

Table 4-4 Committee Assignments for Representatives, 84th - 116th Congresses, 1955 - 2019

Congress	Mean no. of standing committee assignments	Mean no. of subcommittees of standing committee assignments	Mean no. of other committee assignments ^a	Total
84th (1955 - 1956)	1.2	1.6	0.2	3.0
92nd (1971 - 1972)	1.5	3.2	0.4	5.1
94th (1975 - 1976)	1.8	4.0	0.4	6.2
96th (1979 - 1980)	1.7	3.6	0.5	5.8
97th (1981 - 1982)	1.7	3.4	0.4	5.5
98th (1983 - 1984)	1.7	3.6	0.5	5.8
99th (1985 - 1986)	1.8	4.0	0.8	6.6
100th (1987 - 1988)	1.7	3.8	1.0 ^b	6.5
101st (1989 - 1990)	1.8	3.9	1.1 ^b	6.8
102nd (1991 - 1992)	1.9	4.0	0.9 ^b	6.8
103rd (1993 - 1994)	2.0	3.7	0.2	5.9
104th (1995 - 1996)	1.8	2.9	0.1	4.8
105th (1997 - 1998)	1.8	3.2	0.1	5.1
106th (1999 - 2000)	1.9	3.2	0.1	5.2
107th (2001 - 2002)	1.9	3.6	0.1	5.6
108th (2003 - 2004)	1.9	3.5	0.2	5.6
109th (2005 - 2006)	2	2.9	0.2	5.1
110th (2007 - 2008)	1.9	2.8	0.2	4.9
111th (2009 - 2010)	1.9	3.8	0.2	5.9
112th (2011 - 2012)	1.7	3.4	0.2	5.3
113th (2013 - 2014)	1.8	3.4	0.2	5.4
114th (2015 - 2016)	1.7	3.4	0.3	5.4
115th (2017 - 2018)	1.7	3.5	0.1	5.3
116th (2019 - 2020)	1.8	3.5	0.1	5.4

- a. Other committees include select and special committees, subcommittees of select and special committees, joint committees, and subcommittees of joint committees.
- b. This number includes task forces when the committee has no other subcommittees.

Source: Nelson, Garrison, Committees in the U.S. Congress 1947-1992, Committee Jurisdictions and Member Rosters (Washington, D.C.: Congressional Quarterly, 1993); Congressional Quarterly Committee Guide, Congressional Quarterly Weekly Report, various issues; U.S. House of Representatives, <http://www.house.gov>.