

End of Cycle 2017 Data Resources

DR3_010_01 Acceptances by subject group

UCAS

Statistic: Number of Acceptances

Variables: Subject Group (Summary Level), Cycle Year

Coverage: All

Definitions

Subject Group (Summary Level)

Classifies courses into a summary level of 26 subjects. Each course is assigned up to three valid JACS3 subject codes (e.g. G100 – Mathematics) and a course balance indicator by UCAS, which are available for review by the provider. The course is assigned a subject based on these JACS3 subject codes and balance indicator, it largely correlates to the first two characters of the subject codes. Where there are more than one JACS3 subject codes for a given course, and the balance indicator is dual or triple, the first two characters of each subject code are reported in combination to a relevant category (e.g. Course with dual balance indicator with JACS3 subject codes B940 = Counselling and C843 = Counselling psychology is assigned a subject 'Y Combined sciences'). Please note: Between 2007 and 2011 the subject codes assigned to each course were from the JACS2.0 classification, therefore JACS3 versions of the subject categories have been approximated for 2007 to 2011 to allow a consistent time series.

Cycle Year

The cycle in which the application was processed.

Number of Acceptances

Acceptance is defined as an applicant who has been placed for entry into higher education.

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Subject Group (Summary Level)	Number of Acceptances by Cycle Year									
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine and Dentistry	9,260	9,235	9,245	9,065	9,080	8,765	8,915	8,965	9,125	9,315
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	43,070	48,125	49,890	47,960	46,615	49,475	52,405	53,540	55,450	55,755
Group C Biological Sciences	34,280	36,955	38,825	40,140	39,625	44,415	48,815	52,250	54,200	54,240
Group D Veterinary Sciences, Agriculture and related	4,805	5,460	5,780	6,115	5,780	6,445	6,740	7,545	7,150	6,980
Group F Physical Sciences	16,205	17,290	18,000	18,440	18,270	19,325	19,920	20,945	20,210	20,050
Group G Mathematical Sciences	6,395	7,705	7,930	8,360	8,100	8,475	8,470	8,730	9,070	9,205
Group H Engineering	22,940	25,435	26,065	25,995	25,295	27,155	29,110	30,850	30,775	30,600
Group I Computer Sciences	18,510	20,285	20,500	20,420	19,355	21,710	23,585	25,940	26,845	27,405
Group J Technologies	2,720	3,080	3,235	2,815	2,345	2,560	2,585	2,380	2,160	2,080
Group K Architecture, Building and Planning	10,240	10,290	9,415	8,955	7,550	7,730	7,685	8,340	8,575	9,145
Group L Social Studies	33,565	36,750	38,640	39,925	37,830	40,930	43,325	46,575	47,935	49,780
Group M Law	20,485	22,030	21,850	22,720	22,080	23,740	23,695	24,300	25,050	26,075
Group N Business and Admin studies	54,965	58,415	59,250	61,100	57,595	60,990	63,660	66,510	67,655	67,845
Group P Mass Communication and Documentation	10,205	11,025	11,215	11,790	10,595	11,845	12,715	13,035	13,635	13,585
Group Q Linguistics, Classics and related	11,635	12,870	12,660	12,635	12,030	12,460	12,525	12,575	12,245	11,745
Group R European Languages, Literature and related	4,470	4,620	4,680	4,570	4,065	4,005	3,780	3,820	3,505	3,425
Group T Non-European Languages, Literature and related	1,485	1,495	1,485	1,440	1,235	1,255	1,115	1,265	1,145	1,095
Group V History and Philosophical studies	14,160	14,815	14,975	15,060	14,160	14,930	15,285	15,495	15,695	14,660
Group W Creative Arts and Design	48,660	52,220	51,560	53,065	47,735	51,645	53,330	55,425	54,485	53,320
Group X Education	14,665	16,040	16,335	16,960	16,895	17,860	18,440	20,425	20,165	19,885
Y Combined arts	14,805	13,605	13,270	12,845	11,155	10,925	10,580	9,955	9,360	8,705
Y Combined sciences	8,705	8,365	8,575	8,860	8,175	8,380	8,295	7,400	6,825	6,315
Y Combined social sciences	6,885	5,740	5,800	5,580	5,100	5,180	5,205	5,650	5,545	5,435
Y Sciences combined with Social Sciences or Arts	24,165	21,545	21,250	20,420	17,530	17,410	15,190	13,180	12,025	11,045
Y Social Sciences combined with Arts	13,715	12,715	12,345	12,195	10,625	11,040	10,140	10,235	9,745	9,405
Z General, other combined and unknown	5,630	5,745	4,555	4,595	6,090	6,955	6,860	6,925	6,595	6,800
Total	456,625	481,855	487,330	492,030	464,910	495,595	512,370	532,265	535,175	533,885