN SEA	0	1	0	0	1
OMAN	0	1	2	0	3
OTHER	1	1	0	1	3
PAKISTAN	2	1	1	1	5
PANAMA	113	14	16	6	149
PARAGUAY	2	0	1	0	3
PERSIAN GULF	0	50	15	1	66
PHILIPPINE SEA	0	6	0	0	6
PHILIPPINES	9	116	77	25	227
POLAND	1	1	0	0	2
PORTUGAL	2	2	7	0	11
RED SEA	0	4	0	0	4
SAUDI ARABIA	143	2	9	43	197
SEA OF JAPAN	0	2	0	0	2
SINGAPORE	0	2	0	0	2
SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	0	1	0	0	1
SOUTH CHINA SEA	3	21	1	0	25
SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN	0	4	5	1	10
SPAIN	3	49	90	4	146
SRI LANKA	0	2	0	0	2
ST. CHRISTOPHER & NEVIS ISLANDS	0	1	0	0	1
ST. HELENA ISLAND	0	1	0	0	1
SULU SEA	0	0	12	0	12
SWITZERLAND	1	0	4	0	5
THAILAND	3	11	5	2	21
TUNISIA	0	0	1	0	1

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
TURKEY	16	4	57	5	82
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	0	6	4	1	11
UNITED KINGDOM	17	28	179	5	229
UNKNOWN/NOT REPORTED	2	12	1	11	26
VIRGIN ISLAND	1	9	0	0	10
WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN	0	32	0	4	36
YELLOW SEA	0	0	0	1	1
YUGOSLAVIA	0	1	0	0	1
UNITED STATES	6,905	5,622	4,135	2,451	18,483
GUAM	2	60	27	9	98
PUERTO RICO	23	39	2	6	70
TOTAL DEATHS	9,743	6,796	5,188	2,989	24,716

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS				HOSTILE DEATHS ALL CAUSES
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFLICTED	
AEGEAN SEA	5	4	1	0	0	0
AMERICAN SAMOA	7	6	1	0	0	0
ANDAMAN SEA	1	0	1	0	0	0
ANTARCTICA	2	1	0	0	0	0
ARABIAN SEA	31	25	3	0	1	1
ARGENTINA	1	0	1	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	14	9	2	1	1	1
AUSTRIA	3	3	0	0	0	0
BAHAMAS, THE	2	2	0	0	0	0
BAHRAIN	11	4	6	1	0	0
BELGIUM	32	21	10	0	1	0
BERMUDA	9	7	1	0	1	0
BLACK SEA	1	1	0	0	0	0
BOLIVIA	2	2	0	0	0	0
BRAZIL	2	1	1	0	0	0
BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY	12	7	3	0	0	2
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	1	1	0	0	0	0
BULGARIA	1	1	0	0	0	0
CANADA	281	278	3	0	0	0
CARIBBEAN SEA	14	8	1	0	0	4
CLASSIFIED LOCATION	1	0	1	0	0	0
COLOMBIA	4	3	0	0	1	0
COSTA RICA	1	1	0	0	0	0

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS				HOSTILE DEATHS	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFLICTED	PENDING	ALL CAUSES
CUBA	26	19	3	0	2	2	0
CYPRUS	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
DENMARK	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
DRAKE PASSAGE	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
EAST CHINA SEA	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN	41	35	3	0	1	0	2
ECUADOR	4	3	1	0	0	0	0
EGYPT	37	31	6	0	0	0	0
EL SALVADOR	22	13	0	2	1	0	6
ETHIOPIA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
FINLAND	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
FRANCE	28	24	2	2	0	0	0
FRENCH SOUTHERN AND ANTARCTIC LANDS	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
GERMANY	2,173	1,415	458	73	211	15	1
GIBRALTAR	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
GREECE	42	24	13	2	1	0	2
GREENLAND	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
GRENADA	16	1	0	0	1	0	14
GUATEMALA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
GULF OF MEXICO	20	19	1	0	0	0	0
GULF OF OMAN	1	1	0	0	0	0	0

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS					HOSTILE DEATHS	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFLICTED	PENDING	ALL CAUSES	
GULF OF SIAM	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	
GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
HONDURAS	46	40	2	3	0	0	1	
HONG KONG	5	3	1	0	0	1	0	
HUNGARY	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
ICELAND	7	2	4	0	1	0	0	
INDIA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
INDIAN OCEAN	60	51	7	0	1	1	0	
INDONESIA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
IRAN	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	
IRAQ	71	19	2	0	1	0	49	
ISRAEL	34	32	1	0	1	0	0	
ITALY	245	183	45	4	6	6	1	
JAMAICA	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	
JAPAN	363	236	80	14	24	9	0	
KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC (N)	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF (S)	313	188	88	8	26	3	0	
KUWAIT	23	9	0	0	0	0	14	
LEBANON	268	8	0	0	1	1	258	
LUXEMBOURG	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	
MALAYSIA	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	
MEXICO	32	23	1	6	0	2	0	
MISCELLANEOUS PACIFIC ISLANDS	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS				HOSTILE DEATHS		
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFLICTED	PENDING	ALL CAUSES	
MOROCCO	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
NAMIBIA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
NEPAL	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	
NETHERLANDS	25	17	6	0	2	0	0	
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
NEW ZEALAND	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	196	173	9	2	6	6	0	
NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN	151	130	12	0	5	4	0	
NORTH SEA	13	13	0	0	0	0	0	
NORWAY	12	10	2	0	0	0	0	
NORWEGIAN SEA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
OMAN	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	
OTHER	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	
PAKISTAN	5	2	1	0	0	1	1	
PANAMA	149	99	12	8	5	2	23	
PARAGUAY	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	
PERSIAN GULF	66	12	0	0	0	1	53	
PHILIPPINE SEA	6	3	1	0	1	1	0	
PHILIPPINES	227	128	66	18	12	3	0	
POLAND	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	
PORTUGAL	11	6	4	0	1	0	0	
RED SEA	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	

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		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFLECTED	PENDING	ALL CAUSES
SAUDI ARABIA	197	101	18	1	7	2	68
SEA OF JAPAN	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
SINGAPORE	2	0	1	0	0	1	0
SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
SOUTH CHINA SEA	25	24	1	0	0	0	0
SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN	10	10	0	0	0	0	0
SPAIN	146	109	18	6	9	3	1
SRI LANKA	2	0	1	0	1	0	0
ST. CHRISTOPHER & NEVIS ISLANDS	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
ST. HELENA ISLAND	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
SULU SEA	12	12	0	0	0	0	0
SWITZERLAND	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
THAILAND	21	11	5	2	0	3	0
TUNISIA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
TURKEY	82	62	11	2	5	2	0
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	11	8	2	0	0	1	0
UNITED KINGDOM	229	143	48	2	35	1	0
UNKNOWN/NOT REPORTED	26	23	2	0	1	0	0
VIRGIN ISLAND	10	5	2	3	0	0	0
WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN	36	31	3	0	2	0	0
YELLOW SEA	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
YUGOSLAVIA	1	0	0	0	0	1	0

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS				HOSTILE DEATHS	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFLICTED	PENDING	ALL CAUSES
UNITED STATES	18,483	11,110	3,449	1,099	2,547	276	2
GUAM	98	59	16	10	9	4	0
PUERTO RICO	70	36	17	7	6	4	0
TOTAL DEATHS	24,716	15,158	4,474	1,278	2,941	363	502

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GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Active Duty. Full-time duty in active military service, regardless of duration or purpose. The term includes active duty for training.

Active Duty for Training. A tour of active duty that is used for training members of the reserve components to provide trained units and qualified persons to fill the needs of the military services in time of war or national emergency and such other times as national security requires. The tour of duty is under orders that provide for return to nonactive duty status when the period of active duty for training is completed. It includes annual training, special tours of active duty for training, school tours, and the initial tour performed by nonprior service enlistees.

Casualty. Any person who is lost to the organization by reasons of having been declared dead, missing, captured, interned, wounded, injured, or seriously ill.

Hostile, Hostile Conditions or Hostile Actions. Meets the requirements of a battle casualty. A battle casualty is any casualty incurred in action. "In action" characterizes the casualty status as having been the direct result of hostile action; sustained in combat or relating thereto; or sustained going to or returning from a combat mission provided that the occurrence was directly related to hostile action. Included are persons killed or wounded mistakenly or accidentally by friendly fire directed at a hostile force or what is thought to be a hostile force. However, injuries due to the elements or self-inflicted wounds and, except in unusual cases, wounds or deaths inflicted by a friendly force while the individual is in an absent-without-leave or dropped from the rolls status or who is voluntarily absent from a place of duty are not to be considered as sustained in action and are, thereby, not to be interpreted as battle casualties.

Died. Active duty military personnel lost to their organization by reason of having been declared dead.

Missing. Active duty military personnel who are not present at their duty station due to apparent involuntary reasons and whose location is not known. Excluded are personnel who are in an absent-without-leave or deserter status or those who have been dropped from the rolls of their military service.

Captured or Interned. Active duty military personnel who have been detained as the result of action of an unfriendly military or paramilitary force in a foreign country.

Returned to Military Control (RMC). Active duty military personnel previously missing, captured, or interned who have been returned to U.S. military authority.