

Applicants by subject at the 30 June deadline

I.6.1 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	93,390	96,580	94,040	95,200	97,800	87,730	85,710	82,260	89,130	96,770
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	327,620	368,700	369,170	384,440	401,030	395,080	401,910	340,980	310,350	325,750
Group C Biological Sciences	216,480	228,620	218,430	234,240	251,580	273,190	281,300	278,800	282,610	291,820
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	25,560	28,040	27,010	29,120	30,590	31,860	30,560	29,270	29,700	30,260
Group F Physical Sciences	91,940	99,320	98,360	104,230	109,010	111,910	107,830	105,630	99,660	100,620
Group G Mathematical Sciences	44,300	45,630	44,470	45,970	45,600	47,420	49,000	50,910	51,170	46,140
Group H Engineering	134,810	140,960	137,280	145,600	160,690	171,320	170,450	167,180	161,670	160,830
Group I Computer Sciences	90,150	96,920	89,820	99,060	111,030	123,620	129,140	130,940	133,750	136,070
Group J Technologies	12,490	11,990	9,890	9,850	11,110	10,050	8,930	7,920	7,190	7,140
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	50,150	49,620	41,520	40,230	40,130	42,860	43,600	45,630	45,420	46,200
Group L Social Studies	237,100	243,140	215,170	218,830	229,350	240,890	247,980	254,440	251,850	251,530
Group M Law	117,240	122,870	117,750	123,760	122,990	128,260	133,870	140,200	142,950	147,810
Group N Business & Admin studies	310,690	330,490	311,540	313,840	327,030	344,160	347,550	336,650	329,430	327,960
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	58,690	62,780	53,740	56,840	61,730	64,930	65,990	66,220	61,460	54,480
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	74,540	71,470	65,670	65,500	65,860	66,540	64,450	61,240	56,320	52,540
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	25,670	25,470	22,490	21,250	20,090	19,900	18,630	17,320	15,410	15,700
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	8,420	8,440	6,680	6,240	5,910	6,130	5,760	5,470	5,010	5,120
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	84,610	83,190	77,270	78,690	81,740	83,080	82,570	76,420	73,880	69,800
Group W Creative Arts & Design	287,040	302,020	252,890	258,510	270,600	278,440	273,870	259,600	249,120	239,440
Group X Education	87,940	94,490	86,020	83,890	84,200	94,030	92,840	91,750	85,970	80,850
Y Combined arts	72,300	70,470	58,970	57,220	56,650	51,700	49,920	45,140	41,770	38,630
Y Combined sciences	40,690	42,700	38,580	39,750	40,940	36,300	32,640	30,410	30,720	32,110
Y Combined social sciences	35,280	34,170	30,080	28,360	30,920	31,420	32,920	32,220	33,790	34,670
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	110,210	105,880	87,650	82,680	80,150	65,440	58,860	54,320	52,620	50,010
Y Social sciences combined with arts	66,740	64,930	55,860	54,790	54,080	51,410	49,640	48,980	48,330	45,740
Z General, other combined & unknown	18,730	18,940	26,620	34,270	34,240	34,010	34,310	33,920	37,840	42,420

I.6.2 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5%	8%	6%	7%	10%	-2%	-4%	-8%	0%	9%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	6%	19%	19%	24%	29%	27%	30%	10%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-23%	-19%	-23%	-17%	-11%	-3%	-0%	-1%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-14%	-6%	-9%	-2%	3%	7%	3%	-1%	0%	2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-8%	-0%	-1%	5%	9%	12%	8%	6%	0%	1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-13%	-11%	-13%	-10%	-11%	-7%	-4%	-1%	0%	-10%
Group H Engineering	-17%	-13%	-15%	-10%	-1%	6%	5%	3%	0%	-1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-33%	-28%	-33%	-26%	-17%	-8%	-3%	-2%	0%	2%
Group J Technologies	74%	67%	37%	37%	55%	40%	24%	10%	0%	-1%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	10%	9%	-9%	-11%	-12%	-6%	-4%	0%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-6%	-3%	-15%	-13%	-9%	-4%	-2%	1%	0%	-0%
Group M Law	-18%	-14%	-18%	-13%	-14%	-10%	-6%	-2%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-6%	0%	-5%	-5%	-1%	4%	5%	2%	0%	-0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-5%	2%	-13%	-8%	0%	6%	7%	8%	0%	-11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	32%	27%	17%	16%	17%	18%	14%	9%	0%	-7%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	67%	65%	46%	38%	30%	29%	21%	12%	0%	2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	68%	68%	33%	24%	18%	22%	15%	9%	0%	2%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	15%	13%	5%	7%	11%	12%	12%	3%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	15%	21%	2%	4%	9%	12%	10%	4%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	2%	10%	0%	-2%	-2%	9%	8%	7%	0%	-6%
Y Combined arts	73%	69%	41%	37%	36%	24%	20%	8%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	32%	39%	26%	29%	33%	18%	6%	-1%	0%	5%
Y Combined social sciences	4%	1%	-11%	-16%	-8%	-7%	-3%	-5%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	109%	101%	67%	57%	52%	24%	12%	3%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	38%	34%	16%	13%	12%	6%	3%	1%	0%	-5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-50%	-50%	-30%	-9%	-10%	-10%	-9%	-10%	0%	12%

I.6.3 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle



I.6.4 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	74,150	76,500	73,740	74,600	75,030	66,670	64,510	63,240	68,810	77,200
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	299,960	338,840	339,930	352,370	368,800	361,810	367,840	310,390	280,920	294,340
Group C Biological Sciences	194,570	203,770	191,830	204,460	218,980	237,390	242,710	238,390	238,720	244,790
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	22,310	24,830	23,650	25,510	26,890	27,890	26,580	25,150	25,580	25,890
Group F Physical Sciences	81,580	88,290	86,650	91,450	94,920	96,900	91,780	89,350	81,660	80,500
Group G Mathematical Sciences	35,400	36,320	34,830	36,760	36,210	37,370	38,250	39,400	38,230	31,360
Group H Engineering	91,930	97,390	93,610	99,050	109,660	118,850	119,470	117,250	112,980	112,080
Group I Computer Sciences	78,200	83,460	76,860	84,380	93,760	102,650	105,310	104,040	101,730	99,950
Group J Technologies	10,440	9,890	7,910	7,870	8,580	7,600	6,600	5,720	5,050	4,760
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	37,340	36,350	29,800	27,970	27,480	29,260	31,130	33,000	33,050	33,380
Group L Social Studies	195,700	199,130	173,480	174,630	183,830	195,710	201,230	207,470	202,500	198,440
Group M Law	90,970	93,070	86,370	89,390	87,370	90,780	96,720	103,980	106,490	112,130
Group N Business & Admin studies	229,290	240,010	219,980	221,180	229,600	240,220	246,240	238,790	228,540	223,340
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	51,100	54,220	45,720	47,340	51,080	53,420	54,000	54,330	49,980	43,100
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	68,970	65,760	59,820	59,200	59,010	59,110	56,910	54,140	49,270	45,350
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	22,540	22,320	19,620	18,630	17,390	17,230	16,130	15,140	13,540	13,730
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7,290	7,290	5,720	5,430	5,150	5,350	4,820	4,720	4,180	4,240
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	78,770	77,180	71,230	72,540	75,480	76,630	75,130	69,240	65,820	61,640
Group W Creative Arts & Design	258,340	270,130	224,590	227,300	235,230	239,650	233,910	218,750	206,210	194,040
Group X Education	84,920	91,390	83,770	81,950	82,060	90,330	89,030	87,940	82,060	76,570
Y Combined arts	65,760	63,630	52,880	50,660	49,590	45,200	43,280	38,780	35,250	32,340
Y Combined sciences	34,880	36,540	32,280	33,090	33,480	28,780	25,300	23,550	23,200	23,640
Y Combined social sciences	26,100	25,120	20,800	19,390	21,550	21,290	23,040	22,440	23,890	24,740
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	97,720	93,340	76,150	71,150	68,460	55,190	48,360	44,310	42,090	38,810
Y Social sciences combined with arts	54,940	52,760	44,130	42,230	41,710	40,030	38,450	38,260	36,380	32,830
Z General, other combined & unknown	14,590	14,700	18,800	24,660	23,760	22,420	21,690	21,150	22,260	24,700

I.6.5 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	8%	11%	7%	8%	9%	-3%	-6%	-8%	0%	12%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	7%	21%	21%	25%	31%	29%	31%	10%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-18%	-15%	-20%	-14%	-8%	-1%	2%	-0%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-13%	-3%	-8%	-0%	5%	9%	4%	-2%	0%	1%
Group F Physical Sciences	-0%	8%	6%	12%	16%	19%	12%	9%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	-5%	-9%	-4%	-5%	-2%	0%	3%	0%	-18%
Group H Engineering	-19%	-14%	-17%	-12%	-3%	5%	6%	4%	0%	-1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-23%	-18%	-24%	-17%	-8%	1%	4%	2%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	107%	96%	57%	56%	70%	51%	31%	13%	0%	-6%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	13%	10%	-10%	-15%	-17%	-11%	-6%	-0%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-3%	-2%	-14%	-14%	-9%	-3%	-1%	2%	0%	-2%
Group M Law	-15%	-13%	-19%	-16%	-18%	-15%	-9%	-2%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	0%	5%	-4%	-3%	0%	5%	8%	4%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2%	8%	-9%	-5%	2%	7%	8%	9%	0%	-14%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	40%	33%	21%	20%	20%	20%	16%	10%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	66%	65%	45%	38%	28%	27%	19%	12%	0%	1%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	74%	74%	37%	30%	23%	28%	15%	13%	0%	1%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	20%	17%	8%	10%	15%	16%	14%	5%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	25%	31%	9%	10%	14%	16%	13%	6%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	3%	11%	2%	-0%	-0%	10%	8%	7%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	87%	81%	50%	44%	41%	28%	23%	10%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	50%	57%	39%	43%	44%	24%	9%	1%	0%	2%
Y Combined social sciences	9%	5%	-13%	-19%	-10%	-11%	-4%	-6%	0%	4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	132%	122%	81%	69%	63%	31%	15%	5%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	51%	45%	21%	16%	15%	10%	6%	5%	0%	-10%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-34%	-34%	-16%	11%	7%	1%	-3%	-5%	0%	11%

I.6.6 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle



I.6.7 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : England

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	62,580	64,650	62,580	63,530	63,810	56,300	54,580	53,490	58,950	66,710
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	253,400	286,100	287,470	296,810	312,210	305,340	309,990	256,340	228,790	239,810
Group C Biological Sciences	165,510	173,290	160,640	171,810	184,870	201,250	207,310	203,840	203,890	210,270
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	18,880	21,070	19,630	21,330	22,470	22,490	21,220	20,250	20,980	21,300
Group F Physical Sciences	68,930	74,560	71,990	76,350	80,380	82,040	78,020	76,580	69,390	68,890
Group G Mathematical Sciences	30,740	31,740	30,070	31,840	31,480	32,690	33,560	34,350	33,030	26,970
Group H Engineering	72,240	76,640	71,970	76,560	85,510	93,940	95,330	94,380	91,940	92,650
Group I Computer Sciences	64,750	68,720	61,880	67,340	75,470	83,230	85,150	84,630	82,380	82,210
Group J Technologies	8,780	8,480	6,440	6,310	7,020	6,200	5,220	4,610	4,130	3,900
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	30,070	29,380	23,800	22,490	22,180	23,320	24,720	26,200	26,350	26,920
Group L Social Studies	168,060	170,760	145,540	147,820	155,380	166,550	172,800	179,180	174,560	171,540
Group M Law	76,380	78,050	72,350	75,940	73,970	76,560	81,100	87,130	89,700	95,140
Group N Business & Admin studies	194,710	202,550	182,100	184,140	190,170	199,680	203,470	197,400	188,840	186,280
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	44,040	46,610	38,580	40,140	43,040	45,860	45,870	46,420	42,750	36,800
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	61,670	58,470	52,850	52,770	52,520	52,540	50,390	47,450	43,230	39,890
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	19,050	18,920	16,110	15,200	14,390	14,160	13,050	12,210	11,130	11,220
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,720	6,640	5,350	5,050	4,800	4,930	4,440	4,330	3,930	3,890
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	68,970	67,620	61,940	63,600	65,810	66,940	65,360	60,340	57,150	53,970
Group W Creative Arts & Design	228,250	238,060	195,080	197,080	205,110	208,900	203,430	189,010	177,520	166,970
Group X Education	71,670	77,480	70,200	68,800	68,340	63,540	59,420	57,670	51,670	48,170
Y Combined arts	57,280	55,580	45,760	43,630	42,330	38,550	36,180	31,730	28,870	26,720
Y Combined sciences	29,310	30,600	26,470	27,160	27,630	22,930	19,920	18,420	18,030	18,760
Y Combined social sciences	22,460	21,450	17,310	15,900	17,850	17,100	18,400	18,100	19,410	20,120
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	82,070	77,870	62,230	57,890	55,660	44,080	37,810	34,250	32,320	29,470
Y Social sciences combined with arts	46,390	44,790	37,220	35,540	34,850	32,850	31,090	31,000	29,550	27,090
Z General, other combined & unknown	13,410	13,480	16,110	21,550	21,120	20,020	19,150	18,730	19,810	21,840

I.6.8 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : England Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	6%	10%	6%	8%	8%	-4%	-7%	-9%	0%	13%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	11%	25%	26%	30%	36%	33%	35%	12%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-19%	-15%	-21%	-16%	-9%	-1%	2%	-0%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	-10%	0%	-6%	2%	7%	7%	1%	-3%	0%	2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-1%	7%	4%	10%	16%	18%	12%	10%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	-4%	-9%	-4%	-5%	-1%	2%	4%	0%	-18%
Group H Engineering	-21%	-17%	-22%	-17%	-7%	2%	4%	3%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-21%	-17%	-25%	-18%	-8%	1%	3%	3%	0%	-0%
Group J Technologies	113%	106%	56%	53%	70%	50%	26%	12%	0%	-5%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	14%	11%	-10%	-15%	-16%	-12%	-6%	-1%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-4%	-2%	-17%	-15%	-11%	-5%	-1%	3%	0%	-2%
Group M Law	-15%	-13%	-19%	-15%	-18%	-15%	-10%	-3%	0%	6%
Group N Business & Admin studies	3%	7%	-4%	-2%	1%	6%	8%	5%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	3%	9%	-10%	-6%	1%	7%	7%	9%	0%	-14%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	43%	35%	22%	22%	21%	22%	17%	10%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	71%	70%	45%	37%	29%	27%	17%	10%	0%	1%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	71%	69%	36%	29%	22%	26%	13%	10%	0%	-1%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	21%	18%	8%	11%	15%	17%	14%	6%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	29%	34%	10%	11%	16%	18%	15%	6%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	39%	50%	36%	33%	32%	23%	15%	12%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	98%	93%	59%	51%	47%	34%	25%	10%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	63%	70%	47%	51%	53%	27%	10%	2%	0%	4%
Y Combined social sciences	16%	11%	-11%	-18%	-8%	-12%	-5%	-7%	0%	4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	154%	141%	93%	79%	72%	36%	17%	6%	0%	-9%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	57%	52%	26%	20%	18%	11%	5%	5%	0%	-8%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-32%	-32%	-19%	9%	7%	1%	-3%	-5%	0%	10%



I.6.10 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Northern Ireland

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,440	3,360	2,930	2,990	2,760	2,570	2,620	2,440	2,240	2,370
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	11,250	13,410	13,400	16,870	15,890	15,800	16,730	15,350	14,010	14,750
Group C Biological Sciences	6,250	6,540	6,360	6,650	6,840	7,290	7,330	6,920	7,460	6,910
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,070	1,220	1,300	1,440	1,430	1,410	1,530	1,280	1,200	1,070
Group F Physical Sciences	2,410	2,690	3,010	2,940	2,790	2,970	2,770	2,650	2,510	2,200
Group G Mathematical Sciences	910	1,030	890	990	1,040	1,280	1,140	1,070	1,010	920
Group H Engineering	4,490	4,230	4,410	4,930	4,800	4,910	4,910	4,870	4,560	4,380
Group I Computer Sciences	5,300	5,660	5,590	6,720	7,410	7,620	7,910	6,940	6,060	5,660
Group J Technologies	440	360	380	410	380	290	210	130	120	130
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,840	2,730	2,050	1,830	1,720	2,090	2,250	2,490	2,350	2,390
Group L Social Studies	8,720	8,900	8,440	7,490	7,460	7,770	7,700	7,390	7,610	7,170
Group M Law	3,920	3,950	3,360	3,420	3,410	3,690	3,680	3,650	4,070	4,000
Group N Business & Admin studies	9,780	10,200	9,970	10,230	10,880	11,120	12,130	11,500	10,790	9,740
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,360	2,580	2,500	2,330	2,440	1,880	2,060	2,280	2,110	1,780
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,090	2,170	1,900	1,620	1,840	1,770	1,570	1,620	1,540	1,320
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	810	780	740	740	660	810	570	570	450	490
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	100	100	60	50	50	60	30	50	30	30
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,290	2,530	2,210	2,040	2,150	2,000	1,910	1,770	1,520	1,370
Group W Creative Arts & Design	6,130	6,480	5,960	6,300	6,190	6,860	6,330	6,430	5,600	5,510
Group X Education	2,870	3,210	2,840	2,860	2,730	3,420	3,580	3,440	3,750	3,220
Y Combined arts	1,690	1,850	1,420	1,510	1,380	1,390	1,380	1,310	1,090	1,090
Y Combined sciences	1,290	1,350	1,520	1,690	1,990	2,020	2,070	1,980	2,000	1,740
Y Combined social sciences	680	760	600	700	720	680	840	900	1,050	1,080
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,500	2,630	2,120	2,080	2,120	1,680	1,650	1,460	1,330	1,310
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,900	1,950	1,640	1,860	1,810	1,840	1,820	1,890	1,450	1,230
Z General, other combined & unknown	180	230	430	470	500	500	480	410	440	440

I.6.11 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Northern Ireland

Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	54%	50%	31%	34%	23%	15%	17%	9%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-20%	-4%	-4%	20%	13%	13%	19%	10%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-16%	-12%	-15%	-11%	-8%	-2%	-2%	-7%	0%	-7%
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	-11%	2%	9%	20%	19%	18%	28%	7%	0%	-11%
Group F Physical Sciences	-4%	7%	20%	17%	11%	18%	10%	5%	0%	-12%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-10%	1%	-12%	-2%	2%	26%	12%	5%	0%	-9%
Group H Engineering	-1%	-7%	-3%	8%	5%	8%	8%	7%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-13%	-7%	-8%	11%	22%	26%	31%	15%	0%	-7%
Group J Technologies	278%	214%	224%	249%	231%	153%	78%	10%	0%	8%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	21%	16%	-13%	-22%	-27%	-11%	-4%	6%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	15%	17%	11%	-2%	-2%	2%	1%	-3%	0%	-6%
Group M Law	-4%	-3%	-18%	-16%	-16%	-9%	-10%	-10%	0%	-2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-9%	-5%	-8%	-5%	1%	3%	12%	7%	0%	-10%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	12%	22%	18%	10%	16%	-11%	-3%	8%	0%	-16%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	35%	41%	23%	5%	19%	15%	2%	5%	0%	-15%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	78%	72%	62%	63%	45%	78%	26%	25%	0%	8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	257%	271%	118%	61%	68%	118%	-4%	75%	0%	7%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	51%	67%	45%	34%	41%	31%	26%	17%	0%	-10%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	10%	16%	7%	13%	11%	23%	13%	15%	0%	-2%
Group X Education	-23%	-14%	-24%	-24%	-27%	-9%	-4%	-8%	0%	-14%
Y Combined arts	54%	69%	30%	38%	26%	28%	26%	20%	0%	0%
Y Combined sciences	-36%	-33%	-24%	-16%	-1%	1%	3%	-1%	0%	-13%
Y Combined social sciences	-35%	-28%	-43%	-34%	-31%	-35%	-20%	-14%	0%	2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	87%	97%	59%	56%	59%	26%	24%	9%	0%	-2%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	30%	34%	13%	28%	25%	26%	25%	30%	0%	-15%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-60%	-48%	-2%	8%	13%	14%	9%	-6%	0%	-1%

I.6.12 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Northern Ireland Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle



I.6.13 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5,010	5,420	5,260	5,170	5,380	4,920	4,780	4,820	4,950	5,110
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	22,730	24,640	23,360	23,240	25,420	25,020	24,690	24,240	24,050	25,260
Group C Biological Sciences	14,430	15,310	16,100	17,250	17,480	18,580	17,770	17,730	17,990	17,680
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,190	1,420	1,460	1,470	1,560	2,470	2,460	2,320	2,160	2,310
Group F Physical Sciences	6,690	6,780	7,310	8,000	7,350	7,550	6,720	6,190	6,110	5,770
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,060	2,000	2,310	2,280	2,140	1,960	1,910	2,400	2,560	2,310
Group H Engineering	11,400	12,720	13,540	13,940	15,200	15,640	14,610	13,210	12,240	11,020
Group I Computer Sciences	5,160	6,010	6,460	7,090	7,390	7,790	8,100	8,430	9,330	8,650
Group J Technologies	530	550	650	760	810	770	870	790	610	560
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	3,240	3,100	2,960	2,720	2,700	2,870	3,210	3,330	3,360	3,110
Group L Social Studies	12,000	12,700	12,770	12,700	13,340	13,620	13,040	12,690	12,890	12,380
Group M Law	6,960	7,070	6,770	6,260	6,260	6,750	7,740	8,760	8,290	8,690
Group N Business & Admin studies	17,540	19,630	20,210	19,390	21,110	21,700	22,190	21,730	21,390	19,840
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,910	3,170	3,060	3,190	3,680	3,650	3,880	3,810	3,170	2,870
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,610	2,560	2,740	2,430	2,370	2,330	2,730	3,040	2,740	2,380
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,800	1,730	1,990	2,040	1,800	1,630	1,900	1,800	1,590	1,660
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	290	300	140	190	130	110	150	170	130	180
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	4,160	3,680	3,890	3,880	4,130	4,200	4,490	4,270	4,340	3,850
Group W Creative Arts & Design	13,560	14,760	13,780	14,230	14,430	13,980	14,820	14,190	14,250	13,410
Group X Education	5,870	5,660	5,750	6,000	6,790	19,710	22,390	23,380	23,340	22,130
Y Combined arts	3,970	3,620	3,140	3,280	3,610	3,190	3,850	4,030	3,750	3,180
Y Combined sciences	3,030	3,170	3,010	3,060	2,620	2,660	2,300	2,250	2,240	2,150
Y Combined social sciences	1,900	1,800	1,770	1,780	1,950	2,660	2,900	2,550	2,520	2,580
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	9,310	9,350	8,520	8,410	8,190	7,420	7,140	7,020	6,640	6,430
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,730	4,220	3,570	3,290	3,550	3,990	4,230	4,200	4,260	3,510
Z General, other combined & unknown	470	390	1,360	1,660	1,100	1,130	1,420	1,470	1,370	1,830

I.6.14 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1%	9%	6%	4%	9%	-1%	-4%	-3%	0%	3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-5%	2%	-3%	-3%	6%	4%	3%	1%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-20%	-15%	-11%	-4%	-3%	3%	-1%	-1%	0%	-2%
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	-45%	-34%	-33%	-32%	-28%	14%	14%	7%	0%	7%
Group F Physical Sciences	9%	11%	20%	31%	20%	23%	10%	1%	0%	-6%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-19%	-22%	-10%	-11%	-16%	-24%	-25%	-6%	0%	-10%
Group H Engineering	-7%	4%	11%	14%	24%	28%	19%	8%	0%	-10%
Group I Computer Sciences	-45%	-36%	-31%	-24%	-21%	-17%	-13%	-10%	0%	-7%
Group J Technologies	-13%	-9%	7%	26%	35%	27%	44%	30%	0%	-7%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-4%	-8%	-12%	-19%	-20%	-15%	-5%	-1%	0%	-7%
Group L Social Studies	-7%	-1%	-1%	-1%	4%	6%	1%	-2%	0%	-4%
Group M Law	-16%	-15%	-18%	-24%	-24%	-19%	-7%	6%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-18%	-8%	-6%	-9%	-1%	1%	4%	2%	0%	-7%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-8%	-0%	-4%	1%	16%	15%	22%	20%	0%	-10%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-5%	-7%	-0%	-11%	-14%	-15%	-1%	11%	0%	-13%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	13%	9%	26%	28%	13%	3%	19%	13%	0%	4%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	121%	126%	8%	41%	-5%	-14%	13%	28%	0%	32%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-4%	-15%	-10%	-11%	-5%	-3%	3%	-2%	0%	-11%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-5%	4%	-3%	-0%	1%	-2%	4%	-0%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-75%	-76%	-75%	-74%	-71%	-16%	-4%	0%	0%	-5%
Y Combined arts	6%	-3%	-16%	-12%	-3%	-15%	3%	8%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	35%	42%	35%	37%	17%	19%	3%	0%	0%	-4%
Y Combined social sciences	-25%	-29%	-30%	-29%	-22%	6%	15%	1%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	40%	41%	28%	27%	23%	12%	8%	6%	0%	-3%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	11%	-1%	-16%	-23%	-17%	-6%	-1%	-1%	0%	-18%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-66%	-71%	-0%	21%	-20%	-17%	4%	7%	0%	33%

I.6.15 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle



I.6.16 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,130	3,080	2,970	2,920	3,080	2,880	2,530	2,490	2,680	3,000
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	12,570	14,690	15,700	15,460	15,270	15,650	16,430	14,460	14,070	14,530
Group C Biological Sciences	8,380	8,630	8,730	8,760	9,790	10,260	10,310	9,900	9,390	9,940
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	1,170	1,120	1,260	1,280	1,430	1,520	1,360	1,300	1,240	1,220
Group F Physical Sciences	3,540	4,260	4,350	4,170	4,390	4,350	4,270	3,940	3,650	3,640
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,690	1,560	1,570	1,650	1,550	1,450	1,650	1,590	1,620	1,160
Group H Engineering	3,810	3,790	3,680	3,630	4,160	4,360	4,620	4,800	4,250	4,040
Group I Computer Sciences	3,000	3,080	2,930	3,230	3,500	4,020	4,160	4,050	3,960	3,430
Group J Technologies	700	500	440	400	370	340	300	200	200	170
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	1,190	1,140	990	940	880	980	950	980	990	960
Group L Social Studies	6,930	6,770	6,740	6,620	7,650	7,780	7,690	8,220	7,450	7,360
Group M Law	3,720	4,000	3,890	3,770	3,720	3,780	4,210	4,430	4,430	4,300
Group N Business & Admin studies	7,270	7,630	7,700	7,420	7,450	7,730	8,450	8,150	7,520	7,490
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,800	1,860	1,580	1,680	1,920	2,030	2,190	1,830	1,960	1,660
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,610	2,550	2,330	2,380	2,280	2,470	2,220	2,020	1,740	1,760
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	880	890	790	650	550	630	610	560	380	360
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	180	240	160	150	170	240	200	170	90	150
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,350	3,350	3,190	3,030	3,380	3,490	3,370	2,860	2,810	2,450
Group W Creative Arts & Design	10,400	10,830	9,770	9,690	9,500	9,920	9,330	9,120	8,850	8,140
Group X Education	4,520	5,030	4,980	4,290	4,200	3,650	3,640	3,450	3,310	3,060
Y Combined arts	2,820	2,590	2,560	2,250	2,270	2,070	1,870	1,700	1,550	1,340
Y Combined sciences	1,250	1,420	1,290	1,170	1,250	1,170	1,010	900	940	980
Y Combined social sciences	1,060	1,120	1,120	1,020	1,020	840	890	890	910	970
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,840	3,490	3,280	2,770	2,490	2,010	1,760	1,580	1,800	1,600
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,920	1,790	1,690	1,530	1,500	1,360	1,320	1,180	1,120	1,000
Z General, other combined & unknown	540	600	890	980	1,040	770	650	550	640	600

I.6.17 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	17%	15%	11%	9%	15%	8%	-5%	-7%	0%	12%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-11%	4%	12%	10%	9%	11%	17%	3%	0%	3%
Group C Biological Sciences	-11%	-8%	-7%	-7%	4%	9%	10%	5%	0%	6%
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	-5%	-10%	2%	3%	15%	23%	9%	5%	0%	-2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-3%	17%	19%	14%	21%	19%	17%	8%	0%	-0%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	4%	-4%	-4%	2%	-4%	-10%	2%	-2%	0%	-28%
Group H Engineering	-10%	-11%	-13%	-15%	-2%	3%	9%	13%	0%	-5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-24%	-22%	-26%	-18%	-12%	2%	5%	2%	0%	-13%
Group J Technologies	245%	146%	118%	97%	81%	68%	50%	0%	0%	-18%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	20%	15%	-0%	-5%	-11%	-2%	-4%	-1%	0%	-4%
Group L Social Studies	-7%	-9%	-10%	-11%	3%	4%	3%	10%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-16%	-10%	-12%	-15%	-16%	-15%	-5%	-0%	0%	-3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-3%	1%	2%	-1%	-1%	3%	12%	8%	0%	-0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-8%	-5%	-19%	-14%	-2%	4%	12%	-7%	0%	-15%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	49%	46%	34%	37%	31%	41%	28%	16%	0%	1%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	135%	137%	110%	73%	45%	67%	62%	49%	0%	-3%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	89%	158%	69%	57%	83%	159%	115%	84%	0%	59%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	19%	19%	14%	8%	20%	24%	20%	2%	0%	-13%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	18%	22%	10%	10%	7%	12%	5%	3%	0%	-8%
Group X Education	37%	52%	50%	30%	27%	10%	10%	4%	0%	-8%
Y Combined arts	82%	67%	65%	45%	47%	34%	21%	10%	0%	-13%
Y Combined sciences	33%	51%	37%	25%	34%	25%	8%	-4%	0%	5%
Y Combined social sciences	17%	23%	23%	12%	13%	-7%	-2%	-2%	0%	7%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	114%	94%	82%	54%	39%	12%	-2%	-12%	0%	-11%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	72%	60%	51%	37%	34%	21%	18%	5%	0%	-11%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-16%	-6%	38%	52%	61%	20%	1%	-15%	0%	-6%

I.6.18 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle



I.6.19 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : EU (excluding UK)

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	8,810	8,690	7,820	7,820	8,360	7,670	7,900	6,730	6,980	6,530
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	15,990	17,590	16,370	18,210	17,830	17,670	18,630	14,960	13,870	13,940
Group C Biological Sciences	12,090	13,560	13,640	15,200	16,040	18,370	20,490	19,580	20,720	21,360
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	2,050	2,000	1,820	2,020	2,140	2,330	2,350	2,250	2,130	2,230
Group F Physical Sciences	4,750	5,270	5,080	5,580	5,650	6,430	7,060	7,000	7,530	7,820
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,310	2,750	2,500	2,370	2,660	2,890	3,200	3,420	3,300	3,620
Group H Engineering	12,720	13,640	11,630	12,070	12,850	13,780	14,790	14,000	13,690	13,550
Group I Computer Sciences	5,790	7,520	6,770	7,800	9,010	11,500	12,970	13,130	14,280	14,940
Group J Technologies	850	950	930	920	1,080	1,130	1,130	950	940	900
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6,720	6,620	4,850	4,590	4,080	4,360	4,210	4,170	4,060	3,900
Group L Social Studies	18,130	19,150	16,260	17,080	17,940	18,840	19,510	18,810	19,290	19,320
Group M Law	8,440	9,140	8,560	8,310	8,420	9,350	9,930	9,700	9,340	9,450
Group N Business & Admin studies	29,930	34,670	29,190	30,040	31,520	35,580	37,490	35,410	35,500	35,050
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	4,510	5,240	4,430	5,140	5,450	6,160	6,600	6,190	5,870	5,500
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	3,220	3,100	2,790	2,930	3,250	3,470	3,720	3,240	3,130	3,260
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	2,360	2,380	2,080	1,880	1,990	2,000	1,860	1,610	1,330	1,350
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	700	800	590	500	450	480	560	530	530	560
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,960	2,980	2,810	2,650	2,880	2,930	3,380	3,220	3,500	3,360
Group W Creative Arts & Design	16,730	18,860	14,560	15,520	17,580	19,890	21,120	20,240	20,580	21,860
Group X Education	2,100	2,220	1,240	970	1,130	2,370	2,220	2,210	2,010	1,930
Y Combined arts	4,360	4,540	3,680	3,820	4,140	3,830	4,160	3,980	4,100	3,700
Y Combined sciences	2,610	2,810	2,660	2,870	3,150	3,290	3,350	3,140	3,280	3,530
Y Combined social sciences	3,720	3,700	3,390	3,210	3,430	3,800	3,840	3,740	3,640	3,650
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	5,770	5,950	5,260	5,160	5,550	4,900	5,200	4,860	5,130	5,170
Y Social sciences combined with arts	7,210	7,460	6,410	6,620	6,480	6,350	6,550	5,970	6,150	6,390
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,870	2,010	3,390	3,970	4,700	5,120	5,710	5,560	6,460	7,010

I.6.20 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : EU (excluding UK)

Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	26%	25%	12%	12%	20%	10%	13%	-4%	0%	-7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	15%	27%	18%	31%	29%	27%	34%	8%	0%	0%
Group C Biological Sciences	-42%	-35%	-34%	-27%	-23%	-11%	-1%	-6%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	-4%	-6%	-15%	-5%	0%	9%	10%	5%	0%	5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-37%	-30%	-33%	-26%	-25%	-15%	-6%	-7%	0%	4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-30%	-17%	-24%	-28%	-19%	-13%	-3%	3%	0%	9%
Group H Engineering	-7%	-0%	-15%	-12%	-6%	1%	8%	2%	0%	-1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-59%	-47%	-53%	-45%	-37%	-19%	-9%	-8%	0%	5%
Group J Technologies	-9%	1%	-1%	-2%	15%	21%	21%	1%	0%	-4%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	65%	63%	19%	13%	1%	7%	4%	3%	0%	-4%
Group L Social Studies	-6%	-1%	-16%	-11%	-7%	-2%	1%	-2%	0%	0%
Group M Law	-10%	-2%	-8%	-11%	-10%	0%	6%	4%	0%	1%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-16%	-2%	-18%	-15%	-11%	0%	6%	-0%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-23%	-11%	-24%	-12%	-7%	5%	13%	5%	0%	-6%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	3%	-1%	-11%	-6%	4%	11%	19%	4%	0%	4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	77%	79%	56%	41%	49%	50%	39%	21%	0%	1%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	32%	50%	11%	-7%	-15%	-9%	5%	-0%	0%	5%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-16%	-15%	-20%	-24%	-18%	-16%	-3%	-8%	0%	-4%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-19%	-8%	-29%	-25%	-15%	-3%	3%	-2%	0%	6%
Group X Education	4%	10%	-38%	-52%	-44%	18%	10%	10%	0%	-4%
Y Combined arts	6%	11%	-10%	-7%	1%	-7%	1%	-3%	0%	-10%
Y Combined sciences	-20%	-14%	-19%	-12%	-4%	0%	2%	-4%	0%	8%
Y Combined social sciences	2%	2%	-7%	-12%	-6%	4%	5%	3%	0%	0%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	13%	16%	2%	1%	8%	-5%	1%	-5%	0%	1%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	17%	21%	4%	8%	5%	3%	7%	-3%	0%	4%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-71%	-69%	-48%	-38%	-27%	-21%	-12%	-14%	0%	9%

I.6.21 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : EU (excluding UK) Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle



I.6.22 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	10,430	11,380	12,470	12,780	14,410	13,400	13,300	12,290	13,340	13,050
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	11,670	12,270	12,860	13,860	14,390	15,600	15,440	15,640	15,560	17,460
Group C Biological Sciences	9,820	11,280	12,960	14,580	16,560	17,430	18,090	20,840	23,170	25,670
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	1,190	1,210	1,550	1,590	1,560	1,640	1,640	1,880	1,990	2,140
Group F Physical Sciences	5,610	5,750	6,630	7,200	8,440	8,580	8,990	9,280	10,470	12,300
Group G Mathematical Sciences	6,590	6,560	7,140	6,850	6,740	7,160	7,540	8,090	9,640	11,160
Group H Engineering	30,160	29,940	32,040	34,480	38,180	38,680	36,190	35,920	35,000	35,200
Group I Computer Sciences	6,160	5,940	6,190	6,870	8,260	9,470	10,870	13,770	17,750	21,190
Group J Technologies	1,210	1,150	1,050	1,060	1,450	1,320	1,210	1,250	1,210	1,490
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6,090	6,660	6,870	7,670	8,570	9,250	8,270	8,460	8,300	8,930
Group L Social Studies	23,270	24,860	25,440	27,130	27,580	26,340	27,230	28,170	30,060	33,770
Group M Law	17,830	20,660	22,830	26,060	27,210	28,130	27,220	26,520	27,120	26,220
Group N Business & Admin studies	51,460	55,810	62,370	62,620	65,910	68,350	63,810	62,450	65,390	69,570
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	3,080	3,320	3,580	4,370	5,190	5,340	5,390	5,690	5,610	5,890
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,350	2,610	3,060	3,380	3,610	3,960	3,820	3,870	3,930	3,930
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	770	770	780	740	710	680	640	570	540	620
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	420	350	370	320	320	300	380	230	300	320
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,890	3,020	3,230	3,490	3,390	3,520	4,060	3,960	4,570	4,800
Group W Creative Arts & Design	11,970	13,030	13,740	15,700	17,790	18,900	18,850	20,610	22,330	23,550
Group X Education	930	880	1,010	970	1,010	1,330	1,590	1,610	1,890	2,350
Y Combined arts	2,180	2,290	2,410	2,740	2,930	2,670	2,480	2,390	2,410	2,590
Y Combined sciences	3,210	3,350	3,640	3,790	4,310	4,240	3,990	3,720	4,240	4,940
Y Combined social sciences	5,470	5,360	5,900	5,760	5,950	6,340	6,050	6,050	6,260	6,280
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	6,720	6,590	6,250	6,380	6,140	5,350	5,300	5,150	5,410	6,030
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,600	4,710	5,320	5,940	5,880	5,020	4,640	4,750	5,800	6,520
Z General, other combined & unknown	2,270	2,240	4,440	5,630	5,780	6,480	6,910	7,220	9,120	10,710

I.6.23 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-22%	-15%	-6%	-4%	8%	0%	-0%	-8%	0%	-2%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-25%	-21%	-17%	-11%	-8%	0%	-1%	0%	0%	12%
Group C Biological Sciences	-58%	-51%	-44%	-37%	-29%	-25%	-22%	-10%	0%	11%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-40%	-39%	-22%	-20%	-21%	-17%	-18%	-5%	0%	8%
Group F Physical Sciences	-46%	-45%	-37%	-31%	-19%	-18%	-14%	-11%	0%	17%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-32%	-32%	-26%	-29%	-30%	-26%	-22%	-16%	0%	16%
Group H Engineering	-14%	-14%	-8%	-1%	9%	11%	3%	3%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-65%	-67%	-65%	-61%	-53%	-47%	-39%	-22%	0%	19%
Group J Technologies	0%	-4%	-13%	-12%	20%	9%	0%	4%	0%	24%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-27%	-20%	-17%	-8%	3%	11%	-0%	2%	0%	8%
Group L Social Studies	-23%	-17%	-15%	-10%	-8%	-12%	-9%	-6%	0%	12%
Group M Law	-34%	-24%	-16%	-4%	0%	4%	0%	-2%	0%	-3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-21%	-15%	-5%	-4%	1%	5%	-2%	-4%	0%	6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-45%	-41%	-36%	-22%	-7%	-5%	-4%	1%	0%	5%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-40%	-34%	-22%	-14%	-8%	1%	-3%	-2%	0%	0%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	43%	43%	46%	38%	32%	26%	20%	6%	0%	16%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	41%	17%	24%	6%	5%	-1%	27%	-25%	0%	7%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-37%	-34%	-29%	-24%	-26%	-23%	-11%	-13%	0%	5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-46%	-42%	-38%	-30%	-20%	-15%	-16%	-8%	0%	5%
Group X Education	-51%	-53%	-46%	-49%	-46%	-30%	-16%	-15%	0%	24%
Y Combined arts	-10%	-5%	-0%	13%	21%	11%	3%	-1%	0%	7%
Y Combined sciences	-24%	-21%	-14%	-11%	2%	-0%	-6%	-12%	0%	16%
Y Combined social sciences	-13%	-14%	-6%	-8%	-5%	1%	-3%	-3%	0%	0%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	24%	22%	16%	18%	14%	-1%	-2%	-5%	0%	12%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-21%	-19%	-8%	2%	1%	-13%	-20%	-18%	0%	12%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-75%	-75%	-51%	-38%	-37%	-29%	-24%	-21%	0%	17%

I.6.24 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle



I.6.25 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2019 courses since early September.

Applicants who submit their applications to UCAS by the January deadline are considered 'on time' applicants for the large majority of courses offered through UCAS. Some art and design courses have a later deadline of 24 March. By definition all main scheme applications have been received by the 30 June deadline.

Counts of the number of applicants reported have been rounded to the nearest 10 applicants, this may result in instances where totals do not equal the sum of the components. Proportional changes have been rounded to the nearest whole percentage point.

In 2014, the Croatia classification changed from Not EU to EU (excluding UK). In order to present an accurate time series, Croatia has been consistently classified as EU (excluding UK). This will result in differences with data published prior to 2019.

Age

This statistical release uses country-specific age definitions which align with the cut off points for school/college cohorts within the different administrations of the UK. For England and Wales ages are defined on the 31 August, for Northern Ireland on the 1 July and for Scotland on the 28 February the following year. Defining ages in this way matches the assignment of children to school cohorts. For applicants outside of the UK the cohort cut off for England and Wales has been used.

Applicant

A person who has made an application in the UCAS system during the cycle reported (including applications for deferred entry). Records of prior acceptance (RPAs) are excluded.

Application

An application to a course at a provider made by an applicant in the UCAS main scheme. Applicants may make up to five main scheme applications.

Country of provider

An applicant may be counted once for each provider country they have applied to in the main scheme. If an applicant has applied to providers in multiple countries then the applicant is counted once within each country of provider applied to.

Domicile

Declared area of permanent residence. The Channel Islands and the Isle of Man have been assigned as 'Not EU'.

Ethnic group

High level grouping of ethnic origin as declared by the applicant: 'Asian', 'Black', 'Mixed', 'White', 'Other', 'Unknown'.

First time applicant

An applicant that did not apply to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.

Main scheme

The main UCAS application scheme through which up to five providers/courses can be applied to. This opens in September and closes to new applications on 30 June the following year.

Reapplier

An applicant that applied to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.

Sex

As declared by the applicant.

IMD 2015

The Index of Multiple Deprivation for 2015 identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of England, providing a relative measure of deprivation amongst small areas (data zones). When reporting by IMD 2015, the IMD 2015 is used to group areas in each year in the times series.

NIMDM 2017

The Northern Ireland Multiple Deprivation Measure for 2017 identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Northern Ireland, providing a relative measure of deprivation amongst small areas (data zones). When reporting by NIMDM 2017, the NIMDM 2017 is used to group areas in each year in the times series.

SIMD 2012

The Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation for 2012 identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Scotland, providing a relative measure of deprivation among small areas (data zones). When reporting by SIMD 2012, the SIMD 2012 is used to group areas in each year in the times series.

SIMD 2016

The Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation for 2016 identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Scotland, providing a relative measure of deprivation among small areas (data zones). When reporting by SIMD 2016, the SIMD 2016 is used to group areas in each year in the times series.

SIMD 2012/2016

Combination of the SIMD measures created in 2012 and 2016. SIMD 2012 is applied to all years before 2017, and SIMD 2016 is applied to years 2017 and onwards.

WIMD 2014

The Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Wales, providing a relative measure of deprivation among small areas (data zones). In this report, the WIMD 2014 has been used to group areas in each year in the times series.

POLAR4

Developed by HEFCE and classifies small areas across the UK into five groups, according to their level of young participation in HE. Each of these groups represents around 20 per cent of young people, and is ranked from quintile 1 (areas with the lowest young participation rates, considered as the most disadvantaged) to quintile 5 (highest young participation rates, considered most advantaged).

Tariff Group of provider

Providers are grouped as higher, medium or lower tariff based on their average levels of attainment of their accepted applicants (summarised through UCAS Tariff points) in recent cycles. Each group of providers accounted for around a third of all UK 18 year old acceptances in recent cycles.

Subject group

The JACS3 classification used to classify courses into subject groups. With the introduction of HECoS for the 2019 cycle, new courses that were classified using HECoS instead of JACS have been allocated modelled JACS3 values.

Subject group (HECoS)

The CAH classification used to categorise HECoS course subject codes into subject groups. A course may be associated with up to 5 individual subject codes and their respective percentage weight. For this analysis, application totals for subject groups have been calculated by apportioning course applications as weighted by subject group.