## **January Deadline Analysis: Subjects**



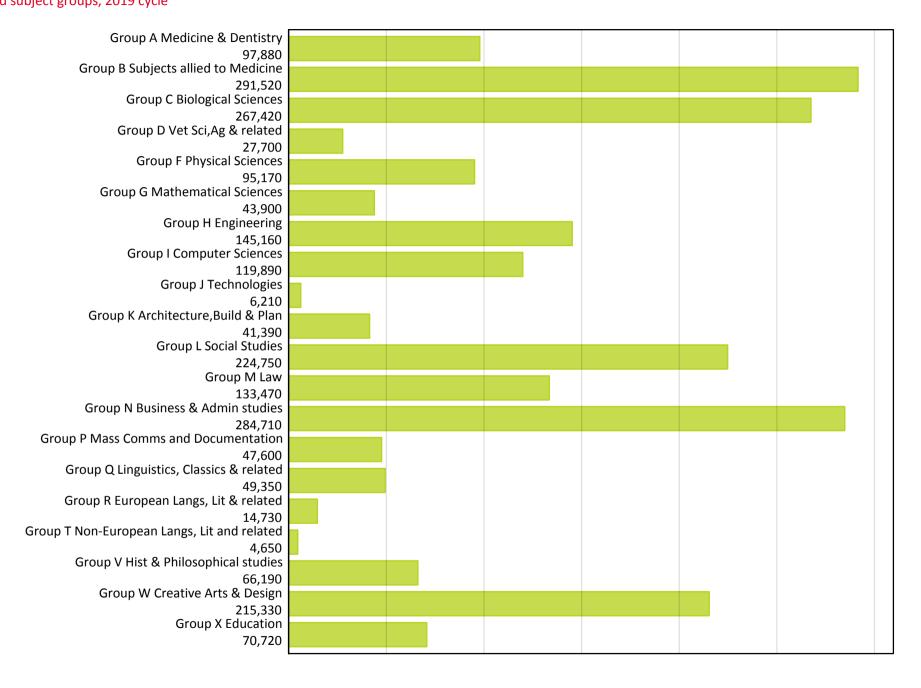
## Applicants by subject at the 15 January deadline

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

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	94,030	97,410	94,370	96,270	98,910	88,550	86,650	83,540	90,980	97,880
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	282,190	322,990	329,730	347,150	361,360	357,200	358,040	303,550	277,770	291,520
Group C Biological Sciences	200,500	210,830	201,650	215,550	231,720	249,550	258,410	252,910	258,220	267,420
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	22,910	25,350	24,750	26,650	28,080	28,800	27,860	26,230	27,170	27,700
Group F Physical Sciences	87,030	94,130	93,590	99,770	104,410	105,580	102,950	100,150	94,260	95,170
Group G Mathematical Sciences	41,850	43,390	42,150	43,680	43,480	45,240	46,860	48,330	48,780	43,900
Group H Engineering	112,970	118,820	117,220	127,080	141,100	150,700	151,840	147,020	144,440	145,160
Group I Computer Sciences	76,110	82,250	76,860	86,290	97,110	108,380	113,730	113,060	117,660	119,890
Group J Technologies	10,580	10,160	8,340	8,340	9,240	8,540	7,660	6,710	6,190	6,210
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	43,320	42,890	35,830	35,040	34,500	37,010	38,610	39,790	40,730	41,390
Group L Social Studies	210,870	216,270	190,120	194,200	202,510	212,950	220,000	224,770	224,100	224,750
Group M Law	103,900	107,720	103,610	109,140	108,130	111,540	118,630	122,700	127,640	133,470
Group N Business & Admin studies	260,610	276,710	260,880	269,140	280,240	293,250	300,070	287,320	284,120	284,710
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	52,680	55,950	47,580	50,640	55,040	56,990	58,410	57,840	53,500	47,600
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	70,920	67,970	62,270	62,120	62,500	62,950	61,070	57,310	53,120	49,350
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	24,580	24,410	21,680	20,350	19,280	19,210	17,840	16,340	14,510	14,730
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	7,800	7,850	6,170	5,750	5,420	5,700	5,170	4,930	4,800	4,650
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	80,870	79,790	73,970	75,640	78,580	80,100	79,540	72,210	69,880	66,190
Group W Creative Arts & Design	250,950	271,770	227,730	233,240	244,620	249,510	247,290	230,020	224,630	215,330
Group X Education	82,050	86,560	80,580	78,270	77,180	84,940	82,240	81,130	76,060	70,720
Y Combined arts	67,990	65,370	55,040	53,600	53,450	49,740	46,920	42,420	39,360	36,150
Y Combined sciences	35,730	37,380	33,900	35,350	37,350	34,330	29,590	26,950	27,660	29,020
Y Combined social sciences	30,990	30,150	26,580	26,500	27,890	28,880	29,810	28,770	30,400	31,260
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	98,370	95,500	78,670	75,100	73,960	63,000	54,140	49,040	48,520	45,810
Y Social sciences combined with arts	60,870	59,370	51,010	49,690	49,490	48,610	46,330	45,210	44,900	41,800
Z General, other combined & unknown	16,180	16,990	24,320	26,040	27,810	31,890	32,760	32,580	37,240	39,770

## **D.6.2** Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : All domiciles Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3%	7%	4%	6%	9%	-3%	-5%	-8%	0%	8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2%	16%	19%	25%	30%	29%	29%	9%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-22%	-18%	-22%	-17%	-10%	-3%	0%	-2%	0%	4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-16%	-7%	-9%	-2%	3%	6%	3%	-3%	0%	2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-8%	-0%	-1%	6%	11%	12%	9%	6%	0%	1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-14%	-11%	-14%	-10%	-11%	-7%	-4%	-1%	0%	-10%
Group H Engineering	-22%	-18%	-19%	-12%	-2%	4%	5%	2%	0%	0%
Group I Computer Sciences	-35%	-30%	-35%	-27%	-17%	-8%	-3%	-4%	0%	2%
Group J Technologies	71%	64%	35%	35%	49%	38%	24%	9%	0%	0%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6%	5%	-12%	-14%	-15%	-9%	-5%	-2%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-6%	-3%	-15%	-13%	-10%	-5%	-2%	0%	0%	0%
Group M Law	-19%	-16%	-19%	-14%	-15%	-13%	-7%	-4%	0%	5%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-8%	-3%	-8%	-5%	-1%	3%	6%	1%	0%	0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-2%	5%	-11%	-5%	3%	7%	9%	8%	0%	-11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	34%	28%	17%	17%	18%	19%	15%	8%	0%	-7%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	69%	68%	49%	40%	33%	32%	23%	13%	0%	2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	62%	64%	28%	20%	13%	19%	8%	3%	0%	-3%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	16%	14%	6%	8%	12%	15%	14%	3%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	12%	21%	1%	4%	9%	11%	10%	2%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	8%	14%	6%	3%	1%	12%	8%	7%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	73%	66%	40%	36%	36%	26%	19%	8%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	29%	35%	23%	28%	35%	24%	7%	-3%	0%	5%
Y Combined social sciences	2%	-1%	-13%	-13%	-8%	-5%	-2%	-5%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	103%	97%	62%	55%	52%	30%	12%	1%	0%	-6%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	36%	32%	14%	11%	10%	8%	3%	1%	0%	-7%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-57%	-54%	-35%	-30%	-25%	-14%	-12%	-13%	0%	7%



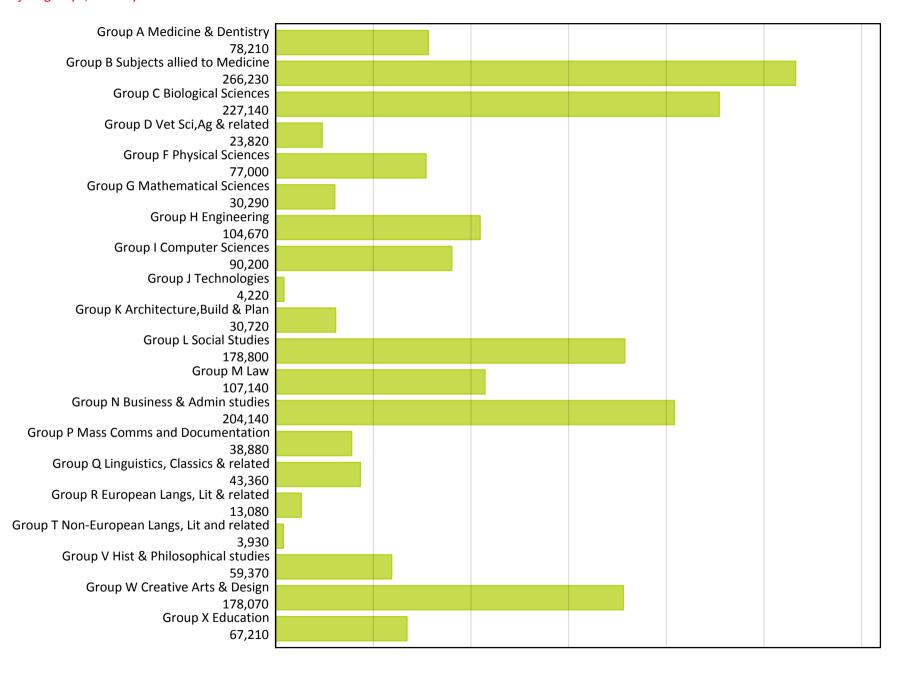
## D.6.4 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: UK

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	74,980	77,290	74,160	75,490	76,020	67,480	65,250	64,340	70,330	78,210
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	260,450	299,170	306,020	321,060	334,620	329,560	329,630	278,890	254,140	266,230
Group C Biological Sciences	183,120	190,790	179,830	191,210	204,980	219,910	226,040	219,450	220,930	227,140
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	20,140	22,580	21,880	23,480	24,810	25,230	24,340	22,700	23,490	23,820
Group F Physical Sciences	78,360	84,900	83,590	88,670	92,070	92,700	88,830	85,930	78,420	77,000
Group G Mathematical Sciences	34,260	35,170	33,750	35,620	35,220	36,350	37,050	37,970	36,930	30,290
Group H Engineering	83,970	88,800	85,660	92,080	102,130	110,200	110,990	107,840	105,140	104,670
Group I Computer Sciences	68,240	72,680	67,180	75,280	83,780	91,770	94,420	91,830	91,290	90,200
Group J Technologies	9,080	8,650	6,860	6,830	7,350	6,630	5,790	4,920	4,400	4,220
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	33,550	32,700	26,900	25,380	24,650	26,250	28,270	29,580	30,370	30,720
Group L Social Studies	176,050	179,520	155,340	156,750	163,980	174,610	179,710	184,910	181,180	178,800
Group M Law	84,680	85,850	80,250	84,000	82,210	84,960	91,360	97,550	101,210	107,140
Group N Business & Admin studies	207,310	215,420	197,870	202,280	208,890	216,620	223,730	215,120	206,970	204,140
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	47,160	49,770	41,690	43,390	47,060	48,140	49,140	48,870	44,740	38,880
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	66,410	63,250	57,410	56,870	56,990	56,780	54,620	51,480	47,080	43,360
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	21,830	21,570	19,090	18,010	16,830	16,790	15,610	14,460	12,920	13,080
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,930	6,900	5,370	5,100	4,780	5,040	4,430	4,330	4,070	3,930
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	75,790	74,550	68,720	70,260	73,120	74,310	73,000	66,270	63,320	59,370
Group W Creative Arts & Design	230,530	246,430	205,380	208,440	216,260	218,780	215,180	198,060	189,350	178,070
Group X Education	79,350	83,870	78,690	76,690	75,480	81,940	79,180	78,050	72,870	67,210
Y Combined arts	62,490	59,800	49,990	48,180	47,390	44,180	41,320	37,080	33,790	30,820
Y Combined sciences	31,410	32,690	29,020	30,010	31,030	27,750	23,250	21,120	21,180	21,700
Y Combined social sciences	23,980	23,290	19,410	19,070	20,440	20,770	21,650	20,880	22,100	22,830
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	88,660	85,530	69,490	65,710	64,190	54,100	45,190	40,710	39,560	36,330
Y Social sciences combined with arts	50,930	49,150	41,150	39,080	39,040	38,530	36,550	36,040	34,300	30,760
Z General, other combined & unknown	12,760	13,320	17,370	18,660	19,460	21,260	20,870	20,560	22,080	23,180

## **D.6.5 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : UK** Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	7%	10%	5%	7%	8%	-4%	-7%	-9%	0%	11%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2%	18%	20%	26%	32%	30%	30%	10%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-17%	-14%	-19%	-13%	-7%	-0%	2%	-1%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-14%	-4%	-7%	-0%	6%	7%	4%	-3%	0%	1%
Group F Physical Sciences	-0%	8%	7%	13%	17%	18%	13%	10%	0%	-2%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	-5%	-9%	-4%	-5%	-2%	0%	3%	0%	-18%
Group H Engineering	-20%	-16%	-19%	-12%	-3%	5%	6%	3%	0%	-0%
Group I Computer Sciences	-25%	-20%	-26%	-18%	-8%	1%	3%	1%	0%	-1%
Group J Technologies	106%	97%	56%	55%	67%	51%	32%	12%	0%	-4%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	10%	8%	-11%	-16%	-19%	-14%	-7%	-3%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-3%	-1%	-14%	-13%	-9%	-4%	-1%	2%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-16%	-15%	-21%	-17%	-19%	-16%	-10%	-4%	0%	6%
Group N Business & Admin studies	0%	4%	-4%	-2%	1%	5%	8%	4%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	5%	11%	-7%	-3%	5%	8%	10%	9%	0%	-13%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	41%	34%	22%	21%	21%	21%	16%	9%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	69%	67%	48%	39%	30%	30%	21%	12%	0%	1%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	70%	70%	32%	25%	17%	24%	9%	6%	0%	-3%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	20%	18%	9%	11%	15%	17%	15%	5%	0%	-6%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	22%	30%	8%	10%	14%	16%	14%	5%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	9%	15%	8%	5%	4%	12%	9%	7%	0%	-8%
Y Combined arts	85%	77%	48%	43%	40%	31%	22%	10%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	48%	54%	37%	42%	47%	31%	10%	-0%	0%	2%
Y Combined social sciences	8%	5%	-12%	-14%	-8%	-6%	-2%	-6%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	124%	116%	76%	66%	62%	37%	14%	3%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	48%	43%	20%	14%	14%	12%	7%	5%	0%	-10%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-42%	-40%	-21%	-15%	-12%	-4%	-6%	-7%	0%	5%

Selected subject groups, 2019 cycle

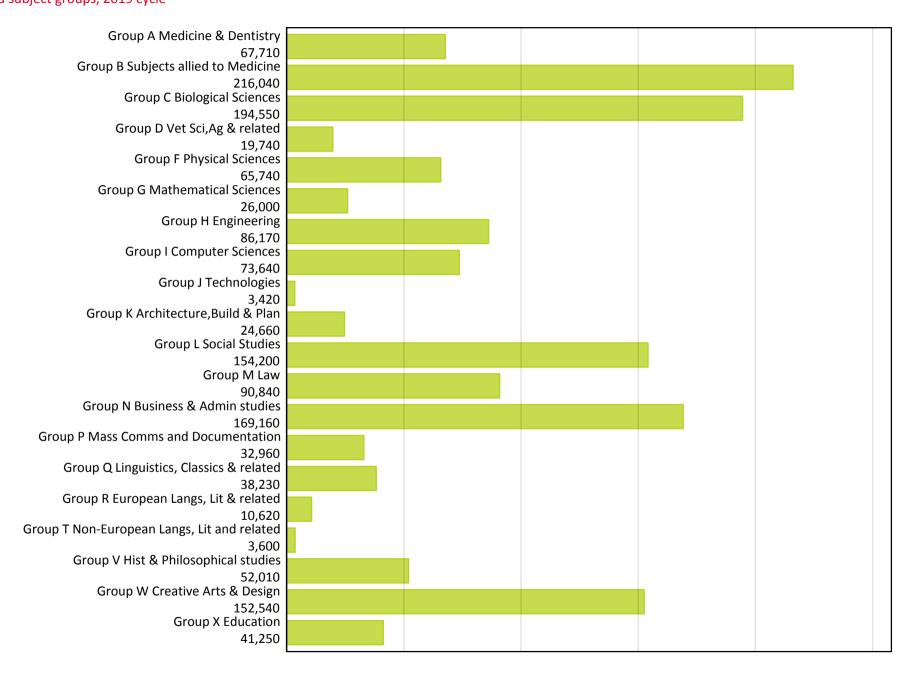


## D.6.7 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: England

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	63,370	65,400	63,000	64,320	64,740	57,050	55,300	54,550	60,410	67,710
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	218,660	251,050	257,590	268,860	281,450	276,820	275,670	229,020	205,970	216,040
Group C Biological Sciences	155,870	161,840	150,270	159,900	172,270	185,610	192,420	187,240	188,140	194,550
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	17,020	19,200	18,090	19,500	20,670	20,320	19,450	18,290	19,300	19,740
Group F Physical Sciences	66,210	71,660	69,400	73,970	77,880	78,340	75,540	73,670	66,560	65,740
Group G Mathematical Sciences	29,760	30,770	29,180	30,860	30,640	31,770	32,490	33,140	31,890	26,000
Group H Engineering	65,620	69,310	65,370	70,530	79,000	86,460	88,130	86,340	85,140	86,170
Group I Computer Sciences	56,150	59,170	53,340	59,150	66,680	73,580	75,530	74,030	73,210	73,640
Group J Technologies	7,650	7,350	5,550	5,380	5,930	5,290	4,520	3,910	3,540	3,420
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	26,780	26,380	21,350	20,300	19,770	20,810	22,320	23,280	24,090	24,660
Group L Social Studies	150,710	153,310	129,750	132,080	138,020	148,010	153,730	159,380	155,620	154,200
Group M Law	70,970	71,810	67,070	71,170	69,530	71,570	76,540	81,610	85,140	90,840
Group N Business & Admin studies	175,610	180,750	162,580	167,490	171,800	178,530	183,400	176,350	169,670	169,160
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	40,570	42,670	35,010	36,640	39,440	41,120	41,450	41,420	37,910	32,960
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	59,450	56,270	50,780	50,730	50,760	50,550	48,390	45,190	41,410	38,230
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	18,470	18,320	15,690	14,680	13,890	13,760	12,630	11,630	10,590	10,620
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	6,360	6,280	5,030	4,740	4,460	4,640	4,070	3,970	3,820	3,600
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	66,470	65,400	59,780	61,590	63,810	64,970	63,560	57,750	54,950	52,010
Group W Creative Arts & Design	203,640	216,780	178,010	180,090	188,150	190,080	186,560	170,480	162,480	152,540
Group X Education	66,770	70,790	65,610	63,980	62,350	57,080	52,610	50,560	44,640	41,250
Y Combined arts	54,370	52,130	43,150	41,480	40,400	37,680	34,500	30,330	27,610	25,400
Y Combined sciences	26,270	27,130	23,560	24,540	25,520	22,090	18,140	16,360	16,240	17,040
Y Combined social sciences	20,530	19,820	16,090	15,770	16,830	16,730	17,190	16,640	17,840	18,400
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	74,160	71,130	56,430	53,130	51,980	43,260	35,070	31,070	30,140	27,460
Y Social sciences combined with arts	42,810	41,590	34,540	32,700	32,520	31,580	29,500	29,100	27,800	25,300
Z General, other combined & unknown	11,760	12,240	14,900	15,930	17,180	19,040	18,560	18,250	19,730	20,550

## **D.6.8 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : England** Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5%	8%	4%	6%	7%	-6%	-8%	-10%	0%	12%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	6%	22%	25%	31%	37%	34%	34%	11%	0%	5%
Group C Biological Sciences	-17%	-14%	-20%	-15%	-8%	-1%	2%	-0%	0%	3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-12%	-1%	-6%	1%	7%	5%	1%	-5%	0%	2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-1%	8%	4%	11%	17%	18%	13%	11%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	-4%	-8%	-3%	-4%	-0%	2%	4%	0%	-18%
Group H Engineering	-23%	-19%	-23%	-17%	-7%	2%	4%	1%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-23%	-19%	-27%	-19%	-9%	1%	3%	1%	0%	1%
Group J Technologies	116%	108%	57%	52%	68%	50%	28%	11%	0%	-3%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	11%	10%	-11%	-16%	-18%	-14%	-7%	-3%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-3%	-1%	-17%	-15%	-11%	-5%	-1%	2%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-17%	-16%	-21%	-16%	-18%	-16%	-10%	-4%	0%	7%
Group N Business & Admin studies	4%	7%	-4%	-1%	1%	5%	8%	4%	0%	-0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	7%	13%	-8%	-3%	4%	8%	9%	9%	0%	-13%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	44%	36%	23%	23%	23%	22%	17%	9%	0%	-8%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	74%	73%	48%	39%	31%	30%	19%	10%	0%	0%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	66%	64%	32%	24%	17%	21%	6%	4%	0%	-6%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	21%	19%	9%	12%	16%	18%	16%	5%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	25%	33%	10%	11%	16%	17%	15%	5%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	50%	59%	47%	43%	40%	28%	18%	13%	0%	-8%
Y Combined arts	97%	89%	56%	50%	46%	36%	25%	10%	0%	-8%
Y Combined sciences	62%	67%	45%	51%	57%	36%	12%	1%	0%	5%
Y Combined social sciences	15%	11%	-10%	-12%	-6%	-6%	-4%	-7%	0%	3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	146%	136%	87%	76%	72%	44%	16%	3%	0%	-9%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	54%	50%	24%	18%	17%	14%	6%	5%	0%	-9%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-40%	-38%	-24%	-19%	-13%	-3%	-6%	-7%	0%	4%

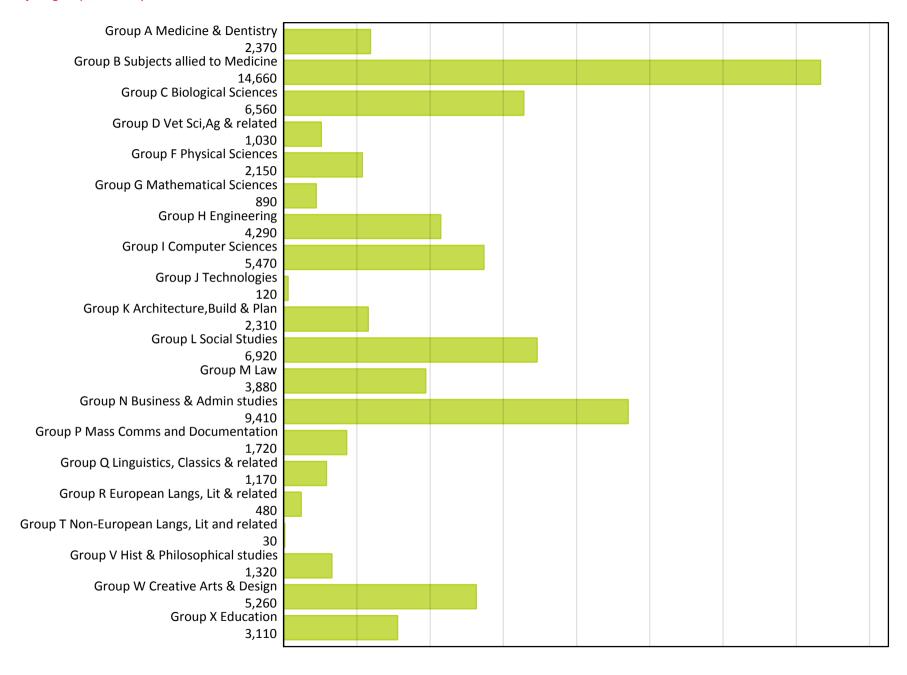


## D.6.10 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: Northern Ireland

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,450	3,380	2,940	3,020	2,770	2,600	2,640	2,460	2,270	2,370
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	10,940	13,030	13,040	16,620	15,570	15,520	16,490	15,000	13,820	14,660
Group C Biological Sciences	5,990	6,300	6,050	6,440	6,570	6,930	6,960	6,600	7,100	6,560
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,010	1,140	1,250	1,400	1,390	1,370	1,480	1,220	1,170	1,030
Group F Physical Sciences	2,320	2,610	2,920	2,870	2,730	2,910	2,710	2,580	2,450	2,150
Group G Mathematical Sciences	880	1,000	880	970	1,010	1,270	1,110	1,030	990	890
Group H Engineering	4,340	4,110	4,270	4,820	4,690	4,760	4,780	4,690	4,410	4,290
Group I Computer Sciences	5,060	5,390	5,350	6,570	7,180	7,370	7,640	6,580	5,800	5,470
Group J Technologies	380	340	340	370	350	310	190	120	120	120
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	2,720	2,510	1,940	1,700	1,600	1,880	2,130	2,400	2,260	2,310
Group L Social Studies	8,390	8,660	8,050	7,210	7,110	7,380	7,330	7,060	7,300	6,920
Group M Law	3,780	3,810	3,240	3,320	3,330	3,600	3,570	3,550	3,950	3,880
Group N Business & Admin studies	9,330	9,700	9,510	9,870	10,510	10,630	11,680	11,070	10,450	9,410
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,270	2,480	2,360	2,240	2,320	1,780	1,970	2,200	1,990	1,720
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,990	2,100	1,820	1,530	1,730	1,640	1,450	1,480	1,400	1,170
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	800	760	720	720	640	790	550	550	440	480
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	110	100	50	40	40	60	30	50	30	30
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,150	2,430	2,130	2,020	2,080	1,910	1,850	1,710	1,470	1,320
Group W Creative Arts & Design	5,570	6,020	5,510	5,930	5,890	6,420	6,010	6,030	5,300	5,260
Group X Education	2,850	3,070	2,840	2,910	2,700	3,380	3,480	3,350	3,630	3,110
Y Combined arts	1,650	1,770	1,370	1,460	1,350	1,380	1,350	1,270	1,070	1,070
Y Combined sciences	1,200	1,290	1,470	1,520	1,910	2,020	2,020	1,890	1,920	1,690
Y Combined social sciences	670	740	590	700	720	700	810	870	1,020	1,030
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	2,390	2,530	2,010	2,030	2,060	1,690	1,610	1,410	1,320	1,280
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,770	1,870	1,560	1,790	1,700	1,790	1,750	1,820	1,400	1,170
Z General, other combined & unknown	160	210	410	410	430	470	470	400	460	430

## **D.6.11** Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: Northern Ireland Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	52%	49%	29%	33%	22%	14%	16%	8%	0%	4%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-21%	-6%	-6%	20%	13%	12%	19%	9%	0%	6%
Group C Biological Sciences	-16%	-11%	-15%	-9%	-8%	-2%	-2%	-7%	0%	-8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-14%	-2%	7%	20%	19%	17%	27%	5%	0%	-11%
Group F Physical Sciences	-5%	6%	19%	17%	11%	19%	11%	5%	0%	-12%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-10%	2%	-11%	-2%	2%	29%	12%	5%	0%	-10%
Group H Engineering	-2%	-7%	-3%	10%	7%	8%	8%	6%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-13%	-7%	-8%	13%	24%	27%	32%	13%	0%	-6%
Group J Technologies	232%	196%	195%	220%	204%	169%	68%	8%	0%	6%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	20%	11%	-14%	-25%	-29%	-17%	-6%	6%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	15%	19%	10%	-1%	-3%	1%	0%	-3%	0%	-5%
Group M Law	-4%	-4%	-18%	-16%	-16%	-9%	-10%	-10%	0%	-2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-11%	-7%	-9%	-6%	1%	2%	12%	6%	0%	-10%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	14%	24%	19%	12%	16%	-11%	-1%	10%	0%	-14%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	42%	49%	29%	9%	23%	17%	3%	5%	0%	-17%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	79%	72%	63%	63%	45%	78%	25%	25%	0%	9%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	311%	278%	100%	59%	63%	111%	-4%	85%	0%	15%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	46%	65%	45%	37%	41%	30%	26%	16%	0%	-10%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	5%	14%	4%	12%	11%	21%	13%	14%	0%	-1%
Group X Education	-21%	-15%	-22%	-20%	-26%	-7%	-4%	-8%	0%	-14%
Y Combined arts	55%	65%	28%	36%	26%	29%	26%	19%	0%	0%
Y Combined sciences	-37%	-33%	-23%	-20%	-1%	6%	5%	-1%	0%	-12%
Y Combined social sciences	-34%	-27%	-42%	-31%	-29%	-32%	-20%	-14%	0%	2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	80%	91%	52%	53%	55%	28%	22%	6%	0%	-3%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	27%	34%	12%	28%	22%	28%	25%	30%	0%	-16%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-66%	-54%	-11%	-11%	-7%	2%	2%	-12%	0%	-6%

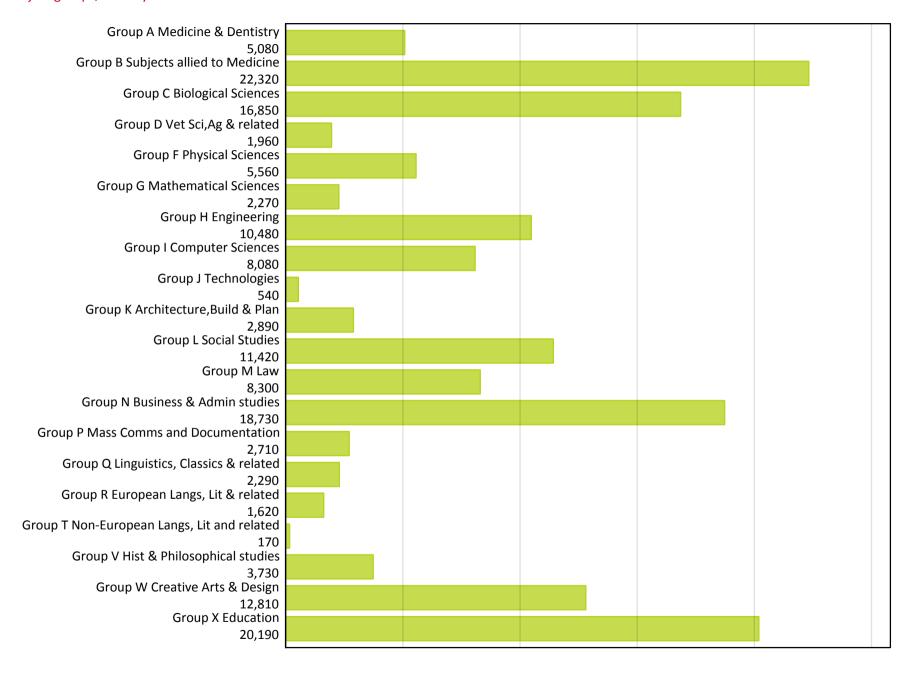


## D.6.13 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: Scotland

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	5,000	5,410	5,230	5,210	5,380	4,900	4,750	4,790	4,910	5,080
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	19,350	21,630	20,660	20,970	23,000	22,440	22,100	21,470	21,570	22,320
Group C Biological Sciences	13,500	14,600	15,410	16,640	16,970	18,010	17,080	16,600	17,070	16,850
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,030	1,230	1,360	1,370	1,480	2,180	2,170	2,020	1,900	1,960
Group F Physical Sciences	6,440	6,560	7,100	7,800	7,180	7,320	6,510	5,960	5,930	5,560
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,970	1,910	2,180	2,200	2,060	1,880	1,860	2,300	2,480	2,270
Group H Engineering	10,540	11,930	12,730	13,400	14,570	14,990	13,860	12,400	11,650	10,480
Group I Computer Sciences	4,380	5,390	5,860	6,560	6,800	7,280	7,490	7,600	8,710	8,080
Group J Technologies	420	530	600	730	760	730	820	730	570	540
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	3,040	2,810	2,740	2,540	2,500	2,680	2,970	3,020	3,150	2,890
Group L Social Studies	10,720	11,540	11,660	11,620	12,270	12,520	12,090	11,550	11,850	11,420
Group M Law	6,430	6,460	6,230	5,940	5,810	6,190	7,180	8,180	7,870	8,300
Group N Business & Admin studies	15,820	18,110	18,840	18,150	19,870	20,510	21,040	20,430	20,080	18,730
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	2,670	2,910	2,870	2,980	3,530	3,430	3,690	3,590	3,020	2,710
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,480	2,480	2,600	2,320	2,310	2,260	2,650	2,920	2,610	2,290
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	1,700	1,640	1,920	1,990	1,760	1,620	1,840	1,740	1,540	1,620
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	280	290	140	180	110	110	150	150	130	170
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,980	3,550	3,750	3,770	4,000	4,050	4,320	4,100	4,210	3,730
Group W Creative Arts & Design	12,500	13,860	12,980	13,560	13,630	13,180	14,090	13,350	13,560	12,810
Group X Education	5,580	5,370	5,560	5,840	6,560	18,160	19,870	21,070	21,650	20,190
Y Combined arts	3,850	3,480	3,030	3,150	3,480	3,080	3,710	3,890	3,650	3,090
Y Combined sciences	2,790	2,980	2,820	2,850	2,440	2,520	2,110	2,080	2,150	2,080
Y Combined social sciences	1,800	1,710	1,710	1,640	1,950	2,550	2,830	2,530	2,390	2,490
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	8,700	8,740	8,090	8,060	7,890	7,120	6,810	6,780	6,410	6,100
Y Social sciences combined with arts	4,570	4,000	3,450	3,180	3,400	3,850	4,060	4,000	4,060	3,370
Z General, other combined & unknown	440	390	1,280	1,550	1,030	1,050	1,210	1,380	1,260	1,660

## **D.6.14 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Scotland** Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	2%	10%	7%	6%	10%	-0%	-3%	-2%	0%	4%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-10%	0%	-4%	-3%	7%	4%	2%	-0%	0%	3%
Group C Biological Sciences	-21%	-14%	-10%	-2%	-1%	6%	0%	-3%	0%	-1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-46%	-35%	-29%	-28%	-22%	15%	14%	6%	0%	3%
Group F Physical Sciences	8%	11%	20%	31%	21%	23%	10%	0%	0%	-6%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-20%	-23%	-12%	-11%	-17%	-24%	-25%	-7%	0%	-9%
Group H Engineering	-10%	2%	9%	15%	25%	29%	19%	6%	0%	-10%
Group I Computer Sciences	-50%	-38%	-33%	-25%	-22%	-16%	-14%	-13%	0%	-7%
Group J Technologies	-25%	-7%	6%	28%	33%	29%	45%	28%	0%	-5%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-3%	-11%	-13%	-19%	-20%	-15%	-5%	-4%	0%	-8%
Group L Social Studies	-10%	-3%	-2%	-2%	4%	6%	2%	-3%	0%	-4%
Group M Law	-18%	-18%	-21%	-24%	-26%	-21%	-9%	4%	0%	6%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-21%	-10%	-6%	-10%	-1%	2%	5%	2%	0%	-7%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-12%	-3%	-5%	-1%	17%	14%	22%	19%	0%	-10%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-5%	-5%	-1%	-11%	-11%	-13%	2%	12%	0%	-12%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	10%	6%	24%	29%	14%	5%	19%	13%	0%	5%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	125%	133%	10%	40%	-10%	-11%	16%	20%	0%	33%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-5%	-16%	-11%	-11%	-5%	-4%	3%	-3%	0%	-11%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-8%	2%	-4%	0%	1%	-3%	4%	-2%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-74%	-75%	-74%	-73%	-70%	-16%	-8%	-3%	0%	-7%
Y Combined arts	5%	-5%	-17%	-14%	-4%	-15%	2%	7%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	30%	39%	31%	33%	14%	18%	-2%	-3%	0%	-3%
Y Combined social sciences	-25%	-28%	-29%	-31%	-19%	7%	18%	6%	0%	4%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	36%	36%	26%	26%	23%	11%	6%	6%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	13%	-2%	-15%	-22%	-16%	-5%	-0%	-1%	0%	-17%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-66%	-69%	1%	23%	-19%	-17%	-4%	9%	0%	32%

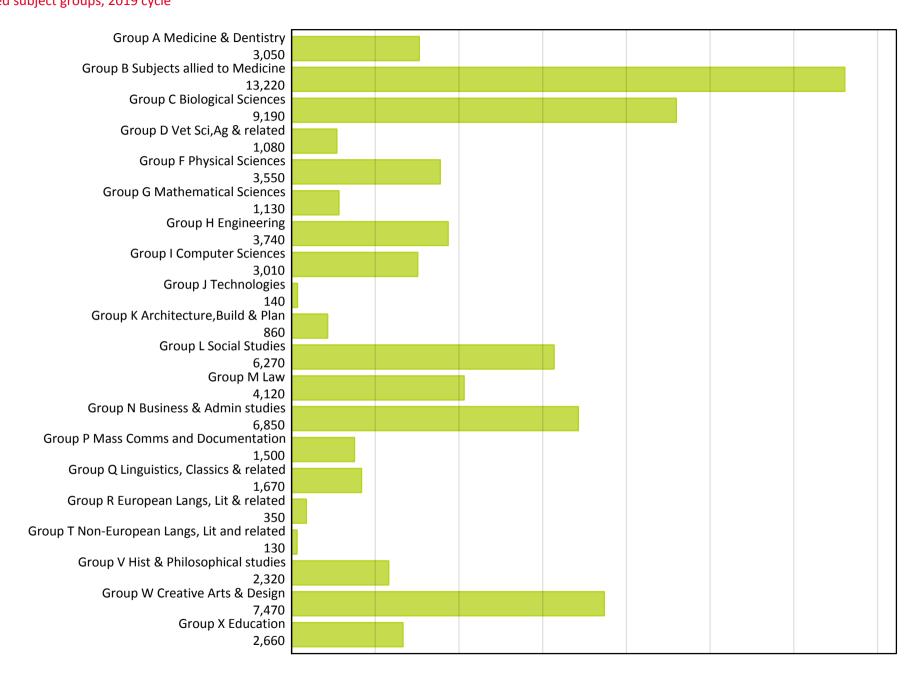


## D.6.16 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: Wales

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	3,160	3,100	2,990	2,940	3,130	2,930	2,560	2,540	2,740	3,050
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	11,500	13,450	14,720	14,610	14,600	14,770	15,370	13,410	12,780	13,220
Group C Biological Sciences	7,760	8,050	8,100	8,220	9,170	9,360	9,580	9,020	8,620	9,190
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,080	1,010	1,190	1,220	1,280	1,370	1,250	1,170	1,120	1,080
Group F Physical Sciences	3,380	4,070	4,170	4,030	4,280	4,130	4,070	3,720	3,470	3,550
Group G Mathematical Sciences	1,650	1,490	1,510	1,590	1,510	1,420	1,590	1,500	1,580	1,130
Group H Engineering	3,480	3,450	3,290	3,330	3,870	3,990	4,220	4,410	3,950	3,740
Group I Computer Sciences	2,650	2,730	2,640	2,990	3,110	3,540	3,760	3,620	3,570	3,010
Group J Technologies	620	430	370	360	320	300	260	160	180	140
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	1,020	1,000	870	830	780	880	850	880	880	860
Group L Social Studies	6,230	6,020	5,880	5,830	6,570	6,690	6,560	6,920	6,410	6,270
Group M Law	3,500	3,760	3,710	3,570	3,550	3,610	4,070	4,220	4,250	4,120
Group N Business & Admin studies	6,540	6,870	6,940	6,780	6,710	6,950	7,610	7,280	6,780	6,850
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,660	1,710	1,450	1,530	1,770	1,810	2,030	1,650	1,820	1,500
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,500	2,400	2,220	2,290	2,200	2,320	2,130	1,900	1,660	1,670
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	870	860	760	630	530	610	590	540	340	350
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	170	220	150	140	160	240	190	160	90	130
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	3,190	3,170	3,060	2,880	3,240	3,380	3,270	2,720	2,690	2,320
Group W Creative Arts & Design	8,820	9,770	8,880	8,860	8,600	9,110	8,520	8,190	8,010	7,470
Group X Education	4,150	4,630	4,680	3,970	3,880	3,320	3,220	3,070	2,960	2,660
Y Combined arts	2,620	2,430	2,450	2,100	2,160	2,050	1,760	1,580	1,460	1,270
Y Combined sciences	1,140	1,290	1,180	1,100	1,170	1,120	970	790	880	900
Y Combined social sciences	990	1,010	1,020	960	940	800	830	840	860	910
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	3,410	3,120	2,960	2,500	2,260	2,030	1,710	1,460	1,680	1,490
Y Social sciences combined with arts	1,780	1,690	1,600	1,400	1,420	1,320	1,250	1,120	1,050	930
Z General, other combined & unknown	410	480	790	780	830	700	630	530	630	550

# **D.6.17 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Wales** Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	15%	13%	9%	7%	14%	7%	-6%	-7%	0%	11%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-10%	5%	15%	14%	14%	16%	20%	5%	0%	3%
Group C Biological Sciences	-10%	-7%	-6%	-5%	6%	9%	11%	5%	0%	7%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-4%	-10%	6%	9%	14%	22%	11%	5%	0%	-3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-3%	17%	20%	16%	23%	19%	17%	7%	0%	2%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	4%	-6%	-5%	0%	-5%	-10%	0%	-5%	0%	-29%
Group H Engineering	-12%	-12%	-17%	-16%	-2%	1%	7%	12%	0%	-5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-26%	-23%	-26%	-16%	-13%	-1%	5%	2%	0%	-16%
Group J Technologies	248%	143%	107%	101%	78%	70%	46%	-13%	0%	-20%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	16%	14%	-1%	-5%	-11%	0%	-3%	-0%	0%	-2%
Group L Social Studies	-3%	-6%	-8%	-9%	2%	4%	2%	8%	0%	-2%
Group M Law	-18%	-12%	-13%	-16%	-17%	-15%	-4%	-1%	0%	-3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-3%	1%	2%	0%	-1%	3%	12%	7%	0%	1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-9%	-6%	-20%	-16%	-3%	-1%	12%	-9%	0%	-17%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	51%	45%	34%	38%	33%	40%	29%	15%	0%	1%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	152%	149%	121%	83%	55%	78%	72%	57%	0%	1%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	88%	145%	60%	54%	80%	158%	112%	80%	0%	41%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	19%	18%	14%	7%	21%	26%	21%	1%	0%	-14%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	10%	22%	11%	11%	7%	14%	6%	2%	0%	-7%
Group X Education	40%	57%	58%	34%	31%	12%	9%	4%	0%	-10%
Y Combined arts	79%	66%	67%	44%	47%	40%	20%	8%	0%	-13%
Y Combined sciences	30%	47%	34%	25%	33%	27%	11%	-10%	0%	2%
Y Combined social sciences	16%	18%	20%	13%	10%	-6%	-3%	-1%	0%	6%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	103%	85%	76%	49%	34%	21%	1%	-13%	0%	-11%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	69%	61%	52%	34%	35%	26%	19%	6%	0%	-11%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-35%	-24%	24%	23%	30%	11%	-1%	-17%	0%	-14%

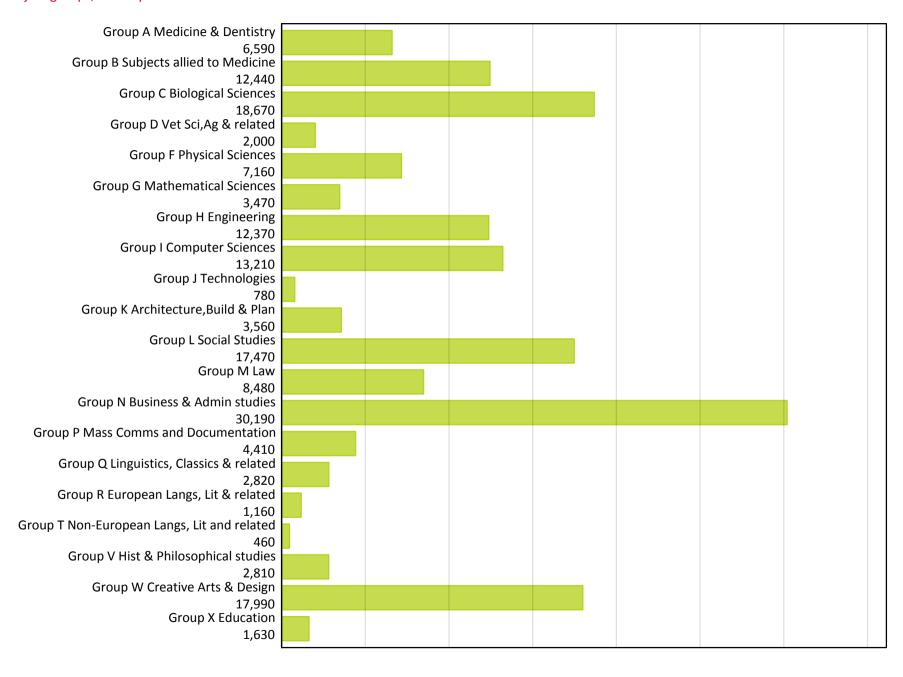


## D.6.19 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: EU (excluding UK)

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	8,780	8,670	7,840	7,930	8,390	7,680	7,990	6,810	7,120	6,590
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	13,810	15,600	14,530	16,310	16,110	16,050	16,710	13,230	12,260	12,440
Group C Biological Sciences	10,170	11,750	12,050	13,450	14,060	16,000	17,790	16,860	17,990	18,670
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	1,900	1,840	1,640	1,850	1,960	2,160	2,120	1,940	1,950	2,000
Group F Physical Sciences	4,160	4,780	4,690	5,140	5,280	5,850	6,470	6,420	6,850	7,160
Group G Mathematical Sciences	2,080	2,590	2,350	2,260	2,510	2,700	3,010	3,180	3,080	3,470
Group H Engineering	10,120	11,400	10,000	10,720	11,460	12,370	13,370	12,660	12,450	12,370
Group I Computer Sciences	4,580	6,210	5,840	6,800	7,870	9,950	11,230	11,240	12,510	13,210
Group J Technologies	690	750	780	770	910	960	950	810	770	780
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	5,700	5,710	4,240	4,070	3,540	3,770	3,740	3,680	3,670	3,560
Group L Social Studies	16,500	17,550	15,000	15,770	16,560	17,140	17,900	16,970	17,640	17,470
Group M Law	7,130	8,050	7,520	7,420	7,640	8,280	9,050	8,590	8,460	8,480
Group N Business & Admin studies	23,530	28,790	24,610	25,900	27,670	30,350	31,980	29,840	30,380	30,190
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	3,590	4,240	3,750	4,320	4,590	5,200	5,470	4,930	4,770	4,410
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2,680	2,740	2,510	2,610	2,870	3,050	3,350	2,770	2,750	2,820
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	2,110	2,180	1,920	1,710	1,830	1,830	1,670	1,420	1,130	1,160
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	610	700	520	420	410	420	490	430	480	460
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,670	2,750	2,590	2,420	2,660	2,740	3,070	2,700	2,900	2,810
Group W Creative Arts & Design	12,250	15,730	12,250	13,010	14,740	16,540	17,610	16,360	17,400	17,990
Group X Education	1,970	2,030	1,130	840	970	2,030	1,840	1,840	1,700	1,630
Y Combined arts	3,800	3,940	3,260	3,400	3,820	3,470	3,630	3,470	3,650	3,270
Y Combined sciences	2,140	2,370	2,270	2,490	2,820	2,980	3,020	2,810	2,940	3,180
Y Combined social sciences	3,340	3,340	3,110	3,110	3,130	3,410	3,480	3,360	3,330	3,370
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	4,880	5,100	4,570	4,560	4,980	4,610	4,710	4,260	4,600	4,590
Y Social sciences combined with arts	6,340	6,680	5,830	5,980	5,940	5,920	6,020	5,420	5,660	5,570
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,660	1,820	3,100	3,370	3,840	4,860	5,610	5,470	6,540	6,960

# **D.6.20** Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: EU (excluding UK) Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	23%	22%	10%	11%	18%	8%	12%	-4%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	13%	27%	19%	33%	31%	31%	36%	8%	0%	1%
Group C Biological Sciences	-43%	-35%	-33%	-25%	-22%	-11%	-1%	-6%	0%	4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-3%	-6%	-16%	-5%	1%	11%	9%	-0%	0%	3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-39%	-30%	-32%	-25%	-23%	-15%	-6%	-6%	0%	4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-32%	-16%	-24%	-27%	-18%	-12%	-2%	3%	0%	13%
Group H Engineering	-19%	-8%	-20%	-14%	-8%	-1%	7%	2%	0%	-1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-63%	-50%	-53%	-46%	-37%	-20%	-10%	-10%	0%	6%
Group J Technologies	-10%	-3%	1%	-1%	18%	24%	23%	5%	0%	1%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	55%	56%	16%	11%	-4%	3%	2%	0%	0%	-3%
Group L Social Studies	-6%	-1%	-15%	-11%	-6%	-3%	1%	-4%	0%	-1%
Group M Law	-16%	-5%	-11%	-12%	-10%	-2%	7%	2%	0%	0%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-23%	-5%	-19%	-15%	-9%	-0%	5%	-2%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-25%	-11%	-21%	-9%	-4%	9%	15%	3%	0%	-7%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-2%	-0%	-9%	-5%	4%	11%	22%	1%	0%	2%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	86%	93%	70%	51%	62%	62%	47%	26%	0%	3%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	27%	47%	9%	-12%	-15%	-13%	2%	-9%	0%	-5%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-8%	-5%	-11%	-16%	-8%	-6%	6%	-7%	0%	-3%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-30%	-10%	-30%	-25%	-15%	-5%	1%	-6%	0%	3%
Group X Education	16%	19%	-34%	-51%	-43%	19%	8%	8%	0%	-4%
Y Combined arts	4%	8%	-11%	-7%	5%	-5%	-1%	-5%	0%	-10%
Y Combined sciences	-27%	-20%	-23%	-15%	-4%	1%	3%	-4%	0%	8%
Y Combined social sciences	0%	0%	-7%	-7%	-6%	3%	4%	1%	0%	1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	6%	11%	-1%	-1%	8%	0%	2%	-7%	0%	-0%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	12%	18%	3%	6%	5%	5%	6%	-4%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-75%	-72%	-53%	-48%	-41%	-26%	-14%	-16%	0%	6%

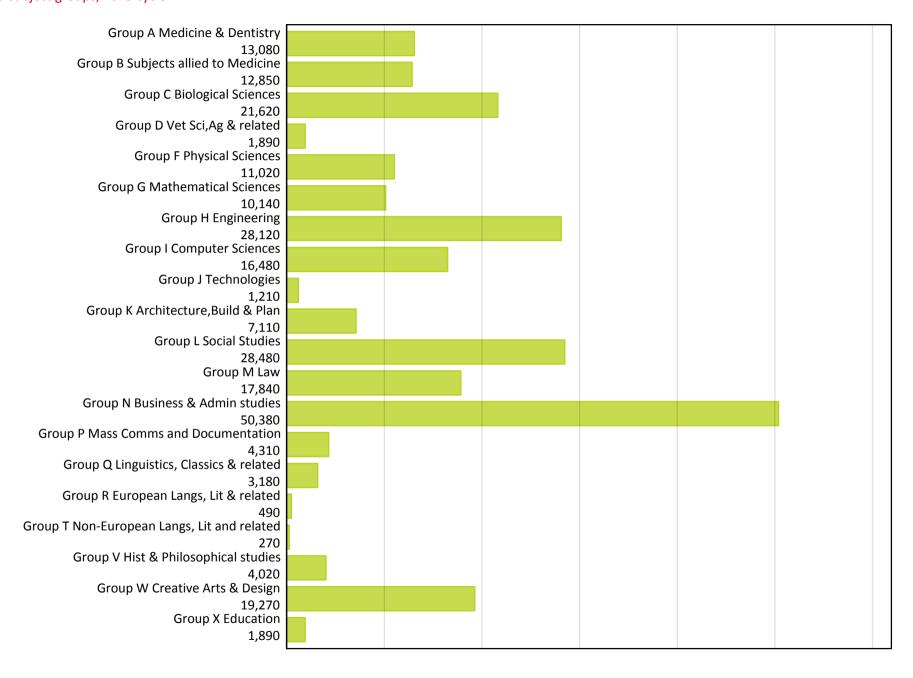


## D.6.22 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group: Not EU

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	10,270	11,450	12,370	12,850	14,510	13,390	13,410	12,390	13,540	13,080
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	7,930	8,220	9,190	9,770	10,620	11,600	11,690	11,440	11,370	12,850
Group C Biological Sciences	7,220	8,290	9,770	10,890	12,680	13,640	14,580	16,600	19,310	21,620
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	870	920	1,230	1,330	1,310	1,410	1,400	1,580	1,730	1,890
Group F Physical Sciences	4,510	4,450	5,300	5,960	7,070	7,030	7,660	7,810	8,990	11,020
Group G Mathematical Sciences	5,510	5,640	6,050	5,800	5,750	6,190	6,800	7,180	8,770	10,140
Group H Engineering	18,880	18,620	21,560	24,280	27,500	28,120	27,480	26,520	26,850	28,120
Group I Computer Sciences	3,290	3,350	3,840	4,220	5,470	6,670	8,090	9,980	13,860	16,480
Group J Technologies	810	760	700	750	980	950	920	980	1,020	1,210
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	4,070	4,480	4,690	5,590	6,310	6,980	6,590	6,530	6,680	7,110
Group L Social Studies	18,320	19,210	19,770	21,680	21,970	21,200	22,390	22,890	25,280	28,480
Group M Law	12,090	13,820	15,850	17,720	18,270	18,300	18,230	16,550	17,980	17,840
Group N Business & Admin studies	29,780	32,500	38,410	40,960	43,680	46,280	44,360	42,370	46,760	50,380
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	1,930	1,940	2,140	2,940	3,390	3,650	3,800	4,040	3,990	4,310
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	1,820	1,990	2,350	2,640	2,640	3,120	3,100	3,060	3,290	3,180
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	650	650	670	630	620	600	560	460	450	490
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	270	250	270	230	230	240	250	160	250	270
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2,410	2,490	2,660	2,960	2,790	3,060	3,470	3,240	3,660	4,020
Group W Creative Arts & Design	8,170	9,610	10,100	11,790	13,620	14,180	14,500	15,600	17,880	19,270
Group X Education	740	670	770	740	740	980	1,220	1,250	1,490	1,890
Y Combined arts	1,690	1,630	1,790	2,020	2,250	2,090	1,970	1,870	1,920	2,060
Y Combined sciences	2,190	2,330	2,610	2,850	3,500	3,600	3,320	3,010	3,540	4,140
Y Combined social sciences	3,670	3,520	4,070	4,320	4,310	4,690	4,680	4,530	4,970	5,060
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	4,840	4,880	4,610	4,830	4,790	4,290	4,240	4,060	4,360	4,900
Y Social sciences combined with arts	3,610	3,540	4,030	4,640	4,510	4,160	3,760	3,750	4,940	5,470
Z General, other combined & unknown	1,760	1,850	3,850	4,010	4,510	5,770	6,280	6,560	8,620	9,620

# **D.6.23 Applications by applicant domicile and subject group : Not EU** Difference between cycle and 2018 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-24%	-15%	-9%	-5%	7%	-1%	-1%	-9%	0%	-3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-30%	-28%	-19%	-14%	-7%	2%	3%	1%	0%	13%
Group C Biological Sciences	-63%	-57%	-49%	-44%	-34%	-29%	-24%	-14%	0%	12%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-50%	-47%	-29%	-23%	-24%	-19%	-19%	-8%	0%	9%
Group F Physical Sciences	-50%	-50%	-41%	-34%	-21%	-22%	-15%	-13%	0%	23%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-37%	-36%	-31%	-34%	-34%	-29%	-22%	-18%	0%	16%
Group H Engineering	-30%	-31%	-20%	-10%	2%	5%	2%	-1%	0%	5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-76%	-76%	-72%	-70%	-61%	-52%	-42%	-28%	0%	19%
Group J Technologies	-20%	-25%	-31%	-27%	-4%	-7%	-10%	-3%	0%	19%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	-39%	-33%	-30%	-16%	-6%	4%	-1%	-2%	0%	6%
Group L Social Studies	-28%	-24%	-22%	-14%	-13%	-16%	-11%	-9%	0%	13%
Group M Law	-33%	-23%	-12%	-1%	2%	2%	1%	-8%	0%	-1%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-36%	-31%	-18%	-12%	-7%	-1%	-5%	-9%	0%	8%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-52%	-51%	-46%	-26%	-15%	-8%	-5%	1%	0%	8%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-45%	-40%	-28%	-20%	-20%	-5%	-6%	-7%	0%	-3%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	43%	44%	48%	40%	37%	32%	23%	2%	0%	8%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	4%	-0%	6%	-10%	-9%	-7%	-0%	-36%	0%	7%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-34%	-32%	-27%	-19%	-24%	-17%	-5%	-11%	0%	10%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-54%	-46%	-44%	-34%	-24%	-21%	-19%	-13%	0%	8%
Group X Education	-50%	-55%	-49%	-50%	-51%	-34%	-18%	-16%	0%	27%
Y Combined arts	-12%	-15%	-7%	5%	17%	9%	3%	-3%	0%	7%
Y Combined sciences	-38%	-34%	-26%	-19%	-1%	2%	-6%	-15%	0%	17%
Y Combined social sciences	-26%	-29%	-18%	-13%	-13%	-5%	-6%	-9%	0%	2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	11%	12%	6%	11%	10%	-1%	-3%	-7%	0%	12%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-27%	-28%	-18%	-6%	-9%	-16%	-24%	-24%	0%	11%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-80%	-79%	-55%	-54%	-48%	-33%	-27%	-24%	0%	12%



#### D.6.25 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2019 courses since early September.

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

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

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

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.

#### Reapplier

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.

#### 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. With the introduction of HECoS for the 2019 cycle, new courses that were classified using HECoS instead of JACS have been allocated modelled JACS3 values.

#### Subject group (HECoS)

The CAH classification used to categorise HECoS course subject codes into subject groups. A course may be associated with up to 5 individual subject codes and their respective percentage weight. For this analysis, application totals for subject groups have been calculated by apportioning course applications as weighted by subject group.