

TABLE E-3. Master's degrees, by field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity: 1996–2005

Field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity	1996	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
All fields	408,932	420,954	431,871	456,260	466,645	481,132	511,603	555,537	567,875
S&E	95,313	93,485	93,918	95,683	98,986	99,173	107,910	118,470	120,025
Sciences	67,552	67,611	67,780	69,947	72,463	72,907	78,206	84,598	85,926
Agricultural sciences	4,021	3,927	3,862	3,858	3,752	4,019	3,955	4,221	4,171
Biological sciences	6,286	6,594	6,368	6,325	6,487	6,334	6,877	7,647	8,099
Computer sciences	10,613	10,489	11,752	14,529	16,341	16,582	19,248	19,853	17,820
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	1,487	1,435	1,426	1,345	1,363	1,406	1,491	1,570	1,685
Atmospheric sciences	199	177	199	156	140	141	167	179	255
Earth sciences	1,146	1,145	1,105	1,104	1,121	1,151	1,203	1,248	1,314
Ocean sciences	142	113	122	85	102	114	121	143	116
Mathematics and statistics	3,742	3,599	3,525	3,295	3,280	3,408	3,706	4,297	4,598
Physical sciences	4,364	4,141	3,969	3,512	3,737	3,624	3,702	4,030	4,116
Astronomy	115	93	101	102	93	112	123	150	159
Chemistry	2,273	2,268	2,173	1,908	2,009	1,866	1,830	2,056	1,912
Physics	1,686	1,497	1,401	1,244	1,376	1,353	1,453	1,637	1,846
Other	290	283	294	258	259	293	296	187	199
Psychology	13,043	13,633	13,146	13,708	14,335	14,041	14,469	15,298	16,076
Social sciences	23,996	23,793	23,732	23,375	23,168	23,493	24,758	27,682	29,361
Anthropology	1,051	1,111	1,098	950	1,092	1,017	1,043	1,098	1,107
Area and ethnic studies	1,657	1,587	1,550	1,529	1,515	1,497	1,514	1,617	1,681
Economics	2,964	2,804	2,843	2,515	2,492	2,651	2,951	3,201	3,504
History of science	10	18	22	24	26	35	25	25	29
Linguistics	601	642	568	553	552	520	525	574	611
Political science and public administration	13,370	13,368	13,151	13,035	12,929	13,183	14,115	15,766	17,354
Sociology	1,822	1,752	1,774	2,036	1,901	1,957	1,929	2,031	1,518
Other	2,521	2,511	2,726	2,733	2,661	2,633	2,656	3,370	3,557
Engineering	27,761	25,874	26,138	25,736	26,523	26,266	29,704	33,872	34,099
Aerospace engineering	774	625	584	560	611	682	735	870	946
Chemical engineering	1,416	1,345	1,372	1,352	1,368	1,267	1,365	1,506	1,506
Civil engineering	5,002	4,880	4,736	4,140	4,013	3,947	4,190	4,445	4,631
Electrical engineering	8,156	7,341	7,971	8,339	8,630	8,279	10,075	12,173	11,637
Industrial engineering	3,027	2,935	3,109	3,048	3,401	3,388	3,849	4,244	3,937
Materials engineering	774	724	698	759	709	630	720	800	790
Mechanical engineering	4,009	3,756	3,551	3,378	3,472	3,519	3,839	4,555	4,761
Other	4,603	4,268	4,117	4,160	4,319	4,554	4,931	5,279	5,891
Non-S&E	313,619	327,469	337,953	360,577	367,659	381,959	403,693	437,067	447,850
U.S. citizen/permanent resident									
All fields	360,682	371,477	379,666	400,689	405,455	417,821	440,227	481,135	495,470
S&E	73,635	72,220	71,295	70,933	71,564	71,623	75,542	83,120	86,563
Sciences	54,870	54,982	54,318	55,020	56,042	56,160	59,212	64,868	67,344
Agricultural sciences	3,363	3,269	3,264	3,342	3,281	3,540	3,440	3,575	3,575
Biological sciences	5,295	5,671	5,468	5,575	5,614	5,529	5,876	6,532	6,886
Computer sciences	6,712	6,516	6,957	7,966	8,596	8,895	10,159	11,033	10,340
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	1,238	1,198	1,218	1,150	1,191	1,207	1,285	1,312	1,431
Atmospheric sciences	163	143	152	118	116	113	128	135	206
Earth sciences	962	959	972	962	987	1,001	1,046	1,058	1,132
Ocean sciences	113	96	94	70	88	93	111	119	93
Mathematics and statistics	2,712	2,606	2,499	2,184	2,050	2,114	2,193	2,512	2,821
Physical sciences	2,879	2,734	2,680	2,372	2,498	2,436	2,513	2,662	2,735
Astronomy	94	74	82	80	65	77	94	102	122
Chemistry	1,468	1,501	1,446	1,309	1,388	1,260	1,297	1,384	1,289
Physics	1,082	938	882	761	808	829	851	1,010	1,148
Other	235	221	270	222	237	270	271	166	176

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Field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity	1996	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Psychology	12,619	13,231	12,686	13,241	13,871	13,562	13,804	14,695	15,446
Social sciences	20,052	19,757	19,546	19,190	18,941	18,877	19,942	22,547	24,110
Anthropology	956	1,020	1,012	864	1,004	918	960	993	1,034
Area and ethnic studies	1,489	1,397	1,340	1,300	1,287	1,269	1,266	1,364	1,445
Economics	1,620	1,456	1,440	1,209	1,172	1,191	1,337	1,493	1,774
History of science	10	16	16	22	21	33	18	22	23
Linguistics	430	473	420	380	394	351	353	398	422
Political science and public administration	11,580	11,517	11,220	11,111	10,946	11,037	11,893	13,401	14,860
Sociology	1,647	1,580	1,622	1,845	1,744	1,766	1,744	1,832	1,349
Other	2,320	2,298	2,476	2,459	2,373	2,312	2,371	3,044	3,203
Engineering	18,765	17,238	16,977	15,913	15,522	15,463	16,330	18,252	19,219
Aerospace engineering	576	441	374	339	360	395	447	579	656
Chemical engineering	820	748	780	721	726	662	657	704	739
Civil engineering	3,664	3,664	3,547	3,048	2,780	2,593	2,686	2,782	3,080
Electrical engineering	4,994	4,265	4,452	4,231	3,959	4,036	4,403	5,276	5,229
Industrial engineering	2,044	1,872	2,004	1,872	1,992	1,958	2,084	2,268	2,178
Materials engineering	501	472	447	483	409	386	381	417	451
Mechanical engineering	2,806	2,602	2,423	2,212	2,222	2,214	2,239	2,630	2,847
Other	3,360	3,174	2,950	3,007	3,074	3,219	3,433	3,596	4,039
Non-S&E	287,047	299,257	308,371	329,756	333,891	346,198	364,685	398,015	408,907
White									
All fields	282,713	288,353	291,962	297,226	293,390	296,978	306,552	326,932	336,718
S&E	55,349	53,769	52,328	49,850	48,792	48,410	49,936	54,339	56,082
Sciences	41,773	41,277	40,243	38,830	38,326	38,006	39,210	42,582	43,815
Agricultural sciences	2,918	2,809	2,827	2,864	2,782	2,951	2,898	2,953	2,930
Biological sciences	4,131	4,395	4,212	4,179	4,124	4,085	4,290	4,618	4,862
Computer sciences	4,353	4,105	4,277	4,435	4,541	4,738	5,125	5,686	5,556
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	1,074	1,084	1,106	1,036	1,043	1,065	1,125	1,144	1,234
Atmospheric sciences	148	128	133	111	99	98	117	120	185
Earth sciences	853	873	889	861	876	890	914	921	963
Ocean sciences	73	83	84	64	68	77	94	103	86
Mathematics and statistics	2,083	2,005	1,895	1,655	1,515	1,555	1,623	1,795	1,982
Physical sciences	2,250	2,088	2,023	1,774	1,874	1,782	1,848	2,023	2,013
Astronomy	79	67	73	65	47	59	67	76	98
Chemistry	1,099	1,068	1,028	929	992	876	905	1,012	886
Physics	866	755	696	585	627	613	642	790	873
Other	206	198	226	195	208	234	234	145	156
Psychology	10,071	10,444	9,820	9,646	9,798	9,315	9,356	9,901	10,141
Social sciences	14,893	14,347	14,083	13,241	12,649	12,515	12,945	14,462	15,097
Anthropology	789	862	839	686	800	705	743	770	779
Area and ethnic studies	999	992	958	898	794	769	720	838	809
Economics	1,205	1,047	1,067	839	840	827	828	927	1,097
History of science	9	12	16	20	18	23	13	17	20
Linguistics	340	364	319	295	284	270	258	290	300
Political science and public administration	8,551	8,185	7,820	7,427	7,005	7,051	7,503	8,353	9,077
Sociology	1,160	1,130	1,165	1,254	1,178	1,183	1,177	1,202	858
Other	1,840	1,755	1,899	1,822	1,730	1,687	1,703	2,065	2,157
Engineering	13,576	12,492	12,085	11,020	10,466	10,404	10,726	11,757	12,267
Aerospace engineering	427	345	297	284	277	310	347	444	500
Chemical engineering	605	541	537	501	487	435	431	455	452
Civil engineering	2,849	2,842	2,777	2,337	2,130	1,931	1,995	2,089	2,245
Electrical engineering	3,165	2,737	2,710	2,474	2,244	2,308	2,433	2,812	2,806
Industrial engineering	1,479	1,360	1,406	1,238	1,290	1,261	1,302	1,361	1,226
Materials engineering	396	350	356	373	295	287	282	304	314
Mechanical engineering	2,119	1,967	1,815	1,630	1,558	1,584	1,618	1,840	2,045

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Field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity	1996	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Other	2,536	2,350	2,187	2,183	2,185	2,288	2,318	2,452	2,679
Non-S&E	227,364	234,584	239,634	247,376	244,598	248,568	256,616	272,593	280,636
Asian/Pacific Islander									
All fields	17,281	17,912	19,936	21,412	21,946	22,610	24,184	26,990	28,659
S&E	6,328	6,180	6,554	6,990	7,045	6,814	7,589	8,567	8,823
Sciences	3,707	3,861	4,103	4,611	4,631	4,613	5,145	5,565	5,729
Agricultural sciences	110	103	83	94	97	126	99	111	111
Biological sciences	528	575	591	595	540	537	646	763	793
Computer sciences	1,283	1,322	1,579	2,028	2,053	2,004	2,284	2,330	2,193
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	37	30	30	22	28	37	28	39	31
Atmospheric sciences	6	4	11	4	5	7	4	5	4
Earth sciences	28	19	15	17	17	25	18	28	26
Ocean sciences	3	7	4	1	6	5	6	6	1
Mathematics and statistics	220	238	216	180	205	214	221	275	324
Physical sciences	267	278	248	240	220	213	231	196	244
Astronomy	7	2	4	5	5	4	7	6	7
Chemistry	180	197	172	172	153	125	157	128	154
Physics	77	73	60	53	56	66	57	60	75
Other	3	6	12	10	6	18	10	2	8
Psychology	322	364	379	472	498	526	525	580	582
Social sciences	940	951	977	980	990	956	1,111	1,271	1,451
Anthropology	27	25	36	39	39	34	42	43	44
Area and ethnic studies	86	91	83	78	101	92	101	93	111
Economics	144	155	127	132	113	119	156	157	185
History of science	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	1
Linguistics	41	37	41	42	43	26	32	37	41
Political science and public administration	500	478	534	516	534	512	600	715	854
Sociology	65	69	72	66	70	86	95	106	78
Other	77	96	84	107	90	85	83	117	137
Engineering	2,621	2,319	2,451	2,379	2,414	2,201	2,444	3,002	3,094
Aerospace engineering	48	42	35	26	37	29	42	51	55
Chemical engineering	98	87	123	114	120	96	96	135	106
Civil engineering	381	386	329	283	220	204	241	254	298
Electrical engineering	1,096	911	1,082	1,061	1,026	919	1,049	1,421	1,379
Industrial engineering	196	153	180	192	212	190	275	284	332
Materials engineering	51	62	50	54	55	43	53	53	64
Mechanical engineering	328	293	278	265	358	315	262	347	326
Other	423	385	374	384	386	405	426	457	534
Non-S&E	10,953	11,732	13,382	14,422	14,901	15,796	16,595	18,423	19,836
Black									
All fields	24,588	26,948	28,616	33,305	35,059	36,524	39,582	44,375	46,901
S&E	4,420	4,870	4,894	5,492	6,117	6,133	6,800	7,459	7,607
Sciences	3,746	4,196	4,180	4,834	5,417	5,395	5,973	6,606	6,733
Agricultural sciences	88	96	95	84	96	88	103	102	85
Biological sciences	199	236	190	223	313	288	298	385	375
Computer sciences	435	411	424	580	654	659	881	902	740
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	11	12	15	7	21	18	18	22	19
Atmospheric sciences	0	2	2	0	4	2	2	3	5
Earth sciences	9	10	13	6	15	15	13	16	13
Ocean sciences	2	0	0	1	2	1	3	3	1
Mathematics and statistics	145	154	142	98	113	113	98	115	135
Physical sciences	105	132	131	117	130	121	113	120	101

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Field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity	1996	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Astronomy	1	2	0	0	0	2	1	1	2
Chemistry	65	84	79	65	82	74	76	87	55
Physics	32	39	34	44	41	37	32	27	39
Other	7	7	18	8	7	8	4	5	5
Psychology	870	1,059	1,020	1,346	1,598	1,631	1,801	1,923	2,135
Social sciences	1,893	2,096	2,163	2,379	2,492	2,477	2,661	3,037	3,143
Anthropology	28	29	26	33	37	32	33	31	30
Area and ethnic studies	98	109	104	91	86	108	122	127	135
Economics	96	96	94	71	66	76	67	70	96
History of science	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Linguistics	7	12	12	4	14	5	7	3	9
Political science and public administration	1,198	1,386	1,453	1,585	1,754	1,717	1,861	2,057	2,235
Sociology	261	247	220	344	294	285	274	301	205
Other	205	216	254	251	240	252	297	448	433
Engineering	674	674	714	658	700	738	827	853	874
Aerospace engineering	10	9	7	7	10	14	8	11	19
Chemical engineering	33	35	43	34	34	31	43	31	56
Civil engineering	116	109	127	93	102	101	96	76	100
Electrical engineering	192	168	198	183	188	189	226	238	229
Industrial engineering	112	89	111	90	119	142	158	170	152
Materials engineering	9	18	13	15	9	19	14	21	19
Mechanical engineering	85	110	96	91	89	71	79	85	82
Other	117	136	119	145	149	171	203	221	217
Non-S&E	20,168	22,078	23,722	27,813	28,942	30,391	32,782	36,916	39,294
Hispanic									
All fields	15,394	16,360	17,416	20,803	22,163	23,165	25,257	29,498	31,815
S&E	3,090	3,220	3,462	3,746	4,077	4,089	4,381	5,078	5,365
Sciences	2,342	2,455	2,655	2,894	3,239	3,234	3,505	3,948	4,213
Agricultural sciences	95	105	116	133	123	175	132	171	185
Biological sciences	194	214	192	268	310	267	267	330	359
Computer sciences	188	211	219	288	440	333	555	602	462
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	27	23	20	30	28	35	28	36	47
Atmospheric sciences	1	3	2	2	0	1	2	2	3
Earth sciences	25	18	17	26	25	31	24	32	43
Ocean sciences	1	2	1	2	3	3	2	2	1
Mathematics and statistics	88	63	85	100	72	82	108	113	130
Physical sciences	100	116	129	96	119	136	144	127	144
Astronomy	4	2	0	2	1	2	2	3	2
Chemistry	46	72	84	56	74	72	90	70	84
Physics	39	36	35	34	37	56	41	44	53
Other	11	6	10	4	7	6	11	10	5
Psychology	667	718	787	837	937	953	957	1,085	1,219
Social sciences	983	1,005	1,107	1,142	1,210	1,253	1,314	1,484	1,667
Anthropology	35	37	48	37	45	59	48	58	62
Area and ethnic studies	102	91	96	107	113	121	139	117	151
Economics	64	71	63	67	53	57	79	80	111
History of science	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Linguistics	23	24	27	18	27	19	23	26	26
Political science and public administration	593	634	651	701	736	743	800	905	1,023
Sociology	87	69	97	110	116	140	117	139	111
Other	79	78	125	102	119	114	107	159	183
Engineering	748	765	807	852	838	855	876	1,130	1,152
Aerospace engineering	10	20	16	13	11	19	14	21	39
Chemical engineering	43	51	46	39	40	45	39	40	41
Civil engineering	147	159	158	180	168	187	152	163	208

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Field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity	1996	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Electrical engineering	208	187	190	211	172	180	242	340	276
Industrial engineering	130	108	150	172	192	204	163	229	239
Materials engineering	21	22	15	15	22	16	6	16	26
Mechanical engineering	98	113	117	99	93	87	117	157	153
Other	91	105	115	123	140	117	143	164	170
Non-S&E	12,304	13,140	13,954	17,057	18,086	19,076	20,876	24,420	26,450
American Indian/Alaskan Native									
All fields	1,693	1,844	1,951	2,099	2,274	2,382	2,546	2,826	2,892
S&E	321	370	372	383	472	420	452	535	486
Sciences	265	317	318	319	412	363	382	450	404
Agricultural sciences	14	18	23	23	18	25	24	23	27
Biological sciences	17	25	21	26	29	34	31	33	29
Computer sciences	26	25	15	32	68	32	42	57	35
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	5	5	10	9	11	4	9	7	11
Atmospheric sciences	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Earth sciences	4	5	8	9	8	4	9	7	10
Ocean sciences	1	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0
Mathematics and statistics	5	14	9	9	9	8	8	7	9
Physical sciences	5	11	14	9	9	15	12	8	11
Astronomy	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Chemistry	3	8	12	5	7	11	5	3	6
Physics	2	2	2	3	2	4	5	5	3
Other	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
Psychology	78	97	108	69	106	96	104	108	115
Social sciences	115	122	118	142	162	149	152	207	167
Anthropology	12	10	14	14	17	12	11	19	14
Area and ethnic studies	22	21	15	16	20	20	33	27	27
Economics	3	8	5	3	7	10	6	6	10
History of science	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Linguistics	2	2	2	1	1	4	1	2	6
Political science and public administration	48	55	49	62	70	74	77	118	90
Sociology	20	16	19	30	28	17	17	17	7
Other	8	10	14	16	18	11	7	18	13
Engineering	56	53	54	64	60	57	70	85	82
Aerospace engineering	5	2	0	0	2	4	2	6	2
Chemical engineering	4	5	1	3	4	2	2	0	4
Civil engineering	9	10	14	14	10	11	13	16	13
Electrical engineering	15	8	9	14	10	13	18	10	20
Industrial engineering	3	6	7	8	15	8	8	19	18
Materials engineering	2	0	0	4	1	2	1	1	1
Mechanical engineering	11	10	13	7	7	6	9	21	6
Other	7	12	10	14	11	11	17	12	18
Non-S&E	1,372	1,474	1,579	1,716	1,802	1,962	2,094	2,291	2,406
Other or unknown race/ethnicity									
All fields	19,013	20,060	19,785	25,844	30,623	36,162	42,106	50,514	48,485
S&E	4,127	3,811	3,685	4,472	5,061	5,757	6,384	7,142	8,200
Sciences	3,037	2,876	2,819	3,532	4,017	4,549	4,997	5,717	6,450
Agricultural sciences	138	138	120	144	165	175	184	215	237
Biological sciences	226	226	262	284	298	318	344	403	468
Computer sciences	427	442	443	603	840	1,129	1,272	1,456	1,354
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	84	44	37	46	60	48	77	64	89
Atmospheric sciences	8	6	4	1	8	5	3	5	8
Earth sciences	43	34	30	43	46	36	68	54	77

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Field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity	1996	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Ocean sciences	33	4	3	2	6	7	6	5	4
Mathematics and statistics	171	132	152	142	136	142	135	207	241
Physical sciences	152	109	135	136	146	169	165	188	222
Astronomy	3	1	5	8	12	10	16	16	12
Chemistry	75	72	71	82	80	102	64	84	104
Physics	66	33	55	42	45	53	74	84	105
Other	8	3	4	4	9	4	11	4	1
Psychology	611	549	572	871	934	1,041	1,061	1,098	1,254
Social sciences	1,228	1,236	1,098	1,306	1,438	1,527	1,759	2,086	2,585
Anthropology	65	57	49	55	66	76	83	72	105
Area and ethnic studies	182	93	84	110	173	159	151	162	212
Economics	108	79	84	97	93	102	201	253	275
History of science	1	2	0	2	0	5	2	2	2
Linguistics	17	34	19	20	25	27	32	40	40
Political science and public administration	690	779	713	820	847	940	1,052	1,253	1,581
Sociology	54	49	49	41	58	55	64	67	90
Other	111	143	100	161	176	163	174	237	280
Engineering	1,090	935	866	940	1,044	1,208	1,387	1,425	1,750
Aerospace engineering	76	23	19	9	23	19	34	46	41
Chemical engineering	37	29	30	30	41	53	46	43	80
Civil engineering	162	158	142	141	150	159	189	184	216
Electrical engineering	318	254	263	288	319	427	435	455	519
Industrial engineering	124	156	150	172	164	153	178	205	211
Materials engineering	22	20	13	22	27	19	25	22	27
Mechanical engineering	165	109	104	120	117	151	154	180	235
Other	186	186	145	158	203	227	326	290	421
Non-S&E	14,886	16,249	16,100	21,372	25,562	30,405	35,722	43,372	40,285
Temporary resident									
All fields	48,250	49,477	52,205	55,571	61,190	63,311	71,376	74,402	72,405
S&E	21,678	21,265	22,623	24,750	27,422	27,550	32,368	35,350	33,462
Sciences	12,682	12,629	13,462	14,927	16,421	16,747	18,994	19,730	18,582
Agricultural sciences	658	658	598	516	471	479	515	646	596
Biological sciences	991	923	900	750	873	805	1,001	1,115	1,213
Computer sciences	3,901	3,973	4,795	6,563	7,745	7,687	9,089	8,820	7,480
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	249	237	208	195	172	199	206	258	254
Atmospheric sciences	36	34	47	38	24	28	39	44	49
Earth sciences	184	186	133	142	134	150	157	190	182
Ocean sciences	29	17	28	15	14	21	10	24	23
Mathematics and statistics	1,030	993	1,026	1,111	1,230	1,294	1,513	1,785	1,777
Physical sciences	1,485	1,407	1,289	1,140	1,239	1,188	1,189	1,368	1,381
Astronomy	21	19	19	22	28	35	29	48	37
Chemistry	805	767	727	599	621	606	533	672	623
Physics	604	559	519	483	568	524	602	627	698
Other	55	62	24	36	22	23	25	21	23
Psychology	424	402	460	467	464	479	665	603	630
Social sciences	3,944	4,036	4,186	4,185	4,227	4,616	4,816	5,135	5,251
Anthropology	95	91	86	86	88	99	83	105	73
Area and ethnic studies	168	190	210	229	228	228	248	253	236
Economics	1,344	1,348	1,403	1,306	1,320	1,460	1,614	1,708	1,730
History of science	0	2	6	2	5	2	7	3	6
Linguistics	171	169	148	173	158	169	172	176	189
Political science and public administration	1,790	1,851	1,931	1,924	1,983	2,146	2,222	2,365	2,494
Sociology	175	172	152	191	157	191	185	199	169
Other	201	213	250	274	288	321	285	326	354

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Field, citizenship, and race/ethnicity	1996	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Engineering	8,996	8,636	9,161	9,823	11,001	10,803	13,374	15,620	14,880
Aerospace engineering	198	184	210	221	251	287	288	291	290
Chemical engineering	596	597	592	631	642	605	708	802	767
Civil engineering	1,338	1,216	1,189	1,092	1,233	1,354	1,504	1,663	1,551
Electrical engineering	3,162	3,076	3,519	4,108	4,671	4,243	5,672	6,897	6,408
Industrial engineering	983	1,063	1,105	1,176	1,409	1,430	1,765	1,976	1,759
Materials engineering	273	252	251	276	300	244	339	383	339
Mechanical engineering	1,203	1,154	1,128	1,166	1,250	1,305	1,600	1,925	1,914
Other	1,243	1,094	1,167	1,153	1,245	1,335	1,498	1,683	1,852
Non-S&E	26,572	28,212	29,582	30,821	33,768	35,761	39,008	39,052	38,943

NOTES: Race/ethnicity breakouts are for U.S. citizens and permanent residents only. Temporary resident includes all racial/ethnic groups. Data are not available for 1999.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation, Division of Science Resources Statistics, special tabulations of U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System, Completions Survey, 1996–2005.