Applications by subject at the 15 January deadline

D.8.1 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	54,820	57,080	52,160	51,800	50,890
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	279,100	293,250	289,400	290,110	246,430
Group C Biological Sciences	126,580	136,880	151,240	160,210	158,270
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	19,490	21,100	21,930	21,440	20,430
Group F Physical Sciences	37,800	40,860	42,890	43,190	42,890
Group G Mathematical Sciences	16,230	16,270	16,480	17,050	17,880
Group H Engineering	17,790	21,780	25,270	26,560	25,950
Group I Computer Sciences	11,360	12,710	14,760	16,320	15,840
Group J Technologies	1,820	2,150	2,200	2,260	2,070
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	13,150	13,340	15,150	15,850	16,620
Group L Social Studies	113,530	121,170	127,560	131,180	133,140
Group M Law	69,180	70,240	73,200	78,320	82,910
Group N Business & Admin studies	129,580	135,260	139,950	140,740	133,320
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	28,130	30,810	32,070	32,090	31,380
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	46,110	46,350	47,720	46,540	44,210
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	14,500	13,730	13,900	12,840	11,680
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	3,550	3,390	3,550	3,320	3,350
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	38,910	40,600	42,600	43,750	39,540
Group W Creative Arts & Design	151,630	159,980	163,690	161,220	152,630
Group X Education	65,580	64,850	70,440	68,580	68,310
Y Combined arts	37,380	37,510	35,790	34,100	31,340
Y Combined sciences	15,550	16,830	16,170	14,300	12,490
Y Combined social sciences	13,650	14,300	14,580	14,510	14,120
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	34,560	34,800	31,950	28,640	26,970
Y Social sciences combined with arts	30,810	31,120	31,330	29,290	28,280
Z General, other combined & unknown	13,340	14,420	16,960	17,260	16,930

D.8.2 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	6%	10%	1%	0%	-2%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-4%	1%	-0%	0%	-15%
Group C Biological Sciences	-21%	-15%	-6%	0%	-1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-9%	-2%	2%	0%	-5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-12%	-5%	-1%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-5%	-5%	-3%	0%	5%
Group H Engineering	-33%	-18%	-5%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-30%	-22%	-10%	0%	-3%
Group J Technologies	-19%	-5%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-17%	-16%	-4%	0%	5%
Group L Social Studies	-13%	-8%	-3%	0%	1%
Group M Law	-12%	-10%	-7%	0%	6%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-8%	-4%	-1%	0%	-5%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-12%	-4%	-0%	0%	-2%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-1%	-0%	3%	0%	-5%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	13%	7%	8%	0%	-9%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7%	2%	7%	0%	1%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-11%	-7%	-3%	0%	-10%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-6%	-1%	2%	0%	-5%
Group X Education	-4%	-5%	3%	0%	-0%
Y Combined arts	10%	10%	5%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	9%	18%	13%	0%	-13%
Y Combined social sciences	-6%	-1%	0%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	21%	21%	12%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	5%	6%	7%	0%	-3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-23%	-16%	-2%	0%	-2%

D.8.3 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.4 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	41,450	41,830	36,390	34,850	32,650
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	68,050	68,110	67,800	67,930	57,120
Group C Biological Sciences	88,970	94,850	98,310	98,200	94,640
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	7,170	6,980	6,870	6,420	5,800
Group F Physical Sciences	61,970	63,560	62,690	59,760	57,260
Group G Mathematical Sciences	27,450	27,210	28,760	29,810	30,450
Group H Engineering	109,290	119,310	125,430	125,280	121,070
Group I Computer Sciences	74,930	84,390	93,630	97,420	97,220
Group J Technologies	6,520	7,090	6,340	5,400	4,640
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	21,890	21,160	21,850	22,760	23,170
Group L Social Studies	80,670	81,340	85,390	88,830	91,630
Group M Law	39,960	37,890	38,340	40,310	39,780
Group N Business & Admin studies	139,550	144,980	153,300	159,330	154,000
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	22,520	24,230	24,920	26,320	26,470
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	16,010	16,150	15,230	14,530	13,100
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	5,850	5,550	5,310	5,000	4,660
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,200	2,020	2,150	1,860	1,580
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	36,730	37,980	37,500	35,790	32,670
Group W Creative Arts & Design	81,610	84,640	85,810	86,080	77,390
Group X Education	12,690	12,330	14,500	13,650	12,830
Y Combined arts	16,220	15,940	13,950	12,830	11,080
Y Combined sciences	19,800	20,520	18,150	15,280	14,460
Y Combined social sciences	12,860	13,580	14,300	15,310	14,650
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	40,530	39,160	31,050	25,500	22,070
Y Social sciences combined with arts	18,880	18,370	17,280	17,040	16,930
Z General, other combined & unknown	12,700	13,390	14,930	15,500	15,650

D.8.5 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	19%	20%	4%	0%	-6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	0%	0%	-0%	0%	-16%
Group C Biological Sciences	-9%	-3%	0%	0%	-4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	12%	9%	7%	0%	-10%
Group F Physical Sciences	4%	6%	5%	0%	-4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-8%	-9%	-4%	0%	2%
Group H Engineering	-13%	-5%	0%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-23%	-13%	-4%	0%	-0%
Group J Technologies	21%	31%	17%	0%	-14%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-4%	-7%	-4%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-9%	-8%	-4%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-1%	-6%	-5%	0%	-1%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-12%	-9%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-14%	-8%	-5%	0%	1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	10%	11%	5%	0%	-10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	17%	11%	6%	0%	-7%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	18%	9%	16%	0%	-15%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3%	6%	5%	0%	-9%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-5%	-2%	-0%	0%	-10%
Group X Education	-7%	-10%	6%	0%	-6%
Y Combined arts	26%	24%	9%	0%	-14%
Y Combined sciences	30%	34%	19%	0%	-5%
Y Combined social sciences	-16%	-11%	-7%	0%	-4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	59%	54%	22%	0%	-13%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	11%	8%	1%	0%	-1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-18%	-14%	-4%	0%	1%

D.8.6 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.7 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	42,130	43,230	38,990	38,290	38,870
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	259,300	272,880	268,430	268,780	227,720
Group C Biological Sciences	109,840	118,200	130,220	137,450	134,740
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	17,150	18,600	19,190	18,710	17,790
Group F Physical Sciences	32,930	35,240	36,850	36,670	36,200
Group G Mathematical Sciences	12,640	12,590	12,440	12,660	13,180
Group H Engineering	11,090	13,420	16,300	17,140	17,080
Group I Computer Sciences	9,600	10,110	11,390	12,090	11,390
Group J Technologies	1,250	1,420	1,440	1,480	1,340
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	7,740	7,830	8,800	9,570	10,420
Group L Social Studies	93,910	99,820	106,200	108,290	110,370
Group M Law	53,950	54,050	56,730	61,190	66,810
Group N Business & Admin studies	95,590	97,170	99,900	100,210	96,040
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	22,760	24,790	25,420	25,380	24,890
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	41,940	41,880	42,740	41,230	39,480
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	12,690	11,810	11,980	11,070	10,210
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	3,050	2,920	3,090	2,830	2,900
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	35,770	37,320	39,280	39,790	35,940
Group W Creative Arts & Design	133,280	139,150	141,260	138,170	128,820
Group X Education	64,240	63,350	67,990	66,100	65,760
Y Combined arts	33,180	32,780	31,450	29,640	27,040
Y Combined sciences	13,080	13,790	12,840	11,260	9,850
Y Combined social sciences	10,040	10,590	10,650	10,450	10,220
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	29,880	29,630	27,120	23,550	22,180
Y Social sciences combined with arts	23,820	24,210	24,370	22,670	22,160
Z General, other combined & unknown	9,300	9,820	11,020	10,680	10,330

D.8.8 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	10%	13%	2%	0%	1%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-4%	2%	-0%	0%	-15%
Group C Biological Sciences	-20%	-14%	-5%	0%	-2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-8%	-1%	3%	0%	-5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-10%	-4%	1%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-0%	-1%	-2%	0%	4%
Group H Engineering	-35%	-22%	-5%	0%	-0%
Group I Computer Sciences	-21%	-16%	-6%	0%	-6%
Group J Technologies	-16%	-5%	-3%	0%	-10%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-19%	-18%	-8%	0%	9%
Group L Social Studies	-13%	-8%	-2%	0%	2%
Group M Law	-12%	-12%	-7%	0%	9%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-5%	-3%	-0%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-10%	-2%	0%	0%	-2%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2%	2%	4%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	15%	7%	8%	0%	-8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	8%	3%	9%	0%	3%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-10%	-6%	-1%	0%	-10%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-4%	1%	2%	0%	-7%
Group X Education	-3%	-4%	3%	0%	-1%
Y Combined arts	12%	11%	6%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	16%	22%	14%	0%	-13%
Y Combined social sciences	-4%	1%	2%	0%	-2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	27%	26%	15%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	5%	7%	7%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-13%	-8%	3%	0%	-3%

D.8.9 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.10 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	33,360	32,790	28,490	26,950	25,480
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	61,760	61,740	61,130	60,860	51,170
Group C Biological Sciences	81,360	86,780	89,690	88,600	84,710
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	6,320	6,210	6,050	5,630	4,910
Group F Physical Sciences	55,740	56,820	55,850	52,160	49,730
Group G Mathematical Sciences	22,980	22,630	23,910	24,390	24,800
Group H Engineering	80,990	88,720	93,900	93,850	90,770
Group I Computer Sciences	65,680	73,660	80,370	82,330	80,440
Group J Technologies	5,580	5,930	5,190	4,310	3,580
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	17,640	16,820	17,450	18,710	19,150
Group L Social Studies	62,840	64,160	68,410	71,420	74,540
Group M Law	30,060	28,160	28,230	30,170	30,740
Group N Business & Admin studies	106,700	111,720	116,720	123,510	119,080
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	20,630	22,270	22,720	23,760	23,980
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	14,930	15,110	14,040	13,400	12,000
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	5,320	5,020	4,810	4,540	4,250
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,050	1,860	1,950	1,610	1,430
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	34,490	35,800	35,030	33,210	30,340
Group W Creative Arts & Design	75,160	77,110	77,530	77,010	69,230
Group X Education	12,450	12,130	13,950	13,090	12,290
Y Combined arts	15,000	14,610	12,730	11,680	10,030
Y Combined sciences	16,940	17,240	14,910	11,980	11,270
Y Combined social sciences	9,020	9,850	10,120	11,200	10,670
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	35,830	34,570	26,970	21,650	18,530
Y Social sciences combined with arts	15,260	14,840	14,160	13,880	13,880
Z General, other combined & unknown	9,360	9,640	10,240	10,190	10,230

D.8.11 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	24%	22%	6%	0%	-5%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1%	1%	0%	0%	-16%
Group C Biological Sciences	-8%	-2%	1%	0%	-4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	12%	10%	7%	0%	-13%
Group F Physical Sciences	7%	9%	7%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-6%	-7%	-2%	0%	2%
Group H Engineering	-14%	-5%	0%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-20%	-11%	-2%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	30%	38%	21%	0%	-17%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-6%	-10%	-7%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-12%	-10%	-4%	0%	4%
Group M Law	-0%	-7%	-6%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-14%	-10%	-6%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-13%	-6%	-4%	0%	1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	11%	13%	5%	0%	-10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	17%	10%	6%	0%	-6%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	28%	16%	22%	0%	-11%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	4%	8%	6%	0%	-9%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-2%	0%	1%	0%	-10%
Group X Education	-5%	-7%	7%	0%	-6%
Y Combined arts	28%	25%	9%	0%	-14%
Y Combined sciences	41%	44%	24%	0%	-6%
Y Combined social sciences	-19%	-12%	-10%	0%	-5%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	66%	60%	25%	0%	-14%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	10%	7%	2%	0%	0%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-8%	-5%	0%	0%	0%

D.8.12 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.13 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	35,620	36,400	32,720	32,280	32,710
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	215,870	228,330	223,890	223,260	185,230
Group C Biological Sciences	91,890	99,340	109,810	117,620	115,210
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	14,650	15,820	15,740	15,190	14,550
Group F Physical Sciences	27,380	29,420	31,110	31,020	30,980
Group G Mathematical Sciences	10,710	10,610	10,580	10,820	11,320
Group H Engineering	8,320	10,220	12,850	13,570	13,700
Group I Computer Sciences	6,840	7,440	8,430	8,790	8,560
Group J Technologies	870	1,050	1,020	1,080	980
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6,400	6,480	7,050	7,900	8,670
Group L Social Studies	77,250	82,000	88,020	90,790	93,050
Group M Law	45,690	45,700	47,940	51,230	56,000
Group N Business & Admin studies	76,990	77,390	79,300	79,490	76,150
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	19,280	20,670	21,760	21,360	21,120
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	37,580	37,330	38,110	36,580	34,590
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	10,230	9,570	9,710	8,760	8,010
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,860	2,740	2,890	2,600	2,660
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	31,160	32,430	34,170	34,350	31,050
Group W Creative Arts & Design	115,220	120,940	122,760	119,550	111,030
Group X Education	53,460	52,510	48,500	45,230	43,680
Y Combined arts	28,530	27,850	26,800	24,710	22,020
Y Combined sciences	10,820	11,440	10,300	8,850	7,610
Y Combined social sciences	8,120	8,380	8,350	7,910	7,770
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	23,830	23,530	21,580	18,250	16,980
Y Social sciences combined with arts	19,730	20,010	19,810	18,000	17,560
Z General, other combined & unknown	7,680	8,490	9,720	9,310	8,960

D.8.14 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	10%	13%	1%	0%	1%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-3%	2%	0%	0%	-17%
Group C Biological Sciences	-22%	-16%	-7%	0%	-2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-4%	4%	4%	0%	-4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-12%	-5%	0%	0%	-0%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-1%	-2%	-2%	0%	5%
Group H Engineering	-39%	-25%	-5%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-22%	-15%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group J Technologies	-19%	-3%	-5%	0%	-9%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-19%	-18%	-11%	0%	10%
Group L Social Studies	-15%	-10%	-3%	0%	2%
Group M Law	-11%	-11%	-6%	0%	9%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-3%	-3%	-0%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-10%	-3%	2%	0%	-1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	3%	2%	4%	0%	-5%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	17%	9%	11%	0%	-8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	10%	6%	11%	0%	3%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-9%	-6%	-1%	0%	-10%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-4%	1%	3%	0%	-7%
Group X Education	18%	16%	7%	0%	-3%
Y Combined arts	15%	13%	8%	0%	-11%
Y Combined sciences	22%	29%	16%	0%	-14%
Y Combined social sciences	3%	6%	6%	0%	-2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	31%	29%	18%	0%	-7%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	10%	11%	10%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-17%	-9%	4%	0%	-4%

D.8.15 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.16 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	28,700	28,340	24,330	23,020	21,840
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	52,990	53,110	52,930	52,410	43,790
Group C Biological Sciences	68,010	72,930	75,800	74,800	72,020
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	4,850	4,850	4,580	4,260	3,740
Group F Physical Sciences	46,580	48,460	47,230	44,510	42,690
Group G Mathematical Sciences	20,150	20,030	21,190	21,680	21,820
Group H Engineering	62,210	68,780	73,610	74,560	72,650
Group I Computer Sciences	52,310	59,240	65,150	66,740	65,470
Group J Technologies	4,510	4,880	4,260	3,440	2,940
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	13,910	13,290	13,760	14,420	14,610
Group L Social Studies	54,840	56,030	59,990	62,930	66,330
Group M Law	25,480	23,830	23,630	25,310	25,610
Group N Business & Admin studies	90,490	94,420	99,220	103,910	100,190
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	17,370	18,780	19,370	20,080	20,300
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	13,150	13,430	12,440	11,810	10,600
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	4,450	4,310	4,050	3,870	3,620
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	1,880	1,710	1,750	1,470	1,300
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	30,430	31,390	30,810	29,210	26,690
Group W Creative Arts & Design	64,870	67,210	67,320	67,000	59,450
Group X Education	10,520	9,840	8,590	7,380	6,890
Y Combined arts	12,950	12,550	10,870	9,790	8,320
Y Combined sciences	13,730	14,080	11,790	9,290	8,750
Y Combined social sciences	7,650	8,460	8,380	9,270	8,860
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	29,300	28,450	21,680	16,810	14,080
Y Social sciences combined with arts	12,970	12,510	11,770	11,500	11,530
Z General, other combined & unknown	8,250	8,690	9,320	9,260	9,300

D.8.17 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	25%	23%	6%	0%	-5%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1%	1%	1%	0%	-16%
Group C Biological Sciences	-9%	-3%	1%	0%	-4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	14%	14%	8%	0%	-12%
Group F Physical Sciences	5%	9%	6%	0%	-4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	-8%	-2%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-17%	-8%	-1%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-22%	-11%	-2%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	31%	42%	24%	0%	-15%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-4%	-8%	-5%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-13%	-11%	-5%	0%	5%
Group M Law	1%	-6%	-7%	0%	1%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-13%	-9%	-5%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-14%	-7%	-4%	0%	1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	11%	14%	5%	0%	-10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	15%	11%	5%	0%	-7%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	28%	16%	19%	0%	-11%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	4%	7%	5%	0%	-9%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-3%	0%	0%	0%	-11%
Group X Education	42%	33%	16%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	32%	28%	11%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	48%	52%	27%	0%	-6%
Y Combined social sciences	-18%	-9%	-10%	0%	-4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	74%	69%	29%	0%	-16%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	13%	9%	2%	0%	0%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-11%	-6%	1%	0%	0%

D.8.18 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.19 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,800	1,660	1,560	1,590	1,550
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	13,830	13,010	12,970	13,780	12,630
Group C Biological Sciences	3,270	3,340	3,810	3,790	3,690
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	670	750	810	890	770
Group F Physical Sciences	1,240	1,250	1,360	1,250	1,190
Group G Mathematical Sciences	410	400	560	500	430
Group H Engineering	680	780	890	890	960
Group I Computer Sciences	1,490	1,490	1,540	1,750	1,430
Group J Technologies	70	60	70	60	40
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	300	340	480	420	550
Group L Social Studies	4,870	4,830	4,720	4,660	4,570
Group M Law	2,140	2,080	2,170	2,260	2,380
Group N Business & Admin studies	4,780	5,050	5,270	5,660	5,060
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,190	1,370	930	1,010	1,140
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,110	1,270	1,230	1,040	1,150
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	490	430	570	410	400
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	30	30	30	20	30
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	920	970	890	930	890
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,570	3,660	4,000	3,620	3,570
Group X Education	2,430	2,280	2,800	2,900	2,850
Y Combined arts	980	880	990	930	920
Y Combined sciences	620	790	970	1,030	1,010
Y Combined social sciences	440	450	410	480	480
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	760	890	820	750	690
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,190	1,130	1,270	1,230	1,290
Z General, other combined & unknown	210	210	250	250	210

D.8.20 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

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

D.8.21 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.22 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,220	1,110	1,040	1,050	910
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2,790	2,560	2,550	2,710	2,370
Group C Biological Sciences	3,180	3,230	3,120	3,170	2,920
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	730	640	560	590	450
Group F Physical Sciences	1,630	1,490	1,550	1,470	1,390
Group G Mathematical Sciences	560	610	710	610	600
Group H Engineering	4,150	3,910	3,870	3,890	3,730
Group I Computer Sciences	5,080	5,690	5,830	5,890	5,150
Group J Technologies	300	290	240	140	90
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	1,400	1,260	1,400	1,710	1,850
Group L Social Studies	2,340	2,280	2,660	2,680	2,490
Group M Law	1,180	1,250	1,430	1,310	1,170
Group N Business & Admin studies	5,080	5,460	5,360	6,020	6,010
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,060	950	850	960	1,060
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	420	460	410	410	330
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	230	210	220	150	150
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	20	10	30	0	20
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,100	1,110	1,020	920	820
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2,360	2,230	2,420	2,390	2,460
Group X Education	490	420	580	590	500
Y Combined arts	470	470	390	420	360
Y Combined sciences	900	1,120	1,060	990	890
Y Combined social sciences	260	270	280	330	390
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,270	1,170	880	860	720
Y Social sciences combined with arts	610	580	520	520	530
Z General, other combined & unknown	200	220	210	210	190

D.8.23 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	16%	6%	-0%	0%	-13%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	3%	-6%	-6%	0%	-12%
Group C Biological Sciences	0%	2%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	24%	8%	-4%	0%	-23%
Group F Physical Sciences	11%	2%	6%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-8%	1%	17%	0%	-0%
Group H Engineering	7%	1%	-0%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-14%	-3%	-1%	0%	-13%
Group J Technologies	121%	115%	77%	0%	-35%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-18%	-26%	-18%	0%	9%
Group L Social Studies	-12%	-15%	-1%	0%	-7%
Group M Law	-10%	-5%	9%	0%	-11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-16%	-9%	-11%	0%	-0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	10%	-1%	-12%	0%	11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1%	12%	0%	0%	-20%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	58%	46%	53%	0%	4%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	325%	225%	600%	0%	400%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	19%	21%	11%	0%	-11%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-1%	-7%	1%	0%	3%
Group X Education	-17%	-29%	-1%	0%	-15%
Y Combined arts	14%	12%	-8%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	-9%	13%	7%	0%	-10%
Y Combined social sciences	-21%	-19%	-14%	0%	18%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	47%	35%	2%	0%	-16%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	17%	11%	1%	0%	3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-7%	4%	1%	0%	-10%

D.8.24 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.25 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,020	3,360	3,070	2,980	3,170
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	17,660	19,600	19,300	18,800	18,560
Group C Biological Sciences	10,180	10,510	11,330	10,640	10,670
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,010	1,140	1,650	1,720	1,620
Group F Physical Sciences	3,020	3,030	2,940	2,710	2,470
Group G Mathematical Sciences	850	910	730	740	850
Group H Engineering	1,790	1,960	2,030	1,990	1,730
Group I Computer Sciences	910	860	1,010	1,070	1,050
Group J Technologies	270	270	300	310	290
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	780	780	900	930	920
Group L Social Studies	7,750	8,450	8,800	8,340	8,110
Group M Law	3,720	3,850	4,090	4,870	5,480
Group N Business & Admin studies	10,410	11,510	11,920	11,540	11,410
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,450	1,850	1,780	1,950	1,810
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,560	1,650	1,630	1,940	2,260
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,510	1,380	1,250	1,460	1,360
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	60	50	90	110
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,100	2,180	2,390	2,610	2,410
Group W Creative Arts & Design	8,880	9,040	8,760	9,490	9,060
Group X Education	5,140	5,510	14,020	15,430	16,700
Y Combined arts	2,190	2,500	2,230	2,740	2,900
Y Combined sciences	1,160	1,040	1,030	900	850
Y Combined social sciences	870	1,130	1,390	1,500	1,410
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	4,130	4,120	3,710	3,630	3,660
Y Social sciences combined with arts	2,010	2,170	2,400	2,590	2,540
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,000	680	670	750	880

D.8.26 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1%	13%	3%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-6%	4%	3%	0%	-1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-4%	-1%	6%	0%	0%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-42%	-34%	-5%	0%	-6%
Group F Physical Sciences	12%	12%	9%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	15%	22%	-1%	0%	15%
Group H Engineering	-10%	-1%	2%	0%	-13%
Group I Computer Sciences	-15%	-20%	-5%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	-13%	-12%	-3%	0%	-8%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-16%	-16%	-4%	0%	-2%
Group L Social Studies	-7%	1%	6%	0%	-3%
Group M Law	-24%	-21%	-16%	0%	13%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-10%	-0%	3%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-26%	-5%	-9%	0%	-7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-20%	-15%	-16%	0%	16%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	3%	-6%	-14%	0%	-7%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-11%	-37%	-42%	0%	15%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-20%	-17%	-9%	0%	-8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-6%	-5%	-8%	0%	-5%
Group X Education	-67%	-64%	-9%	0%	8%
Y Combined arts	-20%	-9%	-19%	0%	6%
Y Combined sciences	28%	15%	14%	0%	-6%
Y Combined social sciences	-42%	-24%	-7%	0%	-6%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	14%	14%	2%	0%	1%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-22%	-16%	-7%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	34%	-9%	-11%	0%	18%

D.8.27 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.28 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2,190	2,020	1,830	1,770	1,630
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	3,320	3,400	3,140	3,300	2,910
Group C Biological Sciences	6,460	6,460	6,680	6,430	5,930
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	360	340	540	450	400
Group F Physical Sciences	4,780	4,150	4,380	3,800	3,490
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,350	1,160	1,150	1,120	1,450
Group H Engineering	11,610	12,610	12,960	11,880	10,670
Group I Computer Sciences	5,660	5,950	6,270	6,420	6,550
Group J Technologies	460	480	430	510	440
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	1,760	1,720	1,790	2,040	2,100
Group L Social Studies	3,870	3,820	3,720	3,750	3,440
Group M Law	2,220	1,960	2,100	2,310	2,690
Group N Business & Admin studies	7,740	8,370	8,590	9,500	9,020
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,530	1,690	1,660	1,740	1,780
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	770	660	630	710	660
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	480	380	370	380	380
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	100	60	60	50	50
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,670	1,820	1,660	1,710	1,690
Group W Creative Arts & Design	4,680	4,590	4,420	4,600	4,290
Group X Education	700	1,050	4,140	4,440	4,370
Y Combined arts	960	980	850	970	990
Y Combined sciences	1,690	1,400	1,490	1,210	1,230
Y Combined social sciences	770	810	1,160	1,330	1,130
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,940	3,770	3,400	3,180	3,120
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,170	1,240	1,450	1,470	1,470
Z General, other combined & unknown	550	340	380	460	500

D.8.29 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	24%	15%	4%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	0%	3%	-5%	0%	-12%
Group C Biological Sciences	0%	0%	4%	0%	-8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-20%	-24%	20%	0%	-11%
Group F Physical Sciences	26%	9%	15%	0%	-8%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	20%	3%	2%	0%	29%
Group H Engineering	-2%	6%	9%	0%	-10%
Group I Computer Sciences	-12%	-7%	-2%	0%	2%
Group J Technologies	-11%	-6%	-16%	0%	-14%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-14%	-16%	-12%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	3%	2%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group M Law	-4%	-15%	-9%	0%	17%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-19%	-12%	-10%	0%	-5%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-13%	-3%	-5%	0%	2%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	7%	-7%	-11%	0%	-7%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	27%	2%	-1%	0%	1%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	76%	4%	9%	0%	-17%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-2%	6%	-3%	0%	-1%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2%	-0%	-4%	0%	-7%
Group X Education	-84%	-76%	-7%	0%	-2%
Y Combined arts	-2%	1%	-13%	0%	2%
Y Combined sciences	39%	16%	23%	0%	2%
Y Combined social sciences	-42%	-39%	-13%	0%	-15%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	24%	19%	7%	0%	-2%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-20%	-16%	-1%	0%	0%
Z General, other combined & unknown	19%	-25%	-18%	0%	8%

D.8.30 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.31 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,680	1,810	1,640	1,440	1,440
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	11,950	11,930	12,270	12,940	11,310
Group C Biological Sciences	4,510	5,010	5,270	5,400	5,170
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	830	890	1,000	910	860
Group F Physical Sciences	1,290	1,540	1,440	1,690	1,560
Group G Mathematical Sciences	670	680	560	610	580
Group H Engineering	300	450	530	690	690
Group I Computer Sciences	360	330	420	490	360
Group J Technologies	50	40	50	40	50
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	260	240	380	310	290
Group L Social Studies	4,040	4,540	4,660	4,500	4,640
Group M Law	2,390	2,420	2,530	2,830	2,960
Group N Business & Admin studies	3,400	3,230	3,410	3,520	3,420
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	850	910	950	1,060	830
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,690	1,640	1,770	1,670	1,490
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	460	430	450	440	440
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	90	120	120	100
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,580	1,750	1,830	1,890	1,590
Group W Creative Arts & Design	5,610	5,520	5,740	5,500	5,160
Group X Education	3,210	3,060	2,670	2,550	2,530
Y Combined arts	1,480	1,550	1,430	1,260	1,210
Y Combined sciences	480	520	540	480	390
Y Combined social sciences	620	630	500	560	570
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,170	1,090	1,020	920	850
Y Social sciences combined with arts	890	900	890	850	770
Z General, other combined & unknown	410	440	380	370	280

D.8.32 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	16%	25%	13%	0%	-0%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-8%	-8%	-5%	0%	-13%
Group C Biological Sciences	-17%	-7%	-2%	0%	-4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-8%	-2%	10%	0%	-6%
Group F Physical Sciences	-24%	-9%	-15%	0%	-8%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	10%	12%	-7%	0%	-4%
Group H Engineering	-56%	-35%	-23%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-25%	-33%	-14%	0%	-27%
Group J Technologies	21%	-12%	19%	0%	7%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-15%	-23%	22%	0%	-6%
Group L Social Studies	-10%	1%	4%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-15%	-14%	-11%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-3%	-8%	-3%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-20%	-14%	-10%	0%	-22%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2%	-1%	6%	0%	-11%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	4%	-4%	2%	0%	-2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-32%	-24%	5%	0%	-14%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-16%	-7%	-3%	0%	-16%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2%	0%	4%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	26%	20%	5%	0%	-1%
Y Combined arts	18%	23%	14%	0%	-3%
Y Combined sciences	-1%	9%	12%	0%	-19%
Y Combined social sciences	11%	13%	-10%	0%	1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	28%	19%	11%	0%	-7%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	5%	6%	5%	0%	-10%
Z General, other combined & unknown	11%	19%	2%	0%	-25%

D.8.33 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.34 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,260	1,320	1,290	1,120	1,100
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2,660	2,680	2,500	2,430	2,100
Group C Biological Sciences	3,720	4,160	4,090	4,190	3,850
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	390	390	370	340	320
Group F Physical Sciences	2,750	2,730	2,690	2,380	2,160
Group G Mathematical Sciences	920	830	860	980	920
Group H Engineering	3,030	3,420	3,460	3,530	3,720
Group I Computer Sciences	2,630	2,780	3,120	3,270	3,270
Group J Technologies	310	280	250	220	110
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	570	550	500	540	590
Group L Social Studies	1,800	2,030	2,030	2,060	2,280
Group M Law	1,180	1,130	1,080	1,240	1,270
Group N Business & Admin studies	3,380	3,470	3,540	4,090	3,860
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	680	860	860	970	830
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	590	560	560	460	410
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	160	110	160	150	100
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	60	80	110	80	60
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,290	1,490	1,540	1,370	1,130
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,250	3,080	3,370	3,020	3,030
Group X Education	750	820	650	680	540
Y Combined arts	620	610	620	500	370
Y Combined sciences	620	640	580	490	400
Y Combined social sciences	340	310	300	270	280
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,330	1,170	1,010	790	610
Y Social sciences combined with arts	510	520	420	400	350
Z General, other combined & unknown	370	390	330	260	250

D.8.35 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	13%	19%	15%	0%	-2%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	9%	10%	3%	0%	-14%
Group C Biological Sciences	-11%	-1%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	15%	14%	9%	0%	-6%
Group F Physical Sciences	15%	15%	13%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-6%	-16%	-13%	0%	-6%
Group H Engineering	-14%	-3%	-2%	0%	5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-20%	-15%	-5%	0%	-0%
Group J Technologies	40%	28%	16%	0%	-50%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	5%	2%	-6%	0%	9%
Group L Social Studies	-13%	-2%	-1%	0%	10%
Group M Law	-5%	-9%	-13%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-17%	-15%	-13%	0%	-6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-30%	-12%	-12%	0%	-15%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	28%	20%	20%	0%	-11%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	12%	-29%	9%	0%	-31%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-21%	-1%	47%	0%	-17%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-6%	8%	12%	0%	-17%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	8%	2%	12%	0%	0%
Group X Education	11%	22%	-4%	0%	-21%
Y Combined arts	24%	22%	24%	0%	-26%
Y Combined sciences	28%	31%	18%	0%	-18%
Y Combined social sciences	26%	15%	9%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	68%	48%	28%	0%	-23%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	28%	31%	6%	0%	-12%
Z General, other combined & unknown	41%	48%	25%	0%	-5%

D.8.36 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle


D.8.37 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5,130	5,260	5,020	5,510	4,640
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	13,110	13,030	13,000	13,360	10,730
Group C Biological Sciences	9,280	9,740	11,390	12,690	12,060
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,310	1,470	1,670	1,640	1,470
Group F Physical Sciences	2,240	2,460	2,720	3,100	3,160
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,020	1,060	1,120	1,250	1,250
Group H Engineering	1,810	2,220	2,690	3,050	2,780
Group I Computer Sciences	1,020	1,520	1,990	2,390	2,240
Group J Technologies	290	320	360	390	310
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	2,450	2,190	2,380	2,430	2,400
Group L Social Studies	8,540	9,450	9,780	10,480	9,950
Group M Law	5,040	5,050	5,500	6,190	5,870
Group N Business & Admin studies	13,520	15,320	16,230	17,620	15,750
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	3,070	3,450	3,920	3,990	3,550
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,090	2,300	2,430	2,790	2,310
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,340	1,480	1,470	1,330	1,130
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	340	310	280	340	360
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,480	1,540	1,510	1,850	1,640
Group W Creative Arts & Design	9,290	10,660	11,760	12,210	11,860
Group X Education	710	860	1,610	1,430	1,480
Y Combined arts	2,610	2,980	2,710	2,900	2,820
Y Combined sciences	1,100	1,330	1,470	1,490	1,300
Y Combined social sciences	1,560	1,540	1,700	1,760	1,750
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,320	2,740	2,590	2,800	2,580
Y Social sciences combined with arts	3,960	4,020	4,180	4,140	3,720
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,890	2,120	2,840	3,190	3,050

D.8.38 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-7%	-5%	-9%	0%	-16%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-2%	-2%	-3%	0%	-20%
Group C Biological Sciences	-27%	-23%	-10%	0%	-5%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-20%	-11%	2%	0%	-11%
Group F Physical Sciences	-28%	-21%	-12%	0%	2%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-18%	-15%	-10%	0%	-0%
Group H Engineering	-41%	-27%	-12%	0%	-9%
Group I Computer Sciences	-57%	-37%	-17%	0%	-6%
Group J Technologies	-28%	-20%	-8%	0%	-21%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	1%	-10%	-2%	0%	-1%
Group L Social Studies	-18%	-10%	-7%	0%	-5%
Group M Law	-19%	-18%	-11%	0%	-5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-23%	-13%	-8%	0%	-11%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-23%	-14%	-2%	0%	-11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-25%	-18%	-13%	0%	-17%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1%	11%	10%	0%	-15%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-1%	-8%	-17%	0%	4%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-20%	-17%	-18%	0%	-11%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-24%	-13%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group X Education	-51%	-40%	12%	0%	3%
Y Combined arts	-10%	3%	-6%	0%	-3%
Y Combined sciences	-26%	-11%	-1%	0%	-13%
Y Combined social sciences	-12%	-13%	-3%	0%	-1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-17%	-2%	-8%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-4%	-3%	1%	0%	-10%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-41%	-34%	-11%	0%	-4%

D.8.39 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.40 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2,800	3,130	2,670	2,480	2,170
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	3,210	3,080	3,050	3,350	2,510
Group C Biological Sciences	4,160	4,320	4,610	5,100	4,800
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	530	490	490	470	480
Group F Physical Sciences	2,900	2,810	3,130	3,370	3,260
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,240	1,450	1,580	1,760	1,930
Group H Engineering	8,910	9,240	9,690	10,320	9,880
Group I Computer Sciences	5,780	6,350	7,960	8,830	9,000
Group J Technologies	480	600	600	550	500
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	1,630	1,350	1,400	1,320	1,280
Group L Social Studies	7,230	7,120	7,360	7,420	7,020
Group M Law	2,380	2,590	2,780	2,860	2,720
Group N Business & Admin studies	12,380	12,360	14,120	14,360	14,090
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,250	1,140	1,280	1,480	1,380
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	520	570	620	560	460
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	370	360	360	330	290
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	90	130	150	80
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	940	1,130	1,220	1,220	1,060
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,720	4,090	4,790	5,390	4,500
Group X Education	130	110	420	400	360
Y Combined arts	790	840	760	730	650
Y Combined sciences	1,390	1,490	1,510	1,530	1,510
Y Combined social sciences	1,550	1,590	1,710	1,720	1,610
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,240	2,240	2,020	1,910	1,690
Y Social sciences combined with arts	2,020	1,920	1,740	1,880	1,700
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,480	1,720	2,030	2,430	2,410

D.8.41 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	13%	26%	7%	0%	-13%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-4%	-8%	-9%	0%	-25%
Group C Biological Sciences	-18%	-15%	-9%	0%	-6%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	12%	4%	3%	0%	0%
Group F Physical Sciences	-14%	-16%	-7%	0%	-3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-29%	-18%	-10%	0%	10%
Group H Engineering	-14%	-10%	-6%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-35%	-28%	-10%	0%	2%
Group J Technologies	-13%	8%	8%	0%	-9%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	24%	2%	6%	0%	-3%
Group L Social Studies	-3%	-4%	-1%	0%	-5%
Group M Law	-17%	-9%	-3%	0%	-5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-14%	-14%	-2%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-16%	-23%	-14%	0%	-7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-7%	2%	11%	0%	-18%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	11%	8%	9%	0%	-12%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-44%	-36%	-8%	0%	-47%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-23%	-8%	0%	0%	-13%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-31%	-24%	-11%	0%	-17%
Group X Education	-68%	-72%	3%	0%	-11%
Y Combined arts	8%	15%	4%	0%	-11%
Y Combined sciences	-9%	-2%	-2%	0%	-1%
Y Combined social sciences	-9%	-7%	-0%	0%	-6%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	17%	17%	6%	0%	-12%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	7%	2%	-7%	0%	-10%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-39%	-29%	-17%	0%	-1%

D.8.42 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.43 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Women)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	7,560	8,600	8,150	8,000	7,380
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	6,690	7,340	7,980	7,970	7,980
Group C Biological Sciences	7,450	8,940	9,630	10,070	11,470
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,020	1,030	1,080	1,090	1,170
Group F Physical Sciences	2,630	3,150	3,320	3,420	3,540
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,570	2,610	2,910	3,140	3,450
Group H Engineering	4,890	6,140	6,280	6,370	6,100
Group I Computer Sciences	740	1,080	1,370	1,840	2,200
Group J Technologies	280	420	400	380	420
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	2,960	3,310	3,970	3,860	3,790
Group L Social Studies	11,070	11,900	11,580	12,410	12,820
Group M Law	10,190	11,140	10,970	10,950	10,230
Group N Business & Admin studies	20,480	22,770	23,820	22,910	21,530
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,300	2,570	2,730	2,720	2,940
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,080	2,160	2,550	2,520	2,420
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	470	450	460	430	350
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	160	160	170	150	90
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,660	1,740	1,810	2,110	1,970
Group W Creative Arts & Design	9,060	10,180	10,680	10,830	11,950
Group X Education	630	640	840	1,050	1,070
Y Combined arts	1,580	1,760	1,620	1,560	1,480
Y Combined sciences	1,380	1,720	1,860	1,550	1,340
Y Combined social sciences	2,050	2,180	2,220	2,300	2,150
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,370	2,430	2,240	2,300	2,210
Y Social sciences combined with arts	3,040	2,890	2,780	2,480	2,410
Z General, other combined & unknown	2,140	2,490	3,100	3,390	3,550

D.8.44 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Women) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-5%	8%	2%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-16%	-8%	0%	0%	0%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-11%	-4%	0%	14%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-6%	-5%	-1%	0%	7%
Group F Physical Sciences	-23%	-8%	-3%	0%	3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-18%	-17%	-7%	0%	10%
Group H Engineering	-23%	-4%	-1%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-60%	-41%	-25%	0%	20%
Group J Technologies	-25%	10%	6%	0%	12%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-23%	-14%	3%	0%	-2%
Group L Social Studies	-11%	-4%	-7%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-7%	2%	0%	0%	-7%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-11%	-1%	4%	0%	-6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-15%	-5%	1%	0%	8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-17%	-14%	1%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	8%	4%	6%	0%	-19%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	11%	8%	16%	0%	-36%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-21%	-18%	-14%	0%	-7%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-16%	-6%	-1%	0%	10%
Group X Education	-40%	-39%	-20%	0%	2%
Y Combined arts	2%	13%	4%	0%	-5%
Y Combined sciences	-11%	11%	20%	0%	-13%
Y Combined social sciences	-11%	-5%	-3%	0%	-6%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3%	6%	-3%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	22%	16%	12%	0%	-3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-37%	-27%	-9%	0%	5%

D.8.45 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Women) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.46 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men)

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5,290	5,910	5,240	5,420	5,010
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	3,080	3,280	3,630	3,720	3,450
Group C Biological Sciences	3,440	3,740	4,010	4,510	5,140
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	310	280	330	310	410
Group F Physical Sciences	3,330	3,920	3,710	4,240	4,270
Group G Mathematical Sciences	3,240	3,140	3,280	3,660	3,720
Group H Engineering	19,390	21,350	21,840	21,110	20,430
Group I Computer Sciences	3,480	4,390	5,300	6,260	7,780
Group J Technologies	460	570	550	540	560
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,620	3,000	3,010	2,730	2,740
Group L Social Studies	10,610	10,060	9,620	9,980	10,070
Group M Law	7,530	7,130	7,330	7,280	6,320
Group N Business & Admin studies	20,480	20,910	22,460	21,460	20,830
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	640	820	920	1,080	1,110
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	560	480	570	580	650
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	170	170	140	130	110
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	70	70	70	110	70
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,300	1,050	1,250	1,370	1,270
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2,730	3,440	3,500	3,670	3,660
Group X Education	110	90	140	170	180
Y Combined arts	430	490	470	410	390
Y Combined sciences	1,470	1,790	1,730	1,770	1,670
Y Combined social sciences	2,280	2,140	2,470	2,390	2,380
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,460	2,360	2,050	1,940	1,860
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,600	1,620	1,380	1,280	1,350
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,870	2,030	2,670	2,890	3,010

D.8.47 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men) Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-2%	9%	-3%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-17%	-12%	-3%	0%	-7%
Group C Biological Sciences	-24%	-17%	-11%	0%	14%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1%	-9%	6%	0%	33%
Group F Physical Sciences	-21%	-8%	-12%	0%	1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-12%	-14%	-11%	0%	2%
Group H Engineering	-8%	1%	3%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-44%	-30%	-15%	0%	24%
Group J Technologies	-14%	4%	2%	0%	4%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-4%	10%	10%	0%	0%
Group L Social Studies	6%	1%	-4%	0%	1%
Group M Law	3%	-2%	1%	0%	-13%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-5%	-3%	5%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-41%	-24%	-15%	0%	3%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-3%	-18%	-1%	0%	11%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	29%	34%	11%	0%	-11%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-38%	-32%	-38%	0%	-35%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-5%	-23%	-9%	0%	-7%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-26%	-6%	-5%	0%	-0%
Group X Education	-34%	-45%	-17%	0%	7%
Y Combined arts	5%	19%	13%	0%	-5%
Y Combined sciences	-17%	1%	-2%	0%	-5%
Y Combined social sciences	-5%	-11%	3%	0%	-0%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	27%	22%	6%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	25%	26%	8%	0%	5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-35%	-30%	-8%	0%	4%

D.8.48 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men) Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



D.8.49 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2017 courses since early September.

Applicants who submit their applications to UCAS by the January deadline are considered as 'on time' applicants for the large majority of courses offered through UCAS.

This statistical release covers all Main Scheme applicants who submit their applications to UCAS by the January deadline, including those who have applied for courses with a 15 October deadline. Counts of RPAs (records of prior acceptance) are not included.

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.

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.

This statistical release excludes a small number of applications to a provider based in the EU.

Domicile

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

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.

Subject group

The JACS3 classification used to classify courses into subject groups.

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.