

# June Deadline Analysis: Subjects

## Applicants by subject at the 30 June deadline

### I.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	81,950	93,390	96,580	94,040	95,200	97,800	87,730	85,710	82,260	89,130
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	246,960	327,620	368,700	369,170	384,440	401,030	395,080	401,910	340,980	310,350
Group C Biological Sciences	186,720	216,480	228,620	218,430	234,240	251,580	273,190	281,300	278,800	282,610
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	21,320	25,560	28,040	27,010	29,120	30,590	31,860	30,560	29,270	29,700
Group F Physical Sciences	81,230	91,940	99,320	98,360	104,230	109,010	111,910	107,830	105,630	99,660
Group G Mathematical Sciences	40,920	44,300	45,630	44,470	45,970	45,600	47,420	49,000	50,910	51,170
Group H Engineering	122,940	134,810	140,960	137,280	145,600	160,690	171,320	170,450	167,180	161,670
Group I Computer Sciences	79,730	90,150	96,920	89,820	99,060	111,030	123,620	129,140	130,940	133,750
Group J Technologies	11,400	12,490	11,990	9,890	9,850	11,110	10,050	8,930	7,920	7,190
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	50,560	50,150	49,620	41,520	40,230	40,130	42,860	43,600	45,630	45,420
Group L Social Studies	204,930	237,100	243,140	215,170	218,830	229,350	240,890	247,980	254,440	251,850
Group M Law	111,010	117,240	122,870	117,750	123,760	122,990	128,260	133,870	140,200	142,950
Group N Business & Admin studies	285,210	310,690	330,490	311,540	313,840	327,030	344,160	347,550	336,650	329,430
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	53,180	58,690	62,780	53,740	56,840	61,730	64,930	65,990	66,220	61,460
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	69,990	74,540	71,470	65,670	65,500	65,860	66,540	64,450	61,240	56,320
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	24,380	25,670	25,470	22,490	21,250	20,090	19,900	18,630	17,320	15,410
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7,800	8,420	8,440	6,680	6,240	5,910	6,130	5,760	5,470	5,010
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	79,280	84,610	83,190	77,270	78,690	81,740	83,080	82,570	76,420	73,880
Group W Creative Arts & Design	235,510	287,040	302,020	252,890	258,510	270,600	278,440	273,870	259,600	249,120
Group X Education	75,300	87,940	94,490	86,020	83,890	84,200	94,030	92,840	91,750	85,970
Y Combined arts	66,910	72,300	70,470	58,970	57,220	56,650	51,700	49,920	45,140	41,770
Y Combined sciences	36,540	40,690	42,700	38,580	39,750	40,940	36,300	32,640	30,410	30,720
Y Combined social sciences	33,740	35,280	34,170	30,080	28,360	30,920	31,420	32,920	32,220	33,790
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	100,800	110,210	105,880	87,650	82,680	80,150	65,440	58,860	54,320	52,620
Y Social sciences combined with arts	62,370	66,740	64,930	55,860	54,790	54,080	51,410	49,640	48,980	48,330
Z General, other combined & unknown	18,000	18,730	18,940	26,620	34,270	34,240	34,010	34,310	33,920	37,840

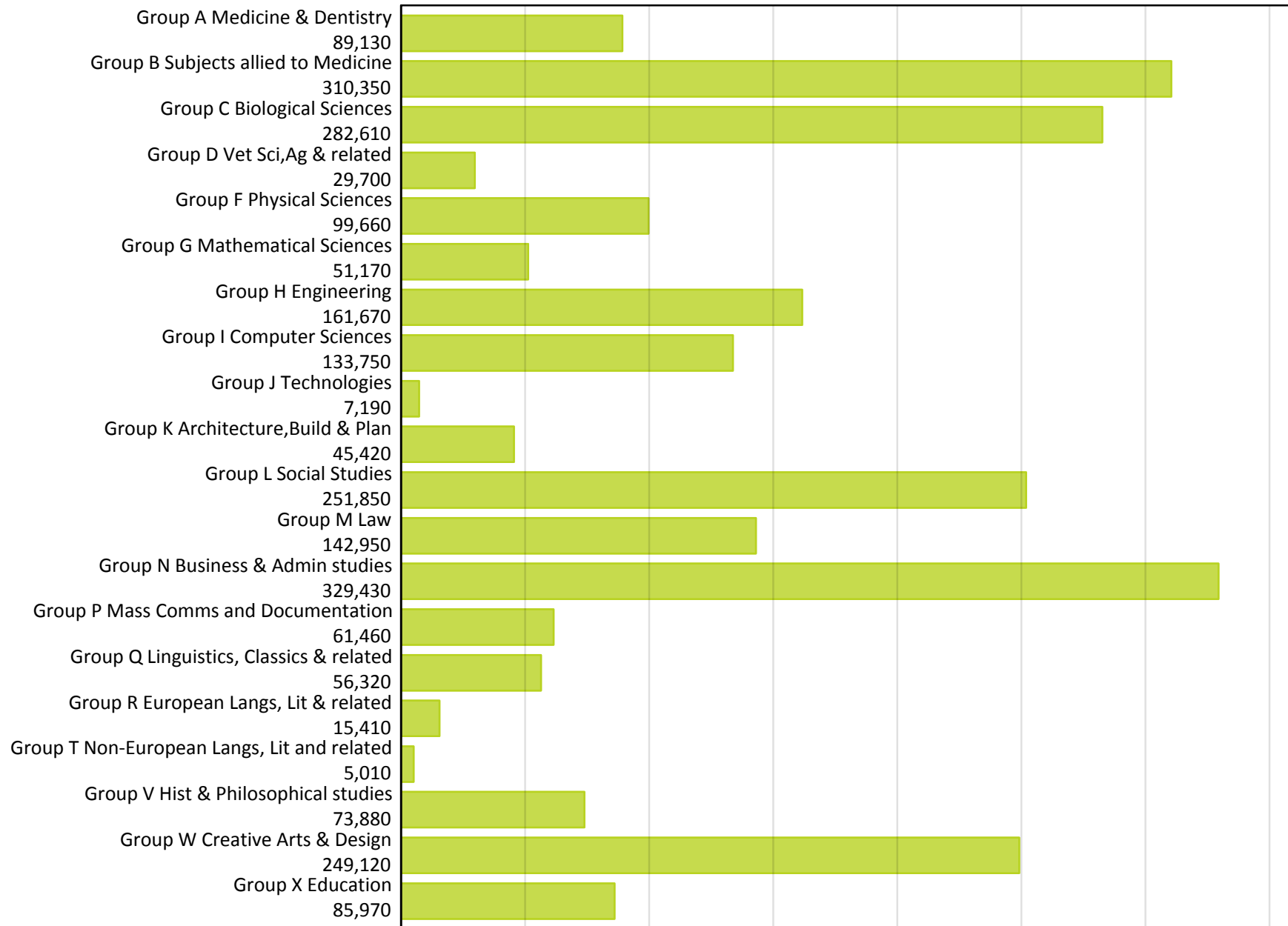
## I.6.2 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-0%	14%	17%	14%	16%	19%	7%	4%	0%	8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-28%	-4%	8%	8%	13%	18%	16%	18%	0%	-9%
Group C Biological Sciences	-33%	-22%	-18%	-22%	-16%	-10%	-2%	1%	0%	1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-27%	-13%	-4%	-8%	-1%	4%	9%	4%	0%	1%
Group F Physical Sciences	-23%	-13%	-6%	-7%	-1%	3%	6%	2%	0%	-6%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-20%	-13%	-10%	-13%	-10%	-10%	-7%	-4%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-26%	-19%	-16%	-18%	-13%	-4%	2%	2%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-39%	-31%	-26%	-31%	-24%	-15%	-6%	-1%	0%	2%
Group J Technologies	44%	58%	51%	25%	24%	40%	27%	13%	0%	-9%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	11%	10%	9%	-9%	-12%	-12%	-6%	-4%	0%	-0%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-7%	-4%	-15%	-14%	-10%	-5%	-3%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-21%	-16%	-12%	-16%	-12%	-12%	-9%	-5%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-15%	-8%	-2%	-7%	-7%	-3%	2%	3%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-20%	-11%	-5%	-19%	-14%	-7%	-2%	-0%	0%	-7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	14%	22%	17%	7%	7%	8%	9%	5%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	41%	48%	47%	30%	23%	16%	15%	8%	0%	-11%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	43%	54%	54%	22%	14%	8%	12%	5%	0%	-8%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	4%	11%	9%	1%	3%	7%	9%	8%	0%	-3%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-9%	11%	16%	-3%	-0%	4%	7%	5%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	-18%	-4%	3%	-6%	-9%	-8%	2%	1%	0%	-6%
Y Combined arts	48%	60%	56%	31%	27%	25%	15%	11%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	20%	34%	40%	27%	31%	35%	19%	7%	0%	1%
Y Combined social sciences	5%	9%	6%	-7%	-12%	-4%	-2%	2%	0%	5%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	86%	103%	95%	61%	52%	48%	20%	8%	0%	-3%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	27%	36%	33%	14%	12%	10%	5%	1%	0%	-1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-47%	-45%	-44%	-22%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	12%

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.

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



## I.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	66,380	74,150	76,500	73,740	74,600	75,030	66,670	64,510	63,240	68,810
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	225,640	299,960	338,840	339,930	352,370	368,800	361,810	367,840	310,390	280,920
Group C Biological Sciences	168,670	194,570	203,770	191,830	204,460	218,980	237,390	242,710	238,390	238,720
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	18,800	22,310	24,830	23,650	25,510	26,890	27,890	26,580	25,150	25,580
Group F Physical Sciences	72,840	81,580	88,290	86,650	91,450	94,920	96,900	91,780	89,350	81,660
Group G Mathematical Sciences	32,760	35,400	36,320	34,830	36,760	36,210	37,370	38,250	39,400	38,230
Group H Engineering	83,600	91,930	97,390	93,610	99,050	109,660	118,850	119,470	117,250	112,980
Group I Computer Sciences	69,270	78,200	83,460	76,860	84,380	93,760	102,650	105,310	104,040	101,730
Group J Technologies	9,580	10,440	9,890	7,910	7,870	8,580	7,600	6,600	5,720	5,050
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	39,240	37,340	36,350	29,800	27,970	27,480	29,260	31,130	33,000	33,050
Group L Social Studies	168,430	195,700	199,130	173,480	174,630	183,830	195,710	201,230	207,470	202,500
Group M Law	88,940	90,970	93,070	86,370	89,390	87,370	90,780	96,720	103,980	106,490
Group N Business & Admin studies	213,360	229,290	240,010	219,980	221,180	229,600	240,220	246,240	238,790	228,540
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	47,010	51,100	54,220	45,720	47,340	51,080	53,420	54,000	54,330	49,980
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	65,280	68,970	65,760	59,820	59,200	59,010	59,110	56,910	54,140	49,270
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	21,470	22,540	22,320	19,620	18,630	17,390	17,230	16,130	15,140	13,540
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,840	7,290	7,290	5,720	5,430	5,150	5,350	4,820	4,720	4,180
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	74,190	78,770	77,180	71,230	72,540	75,480	76,630	75,130	69,240	65,820
Group W Creative Arts & Design	215,000	258,340	270,130	224,590	227,300	235,230	239,650	233,910	218,750	206,210
Group X Education	72,790	84,920	91,390	83,770	81,950	82,060	90,330	89,030	87,940	82,060
Y Combined arts	61,210	65,760	63,630	52,880	50,660	49,590	45,200	43,280	38,780	35,250
Y Combined sciences	31,530	34,880	36,540	32,280	33,090	33,480	28,780	25,300	23,550	23,200
Y Combined social sciences	25,390	26,100	25,120	20,800	19,390	21,550	21,290	23,040	22,440	23,890
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	89,510	97,720	93,340	76,150	71,150	68,460	55,190	48,360	44,310	42,090
Y Social sciences combined with arts	51,800	54,940	52,760	44,130	42,230	41,710	40,030	38,450	38,260	36,380
Z General, other combined & unknown	14,280	14,590	14,700	18,800	24,660	23,760	22,420	21,690	21,150	22,260

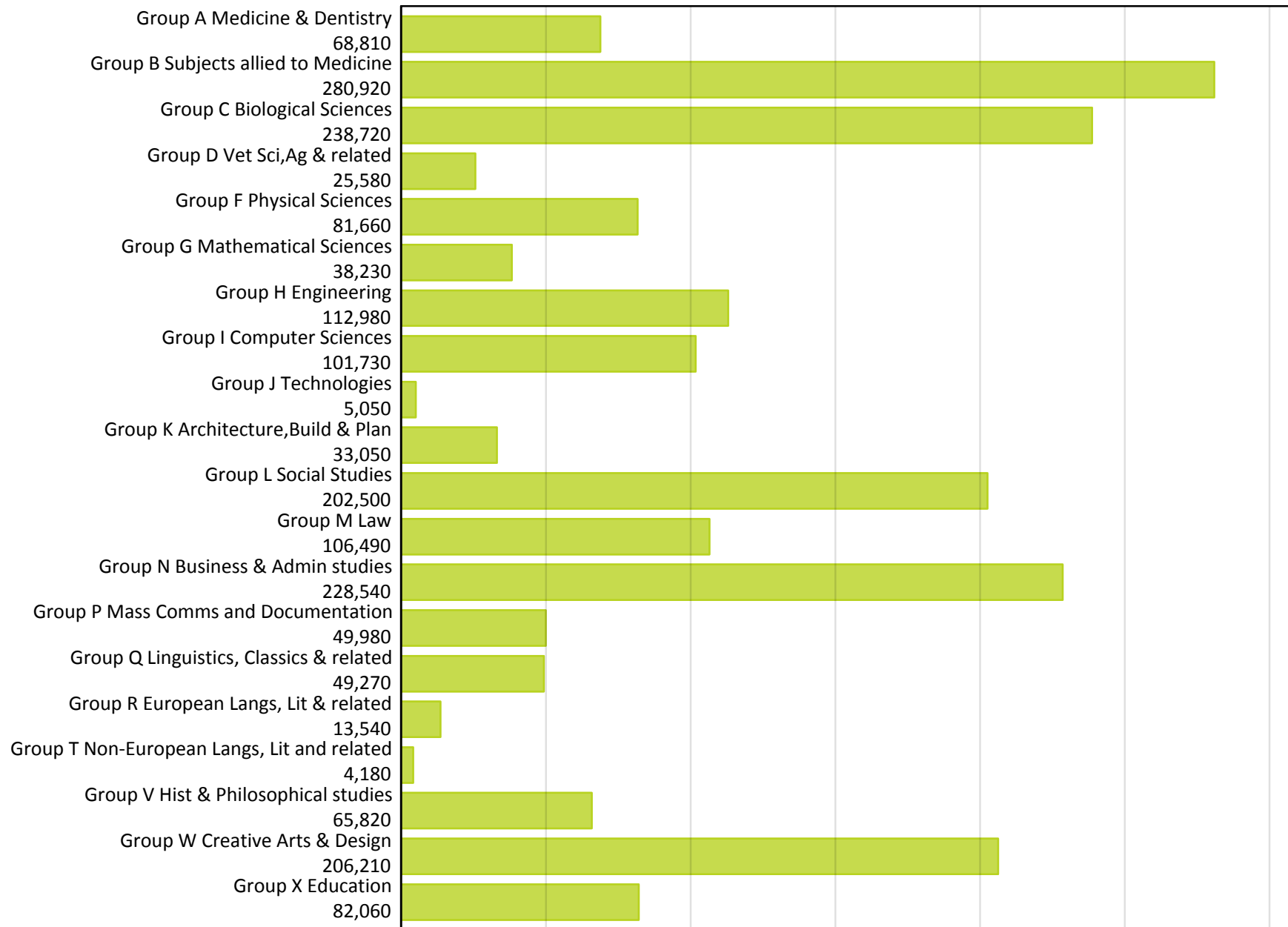
## I.6.5 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK

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%	17%	18%	19%	5%	2%	0%	9%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-27%	-3%	9%	10%	14%	19%	17%	19%	0%	-9%
Group C Biological Sciences	-29%	-18%	-15%	-20%	-14%	-8%	-0%	2%	0%	0%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-25%	-11%	-1%	-6%	1%	7%	11%	6%	0%	2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-18%	-9%	-1%	-3%	2%	6%	8%	3%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-17%	-10%	-8%	-12%	-7%	-8%	-5%	-3%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-29%	-22%	-17%	-20%	-16%	-6%	1%	2%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-33%	-25%	-20%	-26%	-19%	-10%	-1%	1%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	67%	82%	73%	38%	38%	50%	33%	15%	0%	-12%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	19%	13%	10%	-10%	-15%	-17%	-11%	-6%	0%	0%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-6%	-4%	-16%	-16%	-11%	-6%	-3%	0%	-2%
Group M Law	-14%	-13%	-10%	-17%	-14%	-16%	-13%	-7%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-11%	-4%	1%	-8%	-7%	-4%	1%	3%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-13%	-6%	-0%	-16%	-13%	-6%	-2%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	21%	27%	21%	10%	9%	9%	9%	5%	0%	-9%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	42%	49%	47%	30%	23%	15%	14%	7%	0%	-11%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	45%	55%	54%	21%	15%	9%	13%	2%	0%	-11%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	7%	14%	11%	3%	5%	9%	11%	9%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-2%	18%	23%	3%	4%	8%	10%	7%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-17%	-3%	4%	-5%	-7%	-7%	3%	1%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	58%	70%	64%	36%	31%	28%	17%	12%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	34%	48%	55%	37%	41%	42%	22%	7%	0%	-1%
Y Combined social sciences	13%	16%	12%	-7%	-14%	-4%	-5%	3%	0%	6%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	102%	121%	111%	72%	61%	55%	25%	9%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	35%	44%	38%	15%	10%	9%	5%	1%	0%	-5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-33%	-31%	-31%	-11%	17%	12%	6%	3%	0%	5%

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



## I.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	56,000	62,580	64,650	62,580	63,530	63,810	56,300	54,580	53,490	58,950
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	196,590	253,400	286,100	287,470	296,810	312,210	305,340	309,990	256,340	228,790
Group C Biological Sciences	143,060	165,510	173,290	160,640	171,810	184,870	201,250	207,310	203,840	203,890
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	15,680	18,880	21,070	19,630	21,330	22,470	22,490	21,220	20,250	20,980
Group F Physical Sciences	60,550	68,930	74,560	71,990	76,350	80,380	82,040	78,020	76,580	69,390
Group G Mathematical Sciences	28,150	30,740	31,740	30,070	31,840	31,480	32,690	33,560	34,350	33,030
Group H Engineering	65,490	72,240	76,640	71,970	76,560	85,510	93,940	95,330	94,380	91,940
Group I Computer Sciences	57,850	64,750	68,720	61,880	67,340	75,470	83,230	85,150	84,630	82,380
Group J Technologies	8,100	8,780	8,480	6,440	6,310	7,020	6,200	5,220	4,610	4,130
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	30,970	30,070	29,380	23,800	22,490	22,180	23,320	24,720	26,200	26,350
Group L Social Studies	144,000	168,060	170,760	145,540	147,820	155,380	166,550	172,800	179,180	174,560
Group M Law	74,740	76,380	78,050	72,350	75,940	73,970	76,560	81,100	87,130	89,700
Group N Business & Admin studies	181,270	194,710	202,550	182,100	184,140	190,170	199,680	203,470	197,400	188,840
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	40,950	44,040	46,610	38,580	40,140	43,040	45,860	45,870	46,420	42,750
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	58,770	61,670	58,470	52,850	52,770	52,520	52,540	50,390	47,450	43,230
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	18,320	19,050	18,920	16,110	15,200	14,390	14,160	13,050	12,210	11,130
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,220	6,720	6,640	5,350	5,050	4,800	4,930	4,440	4,330	3,930
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	65,420	68,970	67,620	61,940	63,600	65,810	66,940	65,360	60,340	57,150
Group W Creative Arts & Design	189,630	228,250	238,060	195,080	197,080	205,110	208,900	203,430	189,010	177,520
Group X Education	60,980	71,670	77,480	70,200	68,800	68,340	63,540	59,420	57,670	51,670
Y Combined arts	52,860	57,280	55,580	45,760	43,630	42,330	38,550	36,180	31,730	28,870
Y Combined sciences	26,540	29,310	30,600	26,470	27,160	27,630	22,930	19,920	18,420	18,030
Y Combined social sciences	21,410	22,460	21,450	17,310	15,900	17,850	17,100	18,400	18,100	19,410
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	74,290	82,070	77,870	62,230	57,890	55,660	44,080	37,810	34,250	32,320
Y Social sciences combined with arts	43,570	46,390	44,790	37,220	35,540	34,850	32,850	31,090	31,000	29,550
Z General, other combined & unknown	13,150	13,410	13,480	16,110	21,550	21,120	20,020	19,150	18,730	19,810

## I.6.8 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : England

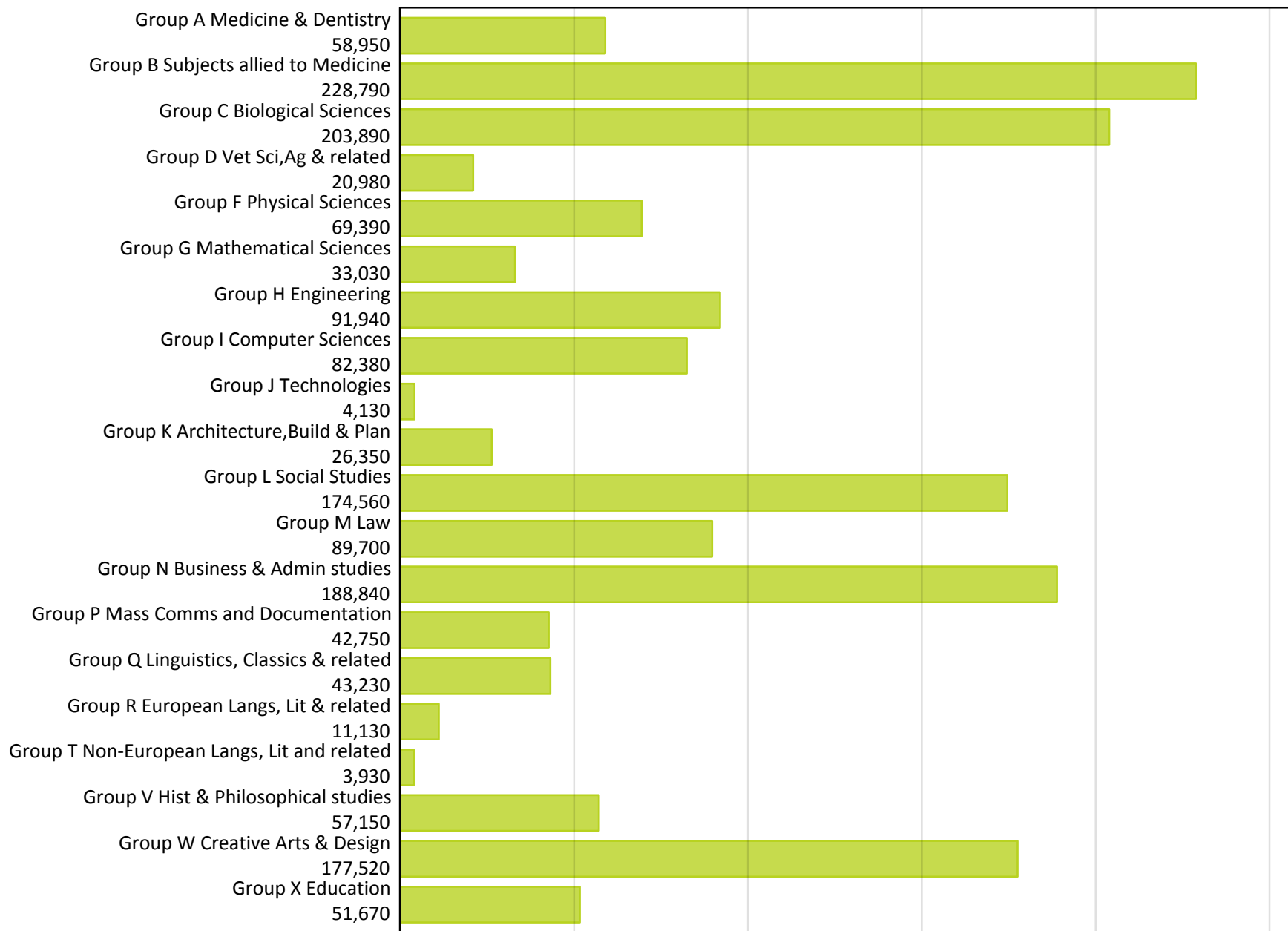
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5%	17%	21%	17%	19%	19%	5%	2%	0%	10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-23%	-1%	12%	12%	16%	22%	19%	21%	0%	-11%
Group C Biological Sciences	-30%	-19%	-15%	-21%	-16%	-9%	-1%	2%	0%	0%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-23%	-7%	4%	-3%	5%	11%	11%	5%	0%	4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-21%	-10%	-3%	-6%	-0%	5%	7%	2%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-18%	-10%	-8%	-12%	-7%	-8%	-5%	-2%	0%	-4%
Group H Engineering	-31%	-23%	-19%	-24%	-19%	-9%	-0%	1%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-32%	-23%	-19%	-27%	-20%	-11%	-2%	1%	0%	-3%
Group J Technologies	76%	91%	84%	40%	37%	52%	35%	13%	0%	-10%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	18%	15%	12%	-9%	-14%	-15%	-11%	-6%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-20%	-6%	-5%	-19%	-18%	-13%	-7%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group M Law	-14%	-12%	-10%	-17%	-13%	-15%	-12%	-7%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-8%	-1%	3%	-8%	-7%	-4%	1%	3%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-12%	-5%	0%	-17%	-14%	-7%	-1%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	24%	30%	23%	11%	11%	11%	11%	6%	0%	-9%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	50%	56%	55%	32%	24%	18%	16%	7%	0%	-9%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	44%	55%	53%	24%	17%	11%	14%	3%	0%	-9%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	8%	14%	12%	3%	5%	9%	11%	8%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	0%	21%	26%	3%	4%	9%	11%	8%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	6%	24%	34%	22%	19%	18%	10%	3%	0%	-10%
Y Combined arts	67%	81%	75%	44%	37%	33%	21%	14%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	44%	59%	66%	44%	47%	50%	24%	8%	0%	-2%
Y Combined social sciences	18%	24%	19%	-4%	-12%	-1%	-6%	2%	0%	7%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	117%	140%	127%	82%	69%	63%	29%	10%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	41%	50%	44%	20%	15%	12%	6%	0%	0%	-5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-30%	-28%	-28%	-14%	15%	13%	7%	2%	0%	6%

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



## I.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	3,000	3,440	3,360	2,930	2,990	2,760	2,570	2,620	2,440	2,240
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	9,650	11,250	13,410	13,400	16,870	15,890	15,800	16,730	15,350	14,010
Group C Biological Sciences	5,320	6,250	6,540	6,360	6,650	6,840	7,290	7,330	6,920	7,460
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	940	1,070	1,220	1,300	1,440	1,430	1,410	1,530	1,280	1,200
Group F Physical Sciences	2,340	2,410	2,690	3,010	2,940	2,790	2,970	2,770	2,650	2,510
Group G Mathematical Sciences	870	910	1,030	890	990	1,040	1,280	1,140	1,070	1,010
Group H Engineering	4,070	4,490	4,230	4,410	4,930	4,800	4,910	4,910	4,870	4,560
Group I Computer Sciences	3,950	5,300	5,660	5,590	6,720	7,410	7,620	7,910	6,940	6,060
Group J Technologies	390	440	360	380	410	380	290	210	130	120
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	3,450	2,840	2,730	2,050	1,830	1,720	2,090	2,250	2,490	2,350
Group L Social Studies	7,790	8,720	8,900	8,440	7,490	7,460	7,770	7,700	7,390	7,610
Group M Law	4,280	3,920	3,950	3,360	3,420	3,410	3,690	3,680	3,650	4,070
Group N Business & Admin studies	9,420	9,780	10,200	9,970	10,230	10,880	11,120	12,130	11,500	10,790
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,260	2,360	2,580	2,500	2,330	2,440	1,880	2,060	2,280	2,110
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,680	2,090	2,170	1,900	1,620	1,840	1,770	1,570	1,620	1,540
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	690	810	780	740	740	660	810	570	570	450
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	110	100	100	60	50	50	60	30	50	30
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	1,940	2,290	2,530	2,210	2,040	2,150	2,000	1,910	1,770	1,520
Group W Creative Arts & Design	5,120	6,130	6,480	5,960	6,300	6,190	6,860	6,330	6,430	5,600
Group X Education	2,040	2,870	3,210	2,840	2,860	2,730	3,420	3,580	3,440	3,750
Y Combined arts	1,670	1,690	1,850	1,420	1,510	1,380	1,390	1,380	1,310	1,090
Y Combined sciences	1,070	1,290	1,350	1,520	1,690	1,990	2,020	2,070	1,980	2,000
Y Combined social sciences	770	680	760	600	700	720	680	840	900	1,050
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,440	2,500	2,630	2,120	2,080	2,120	1,680	1,650	1,460	1,330
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,630	1,900	1,950	1,640	1,860	1,810	1,840	1,820	1,890	1,450
Z General, other combined & unknown	170	180	230	430	470	500	500	480	410	440

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

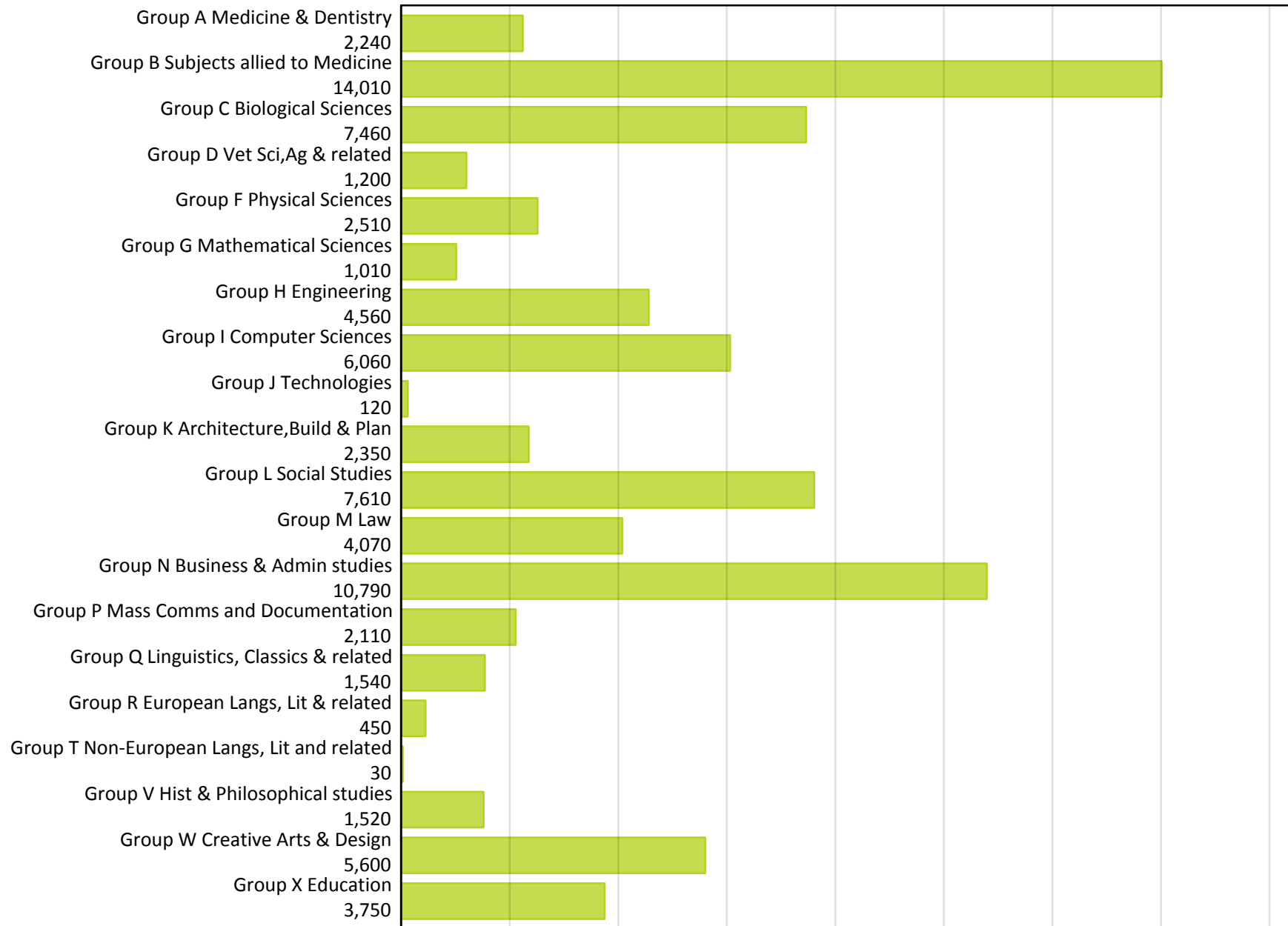
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	23%	41%	37%	20%	23%	13%	5%	7%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-37%	-27%	-13%	-13%	10%	4%	3%	9%	0%	-9%
Group C Biological Sciences	-23%	-10%	-6%	-8%	-4%	-1%	5%	6%	0%	8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-26%	-17%	-5%	2%	12%	11%	10%	20%	0%	-6%
Group F Physical Sciences	-11%	-9%	2%	14%	11%	6%	12%	5%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-18%	-15%	-4%	-16%	-7%	-3%	20%	7%	0%	-5%
Group H Engineering	-16%	-8%	-13%	-9%	1%	-1%	1%	1%	0%	-6%
Group I Computer Sciences	-43%	-24%	-19%	-20%	-3%	7%	10%	14%	0%	-13%
Group J Technologies	203%	242%	184%	194%	216%	200%	129%	62%	0%	-9%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	38%	14%	10%	-18%	-27%	-31%	-16%	-10%	0%	-6%
Group L Social Studies	5%	18%	21%	14%	1%	1%	5%	4%	0%	3%
Group M Law	17%	7%	8%	-8%	-6%	-7%	1%	1%	0%	11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-18%	-15%	-11%	-13%	-11%	-5%	-3%	5%	0%	-6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-1%	3%	13%	9%	2%	7%	-18%	-10%	0%	-7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	4%	29%	34%	17%	-0%	14%	9%	-3%	0%	-5%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	21%	42%	38%	29%	30%	16%	42%	1%	0%	-20%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	124%	104%	112%	24%	-8%	-4%	24%	-45%	0%	-43%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	9%	29%	43%	25%	15%	21%	13%	8%	0%	-14%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-20%	-5%	1%	-7%	-2%	-4%	7%	-2%	0%	-13%
Group X Education	-41%	-17%	-7%	-17%	-17%	-21%	-0%	4%	0%	9%
Y Combined arts	27%	29%	41%	8%	15%	5%	6%	5%	0%	-17%
Y Combined sciences	-46%	-35%	-32%	-24%	-15%	0%	2%	4%	0%	1%
Y Combined social sciences	-14%	-24%	-16%	-34%	-23%	-20%	-24%	-7%	0%	17%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	68%	71%	81%	46%	43%	46%	15%	13%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-14%	0%	4%	-13%	-1%	-4%	-3%	-4%	0%	-23%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-58%	-57%	-45%	4%	15%	21%	21%	17%	0%	7%

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## I.6.12 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Northern Ireland

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



### I.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	4,390	5,010	5,420	5,260	5,170	5,380	4,920	4,780	4,820	4,950
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	9,020	22,730	24,640	23,360	23,240	25,420	25,020	24,690	24,240	24,050
Group C Biological Sciences	12,930	14,430	15,310	16,100	17,250	17,480	18,580	17,770	17,730	17,990
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,150	1,190	1,420	1,460	1,470	1,560	2,470	2,460	2,320	2,160
Group F Physical Sciences	6,020	6,690	6,780	7,310	8,000	7,350	7,550	6,720	6,190	6,110
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,120	2,060	2,000	2,310	2,280	2,140	1,960	1,910	2,400	2,560
Group H Engineering	10,600	11,400	12,720	13,540	13,940	15,200	15,640	14,610	13,210	12,240
Group I Computer Sciences	4,370	5,160	6,010	6,460	7,090	7,390	7,790	8,100	8,430	9,330
Group J Technologies	410	530	550	650	760	810	770	870	790	610
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	3,510	3,240	3,100	2,960	2,720	2,700	2,870	3,210	3,330	3,360
Group L Social Studies	10,600	12,000	12,700	12,770	12,700	13,340	13,620	13,040	12,690	12,890
Group M Law	6,070	6,960	7,070	6,770	6,260	6,260	6,750	7,740	8,760	8,290
Group N Business & Admin studies	15,600	17,540	19,630	20,210	19,390	21,110	21,700	22,190	21,730	21,390
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,150	2,910	3,170	3,060	3,190	3,680	3,650	3,880	3,810	3,170
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,150	2,610	2,560	2,740	2,430	2,370	2,330	2,730	3,040	2,740
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,600	1,800	1,730	1,990	2,040	1,800	1,630	1,900	1,800	1,590
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	300	290	300	140	190	130	110	150	170	130
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,480	4,160	3,680	3,890	3,880	4,130	4,200	4,490	4,270	4,340
Group W Creative Arts & Design	11,020	13,560	14,760	13,780	14,230	14,430	13,980	14,820	14,190	14,250
Group X Education	5,900	5,870	5,660	5,750	6,000	6,790	19,710	22,390	23,380	23,340
Y Combined arts	3,780	3,970	3,620	3,140	3,280	3,610	3,190	3,850	4,030	3,750
Y Combined sciences	2,760	3,030	3,170	3,010	3,060	2,620	2,660	2,300	2,250	2,240
Y Combined social sciences	2,120	1,900	1,800	1,770	1,780	1,950	2,660	2,900	2,550	2,520
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	8,960	9,310	9,350	8,520	8,410	8,190	7,420	7,140	7,020	6,640
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,640	4,730	4,220	3,570	3,290	3,550	3,990	4,230	4,200	4,260
Z General, other combined & unknown	470	470	390	1,360	1,660	1,100	1,130	1,420	1,470	1,370

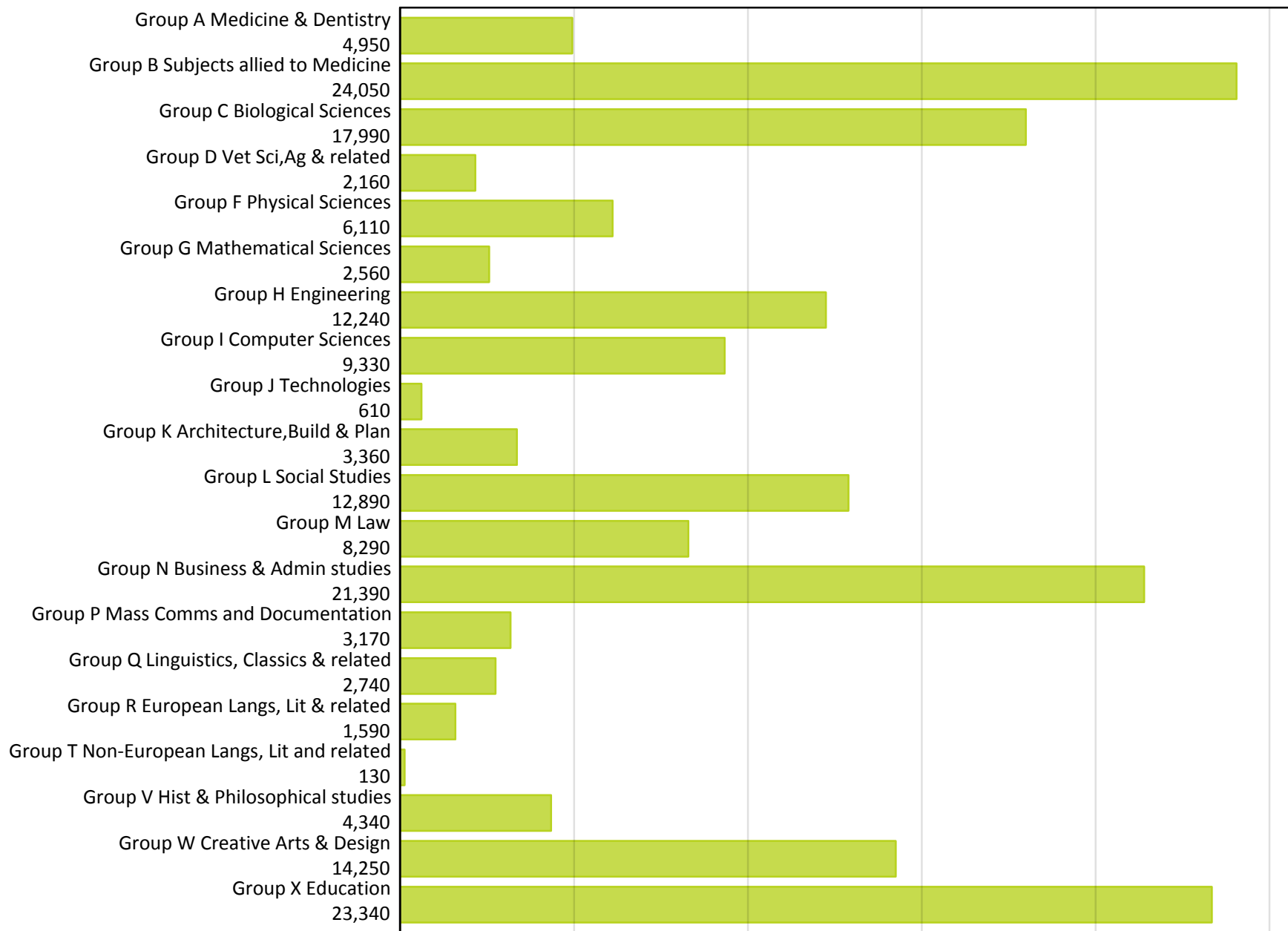
## I.6.14 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-9%	4%	13%	9%	7%	12%	2%	-1%	0%	3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-63%	-6%	2%	-4%	-4%	5%	3%	2%	0%	-1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-27%	-19%	-14%	-9%	-3%	-1%	5%	0%	0%	1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-50%	-49%	-39%	-37%	-37%	-33%	6%	6%	0%	-7%
Group F Physical Sciences	-3%	8%	10%	18%	29%	19%	22%	9%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-12%	-14%	-17%	-4%	-5%	-11%	-19%	-21%	0%	6%
Group H Engineering	-20%	-14%	-4%	3%	6%	15%	18%	11%	0%	-7%
Group I Computer Sciences	-48%	-39%	-29%	-23%	-16%	-12%	-8%	-4%	0%	11%
Group J Technologies	-47%	-33%	-30%	-17%	-3%	3%	-2%	11%	0%	-23%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	5%	-3%	-7%	-11%	-18%	-19%	-14%	-4%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-16%	-5%	0%	1%	0%	5%	7%	3%	0%	2%
Group M Law	-31%	-21%	-19%	-23%	-29%	-29%	-23%	-12%	0%	-5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-28%	-19%	-10%	-7%	-11%	-3%	-0%	2%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-43%	-24%	-17%	-20%	-16%	-3%	-4%	2%	0%	-17%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-29%	-14%	-16%	-10%	-20%	-22%	-23%	-10%	0%	-10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-11%	0%	-4%	11%	14%	0%	-9%	6%	0%	-12%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	79%	73%	77%	-15%	11%	-26%	-33%	-12%	0%	-22%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-18%	-2%	-14%	-9%	-9%	-3%	-2%	5%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-22%	-4%	4%	-3%	0%	2%	-2%	4%	0%	0%
Group X Education	-75%	-75%	-76%	-75%	-74%	-71%	-16%	-4%	0%	-0%
Y Combined arts	-6%	-2%	-10%	-22%	-19%	-10%	-21%	-5%	0%	-7%
Y Combined sciences	23%	35%	41%	34%	36%	16%	18%	2%	0%	-0%
Y Combined social sciences	-17%	-26%	-30%	-31%	-30%	-23%	4%	14%	0%	-1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	28%	33%	33%	21%	20%	17%	6%	2%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	11%	13%	1%	-15%	-22%	-15%	-5%	1%	0%	1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-68%	-68%	-73%	-7%	13%	-25%	-23%	-3%	0%	-7%

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



## I.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	2,990	3,130	3,080	2,970	2,920	3,080	2,880	2,530	2,490	2,680
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	10,380	12,570	14,690	15,700	15,460	15,270	15,650	16,430	14,460	14,070
Group C Biological Sciences	7,360	8,380	8,630	8,730	8,760	9,790	10,260	10,310	9,900	9,390
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,030	1,170	1,120	1,260	1,280	1,430	1,520	1,360	1,300	1,240
Group F Physical Sciences	3,920	3,540	4,260	4,350	4,170	4,390	4,350	4,270	3,940	3,650
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,620	1,690	1,560	1,570	1,650	1,550	1,450	1,650	1,590	1,620
Group H Engineering	3,430	3,810	3,790	3,680	3,630	4,160	4,360	4,620	4,800	4,250
Group I Computer Sciences	3,100	3,000	3,080	2,930	3,230	3,500	4,020	4,160	4,050	3,960
Group J Technologies	680	700	500	440	400	370	340	300	200	200
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	1,320	1,190	1,140	990	940	880	980	950	980	990
Group L Social Studies	6,040	6,930	6,770	6,740	6,620	7,650	7,780	7,690	8,220	7,450
Group M Law	3,860	3,720	4,000	3,890	3,770	3,720	3,780	4,210	4,430	4,430
Group N Business & Admin studies	7,070	7,270	7,630	7,700	7,420	7,450	7,730	8,450	8,150	7,520
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,640	1,800	1,860	1,580	1,680	1,920	2,030	2,190	1,830	1,960
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,680	2,610	2,550	2,330	2,380	2,280	2,470	2,220	2,020	1,740
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	870	880	890	790	650	550	630	610	560	380
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	210	180	240	160	150	170	240	200	170	90
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,360	3,350	3,350	3,190	3,030	3,380	3,490	3,370	2,860	2,810
Group W Creative Arts & Design	9,240	10,400	10,830	9,770	9,690	9,500	9,920	9,330	9,120	8,850
Group X Education	3,880	4,520	5,030	4,980	4,290	4,200	3,650	3,640	3,450	3,310
Y Combined arts	2,900	2,820	2,590	2,560	2,250	2,270	2,070	1,870	1,700	1,550
Y Combined sciences	1,160	1,250	1,420	1,290	1,170	1,250	1,170	1,010	900	940
Y Combined social sciences	1,080	1,060	1,120	1,120	1,020	1,020	840	890	890	910
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,820	3,840	3,490	3,280	2,770	2,490	2,010	1,760	1,580	1,800
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,970	1,920	1,790	1,690	1,530	1,500	1,360	1,320	1,180	1,120
Z General, other combined & unknown	480	540	600	890	980	1,040	770	650	550	640



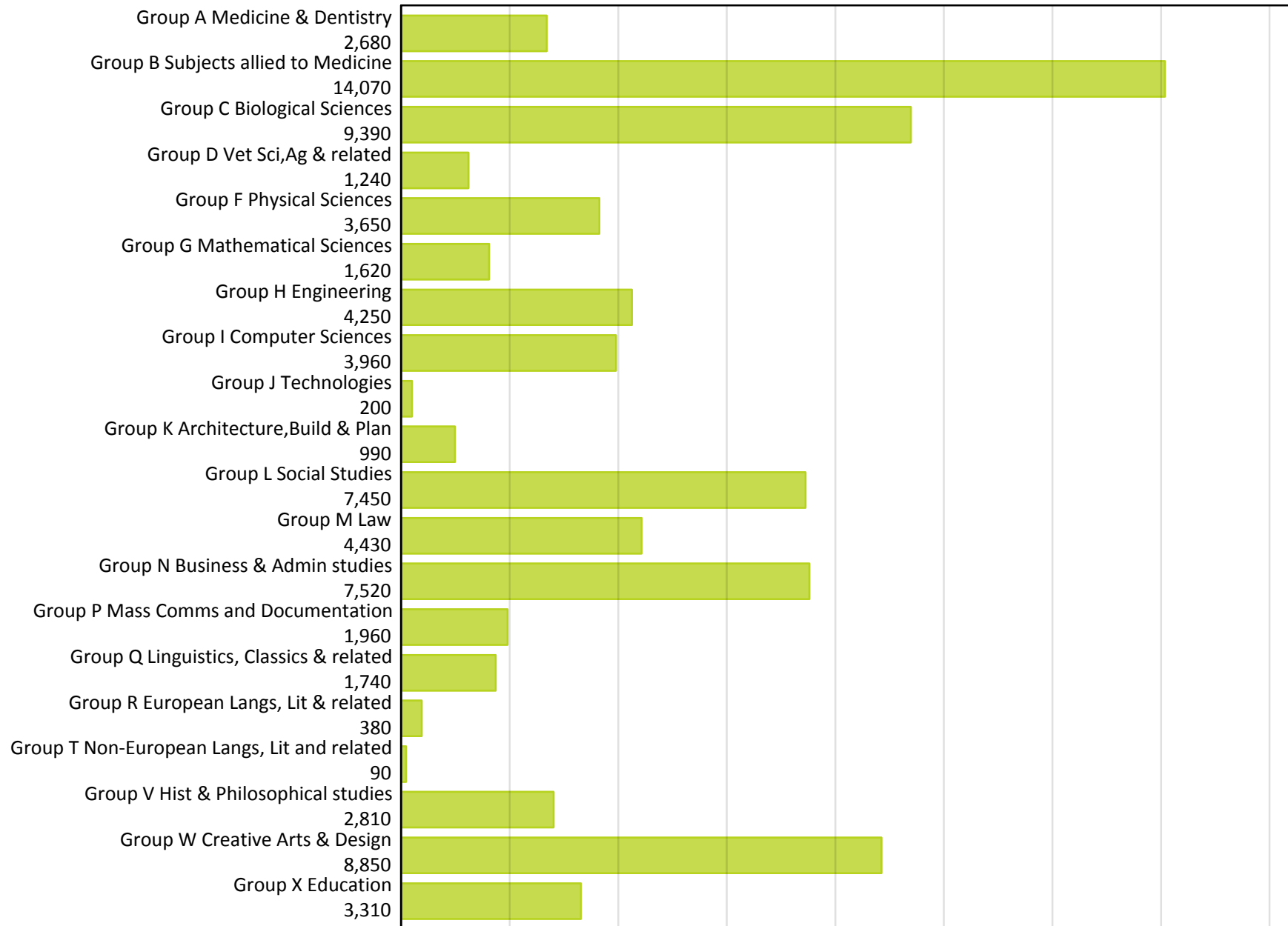
## I.6.17 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	20%	26%	24%	19%	17%	24%	15%	2%	0%	7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-28%	-13%	2%	9%	7%	6%	8%	14%	0%	-3%
Group C Biological Sciences	-26%	-15%	-13%	-12%	-12%	-1%	4%	4%	0%	-5%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-21%	-10%	-14%	-3%	-2%	10%	17%	4%	0%	-4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-0%	-10%	8%	10%	6%	12%	10%	8%	0%	-7%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2%	6%	-2%	-1%	4%	-2%	-8%	4%	0%	2%
Group H Engineering	-28%	-21%	-21%	-23%	-24%	-13%	-9%	-4%	0%	-12%
Group I Computer Sciences	-23%	-26%	-24%	-28%	-20%	-13%	-1%	3%	0%	-2%
Group J Technologies	235%	243%	144%	117%	96%	80%	67%	49%	0%	-0%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	35%	21%	16%	1%	-4%	-10%	-0%	-3%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-27%	-16%	-18%	-18%	-19%	-7%	-5%	-6%	0%	-9%
Group M Law	-13%	-16%	-10%	-12%	-15%	-16%	-15%	-5%	0%	0%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-13%	-11%	-6%	-6%	-9%	-9%	-5%	4%	0%	-8%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-10%	-2%	2%	-13%	-8%	5%	11%	20%	0%	7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	33%	29%	26%	15%	18%	13%	22%	10%	0%	-14%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	56%	57%	59%	41%	16%	-3%	12%	9%	0%	-33%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	22%	3%	40%	-8%	-15%	-1%	41%	17%	0%	-46%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	18%	17%	17%	12%	6%	18%	22%	18%	0%	-2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	1%	14%	19%	7%	6%	4%	9%	2%	0%	-3%
Group X Education	12%	31%	46%	44%	24%	22%	6%	5%	0%	-4%
Y Combined arts	70%	65%	52%	50%	32%	33%	22%	10%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	30%	40%	58%	44%	31%	40%	31%	13%	0%	5%
Y Combined social sciences	22%	20%	26%	26%	15%	15%	-5%	0%	0%	2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	142%	143%	121%	108%	75%	58%	27%	11%	0%	14%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	67%	64%	53%	44%	30%	28%	15%	12%	0%	-5%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-12%	-1%	10%	62%	79%	89%	41%	18%	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.

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



### I.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	6,470	8,800	8,680	7,820	7,810	8,360	7,670	7,900	6,730	6,980
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	10,440	15,980	17,590	16,370	18,200	17,830	17,670	18,630	14,960	13,870
Group C Biological Sciences	9,430	12,090	13,550	13,620	15,170	16,040	18,370	20,490	19,580	20,720
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,520	2,050	2,000	1,820	2,020	2,140	2,330	2,350	2,250	2,130
Group F Physical Sciences	3,600	4,740	5,260	5,060	5,580	5,650	6,430	7,060	7,000	7,530
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,070	2,310	2,750	2,490	2,360	2,660	2,890	3,200	3,420	3,300
Group H Engineering	11,460	12,700	13,630	11,630	12,070	12,850	13,780	14,790	14,000	13,690
Group I Computer Sciences	4,640	5,780	7,510	6,760	7,800	9,010	11,500	12,970	13,130	14,280
Group J Technologies	690	850	950	930	920	1,080	1,130	1,130	950	940
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	5,750	6,720	6,610	4,850	4,580	4,080	4,360	4,210	4,170	4,060
Group L Social Studies	14,860	18,120	19,120	16,250	17,050	17,940	18,840	19,510	18,810	19,290
Group M Law	7,000	8,440	9,130	8,540	8,300	8,420	9,350	9,930	9,700	9,340
Group N Business & Admin studies	24,980	29,920	34,660	29,180	30,010	31,520	35,580	37,490	35,410	35,500
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	3,570	4,510	5,240	4,430	5,130	5,450	6,160	6,600	6,190	5,870
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,350	3,220	3,100	2,790	2,920	3,250	3,470	3,720	3,240	3,130
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	2,180	2,360	2,380	2,080	1,880	1,990	2,000	1,860	1,610	1,330
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	650	700	800	590	500	450	480	560	530	530
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,490	2,940	2,980	2,800	2,650	2,880	2,930	3,380	3,220	3,500
Group W Creative Arts & Design	11,920	16,710	18,850	14,560	15,480	17,580	19,890	21,120	20,240	20,580
Group X Education	1,780	2,100	2,220	1,240	960	1,130	2,370	2,220	2,210	2,010
Y Combined arts	3,590	4,360	4,540	3,680	3,820	4,140	3,830	4,160	3,980	4,100
Y Combined sciences	2,010	2,600	2,810	2,660	2,870	3,150	3,290	3,350	3,140	3,280
Y Combined social sciences	3,020	3,710	3,700	3,380	3,200	3,430	3,800	3,840	3,740	3,640
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	4,540	5,770	5,940	5,250	5,150	5,550	4,900	5,200	4,860	5,130
Y Social sciences combined with arts	6,250	7,200	7,450	6,410	6,610	6,480	6,350	6,550	5,970	6,150
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,810	1,870	2,000	3,380	3,970	4,700	5,120	5,710	5,560	6,460

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

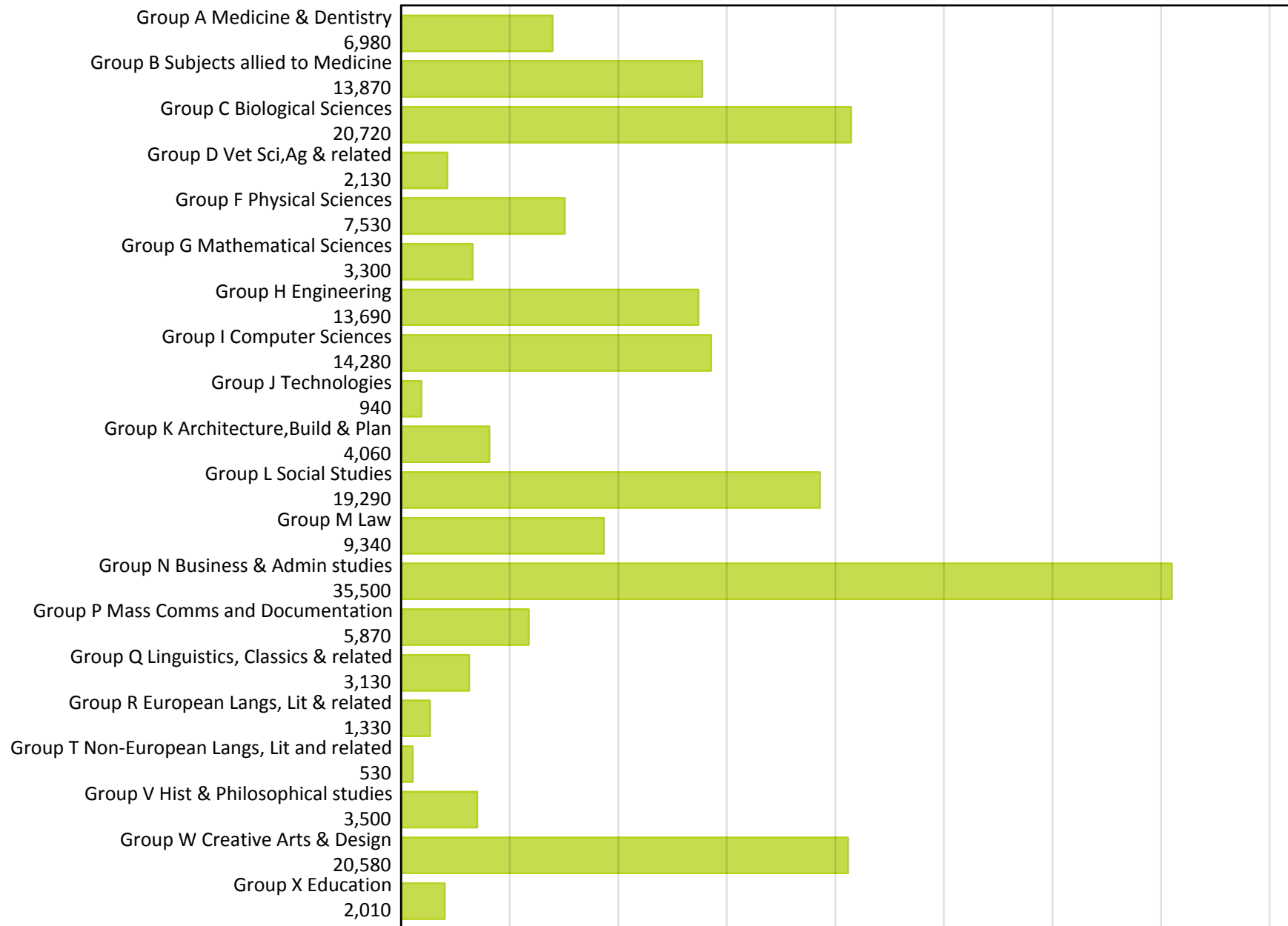
Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-4%	31%	29%	16%	16%	24%	14%	17%	0%	4%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-30%	7%	18%	9%	22%	19%	18%	25%	0%	-7%
Group C Biological Sciences	-52%	-38%	-31%	-30%	-23%	-18%	-6%	5%	0%	6%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-32%	-9%	-11%	-19%	-10%	-5%	4%	4%	0%	-5%
Group F Physical Sciences	-48%	-32%	-25%	-28%	-20%	-19%	-8%	1%	0%	8%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-40%	-32%	-20%	-27%	-31%	-22%	-16%	-6%	0%	-3%
Group H Engineering	-18%	-9%	-3%	-17%	-14%	-8%	-2%	6%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-65%	-56%	-43%	-48%	-41%	-31%	-12%	-1%	0%	9%
Group J Technologies	-28%	-10%	0%	-2%	-3%	14%	20%	19%	0%	-1%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	38%	61%	59%	16%	10%	-2%	5%	1%	0%	-3%
Group L Social Studies	-21%	-4%	2%	-14%	-9%	-5%	0%	4%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-28%	-13%	-6%	-12%	-15%	-13%	-4%	2%	0%	-4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-29%	-16%	-2%	-18%	-15%	-11%	0%	6%	0%	0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-42%	-27%	-15%	-28%	-17%	-12%	-0%	7%	0%	-5%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-27%	-1%	-4%	-14%	-10%	0%	7%	15%	0%	-3%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	35%	46%	48%	29%	17%	23%	24%	15%	0%	-17%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	23%	32%	50%	11%	-6%	-15%	-9%	5%	0%	0%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-23%	-9%	-8%	-13%	-18%	-11%	-9%	5%	0%	9%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-41%	-17%	-7%	-28%	-24%	-13%	-2%	4%	0%	2%
Group X Education	-20%	-5%	0%	-44%	-56%	-49%	7%	0%	0%	-9%
Y Combined arts	-10%	9%	14%	-7%	-4%	4%	-4%	5%	0%	3%
Y Combined sciences	-36%	-17%	-11%	-15%	-9%	0%	4%	6%	0%	4%
Y Combined social sciences	-19%	-1%	-1%	-10%	-14%	-8%	1%	3%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-7%	19%	22%	8%	6%	14%	1%	7%	0%	6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	5%	20%	25%	7%	11%	9%	6%	10%	0%	3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-67%	-66%	-64%	-39%	-29%	-15%	-8%	3%	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.

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

Selected subject groups, 2018 cycle



## I.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	9,110	10,440	11,390	12,480	12,790	14,410	13,400	13,300	12,290	13,340
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	10,890	11,670	12,280	12,860	13,870	14,390	15,600	15,440	15,640	15,560
Group C Biological Sciences	8,620	9,830	11,290	12,980	14,610	16,560	17,430	18,090	20,840	23,170
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,000	1,190	1,210	1,550	1,590	1,560	1,640	1,640	1,880	1,990
Group F Physical Sciences	4,780	5,620	5,760	6,640	7,200	8,440	8,580	8,990	9,280	10,470
Group G Mathematical Sciences	6,100	6,590	6,570	7,150	6,860	6,740	7,160	7,540	8,090	9,640
Group H Engineering	27,880	30,180	29,940	32,040	34,490	38,180	38,680	36,190	35,920	35,000
Group I Computer Sciences	5,820	6,160	5,940	6,190	6,880	8,260	9,470	10,870	13,770	17,750
Group J Technologies	1,130	1,210	1,150	1,050	1,060	1,450	1,320	1,210	1,250	1,210
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	5,570	6,090	6,670	6,870	7,680	8,570	9,250	8,270	8,460	8,300
Group L Social Studies	21,640	23,270	24,890	25,450	27,150	27,580	26,340	27,230	28,170	30,060
Group M Law	15,060	17,840	20,670	22,850	26,070	27,210	28,130	27,220	26,520	27,120
Group N Business & Admin studies	46,860	51,480	55,820	62,380	62,660	65,910	68,350	63,810	62,450	65,390
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,610	3,080	3,320	3,580	4,370	5,190	5,340	5,390	5,690	5,610
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,360	2,350	2,610	3,060	3,390	3,610	3,960	3,820	3,870	3,930
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	730	770	770	780	740	710	680	640	570	540
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	310	420	350	370	320	320	300	380	230	300
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,600	2,900	3,030	3,240	3,490	3,390	3,520	4,060	3,960	4,570
Group W Creative Arts & Design	8,590	11,980	13,050	13,750	15,740	17,790	18,900	18,850	20,610	22,330
Group X Education	730	930	880	1,010	970	1,010	1,330	1,590	1,610	1,890
Y Combined arts	2,110	2,190	2,300	2,410	2,750	2,930	2,670	2,480	2,390	2,410
Y Combined sciences	3,000	3,210	3,350	3,640	3,790	4,310	4,240	3,990	3,720	4,240
Y Combined social sciences	5,320	5,470	5,360	5,900	5,770	5,950	6,340	6,050	6,050	6,260
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	6,750	6,730	6,600	6,250	6,390	6,140	5,350	5,300	5,150	5,410
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,330	4,610	4,720	5,330	5,960	5,880	5,020	4,640	4,750	5,800
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,910	2,270	2,240	4,440	5,640	5,780	6,480	6,910	7,220	9,120

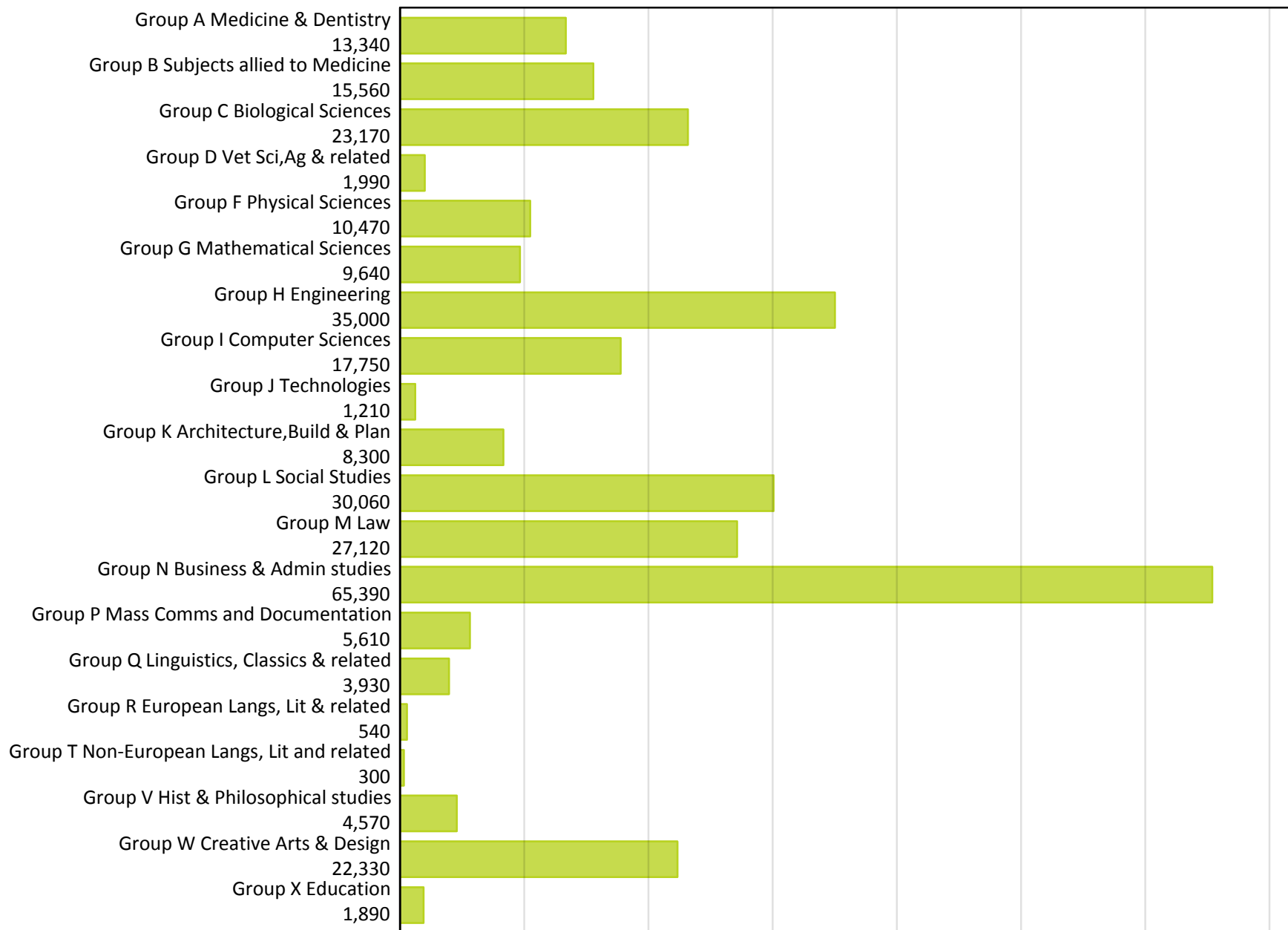
### I.6.23 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU

Difference between cycle and 2017 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-26%	-15%	-7%	2%	4%	17%	9%	8%	0%	8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-30%	-25%	-21%	-18%	-11%	-8%	-0%	-1%	0%	-0%
Group C Biological Sciences	-59%	-53%	-46%	-38%	-30%	-21%	-16%	-13%	0%	11%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-47%	-36%	-36%	-18%	-16%	-17%	-13%	-13%	0%	6%
Group F Physical Sciences	-48%	-39%	-38%	-28%	-22%	-9%	-8%	-3%	0%	13%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-25%	-19%	-19%	-12%	-15%	-17%	-11%	-7%	0%	19%
Group H Engineering	-22%	-16%	-17%	-11%	-4%	6%	8%	1%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-58%	-55%	-57%	-55%	-50%	-40%	-31%	-21%	0%	29%
Group J Technologies	-10%	-3%	-8%	-16%	-15%	16%	6%	-3%	0%	-4%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-34%	-28%	-21%	-19%	-9%	1%	9%	-2%	0%	-2%
Group L Social Studies	-23%	-17%	-12%	-10%	-4%	-2%	-6%	-3%	0%	7%
Group M Law	-43%	-33%	-22%	-14%	-2%	3%	6%	3%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-25%	-18%	-11%	-0%	0%	6%	9%	2%	0%	5%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-54%	-46%	-42%	-37%	-23%	-9%	-6%	-5%	0%	-1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-39%	-39%	-32%	-21%	-12%	-7%	2%	-1%	0%	2%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	28%	36%	36%	38%	30%	25%	19%	13%	0%	-5%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	36%	88%	57%	66%	42%	40%	33%	70%	0%	34%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-34%	-27%	-24%	-18%	-12%	-15%	-11%	2%	0%	15%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-58%	-42%	-37%	-33%	-24%	-14%	-8%	-9%	0%	8%
Group X Education	-55%	-42%	-45%	-37%	-40%	-37%	-17%	-1%	0%	18%
Y Combined arts	-12%	-8%	-4%	1%	15%	23%	12%	4%	0%	1%
Y Combined sciences	-19%	-14%	-10%	-2%	2%	16%	14%	7%	0%	14%
Y Combined social sciences	-12%	-9%	-11%	-2%	-5%	-2%	5%	-0%	0%	4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	31%	31%	28%	21%	24%	19%	4%	3%	0%	5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-9%	-3%	-1%	12%	25%	24%	6%	-2%	0%	22%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-74%	-69%	-69%	-38%	-22%	-20%	-10%	-4%	0%	26%

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.

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





## I.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. By definition all main scheme applications have been received by the 30 June deadline.

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

In 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.