

**Table 9.62-- FEDERAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT, BY AGENCY: 2012 TO 2017**

[Fiscal year ending September 30. Excludes the U.S. Postal Service and individual state totals  
exclude the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). Detail may not sum to department or agency total]

Agency	2012	2013	2014	2015 1/	2016 1/	2017 1/
TOTAL	25,671	24,574	24,377	24,968	25,334	22,248
Cabinet-level	25,379	24,298	24,105	24,702	25,047	21,993
Agriculture	781	756	773	755	755	738
Commerce	442	426	460	429	418	410
Defense	19,375	18,370	18,173	18,599	18,856	17,897
Air Force	1,806	1,770	1,806	1,779	1,790	1,616
Army	5,806	5,409	5,191	5,161	5,188	4,969
Other Defense	1,085	1,047	1,041	1,293	1,281	1,251
Navy/Marine Corps	10,678	10,144	10,135	10,366	10,597	10,061
Justice	294	291	284	517	519	(1/)
U.S. Marshall's Service	27	25	26	25	22	(1/)
Prisons	198	201	194	192	191	(1/)
U.S. Attorney	59	54	53	54	58	55
Labor	31	34	33	32	30	29
Energy	2	2	2	2	(1/)	(1/)
Education	-	-	-	-	(1/)	(1/)
Health & Human Services	175	166	169	168	161	153
Homeland Security 2/	1,971	1,976	1,914	1,900	1,909	(1/)
U.S. Coast Guard	147	139	126	125	126	108
Immig. & Customs Enf.	88	89	89	82	87	(1/)
Customs & Border Prot.	308	296	296	294	304	(1/)
Trans. Security Admin.	1,333	1,362	1,317	1,284	1,279	(1/)
FEMA	55	53	47	47	44	50
Housing & Urban Dev.	26	25	25	22	19	20
Interior	723	648	631	595	633	609
National Park Service	476	425	404	375	400	367
State	18	19	17	18	19	20
Transportation	413	398	407	381	400	394
Fed. Aviation Admin.	395	381	388	367	380	376
Fed. Highways Admin.	15	14	15	11	16	14
Treasury	143	119	120	102	92	(1/)
Internal Revenue Service	141	118	118	99	(1/)	(1/)
Veterans Affairs	985	1,068	1,097	1,200	1,236	1,247
Veterans Benefits Admin.	86	92	99	100	101	102
National Cemetery Admin.	26	26	24	27	27	26
Veterans Health Admin.	847	925	950	1,046	1,083	1,093
Independent agencies 3/	292	276	272	240	(1/)	(1/)
Large	285	270	267	237	250	250
General Services Admin.	44	42	41	36	40	40
Social Security Admin.	131	122	129	138	141	139
Medium	7	6	5	3	(1/)	(1/)
Small	-	-	-	-	(1/)	(1/)

1/ Some component counts reflect suppressed categories, such as counts fewer than 12.

2/ New agency as of November 25, 2002.

3/ Large is 1,000 or more; Medium is 100 to 999; and Small is fewer than 100 employees.

Source: U.S. Office of Personnel Management, FedScope <[http://www.fedscope.opm.gov/employment\\_access.asp](http://www.fedscope.opm.gov/employment_access.asp)> accessed April 2, 2019, and records.