

March Deadline Analysis: Subject by sex

Applications by subject at the 24 March deadline

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

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	54,080	56,400	51,630	51,120	50,170
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	293,580	308,670	302,930	305,660	260,700
Group C Biological Sciences	130,990	141,910	157,150	166,140	165,350
Group D Vet Sci, Ag & related	20,090	21,820	22,850	22,250	21,400
Group F Physical Sciences	38,600	41,770	43,880	44,220	44,110
Group G Mathematical Sciences	16,610	16,590	16,810	17,350	18,360
Group H Engineering	18,680	23,050	26,800	27,800	27,410
Group I Computer Sciences	12,110	13,630	15,660	17,210	17,080
Group J Technologies	1,970	2,460	2,410	2,400	2,210
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	13,890	14,190	16,190	16,660	17,630
Group L Social Studies	121,210	129,910	137,510	140,070	143,460
Group M Law	72,480	74,380	77,420	82,450	87,780
Group N Business & Admin studies	138,230	145,630	150,430	149,640	143,310
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	29,560	32,560	34,290	33,910	33,510
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	47,120	47,460	48,830	47,710	45,590
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	14,790	13,980	14,150	13,090	12,100
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	3,700	3,530	3,660	3,470	3,510
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	39,550	41,370	43,310	44,530	40,850
Group W Creative Arts & Design	159,550	168,510	172,720	170,060	162,440
Group X Education	67,390	67,570	73,740	72,280	72,420
Y Combined arts	38,480	38,340	36,370	34,890	32,120
Y Combined sciences	16,580	17,440	16,940	14,990	13,380
Y Combined social sciences	14,170	14,960	14,910	15,250	14,960
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	36,360	36,130	33,030	30,360	28,460
Y Social sciences combined with arts	32,520	32,390	32,340	30,260	29,500
Z General, other combined & unknown	13,780	14,440	17,150	17,560	16,890

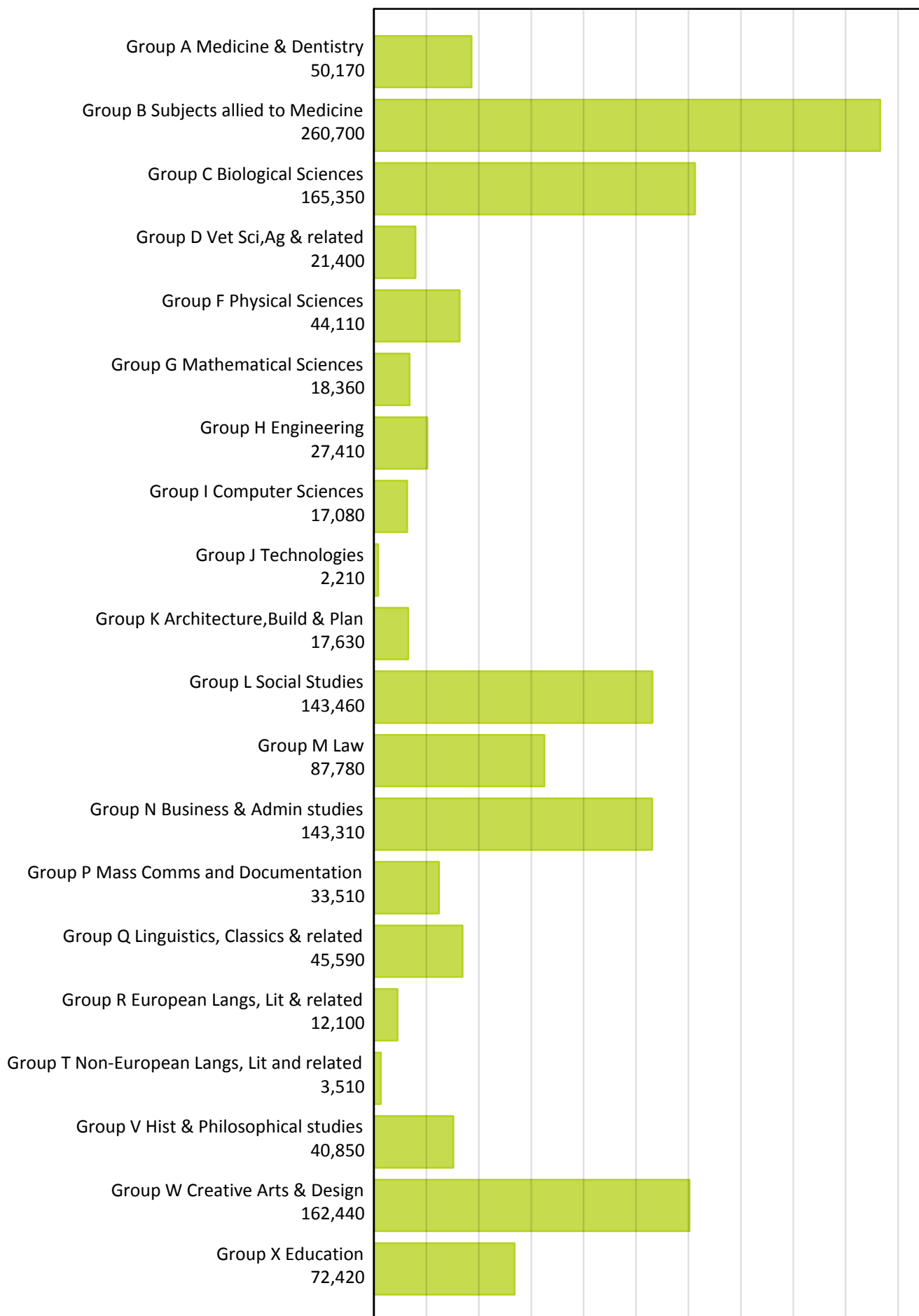
F.8.2 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

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

F.8.3 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Women)

Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



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

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

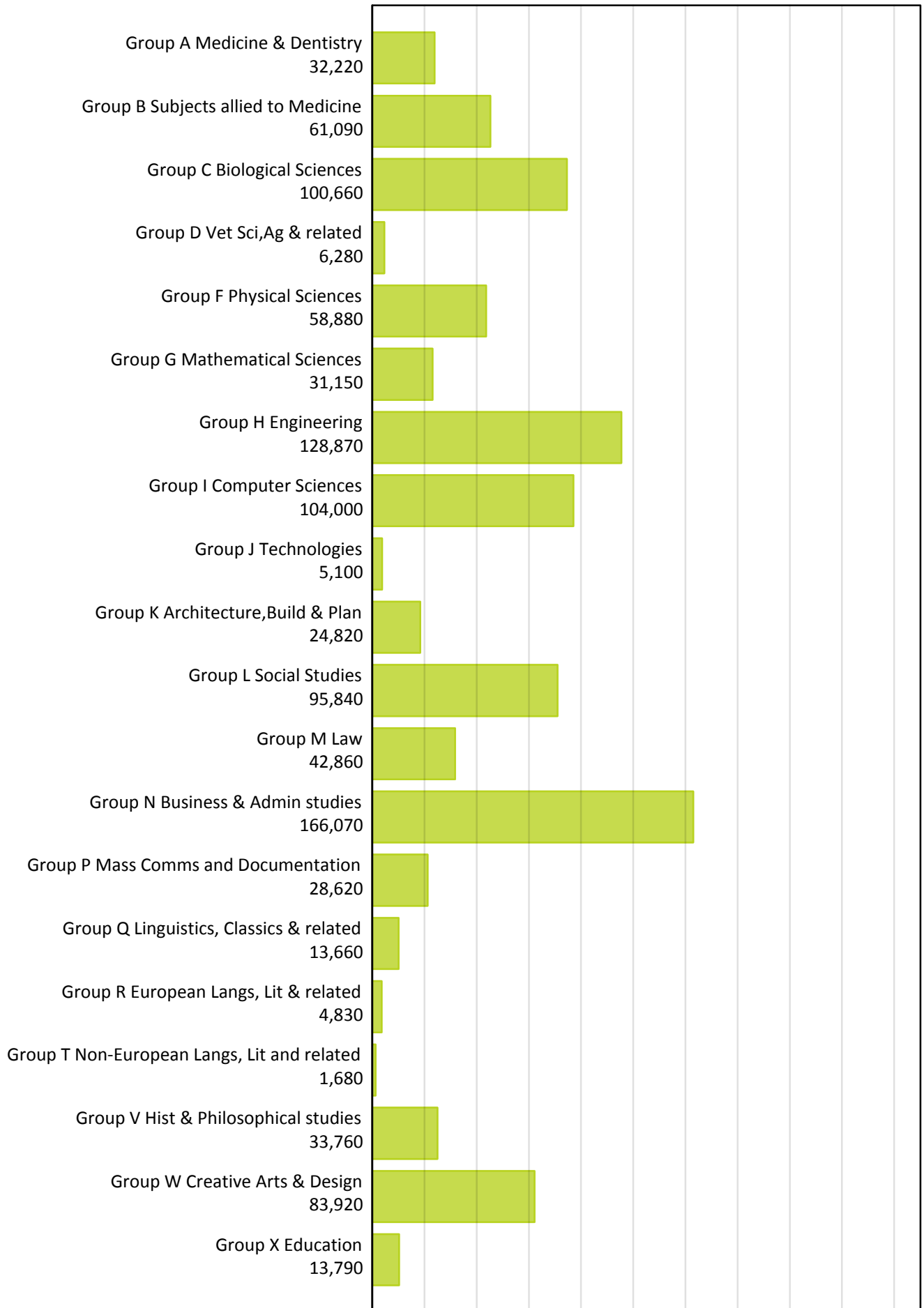
F.8.5 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	19%	20%	5%	0%	-7%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-1%	0%	-1%	0%	-16%
Group C Biological Sciences	-10%	-3%	1%	0%	-2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	12%	8%	8%	0%	-7%
Group F Physical Sciences	4%	6%	5%	0%	-3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-8%	-9%	-4%	0%	2%
Group H Engineering	-13%	-4%	1%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-23%	-13%	-4%	0%	1%
Group J Technologies	19%	33%	17%	0%	-13%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-3%	-7%	-2%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	-9%	-8%	-3%	0%	4%
Group M Law	-1%	-5%	-3%	0%	0%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-12%	-8%	-3%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-15%	-8%	-5%	0%	2%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	9%	11%	5%	0%	-9%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	16%	10%	6%	0%	-6%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	12%	2%	9%	0%	-18%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	2%	6%	4%	0%	-8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-5%	-2%	-0%	0%	-9%
Group X Education	-10%	-11%	5%	0%	-5%
Y Combined arts	27%	24%	8%	0%	-13%
Y Combined sciences	32%	33%	18%	0%	-3%
Y Combined social sciences	-17%	-12%	-8%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	61%	53%	20%	0%	-13%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	13%	9%	2%	0%	-0%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-16%	-13%	-3%	0%	1%

F.8.6 Applications by sex and subject group : All domiciles (Men)

Selected subject groups, 2017 cycle



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

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

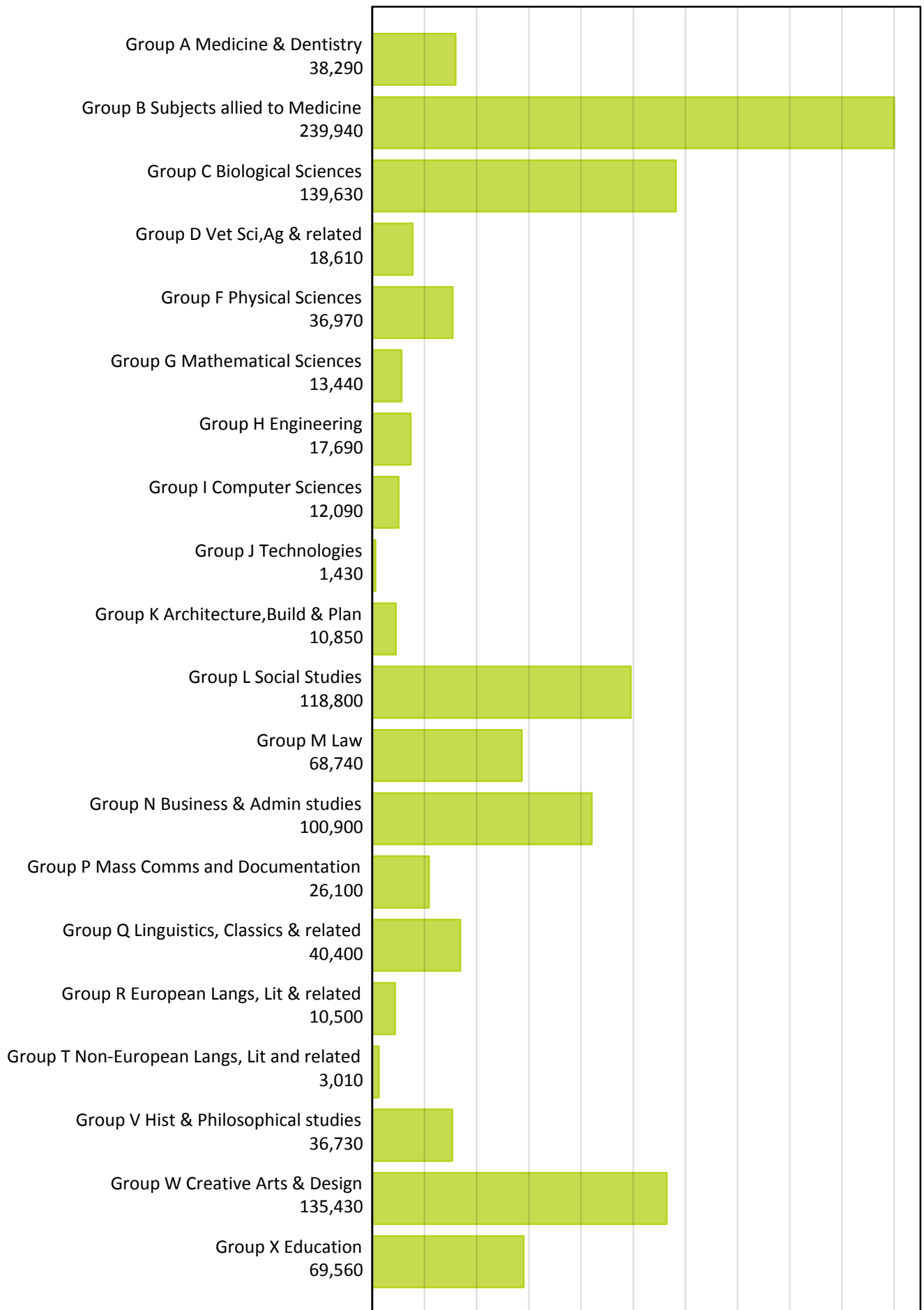
F.8.8 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	10%	13%	2%	0%	1%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-4%	1%	-1%	0%	-15%
Group C Biological Sciences	-20%	-14%	-5%	0%	-1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-9%	-1%	3%	0%	-4%
Group F Physical Sciences	-10%	-4%	1%	0%	-1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	0%	-1%	-2%	0%	5%
Group H Engineering	-36%	-21%	-4%	0%	1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-20%	-15%	-5%	0%	-4%
Group J Technologies	-14%	2%	-1%	0%	-8%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-19%	-18%	-7%	0%	10%
Group L Social Studies	-13%	-7%	-1%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-12%	-11%	-7%	0%	10%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-4%	-2%	0%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-11%	-3%	2%	0%	-1%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2%	1%	3%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	15%	7%	8%	0%	-6%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	8%	3%	8%	0%	3%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-10%	-6%	-1%	0%	-9%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-3%	1%	2%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	-5%	-5%	2%	0%	0%
Y Combined arts	13%	10%	5%	0%	-9%
Y Combined sciences	18%	20%	13%	0%	-11%
Y Combined social sciences	-5%	1%	-2%	0%	-2%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	25%	23%	12%	0%	-7%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	7%	7%	7%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-12%	-11%	2%	0%	-6%

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

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

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

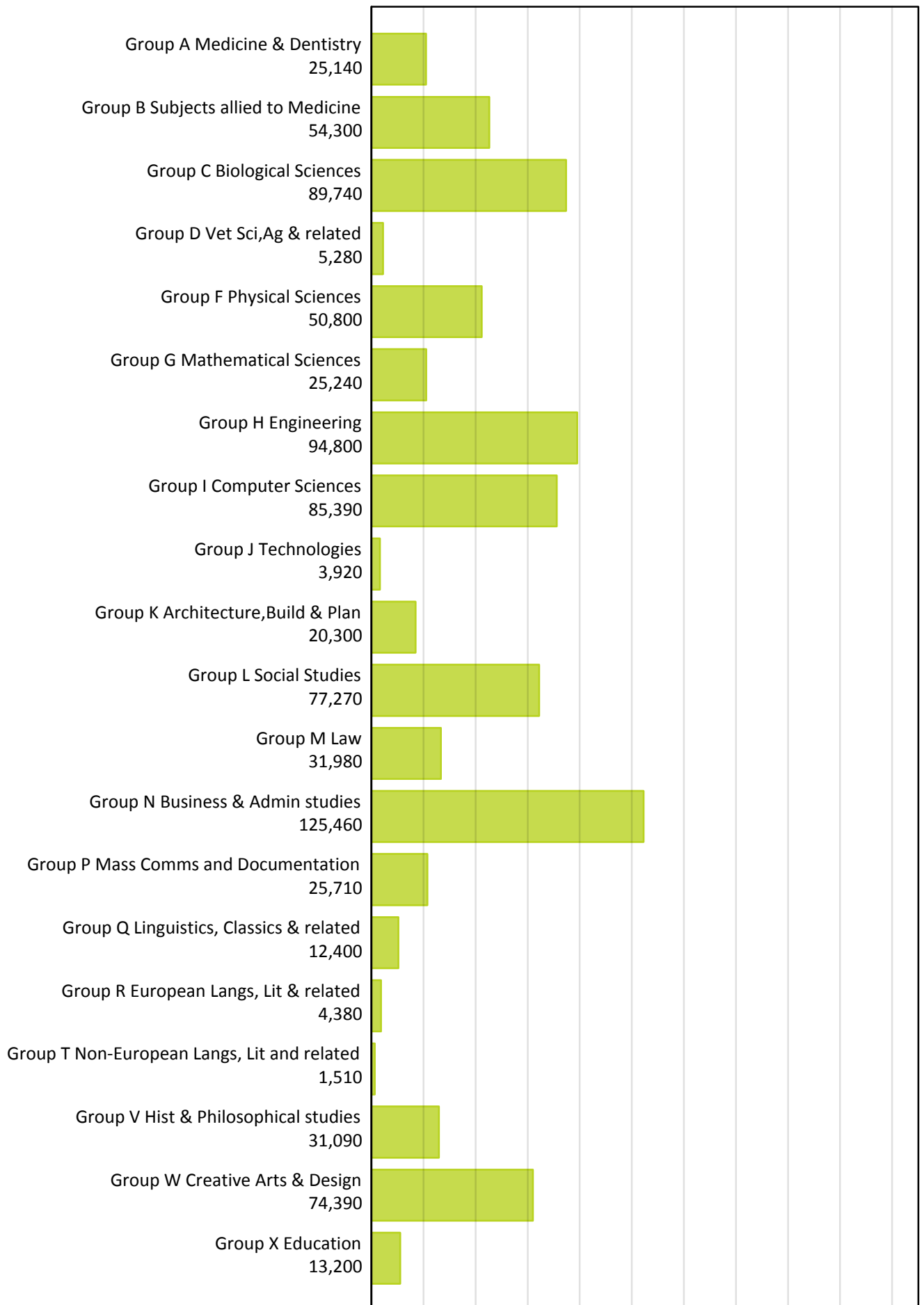
F.8.11 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	24%	22%	6%	0%	-6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	1%	1%	-0%	0%	-16%
Group C Biological Sciences	-9%	-2%	2%	0%	-3%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	13%	10%	9%	0%	-10%
Group F Physical Sciences	7%	9%	7%	0%	-4%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-6%	-8%	-3%	0%	2%
Group H Engineering	-14%	-5%	0%	0%	-2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-20%	-10%	-2%	0%	-1%
Group J Technologies	28%	40%	19%	0%	-16%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-5%	-10%	-6%	0%	3%
Group L Social Studies	-12%	-10%	-4%	0%	5%
Group M Law	-0%	-6%	-6%	0%	3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-13%	-9%	-5%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-13%	-7%	-4%	0%	2%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	11%	13%	5%	0%	-10%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	17%	10%	5%	0%	-6%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	21%	10%	15%	0%	-14%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	4%	8%	5%	0%	-8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-2%	0%	1%	0%	-9%
Group X Education	-8%	-9%	5%	0%	-4%
Y Combined arts	30%	25%	9%	0%	-13%
Y Combined sciences	44%	43%	24%	0%	-4%
Y Combined social sciences	-20%	-13%	-12%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	68%	59%	23%	0%	-14%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	12%	7%	3%	0%	1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-6%	-5%	2%	0%	1%

F.8.12 Applications by sex and subject group : UK (Men)

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

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	35,180	35,900	32,340	31,860	32,170
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	227,190	240,540	234,000	235,420	195,490
Group C Biological Sciences	94,510	102,270	113,550	121,260	119,440
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	15,100	16,330	16,350	15,680	15,150
Group F Physical Sciences	27,860	29,920	31,620	31,490	31,640
Group G Mathematical Sciences	10,870	10,670	10,660	10,930	11,550
Group H Engineering	8,540	10,550	13,300	13,950	14,230
Group I Computer Sciences	7,310	7,950	8,910	9,260	9,160
Group J Technologies	940	1,200	1,110	1,130	1,050
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6,570	6,680	7,370	8,180	9,020
Group L Social Studies	82,470	87,890	94,980	97,080	100,280
Group M Law	46,750	46,890	49,080	52,460	57,600
Group N Business & Admin studies	80,600	81,710	83,520	82,940	80,330
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	19,950	21,460	22,970	22,230	22,220
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	38,190	37,900	38,680	37,160	35,390
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	10,390	9,720	9,820	8,880	8,270
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	2,960	2,830	2,950	2,690	2,770
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	31,530	32,880	34,580	34,720	31,720
Group W Creative Arts & Design	120,300	126,050	128,210	124,660	116,850
Group X Education	54,980	54,760	50,800	47,470	46,380
Y Combined arts	29,170	28,220	27,000	25,120	22,330
Y Combined sciences	11,510	11,760	10,750	9,280	8,170
Y Combined social sciences	8,300	8,590	8,200	8,200	8,100
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	25,020	24,360	22,190	19,460	17,920
Y Social sciences combined with arts	20,770	20,600	20,240	18,550	18,210
Z General, other combined & unknown	7,840	8,360	9,760	9,400	8,800

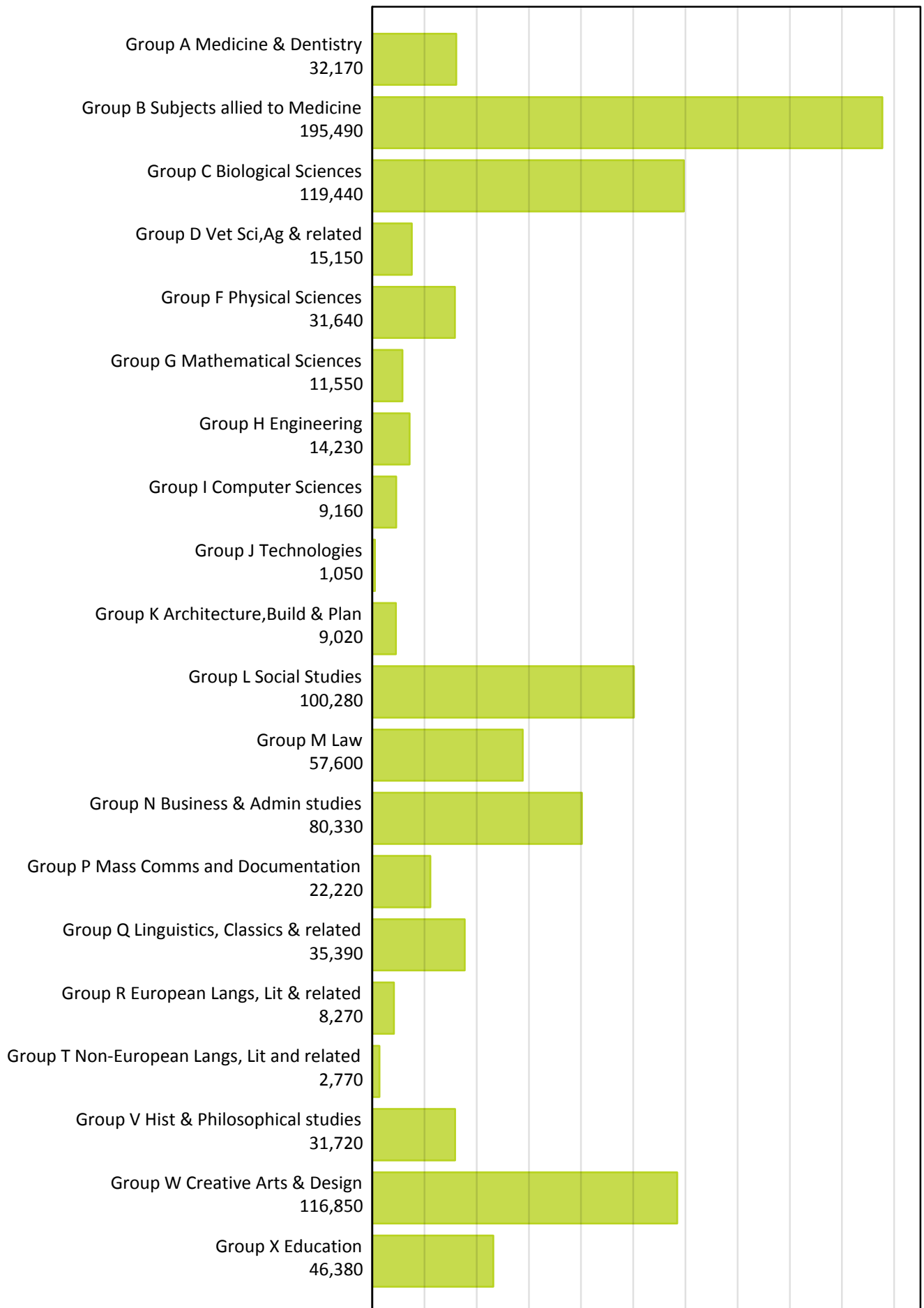
F.8.14 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	10%	13%	1%	0%	1%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-3%	2%	-1%	0%	-17%
Group C Biological Sciences	-22%	-16%	-6%	0%	-1%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-4%	4%	4%	0%	-3%
Group F Physical Sciences	-12%	-5%	0%	0%	0%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-1%	-2%	-3%	0%	6%
Group H Engineering	-39%	-24%	-5%	0%	2%
Group I Computer Sciences	-21%	-14%	-4%	0%	-1%
Group J Technologies	-17%	6%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-20%	-18%	-10%	0%	10%
Group L Social Studies	-15%	-9%	-2%	0%	3%
Group M Law	-11%	-11%	-6%	0%	10%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-3%	-1%	1%	0%	-3%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-10%	-3%	3%	0%	-0%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	3%	2%	4%	0%	-5%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	17%	10%	11%	0%	-7%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	10%	5%	10%	0%	3%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-9%	-5%	-0%	0%	-9%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-3%	1%	3%	0%	-6%
Group X Education	16%	15%	7%	0%	-2%
Y Combined arts	16%	12%	8%	0%	-11%
Y Combined sciences	24%	27%	16%	0%	-12%
Y Combined social sciences	1%	5%	0%	0%	-1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	29%	25%	14%	0%	-8%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	12%	11%	9%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-17%	-11%	4%	0%	-6%

F.8.15 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Women)

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

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	28,440	28,020	24,100	22,790	21,520
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	55,740	56,310	55,750	55,650	46,600
Group C Biological Sciences	70,800	76,590	79,780	78,270	76,400
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	5,100	5,080	4,880	4,440	4,040
Group F Physical Sciences	47,270	49,130	48,020	45,110	43,590
Group G Mathematical Sciences	20,470	20,230	21,320	21,970	22,180
Group H Engineering	64,640	71,400	76,610	77,170	76,090
Group I Computer Sciences	55,520	62,960	68,800	70,270	69,660
Group J Technologies	4,850	5,390	4,640	3,740	3,220
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	14,740	14,010	14,640	15,210	15,520
Group L Social Studies	56,610	57,930	62,060	64,730	68,730
Group M Law	26,330	24,680	24,480	26,070	26,680
Group N Business & Admin studies	94,940	99,080	104,000	108,230	105,850
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	18,320	19,810	20,520	21,300	21,910
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	13,390	13,700	12,720	12,080	10,940
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	4,550	4,420	4,140	3,960	3,730
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	1,950	1,780	1,810	1,610	1,370
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	30,840	31,870	31,170	29,680	27,330
Group W Creative Arts & Design	68,950	71,390	71,370	71,080	63,980
Group X Education	10,740	10,220	8,920	7,680	7,300
Y Combined arts	13,440	12,970	11,170	10,080	8,630
Y Combined sciences	14,660	14,540	12,310	9,730	9,350
Y Combined social sciences	7,800	8,610	8,380	9,570	9,320
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	30,740	29,120	21,990	17,360	14,680
Y Social sciences combined with arts	13,520	12,800	12,100	11,700	11,820
Z General, other combined & unknown	8,560	8,860	9,560	9,360	9,420

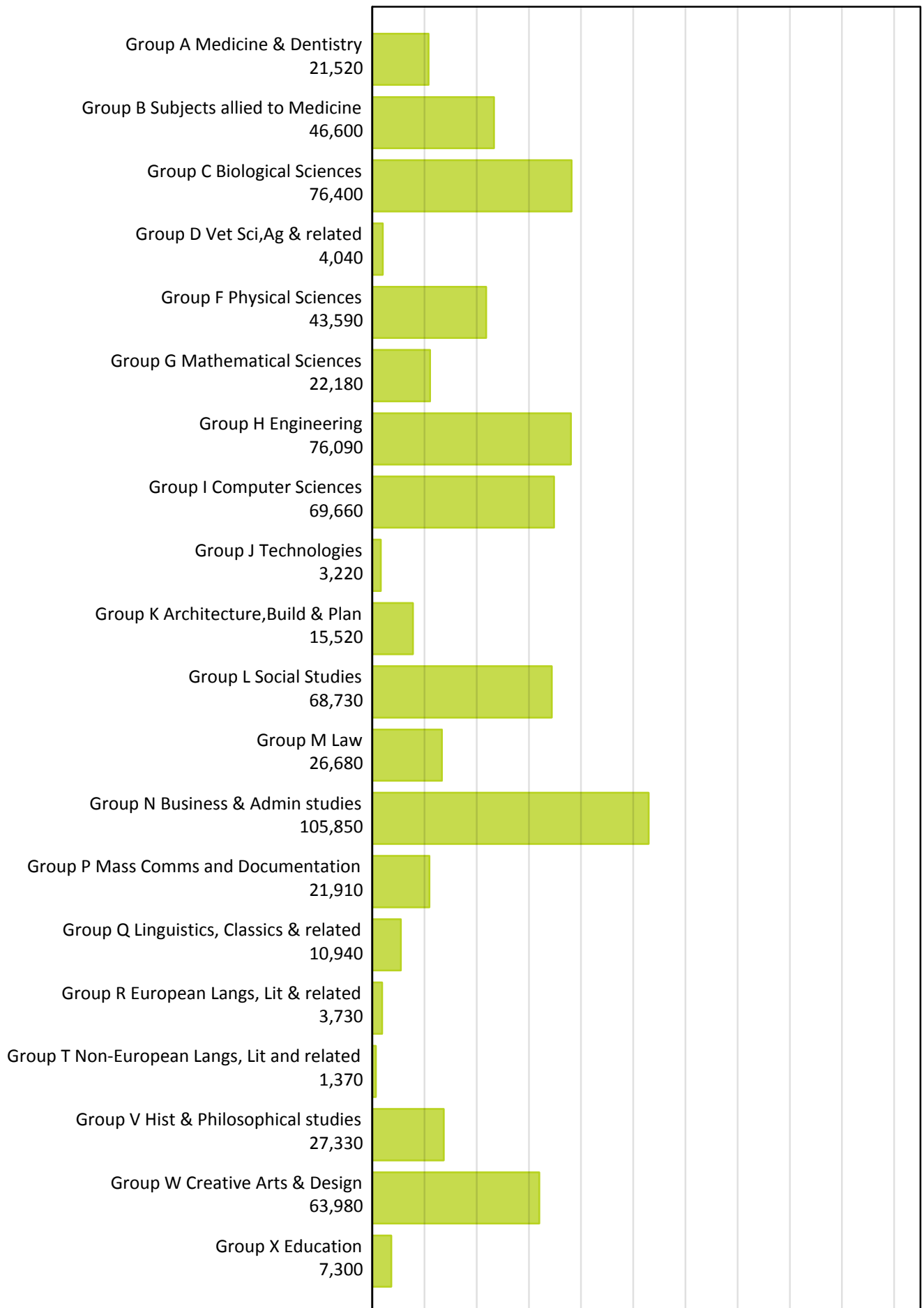
F.8.17 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	25%	23%	6%	0%	-6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	0%	1%	0%	0%	-16%
Group C Biological Sciences	-10%	-2%	2%	0%	-2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	15%	14%	10%	0%	-9%
Group F Physical Sciences	5%	9%	6%	0%	-3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-7%	-8%	-3%	0%	1%
Group H Engineering	-16%	-7%	-1%	0%	-1%
Group I Computer Sciences	-21%	-10%	-2%	0%	-1%
Group J Technologies	30%	44%	24%	0%	-14%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-3%	-8%	-4%	0%	2%
Group L Social Studies	-13%	-10%	-4%	0%	6%
Group M Law	1%	-5%	-6%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-12%	-8%	-4%	0%	-2%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-14%	-7%	-4%	0%	3%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	11%	13%	5%	0%	-9%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	15%	12%	4%	0%	-6%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	21%	11%	13%	0%	-15%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	4%	7%	5%	0%	-8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-3%	0%	0%	0%	-10%
Group X Education	40%	33%	16%	0%	-5%
Y Combined arts	33%	29%	11%	0%	-14%
Y Combined sciences	51%	49%	26%	0%	-4%
Y Combined social sciences	-18%	-10%	-12%	0%	-3%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	77%	68%	27%	0%	-15%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	16%	9%	3%	0%	1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-9%	-5%	2%	0%	1%

F.8.18 Applications by sex and subject group : England (Men)

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

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

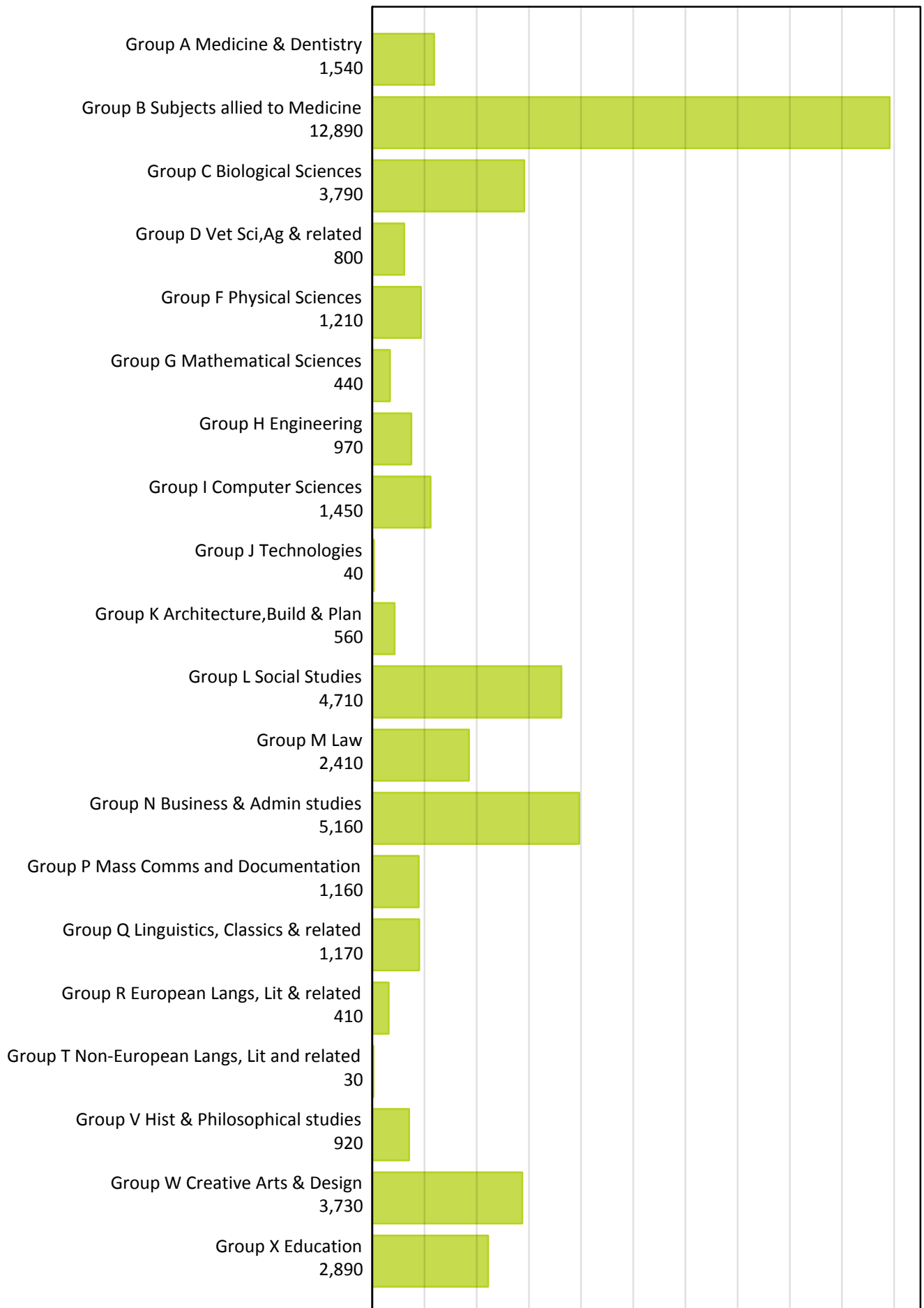
F.8.20 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

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

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

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

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

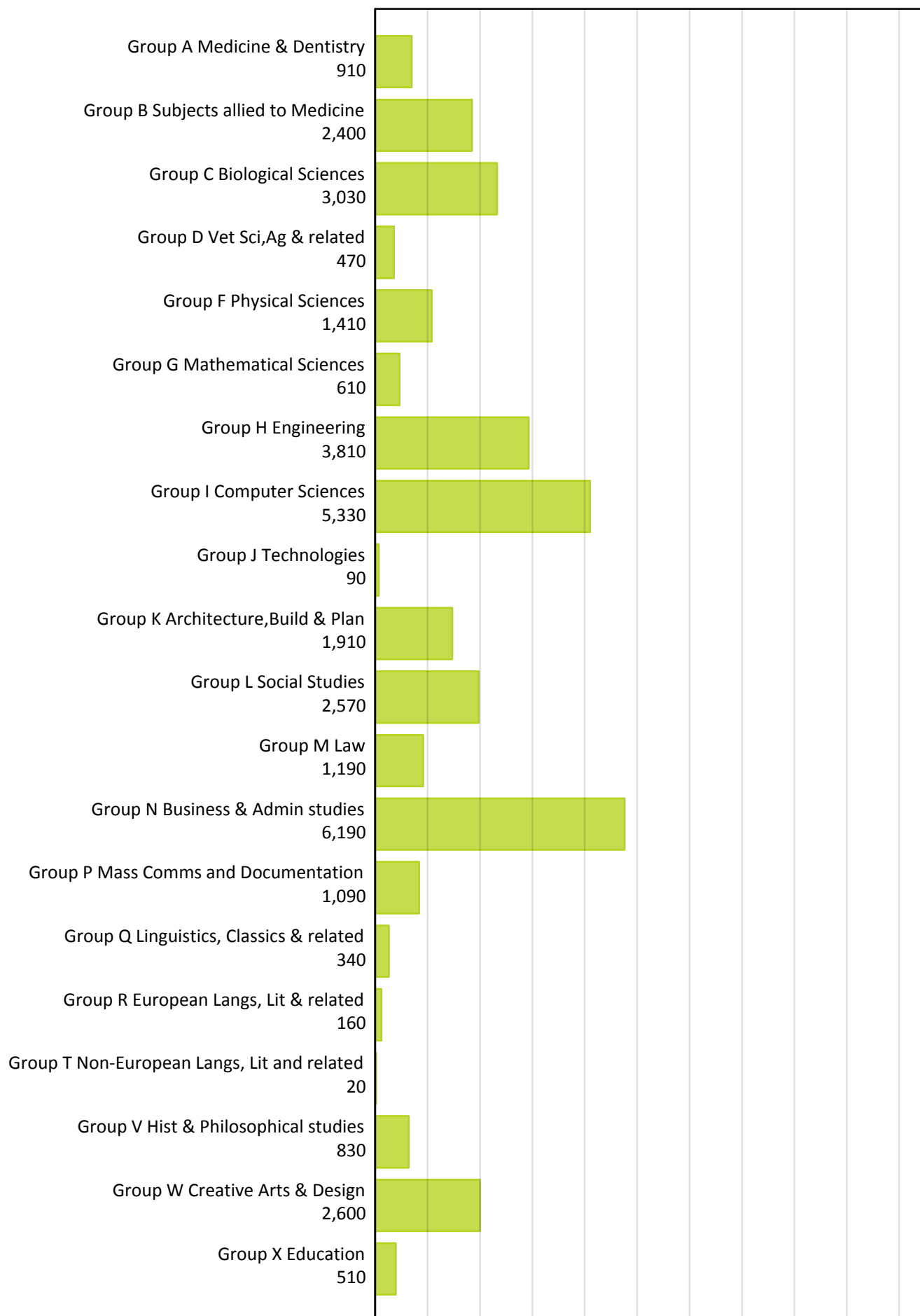
F.8.23 Applications by sex and subject group : Northern Ireland (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	17%	6%	-1%	0%	-13%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2%	-5%	-5%	0%	-12%
Group C Biological Sciences	0%	2%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	25%	7%	-4%	0%	-21%
Group F Physical Sciences	10%	1%	6%	0%	-5%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-8%	0%	16%	0%	-1%
Group H Engineering	6%	1%	-0%	0%	-3%
Group I Computer Sciences	-15%	-4%	-2%	0%	-12%
Group J Technologies	128%	117%	51%	0%	-37%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-18%	-26%	-13%	0%	8%
Group L Social Studies	-14%	-16%	0%	0%	-7%
Group M Law	-11%	-5%	8%	0%	-11%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-15%	-9%	-11%	0%	1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	10%	0%	-11%	0%	11%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	2%	12%	0%	0%	-19%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	58%	44%	54%	0%	7%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	350%	225%	600%	0%	400%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	18%	21%	10%	0%	-12%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-1%	-7%	2%	0%	4%
Group X Education	-21%	-31%	-3%	0%	-15%
Y Combined arts	13%	12%	-10%	0%	-15%
Y Combined sciences	-8%	14%	3%	0%	-8%
Y Combined social sciences	-23%	-21%	-17%	0%	18%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	43%	35%	1%	0%	-17%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	17%	13%	2%	0%	3%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-0%	8%	2%	0%	-10%

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

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

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

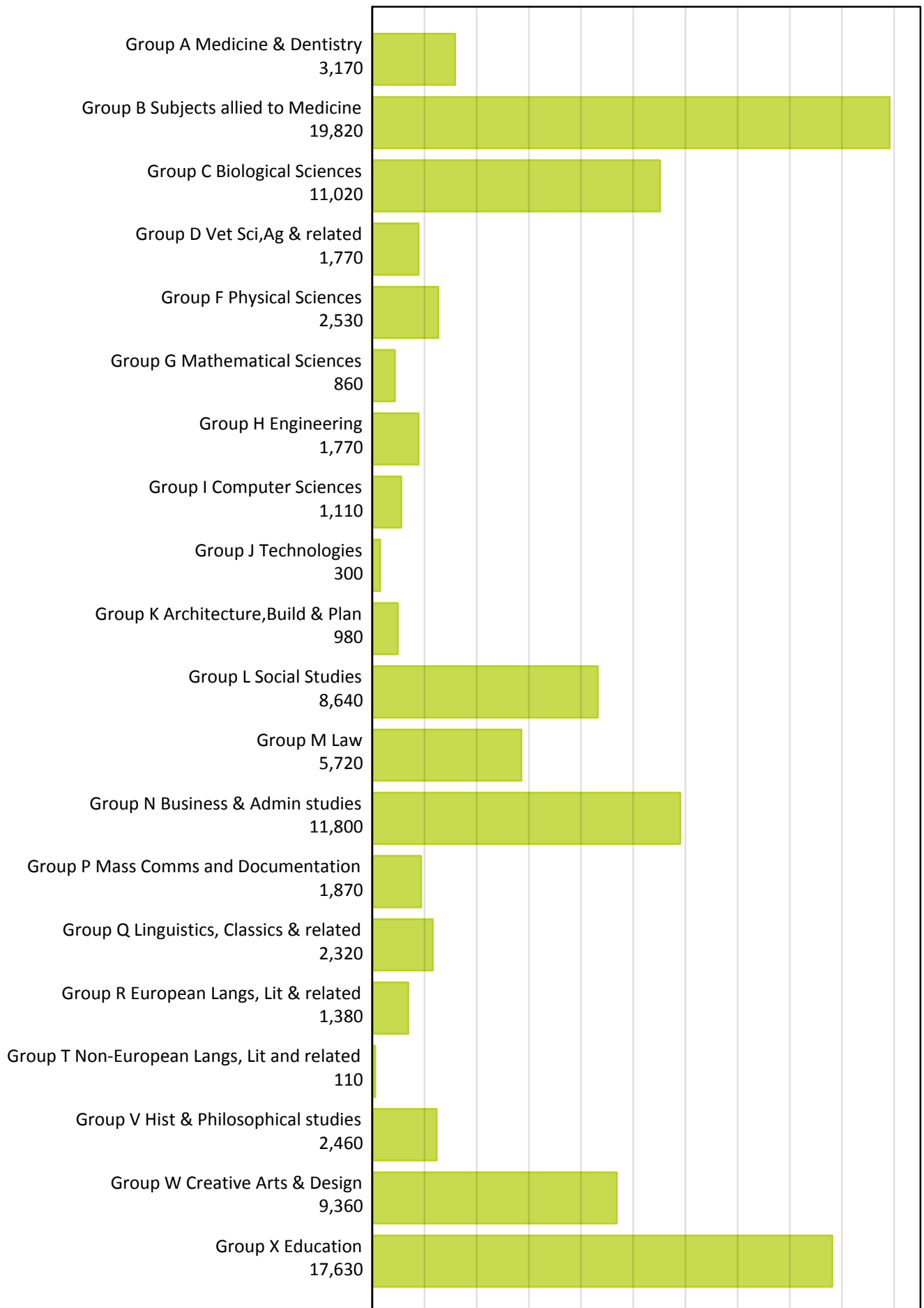
F.8.26 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-0%	12%	3%	0%	6%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-6%	4%	3%	0%	-0%
Group C Biological Sciences	-5%	-2%	6%	0%	2%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-44%	-36%	-4%	0%	-3%
Group F Physical Sciences	11%	12%	9%	0%	-8%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	17%	24%	1%	0%	16%
Group H Engineering	-12%	-1%	2%	0%	-13%
Group I Computer Sciences	-14%	-19%	-6%	0%	1%
Group J Technologies	-13%	-10%	-3%	0%	-7%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-17%	-16%	-5%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-5%	3%	7%	0%	-0%
Group M Law	-23%	-21%	-16%	0%	15%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-9%	0%	3%	0%	-0%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-25%	-6%	-8%	0%	-6%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-19%	-15%	-16%	0%	18%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	3%	-6%	-15%	0%	-7%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-4%	-29%	-41%	0%	24%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-20%	-16%	-8%	0%	-8%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-7%	-4%	-8%	0%	-4%
Group X Education	-68%	-66%	-11%	0%	7%
Y Combined arts	-20%	-8%	-18%	0%	6%
Y Combined sciences	27%	13%	12%	0%	-8%
Y Combined social sciences	-41%	-24%	-6%	0%	-8%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	14%	12%	2%	0%	0%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-23%	-16%	-7%	0%	-2%
Z General, other combined & unknown	26%	-15%	-17%	0%	11%

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

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

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

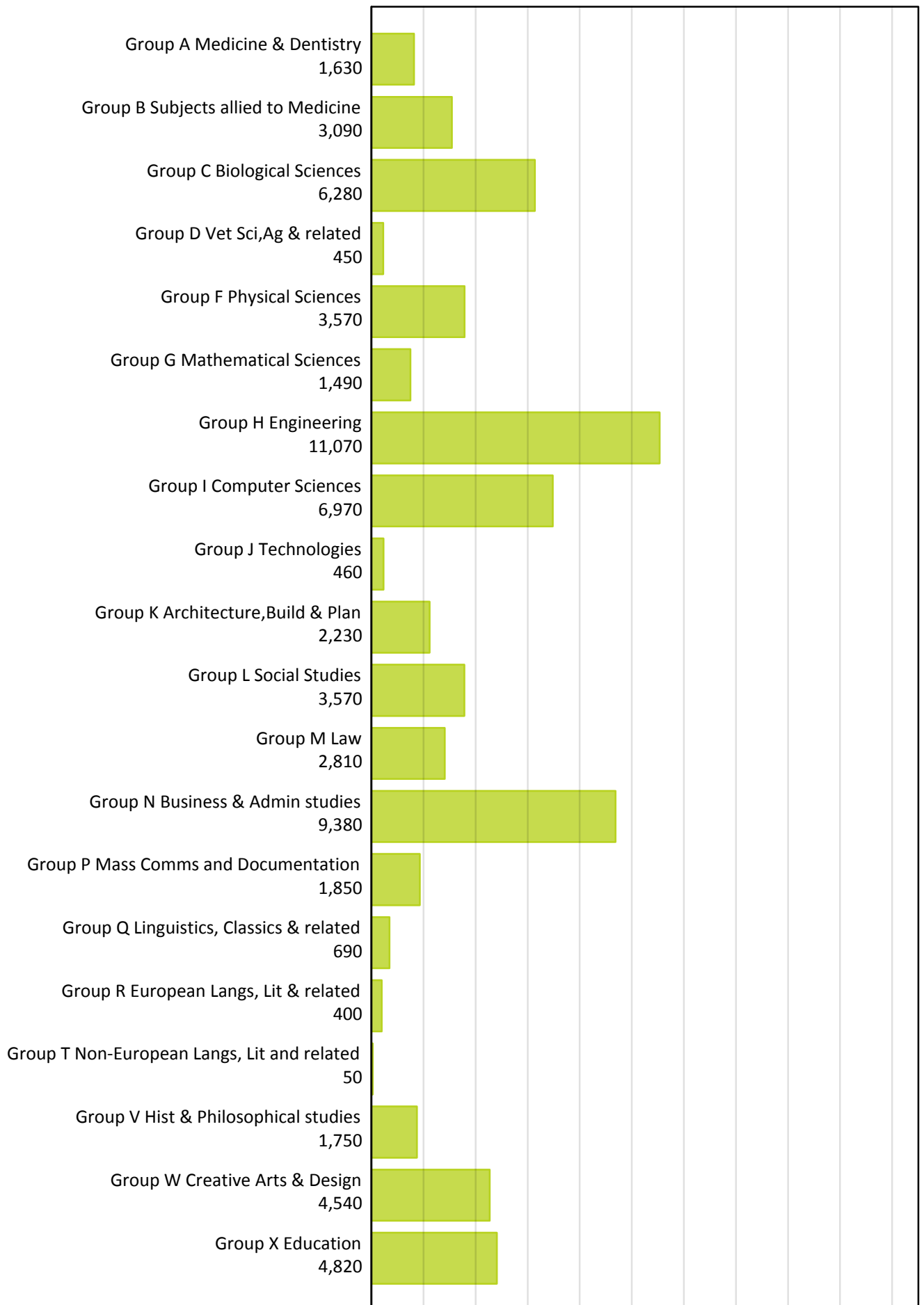
F.8.29 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	22%	14%	4%	0%	-8%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	2%	3%	-3%	0%	-11%
Group C Biological Sciences	1%	0%	3%	0%	-5%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-24%	-29%	15%	0%	-8%
Group F Physical Sciences	26%	9%	15%	0%	-8%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	23%	4%	4%	0%	32%
Group H Engineering	-3%	6%	9%	0%	-9%
Group I Computer Sciences	-13%	-7%	-3%	0%	4%
Group J Technologies	-14%	-8%	-18%	0%	-15%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	-13%	-14%	-12%	0%	6%
Group L Social Studies	5%	4%	0%	0%	-8%
Group M Law	-5%	-16%	-9%	0%	16%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-18%	-11%	-9%	0%	-4%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-11%	-5%	-5%	0%	3%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	8%	-6%	-11%	0%	-4%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	27%	1%	-2%	0%	2%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	73%	2%	7%	0%	-11%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-2%	6%	-2%	0%	1%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	2%	-0%	-3%	0%	-5%
Group X Education	-85%	-77%	-10%	0%	-0%
Y Combined arts	-1%	2%	-12%	0%	3%
Y Combined sciences	37%	16%	20%	0%	2%
Y Combined social sciences	-42%	-39%	-11%	0%	-15%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	23%	18%	6%	0%	-4%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-21%	-16%	-2%	0%	1%
Z General, other combined & unknown	16%	-27%	-19%	0%	7%

F.8.30 Applications by sex and subject group : Scotland (Men)

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

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

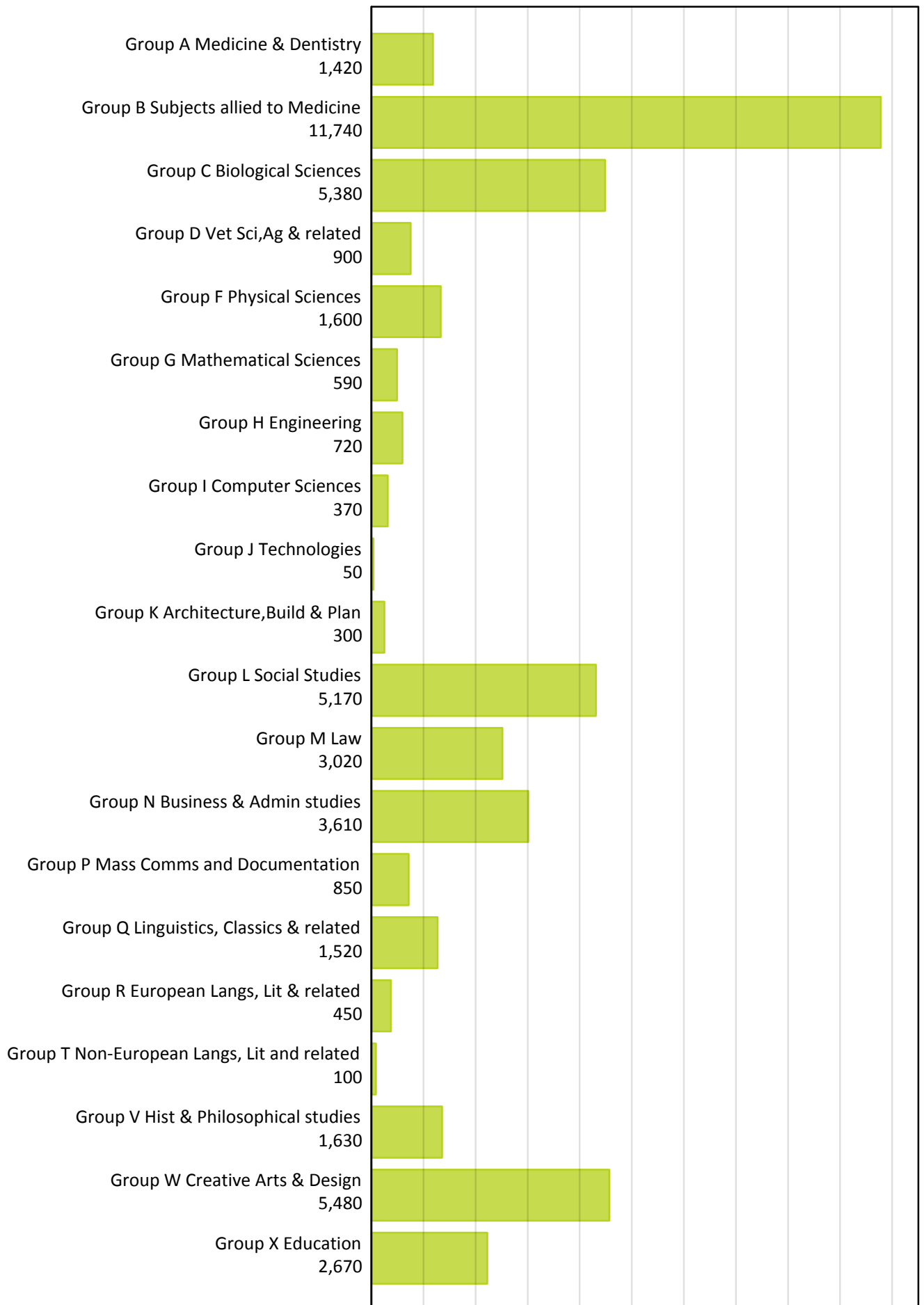
F.8.32 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

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

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

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

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

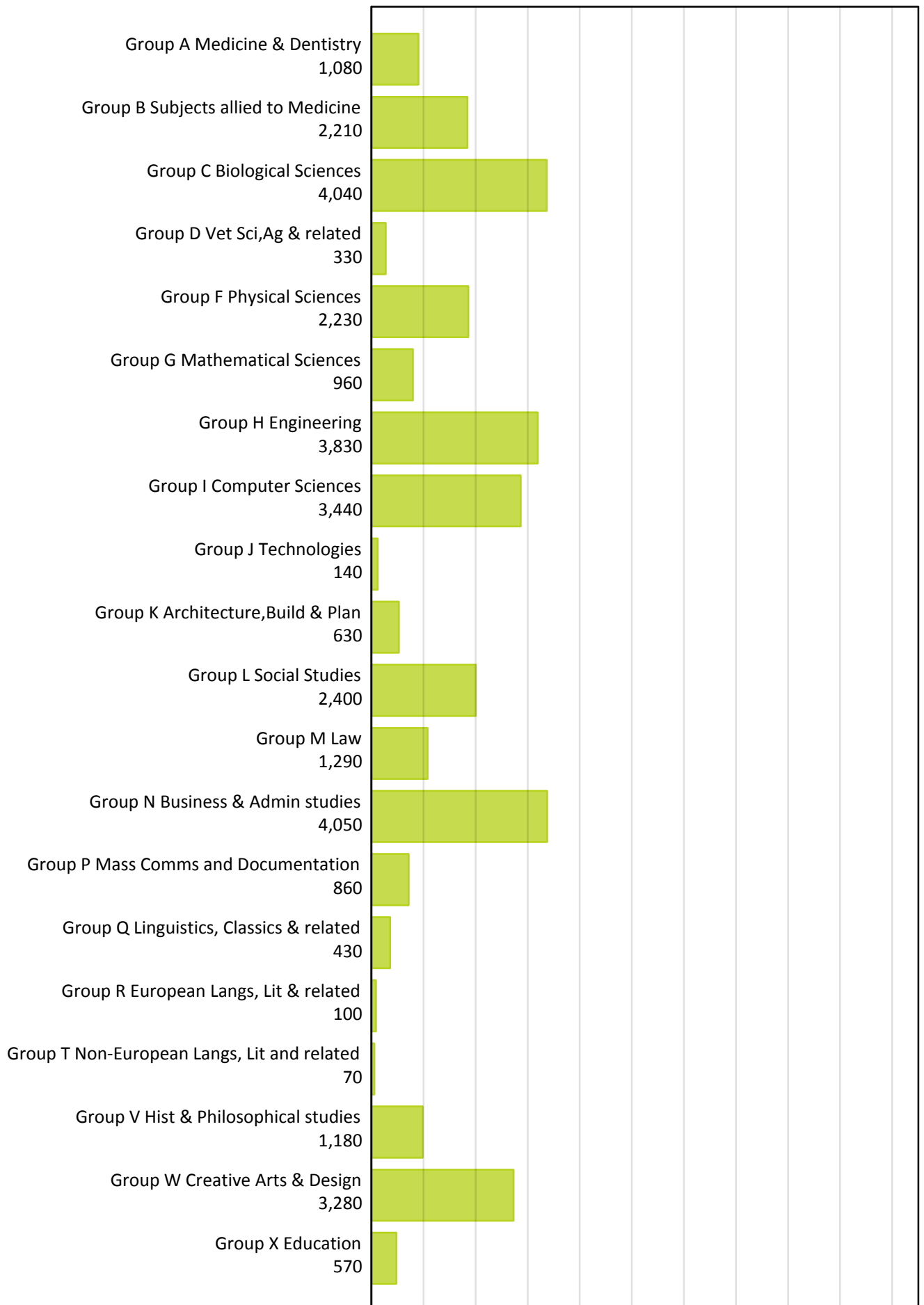
F.8.35 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	13%	18%	15%	0%	-3%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	8%	9%	1%	0%	-13%
Group C Biological Sciences	-13%	-2%	-2%	0%	-8%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	14%	16%	12%	0%	-5%
Group F Physical Sciences	15%	13%	12%	0%	-9%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-8%	-17%	-14%	0%	-6%
Group H Engineering	-14%	-4%	-1%	0%	5%
Group I Computer Sciences	-21%	-14%	-3%	0%	0%
Group J Technologies	35%	28%	11%	0%	-40%
Group K Architecture, Build & Plan	6%	0%	-6%	0%	11%
Group L Social Studies	-12%	-1%	-1%	0%	12%
Group M Law	-5%	-9%	-11%	0%	2%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-16%	-13%	-12%	0%	-5%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-29%	-13%	-11%	0%	-17%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	27%	20%	18%	0%	-12%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	8%	-30%	3%	0%	-34%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-24%	-7%	38%	0%	-21%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-5%	10%	13%	0%	-16%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	9%	4%	11%	0%	3%
Group X Education	11%	24%	-3%	0%	-19%
Y Combined arts	26%	20%	20%	0%	-25%
Y Combined sciences	35%	36%	25%	0%	-11%
Y Combined social sciences	24%	12%	7%	0%	6%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	75%	54%	23%	0%	-22%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	35%	30%	9%	0%	-11%
Z General, other combined & unknown	46%	41%	28%	0%	-5%

F.8.36 Applications by sex and subject group : Wales (Men)

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

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

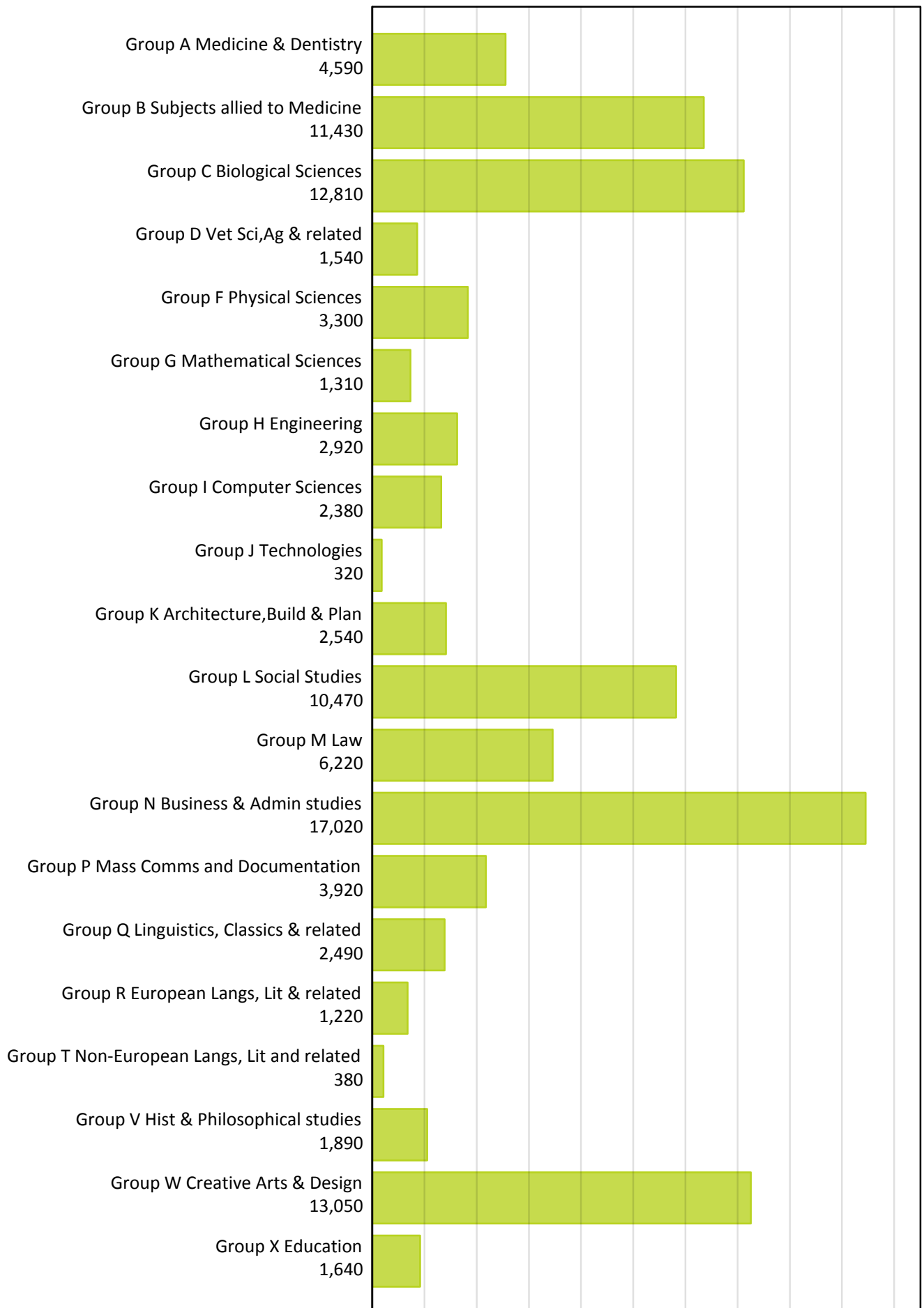
F.8.38 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	-7%	-3%	-8%	0%	-16%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-2%	-3%	-3%	0%	-19%
Group C Biological Sciences	-27%	-23%	-10%	0%	-4%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	-20%	-12%	1%	0%	-10%
Group F Physical Sciences	-30%	-23%	-14%	0%	1%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-18%	-15%	-10%	0%	3%
Group H Engineering	-41%	-27%	-12%	0%	-7%
Group I Computer Sciences	-58%	-37%	-16%	0%	-6%
Group J Technologies	-29%	-20%	-10%	0%	-24%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	1%	-8%	1%	0%	1%
Group L Social Studies	-19%	-11%	-5%	0%	-4%
Group M Law	-18%	-19%	-10%	0%	-3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-23%	-13%	-7%	0%	-9%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-24%	-13%	-2%	0%	-9%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-27%	-18%	-12%	0%	-16%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	-0%	9%	9%	0%	-14%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-1%	-9%	-15%	0%	6%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-22%	-19%	-20%	0%	-4%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-25%	-14%	-5%	0%	-3%
Group X Education	-51%	-40%	12%	0%	6%
Y Combined arts	-10%	2%	-8%	0%	-2%
Y Combined sciences	-23%	-11%	1%	0%	-10%
Y Combined social sciences	-15%	-14%	-3%	0%	1%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	-17%	-1%	-8%	0%	-5%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	-3%	-2%	2%	0%	-9%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-39%	-34%	-12%	0%	-6%

F.8.39 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Women)

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

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

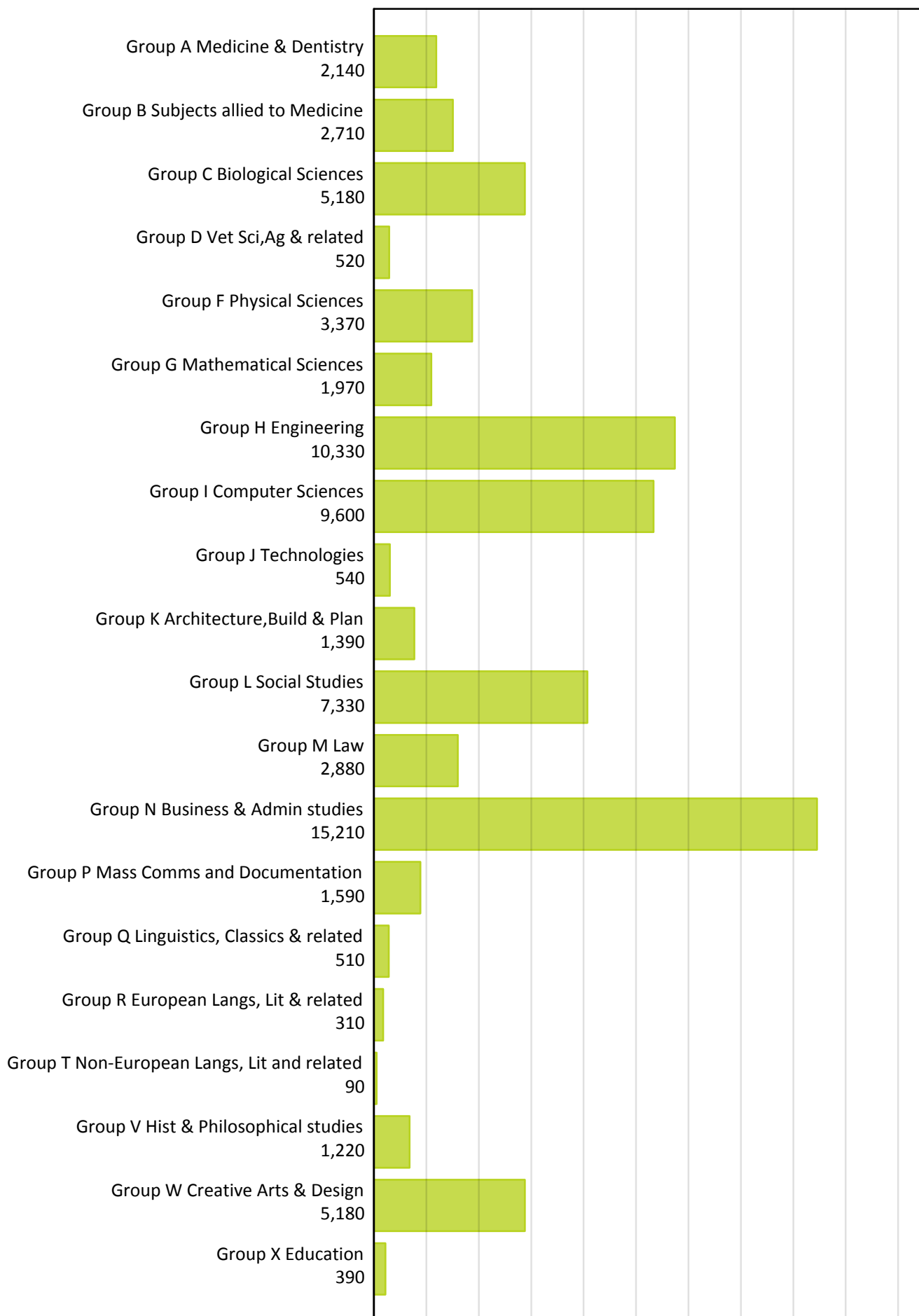
F.8.41 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Subject group (JACS3)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Group A Medicine & Dentistry	13%	27%	9%	0%	-13%
Group B Subjects allied to Medicine	-3%	-7%	-9%	0%	-24%
Group C Biological Sciences	-20%	-16%	-10%	0%	-6%
Group D Vet Sci,Ag & related	10%	0%	-2%	0%	2%
Group F Physical Sciences	-14%	-17%	-7%	0%	-3%
Group G Mathematical Sciences	-31%	-19%	-11%	0%	8%
Group H Engineering	-14%	-9%	-6%	0%	-4%
Group I Computer Sciences	-35%	-28%	-9%	0%	2%
Group J Technologies	-13%	10%	10%	0%	-8%
Group K Architecture,Build & Plan	21%	2%	5%	0%	-3%
Group L Social Studies	-2%	-4%	-1%	0%	-4%
Group M Law	-15%	-8%	-0%	0%	-3%
Group N Business & Admin studies	-15%	-14%	-1%	0%	-1%
Group P Mass Comms and Documentation	-15%	-22%	-16%	0%	-3%
Group Q Linguistics, Classics & related	-10%	-1%	8%	0%	-15%
Group R European Langs, Lit & related	6%	2%	5%	0%	-12%
Group T Non-European Langs, Lit and related	-40%	-41%	-7%	0%	-38%
Group V Hist & Philosophical studies	-25%	-8%	-2%	0%	-5%
Group W Creative Arts & Design	-30%	-23%	-9%	0%	-12%
Group X Education	-70%	-69%	-2%	0%	-14%
Y Combined arts	6%	10%	-0%	0%	-11%
Y Combined sciences	-7%	-1%	-1%	0%	-0%
Y Combined social sciences	-13%	-9%	-2%	0%	-6%
Y Sciences combined with social sciences or arts	18%	18%	4%	0%	-10%
Y Social sciences combined with arts	8%	3%	-8%	0%	-10%
Z General, other combined & unknown	-37%	-28%	-16%	0%	-2%

F.8.42 Applications by sex and subject group : EU (excluding UK) (Men)

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

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

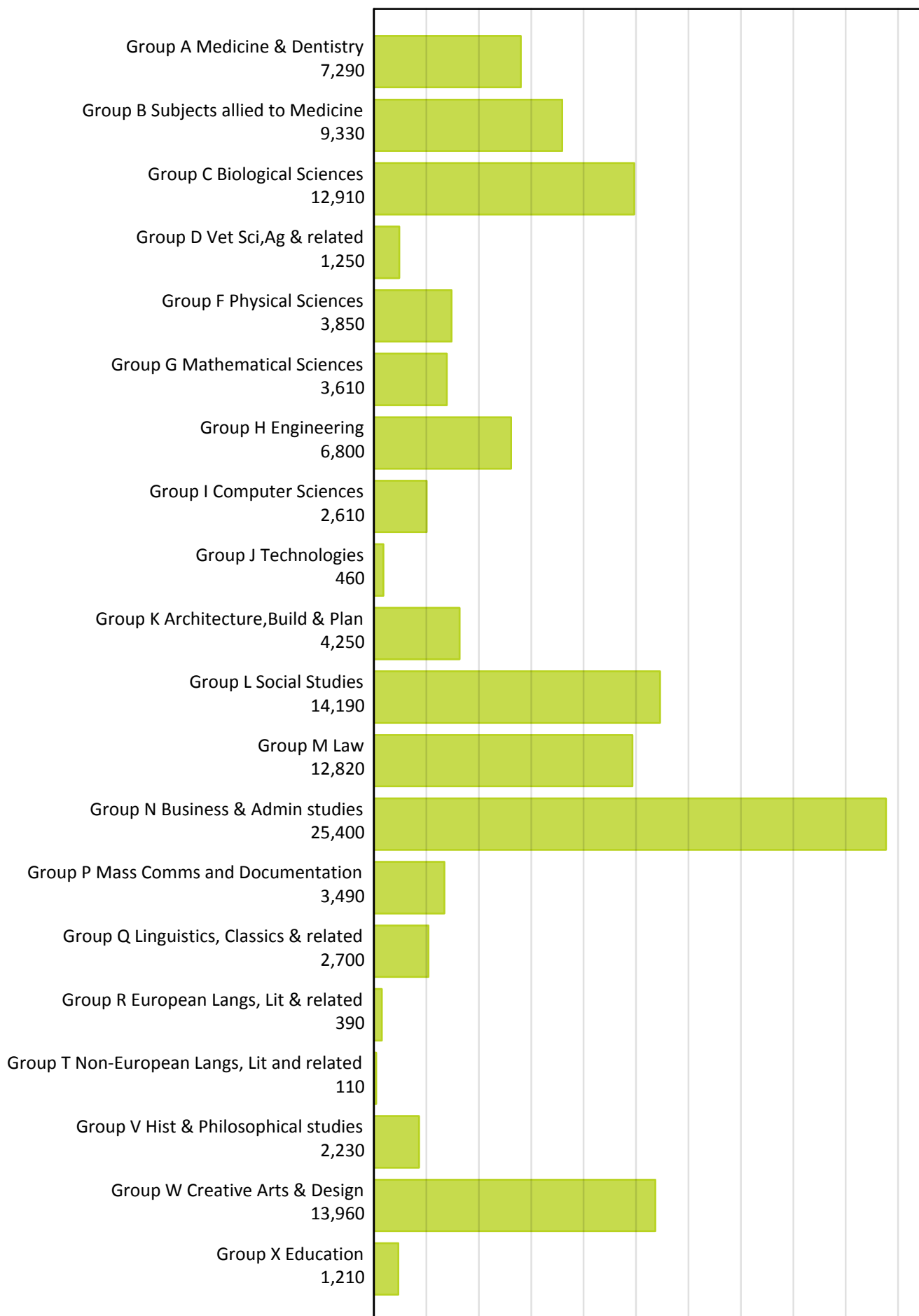
F.8.44 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Women)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

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

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

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

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

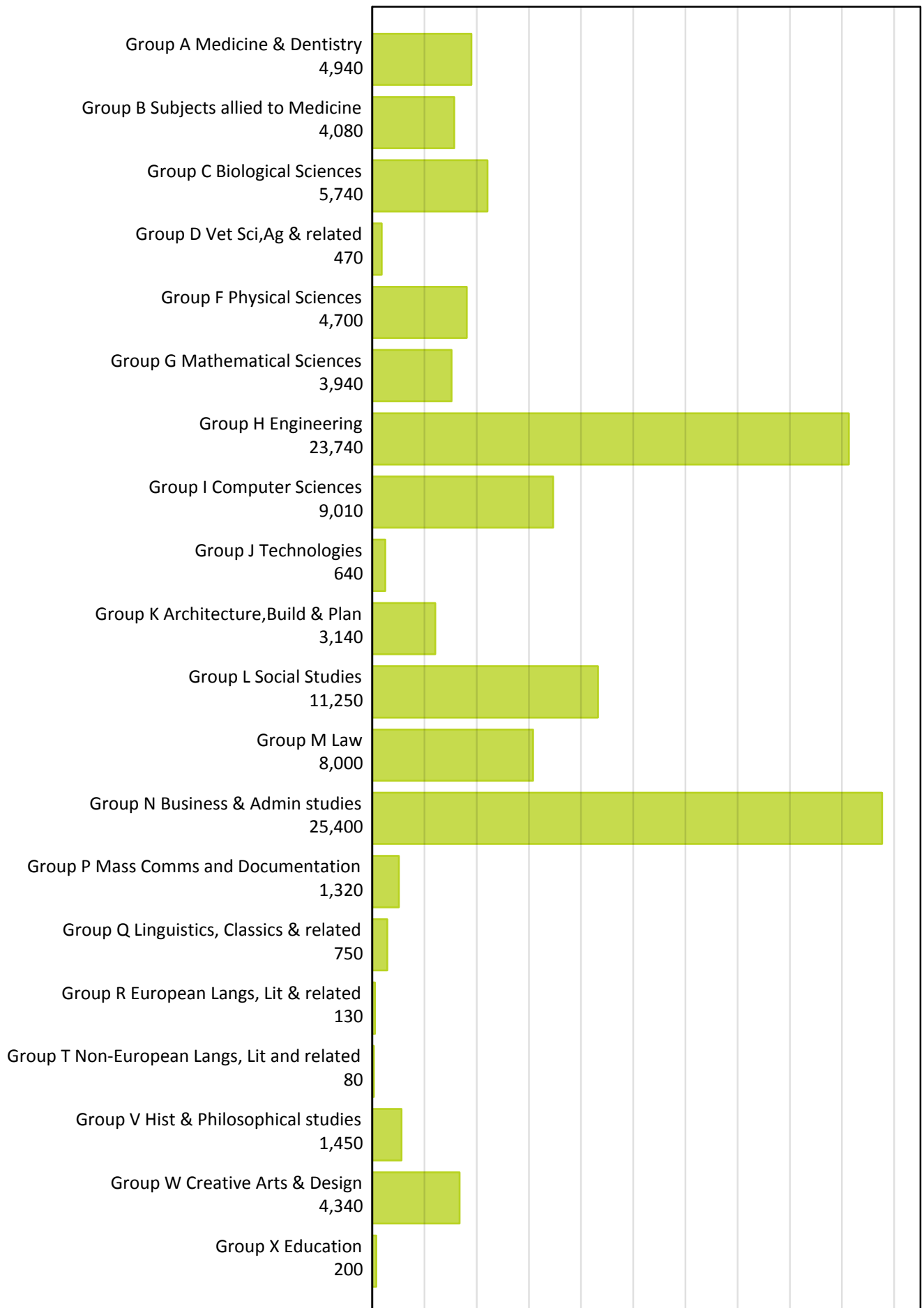
F.8.47 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men)

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

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

F.8.48 Applications by sex and subject group : Not EU (Men)

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F.8.49 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2017 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. Almost all main scheme applications have been received by the 24 March 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.

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.

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.