

March Deadline Analysis: Subject by sex

Applicants by subject at the 24 March deadline

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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	45,380	51,640	53,270	52,190	54,080	56,400	51,630	51,120	50,170	55,070
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	171,520	241,810	273,890	279,220	293,580	308,670	302,930	305,660	260,700	237,340
Group C Biological Sciences	104,620	119,730	126,140	122,070	130,990	141,910	157,150	166,140	165,350	171,760
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	14,240	17,150	18,770	18,740	20,090	21,820	22,850	22,250	21,400	22,450
Group F Physical Sciences	30,620	34,710	36,600	36,150	38,600	41,770	43,880	44,220	44,110	41,740
Group G Mathematical Sciences	16,120	17,060	17,650	16,260	16,610	16,590	16,810	17,350	18,360	18,480
Group H Engineering	13,770	15,420	16,090	17,320	18,680	23,050	26,800	27,800	27,410	28,750
Group I Computer Sciences	10,800	12,060	12,500	11,460	12,110	13,630	15,660	17,210	17,080	19,520
Group J Technologies	2,210	2,270	1,960	1,850	1,970	2,460	2,410	2,400	2,210	2,160
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	14,860	14,750	15,650	14,160	13,890	14,190	16,190	16,660	17,630	17,760
Group L Social Studies	108,390	134,240	136,990	120,390	121,210	129,910	137,510	140,070	143,460	143,160
Group M Law	64,490	68,340	71,130	69,670	72,480	74,380	77,420	82,450	87,780	90,470
Group N Business & Admin studies	120,120	133,750	142,630	137,020	138,230	145,630	150,430	149,640	143,310	137,460
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	27,240	30,650	32,870	28,450	29,560	32,560	34,290	33,910	33,510	31,120
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	47,890	52,220	50,020	46,600	47,120	47,460	48,830	47,710	45,590	42,690
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	16,880	17,850	17,730	15,770	14,790	13,980	14,150	13,090	12,100	10,800
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	4,540	4,940	5,120	4,150	3,700	3,530	3,660	3,470	3,510	3,450
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	39,110	41,650	41,310	39,190	39,550	41,370	43,310	44,530	40,850	39,990
Group W Creative Arts & Design	137,090	174,660	186,870	157,450	159,550	168,510	172,720	170,060	162,440	158,210
Group X Education	60,020	70,490	74,900	69,050	67,390	67,570	73,740	72,280	72,420	67,270
Y Combined arts	43,030	47,120	45,940	39,520	38,480	38,340	36,370	34,890	32,120	29,660
Y Combined sciences	14,300	15,870	17,040	15,940	16,580	17,440	16,940	14,990	13,380	13,880
Y Combined social sciences	15,600	16,660	16,630	14,480	14,170	14,960	14,910	15,250	14,960	15,360
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	43,730	47,100	45,300	37,910	36,360	36,130	33,030	30,360	28,460	27,780
Y Social sciences combined with arts	34,880	38,980	37,860	32,840	32,520	32,390	32,340	30,260	29,500	28,730
Z General, other combined & unknown	9,000	9,500	9,510	13,160	13,780	14,440	17,150	17,560	16,890	19,090

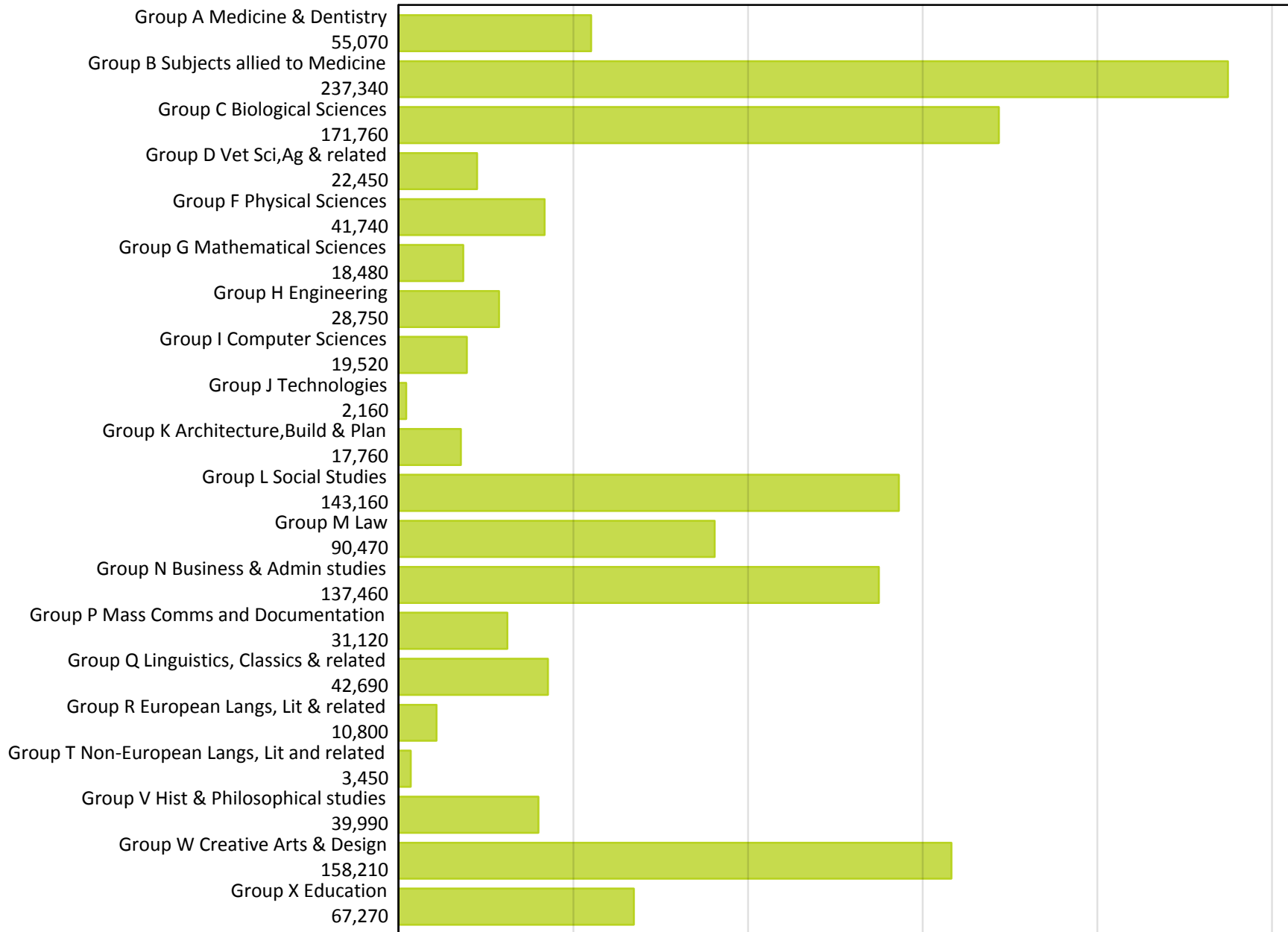
F.8.2 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-10%	3%	6%	4%	8%	12%	3%	2%	0%	10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-34%	-7%	5%	7%	13%	18%	16%	17%	0%	-9%
Group C Biological Sciences	-37%	-28%	-24%	-26%	-21%	-14%	-5%	0%	0%	4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-33%	-20%	-12%	-12%	-6%	2%	7%	4%	0%	5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-31%	-21%	-17%	-18%	-12%	-5%	-1%	0%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-12%	-7%	-4%	-11%	-10%	-10%	-8%	-6%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-50%	-44%	-41%	-37%	-32%	-16%	-2%	1%	0%	5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-37%	-29%	-27%	-33%	-29%	-20%	-8%	1%	0%	14%
Group J Technologies	0%	3%	-11%	-16%	-11%	12%	9%	9%	0%	-2%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-16%	-16%	-11%	-20%	-21%	-20%	-8%	-6%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-24%	-6%	-5%	-16%	-16%	-9%	-4%	-2%	0%	-0%
Group M Law	-27%	-22%	-19%	-21%	-17%	-15%	-12%	-6%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-16%	-7%	-0%	-4%	-4%	2%	5%	4%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-19%	-9%	-2%	-15%	-12%	-3%	2%	1%	0%	-7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	5%	15%	10%	2%	3%	4%	7%	5%	0%	-6%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	39%	48%	46%	30%	22%	16%	17%	8%	0%	-11%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	29%	41%	46%	18%	6%	1%	4%	-1%	0%	-2%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-4%	2%	1%	-4%	-3%	1%	6%	9%	0%	-2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-16%	8%	15%	-3%	-2%	4%	6%	5%	0%	-3%
Group X Education	-17%	-3%	3%	-5%	-7%	-7%	2%	-0%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	34%	47%	43%	23%	20%	19%	13%	9%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	7%	19%	27%	19%	24%	30%	27%	12%	0%	4%
Y Combined social sciences	4%	11%	11%	-3%	-5%	-0%	-0%	2%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	54%	65%	59%	33%	28%	27%	16%	7%	0%	-2%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	18%	32%	28%	11%	10%	10%	10%	3%	0%	-3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-47%	-44%	-44%	-22%	-18%	-14%	2%	4%	0%	13%

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.8.3 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	36,390	41,690	43,590	41,680	41,050	41,410	36,160	34,520	32,220	34,230
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	43,940	61,870	73,040	71,770	71,870	72,380	71,750	72,300	61,090	54,250
Group C Biological Sciences	71,150	88,650	93,600	88,300	92,960	99,770	103,600	103,050	100,660	98,030
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	5,180	6,900	7,780	7,170	7,510	7,290	7,280	6,730	6,280	5,950
Group F Physical Sciences	47,220	54,390	59,970	59,860	63,100	64,660	64,060	60,930	58,880	55,070
Group G Mathematical Sciences	23,130	25,830	26,660	26,930	28,060	27,680	29,150	30,400	31,150	31,330
Group H Engineering	93,080	106,090	111,330	108,700	115,170	125,900	132,870	131,620	128,870	123,190
Group I Computer Sciences	59,140	70,210	76,320	71,860	79,500	89,950	99,180	102,910	104,000	105,030
Group J Technologies	7,790	9,280	9,090	7,260	7,010	7,830	6,880	5,880	5,100	4,550
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	30,700	31,480	30,250	24,370	23,370	22,550	23,590	24,120	24,820	24,830
Group L Social Studies	78,660	89,650	93,330	82,700	83,950	84,820	88,930	91,990	95,840	93,210
Group M Law	38,260	41,010	43,270	40,510	42,420	40,850	41,400	42,780	42,860	43,920
Group N Business & Admin studies	131,060	147,940	157,000	145,450	148,970	155,460	164,380	169,050	166,070	165,170
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	21,940	24,920	26,300	22,220	23,910	25,670	26,510	27,980	28,620	26,330
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	19,510	20,430	19,640	17,310	16,360	16,580	15,670	14,950	13,660	11,830
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	6,700	7,270	7,180	6,360	5,990	5,670	5,430	5,140	4,830	4,050
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,890	3,080	2,980	2,320	2,290	2,090	2,230	2,050	1,680	1,510
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	37,730	41,210	40,320	36,560	37,330	38,740	38,100	36,510	33,760	32,260
Group W Creative Arts & Design	81,420	100,620	103,570	85,690	87,300	90,360	91,730	91,860	83,920	78,990
Group X Education	10,480	14,310	15,420	14,070	12,970	12,860	15,110	14,460	13,790	12,760
Y Combined arts	20,110	22,840	22,040	17,500	16,900	16,500	14,400	13,290	11,560	10,890
Y Combined sciences	19,180	22,400	23,160	20,270	21,150	21,320	18,930	15,980	15,420	15,140
Y Combined social sciences	15,480	16,250	15,340	13,620	13,350	14,190	14,800	16,130	15,660	16,760
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	49,090	57,200	55,270	45,420	42,520	40,400	31,720	26,460	23,090	22,100
Y Social sciences combined with arts	23,400	24,770	24,170	20,470	19,770	19,030	17,870	17,520	17,500	17,810
Z General, other combined & unknown	7,040	7,870	8,370	12,240	13,270	13,780	15,340	15,850	15,930	17,310

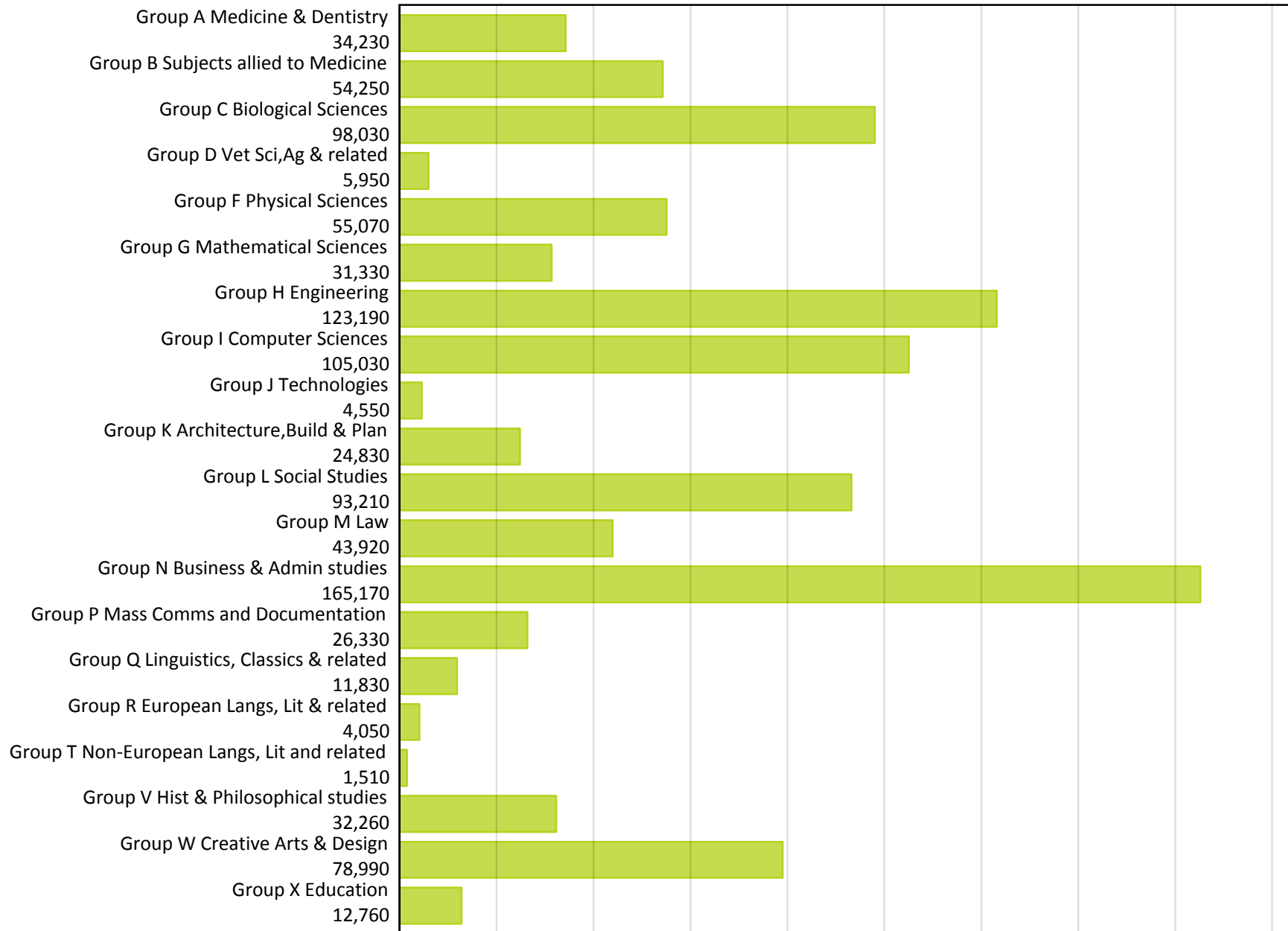
F.8.5 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	13%	29%	35%	29%	27%	29%	12%	7%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-28%	1%	20%	17%	18%	18%	17%	18%	0%	-11%
Group C Biological Sciences	-29%	-12%	-7%	-12%	-8%	-1%	3%	2%	0%	-3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-17%	10%	24%	14%	20%	16%	16%	7%	0%	-5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-20%	-8%	2%	2%	7%	10%	9%	3%	0%	-6%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-26%	-17%	-14%	-14%	-10%	-11%	-6%	-2%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-28%	-18%	-14%	-16%	-11%	-2%	3%	2%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-43%	-32%	-27%	-31%	-24%	-14%	-5%	-1%	0%	1%
Group J Technologies	53%	82%	78%	42%	38%	54%	35%	15%	0%	-11%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	24%	27%	22%	-2%	-6%	-9%	-5%	-3%	0%	0%
Group L Social Studies	-18%	-6%	-3%	-14%	-12%	-11%	-7%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group M Law	-11%	-4%	1%	-5%	-1%	-5%	-3%	-0%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-21%	-11%	-5%	-12%	-10%	-6%	-1%	2%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-23%	-13%	-8%	-22%	-16%	-10%	-7%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	43%	50%	44%	27%	20%	21%	15%	9%	0%	-13%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	39%	51%	49%	32%	24%	18%	12%	7%	0%	-16%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	72%	84%	77%	38%	36%	25%	33%	22%	0%	-10%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	12%	22%	19%	8%	11%	15%	13%	8%	0%	-4%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-3%	20%	23%	2%	4%	8%	9%	9%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-24%	4%	12%	2%	-6%	-7%	10%	5%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	74%	98%	91%	51%	46%	43%	25%	15%	0%	-6%
Y Combined sciences	24%	45%	50%	31%	37%	38%	23%	4%	0%	-2%
Y Combined social sciences	-1%	4%	-2%	-13%	-15%	-9%	-5%	3%	0%	7%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	113%	148%	139%	97%	84%	75%	37%	15%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	34%	42%	38%	17%	13%	9%	2%	0%	0%	2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-56%	-51%	-47%	-23%	-17%	-13%	-4%	-1%	0%	9%

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F.8.6 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	36,580	40,370	41,470	40,160	41,620	42,700	38,580	37,870	38,290	42,290
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	159,410	224,050	254,060	259,640	272,050	286,550	280,110	282,460	239,940	217,440
Group C Biological Sciences	94,490	106,760	111,240	105,960	112,800	121,390	134,330	141,580	139,630	143,000
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	12,680	14,980	16,690	16,510	17,650	19,210	19,970	19,360	18,610	19,540
Group F Physical Sciences	27,340	30,370	32,140	31,120	33,470	35,830	37,480	37,240	36,970	33,810
Group G Mathematical Sciences	12,760	13,440	13,750	12,420	12,830	12,690	12,540	12,800	13,440	12,810
Group H Engineering	8,650	9,270	9,980	10,450	11,320	13,810	16,830	17,600	17,690	18,440
Group I Computer Sciences	9,340	10,420	10,380	9,570	10,140	10,690	11,950	12,630	12,090	12,940
Group J Technologies	1,730	1,690	1,370	1,250	1,330	1,580	1,540	1,550	1,430	1,320
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	10,150	9,200	9,420	8,380	7,980	8,090	9,180	9,890	10,850	11,170
Group L Social Studies	91,870	114,630	115,810	100,560	99,990	106,870	114,240	115,490	118,800	116,660
Group M Law	53,630	54,950	55,930	53,480	55,220	55,440	58,080	62,610	68,740	70,860
Group N Business & Admin studies	94,710	102,230	106,250	100,040	99,740	102,090	104,720	104,230	100,900	93,090
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	23,840	26,110	27,690	23,450	23,530	25,670	26,780	26,340	26,100	23,810
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	44,800	48,340	46,010	42,490	42,630	42,520	43,390	41,960	40,400	37,460
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	14,830	15,640	15,450	13,620	12,880	11,970	12,110	11,220	10,500	9,490
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	3,910	4,250	4,360	3,500	3,160	3,020	3,160	2,920	3,010	2,850
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	36,470	38,650	37,950	35,780	36,200	37,850	39,780	40,240	36,730	35,320
Group W Creative Arts & Design	124,950	156,490	166,190	138,740	139,000	144,980	147,360	143,970	135,430	129,480
Group X Education	58,240	68,230	72,560	67,320	65,920	65,870	71,030	69,550	69,560	64,290
Y Combined arts	39,290	42,720	41,390	35,270	33,930	33,230	31,720	30,130	27,450	24,900
Y Combined sciences	12,650	13,710	14,680	13,500	13,850	14,170	13,350	11,770	10,510	10,690
Y Combined social sciences	12,290	12,950	12,820	10,600	10,290	10,840	10,550	10,780	10,560	10,900
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	39,130	41,810	40,010	32,820	31,240	30,520	27,860	24,900	23,210	22,160
Y Social sciences combined with arts	29,060	32,210	30,780	26,050	24,960	24,890	24,880	23,300	22,900	21,350
Z General, other combined & unknown	7,130	7,460	7,290	9,240	9,500	9,690	11,100	10,840	10,200	10,450

F.8.8 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Women)

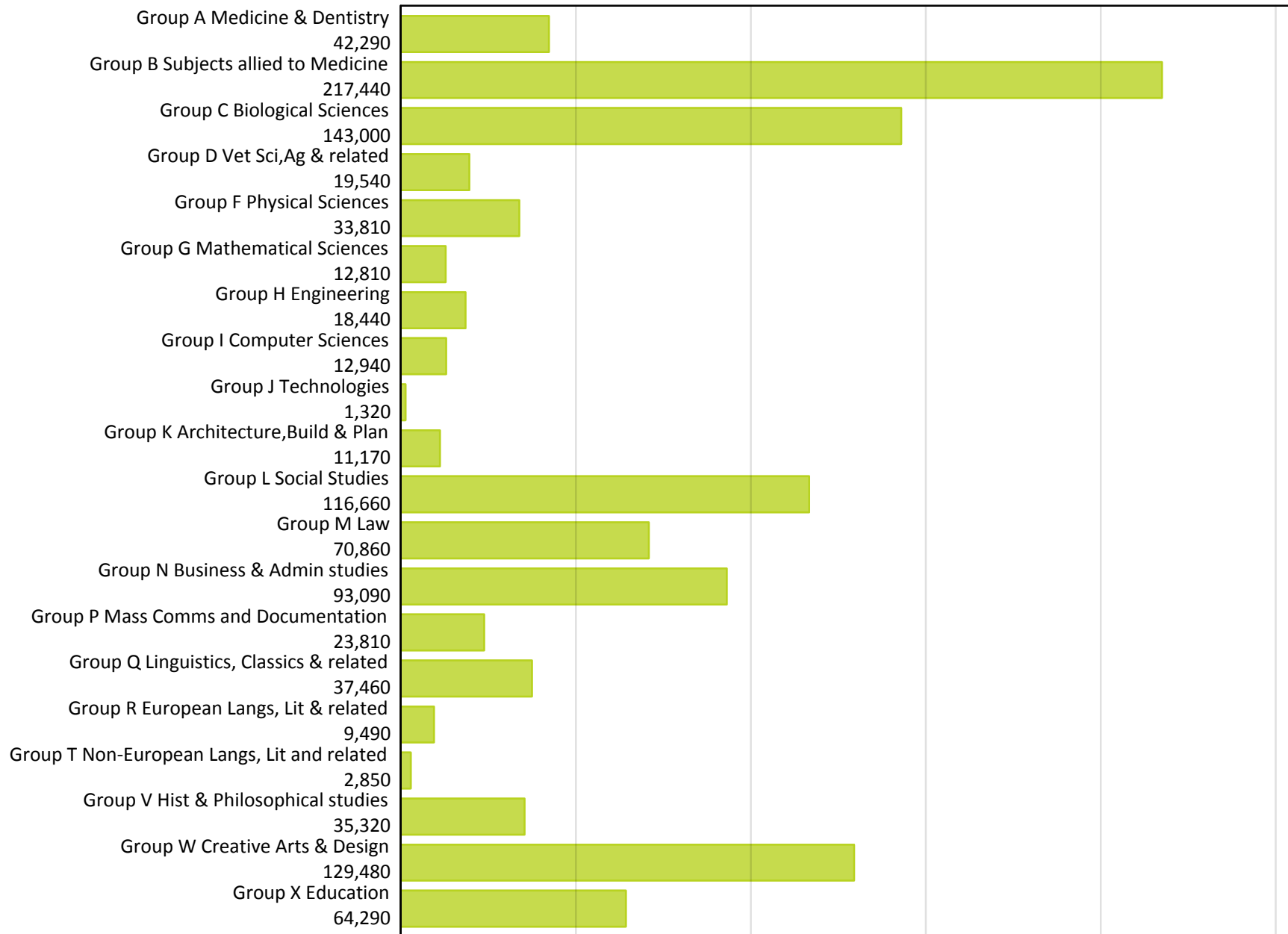
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-4%	5%	8%	5%	9%	12%	1%	-1%	0%	10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-34%	-7%	6%	8%	13%	19%	17%	18%	0%	-9%
Group C Biological Sciences	-32%	-24%	-20%	-24%	-19%	-13%	-4%	1%	0%	2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-32%	-19%	-10%	-11%	-5%	3%	7%	4%	0%	5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-26%	-18%	-13%	-16%	-9%	-3%	1%	1%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-5%	-0%	2%	-8%	-5%	-6%	-7%	-5%	0%	-5%
Group H Engineering	-51%	-48%	-44%	-41%	-36%	-22%	-5%	-1%	0%	4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-23%	-14%	-14%	-21%	-16%	-12%	-1%	4%	0%	7%
Group J Technologies	22%	18%	-4%	-13%	-7%	11%	8%	9%	0%	-8%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-6%	-15%	-13%	-23%	-26%	-25%	-15%	-9%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	-23%	-4%	-3%	-15%	-16%	-10%	-4%	-3%	0%	-2%
Group M Law	-22%	-20%	-19%	-22%	-20%	-19%	-16%	-9%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-6%	1%	5%	-1%	-1%	1%	4%	3%	0%	-8%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-9%	0%	6%	-10%	-10%	-2%	3%	1%	0%	-9%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	11%	20%	14%	5%	6%	5%	7%	4%	0%	-7%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	41%	49%	47%	30%	23%	14%	15%	7%	0%	-10%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	30%	41%	45%	16%	5%	0%	5%	-3%	0%	-5%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-1%	5%	3%	-3%	-1%	3%	8%	10%	0%	-4%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-8%	16%	23%	2%	3%	7%	9%	6%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	-16%	-2%	4%	-3%	-5%	-5%	2%	-0%	0%	-8%
Y Combined arts	43%	56%	51%	28%	24%	21%	16%	10%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	20%	30%	40%	28%	32%	35%	27%	12%	0%	2%
Y Combined social sciences	16%	23%	21%	0%	-3%	3%	-0%	2%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	69%	80%	72%	41%	35%	31%	20%	7%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	27%	41%	34%	14%	9%	9%	9%	2%	0%	-7%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-30%	-27%	-28%	-9%	-7%	-5%	9%	6%	0%	2%

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F.8.9 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Women)

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	29,920	33,940	35,410	33,630	33,070	32,450	28,240	26,710	25,140	26,740
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	38,850	55,440	66,110	64,910	64,800	65,250	64,270	64,390	54,300	47,940
Group C Biological Sciences	65,920	82,320	86,370	80,470	84,590	90,890	94,150	92,560	89,740	86,670
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	4,610	6,100	6,920	6,300	6,610	6,460	6,400	5,870	5,280	4,990
Group F Physical Sciences	43,270	49,380	54,450	54,160	56,560	57,580	56,770	52,890	50,800	46,220
Group G Mathematical Sciences	19,250	21,340	21,900	21,880	23,350	22,860	24,080	24,730	25,240	24,690
Group H Engineering	69,020	78,250	82,790	79,290	83,790	91,800	97,410	96,960	94,800	90,370
Group I Computer Sciences	53,040	62,510	67,470	62,700	69,230	77,900	84,550	86,440	85,390	82,950
Group J Technologies	6,910	8,180	7,940	6,180	5,960	6,510	5,560	4,660	3,920	3,440
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	26,120	26,080	25,000	19,980	18,620	17,690	18,570	19,650	20,300	20,360
Group L Social Studies	62,870	71,720	74,590	64,550	64,930	66,380	70,810	73,480	77,270	74,050
Group M Law	30,940	32,310	33,200	29,770	31,020	29,150	29,260	31,100	31,980	32,410
Group N Business & Admin studies	102,470	115,040	120,870	108,820	111,730	117,000	122,050	128,350	125,460	123,380
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	20,450	23,070	24,330	20,430	21,740	23,410	24,030	25,110	25,710	23,710
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	18,550	19,320	18,480	16,140	15,220	15,430	14,360	13,710	12,400	10,600
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	6,130	6,560	6,500	5,780	5,430	5,130	4,900	4,650	4,380	3,680
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,690	2,820	2,730	2,110	2,120	1,930	2,020	1,750	1,510	1,320
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	35,720	38,800	38,050	34,340	34,970	36,390	35,490	33,750	31,090	29,260
Group W Creative Arts & Design	76,260	93,070	95,280	78,810	79,800	81,840	82,120	81,580	74,390	68,660
Group X Education	10,010	13,750	14,880	13,750	12,710	12,600	14,510	13,810	13,200	12,190
Y Combined arts	18,940	21,280	20,460	16,220	15,570	15,080	13,060	12,020	10,400	9,690
Y Combined sciences	16,930	19,610	20,160	17,200	17,980	17,810	15,470	12,490	12,000	11,450
Y Combined social sciences	11,790	12,060	11,360	9,440	9,190	10,020	10,160	11,530	11,160	12,230
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	44,230	51,590	49,550	40,370	37,450	35,430	27,360	22,330	19,180	18,140
Y Social sciences combined with arts	19,870	20,810	20,210	16,600	15,880	15,190	14,560	14,130	14,240	14,010
Z General, other combined & unknown	5,690	6,230	6,690	8,820	9,720	9,820	10,500	10,320	10,380	10,940

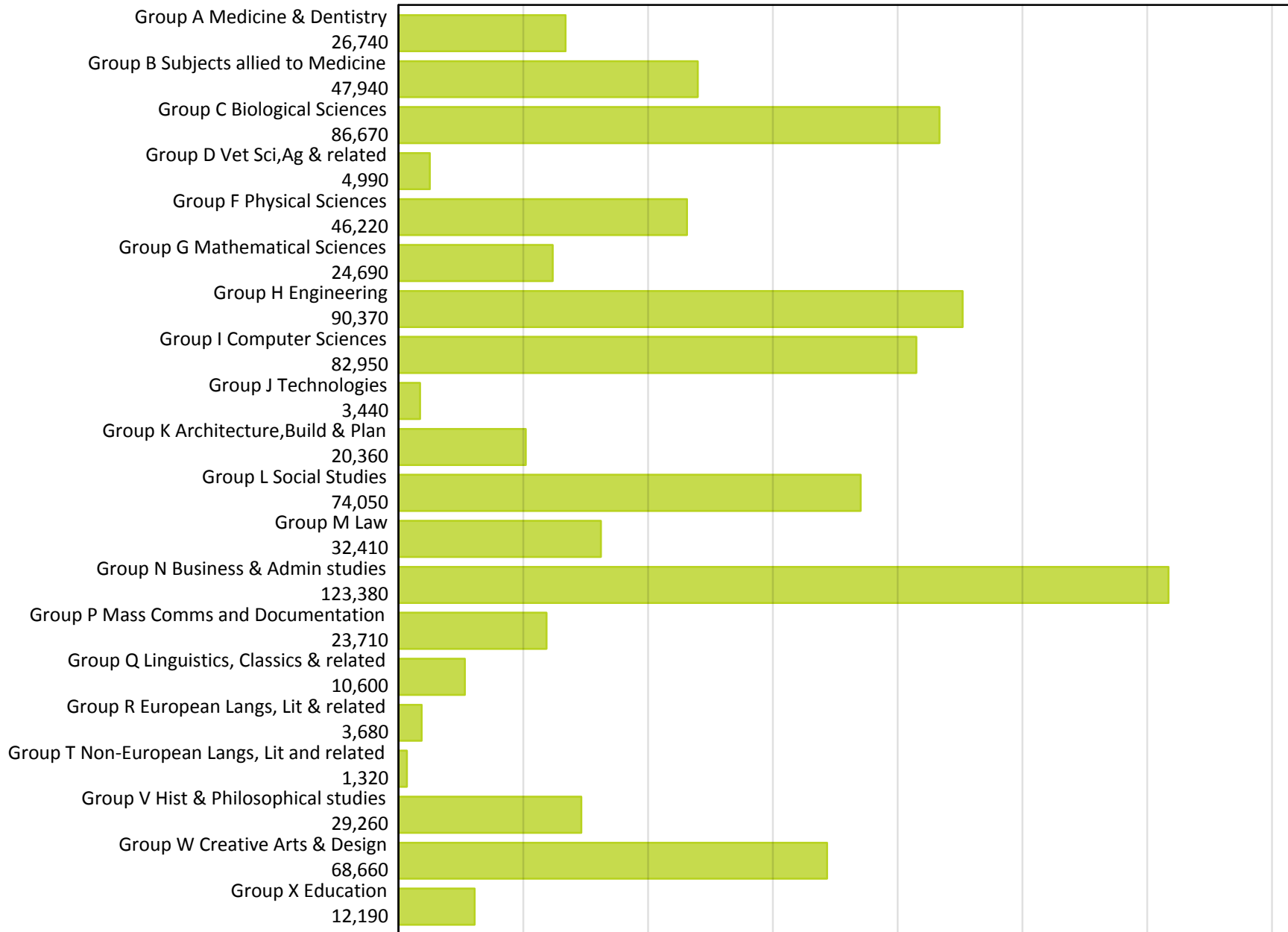
F.8.11 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	19%	35%	41%	34%	32%	29%	12%	6%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-28%	2%	22%	20%	19%	20%	18%	19%	0%	-12%
Group C Biological Sciences	-27%	-8%	-4%	-10%	-6%	1%	5%	3%	0%	-3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-13%	16%	31%	19%	25%	22%	21%	11%	0%	-5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-15%	-3%	7%	7%	11%	13%	12%	4%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-24%	-15%	-13%	-13%	-7%	-9%	-5%	-2%	0%	-2%
Group H Engineering	-27%	-17%	-13%	-16%	-12%	-3%	3%	2%	0%	-5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-38%	-27%	-21%	-27%	-19%	-9%	-1%	1%	0%	-3%
Group J Technologies	77%	109%	103%	58%	52%	66%	42%	19%	0%	-12%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	29%	28%	23%	-2%	-8%	-13%	-9%	-3%	0%	0%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-7%	-3%	-16%	-16%	-14%	-8%	-5%	0%	-4%
Group M Law	-3%	1%	4%	-7%	-3%	-9%	-8%	-3%	0%	1%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-18%	-8%	-4%	-13%	-11%	-7%	-3%	2%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-20%	-10%	-5%	-21%	-15%	-9%	-7%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	50%	56%	49%	30%	23%	24%	16%	11%	0%	-15%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	40%	50%	48%	32%	24%	17%	12%	6%	0%	-16%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	78%	87%	81%	40%	41%	28%	34%	16%	0%	-12%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	15%	25%	22%	10%	13%	17%	14%	9%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3%	25%	28%	6%	7%	10%	10%	10%	0%	-8%
Group X Education	-24%	4%	13%	4%	-4%	-5%	10%	5%	0%	-8%
Y Combined arts	82%	105%	97%	56%	50%	45%	26%	16%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	41%	63%	68%	43%	50%	48%	29%	4%	0%	-5%
Y Combined social sciences	6%	8%	2%	-15%	-18%	-10%	-9%	3%	0%	10%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	131%	169%	158%	110%	95%	85%	43%	16%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	39%	46%	42%	17%	11%	7%	2%	-1%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-45%	-40%	-36%	-15%	-6%	-5%	1%	-1%	0%	5%

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.8.12 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	30,880	33,950	34,890	33,750	35,180	35,900	32,340	31,860	32,170	36,160
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	137,350	187,340	212,180	217,270	227,190	240,540	234,000	235,420	195,490	174,430
Group C Biological Sciences	80,060	90,480	94,120	88,430	94,510	102,270	113,550	121,260	119,440	122,060
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	10,770	12,920	14,490	14,000	15,100	16,330	16,350	15,680	15,150	16,150
Group F Physical Sciences	22,370	25,420	26,820	25,550	27,860	29,920	31,620	31,490	31,640	28,630
Group G Mathematical Sciences	10,660	11,420	11,780	10,450	10,870	10,670	10,660	10,930	11,550	10,810
Group H Engineering	6,600	6,940	7,680	7,740	8,540	10,550	13,300	13,950	14,230	15,070
Group I Computer Sciences	7,530	8,140	7,870	7,200	7,310	7,950	8,910	9,260	9,160	10,120
Group J Technologies	1,520	1,430	1,110	910	940	1,200	1,110	1,130	1,050	1,000
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	7,990	7,420	7,670	6,820	6,570	6,680	7,370	8,180	9,020	9,290
Group L Social Studies	76,040	96,370	97,220	82,440	82,470	87,890	94,980	97,080	100,280	98,440
Group M Law	45,040	46,160	46,870	44,870	46,750	46,890	49,080	52,460	57,600	59,530
Group N Business & Admin studies	78,510	84,630	86,890	79,700	80,600	81,710	83,520	82,940	80,330	74,240
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	20,500	22,350	23,590	19,510	19,950	21,460	22,970	22,230	22,220	20,320
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	40,390	43,270	41,030	37,650	38,190	37,900	38,680	37,160	35,390	32,900
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	12,490	12,970	12,960	11,000	10,390	9,720	9,820	8,880	8,270	7,660
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	3,520	3,860	3,920	3,270	2,960	2,830	2,950	2,690	2,770	2,660
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	32,270	33,720	33,210	31,080	31,530	32,880	34,580	34,720	31,720	30,490
Group W Creative Arts & Design	110,230	138,180	146,050	120,540	120,300	126,050	128,210	124,660	116,850	111,470
Group X Education	48,470	57,120	61,310	56,100	54,980	54,760	50,800	47,470	46,380	41,230
Y Combined arts	33,760	37,030	36,050	30,380	29,170	28,220	27,000	25,120	22,330	20,310
Y Combined sciences	10,610	11,510	12,360	11,130	11,510	11,760	10,750	9,280	8,170	8,240
Y Combined social sciences	10,240	11,030	10,800	8,690	8,300	8,590	8,200	8,200	8,100	8,340
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	31,760	34,490	32,570	26,130	25,020	24,360	22,190	19,460	17,920	17,020
Y Social sciences combined with arts	24,140	26,890	25,930	21,640	20,770	20,600	20,240	18,550	18,210	17,200
Z General, other combined & unknown	6,550	6,840	6,660	7,730	7,840	8,360	9,760	9,400	8,800	9,110

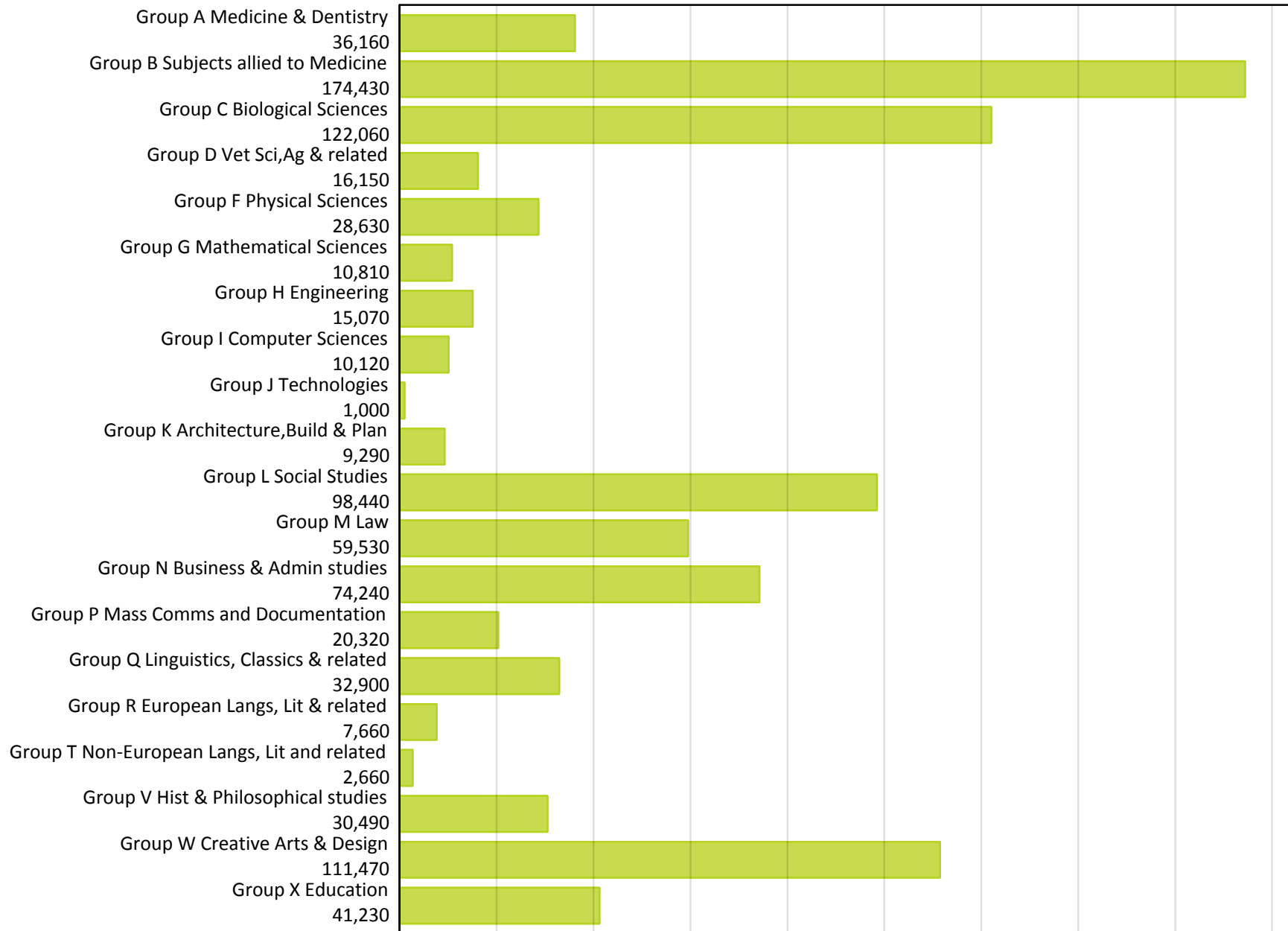
F.8.14 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-4%	6%	8%	5%	9%	12%	1%	-1%	0%	12%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-30%	-4%	9%	11%	16%	23%	20%	20%	0%	-11%
Group C Biological Sciences	-33%	-24%	-21%	-26%	-21%	-14%	-5%	2%	0%	2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-29%	-15%	-4%	-8%	-0%	8%	8%	3%	0%	7%
Group F Physical Sciences	-29%	-20%	-15%	-19%	-12%	-5%	-0%	-0%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-8%	-1%	2%	-9%	-6%	-8%	-8%	-5%	0%	-6%
Group H Engineering	-54%	-51%	-46%	-46%	-40%	-26%	-7%	-2%	0%	6%
Group I Computer Sciences	-18%	-11%	-14%	-21%	-20%	-13%	-3%	1%	0%	10%
Group J Technologies	45%	36%	6%	-13%	-11%	15%	6%	8%	0%	-5%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-11%	-18%	-15%	-24%	-27%	-26%	-18%	-9%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	-24%	-4%	-3%	-18%	-18%	-12%	-5%	-3%	0%	-2%
Group M Law	-22%	-20%	-19%	-22%	-19%	-19%	-15%	-9%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-2%	5%	8%	-1%	0%	2%	4%	3%	0%	-8%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-8%	1%	6%	-12%	-10%	-3%	3%	0%	0%	-9%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	14%	22%	16%	6%	8%	7%	9%	5%	0%	-7%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	51%	57%	57%	33%	26%	18%	19%	7%	0%	-7%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	27%	40%	42%	18%	7%	2%	7%	-3%	0%	-4%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2%	6%	5%	-2%	-1%	4%	9%	9%	0%	-4%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-6%	18%	25%	3%	3%	8%	10%	7%	0%	-5%
Group X Education	5%	23%	32%	21%	19%	18%	10%	2%	0%	-11%
Y Combined arts	51%	66%	61%	36%	31%	26%	21%	12%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	30%	41%	51%	36%	41%	44%	32%	14%	0%	1%
Y Combined social sciences	26%	36%	33%	7%	2%	6%	1%	1%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	77%	92%	82%	46%	40%	36%	24%	9%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	33%	48%	42%	19%	14%	13%	11%	2%	0%	-6%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-26%	-22%	-24%	-12%	-11%	-5%	11%	7%	0%	4%

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F.8.15 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	25,140	28,770	30,120	28,890	28,440	28,020	24,100	22,790	21,520	23,000
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	33,620	47,920	57,150	56,450	55,740	56,310	55,750	55,650	46,600	40,700
Group C Biological Sciences	56,170	70,310	73,620	67,460	70,800	76,590	79,780	78,270	76,400	73,700
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	3,650	4,920	5,540	4,870	5,100	5,080	4,880	4,440	4,040	3,940
Group F Physical Sciences	36,370	41,960	46,280	45,290	47,270	49,130	48,020	45,110	43,590	39,330
Group G Mathematical Sciences	16,890	18,770	19,370	19,140	20,470	20,230	21,320	21,970	22,180	21,560
Group H Engineering	53,980	61,570	64,970	60,990	64,640	71,400	76,610	77,170	76,090	73,160
Group I Computer Sciences	44,390	52,010	55,880	50,650	55,520	62,960	68,800	70,270	69,660	67,070
Group J Technologies	5,790	6,870	6,830	5,110	4,850	5,390	4,640	3,740	3,220	2,860
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	20,420	20,810	20,060	15,740	14,740	14,010	14,640	15,210	15,520	15,750
Group L Social Studies	55,710	63,300	65,510	55,630	56,610	57,930	62,060	64,730	68,730	65,540
Group M Law	25,940	26,970	27,700	24,770	26,330	24,680	24,480	26,070	26,680	27,330
Group N Business & Admin studies	88,860	99,600	104,100	92,390	94,940	99,080	104,000	108,230	105,850	103,780
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	18,060	20,000	21,050	17,430	18,320	19,810	20,520	21,300	21,910	20,140
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	16,680	17,220	16,320	14,140	13,390	13,700	12,720	12,080	10,940	9,290
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	5,440	5,790	5,650	4,940	4,550	4,420	4,140	3,960	3,730	3,130
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,490	2,640	2,530	1,990	1,950	1,780	1,810	1,610	1,370	1,260
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	31,470	34,150	33,410	29,900	30,840	31,870	31,170	29,680	27,330	25,560
Group W Creative Arts & Design	66,930	82,190	84,140	68,210	68,950	71,390	71,370	71,080	63,980	58,660
Group X Education	8,450	11,900	12,630	11,610	10,740	10,220	8,920	7,680	7,300	6,030
Y Combined arts	16,510	18,650	17,900	14,130	13,440	12,970	11,170	10,080	8,630	8,020
Y Combined sciences	14,240	16,400	16,720	13,910	14,660	14,540	12,310	9,730	9,350	8,820
Y Combined social sciences	10,020	10,440	9,790	7,920	7,800	8,610	8,380	9,570	9,320	10,390
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	37,240	43,840	41,920	33,480	30,740	29,120	21,990	17,360	14,680	13,770
Y Social sciences combined with arts	16,960	17,790	17,250	14,260	13,520	12,800	12,100	11,700	11,820	11,480
Z General, other combined & unknown	5,280	5,750	6,170	7,780	8,560	8,860	9,560	9,360	9,420	9,960

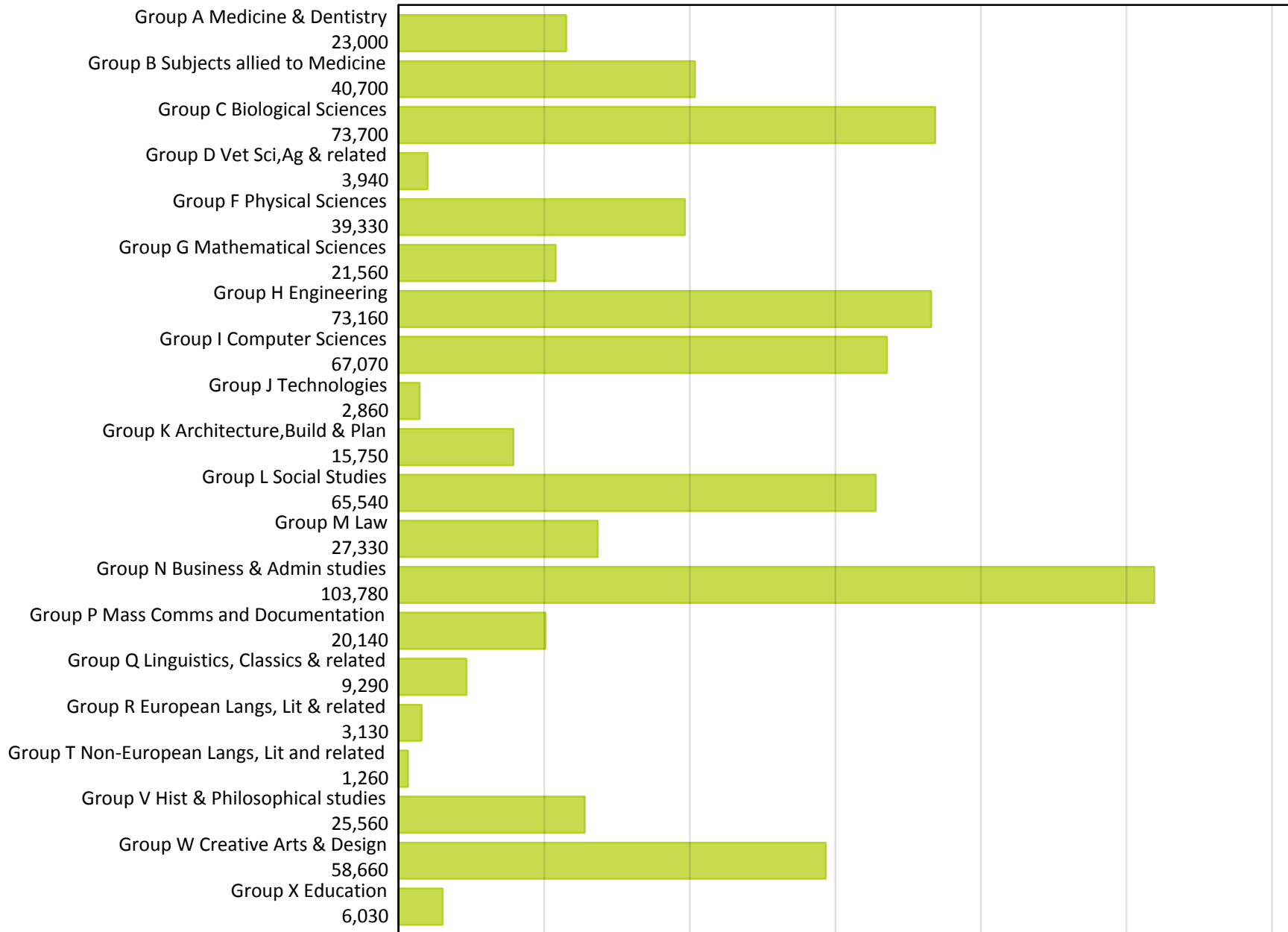
F.8.17 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	17%	34%	40%	34%	32%	30%	12%	6%	0%	7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-28%	3%	23%	21%	20%	21%	20%	19%	0%	-13%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-8%	-4%	-12%	-7%	0%	4%	2%	0%	-4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-9%	22%	37%	21%	26%	26%	21%	10%	0%	-2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-17%	-4%	6%	4%	8%	13%	10%	3%	0%	-10%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-24%	-15%	-13%	-14%	-8%	-9%	-4%	-1%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-29%	-19%	-15%	-20%	-15%	-6%	1%	1%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-36%	-25%	-20%	-27%	-20%	-10%	-1%	1%	0%	-4%
Group J Technologies	80%	113%	112%	59%	50%	67%	44%	16%	0%	-11%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	32%	34%	29%	1%	-5%	-10%	-6%	-2%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-8%	-5%	-19%	-18%	-16%	-10%	-6%	0%	-5%
Group M Law	-3%	1%	4%	-7%	-1%	-7%	-8%	-2%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-16%	-6%	-2%	-13%	-10%	-6%	-2%	2%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-18%	-9%	-4%	-20%	-16%	-10%	-6%	-3%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	52%	57%	49%	29%	22%	25%	16%	10%	0%	-15%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	46%	55%	51%	33%	22%	19%	11%	6%	0%	-16%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	82%	93%	85%	45%	42%	30%	32%	17%	0%	-8%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	15%	25%	22%	9%	13%	17%	14%	9%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	5%	28%	32%	7%	8%	12%	12%	11%	0%	-8%
Group X Education	16%	63%	73%	59%	47%	40%	22%	5%	0%	-17%
Y Combined arts	91%	116%	107%	64%	56%	50%	30%	17%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	52%	75%	79%	49%	57%	55%	32%	4%	0%	-6%
Y Combined social sciences	8%	12%	5%	-15%	-16%	-8%	-10%	3%	0%	11%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	154%	199%	186%	128%	109%	98%	50%	18%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	43%	50%	46%	21%	14%	8%	2%	-1%	0%	-3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-44%	-39%	-34%	-17%	-9%	-6%	1%	-1%	0%	6%

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F.8.18 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,650	2,020	1,920	1,760	1,780	1,660	1,550	1,580	1,540	1,380
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	7,650	9,150	10,750	10,790	13,970	13,180	13,120	13,860	12,890	11,810
Group C Biological Sciences	2,880	3,330	3,290	3,300	3,340	3,400	3,890	3,900	3,790	4,100
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	530	550	590	640	680	760	820	900	800	790
Group F Physical Sciences	1,130	1,050	1,130	1,300	1,250	1,270	1,380	1,260	1,210	1,160
Group G Mathematical Sciences	450	450	470	390	410	400	560	510	440	400
Group H Engineering	560	670	540	700	680	790	900	900	970	850
Group I Computer Sciences	860	1,120	1,270	1,270	1,510	1,520	1,550	1,770	1,450	1,120
Group J Technologies	80	60	70	50	70	60	60	60	40	40
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	860	650	620	520	330	350	510	430	560	520
Group L Social Studies	5,430	6,070	6,050	5,540	4,970	4,980	4,840	4,780	4,710	4,990
Group M Law	2,650	2,270	2,340	2,020	2,170	2,110	2,210	2,300	2,410	2,660
Group N Business & Admin studies	4,910	4,690	4,940	5,090	4,860	5,140	5,390	5,790	5,160	4,680
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,390	1,380	1,530	1,470	1,200	1,400	960	1,030	1,160	1,120
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,180	1,480	1,510	1,360	1,130	1,290	1,240	1,130	1,170	1,120
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	480	590	520	520	500	440	570	410	410	300
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	70	70	40	30	30	30	20	30	30
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	910	1,040	1,110	1,030	930	970	910	950	920	810
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,060	3,860	4,060	3,640	3,720	3,750	4,160	3,740	3,730	3,210
Group X Education	1,670	2,400	2,520	2,410	2,400	2,300	2,820	2,950	2,890	3,140
Y Combined arts	1,100	1,110	1,210	950	1,010	890	1,010	940	930	790
Y Combined sciences	440	520	570	620	640	800	980	1,050	1,050	1,030
Y Combined social sciences	480	390	440	340	450	450	420	490	480	580
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,070	1,040	1,130	900	770	890	830	770	700	630
Y Social sciences combined with arts	960	1,120	1,190	1,080	1,220	1,160	1,290	1,250	1,320	900
Z General, other combined & unknown	100	90	130	210	210	210	260	250	210	210

F.8.20 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Women)

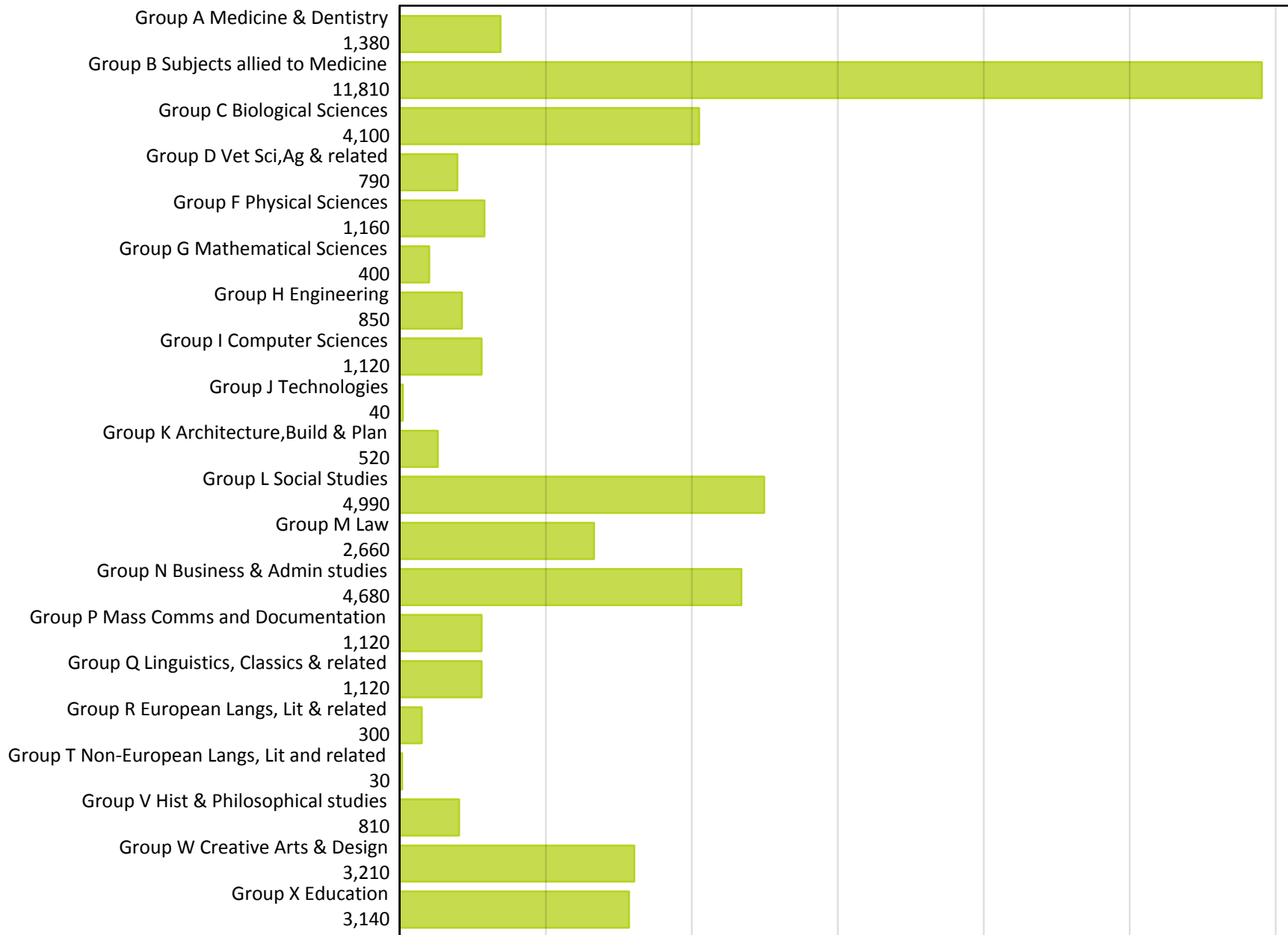
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	7%	31%	25%	14%	16%	8%	1%	3%	0%	-10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-41%	-29%	-17%	-16%	8%	2%	2%	8%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-24%	-12%	-13%	-13%	-12%	-10%	3%	3%	0%	8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-34%	-31%	-25%	-19%	-15%	-5%	3%	13%	0%	-0%
Group F Physical Sciences	-7%	-13%	-7%	7%	3%	5%	14%	4%	0%	-4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2%	3%	6%	-10%	-6%	-9%	28%	16%	0%	-8%
Group H Engineering	-42%	-31%	-44%	-28%	-30%	-19%	-7%	-7%	0%	-12%
Group I Computer Sciences	-41%	-23%	-12%	-13%	4%	4%	7%	22%	0%	-23%
Group J Technologies	122%	73%	81%	43%	81%	57%	73%	54%	0%	0%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	54%	16%	11%	-7%	-41%	-37%	-8%	-22%	0%	-7%
Group L Social Studies	15%	29%	29%	18%	5%	6%	3%	2%	0%	6%
Group M Law	10%	-6%	-3%	-16%	-10%	-13%	-8%	-4%	0%	11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-5%	-9%	-4%	-1%	-6%	-0%	4%	12%	0%	-9%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	21%	19%	32%	27%	4%	21%	-17%	-11%	0%	-3%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1%	27%	29%	17%	-4%	10%	6%	-3%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	19%	44%	27%	27%	22%	7%	41%	1%	0%	-26%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	162%	152%	148%	38%	-10%	17%	14%	-21%	0%	-10%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-1%	13%	21%	12%	1%	5%	-1%	3%	0%	-12%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-18%	3%	9%	-3%	-0%	0%	11%	0%	0%	-14%
Group X Education	-42%	-17%	-13%	-17%	-17%	-20%	-2%	2%	0%	9%
Y Combined arts	18%	19%	29%	2%	8%	-5%	8%	0%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	-58%	-50%	-46%	-41%	-39%	-24%	-6%	0%	0%	-2%
Y Combined social sciences	0%	-20%	-10%	-29%	-8%	-6%	-14%	2%	0%	19%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	54%	49%	62%	30%	11%	28%	20%	10%	0%	-9%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-27%	-15%	-10%	-19%	-8%	-12%	-2%	-5%	0%	-32%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-52%	-58%	-38%	1%	0%	-2%	23%	21%	0%	-1%

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F.8.21 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Women)

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,400	1,430	1,450	1,180	1,210	1,110	1,030	1,040	910	860
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1,750	1,950	2,490	2,480	2,800	2,600	2,590	2,730	2,400	2,220
Group C Biological Sciences	2,230	2,790	3,130	2,950	3,310	3,360	3,250	3,300	3,030	3,190
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	340	480	580	640	740	640	570	590	470	400
Group F Physical Sciences	1,170	1,320	1,520	1,680	1,630	1,500	1,570	1,480	1,410	1,330
Group G Mathematical Sciences	410	450	550	490	570	620	710	620	610	600
Group H Engineering	3,420	3,750	3,610	3,630	4,180	3,970	3,930	3,940	3,810	3,640
Group I Computer Sciences	2,920	4,070	4,230	4,210	5,140	5,800	5,950	6,050	5,330	4,830
Group J Technologies	300	370	290	310	320	310	220	140	90	80
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	2,490	2,120	2,030	1,500	1,450	1,310	1,530	1,770	1,910	1,790
Group L Social Studies	2,080	2,480	2,850	2,780	2,380	2,320	2,760	2,750	2,570	2,440
Group M Law	1,540	1,560	1,540	1,290	1,200	1,280	1,460	1,340	1,190	1,350
Group N Business & Admin studies	4,160	4,790	5,030	4,690	5,200	5,590	5,470	6,150	6,190	5,980
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	790	940	1,020	990	1,090	990	870	990	1,090	960
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	460	570	620	500	430	470	420	420	340	330
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	180	220	260	220	230	210	230	150	160	150
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	30	40	30	20	20	10	30	0	20	0
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	960	1,170	1,370	1,150	1,120	1,140	1,040	940	830	690
Group W Creative Arts & Design	1,860	2,140	2,290	2,190	2,480	2,330	2,550	2,510	2,600	2,310
Group X Education	330	460	580	410	480	420	580	600	510	530
Y Combined arts	510	560	610	430	490	480	390	430	360	290
Y Combined sciences	600	740	760	870	910	1,130	1,020	990	910	940
Y Combined social sciences	290	280	320	270	260	270	280	340	400	460
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,290	1,400	1,480	1,180	1,270	1,190	890	890	730	680
Y Social sciences combined with arts	600	700	730	530	620	590	530	530	540	520
Z General, other combined & unknown	60	80	90	210	210	230	220	210	190	220

F.8.23 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Men)

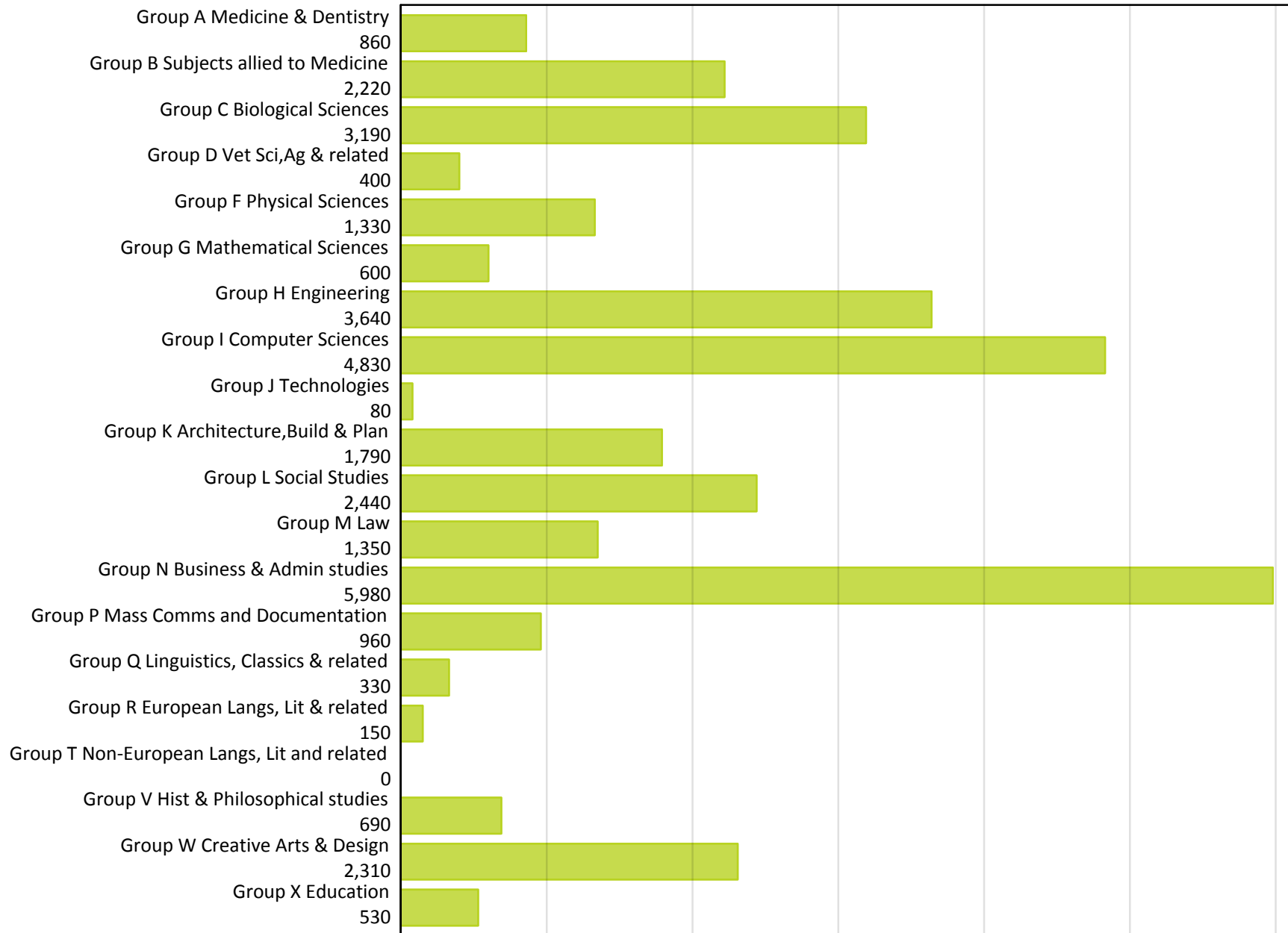
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	54%	57%	60%	30%	34%	22%	14%	14%	0%	-5%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-27%	-19%	3%	3%	16%	8%	8%	14%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-8%	4%	-2%	9%	11%	7%	9%	0%	6%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-27%	2%	25%	38%	59%	37%	22%	27%	0%	-14%
Group F Physical Sciences	-17%	-6%	8%	19%	16%	6%	12%	5%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-33%	-26%	-9%	-20%	-7%	1%	17%	1%	0%	-2%
Group H Engineering	-10%	-2%	-5%	-5%	10%	4%	3%	3%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-45%	-24%	-21%	-21%	-4%	9%	12%	13%	0%	-10%
Group J Technologies	230%	306%	227%	243%	260%	242%	139%	58%	0%	-13%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	30%	11%	6%	-21%	-24%	-31%	-20%	-7%	0%	-6%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-4%	11%	8%	-7%	-10%	7%	7%	0%	-5%
Group M Law	30%	31%	30%	8%	0%	7%	22%	13%	0%	13%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-33%	-23%	-19%	-24%	-16%	-10%	-12%	-1%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-28%	-14%	-7%	-9%	-0%	-10%	-20%	-10%	0%	-12%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	36%	67%	82%	46%	26%	38%	23%	23%	0%	-3%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	15%	37%	64%	38%	48%	35%	45%	-6%	0%	-8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	50%	85%	50%	-20%	-10%	-35%	40%		0%	
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	15%	41%	64%	38%	34%	37%	25%	13%	0%	-17%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-29%	-18%	-12%	-16%	-5%	-10%	-2%	-4%	0%	-11%
Group X Education	-35%	-10%	14%	-19%	-7%	-18%	15%	18%	0%	4%
Y Combined arts	39%	54%	67%	19%	34%	32%	6%	18%	0%	-21%
Y Combined sciences	-34%	-19%	-17%	-4%	0%	24%	11%	9%	0%	3%
Y Combined social sciences	-29%	-31%	-21%	-34%	-35%	-33%	-30%	-15%	0%	14%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	76%	91%	101%	61%	73%	63%	22%	21%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	12%	30%	36%	-1%	14%	10%	-1%	-3%	0%	-3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-71%	-60%	-54%	9%	11%	21%	14%	12%	0%	17%

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F.8.24 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Men)

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2,520	2,870	3,080	2,990	2,990	3,360	3,080	3,000	3,170	3,260
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	6,420	17,750	19,710	18,960	18,570	20,660	20,400	19,840	19,820	19,850
Group C Biological Sciences	7,550	8,570	9,260	9,580	10,300	10,590	11,470	10,840	11,020	11,540
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	760	820	950	1,050	1,030	1,160	1,760	1,830	1,770	1,690
Group F Physical Sciences	2,430	2,720	2,610	2,920	3,050	3,070	2,990	2,750	2,530	2,590
Group G Mathematical Sciences	960	890	920	940	870	920	750	740	860	1,030
Group H Engineering	1,210	1,280	1,430	1,630	1,800	2,020	2,080	2,040	1,770	1,820
Group I Computer Sciences	470	690	760	780	940	880	1,030	1,100	1,110	1,300
Group J Technologies	60	110	120	230	270	280	310	320	300	250
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	920	860	860	750	800	810	920	960	980	1,020
Group L Social Studies	6,460	7,640	8,090	8,280	8,200	8,920	9,280	8,670	8,640	8,600
Group M Law	3,560	4,250	4,250	4,140	3,820	3,960	4,210	4,990	5,720	5,490
Group N Business & Admin studies	7,990	9,620	11,000	11,500	10,740	11,880	12,260	11,840	11,800	10,950
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,120	1,450	1,620	1,650	1,490	1,870	1,830	1,990	1,870	1,460
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,390	1,730	1,670	1,800	1,590	1,670	1,660	1,970	2,320	2,090
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,230	1,390	1,340	1,560	1,520	1,390	1,260	1,480	1,380	1,260
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	210	200	210	90	90	60	50	90	110	90
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,640	2,210	1,890	2,110	2,130	2,220	2,440	2,660	2,460	2,500
Group W Creative Arts & Design	6,410	8,240	9,390	8,700	9,110	9,350	9,040	9,780	9,360	9,330
Group X Education	5,040	5,140	4,850	4,920	5,210	5,620	14,620	16,420	17,630	17,270
Y Combined arts	2,470	2,680	2,430	2,100	2,240	2,550	2,280	2,780	2,940	2,690
Y Combined sciences	1,140	1,190	1,240	1,230	1,210	1,080	1,060	950	880	990
Y Combined social sciences	920	910	910	900	890	1,150	1,420	1,510	1,390	1,390
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	4,610	4,530	4,750	4,260	4,230	4,150	3,790	3,710	3,720	3,460
Y Social sciences combined with arts	2,870	3,040	2,610	2,300	2,040	2,200	2,440	2,630	2,590	2,580
Z General, other combined & unknown	250	270	210	880	1,030	690	680	820	910	820

F.8.26 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Women)

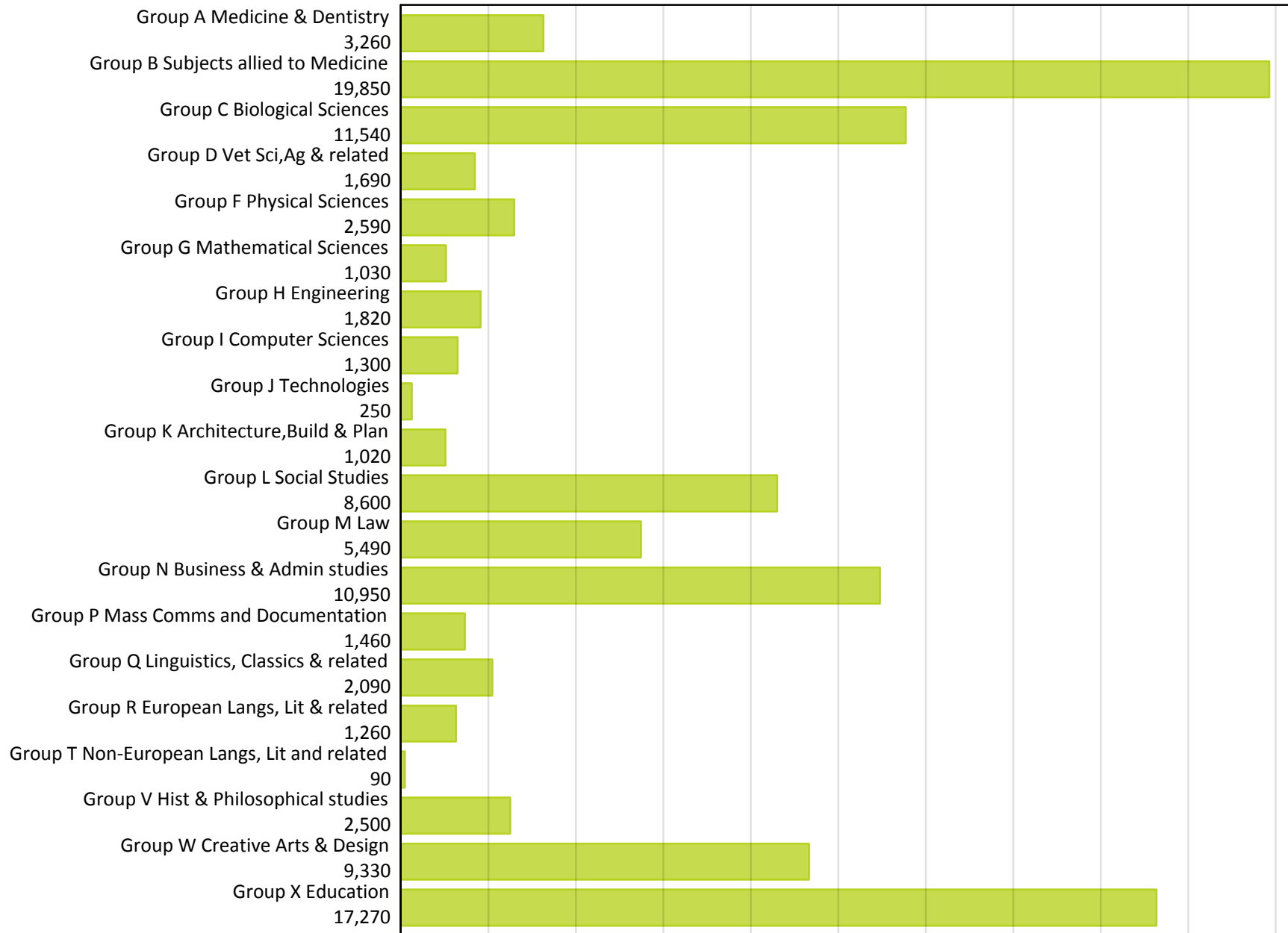
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-20%	-9%	-3%	-6%	-6%	6%	-3%	-5%	0%	3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-68%	-10%	-1%	-4%	-6%	4%	3%	0%	0%	0%
Group C Biological Sciences	-31%	-22%	-16%	-13%	-7%	-4%	4%	-2%	0%	5%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-57%	-54%	-46%	-41%	-42%	-34%	-0%	4%	0%	-4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-4%	8%	3%	16%	21%	22%	18%	9%	0%	2%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	11%	3%	6%	9%	1%	7%	-13%	-14%	0%	19%
Group H Engineering	-32%	-28%	-19%	-8%	2%	14%	17%	15%	0%	3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-58%	-37%	-31%	-30%	-15%	-20%	-7%	-1%	0%	17%
Group J Technologies	-81%	-63%	-59%	-23%	-7%	-4%	4%	7%	0%	-16%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-6%	-12%	-12%	-23%	-18%	-17%	-6%	-1%	0%	5%
Group L Social Studies	-25%	-12%	-6%	-4%	-5%	3%	7%	0%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-38%	-26%	-26%	-28%	-33%	-31%	-26%	-13%	0%	-4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-32%	-18%	-7%	-3%	-9%	1%	4%	0%	0%	-7%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-40%	-23%	-13%	-12%	-20%	0%	-2%	6%	0%	-22%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-40%	-25%	-28%	-22%	-31%	-28%	-29%	-15%	0%	-10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-11%	1%	-2%	13%	11%	1%	-8%	8%	0%	-8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	83%	78%	88%	-18%	-23%	-43%	-53%	-20%	0%	-19%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-33%	-10%	-23%	-14%	-14%	-10%	-1%	8%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-32%	-12%	0%	-7%	-3%	-0%	-3%	4%	0%	-0%
Group X Education	-71%	-71%	-72%	-72%	-70%	-68%	-17%	-7%	0%	-2%
Y Combined arts	-16%	-9%	-17%	-29%	-24%	-13%	-23%	-5%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	30%	35%	41%	40%	38%	23%	21%	9%	0%	13%
Y Combined social sciences	-34%	-35%	-35%	-35%	-36%	-17%	3%	9%	0%	-0%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	24%	22%	28%	14%	14%	11%	2%	-0%	0%	-7%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	11%	18%	1%	-11%	-21%	-15%	-6%	2%	0%	-0%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-73%	-70%	-77%	-3%	13%	-24%	-25%	-10%	0%	-10%

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F.8.27 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Women)

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,920	2,140	2,340	2,260	2,160	2,020	1,840	1,770	1,630	1,680
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1,840	3,360	3,670	3,260	3,510	3,570	3,360	3,460	3,090	2,990
Group C Biological Sciences	4,540	5,540	5,790	6,200	6,640	6,610	6,800	6,580	6,280	6,100
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	270	280	380	370	370	350	570	490	450	360
Group F Physical Sciences	3,360	3,830	4,070	4,280	4,860	4,200	4,440	3,870	3,570	3,430
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,070	1,130	1,040	1,320	1,390	1,170	1,170	1,130	1,490	1,490
Group H Engineering	8,720	9,680	10,910	11,560	11,810	12,890	13,260	12,190	11,070	10,160
Group I Computer Sciences	3,390	4,100	4,960	5,400	5,850	6,210	6,470	6,700	6,970	7,720
Group J Technologies	290	370	420	410	470	500	450	550	460	350
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	2,390	2,300	2,120	2,100	1,820	1,800	1,860	2,100	2,230	2,240
Group L Social Studies	3,480	3,900	4,190	4,090	4,040	4,000	3,870	3,860	3,570	3,840
Group M Law	2,110	2,480	2,550	2,360	2,300	2,040	2,200	2,420	2,810	2,550
Group N Business & Admin studies	6,310	7,110	7,920	8,150	8,010	8,650	8,850	9,730	9,380	9,710
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	880	1,340	1,430	1,310	1,610	1,720	1,710	1,810	1,850	1,650
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	690	840	860	900	780	680	650	720	690	640
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	300	380	360	400	490	390	380	390	400	310
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	80	90	50	100	60	60	60	50	40
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,700	1,880	1,760	1,740	1,700	1,850	1,700	1,740	1,750	1,770
Group W Creative Arts & Design	4,050	4,930	5,040	4,820	4,880	4,780	4,630	4,800	4,540	4,680
Group X Education	670	620	720	760	720	1,090	4,330	4,830	4,820	5,200
Y Combined arts	1,160	1,250	1,140	990	980	1,010	880	990	1,020	990
Y Combined sciences	1,430	1,750	1,830	1,700	1,760	1,490	1,540	1,290	1,310	1,210
Y Combined social sciences	1,120	940	860	850	780	820	1,180	1,340	1,140	1,090
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,860	4,460	4,400	4,090	4,020	3,870	3,480	3,270	3,130	3,020
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,560	1,640	1,530	1,220	1,200	1,270	1,480	1,500	1,520	1,590
Z General, other combined & unknown	180	180	180	430	560	360	390	490	520	450

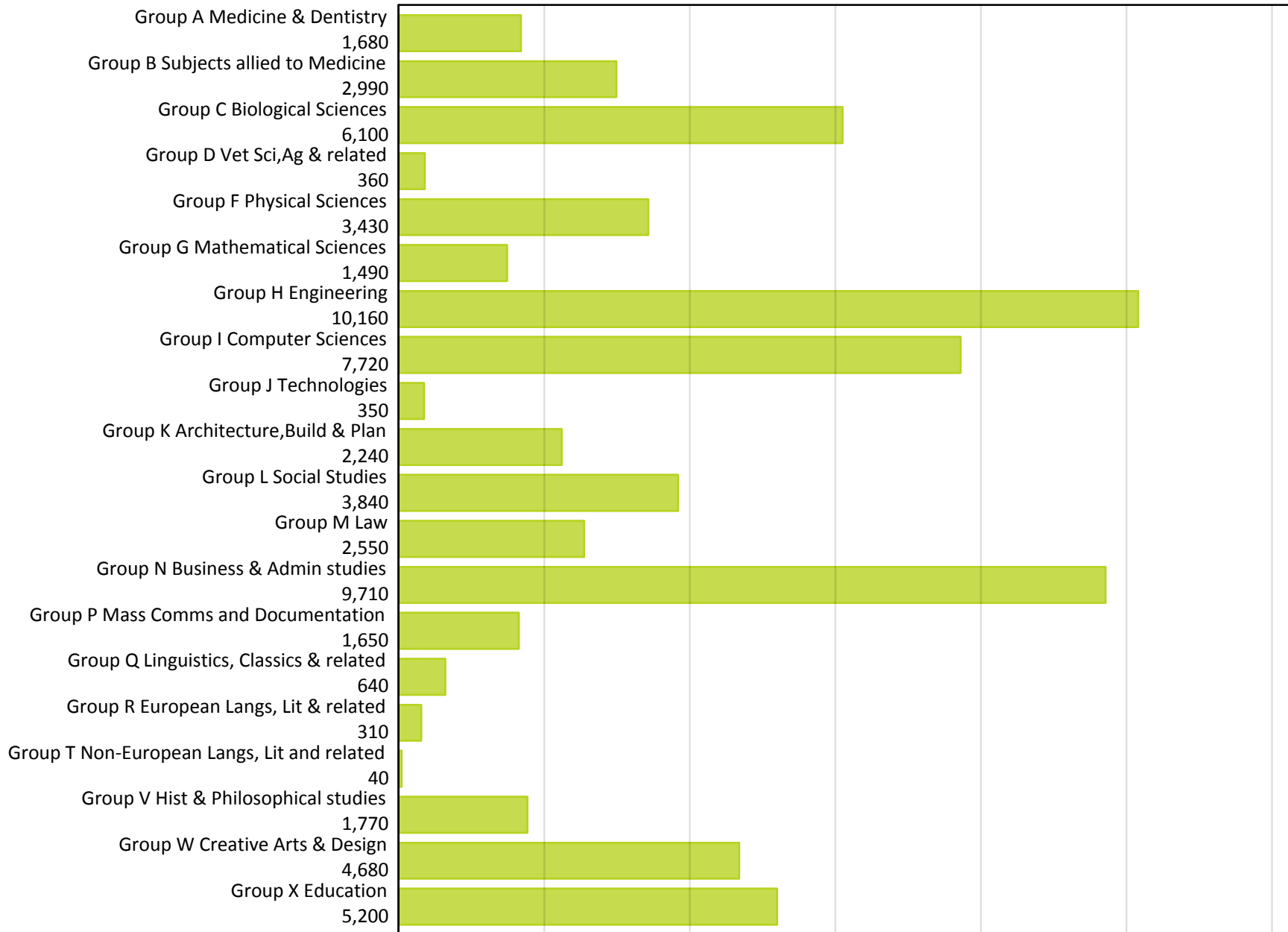
F.8.29 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	18%	31%	43%	39%	33%	24%	13%	8%	0%	3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-40%	9%	19%	6%	14%	15%	9%	12%	0%	-3%
Group C Biological Sciences	-28%	-12%	-8%	-1%	6%	5%	8%	5%	0%	-3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-40%	-37%	-15%	-18%	-17%	-22%	26%	9%	0%	-19%
Group F Physical Sciences	-6%	7%	14%	20%	36%	18%	24%	8%	0%	-4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-28%	-25%	-30%	-11%	-7%	-21%	-21%	-25%	0%	0%
Group H Engineering	-21%	-13%	-1%	4%	7%	16%	20%	10%	0%	-8%
Group I Computer Sciences	-51%	-41%	-29%	-23%	-16%	-11%	-7%	-4%	0%	11%
Group J Technologies	-38%	-19%	-9%	-12%	1%	9%	-4%	18%	0%	-25%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	7%	3%	-5%	-6%	-19%	-19%	-17%	-6%	0%	0%
Group L Social Studies	-2%	9%	18%	15%	13%	12%	8%	8%	0%	8%
Group M Law	-25%	-12%	-9%	-16%	-18%	-28%	-22%	-14%	0%	-9%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-33%	-24%	-16%	-13%	-15%	-8%	-6%	4%	0%	4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-52%	-28%	-23%	-29%	-13%	-7%	-8%	-3%	0%	-11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-0%	21%	24%	29%	13%	-2%	-7%	4%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-24%	-5%	-10%	1%	24%	-1%	-5%	-2%	0%	-21%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	60%	68%	76%	-4%	94%	14%	20%	12%	0%	-28%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-3%	8%	0%	-0%	-3%	6%	-3%	-1%	0%	1%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-11%	9%	11%	6%	8%	5%	2%	6%	0%	3%
Group X Education	-86%	-87%	-85%	-84%	-85%	-77%	-10%	0%	0%	8%
Y Combined arts	13%	22%	11%	-3%	-4%	-1%	-14%	-3%	0%	-3%
Y Combined sciences	9%	34%	40%	30%	35%	14%	18%	-2%	0%	-8%
Y Combined social sciences	-2%	-18%	-25%	-25%	-32%	-28%	4%	17%	0%	-4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	23%	42%	40%	31%	28%	23%	11%	4%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	3%	8%	0%	-20%	-21%	-17%	-3%	-1%	0%	4%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-65%	-66%	-65%	-18%	8%	-31%	-24%	-6%	0%	-13%

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F.8.30 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,530	1,530	1,580	1,670	1,670	1,790	1,610	1,430	1,420	1,490
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	7,990	9,810	11,420	12,630	12,320	12,180	12,590	13,340	11,740	11,350
Group C Biological Sciences	4,000	4,380	4,570	4,650	4,650	5,140	5,420	5,590	5,380	5,300
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	630	700	660	820	840	960	1,050	950	900	910
Group F Physical Sciences	1,410	1,180	1,590	1,350	1,310	1,570	1,490	1,740	1,600	1,430
Group G Mathematical Sciences	690	670	590	630	680	700	570	610	590	580
Group H Engineering	280	380	320	390	300	460	560	710	720	700
Group I Computer Sciences	490	460	470	330	380	340	450	500	370	410
Group J Technologies	80	90	70	60	50	40	50	40	50	40
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	380	280	270	300	280	250	390	320	300	350
Group L Social Studies	3,940	4,560	4,450	4,310	4,360	5,080	5,140	4,960	5,170	4,640
Group M Law	2,380	2,290	2,470	2,450	2,480	2,480	2,570	2,860	3,020	3,170
Group N Business & Admin studies	3,310	3,290	3,430	3,750	3,540	3,360	3,560	3,660	3,610	3,210
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	830	930	950	820	880	940	1,020	1,080	850	910
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,850	1,860	1,800	1,680	1,730	1,670	1,820	1,700	1,520	1,350
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	630	700	630	550	470	430	460	450	450	270
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	110	110	160	100	80	90	120	120	100	70
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,660	1,680	1,750	1,570	1,610	1,780	1,850	1,910	1,630	1,520
Group W Creative Arts & Design	5,260	6,220	6,690	5,860	5,880	5,830	5,950	5,800	5,480	5,470
Group X Education	3,060	3,570	3,870	3,900	3,340	3,180	2,790	2,710	2,670	2,660
Y Combined arts	1,950	1,890	1,700	1,840	1,520	1,580	1,440	1,290	1,250	1,110
Y Combined sciences	450	490	520	520	500	540	560	490	420	430
Y Combined social sciences	650	630	670	670	650	660	510	580	580	600
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,690	1,740	1,570	1,530	1,220	1,130	1,050	960	880	1,040
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,090	1,160	1,050	1,040	930	930	910	870	780	660
Z General, other combined & unknown	230	270	290	420	420	430	400	360	280	310

F.8.32 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Women)

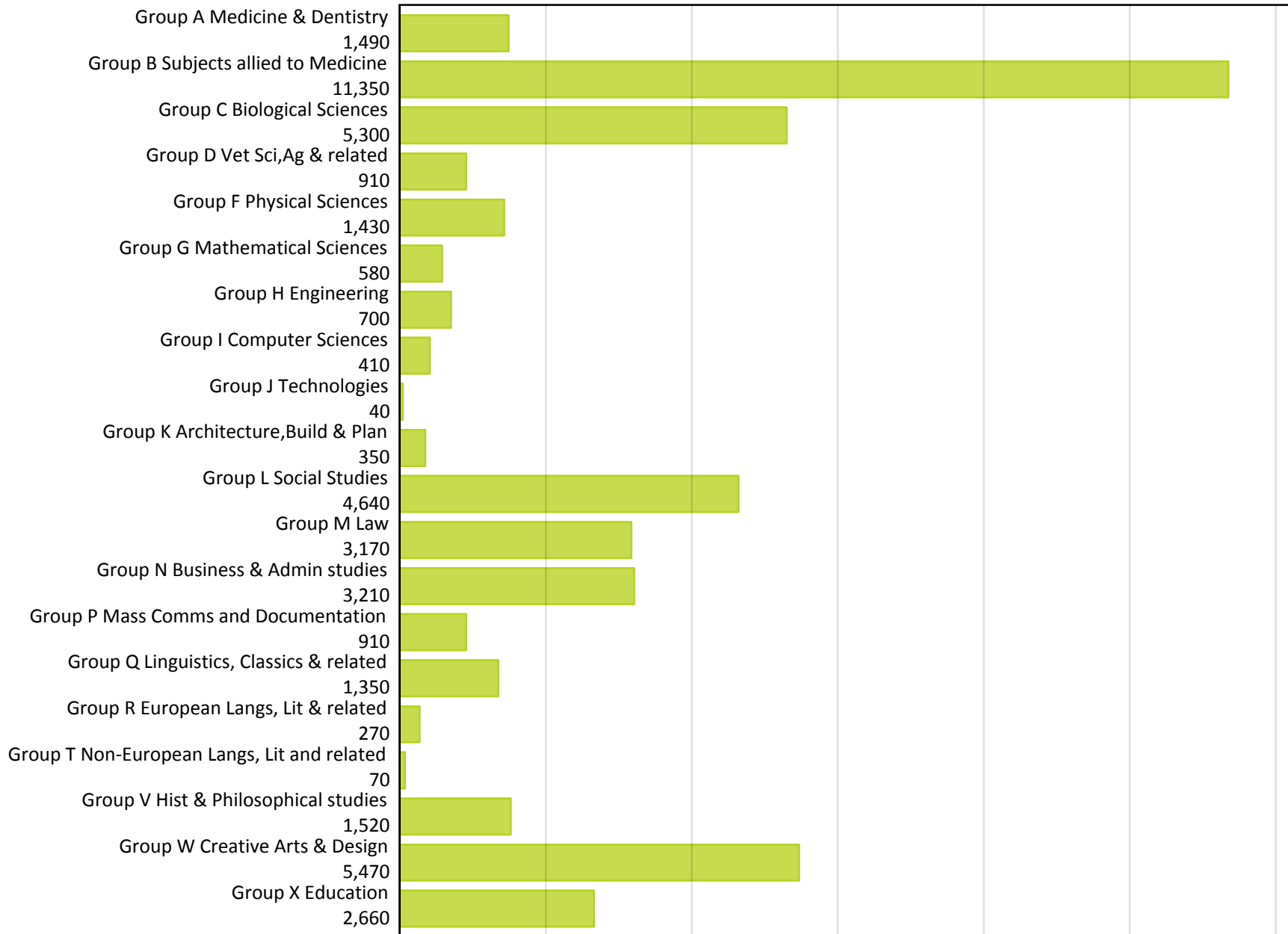
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	8%	8%	12%	18%	18%	26%	14%	1%	0%	5%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-32%	-16%	-3%	8%	5%	4%	7%	14%	0%	-3%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-19%	-15%	-14%	-14%	-5%	1%	4%	0%	-2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-31%	-23%	-27%	-9%	-7%	6%	16%	6%	0%	1%
Group F Physical Sciences	-12%	-26%	-1%	-16%	-18%	-2%	-7%	9%	0%	-10%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	16%	14%	-1%	6%	15%	18%	-4%	3%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-60%	-46%	-55%	-46%	-58%	-36%	-21%	-1%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	30%	24%	26%	-12%	2%	-9%	21%	34%	0%	10%
Group J Technologies	62%	81%	57%	26%	4%	-13%	15%	-9%	0%	-17%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	27%	-8%	-8%	0%	-5%	-17%	31%	8%	0%	17%
Group L Social Studies	-24%	-12%	-14%	-17%	-16%	-2%	-1%	-4%	0%	-10%
Group M Law	-21%	-24%	-18%	-19%	-18%	-18%	-15%	-5%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-8%	-9%	-5%	4%	-2%	-7%	-1%	1%	0%	-11%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-3%	9%	11%	-4%	3%	10%	19%	26%	0%	6%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	22%	22%	18%	10%	13%	9%	19%	12%	0%	-11%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	41%	56%	42%	23%	6%	-5%	3%	0%	0%	-41%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7%	12%	54%	-6%	-19%	-8%	22%	14%	0%	-27%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2%	3%	7%	-4%	-1%	10%	14%	17%	0%	-7%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-4%	13%	22%	7%	7%	6%	9%	6%	0%	-0%
Group X Education	14%	34%	45%	46%	25%	19%	4%	2%	0%	-0%
Y Combined arts	56%	52%	36%	48%	21%	26%	15%	3%	0%	-11%
Y Combined sciences	8%	19%	24%	24%	19%	30%	33%	17%	0%	4%
Y Combined social sciences	12%	7%	14%	15%	10%	12%	-14%	-1%	0%	2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	93%	99%	79%	75%	40%	29%	20%	9%	0%	19%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	40%	48%	35%	33%	19%	19%	16%	12%	0%	-15%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-18%	-4%	5%	52%	50%	54%	42%	30%	0%	11%

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F.8.33 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Women)

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1,470	1,600	1,500	1,300	1,260	1,310	1,280	1,110	1,080	1,190
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1,640	2,210	2,800	2,720	2,750	2,770	2,580	2,550	2,210	2,040
Group C Biological Sciences	2,970	3,690	3,830	3,860	3,840	4,330	4,330	4,410	4,040	3,680
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	340	430	410	420	400	400	390	350	330	290
Group F Physical Sciences	2,370	2,260	2,580	2,920	2,800	2,760	2,740	2,440	2,230	2,130
Group G Mathematical Sciences	890	1,000	930	920	930	840	880	1,010	960	1,040
Group H Engineering	2,910	3,260	3,290	3,110	3,160	3,530	3,620	3,670	3,830	3,410
Group I Computer Sciences	2,350	2,330	2,400	2,460	2,720	2,940	3,330	3,430	3,440	3,340
Group J Technologies	540	570	400	350	320	300	260	240	140	160
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	830	850	790	630	610	570	530	570	630	590
Group L Social Studies	1,590	2,050	2,040	2,050	1,900	2,130	2,120	2,150	2,400	2,230
Group M Law	1,340	1,300	1,410	1,350	1,200	1,150	1,130	1,260	1,290	1,190
Group N Business & Admin studies	3,140	3,560	3,830	3,590	3,570	3,680	3,740	4,240	4,050	3,910
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	710	790	830	700	730	900	920	1,030	860	970
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	720	690	680	610	620	580	580	490	430	340
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	210	180	240	220	170	110	160	150	100	90
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	60	80	60	60	80	110	80	70	20
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,590	1,600	1,510	1,550	1,320	1,530	1,580	1,400	1,180	1,250
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,410	3,810	3,810	3,590	3,490	3,330	3,560	3,200	3,280	3,020
Group X Education	570	760	960	970	780	870	680	700	570	430
Y Combined arts	770	820	820	660	660	630	630	520	390	390
Y Combined sciences	650	720	860	720	650	650	600	480	430	480
Y Combined social sciences	370	400	390	400	350	320	310	280	300	300
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,840	1,880	1,750	1,620	1,420	1,250	1,000	810	630	670
Y Social sciences combined with arts	750	690	710	590	550	530	440	410	360	420
Z General, other combined & unknown	180	220	240	410	390	370	340	260	250	310

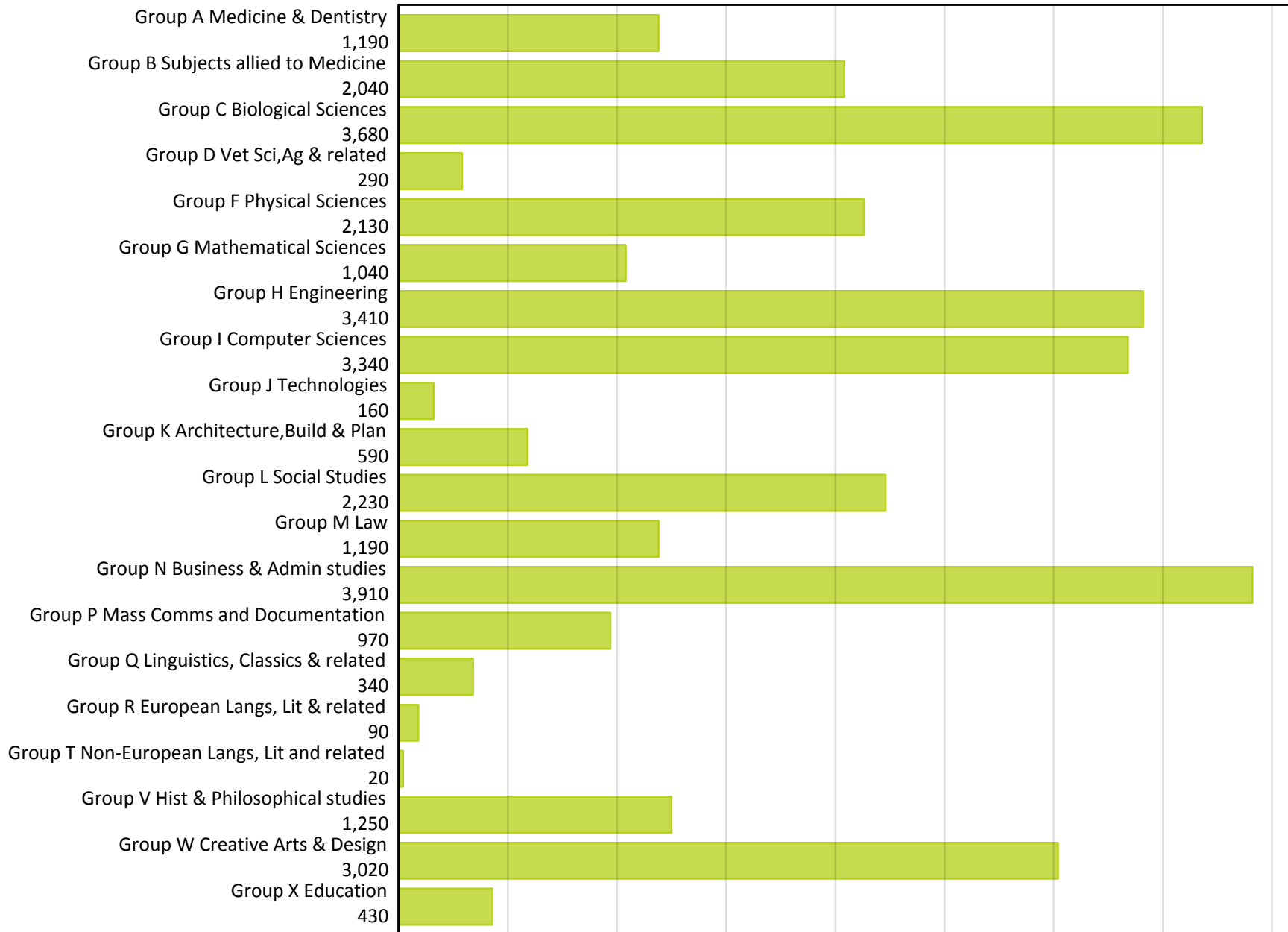
F.8.35 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	35%	48%	39%	20%	16%	21%	18%	3%	0%	10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-26%	0%	27%	23%	24%	25%	17%	15%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-9%	-5%	-4%	-5%	7%	7%	9%	0%	-9%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	3%	30%	26%	26%	21%	22%	18%	6%	0%	-13%
Group F Physical Sciences	6%	1%	16%	31%	25%	23%	23%	9%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	5%	-2%	-4%	-2%	-12%	-8%	6%	0%	8%
Group H Engineering	-24%	-15%	-14%	-19%	-17%	-8%	-6%	-4%	0%	-11%
Group I Computer Sciences	-32%	-32%	-30%	-29%	-21%	-15%	-3%	-0%	0%	-3%
Group J Technologies	283%	304%	182%	150%	126%	115%	87%	67%	0%	11%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	31%	34%	25%	0%	-4%	-9%	-16%	-10%	0%	-6%
Group L Social Studies	-34%	-15%	-15%	-15%	-21%	-11%	-12%	-11%	0%	-7%
Group M Law	4%	1%	9%	4%	-7%	-11%	-13%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-22%	-12%	-5%	-11%	-12%	-9%	-8%	5%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-17%	-8%	-3%	-19%	-16%	4%	7%	20%	0%	13%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	68%	62%	60%	42%	44%	36%	34%	14%	0%	-21%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	109%	73%	137%	120%	65%	7%	57%	52%	0%	-15%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	29%	-9%	17%	-9%	-5%	17%	74%	26%	0%	-69%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	34%	36%	28%	31%	12%	30%	34%	18%	0%	6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	4%	16%	16%	9%	6%	2%	9%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group X Education	-1%	33%	67%	69%	36%	52%	19%	23%	0%	-25%
Y Combined arts	97%	110%	110%	68%	69%	61%	61%	34%	0%	-1%
Y Combined sciences	53%	68%	100%	67%	52%	52%	40%	12%	0%	12%
Y Combined social sciences	23%	34%	30%	34%	18%	6%	2%	-5%	0%	-2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	190%	197%	176%	155%	124%	97%	57%	28%	0%	6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	107%	91%	96%	64%	52%	46%	23%	12%	0%	16%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-28%	-11%	-2%	65%	55%	49%	35%	6%	0%	24%

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F.8.36 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,860	5,460	5,460	4,990	5,040	5,250	4,990	5,440	4,590	4,790
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	6,960	11,530	13,000	12,250	13,780	13,600	13,550	14,050	11,430	10,510
Group C Biological Sciences	5,620	7,410	8,510	8,420	9,720	10,310	12,010	13,390	12,810	13,800
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	960	1,430	1,310	1,230	1,370	1,510	1,730	1,720	1,540	1,580
Group F Physical Sciences	1,450	2,010	2,230	2,250	2,300	2,520	2,820	3,270	3,300	3,630
Group G Mathematical Sciences	950	1,030	1,270	1,080	1,050	1,090	1,160	1,280	1,310	1,340
Group H Engineering	1,400	1,790	1,890	1,840	1,880	2,300	2,790	3,160	2,920	3,310
Group I Computer Sciences	700	850	1,220	970	1,060	1,600	2,120	2,520	2,380	2,760
Group J Technologies	140	220	230	280	300	340	380	420	320	380
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,660	3,110	3,410	2,680	2,550	2,310	2,550	2,510	2,540	2,400
Group L Social Studies	7,090	9,350	9,570	8,610	8,860	9,790	10,350	10,950	10,470	10,830
Group M Law	3,770	4,830	5,320	5,210	5,250	5,220	5,760	6,420	6,220	6,110
Group N Business & Admin studies	10,050	13,260	16,360	13,610	14,400	16,270	17,500	18,780	17,020	17,710
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,080	2,820	3,370	2,990	3,280	3,730	4,220	4,290	3,920	3,810
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,620	2,290	2,270	2,110	2,170	2,420	2,600	2,960	2,490	2,340
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,570	1,680	1,770	1,610	1,410	1,530	1,540	1,410	1,220	940
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	480	480	570	440	360	330	310	360	380	410
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,360	1,570	1,720	1,630	1,530	1,600	1,570	1,970	1,890	2,040
Group W Creative Arts & Design	7,240	10,690	12,370	9,690	10,100	11,640	12,860	13,480	13,050	13,460
Group X Education	1,240	1,600	1,690	970	760	930	1,730	1,540	1,640	1,530
Y Combined arts	2,470	2,990	3,130	2,650	2,740	3,100	2,820	3,050	3,000	3,080
Y Combined sciences	700	1,010	1,090	1,070	1,200	1,380	1,550	1,540	1,390	1,470
Y Combined social sciences	1,240	1,660	1,720	1,610	1,580	1,600	1,790	1,860	1,870	1,780
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,000	2,640	2,710	2,480	2,410	2,860	2,670	2,900	2,750	2,950
Y Social sciences combined with arts	3,570	4,400	4,600	3,930	4,150	4,180	4,340	4,260	3,870	3,870
Z General, other combined & unknown	960	1,000	1,110	1,770	1,960	2,110	2,830	3,210	3,030	3,720

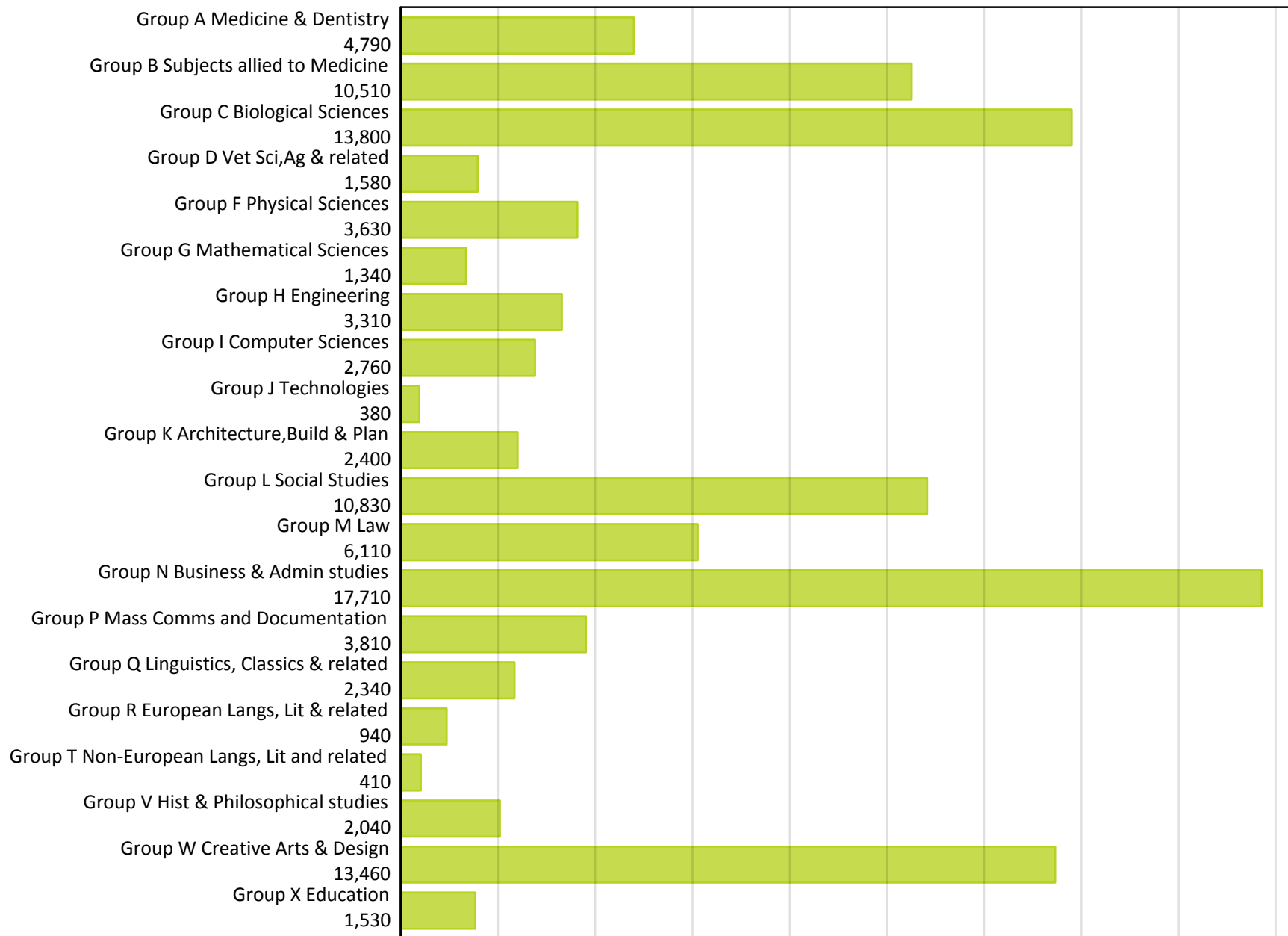
F.8.38 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-16%	19%	19%	9%	10%	14%	9%	19%	0%	4%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-39%	1%	14%	7%	21%	19%	19%	23%	0%	-8%
Group C Biological Sciences	-56%	-42%	-34%	-34%	-24%	-20%	-6%	5%	0%	8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-38%	-8%	-15%	-21%	-11%	-2%	12%	11%	0%	2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-56%	-39%	-32%	-32%	-30%	-23%	-14%	-1%	0%	10%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-28%	-22%	-3%	-18%	-20%	-17%	-12%	-3%	0%	2%
Group H Engineering	-52%	-39%	-35%	-37%	-36%	-21%	-4%	8%	0%	13%
Group I Computer Sciences	-70%	-64%	-49%	-59%	-55%	-33%	-11%	6%	0%	16%
Group J Technologies	-58%	-31%	-27%	-13%	-7%	5%	18%	31%	0%	19%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	5%	23%	34%	6%	0%	-9%	0%	-1%	0%	-5%
Group L Social Studies	-32%	-11%	-9%	-18%	-15%	-6%	-1%	5%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-39%	-22%	-15%	-16%	-16%	-16%	-8%	3%	0%	-2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-41%	-22%	-4%	-20%	-15%	-4%	3%	10%	0%	4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-47%	-28%	-14%	-24%	-16%	-5%	8%	9%	0%	-3%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-35%	-8%	-9%	-15%	-13%	-3%	4%	19%	0%	-6%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	29%	38%	45%	32%	16%	26%	26%	16%	0%	-22%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	24%	25%	47%	14%	-7%	-14%	-20%	-5%	0%	7%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-28%	-17%	-9%	-14%	-19%	-15%	-17%	4%	0%	8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-45%	-18%	-5%	-26%	-23%	-11%	-1%	3%	0%	3%
Group X Education	-25%	-2%	3%	-41%	-54%	-43%	5%	-6%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	-18%	-0%	4%	-12%	-9%	3%	-6%	2%	0%	3%
Y Combined sciences	-50%	-27%	-22%	-23%	-14%	-1%	12%	11%	0%	6%
Y Combined social sciences	-34%	-11%	-8%	-14%	-16%	-15%	-4%	-1%	0%	-5%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-27%	-4%	-2%	-10%	-12%	4%	-3%	5%	0%	7%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-8%	14%	19%	2%	7%	8%	12%	10%	0%	0%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-68%	-67%	-63%	-42%	-35%	-30%	-7%	6%	0%	23%

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.8.39 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2,550	3,300	3,220	2,820	2,770	3,110	2,670	2,450	2,140	2,190
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2,100	3,300	3,600	3,240	3,440	3,310	3,230	3,560	2,710	2,520
Group C Biological Sciences	2,640	3,610	4,020	4,260	4,420	4,640	4,970	5,530	5,180	5,230
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	410	540	590	500	560	510	500	510	520	450
Group F Physical Sciences	1,720	2,400	2,750	2,570	2,980	2,890	3,220	3,480	3,370	3,510
Group G Mathematical Sciences	960	1,160	1,390	1,330	1,260	1,480	1,610	1,820	1,970	1,850
Group H Engineering	8,190	9,470	10,390	8,860	9,310	9,790	10,130	10,810	10,330	9,670
Group I Computer Sciences	3,090	4,290	5,530	5,310	6,110	6,810	8,510	9,400	9,600	10,420
Group J Technologies	450	530	600	550	510	650	650	590	540	470
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,400	3,010	2,710	1,850	1,730	1,470	1,510	1,440	1,390	1,390
Group L Social Studies	6,600	7,860	8,730	7,030	7,440	7,350	7,540	7,630	7,330	7,480
Group M Law	2,400	2,770	3,160	2,800	2,520	2,740	2,960	2,970	2,880	2,730
Group N Business & Admin studies	10,220	13,080	14,980	12,990	13,090	13,210	15,110	15,330	15,210	14,560
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	910	1,180	1,270	1,060	1,390	1,280	1,370	1,640	1,590	1,410
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	460	630	630	530	540	590	650	600	510	540
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	430	540	490	390	380	370	380	360	310	250
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	120	170	170	120	90	90	140	150	90	100
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	990	1,210	1,140	1,060	970	1,180	1,260	1,290	1,220	1,320
Group W Creative Arts & Design	3,100	4,610	5,250	3,820	4,150	4,560	5,380	5,920	5,180	5,300
Group X Education	390	400	430	220	140	140	450	460	390	330
Y Combined arts	720	1,060	1,100	810	840	880	790	790	710	760
Y Combined sciences	1,020	1,370	1,500	1,380	1,470	1,570	1,570	1,580	1,580	1,580
Y Combined social sciences	1,460	1,810	1,780	1,640	1,590	1,650	1,780	1,820	1,710	1,700
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	1,880	2,660	2,800	2,390	2,350	2,350	2,050	1,980	1,790	1,840
Y Social sciences combined with arts	2,090	2,300	2,430	2,150	2,120	2,020	1,800	1,960	1,770	1,970
Z General, other combined & unknown	640	760	790	1,460	1,540	1,750	2,060	2,450	2,410	2,610

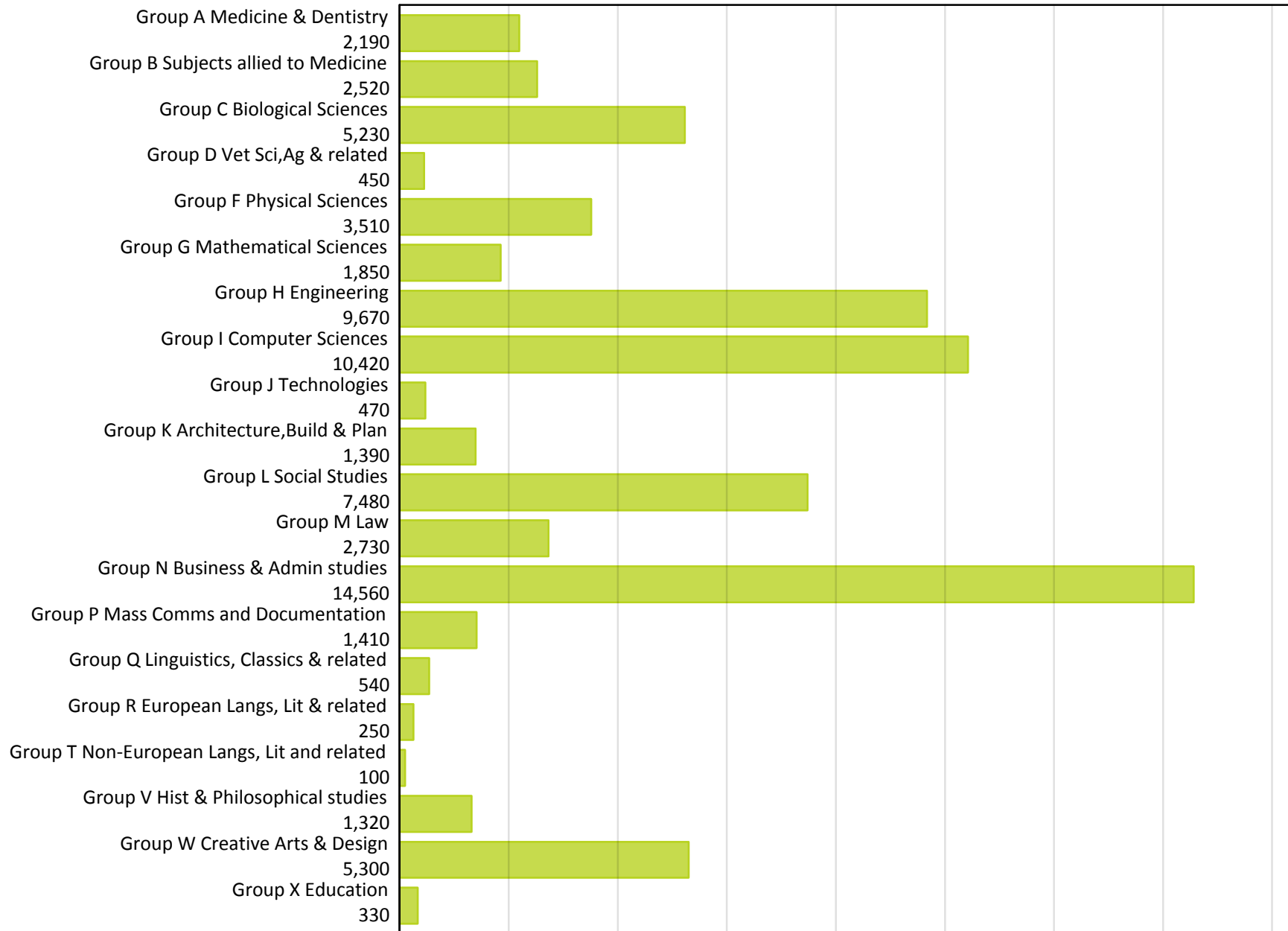
F.8.41 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	19%	55%	51%	32%	30%	46%	25%	15%	0%	3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-22%	22%	33%	20%	27%	22%	19%	31%	0%	-7%
Group C Biological Sciences	-49%	-30%	-22%	-18%	-15%	-10%	-4%	7%	0%	1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-22%	4%	14%	-4%	7%	-2%	-4%	-2%	0%	-13%
Group F Physical Sciences	-49%	-29%	-18%	-24%	-12%	-14%	-4%	3%	0%	4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-51%	-41%	-29%	-32%	-36%	-25%	-18%	-8%	0%	-6%
Group H Engineering	-21%	-8%	1%	-14%	-10%	-5%	-2%	5%	0%	-6%
Group I Computer Sciences	-68%	-55%	-42%	-45%	-36%	-29%	-11%	-2%	0%	9%
Group J Technologies	-18%	-1%	11%	2%	-6%	20%	20%	9%	0%	-14%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	73%	117%	96%	33%	25%	6%	9%	4%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-10%	7%	19%	-4%	2%	0%	3%	4%	0%	2%
Group M Law	-17%	-4%	10%	-3%	-12%	-5%	3%	3%	0%	-5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-33%	-14%	-1%	-15%	-14%	-13%	-1%	1%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-43%	-26%	-20%	-34%	-13%	-20%	-14%	3%	0%	-12%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-10%	23%	23%	4%	6%	17%	28%	18%	0%	6%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	38%	73%	58%	24%	21%	17%	20%	14%	0%	-22%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	28%	79%	81%	27%	-3%	-4%	51%	62%	0%	4%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-19%	-1%	-6%	-13%	-21%	-3%	3%	5%	0%	8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-40%	-11%	1%	-26%	-20%	-12%	4%	14%	0%	2%
Group X Education	-1%	3%	10%	-45%	-65%	-63%	15%	17%	0%	-15%
Y Combined arts	1%	50%	56%	14%	19%	24%	12%	12%	0%	8%
Y Combined sciences	-35%	-13%	-5%	-12%	-7%	-0%	-1%	0%	0%	-0%
Y Combined social sciences	-14%	6%	4%	-4%	-7%	-3%	4%	7%	0%	-0%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	5%	48%	56%	33%	31%	31%	15%	11%	0%	3%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	19%	30%	37%	22%	20%	14%	2%	11%	0%	12%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-73%	-69%	-67%	-39%	-36%	-27%	-15%	2%	0%	8%

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.8.42 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	4,930	5,810	6,340	7,050	7,420	8,450	8,060	7,810	7,290	7,980
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	5,150	6,240	6,820	7,330	7,760	8,520	9,270	9,160	9,330	9,390
Group C Biological Sciences	4,500	5,560	6,380	7,690	8,460	10,210	10,810	11,170	12,910	14,960
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	600	740	770	1,000	1,070	1,100	1,150	1,170	1,250	1,340
Group F Physical Sciences	1,830	2,340	2,240	2,780	2,830	3,420	3,590	3,720	3,850	4,300
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,420	2,600	2,630	2,770	2,740	2,820	3,110	3,270	3,610	4,330
Group H Engineering	3,720	4,370	4,220	5,030	5,480	6,930	7,180	7,050	6,800	7,000
Group I Computer Sciences	760	790	900	920	910	1,340	1,590	2,060	2,610	3,810
Group J Technologies	340	360	360	320	340	540	490	430	460	460
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	2,060	2,440	2,830	3,100	3,360	3,790	4,470	4,250	4,250	4,190
Group L Social Studies	9,430	10,250	11,610	11,220	12,360	13,250	12,920	13,640	14,190	15,670
Group M Law	7,090	8,560	9,880	10,970	12,010	13,720	13,590	13,420	12,820	13,500
Group N Business & Admin studies	15,360	18,250	20,020	23,380	24,090	27,270	28,220	26,630	25,400	26,670
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,320	1,720	1,810	2,010	2,760	3,160	3,290	3,280	3,490	3,500
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,470	1,590	1,740	2,000	2,320	2,510	2,830	2,790	2,700	2,890
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	480	530	510	540	510	480	500	460	390	370
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	160	210	200	210	190	180	190	190	110	190
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,280	1,440	1,630	1,780	1,820	1,920	1,960	2,330	2,230	2,630
Group W Creative Arts & Design	4,890	7,490	8,310	9,020	10,450	11,890	12,500	12,610	13,960	15,270
Group X Education	540	650	650	760	710	770	980	1,180	1,210	1,450
Y Combined arts	1,280	1,410	1,430	1,600	1,810	2,010	1,830	1,710	1,670	1,680
Y Combined sciences	960	1,150	1,280	1,370	1,540	1,890	2,040	1,680	1,490	1,720
Y Combined social sciences	2,070	2,050	2,090	2,270	2,300	2,520	2,570	2,610	2,530	2,670
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,600	2,650	2,580	2,620	2,700	2,750	2,500	2,570	2,490	2,680
Y Social sciences combined with arts	2,260	2,370	2,480	2,860	3,420	3,320	3,120	2,690	2,740	3,510
Z General, other combined & unknown	920	1,040	1,110	2,140	2,320	2,640	3,220	3,510	3,670	4,930

F.8.44 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Women)

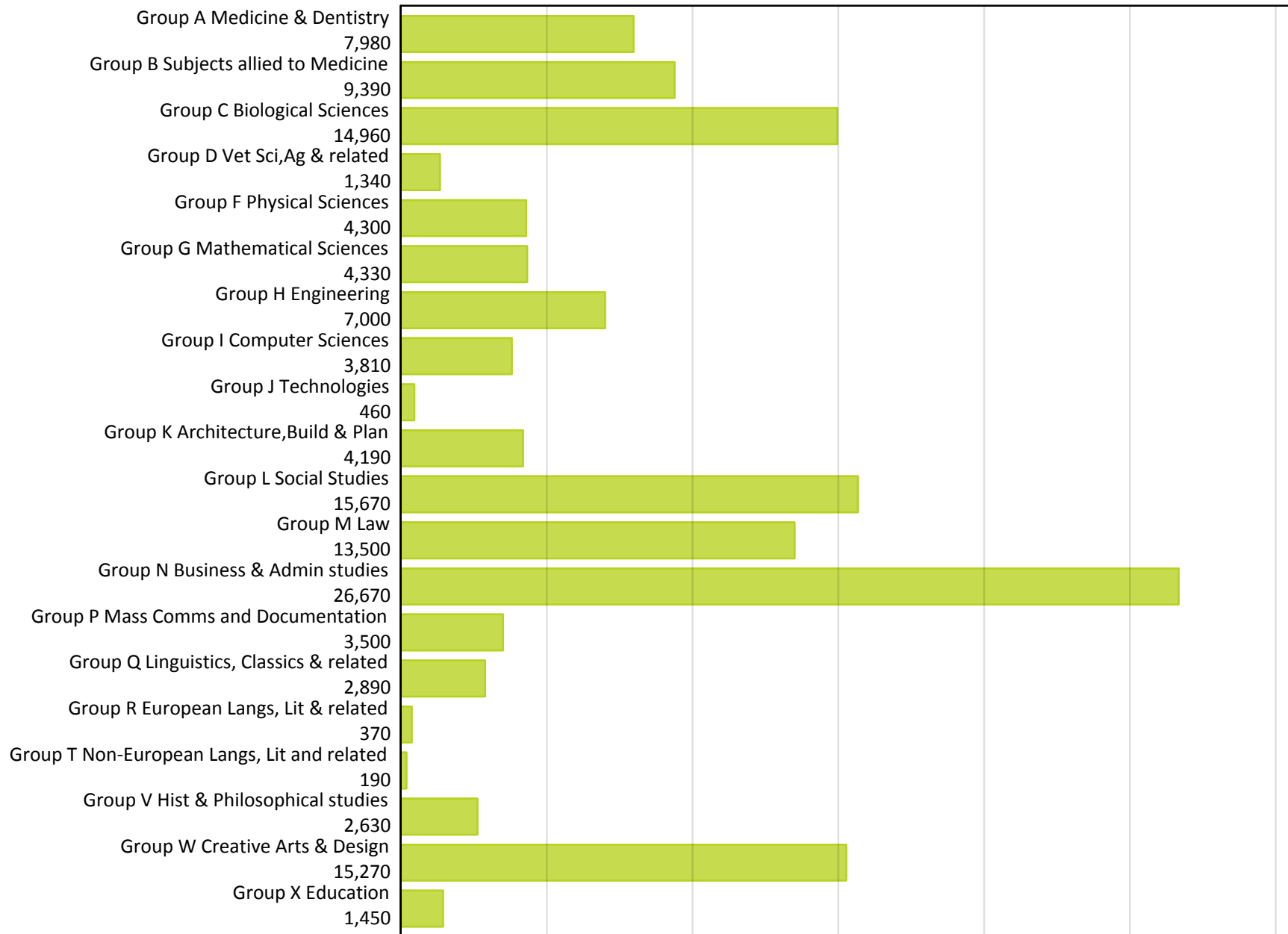
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-32%	-20%	-13%	-3%	2%	16%	11%	7%	0%	10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-45%	-33%	-27%	-21%	-17%	-9%	-1%	-2%	0%	1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-65%	-57%	-51%	-40%	-34%	-21%	-16%	-13%	0%	16%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-52%	-41%	-38%	-20%	-14%	-12%	-8%	-7%	0%	7%
Group F Physical Sciences	-52%	-39%	-42%	-28%	-26%	-11%	-7%	-3%	0%	12%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-33%	-28%	-27%	-23%	-24%	-22%	-14%	-9%	0%	20%
Group H Engineering	-45%	-36%	-38%	-26%	-19%	2%	6%	4%	0%	3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-71%	-70%	-65%	-65%	-65%	-49%	-39%	-21%	0%	46%
Group J Technologies	-26%	-22%	-23%	-30%	-26%	18%	6%	-7%	0%	0%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-51%	-43%	-33%	-27%	-21%	-11%	5%	0%	0%	-1%
Group L Social Studies	-34%	-28%	-18%	-21%	-13%	-7%	-9%	-4%	0%	10%
Group M Law	-45%	-33%	-23%	-14%	-6%	7%	6%	5%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-40%	-28%	-21%	-8%	-5%	7%	11%	5%	0%	5%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-62%	-51%	-48%	-42%	-21%	-9%	-6%	-6%	0%	0%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-46%	-41%	-36%	-26%	-14%	-7%	5%	3%	0%	7%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	25%	38%	33%	40%	32%	25%	29%	20%	0%	-4%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	41%	88%	79%	91%	67%	63%	68%	69%	0%	69%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-42%	-35%	-27%	-20%	-18%	-14%	-12%	4%	0%	18%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-65%	-46%	-40%	-35%	-25%	-15%	-10%	-10%	0%	9%
Group X Education	-56%	-46%	-46%	-37%	-42%	-37%	-20%	-3%	0%	19%
Y Combined arts	-23%	-15%	-15%	-4%	9%	21%	10%	3%	0%	1%
Y Combined sciences	-36%	-22%	-14%	-8%	3%	27%	37%	13%	0%	15%
Y Combined social sciences	-18%	-19%	-17%	-10%	-9%	-1%	1%	3%	0%	5%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	4%	6%	4%	5%	8%	10%	0%	3%	0%	8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-17%	-13%	-9%	4%	25%	21%	14%	-2%	0%	28%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-75%	-72%	-70%	-42%	-37%	-28%	-12%	-4%	0%	34%

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

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,920	4,450	4,960	5,230	5,210	5,850	5,250	5,370	4,940	5,300
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2,990	3,130	3,330	3,630	3,640	3,830	4,250	4,360	4,080	3,790
Group C Biological Sciences	2,580	2,720	3,210	3,570	3,950	4,240	4,470	4,960	5,740	6,130
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	170	250	270	380	340	310	370	350	470	500
Group F Physical Sciences	2,230	2,620	2,760	3,130	3,560	4,190	4,060	4,560	4,700	5,340
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,920	3,330	3,370	3,730	3,450	3,340	3,460	3,850	3,940	4,790
Group H Engineering	15,870	18,370	18,150	20,560	22,070	24,310	25,330	23,860	23,740	23,150
Group I Computer Sciences	3,000	3,420	3,320	3,850	4,170	5,240	6,130	7,070	9,010	11,660
Group J Technologies	430	570	540	520	540	670	670	630	640	650
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	2,180	2,390	2,540	2,540	3,020	3,400	3,510	3,040	3,140	3,080
Group L Social Studies	9,200	10,070	10,010	11,120	11,580	11,100	10,590	10,880	11,250	11,680
Group M Law	4,920	5,930	6,910	7,940	8,870	8,960	9,170	8,720	8,000	8,770
Group N Business & Admin studies	18,370	19,820	21,150	23,640	24,160	25,250	27,220	25,360	25,400	27,220
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	590	680	710	740	790	980	1,110	1,230	1,320	1,210
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	500	480	530	640	600	550	660	650	750	690
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	140	170	190	190	180	180	150	140	130	130
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	80	90	80	90	70	80	80	140	80	100
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,020	1,200	1,130	1,160	1,390	1,170	1,350	1,460	1,450	1,670
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2,070	2,930	3,050	3,060	3,350	3,970	4,240	4,370	4,340	5,030
Group X Education	80	160	110	110	120	120	150	190	200	240
Y Combined arts	450	500	480	480	490	540	550	470	450	440
Y Combined sciences	1,230	1,420	1,500	1,690	1,690	1,940	1,900	1,910	1,840	2,120
Y Combined social sciences	2,230	2,380	2,200	2,540	2,570	2,520	2,870	2,780	2,800	2,820
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,980	2,960	2,930	2,670	2,720	2,630	2,310	2,150	2,120	2,120
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,440	1,660	1,530	1,710	1,770	1,820	1,510	1,430	1,490	1,830
Z General, other combined & unknown	710	890	890	1,960	2,010	2,210	2,780	3,080	3,150	3,760

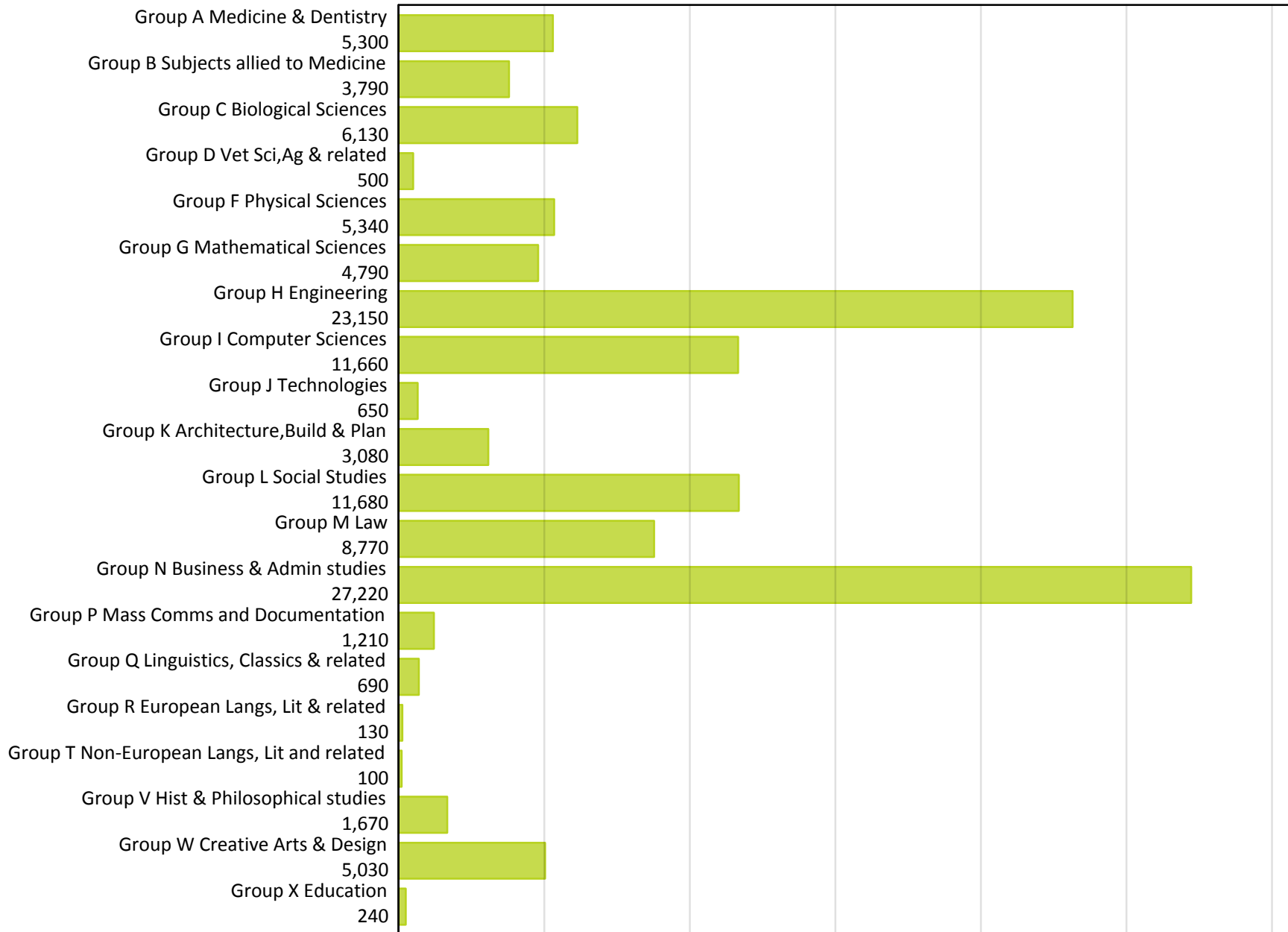
F.8.47 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-21%	-10%	0%	6%	5%	18%	6%	9%	0%	7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-27%	-23%	-18%	-11%	-11%	-6%	4%	7%	0%	-7%
Group C Biological Sciences	-55%	-53%	-44%	-38%	-31%	-26%	-22%	-14%	0%	7%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-64%	-47%	-43%	-20%	-27%	-34%	-21%	-26%	0%	6%
Group F Physical Sciences	-53%	-44%	-41%	-33%	-24%	-11%	-14%	-3%	0%	14%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-26%	-16%	-14%	-5%	-12%	-15%	-12%	-2%	0%	21%
Group H Engineering	-33%	-23%	-24%	-13%	-7%	2%	7%	1%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-67%	-62%	-63%	-57%	-54%	-42%	-32%	-21%	0%	29%
Group J Technologies	-33%	-12%	-16%	-19%	-15%	5%	4%	-2%	0%	1%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-31%	-24%	-19%	-19%	-4%	8%	12%	-3%	0%	-2%
Group L Social Studies	-18%	-10%	-11%	-1%	3%	-1%	-6%	-3%	0%	4%
Group M Law	-38%	-26%	-14%	-1%	11%	12%	15%	9%	0%	10%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-28%	-22%	-17%	-7%	-5%	-1%	7%	-0%	0%	7%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-55%	-49%	-47%	-44%	-40%	-26%	-16%	-7%	0%	-9%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-33%	-36%	-29%	-14%	-19%	-26%	-12%	-13%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	10%	33%	42%	43%	34%	35%	16%	4%	0%	-2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	5%	18%	3%	10%	-5%	-3%	-4%	85%	0%	22%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-30%	-17%	-22%	-20%	-4%	-20%	-7%	1%	0%	15%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-52%	-32%	-30%	-30%	-23%	-9%	-2%	1%	0%	16%
Group X Education	-62%	-19%	-46%	-48%	-41%	-41%	-25%	-5%	0%	17%
Y Combined arts	0%	11%	8%	7%	10%	21%	22%	5%	0%	-2%
Y Combined sciences	-33%	-23%	-19%	-8%	-8%	5%	3%	3%	0%	15%
Y Combined social sciences	-20%	-15%	-21%	-9%	-8%	-10%	3%	-1%	0%	1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	40%	39%	38%	25%	28%	24%	9%	1%	0%	-0%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-4%	11%	3%	15%	19%	23%	2%	-4%	0%	23%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-77%	-72%	-72%	-38%	-36%	-30%	-12%	-2%	0%	19%

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.8.48 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men)
 Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



F.8.49 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

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Tariff Group of provider

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