

# June Deadline Analysis: Subjects

## Applications by subject at the 30 June deadline

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

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	96,580	94,040	95,200	97,800	87,730
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	368,700	369,170	384,440	401,030	395,660
Group C Biological Sciences	228,620	218,430	234,240	251,580	275,710
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	28,040	27,010	29,120	30,590	31,950
Group F Physical Sciences	99,320	98,360	104,230	109,010	112,600
Group G Mathematical Sciences	45,630	44,470	45,970	45,600	48,130
Group H Engineering	140,960	137,280	145,600	160,690	171,600
Group I Computer Sciences	96,920	89,820	99,060	111,030	123,900
Group J Technologies	11,990	9,890	9,850	11,110	10,050
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	49,620	41,520	40,230	40,130	43,070
Group L Social Studies	243,140	215,170	218,830	229,350	248,760
Group M Law	122,870	117,750	123,760	122,990	128,580
Group N Business & Admin studies	330,490	311,540	313,840	327,030	347,080
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	62,780	53,740	56,840	61,730	66,500
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	71,470	65,670	65,500	65,860	68,000
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	25,470	22,490	21,250	20,090	20,530
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	8,440	6,680	6,240	5,910	6,190
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	83,190	77,270	78,690	81,740	83,240
Group W Creative Arts & Design	302,020	252,890	258,510	270,600	278,490
Group X Education	94,490	86,020	83,890	84,200	94,030
Y Combined arts	70,470	58,970	57,220	56,650	48,100
Y Combined sciences	42,700	38,580	39,750	40,940	35,770
Y Combined social sciences	34,170	30,080	28,360	30,920	28,050
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	105,880	87,650	82,680	80,150	61,080
Y Social sciences combined with arts	64,930	55,860	54,790	54,080	47,880
Z General, other combined & unknown	18,940	26,620	34,270	34,240	28,970

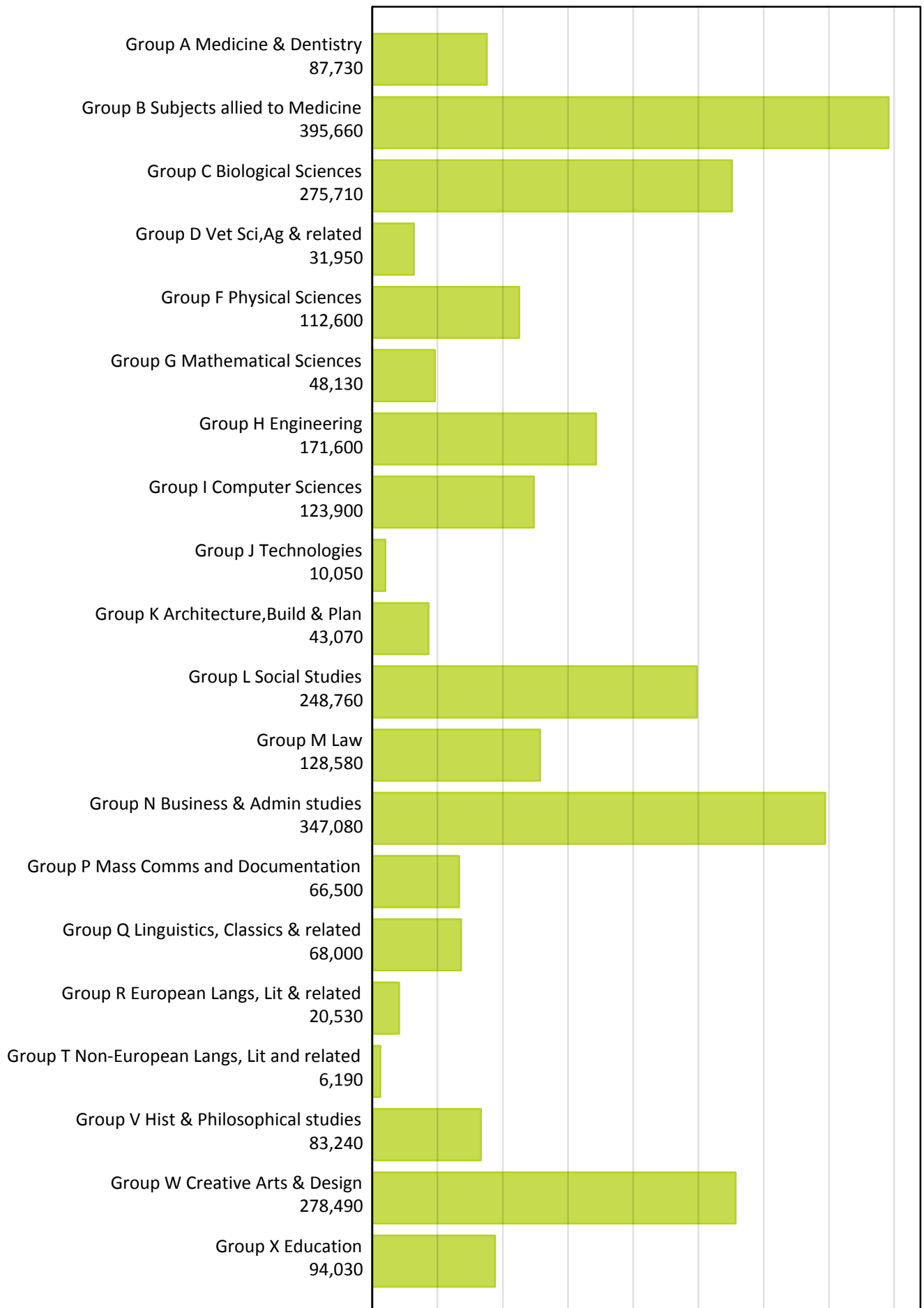
## I.6.2 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-1%	-4%	-3%	0%	-10%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-8%	-8%	-4%	0%	-1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-9%	-13%	-7%	0%	10%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-8%	-12%	-5%	0%	4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-9%	-10%	-4%	0%	3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	0%	-2%	1%	0%	6%
Group H Engineering	-12%	-15%	-9%	0%	7%
Group I Computer Sciences	-13%	-19%	-11%	0%	12%
Group J Technologies	8%	-11%	-11%	0%	-10%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	24%	3%	0%	0%	7%
Group L Social Studies	6%	-6%	-5%	0%	8%
Group M Law	-0%	-4%	1%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	1%	-5%	-4%	0%	6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2%	-13%	-8%	0%	8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	9%	-0%	-1%	0%	3%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	27%	12%	6%	0%	2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	43%	13%	6%	0%	5%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2%	-5%	-4%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	12%	-7%	-4%	0%	3%
Group X Education	12%	2%	-0%	0%	12%
Y Combined arts	24%	4%	1%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	4%	-6%	-3%	0%	-13%
Y Combined social sciences	11%	-3%	-8%	0%	-9%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	32%	9%	3%	0%	-24%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	20%	3%	1%	0%	-11%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-45%	-22%	0%	0%	-15%

### I.6.3 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles

Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle



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

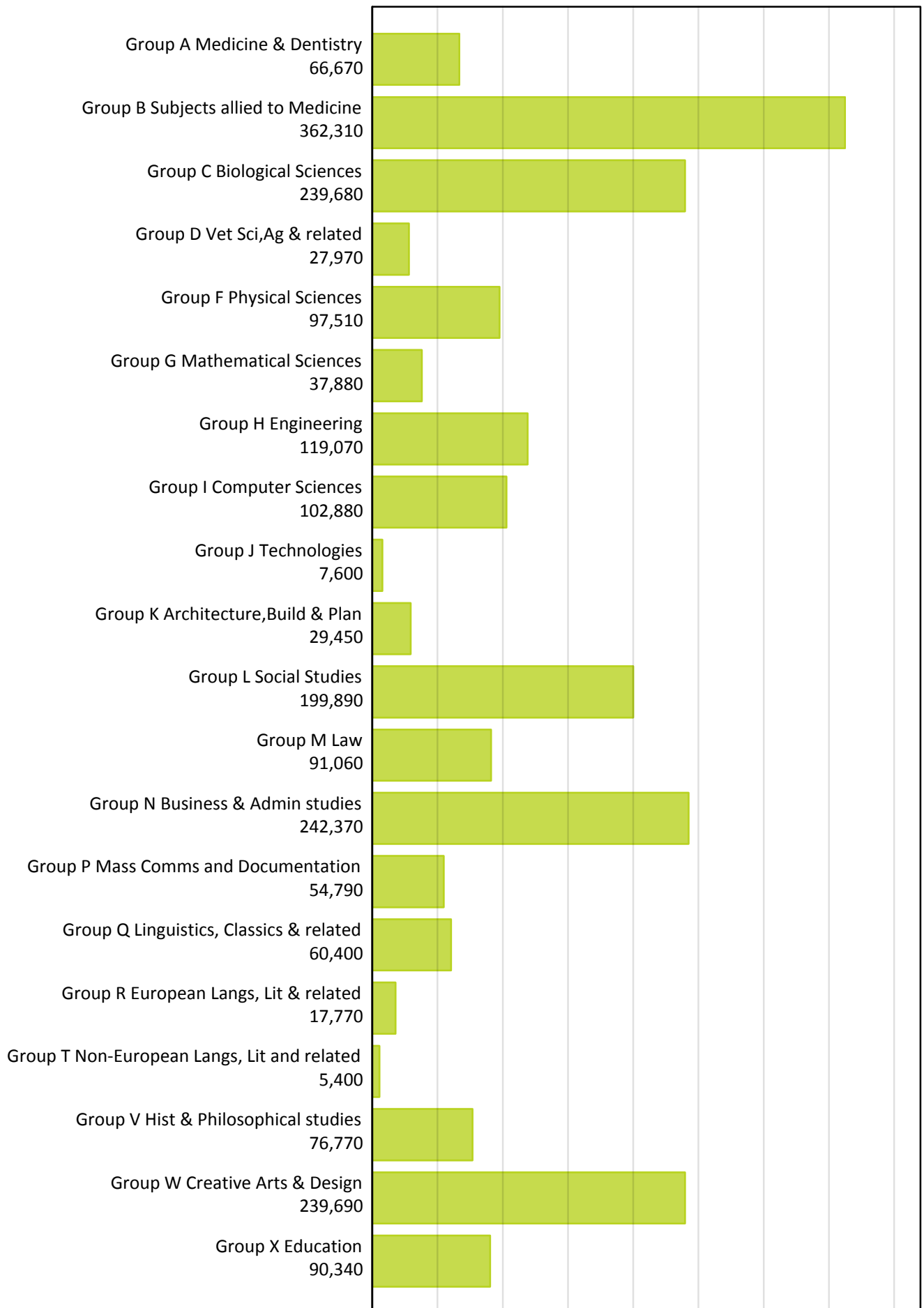
Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	76,500	73,740	74,600	75,030	66,670
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	338,840	339,930	352,370	368,800	362,310
Group C Biological Sciences	203,770	191,830	204,460	218,980	239,680
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	24,830	23,650	25,510	26,890	27,970
Group F Physical Sciences	88,290	86,650	91,450	94,920	97,510
Group G Mathematical Sciences	36,320	34,830	36,760	36,210	37,880
Group H Engineering	97,390	93,610	99,050	109,660	119,070
Group I Computer Sciences	83,460	76,860	84,380	93,760	102,880
Group J Technologies	9,890	7,910	7,870	8,580	7,600
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	36,350	29,800	27,970	27,480	29,450
Group L Social Studies	199,130	173,480	174,630	183,830	199,890
Group M Law	93,070	86,370	89,390	87,370	91,060
Group N Business & Admin studies	240,010	219,980	221,180	229,600	242,370
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	54,220	45,720	47,340	51,080	54,790
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	65,760	59,820	59,200	59,010	60,400
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	22,320	19,620	18,630	17,390	17,770
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7,290	5,720	5,430	5,150	5,400
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	77,180	71,230	72,540	75,480	76,770
Group W Creative Arts & Design	270,130	224,590	227,300	235,230	239,690
Group X Education	91,390	83,770	81,950	82,060	90,340
Y Combined arts	63,630	52,880	50,660	49,590	42,050
Y Combined sciences	36,540	32,280	33,090	33,480	28,410
Y Combined social sciences	25,120	20,800	19,390	21,550	19,250
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	93,340	76,150	71,150	68,460	51,360
Y Social sciences combined with arts	52,760	44,130	42,230	41,710	37,240
Z General, other combined & unknown	14,700	18,800	24,660	23,760	19,930

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

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2%	-2%	-1%	0%	-11%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-8%	-8%	-4%	0%	-2%
Group C Biological Sciences	-7%	-12%	-7%	0%	9%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-8%	-12%	-5%	0%	4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-7%	-9%	-4%	0%	3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	0%	-4%	2%	0%	5%
Group H Engineering	-11%	-15%	-10%	0%	9%
Group I Computer Sciences	-11%	-18%	-10%	0%	10%
Group J Technologies	15%	-8%	-8%	0%	-11%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	32%	8%	2%	0%	7%
Group L Social Studies	8%	-6%	-5%	0%	9%
Group M Law	7%	-1%	2%	0%	4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	5%	-4%	-4%	0%	6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	6%	-10%	-7%	0%	7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	11%	1%	0%	0%	2%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	28%	13%	7%	0%	2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	42%	11%	5%	0%	5%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2%	-6%	-4%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	15%	-5%	-3%	0%	2%
Group X Education	11%	2%	-0%	0%	10%
Y Combined arts	28%	7%	2%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	9%	-4%	-1%	0%	-15%
Y Combined social sciences	17%	-3%	-10%	0%	-11%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	36%	11%	4%	0%	-25%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	26%	6%	1%	0%	-11%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-38%	-21%	4%	0%	-16%

**I.6.6 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK**  
 Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	64,650	62,580	63,530	63,810	56,300
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	286,100	287,470	296,810	312,210	305,630
Group C Biological Sciences	173,290	160,640	171,810	184,870	203,250
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	21,070	19,630	21,330	22,470	22,550
Group F Physical Sciences	74,560	71,990	76,350	80,380	82,600
Group G Mathematical Sciences	31,740	30,070	31,840	31,480	33,180
Group H Engineering	76,640	71,970	76,560	85,510	94,160
Group I Computer Sciences	68,720	61,880	67,340	75,470	83,410
Group J Technologies	8,480	6,440	6,310	7,020	6,200
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	29,380	23,800	22,490	22,180	23,510
Group L Social Studies	170,760	145,540	147,820	155,380	170,120
Group M Law	78,050	72,350	75,940	73,970	76,640
Group N Business & Admin studies	202,550	182,100	184,140	190,170	201,590
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	46,610	38,580	40,140	43,040	47,110
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	58,470	52,850	52,770	52,520	53,670
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	18,920	16,110	15,200	14,390	14,670
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,640	5,350	5,050	4,800	4,980
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	67,620	61,940	63,600	65,810	67,070
Group W Creative Arts & Design	238,060	195,080	197,080	205,110	208,940
Group X Education	77,480	70,200	68,800	68,340	63,550
Y Combined arts	55,580	45,760	43,630	42,330	35,700
Y Combined sciences	30,600	26,470	27,160	27,630	22,750
Y Combined social sciences	21,450	17,310	15,900	17,850	15,570
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	77,870	62,230	57,890	55,660	40,670
Y Social sciences combined with arts	44,790	37,220	35,540	34,850	30,370
Z General, other combined & unknown	13,480	16,110	21,550	21,120	17,810

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

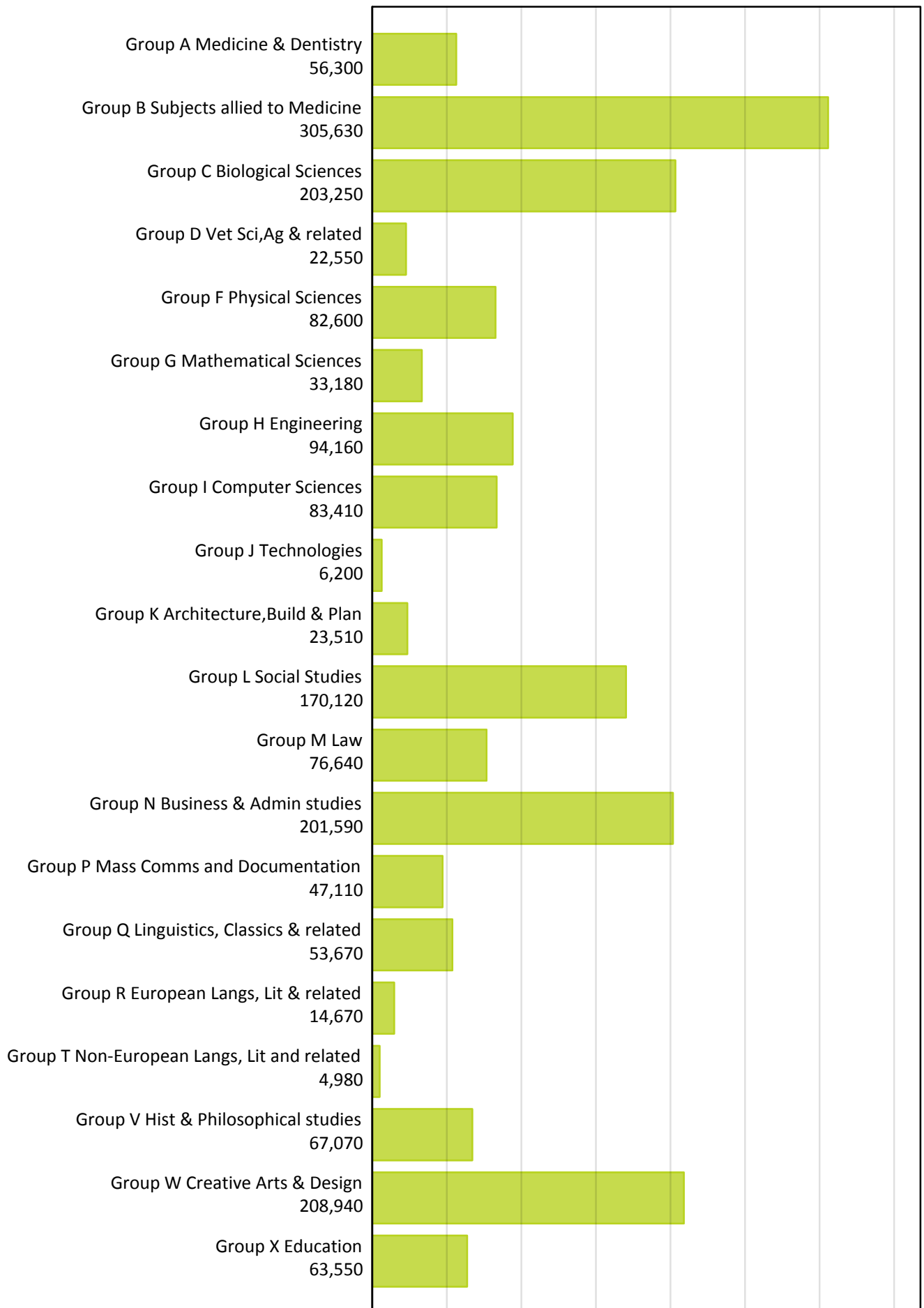
Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1%	-2%	-0%	0%	-12%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-8%	-8%	-5%	0%	-2%
Group C Biological Sciences	-6%	-13%	-7%	0%	10%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-6%	-13%	-5%	0%	0%
Group F Physical Sciences	-7%	-10%	-5%	0%	3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1%	-4%	1%	0%	5%
Group H Engineering	-10%	-16%	-10%	0%	10%
Group I Computer Sciences	-9%	-18%	-11%	0%	11%
Group J Technologies	21%	-8%	-10%	0%	-12%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	32%	7%	1%	0%	6%
Group L Social Studies	10%	-6%	-5%	0%	9%
Group M Law	6%	-2%	3%	0%	4%
Group N Business & Admin studies	7%	-4%	-3%	0%	6%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	8%	-10%	-7%	0%	9%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	11%	1%	0%	0%	2%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	32%	12%	6%	0%	2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	38%	11%	5%	0%	4%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3%	-6%	-3%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	16%	-5%	-4%	0%	2%
Group X Education	13%	3%	1%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	31%	8%	3%	0%	-16%
Y Combined sciences	11%	-4%	-2%	0%	-18%
Y Combined social sciences	20%	-3%	-11%	0%	-13%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	40%	12%	4%	0%	-27%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	29%	7%	2%	0%	-13%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-36%	-24%	2%	0%	-16%



## I.6.9 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : England

Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,360	2,930	2,990	2,760	2,570
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	13,410	13,400	16,870	15,890	15,940
Group C Biological Sciences	6,540	6,360	6,650	6,840	7,360
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,220	1,300	1,440	1,430	1,410
Group F Physical Sciences	2,690	3,010	2,940	2,790	2,980
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,030	890	990	1,040	1,280
Group H Engineering	4,230	4,410	4,930	4,800	4,920
Group I Computer Sciences	5,660	5,590	6,720	7,410	7,630
Group J Technologies	360	380	410	380	290
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,730	2,050	1,830	1,720	2,100
Group L Social Studies	8,900	8,440	7,490	7,460	7,860
Group M Law	3,950	3,360	3,420	3,410	3,700
Group N Business & Admin studies	10,200	9,970	10,230	10,880	11,160
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,580	2,500	2,330	2,440	1,890
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,170	1,900	1,620	1,840	1,780
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	780	740	740	660	810
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	100	60	50	50	60
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,530	2,210	2,040	2,150	2,000
Group W Creative Arts & Design	6,480	5,960	6,300	6,190	6,860
Group X Education	3,210	2,840	2,860	2,730	3,420
Y Combined arts	1,850	1,420	1,510	1,380	1,350
Y Combined sciences	1,350	1,520	1,690	1,990	1,880
Y Combined social sciences	760	600	700	720	680
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,630	2,120	2,080	2,120	1,590
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,950	1,640	1,860	1,810	1,740
Z General, other combined & unknown	230	430	470	500	460

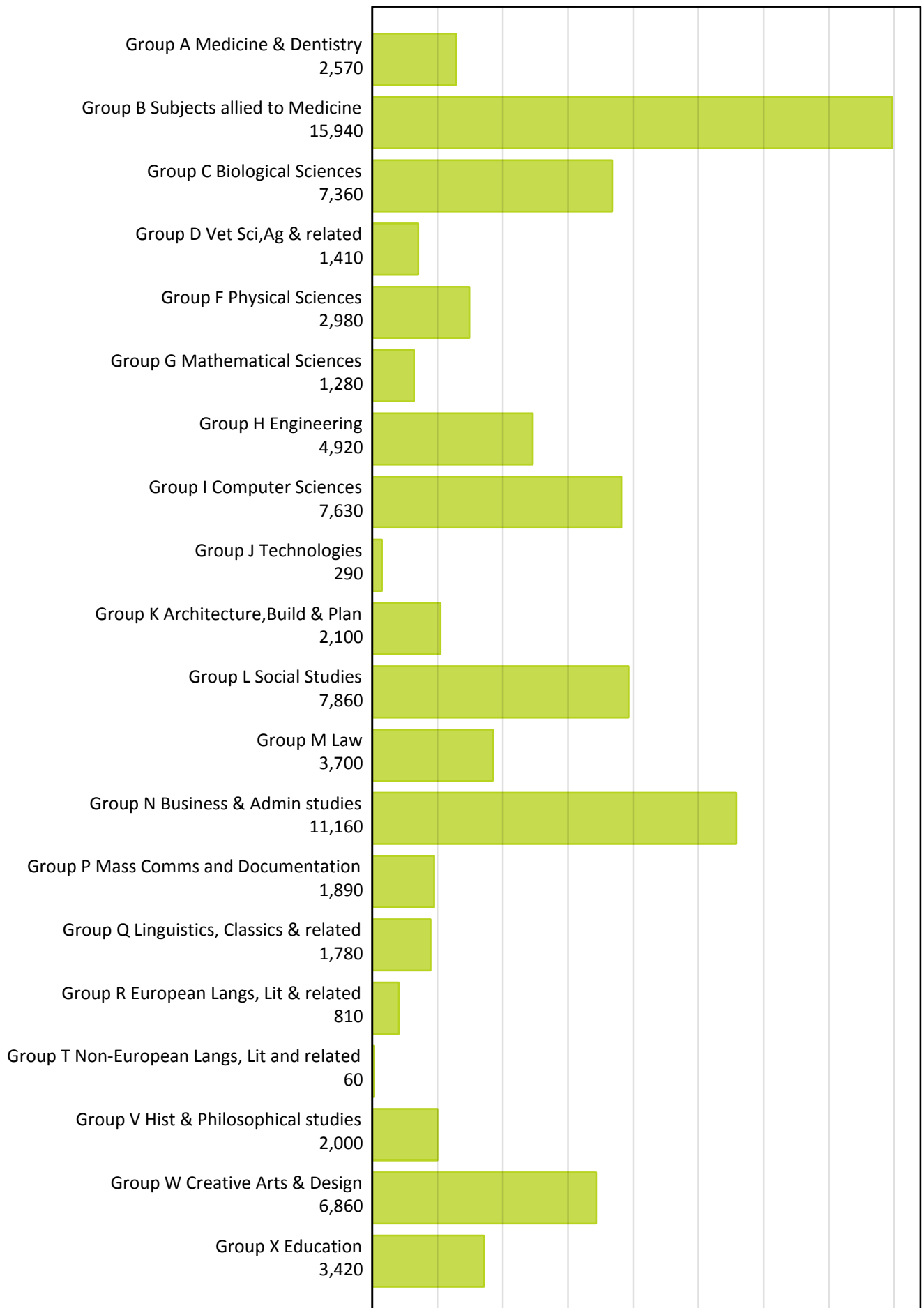
### I.6.11 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Northern Ireland

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	21%	6%	8%	0%	-7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-16%	-16%	6%	0%	0%
Group C Biological Sciences	-4%	-7%	-3%	0%	8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-14%	-9%	1%	0%	-1%
Group F Physical Sciences	-4%	8%	5%	0%	7%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-1%	-14%	-5%	0%	23%
Group H Engineering	-12%	-8%	3%	0%	2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-24%	-25%	-9%	0%	3%
Group J Technologies	-5%	-2%	5%	0%	-24%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	59%	19%	6%	0%	22%
Group L Social Studies	19%	13%	0%	0%	5%
Group M Law	16%	-2%	0%	0%	8%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-6%	-8%	-6%	0%	3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	6%	2%	-5%	0%	-23%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	18%	3%	-12%	0%	-3%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	19%	12%	12%	0%	24%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	121%	30%	-4%	0%	32%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	18%	3%	-5%	0%	-7%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	5%	-4%	2%	0%	11%
Group X Education	18%	4%	5%	0%	26%
Y Combined arts	34%	3%	9%	0%	-2%
Y Combined sciences	-32%	-24%	-15%	0%	-5%
Y Combined social sciences	4%	-17%	-4%	0%	-7%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	24%	0%	-2%	0%	-25%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	8%	-9%	3%	0%	-4%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-54%	-14%	-5%	0%	-7%

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

Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle



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

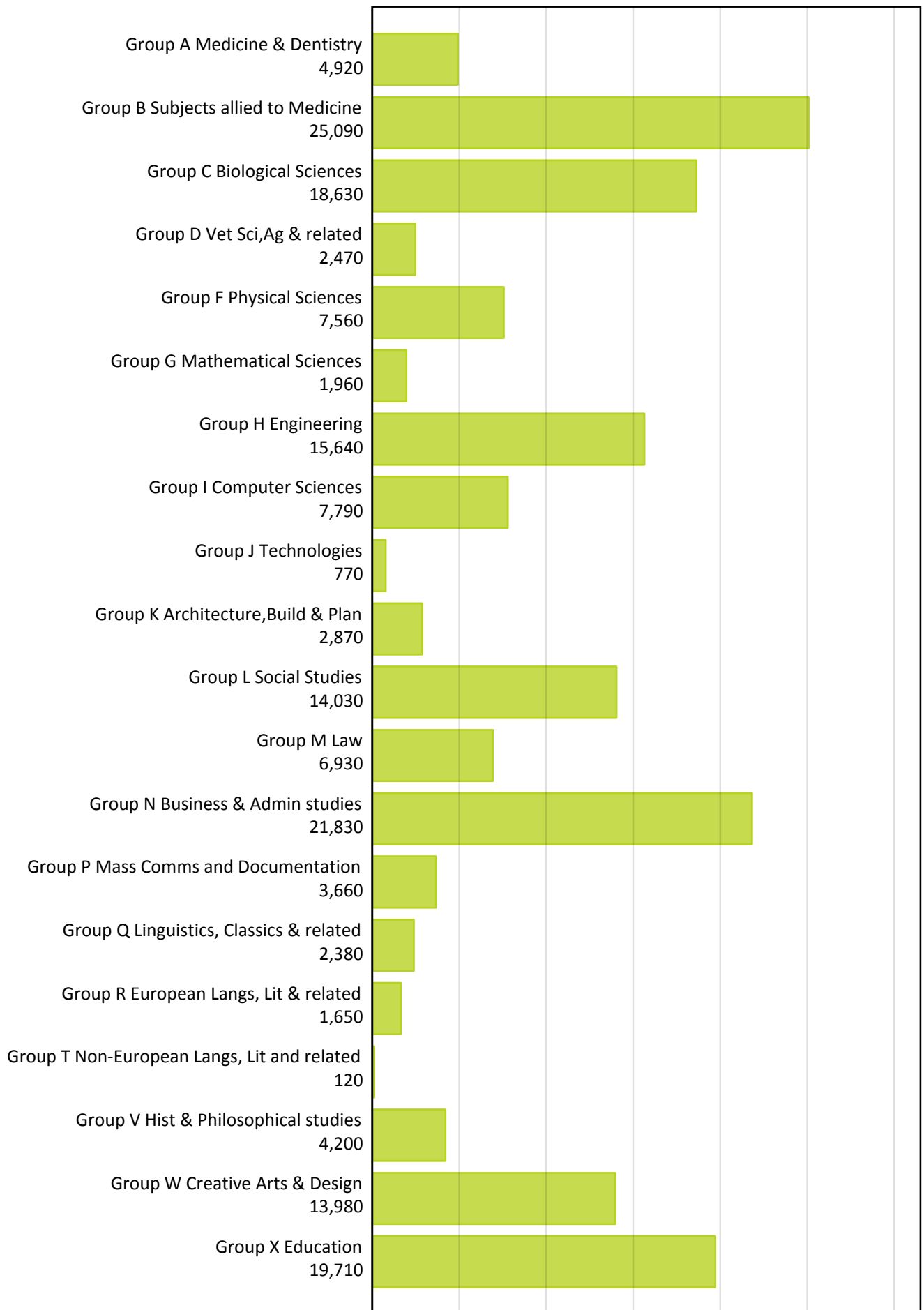
Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5,420	5,260	5,170	5,380	4,920
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	24,640	23,360	23,240	25,420	25,090
Group C Biological Sciences	15,310	16,100	17,250	17,480	18,630
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,420	1,460	1,470	1,560	2,470
Group F Physical Sciences	6,780	7,310	8,000	7,350	7,560
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,000	2,310	2,280	2,140	1,960
Group H Engineering	12,720	13,540	13,940	15,200	15,640
Group I Computer Sciences	6,010	6,460	7,090	7,390	7,790
Group J Technologies	550	650	760	810	770
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	3,100	2,960	2,720	2,700	2,870
Group L Social Studies	12,700	12,770	12,700	13,340	14,030
Group M Law	7,070	6,770	6,260	6,260	6,930
Group N Business & Admin studies	19,630	20,210	19,390	21,110	21,830
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	3,170	3,060	3,190	3,680	3,660
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,560	2,740	2,430	2,370	2,380
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,730	1,990	2,040	1,800	1,650
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	300	140	190	130	120
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,680	3,890	3,880	4,130	4,200
Group W Creative Arts & Design	14,760	13,780	14,230	14,430	13,980
Group X Education	5,660	5,750	6,000	6,790	19,710
Y Combined arts	3,620	3,140	3,280	3,610	3,130
Y Combined sciences	3,170	3,010	3,060	2,620	2,620
Y Combined social sciences	1,800	1,770	1,780	1,950	2,220
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	9,350	8,520	8,410	8,190	7,360
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,220	3,570	3,290	3,550	3,850
Z General, other combined & unknown	390	1,360	1,660	1,100	950

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

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	1%	-2%	-4%	0%	-9%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-3%	-8%	-9%	0%	-1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-12%	-8%	-1%	0%	7%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-9%	-7%	-6%	0%	59%
Group F Physical Sciences	-8%	-1%	9%	0%	3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	8%	6%	0%	-8%
Group H Engineering	-16%	-11%	-8%	0%	3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-19%	-13%	-4%	0%	5%
Group J Technologies	-32%	-20%	-6%	0%	-5%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	15%	10%	1%	0%	6%
Group L Social Studies	-5%	-4%	-5%	0%	5%
Group M Law	13%	8%	0%	0%	11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-7%	-4%	-8%	0%	3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-14%	-17%	-13%	0%	-1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	8%	16%	3%	0%	1%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-4%	11%	13%	0%	-8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	139%	14%	49%	0%	-8%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-11%	-6%	-6%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2%	-5%	-1%	0%	-3%
Group X Education	-17%	-15%	-12%	0%	190%
Y Combined arts	0%	-13%	-9%	0%	-13%
Y Combined sciences	21%	15%	17%	0%	0%
Y Combined social sciences	-8%	-10%	-9%	0%	13%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	14%	4%	3%	0%	-10%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	19%	1%	-7%	0%	9%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-64%	24%	51%	0%	-14%

**I.6.15 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland**  
 Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle



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

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



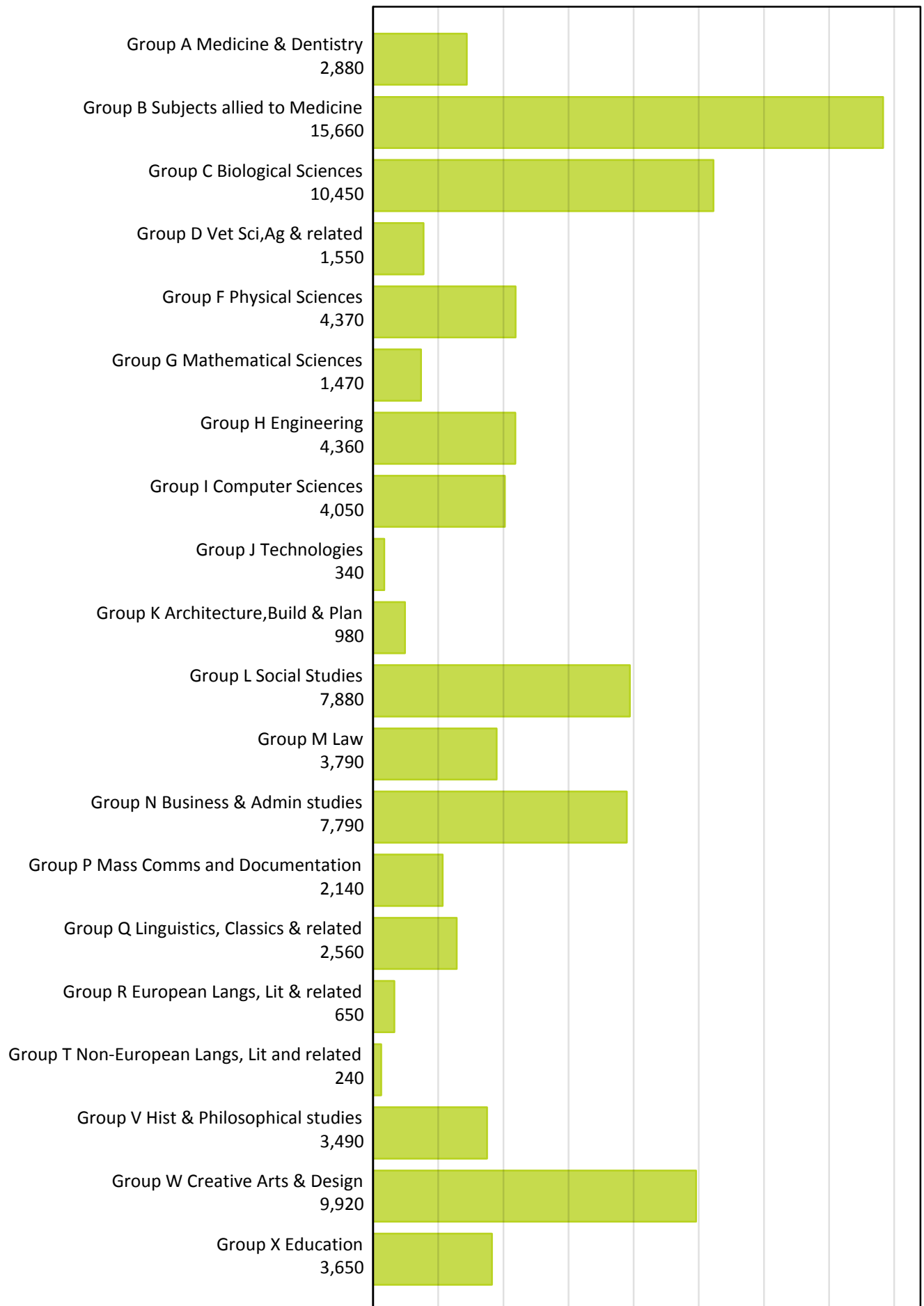
## I.6.17 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-0%	-4%	-5%	0%	-7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-4%	3%	1%	0%	2%
Group C Biological Sciences	-12%	-11%	-11%	0%	7%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-22%	-12%	-11%	0%	8%
Group F Physical Sciences	-3%	-1%	-5%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	0%	1%	6%	0%	-5%
Group H Engineering	-9%	-11%	-13%	0%	5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-12%	-16%	-8%	0%	16%
Group J Technologies	36%	20%	8%	0%	-7%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	29%	13%	7%	0%	12%
Group L Social Studies	-12%	-12%	-14%	0%	3%
Group M Law	7%	5%	1%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	2%	3%	-0%	0%	5%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-3%	-17%	-13%	0%	11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	12%	2%	5%	0%	12%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	63%	44%	19%	0%	19%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	41%	-8%	-14%	0%	43%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-1%	-6%	-11%	0%	3%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	14%	3%	2%	0%	4%
Group X Education	20%	18%	2%	0%	-13%
Y Combined arts	14%	13%	-1%	0%	-18%
Y Combined sciences	13%	3%	-6%	0%	-8%
Y Combined social sciences	9%	9%	-1%	0%	-23%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	40%	32%	11%	0%	-30%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	19%	13%	2%	0%	-15%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-42%	-14%	-5%	0%	-31%

## I.6.18 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales

Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	8,680	7,820	7,810	8,360	7,670
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	17,590	16,370	18,200	17,830	17,740
Group C Biological Sciences	13,550	13,620	15,170	16,040	18,490
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	2,000	1,820	2,020	2,140	2,330
Group F Physical Sciences	5,260	5,060	5,580	5,650	6,460
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,750	2,490	2,360	2,660	2,940
Group H Engineering	13,630	11,630	12,070	12,850	13,800
Group I Computer Sciences	7,510	6,760	7,800	9,010	11,530
Group J Technologies	950	930	920	1,080	1,130
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6,610	4,850	4,580	4,080	4,360
Group L Social Studies	19,120	16,250	17,050	17,940	20,410
Group M Law	9,130	8,540	8,300	8,420	9,370
Group N Business & Admin studies	34,660	29,180	30,010	31,520	36,030
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	5,240	4,430	5,130	5,450	6,260
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	3,100	2,790	2,920	3,250	3,580
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	2,380	2,080	1,880	1,990	2,050
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	800	590	500	450	490
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,980	2,800	2,650	2,880	2,940
Group W Creative Arts & Design	18,850	14,560	15,480	17,580	19,890
Group X Education	2,220	1,240	960	1,130	2,370
Y Combined arts	4,540	3,680	3,820	4,140	3,590
Y Combined sciences	2,810	2,660	2,870	3,150	3,210
Y Combined social sciences	3,700	3,380	3,200	3,430	3,310
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	5,940	5,250	5,150	5,550	4,700
Y Social sciences combined with arts	7,450	6,410	6,610	6,480	5,890
Z General, other combined & unknown	2,000	3,380	3,970	4,700	3,930

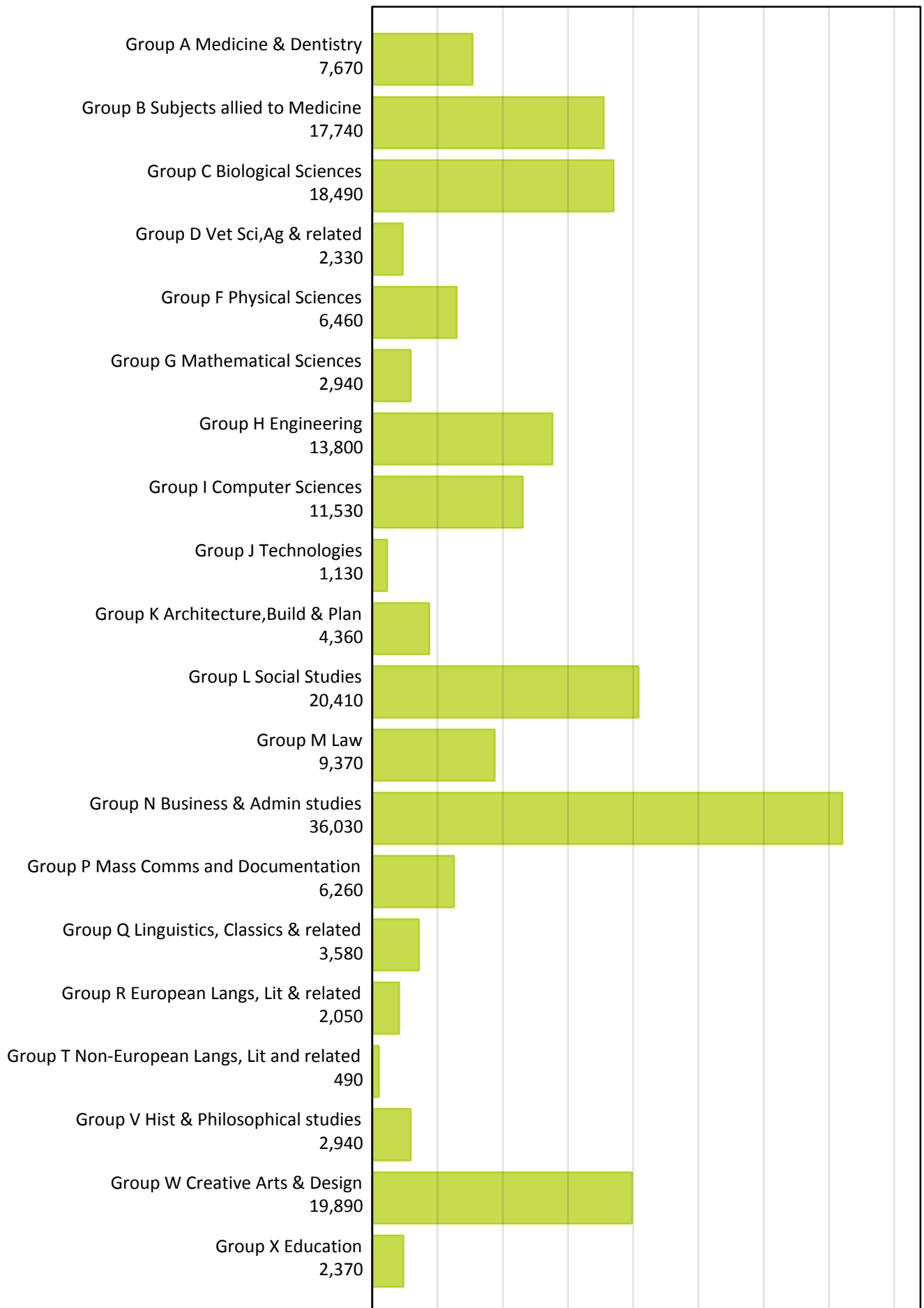
## I.6.20 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : EU (excluding UK)

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	4%	-7%	-7%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-1%	-8%	2%	0%	-1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-16%	-15%	-5%	0%	15%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-6%	-15%	-6%	0%	9%
Group F Physical Sciences	-7%	-10%	-1%	0%	14%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	3%	-6%	-11%	0%	11%
Group H Engineering	6%	-10%	-6%	0%	7%
Group I Computer Sciences	-17%	-25%	-13%	0%	28%
Group J Technologies	-12%	-14%	-15%	0%	5%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	62%	19%	12%	0%	7%
Group L Social Studies	7%	-9%	-5%	0%	14%
Group M Law	8%	1%	-1%	0%	11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	10%	-7%	-5%	0%	14%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-4%	-19%	-6%	0%	15%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-4%	-14%	-10%	0%	10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	20%	5%	-5%	0%	3%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	76%	30%	10%	0%	8%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3%	-3%	-8%	0%	2%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	7%	-17%	-12%	0%	13%
Group X Education	96%	10%	-15%	0%	109%
Y Combined arts	10%	-11%	-8%	0%	-13%
Y Combined sciences	-11%	-16%	-9%	0%	2%
Y Combined social sciences	8%	-1%	-6%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	7%	-5%	-7%	0%	-15%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	15%	-1%	2%	0%	-9%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-57%	-28%	-16%	0%	-16%

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

Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle



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

Subject group (JACS3)	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	11,390	12,480	12,790	14,410	13,400
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	12,280	12,860	13,870	14,390	15,620
Group C Biological Sciences	11,290	12,980	14,610	16,560	17,540
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,210	1,550	1,590	1,560	1,650
Group F Physical Sciences	5,760	6,640	7,200	8,440	8,630
Group G Mathematical Sciences	6,570	7,150	6,860	6,740	7,300
Group H Engineering	29,940	32,040	34,490	38,180	38,730
Group I Computer Sciences	5,940	6,190	6,880	8,260	9,500
Group J Technologies	1,150	1,050	1,060	1,450	1,320
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6,670	6,870	7,680	8,570	9,260
Group L Social Studies	24,890	25,450	27,150	27,580	28,460
Group M Law	20,670	22,850	26,070	27,210	28,150
Group N Business & Admin studies	55,820	62,380	62,660	65,910	68,680
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	3,320	3,580	4,370	5,190	5,450
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,610	3,060	3,390	3,610	4,030
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	770	780	740	710	700
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	350	370	320	320	300
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,030	3,240	3,490	3,390	3,530
Group W Creative Arts & Design	13,050	13,750	15,740	17,790	18,900
Group X Education	880	1,010	970	1,010	1,330
Y Combined arts	2,300	2,410	2,750	2,930	2,470
Y Combined sciences	3,350	3,640	3,790	4,310	4,150
Y Combined social sciences	5,360	5,900	5,770	5,950	5,490
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	6,600	6,250	6,390	6,140	5,020
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,720	5,330	5,960	5,880	4,740
Z General, other combined & unknown	2,240	4,440	5,640	5,780	5,110

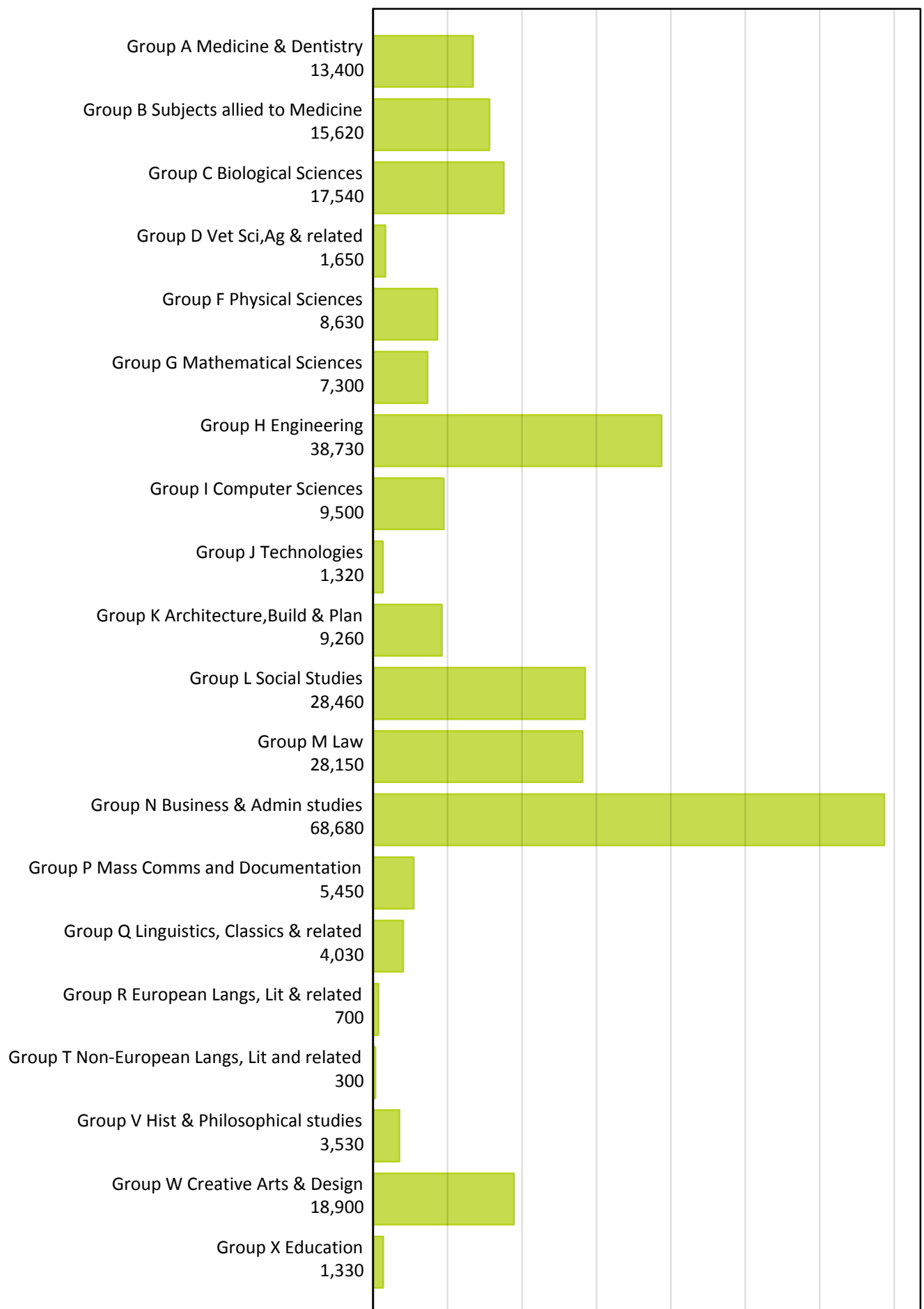
### I.6.23 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

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

## I.6.24 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU

Selected subject groups, 2015 cycle





## I.6.25 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2015 courses since early September.

People 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.

In 2015, a set of courses relating to teacher training that historically would only have been available through UCAS Teacher Training, and therefore not previously counted in the scope of this statistical release, were brought into the undergraduate UCAS scheme. These additional courses are all offered by providers based in Scotland and are in the JACS3 detailed subject reporting grouping of 'X1 - Training Teachers'.

The large majority of applications to the additional courses are from applicants living in Scotland and the increase indicated in Scottish domiciled applicants during the 2015 cycle is substantially a result of these changes.

To help comparisons through time, additional tables are available on the UCAS website that exclude any applications made by applicants to subject group 'X1' at Scottish providers. These tables provide a better 'like for like' comparison particularly when considering Scottish domiciled applicants and Scottish providers.

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

### Age

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

### Applicant

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

### Application

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

### Country of provider

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

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

### Domicile

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

### First time applicant

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

### Main scheme

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

### Reapplicant

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

## **I.6.26 Technical notes and definitions: continued**

### **Subject group**

The JACS3 classification used to classify courses into subject groups.

### **Tariff group of provider**

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