



FACTSHEET

Consumer Financial Protection Bureau: By the numbers

- **\$11.9 billion:** Approximate amount of ordered relief to consumers from CFPB supervisory and enforcement work, including:
 - Approximately \$3.8 billion in monetary compensation ordered to be returned consumers as a result of enforcement activity
 - Approximately \$7.7 billion in principal reductions, cancelled debts, and other consumer relief ordered as a result of enforcement activity
 - \$398 million in consumer relief as a result of supervisory activity
- **29 million:** Consumers who will receive relief as a result of CFPB supervisory and enforcement work
- **\$600 million+:** Money collected in civil monetary penalties as a result of CFPB enforcement work
- **1,242,800+:** Complaints CFPB has handled as of July 1, 2017
- **13 million:** Unique visitors to [Ask CFPB](#)
- **10.5 million:** Mortgages consumers closed on after consumers received the CFPB's [Know Before You Owe](#) disclosures
- **147:** Banks and credit unions under the CFPB's supervisory authority as of April 1, 2017
- **12 million:** Consumers who are takeout payday loans each year; the CFPB has proposed rules to put an end to payday debt traps
- **70 million:** Consumers who are contacted about debts in collection during the year; the CFPB is developing proposed rules to protect consumers from harmful collection practices

- **3,270+:** Colleges voluntarily adopting the CFPB and Dept. of Ed [Financial Aid Shopping Sheet](#)
- **169:** Visits to military installations by the Office of Servicemember Affairs since 2011
- **63:** Times senior CFPB officials have testified before Congress
- **41:** Cities where CFPB has held public town halls or field hearings





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The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau is a 21st century agency that helps consumer finance markets work by making rules more effective, by consistently and fairly enforcing those rules, and by empowering consumers to take more control over their economic lives. For more information, visit www.consumerfinance.gov.