

Table 258. Number of degree-granting institutions conferring degrees, by control, level of degree, and discipline division: 2001-02

Discipline division	Total number of institutions awarding degrees				Number of public institutions awarding degrees				Number of private institutions awarding degrees			
	Associate degrees	Bachelor's degrees	Master's degrees	Doctor's degrees	Associate degrees	Bachelor's degrees	Master's degrees	Doctor's degrees	Associate degrees	Bachelor's degrees	Master's degrees	Doctor's degrees
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Total	2,581	2,035	1,514	539	1,308	590	503	235	1,273	1,445	1,011	304
Agricultural business and production ..	350	124	58	31	336	95	56	31	14	29	2	0
Agricultural sciences	97	131	79	50	93	115	75	50	4	16	4	0
Architecture and related programs	43	175	127	29	37	110	89	21	6	65	38	8
Area, ethnic, and cultural studies	40	406	124	40	33	193	75	22	7	213	49	18
Biological sciences/life sciences	192	1,274	436	220	175	486	311	149	17	788	125	71
Business management and administrative services	1,787	1,530	898	129	1,166	531	379	84	621	999	519	45
Communications	226	979	247	54	179	393	169	43	47	586	78	11
Communications technologies	195	47	15	2	173	19	3	0	22	28	12	2
Computer and information sciences	1,092	1,224	390	120	636	466	240	78	456	758	150	42
Conservation and renewable natural resources	149	425	147	54	137	193	112	49	12	232	35	5
Consumer and personal services	308	21	1	0	236	9	0	0	72	12	1	0
Construction trades	219	12	1	0	206	6	0	0	13	6	1	0
Education	441	1,154	965	258	361	429	439	169	80	725	526	89
Engineering	259	417	284	183	236	234	187	134	23	183	97	49
Engineering-related technologies	1,051	307	72	4	812	211	61	3	239	96	11	1
English language and literature/letters	137	1,265	448	143	128	490	311	98	9	775	137	45
Foreign languages and literatures	77	869	198	90	74	389	148	59	3	480	50	31
Health professions and related sciences	1,442	1,020	703	179	1,020	444	339	116	422	576	364	63
Home economics	105	317	183	45	85	209	121	35	20	108	62	10
Law and legal studies	540	167	89	19	340	51	35	4	200	116	54	15
Liberal arts and sciences, general studies, and humanities	1,341	821	178	17	1,044	342	94	6	297	479	84	11
Library science	26	11	75	15	25	10	59	14	1	1	16	1
Marketing operations/marketing and distribution	367	149	19	2	302	55	4	1	65	94	15	1
Mathematics	143	1,125	323	149	137	471	245	105	6	654	78	44
Mechanics and repairers	619	9	0	0	564	5	0	0	55	4	0	0
Multi/interdisciplinary studies	253	678	239	66	234	274	151	41	19	404	88	25
Parks, recreation, leisure, and fitness studies	149	665	176	37	133	288	139	34	16	377	37	3
Philosophy and religion	33	871	188	98	19	294	85	50	14	577	103	48
Physical sciences	158	1,049	339	205	148	466	246	138	10	583	93	67
Precision production trades	734	37	1	0	595	25	0	0	139	12	1	0
Protective services	877	548	156	14	771	276	108	11	106	272	48	3
Psychology	176	1,295	607	266	148	483	316	134	28	812	291	132
Public administration and services	279	675	383	91	249	304	255	58	30	371	128	33
R.O.T.C. and military technologies	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Science technologies	129	21	6	1	120	13	5	1	9	8	1	0
Social sciences and history	244	1,298	422	180	211	495	296	119	33	803	126	61
Theological studies/religious vocations	74	369	272	107	0	0	0	0	74	369	272	107
Transportation and material moving workers	106	69	8	0	90	37	3	0	16	32	5	0
Visual and performing arts	656	1,283	387	101	472	459	241	67	184	824	146	34
Vocational home economics	626	25	3	0	603	12	2	0	23	13	1	0
Not classified by field of study	8	17	3	0	5	0	0	0	3	17	3	0

NOTE: Doctor's degrees include 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. Data represent programs, not organizational units within institutions. Details in each column do not sum to totals, because each institution can be counted in more than one row.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS), Fall 2002 survey. (This table was prepared August 2003.)