

Table 270. Doctor's degrees conferred by degree-granting institutions, by racial/ethnic group and sex of student: Selected years, 1976-77 to 2001-02

Year	Number of degrees conferred ¹							Percentage distribution of degrees conferred						
	Total	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	American Indian/Alaska Native	Non-resident alien	Total	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	American Indian/Alaska Native	Non-resident alien
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Total														
1976-77 ²	33,126	26,851	1,253	522	658	95	3,747	100.0	81.1	3.8	1.6	2.0	0.3	11.3
1978-79 ³	32,675	26,138	1,268	439	811	104	3,915	100.0	80.0	3.9	1.3	2.5	0.3	12.0
1980-81 ⁴	32,839	25,908	1,265	456	877	130	4,203	100.0	78.9	3.9	1.4	2.7	0.4	12.8
1984-85 ⁵	32,307	23,934	1,154	677	1,106	119	5,317	100.0	74.1	3.6	2.1	3.4	0.4	16.5
1986-87	34,041	24,434	1,057	751	1,098	105	6,596	100.0	71.8	3.1	2.2	3.2	0.3	19.4
1988-89 ⁶	35,659	24,884	1,066	629	1,323	85	7,672	100.0	69.8	3.0	1.8	3.7	0.2	21.5
1989-90	38,371	26,221	1,149	780	1,225	98	8,898	100.0	68.3	3.0	2.0	3.2	0.3	23.2
1990-91	39,294	25,855	1,248	757	1,504	106	9,824	100.0	65.8	3.2	1.9	3.8	0.3	25.0
1991-92	40,659	26,229	1,239	824	1,598	120	10,649	100.0	64.5	3.0	2.0	3.9	0.3	26.2
1992-93	42,132	26,816	1,350	824	1,578	107	11,457	100.0	63.6	3.2	2.0	3.7	0.3	27.2
1993-94	43,185	27,212	1,385	900	2,024	134	11,530	100.0	63.0	3.2	2.1	4.7	0.3	26.7
1994-95	44,446	27,846	1,667	984	2,689	130	11,130	100.0	62.7	3.8	2.2	6.1	0.3	25.0
1995-96	44,652	27,773	1,632	997	2,641	159	11,450	100.0	62.2	3.7	2.2	5.9	0.4	25.6
1996-97	45,876	28,596	1,865	1,120	2,667	175	11,453	100.0	62.3	4.1	2.4	5.8	0.4	25.0
1997-98	46,010	28,803	2,067	1,275	2,339	186	11,340	100.0	62.6	4.5	2.8	5.1	0.4	24.6
1998-99	44,077	27,838	2,136	1,302	2,299	194	10,308	100.0	63.2	4.8	3.0	5.2	0.4	23.4
1999-2000	44,808	27,843	2,246	1,305	2,420	160	10,834	100.0	62.1	5.0	2.9	5.4	0.4	24.2
2000-01	44,904	27,454	2,207	1,516	2,587	177	10,963	100.0	61.1	4.9	3.4	5.8	0.4	24.4
2001-02	44,160	26,905	2,397	1,432	2,317	180	10,929	100.0	60.9	5.4	3.2	5.2	0.4	24.7
Men														
1976-77 ²	25,036	20,032	766	383	540	67	3,248	100.0	80.0	3.1	1.5	2.2	0.3	13.0
1978-79 ³	23,488	18,433	734	294	646	69	3,312	100.0	78.5	3.1	1.3	2.8	0.3	14.1
1980-81 ⁴	22,595	17,310	694	277	655	95	3,564	100.0	76.6	3.1	1.2	2.9	0.4	15.8
1984-85 ⁵	21,296	15,017	561	431	802	64	4,421	100.0	70.5	2.6	2.0	3.8	0.3	20.8
1986-87	22,061	14,812	485	441	794	57	5,472	100.0	67.1	2.2	2.0	3.6	0.3	24.8
1988-89 ⁶	22,597	14,541	491	350	945	50	6,220	100.0	64.3	2.2	1.5	4.2	0.2	27.5
1989-90	24,401	15,314	531	419	865	49	7,223	100.0	62.8	2.2	1.7	3.5	0.2	29.6
1990-91	24,756	14,853	597	399	1,017	59	7,831	100.0	60.0	2.4	1.6	4.1	0.2	31.6
1991-92	25,557	14,956	584	465	1,088	66	8,398	100.0	58.5	2.3	1.8	4.3	0.3	32.9
1992-93	26,073	14,991	617	437	1,040	52	8,936	100.0	57.5	2.4	1.7	4.0	0.2	34.3
1993-94	26,552	15,159	627	463	1,373	66	8,864	100.0	57.1	2.4	1.7	5.2	0.2	33.4
1994-95	26,916	15,375	730	488	1,756	58	8,509	100.0	57.1	2.7	1.8	6.5	0.2	31.6
1995-96	26,841	15,112	727	514	1,692	80	8,716	100.0	56.3	2.7	1.9	6.3	0.3	32.5
1996-97	27,146	15,499	795	585	1,645	87	8,535	100.0	57.1	2.9	2.2	6.1	0.3	31.4
1997-98	26,664	15,399	824	652	1,392	83	8,314	100.0	57.8	3.1	2.4	5.2	0.3	31.2
1998-99	25,146	14,726	873	625	1,337	92	7,493	100.0	58.6	3.5	2.5	5.3	0.4	29.8
1999-2000	25,028	14,472	876	611	1,356	57	7,656	100.0	57.8	3.5	2.4	5.4	0.2	30.6
2000-01	24,728	13,937	855	687	1,453	76	7,720	100.0	56.4	3.5	2.8	5.9	0.3	31.2
2001-02	23,708	13,334	921	649	1,240	67	7,497	100.0	56.2	3.9	2.7	5.2	0.3	31.6
Women														
1976-77 ²	8,090	6,819	487	139	118	28	499	100.0	84.3	6.0	1.7	1.5	0.3	6.2
1978-79 ³	9,187	7,705	534	145	165	35	603	100.0	83.9	5.8	1.6	1.8	0.4	6.6
1980-81 ⁴	10,244	8,598	571	179	222	35	639	100.0	83.9	5.6	1.7	2.2	0.3	6.2
1984-85 ⁵	11,011	8,917	593	246	304	55	896	100.0	81.0	5.4	2.2	2.8	0.5	8.1
1986-87	11,980	9,622	572	310	304	48	1,124	100.0	80.3	4.8	2.6	2.5	0.4	9.4
1988-89 ⁶	13,062	10,343	575	279	378	35	1,452	100.0	79.2	4.4	2.1	2.9	0.3	11.1
1989-90	13,970	10,907	618	361	360	49	1,675	100.0	78.1	4.4	2.6	2.6	0.4	12.0
1990-91	14,538	11,002	651	358	487	47	1,993	100.0	75.7	4.5	2.5	3.3	0.3	13.7
1991-92	15,102	11,273	655	359	510	54	2,251	100.0	74.6	4.3	2.4	3.4	0.4	14.9
1992-93	16,059	11,825	733	387	538	55	2,521	100.0	73.6	4.6	2.4	3.4	0.3	15.7
1993-94	16,633	12,053	758	437	651	68	2,666	100.0	72.5	4.6	2.6	3.9	0.4	16.0
1994-95	17,530	12,471	937	496	933	72	2,621	100.0	71.1	5.3	2.8	5.3	0.4	15.0
1995-96	17,811	12,661	905	483	949	79	2,734	100.0	71.1	5.1	2.7	5.3	0.4	15.4
1996-97	18,730	13,097	1,070	535	1,022	88	2,918	100.0	69.9	5.7	2.9	5.5	0.5	15.6
1997-98	19,346	13,404	1,243	623	947	103	3,026	100.0	69.3	6.4	3.2	4.9	0.5	15.6
1998-99	18,931	13,112	1,263	677	962	102	2,815	100.0	69.3	6.7	3.6	5.1	0.5	14.9
1999-2000	19,780	13,371	1,370	694	1,064	103	3,178	100.0	67.6	6.9	3.5	5.4	0.5	16.1
2000-01	20,176	13,517	1,352	829	1,134	101	3,243	100.0	67.0	6.7	4.1	5.6	0.5	16.1
2001-02	20,452	13,571	1,476	783	1,077	113	3,432	100.0	66.4	7.2	3.8	5.3	0.6	16.8

¹ Includes Ph.D., Ed.D., and comparable degrees at the doctoral level. Excludes first-professional degrees, such as M.D., D.D.S., and law degrees.

² Excludes 106 men whose racial/ethnic group was not available.

³ Excludes 53 men and 2 women whose racial/ethnic group was not available.

⁴ Excludes 116 men and 3 women whose racial/ethnic group was not available.

⁵ Excludes 404 men and 232 women whose racial/ethnic group was not available.

⁶ Excludes 51 men and 10 women whose racial/ethnic group was not available.

NOTE: For years 1984-85 to 2001-02, reported racial/ethnic distributions of students by level of degree, field of degree, and sex were used to estimate race/ethnicity for stu-

dents whose race/ethnicity was not reported. Data for 1998-99 were imputed using alternative procedures. (See Guide to Sources for details.) Detail may not sum to totals due to rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Higher Education General Information Survey (HEGIS), "Degrees and Other Formal Awards Conferred" surveys 1976-77 through 1984-85, and Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS), "Completions" surveys, 1986-87 through 1998-99, and Fall 2000 through Fall 2002 surveys. (This table was prepared August 2003.)