

DIGEST of EDUCATION STATISTICS

2019 Tables and Figures All Years of Tables and Figures Most Recent Full Issue of the Digest

Table 318.10. Degrees conferred by postsecondary institutions, by level of degree and sex of student: Selected years, 1869-70 through 2029-30

	Associate's degrees				Bachelor's degrees				Master's degrees				Doctor's degrees ¹			
	-			Percent				Percent				Percent				Percent
Year	Total		Females		Total	Males	Females		Total		Females				Females	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		11		13		15	16	17
1869-70					9,371 2	7,993 2	1,378 ²	14.7		0		1.2	1	1	0	0.0
1879-80					12,896 ² 15,539 ²	10,411 ² 12,857 ²	2,485 ² 2,682 ²	19.3		868		1.3		51	3	5.6
1889-90 1899-1900					27,410 ²		5,237 ²	17.3 19.1	-	821	194 303	19.1	149 382	147 359	2 23	1.3 6.0
1909-1900					37,199 ²		8,437 ²	22.7	1,583 2,113	1,280 1,555		19.1 26.4		399	44	9.9
1909-10					37,133	20,702	0,437	22.7	2,113	1,333	336	20.4	443	399	44	5.5
1919-20					48,622 ²	31,980 ²	16,642 ²	34.2	4,279	2,985	1,294	30.2	615	522	93	15.1
1929-30					122,484 ²	73,615 ²	48,869 ²	39.9	14,969	8,925	6,044	40.4	2,299	1,946	353	15.4
1939-40					186,500 ²	109,546 ²	76,954 ²	41.3	26,731	16,508	10,223	38.2	3,290	2,861	429	13.0
1949-50						328,841 ²	103,217 ²	23.9	58,183			29.2	6,420	5,804	616	9.6
1959-60						254,063 ²	138,377 ²	35.3	-			31.6			1,028	10.5
1969-70	206,023			43.0		451,097	341,219		213,589			38.8			5,694	9.6
1979-80	400,910	183,/3/	217,173	54.2	929,417	473,611	455,806	49.0	305,196	156,882	148,314	48.6	95,631	69,526	26,105	27.3
1980-81	416,377	188,638	227,739	54.7	935,140	469,883	465,257	49.8	302,637	152,979	149,658	49.5	98,016	69,567	28,449	29.0
1981-82	434,526			54.7		473,364	479,634		302,447				97,838		29,208	29.9
1982-83	449,620	203,991	245,629	54.6	969,510	479,140	490,370	50.6	296,415	150,092	146,323	49.4	99,335	67,757	31,578	31.8
1983-84	452,240			55.2	974,309	482,319	491,990		291,141				100,799		33,030	32.8
1984-85	454,712	202,932	251,780	55.4	979,477	482,528	496,949	50.7	293,472	149,276	144,196	49.1	100,785	66,269	34,516	34.2
1985-86	446,047	196 166	249 881	56.0	987,823	485,923	501,900	50.8	295,850	149 373	146 477	49 5	100,280	65 215	35,065	35.0
1986-87	436,304			56.3		480,782	510,482		296,530				98,477		35,687	36.2
1987-88	435,085			56.3		477,203	517,626		305,783				99,139		36,120	36.4
1988-89	436,764	186,316	250,448	57.3	1,018,755	483,346	535,409	52.6	316,626	153,993	162,633		100,571		37,516	37.3
1989-90	455,102	191,195	263,907	58.0	1,051,344	491,696	559,648	53.2	330,152	158,052	172,100	52.1	103,508	63,963	39,545	38.2
1990-91	481,720	100 624	202 006	500	1,094,538	504,045	590,493	52.0	342,863	160 042	102 021	E2 1	105,547	64 242	41,305	39.1
1991-92	504,231					520,811	615,742		358,089				109,554		42,951	39.2
1992-93	514,756					532,881	632,297		375,032				112,072		44,942	40.1
1993-94	530,632				1,169,275	532,422	636,853		393,037				112,636		45,863	40.7
1994-95	539,691	218,352	321,339	59.5	1,160,134	526,131	634,003		403,609				114,266		46,942	41.1
1995-96	555,216				1,164,792	522,454	642,338		412,180				115,507		48,318	41.8
1996-97 1997-98	571,226 558,555					520,515 519,956	652,364 664,450		425,260 436,037				118,747 118,735		50,360 51,503	42.4 43.4
1998-99	564,984				1,202,239	519,961	682,278		446,038				116,700		51,360	44.0
1999-2000	564,933					530,367	707,508		463,185				118,736		53,806	45.3
2000-01	578,865				1,244,171	531,840	712,331		473,502				119,585		55,414	46.3
2001-02	595,133				1,291,900	549,816	742,084		487,313				119,663		56,932	47.6
2002-03 2003-04	634,016 665,301				1,348,811 1,399,542	573,258 595,425	775,553 804,117		518,699 564,272				121,579 126,087		58,849 62,106	48.4 49.3
2003-04	696,660				1,439,264	613,000	826,264		580,151				134,387		67,130	50.0
	,	, , , , , , ,			,,	,			,	'	, , , , , ,		, , , , ,	,	,	
2005-06	713,315				1,485,104	630,502	854,602		599,862				138,056		69,144	50.1
2006-07	727,616				1,524,729	649,816	874,913		610,703				144,694		73,383	50.7
2007-08 2008-09	750,166 787,243				1,563,734 1,601,399	668,184 685,422	895,550 915,977		630,844 662,082				149,190 154,564		75,850 78,890	50.8 51.0
2009-10	848,856				1,649,919	706,660	943,259		693,313				158,590		81,980	51.7
	,	,	,		_, ,	,	,		,	,	,			,	,	
2010-11	943,506				1,716,053	734,159	981,894		730,922				163,827		84,155	51.4
2011-12	1,021,718				1,792,163	765,772	1,026,391		755,967				170,217		87,547	51.4
2012-13	1,007,427				1,840,381	787,408	1,052,973		751,718				175,026		89,946	51.4
	1,005,155 1,014,341				1,870,150 1,894,969		1,068,245 1,082,276		754,582 758,804				177,587 178,548		92,002 93,626	51.8 52.4
201-113	1,017,071	550,702	317,339	30.9	1,001,009	512,093	2,002,270	37.1	, 50,004	500,013	.52,109	39.0	2,0,540	5-1,322	33,020	32.7
2015-16	1,008,228	392,084	616,144	61.1	1,920,750		1,099,004	57.2	785,757	320,574	465,183	59.2	178,134	84,240	93,894	52.7
	1,005,687				1,956,114		1,120,093		804,542				181,357			53.3
	1,011,487				1,980,644		1,135,684		820,102				184,074			53.5
2018-19 ³	977,000				1,989,000		1,146,000		829,000				186,000			54.1
2019-20 ³	981,000	382,000	599,000	61.0	1,996,000	846,000	1,151,000	57.6	832,000	327,000	505,000	60.7	186,000	86,000	101,000	54.1
2																
2020-21 ³	983,000				1,998,000		1,152,000		833,000				187,000		-	54.1
2021-22 ³	986,000				2,000,000		1,154,000		835,000				187,000			54.1
2022-23 ³	989,000				2,002,000	847,000	1,156,000		836,000				187,000			54.2
2023-24 ³	992,000	386,000	606,000	61.1	2,007,000	848,000	1,158,000	57.7	838,000	329,000	509,000	60.7	188,000	86,000	102,000	54.2
2024-25 ³	995,000	387,000	608,000	61.1	2,013,000	851,000	1,162,000	57.7	841,000	330,000	511,000	60.7	188,000	86,000	102,000	54.2
_																
2025-26 ³	998,000				2,020,000		1,166,000		844,000				189,000			54.2
2026-27 ³	1,002,000				2,027,000	857,000	1,170,000		847,000				190,000			54.2
2027-28 ³	1,005,000	391,000	613,000	61.1	2,030,000	858,000	1,171,000	57.7	849,000	333,000	515,000	60.7	190,000	87,000	103,000	54.2
2028-29 ³	1,006,000	392,000	614,000	61.1	2,030,000	858,000	1,171,000	57.7	849,000	333,000	516,000	60.7	190,000	87,000	103,000	54.2
2029-30 ³	1,007,000				2,029,000		1,171,000		849,000				190,000			54.2
Not ava	•															

⁻⁻⁻Not available.

Includes Ph.D., Ed.D., and comparable degrees at the doctoral level. Includes most degrees that were classified as first-professional prior to 2010-11, such as M.D., D.D.S., and law degrees.









NOTE: Data through 1994-95 are for institutions or riigner education, white later data are for degree-granting institutions. Degree-granting institutions grant associates or higher degrees and participate in Title IV federal financial aid programs. Some data have been revised from previously published figures. Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Earned Degrees Conferred, 1869-70 through 1964-65; Higher Education General Information Survey (HEGIS), "Degrees and Other Formal Awards Conferred" surveys, 1965-66 through 1985-86; Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS), "Completions Survey" (IPEDS-C:87-99); IPEDS Fall 2000 through Fall 2018, Completions component; and Degrees Conferred Projection Model, 1980-81 through 2029-30. (This table was prepared June 2020.)

<u>2019 Tables and Figures</u> <u>All Years of Tables and Figures</u> <u>Most Recent Full Issue of the Digest</u>

