

Demographics of Survey Participants in The Veterans Metrics Initiative (TVMI) and Veterans Engaging in Transition Studies (VETS)

	Eligible Post-9/11 Veteran Population ^a (n = 48,965)	TVMI		VETS	
		Wave 1 ^b (n = 9,566)	Wave 6 ^c (n = 5,258)	Wave 7 ^d (n = 3,180)	Wave 8 ^e (n = 2,970)
Male	84.1%	81.8%	81.5%	80.9%	81.6%
Female	15.9%	18.2%	18.5%	19.1%	18.4%
Army	32.1%	32.9%	31.0%	32.0%	31.7%
Navy	18.8%	19.2%	19.3%	20.0%	19.9%
Air Force	13.5%	19.0%	19.9%	19.7%	20.0%
Marines	17.2%	15.9%	16.6%	16.2%	16.1%
National Guard/Reserve	18.4%	12.9%	12.4%	12.1%	12.2%
E1-E4 Junior Enlisted	41.4%	27.5%	28.5%	29.3%	29.0%
E5-E6 Mid-Grade Enlisted	29.5%	30.0%	29.9%	30.1%	29.9%
E7-E9 Senior Enlisted	13.4%	17.9%	16.7%	16.0%	16.2%
W1-W5 Warrant Officers	1.1%	1.6%	1.5%	1.3%	1.3%
O1-O3 Junior Officers	6.4%	8.4%	9.0%	9.3%	9.6%
O4-O10 Senior Officers	8.1%	14.7%	14.5%	13.9%	14.0%
White Non-Hispanic	-	65.0%	68.2%	70.0%	70.1%
Black Non-Hispanic	-	10.8%	9.5%	8.3%	8.0%
Hispanic	-	13.8%	13.2%	13.0%	13.0%
Asian Hawaiian Pacific Islander Non-Hispanic ^e	-	4.4%	3.9%	2.6%	2.7%
Other Race Non-Hispanic	-	6.0%	5.1%	6.0%	6.1%

Note. ^a The race/ethnicity categories in the eligible post-9/11 veteran population data set were different from those used in TVMI/VETS data collection; therefore, a comparison was not possible. ^b Wave 1 occurred ~3 months post separation. ^c Wave 6 occurred ~33 months post separation. ^d Wave 7 occurred ~51 months post separation. ^e Wave 8 occurred ~78 months post separation.