January Deadline Analysis: Subject by sex



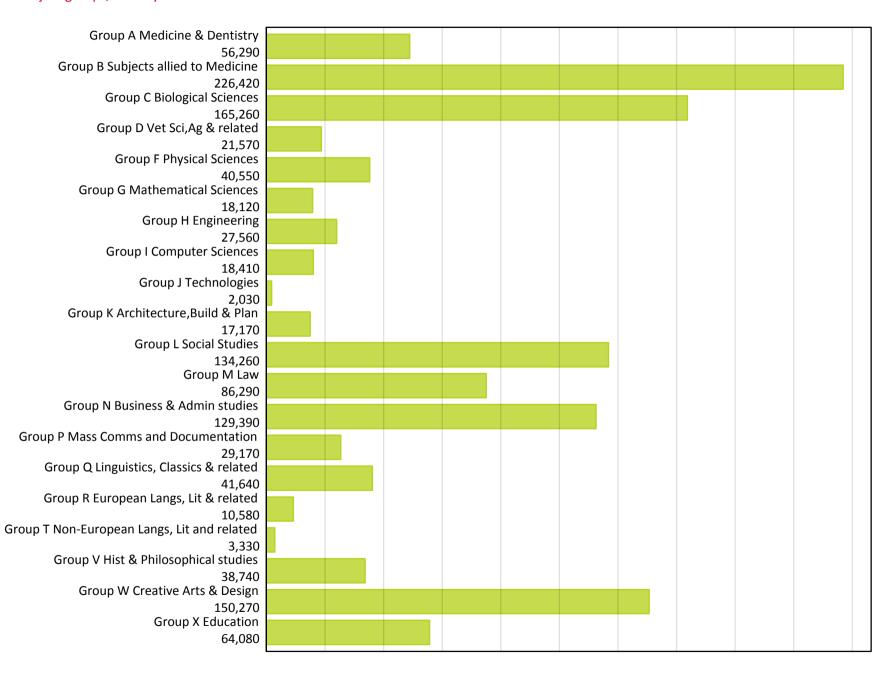
Applications by subject at the 15 January deadline

D.8.1 Applications by sex and subject group: All domiciles (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	46,180	52,050	53,610	52,510	54,820	57,080	52,160	51,800	50,890	56,290
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	154,390	224,800	255,200	262,250	279,100	293,250	289,400	290,110	246,430	226,420
Group C Biological Sciences	99,600	115,660	121,360	117,410	126,580	136,880	151,240	160,210	158,270	165,260
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	13,410	16,500	17,960	18,000	19,490	21,100	21,930	21,440	20,430	21,570
Group F Physical Sciences	29,490	33,770	35,610	35,120	37,800	40,860	42,890	43,190	42,890	40,550
Group G Mathematical Sciences	15,620	16,680	17,320	15,910	16,230	16,270	16,480	17,050	17,880	18,120
Group H Engineering	12,770	14,450	15,090	16,200	17,790	21,780	25,270	26,560	25,950	27,560
Group I Computer Sciences	9,630	11,110	11,600	10,580	11,360	12,710	14,760	16,320	15,840	18,410
Group J Technologies	1,700	2,130	1,810	1,740	1,820	2,150	2,200	2,260	2,070	2,030
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	13,570	13,940	14,640	13,290	13,150	13,340	15,150	15,850	16,620	17,170
Group L Social Studies	99,210	125,290	127,470	111,700	113,530	121,170	127,560	131,180	133,140	134,260
Group M Law	60,190	65,270	67,300	65,900	69,180	70,240	73,200	78,320	82,910	86,290
Group N Business & Admin studies	109,810	123,540	131,770	126,830	129,580	135,260	139,950	140,740	133,320	129,390
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	25,300	29,060	31,140	26,950	28,130	30,810	32,070	32,090	31,380	29,170
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	46,310	51,000	48,820	45,450	46,110	46,350	47,720	46,540	44,210	41,640
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	16,380	17,490	17,390	15,460	14,500	13,730	13,900	12,840	11,680	10,580
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	4,410	4,820	5,000	3,960	3,550	3,390	3,550	3,320	3,350	3,330
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	37,970	40,710	40,350	38,310	38,910	40,600	42,600	43,750	39,540	38,740
Group W Creative Arts & Design	100,070	158,940	175,480	148,160	151,630	159,980	163,690	161,220	152,630	150,270
Group X Education	56,760	68,210	71,810	66,940	65,580	64,850	70,440	68,580	68,310	64,080
Y Combined arts	40,910	45,940	44,300	38,300	37,380	37,510	35,790	34,100	31,340	28,860
Y Combined sciences	13,210	14,860	15,930	14,930	15,550	16,830	16,170	14,300	12,490	13,190
Y Combined social sciences	14,500	15,690	15,690	13,720	13,650	14,300	14,580	14,510	14,120	14,540
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	40,030	44,470	43,300	36,110	34,560	34,800	31,950	28,640	26,970	26,610
Y Social sciences combined with arts	32,180	36,940	36,110	31,260	30,810	31,120	31,330	29,290	28,280	27,810
Z General, other combined & unknown	8,240	8,890	9,020	12,600	13,340	14,420	16,960	17,260	16,930	19,100

D.8.2 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-9%	2%	5%	3%	8%	12%	2%	2%	0%	11%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-37%	-9%	4%	6%	13%	19%	17%	18%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-37%	-27%	-23%	-26%	-20%	-14%	-4%	1%	0%	4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-34%	-19%	-12%	-12%	-5%	3%	7%	5%	0%	6%
Group F Physical Sciences	-31%	-21%	-17%	-18%	-12%	-5%	-0%	1%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-13%	-7%	-3%	-11%	-9%	-9%	-8%	-5%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-51%	-44%	-42%	-38%	-31%	-16%	-3%	2%	0%	6%
Group I Computer Sciences	-39%	-30%	-27%	-33%	-28%	-20%	-7%	3%	0%	16%
Group J Technologies	-18%	3%	-13%	-16%	-12%	3%	6%	9%	0%	-2%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-18%	-16%	-12%	-20%	-21%	-20%	-9%	-5%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	-25%	-6%	-4%	-16%	-15%	-9%	-4%	-1%	0%	1%
Group M Law	-27%	-21%	-19%	-21%	-17%	-15%	-12%	-6%	0%	4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-18%	-7%	-1%	-5%	-3%	1%	5%	6%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-19%	-7%	-1%	-14%	-10%	-2%	2%	2%	0%	-7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	5%	15%	10%	3%	4%	5%	8%	5%	0%	-6%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	40%	50%	49%	32%	24%	18%	19%	10%	0%	-9%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	32%	44%	49%	18%	6%	1%	6%	-1%	0%	-1%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-4%	3%	2%	-3%	-2%	3%	8%	11%	0%	-2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-34%	4%	15%	-3%	-1%	5%	7%	6%	0%	-2%
Group X Education	-17%	-0%	5%	-2%	-4%	-5%	3%	0%	0%	-6%
Y Combined arts	31%	47%	41%	22%	19%	20%	14%	9%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	6%	19%	28%	20%	25%	35%	29%	15%	0%	6%
Y Combined social sciences	3%	11%	11%	-3%	-3%	1%	3%	3%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	48%	65%	61%	34%	28%	29%	18%	6%	0%	-1%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	14%	31%	28%	11%	9%	10%	11%	4%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-51%	-47%	-47%	-26%	-21%	-15%	0%	2%	0%	13%

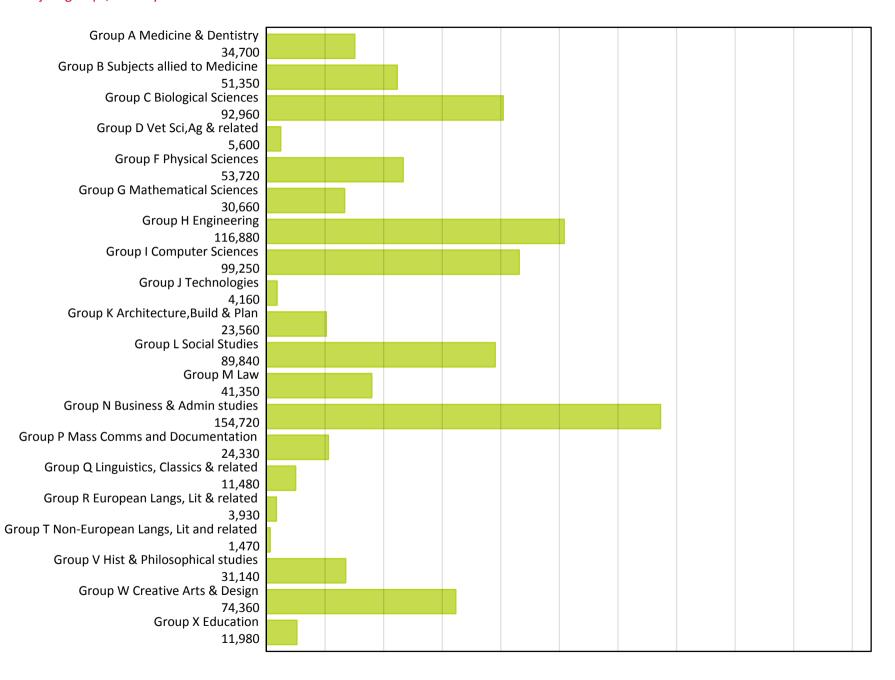


D.8.4 Applications by sex and subject group: All domiciles (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	36,980	41,980	43,800	41,860	41,450	41,830	36,390	34,850	32,650	34,700
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	39,350	57,380	67,790	67,480	68,050	68,110	67,800	67,930	57,120	51,350
Group C Biological Sciences	66,830	84,850	89,470	84,250	88,970	94,850	98,310	98,200	94,640	92,960
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	4,730	6,410	7,390	6,750	7,170	6,980	6,870	6,420	5,800	5,600
Group F Physical Sciences	45,760	53,270	58,530	58,460	61,970	63,560	62,690	59,760	57,260	53,720
Group G Mathematical Sciences	22,490	25,170	26,070	26,240	27,450	27,210	28,760	29,810	30,450	30,660
Group H Engineering	84,570	98,520	103,730	101,030	109,290	119,310	125,430	125,280	121,070	116,880
Group I Computer Sciences	52,890	65,000	70,650	66,270	74,930	84,390	93,630	97,420	97,220	99,250
Group J Technologies	6,950	8,460	8,350	6,600	6,520	7,090	6,340	5,400	4,640	4,160
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	27,770	29,380	28,260	22,540	21,890	21,160	21,850	22,760	23,170	23,560
Group L Social Studies	74,150	85,580	88,800	78,410	80,670	81,340	85,390	88,830	91,630	89,840
Group M Law	35,150	38,640	40,420	37,720	39,960	37,890	38,340	40,310	39,780	41,350
Group N Business & Admin studies	119,170	137,070	144,930	134,050	139,550	144,980	153,300	159,330	154,000	154,720
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	20,290	23,620	24,800	20,620	22,520	24,230	24,920	26,320	26,470	24,330
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	18,790	19,920	19,150	16,810	16,010	16,150	15,230	14,530	13,100	11,480
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	6,540	7,090	7,010	6,220	5,850	5,550	5,310	5,000	4,660	3,930
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,740	2,970	2,850	2,200	2,200	2,020	2,150	1,860	1,580	1,470
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	36,460	40,160	39,440	35,660	36,730	37,980	37,500	35,790	32,670	31,140
Group W Creative Arts & Design	62,230	92,010	96,290	79,570	81,610	84,640	85,810	86,080	77,390	74,360
Group X Education	9,930	13,840	14,750	13,640	12,690	12,330	14,500	13,650	12,830	11,980
Y Combined arts	18,740	22,050	21,070	16,750	16,220	15,940	13,950	12,830	11,080	10,500
Y Combined sciences	17,640	20,860	21,450	18,970	19,800	20,520	18,150	15,280	14,460	14,470
Y Combined social sciences	14,320	15,300	14,460	12,860	12,860	13,580	14,300	15,310	14,650	15,860
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	44,000	53,910	52,210	42,560	40,530	39,160	31,050	25,500	22,070	21,910
Y Social sciences combined with arts	22,100	23,940	23,270	19,750	18,880	18,370	17,280	17,040	16,930	17,090
Z General, other combined & unknown	6,220	7,290	7,970	11,720	12,700	13,390	14,930	15,500	15,650	18,150

D.8.5 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	13%	29%	34%	28%	27%	28%	11%	7%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-31%	0%	19%	18%	19%	19%	19%	19%	0%	-10%
Group C Biological Sciences	-29%	-10%	-5%	-11%	-6%	0%	4%	4%	0%	-2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-18%	11%	27%	16%	24%	20%	18%	11%	0%	-3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-20%	-7%	2%	2%	8%	11%	9%	4%	0%	-6%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-26%	-17%	-14%	-14%	-10%	-11%	-6%	-2%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-30%	-19%	-14%	-17%	-10%	-1%	4%	3%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-46%	-33%	-27%	-32%	-23%	-13%	-4%	0%	0%	2%
Group J Technologies	50%	82%	80%	42%	41%	53%	37%	16%	0%	-10%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	20%	27%	22%	-3%	-6%	-9%	-6%	-2%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-7%	-3%	-14%	-12%	-11%	-7%	-3%	0%	-2%
Group M Law	-12%	-3%	2%	-5%	0%	-5%	-4%	1%	0%	4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-23%	-11%	-6%	-13%	-9%	-6%	-0%	3%	0%	0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-23%	-11%	-6%	-22%	-15%	-8%	-6%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	43%	52%	46%	28%	22%	23%	16%	11%	0%	-12%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	40%	52%	51%	33%	26%	19%	14%	7%	0%	-16%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	74%	88%	81%	40%	39%	28%	36%	18%	0%	-7%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	12%	23%	21%	9%	12%	16%	15%	10%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-20%	19%	24%	3%	5%	9%	11%	11%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	-23%	8%	15%	6%	-1%	-4%	13%	6%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	69%	99%	90%	51%	46%	44%	26%	16%	0%	-5%
Y Combined sciences	22%	44%	48%	31%	37%	42%	26%	6%	0%	0%
Y Combined social sciences	-2%	4%	-1%	-12%	-12%	-7%	-2%	4%	0%	8%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	99%	144%	137%	93%	84%	77%	41%	16%	0%	-1%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	31%	41%	37%	17%	12%	9%	2%	1%	0%	1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-60%	-53%	-49%	-25%	-19%	-14%	-5%	-1%	0%	16%

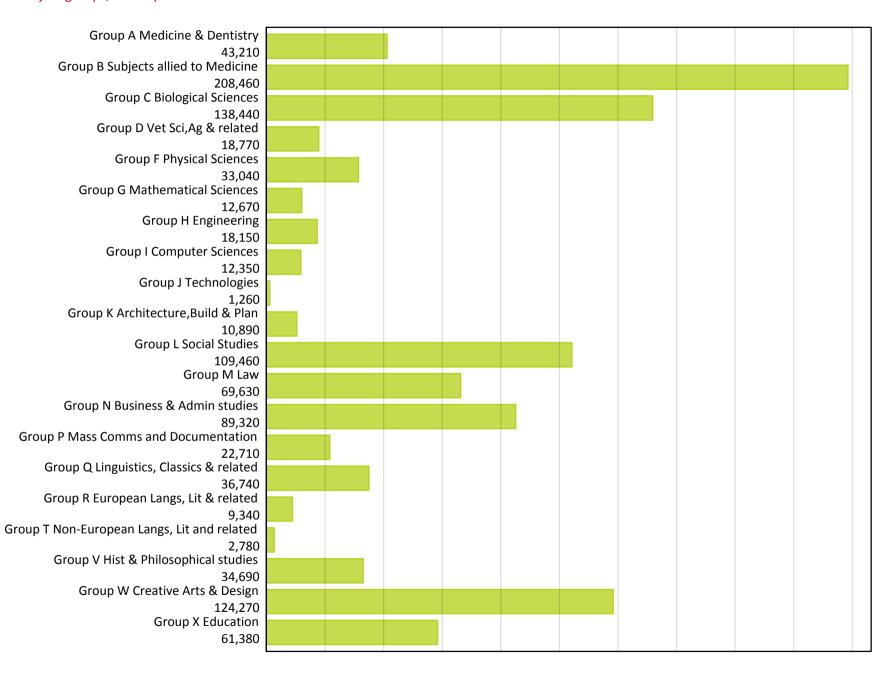


D.8.7 Applications by sex and subject group: UK (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	37,330	40,770	41,710	40,370	42,130	43,230	38,990	38,290	38,870	43,210
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	144,060	208,610	237,400	244,570	259,300	272,880	268,430	268,780	227,720	208,460
Group C Biological Sciences	90,720	103,920	107,780	102,750	109,840	118,200	130,220	137,450	134,740	138,440
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	11,990	14,430	15,980	15,900	17,150	18,600	19,190	18,710	17,790	18,770
Group F Physical Sciences	26,620	29,790	31,490	30,440	32,930	35,240	36,850	36,670	36,200	33,040
Group G Mathematical Sciences	12,560	13,260	13,590	12,280	12,640	12,590	12,440	12,660	13,180	12,670
Group H Engineering	8,370	9,020	9,700	10,110	11,090	13,420	16,300	17,140	17,080	18,150
Group I Computer Sciences	8,500	9,770	9,720	8,960	9,600	10,110	11,390	12,090	11,390	12,350
Group J Technologies	1,300	1,600	1,280	1,190	1,250	1,420	1,440	1,480	1,340	1,260
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	9,560	8,890	9,090	8,080	7,740	7,830	8,800	9,570	10,420	10,890
Group L Social Studies	84,420	107,190	108,150	93,560	93,910	99,820	106,200	108,290	110,370	109,460
Group M Law	51,440	53,510	54,020	51,710	53,950	54,050	56,730	61,190	66,810	69,630
Group N Business & Admin studies	88,980	97,560	100,860	94,970	95,590	97,170	99,900	100,210	96,040	89,320
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	22,500	25,120	26,670	22,590	22,760	24,790	25,420	25,380	24,890	22,710
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	43,520	47,490	45,180	41,670	41,940	41,880	42,740	41,230	39,480	36,740
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	14,490	15,410	15,220	13,430	12,690	11,810	11,980	11,070	10,210	9,340
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	3,820	4,190	4,280	3,360	3,050	2,920	3,090	2,830	2,900	2,780
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	35,550	37,900	37,240	35,150	35,770	37,320	39,280	39,790	35,940	34,690
Group W Creative Arts & Design	92,360	144,460	157,250	131,770	133,280	139,150	141,260	138,170	128,820	124,270
Group X Education	55,140	66,050	69,610	65,350	64,240	63,350	67,990	66,100	65,760	61,380
Y Combined arts	37,560	41,870	40,140	34,430	33,180	32,780	31,450	29,640	27,040	24,410
Y Combined sciences	11,760	12,980	13,830	12,760	13,080	13,790	12,840	11,260	9,850	10,190
Y Combined social sciences	11,670	12,400	12,320	10,290	10,040	10,590	10,650	10,450	10,220	10,440
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	36,040	39,780	38,480	31,500	29,880	29,630	27,120	23,550	22,180	21,380
Y Social sciences combined with arts	26,990	30,730	29,550	25,000	23,820	24,210	24,370	22,670	22,160	20,820
Z General, other combined & unknown	6,500	6,970	6,930	8,900	9,300	9,820	11,020	10,680	10,330	10,420

D.8.8 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Women)Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-4%	5%	7%	4%	8%	11%	0%	-1%	0%	11%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-37%	-8%	4%	7%	14%	20%	18%	18%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-33%	-23%	-20%	-24%	-18%	-12%	-3%	2%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-33%	-19%	-10%	-11%	-4%	5%	8%	5%	0%	6%
Group F Physical Sciences	-26%	-18%	-13%	-16%	-9%	-3%	2%	1%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-5%	1%	3%	-7%	-4%	-4%	-6%	-4%	0%	-4%
Group H Engineering	-51%	-47%	-43%	-41%	-35%	-21%	-5%	0%	0%	6%
Group I Computer Sciences	-25%	-14%	-15%	-21%	-16%	-11%	0%	6%	0%	8%
Group J Technologies	-3%	19%	-5%	-11%	-7%	6%	7%	11%	0%	-6%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-8%	-15%	-13%	-22%	-26%	-25%	-16%	-8%	0%	5%
Group L Social Studies	-24%	-3%	-2%	-15%	-15%	-10%	-4%	-2%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-23%	-20%	-19%	-23%	-19%	-19%	-15%	-8%	0%	4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-7%	2%	5%	-1%	-0%	1%	4%	4%	0%	-7%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-10%	1%	7%	-9%	-9%	-0%	2%	2%	0%	-9%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	10%	20%	14%	6%	6%	6%	8%	4%	0%	-7%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	42%	51%	49%	32%	24%	16%	17%	8%	0%	-8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	32%	44%	47%	16%	5%	1%	7%	-3%	0%	-4%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-1%	5%	4%	-2%	-0%	4%	9%	11%	0%	-3%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-28%	12%	22%	2%	3%	8%	10%	7%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	-16%	0%	6%	-1%	-2%	-4%	3%	1%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	39%	55%	48%	27%	23%	21%	16%	10%	0%	-10%
Y Combined sciences	19%	32%	40%	30%	33%	40%	30%	14%	0%	3%
Y Combined social sciences	14%	21%	21%	1%	-2%	4%	4%	2%	0%	2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	62%	79%	73%	42%	35%	34%	22%	6%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	22%	39%	33%	13%	8%	9%	10%	2%	0%	-6%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-37%	-32%	-33%	-14%	-10%	-5%	7%	3%	0%	1%

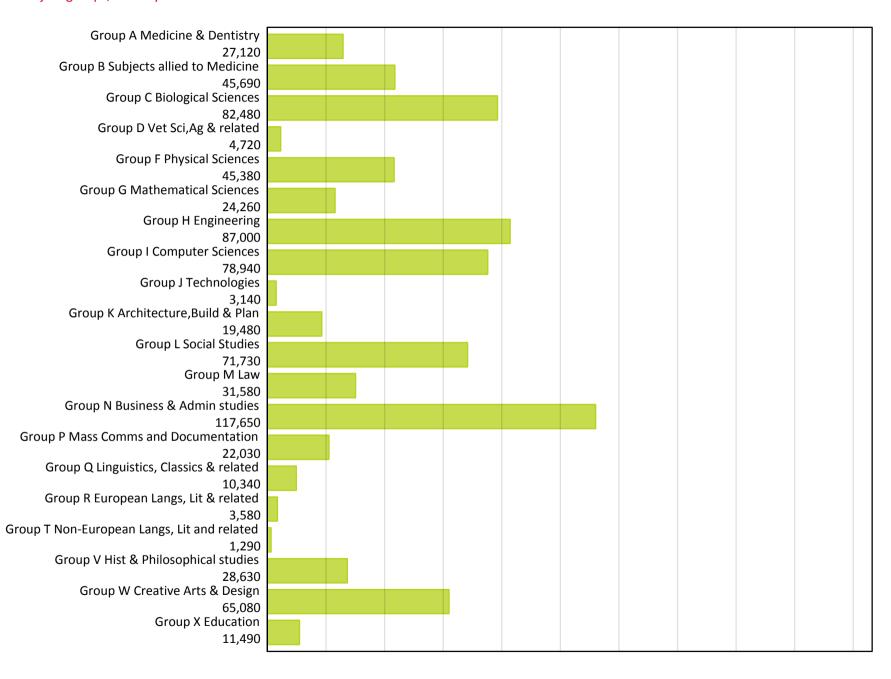


D.8.10 Applications by sex and subject group: UK (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	30,510	34,210	35,580	33,790	33,360	32,790	28,490	26,950	25,480	27,120
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	35,180	51,840	61,760	61,440	61,760	61,740	61,130	60,860	51,170	45,690
Group C Biological Sciences	62,340	79,200	83,010	77,090	81,360	86,780	89,690	88,600	84,710	82,480
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	4,220	5,710	6,600	5,980	6,320	6,210	6,050	5,630	4,910	4,720
Group F Physical Sciences	42,190	48,570	53,410	53,160	55,740	56,820	55,850	52,160	49,730	45,380
Group G Mathematical Sciences	18,900	21,000	21,580	21,470	22,980	22,630	23,910	24,390	24,800	24,260
Group H Engineering	64,940	74,950	79,100	75,560	80,990	88,720	93,900	93,850	90,770	87,000
Group I Computer Sciences	48,100	58,470	62,960	58,230	65,680	73,660	80,370	82,330	80,440	78,940
Group J Technologies	6,230	7,480	7,370	5,670	5,580	5,930	5,190	4,310	3,580	3,140
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	24,000	24,660	23,610	18,820	17,640	16,820	17,450	18,710	19,150	19,480
Group L Social Studies	59,880	68,860	71,370	61,780	62,840	64,160	68,410	71,420	74,540	71,730
Group M Law	29,370	31,170	31,830	28,540	30,060	28,160	28,230	30,170	30,740	31,580
Group N Business & Admin studies	96,070	109,750	114,560	102,900	106,700	111,720	116,720	123,510	119,080	117,650
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	19,060	22,040	23,100	19,100	20,630	22,270	22,720	23,760	23,980	22,030
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	17,940	18,930	18,070	15,740	14,930	15,110	14,040	13,400	12,000	10,340
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	6,000	6,420	6,360	5,660	5,320	5,020	4,810	4,540	4,250	3,580
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,560	2,740	2,620	2,020	2,050	1,860	1,950	1,610	1,430	1,290
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	34,600	37,890	37,310	33,570	34,490	35,800	35,030	33,210	30,340	28,630
Group W Creative Arts & Design	58,830	86,070	89,180	73,620	75,160	77,110	77,530	77,010	69,230	65,080
Group X Education	9,500	13,300	14,260	13,340	12,450	12,130	13,950	13,090	12,290	11,490
Y Combined arts	17,760	20,620	19,650	15,570	15,000	14,610	12,730	11,680	10,030	9,370
Y Combined sciences	15,740	18,430	18,860	16,260	16,940	17,240	14,910	11,980	11,270	10,990
Y Combined social sciences	11,140	11,580	10,970	9,120	9,020	9,850	10,120	11,200	10,670	11,660
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	39,870	48,880	47,050	37,990	35,830	34,570	26,970	21,650	18,530	18,180
Y Social sciences combined with arts	18,830	20,200	19,600	16,150	15,260	14,840	14,160	13,880	13,880	13,480
Z General, other combined & unknown	5,020	5,790	6,390	8,480	9,360	9,640	10,240	10,190	10,230	11,660

D.8.11 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	20%	34%	40%	33%	31%	29%	12%	6%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-31%	1%	21%	20%	21%	21%	19%	19%	0%	-11%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-7%	-2%	-9%	-4%	2%	6%	5%	0%	-3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-14%	16%	34%	22%	29%	26%	23%	15%	0%	-4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-15%	-2%	7%	7%	12%	14%	12%	5%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-24%	-15%	-13%	-13%	-7%	-9%	-4%	-2%	0%	-2%
Group H Engineering	-28%	-17%	-13%	-17%	-11%	-2%	3%	3%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-40%	-27%	-22%	-28%	-18%	-8%	-0%	2%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	74%	109%	106%	59%	56%	66%	45%	20%	0%	-12%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	25%	29%	23%	-2%	-8%	-12%	-9%	-2%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-20%	-8%	-4%	-17%	-16%	-14%	-8%	-4%	0%	-4%
Group M Law	-4%	1%	4%	-7%	-2%	-8%	-8%	-2%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-19%	-8%	-4%	-14%	-10%	-6%	-2%	4%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-20%	-8%	-4%	-20%	-14%	-7%	-5%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	49%	58%	51%	31%	24%	26%	17%	12%	0%	-14%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	41%	51%	50%	33%	25%	18%	13%	7%	0%	-16%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	79%	91%	83%	41%	43%	30%	36%	12%	0%	-10%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	14%	25%	23%	11%	14%	18%	15%	9%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-15%	24%	29%	6%	9%	11%	12%	11%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-23%	8%	16%	9%	1%	-1%	13%	6%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	77%	106%	96%	55%	49%	46%	27%	16%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	40%	63%	67%	44%	50%	53%	32%	6%	0%	-3%
Y Combined social sciences	4%	9%	3%	-14%	-15%	-8%	-5%	5%	0%	9%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	115%	164%	154%	105%	93%	87%	46%	17%	0%	-2%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	36%	46%	41%	16%	10%	7%	2%	-0%	0%	-3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-51%	-43%	-38%	-17%	-9%	-6%	0%	-0%	0%	14%

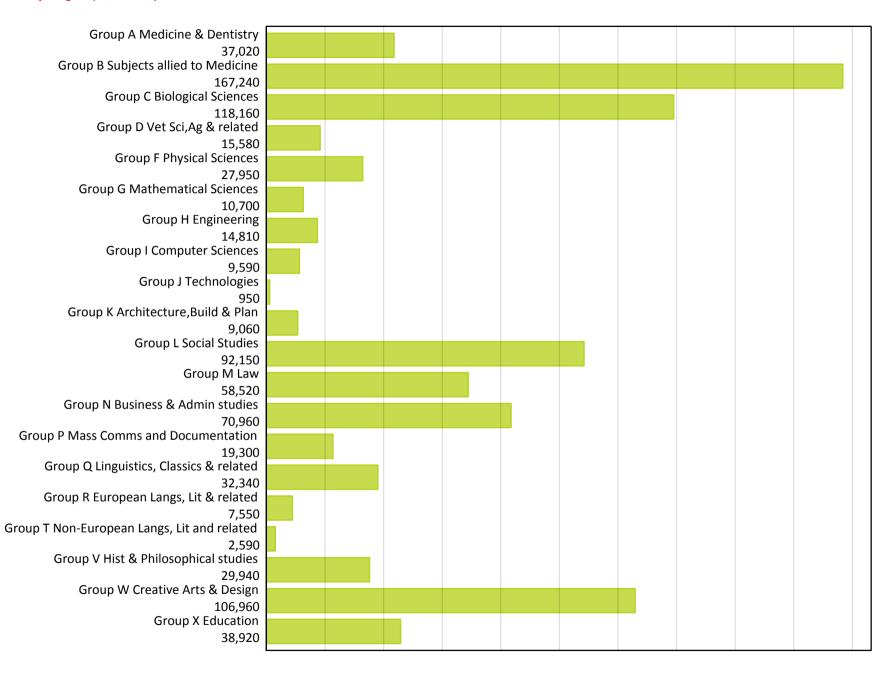


D.8.13 Applications by sex and subject group: England (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	31,410	34,330	35,120	33,960	35,620	36,400	32,720	32,280	32,710	37,020
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	123,200	173,920	197,840	204,230	215,870	228,330	223,890	223,260	185,230	167,240
Group C Biological Sciences	77,080	88,220	91,140	85,730	91,890	99,340	109,810	117,620	115,210	118,160
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	10,200	12,450	13,890	13,470	14,650	15,820	15,740	15,190	14,550	15,580
Group F Physical Sciences	21,800	24,950	26,280	24,970	27,380	29,420	31,110	31,020	30,980	27,950
Group G Mathematical Sciences	10,490	11,280	11,670	10,350	10,710	10,610	10,580	10,820	11,320	10,700
Group H Engineering	6,370	6,740	7,450	7,470	8,320	10,220	12,850	13,570	13,700	14,810
Group I Computer Sciences	6,810	7,590	7,290	6,670	6,840	7,440	8,430	8,790	8,560	9,590
Group J Technologies	1,120	1,350	1,030	860	870	1,050	1,020	1,080	980	950
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	7,510	7,150	7,420	6,590	6,400	6,480	7,050	7,900	8,670	9,060
Group L Social Studies	69,690	89,920	90,570	76,470	77,250	82,000	88,020	90,790	93,050	92,150
Group M Law	43,230	44,990	45,300	43,360	45,690	45,700	47,940	51,230	56,000	58,520
Group N Business & Admin studies	73,610	80,700	82,230	75,390	76,990	77,390	79,300	79,490	76,150	70,960
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	19,330	21,470	22,710	18,750	19,280	20,670	21,760	21,360	21,120	19,300
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	39,270	42,560	40,300	36,960	37,580	37,330	38,110	36,580	34,590	32,340
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	12,210	12,800	12,780	10,850	10,230	9,570	9,710	8,760	8,010	7,550
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	3,440	3,800	3,850	3,130	2,860	2,740	2,890	2,600	2,660	2,590
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	31,480	33,090	32,610	30,530	31,160	32,430	34,170	34,350	31,050	29,940
Group W Creative Arts & Design	81,420	127,510	138,060	114,370	115,220	120,940	122,760	119,550	111,030	106,960
Group X Education	45,860	55,230	58,690	54,350	53,460	52,510	48,500	45,230	43,680	38,920
Y Combined arts	32,240	36,270	34,930	29,570	28,530	27,850	26,800	24,710	22,020	19,860
Y Combined sciences	9,800	10,860	11,600	10,470	10,820	11,440	10,300	8,850	7,610	7,810
Y Combined social sciences	9,700	10,540	10,390	8,440	8,120	8,380	8,350	7,910	7,770	7,990
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	29,140	32,710	31,350	25,020	23,830	23,530	21,580	18,250	16,980	16,310
Y Social sciences combined with arts	22,290	25,540	24,850	20,670	19,730	20,010	19,810	18,000	17,560	16,770
Z General, other combined & unknown	5,980	6,400	6,340	7,430	7,680	8,490	9,720	9,310	8,960	9,090

D.8.14 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women)Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-4%	5%	7%	4%	9%	11%	0%	-1%	0%	13%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-33%	-6%	7%	10%	17%	23%	21%	21%	0%	-10%
Group C Biological Sciences	-33%	-23%	-21%	-26%	-20%	-14%	-5%	2%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-30%	-14%	-4%	-7%	1%	9%	8%	4%	0%	7%
Group F Physical Sciences	-30%	-19%	-15%	-19%	-12%	-5%	0%	0%	0%	-10%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	-0%	3%	-9%	-5%	-6%	-7%	-4%	0%	-6%
Group H Engineering	-54%	-51%	-46%	-45%	-39%	-25%	-6%	-1%	0%	8%
Group I Computer Sciences	-20%	-11%	-15%	-22%	-20%	-13%	-2%	3%	0%	12%
Group J Technologies	15%	38%	5%	-12%	-11%	7%	5%	10%	0%	-3%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-13%	-18%	-14%	-24%	-26%	-25%	-19%	-9%	0%	5%
Group L Social Studies	-25%	-3%	-3%	-18%	-17%	-12%	-5%	-2%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-23%	-20%	-19%	-23%	-18%	-18%	-14%	-9%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-3%	6%	8%	-1%	1%	2%	4%	4%	0%	-7%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-8%	2%	8%	-11%	-9%	-2%	3%	1%	0%	-9%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	14%	23%	17%	7%	9%	8%	10%	6%	0%	-6%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	52%	60%	59%	35%	28%	19%	21%	9%	0%	-6%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	29%	43%	44%	18%	8%	3%	8%	-3%	0%	-3%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1%	7%	5%	-2%	0%	4%	10%	11%	0%	-4%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-27%	15%	24%	3%	4%	9%	11%	8%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	5%	26%	34%	24%	22%	20%	11%	4%	0%	-11%
Y Combined arts	46%	65%	59%	34%	30%	26%	22%	12%	0%	-10%
Y Combined sciences	29%	43%	53%	38%	42%	50%	35%	16%	0%	3%
Y Combined social sciences	25%	36%	34%	9%	4%	8%	7%	2%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	72%	93%	85%	47%	40%	39%	27%	7%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	27%	45%	41%	18%	12%	14%	13%	2%	0%	-5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-33%	-28%	-29%	-17%	-14%	-5%	9%	4%	0%	1%

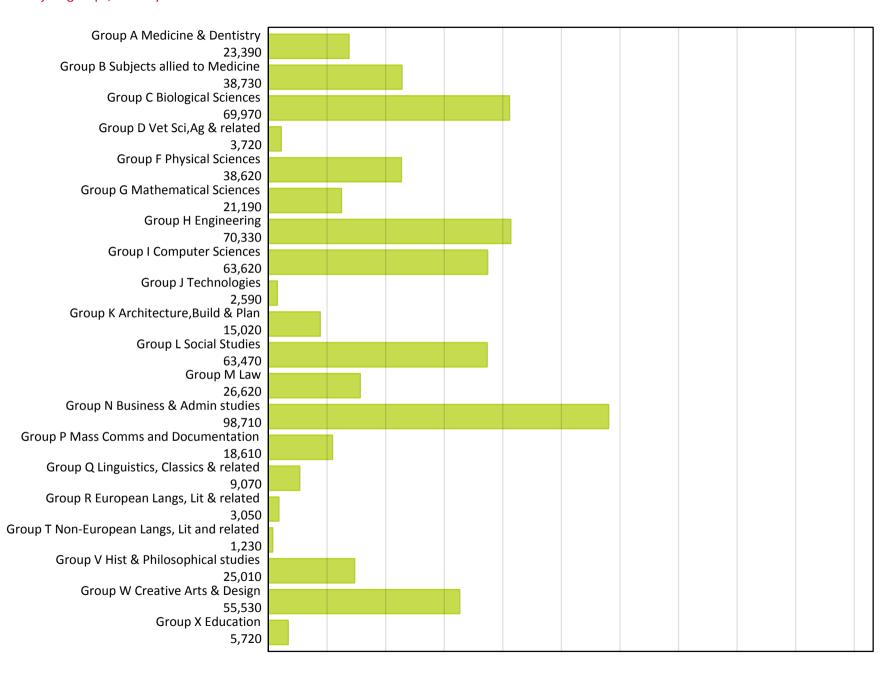


D.8.16 Applications by sex and subject group: England (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	25,560	29,040	30,280	29,040	28,700	28,340	24,330	23,020	21,840	23,390
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	30,270	44,740	53,210	53,360	52,990	53,110	52,930	52,410	43,790	38,730
Group C Biological Sciences	53,270	67,650	70,710	64,540	68,010	72,930	75,800	74,800	72,020	69,970
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	3,340	4,570	5,300	4,620	4,850	4,850	4,580	4,260	3,740	3,720
Group F Physical Sciences	35,490	41,270	45,380	44,430	46,580	48,460	47,230	44,510	42,690	38,620
Group G Mathematical Sciences	16,570	18,480	19,100	18,830	20,150	20,030	21,190	21,680	21,820	21,190
Group H Engineering	50,560	58,880	61,860	57,910	62,210	68,780	73,610	74,560	72,650	70,330
Group I Computer Sciences	40,100	48,560	51,880	46,670	52,310	59,240	65,150	66,740	65,470	63,620
Group J Technologies	5,210	6,310	6,320	4,690	4,510	4,880	4,260	3,440	2,940	2,590
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	18,670	19,630	18,960	14,760	13,910	13,290	13,760	14,420	14,610	15,020
Group L Social Studies	53,110	60,790	62,730	53,280	54,840	56,030	59,990	62,930	66,330	63,470
Group M Law	24,640	25,980	26,520	23,710	25,480	23,830	23,630	25,310	25,610	26,620
Group N Business & Admin studies	83,150	94,910	98,520	87,190	90,490	94,420	99,220	103,910	100,190	98,710
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	16,890	19,100	19,950	16,250	17,370	18,780	19,370	20,080	20,300	18,610
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	16,190	16,900	15,980	13,820	13,150	13,430	12,440	11,810	10,600	9,070
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	5,320	5,660	5,540	4,840	4,450	4,310	4,050	3,870	3,620	3,050
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,370	2,560	2,430	1,900	1,880	1,710	1,750	1,470	1,300	1,230
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	30,500	33,380	32,790	29,260	30,430	31,390	30,810	29,210	26,690	25,010
Group W Creative Arts & Design	51,680	76,130	78,720	63,640	64,870	67,210	67,320	67,000	59,450	55,530
Group X Education	8,020	11,540	12,100	11,260	10,520	9,840	8,590	7,380	6,890	5,720
Y Combined arts	15,470	18,100	17,190	13,580	12,950	12,550	10,870	9,790	8,320	7,750
Y Combined sciences	13,170	15,400	15,530	13,080	13,730	14,080	11,790	9,290	8,750	8,430
Y Combined social sciences	9,430	9,990	9,440	7,650	7,650	8,460	8,380	9,270	8,860	9,850
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	33,360	41,450	39,780	31,420	29,300	28,450	21,680	16,810	14,080	13,830
Y Social sciences combined with arts	16,070	17,270	16,740	13,870	12,970	12,510	11,770	11,500	11,530	11,030
Z General, other combined & unknown	4,650	5,350	5,900	7,470	8,250	8,690	9,320	9,260	9,300	10,640

D.8.17 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	17%	33%	39%	33%	31%	30%	11%	5%	0%	7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-31%	2%	22%	22%	21%	21%	21%	20%	0%	-12%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-6%	-2%	-10%	-6%	1%	5%	4%	0%	-3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-11%	22%	42%	23%	30%	30%	22%	14%	0%	-1%
Group F Physical Sciences	-17%	-3%	6%	4%	9%	14%	11%	4%	0%	-10%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-24%	-15%	-12%	-14%	-8%	-8%	-3%	-1%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-30%	-19%	-15%	-20%	-14%	-5%	1%	3%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-39%	-26%	-21%	-29%	-20%	-10%	-0%	2%	0%	-3%
Group J Technologies	77%	115%	115%	60%	54%	66%	45%	17%	0%	-12%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	28%	34%	30%	1%	-5%	-9%	-6%	-1%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	-20%	-8%	-5%	-20%	-17%	-16%	-10%	-5%	0%	-4%
Group M Law	-4%	1%	4%	-7%	-0%	-7%	-8%	-1%	0%	4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-17%	-5%	-2%	-13%	-10%	-6%	-1%	4%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-17%	-6%	-2%	-20%	-14%	-8%	-5%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	53%	59%	51%	30%	24%	27%	17%	11%	0%	-14%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	47%	57%	53%	34%	23%	19%	12%	7%	0%	-16%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	82%	97%	87%	46%	44%	32%	35%	13%	0%	-6%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	14%	25%	23%	10%	14%	18%	15%	9%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-13%	28%	32%	7%	9%	13%	13%	13%	0%	-7%
Group X Education	16%	68%	76%	64%	53%	43%	25%	7%	0%	-17%
Y Combined arts	86%	118%	107%	63%	56%	51%	31%	18%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	50%	76%	77%	49%	57%	61%	35%	6%	0%	-4%
Y Combined social sciences	6%	13%	6%	-14%	-14%	-5%	-6%	5%	0%	11%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	137%	194%	182%	123%	108%	102%	54%	19%	0%	-2%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	39%	50%	45%	20%	12%	8%	2%	-0%	0%	-4%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-50%	-42%	-37%	-20%	-11%	-7%	0%	-0%	0%	14%

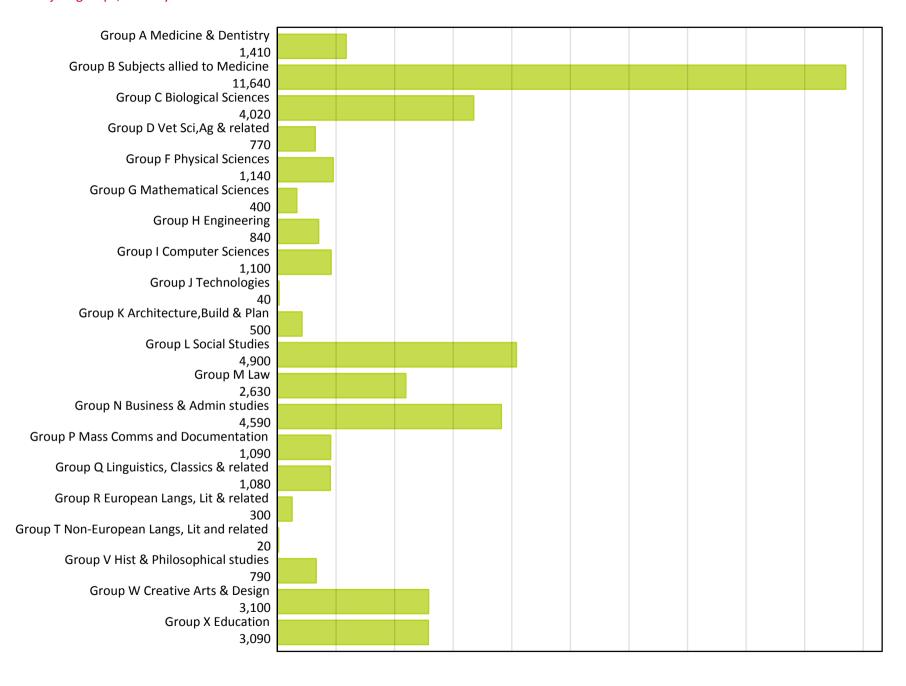


D.8.19 Applications by sex and subject group: Northern Ireland (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,710	2,020	1,930	1,760	1,800	1,660	1,560	1,590	1,550	1,410
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	7,470	9,030	10,570	10,630	13,830	13,010	12,970	13,780	12,630	11,640
Group C Biological Sciences	2,750	3,270	3,220	3,200	3,270	3,340	3,810	3,790	3,690	4,020
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	510	540	580	620	670	750	810	890	770	770
Group F Physical Sciences	1,110	1,030	1,110	1,280	1,240	1,250	1,360	1,250	1,190	1,140
Group G Mathematical Sciences	450	450	460	390	410	400	560	500	430	400
Group H Engineering	560	660	530	690	680	780	890	890	960	840
Group I Computer Sciences	830	1,110	1,260	1,240	1,490	1,490	1,540	1,750	1,430	1,100
Group J Technologies	60	60	70	50	70	60	70	60	40	40
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	840	640	590	500	300	340	480	420	550	500
Group L Social Studies	5,280	5,980	5,890	5,350	4,870	4,830	4,720	4,660	4,570	4,900
Group M Law	2,620	2,240	2,280	1,970	2,140	2,080	2,170	2,260	2,380	2,630
Group N Business & Admin studies	4,810	4,620	4,820	4,950	4,780	5,050	5,270	5,660	5,060	4,590
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,350	1,360	1,500	1,430	1,190	1,370	930	1,010	1,140	1,090
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,130	1,440	1,490	1,330	1,110	1,270	1,230	1,040	1,150	1,080
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	480	580	510	510	490	430	570	410	400	300
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	70	80	70	40	30	30	30	20	30	20
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	890	1,000	1,090	1,010	920	970	890	930	890	790
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2,460	3,610	3,870	3,450	3,570	3,660	4,000	3,620	3,570	3,100
Group X Education	1,660	2,390	2,490	2,430	2,430	2,280	2,800	2,900	2,850	3,090
Y Combined arts	1,080	1,100	1,190	950	980	880	990	930	920	780
Y Combined sciences	440	510	550	610	620	790	970	1,030	1,010	1,000
Y Combined social sciences	470	380	430	330	440	450	410	480	480	570
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,030	1,010	1,090	870	760	890	820	750	690	630
Y Social sciences combined with arts	930	1,100	1,170	1,040	1,190	1,130	1,270	1,230	1,290	890
Z General, other combined & unknown	90	80	130	210	210	210	250	250	210	210

D.8.20 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Women) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	11%	31%	24%	13%	16%	7%	1%	3%	0%	-9%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-41%	-28%	-16%	-16%	9%	3%	3%	9%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-11%	-13%	-13%	-11%	-9%	3%	3%	0%	9%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-34%	-31%	-25%	-20%	-13%	-3%	4%	15%	0%	0%
Group F Physical Sciences	-7%	-14%	-7%	7%	4%	5%	14%	5%	0%	-4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	4%	5%	7%	-8%	-5%	-7%	31%	17%	0%	-7%
Group H Engineering	-41%	-30%	-44%	-28%	-29%	-18%	-7%	-7%	0%	-12%
Group I Computer Sciences	-42%	-22%	-12%	-13%	4%	5%	8%	23%	0%	-23%
Group J Technologies	80%	71%	91%	37%	86%	60%	89%	60%	0%	0%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	53%	17%	7%	-10%	-45%	-39%	-12%	-23%	0%	-9%
Group L Social Studies	16%	31%	29%	17%	7%	6%	3%	2%	0%	7%
Group M Law	10%	-6%	-4%	-17%	-10%	-12%	-9%	-5%	0%	11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-5%	-9%	-5%	-2%	-5%	-0%	4%	12%	0%	-9%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	19%	20%	32%	26%	4%	20%	-18%	-12%	0%	-4%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-1%	25%	30%	16%	-3%	10%	7%	-9%	0%	-6%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	20%	45%	27%	27%	23%	7%	42%	2%	0%	-25%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	147%	150%	140%	27%	-13%	3%	-3%	-27%	0%	-20%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	0%	13%	23%	14%	3%	9%	-0%	5%	0%	-11%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-31%	1%	8%	-3%	0%	2%	12%	1%	0%	-13%
Group X Education	-42%	-16%	-13%	-15%	-15%	-20%	-2%	2%	0%	8%
Y Combined arts	18%	20%	30%	3%	7%	-4%	8%	2%	0%	-14%
Y Combined sciences	-56%	-49%	-46%	-39%	-38%	-22%	-4%	2%	0%	-0%
Y Combined social sciences	-2%	-19%	-10%	-30%	-8%	-5%	-14%	0%	0%	19%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	50%	48%	60%	27%	10%	30%	19%	9%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-28%	-15%	-10%	-19%	-8%	-13%	-2%	-4%	0%	-31%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-57%	-62%	-40%	-3%	0%	-2%	20%	20%	0%	-1%



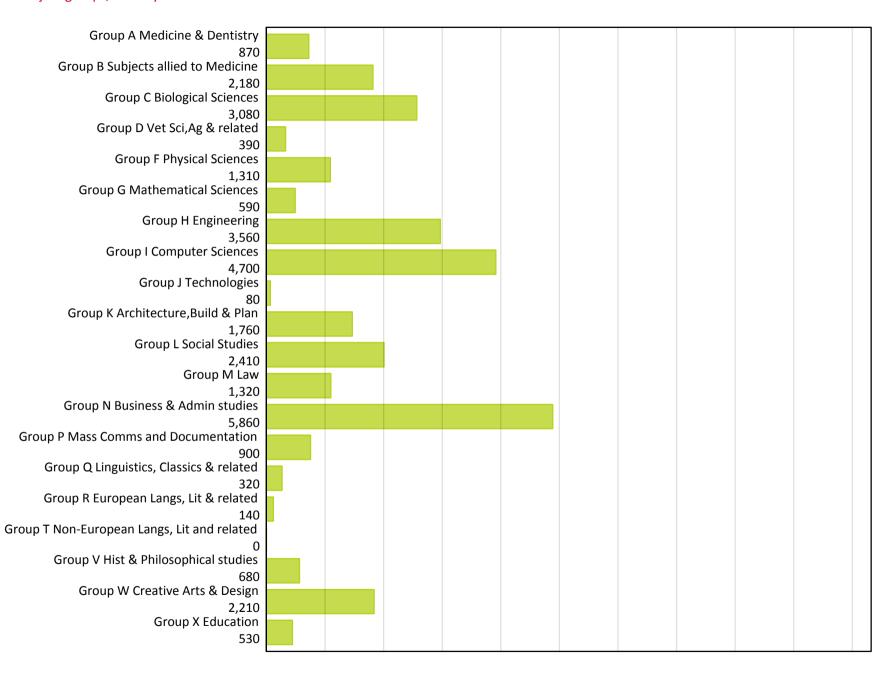
D.8.22 Applications by sex and subject group: Northern Ireland (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,450	1,430	1,450	1,180	1,220	1,110	1,040	1,050	910	870
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1,720	1,910	2,460	2,420	2,790	2,560	2,550	2,710	2,370	2,180
Group C Biological Sciences	2,140	2,720	3,080	2,850	3,180	3,230	3,120	3,170	2,920	3,080
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	310	470	570	620	730	640	560	590	450	390
Group F Physical Sciences	1,150	1,290	1,500	1,640	1,630	1,490	1,550	1,470	1,390	1,310
Group G Mathematical Sciences	410	440	550	490	560	610	710	610	600	590
Group H Engineering	3,380	3,670	3,570	3,580	4,150	3,910	3,870	3,890	3,730	3,560
Group I Computer Sciences	2,790	3,950	4,140	4,110	5,080	5,690	5,830	5,890	5,150	4,700
Group J Technologies	270	320	270	290	300	290	240	140	90	80
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,390	2,070	1,920	1,440	1,400	1,260	1,400	1,710	1,850	1,760
Group L Social Studies	2,030	2,420	2,770	2,710	2,340	2,280	2,660	2,680	2,490	2,410
Group M Law	1,510	1,540	1,520	1,270	1,180	1,250	1,430	1,310	1,170	1,320
Group N Business & Admin studies	4,080	4,710	4,880	4,560	5,080	5,460	5,360	6,020	6,010	5,860
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	750	910	980	930	1,060	950	850	960	1,060	900
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	440	550	610	490	420	460	410	410	330	320
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	180	210	250	210	230	210	220	150	150	140
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	30	40	30	20	20	10	30	0	20	0
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	930	1,140	1,340	1,120	1,100	1,110	1,020	920	820	680
Group W Creative Arts & Design	1,510	1,960	2,160	2,060	2,360	2,230	2,420	2,390	2,460	2,210
Group X Education	330	460	590	410	490	420	580	590	500	530
Y Combined arts	500	550	580	420	470	470	390	420	360	280
Y Combined sciences	600	690	740	860	900	1,120	1,060	990	890	910
Y Combined social sciences	280	280	320	260	260	270	280	330	390	450
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,250	1,370	1,440	1,140	1,270	1,170	880	860	720	690
Y Social sciences combined with arts	560	680	710	520	610	580	520	520	530	510
Z General, other combined & unknown	50	80	90	200	200	220	210	210	190	250

D.8.23 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Men) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	59%	57%	59%	30%	34%	22%	15%	15%	0%	-5%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-28%	-19%	4%	2%	18%	8%	8%	14%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-27%	-7%	6%	-2%	9%	11%	7%	9%	0%	6%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-30%	4%	26%	38%	61%	41%	24%	30%	0%	-13%
Group F Physical Sciences	-17%	-7%	9%	18%	18%	7%	12%	6%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-33%	-28%	-10%	-20%	-7%	1%	18%	0%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-9%	-2%	-4%	-4%	11%	5%	4%	4%	0%	-5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-46%	-23%	-20%	-20%	-1%	10%	13%	14%	0%	-9%
Group J Technologies	206%	262%	207%	227%	240%	230%	173%	54%	0%	-10%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	29%	12%	4%	-22%	-24%	-32%	-24%	-8%	0%	-5%
Group L Social Studies	-18%	-3%	11%	9%	-6%	-9%	7%	7%	0%	-3%
Group M Law	28%	31%	30%	8%	1%	6%	21%	12%	0%	12%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-32%	-22%	-19%	-24%	-15%	-9%	-11%	0%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-29%	-15%	-8%	-12%	-0%	-10%	-20%	-10%	0%	-15%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	35%	68%	85%	49%	28%	41%	26%	26%	0%	-2%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	16%	40%	67%	40%	52%	40%	47%	-4%	0%	-5%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	50%	80%	50%	-20%	-15%	-35%	40%	-80%	0%	-85%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	13%	39%	63%	37%	34%	36%	25%	13%	0%	-17%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-39%	-20%	-12%	-16%	-4%	-9%	-1%	-3%	0%	-10%
Group X Education	-33%	-7%	18%	-18%	-2%	-16%	16%	18%	0%	7%
Y Combined arts	40%	56%	63%	19%	33%	31%	8%	17%	0%	-20%
Y Combined sciences	-32%	-22%	-16%	-3%	2%	26%	19%	12%	0%	3%
Y Combined social sciences	-28%	-28%	-20%	-34%	-33%	-32%	-28%	-16%	0%	14%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	73%	90%	99%	58%	76%	61%	22%	20%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	6%	27%	33%	-2%	14%	8%	-2%	-3%	0%	-4%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-74%	-61%	-55%	7%	4%	16%	13%	12%	0%	31%



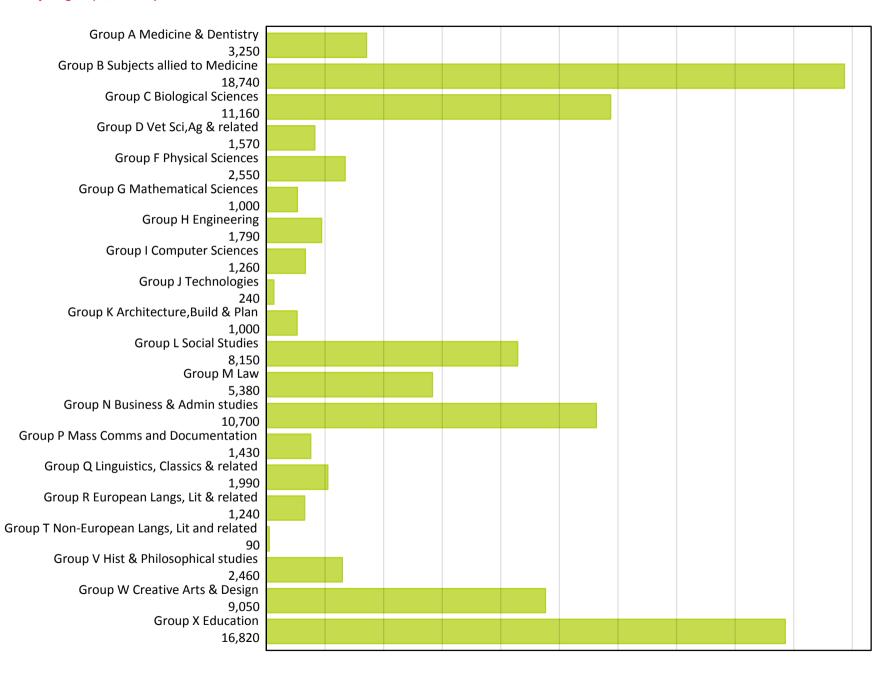


D.8.25 Applications by sex and subject group: Scotland (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2,660	2,870	3,080	2,980	3,020	3,360	3,070	2,980	3,170	3,250
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	6,000	16,280	18,210	17,600	17,660	19,600	19,300	18,800	18,560	18,740
Group C Biological Sciences	7,080	8,190	9,040	9,390	10,180	10,510	11,330	10,640	10,670	11,160
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	710	770	900	1,010	1,010	1,140	1,650	1,720	1,620	1,570
Group F Physical Sciences	2,370	2,640	2,550	2,870	3,020	3,030	2,940	2,710	2,470	2,550
Group G Mathematical Sciences	940	870	880	930	850	910	730	740	850	1,000
Group H Engineering	1,160	1,240	1,410	1,590	1,790	1,960	2,030	1,990	1,730	1,790
Group I Computer Sciences	420	630	720	740	910	860	1,010	1,070	1,050	1,260
Group J Technologies	50	100	120	230	270	270	300	310	290	240
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	870	840	830	700	780	780	900	930	920	1,000
Group L Social Studies	5,770	7,020	7,580	7,790	7,750	8,450	8,800	8,340	8,110	8,150
Group M Law	3,330	4,060	4,040	3,980	3,720	3,850	4,090	4,870	5,480	5,380
Group N Business & Admin studies	7,390	9,090	10,580	11,050	10,410	11,510	11,920	11,540	11,410	10,700
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,030	1,390	1,540	1,610	1,450	1,850	1,780	1,950	1,810	1,430
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,330	1,670	1,640	1,740	1,560	1,650	1,630	1,940	2,260	1,990
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,180	1,340	1,310	1,520	1,510	1,380	1,250	1,460	1,360	1,240
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	200	200	210	90	80	60	50	90	110	90
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,570	2,160	1,850	2,060	2,100	2,180	2,390	2,610	2,410	2,460
Group W Creative Arts & Design	4,550	7,880	9,060	8,400	8,880	9,040	8,760	9,490	9,060	9,050
Group X Education	4,790	5,000	4,710	4,820	5,140	5,510	14,020	15,430	16,700	16,820
Y Combined arts	2,380	2,650	2,380	2,090	2,190	2,500	2,230	2,740	2,900	2,680
Y Combined sciences	1,100	1,140	1,190	1,190	1,160	1,040	1,030	900	850	970
Y Combined social sciences	880	890	870	880	870	1,130	1,390	1,500	1,410	1,310
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	4,300	4,390	4,550	4,170	4,130	4,120	3,710	3,630	3,660	3,420
Y Social sciences combined with arts	2,760	2,990	2,530	2,270	2,010	2,170	2,400	2,590	2,540	2,520
Z General, other combined & unknown	230	260	200	860	1,000	680	670	750	880	810

D.8.26 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Women) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-16%	-10%	-3%	-6%	-5%	6%	-3%	-6%	0%	3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-68%	-12%	-2%	-5%	-5%	6%	4%	1%	0%	1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-34%	-23%	-15%	-12%	-5%	-1%	6%	-0%	0%	5%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-56%	-52%	-45%	-38%	-38%	-30%	2%	7%	0%	-3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-4%	7%	3%	16%	22%	23%	19%	9%	0%	3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	10%	3%	4%	10%	0%	7%	-14%	-13%	0%	18%
Group H Engineering	-33%	-28%	-19%	-8%	4%	14%	18%	15%	0%	3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-60%	-40%	-31%	-29%	-14%	-19%	-4%	2%	0%	20%
Group J Technologies	-81%	-65%	-58%	-21%	-6%	-4%	5%	8%	0%	-16%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-6%	-9%	-10%	-23%	-15%	-15%	-2%	2%	0%	9%
Group L Social Studies	-29%	-13%	-7%	-4%	-4%	4%	9%	3%	0%	0%
Group M Law	-39%	-26%	-26%	-27%	-32%	-30%	-25%	-11%	0%	-2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-35%	-20%	-7%	-3%	-9%	1%	4%	1%	0%	-6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-43%	-23%	-15%	-11%	-20%	2%	-2%	8%	0%	-21%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-41%	-26%	-27%	-23%	-31%	-27%	-28%	-14%	0%	-12%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-13%	-1%	-3%	12%	11%	2%	-8%	8%	0%	-9%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	85%	87%	96%	-13%	-23%	-45%	-50%	-13%	0%	-13%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-35%	-10%	-23%	-15%	-13%	-9%	-1%	9%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-50%	-13%	0%	-7%	-2%	-0%	-3%	5%	0%	-0%
Group X Education	-71%	-70%	-72%	-71%	-69%	-67%	-16%	-8%	0%	1%
Y Combined arts	-18%	-9%	-18%	-28%	-25%	-14%	-23%	-6%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	29%	34%	41%	41%	37%	23%	22%	7%	0%	15%
Y Combined social sciences	-38%	-37%	-38%	-38%	-38%	-20%	-1%	7%	0%	-7%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	17%	20%	24%	14%	13%	13%	1%	-1%	0%	-7%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	9%	18%	-0%	-11%	-21%	-14%	-6%	2%	0%	-0%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-74%	-70%	-77%	-3%	14%	-23%	-24%	-15%	0%	-8%

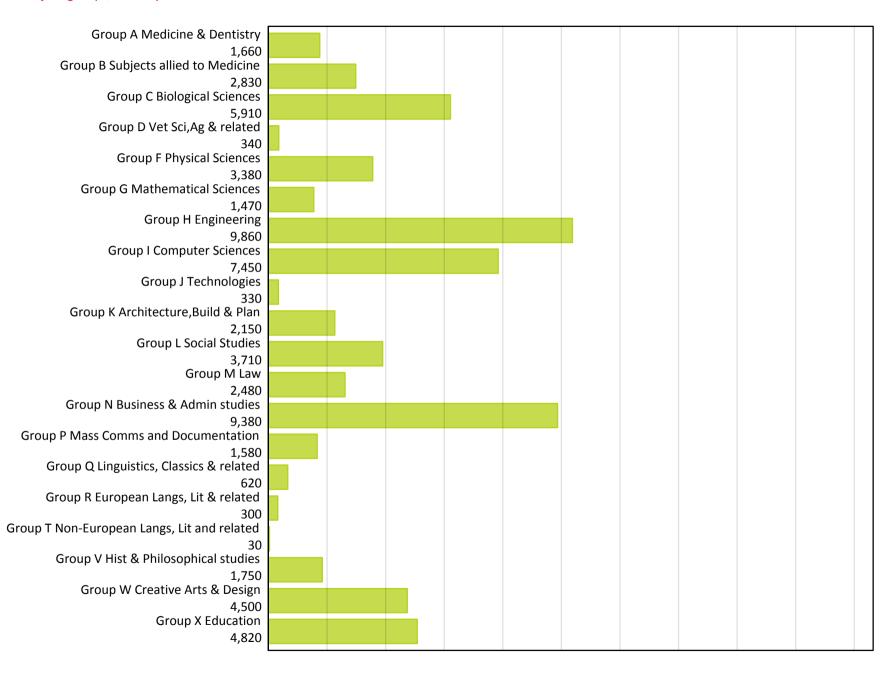


D.8.28 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2,030	2,140	2,340	2,260	2,190	2,020	1,830	1,770	1,630	1,660
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1,720	3,070	3,430	3,060	3,320	3,400	3,140	3,300	2,910	2,830
Group C Biological Sciences	4,160	5,310	5,560	6,020	6,460	6,460	6,680	6,430	5,930	5,910
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	250	260	340	350	360	340	540	450	400	340
Group F Physical Sciences	3,250	3,790	4,010	4,230	4,780	4,150	4,380	3,800	3,490	3,380
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,040	1,100	1,020	1,250	1,350	1,160	1,150	1,120	1,450	1,470
Group H Engineering	8,280	9,300	10,520	11,130	11,610	12,610	12,960	11,880	10,670	9,860
Group I Computer Sciences	3,070	3,760	4,670	5,120	5,660	5,950	6,270	6,420	6,550	7,450
Group J Technologies	260	320	410	380	460	480	430	510	440	330
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,200	2,200	1,980	2,040	1,760	1,720	1,790	2,040	2,100	2,150
Group L Social Studies	3,220	3,700	3,960	3,870	3,870	3,820	3,720	3,750	3,440	3,710
Group M Law	1,960	2,370	2,430	2,250	2,220	1,960	2,100	2,310	2,690	2,480
Group N Business & Admin studies	5,930	6,730	7,530	7,780	7,740	8,370	8,590	9,500	9,020	9,380
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	790	1,270	1,370	1,260	1,530	1,690	1,660	1,740	1,780	1,580
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	630	820	840	850	770	660	630	710	660	620
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	290	360	330	400	480	380	370	380	380	300
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	70	90	90	50	100	60	60	50	50	30
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,630	1,820	1,700	1,690	1,670	1,820	1,660	1,710	1,690	1,750
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,110	4,620	4,800	4,580	4,680	4,590	4,420	4,600	4,290	4,500
Group X Education	620	580	660	750	700	1,050	4,140	4,440	4,370	4,820
Y Combined arts	1,090	1,200	1,090	940	960	980	850	970	990	970
Y Combined sciences	1,370	1,660	1,780	1,630	1,690	1,400	1,490	1,210	1,230	1,170
Y Combined social sciences	1,090	910	840	830	770	810	1,160	1,330	1,130	1,080
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,660	4,310	4,200	3,920	3,940	3,770	3,400	3,180	3,120	2,990
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,490	1,580	1,470	1,180	1,170	1,240	1,450	1,470	1,470	1,540
Z General, other combined & unknown	170	170	180	420	550	340	380	460	500	450

D.8.29 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men)Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	25%	31%	44%	39%	35%	24%	13%	9%	0%	2%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-41%	5%	18%	5%	14%	17%	8%	13%	0%	-3%
Group C Biological Sciences	-30%	-10%	-6%	1%	9%	9%	13%	8%	0%	-0%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-39%	-35%	-16%	-12%	-11%	-15%	35%	12%	0%	-16%
Group F Physical Sciences	-7%	9%	15%	21%	37%	19%	26%	9%	0%	-3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-29%	-24%	-30%	-14%	-7%	-20%	-21%	-23%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-22%	-13%	-1%	4%	9%	18%	21%	11%	0%	-8%
Group I Computer Sciences	-53%	-43%	-29%	-22%	-14%	-9%	-4%	-2%	0%	14%
Group J Technologies	-41%	-27%	-8%	-14%	4%	10%	-2%	17%	0%	-26%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	5%	5%	-6%	-3%	-16%	-18%	-15%	-3%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-6%	8%	15%	13%	13%	11%	8%	9%	0%	8%
Group M Law	-27%	-12%	-10%	-16%	-18%	-27%	-22%	-14%	0%	-8%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-34%	-25%	-17%	-14%	-14%	-7%	-5%	5%	0%	4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-56%	-29%	-23%	-29%	-14%	-6%	-7%	-2%	0%	-11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-4%	23%	27%	29%	16%	0%	-4%	8%	0%	-6%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-24%	-5%	-14%	4%	25%	1%	-3%	-1%	0%	-20%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	60%	89%	91%	2%	111%	24%	31%	20%	0%	-24%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-4%	8%	1%	0%	-1%	8%	-2%	1%	0%	3%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-27%	8%	12%	7%	9%	7%	3%	7%	0%	5%
Group X Education	-86%	-87%	-85%	-83%	-84%	-76%	-5%	2%	0%	10%
Y Combined arts	10%	20%	10%	-5%	-4%	-1%	-14%	-2%	0%	-3%
Y Combined sciences	11%	35%	45%	32%	37%	14%	21%	-2%	0%	-5%
Y Combined social sciences	-4%	-20%	-25%	-26%	-32%	-28%	3%	18%	0%	-4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	17%	38%	35%	26%	26%	21%	9%	2%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1%	8%	-0%	-20%	-21%	-16%	-1%	-0%	0%	5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-66%	-66%	-63%	-16%	10%	-31%	-24%	-7%	0%	-9%

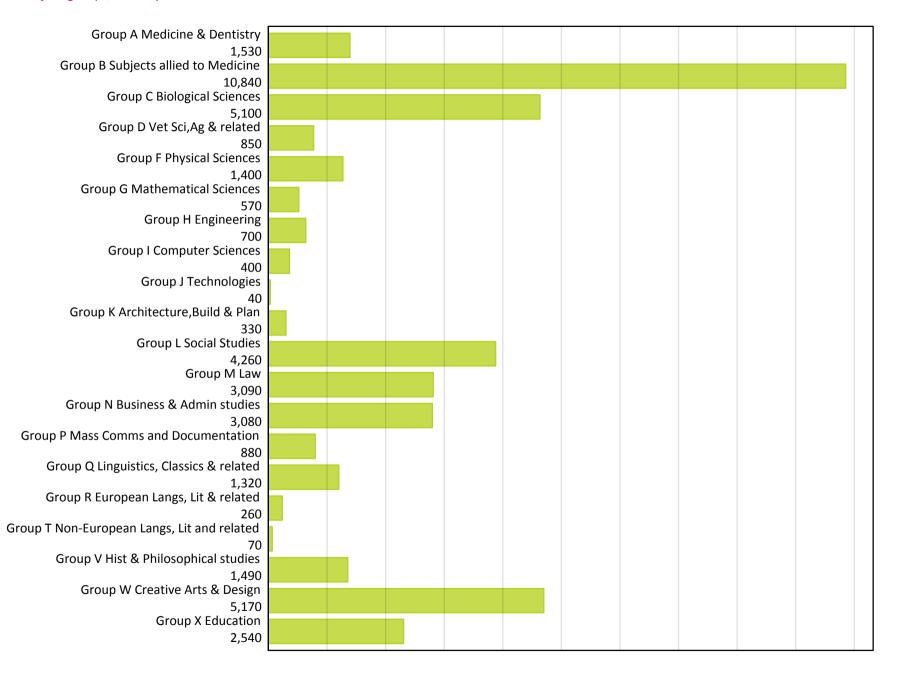


D.8.31 Applications by sex and subject group: Wales (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,560	1,550	1,590	1,680	1,680	1,810	1,640	1,440	1,440	1,530
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	7,390	9,380	10,780	12,110	11,950	11,930	12,270	12,940	11,310	10,840
Group C Biological Sciences	3,820	4,240	4,380	4,420	4,510	5,010	5,270	5,400	5,170	5,100
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	570	670	620	800	830	890	1,000	910	860	850
Group F Physical Sciences	1,340	1,170	1,550	1,310	1,290	1,540	1,440	1,690	1,560	1,400
Group G Mathematical Sciences	680	670	590	610	670	680	560	610	580	570
Group H Engineering	280	380	310	350	300	450	530	690	690	700
Group I Computer Sciences	440	440	460	310	360	330	420	490	360	400
Group J Technologies	60	90	70	50	50	40	50	40	50	40
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	340	260	250	290	260	240	380	310	290	330
Group L Social Studies	3,680	4,270	4,110	3,960	4,040	4,540	4,660	4,500	4,640	4,260
Group M Law	2,270	2,220	2,400	2,400	2,390	2,420	2,530	2,830	2,960	3,090
Group N Business & Admin studies	3,170	3,150	3,240	3,570	3,400	3,230	3,410	3,520	3,420	3,080
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	780	900	920	790	850	910	950	1,060	830	880
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,790	1,830	1,750	1,630	1,690	1,640	1,770	1,670	1,490	1,320
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	620	690	620	550	460	430	450	440	440	260
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	110	110	150	90	80	90	120	120	100	70
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,620	1,640	1,690	1,550	1,580	1,750	1,830	1,890	1,590	1,490
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,940	5,460	6,260	5,540	5,610	5,520	5,740	5,500	5,160	5,170
Group X Education	2,830	3,430	3,730	3,760	3,210	3,060	2,670	2,550	2,530	2,540
Y Combined arts	1,860	1,840	1,640	1,830	1,480	1,550	1,430	1,260	1,210	1,090
Y Combined sciences	430	470	480	490	480	520	540	480	390	410
Y Combined social sciences	620	600	640	640	620	630	500	560	570	570
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,580	1,670	1,480	1,450	1,170	1,090	1,020	920	850	1,020
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,010	1,100	1,000	1,020	890	900	890	850	770	650
Z General, other combined & unknown	200	230	260	410	410	440	380	370	280	310

D.8.32 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Women) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	8%	7%	10%	17%	17%	25%	14%	0%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-35%	-17%	-5%	7%	6%	5%	9%	14%	0%	-4%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-18%	-15%	-14%	-13%	-3%	2%	4%	0%	-1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-33%	-22%	-28%	-7%	-3%	4%	16%	6%	0%	-1%
Group F Physical Sciences	-14%	-25%	-0%	-16%	-17%	-1%	-7%	9%	0%	-10%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	18%	15%	1%	5%	15%	17%	-3%	5%	0%	-2%
Group H Engineering	-60%	-46%	-55%	-49%	-56%	-35%	-24%	-1%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	24%	24%	29%	-13%	2%	-8%	17%	37%	0%	11%
Group J Technologies	33%	93%	47%	20%	13%	-18%	11%	-7%	0%	-22%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	18%	-11%	-13%	-1%	-9%	-18%	30%	7%	0%	15%
Group L Social Studies	-21%	-8%	-11%	-15%	-13%	-2%	0%	-3%	0%	-8%
Group M Law	-23%	-25%	-19%	-19%	-19%	-18%	-15%	-4%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-7%	-8%	-5%	4%	-1%	-6%	-0%	3%	0%	-10%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-5%	9%	11%	-4%	3%	11%	16%	29%	0%	7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	21%	23%	18%	10%	14%	10%	19%	12%	0%	-11%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	42%	58%	42%	26%	6%	-3%	3%	2%	0%	-40%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7%	13%	50%	-7%	-21%	-12%	22%	16%	0%	-30%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2%	4%	7%	-2%	-0%	10%	15%	19%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-24%	6%	21%	7%	9%	7%	11%	7%	0%	0%
Group X Education	12%	35%	47%	48%	27%	21%	5%	1%	0%	0%
Y Combined arts	53%	52%	35%	51%	22%	27%	18%	3%	0%	-10%
Y Combined sciences	9%	19%	23%	25%	22%	34%	39%	24%	0%	4%
Y Combined social sciences	10%	5%	13%	14%	10%	12%	-11%	-1%	0%	1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	85%	96%	74%	70%	37%	28%	20%	8%	0%	19%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	32%	44%	31%	32%	16%	17%	17%	11%	0%	-16%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-29%	-19%	-7%	47%	47%	58%	35%	33%	0%	13%

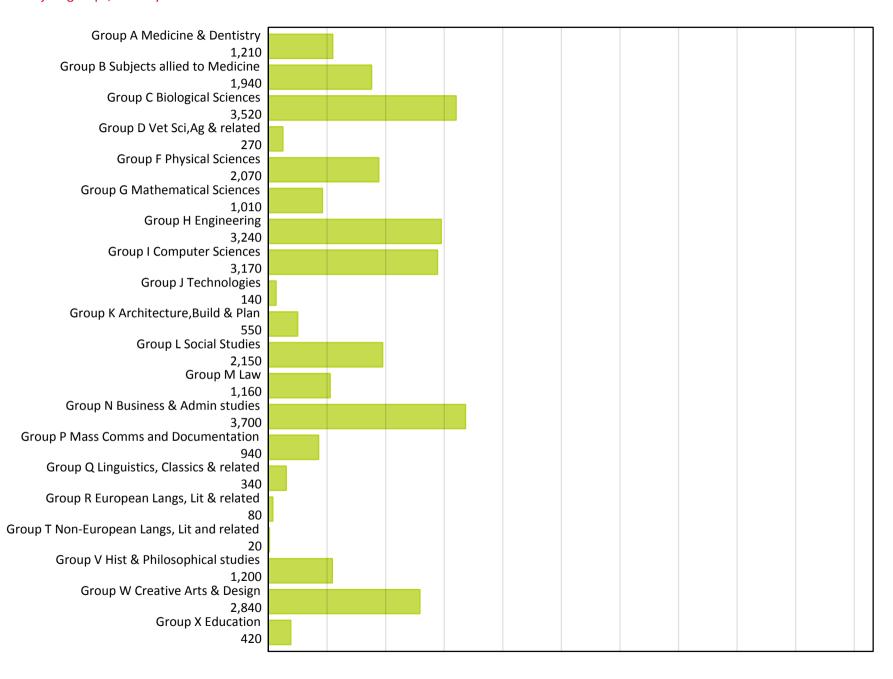


D.8.34 Applications by sex and subject group: Wales (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,480	1,610	1,510	1,310	1,260	1,320	1,290	1,120	1,100	1,210
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1,470	2,130	2,670	2,610	2,660	2,680	2,500	2,430	2,100	1,940
Group C Biological Sciences	2,770	3,530	3,670	3,680	3,720	4,160	4,090	4,190	3,850	3,520
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	320	410	390	390	390	390	370	340	320	270
Group F Physical Sciences	2,300	2,210	2,520	2,860	2,750	2,730	2,690	2,380	2,160	2,070
Group G Mathematical Sciences	880	980	910	900	920	830	860	980	920	1,010
Group H Engineering	2,710	3,100	3,140	2,940	3,030	3,420	3,460	3,530	3,720	3,240
Group I Computer Sciences	2,150	2,210	2,270	2,330	2,630	2,780	3,120	3,270	3,270	3,170
Group J Technologies	490	530	370	310	310	280	250	220	110	140
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	730	760	750	590	570	550	500	540	590	550
Group L Social Studies	1,520	1,960	1,900	1,930	1,800	2,030	2,030	2,060	2,280	2,150
Group M Law	1,270	1,280	1,360	1,310	1,180	1,130	1,080	1,240	1,270	1,160
Group N Business & Admin studies	2,910	3,390	3,630	3,370	3,380	3,470	3,540	4,090	3,860	3,700
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	630	760	800	660	680	860	860	970	830	940
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	680	670	650	590	590	560	560	460	410	340
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	210	180	240	210	160	110	160	150	100	80
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	60	70	50	60	80	110	80	60	20
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,550	1,550	1,480	1,510	1,290	1,490	1,540	1,370	1,130	1,200
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2,540	3,360	3,510	3,340	3,250	3,080	3,370	3,020	3,030	2,840
Group X Education	520	720	910	920	750	820	650	680	540	420
Y Combined arts	700	780	790	620	620	610	620	500	370	380
Y Combined sciences	600	680	810	690	620	640	580	490	400	470
Y Combined social sciences	350	400	370	380	340	310	300	270	280	280
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,600	1,750	1,640	1,510	1,330	1,170	1,010	790	610	670
Y Social sciences combined with arts	710	670	680	580	510	520	420	400	350	400
Z General, other combined & unknown	160	190	220	380	370	390	330	260	250	320

D.8.35 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	34%	46%	37%	19%	14%	20%	17%	2%	0%	10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-30%	1%	27%	24%	27%	27%	19%	16%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-28%	-8%	-5%	-4%	-3%	8%	6%	9%	0%	-8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-0%	30%	23%	22%	21%	21%	16%	6%	0%	-15%
Group F Physical Sciences	6%	2%	16%	32%	27%	26%	24%	10%	0%	-4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-4%	7%	-2%	-2%	-0%	-10%	-7%	6%	0%	10%
Group H Engineering	-27%	-17%	-15%	-21%	-19%	-8%	-7%	-5%	0%	-13%
Group I Computer Sciences	-34%	-32%	-30%	-29%	-19%	-15%	-4%	0%	0%	-3%
Group J Technologies	343%	385%	234%	185%	178%	154%	130%	98%	0%	30%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	24%	29%	28%	-0%	-3%	-7%	-14%	-8%	0%	-7%
Group L Social Studies	-33%	-14%	-16%	-15%	-21%	-11%	-11%	-9%	0%	-6%
Group M Law	-0%	1%	7%	3%	-7%	-11%	-14%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-25%	-12%	-6%	-13%	-12%	-10%	-8%	6%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-24%	-9%	-4%	-21%	-18%	3%	3%	17%	0%	14%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	64%	61%	57%	42%	43%	35%	34%	12%	0%	-19%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	106%	73%	134%	106%	62%	4%	58%	46%	0%	-19%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	30%	-10%	13%	-17%	-5%	19%	78%	21%	0%	-68%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	37%	37%	30%	33%	14%	31%	36%	21%	0%	6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-16%	11%	16%	10%	7%	2%	11%	-0%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-2%	35%	69%	72%	41%	54%	21%	26%	0%	-22%
Y Combined arts	90%	112%	114%	68%	69%	66%	68%	36%	0%	2%
Y Combined sciences	48%	69%	101%	71%	55%	60%	43%	22%	0%	17%
Y Combined social sciences	24%	42%	34%	37%	23%	12%	6%	-3%	0%	1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	163%	187%	168%	148%	118%	93%	66%	30%	0%	9%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	103%	92%	95%	66%	46%	49%	21%	14%	0%	15%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-38%	-26%	-11%	53%	48%	55%	31%	5%	0%	29%



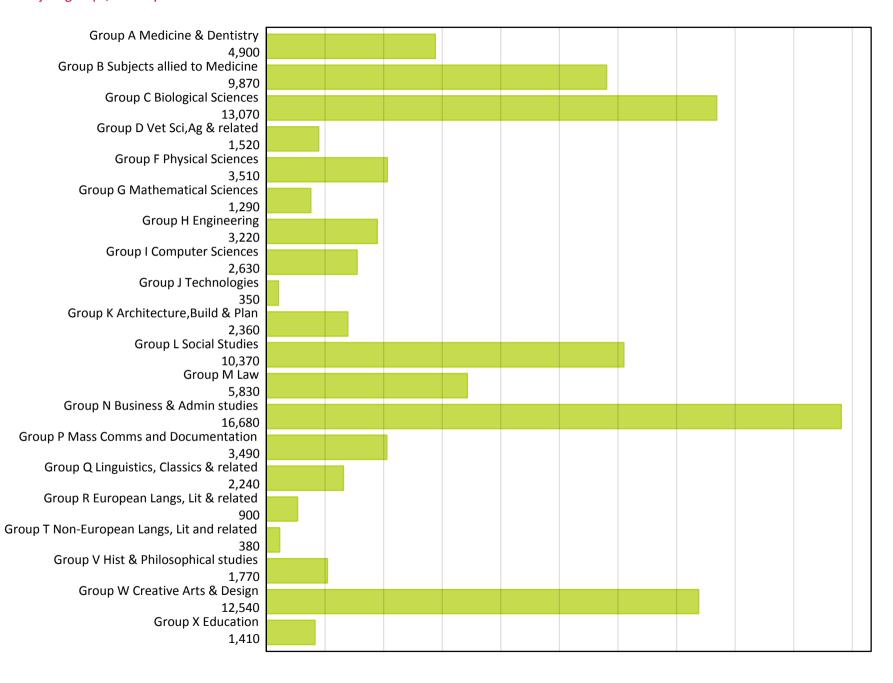
D.8.37 Applications by sex and subject group: EU (excluding UK) (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,930	5,470	5,450	5,010	5,130	5,260	5,020	5,510	4,640	4,900
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	6,220	10,800	12,220	11,510	13,110	13,030	13,000	13,360	10,730	9,870
Group C Biological Sciences	5,090	6,860	8,070	8,020	9,280	9,740	11,390	12,690	12,060	13,070
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	900	1,390	1,270	1,180	1,310	1,470	1,670	1,640	1,470	1,520
Group F Physical Sciences	1,360	1,870	2,130	2,200	2,240	2,460	2,720	3,100	3,160	3,510
Group G Mathematical Sciences	860	960	1,240	1,040	1,020	1,060	1,120	1,250	1,250	1,290
Group H Engineering	1,260	1,660	1,770	1,720	1,810	2,220	2,690	3,050	2,780	3,220
Group I Computer Sciences	600	730	1,170	900	1,020	1,520	1,990	2,390	2,240	2,630
Group J Technologies	130	210	220	270	290	320	360	390	310	350
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,410	2,930	3,170	2,530	2,450	2,190	2,380	2,430	2,400	2,360
Group L Social Studies	6,610	8,930	9,150	8,230	8,540	9,450	9,780	10,480	9,950	10,370
Group M Law	3,500	4,550	5,100	4,930	5,040	5,050	5,500	6,190	5,870	5,830
Group N Business & Admin studies	8,840	11,840	15,050	12,620	13,520	15,320	16,230	17,620	15,750	16,680
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,770	2,540	3,070	2,790	3,070	3,450	3,920	3,990	3,550	3,490
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,480	2,110	2,120	2,010	2,090	2,300	2,430	2,790	2,310	2,240
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,460	1,600	1,710	1,540	1,340	1,480	1,470	1,330	1,130	900
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	460	450	550	420	340	310	280	340	360	380
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,270	1,500	1,650	1,580	1,480	1,540	1,510	1,850	1,640	1,770
Group W Creative Arts & Design	4,810	8,590	11,160	8,830	9,290	10,660	11,760	12,210	11,860	12,540
Group X Education	1,150	1,570	1,620	920	710	860	1,610	1,430	1,480	1,410
Y Combined arts	2,280	2,810	2,940	2,490	2,610	2,980	2,710	2,900	2,820	2,920
Y Combined sciences	630	910	1,000	980	1,100	1,330	1,470	1,490	1,300	1,420
Y Combined social sciences	1,140	1,590	1,640	1,540	1,560	1,540	1,700	1,760	1,750	1,700
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,790	2,420	2,530	2,340	2,320	2,740	2,590	2,800	2,580	2,820
Y Social sciences combined with arts	3,280	4,140	4,390	3,750	3,960	4,020	4,180	4,140	3,720	3,740
Z General, other combined & unknown	920	960	1,060	1,700	1,890	2,120	2,840	3,190	3,050	3,810

D.8.38 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-15%	18%	17%	8%	11%	13%	8%	19%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-42%	1%	14%	7%	22%	22%	21%	25%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-58%	-43%	-33%	-34%	-23%	-19%	-6%	5%	0%	8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-39%	-5%	-13%	-20%	-10%	0%	14%	12%	0%	3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-57%	-41%	-33%	-30%	-29%	-22%	-14%	-2%	0%	11%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-32%	-23%	-1%	-17%	-18%	-15%	-10%	0%	0%	3%
Group H Engineering	-55%	-40%	-36%	-38%	-35%	-20%	-3%	10%	0%	16%
Group I Computer Sciences	-73%	-67%	-48%	-60%	-55%	-32%	-11%	7%	0%	17%
Group J Technologies	-59%	-31%	-30%	-13%	-8%	2%	17%	27%	0%	13%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	0%	22%	32%	5%	2%	-9%	-1%	1%	0%	-2%
Group L Social Studies	-34%	-10%	-8%	-17%	-14%	-5%	-2%	5%	0%	4%
Group M Law	-40%	-23%	-13%	-16%	-14%	-14%	-6%	5%	0%	-1%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-44%	-25%	-4%	-20%	-14%	-3%	3%	12%	0%	6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-50%	-28%	-13%	-21%	-13%	-3%	11%	12%	0%	-2%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-36%	-9%	-8%	-13%	-10%	-1%	5%	21%	0%	-3%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	30%	41%	51%	37%	19%	31%	30%	18%	0%	-20%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	27%	27%	53%	16%	-5%	-12%	-20%	-4%	0%	7%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-22%	-8%	1%	-4%	-9%	-6%	-8%	13%	0%	8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-59%	-28%	-6%	-26%	-22%	-10%	-1%	3%	0%	6%
Group X Education	-22%	6%	10%	-38%	-52%	-42%	9%	-3%	0%	-5%
Y Combined arts	-19%	-0%	4%	-12%	-8%	5%	-4%	3%	0%	3%
Y Combined sciences	-52%	-30%	-23%	-25%	-16%	2%	13%	15%	0%	9%
Y Combined social sciences	-35%	-9%	-6%	-12%	-11%	-12%	-3%	1%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-31%	-6%	-2%	-9%	-10%	6%	0%	9%	0%	9%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-12%	11%	18%	1%	6%	8%	12%	11%	0%	1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-70%	-69%	-65%	-44%	-38%	-31%	-7%	4%	0%	25%

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



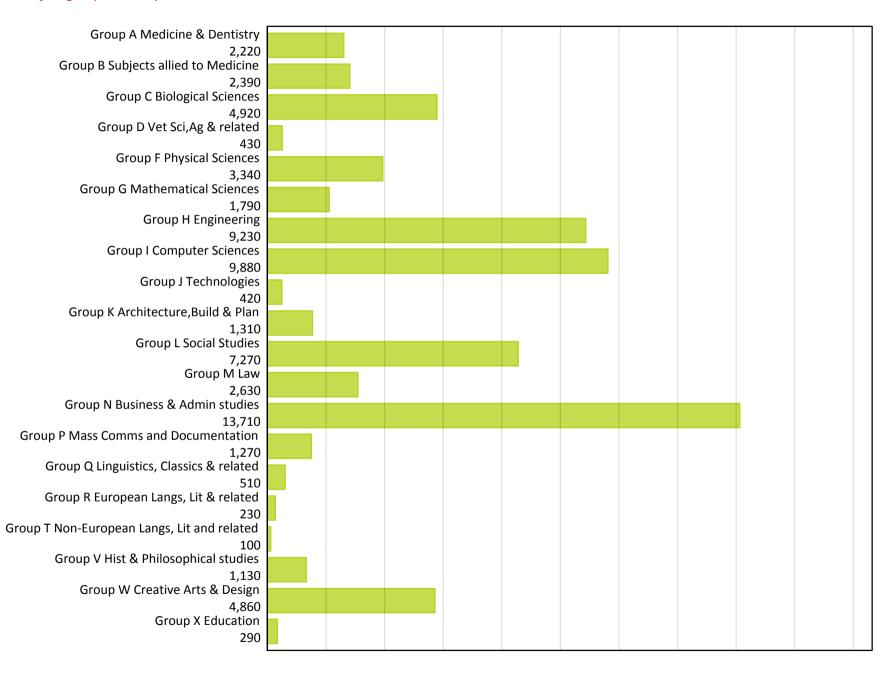
D.8.40 Applications by sex and subject group: EU (excluding UK) (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2,590	3,320	3,220	2,830	2,800	3,130	2,670	2,480	2,170	2,220
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1,850	3,010	3,380	3,020	3,210	3,080	3,050	3,350	2,510	2,390
Group C Biological Sciences	2,350	3,310	3,690	4,030	4,160	4,320	4,610	5,100	4,800	4,920
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	390	510	570	460	530	490	490	470	480	430
Group F Physical Sciences	1,630	2,290	2,650	2,500	2,900	2,810	3,130	3,370	3,260	3,340
Group G Mathematical Sciences	930	1,120	1,350	1,300	1,240	1,450	1,580	1,760	1,930	1,790
Group H Engineering	7,340	8,460	9,630	8,290	8,910	9,240	9,690	10,320	9,880	9,230
Group I Computer Sciences	2,640	3,850	5,050	4,940	5,780	6,350	7,960	8,830	9,000	9,880
Group J Technologies	380	480	530	510	480	600	600	550	500	420
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,070	2,770	2,550	1,710	1,630	1,350	1,400	1,320	1,280	1,310
Group L Social Studies	6,260	7,580	8,400	6,770	7,230	7,120	7,360	7,420	7,020	7,270
Group M Law	2,230	2,580	2,960	2,590	2,380	2,590	2,780	2,860	2,720	2,630
Group N Business & Admin studies	8,970	11,690	13,740	11,990	12,380	12,360	14,120	14,360	14,090	13,710
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	790	1,050	1,170	960	1,250	1,140	1,280	1,480	1,380	1,270
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	410	570	610	500	520	570	620	560	460	510
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	410	510	480	380	370	360	360	330	290	230
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	110	150	160	110	80	90	130	150	80	100
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	930	1,160	1,100	1,010	940	1,130	1,220	1,220	1,060	1,130
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2,110	3,660	4,570	3,420	3,720	4,090	4,790	5,390	4,500	4,860
Group X Education	370	390	400	210	130	110	420	400	360	290
Y Combined arts	630	990	1,000	770	790	840	760	730	650	730
Y Combined sciences	920	1,230	1,370	1,290	1,390	1,490	1,510	1,530	1,510	1,530
Y Combined social sciences	1,360	1,750	1,700	1,570	1,550	1,590	1,710	1,720	1,610	1,630
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,680	2,460	2,570	2,230	2,240	2,240	2,020	1,910	1,690	1,790
Y Social sciences combined with arts	2,000	2,200	2,290	2,080	2,020	1,920	1,740	1,880	1,700	1,920
Z General, other combined & unknown	560	700	760	1,400	1,480	1,720	2,030	2,430	2,410	2,730

D.8.41 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	20%	53%	49%	31%	29%	45%	23%	15%	0%	2%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-26%	20%	35%	21%	28%	23%	22%	34%	0%	-5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-51%	-31%	-23%	-16%	-13%	-10%	-4%	6%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-18%	7%	20%	-3%	12%	4%	2%	-0%	0%	-9%
Group F Physical Sciences	-50%	-30%	-19%	-23%	-11%	-14%	-4%	3%	0%	3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-52%	-42%	-30%	-33%	-36%	-25%	-18%	-9%	0%	-7%
Group H Engineering	-26%	-14%	-3%	-16%	-10%	-6%	-2%	4%	0%	-7%
Group I Computer Sciences	-71%	-57%	-44%	-45%	-36%	-29%	-12%	-2%	0%	10%
Group J Technologies	-24%	-5%	6%	2%	-4%	18%	19%	10%	0%	-16%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	62%	117%	99%	33%	27%	5%	9%	3%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-11%	8%	20%	-4%	3%	1%	5%	6%	0%	4%
Group M Law	-18%	-5%	9%	-5%	-13%	-5%	2%	5%	0%	-3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-36%	-17%	-2%	-15%	-12%	-12%	0%	2%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-43%	-24%	-16%	-31%	-10%	-18%	-8%	7%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-11%	25%	34%	10%	13%	25%	36%	22%	0%	12%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	40%	74%	63%	30%	26%	22%	24%	13%	0%	-22%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	47%	96%	101%	40%	5%	21%	74%	88%	0%	25%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-12%	9%	4%	-5%	-12%	6%	15%	15%	0%	6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-53%	-19%	1%	-24%	-17%	-9%	6%	20%	0%	8%
Group X Education	3%	10%	13%	-42%	-64%	-69%	17%	13%	0%	-18%
Y Combined arts	-3%	53%	54%	19%	22%	29%	17%	13%	0%	13%
Y Combined sciences	-39%	-19%	-10%	-15%	-8%	-1%	-0%	1%	0%	1%
Y Combined social sciences	-15%	9%	6%	-2%	-3%	-1%	6%	7%	0%	2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-1%	46%	52%	32%	33%	33%	20%	13%	0%	6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	18%	30%	35%	22%	19%	13%	3%	11%	0%	13%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-77%	-71%	-69%	-42%	-39%	-29%	-16%	1%	0%	13%

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle

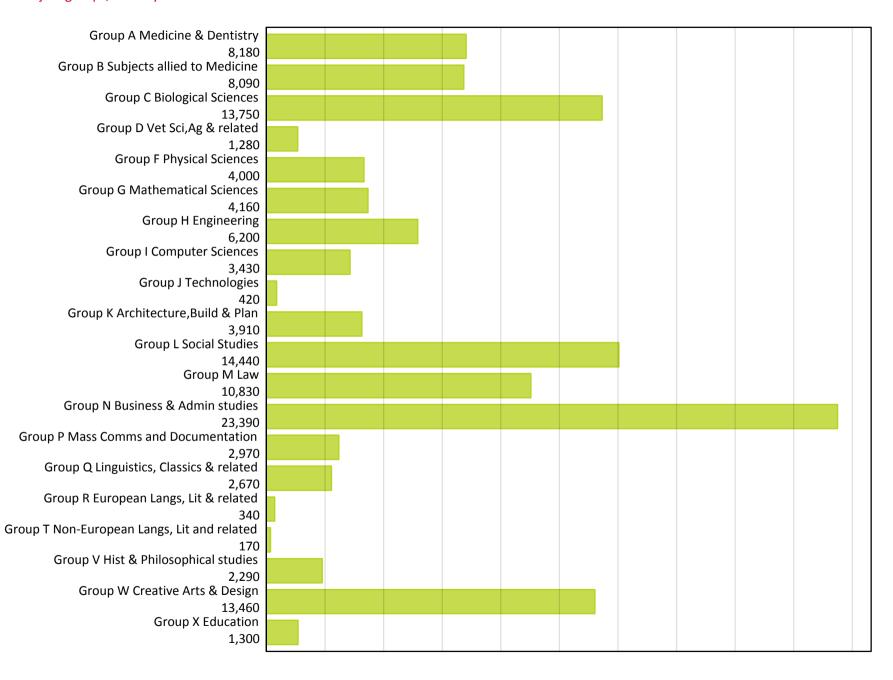


D.8.43 Applications by sex and subject group: Not EU (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	4,920	5,820	6,450	7,130	7,560	8,600	8,150	8,000	7,380	8,180
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	4,110	5,400	5,570	6,160	6,690	7,340	7,980	7,970	7,980	8,090
Group C Biological Sciences	3,790	4,880	5,520	6,640	7,450	8,940	9,630	10,070	11,470	13,750
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	520	680	710	920	1,020	1,030	1,080	1,090	1,170	1,280
Group F Physical Sciences	1,510	2,110	1,990	2,490	2,630	3,150	3,320	3,420	3,540	4,000
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,210	2,460	2,490	2,580	2,570	2,610	2,910	3,140	3,450	4,160
Group H Engineering	3,140	3,760	3,620	4,380	4,890	6,140	6,280	6,370	6,100	6,200
Group I Computer Sciences	520	610	710	730	740	1,080	1,370	1,840	2,200	3,430
Group J Technologies	280	320	310	280	280	420	400	380	420	420
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	1,600	2,120	2,380	2,670	2,960	3,310	3,970	3,860	3,790	3,910
Group L Social Studies	8,180	9,170	10,170	9,910	11,070	11,900	11,580	12,410	12,820	14,440
Group M Law	5,250	7,210	8,190	9,260	10,190	11,140	10,970	10,950	10,230	10,830
Group N Business & Admin studies	11,990	14,140	15,860	19,250	20,480	22,770	23,820	22,910	21,530	23,390
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,030	1,400	1,400	1,570	2,300	2,570	2,730	2,720	2,940	2,970
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,320	1,400	1,520	1,780	2,080	2,160	2,550	2,520	2,420	2,670
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	430	480	470	490	470	450	460	430	350	340
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	140	180	180	190	160	160	170	150	90	170
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,140	1,310	1,460	1,590	1,660	1,740	1,810	2,110	1,970	2,290
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2,890	5,900	7,080	7,560	9,060	10,180	10,680	10,830	11,950	13,460
Group X Education	470	590	580	670	630	640	840	1,050	1,070	1,300
Y Combined arts	1,070	1,260	1,210	1,370	1,580	1,760	1,620	1,560	1,480	1,530
Y Combined sciences	820	980	1,100	1,190	1,380	1,720	1,860	1,550	1,340	1,580
Y Combined social sciences	1,700	1,700	1,720	1,890	2,050	2,180	2,220	2,300	2,150	2,410
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,210	2,270	2,290	2,270	2,370	2,430	2,240	2,300	2,210	2,420
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,910	2,070	2,170	2,510	3,040	2,890	2,780	2,480	2,410	3,250
Z General, other combined & unknown	830	950	1,030	2,010	2,140	2,490	3,100	3,390	3,550	4,860

D.8.44 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Women)Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-33%	-21%	-13%	-3%	2%	17%	10%	8%	0%	11%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-48%	-32%	-30%	-23%	-16%	-8%	-0%	-0%	0%	1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-67%	-57%	-52%	-42%	-35%	-22%	-16%	-12%	0%	20%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-56%	-42%	-39%	-21%	-13%	-12%	-8%	-7%	0%	10%
Group F Physical Sciences	-57%	-40%	-44%	-30%	-26%	-11%	-6%	-3%	0%	13%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-36%	-29%	-28%	-25%	-26%	-25%	-16%	-9%	0%	20%
Group H Engineering	-48%	-38%	-41%	-28%	-20%	1%	3%	5%	0%	2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-76%	-72%	-68%	-67%	-66%	-51%	-38%	-17%	0%	56%
Group J Technologies	-35%	-25%	-26%	-33%	-33%	-2%	-5%	-10%	0%	-1%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-58%	-44%	-37%	-30%	-22%	-13%	5%	2%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	-36%	-28%	-21%	-23%	-14%	-7%	-10%	-3%	0%	13%
Group M Law	-49%	-30%	-20%	-9%	-0%	9%	7%	7%	0%	6%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-44%	-34%	-26%	-11%	-5%	6%	11%	6%	0%	9%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-65%	-52%	-53%	-47%	-22%	-12%	-7%	-8%	0%	1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-46%	-42%	-37%	-26%	-14%	-11%	5%	4%	0%	10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	23%	39%	37%	41%	34%	29%	31%	24%	0%	-3%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	53%	97%	89%	105%	74%	70%	83%	57%	0%	78%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-42%	-34%	-26%	-19%	-16%	-12%	-8%	7%	0%	16%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-76%	-51%	-41%	-37%	-24%	-15%	-11%	-9%	0%	13%
Group X Education	-56%	-45%	-46%	-37%	-41%	-40%	-22%	-1%	0%	21%
Y Combined arts	-27%	-15%	-18%	-7%	7%	19%	10%	6%	0%	4%
Y Combined sciences	-39%	-27%	-18%	-11%	3%	28%	39%	16%	0%	18%
Y Combined social sciences	-21%	-21%	-20%	-12%	-5%	1%	3%	7%	0%	12%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-0%	3%	4%	3%	7%	10%	1%	4%	0%	9%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-20%	-14%	-10%	4%	26%	20%	16%	3%	0%	35%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-77%	-73%	-71%	-43%	-40%	-30%	-13%	-4%	0%	37%



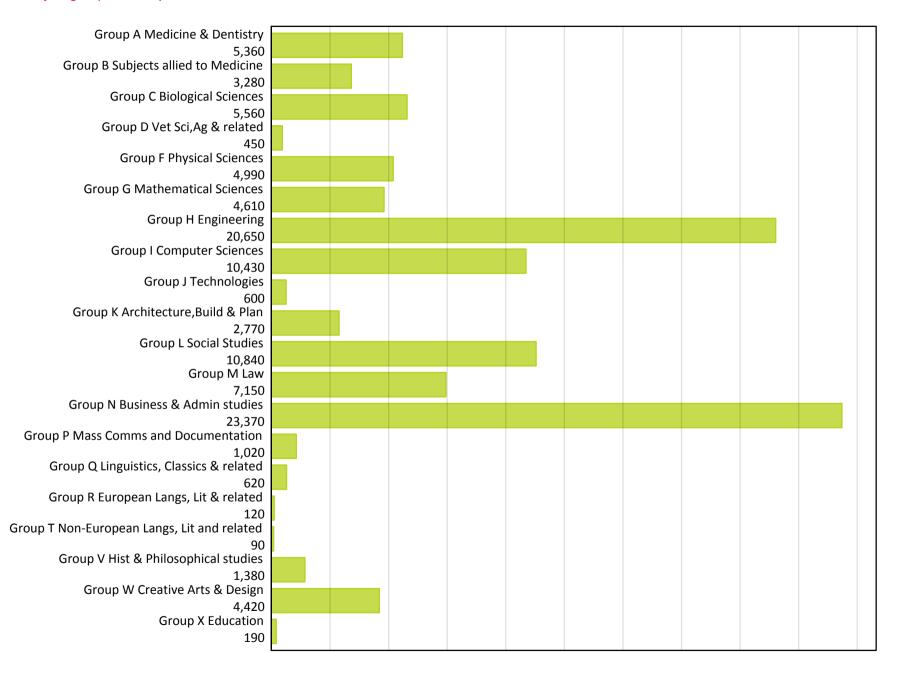
D.8.46 Applications by sex and subject group: Not EU (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,880	4,450	5,000	5,240	5,290	5,910	5,240	5,420	5,010	5,360
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2,320	2,530	2,650	3,020	3,080	3,280	3,630	3,720	3,450	3,280
Group C Biological Sciences	2,140	2,330	2,770	3,130	3,440	3,740	4,010	4,510	5,140	5,560
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	130	190	220	310	310	280	330	310	410	450
Group F Physical Sciences	1,940	2,410	2,470	2,810	3,330	3,920	3,710	4,240	4,270	4,990
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,670	3,050	3,150	3,470	3,240	3,140	3,280	3,660	3,720	4,610
Group H Engineering	12,300	15,110	15,000	17,180	19,390	21,350	21,840	21,110	20,430	20,650
Group I Computer Sciences	2,150	2,680	2,650	3,110	3,480	4,390	5,300	6,260	7,780	10,430
Group J Technologies	340	490	450	420	460	570	550	540	560	600
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	1,700	1,940	2,100	2,010	2,620	3,000	3,010	2,730	2,740	2,770
Group L Social Studies	8,010	9,150	9,040	9,860	10,610	10,060	9,620	9,980	10,070	10,840
Group M Law	3,560	4,890	5,640	6,580	7,530	7,130	7,330	7,280	6,320	7,150
Group N Business & Admin studies	14,130	15,640	16,630	19,160	20,480	20,910	22,460	21,460	20,830	23,370
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	440	530	540	570	640	820	920	1,080	1,110	1,020
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	440	430	470	570	560	480	570	580	650	620
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	130	160	180	180	170	170	140	130	110	120
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	70	80	80	80	70	70	70	110	70	90
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	930	1,100	1,030	1,070	1,300	1,050	1,250	1,370	1,270	1,380
Group W Creative Arts & Design	1,290	2,280	2,540	2,530	2,730	3,440	3,500	3,670	3,660	4,420
Group X Education	70	150	90	100	110	90	140	170	180	190
Y Combined arts	360	440	420	410	430	490	470	410	390	390
Y Combined sciences	980	1,200	1,220	1,420	1,470	1,790	1,730	1,770	1,670	1,960
Y Combined social sciences	1,810	1,980	1,800	2,180	2,280	2,140	2,470	2,390	2,380	2,560
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,460	2,570	2,590	2,340	2,460	2,360	2,050	1,940	1,860	1,940
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,280	1,530	1,370	1,530	1,600	1,620	1,380	1,280	1,350	1,690
Z General, other combined & unknown	630	800	830	1,840	1,870	2,030	2,670	2,890	3,010	3,760

D.8.47 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men) Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-22%	-11%	-0%	5%	6%	18%	5%	8%	0%	7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-33%	-27%	-23%	-12%	-11%	-5%	5%	8%	0%	-5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-58%	-55%	-46%	-39%	-33%	-27%	-22%	-12%	0%	8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-70%	-53%	-48%	-25%	-24%	-32%	-20%	-25%	0%	8%
Group F Physical Sciences	-55%	-44%	-42%	-34%	-22%	-8%	-13%	-1%	0%	17%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-28%	-18%	-15%	-7%	-13%	-16%	-12%	-2%	0%	24%
Group H Engineering	-40%	-26%	-27%	-16%	-5%	5%	7%	3%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-72%	-66%	-66%	-60%	-55%	-44%	-32%	-20%	0%	34%
Group J Technologies	-40%	-12%	-20%	-25%	-17%	1%	-2%	-4%	0%	7%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-38%	-29%	-23%	-27%	-4%	9%	10%	-0%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-20%	-9%	-10%	-2%	5%	-0%	-4%	-1%	0%	8%
Group M Law	-44%	-23%	-11%	4%	19%	13%	16%	15%	0%	13%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-32%	-25%	-20%	-8%	-2%	0%	8%	3%	0%	12%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-60%	-52%	-51%	-49%	-42%	-26%	-17%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-31%	-34%	-27%	-11%	-13%	-26%	-11%	-10%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	18%	42%	54%	58%	45%	50%	25%	12%	0%	2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	4%	17%	10%	13%	-6%	4%	-6%	53%	0%	26%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-27%	-13%	-19%	-16%	2%	-17%	-2%	7%	0%	8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-65%	-38%	-31%	-31%	-25%	-6%	-4%	0%	0%	21%
Group X Education	-61%	-16%	-47%	-46%	-38%	-49%	-23%	-6%	0%	10%
Y Combined arts	-9%	10%	7%	5%	10%	25%	19%	5%	0%	-1%
Y Combined sciences	-41%	-28%	-27%	-15%	-12%	7%	4%	6%	0%	17%
Y Combined social sciences	-24%	-17%	-24%	-8%	-4%	-10%	4%	0%	0%	8%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	33%	39%	40%	26%	33%	27%	11%	5%	0%	5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-5%	14%	2%	13%	19%	20%	2%	-5%	0%	25%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-79%	-73%	-73%	-39%	-38%	-33%	-11%	-4%	0%	25%

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



D.8.49 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2018 courses since early September.

Applicants who submit their applications to UCAS by the January deadline are considered as 'on time' applicants for the large majority of courses offered through UCAS.

This statistical release covers all Main Scheme applicants who submit their applications to UCAS by the January deadline, including those who have applied for courses with a 15 October deadline. Counts of RPAs (records of prior acceptance) are not included.

Counts of the number of applicants reported have been rounded to the nearest 10 applicants, this may result in instances where totals do not equal the sum of the components. Proportional changes have been rounded to the nearest whole percentage point.

In 2009, the Canary Islands classification changed from Not EU to EU (excluding UK). In order to present an accurate time series, the Canary Islands have been consistently classified as EU (excluding UK). This will result in differences with data published prior to 2010.

Age

This statistical release uses country-specific age definitions which align with the cut off points for school/college cohorts within the different administrations of the UK. For England and Wales ages are defined on the 31 August, for Northern Ireland on the 1 July and for Scotland on the 28 February the following year. Defining ages in this way matches the assignment of children to school cohorts. For applicants outside of the UK the cohort cut off for England and Wales has been used.

Applicant

A person who has made an application in the UCAS system during the cycle reported (including applications for deferred entry). Records of prior acceptance (RPAs) are excluded.

Application

An application to a course at a provider made by an applicant in the UCAS main scheme. Applicants may make up to five main scheme applications.

Country of provider

An applicant may be counted once for each provider country they have applied to in the main scheme. If an applicant has applied to providers in multiple countries then the applicant is counted once within each country of provider applied to.

Domicile

Declared area of permanent residence. The Channel Islands and the Isle of Man have been assigned as 'Not EU'.

Ethnic group

High level grouping of ethnic origin as declared by the applicant: 'Asian', 'Black', 'Mixed', 'White', 'Other', 'Unknown'.

First time applicant

An applicant that did not apply to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.

Main scheme

The main UCAS application scheme through which up to five providers/courses can be applied to. This opens in September and closes to new applications on 30 June the following year.

Reapplier

An applicant that applied to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.

Sex

As declared by the applicant.

SIMD 2016

Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Scotland, providing a relative measure of deprivation among small areas (data zones). In this report, the SIMD 2016 has been used to group areas in each year in the times series.

POLAR3

Developed by HEFCE and classifies small areas across the UK into five groups, according to their level of young participation in HE. Each of these groups represents around 20 per cent of young people, and is ranked from quintile 1 (areas with the lowest young participation rates, considered as the most disadvantaged) to quintile 5 (highest young participation rates, considered most advantaged).

POLAR4

Developed by HEFCE and classifies small areas across the UK into five groups, according to their level of young participation in HE. Each of these groups represents around 20 per cent of young people, and is ranked from quintile 1 (areas with the lowest young participation rates, considered as the most disadvantaged) to quintile 5 (highest young participation rates, considered most advantaged). POLAR4 is the most recent version of the POLAR classification, and is available for the first time in UCAS' reporting since its launch in 2017.

Tariff Group of provider

Providers are grouped as higher, medium or lower tariff based on their average levels of attainment of their accepted applicants (summarised through UCAS Tariff points) in recent cycles. Each group of providers accounted for around a third of all UK 18 year old acceptances in recent cycles.

Subject group

The JACS3 classification used to classify courses into subject groups.