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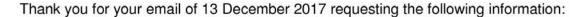
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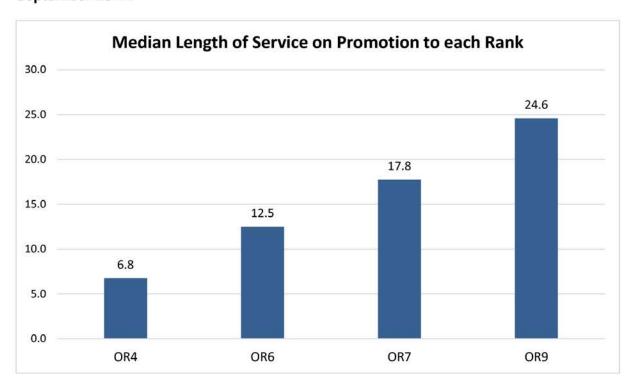


"Please could I request two graphs showing Warfare General Service data for my dissertation research.

Average Length of Service on Promotion Strength by Rank and Length of Service"

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA). A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence, and I can confirm that all of the information in scope of your request is held.

## Median Length of Service (in Years) on Promotion for Warfare GS, 1 October 2014 to 31 September 2017.



## Trained Regular Strength of Warfare GS by Rank and Length of Service, as at 1 October 2017



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Yours sincerely,

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