

TABLE H-14. Primary education/employment status and median salary of 2001 and 2002 S&E master's degree recipients, by field, sex, race/ethnicity, and disability status: 2003

Field, sex, race/ethnicity, and disability status	All master's degree recipients	Full-time student	Not full-time student				Median salary for full-time employed <sup>a</sup> (\$)
			Employed in S&E occupation	Employed in S&E-related occupation	Employed in non-S&E occupation	Not employed	
All S&E and health fields	246,700	40,900	75,800	58,900	51,600	19,400	52,000
Sciences	117,000	27,900	42,000	2,000	36,200	9,000	45,000
Female	62,800	14,400	18,900	1,600	22,000	5,900	40,000
Male	54,200	13,500	23,000	400	14,200	3,100	50,000
White	64,200	13,100	21,400	1,700	24,700	3,300	42,000
Asian	37,100	10,600	16,500	S	5,300	4,500	56,000
Underrepresented minority	15,700	4,200	4,100	200	6,100	1,100	43,000
No disability	112,100	26,300	40,700	2,000	34,500	8,600	45,000
With disability	4,900	1,600	1,300	S	1,700	300	40,000
Biological/life sciences	16,800	4,500	7,300	1,300	2,800	800	41,000
Female	9,400	2,400	3,600	1,200	1,600	700	38,000
Male	7,400	2,200	3,800	S	1,200	S	42,000
White	11,300	2,500	5,200	1,100	2,100	500	41,000
Asian	3,600	1,300	1,900	S	S	S	40,000
Underrepresented minority	1,900	700	300	S	500	200	38,000
No disability	16,400	4,300	7,200	1,300	2,800	800	41,000
With disability	400	S	S	S	S	S	39,000
Computer and information sciences	27,200	4,800	13,600	S	4,900	4,000	60,000
Female	10,200	2,200	4,400	S	1,500	2,100	58,000
Male	17,000	2,600	9,100	S	3,400	1,900	67,000
White	4,800	700	1,500	S	2,300	S	70,000
Asian	20,600	3,900	11,200	S	2,200	3,200	60,000
Underrepresented minority	1,800	S	900	S	300	400	54,000
No disability	26,000	4,500	13,100	S	4,400	3,900	63,000
With disability	1,200	S	S	S	S	S	50,000
Mathematical sciences	5,900	1,800	2,700	S	1,000	400	55,000
Female	2,300	500	1,000	S	500	300	51,000
Male	3,600	1,300	1,700	S	500	S	57,000
White	2,500	700	1,300	S	500	S	50,000
Asian	2,900	1,000	1,200	S	500	S	57,000
Underrepresented minority	400	100	200	S	100	S	55,000
No disability	5,900	1,800	2,700	S	1,000	400	55,000
With disability	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Physical and related sciences	9,600	3,100	4,800	S	1,300	400	50,000
Female	3,400	700	1,800	S	600	200	45,000
Male	6,200	2,400	3,000	S	700	S	52,000
White	5,400	1,500	2,800	S	900	200	50,000
Asian	2,900	1,200	1,300	S	S	S	54,000
Underrepresented minority	1,300	400	700	S	100	S	48,000
No disability	9,300	3,000	4,700	S	1,300	400	50,000
With disability	200	S	S	S	S	S	62,000
Psychology	32,000	6,800	9,200	S	14,400	1,100	38,000
Female	23,500	4,500	6,500	S	11,300	900	38,000
Male	8,400	2,300	2,700	S	3,200	S	37,000
White	23,700	3,900	7,600	S	11,100	800	37,000
Asian	2,700	S	S	S	S	S	46,000
Underrepresented minority	5,600	1,500	1,100	S	2,700	300	38,000
No disability	29,900	6,600	8,600	S	13,500	900	38,000
With disability	2,000	S	S	S	1,000	S	30,000
Social and related sciences	25,500	6,800	4,400	300	11,700	2,400	43,000
Female	14,000	4,100	1,600	S	6,500	1,600	41,000
Male	11,600	2,700	2,700	S	5,200	800	43,000
White	16,500	3,800	3,100	S	7,900	1,400	43,000

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Field, sex, race/ethnicity, and disability status	All master's degree recipients	Full-time student	Not full-time student				Median salary for full-time employed <sup>a</sup> (\$)
			Employed in S&E occupation	Employed in S&E-related occupation	Employed in non-S&E occupation	Not employed	
Asian	4,300	1,600	S	S	1,600	800	43,000
Underrepresented minority	4,700	1,300	900	S	2,300	200	42,000
No disability	24,600	6,100	4,400	300	11,400	2,300	43,000
With disability	1,000	600	S	S	300	S	45,000
Engineering	47,000	10,800	29,900	S	3,600	2,600	65,000
Female	9,200	2,000	5,200	S	900	1,000	60,000
Male	37,800	8,800	24,700	S	2,800	1,600	65,000
White	18,900	2,200	13,700	S	2,200	700	65,000
Asian	23,900	7,500	13,600	S	1,100	1,700	64,000
Underrepresented minority	4,200	1,100	2,600	S	300	200	65,000
No disability	45,700	10,600	29,100	S	3,500	2,400	65,000
With disability	1,300	S	700	S	S	S	65,000
Health	82,700	2,300	3,900	56,800	11,800	7,900	53,000
Female	64,300	S	2,600	45,500	7,300	7,900	50,000
Male	18,400	S	S	11,300	4,500	S	56,000
White	68,100	S	S	49,900	7,800	6,800	53,000
Asian	4,100	S	S	S	S	S	58,000
Underrepresented minority	10,500	S	1,900	3,400	4,000	S	52,000
No disability	79,200	2,300	3,900	55,400	11,000	6,600	53,000
With disability	3,500	S	S	S	S	S	43,000

S = suppressed data for weighted cases less than 100 or unweighted sample sizes less than 20 for respondent confidentiality and/or data reliability.

<sup>a</sup> Salary data are for principal jobs only. Full-time employed are those working at least 35 hours per week at their principal jobs. Full-time students are excluded from salary data.

NOTES: Numbers are rounded to nearest 100, and median salaries are rounded to nearest \$1,000. Detail may not add to total because of rounding. The underrepresented minority category includes black, Hispanic, American Indian/Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian/other Pacific Islander. For disability status, those who reported any difficulty (from moderate to unable to do) in any category of seeing (with glasses/contact lenses), hearing (with hearing aid), walking, or lifting are classified as "with disability."

SOURCE: National Science Foundation, Division of Science Resources Statistics, National Survey of Recent College Graduates, 2003.