

Percentages of female Soldiers in NATO countries` Armed Forces

Sources: Office on Women in the NATO Forces
[\(\[http://www.nato.int/issues/women_nato/perc_fem_soldiers.jpg\]\(http://www.nato.int/issues/women_nato/perc_fem_soldiers.jpg\)\)](http://www.nato.int/issues/women_nato/perc_fem_soldiers.jpg)
 and The Women's Research & Education Institute

| COUNTRY | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 |
|------------------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Belgium | 7,6 | 7,9 | 8,2 | 8,26 | 8,3 | 8,3 |
| Bulgary | - | - | - | 4,2 | 6,0 | 6 |
| Canada | 11,4 | 11,8 | 12,4 | 12,3 | 12,6 | 12,8 |
| Czech Republic | 3,7 | 10,0 | 10,0 | 12,3 | 12,21 | --12,21 |
| Denmark | 5,0 | No data | 5,0 | 5,0 | 5,0 | 5,3 |
| France | 8,5 | 10,8 | 11,2 | 12,79 | 12,8 | 13,28 |
| Germany | 2,8 | 3,7 | 4,4 | 5,2 | 6,0 | 6 |
| Greece | 3,8 | 3,8 | 3,8 | 4,2 | 16,0 | 5,4 |
| Hungary | 9,6 | 16,0 | 10,0 | 10 | 4,3 | 17,56 |
| Italy | 0,1 | 0,1 | 0,5 | 0,53 | 1,0 | 1,6 |
| Latvia | - | - | - | 13,5 | 20,0 | -- |
| Lithuania | - | - | - | 6,04 | 9,07 | 12,5 |
| Luxembourg | -- | -- | -- | -- | --- | 5,71 |
| The Netherlands | 8,0 | 8,4 | 8,5 | 8,65 | 9,0 | 9 |
| Norway | 3,2 | 3,3 | 5,7 | 6,3 | 6,3 | 7 |
| Poland | 0,1 | 0,3 | 0,3 | 0,47 | 0,47 | 0,52 |
| Portugal | 6,6 | 6,6 | 8,4 | 8,4 | 8,4 | 12 |
| Romania | - | - | - | 3,99 | 5,0 | 5 |
| Slovakia | - | - | - | 6,1 | 7,06 | 7,7 |
| Slovenia | - | - | - | 19,2 | 15,38 | -- |
| Spain | 5,8 | 9,0 | 10,0 | 10,5 | 10,7 | 13,47 |
| Turkey | 0,1 | 0,1 | 0,1 | 3,95 | 3,95 | 3,1 |
| United Kingdom | 8,1 | 8,3 | 8,6 | 8,8 | 9,0 | 9,1 |
| United States | 14,0 | 14,0 | 15,0 | 15,0 | 15,5 | 10,49 |

[\(<http://www.wrei.org/projects/wiu/wim/T7.pdf>\)](http://www.wrei.org/projects/wiu/wim/T7.pdf)

Tabelle 2-3
Women admittance in the NATO countries Armed Forces and subsequent changes.

| COUNTRY | ¹ YEAR OF LEGAL ADMITTANCE | ² SOME POSTS | ³ RATHER ALL POSTS |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| USA | 1948 | 1973 | 1993 |
| CANADA | 1951 | 1968 | ⁴ 2002 |
| FRANCE | 1972 | 1973 | 1998 |
| UNITED KINGDOM | 1949 | 1991 | 1992 |
| CZECH REPUBLIC | Early 1980s | IDEM | 2002 |
| NETHERLANDS | 1979 | 1979 | 1981 |
| BELGIUM | 1975 | 1977 | 1981 |
| PORTUGAL | 1992 | 1992 | 1992 |
| LUXEMBURG | 1980 | 1987 | 1997 |
| DENMARK | 1962 | 1971–74 | 1988 |
| HUNGARY | 1996 | 1996 | 1996 |
| NORWAY | 1977 | – | 1985 |
| GREECE | 1979 | 1979 | – |
| SPAIN | 1988 | 1988 | 1999 |
| GERMANY | 1975 | 1975 | 2000 |
| POLAND | 1988 | – | 2003 |
| TURKEY | 1955 | 1957 | – |
| ITALY | 1999 | 2000 | 2000 |
| SLOVENIA | 1991 | 1991 | 2002 |
| BULGARY | 1995 | 1995 | 2001 |
| SLOWAKIA | Early 1980s | IDEM | 1993 |
| ROMANIA | 1973 | – | 2001 |
| LATVIA | 1991 | 1991 | 1991 |
| LITHUANIA | 1991 | 1991 | 1991 |

¹Date of the law indicated as the one opening officially services to women. ²Actual first entry of women in the armed forces with restrictions. ³Date of the most recent reduction or elimination of assignment restrictions. ⁴Die kursiv geschriebenen Jahreszahlen in der letzten Spalte bedeuten die Abschaffung jeder Einschränkung für Frauen, d. h. ihre volle Integration in den Streitkräften.

Abbildung 2-2
Women's legal admittance in the NATO armed forces and in Switzerland

