

# Armed Forces Ranks



Air Force | Army | Marine Corps Navy & Coast Guard

0-10  
0-9  
0-8  
0-7  
0-6  
0-5  
0-4  
0-3  
0-2  
0-1



**General of the Air Force/Army**  
(reserved for wartime)



**General**



**Lieutenant General**



**Major General**



**Brigadier General**



**Colonel**



**Lieutenant Colonel**



**Major**



**Captain**



**First Lieutenant**



**Second Lieutenant**



**Fleet Admiral**  
(reserved for wartime)



**Admiral | Commandant of the Coast Guard**



**Vice Admiral**



**Rear Admiral**



**Rear Admiral (lower half)**



**Captain**



**Commander**



**Lieutenant Commander**



**Lieutenant**



**Lieutenant Junior Grade**



**Ensign**



Air Force

Army

Marine Corps

Navy & Coast Guard

Warrant Officers

No Warrant Officer Rank

Warrant Officer 1

Warrant Officer 1

Warrant Officer 1  
(Coast Guard only)

Chief Warrant Officer 2

Chief Warrant Officer 2

Chief Warrant Officer 2

Chief Warrant Officer 3

Chief Warrant Officer 3

Chief Warrant Officer 3

Chief Warrant Officer 4

Chief Warrant Officer 4

Chief Warrant Officer 4

Chief Warrant Officer 5

Chief Warrant Officer 5

Chief Warrant Officer 5

Air Force

Army

Marine Corps

Navy & Coast Guard

E-9

Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force

Sergeant Major of the Army

Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps

Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy | Coast Guard



Chief Master Sergeant First Sergeant | Command Chief Master Sergeant

Sergeant Major Command Sergeant Major

Master Gunnery Sergeant Sergeant Major

Master Chief Petty Officer Command Master Chief Petty Officer | Fleet/Force Master Chief Petty Officer

E-8



Senior Master Sergeant | First Sergeant

Master Sergeant | First Sergeant

Master Sergeant | First Sergeant

Senior Chief Petty Officer

E-7



Master Sergeant | First Sergeant

Sergeant First Class

Gunnery Sergeant

Chief Petty Officer

E-6



Technical Sergeant

Staff Sergeant

Staff Sergeant

Petty Officer First Class

E-5



Staff Sergeant

Sergeant

Sergeant

Petty Officer Second Class

E-4



Senior Airman

Corporal, Specialist

Corporal

Petty Officer Third Class

E-3



Airman First Class

Private First Class

Lance Corporal

Seaman

E-2



Airman

Private

Private First Class

Seaman Apprentice

E-1

Airman Basic

Private

Private

Seaman Recruit