

TABLE C-1. Associate's degrees, by field and sex: 1997–2006

Field and sex	1997	1998	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Both sexes									
All fields	546,031	549,191	543,876	552,046	553,735	595,223	605,403	640,910	648,606
S&E	25,771	28,646	33,651	38,063	42,200	51,782	49,420	45,686	42,523
Sciences	23,883	26,539	31,921	36,272	40,553	49,966	47,280	43,614	40,618
Agricultural sciences	1,865	2,007	1,943	2,083	1,983	1,993	1,941	1,875	1,900
Biological sciences	2,181	2,176	1,468	1,519	1,519	1,783	1,749	1,985	2,039
Computer sciences	10,632	12,899	18,928	23,106	26,916	35,789	32,176	27,641	24,345
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	191	180	174	181	58	186	40	182	210
Mathematics and statistics	793	843	670	692	683	733	797	801	749
Physical sciences	1,540	1,518	1,271	1,136	1,284	1,085	1,545	1,556	1,639
Psychology	1,606	1,760	1,445	1,538	1,691	1,766	1,869	1,927	1,925
Social sciences	5,075	5,156	6,022	6,017	6,419	6,631	7,163	7,647	7,811
Engineering	1,888	2,107	1,730	1,791	1,647	1,816	2,140	2,072	1,905
Non-S&E	520,260	520,545	510,225	513,983	511,535	543,441	555,983	595,224	606,083
Engineering technologies	35,221	35,163	35,544	35,413	31,557	34,007	29,681	28,769	26,742
Other non-S&E	485,039	485,382	474,681	478,570	479,978	509,434	526,302	566,455	579,341
Female									
All fields	333,333	333,303	327,720	332,035	338,606	359,140	375,374	395,233	401,508
S&E	13,135	14,041	16,465	17,948	18,781	21,553	20,354	18,343	17,273
Sciences	12,864	13,718	16,227	17,651	18,510	21,264	19,879	18,055	16,992
Agricultural sciences	669	740	784	781	758	765	705	641	728
Biological sciences	1,392	1,383	974	1,022	1,035	1,204	1,142	1,311	1,327
Computer sciences	4,912	5,762	8,201	9,565	10,014	12,563	10,522	8,287	6,969
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	65	52	58	58	21	63	19	65	73
Mathematics and statistics	349	353	263	243	240	268	296	275	270
Physical sciences	807	811	671	552	610	509	669	624	666
Psychology	1,230	1,157	1,119	1,183	1,324	1,329	1,440	1,484	1,484
Social sciences	3,440	3,460	4,157	4,247	4,508	4,563	5,086	5,368	5,475
Engineering	271	323	238	297	271	289	475	288	281
Non-S&E	320,198	319,262	311,255	314,087	319,825	337,587	355,020	376,890	384,235
Engineering technologies	5,231	5,214	5,465	5,666	5,020	5,676	4,540	4,504	4,205
Other non-S&E	314,967	314,048	305,790	308,421	314,805	331,911	350,480	372,386	380,030
Male									
All fields	212,698	215,888	216,156	220,011	215,129	236,083	230,029	245,677	247,098
S&E	12,636	14,605	17,186	20,115	23,419	30,229	29,066	27,343	25,250
Sciences	11,019	12,821	15,694	18,621	22,043	28,702	27,401	25,559	23,626
Agricultural sciences	1,196	1,267	1,159	1,302	1,225	1,228	1,236	1,234	1,172
Biological sciences	789	793	494	497	484	579	607	674	712
Computer sciences	5,720	7,137	10,727	13,541	16,902	23,226	21,654	19,354	17,376
Earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences	126	128	116	123	37	123	21	117	137
Mathematics and statistics	444	490	407	449	443	465	501	526	479
Physical sciences	733	707	600	584	674	576	876	932	973
Psychology	376	603	326	355	367	437	429	443	441
Social sciences	1,635	1,696	1,865	1,770	1,911	2,068	2,077	2,279	2,336
Engineering	1,617	1,784	1,492	1,494	1,376	1,527	1,665	1,784	1,624
Non-S&E	200,062	201,283	198,970	199,896	191,710	205,854	200,963	218,334	221,848
Engineering technologies	29,990	29,949	30,079	29,747	26,537	28,331	25,141	24,265	22,537
Other non-S&E	170,072	171,334	168,891	170,149	165,173	177,523	175,822	194,069	199,311

NOTE: Data 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, 1997–2006.