

March Deadline Analysis: Subjects

Applicants by subject at the 24 March deadline

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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	81,770	93,330	96,860	93,870	95,130	97,820	87,790	85,650	82,380	89,300
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	215,450	303,680	346,920	350,990	365,450	381,050	374,680	377,960	321,790	291,590
Group C Biological Sciences	175,760	208,380	219,740	210,370	223,950	241,680	260,750	269,190	266,020	269,800
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	19,420	24,040	26,560	25,910	27,610	29,110	30,120	28,970	27,680	28,400
Group F Physical Sciences	77,840	89,110	96,570	96,010	101,700	106,440	107,940	105,150	102,990	96,810
Group G Mathematical Sciences	39,260	42,890	44,320	43,190	44,680	44,270	45,950	47,750	49,510	49,810
Group H Engineering	106,850	121,510	127,420	126,030	133,840	148,950	159,680	159,420	156,280	151,940
Group I Computer Sciences	69,940	82,270	88,820	83,320	91,610	103,590	114,850	120,120	121,080	124,550
Group J Technologies	10,000	11,550	11,050	9,110	8,980	10,290	9,280	8,280	7,310	6,710
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	45,560	46,230	45,900	38,530	37,260	36,740	39,780	40,780	42,450	42,590
Group L Social Studies	187,040	223,890	230,310	203,090	205,160	214,730	226,440	232,060	239,300	236,370
Group M Law	102,750	109,350	114,400	110,180	114,900	115,220	118,820	125,230	130,640	134,390
Group N Business & Admin studies	251,180	281,690	299,630	282,470	287,200	301,080	314,810	318,680	309,380	302,630
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	49,180	55,580	59,170	50,680	53,470	58,230	60,800	61,890	62,130	57,450
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	67,400	72,650	69,660	63,910	63,480	64,030	64,500	62,660	59,250	54,520
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	23,580	25,130	24,910	22,120	20,780	19,650	19,570	18,230	16,930	14,850
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7,430	8,020	8,100	6,470	5,990	5,620	5,890	5,520	5,190	4,970
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	76,840	82,860	81,630	75,750	76,880	80,110	81,410	81,040	74,610	72,250
Group W Creative Arts & Design	218,510	275,280	290,440	243,140	246,850	258,870	264,450	261,930	246,350	237,190
Group X Education	70,490	84,800	90,320	83,130	80,350	80,430	88,850	86,730	86,210	80,030
Y Combined arts	63,140	69,960	67,990	57,020	55,380	54,840	50,770	48,180	43,680	40,550
Y Combined sciences	33,480	38,270	40,200	36,210	37,730	38,760	35,870	30,980	28,810	29,020
Y Combined social sciences	31,070	32,910	31,970	28,100	27,520	29,140	29,710	31,380	30,620	32,110
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	92,820	104,300	100,580	83,330	78,870	76,530	64,740	56,820	51,550	49,880
Y Social sciences combined with arts	58,280	63,750	62,020	53,300	52,290	51,410	50,210	47,780	47,000	46,540
Z General, other combined & unknown	16,040	17,370	17,880	25,400	27,050	28,230	32,490	33,410	32,820	36,400

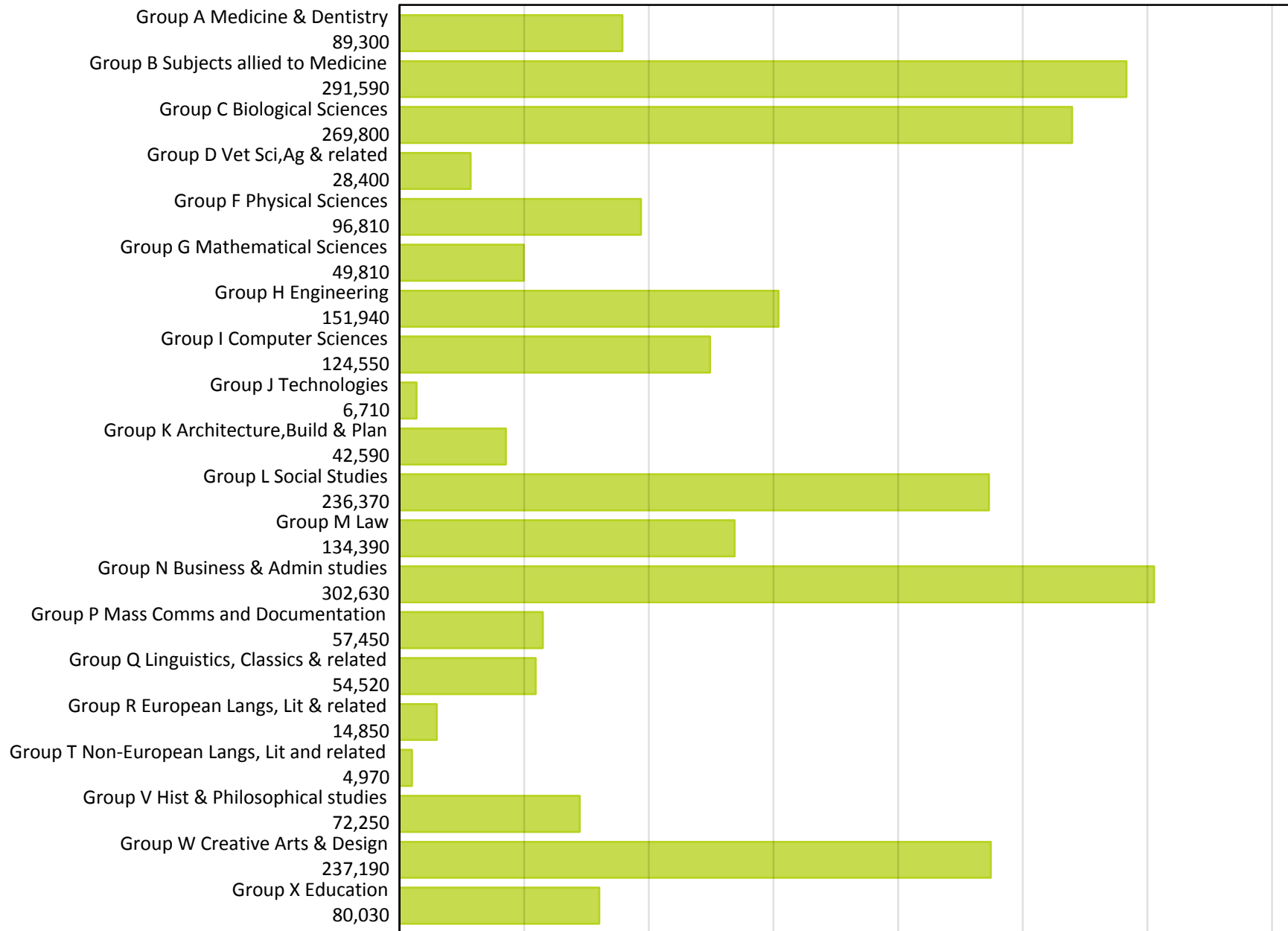
F.6.2 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-1%	13%	18%	14%	15%	19%	7%	4%	0%	8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-33%	-6%	8%	9%	14%	18%	16%	17%	0%	-9%
Group C Biological Sciences	-34%	-22%	-17%	-21%	-16%	-9%	-2%	1%	0%	1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-30%	-13%	-4%	-6%	-0%	5%	9%	5%	0%	3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-24%	-13%	-6%	-7%	-1%	3%	5%	2%	0%	-6%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-21%	-13%	-10%	-13%	-10%	-11%	-7%	-4%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-32%	-22%	-18%	-19%	-14%	-5%	2%	2%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-42%	-32%	-27%	-31%	-24%	-14%	-5%	-1%	0%	3%
Group J Technologies	37%	58%	51%	25%	23%	41%	27%	13%	0%	-8%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	7%	9%	8%	-9%	-12%	-13%	-6%	-4%	0%	0%
Group L Social Studies	-22%	-6%	-4%	-15%	-14%	-10%	-5%	-3%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-21%	-16%	-12%	-16%	-12%	-12%	-9%	-4%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-19%	-9%	-3%	-9%	-7%	-3%	2%	3%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-21%	-11%	-5%	-18%	-14%	-6%	-2%	-0%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	14%	23%	18%	8%	7%	8%	9%	6%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	39%	48%	47%	31%	23%	16%	16%	8%	0%	-12%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	43%	55%	56%	25%	16%	8%	14%	6%	0%	-4%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3%	11%	9%	2%	3%	7%	9%	9%	0%	-3%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-11%	12%	18%	-1%	0%	5%	7%	6%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	-18%	-2%	5%	-4%	-7%	-7%	3%	1%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	45%	60%	56%	31%	27%	26%	16%	10%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	16%	33%	40%	26%	31%	35%	25%	8%	0%	1%
Y Combined social sciences	1%	7%	4%	-8%	-10%	-5%	-3%	2%	0%	5%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	80%	102%	95%	62%	53%	48%	26%	10%	0%	-3%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	24%	36%	32%	13%	11%	9%	7%	2%	0%	-1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-51%	-47%	-46%	-23%	-18%	-14%	-1%	2%	0%	11%

Note: The percentage change is not recorded in the above table for groups with fewer than 10 applicants in that cycle or in the 2017 cycle.

F.6.3 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	66,500	74,310	76,880	73,790	74,700	75,150	66,820	64,570	63,430	69,030
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	198,260	279,490	320,170	324,550	336,840	351,800	344,380	346,850	294,240	265,380
Group C Biological Sciences	160,410	189,080	197,610	186,430	197,390	212,280	228,490	234,150	229,380	229,680
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	17,280	21,090	23,610	22,800	24,260	25,670	26,370	25,230	23,890	24,530
Group F Physical Sciences	70,610	79,750	86,590	85,280	90,030	93,410	94,250	90,130	87,770	80,030
Group G Mathematical Sciences	32,010	34,780	35,650	34,290	36,180	35,550	36,620	37,530	38,680	37,500
Group H Engineering	77,670	87,530	92,770	89,740	95,110	105,610	114,250	114,550	112,490	108,820
Group I Computer Sciences	62,380	72,930	77,850	72,270	79,370	88,600	96,500	99,070	97,480	95,900
Group J Technologies	8,650	9,870	9,310	7,430	7,290	8,090	7,100	6,210	5,340	4,760
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	36,270	35,280	34,420	28,360	26,600	25,770	27,750	29,550	31,150	31,540
Group L Social Studies	154,740	186,360	190,390	165,110	164,920	173,250	185,050	188,980	196,070	190,710
Group M Law	84,570	87,270	89,140	83,250	86,240	84,590	87,340	93,710	100,720	103,270
Group N Business & Admin studies	197,180	217,270	227,120	208,850	211,470	219,090	226,770	232,590	226,360	216,470
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	44,290	49,180	52,020	43,880	45,260	49,080	50,810	51,450	51,810	47,520
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	63,350	67,660	64,490	58,630	57,850	57,950	57,760	55,670	52,800	48,060
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	20,960	22,200	21,950	19,400	18,320	17,100	17,010	15,870	14,890	13,160
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,590	7,070	7,080	5,610	5,280	4,950	5,170	4,670	4,520	4,170
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	72,190	77,440	76,000	70,120	71,170	74,240	75,270	73,990	67,810	64,580
Group W Creative Arts & Design	201,210	249,560	261,470	217,550	218,800	226,810	229,470	225,550	209,820	198,130
Group X Education	68,250	81,980	87,440	81,070	78,630	78,470	85,550	83,360	82,760	76,490
Y Combined arts	58,230	64,000	61,850	51,490	49,500	48,310	44,780	42,150	37,860	34,580
Y Combined sciences	29,570	33,320	34,840	30,690	31,830	31,990	28,820	24,260	22,510	22,130
Y Combined social sciences	24,080	25,010	24,170	20,040	19,480	20,860	20,700	22,310	21,720	23,140
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	83,350	93,400	89,560	73,190	68,690	65,950	55,220	47,220	42,390	40,290
Y Social sciences combined with arts	48,930	53,020	50,990	42,660	40,840	40,080	39,430	37,440	37,140	35,360
Z General, other combined & unknown	12,820	13,690	13,980	18,070	19,220	19,510	21,600	21,160	20,580	21,390

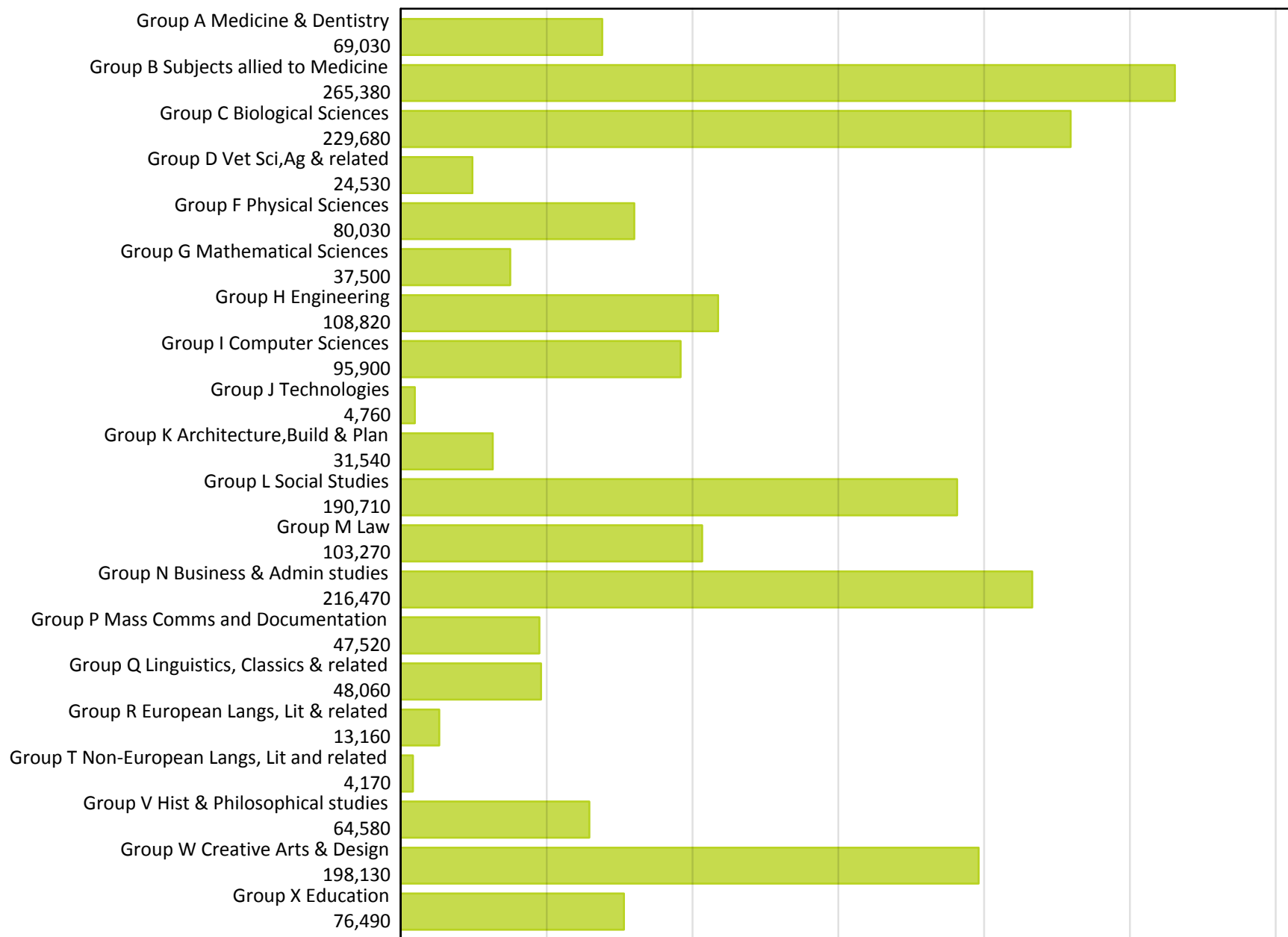
F.6.5 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5%	17%	21%	16%	18%	18%	5%	2%	0%	9%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-33%	-5%	9%	10%	14%	20%	17%	18%	0%	-10%
Group C Biological Sciences	-30%	-18%	-14%	-19%	-14%	-7%	-0%	2%	0%	0%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-28%	-12%	-1%	-5%	2%	7%	10%	6%	0%	3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-20%	-9%	-1%	-3%	3%	6%	7%	3%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-17%	-10%	-8%	-11%	-6%	-8%	-5%	-3%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-31%	-22%	-18%	-20%	-15%	-6%	2%	2%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-36%	-25%	-20%	-26%	-19%	-9%	-1%	2%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	62%	85%	74%	39%	36%	51%	33%	16%	0%	-11%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	16%	13%	10%	-9%	-15%	-17%	-11%	-5%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-21%	-5%	-3%	-16%	-16%	-12%	-6%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group M Law	-16%	-13%	-12%	-17%	-14%	-16%	-13%	-7%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-13%	-4%	0%	-8%	-7%	-3%	0%	3%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-15%	-5%	0%	-15%	-13%	-5%	-2%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	20%	28%	22%	11%	10%	10%	9%	5%	0%	-9%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	41%	49%	47%	30%	23%	15%	14%	7%	0%	-12%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	46%	57%	57%	24%	17%	9%	15%	3%	0%	-8%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	6%	14%	12%	3%	5%	9%	11%	9%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-4%	19%	25%	4%	4%	8%	9%	7%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-18%	-1%	6%	-2%	-5%	-5%	3%	1%	0%	-8%
Y Combined arts	54%	69%	63%	36%	31%	28%	18%	11%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	31%	48%	55%	36%	41%	42%	28%	8%	0%	-2%
Y Combined social sciences	11%	15%	11%	-8%	-10%	-4%	-5%	3%	0%	7%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	97%	120%	111%	73%	62%	56%	30%	11%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	32%	43%	37%	15%	10%	8%	6%	1%	0%	-5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-38%	-33%	-32%	-12%	-7%	-5%	5%	3%	0%	4%

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F.6.6 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	56,020	62,730	65,010	62,630	63,620	63,920	56,440	54,660	53,680	59,160
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	170,970	235,260	269,320	273,720	282,920	296,850	289,750	291,060	242,090	215,130
Group C Biological Sciences	136,230	160,790	167,740	155,880	165,310	178,860	193,320	199,530	195,850	195,760
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	14,420	17,840	20,030	18,870	20,200	21,400	21,220	20,110	19,180	20,090
Group F Physical Sciences	58,740	67,380	73,100	70,830	75,130	79,050	79,640	76,600	75,230	67,960
Group G Mathematical Sciences	27,550	30,190	31,150	29,600	31,340	30,890	31,980	32,910	33,730	32,370
Group H Engineering	60,580	68,510	72,650	68,730	73,180	81,950	89,910	91,110	90,320	88,240
Group I Computer Sciences	51,920	60,150	63,760	57,840	62,840	70,920	77,710	79,520	78,820	77,180
Group J Technologies	7,310	8,300	7,940	6,020	5,780	6,590	5,750	4,870	4,270	3,860
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	28,410	28,230	27,720	22,560	21,310	20,680	22,010	23,380	24,540	25,030
Group L Social Studies	131,750	159,670	162,740	138,070	139,080	145,820	157,050	161,810	169,010	163,990
Group M Law	70,980	73,130	74,570	69,640	73,080	71,570	73,570	78,540	84,290	86,870
Group N Business & Admin studies	167,370	184,230	190,990	172,090	175,540	180,790	187,520	191,160	186,180	178,020
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	38,560	42,350	44,650	36,940	38,270	41,260	43,500	43,530	44,130	40,450
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	57,060	60,490	57,350	51,790	51,580	51,600	51,400	49,240	46,330	42,190
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	17,930	18,760	18,600	15,940	14,940	14,140	13,960	12,840	12,000	10,790
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,010	6,500	6,450	5,260	4,910	4,610	4,760	4,300	4,140	3,920
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	63,740	67,870	66,620	60,980	62,370	64,750	65,760	64,400	59,050	56,050
Group W Creative Arts & Design	177,160	220,370	230,190	188,750	189,250	197,440	199,580	195,730	180,820	170,130
Group X Education	56,920	69,020	73,940	67,710	65,720	64,980	59,720	55,140	53,680	47,260
Y Combined arts	50,270	55,690	53,950	44,510	42,610	41,180	38,180	35,200	30,950	28,330
Y Combined sciences	24,850	27,910	29,080	25,040	26,170	26,300	23,060	19,010	17,520	17,060
Y Combined social sciences	20,260	21,470	20,590	16,610	16,110	17,190	16,590	17,770	17,420	18,730
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	68,990	78,340	74,490	59,610	55,760	53,470	44,190	36,820	32,600	30,790
Y Social sciences combined with arts	41,090	44,670	43,180	35,900	34,290	33,390	32,340	30,250	30,030	28,690
Z General, other combined & unknown	11,820	12,580	12,840	15,500	16,400	17,220	19,320	18,760	18,220	19,070

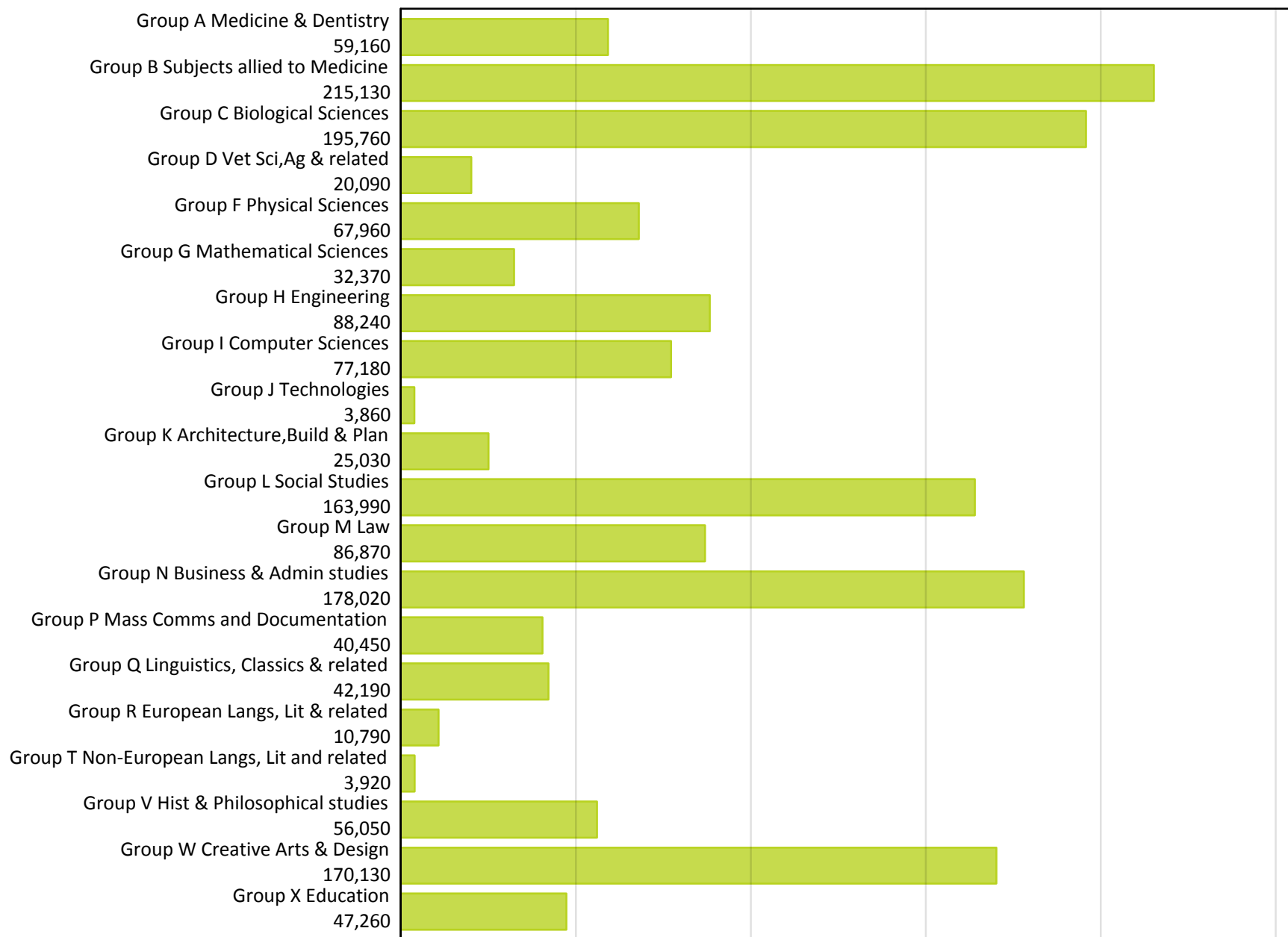
F.6.8 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : England

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	4%	17%	21%	17%	19%	19%	5%	2%	0%	10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-29%	-3%	11%	13%	17%	23%	20%	20%	0%	-11%
Group C Biological Sciences	-30%	-18%	-14%	-20%	-16%	-9%	-1%	2%	0%	-0%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-25%	-7%	4%	-2%	5%	12%	11%	5%	0%	5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-22%	-10%	-3%	-6%	-0%	5%	6%	2%	0%	-10%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-18%	-10%	-8%	-12%	-7%	-8%	-5%	-2%	0%	-4%
Group H Engineering	-33%	-24%	-20%	-24%	-19%	-9%	-0%	1%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-34%	-24%	-19%	-27%	-20%	-10%	-1%	1%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	71%	94%	86%	41%	35%	54%	35%	14%	0%	-10%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	16%	15%	13%	-8%	-13%	-16%	-10%	-5%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-22%	-6%	-4%	-18%	-18%	-14%	-7%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group M Law	-16%	-13%	-12%	-17%	-13%	-15%	-13%	-7%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-10%	-1%	3%	-8%	-6%	-3%	1%	3%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-13%	-4%	1%	-16%	-13%	-6%	-1%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	23%	31%	24%	12%	11%	11%	11%	6%	0%	-9%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	49%	56%	55%	33%	24%	18%	16%	7%	0%	-10%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	45%	57%	56%	27%	19%	11%	15%	4%	0%	-5%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	8%	15%	13%	3%	6%	10%	11%	9%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-2%	22%	27%	4%	5%	9%	10%	8%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	6%	29%	38%	26%	22%	21%	11%	3%	0%	-12%
Y Combined arts	62%	80%	74%	44%	38%	33%	23%	14%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	42%	59%	66%	43%	49%	50%	32%	9%	0%	-3%
Y Combined social sciences	16%	23%	18%	-5%	-8%	-1%	-5%	2%	0%	8%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	112%	140%	128%	83%	71%	64%	36%	13%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	37%	49%	44%	20%	14%	11%	8%	1%	0%	-4%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-35%	-31%	-30%	-15%	-10%	-5%	6%	3%	0%	5%

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F.6.9 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : England
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,040	3,440	3,370	2,930	3,000	2,760	2,580	2,620	2,450	2,250
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	9,390	11,110	13,240	13,260	16,770	15,770	15,710	16,590	15,290	14,020
Group C Biological Sciences	5,110	6,120	6,430	6,260	6,650	6,760	7,150	7,200	6,810	7,290
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	870	1,020	1,170	1,280	1,420	1,390	1,390	1,490	1,260	1,190
Group F Physical Sciences	2,290	2,370	2,650	2,980	2,880	2,760	2,950	2,740	2,620	2,490
Group G Mathematical Sciences	860	900	1,020	880	980	1,020	1,270	1,130	1,050	1,000
Group H Engineering	3,980	4,420	4,160	4,330	4,860	4,760	4,830	4,840	4,780	4,490
Group I Computer Sciences	3,780	5,190	5,510	5,480	6,650	7,310	7,510	7,820	6,790	5,950
Group J Technologies	380	430	360	360	390	370	280	200	130	120
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	3,350	2,770	2,650	2,020	1,780	1,660	2,040	2,200	2,470	2,310
Group L Social Studies	7,510	8,540	8,900	8,320	7,340	7,290	7,600	7,530	7,280	7,420
Group M Law	4,190	3,830	3,890	3,310	3,370	3,380	3,670	3,640	3,600	4,010
Group N Business & Admin studies	9,070	9,470	9,960	9,780	10,060	10,730	10,850	11,940	11,340	10,670
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,180	2,310	2,540	2,450	2,290	2,380	1,830	2,020	2,250	2,080
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,640	2,050	2,130	1,860	1,550	1,760	1,660	1,550	1,510	1,450
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	660	800	770	730	730	650	800	560	560	450
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	110	110	100	60	40	50	60	30	50	30
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,870	2,210	2,480	2,180	2,040	2,110	1,950	1,890	1,750	1,500
Group W Creative Arts & Design	4,920	5,990	6,350	5,830	6,200	6,090	6,710	6,240	6,330	5,510
Group X Education	2,000	2,860	3,100	2,820	2,880	2,720	3,400	3,550	3,400	3,670
Y Combined arts	1,610	1,670	1,810	1,380	1,500	1,370	1,390	1,370	1,300	1,080
Y Combined sciences	1,050	1,260	1,320	1,490	1,550	1,930	2,000	2,040	1,960	1,970
Y Combined social sciences	770	670	750	610	710	720	700	830	890	1,040
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,370	2,440	2,610	2,090	2,040	2,080	1,730	1,650	1,430	1,310
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,560	1,820	1,920	1,610	1,830	1,750	1,820	1,780	1,860	1,430
Z General, other combined & unknown	160	170	220	420	420	440	480	470	400	430

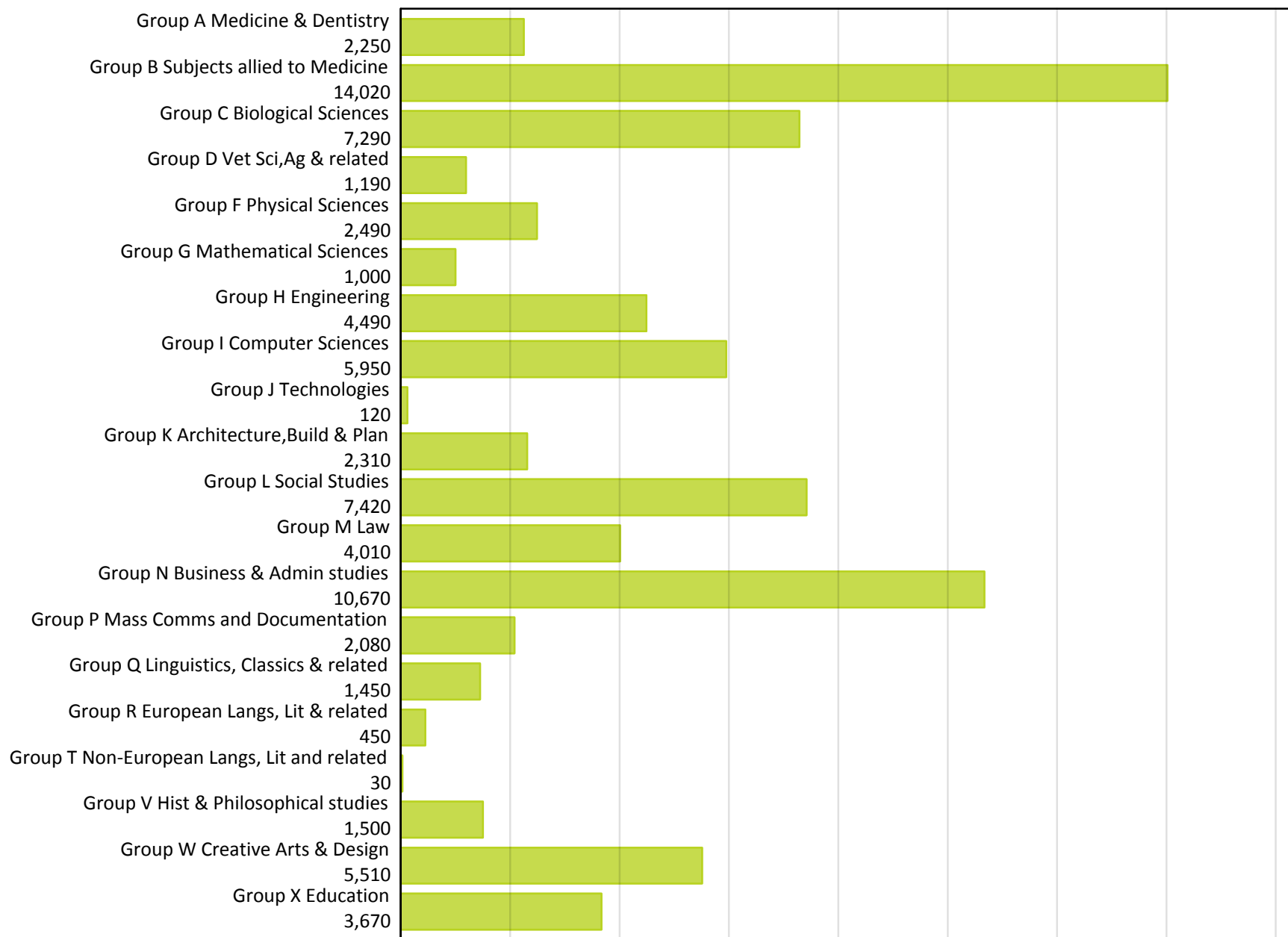
F.6.11 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Northern Ireland

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	24%	41%	38%	20%	23%	13%	5%	7%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-39%	-27%	-13%	-13%	10%	3%	3%	9%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-25%	-10%	-6%	-8%	-2%	-1%	5%	6%	0%	7%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-31%	-19%	-7%	2%	13%	11%	10%	18%	0%	-5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-12%	-10%	1%	14%	10%	6%	13%	5%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-18%	-14%	-3%	-16%	-7%	-3%	22%	7%	0%	-5%
Group H Engineering	-17%	-8%	-13%	-10%	2%	-1%	1%	1%	0%	-6%
Group I Computer Sciences	-44%	-24%	-19%	-19%	-2%	8%	11%	15%	0%	-12%
Group J Technologies	198%	238%	184%	185%	208%	188%	120%	57%	0%	-9%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	36%	12%	8%	-18%	-28%	-33%	-17%	-11%	0%	-7%
Group L Social Studies	3%	17%	22%	14%	1%	0%	4%	3%	0%	2%
Group M Law	16%	6%	8%	-8%	-6%	-6%	2%	1%	0%	11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-20%	-16%	-12%	-14%	-11%	-5%	-4%	5%	0%	-6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-3%	3%	13%	9%	2%	6%	-19%	-10%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	9%	36%	41%	23%	3%	17%	10%	3%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	18%	42%	37%	30%	29%	15%	42%	-1%	0%	-21%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	116%	124%	108%	14%	-10%	-4%	24%	-45%	0%	-41%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	7%	26%	41%	24%	17%	20%	11%	8%	0%	-14%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-22%	-5%	0%	-8%	-2%	-4%	6%	-1%	0%	-13%
Group X Education	-41%	-16%	-9%	-17%	-15%	-20%	0%	5%	0%	8%
Y Combined arts	24%	29%	40%	7%	16%	5%	7%	5%	0%	-17%
Y Combined sciences	-47%	-36%	-33%	-24%	-21%	-2%	2%	4%	0%	0%
Y Combined social sciences	-13%	-25%	-15%	-31%	-20%	-18%	-21%	-6%	0%	17%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	65%	71%	82%	46%	43%	46%	21%	16%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-16%	-2%	3%	-14%	-2%	-6%	-2%	-5%	0%	-23%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-61%	-59%	-46%	5%	5%	9%	19%	16%	0%	8%

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F.6.12 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Northern Ireland
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	4,440	5,010	5,420	5,250	5,150	5,370	4,920	4,770	4,800	4,940
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	8,270	21,100	23,390	22,220	22,080	24,220	23,760	23,300	22,910	22,840
Group C Biological Sciences	12,090	14,110	15,050	15,780	16,940	17,200	18,260	17,420	17,300	17,640
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,030	1,100	1,340	1,420	1,410	1,510	2,330	2,320	2,220	2,050
Group F Physical Sciences	5,800	6,550	6,680	7,200	7,910	7,270	7,430	6,610	6,100	6,020
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,030	2,020	1,960	2,270	2,250	2,100	1,920	1,870	2,360	2,520
Group H Engineering	9,930	10,960	12,350	13,190	13,610	14,920	15,340	14,220	12,840	11,980
Group I Computer Sciences	3,850	4,790	5,720	6,170	6,790	7,090	7,500	7,790	8,070	9,020
Group J Technologies	350	480	540	630	740	790	750	860	760	590
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	3,300	3,160	2,980	2,850	2,620	2,610	2,770	3,070	3,210	3,260
Group L Social Studies	9,940	11,530	12,280	12,370	12,240	12,920	13,150	12,530	12,200	12,440
Group M Law	5,680	6,720	6,800	6,500	6,120	5,990	6,410	7,410	8,530	8,040
Group N Business & Admin studies	14,300	16,730	18,910	19,650	18,760	20,530	21,100	21,570	21,180	20,660
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,000	2,790	3,050	2,970	3,100	3,600	3,550	3,800	3,730	3,110
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,080	2,570	2,530	2,700	2,370	2,350	2,300	2,690	3,010	2,730
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,530	1,760	1,700	1,960	2,010	1,780	1,640	1,870	1,770	1,580
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	290	280	300	140	180	120	110	150	160	130
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,340	4,090	3,640	3,850	3,830	4,070	4,130	4,400	4,210	4,270
Group W Creative Arts & Design	10,460	13,170	14,420	13,510	13,990	14,130	13,670	14,580	13,900	14,010
Group X Education	5,710	5,760	5,570	5,680	5,920	6,710	18,960	21,250	22,450	22,470
Y Combined arts	3,630	3,930	3,570	3,090	3,220	3,560	3,150	3,770	3,970	3,680
Y Combined sciences	2,570	2,940	3,070	2,930	2,970	2,570	2,610	2,240	2,180	2,200
Y Combined social sciences	2,030	1,850	1,770	1,750	1,670	1,970	2,610	2,850	2,530	2,480
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	8,470	8,990	9,150	8,350	8,250	8,020	7,260	6,980	6,860	6,480
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,430	4,680	4,140	3,520	3,230	3,470	3,920	4,130	4,110	4,170
Z General, other combined & unknown	430	450	390	1,310	1,600	1,050	1,080	1,310	1,430	1,270

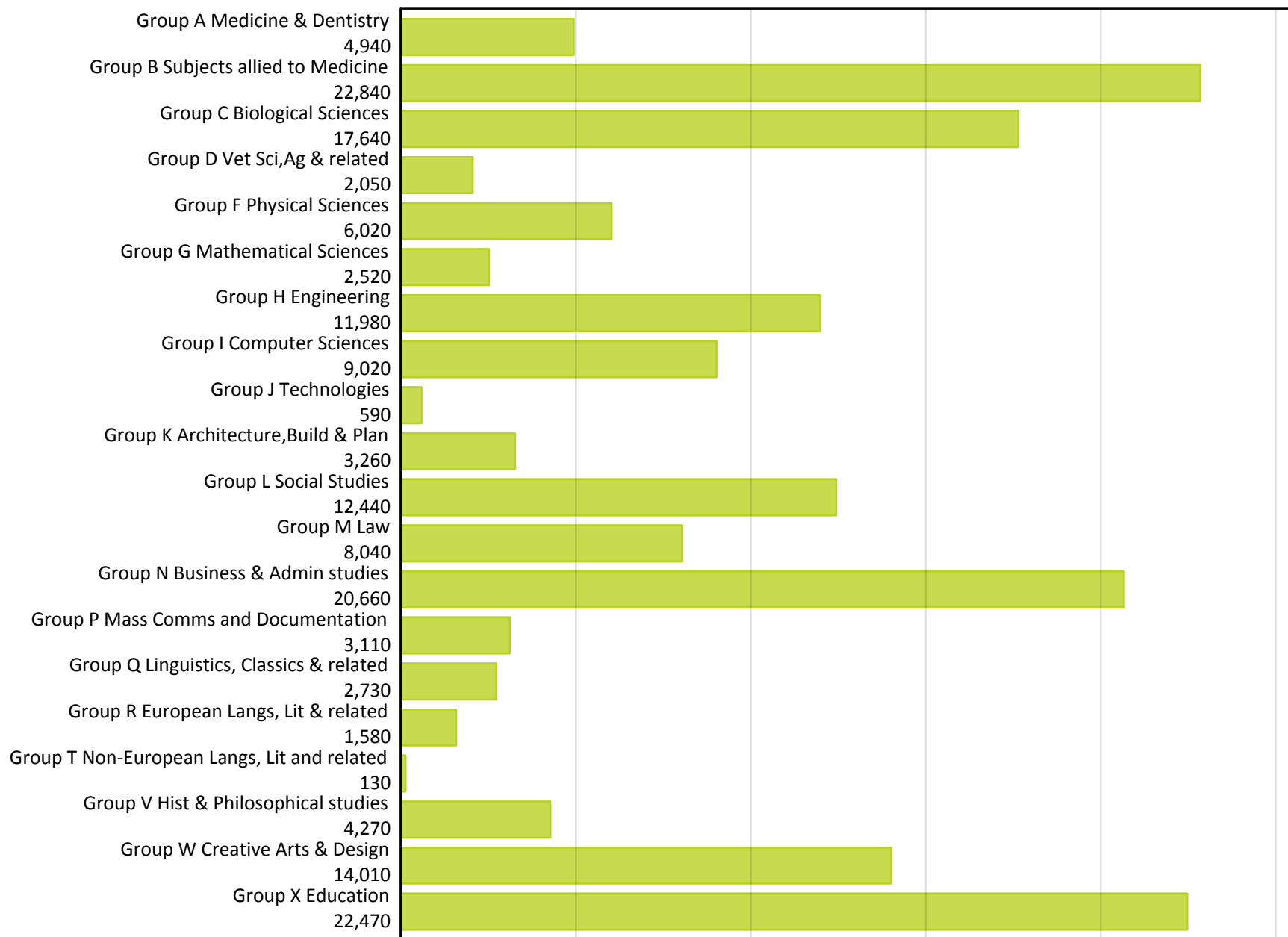
F.6.14 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-8%	4%	13%	9%	7%	12%	2%	-1%	0%	3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-64%	-8%	2%	-3%	-4%	6%	4%	2%	0%	-0%
Group C Biological Sciences	-30%	-18%	-13%	-9%	-2%	-1%	6%	1%	0%	2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-54%	-50%	-40%	-36%	-37%	-32%	5%	5%	0%	-7%
Group F Physical Sciences	-5%	7%	9%	18%	30%	19%	22%	8%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-14%	-14%	-17%	-4%	-4%	-11%	-18%	-21%	0%	7%
Group H Engineering	-23%	-15%	-4%	3%	6%	16%	19%	11%	0%	-7%
Group I Computer Sciences	-52%	-41%	-29%	-24%	-16%	-12%	-7%	-3%	0%	12%
Group J Technologies	-54%	-36%	-29%	-16%	-2%	4%	-1%	14%	0%	-22%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	3%	-2%	-7%	-11%	-18%	-19%	-14%	-4%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-5%	1%	1%	0%	6%	8%	3%	0%	2%
Group M Law	-33%	-21%	-20%	-24%	-28%	-30%	-25%	-13%	0%	-6%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-33%	-21%	-11%	-7%	-11%	-3%	-0%	2%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-46%	-25%	-18%	-20%	-17%	-3%	-5%	2%	0%	-17%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-31%	-15%	-16%	-10%	-21%	-22%	-24%	-11%	0%	-9%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-14%	-1%	-4%	11%	13%	0%	-8%	5%	0%	-11%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	76%	75%	84%	-14%	13%	-25%	-30%	-10%	0%	-22%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-21%	-3%	-13%	-9%	-9%	-3%	-2%	4%	0%	1%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-25%	-5%	4%	-3%	1%	2%	-2%	5%	0%	1%
Group X Education	-75%	-74%	-75%	-75%	-74%	-70%	-16%	-5%	0%	0%
Y Combined arts	-9%	-1%	-10%	-22%	-19%	-10%	-20%	-5%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	18%	34%	41%	34%	36%	18%	19%	3%	0%	1%
Y Combined social sciences	-20%	-27%	-30%	-31%	-34%	-22%	3%	13%	0%	-2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	24%	31%	33%	22%	20%	17%	6%	2%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	8%	14%	1%	-14%	-21%	-15%	-5%	1%	0%	2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-70%	-69%	-73%	-9%	12%	-26%	-25%	-9%	0%	-11%

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F.6.15 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,000	3,130	3,080	2,970	2,920	3,090	2,880	2,540	2,500	2,680
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	9,620	12,020	14,220	15,350	15,070	14,950	15,170	15,900	13,950	13,390
Group C Biological Sciences	6,980	8,070	8,400	8,510	8,490	9,470	9,760	10,000	9,420	8,980
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	970	1,130	1,070	1,230	1,240	1,360	1,440	1,300	1,230	1,200
Group F Physical Sciences	3,770	3,440	4,170	4,270	4,110	4,330	4,230	4,180	3,830	3,560
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,570	1,670	1,520	1,550	1,610	1,540	1,450	1,620	1,550	1,610
Group H Engineering	3,190	3,640	3,620	3,500	3,470	3,990	4,180	4,380	4,550	4,110
Group I Computer Sciences	2,830	2,800	2,870	2,790	3,100	3,280	3,780	3,930	3,810	3,750
Group J Technologies	620	660	470	410	370	340	320	280	190	200
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	1,210	1,120	1,060	930	890	820	920	890	930	940
Group L Social Studies	5,540	6,610	6,490	6,360	6,260	7,210	7,260	7,110	7,580	6,870
Group M Law	3,720	3,590	3,880	3,800	3,680	3,640	3,700	4,120	4,310	4,360
Group N Business & Admin studies	6,450	6,850	7,260	7,340	7,110	7,040	7,300	7,910	7,660	7,120
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,540	1,720	1,780	1,520	1,610	1,840	1,940	2,110	1,710	1,880
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,570	2,550	2,480	2,290	2,340	2,250	2,390	2,190	1,950	1,690
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	840	870	870	770	640	530	620	600	550	350
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	190	170	230	160	150	170	240	200	170	90
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,250	3,280	3,260	3,120	2,930	3,310	3,440	3,310	2,810	2,770
Group W Creative Arts & Design	8,670	10,030	10,500	9,450	9,370	9,160	9,510	8,990	8,760	8,480
Group X Education	3,620	4,340	4,830	4,860	4,120	4,050	3,470	3,420	3,240	3,090
Y Combined arts	2,720	2,710	2,520	2,500	2,170	2,210	2,060	1,810	1,640	1,500
Y Combined sciences	1,110	1,210	1,370	1,230	1,150	1,190	1,160	970	840	910
Y Combined social sciences	1,020	1,030	1,060	1,070	1,000	970	810	860	880	890
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,530	3,630	3,320	3,140	2,640	2,380	2,050	1,770	1,510	1,710
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,840	1,850	1,760	1,630	1,480	1,460	1,350	1,280	1,140	1,080
Z General, other combined & unknown	410	490	540	840	800	800	730	630	530	620

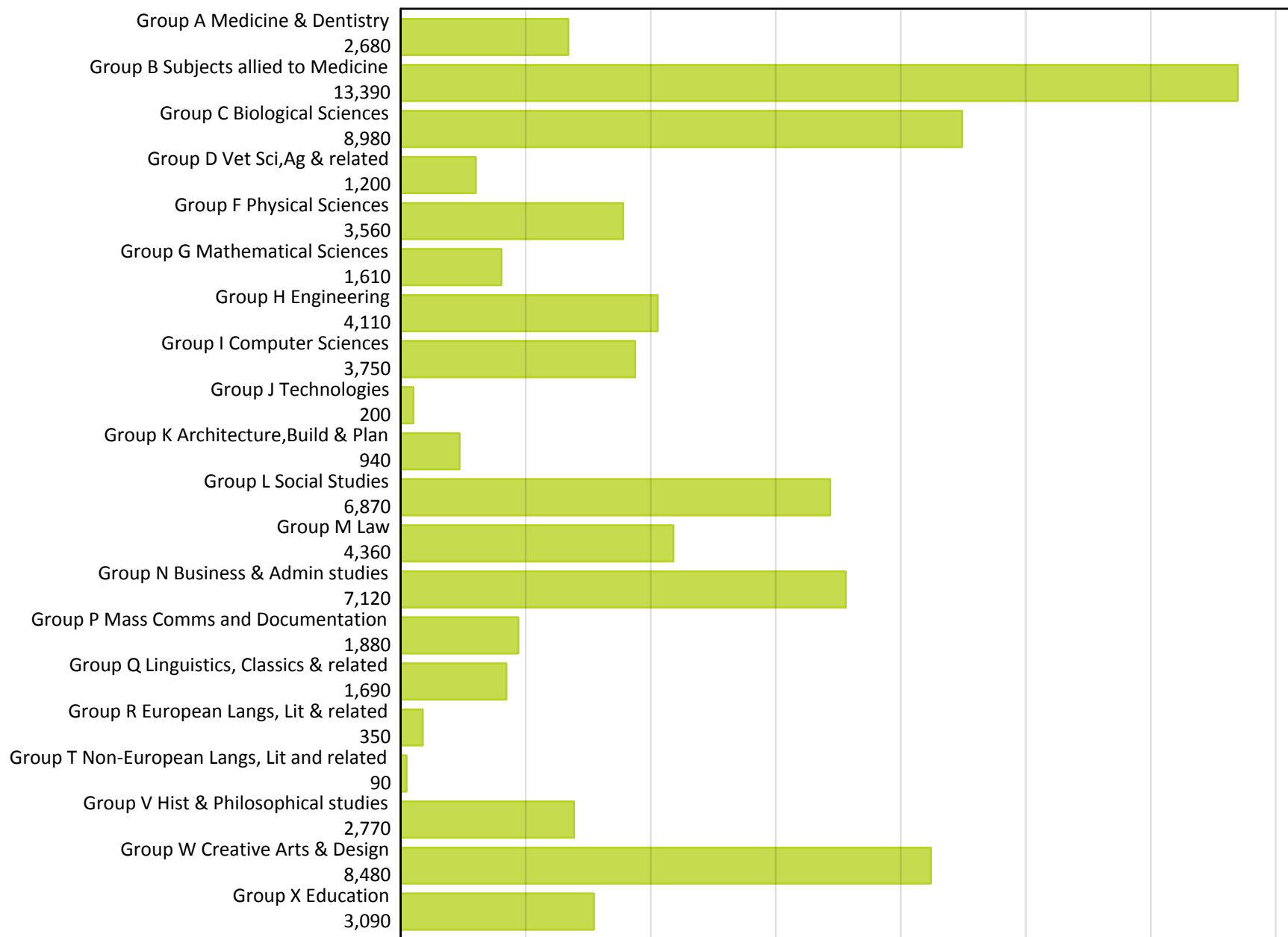
F.6.17 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	20%	25%	23%	19%	17%	24%	15%	2%	0%	7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-31%	-14%	2%	10%	8%	7%	9%	14%	0%	-4%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-14%	-11%	-10%	-10%	0%	4%	6%	0%	-5%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-22%	-8%	-13%	0%	1%	10%	17%	6%	0%	-3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-1%	-10%	9%	12%	7%	13%	10%	9%	0%	-7%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2%	8%	-2%	0%	4%	-1%	-6%	5%	0%	4%
Group H Engineering	-30%	-20%	-20%	-23%	-24%	-12%	-8%	-4%	0%	-10%
Group I Computer Sciences	-26%	-27%	-25%	-27%	-19%	-14%	-1%	3%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	228%	248%	151%	119%	96%	83%	69%	48%	0%	4%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	30%	21%	14%	0%	-4%	-12%	-1%	-4%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-27%	-13%	-14%	-16%	-17%	-5%	-4%	-6%	0%	-9%
Group M Law	-14%	-17%	-10%	-12%	-15%	-16%	-14%	-4%	0%	1%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-16%	-11%	-5%	-4%	-7%	-8%	-5%	3%	0%	-7%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-10%	1%	4%	-11%	-6%	7%	13%	23%	0%	10%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	32%	31%	27%	17%	20%	15%	23%	12%	0%	-13%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	53%	59%	59%	41%	17%	-3%	13%	10%	0%	-36%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	16%	4%	40%	-7%	-13%	2%	42%	19%	0%	-44%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	16%	17%	16%	11%	5%	18%	22%	18%	0%	-1%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-1%	14%	20%	8%	7%	5%	9%	3%	0%	-3%
Group X Education	12%	34%	49%	50%	27%	25%	7%	5%	0%	-5%
Y Combined arts	66%	65%	54%	52%	33%	34%	26%	10%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	31%	44%	62%	46%	36%	41%	37%	15%	0%	8%
Y Combined social sciences	16%	16%	20%	21%	13%	10%	-8%	-2%	0%	1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	134%	140%	120%	108%	75%	57%	36%	17%	0%	14%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	61%	62%	54%	43%	30%	28%	18%	12%	0%	-5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-22%	-7%	2%	58%	52%	52%	39%	19%	0%	17%

Note: The percentage change is not recorded in the above table for groups with fewer than 10 applicants in that cycle or in the 2017 cycle.

F.6.18 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	6,420	8,760	8,680	7,810	7,810	8,360	7,660	7,890	6,730	6,980
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	9,050	14,830	16,600	15,480	17,220	16,910	16,780	17,600	14,140	13,030
Group C Biological Sciences	8,270	11,020	12,530	12,690	14,140	14,940	16,980	18,910	17,990	19,030
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,370	1,970	1,910	1,730	1,930	2,020	2,230	2,230	2,070	2,030
Group F Physical Sciences	3,170	4,400	4,980	4,830	5,280	5,410	6,040	6,740	6,670	7,140
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,910	2,180	2,660	2,410	2,300	2,570	2,770	3,100	3,280	3,190
Group H Engineering	9,590	11,250	12,280	10,700	11,180	12,100	12,920	13,970	13,250	12,980
Group I Computer Sciences	3,790	5,140	6,740	6,280	7,170	8,410	10,630	11,920	11,980	13,190
Group J Technologies	580	760	840	830	810	990	1,030	1,010	860	850
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	5,050	6,120	6,110	4,520	4,280	3,780	4,060	3,950	3,920	3,790
Group L Social Studies	13,680	17,210	18,300	15,640	16,300	17,140	17,890	18,580	17,800	18,300
Group M Law	6,170	7,600	8,480	8,010	7,780	7,960	8,720	9,380	9,100	8,840
Group N Business & Admin studies	20,280	26,340	31,340	26,600	27,490	29,480	32,610	34,110	32,230	32,270
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,980	4,000	4,640	4,050	4,660	5,010	5,600	5,920	5,510	5,220
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,080	2,920	2,900	2,640	2,710	3,020	3,250	3,560	3,000	2,880
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	2,000	2,220	2,260	1,990	1,780	1,890	1,910	1,770	1,530	1,190
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	600	650	740	560	450	420	450	520	480	510
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,340	2,770	2,870	2,690	2,490	2,780	2,830	3,260	3,120	3,370
Group W Creative Arts & Design	10,340	15,300	17,620	13,510	14,260	16,200	18,240	19,390	18,240	18,760
Group X Education	1,630	2,000	2,120	1,190	900	1,080	2,180	2,000	2,030	1,860
Y Combined arts	3,180	4,050	4,230	3,460	3,580	3,980	3,610	3,850	3,710	3,850
Y Combined sciences	1,720	2,380	2,590	2,450	2,670	2,950	3,120	3,130	2,970	3,050
Y Combined social sciences	2,700	3,470	3,500	3,240	3,170	3,250	3,570	3,680	3,580	3,480
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,880	5,300	5,510	4,870	4,760	5,210	4,720	4,880	4,540	4,790
Y Social sciences combined with arts	5,660	6,700	7,030	6,080	6,270	6,190	6,140	6,220	5,630	5,850
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,600	1,760	1,900	3,230	3,500	3,860	4,880	5,660	5,430	6,330

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

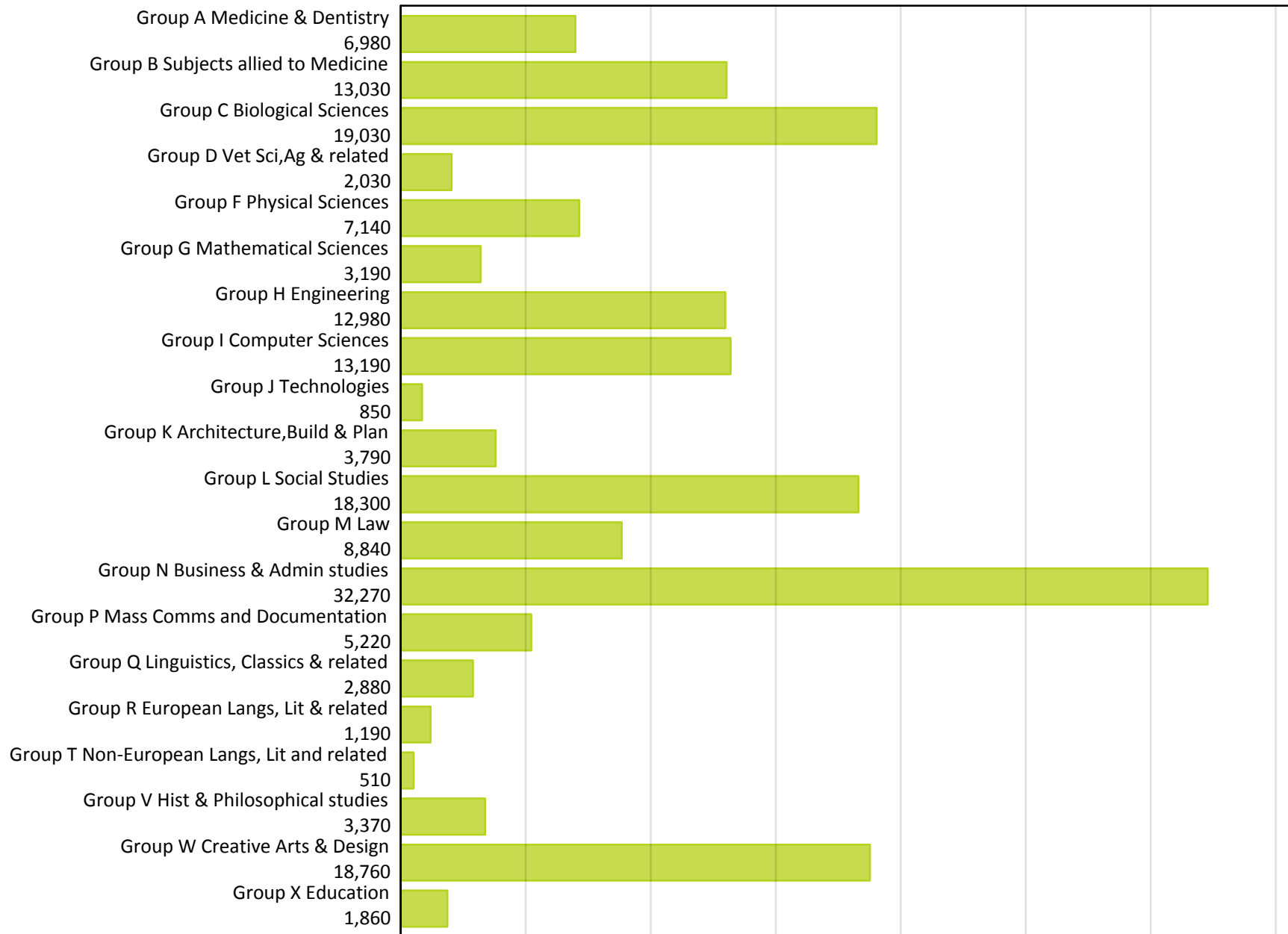
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-5%	30%	29%	16%	16%	24%	14%	17%	0%	4%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-36%	5%	17%	10%	22%	20%	19%	25%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-54%	-39%	-30%	-29%	-21%	-17%	-6%	5%	0%	6%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-34%	-5%	-8%	-16%	-7%	-2%	8%	8%	0%	-2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-52%	-34%	-25%	-28%	-21%	-19%	-9%	1%	0%	7%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-42%	-34%	-19%	-27%	-30%	-22%	-16%	-6%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-28%	-15%	-7%	-19%	-16%	-9%	-3%	5%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-68%	-57%	-44%	-48%	-40%	-30%	-11%	-0%	0%	10%
Group J Technologies	-33%	-12%	-3%	-4%	-6%	14%	19%	17%	0%	-2%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	29%	56%	56%	15%	9%	-4%	3%	1%	0%	-3%
Group L Social Studies	-23%	-3%	3%	-12%	-8%	-4%	0%	4%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-32%	-17%	-7%	-12%	-15%	-13%	-4%	3%	0%	-3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-37%	-18%	-3%	-17%	-15%	-9%	1%	6%	0%	0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-46%	-27%	-16%	-27%	-15%	-9%	2%	8%	0%	-5%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-31%	-3%	-3%	-12%	-10%	0%	8%	19%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	31%	45%	48%	30%	17%	24%	25%	16%	0%	-22%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	24%	36%	54%	16%	-6%	-12%	-6%	8%	0%	7%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-25%	-11%	-8%	-14%	-20%	-11%	-9%	5%	0%	8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-43%	-16%	-3%	-26%	-22%	-11%	0%	6%	0%	3%
Group X Education	-20%	-1%	4%	-42%	-56%	-47%	7%	-2%	0%	-9%
Y Combined arts	-14%	9%	14%	-7%	-3%	7%	-3%	4%	0%	4%
Y Combined sciences	-42%	-20%	-13%	-17%	-10%	-1%	5%	5%	0%	3%
Y Combined social sciences	-24%	-3%	-2%	-9%	-11%	-9%	-0%	3%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-15%	17%	21%	7%	5%	15%	4%	7%	0%	5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	0%	19%	25%	8%	11%	10%	9%	10%	0%	4%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-71%	-68%	-65%	-41%	-36%	-29%	-10%	4%	0%	16%

Note: The percentage change is not recorded in the above table for groups with fewer than 10 applicants in that cycle or in the 2017 cycle.

F.6.21 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : EU (excluding UK)

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	8,860	10,260	11,300	12,280	12,630	14,300	13,310	13,180	12,230	13,290
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	8,140	9,370	10,150	10,960	11,390	12,340	13,520	13,520	13,420	13,180
Group C Biological Sciences	7,080	8,280	9,600	11,260	12,410	14,450	15,280	16,130	18,650	21,090
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	770	980	1,040	1,380	1,420	1,420	1,520	1,520	1,720	1,840
Group F Physical Sciences	4,060	4,960	5,000	5,910	6,390	7,610	7,650	8,280	8,550	9,640
Group G Mathematical Sciences	5,340	5,930	6,000	6,500	6,190	6,150	6,560	7,120	7,550	9,120
Group H Engineering	19,590	22,730	22,380	25,590	27,550	31,240	32,510	30,900	30,530	30,140
Group I Computer Sciences	3,760	4,200	4,220	4,770	5,070	6,580	7,720	9,130	11,620	15,470
Group J Technologies	770	920	900	840	880	1,220	1,160	1,050	1,100	1,110
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	4,240	4,830	5,370	5,640	6,380	7,190	7,970	7,290	7,380	7,270
Group L Social Studies	18,620	20,330	21,620	22,340	23,940	24,340	23,500	24,510	25,430	27,350
Group M Law	12,010	14,490	16,790	18,920	20,880	22,680	22,760	22,140	20,820	22,270
Group N Business & Admin studies	33,730	38,080	41,170	47,020	48,250	52,520	55,440	51,990	50,800	53,890
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,910	2,400	2,510	2,750	3,550	4,150	4,400	4,510	4,810	4,710
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,970	2,070	2,270	2,640	2,920	3,060	3,490	3,440	3,450	3,580
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	620	710	700	730	680	660	650	600	520	500
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	240	300	280	300	260	260	260	330	190	280
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,310	2,640	2,760	2,950	3,210	3,090	3,310	3,790	3,680	4,300
Group W Creative Arts & Design	6,960	10,420	11,360	12,080	13,800	15,860	16,740	16,980	18,300	20,300
Group X Education	610	810	760	870	830	890	1,130	1,370	1,420	1,680
Y Combined arts	1,730	1,910	1,910	2,080	2,310	2,550	2,380	2,190	2,120	2,120
Y Combined sciences	2,190	2,570	2,770	3,060	3,230	3,820	3,930	3,590	3,330	3,830
Y Combined social sciences	4,300	4,430	4,300	4,810	4,870	5,040	5,440	5,390	5,330	5,490
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	5,580	5,610	5,510	5,280	5,430	5,380	4,800	4,720	4,620	4,800
Y Social sciences combined with arts	3,690	4,030	4,010	4,570	5,190	5,140	4,640	4,120	4,220	5,340
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,630	1,920	2,000	4,100	4,330	4,860	6,000	6,590	6,810	8,690

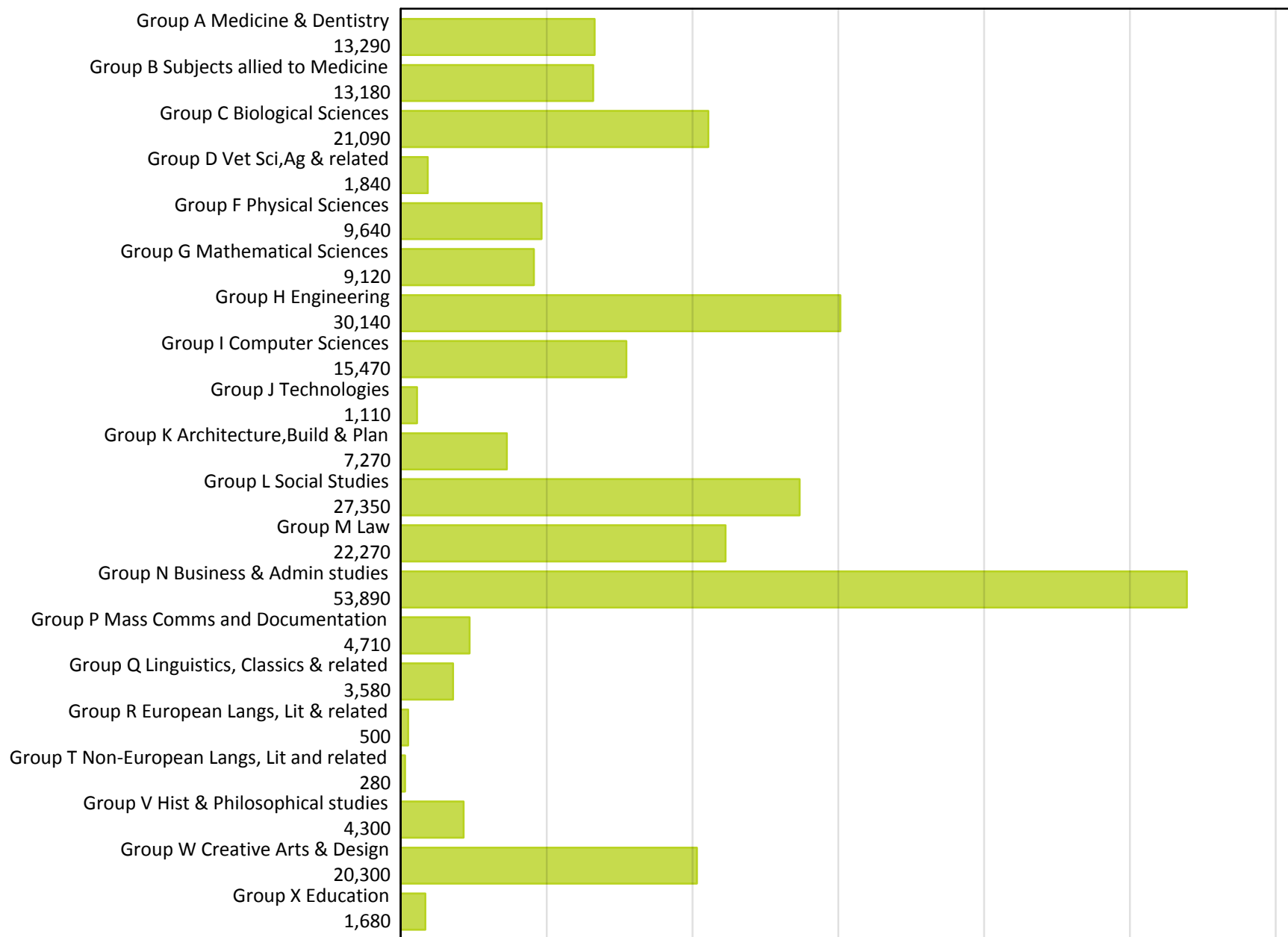
F.6.23 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-28%	-16%	-8%	0%	3%	17%	9%	8%	0%	9%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-39%	-30%	-24%	-18%	-15%	-8%	1%	1%	0%	-2%
Group C Biological Sciences	-62%	-56%	-49%	-40%	-33%	-23%	-18%	-14%	0%	13%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-55%	-43%	-40%	-20%	-18%	-18%	-12%	-12%	0%	7%
Group F Physical Sciences	-53%	-42%	-42%	-31%	-25%	-11%	-11%	-3%	0%	13%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-29%	-21%	-21%	-14%	-18%	-19%	-13%	-6%	0%	21%
Group H Engineering	-36%	-26%	-27%	-16%	-10%	2%	6%	1%	0%	-1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-68%	-64%	-64%	-59%	-56%	-43%	-34%	-21%	0%	33%
Group J Technologies	-30%	-16%	-19%	-23%	-20%	10%	5%	-4%	0%	0%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-43%	-35%	-27%	-24%	-14%	-3%	8%	-1%	0%	-2%
Group L Social Studies	-27%	-20%	-15%	-12%	-6%	-4%	-8%	-4%	0%	8%
Group M Law	-42%	-30%	-19%	-9%	0%	9%	9%	6%	0%	7%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-34%	-25%	-19%	-7%	-5%	3%	9%	2%	0%	6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-60%	-50%	-48%	-43%	-26%	-14%	-9%	-6%	0%	-2%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-43%	-40%	-34%	-24%	-15%	-11%	1%	-1%	0%	4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	21%	37%	35%	41%	32%	28%	26%	16%	0%	-3%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	26%	59%	47%	58%	37%	36%	38%	75%	0%	49%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-37%	-28%	-25%	-20%	-13%	-16%	-10%	3%	0%	17%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-62%	-43%	-38%	-34%	-25%	-13%	-9%	-7%	0%	11%
Group X Education	-57%	-42%	-46%	-39%	-42%	-37%	-20%	-3%	0%	19%
Y Combined arts	-18%	-10%	-10%	-2%	9%	21%	12%	3%	0%	0%
Y Combined sciences	-34%	-23%	-17%	-8%	-3%	15%	18%	8%	0%	15%
Y Combined social sciences	-19%	-17%	-19%	-10%	-9%	-6%	2%	1%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	21%	22%	19%	14%	18%	17%	4%	2%	0%	4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-13%	-5%	-5%	8%	23%	22%	10%	-2%	0%	26%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-76%	-72%	-71%	-40%	-36%	-29%	-12%	-3%	0%	28%

Note: The percentage change is not recorded in the above table for groups with fewer than 10 applicants in that cycle or in the 2017 cycle.

F.6.24 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



F.6.25 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2018 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. Almost all main scheme applications have been received by the 24 March deadline.

This statistical release covers all Main Scheme applicants who submit their applications to UCAS by the March deadline, including those who have applied for courses with a 15 October or January 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.

In 2009, the Canary Islands classification changed from Not EU to EU (excluding UK). In order to present an accurate time series, the Canary Islands have been consistently classified as EU (excluding UK). This will result in differences with data published prior to 2010.

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.

Reapplicant

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

Sex

As declared by the applicant.

SIMD 2016

Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Scotland, providing a relative measure of deprivation among small areas (data zones). In this report, the SIMD 2016 has been used to group areas in each year in the times series.

POLAR3

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).

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). POLAR4 is the most recent version of the POLAR classification, and is available for the first time in UCAS? reporting since its launch in 2017.

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.