

Armed Forces rank structure

				
	Royal Navy	Royal Marines	Army	Royal Air Force
★★★★★	Admiral	General	General	Air Chief Marshal
★★★	Vice Admiral	Lieutenant General	Lieutenant General	Air Marshal
★★	Rear Admiral	Major General	Major General	Air Vice-Marshal
★	Commodore	Brigadier	Brigadier	Air Commodore
	Captain	Colonel	Colonel	Group Captain
	Commander	Lieutenant Colonel	Lieutenant Colonel	Wing Commander
	Lieutenant Commander	Major	Major	Squadron Leader
	Lieutenant	Captain	Captain	Flight Lieutenant
	Sub Lieutenant	Lieutenant	Lieutenant	Flying Officer
	Midshipman	Second Lieutenant	Second Lieutenant	Pilot Officer
	Warrant Officer 1	Warrant Officer Class 1	Warrant Officer Class 1	Warrant Officer
	Warrant Officer 2	Warrant Officer Class 2	Warrant Officer Class 2	
	Chief Petty Officer	Colour Sergeant	Staff Sergeant	Flight Sergeant
	Petty Officer	Sergeant	Sergeant	Sergeant
	Leading Hand	Corporal	Corporal	Corporal
		Lance Corporal	Lance Corporal	Senior Aircraftman
	Able Rate	Marine	Private	Aircraftman

Stars are allocated to the most senior ranks across defence.