



Ministry of Defence

Notice: Reserves Recruitment Experimental Statistics

Defence Statistics recently announced its intention to publish experimental official statistics on reserves recruitment. The National Statistician has advised against releasing these statistics at this time, as more work is required in order to enable Defence Statistics to provide a comprehensive set of statistics on recruitment.

We have included provisional statistics on the numbers of personnel moving into and out of the Future Reserves 2020 Volunteer Reserve populations within our [Quarterly Personnel Report](#), published on 14 November 2013 (Tables 9 and 13).

Defence Statistics is progressing with work in this area and is aiming to publish further¹ information on recruitment to both reserve and regular forces in 2014. We are interested in finding out about the potential uses and users of this information as we develop these statistics. If you are interested in this information, or have any views on the potential content of recruitment statistics publications. Please get in touch by emailing:

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We welcome feedback on this, or any of our other statistical products. If you would simply like to be informed when this information becomes available, you can be added to our mailing list by contacting us at the above email address.

Defence Statistics (Tri Service)

¹ Clarification that further information is planned for release in 2014 rather than the original sentence that suggested it was for the first time.