2012 Military Recruitment Data

The following table outlines the United States armed forces recruitment data for the year 2012:

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| Service | Recruitment Goal | Actually Recruited |
| Army | 65,000 | 70,045 |
| Navy | 35,500 | 35,527 |
| Air Force | 31,980 | 31,983 |
| Marines | 31,400 | 31,413 |
| National Guard | 65,500 | 66,127 |

As observed, you will see that all of our armed services are exceeding their quotas for enlistment. The following table displays the pay received by those enlisted in the military. This data shows the monthly income for those at the bottom and top of the pay scale:

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| Category | Bottom (< 4 months) | Top (38+ years) |
| Enlisted | 1,379 | 7,311 |
| Officer | 2,828 | 16,620 |
| Commissioned Officer | 3,557 | 19,239 |
| Reserve | 182 | 841 |

This document was created with data provided from the following sources:

* <http://usmilitary.about.com/od/2009recruitingstatistics/a/year.htm>
* <http://www.military-money-matters.com/military-pay.html>