

TABLE G-4. Location and type of postgraduate activity for U.S.-citizen and permanent-resident S&E doctoral degree recipients with definite postgraduate plans, by disability status: 2006

(Percent distribution)

Location and type of activity	All recipients	No disability	With disability
All doctoral degree recipients with definite plans (number)	11,857	11,679	178
All doctoral degree recipients with definite plans	100.0	100.0	100.0
United States	96.0	96.0	96.1
Academic employment	22.3	22.2	28.1
Industry employment	15.0	15.1	8.4
Postdoctoral study	43.6	43.7	39.3
Other	15.1	15.1	20.2
Abroad	3.9	3.9	3.4
Location unknown	0.1	0.1	0.6

S&E = science and engineering.

NOTES: Definite postgraduate plans are defined as *Am returning to, or continuing in, predoctoral employment* or *Have signed contract or made definite commitment for other work or study* by doctoral degree recipients who responded to the question, *How definite are your immediate (within the next year) postgraduate plans?* "Other" includes elementary/secondary schools, government, nonprofit, and other/unknown.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation, Division of Science Resources Statistics, Survey of Earned Doctorates, 2006.