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- In 1976, women in minority groups constituted $9.2 \%$ of all women doctorate recipients whereas men in those groups constituted only $5.6 \%$ of all men doctorate recipients. (Table I-4)
- The Chicano group is the racial/ethnic group having the largest proportion of Ph.D.'s whose parents have low levels of educational attainment. (Tables I-6 and I-7)
- Among recent Ph.D.'s $14.4 \%$ of the men were over 40 years of age when they received the doctorate compared with $25.8 \%$ of the women. (Table I-8)
- In 1975, the category of Ph.D.'s desiring, but not holding, fulltime employment in science or engineering included $6.4 \%$ of the women Ph.D.'s and 1.6\% of the men Ph.D.'s. (Table II-9)
- There is a strong tendency for minority-group Ph.D.'s to have graduated from undergraduate institutions in states where these minority groups have been concentrated. (Table III-2)
- For Blacks, more than half of the undergraduate institutions that ranked in the top 25 in number of graduates who obtained doctorates in 1973-1976, in each major field, are in the "Old South" and are institutions that historically have been predominantly Black institutions. (Table III-4)
- In 1973-1976, over two-thirds of the Asian Ph.D. 's of each sex received their doctorates at the most research-oriented institutions although less than $55 \%$ of the doctorates were awarded by these institutions. (Table III-5)
- Two-thirds of the private research universities, but just over one-third of the public research universities, were above the national average in the proportion of doctorates awarded to women in 1973-1976. (Table III-8, Analysis I)

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## Objectives

The Commission on Human Resources (CHR) of the National Research Council has extensive data on individual doctorate recipients in the United States derived from surveys of this group. The data base is widely used by individual researchers, professional societies, universities and agencies of the Federal and state governments. The purpose of this report is to make selected data from the CHR data base available to a larger group of potential users by providing data concerning two major groups that have been underrepresented in doctoral education in the past, minorities and women. A wide selection of tabulations of data on doctorate holders by sex and racial/ethnic group membership is presented.

Users of these data have a growing interest in the degree to which change is occurring in the education and employment patterns of minority and women Ph.D.'s. These groups have been the subject of legislation and affirmative-action programs for approximately a decade. Their numbers have now grown sufficiently to permit description of the status and characteristics of these groups and, to some degree, to document the extent to which they have achieved more adequate representation in education and employment. CHR data permit such description of changes in the labor force in recent years and of the characteristics of those who have earned doctorates over the last four years.

The tables presented here control simultaneously on sex and racial/ethnic group membership when sample sizes are adequate, i.e., data are shown separately for each minority group within each sex. This is done to provide more precise identification of attainment patterns of doctorates of distinct population groups. Certain educational patterns have been typical of specific minority groups. Other such patterns appear to be more closely related to sex than to racial/ethnic group membership.

The educational outcome for any individual reflects the combination of both types of factors. For example, in comparison with other groups, Asians have produced a large proportion of engineers but over the last four years, have apparently not produced a single woman doctoral engineer. It is, therefore, more accurate to describe educational patterns separately for each sex within each racial/ethnic group, rather than to attempt to generalize about the racial/ethnic group as a whole.

This is clearly seen in the examination of rates of change in the production of Ph.D.'s (see Table I-4). Minority women appear to be responding to recent forces for change in both the status of minorities and the status of women. Thus, while total minority representation is increasing among doctorate recipients, the number of women is increasing at a faster rate thar the number of men in every minority group. Such patterns only become apparent when sex and group membership are analyzed simultaneously.

Of the many tables that could have been presented, a few have been selected for inclusion in this report based on their utility for: planning for the education and employment of women and minority group members; providing understanding of the roles played by various types of institutions in the education and employment of minority members and women; and research on the background characteristics, education and employment associated with achievement by women and members of minority groups.

Each table provides data to be employed by users according to their various concerns. The brief discussion of each table touches only some of the highlights of the data, leaving to the users the extensive and varied analyses that are possible.

## Minority Groups

In the presentation of data, emphasis is placed on the population born in the United States, although it is recognized that the foreign-born contribute substantially to the U.S. labor force. Laws and affirmative action programs have been directed toward providing equal educational opportunities in this country. Although they apply to all citizens they primarily affect the native-born and it is this
group for which change needs to be measured. Furthermore, it is quite probable that background factors and earlier educational experience related to achievement are not equivalent for native and foreign-born individuals. Thus foreign-born women may represent a highly select group in terms of social class or other characteristics so that their experiences are not comparable to those of women born in this country. (Table I-1 shows the naturalized population to have had a consistently higher proportion of women Ph.D.'s than the native-born population.)

Similarly, by virtue of racial characteristics or national origins, foreign-born individuals may be categorized with or treated like members of native-born minorities when they are in this country but is is unlikely that their earlier experience has been comparable. For the most part, these individuals have not grown up as members of minorities in their home countries and, therefore, have not experienced discrimination. On the other hand, discrimination has affected every level of the educational process of minorities in this country. It is this condition that national policy now seeks to correct.

The racial/ethnic categories used in this study are based on those which have been established by the Office of Management and Budget for use in all federally sponsored surveys. The following is a brief set of descriptions of the groups distinguished in this study to provide some perspective on the origins of doctorate recipients.

## a. Blacks

Blacks are the largest racial/ethnic minority in the United States with a population estimated at approximately 24.5 million, or $11.5 \%$ of the population (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1976b, p. 25). Examination of the educational attainment level of the Black population of adults aged 25 or over shows that the Black population is disadvantaged relative to the White population. The gap has been narrowing, however, among younger individuals. The median number of years of school completed by White males aged 25 to 29 is 13.0 and for White females in this age
group, 12.7. For both Black males and females of the same age group, the median is now 12.5 (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1976a, pp. 10-12). The latter figure for Blacks also reveals a shift in that population. Among all Black adults, the level of educational attainment has been higher for women in the past but is now rising at a higher rate for men.

## b. American Indians (Native Americans)

This group numbered about 800,000 or $0.4 \%$ of the population in 1970 , and is composed of diverse groups in various states. It is the one minority group with a predominantly rural population. The five states with the largest Indian populations are Oklahoma, Arizona, California, New Mexico and North Carolina (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973c).

In the Survey of Earned Doctorates (described in detail in the section on Data Sources) the American Indian group appears to be somewhat overrepresented in relation to its proportion of the population, but it is not certain that the questionnaire selected those whose primary social identification is Indian. The form requested respondents to "Check all that apply" and the overwhelming majority of those who checked "American Indian" also checked "White/Caucasian". Census data show that the high school completion rate among Indians is extremely low for reservation groups. For example, on reservations in Arizona, for those aged 25 and over, it ranges from $9.9 \%$ to a high of $27.5 \%$ among the Hopis. On the other hand, in Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas, the percent of adults who have completed high school varies from $17.9 \%$ in the area of Tucson, Arizona to a high of $65.8 \%$ in the Washington, D. C. area (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973c, pp. 138-143). The high school completion rate for the parents of American Indian doctorates is $62.0 \%$ for men and $68.2 \%$ for women.

## c. Chicanos

The largest of the groups of Spanish origin, Chicanos number approximately 66 million, or $3.1 \%$ of the population (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1977, p. 1). They are located primarily in the southwestern states of Texas, Colorado, Arizona, New

Mexico and California. The Chicano group is the group of Spanish origin with the largest percentage of adults, $24.2 \%$, who have completed less than five years of school (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1977, pp. 5-6). It is also a group currently showing rapid change in this report (see Table I-4).

The Census Bureau policy has been to designate individuals with Spanish surnames in the southwestern states listed above as Mexican in origin (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973a). Although the Earned Doctorate Survey Form uses the mixed category, "Spanish-American/Mexican-American/Chicano" we are using the abbreviated term, "Chicano" to reflect the fact that most of the doctorate recipients of 1973 to 1976, 78.3\%, come from those southwestern states. In this report when this group has been combined with others of Spanish origin because of the small numbers represented in the Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, we have used the term, "Hispanic", to indicate all those of Spanish origin.

## d. Puerto Ricans

The second largest Hispanic group consists of the mainland Puerto Ricans, now approximately $1,800,000$ or $0.9 \%$ of the population (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1977, p. 1). They are overwhelmingly urban and are located primarily in the cities of the eastern part of the United States, particularly in New York where they make up approximately ten percent of the population (U.S. Cormission on Civil Rights, 1976, p. 5). Of the Hispanic groups, the Puerto Ricans have the lowest percent of adults, 25 and over, who have completed high school, $29.8 \%$, (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1977, pp. 5-6) and in 1969 had the smallest proportion of individuals able to read and write English (U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1976, p. 34).

In fact, the mainland Puerto Ricans have only minimal representation among those identifying themselves as Puerto Rican in the Survey of Earned Doctorates. The mainland group is approximately $35 \%$ of all Puerto Ricans (U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1976, p. 34) but only $21.6 \%$ of the Puerto Rican Ph.D.'s from 1973 to 1976 are from the mainland. The remainder were born in Puerto Rico and most studied there
through the baccalaureate. The majority of the Puerto Rican Ph.D.'s in this study have not experienced life as members of a lower status minority.

Nevertheless, it is anticipated that the number of mainland Puerto Rican doctorate recipients will increase. It has been pointed out that mainland-born Puerto Ricans show substantially higher school enrollment figures than those born in Puerto Rico (U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1976, p. 98) but that the majority of those born on the mainland are still of preschool or elementary school age (U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1976, pp. 36-38). One indication of such prospects for change was the increase of Puerto Ricans as a percent of total enrollment in the City University of New York from $4.0 \%$ in 1969 to $7.4 \%$ in 1974 (U.S. Cormission on Civil Rights, 1976, p. 119).
e. Asians

The diverse Asian groups included approximately 1.8 million individuals or $0.9 \%$ of the population in 1970 (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973d). The largest groups are of Japanese, Chinese and Filipino origin but the Asian category also includes substantial numbers of Hawaiians and Koreans and smaller numbers of Indonesians, Polynesians and others. Their largest concentrations are in the states of California and Hawaii. Educational attainment varies within the group with the Koreans and Japanese showing levels higher than those of Whites and in descending order, the Hawaiians, Chinese and Filipinos reflecting substantially lower levels. In the last group, there is a striking disparity between the sexes with Filipino women having a much higher level of attainment than men (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973d, p. 135).

To provide some perspective on the educational attainment of the various groups described above, the following table has been constructed. This table compares the educational level of the parents of individuals who received doctorates durina the four-year period 1973-1976 with that of the most comparable group in the general population, those adults aged 45 to 64 at the time of the 1970 census. For example, the first line of the table shows that $48.7 \%$ of White men aged 45-64 in 1970 had
completed high school, but $71.3 \%$ of the fathers of male Ph.D.'s and $76.7 \%$ of the fathers of female Ph.D.'s had done so. Similarly, $51.8 \%$ of White women in that age group of the general population had secondary diplomas but $79.1 \%$ of the mothers of male doctorate recipients and $81.6 \%$ of the mothers of female doctorate recipients had finished high school.

Percentages of the General Population and of Parents of Ph.D.'s Who Have Completed High School 1/ by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group

|  |  | (Ages 45-64) General Popula 1970 |  | Male Ph.D.'s 1973-1976 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ts of } \\ & \text { Female Ph.D.'s } \\ & 1973-1976 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Whites | Male Female | $\begin{aligned} & 48.7 \% ~ 2 / \\ & 51.8 \end{aligned}$ | Fathers: Mothers | $\begin{aligned} & 5: 71.3 \% \\ & : 79.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76.7 \% \\ & 81.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| Blacks | Male Female | $\begin{array}{ll} 20.1 & 3 / \\ 22.7 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 42.9 \\ & 53.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55.1 \\ & 65.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| American Indians | Male Female | $\begin{aligned} & 27.4 \quad 4 / \\ & 28.4 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 62.4 \\ & 66.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60.4 \\ & 74.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| Chicanos | Male Female | $\begin{array}{ll} 15.8 & 5 / \\ 13.1 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 36.7 \\ 39.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51.0 \\ & 43.4 \end{aligned}$ |
| Puerto Ricans (Mainland) | Male Female | $\begin{aligned} & 17.5 \text { 6/ } \\ & 14.2 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 54.9 \\ & 49.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70.2 \\ & 63.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| Asians | Male Female | $\begin{aligned} & 48.9 \quad 7 / \\ & 51.1 \end{aligned}$ |  | $68.6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73.1 \\ & 67.7 \end{aligned}$ |

1/ Although more recent data are available for some groups, they are not for others. Therefore, 1970 data were used for all groups to maintain comparability.
2/ Derived from U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973e, pp. 37-39.
3/ Derived from U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973e, pp. 42-45.
4/ U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973c, p. 36.
$5 /$ U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973a, p. 55.
6/ U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973b, p. 39.
7/ Derived from U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973d, pp. 17, 76 and 135. The figures include Japanese, Chinese and Filipinos, the only groups for which data by sex and age are available, but the groups which together make up approximately $69 \%$ of the Asian population (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1973d, p. x).

The table makes clear that Ph.D.'s come from groups more highly educated than the general population regardless of their racial/ethnic affiliation. It also indicates that within each group, women Ph.D.'s come from more highly educated families than male degree recipients.

## Data Sources

The statistical tabulations in this report are derived from two of the large data files in the CHR data base - the Doctorate Records File and the Comprehensive Roster Surveys:

## 1. Survey of Earned Doctorates (Doctorate Records File)

The Doctorate Records File contains responses to questionnaires completed by essentially all individuals who have earned doctorates in all fields in the United States from 1958 to the present, i.e., information on the total population receiving Ph.D.'s during that period and limited information from other sources for the 19201957 Ph.D. cohorts. The reader should bear in mind, therefore, that although the numbers presented for certain groups are quite small, they describe the entire population.

The Survey of Earned Doctorates provides information on the educational history, background data and plans of degree recipients at the time the degree was awarded (see Appendix C for the survey form). Research doctorates in all fields are included. Applied research doctorates such as the Doctor of Education, Doctor of Arts, Doctor of Musical Arts and Doctor of Engineering are included but professional degrees such as the Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Dental Science and Doctor of Veterinary Medicine are excluded.

Since 1973, the survey has included a question on racial/ethnic group membership. The responses to that question from 1973 to 1976 provide the basis for the present tabulations by racial/ethnic status.
2. Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers (Comprehensive Roster Surveys)

A Comprehensive Roster of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers compiled from the

Doctorate Records File and other sources provided the basis for sample surveys, in 1973 and 1975, of individuals in the United States in those fields who received doctorates from foreign or U.S. universities in the periods from 1930 to 1972 and 1930 to 1974, respectively. Comparison of the data of the two surveys permits some assessment of change in the representation of women and minority members in the scientific labor force and in their employment patterns (see Appendix $C$ for a copy of the survey form).

The Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers also requests information on racial/ethnic status. Because these data are based on a sample, and because the number of science and engineering Ph.D.'s who are minority members was in fact quite small before the present decade, the survey has yielded relatively few responses from minority individuals. Therefore, to avoid large sampling errors (see Appendix D), the presentation of these data has generally required the combination of responses from different minority groups or the combination of data from different citizenship groups, or both.

## Limitations of the Data

A. SURVEY OF EARNED DOCTORATES

Item non-response on the minority question: In conducting the Survey of Earned Doctorates, the questionnaire is administered by the graduate schools where degrees are granted, and old survey forms are sometimes used. This artifact can cause a high item non-response rate in the first year that a new question is introduced. This accounts for the large number with "unknown" racial/ethnic affiliation in 1973. In the absence of information to the contrary, the assumption has been made that such item non-response is randomly distributed among members of the various groups. Therefore, for examination of trends over the four years, as in the explanatory text accompanying Table I-4, the figures for each group were inflated in accordance with that assumption to take account of the number not responding to that question. The reader is cautioned, however, to use the 1973 figures with appropriate care.

Small numbers of minority Ph.D.'s: Although the Survey has obtained responses from the entire doctoral population, the numbers of minority women other than Blacks or Whites, although increasing, are still very small. Such small numbers make percentages erratic. Therefore, although the value of trend data by year is recognized, it has been necessary to combine the annual data for some tables and describe patterns for racial/ethnic groups on the basis of responses for all four years.

## B. SURVEY OF DOCTORAL SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS

Sampling errors: The statistics presented from this survey are based on a sample and, therefore, are estimates of the population values. These estimates are subject to sampling error (see Appendix D). Where the sampling error is greater than 1 percentage point, footnotes indicate that fact and the reader should use the statistics with appropriate care. Where the text cites statistics derived from the tables but not shown in the tables, sampling errors are included in the text. Absolute standard errors are used in this report rather than relative standard errors, i.e., standard errors given as a percent of the estimated statistic, because many of the estimated percentages are small.

Non-sampling errors: The statistics derived from this study are subject to non-sampling errors in addition to the errors due to the use of a sample. The overall response rate for the 1975 survey was $69.2 \%$ (Appendix Table $D-1$ ) so the data may be subject to non-response bias since the non-respondents may differ from the respondents. A separate study of non-response bias in the 1975 Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers is currently being conducted by the CHR. It can also be seen from Table D-1 that for individuals receiving the doctorate after FY 1972 the response rate for Orientals, $54.3 \%$, and for Other minorities, $62.3 \%$, was considerably lower than the $76.4 \%$ response rate for Whites/Caucasians. These low response rates may introduce non-response bias in the statistics for some of the characteristics of the members of these groups. They do not, however, affect the estimated numbers of Ph.D.'s in these groups because the 1975 sample was stratified by racial/ethnic
group (using data from the Survey of Earned Doctorates) and the responses were weighted for the non-respondents. On the other hand, if the same low response rates obtained among the minority members receiving doctorates prior to 1973, the numbers in the population will be underestimated since the racial/ethnic data were not available for pre-1973 Ph.D.'s at the time the sample was designed and stratification by this variable was not possible.

It should be mentioned additionally that Ph.D. scientists and engineers in this country who received the doctorate at a foreign university are underrepresented in the Comprehensive Roster and, therefore, in these sample surveys.

Statistical statements in the text: Where statistical statements, i.e., statements making an inference from one or more statistics based on sample data to the corresponding population parameters, are made in the text giving the highlights of tables, all cited differences are significant at the 5 percent level unless otherwise specified. This criterion has been used in the text for Tables I-2 and I-3 and for all tables in Chapter II that are based on the Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers. The various tests of significance that were used are described in Appendix 0.

Sample size limits cross tabulations by sex and racial/ethnic group: The small number of minority members in the Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers limits the feasibility of cross tabulation by sex and racial/ethnic group affiliation. Therefore, tables from that source generally present data by sex or by majority/ minority status but not both. The need to examine each sex separately for each group to provide a more accurate description of current social change among doctorate recipients has been stressed (see pp. 1-2) but this has not been done when it would lead to excessively large sampling errors.
C. VARIABILITY OF NOMENCLATURE OF RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUPS

The variability in nomenclature of racial/ethnic groups in the tables of this report also reflects the sources of data and their limitations.

Survey of Earned Doctorates: "Chicano" and "Puerto Rican" groups can be distinguished within the Spanish-origin group in the data from the Survey of Earned Doctorates. This is a standard practice in numerous Bureau of Census publications on those of Spanish origin. As indicated previously (p. 5), these two categories contain most of the recent native-born Ph.D. recipients of Hispanic background. A report which covered all citizenship groups, including the foreign-born, would show a greater representation of other Hispanic groups such as the Cubans.

The "Asian" group for this survey consists of all individuals who checked "Oriental" on the survey form. No data are available on the origins of these individuals. They may include Hawaiians, Indonesians and others in addition to Japanese, Chinese, Koreans and Filipinos.

Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers: The classification of minority individuals is even more constricted by the sample data from this survey which contains a very small number of members of minority groups. In tables presenting information from this survey, it has not been possible to distinguish different subgroups of Spanish origin. Therefore, all members of the larger category have been classified as "Hispanic", i.e., a different term is used to emphasize the different composition of the group and the different source of data.

In fact, the use of these sample data presents problems of classification with respect to all the minorities. Because sampling errors for statistics for small minority groups would be very large, it has been necessary to turn to even broader classifications in many of the tables from the Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers. In a number of cases, all minorities except Asians are grouped together (including Blacks, American Indians and Hispanics). Asians are described separately because they appear in larger numbers in the Survey, because they have tended to hold
higher status in comparison with the members of other minority groups and because they display a somewhat distinctive field distribution. In other instances, while distinctions between minority groups have been maintained, citizenship categories have been combined.

The "Asian" group for this survey consists of all those individuals who checked "Oriental" or "Other Asian" on the survey form.

Organization of the Report
The first chapter of the report provides data on the demographic and educational characteristics of Ph.D.'s in the 1970's. The second chapter deals with their employment patterns in 1973 and 1975. The third chapter provides information on the characteristics of the institutions that educated those who earned doctorates from 1973 to 1976.

## CHAPTER 1

## CHARACTERISTICS OF MINORITY AND WOMEN PH.D. RECIPIENTS

The first three tables describe the entire doctoral pool over time to provide some perspective on the proportion of Ph.D.'s who are native-born U.S. citizens. 1/ Table I-1 provides data on U.S. doctorate recipients in all fields by sex and citizenship from 1958 to 1976. 2/ Tables I-2 and I-3 supply similar citizenship information by racial/ethnic group and by sex for all doctoral scientists and engineers in the U.S. labor force for the cohorts from 1930 to 1974.

The remaining tables focus on native-born U.S. citizens and present data by racial/ethnic group and sex for all doctorates granted in this country from 1973 to 1976.

Table I-4 shows the distribution of doctorates by racial/ethnic group and sex from 1973 to 1976.

Tables I-5 through I-10 provide information on the background characteristics of doctorate recipients: region of birth, father's education, mother's education, age at Ph.D., marital status and number of dependents. Marriage and dependents are examined because both marriage and children have been perceived as barriers to women's educational and career development.

Tables I-11 through I-13 describe the fields of Ph.D.'s: distribution by fields, the baccalaureate sources of doctorates of different fields, and the relationship between father's education and field.

Many universities and corporations have used data on women and minority Ph.D.'s by fine field in developing personnel plans. Although time did not allow analysis of fine field data in this report, tables on fine field of Ph.D. by citizenship and by racial/ethnic group for all doctorate recipients and for women doctorate recip-

[^0]ients, for 1973-1976, are included as appendices $A$ and $B$ for the convenience of the reader.

Tables I-14 through I-16 describe the graduate educational history of doctorates including age at Ph.D., time elapsed between receipt of the baccalaureate and graduate school enrollment, years out of school between the beginning of graduate work and the doctorate and sources of graduate support.

Finally, Table I-17 presents the postdoctoral plans of doctorates at the time the degree is awarded.

Tables I-2 and I-3 are derived from the Comprehensive Roster Survey and are limited to doctoral scientists and engineers. Because these are survey data, the statistics that are presented are estimates that are subject to sampling error (see Appendix D). All the other tables of this chapter are taken from the Survey of Earned Doctorates which covers virtually the entire population in all fields so that sampling error is not involved.

It will be noted in the tables in which data are presented by citizenship that the two data sources have different classifications. Thus, the Survey of Earned Doctorates lists native-born U.S. citizens, foreign-born U.S. citizens, foreign citizens with immigrant visas and foreign citizens with temporary visas. The Comprehensive Survey, however. does not distinguish between the tyoes of visas held by foreign citizens so that data from this source compare native-born U.S. citizens, foreign-born U.S. citizens and foreign citizens.

|  |  | Native-Born U.S. Citizens |  |  | Foreign-Born <br> U.S. Citizens |  |  | Foreign Citizens Immigrant Visas |  |  | Foreign Citizens Temporary Visas |  |  | Other \& Unknown |  |  | Total |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal year of Ph.D. | Men | Homen | Total | Men | Homen | Total | Men | Women | Total | Men | Women | Total | Men | Women | Total | Men | Women | All |
|  | 1958 | 88.8\% | 11.2\% | 7,285 | 86.4\% | 13.6\% | 413 | 88.7\% | 11.3\% | 24.8 | 90.4\% | 9.6\% | 627 | 85.0\% | 15.0\% | 200 | 88.7\% | 11.3\% | 8,773 |
|  | 1959 | 89.4 | 10.6 | 7,557 | 84.5 | 15.5 | 477 | 92.8 | 7.2 | 293 | 92.1 | 7.9 | 773 | 85.8 | 14.2 | 113 | 89.4 | 10.6 | 9,213 |
|  | 1960 | 89.4 | 10.6 | 7,923 | 86.1 | 13.9 | 496 | 88.9 | 11.1 | 279 | 90.5 | 9.5 | 897 | 84.8 | 15.2 | 138 | 89.3 | 10.7 | 9,733 |
|  | 1961 | 89.2 | 10.8 | 8,441 | 86.0 | 14.0 | 484 | 89.5 | 10.5 | 256 | 91.0 | 0.0 | 1,050 | 86.3 | 13.7 | 182 | 89.2 | 10.8 | 10,413 |
|  | 1962 | 89.3 | 10.7 | 9,248 | 82.5 | 17.5 | 560 | 89.4 | 10.6 | 274 | 91.8 | 8.2 | 1,244 | 87.9 | 12.1 | 174 | 89.3 | 10.7 | 11,500 |
|  | 1963 | 88.9 | 11.1 | 10,308 | 85.2 | 14.8 | 573 | 90.7 | 9.3 | 354 | 91.5 | 8.5 | 1,251 | 91.4 | 8.6 | 244 | 89.1 | 10.9 | 12,730 |
|  | 1964 | 89.2 | 10.8 | 11,382 | 84.5 | 15.5 | 653 | 89.7 | 10.3 | 468 | 91.4 | 8.6 | 1.463 | 85.2 | 14.8 | 359 | 89.1 | 10.9 | 14,325 |
|  | 1965 | 29.3 | 10.7 | 12,990 | 82.9 | 17.1 | 683 | 89.1 | 10.9 | 560 | 93.0 | 7.0 | 1,753 | 81.1 | 18.9 | 355 | 89.2 | 10.8 | 16,341 |
| a | 1966 | 88.4 | 11.6 | 14,106 | 82.1 | 17.9 | 765 | 89.2 | 10.8 | 636 | 91.3 | 8.7 | 1,908 | 85.8 | 14.2 | 534 | 88.4 | 11.6 | 17,949 |
|  | 1967 | 87.9 | 12.1 | 16,495 | 81.9 | 18.1 | 537 | 90.5 | 9.5 | 876 | 90.3 | 9.7 | 2,048 | 86.4 | 13.6 | 450 | 88.0 | 12.0 | 20,406 |
|  | 1968 | 86.9 | 13.1 | 18,501 | 82.9 | 17.1 | 726 | 86.4 | 13.6 | 1,046 | 91.7 | 8.3 | 2,269 | 87.9 | 12.1 | 396 | 87.2 | 12.8 | 22,938 |
|  | 1969 | 86.6 | 13.4 | 20,683 | 78.0 | 22.0 | 856 | 88.6 | 11.4 | 1,235 | 90.8 | 9.2 | 2,334 | 88.6 | 11.4 | 638 | 86.8 | 13.2 | 25,746 |
|  | 1970 | 86.3 | 13.7 | 23,991 | 78.1 | 21.9 | 922 | 86.8 | 13.2 | 1,577 | 91.4 | 8.6 | 2.573 | 87.2 | 12.8 | 437 | 86.5 | 13.5 | 29,500 |
|  | 1971 | 85.2 | 14.8 | 25,814 | 77.7 | 22.3 | 946 | 87.1 | 12.9 | 1,907 | 91.4 | 8.6 | 2,690 | 85.7 | 14.3 | 516 | 85.6 | 14.4 | 31,873 |
|  | 1972 | 83.4 | 16.6 | 26,484 | 77.2 | 22.8 | 993 | 85.4 | 14.6 | 2,094 | 90.9 | 9.1 | 2.831 | 85.7 | 14.3 | 642 | 84.0 | 16.0 | 33,044 |
|  | 1973 | 81.1 | 18.9 | 26,824 | 72.9 | 27.1 | 1,088 | 85.4 | 14.6 | 1,997 | 90.6 | 9.4 | 3,173 | 82.0 | 18.0 | 673 | 82.0 | 18.0 | 33,755 |
|  | 1974 | 79.5 | 20.5 | 25,267 | 71.5 | 28.5 | 1,060 | 84.3 | 15.7 | 1,826 | 89.6 | 10.4 | 3,355 | 78.4 | 21.6 | 1,540 | 80.5 | 19.5 | 33,048 |
|  | 1975 | 76.5 | 23.5 | 25,989 | 70.8 | 29.2 | 1,074 | 82.7 | 17.3 | 1,714 | 90.0 | 10.0 | 3,534 | 79.1 | 20.9 | 636 | 78.1 | 21.9 | 32.947 |
|  | 1976 | 75.1 | 24.9 | 26,083 | 69.9 | 30.1 | 1,112 | 80.6 | 19.4 | 1,491 | 88.4 | 11.6 | 3,518 | 78.2 | 21.8 | 719 | 76.7 | 23.3 | 32,923 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Total 1958- } \\ & 1976 \end{aligned}$ | \&4.2 | 15.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 325,371 \\ 79.9 \% \end{array}$ | 78.5 | 21.5 | $\begin{array}{r} 14,418 \\ 3.5 \% \end{array}$ | 86.2 | 13.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 19.131 \\ 4.7 \% \end{array}$ | 90.7 | 9.3 | $\begin{array}{r} 39.291 \\ 9.7 \% \end{array}$ | 83.5 | 16.5 | 8,946 | 84.7 | 15.3 | $\begin{gathered} 407,157 \\ 100.0 \% \end{gathered}$ |

1/ 1958 was th. first year the individual Ph.D.'s were surveyed.

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

## I-1 Citizenship/Place of Birth and Sex of Ph.D. Recipients by Fiscal Year of Degree, 1958-1976

## Differences by Citizenship/Place of Birth

During the period 1958-1976, 407,157 doctorates were awarded in the United States. Of these 325,371 , or $79.9 \%$, were awarded to native-born U.S. citizens. During this period 39,291 doctorates, nearly $10 \%$ of the total, were awarded to foreign citizens on temporary visas. By comparing the total column for foreign citizens-temporary visas with the Total-All column, it is easy to see that the foreign Ph.D.'s with temporary visas were more than $10 \%$ of the total in 1961, 1962, 1964-1967 and 1974-1976. In the last three years there were 10,407 foreign citizens with temporary visas or $10.5 \%$ of the total of 98,918 for the three years. During the period 1972-1976 the total number of Ph.D.'s has been fairly stable--around 33,000 each year. The number of foreign citizens with immigrant visas decreased steadily, however, during this period from 2,094 to 1,491. Conversely, the number of foreign citizens with temporary visas increased from 2,831 in 1972 to 3,518 in 1976.

## Sex Differences within Citizenship/Place of Birth Categories

Among the four citizenship categories, the naturalized U.S. citizens have consistently shown the largest proportion of female doctorates and native-born U.S. citizens have shown the second highest proportion. The foreign citizens group has had the lowest percent of female Ph.D.'s and among foreign citizens, those with temporary visas have had the lowest proportion of all groups. It is possible that in sending students to this country to study, there is some selectivity by sex.

The increase in percentage of women doctorates is apparent in all citizenship groups but began at different times, starting with native-born U.S. citizens in 1966 and among those with temporary visas in 1974.

Table I-2a
Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/ Place of Birth, Fiscal Year of Doctorate and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1930-1974 (Number and Percent)

## Total Reporting Citizenship

## Racial/Ethnic Group



| 1930-34 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 786 \\ 4832 \\ 99.0 \end{array}$ | 3 18 .4 |  |  | 6 32 .7 | $\begin{array}{r} 795 \\ 4882 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | 47 301 | $\begin{array}{r} 842 \\ 5183 \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1935-39 | N | 1048 | 3 |  | 1 | 8 | 1060 | 52 | 1112 |
|  | WN | 6346 | 20 |  | 10 | 40 | 6416 | 317 | 6733 |
|  | H | 98.9 | . 3 |  | . 2 | . 6 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1940-44 | N | 1323 | 8 |  | 2 | 17 | 1350 | 76 | 1426 |
|  | WN | 7770 | 54 |  | 9 | 95 | 7928 | 408 | 8336 |
|  | H | 98.0 | . 7 |  | . 1 | 1.2 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1945-49 | N | 1451 | 12 | 1 | 5 | 31 | 1500 | 70 | 1570 |
|  | WN | 8656 | 66 | 5 | 29 | 193 | 8949 | 374 | 9323 |
|  | H | 96.7 | . 7 | . 1 | . 3 | 2.2 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1950-54 | N | 3074 | 21 | 1 | 11 | 84 | 3191 | 127 | 3318 |
|  | WN | 22686 | 139 | 12 | 71 | 589 | 23497 | 904 | 24401 |
|  | H | 96.5 | . 6 | . 1 | . 3 | 2.5 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1955-59 | N | 3695 | 38 | 7 | 10 | 131 | 3881 | 167 | 4048 |
|  | WN | 26245 | 277 | 51 | 46 | 839 | 27458 | 1185 | 28643 |
|  | H | 95.6 | 1.0 | . 2 | . 2 | 3.1 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1960-64 | N | 5872 | 60 | 11 | 21 | 339 | 6303 | 337 | 6640 |
|  | WN | 36021 | 326 | 73 | 106 | 1928 | 38454 | 2072 | 40526 |
|  | H | 93.7 | . 8 | . 2 | . 3 | 5.0 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1965-69 | $N$ | 8066 | 102 | 19 | 40 | 515 | 8742 | 390 | 9132 |
|  | WN | 56076 | 586 | 139 | 243 | 3602 | 60646 | 2682 | 63328 |
|  | H | 92.5 | 1.0 | . 3 | . 4 | 5.9 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1970-74 | N | 9520 | 303 | 46 | 129 | 1051 | 11049 | 420 | 11469 |
|  | WN | 77523 | 1078 | 169 | 455 | 6090 | 85315 | 3151 | 88466 |
|  | H | 90.9 | 1.3 | . 2 | . 5 | 7.1 | 100.0 |  |  |

1/ Hispanic refers to all those of Spanish origin (see p. 12) for all tables from this source.
2) $\mathrm{N}=$ number of respondents in the sample

3/ $W N=$ estimated number in the population, i.e., $N$ inflated for non-response and for sampling rate
4/ $H=$ horizontal percentage based on total reported
Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

I-2 Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/Place of Birth, Fiscal Year of Doctorate and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1930-1974 Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

In the 1930-1934 doctoral cohort group in all citizenship categories there were 32 Asians, or $0.7 \%$ of the 4,882 doctoral scientists and engineers in the United States of known racial/ethnic group affiliation. In the first half of the 1970's, they numbered 6,090 or $7.1 \%$ of the total figure of 85,315 . I/ The members of other minority groups have continued to represent a very small fraction of the pool of scientists.

## Citizenship Differences

A comparison of the composition by citizenship of the 1930-1934 cohorts of the Ph.D.'s in the U.S. labor force with the 1970-1974 cohorts is interesting. In the 1930-1934 cohorts of 5,183 Ph.D.'s with known citizenship status, 4, 323 or $83.4 \% \pm 1.3 \%$ were native-born citizens (see table I-2b) compared with 76,516 or $86.5 \% \pm 0.3 \%$ of the 88,466 in the $1970-1974$ cohorts. This proportion ranges between $82.6 \%$ and $86.5 \%$ for all cohort groups except those of the World War II period when 7,438 of a total 8,336 or $89.2 \% \pm 0.8 \%$ were native-born U.S. citizens. Foreign-born U.S. citizens (see Table I-2c) have become a smaller proportion of cohort groups over time. The 812 in the $1930-1934$ cohorts were $15.7 \% \pm 1.2 \%$ of the total of 5,183 but 4,796 in the $1970-1974$ cohorts were only $5.4 \% \pm 0.2 \%$ of the total of 88,466 . In striking contrast, the 48 foreign citizens (see Table I-2d) in the 1930-1934 cohort were less than $1 \% \pm 0.3 \%$ of the 5,183 in the cohort group whereas the 7,154 in the 1970-1974 group constituted $8.1 \% \pm 0.3 \%$ of the total 88,466 .

## Citizenship Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

The total minority percent of scientists and engineers increased among the native-born from $0.5 \% \pm 0.3 \%$ in the 1930 's to $2.6 \% \pm 0.2 \%$ in the 1970 's. Among naturalized citizens, the increase was from $2.8 \% \pm 1.2 \%$ to $36.4 \% \pm 1.9 \%$ and among foreign citizens, from $14.3 \% \pm 11.7 \%$ to $62.2 \% \pm 1.4 \%$. Expanded minority representa-

1/ It should be stressed that these data include only science and engineering, fields in which Asians are concentrated (see Table I-11)
tion is associated with the large increase in Asian representation among both U.S. immigrants and recipients of non-immigrant visas in the 1970's (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1976b, pp. 104 and 108). Asians are thus the only racial/ethnic group in the 1970-1974 cohort group of the doctoral labor force in which foreign citizens outnumber native-born and foreign-born U.S. citizens combined.

Table I-2b
Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/ Place of Birth, Fiscal Year of Doctorate and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1930-1974 (Number and Percent)

Native-Born U.S. Citizens

## Racial/Ethnic Group

| Fiscal Year |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| of Doctorate | Amer. His- | Total Other Total |


| 1930-34 | $N$ | 585 | 3 |  |  | 1 | 589 | 37 | 626 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | WN | 4048 | 18 |  |  | 6 | 4072 | 251 | 4323 |
|  | H | 99.4 | . 4 |  |  | . 1 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1935-39 | N | 824 | 3 |  | 1 |  | 828 | 46 | 874 |
|  | WN | 5441 | 20 |  | 10 |  | 5471 | 301 | 5772 |
|  | H | 99.5 | . 4 |  | . 2 |  | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1940-44 | N | 1113 | 8 |  | 1 | 3 | 1125 | 63 | 1188 |
|  | WN | 7005 | 54 |  | 6 | 20 | 7085 | 353 | 7438 |
|  | H | 98.9 | - 8 |  | . 1 | . 3 | 100.J |  |  |
| 1945-49 | is | 1110 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 1141 | 48 | 1189 |
|  | NA | 7266 | 66 | 5 | 10 | 63 | 7410 | 288 | 7698 |
|  | H | 98.1 | - 9 | . 1 | .1 | . 9 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1950-54 | N | 2546 | 20 | 1 | 8 | 22 | 2597 | 96 | 2693 |
|  | wit: | 19559 | 135 | 12 | 03 | 138 | 19907 | 706 | 20613 |
|  | H | 93.3 | . 7 | . 1 | . 3 | . 7 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1955-59 | $N$ | 3101 | 34 | 7 | 8 | 23 | 3173 | 136 | 3309 |
|  | WN: | 22583 | 247 | 51 | 43 | 164 | 23088 | 973 | 24061 |
|  | H | 97.3 | 1.1 | - 2 | . 2 | . 7 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1960-64 | N | 4979 | 55 | 10 | 18 | 39 | 5101 | 276 | 5377 |
|  | WN | 31534 | 302 | 65 | 89 | 228 | 31718 | 1746 | 33464 |
|  | H | 97.8 | 1.0 | . 2 | . 3 | . 7 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1965-69 | $N$ | 7198 | 90 | 19 | 34 | 43 | 7384 | 311 | 7695 |
|  | $\mathrm{b}_{6} \mathrm{~N}$ | 50620 | 512 | 139 | 204 | 307 | 51782 | 2148 | 53930 |
|  | H | 97.8 | 1.う | . 3 | . 4 | . 6 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1970-74 | $N$ | 8767 | 264 | 45 | 94 | 113 | 9288 | 317 | 9605 |
|  | Wh | 72090 | 902 | 168 | 322 | 510 | 74052 | 2464 | 76516 |
|  | H | 97.4 | 1.3 | . 2 | . 4 | . 7 | 100.0 |  |  |

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

Table I-2c
Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/ Place of Birth, Fiscal Year of Doctorate and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1930-1974 (Number and Percent)

Foreign-Born U.S. Citizens
Racial/Ethnic Group
Fiscal Year Amer. His- Total Other Total of Doctorate White Black Indian panic Asian Reptd, \& Unk. All

| $1930-34$ | 193 |
| :---: | :---: |
| N |  |
| H | 760 a |
| H | 97.2 |


| 4 | 197 | 7 | 204 |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 22 | 782 | 30 | 812 |
| $2.8-100.0$ |  |  |  |

$\begin{array}{cc}1935-39 \mathrm{Hi} & 209 \\ \mathrm{WN} & 864 \mathrm{a} \\ \mathrm{H} & 95.6\end{array}$

| 8 | 217 | 6 | 223 |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 40 | 934 | 16 | 920 |
| $4.4-100.0$ |  |  |  |

$\begin{array}{cc}1940-44 & \\ \text { N } & 196 \\ H & 724 \\ H & 90.8\end{array}$

| 1 | 12 | 209 | 12 | 221 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 3 | 70 | 797 | 51 | 848 |
| .4 | $8.8-100.0$ |  |  |  |

$\begin{array}{lc}1945-49 \mathrm{~N} & 293 \\ W \mathrm{~N} & 1258 \mathrm{a} \\ \mathrm{H} & 90.4 \mathrm{a}\end{array}$

| 2 | 21 | 316 | 18 | 334 |
| ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 16 | 117 | 1391 | 75 | 1466 |
| 1.2 | 8.49 | 100.0 |  |  |


$\begin{array}{rrrrr}2 & 54 & 473 & 28 & 501 \\ 6 & 418 & 3021 & 175 & 3196 \\ .2 & 13.8 & 100.0 & & \end{array}$

| 1960-64 | N | 568 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 203 | 777 | 35 | 812 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | WN | 3265 a | 14 | 8 | 15 | 1184 | 4486 | 195 | 4681 |
|  | H | $72.3{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 3 | . 2 | 3 | 26.4 | 00 |  |  |


| $1965-69 N$ | 478 | 4 | 3 | 286 | 771 | 46 | 817 |
| ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $W N$ | 3143 a | 24 | 18 | 2013 | 5198 | 310 | 5508 |
| $H$ | 60.5 | .5 | .3 | $38.7^{\mathrm{a}}$ | 100.0 |  |  |


| $1970-74$ | 364 | 8 | 1 | 22 | 254 | 049 | 40 | 689 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| NN | 2891 | 19 | 1 | 70 | 1559 | 4540 | 250 | 4796 |
| H | 63.6 | .4 |  | 1.7 | 34.3 a | 100.0 |  |  |

a Samplinq error between 1 and 5 percentage points

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

Table I-2d
Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/ Place of Birth, Fiscal Year of Doctorate and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1930-1974 (Number and Percent)

Foreign Citizens
Racial/Ethnic Group

| Fiscal Yea of Doctor | ear rate | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Hispanic | Total <br> Asian Reptd. | Other \& Unk. | Total All |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1930-34 | $N$ | 8 |  |  |  | 19 | 3 | 12 |
|  | WN | 24 |  |  |  | 4 c 28 | 20 | 48 |
|  | H | 85.7 c |  |  |  | $14.3-100.0$ |  |  |
| 1935-39 | N | 15 |  |  |  | 15 |  | 15 |
|  | WN | 41 |  |  |  | 41 |  | 41 |
|  | H | 100.0 |  |  |  | 100.0 |  |  |
| 1940-44 | $N$ | 14 |  |  |  | 216 | 1 | 17 |
|  | WN |  |  |  |  | ${ }^{5}$ | 4 | 50 |
|  | H | 89.1 ${ }^{\text {b }}$ |  |  |  | $10.9-100.0$ |  |  |
| 1945-49 | $N$ | 40 |  |  | 1 | 243 | 4 | 47 |
|  | WN | 132 a |  |  | 3 | 13 l 148 | 11 | 159 |
|  | H | $89.2{ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  | $2.0{ }^{\text {a }}$ | $8.8-100.0$ |  |  |
| 1950-54 | $N$ | 111 | 1 |  | 1 | $8 \quad 121$ | 3 | 124 |
|  | WN |  | 4 |  | 2 | 33.569 | 23 | 592 |
|  | H | $93.1{ }^{\text {a }}$ | . 7 |  | . 4 | 5.8 - 100.0 |  |  |
| 1955-59 | $N$ | 174 | 1 |  |  | 38213 | 10 | 223 |
|  | WN | 944 | 4 |  |  | 195a 1143 | 73 | 1216 |
|  | H | 82.6 - | . 3 |  |  | 17.1-100.0 |  |  |
| 1960-64 | $N$ | 325 | 2 |  | 1 | 97425 | 26 | 451 |
|  | WN | 1722 | 10 |  | 2 | 5162250 | 131 | 2381 |
|  | H | 76.5 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | . 4 |  | . 1 | 22.9-100.0 |  |  |
| 1965-69 | $N$ | 390 | 8 |  | 3 | 186587 | 33 | 620 |
|  | $W N$ | 2313 | 50 |  | 21 | 1282 a 3666 | 224 | 3890 |
|  | H | $63.1{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 1.4 |  | - 6 | $35.0-100.0$ |  |  |
| 1970-74 | $N$ | 389 | 26 |  | 13 | 6841112 | 63 | 1175 |
|  | $W N$ | 2542 a | 97 |  | 57 | 4021 a 6717 | 437 | 7154 |
|  | H | $37.8{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 1.4 |  | . 8 | 59.9-100.0 |  |  |

a Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
b Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentage points
c Sampling error greater than 10 percentage points

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

Table I-3
Coctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force by Year of Doctorate, Sex and Citizenship/Place of Birth, 1930-1974 (Number and Percent)

| Fiscal Year of Ph.D. |  | Native-Born <br> U.S. Citizens |  |  | Fnreion-Born <br> U.S. Citizens |  | Foreign Citizens |  | Citizenship Unknown |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | MEN | WOMEN | TOTAL | MEN | HOMEN TOTAL | MEN | WOMEN TOTAL | MEN | WOMEN TOTAL |
| 1930-34 | $N$ | 501 | 125 | 626 | 173 | 31204 | 11 | 112 | 48 | 2573 |
|  | WN | 3844 | 479 | 4323 | 725 | 87812 | 45 | 3648 | 338 | 105443 |
|  | H | 88.9 a | 11.12 | 100.0 | 89.3 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 10.7 al00.0 | 93.8 b | $6.3 \mathrm{~b}_{100.0}$ | $76.3{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 23.7a 100.0 |
| 1935-39 | $N$ | 713 | 161 | 874 | 188 | 35223 | 12 | 315 | 78 | 25103 |
|  | WN | 5170 | 632 | 5772 | 841 | 79 920 | 33 | 841 | 533 | 118651 |
|  | H | 89.6 d | $10.4{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 100.0 | $91.4{ }^{\text {a }}$ | $8.6-100.0$ | 80.5 C | $19.5 \mathrm{C}_{100.0}$ | 81.9ㄹ | 18.1200.0 |
| 1940-44 | N | 998 | 190 | 1188 | 193 | 28221 | 14 | $3 \quad 17$ | 40 | 2072 |
|  | WN | 6862 | 576 | 7430 | 788 | 6 J 848 | 43 | 750 | 270 | 82352 |
|  | H | 92.3 | 7.7 | 100.0 | 92.9 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $7.1-100.0$ | 86.0 b | 14.0 - 00.0 | 76.7a | $23.3{ }^{\text {a }} 100.0$ |
| 1945-49 | ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 969 | 220 | 1189 | 288 | 40334 | 41 | $6 \quad 47$ | 59 | 2281 |
|  | WN | 6999 | 697 | 7698 | 1332 | 1341466 | 148 | 11159 | 397 | $77 \quad 474$ |
|  | H | 90.9 | 9.1 | 100.0 | 90.9 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $9.1{ }^{\text {a }} 100.0$ | 93.1 a | $0.9 \mathrm{~d}_{100.0}$ | $83.8{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 16.2 da 100.0 |
| 1950-54 | $N$ | 2376 | 317 | 2693 | 448 | 53501 | 107 | 17124 | 102 | 35137 |
|  | WN | 19373 | 1240 | $\angle 0613$ | 2978 | 2183196 | 548 | 44592 | 845 | 149994 |
|  | H | 94.0 | 6.0 | 100.0 | 93.2 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $6.8 \underline{a}_{100.0}$ | 92.6 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $7.4{ }^{100.0}$ | 85.0a | 15.02100.0 |
| 1955-59 | N | 2822 | 487 | 3309 | 433 | 83516 | 189 | 34223 | 64 | 1983 |
|  | WN | 22356 | 1705 | 24061 | 3105 | 2613360 | 1124 | 921216 | 532 | 83615 |
|  | H | 92.9 | 7.1 | 100.0 | 92.2 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 7.8 $\mathrm{a}_{100.0}$ | 92.4 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 7.6 100.0 | 86.5 a | 13. 圭 100.0 |
| 196こ-64 | N | 4359 | 1018 | 5377 | 633 | 179812 | 377 | 74 451 | 11 | 516 |
|  | wN | 31102 | 2362 | 33464 | 4262 | 4194681 | 2208 | 1732381 | 73 | 1285 |
|  | H | 92.9 | 7.1 | 100.0 | S1.0 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $9.0{ }^{\text {a }} 100.0$ | $92.7{ }^{\text {a }}$ | $7.3 \frac{100.0}{}$ | 85.9 b | 14.1-100.0 |
| 1965-69 | $N$ | 6098 | 1597 | 7695 | 641 | 176817 | 525 | 95620 | 23 | 1033 |
|  | W | 49127 | 4803 | 53930 | 5011 | 4975508 | 3625 | 265 3890 | 161 | 31.192 |
|  | H | 91.1 | 8.9 | 100.0 | $91.0{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 9.0-100.0 | $93.2{ }^{\text {a }}$ | $6.8 \frac{1}{100.0}$ | 83.9 b | 16.1 b 100.0 |
| 1970-74 | N | 7227 | 2378 | 9605 | 495 | 194689 | 889 | 2861175 | 52 | 2173 |
|  | WN | 67171 | 9345 | 76516 | 4154 a | 642 a 4796 | 6379 | 7757154 | 426 | 69495 |
|  | H | 87.8 | 12.2 | 100.0 | 86.6 - | $13.4 \stackrel{a}{4} 000$ | 89.2 | 10.8100 .0 | $86.1{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 13.9106.0 |

a Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
$\frac{\mathrm{b}}{\mathrm{b}}$ Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentage points
$\underline{\mathrm{c}}$ Sampling error greater than 10 percentage points

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

I-3 Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force by Year of Doctorate, Sex and Citizenship/Place of Birth, 1930-1974

## Sex Differences

The percentage of women scientists and engineers is very small for all cohorts although the first half of the 1970's saw a slight increase. This was due, in part, to a decline in the number of men in these fields (Gilford and Syverson, 1977a, p. 4). For the 1970-1974 cohort, the percent of women entering the labor force of scientists and engineers was $12.2 \% \pm 0.3 \%$. This contrasts with their representation among doctorates awarded by U.S. universities in all fields which increased from $13.5 \%$ in 1970 to $19.5 \%$ in 1974 (see Table I-1).

## Sex Differences within Citizenship Groups

Among native-born U.S. citizens, the percentage of women doctorates for the 1930-1934 cohort was larger than the combined cohorts for 1940-1969. The 1930-1934 cohort figure was matched again in the 1970-1974 period. Although the foreign-born U.S. citizens appear to follow a similar pattern, the differences in percentages for the two cohort periods are generally not significant because of the smaller sample sizes. The proportion of women doctorates is quite similar for all citizenship groups. In the category, "citizenship unknown" a consistently higher (although not always significantly higher) estimated percentage of doctoral scientists and engineers has been women but no explanation for this is available.

Table I-4
Native-Born U.S. Citizens Who Received the Coctorate in Fiscal Years 1973-1976 by Sex and Racial/Etinnic Group (Number and Percent)

| Racial/ Ethnic Group | Men |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year |  |  |  | Year |  |  |  |
|  | 19? 2 | 1974 | 1975 | 1375 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 |
| White | $\begin{gathered} 16,0 i \varepsilon \\ 95.7 \% 1 / \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,916 \\ 95.1 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18,030 \\ 94.6 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,744 \\ 94.4 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,757 \\ & 94.4 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,562 \\ & 92.7 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,446 \\ & 92.4 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,717 \\ & 90.8 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| Black | $\begin{array}{r} 427 \\ 2.6 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 560 \\ 3.0 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 630 \\ 3.3 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 636 \\ 3.4 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 150 \\ 3.8 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 259 \\ 5.3 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 339 \\ 5.8 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 429 \\ 6.8 \% \end{array}$ |
| American Indian | $\begin{array}{r} 84 \\ .5 \% \end{array}$ | 98 $.5 \%$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & .6_{N}^{\alpha} \end{aligned}$ | .110 | 24 $.6 \%$ | . 23 | 31 | 35 $.6 \%$ |
| Chicano ${ }^{\text {/ }}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 78 \\ .5 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 123 \\ & .7 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & .8 \approx \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 166 \\ & .9 \% \end{aligned}$ | 16 $.4 \%$ | . 25 | 29 $.5 \%$ | . 40 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Puerto 2/ } \\ & \text { Rican } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 29 \\ .2 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 38 \\ .2 \% \end{array}$ | . 48 | $\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ .2 \% \end{array}$ | . $2 \%$ | 17 $.3 \%$ | 14 $.2 \%$ | 25 $.4 \%$ |
| Asian | $\begin{array}{r} 99 \\ .6 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & .6 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 94 \\ .5 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99 \\ .5 \% \end{array}$ | 24 $.6 \%$ | 33 $.7 \%$ | 36 $.6 \%$ | . 50 |
| Total Reported | $\begin{aligned} & 16,735 \\ & 100.1 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,843 \\ & 100.1 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,061 \\ & 100.1 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,795 \\ & 100.0 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,978 \\ 100.0 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,919 \\ 100.0 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,895 \\ 100.0 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,296 \\ 100.0 \% \end{array}$ |
| Other and Unknown | 5,012 | 1,242 | 827 | 801 | 1,099 | 263 | 206 | 191 |
| Total | 21,747 | 20,085 | 19,888 | 19,596 | 5,077 | 5,182 | 6,101 | 6,487 |

1/ Vertical percentages of total reported (excluding other and unknown)
2/ The Spanish-origin group can be subdivided into the Chicano and Puerto Rican groups when data from this source are used.

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

I-4 Native-Born U.S. Citizens Who Received the Doctorate in Fiscal Years 1973-1976 by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

There was an overall increase in the percentage of minority Ph.D. recipients of both sexes from 4.5\% in 1973 to $6.5 \%$ in 1976.

## Sex Differences

The total number of male doctorate recipients showed a drop over the four years while the total number of women increased.

## Sex Differences Within Racial/Ethnic Groups

The increase in minority degree recipients was much greater among women than among men. Thus, minority men were $4.3 \%$ of all men in 1973 and $5.6 \%$ in 1976 , while minority women constituted $5.6 \%$ of all women in 1973 and $9.2 \%$ in 1976.

Although the total numbers of male Ph.D.'s decreased over the past four years, the number of Black male Ph.D.'s increased by $20 \%$ while Chicano men showed an increase of over 69\%. I/ In all groups, women increased in numbers. Except for American Indians, minority women showed a greater rate of increase than white women.

The smallest sex difference in percentage of Ph.D.'s is now found among Blacks, followed by Puerto Ricans and Asians. In each of these groups, women received at least one-third of the Ph.D.'s in 1976. The largest discrepancy is found among Chicanos where only $19.4 \%$ of the doctorate recipients were women. Both male and female Chicanos showed a high rate of increase from 1973 to 1976. The increase for Black women has been anticipated by a number of researchers (Bock, 1969; Carnegie Commission on Higher Education, 1973b; Epstein, 1973; Harris, 1973). However, the figures of Table I-4 show substantial increases among women of groups such as Chicanos, Puerto Ricans and Asians that have not traditionally stressed education for women.

1/ It is assumed that 1048 cases properly belonged in the unknown category, since this number corresponds to the portion in this category in 1974-1976. The 1973 numbers for the racial/ethnic groups have been inflated to account for the remaining 3964 cases in the other and unknown category.

Table I-5
Doctorate Recipients by Region of Birth by Racial/Ethnic Group and Sex, 1973-1976 (Number and Percent of Racial/Ethnic Group)

|  | MEN |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | HOMEN |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Region of Birth | White | Black | Aner. Indian | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other : <br> Unknown | Total |
| Northeast | $\begin{gathered} 22,292 \\ 32.4 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 275 \\ 12.3 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 54 \\ 13.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 28 \\ 5.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 27 \\ 17.5 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 42 \\ 11.1 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,644 \\ 34.9 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 25,362 \\ 31.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 6,861 \\ 35.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 154 \\ 13.2 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ 10.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ 9.2 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 11 \\ 17.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 21 \\ 15.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 630 \\ 37.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7,699 \\ 34.2 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| South | $\begin{array}{r} 15,333 \\ 22.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,560 \\ 70.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 172 \\ 43.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 166 \\ 33.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 1.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 3.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,590 \\ 21.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18,835 \\ 23.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,604 \\ 23.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 802 \\ 68.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 57 \\ 50.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ 35.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 1.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 4.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 386 \\ 23.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,895 \\ 26.2 \end{array}$ |
| North Central | $\begin{array}{r} 21,997 \\ 31.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 330 \\ 14.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 92 \\ 23.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ 6.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 1.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ 10.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,225 \\ 29.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,718 \\ 30.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,720 \\ 29.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 180 \\ 15.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 26 \\ 23.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 6.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 1.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 10.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 474 \\ 28.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,423 \\ 28.5 \end{array}$ |
| Hest | $\begin{array}{r} 9,249 \\ 13.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 62 \\ 2.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 80 \\ 20.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 276 \\ 55.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 122 \\ 79.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 285 \\ 75.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,114 \\ 14.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,188 \\ 14.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,049 \\ 10.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30 \\ 2.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 15.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 53 \\ 48.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 49 \\ 79.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 70.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 187 \\ 11.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,483 \\ 11.0 \end{array}$ |
| West Minus Puerto Qico | 9,240 13.4 | 62 2.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 80 \\ 20.1 \end{array}$ | 275 54.8 | 1 0.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 285 \\ 75.4 \end{array}$ | 1,102 14.6 | 11,045 13.8 | 2,045 10.6 | 29 2.5 | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 15.2 \end{array}$ | 52 47.7 | - | 98 70.0 | 176 10.5 | 2,418 10.7 |
| Puerto Rico | $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ .01 \end{gathered}$ | - | - | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 0.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 121 \\ 78.6 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 0.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ .02 \end{gathered}$ | - | - | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 0.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 49 \\ 79.0 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 0.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 65 \\ 0.3 \end{array}$ |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 68,871 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,227 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 398 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 502 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 154 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 378 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,573 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 80,103 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,234 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,166 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 112 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 109 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 62 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 140 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,677 \\ & 100.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,500 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ |

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

## I-5 Doctorate Recipients by Region of Birth, by Racial/Ethnic Group and Sex, 1973-1976

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

Minority Ph.D.'s have come largely from the regions where their groups have been located historically: Blacks from the South, Chicanos and Asians from the West, Puerto Ricans from Puerto Rico, American Indians from the South (here including Oklahoma, the state with the largest American Indian population). The areas producing the largest proportions of the White Ph.D.'s, however, are the Northeast and North Central Regions. Given the average age of Ph.D. recipients and the fact that Black Ph.D.'s are overwhelmingly of southern origin, indications are that the vast majority experienced at least some part of their education under formal systems of segregation. The regions of origin of the Chicanos and Puerto Ricans suggest that the majority may have spent some part of their lives in Spanish-speaking areas although data are not available on language.

## Sex Differences

The Northeast and the South have produced higher proportions of the total female Ph.D.'s than of the total male Ph.D.'s, while the other regions have yielded lower proportions.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

In all groups except American Indians, the Northeast has produced a higher proportion of total female Ph.D.'s than the proportion of total male Ph.D.'s. In every group except Blacks, the South shows a higher proportion of total female Ph.D.'s than its proportion of total male Ph.D.'s The West minus Puerto Rico shows a lower proportion of total female than of total male Ph.D.'s for every group.

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Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients by Education of Father, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976 (Percent of Total Reported)

|  | Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Homen |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Level of Education | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other 8 <br> Unknown | Total |
| 0-6 yrs | 6.2\% | 22.3\% | $10.8 \%$ | 39.0\% | 25.7\% | 12.5\% | 6.7\% | $7.0 \sim$ | 5.0\% | 17.1\% | 9.9\% | 32.1\% | 12.3\% | 9.0\% | 6.9\% | 5.9\% |
| 7-11 yrs | 22.4 | 34.8 | 26.8 | 24.3 | 19.3 | 18.8 | 23.4 | 22.8 | 18.2 | 27.9 | 29.7 | 17.0 | 17.5 | 17.9 | 20.0 | 18.8 |
| Did not complete High School | (28.6) | (57.1) | (37.6) | (63.3) | (45.0) | (31.3) | (30.1) | (29.8) | (23.2) | (45.0) | (39.6) | (49.1) | (29.8) | (26.9) | (26.9) | (24.7) |
| High School or some College (12-15 yrs) | 40.6 | 29.7 | 38.8 | 24.9 | 37.1 | 39.3 | 38.6 | 40.1 | 36.5 | 32.8 | 36.6 | 32.1 | 35.1 | 29.1 | 34.2 | 36.1 |
| 4 years of College | 15.7 | 6.5 | 11.3 | 5.7 | 11.4 | 16.3 | 15.7 | 15.4 | 19.9 | 10.8 | 14.9 | 8.5 | 21.1 | 19.4 | 19.4 | 19.4 |
| 5 or more years of College | 15.0 | 6.7 | 12.3 | 6.1 | 6.4 | 13.0 | 15.6 | 14.8 | 20.3 | 11.5 | 8.9 | 10.4 | 14.0 | 24.6 | 19.5 | 19.8 |
| At least 4 years of College | (30.7) | (13.2) | (23.6) | (11.8) | (17.8) | (29.3) | (31.3) | (30.2) | (40.2) | (22.3) | (23.8) | (18.9) | (35.1) | (44.0) | (38.9) | (39.2) |
| Total Reported | 65,879 | 1,983 | 381 | 474 | 140 | 361 | 6,074 | 75,292 | 18,323 | 1.059 | 101 | 106 | 57 | 134 | 1,288 | 21,068 |
| Unknown | 3,829 | 270 | 23 | 40 | 15 | 39 | 1,808 | 6,024 | 1,150 | 118 | 12 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 471 | 1,779 |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

# I-6 Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients by Education of Father, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976 

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

Among the doctorate recipients in 1973-1976, Whites and Asians of both sexes have the largest proportion of fathers with at least four years of college and the smallest proportion who have not completed high school. Chicano doctorate recipients, both men and women, have the largest proportion of fathers who have not completed high school and the smallest proportion with at least four years of college.

## Sex Differences

In general, the educational level of the fathers of female Ph.D.'s is higher than the educational level of the fathers of male doctorate recipients. Among the fathers of male Ph.D.'s, $30.2 \%$ have at least four years of college education while the fathers of female doctorate recipients show a percentage of $39.2 \%$ with college degrees. It has been pointed out that the higher the educational level of parents, the less likely they are to distinguish between the educational needs of their sons and daughters (Carnegie Commission on Higher Education, 1973b, p. 41).

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

The largest sex differences are found in the Puerto Rican group in which a much higher proportion of men than women has fathers who have not completed high school. In this group, $35.1 \%$ of female Ph.D.'s have fathers who have completed at least four years of college and $17.8 \%$ of male doctorate recipients' fathers have done so. The smallest differences appear in the American Indian group where there is a reversal of the pattern for all other groups. Among their female doctorate recipients, a slightly higher proportion of fathers is distributed along the lower end of the educational scale than among male doctorate recipients.

Table I-7
Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients ${ }^{1 / 1}$ by Education of Mother, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976 (Percent of Total Reported)

|  |  | Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Level of Education | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total |
|  | 0-6 yrs | 2.9\% | 11.1\% | 7.3\% | 30.1\% | 27.9\% | 11.8\% | 3.6\% | 3.5\% | 2.6\% | 6.2\% | 2.0\% | 28.3\% | 15.8\% | 15.8\% | 3.7\% | 3.1\% |
|  | 7-11 yrs | 18.0 | 35.3 | 26.2 | 30.3 | 22.9 | 19.7 | 19.1 | 18.7 | 15.8 | 28.1 | 23.5 | 28.3 | 21.1 | 16.5 | 17.3 | 16.6 |
|  | Did not complete High School | (20.9) | (46.4) | (33.5) | (60.4) | (50.8) | (31.5) | (22.7) | (22.2) | (18.4) | (34.3) | (25.5) | (56.6) | (36.9) | (32.3) | (21.0) | (19.7) |
| $\underset{\sim}{\omega}$ | High School or some College (12-15 yrs) | 57.7 | 39.1 | 49.0 | 33.1 | 35.0 | 51.5 | 54.3 | 56.7 | 52.3 | 39.1 | 49.0 | 31.1 | 36.8 | 37.6 | 50.9 | 51.3 |
|  | 4 years of College | 15.2 | 8.3 | 9.2 | 4.8 | 7.9 | 11.2 | 15.6 | 14.9 | 19.4 | 16.5 | 11.8 | 5.7 | 14.0 | 17.3 | 18.5 | 19.1 |
|  | 5 or more years of College | 6.2 | 6.1 | 8.4 | 1.7 | 6.4 | 5.8 | 7.4 | 6.3 | 9.9 | 10.1 | 13.7 | 6.6 | 12.3 | 12.8 | 9.6 | 9.9 |
|  | At least 4 years of College | (21.4) | (14.4) | (17.6) | (6.5) | (14.3) | (17.0) | (23.0) | (21.2) | (29.3) | (26.6) | (25.5) | (12.3) | (26.3) | (30.1) | (28.1) | (29.0) |
|  | Total Reported | 66,002 | 2,002 | 382 | 478 | 140 | 365 | 6,095 | 75,464 | 18,436 | 1,073 | 102 | 106 | 57 | 133 | 1,292 | 21,199 |
|  | Unknown | 3,706 | 251 | 22 | 36 | 15 | 35 | 1,787 | 5,852 | 1.046 | 104 | 11 | 4 | 6 | 10 | 467 | 1,648 |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

I-7 Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients by Education of Mother, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

Among the doctorate recipients in 1973-1976, Whites of both sexes show the smallest proportions of mothers lacking high school diplomas. Chicanos, both men and women, show the highest percents of mothers who have not completed secondary education, $60.4 \%$ and $56.6 \%$, respectively, and the lowest percentages of mothers with four years of college or more.

## Sex Differences

In every group except the Asians, the proportion of mothers who have not finished high school is higher for male Ph.D.'s than for female Ph.D.'s. In every group, a higher percentage of the mothers of women Anctorate recibients than of men doctorate recipients has completed at least four years of college.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Blacks and Puerto Ricans show large differences between the mothers of male and female degree recipients at both ends of the educational continuum. In both groups, much smaller proportions of mothers of women Ph.D.'s than of men Ph.D.'s have not completed high school and much larger proportions have colleqe degrees. Differences between the mothers of the two sexes are relatively small among Chicanos where they are concentrated in the categories with low educational attainment.

Table I-8
Age at Ph.D. 1/ of Doctorate Recipients 2/ by Sex and Racial/Etnnic Group, 1973-1976 (Percent of Total Reported)

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Age at Ph.D. | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total |
| Under 25 | 0.3\% | 0.2\% | - | - | 0.6\% | 0.8\% | 0.5\% | $0.3 \%$ | 0.4\% | 0.1\% | - | - | - | - | 0.6\% | 0.4\% |
| 25-29 | 36.0 | 15.9 | 25.0 | 25.3 | 29.9 | 43.5 | 37.2 | 35.5 | 31.5 | 18.0 | 22.1 | 17.3 | 28.6 | 40.8 | 31.5 | 30.7 |
| 30-34 | 35.2 | 26.8 | 34.7 | 34.4 | 29.2 | 28.5 | 34.9 | 34.9 | 28.6 | 22.3 | 23.9 | 31.8 | 25.4 | 26.8 | 27.3 | 28.1 |
| 35-39 | 14.7 | 23.6 | 19.1 | 18.5 | 18.8 | 16.0 | 14.3 | 15.0 | 14.6 | 18.8 | 22.1 | 21.8 | 12.7 | 11.3 | 14.6 | 14.8 |
| 40-44 | 7.5 | 17.7 | 10.6 | 13.2 | 11.7 | 6.5 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 10.3 | 18.0 | 13.3 | 11.8 | 12.7 | 7.7 | 10.5 | 10.7 |
| 45-49 | 4.0 | 9.2 | 7.2 | 5.6 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 4.1 | 7.4 | 10.8 | 10.6 | 11.8 | 12.7 | 7.0 | 7.6 | 7.6 |
| 50 or more | 2.4 | 6.5 | 3.5 | 2.9 | 6.5 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 2.5 | 7.2 | 11.9 | 8.0 | 5.5 | 7.9 | 6.3 | 7.7 | 7.5 |
| Total <br> Reported | 69,669 | 2,250 | 404 | 514 | 154 | 400 | 7,857 | 81,248 | 19,464 | 1,173 | 113 | 110 | 63 | 142 | 1,756 | 22,821 |
| Unknown | 39 | 3 | - | - | 1 | - | 25 | 68 | 18 | 4 | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | 26 |
| Median Age at Ph.D. | 31.0 | 36.0 | 32.9 | 32.8 | 32.9 | 30.2 | 30.8 | 31.1 | 32.3 | 37.2 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 33.3 | 30.8 | 32.2 | 32.5 |
| $\begin{array}{ll} \frac{1 /}{\text { Age to ne }} \\ \frac{2}{1} & \text { Native-bo } \end{array}$ | arest yea U.S. | izens |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

# 1-8 Age at Ph.D. 1/2/ of Doctorate Recipients by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976 <br> Racial/Ethnic Group Differences 

Asians have the lowest median age of all groups at the time they complete the doctorate. Whites are next with the other groups following and Blacks having the highest median age when they obtain the Ph.D.

Sex Differences
On the whole, women obtain the Ph.D. later than men. Several studies have shown the medians for the two sexes to be similar but the range for women is much greater (Astin, 1969, pp. 19-20; Carnegie, 1973b, p. 83; Centra, 1974, pp. 22-24). In Table $\mathrm{I}-13$, the percentage of men receiving the degree before the age of 35 is higher than that of women, the proportions for the two sexes are virtually identical for the years from 35 to 39 , and the proportion of men who receive the Ph.D. at ages 40 and later is lower than for women. Of the men, 2.5\% receive the degree at the age of 50 or later and among women, $7.5 \%$. Some factors in the age difference between the sexes are indicated by the next tables on time elapsed between the completion of the baccalaureate and entrance into graduate school and on years out of school between graduate school enrollment and the completion of the doctorate.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

The difference in the median age of men and women at the time they complete the degree is smallest among Puerto Ricans, followed closely by the Asian group. It is largest in the American Indian group in which the median age for men at the time of the degree is 32.9 and for women, 35.6 .

1/ Age to nearest year
2/ It should not be overlooked that there is considerable variation among fields in "age at Ph.D.", see p. 143.

Table I- 9
Marital Status of Doctorate Recipients at Time of Ph.D. I/by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group in Fiscal Years 1973-1976 (Percent Married)

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Marital <br> Status | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other 8 Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total |
| Percent <br> Married |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| - 1973 | 81.8\% | 79.7\% | 81.7\% | 88.3\% | 86.2\% | 66.7\% | 83.0\% | 82.0\% | 56.7\% | 52.3\% | 66.7\% | 62.5\% | 71.4\% | 50.0\% | 53.7\% | $56.0 \%$ |
| - 1974 | 80.8 | 83.7 | 84.5 | 83.7 | 78.4 | 74.5 | 75.2 | 80.6 | 56.3 | 51.9 | 65.2 | 37.5 | 52.9 | 63.6 | 51.5 | 55.9 |
| - 1975 | 78.3 | 80.2 | 82.9 | 82.3 | 85.1 | 68.1 | 71.2 | 78.2 | 54.1 | 56.7 | 63.3 | 58.6 | 28.6 | 47.2 | 55.4 | 54.3 |
| - 1976 | 76.5 | 76.2 | 87.2 | 77.9 | 79.5 | 61.2 | 62.6 | 76.1 | 56.1 | 54.7 | 55.9 | 52.5 | 84.0 | 61.2 | 56.3 | 56.1 |
| Total <br> Responses |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| - 1973 | 15,898 | 419 | 82 | 77 | 29 | 99 | 4,782 | 21,386 | 3,738 | 149 | 24 | 16 | 7 | 24 | 1,099 | 5,011 |
| - 1974 | 17,774 | 545 | 97 | 123 | 37 | 106 | 874 | 19,556 | 4,515 | 258 | 23 | 24 | 17 | 33 | 206 | 5,076 |
| - 1975 | 17,935 | 621 | 111 | 147 | 47 | 94 | 549 | 19,504 | 5,408 | 335 | 30 | 29 | 14 | 36 | 157 | 6,009 |
| - 1976 | 17,655 | 626 | 109 | 163 | 39 | 98 | 537 | 19,227 | 5,674 | 424 | 34 | 40 | 25 | 49 | 135 | 6,381 |
| Mot <br> Reported |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| - 1973 | 120 | 8 | 2 | 1 | - | 2 | 230 | 361 | 19 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 46 | 66 |
| - 1974 | 142 | 15 | 1 | - | 1 | 2 | 368 | 529 | 47 | 1 | , | 1 | - | - | 57 | 106 |
| - 1975 -1976 | 95 89 | 9 10 | 1 | - | 1 | - | 278 264 | 384 369 | 38 43 | 4 5 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 49 56 | 92 106 |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

## I-9 Marital Status of Doctorate Recipients at Time of Ph.D. by Sex and Racial/ Ethnic Group in Fiscal Years 1973-1976

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

Examination of total responses for all four years shows the American Indian and Puerto Rican groups to have the highest percentage of Ph.D.'s, $79.4 \%$ and $76.3 \%$, respectively, who are married upon completion of the degree. Asians, who complete their Ph.D.'s at an early age, have the smallest proportion, $64.7 \%$, of married doctorate recipients.

## Sex Differences

A much higher proportion of male than of female Ph.D.'s was married at the time of the degree. In 1976, $76.1 \%$ of men and $56.1 \%$ of women Ph.D.'s were married. In the total figures for male Ph.D.'s there is a striking drop of nearly $6 \%$, from $82.0 \%$ in 1973 to $76.1 \%$ in 1976, in the percentage of those married at the time of the degree while the proportion for females remained stable from 1973 to 1976.

The $56.1 \%$ of women married at the time of the degree in 1976 is higher than those found in two studies of women Ph.D.'s conducted several years after they received their degrees. In 1965 Astin (1969, p. 27) found that $54.7 \%$ of the 1957 and 1958 women Ph.D.'s were or had been married but only $44.6 \%$ were at the time of the study. In 1973, Centra found that $70 \%$ of the women who had received degrees in 1968 had been married but only $52.5 \%$ were in the year of the study (1974, pp. 101103). These studies found a high incidence of divorce and separation among women Ph.D.'s, also reported for women graduate students (Carnegie, 1973b, p. 83; Feldman, 1974, p. 19), so that the percentage of women not married at the time of the degree may include a number of formerly married women in addition to those never married. Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Inspection of the totals for 1973 to 1976 shows the largest difference among the Chicanos, the group with the lowest percent of married women, $52.3 \%$, and one of the highest percents of married men, $82.2 \%$. The smallest difference was found among the Asians, the group having the lowest proportion of married men but a percentage of married women close to that for all women.

Table I- 10
Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients 1/ by Number of Dependents at Time of Ph.D., by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1975-1976 2/ (Percent of Total Reported)

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of Dependents | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian |  <br> Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian |  <br> Unknown | Total |
| 0 | 27.4\% | 18.5\% | 17.4\% | 17.9\% | 20.0\% | 36.9\% | 37.7\% | 27.3\% | 72.3\% | 48.5\% | 58.3\% | 41.3\% | 33.3\% | 79.7\% | 62.5\% | 70.3\% |
| 1-2 | 41.2 | 40.0 | 43.5 | 39.3 | 28.6 | 45.0 | 38.8 | 41.0 | 22.7 | 42.3 | 20.8 | 43.5 | 30.3 | 18.8 | 32.0 | 24.2 |
| 3 or more | 31.5 | 41.5 | 39.1 | 42.9 | 51.4 | 18.1 | 23.5 | 31.7 | 5.0 | 9.3 | 20.8 | 15.2 | 36.4 | 1.6 | 5.5 | 5.5 |
| Total Reported | 29,463 | 1,005 | 161 | 252 | 70 | 149 | 758 | 31,858 | 8,574 | 613 | 48 | 46 | 33 | 64 | 128 | 9,506 |
| Unknown | 6,311 | 261 | 61 | 61 | 18 | 44 | 870 | 7,626 | 2,589 | 155 | 18 | 23 | 6 | 22 | 269 | 3,082 |
|  | 100.1\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.1\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.1\% | 99.9\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.1\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% |
| 1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only2/ 1975 was the first year data on number of dependents were collected. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

I-10 Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients by Number of Dependents 1/ at Time of Ph.D., by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1975-1976

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

A higher proportion of Asians than of any other group is without dependents at the time the degree is received. A higher proportion of this group than of others is young (Table I-8) and is unmarried (Table I-9). Whites are next of those without dependents when they complete the Ph.D. The Puerto Rican group has the highest proportion with three dependents or more when they complete the doctorate. Sex Differences

A much smaller proportion of women than of men has dependents at the time they receive the degree. This is expected since fewer women than men are married (Table I-9). Nevertheless, nearly $30 \%$ of the women report having at least one dependent. Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Of those with no dependents at the time they receive the Ph.D., the largest difference between the sexes appears among Whites, Asians and American Indians. In these groups a much smaller proportion of women than men has dependents when the doctorate is obtained. The smallest difference appears in the Puerto Rican group in which only a third of the women have no dependents. Less than half the Black and Chicano women are also without dependents upon completion of the degree, but the proportions of women are still considerably larger than the proportions of men with no dependents in these groups.

At the high end of the distribution, the largest difference appears in the Black group where $41.5 \%$ of the men, but only $9.3 \%$ of the women, have at least three dependents when they receive the doctorate. The smallest differences between the sexes are to be found for Puerto Ricans and Asians but the two groups display different patterns. The percentages of Puerto Ricans, both men and women, having three dependents or more is higher than for other groups, with Asians having the lowest proportions.

1/ Dependent = someone receiving at least one-half of his or her support from the doctorate recipient.

Table 1-11
Percentage of Doctorate Recipients 1/ in FY 1973-1976 by Broad Field, Racial/Ethnic Group and Sex


1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
2/ V provides vertical percentages within columns based on total response. $V$ not shown for unknown because of very small numbers of respondents.
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

## I-11 Percentage of Doctorate Recipients in FY 1973-1976 by Broad Field, ]/ Racial/ Ethnic Group and Sex

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

A comparison of the field distributions of different groups shows the Asians to have larger proportions than any other group in the biological sciences, the physical sciences combined and engineering, and smaller proportions than others in education and the professional fields. Blacks display much greater concentration than any other group in education, $60.9 \%$, and smaller percentages than other groups in the physical sciences (except chemistry), mathematics, engineering, the biological sciences and the arts and humanities.

## Sex Differences

Substantially larger proportions of women than men obtain degrees in the arts and humanities and in education. The fields in which men receive much higher proportions of doctorates than women are the physical sciences and engineering. Men obtain $24.2 \%$ of their degrees in these areas while the figure for women is $5.1 \%$. Although the number of women Ph.D.'s in the physical sciences and engineering increased during the four years covered by this study, this number as a percentage of all women Ph.D.'s decreased. 2/

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Among Asians, in every field except the professional fields, there are large differences between the sexes. These follow the patterns described for all men and women but Asian men have a smaller proportion than all other men in education and in the arts and humanities, and higher proportions than others in the physical sciences, engineering and the biological sciences. Among Blacks, men have smaller proportions of doctorates than other men in the physical sciences, engineering and the biological sciences while smaller proportions of Black women than other women are in the arts and humanities so that sex differences are minimal in this group. The largest difference is in education but the percentage of men is increasing while that of women is decreasing. 2/

1/ See Appendix C, p. 180 for description of fields.
2/ Inspection of the data (available in CHR) for each year revealed few clear trends. Therefore, data were presented for all four years combined and change reported, where relevant.

## I-12 Baccalaureate Field of Ph.D. Recipients // by Ph.D. Field, Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group

Tables I-12a and b on pages $44-47$ show that with the exception of those in the professional fields and education, the majority of doctorate recipients in each field earlier obtained baccalaureates in the same field. This holds true for the various racial/ethnic groups and for both sexes so that the differences described below represent minor variations of the general pattern.

When doctorate recipients of different fields are compared (on baccalaureate origins), the numbers for some groups, particularly women, are very small. Therefore, cells that represent fewer than 5 individuals are disregarded in the following discussion to avoid the large variation in percentages that can occur in small cells.

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

A greater proportion of Blacks than others with education and physical science doctorates also received their baccalaureates in the same fields. A smaller proportion of Blacks than others with degrees in the professional fields also received B.A.'s in these fields.

Puerto Ricans with education doctorates have the smallest proportion who did undergraduate work in that field. They also have the highest proportion of engineering Ph.D.'s 2/ with baccalaureates in the same field.

American Indian doctorate recipients in the biological sciences show the smallest proportions with B.A.'s in the same area.

## Sex Differences

The one Ph.D. field showing substantial differences between the sexes is engineering. In this area, much higher proportions of men than women3/ started out in that specialty. A smaller difference is found in education, in which somewhat higher proportions of female than male doctorate recipients did under-

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
2/ Applies only to men
3/ All women Ph.D.'s in engineering are White
graduate work in that field.
For both sexes, far more than half of the Ph.D.'s in the physical sciences, biological sciences and the arts and humanities have done undergraduate work in those fields. Most of those with social science doctorates also received the baccalaureate in the same field but the percentages are a little lower. Much smaller percentages of those with graduate degrees in the professional fields and education have also come out of those B.A. fields.

Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups
Among Asians, a larger proportion of male than female doctorate recipients in the arts and humanities began their studies in those fields. In the social sciences, larger proportions of White, American Indian and Asian men than women Ph.D.'s received baccalaureates in those areas. Among Puerto Ricans, Chicanos and Blacks, smaller percentages of male than female social science doctorate recipients started work in those fields. American Indian male Ph.D.'s in the physical, social and biological sciences show larger proportions than female Ph.D.'s with baccalaureates in the same fields.

Table I-12a
Baccalaureate field of Ph.D. Recipients 1/ by Ph.D. Field, Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

|  |  |  | Ph.D. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Physical 2/ Sciences | Engineering | Biological Sciences | Social ? Sciences | Arts 8 Human. | Prof. Fields | Education | Other |
| Total Reporting 3/ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 11,515 | 5,606 | 10,016 | 13,070 | 10,012 | 3,286 | 15,244 | 54 |
| Black | 130 | 52 | 148 | 326 | 186 | 77 | 1,278 | 1 |
| Amer. Indian | 44 | 23 | 51 | 72 | 60 | 13 | 130 | - |
| Chicano | 49 | 16 | 61 | 90 | 74 | 14 | 197 | - |
| Puerto Rican | 17 | 17 | 20 | 33 | 23 | 8 | 31 | - |
| Asian | 79 | 46 | 115 | 64 | 27 | 10 | 53 | 1 |
| Baccalaureate Field Physical science 21 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 89.0\% | 12.6\% | 15.9\% | 4.7\% | 2.2\% | $6.0 \%$ | 6.7\% | 22.2\% |
| Black | 93.8 | 19.2 | 13.5 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 11.7 | 7.7 | - |
| Amer. Indian | 93.2 | 13.0 | 13.7 | 5.6 | 1.7 | - | 6.9 | - |
| Chicano | 87.8 | 12.5 | 14.8 | 2.2 | - | - | 4.1 | - |
| Puerto Rican | 70.6 | 5.9 | 10.0 | 3.0 | . | - | , | - |
| Asian | 84.8 | 8.7 | 15.7 | 3.1 | 3.7 | - | - | - |
| Engineering |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 5.7 | 84.9 | 1.5 | 2.0 | . 7 | 11.3 | 1.5 | 13.0 |
| Black | . 8 | 76.9 | - | 2.5 | - | 9.1 | . 3 | - |
| Amer. Indian | 4.5 | 87.0 | - | 5.6 | 3.3 | 7.7 | . 8 | - |
| Chicano | 4.1 | 87.5 | 1.6 | 1.1 | - | 14.3 | . 5 | - |
| Puerto Rican | 11.8 | 94.1 | - | 3.0 | . | - | - | - |
| Asian | 7.6 | 91.3 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 7.4 | 20.0 | - | - |
| Biological Science |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 2.5 | . 8 | 75.1 | 2.3 | . 6 | 2.2 | 5.3 | 3.7 |
| Black | 4.6 | . | 79.7 | 4.0 | . 5 | 1.3 | 9.6 | 100.0 |
| Aner. Indian | - | - | 72.5 | 1.4 | - | 7.7 | 4.6 | - |
| Chicano | 8.2 | - | 80.3 | - | - | - | 6.1 | - |
| Puerto Rican | 17.6 | - | 90.0 | 6.1 | - | - | 3.2 | , |
| Asian | 6.3 | - | 78.3 | 7.8 | - | - | 9.4 | 100.0 |
| 1/ Mative-born U.S. citizens only |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2/ Prysical Scienc | ludes Mathema | and Environ | Sctences; So | ences incl field. | Psycholog |  |  |  |

[^1]Table l-12a continued
Baccalaureate Field of Ph.D. Recipients 1/ by Ph.D. Field, Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

| MEN |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ph.D. Field |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Physical 2/ Sciences | Engineering | Biological Sciences | Social 2/ <br> Sciences | Arts: Human. | Prof. Fields | Education | Other |
| Social Sciences 3/ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | .4\% | . $5 \%$ | 2.7\% | 70.8\% | 5.4\% | 16.0\% | 17.5\% | 16.7\% |
| Black | - | 1.9 | 1.4 | 67.2 | 7.5 | 32.5 | 16.4 |  |
| Amer. Indian | - | - | 2.0 | 68.1 | - | 7.7 | 20.0 | - |
| Chicano | - | - | 1.6 | 67.8 | 8.1 | 28.6 | 20.8 | - |
| Puerto Rican | - | - | - | 63.6 | 4.3 | 25.0 | 29.0 | - |
| Asian | - | - | 3.5 | 75.0 | 14.8 | 30.0 | 22.6 | - |
| Arts \& Humanities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Black | . 8 | , | . | 7.4 | 76.3 | 19.5 | 14.2 | - |
| Amer. Indian | - | - | - | 15.3 | 90.0 | 15.4 | 16.2 | - |
| Chicano | - | - | - | 13.3 | 89.2 | 21.4 | 19.3 | - |
| Puerto Rican | - | - | 0 | 9.1 | 87.0 | 62.5 | 22.6 | - |
| Asian | 1.3 | - | . 9 | 6.3 | 70.4 | 20.0 | 18.9 | - |
| Professional Fields |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | . 2 | . 3 | . 5 | 4.4 | 1.8 | 39.9 | 6.1 | 13.0 |
| Black |  | - | . 7 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 18.2 | 3.5 | - |
| Amer. Indian | - | - | - | 4.2 | - | 61.5 | 5.4 | - |
| Chicano | - | - | - | 6.7 | 1.4 | 28.6 | 4.6 | - |
| Puerto Rican | - | - | - | 9.1 | 1.4 | 12.5 | 6.5 | - |
| Asian | - | - | - | 4.7 | - | 30.0 | 7.5 | - |
| Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 1.1 | . 2 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 4.8 | 4.0 | 43.1 | 3.7 |
| Black | - | 1.9 | 4.7 | 12.6 | 9.1 | 6.5 | 48.0 | - |
| Amer. Indian | 2.3 | - | 11.8 | ${ }^{-}$ | 5.0 | 7 | 46.2 | - |
| Chicano | - | - | 1.6 | 7.8 | 1.4 | 7.1 | 43.7 | - |
| Puerto Rican | - | - | - | 6.1 | 8.7 | - | 32.3 | - |
| Asian | - | - | - | 1.6 | 3.7 | - | 41.5 | - |
| Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 1 | . 8 | . 5 | 7.4 |
| Black | - | - |  |  | - | 1.3 | . 2 | - |
| Amer. Indian | - | - | - | $\cdots$ | - | - | , | - |
| Chicano Puerto Rican | - | - | - | 1.1 | - | - | 1.0 | - |
| Asian | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6.5 | - |

Table I-12b
Baccalaureate Field of Ph. D. Recipients 1/ by Ph.D. Field, Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

|  | WOMEN |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ph.D. Field |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Physical 2/ <br> Sciences | Engineering | Biological Sciences | Social $2 /$ <br> Sciences | Arts 8 Human. | Prof. <br> Fields | Education | Other |
| Total Reporting 3/ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 948 | 85 | 2,431 | 4,502 | 4,466 | 620 | 6,099 | 18 |
| Black | 17 | - | 70 | 152 | 106 | 51 | 758 | - |
| Amer. Indian | 4 | - | 12 | 21 | 28 | 5 | 41 | - |
| Chicano | 1 | - | 7 | 13 | 33 | 6 | 49 | - |
| Puerto Rican | 1 | - | 4 | 15 | 10 | 2 | 30 | - |
| Asian | 13 | - | 29 | 24 | 28 | 5 | 38 | - |
| Baccalaureate Field |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Physical Sciences ${ }^{\text {l }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 89.7\% | 38.8\% | 15.8\% | 3.0\% | 1.7\% | 4.0\% | 4.8\% | 22.2\% |
| Black | 88.2 | - | 14.3 | 2.0 | - | 2.0 | 5.7 | - |
| Amer. Indian | 75.0 | - | 25.0 | 4.8 | - |  | 2.4 | - |
| Chicano | 100.0 | - | - | - | - | 16.7 | 6.1 | - |
| Puerto Rican | 100.0 | - | 50.0 | - | 10.0 | - | - | - |
| Asian | 100.0 | - | 17.2 | 8.3 | - | - | 5.3 | - |
| Engineering |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | . 7 | 51.8 | - | - | - | - | . 1 | - |
| Black | 5.9 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Amer. Indian | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Chicano | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Puerto Rican | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Asian | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Biological Sciences |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 4.3 | 2.4 | 73.3 | 4.3 | . 8 | 3.9 | 7.5 | 5.6 |
| Black | 5.9 | - | 80.0 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 6.1 | - |
| Amer. Indian | - | - | 50.0 | 4.8 | - | - | 7.3 | - |
| Chicano | - | - | 85.7 | - | - | - | 6.1 | - |
| Puerto Rican | - | - | 50.0 | , | 10.0 | - | 13.3 | - |
| Asian | - | - | 79.3 | 4.2 | . | - | 2.6 | - |

// Native-born U.S. citizens only
$\overline{2} /$ Physical Sciences includes Mathematics and Environmental Sciences; Social Sciences includes Psychology.
ㅍ/ Total Reporting does not include those who did not report race or baccalaureate field.
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

Table I-12b continued
Baccalaureate Field of Ph. D. Recipients 1/ by Ph.D. Field, Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1376

|  | WOMEN |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ph.D. Field |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Physical 2/ Sciences | Engineering | Biological Sciences | Soctal 2/ <br> Sciences | Arts 8 Human. | Prof. <br> Fields | Education | Other |
|  | Social Sciences ${ }^{\text {2/ }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White | .8\% | 2.4\% | 2.9\% | 68.9\% | 3.9\% | 15.6\% | 14.1\% | 27.8\% |
|  | Black | - | - | 1.4 | 67.8 | 3.8 | 31.4 | 10.2 | - |
|  | Amer. Indian | - | - | - | 47.6 | - | - | 7.3 | - |
|  | Chicano | - | - | - | 76.9 | 3.0 | 50.0 | 10.2 | - |
|  | Puerto Rican | - | - | - | 73.3 | - | - | 16.7 | - |
|  | Asian | - | - | 3.4 | 58.3 | 7.1 | - | 18.4 | - |
|  | Arts 8 Humanities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White | 1.9 | 1.2 | 2.5 | 14.4 | 87.6 | 23.4 | 21.4 | 27.8 |
|  | Black | - | - | 1.4 | 9.9 | 77.4 | 15.7 | 15.3 | - |
|  | Amer. Indian | 25.0 | - | 8.3 | 23.8 | 92.9 | 40.0 | 19.5 | - |
|  | Chicano | . | - |  | 7.7 | 93.9 | $50^{-}$. | 20.4 | - |
|  | Puerto Rican | - | - | - | - | 80.0 | 50.0 | 33.3 | - |
| $\pm$ | Asian | - | - | - | 8.3 | 89.3 | - | 28.9 | - |
|  | Professional Fields |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White | . 2 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 2.6 | 1.1 | 37.1 | 5.2 | - |
|  | Black | - | - | - | 5.3 | 1.9 | 27.5 | 3.6 | - |
|  | Amer. Indian | - | - | 8.3 | 4.8 | 7.1 | 40.0 | 4.9 | - |
|  | Chicano | - | - | - | - | 3.0 | - | 4.1 | - |
|  | Puerto Rican | - | - | - | 20.0 | - | - | 3.3 | - |
|  | Asian | - | - | . - | 4.2 | 3.6 | 60.0 | - | - |
|  | Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White | 2.3 | 1.2 | 3.5 | 6.5 | 4.8 | 15.8 | 46.8 | 11.1 |
|  | Black | - | - | 2.9 | 11.8 | 13.2 | 19.6 | 59.2 | - |
|  | Amer. Indian | - | - | 8.3 | 14.3 | . | 20.0 | 58.5 | - |
|  | Chicano | - | - | 14.3 | 15.4 | - | 33.3 | 53.1 | - |
|  | Puerto Rican | - | - | 1.3 | 6.7 | - | 50.0 | 33.3 |  |
|  | Asian | - | - | - | 16.7 | - | 40.0 | 44.7 | - |
|  | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White | - | - | . 2 | . 2 | . 1 | . 2 | . 2 | 5.6 |
|  | Black | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  | Amer. Indian | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  | Chicano | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  | Puerto Rican | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  | Asian | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

Table 1-13
Education of Fathers of Doctorate Recipients ${ }^{1 /}$ by Ph.D. Field. Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  <br> Father's Edu. | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other 8 Unl:nown | Total |
| Physical Sci. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0-11 yrs. | $\begin{gathered} 2,366 \\ 20.3 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 57 \\ 43.8 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 26.7 \% \end{array}$ | $42.0_{0}^{2}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ 36.8_{\sim}^{\sigma} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 22 \\ 27.2 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 219 \\ 16.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,704 \\ 20.4 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 155 \\ 16.2 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 17.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 25.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | - | - | $\stackrel{4}{4}$ | $\stackrel{9}{12.7 \%}$ | $\begin{gathered} 172 \\ 16.1 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| HS or some college | $\begin{array}{r} 4,582 \\ 39.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 19.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ 48.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 32.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 26.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ 29.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 387 \\ 29.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,061 \\ 38.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 333 \\ 34.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 64.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 25.0 \end{array}$ | - | 1 | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 21.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ 26.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 368 \\ 34.5 \end{array}$ |
| College or more | $\begin{array}{r} 4,023 \\ 34.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30 \\ 23.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 22.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 26.3 \end{array}$ | $32.1$ | $\begin{array}{r} 402 \\ 30.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,506 \\ 34.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 410 \\ 42.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 5.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | 1 | - | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 28 \\ 39.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 449 \\ 42.1 \end{array}$ |
| Unknown | $\begin{aligned} & 663 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 13.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 2.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 6.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 10.5 \end{array}$ | $11.9$ | $\begin{array}{r} 307 \\ 23.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,003 \\ 7.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 61 \\ 6.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 11.8 \end{array}$ | - | - | - | - | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 21.1 \end{array}$ | 78 7.3 |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 11,634 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 130 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 45 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 50 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 81 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,315 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,274 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 959 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $100 .{ }^{4}$ | 1 | 1 | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 71 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,067 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ |
| Engineering |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (1)-11 yrs. | 1,314 23.2 | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 34.6 \end{array}$ | $26.1$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 29.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13 \\ 28.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 119 \\ 19.3 \end{array}$ | 1,483 23.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 9.3 \end{array}$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | 9.1 |
| HS or some college | 2,308 40.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 34.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 43.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 25.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 52.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13 \\ 28.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 201 \\ 32.7 \end{array}$ | 2,563 39.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 35 \\ 40.7 \end{array}$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | 35 39.8 |
| College or more | 1,775 31.3 | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 23.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 30.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 18.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 11.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 32.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 171 \\ 27.8 \end{array}$ | 1,985 30.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 41 \\ 47.7 \end{array}$ | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | $\begin{array}{r} 42 \\ 47.7 \end{array}$ |
| Unknown | $\begin{aligned} & 266 \\ & 4.7 \end{aligned}$ | $7.4$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 6.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 5.9 \end{array}$ | $10.9$ | $\begin{array}{r} 124 \\ 20.2 \end{array}$ | $401$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 2.3 \end{array}$ | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 3 3.4 |
| Total | $\begin{aligned} & 5,663 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 52 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 46 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 615 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,432 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 86 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ |
| Biosciences |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0-11 yrs. | $\begin{array}{r} 2,358 \\ 23.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 79 \\ 51.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 25.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30 \\ 47.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 35.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 28 \\ 24.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 259 \\ 23.3 \end{array}$ | 2,775 23.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 413 \\ 16.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23 \\ 32.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 16.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 43.0 \end{array}$ | - | $20.7$ | $\begin{array}{r} 42 \\ 19.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 489 \\ 17.4 \end{array}$ |
| HS or some college | $\begin{array}{r} 4,154 \\ 40.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 38 \\ 24.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ 35.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 28.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 35.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 47 \\ 40.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 346 \\ 31.1 \end{array}$ | 4,629 39.4 | $\begin{array}{r} 872 \\ 35.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 29 \\ 40.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 33.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 43.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | $17.2$ | $\begin{array}{r} 54 \\ 25.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 969 \\ 34.6 \end{array}$ |
| College or more | $\begin{array}{r} 3,126 \\ 30.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 11.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 29.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 14.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 30.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34 \\ 29.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 290 \\ 26.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,499 \\ 29.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,054 \\ 42.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 22.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 25.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 14.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 51.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 64 \\ 30.3 \end{array}$ | 1,155 41.2 |
| Unknown | $\begin{aligned} & 579 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 11.8 \end{array}$ | $9.5$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 9.5 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 6.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 218 \\ 19.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 833 \\ & 7 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131 \\ & 5.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 4.2 \end{array}$ | $25 .{ }^{3}$ | - | - | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 10.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 51 \\ 24.2 \end{array}$ | 191 6.8 |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 10,217 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 153 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 54 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 63 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 116 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | 1,113 100.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 11,736 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | 2,470 100.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 71 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $100 . \mathbf{4}^{4}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 29 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 211 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,804 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ |

1/ Native-born U.S. only
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

I-13 Education of Fathers of Doctorate Recipients by Ph.D. Field, Sex and Racial/ Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

This table explores the relationship between one background factor, education of father, and the field of the doctorate recipient. As in the preceding table, cells representing less than 5 individuals have been left out of this discussion.

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

The fathers of Black and Chicano Ph.D.'s in the physical sciences, engineering 1/, the biological sciences, social sciences and arts and humanities show lower levels of educational attainment than the fathers of members of other groups. The fathers of White and Asian Ph.D.'s in the physical sciences show relatively high educational achievement.

## Sex Differences

The general pattern when field is held constant is for the fathers of female Ph.D.'s to show a higher level of educational attainment than the fathers of male Ph.D.'s. This picture is sharply accentuated in the field of engineering ${ }^{\text {2/ }}$ where 23.1\% of the fathers of male Ph.D.'s and only $9.1 \%$ of the fathers of female Ph.D.'s have not completed high school. In this field, $30.9 \%$ of the fathers of male doctoral engineers have at least four years of college compared with $47.7 \%$ of the fathers of females. The differences are somewhat smaller in the physical sciences and education than in other fields and virtually disappear in the professional fields.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups by Field

For Asians, the fathers of women Ph.D.'s in the biological sciences, arts and humanities and education show much higher educational achievement than the fathers of men Ph.D.'s. A similar picture is evident for Blacks in the biological, social sciences and professional fields and for Chicanos in the arts and humanities. In the last field, there is an interesting reversal of the usual pattern: the fathers of American Indian women show a much lower level of educational achievement than the fathers of the men.

1/ Refers to men, except for Whites, the only group with women engineers.
2/ Refers to White women since there are no minority women engineers.

Table I-13 continued

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ph.D. Field \& Father's Edu. | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer Indian | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total |
| Social Sciences |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $0-11$ yrs. | $\begin{gathered} 3,012 \\ 22.8 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 150 \\ 45.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 24 \\ 32.9 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 49 \\ 53.3 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ 36.4 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 16 \\ 24.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 262 \\ 17.5 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3,525 \\ 23.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 814 \\ 17.8 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 41 \\ 26.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 27.3 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 28.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 31.3 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ 28.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $12.78$ | $\begin{gathered} 925 \\ 17.9 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| HS or some college | $\begin{array}{r} 5,188 \\ 39.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 91 \\ 27.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 26 \\ 35.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 26 \\ 28.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 33.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 28 \\ 43.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 449 \\ 30.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,819 \\ 38.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,492 \\ 32.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 56 \\ 36.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 36.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 57.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 25.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 32.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 104 \\ 27.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,680 \\ 32.4 \end{array}$ |
| College or more | $\begin{array}{r} 4,331 \\ 32.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 52 \\ 15.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ 26.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13 \\ 14.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 24.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 23.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 387 \\ 25.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,825 \\ 31.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,992 \\ 43.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 43 \\ 27.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 22.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 14.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 37.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 36.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 118 \\ 31.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,175 \\ 42.0 \end{array}$ |
| Unknown | $\begin{aligned} & 689 \\ & 5.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ 12.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 5.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 4.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 6.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 9.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 401 \\ 26.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,146 \\ 7.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 274 \\ & 6.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 9.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 13.6 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 6.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 4.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 109 \\ 28.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 402 \\ & 7.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 13,220 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 333 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 73 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 92 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 65 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,499 \\ & 100.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,315 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,572 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 154 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 379 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,182 \\ & 100.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| Arts $\&$ <br> Humanities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $0-11$ yrs. | $\begin{array}{r} 2,350 \\ 23.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 84 \\ 44.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 19.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 44 \\ 57.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 34.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 37.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 230 \\ 18.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,738 \\ 23.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 715 \\ 15.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 36 \\ 33.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 53.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 30.3 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 12.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 60 \\ 13.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 840 \\ 16.2 \end{array}$ |
| HS or some college | $\begin{array}{r} 3,696 \\ 36.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 53 \\ 27.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 40.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 19.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 43.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 33.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 332 \\ 26.8 \end{array}$ | 4,140 35.2 | 1,493 32.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 35 \\ 32.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 25.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 30.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 30.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 35.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 86 \\ 19.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,645 \\ 31.6 \end{array}$ |
| College or more | $\begin{array}{r} 3,502 \\ 34.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30 \\ 15.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20 \\ 32.3 \end{array}$ | 11.7 | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 13.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 18.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 308 \\ 24.9 \end{array}$ | 3,877 33.0 | 2,047 45.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 23.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 17.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 36.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 45.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 141 \\ 31.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,249 \\ 43.3 \end{array}$ |
| Unknown | $\begin{array}{r} 593 \\ 5.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ 12.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 8.1 \end{array}$ | $11.7$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 8.7 \end{array}$ | $11.1$ | $\begin{array}{r} 369 \\ 29.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,005 \\ 8.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 288 \\ & 6.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 10.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 3.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 3.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 6.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 159 \\ 35.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 464 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ |
| Tota | $\begin{array}{r} 10,141 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 191 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 62 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 77 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 27 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,239 \\ & 100.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,760 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,543 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 107 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 28 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 31 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 446 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,198 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ |
| Professional <br> Fields |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0-11 yrs. | $\begin{array}{r} 994 \\ 29.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35 \\ 44.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 38.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 62.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ 26.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,143 \\ 30.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 178 \\ 28.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 30.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 40.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 83.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 60.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 22.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 219 \\ 28.6 \end{array}$ |
| HS or some college | $\begin{array}{r} 1,344 \\ 40.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 32.1 \end{array}$ | 6 46.2 | 14.3 | 2 25.0 | 4 40.0 | 118 33.3 | 1,501 39.4 | 218 34.4 | 13 24.5 | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 40.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 16.7 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 40.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ 30.6 \end{array}$ | 255 33.3 |
| College or more | $\begin{array}{r} 809 \\ 24.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 19.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 15.4 \end{array}$ | $14.3$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 40.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 81 \\ 22.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 913 \\ 24.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 205 \\ 32.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 32.1 \end{array}$ | - | - | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 50.0 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 27.4 \end{array}$ | 240 31.3 |
| Unknown | $\begin{aligned} & 185 \\ & 5.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 3.8 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 21.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 12.5 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 60 \\ 16.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 252 \\ & 6.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ 5.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 13.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | - | - | - | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 19.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 52 \\ 6.8 \end{array}$ |
| Total | $\begin{aligned} & 3,332 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 78 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 354 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,809 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 633 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 53 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 62 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 766 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ |

Table 1-13 continued

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Nomen |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ph.D. Field ${ }^{*}$ Father's Edu. | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | 8lack | Amer. Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian |  <br> Unknown | Total |
| Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $0-11$ yrs. | $\begin{gathered} 6,424 \\ 41.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 710 \\ 54.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 70 \\ 52.2 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 140 \\ 69.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 19 \\ 54.3 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 22 \\ 40.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 641 \\ 37.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8,026 \\ 42.47 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1,961 \\ 31.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 357 \\ 46.1 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 14 \\ 33.3 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 30 \\ 61.2 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 11 \\ 36.7 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ 30.8 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 174 \\ 29.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,559 \\ 33.2 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| HS or some college | $\begin{array}{r} 5,475 \\ 35.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 337 \\ 25.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ 29.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 37 \\ 18.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 22.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 31.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 510 \\ 29.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,424 \\ 34.0 \end{array}$ | 2,245 36.2 | $\begin{array}{r} 203 \\ 26.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 35.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 24.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 33.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 25.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 158 \\ 26.9 \end{array}$ | 2,653 34.4 |
| College or more | $\begin{array}{r} 2,693 \\ 17.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 11.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 5.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 2.9 \end{array}$ | 11.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 256 \\ 14.8 \end{array}$ | 3,087 16.3 | 1,621 26.2 | $\begin{array}{r} 134 \\ 17.3 \end{array}$ | 9 21.4 | 4 8.2 | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 35.9 \end{array}$ | 132 22.4 | 1,920 24.9 |
| Unknown | $\begin{aligned} & 846 \\ & 5.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 163 \\ 12.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 6.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 7.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 16.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 326 \\ 18.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,373 \\ 7.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 369 \\ & 6.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 81 \\ 10.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 9.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 6.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 10.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 7.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 124 \\ 21.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 587 \\ & 7.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 15,438 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,315 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 134 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 201 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 54 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,733 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18,910 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,196 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 775 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 42 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 49 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 588 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,719 \\ & 100.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total ${ }^{2 /}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0-11 yrs. | $\begin{array}{r} 18,825 \\ 27.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,133 \\ 50.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 143 \\ 35.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 300 \\ 58.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 63 \\ 40.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 113 \\ 28.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,830 \\ 23.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,407 \\ 27.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,246 \\ 21.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 476 \\ 40.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ 35.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 52 \\ 47.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 27.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 36 \\ 25.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 347 \\ 19.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,214 \\ 22.8 \end{array}$ |
| HS or some college | 26,770 38.4 | 588 26.1 | 148 36.6 | 118 23.0 | 52 33.5 | 142 35.5 | 2,344 29.8 | 30,162 37.1 | 6,694 34.4 | 347 29.5 | 37 32.7 | 34 30.9 | 20 31.7 | 39 27.3 | 440 25.0 | 7,611 33.3 |
| College or more | $\begin{array}{r} 20,278 \\ 29.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 262 \\ 11.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 90 \\ 22.3 \end{array}$ | 56 10.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 16.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 106 \\ 26.5 \end{array}$ | 1,897 24.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 22,714 \\ 27.9 \end{array}$ | 7,382 37.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 236 \\ 20.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ 21.2 \end{array}$ | 20 18.2 | $\begin{array}{r} 20 \\ 31.7 \end{array}$ | 59 41.3 | $\begin{array}{r} 501 \\ 28.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,242 \\ 36.1 \end{array}$ |
| Unknown | $\begin{array}{r} 3,827 \\ 5.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 270 \\ 12.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23 \\ 5.7 \end{array}$ | 40 7.8 | 15 9.7 | 39 9.8 | 1,805 22.9 | 6,019 7.4 | 1.157 5.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 118 \\ 10.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 10.6 \end{array}$ | 4 3.6 | 6 9.5 | 9 6.3 | $\begin{array}{r} 471 \\ 26.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,777 \\ 7.8 \end{array}$ |
| Total | 69,700 100.0 | 2,253 100.0 | 404 100.0 | 514 100.1 | 155 99.9 | 400 100.1 | 7.876 100.0 | 81,302 100.0 | 19,479 100.0 | 1,177 100.0 | 113 99.9 | 110 100.0 | 63 99.9 | 143 100.1 | 1,759 100.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 22,844 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ |

2/ Includes 103 cases where field of Ph.D. was other or unknown

Table I-14
Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients $1 /$ in 1973 and 1976, by Elapsed Time from B.A. to Entrance to Graduate School, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group as Percentage of Total Responding


Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

## 1-14 Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients in 1973 and 1976 by Elapsed Timel/ from B.A. to Entrance to Graduate School, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group as Percentage of Total Responding

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

The White and Asian groups of doctorate recipients have the highest proportion who began graduate study immediately after receiving the baccalaureate degree. At the other extreme, in the Black group, less than half entered graduate school upon completion of the B.A. and a substantial number started only after a delay of nine years or more.

## Sex Differences

A smaller proportion of female than male Ph.D.'s entered graduate school immediately after completion of the baccalaureate and the figure for females did not change from 1973 to 1976. While most men began graduate study immediately, the percentage of men who did so dropped slightly from the 1973 to the 1976 cohort. At the other extreme, a much higher proportion of women than men began advanced study after a period of nine years or more following the receipt of the baccalaureate. Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

In 1976, there was virtually no difference between Black men and women among those who had started graduate work immediately and those who had begun after a delay of one or two years. At the other extreme, of those who delayed graduate school nine or more years, Blacks of both sexes showed smaller proportions in 1976 than in 1973.

Examination of data available in the CHR giving totals for the four years shows the difference in elapsed time for the sexes to be greatest for the Puerto Ricans. In this group, $62.9 \%$ of the men but only $41.0 \%$ of the women began graduate work with no interruption after the baccalaureate. The difference between sexes in elapsed time is smallest among Blacks: $41.8 \%$ of the men and $37.6 \%$ of the women began graduate study with no delay, while $10.1 \%$ of the women and $5.3 \%$ of the men waited for nine years or more.

1/ It should not be overlooked that "elapsed time" shows considerable variability among fields, see p. 143.

Table 1-15
Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients 1/ in 1973 and 1976 by Years Out of School Between Entrance to Graduate School and Ph. D. by Sex and Racial/ Ethnic Group as Percentage of Total Responding

| Ph.D |  |  | Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total |
|  | 0 | $\begin{aligned} & -1973 \\ & -1976 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46.5 \% \\ & 46.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25.6 \% \\ & 23.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43.8 \% \\ & 48.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30.8 \% \\ & 40.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39.3 \% \\ & 27.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59.6 \\ & 62.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44.7 \\ & 54.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45.7 \\ & 46.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42.1 \% \\ & 41.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \% \\ & 21.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36.4 \approx \\ & 37.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.7 \% \\ & 34.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42.9 \mathrm{n} \\ & 12.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47.8 \\ & 51.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35.4 \% \\ & 48.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39.9 \% \\ & 40.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 1-2 | $\begin{aligned} & -1973 \\ & -1976 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.5 \\ & 23.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.3 \\ & 27.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.8 \\ & 21.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33.3 \\ & 25.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.7 \\ & 35.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 18.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25.3 \\ & 24.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.9 \\ & 23.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.3 \\ & 23.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.4 \\ & 21.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.6 \\ & 24.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33.3 \\ & 26.3 \end{aligned}$ | $37.5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.0 \\ & 21.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.8 \\ & 25.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.4 \\ & 23.2 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\xrightarrow[H]{H}$ | 3-8 | $\begin{aligned} & -1973 \\ & -1976 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.9 \\ & 23.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36.0 \\ & 33.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.3 \\ & 24.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.4 \\ & 25.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32.1 \\ & 29.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 11.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.9 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.3 \\ & 23.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.0 \\ & 24.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39.0 \\ & 33.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31.8 \\ & 34.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33.3 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28.6 \\ & 45.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30.4 \\ & 21.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25.8 \\ & 18.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.9 \\ & 25.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 9 or more | $\begin{aligned} & -1973 \\ & -1976 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.1 \\ & 7.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.0 \\ & 16.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.3 \\ 5.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.5 \\ 7.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17.9 \\ 8.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.4 \\ & 7.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.1 \\ & 3.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.1 \\ & 7.2 \end{aligned}$ | 11.7 10.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 25.7 \\ & 23.0 \end{aligned}$ | 18.2 3.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.7 \\ & 21.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 28.6 \\ 4.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 6.4 \end{aligned}$ | 15.0 7.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.8 \\ & 11.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Total Number Responding |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Unknow | $\begin{aligned} & -1973 \\ & -1976 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 669 \\ & 872 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 54 \end{aligned}$ | 4 8 | $\overline{11}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 3 \end{aligned}$ | 5 4 | $\begin{aligned} & 417 \\ & 265 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,129 \\ & 1,217 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 346 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | 2 | 4 | - | 1 | $\begin{array}{r} 117 \\ 82 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 321 \\ & 474 \end{aligned}$ |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

# I-15 Percentage Distribution of Doctorate Recipients in 1973 and 1976 by Years Out of School. between Entrance to Graduate School and Ph.D. by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group as Percentage of Total Responding 

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

A higher proportion of Asians than of any other group took no time out between enrollment in graduate school and the completion of the degree. A lower proportion of Blacks than all others took no time out and a higher proportion of Blacks than of other groups spent nine years or more out of school after beginning graduate study.

## Sex Differences

A smaller proportion of women than men completed the Ph.D. with no time out of school after starting graduate school and a higher proportion of women than men spent nine years or more out of school. Comparison with Table I-15, which gives time elapsed between completion of the baccalaureate and entrance into araduate school, indicates that a smaller percentage of women than of men began graduate work immediately but the proportion of women who took no time out after enrollment was closer to the proportion of men.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Among Blacks, the difference between the distribution of "years out" for men and women narrowed from 1973 to 1976. In 1976, a larger proportion of women had taken no time out during graduate study. At the other extreme, in 1976 the proportion of women, $23.0 \%$, who had spent nine years or more out of school followinc graduate enrollment was still much higher than the $16.2 \%$ for men.

Examination of the four-year totals available in the CHR shows the Puerto Ricans to have the largest sex differences at both ends of the distribution of "years out". In this group, $41.4 \%$ of the men but only $16.7 \%$ of the women took no time out during graduate work, while $8.3 \%$ of the men and $16.7 \%$ of the women spent nine years or more away from graduate study. For Blacks, the sex difference is similar at the high end of the time distribution: $15.9 \%$ of the men and $24.5 \%$ of the women had at least nine years away from degree work.

1/ It should not be overlooked that there is considerable variability among fields in "years out of school," see p. 143.

I-16 Percentage of Doctorate Recipients in 1973-1976 by Sources of Support in Graduate School, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

A larger proportion of Asians received federal fellowships/traineeships and research assistantships than of the members of other groups, possibly because of their concentration in fields in which such support is more available (see Table I-11). They have depended less on the GI Bill, other fellowships or loans (see Table I-16). Whites and American Indians are the groups with the highest proportions that have held teaching assistantships. Blacks have relied heavily on the GI Bill and have obtained little support from family contributions, teaching assistantships and research assistantships. A larger proportion of Puerto Ricans than of other groups has had support from "other fellowships" and from educational/institutional funds. American Indians have depended to a greater extent than other groups on their own and their spouses' contributions.

Sex Differences
There has been little difference between the proportions of men and women Ph.D.'s receiving federal fellowship/traineeship support and very small differences in receipt of educational/institutional funds and self-support. The GI Bill is used primarily by men and larger proportions of men than women have turned to loans and have obtained teaching and research assistantships. Women have relied to a greater extent on "other fellowships" and family contributions.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Because of the small numbers of minority women other than Blacks, the combined four-year figures available in the CHR were examined. Among American Indians, 44.1\% of the men had federal fellowships/traineeships but only $33.6 \%$ of the women. The situation was similar for Puerto Ricans: $33.8 \%$ of the men and $21.3 \%$ of the women had federal fellowships/traineeships. Among Asians, the situation was reversed with $53.3 \%$ of the women having such awards but only $43.8 \%$ of the men. A higher proportion
of Asian women than men also had loans: $19.7 \%$ of the women and $14.6 \%$ of the men. On the other hand, 46.9\% of Asian men held research assistantships but only 32.1\% of the women, even though the latter figure is higher than the percentage for any other group of women.

Table I-16
Percentage of Doctorate Recipients I/ in 1973-1976 by Sources of Support in Graduate School, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Racial/Ethnic Group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Source of Support | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other 8 Unknown | Total | White | Black | Amer . <br> Indian | Chicano | Puerto <br> Rican | Asian | Other 8 Unknown | Total |
| Federal Fel/TR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -1973 | 43.2\% | 33.0\% | 50.6\% | 46.2\% | 37.9\% | 48.0\% | 46.3\% | 43.7\% | 43.5\% | 30.3\% | 26.1\% | 30.8\% | 16.7\% | 72.7\% | 43.8\% | 43.2\% |
| -1974 | 41.7 | 34.2 | 52.1 | 33.9 | 42.1 | 41.1 | 46.8 | 41.7 | 39.9 | 40.0 | 52.2 | 34.8 | 18.8 | 50.0 | 39.9 | 39.9 |
| -1975 | 38.8 | 29.7 | 34.9 | 37.4 | 27.1 | 43.6 | 40.3 | 38.6 | 38.4 | 29.4 | 32.3 | 41.4 | 21.4 | 54.3 | 42.3 | 38.0 |
| -1976 | 34.6 | 29.0 | 41.3 | 29.0 | 30.8 | 42.9 | 38.5 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 34.2 | 27.3 | 28.2 | 24.0 | 44.0 | 31.3 | 34.5 |
| G.I. bill |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -1973 | 14.7 | 22.4 | 17.3 | 24.4 | 10.3 | 11.2 | 14.6 | 14.8 | . 4 | 1.4 | - | - | - | - | . 7 | . 5 |
| -1974 | 16.2 | 25.8 | 19.8 | 24.0 | 18.4 | 8.4 | 15.8 | 16.4 | . 4 | . 4 |  | - | - | - | . 6 | . 4 |
| -1975 | 17.4 | 22.3 | 29.4 | 14.3 | 15.7 | 17.0 | 13.5 | 17.5 | . 8 | . 3 | 3.2 | - | - | - | . 9 | . 8 |
| -1976 | 18.1 | 26.9 | 17.4 | 19.1 | 17.9 | 13.3 | 11.5 | 18.2 | . 7 | 1.4 | 3.0 | 2.6 | - | - | 1.0 | . 8 |
| Other Fellowship |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -1973 | 21.3 | 25.1 | 24.7 | 15.4 | 41.4 | 21.4 | 20.8 | 21.3 | 27.6 | 33.8 | 17.4 | 23.1 | 16.7 | 9.1 | 22.7 | 26.6 |
| -1974 | 20.6 | 27.5 | 15.6 | 25.6 | 21.1 | 16.8 | 22.9 | 20.9 | 27.9 | 29.2 | 34.8 | 26.1 | 43.8 | 15.6 | 24.1 | 27.8 |
| -1975 | 22.3 | 25.6 | 25.7 | 32.0 | 39.6 | 27.7 | 30.4 | 22.8 | 25.6 | 30.0 | 19.4 | 27.6 | 28.6 | 28.6 | 33.3 | 26.0 |
| -1976 | 22.1 | 24.1 | 21.1 | 25.9 | 23.1 | 17.3 | 29.9 | 22.3 | 26.8 | 28.0 | 21.2 | 30.8 | 28.0 | 26.0 | 37.5 | 27.0 |
| Teaching Asst. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -1973 | 49.8 | 31.6 | 50.6 | 43.6 | 41.4 | 53.1 | 50.9 | 49.7 | 46.6 | 34.5 | 56.5 | 61.5 | 66.7 | 22.7 | 48.0 | 46.6 |
| -1974 | 50.8 | 32.7 | 50.0 | 47.1 | 42.1 | 45.8 | 52.7 | 50.3 | 48.6 | 26.3 | 47.8 | 43.5 | 31.3 | 40.6 | 53.2 | 47.5 |
| -1975 | 53.2 | 30.7 | 62.4 | 42.9 | 33.3 | 41.5 | 59.3 | 52.5 | 51.3 | 31.2 | 45.2 | 48.3 | 35.7 | 48.6 | 51.4 | 50.1 |
| -1976 | 53.0 | 30.1 | 46.8 | 45.1 | 35.9 | 52.0 | 62.3 | 52.4 | 49.4 | 26.1 | 66.7 | 30.8 | 24.0 | 58.0 | 43.8 | 47.7 |
| Research Asst. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -1973 | 33.6 | 18.6 | 34.6 | 24.4 | 24.1 | 45.9 | 34.6 | 33.5 | 21.2 | 12.0 | 21.7 | 7.7 | 16.7 | 40.9 | 20.9 | 21.0 |
| -1974 | 33.3 | 17.7 | 27.1 | 23.1 | 26.3 | 44.9 | 31.9 | 32.7 | 22.9 | 12.1 | 8.7 | 13.0 | 31.3 | 31.3 | 22.2 | 22.3 |
| -1975 | 37.9 | 20.3 | 23.9 | 29.9 | 18.8 | 50.0 | 37.1 | 37.2 | 24.8 | 12.7 | 32.3 | 24.1 | 21.4 | 25.7 | 29.7 | 24.2 |
| -1976 | 38.8 | 18.3 | 33.9 | 28.4 | 23.1 | 46.9 | 41.2 | 38.1 | 26.8 | 13.2 | 24.2 | 23.1 | 8.0 | 32.0 | 21.9 | 25.7 |
| Educ/Inst Fund |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -1973 | 12.8 | 19.5 | 17.3 | 11.5 | 10.3 | 12.2 | 12.6 | 12.9 | 12.5 | 19.7 | 17.4 | 15.4 | 16.7 | 9.1 | 16.5 | 13.5 |
| -1974 | 12.1 | 14.7 | 12.5 | 10.7 | 18.4 | 16.8 | 11.2 | 12.2 | 13.1 | 14.2 | 13.0 | 4.3 | 18.8 | 15.6 | 11.4 | 13.1 |
| -1975 | 13.3 | 16.7 | 11.0 | 16.3 | 22.9 | 11.7 | 13.5 | 13.5 | 14.0 | 19.7 | 16.1 | 17.2 | 14.3 | 17.1 | 10.8 | 14.3 |
| -1976 | 13.1 | 13.8 | 11.9 | 13.0 | 20.5 | 14.3 | 11.3 | 13.1 | 14.0 | 18.9 | 18.2 | 12.8 | 28.0 | 4.0 | 11.5 | 14.3 |
| Ow/Spouse |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -1973 | 51.1 | 50.6 | 45.7 | 47.4 | 37.9 | 45.9 | 50.3 | 50.9 | 53.8 | 44.4 | 69.6 | 53.8 | - | 45.5 | 49.9 | 52.7 |
| -1974 | 53.2 | 50.7 | 61.5 | 53.7 | 44.7 | 46.7 | 52.5 | 53.1 | 55.8 | 55.0 | 56.5 | 43.5 | 43.8 | 65.6 | 51.3 | 55.6 |
| -1975 | 70.7 | 68.5 | 76.1 | 69.4 | 66.7 | 56.4 | 64.3 | 70.4 | 69.4 | 61.8 | 64.5 | 72.4 | 57.1 | 60.0 | 59.5 | 68.7 |
| -1976 | 75.2 | 70.2 | 86.2 | 70.4 | 64.1 | 57.1 | 69.7 | 74.8 | 74.4 | 67.7 | 69.7 | 71.8 | 68.0 | 66.0 | 64.6 | 73.7 |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only

Source:
Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

Table I-16 continued
Percentage of Doctorate Recipients 1/ in 1973-1976 by Sources of Support in Graduate School, by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group


1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only

Table I-17
Postdoctoral Employment and Study Plans of Doctorate Recipients ${ }^{1 /}$ by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group in Fiscal Years $1973-1976$ (Percent of Total Responses)


Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

## I-17 Postdoctoral Employment and Study Plans of Doctorate Recipients by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group in Fiscal Years 1973-1976

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

The Puerto Ricans are the group showing the largest proportions with definite 1/ employment plans at the time of the degree. Asians include the largest proportions of individuals with plans for study after obtaining the doctorate, whether intended or definite plans. They are highly concentrated in fields in which postdoctoral study is common (see Table I-11). American Indians show the highest proportion still seeking employment at the time the doctorate is awarded.

## Sex Differences

Greater proportions of men than women have definite plans for both employment and study following the degree and lower proportions of men are still seeking employment. There is virtually no difference between the sexes in seeking study. Over the four-year period, the percentage of men with definite employment dropped and the percentages with definite study plans or seeking employment increased while the percentages for women were relatively stable. The net result was a decrease in the difference between men and women in the proportions with definite study and employment plans. In $1973,79.7 \%$ of the men and $68.5 \%$ of the women had definite plans while in $1976,76.0 \%$ of the men and $67.8 \%$ of the women had such commitments.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Inspection of the total figures for the four years shows the White group with the largest difference between the sexes in the proportions with definite plans upon completion of the degree: $77.8 \%$ of the men and $68.1 \%$ of the women. The smallest differences were in the Black group in which both sexes showed low figures

1/ Individuals with definite plans are those who responded "Have signed contract or made definite cormitment" while those seeking replied that they were "Negotiating, seeking or other." (See Appendix C.)
for study commitments but high ones for employment. Only $4.8 \%$ of the men and $3.9 \%$ of the women had plans for further study but $66.9 \%$ of Black men and $64.9 \%$ of Black women had obtained employment.

## CHAPTER II

## WOMEN AND MINORITY JH.D.'S I! THE LABOR FORCE.

This chapter reports the activities and status of women and minority doctoral scientists and engineers in the labor force following receipt of the degree.

Tables II-1 and II-2 describe the fields of employment of these scientists by racial/ethnic group and citizenship, and by sex and citizenship. Nativeborn U.S. citizens are compared with foreign-born U.S. citizens and with foreign citizens to provide some perspective on the position of the native-born in the scientific labor force as a whole.

Tables II-3 and II-5 present a picture of the employment sectors and work activities of Whites and minority scientists in the labor force in 1975 while Table II-4 presents the same topics for men and women among native-born U.S. citizens in 1973 and 1975.

Tables II-6 and II-7 provide median salaries by racial/ethnic group and sex among all native-born doctoral scientists and engineers and then, among recent degree recipients employed in academia.

Tables II-8 examines the employment status of native-born scientists, whether in or out of the labor force, by racial/ethnic group and sex while Table II-9 describes the extent of unemployment among scientists in the labor force.

Since all these tables are derived from the Comprehensive Roster Survey, it should be recalled that the data are subject to sampling error. When it is greater than one percentage point, this is indicated by appropriate footnotes. The individuals covered by the survey are from all cohorts from 1930 to 1074.

Table II-la
Field of Employment of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Racial/Ethnic Group (Number and Percent)

Native-Born U.S. Citizens
Racial/Ethnic Group

| Field of Employment |  | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Hispanic | Asian | Total <br> Reptd | Other \& Unk. | Total All |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| mathematics | $N$ | 1981 | 34 | 5 | 13 | 8 | 2041 | 102 | 2143 |
|  | WN | 13102 | 121 | 22 | 66 | 28 | 13339 | 648 | 13987 |
|  | H | 98.2 | . 9 | . 2 | . 5 | -2 | 100.0 |  |  |
| PHYSICS | $N$ | 1725 | 15 | 2 | 4 | 10 | 1756 | 77 | 1833 |
|  | W | 13283 | 89 | 13 | 22 | 78 | 13485 | 606 | 14091 |
|  | H | 98.5 | . 7 | -1 | . 2 | - 6 | 100.0 |  |  |
| CHEMISTKY | $N$ | 3270 | 62 | 8 | 17 | 27 | 3384 | 112 | 3496 |
|  | WN | 26011 | 338 | 41 | 84 | 173 | 26647 | 796 | 27443 |
|  | H | 97.6 | 1.3 | . 2 | . 3 | . 6 | 100.0 |  |  |
| EARTH SCIENCES | $N$ | 1343 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 1362 | 45 | 1407 |
|  | WN | 9891 | 41 | , | 15 | 25 | 9973 | 350 | 10323 |
|  | H | 99.2 | . 4 |  | . 2 | . 3 | 100.0 |  |  |
| ENGINEERING | $N$ | 3264 | 23 | 10 | 20 | 26 | 3343 | 102 | 3445 |
|  | WN | 30929 | 105 | 53 | 99 | 246 | 31432 | 948 | 32380 |
|  | H | 98.4 | - 3 | . 2 | - 3 | . 8 | 100.0 |  |  |
| BIOSCIENCES | $N$ | 8435 | $1 \in 2$ | 16 | 50 | 111 | 8774 | 310 | 9084 |
|  | WN | 51798 | 625 | 87 | 210 | 536 | 53256 | 1947 | 55203 |
|  | H | 97.3 | 1.2 | . 2 | . 4 | 1.0 | 100.0 |  |  |
| PSYCHOLOGY | $N$ | 3447 | 59 | 15 | 16 | 26 | 3563 | 193 | 3756 |
|  | WN | 24627 | 270 | 71 | 78 | 135 | 25181 | 1317 | 26498 |
|  | H | 97.8 | 1.1 | - 3 | . 3 | - 5 | 100.0 |  |  |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES | N | 2936 | 63 | 16 | 18 | 22 | 3055 | 136 | 3191 |
|  | WN | 24756 | 331 | 100 | 79 | 120 | 25386 | 1039 | 26425 |
|  | H | 97.5 | 1.3 | . 4 | . 3 | . 5 | 100.0 |  |  |
| all other fieldos | N | 1382 | 29 |  |  | 8 | 1434 | 56 | 1490 |
|  | WN | 10838 | 220 | 15 | 56 | 71 | 11200 | 397 | 11597 |
|  | H | 96.8 | 2.0 | . 1 | . 5 | - 0 | 100.0 |  |  |
| UARNOWN | N | 357 | 12 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 379 | 38 | 417 |
|  | WN | 2403 | 55 | 22 | 15 | 5 | 2500 | 250 | 2750 |
|  | H | 96.1 | 2.2 | . 9 | . 6 | . 2 | 100.0 |  |  |
| NUT EMPLOYED | N | 2092 | 26 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 2136 | 159 | 2295 |
|  | WN | 12010 | 121 | 15 | 23 | 19 | 12188 | 932 | 13120 |
|  | H | 98.5 | 1.3 | . 1 | . 2 | . 2 | 100.0 |  |  |
| total | A. | 30232 | 494 | 83 | 160 | 252 | 31227 | 1330 | 32557 |
|  | WN | 219648 | 2316 | 440 | 747 | 1436 | 224587 | 923012 | 233817 |
|  | H | 97.6 | 1.1 | . 2 | . 3 | . 6 | 10J.0 |  |  |

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

11-1 Field of Employment of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Racial/Ethnic Group

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

For the total of the three citizenship groups, the employment field having the largest representation of White and Hispanic doctoral scientists and engineers reporting employment is the biological sciences: $25.0 \% \pm 0.2 \%$ of the Whites and $28.3 \% \pm 3.1 \%$ of the Hispanics. Engineering with $32.0 \% \pm 1.0 \%$ of the Asians is the leading field for this group.

## Citizenship Differences

Among native-born U.S. citizens, the most frequent employment field is the biological sciences with engineering in second place. Psychology is the smallest employment field among foreign citizens.

## Citizenship Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

Among employed native-born U.S. scientists and engineers the proportion of minority group members is very $10 w$, ranging from $0.8 \% \pm 0.2 \%$ in the earth sciences to only $2.7 \% \pm 0.2 \%$ in the biological sciences, but these fields do not differ significantly from the fields with the closest percentages. Among foreign-born U.S. citizens, engineering shows the largest proportion, $40.7 \% \pm 1.9 \%$ of minority doctorates in the labor force.

Of Whites who are native-born or foreign citizens, the largest numbers report employment as biological scientists, while among foreign-born U.S. citizens, this field shares the top position with engineering. For both Blacks and Hispanics, the biological sciences also occupy first place among the native-born.

Native-born Asians are also most frequently employed in the biological sciences, but in the other two citizenship categories, engineering is their leading employment field. In fact, among foreign citizens, Asians constitute $56.8 \%$ of the engineers, the only field of any citizenship type in which minority representation is greater than that of Whites.

1/ The number of minority members in the 1973 sample was too small to permit comparison of data from the 1973 and 1975 surveys.

Table II-1b
Field of Employment of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Racial/Ethnic Group (Number and Percent)

## Foreign-Born U.S. Citizens

## Racial/Ethnic Group

| Field of Employment |  | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Hispanic | Total <br> Asian Reptd. | Other <br> \& Unk. | Total <br> All |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| mathematics | $N$ | 217 |  |  | 2 | $70 \quad 289$ | 24 | 313 |
|  | WN | 1120 a |  |  | - 6 | 351 $23.8 \underline{a}_{1477}^{140.0}$ | 105 | 1582 |
|  | H | 75.8 a |  |  | . 4 | 23.8 - 100.0 |  |  |
| Physics | $N$ | 227 | 2 |  | 1 | 70300 | 14 | 314 |
|  | WN | ${ }^{1470}$ a | 13 |  | 1 | $458 \quad 1942$ | 112 | 2054 |
|  | H | 75.7 a | . 7 |  | -1 | 23.6 a 100.0 |  |  |
| CHEMISTRY | $N$ | 366 |  |  | 5 | 130501 | 17 | 518 |
|  | WN | 2380 |  |  | 25 | 814 a 3219 | 117 | 3336 |
|  | H | 73.5 a |  |  | . 8 | 25.3 a 100.0 |  |  |
| EARTH SCIENCES | $N$ | 157 |  |  |  | 24181 | 8 | 184 |
|  | WN | ${ }^{756}{ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  | $126{ }^{12692}$ | 45 | 937 |
|  | H | 85.9 a |  |  |  | $14.1{ }^{\text {a }} 100.0$ |  |  |
| ENGINEERING | N | 451 | 1 |  | 5 | 243700 | 30 | 730 |
|  | WN | 3042 | 11 |  | 21 | 2059 a 5133 | 233 | 5366 |
|  | H | 59.3 - | . 2 |  | . 4 | 4-119150.0 |  |  |
| bluscievers | N | 701 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 219935 | 37 | 972 |
|  | Wis | $33^{3} 3$ a | 18 | 8 | 33 | 1104 a 4718 | 200 | 4924 |
|  | H | 75.3 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | . 4 | . 2 | . 7 | $23.4-100.0$ |  |  |
| PSYCHOLJGY | $N$ | 257 |  |  | 4 | $17 \quad 278$ | 21 | 299 |
|  | h N | 1441 |  |  | 16 | 671524 | 101 | 1625 |
|  | H | 94.6 a |  |  | 1.0 | $4.4 \frac{\mathrm{a}_{1} 00.0}{}$ |  |  |
| Stcial sciences | N | 325 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 68405 | 25 | 430 |
|  | mi | 2196 | 25 | 1 | 25 | 5492796 | 171 | 2967 |
|  | H | 18.5管 | . 9 |  | - 9 | 19.6 d 100.0 |  |  |
| all other fields | N | 102 | 3 |  | 1 | 17123 | 5 | 128 |
|  | ${ }_{\text {WN }}$ | 8664 a | 1.74 a |  | . 2 | 120 $15.6-100.0$ | 13 | 819 |
| UnkACind | is | 52 |  |  | 2 | 15 O9 | 9 | 78 |
|  | Wr. | 253 b |  |  |  | 84 b 343 | 45 | 388 |
|  | H | 73.8 - |  |  | 1.7 a | $24.5 \mathrm{~S}_{100.0}$ |  |  |
| NOT EMPLOYED | $N$ | 290 | 1 |  |  | $40 \quad 331$ | 24 | 355 |
|  | WN | 1364 | 2 |  |  | 1691535 | 96 | $1 \in 31$ |
|  | H | 88.9 a | - 1 |  |  | $11.0{ }^{\text {a }} 100.0$ |  |  |
| tctal | N | 3145 | 18 | 2 | 34 | y 134112 | 214 | $432 t$ |
|  | WN | 18249 | 83 | 5 | 137 | 590724385 | 1244 | 25624 |
|  | H | 74.8 | . 3 |  | . 6 | 24.2100 .0 |  |  |

a Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
b Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentage points

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

Table II-lc
Field of Employment of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Racial/Ethnic Group (Number and Percent)'

## Foreign Citizens

## Racial/Ethnic Group

| Field of Employment |  | White | Black | Amer. <br> Indian | Hispanic | Asian | Total <br> Reptd. | Other <br> \& Unk. | Total <br> All |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MATHEMATICS | $N$ | 119 | 2 |  | 3 | 108 | 232 | 11 | 243 |
|  | $W N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 575 \\ 52.4 \mathrm{a} \end{array}$ | 6 5 |  | 11 | 506 | 1098 100.0 | 43 | 1141 |
|  | $H$ | 52.4* |  |  |  | 46.1 - | $-100.0$ |  |  |
| PHYSICS | $N$ | 155 |  |  |  | 92 | 247 | 13 | 260 |
|  | WN | 900 |  |  |  | 543 | 1443 | 87 | 1530 |
|  | H | 62.4* |  |  |  | 37.6 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 100.0 |  |  |
| CHEMISTRY | $N$ | 202 | 3 |  | 3 | 139 | 347 | 14 | 361 |
|  | WN | 1162 | 7 |  | 12 | 740 | 1921. | - 89 | 2010 |
|  | H | 60.5 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | - 4 |  | . 6 | 38.5 a | 100.0 |  |  |
| EARTH SCIENCES | is | 131 |  |  |  | 38 | 169 | 7 | 176 |
|  | WN | 576 |  |  |  | 161 | 737 | 50 | 787 |
|  | H | 78.2年 |  |  |  | 21.8 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $-100.0$ |  |  |
| ENGINEERING | $N$ | 204 | 6 |  | 3 | 202 | 415 | 19 | 434 |
|  | WN | 1356 | 22 |  | 15 | 1832 | 3225 | 178 | 3403 |
|  | H | 42.0 a | - 7 |  | . 5 | 56.8 a | 100.0 |  |  |
| BIOSCIENCES | N | 369 | 13 |  | 6 | 290 | 678 | 32 | 710 |
|  | WN | 2085 | 47 |  | 17 | 1449 | 3598 | 165 | 3763 |
|  | H | 57.9 a | 1.3 |  | . 5 | 40.3 a | 100.0 |  |  |
| PSYCHOLOGY | N | 65 | 2 |  | 1 | 18 | 86 | 10 | 96 |
|  | WN | $310$ | $\stackrel{7}{7}^{\text {a }}$ |  | 13 |  | $411$ | 36 | 447 |
|  |  | $75.4 \text { a }$ |  |  | 3.2 | $19.7{ }^{\text {a }}$ | $-100.0$ |  |  |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES | $N$ | 131 | 1 C |  | 3 | 62 | 206 | 19 | 225 |
|  | W | 906 | 60 |  | 17 |  | $1428$ | 151 | 1579 |
|  | H | 63.4 a | 4.2 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  | 1.2 | 31.2 a | ${ }^{\mathrm{a}} 100.0$ |  |  |
| ALL OTHER FIELOS | $N$ | 32 |  |  |  | 14 | 46 | 5 | 51 |
|  | WN | $186 h$ |  |  |  | $112 h$ | $298$ | 45 | 343 |
|  | H | $62.4 \underline{b}$ |  |  |  | $37.6=$ | $\underline{b}_{1} 00.0$ |  |  |
| UNKNUWN | $N$ | 20 | 2 |  |  | 12 | 34 | 2 | 36 |
|  | WN | 81 | 16 |  |  | 63 | 160 | 9 | 169 |
|  | H | 50.6 b | 10.0 b |  |  | 39.4 | 100.0 |  |  |
| NOT EMPLOYED | N | 44 |  |  |  | 47 | 91 | 12 | 103 |
|  | WN | $190$ |  |  |  | $163$ | - 353 | 76 | 429 |
|  | H | 53.8 ${ }^{\text {b }}$ |  |  |  | 46.2 | $\mathrm{b}_{100.0}$ |  |  |
| TOTAL | N | 1472 | 38 |  | 19 | 1022 | 2551 | 144 | 2055 |
|  | WN | 8327 | 165 |  | 85 | 6095 | 14672 | 929 | 15601 |
|  | H | 26.8 | 1.1 |  | . 6 | 41.5 | 100.0 |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{ll}\mathrm{a} & \text { Sampling error } \\ \mathrm{b} & \text { Sampling error }\end{array}$ | betw | n 1 and | 5 perc | entage | points |  |  |  |  |
|  | betw | n 5 and | 10 per | centage | points |  |  |  |  |

[^2]II-2 Field of Employment of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1973 and 1975 by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Sex

This table is included to show the size of the group of native-born U.S. Ph.D.'s relative to the total group of doctoral scientists and engineers in the United States. The sex differences within citizenship groups serve to illustrate the differences between native-born U.S. citizens and other citizenship groups.

Sex Differences
In the sciences and engineering, the employment field with the largest number of women Ph.D.'s in both 1973 (see p. 70) and 1975 (see p. 71) was the biosciences. The smallest was engineering (although not significantly different from earth sciences in 1975). These figures reflect the fields in which women obtained their degrees. The largest number of male Ph.D.'s was also found in the biosciences, but among males, engineering occupied second place.

Engineering was the field employing the smallest percentage of women while psychology employed the largest percentage. From 1973 to 1975, the total for the four citizenship classes for every field except "other" showed an increase in the estimated percentage of Ph.D.'s who were women, although the increases in mathematics, physics, earth sciences and engineering were not statistically significant. The employment fields showing the biggest increase in the proportion of women were psychology and the social sciences.

Sex Differences within Citizenship Groups
A comparison of citizenship groups with respect to the percentage of women in the different employment fields shows little variation. The largest differences occurring between the native-born and foreign-born citizenship classes are in psychology. In the latter citizenship group, psychology had a
higher proportion of women in both years. From 1973 to 1975, the greatest single percentage change occurred among foreign citizens where the number and percentage of women doctorate recipients in the social sciences more than doubled.

Table Il-2a
Field of Employment of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1973 by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Sex (Number and Percent)


[^3]Table II-2b
Field of Employment of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.S. Labor Force in 1975 by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Sex (Number and Percent)

| Field of Employment | Mative-Born <br> U.S. Citizens |  |  |  | Foreign-Born <br> U.S. Citizens |  |  | Foreign Citizens |  |  | Citizenship Unknown |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | MEN | HOMEN | TOTAL | MEN | WOMEN | TOTAL | MEM | HOMEN | TOTAL | MEN | HOMEN | IOTAL |
| MATHEMATICS | N | 1700 | 443 | 2143 | 261 | 52 | 313 | 200 | 43 | 243 | 12 | 7 |  |
|  | WN | 13178 | 809 | 13967 | 1495 | 87 | 1582 | 1059 | 82 | 1141 | 91 b | 14 b | 105 |
|  | H | 94.2 | 5.8 | 100.0 | 94.5 | 5.51 | 100.0 | 92.8 d | 7.2 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 1000 | $86.7{ }^{\text {b }}$ | $13.3-1$ | luv.u |
| PHYSICS | $\wedge$ | 1637 | 156 | 1833 | 286 | 28 | 314 | 236 | 24 | 200 | 21 | 6 | 27 |
|  | $n \times$ | 13757 | 334 | 14091 | 2004 | 50 | 2054 | 1484 | 46 | 1530 | 195 | 10 | 205 |
|  | H | 97.6 | 2.4 | 100.0 | 97.6 | 2.41 |  | 97.0ㅇ | 3.001 | 100.c | 95.1 d | $4.9 \mathrm{Cl}_{1}$ | 10.0 |
| CHEMISTKY | $N$ - | 2955 | 541 | 3496 | 425 | 93 | 518 | 295 | 66 | 361 | 31 | 6 | 31 |
|  | WN | 26084 | 1359 | 27443 | 3089 | 247 | 3336 | 1849 | 161 | 2010 | 271 | 17. | 288 |
|  | H | 95. | 5.U | 1しつ.J | $92.6{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 7.4 | 130.0 | 92.0 a | 8.0 - 1 | 100.0 | 94.1 a | 5.9 ${ }^{\text {a }} 1$ | 100.0 |
| EARTH SCIENCES | $N$ | 1261 | 146 | 1407 | 176 | 13 | 189 | 160 | 16 | 176 | 15 |  | 13 |
|  | W | 10031 | 292 | 10323 | 915 | 22 | 937 | 756 | 31. | 787 | 102 |  | 102 |
|  | H | 97.2 | 2.8 | 100.0 | 97.7ㄹ | 2.31 | 130.0 | 96.1 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 3.911 | 100.0 | 100.0 |  |  |
| ENGINEERING | $N$ | 3362 | 83 | 3445 | 704 | 26 | 730 | 412 | 22 | 434 | 45 | 1 | 46 |
|  | WN | 32225 | 155 | 32380 | 5325 | 41 | 5366 | 3363 | 40 | 3403 | 462 | 5 | 407 |
|  | H | 99.5 | . 5 | 10J. 0 | 99.2 | . 81 | 100.0 | 98.8 | 1.21 | 100.0 | 98.9 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $1.1{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 100.0 |
| BIOSCIENCES | $N$ | 7421 | 1663 | 9084 | 716 | 256 | 972 | 520 | 190 | 710 | 136 | 33 | 169 |
|  | WN | 49336 | 5867 | 55203 | 4172 | 752 | 4924 | 3258 | 505 | 3763 | 772 a | 131 | 903 |
|  | H | 89.4 | 10.6 | 100.0 | 84.7 a | 15.301 | 100.0 | $86.6{ }^{\text {a }}$ | $13.4{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 100.0 | 85.5 - | 14.5-1 | 100.0 |
| PSYCHOLOGY | $N$ | 2485 | 1271 | 3756 | 175 | 124 | 299 | 64 | 32 | 96 | 30 | 24 |  |
|  | WN | 21152 | 5346 | 26498 | 1139 | 486 | 1625 | 324 a | 123 | 447 | 218 b | 113 b | 331 |
|  | H | 79.8 | 20.2 | 100.0 | 70.1) | 29.91 | 100.0 | 72.5 | 27.5-1 | 100.0 | 65.9 b | 34.1-1 | 100.0 |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES | N | 2382 | 809 | 3191 | 349 | E1 | 430 | 175 | 50 | 225 | 39 | 21 |  |
|  | WN | 23256 | 3169 | 26425 | 2697 | 27 u | 2967 | 1386 | 193 | 1579 | 350 | 59 | 409 |
|  | H | 88.0 | 12.0 | 100.0 | 90.9 | 9.15 | 100.0 | 87.8 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 12.2-1 | 100.0 | 85.6 - | 14.4-1 | 100.0 |
| ALL OTHER FIELDS | N | 1156 | 334 | 1490 | 99 | 29 | 128 | 43 | 8 | 51 | 20 | 6 | 26 |
|  | WN | 10453 | 1144 | 11597 | 731 | 88 | 819 | 323 | 20 | 343 | 175 b | 24 b | 199 |
|  | H | 90.1 | 9.9 | 100.0 | 89.3 - | 10. ${ }^{2} 1$ | 100.0 | $94.2{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 5.81 | 100.0 | 87.9- | $12.1{ }^{-1}$ | 100.u |
| UNKNOWN | N | 313 | 104 | 417 | 60 | 18 | 78 | 28 | 8 | 36 | 15 | 3 |  |
|  | WN | 2428 a | a 322 | 2750 | 338 | $50^{1}$ | 388 | 149 b | 20 | 169 | 100 | ${ }^{15}$ | 115 |
|  | H | 88.3 - | -11.7 | 100.0 | 87.1- | $12.9{ }^{9} 1$ | 100.0 | $88.2{ }^{\text {b }}$ | 11.8 | 100.0 | 87.00 | $13.0-1$ | 100.0 |
| NOT EMPLJYEI) | N | 1392 | yo3 | 2295 | 248 | 107 | 355 | 43 | 60 | 103 | 120 | 81 | 201 |
|  | WN | 10106 | 3014 | 13120 | 1316 | 315 | 1631 | 272 | 157 | 429 | 842 | 334 | 1180 |
|  | H | 77.0 | 23.0 | 100.0 | $80.7{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 19.301 | 100.0 | 63.4 - | $36.6{ }^{\text {a }}$ | 100.0 | 71.4- | 28.0-1 | 100.0 |
| total | $N$ | 20064 | 6493 | 32557 | 3499 | 827 | 4326 | 2176 | 519 | 2695 | 484 | 188 | 672 |
|  | $\mathrm{HN}^{\text {H }}$ | 212006 | 218112 | 33817 | 23221 | 24082 | 25629 | 14223 | 1378 | 15001 | 3578 | 720 | 4304 |
|  | H | 90.7 | 9.3 | 100.0 | 90.6 | 9.41 | 100.0 | 91.2 | 8.8 | 1uv.0 | 83.1 | 16.9 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 100.0 |

a Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
b Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentage points

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

Table 11-3
Employment Sector of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Racial/Etnnic Group. 1975 (Number and Percent)

| Employment Sector |  | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Hispanic | Asian | Total Reported | Other \& Unknown |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Native-Born U.S. Citizens |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Educ. Inst. | ${ }_{V}^{W N}$ | $\begin{gathered} 121.278 \\ 55.23 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,448 \\ & 62.5 y^{\mathrm{a}} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 263 \\ 59.8 \times b \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 503 \\ 67.3 \% \mathrm{a} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 776 \\ 54.0 \mathrm{a} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 124,268 \\ 55.3 * \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.180 \\ 56.1)^{\mathrm{a}} \end{gathered}$ |
| Fed. Gov't | WN | $\begin{array}{r} 16,739 \\ 7.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 212 \mathrm{a} \\ & 9.2 \mathrm{a} \end{aligned}$ | 24 ${ }_{5} \mathbf{5}$ | $4.7{ }^{35} \mathrm{~d}$ | 7108 ¢ | $\begin{array}{r} 16.518 \\ 7.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 602 \\ & 6.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| Business Industry | WN | $\begin{array}{r} 51,075 \\ 23.3 \end{array}$ | ${ }_{14.7}^{340} \mathrm{a}$ | $18.0{ }^{79} \mathrm{a}$ | 103 13.8 | 26.9 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 51,984 23.1 | ${ }^{1,696}{ }^{\text {18.4 }}$ a |
| All Other | $\underset{V}{W N}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19.146 \\ 8.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 195 \mathrm{a} \\ & 8.4 \underset{ }{0} \end{aligned}$ | 13.49 a | $11.1^{83}=$ | $\begin{array}{r} 146 \\ 10.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19.629 \\ 8.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 820 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ |
| Emp loyment Not Reported// | ${ }_{V} \mathrm{~N}$ | 12.010 5.5 | 121 5.2 | 3.4 ¢ | 3.23 a | 19 1.3 | 12.188 | 932 10.1 |
| Total | $\stackrel{N}{N}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30,232 \\ 219,648 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 494 \\ 2.316 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 83 \\ 440 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 166 \\ 747 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 252 \\ 1,436 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 31,227 \\ 224,587 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,330 \\ & 9,230 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ |

## Foreign-Born U.S. Citizens

| Educ. Inst. | $\underset{V}{W N}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,438 \\ 51.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 74 \\ 89.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 74 \\ 54.0 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,955 \\ 50.0 \mathrm{~d} \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.550 \\ 51.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 675 \\ 54.3 \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fed. Gov't | WN | 1,336 | - | - | 23 b | 427 | 1,786 | 96 a |
|  | $v$ | 7.3 |  |  | 16.8 - | 7.2 | 7.3 | 7.7 - |
| Business | WN | 4,670 | 7 | - | 21 | 1,966 | 6,664 | 286 |
| Industry | $v$ | 25.6 | $8.4{ }^{\text {b }}$ |  | $15.3{ }^{\text {b }}$ | $33.3{ }^{\text {d }}$ | 27.3 | $23.0{ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| All Other | WN | 1,441 | - | - | 19 b | 390 | 1,850 | 91 |
|  | v | 7.9 |  |  | 13.9 | 6.6 | 7.6 | 7.3 |
| Employment | WN | 1,364 | 2 | - | - | 169 | 1,535 | 96 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | $N$ | 3.145 | 18 | 2 | 34 | 913 | 4,112 | 214 |
|  | WN | 18,249 | 83 | 9 | 137 | 5,907 | 24,385 | 1,244 |
|  | $V$ | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |


| Foreign Citizens |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Educ. Inst. | $\underset{V}{W N}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5,312 \\ 63.8^{*} \mathrm{a} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 137 \\ 33.0^{\circ} \mathrm{b} \end{gathered}$ | - | $49.4, \mathrm{c}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,193 \\ 52.4:- \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8,684 \\ 59.2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 511 \\ 55.0 \end{array}$ |
| Fed. Gov't | $\underset{V}{W N}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 78 \\ .9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 1.8 \mathrm{a} \end{array}$ | - | - | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 1.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 189 \\ & 1.3 \end{aligned}$ | 2.428 |
| Business Industry | UN | 2,144 25.7 a | 6.71 a | - | 17.6 b | 2,185 35.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 4,355 \\ 29.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 254 \\ 27.3 \end{array}$ |
| All Other | $\begin{aligned} & W N \\ & V \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 603 \\ & 7.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 8.5 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 28 \\ 32.9 \\ \mathrm{c} \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 446 \\ & 7.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.091 \\ 7.4 \end{array}$ | $7.1 \mathrm{~d}$ |
| Employment Not Reported-1/ | WN | $\begin{aligned} & 190 \\ & 2.3 \end{aligned}$ | - | - | - | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 2.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 353 \\ & 2.4 \end{aligned}$ | $8{ }^{76}{ }^{\text {d }}$ |
| Total | $\stackrel{N}{\sim}{ }_{\sim}^{\text {N }}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,472 \\ 8,327 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 38 \\ 165 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ 85 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,022 \\ & 6,095 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,551 \\ 14,672 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 144 \\ 929 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ |

1/ Includes both unemployed and those not reporting emplayment
a Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
$\frac{\bar{b}}{C}$ Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentaje points
$\underline{C}$ Sampling error greater than 10 percentage points

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

## II-3 Employment Sector of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers by Citizenship/Place of Birth and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1975

## Citizenship Differences

Doctoral scientists and engineers who are foreign citizens have the largest proportions employed in educational institutions and the lowest proportions working for the Federal government. There are, of course, some limitations on the employment of foreign citizens by the Federal government. Foreign-born U.S. citizens differ from the native-born in having a slightly lower percentage in educational institutions and a higher percentage in business and industry. It should not be overlooked that distribution among employment sectors shows considerable variability among fields and that the three citizenship groups have different field distributions (Table II-1).

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

At least half of the Ph.D. scientists and engineers in all the racial/ethnic groups are employed in educational institutions with the Black and Hispanic groups having higher proportions employed in this sector than the Whites and Asians. The Black and Hispanic groups also have smaller proportions in business and industry, the sector in which Asians have the highest percentage. (Blacks are slightly, though not significantly, above other groups in percentage employed by the federal government.)

## Citizenship Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

The percentage of Blacks employed in educational institutions is higher among foreign-born U.S. citizens and foreign citizens than among native-born U.S. citizens. Among Asians, the proportion employed in this sector shows little variation by citizenship status. Among Whites, foreign citizens have the largest proportion in educational institutions. The numbers of Hispanics and American Indians were too small to permit valid comparisons.
 1973 and 1975 (Number and Percent)

|  |  | MEN |  | WOMEN |  | TOTAL |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Employer Sector and Work Activity |  | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 |
| Educ. Insts. |  | $\begin{array}{r} 101.731 \\ 54.2 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 116,278 \\ 54.8 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,393 \\ 59.4 x \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.170 \\ 60.4 x \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 112,124 \\ 54.6 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 129,448 \\ 55,4 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| Research | $\begin{aligned} & W N \\ & V \mathbb{N} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,794 \\ 12.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25,890 \\ 12.2 \end{array}$ | 2,294 13.1 | 2,938 13.5 | $\begin{array}{r} 25,088 \\ 12.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 28,828 \\ 12.3 \end{array}$ |
| Teaching | $\begin{aligned} & W \mathbb{N} \\ & \mathbb{V} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 62,400 \\ 33.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 71,072 \\ 33.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,395 \\ 36.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,117 \\ 37.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 68,795 \\ 33.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 79,189 \\ 33.9 \end{array}$ |
| Administration |  | $\begin{array}{r} 11.447 \\ 6.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,187 \\ 6.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 806 \\ & 4.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,050 \\ 4.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12,253 \\ 6.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,237 \\ 6.1 \end{array}$ |
| All Other | $\begin{aligned} & W N \\ & V_{8} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,090 \\ 2.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,129 \\ 2.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 898 \\ & 5.1 \end{aligned}$ | 1,065 4.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 5,988 \\ 2.9 \end{array}$ | 7.194 3.1 |
| Federal Gov't. | $\begin{aligned} & W N \\ & V \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14.897 \\ 7.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,229 \\ 7.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 709 \\ & 4.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 891 \\ & 4.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,606 \\ 7.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,120 \\ 7.3 \end{array}$ |
| Research | $\begin{aligned} & \text { WN } \\ & V \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.879 \\ 4.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.239 \\ 3.9 \end{array}$ | 401 2.3 | 455 2.1 | 8,280 4.0 | 8,694 3.7 |
| Ridministration | $\underset{\mathcal{V}}{\mathbb{N}}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,160 \\ 2.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,420 \\ 2.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 173 \\ & 1.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 247 \\ & 1.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,333 \\ 2.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,667 \\ 2.4 \end{array}$ |
| All Other | $\begin{aligned} & W N \\ & V \\ & V \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,858 \\ 1.0 \end{array}$ | 2,570 1.2 | 135 .8 | 189 .9 | 1,993 1.0 | 2,759 1.2 |
| Business \% Industry | $\mathbb{W N}_{\mathbb{V}}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40,367 \\ 21.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 51,904 \\ 24.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 701 \\ & 4.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,776 \\ 8.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 41,068 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 53,680 \\ 23.0 \end{array}$ |
| Research | $\begin{aligned} & \text { WN } \\ & \text { V\% } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12,794 \\ 6.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,940 \\ 7.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 296 \\ & 1.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 430 \\ & 2.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,090 \\ 6.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,370 \\ 6.6 \end{array}$ |
| Administration | $\begin{aligned} & \text { WN } \\ & \text { V\% } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,109 \\ 8.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,397 \\ 9.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 134 \\ .8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 205 \\ .9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,243 \\ 7.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,602 \\ 8.4 \end{array}$ |
| All Other | $\underset{V_{0}^{s}}{W_{N}}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,464 \\ 6.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,567 \\ 8.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 271 \\ & 1.5 \end{aligned}$ | 1.141 5.2 | 11,735 5.7 | $\begin{array}{r} 18,708 \\ 8.0 \end{array}$ |
| All Other Employers | $\begin{aligned} & \text { WN } \\ & \text { V\% } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,410 \\ 10.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,489 \\ 8.2 \end{array}$ | 2,789 16.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,960 \\ \mathbf{i} 3.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,199 \\ 10.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20,449 \\ 8.7 \end{array}$ |
| Research | $\begin{aligned} & \text { WN } \\ & V \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,664 \\ 3.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,218 \\ 2.5 \end{array}$ | 699 4.0 | 707 3.2 | 6,363 3.1 | 5,925 2.5 |
| Administration | $\begin{aligned} & \text { WN } \\ & \text { V } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,201 \\ 3.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,115 \\ 2.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 440 \\ & 2.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 705 \\ & 3.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,641 \\ 3.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,820 \\ 2.9 \end{array}$ |
| All Other | $\begin{aligned} & \text { WN } \\ & \mathbf{V \%} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,545 \\ 4.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6.156 \\ 2.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.650 \\ 9.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,548 \\ 7.1 \end{array}$ | 9,195 4.5 | 7.704 3.3 |
| Employment Not Reported 2/ | WN | $\begin{array}{r} 11,407 \\ 6.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,106 \\ 4.8 \end{array}$ | 2,892 16.5 | 3,014 13.8 | 14,299 7.0 | 13,120 5.6 |
| Total | $\begin{aligned} & N \\ & W N \\ & V \mathbb{N} \\ & \text { N } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25,127 \\ 187,812 \\ 100.0 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 26,064 \\ 212,006 \\ 100.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5,844 \\ 17,484 \\ 100.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 6,493 \\ 21,811 \\ 100.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 30,971 \\ 205,296 \\ 100.0 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32,557 \\ 233,817 \\ 100.0 \% \end{array}$ |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only.
2/ Includes unemployed and those not reporting employment status.
Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Councti.

## II-4 Employment Sector and Primary Work Activity of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers by Sex, 1973 and 1975

## Sex Differences

For doctoral scientists and engineers, the employment sector showing the largest difference in percentage of men and women employed is business and industry. Although the percentage employed in this sector increased for both sexes from 1973 to 1975 , the large difference remained. Men are still three times more likely than women to be employed in this area. Women, however, are less likely than men to be in fields (such as the natural sciences) with numerous industrial employment opportunities (Astin, 1973, p. 147).

With respect to primary work activity, women are far less likely than men to be engaged in aministration, a situation that has long prevailed. (Centra, 1974, p. 40; Carnegie, 1973b, p. 123; Kreps, 1971, p. 55). There was a small but significant increase in the proportion of women in administrative activity from 1973 to 1975. However, in the latter year, while $20.8 \%$ of the men had such responsibility, the figure for women was still only $10.0 \%$.

The largest reduction of the difference between men and women from 1973 to 1975 was "employment not reported" but the change was small, although significant. Women are still much more likely than men to report being unemployed or not to report at all. A recent study of Ph.D.'s found that those not reporting have higher unemployment rates than those who respond (Centra, 1974, p. 16).

Table II-5
Emplovment Sector and Primary Work Activity of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers for Whites, Asians and Other Minorities, 1975 -/ (Mumber and Percent)

| Employment Sector | White | Asians | Other Minorities | Total Reporting | Unknown |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Educ. Insts. | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { WN } 137,269 \\ V \% \quad 55.0 \% & 2 / \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,955 \\ & 51.5 \% \\ & 2 / \mathrm{a} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,798 \\ 65.0 \% \\ 2 / \mathrm{a} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147,022 \\ & 55.0 \% \underline{2} / \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,530 \\ & 53.9 \% \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Research | $\begin{array}{rr} W N & 31,526 \\ V \% & 12.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,592 \\ 19.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 387 \\ & 9.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34,505 \\ 12.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,557 \\ 12.9 \end{array}$ |
| Teaching | $\begin{array}{rr} \text { WN } & 83,758 \\ \text { V\% } & 33.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3,648 \\ 27.0 \underline{a} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,751 \\ 40.7 \\ \hline \mathrm{a} \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 89,157 \\ 33.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3,851 \\ 31.8 \underset{\mathrm{a}}{ } \end{gathered}$ |
| Administration | $\begin{array}{lr} W N & 14,536 \\ V \% & 5.8 \end{array}$ | 302 2.2 | 427 9.9 | 15,265 5.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 574 \\ & 4.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| Other | $\begin{array}{cr} W N & 7,449 \\ V \% & 3.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 413 \\ & 3.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 233 \\ & 5.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,095 \\ 3.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 548 \\ & 4.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| Federal Gov't | $\begin{array}{lr} \text { WN } & 17,776 \\ \text { V\& } & 7.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 656 \\ & 4.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 306 \\ & 7.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18,738 \\ 7.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 739 \\ & 6.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| Research | $\begin{array}{ll} W N & 9,138 \\ V \% & 3.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 432 \\ & 3.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \\ & 3.0 \end{aligned}$ | 9,698 3.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 296 \\ & 2.4 \end{aligned}$ |
| Administration | $\begin{array}{cr} W N & 5,810 \\ V \% & 2.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \\ & .7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131 \\ & 3.0 \end{aligned}$ | 6,033 2.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 228 \\ & 1.9 \end{aligned}$ |
| Other | $\begin{array}{cc} \text { WHI } & 2,828 \\ V \% & 1.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 1.0 \end{aligned}$ | 47 1.1 | 3,007 1.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \\ & 1.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| BusinessIndustry | $\begin{array}{rr} \text { WN } & 58,596 \\ V & 23.5 \end{array}$ | 4,551 33.7 a | 598 13.9 | 63,745 23.9 | 2,337 19.3 |
| Research | $\begin{array}{cc} \text { WN } & 17,017 \\ V^{\prime \prime} & 6.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,952 \\ 14.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 180 \\ & 4.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,149 \\ 7.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 634 \\ & 5.2 \end{aligned}$ |
| Administration | $\begin{array}{rr} W N & 21,457 \\ V_{\%}^{c} & 8.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 702 \\ & 5.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 206 \\ & 4.8 \end{aligned}$ | 22.365 8.4 | $\begin{gathered} 713 \\ 5.9 \end{gathered}$ |
| Other | $\begin{array}{rr} W_{N} & 20.122 \\ V_{5} & 8.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,897 \\ 14.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 212 \\ & 4.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,231 \\ 8.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 990 \\ 8.2 \end{array}$ |
| Other Employer | $\begin{array}{rr} W N & 21,420 \\ \text { V } & 8.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 982 \\ & 7.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 423 \\ & 9.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,825 \\ 8.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,055 \\ 8.7 \end{array}$ |
| Research | $\begin{array}{cc} W_{N} & 6.264 \\ V^{2} & 2.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 536 \\ & 4.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 75 \\ 1.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,875 \\ 2.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 333 \\ & 2.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| Administration | $\begin{array}{lr} \text { WN } & 7.116 \\ \mathrm{~V} \text { \% } & 2.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 121 \\ .9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \\ & 3.3 \end{aligned}$ | 7,380 2.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 332 \\ & 2.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| Other | $\begin{array}{ll} W N & 8,040 \\ V K & 3.2 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 325 \\ & 2.4 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 205 \\ & 4.8 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8,570 \\ 3.2 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 390 \\ & 3.2 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| No Employment 3/ Reported | $\begin{array}{rr} W N & 14,366 \\ V B & 5.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 359 \\ & 2.7 \end{aligned}$ | 181 4.2 | 14,906 5.6 | 1,454 12.0 |
| Totals |  | $\begin{array}{r} 2,197 \\ 13,503 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 905 \\ 4,306 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 38,451 \\ 267,236 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,799 \\ 12,115 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ |

1/ All citizens included
2/ Subtotal percentages may differ slightly from sum for activities because of rounding
3/ Includes those who did not report employer and work activity as well as those who reported being unemployed.
a Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
$\frac{b}{b}$ Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentage points
Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council.

## II-5 Employment Sector and Primary Work Activity of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers for Whites, Asians and Other Minorities, 1975

Asians are much more likely than Whites or "Other Minorities" to be employed by business and industry. This employment sector draws heavily on natural scientists and engineers, the specialties of numerous Asians. They are more heavily concentrated in research than members of the other groups, less likely to be teaching and much less likely to be engaged in administrative activity.
"Other Minority" (Black, Hispanic and American Indian) scientists and engineers are employed to a much greater extent than the other groups by educational institutions and less by business and industry. They include a larger proportion engaged in teaching and in administration in educational institutions than either Whites or Asians, and a much smaller proportion involved in research in all employment sectors.

1/ The minority members included in the sample were too few in number to permit separate comparisons for each group. Asians have been analyzed separately because of the distinctive characteristics of this group (see Tables I-5 throuch I-16) and because of their high proportion of foreign citizens (see Table I-2).

Table II-6
Median 1/ Annual Salary by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group for Doctoral Scientists and Engineers 2/, 1973 and 1975
1973

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multicolumn{9}{|l|}{Sex Racial/Ethnic Group} <br>
\hline \& White \& Black \& Amer. Indian \& Hispanic \& Asian \& Other \& Unknown \& Total <br>
\hline $\begin{aligned} & \text { Men } \\ & \\ & \text { WN }\end{aligned}$ \& $$
\begin{gathered}
\$ 20,860 \\
(146,094)
\end{gathered}
$$ \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& \$ 21,499 \\
& (1,322)
\end{aligned}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 19,370 \\
(277)
\end{array}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 18,222 \\
(519)
\end{array}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 20,865 \\
(992)
\end{array}
$$ \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& * \frac{3}{} / \\
& (56)
\end{aligned}
$$ \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& \$ 20,515 \\
& (4,504)
\end{aligned}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 20,840 \\
(153,764)
\end{array}
$$ <br>
\hline Women
WN \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& \$ 17,280 \\
& (9,958)
\end{aligned}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 18,608 \\
(193)
\end{array}
$$ \& $$
\stackrel{\star}{(28)}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 17,617 \\
(46)
\end{array}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 15,817 \\
(50)
\end{array}
$$ \& $$
(8)
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 17,400 \\
(327)
\end{array}
$$ \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 17,306 \\
(10,610)
\end{array}
$$ <br>
\hline 1975 \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline Men

WN \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 23,367 \\
(174,147)
\end{array}
$$ \& \[

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \$ 23,672 \\
& (1,680)
\end{aligned}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 21,117 \\
(333)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 22,235 \\
(605)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \$ 24,120 \\
& (1,139)
\end{aligned}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 20,109 \\
(91)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \$ 23,288 \\
& (6,332)
\end{aligned}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 23,360 \\
(184,327)
\end{array}
$$
\] <br>

\hline Women

WN \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 18,793 \\
(13,309)
\end{array}
$$ \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 20,890 \\
(333)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 18,450 \\
(34)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 20,617 \\
(58)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 18,200 \\
(71)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& (7) \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 20,656 \\
(538)
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 18,890 \\
(14,350)
\end{array}
$$
\] <br>

\hline
\end{tabular}

1/ Medians were computed for full-time employed citizens only. Academic year salaries have been multiplied by $11 / 9$ to adjust to a full-year scale.
2/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
3/ Medians have not been calculated with fewer than 10 respondents.
4/ Number employed full-time

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council.

II-6 Median Annual Salary by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group for Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, 1973 and 1975

Racial/Ethnic Group Differences
In 1973, the estimated median salaryl/ for Black doctoral scientists and engineers of both sexes was greater than that for other groups.

## Sex Differences

Among doctoral scientists and engineers, men earned more than women and the difference increased from $\$ 3534$ in 1973 to $\$ 4470$ in 1975 . The difference partially reflects the fact, documented in numerous studies (American Association of University Professors, 1976; Astin, 1969, p. 92; Astin and Bayer, 1973, p. 339; Bernard, 1964, p. 184; Carnegie, 1973b, pp. 110-111; Centra, 1974, pp. 55-59; Galenson, 1973, p. 26; Kreps, 1971, p. 55; Radcliffe, 1956, p. 34; Robinson, 1973, pp. 207-210) that men hold positions senior to those of women, and the fact that men are more heavily employed in industry (see Table II-4) where salaries are higher.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

In both years, the largest salary differences between the sexes were found in the Asian group whose men had the second highest estimated median salary in 1973 and the highest estimated median salary in 1975 and whose women had the lowest. The salary level of Asian men partially reflects their concentration, to a greater extent than the men of other groups, in business and industry (see Table II-3) where salaries are higher than in other sectors.

[^4]Table II-7
Median Annual 1/ Salary by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group for 1975 of Recent 2/ Doctorate Recipients in Science and Engineering 3/ Employed in Institutions of Higher Education

Racial/Ethnic Group

| Sex | White | Black | Amer. Indian | Hispanic | Asian | Other | Unknown | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,179 \\ W N(31,479) \underline{5} \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 18,774 \\ (537) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,269 \\ (75) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,144 \\ (176) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 16,568 \\ (133) \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & * \\ & (36) \end{aligned}$ | \$17,479 <br> (908) | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,213 \\ (33,344) \end{array}$ |
| Male | $W N\left(\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,294 \\ (27,705) \end{array}\right.$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 18,891 \\ (416) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,357 \\ (58) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,208 \\ (158) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 16,307 \\ (102) \end{array}$ | (29) | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,484 \\ (806) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,323 \\ (29,274) \end{array}$ |
| Female | $\text { WN } \begin{aligned} & \$ 16,361 \\ & (3,774) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 18,375 \\ (121) \end{array}$ | (17) | (18) | $\begin{gathered} \$ 17,263 \\ (31) \end{gathered}$ | (7) | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 17,450 \\ (102) \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 16,430 \\ & (4,070) \end{aligned}$ |

1/ Medians were computed for full-time employed citizens only. Academic year salaries have been multiplied by $11 / 9$ to adjust to a full-year scale.
2/ Those who received the Ph.D. in 1970 or later
3/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
4/ Medians have not been calculated with fewer than 10 respondents.
5/ Number employed full-time
Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council.

## II-7 Median Annual Salary by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group for 1975 of Recent (1970-1974) Doctorate Recipients in Science and Engineering Employed in Institutions of Higher Education

Racial/Ethnic Group Differences
Among the doctoral scientists and engineers who received the Ph.D. in the decade of the 1970's and who are employed in institutions of higher education, Blacks have a higher estimated median annual salary than the members of other groups. (See footnote 1, p. 79.)

## Sex Differences

When the analysis is limited to those recent doctoral recipients in the academic employment sector, the salary difference between men and women is substantially reduced but men still have a higher basic salary. This has been the traditional picture when various factors such as field, rank, years of full-time experience, type of academic institution and marital status have been held constant (e.g. Astin and Bayer, 1973, pp. 342-346; Centra, 1974, pp. 78-91; Morlock, 1973, pp. 286-292; Robinson, 1973, pp. 219-223). Other recent data show that it continues to be the case when years since degree, field and employment sector are controlled (National Research Council, 1977) and when faculty in different kinds of academic institutions are compared (American Association of University Professors, 1976). Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

In contrast to the situation in all other groups, Asian women in the academic sector now appear to earn more than Asian men. The apparent advantage for Asian women may be only a reflection of the use of a very small sample ( $N=11$ ) for computation of the median salary since the approximate probability is $2 / 3$ that the true median for Asian women falls in the interval $\$ 16,480-\$ 17,793$.

Table Il-8
Employment Status of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers $1 /$ in the U.S. Labor Force in 1973 and 1975 for Whites, Asians and Other Minorities

|  |  |  |  | Whites |  |  |  | Asia |  |  |  | Othe <br> Minori |  |  |  | Total Reporting | 3 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | MEN |  | WOMEN |  |  |  | WOME |  | MEN |  | WOME |  | MEN |  | WOME |  |
|  | Employment Status |  | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 | 1973 | 1975 |
|  | Employed Full-Tine | WR | $\begin{array}{r} 163,525 \\ 93.9 \% \end{array}$ | 186,428 $93.7 \% 3$ | 11,429 $71.5 \%$ | 15,069 74.4 | 1,101 $96.8 \%$ | $\begin{gathered} 1,285 \\ 98.9 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 59 \\ 78.7 \% \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 101 \\ 75.4 \% \mathrm{~b} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,372 \\ 92.8 \% \mathrm{a} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,907 \\ 93.9 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 305 \\ 88.9 \% \mathrm{a} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 460 \\ 87.3 x \mathrm{a} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 166,998 \\ 93.9 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190,620 \\ & 93.7 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 11,793 \\ 71.98 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 15,630 \\ 74.8 \% \end{gathered}$ |
|  | Science, Eng. . Postdoc. | WN | $\begin{array}{r} 155,112 \\ 89.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 176,410 \\ 88.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,587 \\ 66.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,163 \\ 70.0 \end{array}$ | 1,050 92.3 | 1,221 94.0 | 78.7 ${ }^{59}$ | ${ }^{101}{ }^{10.4}$ | 2,169 ${ }^{\text {84.9 }}$ | 2,622 84.7 | 278 $81.0^{\text {a }}$ | 428 81.2 | $\begin{array}{r} 158,331 \\ 89.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 180,253 \\ 88.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,924 \\ 66.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,692 \\ 70.3 \end{array}$ |
|  | NonScience | WN | 8,413 4.8 | 10,018 5.0 | 842 5.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 906 \\ & 4.5 \end{aligned}$ | $4.5{ }^{51} \mathrm{a}$ | 64 4.9 | - | - | 203 7.9 | 285 9.2 | 7.98 | 6.12 | 8,667 4.9 | 10,367 5.1 | 869 5.3 | 938 4.5 |
|  | Employed Part-Time | WN | 3,454 2.0 | 3,740 1.9 | 2,293 14.4 | 2,401 11.9 | - | 10 .8 | 13.30 | 15.7 ${ }^{21}$ b | 74 2.9 | 56 1.8 | $1.7{ }^{6}$ | 36 6.8 | 3,528 2.0 | 3.806 1.9 | 2,309 14.1 | 2,458 11.8 |
|  | Not Employed | WN $V$ | 5,638 3.2 | 8,671 4.4 | 1,850 11.6 | 2,668 13.2 | 31 2.7 | 4 .3 | $8.0{ }^{6}$ | $8.2{ }^{11}$ | 55 2.2 | 133 4.3 | 6.42 ${ }^{22}$ | 5.93 - | 5,724 3.2 | 8,808 4.3 | 1,878 11.5 | 2,710 13.0 |
| $\stackrel{\infty}{\sim}$ | Seeking | WN | $\begin{array}{r} 1,484 \\ .9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,380 \\ .7 \end{array}$ | 489 3.1 | 485 2.4 | 10 .9 | 4 .3 | 6.75 | 6 4.5 | 15 .6 | 30 1.0 | 3 .9 | 5 .9 | 1,509 .8 | 1,414 .7 | 497 3.0 | 496 2.4 |
|  | Not Seeking | WN | 437 .3 | 890 .4 | 685 4.3 | 1,087 5.4 | 10 .9 | - | $1.1{ }^{\text {1 }}$ - | 5 3.7 | 10 .4 | 48 1.6 | 2.90 | 13.5 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 457 .3 | 938 .5 | 696 4.2 | 1,105 5.3 |
|  | Retired | WN | 3,717 2.1 | 6,401 3.2 | 676 4.2 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,095 \\ 5.4 \end{array}$ | 11 1.0 | - | - | - | 30 1.2 | 55 1.8 | $2.6{ }^{9}$ | $2.5{ }^{13}$ | 3,758 2.1 | 6,456 3.2 | 685 4.2 | 1,109 5.3 |
|  | Other | $\begin{aligned} & W N \\ & V \end{aligned}$ | 1,448 4/ .8 | 213 .1 | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \text { 4/ } \\ & 2.5 \end{aligned}$ | 104 .5 | . $4^{4 /}$ | - | - | .7a | 2.25 | - |  | - | $1,5084 /$ .8 | 213 .1 | 4174 2.5 | 105 .5 |
|  | Total | N W $V$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,239 \\ 174,065 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,193 \\ 199,052 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,323 \\ 15,979 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,980 \\ 20,242 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 164 \\ 1,137 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 200 \\ 1,299 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ 75 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 51 \\ 134 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 362 \\ 2,556 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 574 \\ 3,096 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 114 \\ 343 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 187 \\ 527 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | 23,765 177,758 99.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 24,967 \\ 203,447 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,461 \\ 16,397 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,218 \\ 20,903 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ |
|  | Unknown | WN | 3,259 | 279 | 422 | 75 | 14 | - | - | 3 | 66 | - | 29 | - | 3,339 | 279 | 451 | 78 |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
$\frac{2 /}{3 /}$ Excludes those whose group status was unknown: here 6,715 men in 1973 and 8,280 in 1975, 639 women in 1973 and 830 in 1975
3/ Subtotals may differ slightly from sum for activities because of rounding
4/ These statistics may be artificially large because the 1973 forms were processed by optical scanning equipment that did not take advantage of employment information available elsewhere on the questionnaire; consequently other statistics in the table may have a downward bias.
$\frac{a}{b} \quad$ Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
b Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentage points
Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council.

II-8 Employment Status of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the U.s. Labor Force in 1973 and 1975 for Whites, Asians and Other Minorities Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

In 1975, Whites had a higher percentage not employed than Asians, but the percentage for whites did not differ significantly from that for "Other Minorities." Asians had the smallest proportions of retired scientists and engineers. "Other Minorities" had the highest percentage of individuals working in fields other than science or engineering in 1975.

## Sex Differences

Men are more likely than women to be employed full-time, but the percentage of women in full-time employment rose from 1973 to 1975. The percentages for women for the two years are a little lower than the 81\% found by Astin in 1965 (1969, p. 57) and $75 \%$ by Centra in 1973 (1974, p. 33) but the data presented here do not include women in humanities and education, fields in which women have had a higher employmient rate (Centra, 1974, p. 32). Women are more likely than men to be employed part-time and to be classified among those not employed including those seeking employment, not seeking employment and retired.

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

The sex differences described above are clearly visible in the white group. They are minimal for "Other Minorities" where women display the higher labor force participation rates that have been described for non-white women (Carnegie, 1973b, p. 26; U.S. Department of Labor, 1975, p 41): large: proportions employed full-time both in science and non-science positions, smaller proportions unemployed and employed part-time than White wamen. In both 1973 and 1975, Asian men are more likely to be employed full-time and less likely to be employed part-time than Asian women.

Table II-9
Doctoral Scientists and Engineers - Desiring, but not Holding, Full-Time Employment in Science and Engineering $2 /$ by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, for 1973 and 1975 (WN = estimated number in population "desiring")

|  | 1973 |  | 1975 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Male | Female | Male | Female |
| White | $\begin{gathered} W N=2,866 \\ (N=21,047) 4 / \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1,045 \\ 9.0 \% \\ (N=3,974) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,900 \\ 1.6 \% \\ (N=21,732) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 986 \\ 6.5 \% \\ (N=4,493) \end{gathered}$ |
| Minorities | $\begin{gathered} 75 \\ 2.3 \% \\ (N=466) \end{gathered}$ | $\left(N=\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 3.0 \% \underline{a} \\ 114) \end{array}\right.$ | $\begin{gathered} 56 \\ 1.5 \% \\ \left(N=\begin{array}{c} 689 \end{array}\right) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ (N=1.2 \% 4) \end{gathered}$ |
| Black | $\left(N=\begin{array}{c} 29.2 \% \\ 29 \\ 196) \end{array}\right.$ | $\begin{gathered} 2 \\ (N=69) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 26 \\ (N=312 \% \end{gathered}$ | $\left(N=\begin{array}{c} .6 \% \\ \hline \end{array}\right.$ |
| Asian | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ (N=154) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 7.8 \% \mathrm{~b} \\ (N=22) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 15 \\ 1.2 \% \\ \left(N=\begin{array}{l} 192 \end{array}\right) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.6 \% \mathrm{a} \\ (N=42) \end{gathered}$ |
| Hispanic and Amer. Indian ${ }^{-1}$ | $\left(N=\begin{array}{c} 36 \\ 4.2 \% \mathrm{a} \end{array}\right.$ | $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 4.2 \% \mathrm{a} \\ (\mathrm{~N}=23) \end{gathered}$ | $\left(N=\begin{array}{c} 15 \\ 1.6 \% \\ 185) \end{array}\right.$ | $\begin{gathered} \begin{array}{c} 4 \\ 4.2 \% \mathrm{a} \\ (\mathrm{~N}=34) \end{array}, ~ \end{gathered}$ |
| Total Reported | $\begin{gathered} 2,941 \\ (N=21,8 \% \\ (N 13) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1,055 \\ 8.8 \% \\ (N=4,088) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,956 \\ (N=22,421) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 998 \\ 6.4 \% \\ (N=4,687) \end{gathered}$ |
| Other and Unknown | $\begin{gathered} 181 \\ 3.2 \% \\ (N=749) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 38 \\ 7.9 q \mathbf{a} \\ (\mathrm{~N}=159) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 102 \\ 1.4 \% \\ (N=905) \end{gathered}$ | $\left(\mathrm{N}=\begin{array}{c} 51 \\ 8.1 \% \underline{a} \\ 184 \end{array}\right)$ |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only.
2/ Excluded for these calculations are the retired, those who are employed part-time but are not seeking full-time employment, those holding science or engineering doctorates who have voluntarily selected employment in other fields and those who have not reported employment status or whether or not they are seeking employment.
3/ \% = $100 \times$ [WN desiring/(WN holding $+W N$ desiring)]
4/ This is the number of white males in the sample who are holding or desire to hold full-time employment in science or engineering. The sample size "N" is provided for use in obtaining the estimated error due to sampling from Appendix 0.
5/ The numbers in the American Indian and Hispanic categories were too small to permit meaningful separate tabulations.
a Sampling error between 1 and 5 percentage points
b Sampling error between 5 and 10 percentage points

Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council.

II-9 Doctoral Scientists and Engineers Desiring, but not Holding, Full-Time Employment in Science and Engineering by Sex and Racial/Ethnic Group, for 1973 and 1975

## Sex Differences

Because women are more likely than men to prefer part-time work (Centra, 1974, p. 35) and to withdraw from the job market voluntarily (Centra, 1974, p. 46; Table II-7), it was decided to limit the comparison to those members of both sexes who reported that they were seeking full-time employment while unemployed or employed part-time or that they had accepted non-science employment because science or engineering employment was not available.

In both years, the estimated proportion of fully employed men was greater than the estimated proportion of women fully employed in science and engineering, although in most fields, the situation improved for women from 1973 to 1975 (Maxfield et al., 1976, pp. 7-8).

To interpret this finding, it would be important to control on marital status. Centra's study found that the majority of reasons given by women for unemployment had to do with marital status and family responsibilities, including the response, "No suitable jobs were available in the same locale as spouse's job" (1974, pp. 4647).

## Sex Differences within Racial/Ethnic Groups

The estimated proportions desiring, but not holding, full-time employment show that among Whites in both years, women are more likely than men to be in this category. The differences between men and women in the proportions in this category for the individual minority groups are not statistically significant. Even if a composite of the minority groups is considered, the difference between men and women is not statistically significant. These statistics are included for interest and should be used with great care.

Baccalaureate and Doctoral Institutions of Women and Minority Ph.D.'s
This chapter reports some of the characteristics of the undergraduate institutions and doctoral institutions of men and women Ph.D.'s and of Ph.D.'s of different racial/ethnic groups. The analysis in this chapter is limited to institutions in the United States. Table III-1 provides lists of the 25 undergraduate institutions that rankedl/ highest in number of graduates of each sex who obtained doctorates in the period 1973-1976. Comparisons are made with similar data for doctoral cohorts for 1920-1973. Table III-3 provides similar information by field. Tables III-2 and III-4 provide lists of the leading undergraduate institutions in number of graduates who obtained doctorates by racial/ethnic group and by field distribution of these groups. Comparisons are made of the distribution of institutions in the preceding tables by the Carnegie classification of doctorate-granting institutions.

Early in its work the Carnegie Commission on Higher Education recognized the need for a classification of institutions that would be useful for purposes of analysis of higher education. In 1970, the Commission developed a classification system (Carnegie Commission on Higher Education, 1973a) that has been widely used. The classification is based on statistics on federal expenditures and degrees and consists of five main categories with subcategories. Abbreviated definitions of the Carnegie categories used in this report are given on page 87.

Although the Carnegie classification of institutions of higher education was published in 1973 and is based on data for 1968-1969, 1969-1970 and 1970-1971, this timing is excellent for classification of the baccalaureate institutions of the 1973-1976 cohorts of Ph.D.'s. The Carnegie classification system is being updated

1/ The word "rank" where used in this report is used in the statistical sense of "order according to a statistical characteristic" (e.g., number of Ph.D.'s included in a defined group); its use is not intended to imply degree of eminence or excellence.

Research Universities I: The 50 leading universities by federal financial support of academic sciences in at least two of the three academic years 1968-1969, 19691970 and 1970-1971 provided they awarded at least 50 Ph.D.'s in 1969-1970.

Research Universities II: Included in the 100 leading institutions by federal financial support in at least two of the above three years, awarded at least 50 Ph.D.'s in 1969-1970 or among the leading 50 institutions in total number of Ph.D.'s awarded from 1960-1961 to 1969-1970.

Doctoral-Granting Universities I: Awarded 40 or more Ph.D.'s in 1969-1970 or received at least $\$ 3$ million in federal financial support in 1969-1970 or 1970-1971 and granted more than 20 Ph.D.'s.

Doctoral-Granting Universities II: Awarded at least 10 Ph.D.'s in 1969-1970 or one of a few new institutions where expansion of the doctoral program is anticipated.

Comprehensive Universities and Colleges I: Institutions that offer a liberal arts program and have at least two professional or occupational programs and enrolled at least 2,000 students in 1970.

Comprehensive Universities and Colleges II: Institutions that offer a liberal arts program and at least one professional or occupational program except for private institutions that had fewer than 1,500 students or public institutions that had fewer than 1,000 students in 1970.

Liberal Arts Colleges I: Colleges that scored 5 or above on Astin'sl/ selectivity index or were included among the 200 leading baccalaureate-granting institutions by number of their graduates receiving Ph.D.'s at 40 leading doctoral-granting institutions from 1920-1966.

Liberal Arts Colleges II: All the liberal arts colleges that did not meet the criteria for inclusion in the first group of liberal arts colleges.

Professional Schools and Other Specialized Institutions-2/
Medical Schools and Medical Centers: Includes only those that are listed as seprarate campuses in Opening Fall Enrollment published by the U.S. Office of Education.

## Teachers Colleges

1/ Astin's selectivity index is based on National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test Scores for all students who took the NMSQT in 1964, classified according to the college of their first choice.
2/ Within this category, medical schools and teachers colleges have been distinguished in some tables of Chapter III. Where "other" is used, as in Table III-5, this refers to all types of specialized institutions including: Theological seminaries, medical schools, health professional schools, schools of engineering and technology, schools of art, music and design, teachers colleges and other.

Source: Carnegie Commission on Higher Education, 1973a, pp. 1-5. Used with permission. Copyright (C) 1973 by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.
and a revised version will be published in the near future. It is understood/ that there will be very few changes in the classification of the doctorate-granting institutions.

Table III-5 highlights the differences between the sexes and among the racial/ethnic groups in the distribution of doctorate-granting institutions for doctorate recipients in 1973-1976. The distribution of Ph.D. recipients among doctoral institutions that first granted the Ph.D. prior to 1920, from 1920-1929, 1930-1949 and 1950-1976 is explored for all Ph.D.'s, for women and for native-born U.S. citizens by racial/ethnic group in Table III-6. Data collected by the American Association of University Professors on the proportion of women on the faculty by institution are analyzed in conjunction with data on women Ph.D.'s as a percentage of total Ph.D.'s for these institutions in Table III-7. The list of all the Ph.D.-granting institutions that were above average in the proportion of Ph.D.'s granted to women given in Table III-8 is analyzed by Carnegie classification. Table III-9 provides lists of institutions that ranked highest in percentage of doctorates granted to women by field.

1/ Information based on telephone conversation with Dr. Margaret Gordon.

III-1 Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates of Each Sex Who Obtained Doctorates in the Period 1973-1976

Table III-1 (see p. 91) shows the 25 undergraduate institutions that ranked highest in number of graduates of each sex who obtained doctorates in the period 1973-1976. The top 25 undergraduate institutions for women graduated $22.31 \%$ of the women who received doctorates whereas the top 25 undergraduate institutions for men accounted for only $17.35 \%$ of the men who received doctorates. Comparable data (Tidball and Kistiakowsky, 1976) for doctorates granted during the period 1920-1973 show that the top 25 undergraduate institutions for women graduated $30.33 \%$ of the women doctorates with the corresponding figure for men being $27.74 \%$ of the men who went on to receive doctorates. The large differences between the lists of undergraduate institutions for women and men are easily seen by analysis based on the Carnegie classification of the institutions:

Table III-I: Analysis I
Leading Undergraduate Institutions of Ph.D. Recipients in 1973-1976
Undergraduate Institution

| Carnegie Category 1/ | Undergraduate Institution |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Women | Men |
| Research Universities I |  |  |
| Public | 10 | 15 |
| Private | 4 | 6 |
| Research Universities II |  |  |
| Public | 1 | 1 |
| Doctoral Granting Universities I <br> Private |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Comprehensive Universities and Colleges I <br> Public |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Liberal Arts Colleges I Private |  |  |

The list of undergraduate schools for women Ph.D.'s contains seven institutions that until recently have admitted only women. Of these, six are liberal arts colleqes and one is a comprehensive university. The list for men contains three

1/ See p. 87 for definitions.
2/ Includes Barnard College and Radcliffe College which are not classified separately in the Carnegie system.
institutions that historically were primarily for men: Harvard, Princeton and Yale, all of which fall in the category Research University I. The 11 public research universities in the list for women are all included in the list for men. Cornell University and New York University, both private research universities, are also common to both lists. There the similarity ends.

To facilitate comparison of the lists of undergraduate institutions for the 1920-1973 Ph.D.'s with those for the 1973-1976 Ph.D.'s, the ranks from the Tidball and Kistiakowsky article have been entered in parentheses on Table III-1 under the caption "T-K rank". In the list of undergraduate institutions for women the women's institutions in Table III-1 have moved down in rank, an average of 3 3/7 ranks. Bryn Mawr which ranked 20th as undergraduate institution for the 1920-1973 women Ph.D.'s has disappeared from the list of 1973-1976 Ph.D.'s. On the men's list in Table III-1, the formerly male institutions (Harvard, Princeton, and Yale) are an average $21 / 3$ ranks lower than they were in the comparable list for 1920-1973 men Ph.D.'s, even though Princeton moved up in rank.

Institutions that were included in the list for 1920-1973 women Ph.D.'s but are no longer among the top 25 for 1973-1976 Ph.D.'s are: Bryn Mawr College, University of Florida, Columbia University, University of North Carolina and Northwestern University. Institutions that dropped below the top 25 for 1973-1976 men Ph.D.'s but were listed for 1920-1973 Ph.D.'s are University of Chicago, Columbia University, New York University, University of North Carolina and University of Missouri.

Table III-1
Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates of Each Sex Who Obtained Doctorates in the Period 1973-1976

| Rank | Women |  | Men |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $T-K I$ <br> Rank | Institution | Number | $T-K 1$ <br> Rank | / Institution | Number |
| 1 | (5) | University of Michigan, Ann Arbor | 398 | (1) | University of California, Berkeley | 1,381 |
| 2 | (2) | University of California, Berkeley | 396 | (4) | University of Illinois, Urbana | 1,011 |
| 3 | (1) | City University of New York, Hunter College | 303 | (6) | University of Michigan, Ann Arbor | 939 |
| 4 | (14) | Cornell University | 296 | (8) | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 922 |
| 5 | (3) | Barnard College | 289 | (11) | University of California, Los Angeles | 907 |
| 6 | (12) | University of California, Los Angeles | 288 | (2) | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 893 |
| 7 | (9) | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 286 | (3) | City University of New York, City College | 889 |
| 8 | (6) | Wellesley College | 261 | (5) | Harvard University | 872 |
| 9 | (18) | University of Texas, Austin | 257 | (new) | Michigan State University | 759 |
| 10 | (4) | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 257 | (9) | Cornell University | 751 |
| 11 | (17) | University of Illinois, Urbana | 256 | (17) | Pennsylvania State University, University Park | 740 |
| 12 | (22) | Stanford University | 240 | (12) | Ohio State University, Columbus | 717 |
| 13 | (13) | Smith College | 239 | (16) | University of Texas, Austin | 702 |
| 14 | (10) | Radcliffe College | 230 | (7) | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 695 |
| 15 | (8) | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 217 | (18) | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 658 |
| 16 | (11) | New York University | 216 | (new) | Brigham Young University | 624 |
| 17 | (new) | City University of New York, Queens College | 209 | (20) | Purdue University | 607 |
| 18 | (19) | Ohio State University, Columbus | 201 | (23) | Stanford University | 598 |
| 19 | (new) | Michigan State University | 200 | (new) | Rutgers University, New Brunswick | 584 |
| 20 | (15) | Vassar College | 187 | (15) | Yale University | 550 535 |
| 21 | (new) | Indiana University, Bloomington | 185 | (24) | University of Florida, Gainesville | 535 |
| 22 | (new) | Rutgers University, New Brunswick | 180 | (21) | University of Washington | 517 |
| 23 |  | University of Chicago | 180 | (new) | University of Utah | $484$ |
| 24 | (new) | City University of New York, City College | 174 | (25) | Princeton University | 474 |
| 25 | (16) | Mount Holyoke College | 170 | (new) | Indiana University, Bloomington | 458 |
|  | Number Number | in listed institutions <br> in all institutions | $\begin{array}{r} \frac{6,115}{27,412} 2 / \end{array}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 18,265 \\ & 105,261 \end{aligned}$ |

1/ Ranks for institutions based on number of graduates of each sex who obtained doctorates during the period from 1920-1973 (Tidball and Kistiakowsky, 1976).
2/ Total number of women Ph.D.'s, 1973-1976
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

III-2 Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates Who Obtained Doctorates by Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

Table III-2 gives lists of undergraduate institutions that ranked highest in number of graduates who obtained doctorates in the period 1973-1976 for each of the six racial/ethnic groups. Except where institutions were tied for the 25 th rank or where institutions had fewer than 2 graduates who obtained the doctorate degree, the lists contain 25 institutions. During the four-year period, 1973-1976, $13 \%$ of the Ph.D.'s did not provide usable responses to the question on racial/ethnic group. The ranks in the lists might vary somewhat if racial/ethnic group were known for these individuals.

There is a strong tendency for minority Ph.D.'s to have graduated from undergraduate institutions in states where their groups are concentrated. All but four of the undergraduate institutions in the list for Black doctorate recipients are institutions in the "01d South." Of the 25 institutions, 22 , or $88.0 \%$, have been historically primarily Black institutions. The 26 institutions listed for American Indians include 11 from the states of Oklahoma, Arizona, California, New Mexico and North Carolina which have the largest proportions of the American Indian population. These 12 institutions graduated 84 , or $56 \%$, of the 150 American Indians shown on the list. The 28 institutions listed for Chicanos include 22 from the states of Texas, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico and California where large numbers of Chicanos live. The 18 undergraduate institutions shown for Puerto Ricans include 5 in Puerto Rico that account for 118 , or $74.2 \%$, of the 159 Puerto Ricans who graduated from these institutions and went on to obtain doctoral degrees. An additional 17.0\%, or 27, of the Puerto Rican Ph.D.'s shown have baccalaureates from one of the 6 institutions in New York state on the list. The 25 high ranking baccalaureate institutions for Asian Ph.D.'s include 12 California institutions, 1 Hawaiian institution and 3 institutions in Washington and Oregon accounting for 48.0\%, $15.4 \%$ and $7.7 \%$, respectively, of the 714 Asian Ph.D.'s from the 25 undergraduate institutions.

There are large differences among the lists of undergraduate institutions for the different racial/ethnic groups. These differences are quantified in the following analysis by Carnegie categories.

Table ItI-2: Amalysis I
Leading Undergraduate Institutions of Ph.D. Recipients in 1973-1976

| Carnegie Category | Yertical L of Listed Undergriduate institutions |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Mite | Black | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amer. } \\ & \text { Indian } \end{aligned}$ | Chicano | Puerte Rican | Astan |
| Research Universitios: Public Private | 56.03 24.0 | - | 38.58 3.8 | 21.48 | 22.28 | 44.08 20.0 |
| Research Universities If Public Private | 4.0 | 4.08 | 19.2 3.8 | 3.6 | 5.6 | 12.0 |
| Doctoral-Granting Universities I and II Public Private | 4.0 | 8.0 | 7.7 | 17.9 | 5.6 | $=$ |
| Comprehensive Universities and Colleges 1 Public Private | 12.0 | 64.0 | 19.2 | 42.9 3.6 | 27.8 | 20.0 |
| Comprehensive Universities and colleges II <br> Public Private | $:$ | 4.0 | 7.7 | 3.6 | $:$ | - |
| Liberal Arts Colleges : Private | - | 12.0 | - | - | 5.6 | - |
| Madical Schools and Madical Centers | - | - | - | - | 5.6 | - |
| Teachers Colleges | - | 4.0 | - | - | - | - |
| Mumber of Institutions | 25 | 25 | $\overline{26}$ | 28 | 18 | 25 |

Four-fifths of the listed leading baccalaureate institutions for Whites are Research Universities I; the comparable number for Asians is 64\%. On the other hand, no institutions in this category are included in the list for Blacks. The list of Institutions for American Indians contains more Research Universities II than are shown in the other lists. Comprehensive Universities and Colleges I represent a large proportion on the lists of undergraduate institutions for Black, Chicano and Puerto Rican Ph.D.'s - 72.0\%, 46.5\% and 44.5\%, respectively.

Table II1-2
Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates Who Obtained Doctorates by Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

| Rank | White <br> All Citizens |  | $\stackrel{\text { Black }}{\text { All }}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of California, Berkeley | 1,350 | Howard University | 138 |
| 2 | University of Michigan, Ann Arbor | 1,125 | Florida AsM University, Tallahassee | 102 |
| 3 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 1,053 | Southern University, Baton Rouge | 90 |
| 4 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 1,006 | Tuskegee Institute | 76 |
| 5 | University of California, Los Angeles | 941 | Wayne State University | 71 |
| 6 | Cornell University | 855 | Tennessee State University, Nashville | 68 |
| 7 | City University of New York, City College | 846 | Morehouse College | 67 |
| 8 | Michigan State University | 801 | Hampton Institute | 62 |
| 9 | University of Texas, Austin | 784 | Alabama State University, Sontgomery | 60 |
| 10 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 783 | Virginia State College, Petersburg | 54 |
| 11 | Penn State University, University Park | 777 | Morgan State University, Baltimore | 53 |
| 12 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 772 | North Carolina Central University, Durham | 53 |
| 13 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 757 | North Carolina A\&T State University, Greensboro | 52 |
| 14 | Ohio State University, Columbus | 751 | Prairie View AsM Untversity, Texas | 46 |
| 15 | Harvard University | 724 | Fisk University | 44 |
| 16 | Stanford University | 701 | Alcorn State University, Mississippi | 43 |
| 17 | Rutgers University, New Brunswick | 658 | Central State University, W1lberforce, Ohio | 41 |
| 18 | Purdue University, West Lafayette | 620 | University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff | 40 |
| 19 | University of Florida | 586 | Jackson State University, Mississippi | 38 |
| 20 | Brigham Young University | 576 | West Virginia State College | 38 |
| 21 | University of Washington | 569 | California State University, Los Angeles | 37 |
| 22 | Indiana University, Bloomington | 539 | South Carolina State College | 36 |
| 23 | New York University | 486 | Spelman College | 35 |
| 24 | City University of New York, Queens College | 485 | D.C. Teachers College | 32 |
| 25 | Yale University | 479 | Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Missouri | 31 |

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

Table III-2 continued.


Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

| Rank | Puerto Rican All Citizens |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Asian } \\ \text { All Citizens } \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution Nu | Number |
| 1 | University of Puerto Rico, San Juan | 93 | University of California, Berkeley | 142 |
| 2 | University of Puerto Rico, Mayaguez | 14 | University of Hawaii | 110 |
| 3 | City University of New York, City College | 10 | University of California, Los Angeles | 58 |
| 4 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 6 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 50 |
| 5 | Inter American University of Puerto Rico | 5 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 37 |
| 6 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 5 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 27 |
| 7 | College of the Sacred Heart, Puerto Rico | 4 | University of Michigan | 24 |
| 8 | New York University | 3 | University of Washington | 24 |
| 9 | Boston University | 2 | University of California, Davis | s 22 |
| 10 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 2 | Stanford University | 21 |
| 11 | Long Island University | 2 | Oregon State University | 19 |
| 12 | State University of New York, Oswego | 2 | California State University, Los Angeles | 17 |
| 13 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 2 | Cornell University | 16 |
| 14 | University of Maryland, College Park | 2 | Indiana Univeraity, Bloomington | 15 |
| 15 | Georgetown University | 2 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 14 |
| 16 | University of Florida | 2 | California Institute of Technology | 14 |
| 17 | University of California, Los Angeles | 2 | San Franciso State University | 14 |
| 18 19 | Catholic University of Puerto Rico <br> (63 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) | 2 | Purdue University San Jose State University | $\left[\begin{array}{l}13 \\ 13\end{array}\right.$ |
| 20 |  |  | University of Oregon, Eugene | 12 |
| 21 |  |  | San Diego State University | 11 |
| 22 |  |  | University of Southern California, Los Angeles | 11 |
| 23 |  |  | Ohio State University, Columbus | 810 |
| 24 |  |  | California State University, Fresno | 10 |
| 25 |  |  | University of San Francisco | 10 |

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

## III-3 Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates Who Obtained Doctorates by Sex and Field, 1973-1976

Table III-3 provides lists of undergraduate institutions that ranked highest in number of graduates who were granted doctorates in the years 1973-1976 by sex for each of five fields. The top 25 undergraduate institutions for women Ph.D.'s in each field graduated the following proportions of the total for all institutions: physical sciences and engineering, 21.9\%; life sciences, $21.6 \%$; social sciences, 30.7\%; arts and humanities, 27.7\%; and education, 18.5\%. Comparable data for the top 25 undergraduate institutions for men Ph.D.'s are: physical sciences and engineering, 21.0\%; life sciences, 20.7\%; social sciences, 20.7\%; arts and humanities, 21.3\%; and education, 14.9\%. In the social sciences, arts and humanities, and education, the leading undergraduate institutions for women are responsible for higher proportions of the women Ph.D.'s than the proportions of men Ph.D.'s who came from the leading undergraduate institutions for men.

The large differences between the undergraduate institutions for women and men that were found in Table III-1 naturally persist in the top institutions by field. The differences are displayed in Table III-3: Analysis 1. For all fields except education, there is a higher proportion of Research Universities I among the leading undergraduate institutions of Ph.D. recipients for men than for women. Public Comprehensive Universities and Colleges I constitute high proportions of the leading undergraduate institutions for male Ph.D.'s in education and the social sciences when compared with the other fields. For women Ph.D.'s in all fields except education, the private Liberal Arts Colleges I represent over $20 \%$ of their leading undergraduate institutions. Oberlin College, the 11 th ranking undergraduate institution for male Ph.D.'s in the arts and humanities is the only liberal arts college on the five lists for men.

There have been extensive changes between the lists of leading undergraduate institutions by field for the 1920-1973 Ph.D.'s (Tidball and Kistiakowsky, 1976) and those of Table III-3. For example, in physical sciences and engineering the average rank of the women's institutions in Table III-3 has increased by nine when compared

Table III-3: Analysis I
Leading Undergraduate Institutions of Ph.D. Recipients in 1973-1976 by Sex and Field

| こarnegie Category of Institution | Women |  |  |  |  | Men |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Phys. Sci | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Life } \\ & \text { Sci. } \end{aligned}$ | Social <br> Sci. | Arts \& Human. | Educ. | Phys. Sci. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Life } \\ & \text { SLi. } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Social } \\ & \text { Sci. } \end{aligned}$ | Arts \& Human. | Educ. |
| research Universities I Public Private | $\begin{aligned} & 38.5 \% \\ & 23.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \% \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \\ & 24 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \% \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 48 \\ 8 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 483 \\ & 24 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 68 ; i \\ 8 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 444^{2} \\ & 28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36= \\ & 32 \end{aligned}$ | 36\% |
| Research Universities II Public Private | 3.8 | 4 | - | 4 | 20 4 | 8 8 | $\stackrel{20}{-}$ | 4 | - | 12 4 |
| ```Doctoral Granting Universities I and II Public Private``` | - | - | - | - | $8$ | 8 | - | $4$ | $20$ | $\begin{gathered} 20 \\ 4 \end{gathered}$ |
| Comprehensive Universities and Colleges I Public | 11.5 | 8 | 16 | 12 | 12 | 4 | 4 | 20 | 8 | 24 |
| Liberal Arts Colleges 1 Private | 23.1 | 24 | 20 | 32 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - |
| Number of Institutions | 26 | $\overline{25}$ | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 |

1/ Barnard College and Radcliffe College have been included in this category although not listed in the Carnegie Commission's Classification System.
with the average rank of women's institutions in 1920-1973 (Tidball and Kistiakowsky, 1976). Smith College and Goucher College, which were ranked thirteenth and twentieth for the 1920-1973 female Ph.D.'s in physical sciences and engineering, are not included in the list of 25 leading undergraduate institutions for the 1973-1976 cohorts. The changing role of the women's liberal arts colleges as leading undergraduate institutions for women Ph.D.'s can be seen clearly by comparing the five leading institutions in each of the fields for the 1920-1973 cohorts of women with those for the 1973-1976 cohorts. The lists for the 19201973 Ph.D.'s for physical sciences and engineering, life sciences, social sciences and arts and humanities contain four, two, two and five women's colleges, respectively, whereas for the 1973-1976 Ph.D.'s the comparable numbers are zero, one, one and three. The Liberal Arts Colleges I do not appear among the leading undergraduate institutions for women Ph.D.'s for education for either the 19201973 or the 1973-1976 cohorts of women Ph.D.'s. In education, however, Hunter College, a Comprehensive University I, leads both lists.

For men, the leading undergraduate institution for 1973-1976 Ph.D.'s in education is Brigham Young University, in the private Doctoral-Granting Universities I category; whereas the leading institution for each of the other fields is a Research University I.

Table III-3
Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates Who Obtained Doctorates by Sex and Field, 1973-1976

Women (a)

| Rank | Physical Sciences and Engineering |  | Life Sciences |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of Michigan | 22 | Cornell University | 68 |
| 2 | University of California, Berkeley | 21 | University of California, Berkeley | 62 |
| 3 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 20 | University of Michigan | 39 |
| 4 | Cornell University | 20 | University of Texas, Austin | 39 |
| 5 | University of 111 inois, Urbana | 20 | Barnard College, Columbia University | 38 |
| 6 | City University of New York, City College | 17 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 38 |
| 7 | University of Texas, Austin | 17 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 38 |
| 8 | Bryn Mawr College | 16 | University of California, Los Angeles | 35 |
| 9 | Radcliffe College | 15 | University of California, Davis | 31 |
| 10 | Stanford University | 15 | Stanford University | 31 |
| 11 | Mount Holyoke College | 14 | Michigan State University | 30 |
| 12 | Rutgers University, New Brunswick | 14 | Wellesley College | 28 |
| $13$ | Rice University | 14 | Mount Holyoke College | 27 |
| 14 | University of California, Los Angeles | 14 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 27 |
| 15 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 13 | Vassar College | 27 |
| 16 | Barnard College, Columbia University | 13 | University of Washington | 26 |
| 17 | University of Rochester | 13 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 25 |
| 18 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 13 | University of Colorado | 25 |
| 19 | Pennsylvania State University, University Park | 12 | Smith College | $\left[\begin{array}{l}24 \\ 24\end{array}\right.$ |
| 20 | University of Pennsylvania | 12 | University of Minnesota | 24 |
| 21 | Wellesley College | 11 | Pennsylvania State University | 23 |
| 22 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 11 | Ohio State University | 23 |
| 23 | Vassar College | 11 | University of Chicago | 23 |
| 24 | University of Pittsburgh | 71 | Bryn Mawr College | 22 |
| 25 | Northwestern University | 11 | Indiana University | 22 |
| 26 | Michigan State University | 01 |  |  |
|  | Number in ranked institutions <br> Number in all institutions | $\begin{array}{r} 381 \\ 1,738 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 795 \\ 3,675 \end{array}$ |

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

Table III-3 continued.

Women (b)

| Rank | Social Sciences |  | Arts and Humanities |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of California, Berkeley | 133 | Smith College | 122 |
| 2 | University of Michigan, Ann Arbor | 120 | Barnard College, Columbia University | 112 |
| 3 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 93 | University of Michigan, Ann Arbor | 108 |
| 4 | Barnard College, Columbia University | 93 | Wellesley College | 104 |
| 5 | University of California, Los Angeles | 91 | University of California, Berkeley | 104 |
| 6 | Radcliffe College | 87 | Radcliffe College | 92 |
| 7 | Cornell University | 87 | Bryn Mawr College | 82 |
| 8 | Wellesley College | 82 | Stanford University | 80 |
| 9 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 81 | University of California, Los Angeles | 76 |
| 10 | New York University | 81 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 74 |
| 11 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 75 | Vassar College | 73 |
| 12 | Stanford University | 73 | Cornell University | 71 |
| 13 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 72 | City University of New York, Queens College | 66 |
| 14 | City University of New York, City College | 71 | Mount Holyoke College | 64 |
| 15 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 65 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 58 |
| 16 | City University of New York, Queens College | 63 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 56 |
| 17 | University of Texas, Austin | 60 | University of Chicago | 55 |
| 18 | University of Chicago | 59 | University of Texas, Austin | 54 |
| 19 | Michigan State University | 58 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 53 |
| 20 | Vassar College | 55 | New York University | 52 |
| 21 | Rutgers University, New Brunswick | 53 | Rutgers University, New Brunswick | 50 |
| 22 | Smith College | 52 | Oberlin College | 50 |
| 23 | University of Pennsylvania | 49 | Indiana University, Bloomington | 50 |
| 24 | Northwestern University | 49 | University of Pennsylvania | 49 |
| 25 | University of Colorado, Boulder | 48 | University of Washington | 44 |
|  | Number in ranked institutions Number in all institutions | 1,850 6,023 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,799 \\ & 6,483 \end{aligned}$ |

Table III-3 continued.

Women (c)

| Rank | Education |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number |
| 1 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 100 |
| 2 | University of Michigan, Ann Arbor | 94 |
| 3 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 90 |
| 4 | Ohio State University | 88 |
| 5 | University of Texas, Austin | 76 |
| 6 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 75 |
| 7 | Wayne State University | 72 |
| 8 | Florida State University | 66 |
| 9 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 65 |
| 10 | Boston University | 64 |
| 11 | New York University | [62 |
| 12 | University of Pittsburgh | 62 |
| 13 | University of California, Los Angeles | 61 |
| 14 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 59 |
| 15 | University of California, Berkeley | 58 |
| 16 | University of Florida, Gainesville | 57 |
| 17 | Indiana University, Bloomington | 56 |
| 18 | Michigan State University | 55 |
| 19 | City University of New York, Queens College | 54 |
| 20 | Pennsylvania State University | 53 |
| 21 | University of Alabama | 50 |
| 22 | Temple University | 44 |
| 23 | Northwestern University | 42 |
| 24 | University of Kansas | [41 |
| 25 | Arizona State University | 41 |
|  | Number in ranked institutions | 1,585 |
|  | Number in all institutions | 8,552 |

Table III-3 continued.

Men (a)


Table III-3 continued.

Men (b)

| Rank | Social Sciences |  | Arts and Humanities |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of California Berkeley | 312 | Harvard University | 247 |
| 2 | Harvard University | 250 | Yale University | 196 |
| 3 | University of California, Los Angeles | 237 | University of Callfornia, Berkeley | 182 |
| 4 | City University of New York, City College | 234 | Stanford University | 162 |
| 5 | University of Michigan | 215 | University of California, Los Angeles | 160 |
| 6 | CUNY, Brooklyn College | 206 | University of Michigan | 140 |
| 7 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 183 | Princeton University | 138 |
| 8 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 162 | City University of New York, City College | 124 |
|  | Yale University | 160 | Fordham University | 124 |
| 10 | Stanford University | 158 | Columbia University | 121 |
| 11 | University of Texas, Austin | 148 | Oberlin College | 117 |
| 12 | Brigham Young University | 147 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 109 |
| 13 | Michigan State University | 143 | University of Texas, Austin | 104 |
| 14 | City University of New York, Queens | 134 | City University of New York, Brooklyn | 102 |
| 15 | Cornell University | 133 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 101 |
| 16 | University of Minnesota, Minneapol is | 131 | Dartmouth College | 91 |
| 17 | University of Washington | 126 | Notre Dame University | 90 |
| 18 | Rutgers University | 120 | University of Chicago | 89 |
| 19 | Ohio State University | 119 | University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill | 88 |
| 20 | Indiana University | 110 | Northwestern University | 87 |
| 21 | San Diego State University | 100 | Brigham Young University | 86 |
| 22 | San Francisco State University | 100 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 84 |
| 23 | New York University | 99 | Michigan State University | 83 |
| 24 | Princeton University | 98 | Boston College | 82 |
| 25 | University of Chicago | 97 | Columbia College, Columbia University | 77 |
|  | Number in ranked institutions Number in all institutions | $\begin{array}{r} 3,922 \\ 18,973 \end{array}$ |  | 2,984 13,977 |

Table III-3 continued.

Men (c)

| Rank | Education |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |
|  | Institution | Number |
| 1 | Brigham Young | 189 |
| 2 | Ohio State University | 170 |
| 3 | Michigan State University | 161 |
| 4 | Pennsylvania State University | [143 |
| 5 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 143 |
| 6 | University of Florida | 141 |
| 7 | Southern Illinois University | 138 |
| 8 | Wayne State University | 138 |
| 9 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 126 |
| 10 | Florida State University | 126 |
| 11 | Indiana State University | 125 |
| 12 | City University of New York, Brooklyn | 123 |
| 13 | Western Michigan University | 123 |
| 14 | University of Northern Iowa | 117 |
| 15 | University of Michigan | 116 |
| 16 | City University of New York, City College | 111 |
| 17 | University of Northern Colorado | 111 |
| 18 | University of California, Los Angeles | 109 |
| 19 | University of Utah | 107 |
| 20 | California State University, Long Beach | 105 |
| 21 | Ball State University | 103 |
| 22 | Boston University | 101 |
| 23 | California State University, Los Angeles | 101 |
| 24 | San Jose State University | 101 |
| 25 | Temple University | 100 |
|  | Number in ranked institutions Number in all institutions | $\begin{array}{r} 3,128 \\ 21,011 \end{array}$ |

III-4 Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates Who Obtained Doctorates by Field and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

Table III-4 lists the undergraduate institutions that ranked highest in number of graduates who obtained doctorates in the period 1973-1976 for each of the six racial/ ethnic groups by field. The same patterns that stood out in Table III-2 prevail when the data are further classified by field. Here, as in Table III-2, the ranks in the lists are subject to some error due to non-response to the racial/ethnic question.

There is a strong tendency for minority groups in each field to have graduated from undergraduate institutions in states where the population of minority groups is concentrated. For Blacks, for each field, over half of the undergraduate institutions are in the "01d South" and are institutions that have been historically predominantly Black institutions. This pattern is strongest in the field of education where only two predominantly White institutions appear. The largest numbers of predominantly White institutions are found on the lists for physical sciences and engineering and the social sciences.

Except for education, each list of undergraduate institutions for American Indian Ph.D.'s shows 11 or fewer institutions with 2 or more graduates who were awarded doctorates in 1973-1976. In these four lists about half of the institutions are from the states of Oklahoma, Arizona, California, New Mexico and North Carolina, states that are high in number of American Indians.

Well over half of the leading undergraduate institutions for Chicano Ph.D.'s, for all fields except physical sciences and engineering, are from the states of Texas, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico and California which have the largest proportions of the Chicano population.

For each field, there are at most five undergraduate institutions that graduated two or more Puerto Rican baccalaureates who later became Ph.D.'s during 1973-1976 and all the institutions are in Puerto Rico or New York.

The lists of undergraduate institutions for the Asian Ph.D.'s are very similar to those for the Whites, containing large numbers of institutions in the Research Universities I category. The lists for Asians all rank the University of Hawaii in the top six institutions and show more West Coast institutions than are shown in the lists for the Whites.

## Table III-4

Undergraduate Institutions having the Largest Numbers of Graduates Who Obtained Doctorates by Field and Racial/Ethnic Group, 1973-1976

Physical Sciences and Engineering (a)

| Rank | White <br> All Citizens |  | Black <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution N | Number |
| 1 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 564 | Howard University | 16 |
| 2 | University of California, Berkeley | 353 | Morehouse College | 11 |
| 3 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 295 | Morgan State College | 8 |
| 4 | University of Michigan | 274 | Purdue University | 7 |
| 5 | City University of New York, City College | 248 | Hampton Institute | 5 |
| 6 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 245 | North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University | 6 |
| 7 | Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute | 244 | Tennessee State University | 5 |
| 8 | Cornell University | 240 | Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University | 5 |
| 9 | Purdue University | 239 | Alcorn State University | 5 |
| 10 | University of California, Los Angeles | 213 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 4 |
| 11 | Pennsylvania State University | 207 | Cornell University | 4 |
| 12 | University of Texas, Austin | 202 | University of Kansas | 4 |
| 13 | Case Western Reserve University | 187 | Virginia Union University | 4 |
| 14 | Harvard University | 173 | Alabama State University | 4 |
| 15 | Georgia Institute of Technology | y 168 | Tuskegee Institute | 4 |
| 16 | Iowa State University | 157 | Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College | - 4 |
| 17 | Michigan State University | 156 | New York University | $[3$ |
| 18 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 156 | Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute | 3 |
| 19 | Carnegie-Mellon University | 154 | Princeton University | 3 |
| 20 | California Institute of Technology | 153 | Lincoln University, Pennsylvania | 3 |
| 21 | Rutgers University | 148 | University of Pittsburgh | 3 |
| 22 | University of Washington | 148 | Wayne State University | 3 |
| 23 | Rice University | 147 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 3 |
| 24 | Princeton University | 141 | Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical University | 3 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 25 \\ & 26 \end{aligned}$ | Stanford University | 132 | Texas Southern University California State University, Los Angeles | 3 |
| 27 |  |  | University of California, Los Angeles | 3 |

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

Table III-4 continued.
Physical Sciences and Engineering (b)


Table III-4 continued.
Physical Sciences and Engineering (c)

| Rank | Puerto Rican <br> All Citizens |  | Asian <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras | 14 | University of California, Berkeley | 75 |
| 2 | University of Puerto Rico, Mayaguez | 10 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 46 |
| 3 | City University of New York, City College | 2 | University of California, Los Angeles | 25 |
| 4 | (10 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 19 |
| 5 |  |  | University of Illinois, Urbana | 18 |
| 6 |  |  | University of Hawail Oregon State University | 17 |
| 8 |  |  | California Institute of Technology | 14 |
| 9 |  |  | Cornell University | 11 |
| 10 |  |  | University of Michigan | 11 |
| 11 |  |  | University of Minnesota | 11 |
| 12 |  |  | Polytechnic Institute of New York | 9 |
| 13 |  |  | Purdue University | 9 |
| 14 |  |  | University of California, Davis | 9 |
| 15 |  |  | Georgia Institute of Technology | 8 |
| 16 |  |  | University of Washington |  |
| 17 |  |  | University of Pennsylvania | 5 |
| 18 |  |  | Ohio State University | 6 |
| 19 |  |  | University of Kansas | 6 |
| 21 |  |  | North Carolina State University Utah State University | 6 |
| 22 |  |  | San Francisco State University | 6 |
| 23 |  |  | University of Oregon | 5 |
| 24 |  |  | University of Southern California | 5 |
| 25 |  |  | Columbia University | ${ }^{4}$ |
| 26 |  |  | Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute | 4 |
| 28 |  |  | Lehigh University | 4 |
| 29 |  |  | University of Missouri | 4 |
| 30 |  |  | Texas A \& M University | 4 |

Life Sciences (a)

| Rank | White <br> All Citizens |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Black } \\ \text { All Citizens } \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of California, Berkeley | 223 | Howard University | 20 |
| 2 | Cornell University | 214 | Tuskegee Institute | 19 |
| 3 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 201 | Morehouse College | 9 |
| 4 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 189 | Southern University | 9 |
| 5 | Pennsylvania State University | 174 | North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University | [7 7 |
| 7 | Michigan State University | 167 | Alcorn State University | 7 |
| 7 | University of California, Davis | 155 | Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical University | 7 |
| 8 | Purdue University | 149 | Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University | [6 |
| 9 | Ohio State University | 148 | University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff | 6 |
| 10 | University of Minnesota | 145 | Virginia State College | 5 |
| 11 | Iowa State University | 144 | Knoxville College |  |
| 12 | Rutgers University | [138 | Tennessee State University | 5 |
| 13 | University of Michigan | 138 | Xavier University of Louisiana | 5 |
| 14 | Colorado State University | 128 | Hampton Institute | 5 |
| 15 | Oklahoma State University | 116 | Central State University | 4 |
| 16 | University of California, Los Angeles | 113 | Morgan State College | 4 |
| 17 | University of Texas, Austin | 105 | North Carolina Central University | 4 |
| 18 | Texas A \& M University | 99 | Bethune-Cookman College | 4 |
| 19 | University of Florida | 98 | Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University | 4 |
| 20 | University of Missouri | [91 | Alabama State University | 4 |
| 21 | University of Washington | 91 | University of California, Davis | 4 |
| 22 | University of Nebraska | 89 | City University of New York, City College | 3 |
| 23 | City University of New York, City College | 84 | Purdue University | 3 |
| 24 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 83 | Michigan State University | 3 |
| 25 | Kansas State University | 83 | Norfolk State University | 3 |
| 27 |  |  | West Virginia State College Fisk University | 3 3 3 |
| 28 |  |  | Talladega College | 3 |
| 29 |  |  | Tougaloo College | 3 |
| 30 |  |  | Texas Southern University | 3 |
| 31 |  |  | San Francisco State University | 3 |

Table III-4 continued.

Life Sciences (b)

| Rank | American Indian <br> All Citizens |  | Chicano <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution N | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | Oklahoma State University | 5 | University of Florida | $[7$ |
| 2 | University of Missouri, Columbia | a ${ }^{2}$ | University of New Mexico | 7 |
| 3 | University of Maryland | 2 | University of Texas, Austin | 6 |
| 4 | Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University | 2 | University of Texas, El Paso | [3 |
| 5 | Henderson State University, Arkansas | 2 | New Mexico State University | 3 |
| 6 | Arizona State University | 2 | University of Arizona | 3 |
| 7 | University of California, Berkeley | 2 | San Jose State University | 3 |
| 8 | Stanford University | 2 | Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College | [2 |
| 10 | (47 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  | Southwest Texas State University <br> California Polytechnic University | y $\quad 2$ |
| 11 |  |  | San Diego State University University of California, | 2 |
| 13 |  |  | Los Angeles <br> (57 institutions with I Ph.D.) |  |

Table III-4 continued.

Life Sciences (c)

| Rank | Puerto Rican <br> All Citizens |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Asian } \\ \text { All Citizens } \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras | 14 | University of California, Berkeley | 38 |
| 2 | City University of New York, City College | 3 | University of Hawaii | 31 |
| 3 | University of Puerto Rico, Mayaguez | 2 | University of California, Los Angeles | 15 |
| 4 | (9 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  | University of California, Davis | 11 |
| 5 |  |  | University of Illinois, Urbana | 8 |
| 6 |  |  | Stanford University | 8 |
| 7 |  |  | Indiana University | ${ }^{6}$ |
| 8 |  |  | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 6 |
| 9 |  |  | University of Michigan | 5 |
| 10 |  |  | University of Washington | 5 |
| 11 |  |  | California State University, Fresno | 5 |
| 12 |  |  | Cornell University | [4 |
| 13 |  |  | University of Oregon | 4 |
| 14 |  |  | California State University, Long Beach | 4 |
| 15 |  |  | San Francisco State University | 4 |
| 16 |  |  | Mount Holyoke | 3 |
| 17 |  |  | City University of New York, Hunter College | 3 |
| 18 |  |  | Barnard College, Columbia University | 3 |
| 19 |  |  | State University of New York, Buffalo | 3 |
| 20 |  |  | North Carolina State University | 3 |
| 21 |  |  | University of Georgia | 3 |
| 22 |  |  | University of Utah | 3 |
| 23 |  |  | California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo | 3 |
| 24 |  |  | California State University, Los Angeles | 3 |
| 25 |  |  | San Jose State University | 3 |
| 26 |  |  | Loyola Marymount University | 3 |
| 27 |  |  | University of San Francisco | 3 |

Table III-4 continued.

Social Sciences (a)

| Rank | White <br> All Citizens |  | Black <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of California, Berkeley | 355 | Howard University | 24 |
| 2 | University of Michigan | 287 | California State University, Los Angeles | 4 |
| 3 | University of California, Los Angeles | 267 | Morehouse College | 2 |
| 4 | City University of New York, City College | 256 | University of Michigan | 11 |
| 5 | City University of New York, Brooklyn | 241 | North Carolina A\&T State Uni versity, Greensboro | 11 |
| 6 | Harvard University | 222 | Tuskegee Institute | 9 |
| 7 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 212 | University of California, Berkeley | 8 |
| 8 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 209 | Michigan State University, East Lansing | 7 |
| 9 | Stanford University | 195 | Morgan State College | 7 |
| 10 | Cornell University | 184 | Florida A\&M University |  |
| 11 | University of Minnesota, Minneapol is | 184 | Tennessee State University, Nashville | 7 |
| 12 | University of Texas, Austin | 175 | City University of New York, City College | 6 |
| 13 | City University of New York, Queens | 168 | Temple University | 6 |
| 14 | Michigan State University | 167 | Spelman College, Atlanta | 6 |
| 15 | Rutgers University | 148 | Fisk University, Nashville | 6 |
| 16 | University of Washington | 145 | Southern University, Baton Rouge | 6 |
| 17 | New York University | 140 | University of California, Los Angeles | 6 |
| 18 | Yale University | 138 | Boston University | 5 |
| 19 | Brigham Young University | 132 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 5 |
| 20 | Ohio State University | 129 | University of Pittsburgh | 5 |
| 21 | Indiana University | 129 | Central State University | 5 |
| 22 | University of Chicago | 128 | Ohio State University | 5 |
| 23 | University of Pennsylvania | 124 | University of Kansas | 5 |
| 24 25 | University of Maryland | 122 | Hampton Institute | 5 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 25 \\ & 26 \end{aligned}$ | University of Colorado | 122 | Clark College | 5 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 26 \\ & 27 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | Alabama State University San Francisco State University | y $\quad \begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 5\end{aligned}$ |

Table III-4 continued.

Social Sciences (b)


Table III-4 continued.

Social Sciences (c)

| Rank | Puerto Rican All Citizens |  | Asian <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution N | Number |
| 1 | University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras | 21 | University of Hawaii | 24 |
| 2 | City University of New York, City College | [2 | University of California, Berkeley | 12 |
| 3 | Inter-American University of Puerto Rico | 2 | University of California, Los Angeles | 9 |
| 4 | College of the Sacred Heart, Puerto Rico | 2 | California State University, Los Angeles | 8 |
| 5 | (23 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  | University of Illinois | 7 |
| 6 |  |  | Stanford University | 7 |
| 7 |  |  | University of Washington | 5 |
| 8 |  |  | University of Michigan | [3 |
| 9 |  |  | University of Oregon | 3 |
| 10 |  |  | San Diego State University | 3 |
| 11 |  |  | San Francisco State University | $y 3$ |
| 12 |  |  | San Jose State University | - 3 |
| 13 |  |  | Claremont Men's College | 3 |
| 14 |  |  | University of Santa Clara | 3 |
| 15 |  |  | University of Southern California | 3 |
| 16 |  |  | Williams College | 2 |
| 17 |  |  | Columbia University | 2 |
| 18 |  |  | Lafayette College | 2 |
| 19 |  |  | Indiana University | 2 |
| 20 |  |  | Wayne State University | 2 |
| 21 |  |  | George Washington University | 2 |
| 22 |  |  | West Virginia University | 2 |
| 23 |  |  | University of Georgia | 2 |
| 24 |  |  | George Peabody College for Teachers | 2 |
| 25 |  |  | University of Colorado | 2 |
| 26 |  |  | Brigham Young University | 2 |
| 27 |  |  | Lewis \& Clark College | 2 |
| 28 |  |  | California State University, Long Beach | 2 |
| 29 |  |  | University of California, Davis | 2 |
| $30$ |  |  | Occidental College | 2 |
| 31 |  |  | University of San Francisco | 2 |

Table III-4 continued.

Arts \& Humanities (a)

| Rank | White <br> All Citizens |  | Black <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution N | Number |
| 1 | University of California, Berkeley | 234 | Howard University | 22 |
| 2 | Stanford University | 214 | North Carolina Central University | 10 |
| 3 | University of Michigan | 206 | Xavier University of Louisiana | 9 |
| 4 | Harvard University | 198 | Morgan State College | [7 |
| 5 | University of California, Los Angeles | 188 | Morehouse College | 7 |
| 6 | Yale University | 177 | Spelman College | 7 |
| 7 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 142 | Hampton Institute | 6 |
| 8 | Oberlin College | 132 | Florida A\&M University | 6 |
| 9 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 132 | Central State University | 5 |
| 10 | City University of New York, Brooklyn | 128 | Michigan State University | 5 |
| 11 | Cornell University | 128 | University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff | $f$ |
| 12 | University of Texas, Austin | 127 | Southern University and A\&M College, Baton Rouge | 5 |
| 13 | Princeton University | 125 | Harvard University | 4 |
| 14 | City University of New York, City College | 122 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 4 |
| 15 | Fordham University | 119 | Columbia University | 4 |
| 16 | City University of New York, Queens | 116 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 4 |
| 17 | University of Chicago | 115 | Wayne State University | 4 |
| 18 | Columbia University | 114 | University of Kansas | 4 |
| 19 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 110 | Fisk University | 4 |
| 20 | Smith College | 108 | Alabama State University |  |
| 21 | Rutgers University | 108 | Talladega College | 4 |
| 22 | Wellesley College | 101 | Jackson State University | 4 |
| 23 | University of Rochester | 101 | Prairie View A\&M University | 4 |
| 24 | University of Pennsylvania | 101 | University of Pittsburgh | 3 |
| 25 | Duke University | 99 | University of Chicago | 3 |
| 26 |  |  | Roosevelt University | 3 |
| 27 |  |  | Benedictine College | 3 |
| 28 |  |  | Virginia Union College | 3 |
| 30 |  |  | Bennett College | 3 |
| 31 |  |  | North Carolina A\&T State University | y 3 |
| 32 |  |  | Paine College <br> Lane College | 3 |
| 33 |  |  | University of California, Berkeley | 3 |

Table III-4 continued.

Arts \& Humanities (b)

| Rank | American Indian All Citizens |  | Chicano All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution N | Number |
| 1 | University of Michigan | 4 | University of California, Los Angeles | 10 |
| 2 | East Texas State University | 3 | University of New Mexico | 9 |
| 3 | Pennsylvania State University, University Park | 2 | University of Texas, Austin | 8 |
| 4 | University of Chicago | 2 | University of Miami | [6 |
| 5 | Oklahoma City College | 2 | California State University, Los Angeles | 6 |
| 6 | Oklahoma State University | 2 | City University of New York, City College | 4 |
| 7 | University of Oklahoma | 2 | St. Louis University | 4 |
| 8 | Rice University | 2 | Florida State University | 4 |
| 9 | University of Wyoming | 2 | University of South Florida | 4 |
| 10 | California State University, Fresno | 2 | San Diego State University | 4 |
| 11 | Stanford University <br> ( 68 institutions with 1 Ph D.) | 2 | University of California, Berkeley | y 4 |
| 12 | (68 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  | University of Illinois, Urbana | $\left[\begin{array}{l}3 \\ 3\end{array}\right.$ |
| 13 14 |  |  | University of Florida | 3 |
| 14 15 |  |  | University of Texas, El Paso | 3 |
| 15 |  |  | California State University, Long Beach | 3 |
| 16 |  |  | University of Southern California | 3 |
| 17 |  |  | Columbia University | 2 |
| 18 |  |  | Indiana University | 2 |
| 19 |  |  | Mississippi State | 2 |
| 20 |  |  | University of New Orleans | 2 |
| 21 |  |  | Abilene Christian College | 2 |
| 22 |  |  | University of Houston | 2 |
| 23 |  |  | Howard Payne College | 2 |
| 24 25 |  |  | North Texas State University | 2 |
| 25 |  |  | Southwest Texas State University | 2 |
| 26 |  |  | University of Northern Colorado | 2 |
| 27 |  |  | University of Utah | 2 |
| 28 |  |  | San Jose State University | 2 |
| 29 |  |  | Immaculate Heart College | 2 |
| 30 |  |  | St. Mary's College of California | 2 |
| 31 |  |  | University of Santa Clara | 2 |
| 32 |  |  | Inter American University of Puerto Rico | 2 |

Table III-4 continued

Arts \& Humanities (c)

| Rank | Puerto Rican All Citizens |  | All Asian Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of Puerto Rico, | 6 | University of Hawaii | 11 |
| 2 | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | ${ }^{2}$ | University of California, Berkeley | 10 |
| 3 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 2 | University of Washington | 4 |
| 4 | (23 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  | University of Chicago | 3 |
| 5 |  |  | University of Michigan | 3 |
| 7 |  |  | Dartmouth College | ${ }^{2}$ |
| 8 |  |  | Harvard University | 2 |
| 9 |  |  | Brown University Oberlin College | 2 |
| 10 |  |  | Ohio State University | 2 |
| 11 |  |  | Depaul University | 2 |
| 12 |  |  | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 2 |
| 13 |  |  | St. Louis University | 2 |
| 14 |  |  | University of Northern Colorado | 2 |
| 15 |  |  | University of California, | 2 |
| 16 |  |  | University of Californi | 2 |
| 17 |  |  | Santa Cruz <br> ( 65 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) | 2 |

Table III-4 continued.

| Rank | White <br> All Citizens |  | Black <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | Ohio State University | 206 | Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University | 82 |
| 2 | University of Illinois, Urbana | 178 | Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College | 64 |
| 3 | University of Florida | 177 | Wayne State University | 53 |
| 4 | University of Michigan, Ann Arbor | 176 | Tennessee State University | 46 |
| $5$ | Brigham Young University | 176 | Tuskegee Institute | 43 |
| $6$ | City University of New York, Brooklyn College | 175 | Howard University | [42 |
| 7 | University of Wisconsin, Madison | 174 | Virginia State College | 42 |
| 8 | Michigan State University | 172 | Alabama State University | 42 |
| 9 | Florida State University | 167 | Hampton Institute | 37 |
| 10 | Pennsylvania State University | 166 | District of Columbia Teachers College | 30 |
| 11 | Indiana University, Bloomington | 153 | West Virginia State College | 30 |
| 12 | Wayne State University | 139 | Alcorn State University | [29 |
| 13 | University of Minnesota, Minneapolis | 138 | Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical University | 29 |
| 14 | Boston University | 133 | North Carolina Central University | 28 |
| 15 | University of California, Berkeley | 128 | Fisk University | 28 |
| 16 | University of Northern Iowa | 125 | Jackson State University | 28 |
| 17 | University of California, Los Angeles | 124 | South Carolina State College, Orangeburg | 27 |
| 18 | Southern Illinois University, Carbondale | 123 | Cheyney State College | 26 |
| 19 | Oklahoma State University | 123 | Lincoln University, Missouri | 25 |
| 20 | University of Texas, Austin | 122 | Morgan State University | [24 |
| 21 | Western Michigan University | 118 | North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University | 24 |
| 22 | New York University | [113 | Morehouse College | 24 |
| 23 | University of Utah, Salt Lake City | U13 | Central State University | [23 |
| 24 | Ball State University | 112 | Eureka College | 23 |
| 25 | University of Alabama, University | 112 | University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff | [22 |
| 26 |  |  | Grambling State University | 22 |

Table III-4 continued.

Education (b)

| Rank | American Indian All Citizens |  | Chicano <br> All Citizens |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | Oklahoma State University | 7 | Texas A \& I University | 15 |
| 2 | Northern Oklahoma State University | 5 | University of New Mexico | 11 |
| 3 | Southeastern Oklahoma State University | 5 | California State University, Los Angeles | 11 |
| 4 | Kansas State College | 4 | University of Texas, Austin | 10 |
| 5 | University of Minnesota | 3 | New Mexico Highlands University | 10 |
| 6 | Pembroke State University | 3 | University of Texas, El Paso | 9 |
| 7 | University of Florida | 3 | Pan American University | 8 |
| 8 | ```East Central Oklahoma State University``` | 3 | Adams State College, Colorado | 8 |
| 9 | University of Oklahoma | 3 | Arizona State University, Tempe | 8 |
| 10 | Oregon State University | 3 | San Jose State University | 8 |
| 11 | University of Rochester | 2 | University of California, Los Angeles | 8 |
| 12 | Indiana University | 2 | University of Northern Colorado | ${ }_{6}^{6}$ |
| 13 | Southeast Missouri State University | 2 | New Mexico State University | 6 |
| 14 | Black Hills State College | 2 | University of Arizona | 6 |
| 15 | Dakota Wesleyan University | 2 | University of Tampa | 5 |
| 16 | South Dakota State University | 2 | St. Mary's University | 5 |
| 17 | University of Kansas | 2 | San Diego State University | 5 |
| 18 | American University | 2 | Our Lady of the Lake University of San Antonio | 4 |
| 19 | University of Arkansas, Fayetteville | 2 | University of Southern Colorado | 4 |
| 20 | Oklahoma Panhandle State University | 2 | University of Albuquerque | 4 |
| 21 | Baylor University | 2 | Northern Arizona University | 4 |
| 22 | Sam Houston State University | 2 | California State University, Long Beach |  |
| 23 | University of Texas, Austin | $2^{2}$ | University of California, Santa Barbara | 4 |
| 24 | University of Northern Colorado | $2^{2}$ | University of Florida | 3 |
| 25 | Arizona State University, Tempe | 2 | Colorado State University | 3 |
| 26 | Western Michigan State College | 2 | California State University, Fresno | 3 |
| 27 | California State University, Long Beach | 2 | San Francisco State University | 3 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 28 \\ & 29 \end{aligned}$ | San Jose State University | 2 | Occidental College University of Southern California |  |

Table III-4 continued.

Education (c)

| Rank | Puerto Rican <br> All Citizens |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Asian } \\ & \text { All Citizens } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Institution | Number | Institution | Number |
| 1 | University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras | 32 | University of Hawail | 23 |
| 2 | Inter-American University of Puerto Rico | 3 | University of California, Los Angeles | 6 |
| 3 | City University of New York, City College | [2 | University of California, Berkeley | 5 |
| 4 | City University of New York, Hunter College | 2 | California State University, Los Angeles | 4 |
| 5 | College of the Sacred Heart, Puerto Rico | 2 | Southern Illinois University | 3 |
| 6 7 | ( 24 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  | Florida State University Oklahoma Baptist University | 3 3 3 |
| 8 |  |  | Boston University | ${ }^{2}$ |
| 9 |  |  | Radcliffe College | 2 |
| 10 |  |  | City University of New York, Brooklyn College |  |
| 11 |  |  | Ohio University, Athens | 2 |
| 12 |  |  | University of Illinois, Urbana | 2 |
| 13 |  |  | Macalester College | 2 |
| 14 |  |  | University of Iowa | 2 |
| 15 |  |  | University of Utah | 2 |
| 16 |  |  | University of Washington | 2 |
| 17 |  |  | San Diego State University | 2 |
| 18 |  |  | California State University, Northridge | 2 |
| 19 |  |  | San Jose State University | 2 |
| 20 |  |  | University of Southern California | 2 |
| 21 |  |  | (79 institutions with 1 Ph.D.) |  |

Table 11I-5
Distribution of Doctorate Recipients 1/, 1973-1976, by Carnegie Classification of Doctorate-Granting Institutions, Racial/Etnnic Group and Sex (Percent)

| Carnegie <br> Category of Institution | White | Black | American Indian | MEN Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other \& Unknown | Total | White | Black | $\begin{aligned} & \text { American } \\ & \text { Indian } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Chicano | Puerto Rican | Asian | Other : Unknown | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Research I Public Private | $35.9 \%$ 18.0 | 35.8\% 13.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 35.1 \% \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | $35.6 \%$ $13.2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31.6 \% \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $41.0 \%$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34.2 \% \\ & 25.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35.8 \% \\ & 18.6 \end{aligned}$ | 33.3\% 20.9 | 34.7\% 12.5 | 31.0\% 12.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 31.8 \% \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.8 \% \\ & 10.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49.0 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30.6 \% \\ & 29.0 \end{aligned}$ | $33.3 \%$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Research II } \\ & \text { Public } \\ & \text { Private } \end{aligned}$ | 17.6 4.5 | 20.2 5.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 23.5 \\ 2.5 \end{array}$ | 13.0 1.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 19.4 \\ 3.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.5 \\ 2.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15.9 \\ 4.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17.5 \\ 4.5 \end{array}$ | 15.0 5.9 | 20.6 5.9 | 22.1 3.5 | 14.5 1.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 15.9 \\ 3.2 \end{array}$ | 7.7 4.2 | 14.9 5.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 15.3 \\ 5.8 \end{array}$ |
| Doctoral I <br> Public <br> Private | $\begin{aligned} & 9.3 \\ & 5.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.5 \\ & 6.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.4 \\ 5.0 \end{array}$ | 20.2 4.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 7.7 \\ & 9.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.5 \\ & 3.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.6 \\ & 2.9 \end{aligned}$ | 9.3 4.9 | 8.0 5.2 | 6.5 | 8.8 | 12.7 6.4 | 4.8 6.3 | 5.6 4.9 | 6.7 2.7 | 7.8 5.1 |
| Doctoral II Public Private | 2.9 .9 | 3.5 .5 | 4.0 | 3.3 | 1.3 | .8 1.3 | 2.9 .6 | 2.9 .9 | 3.4 1.0 | 3.7 .3 | 8.0 .9 | 6.4 | 1.6 3.2 | 1.4 | 3.0 .5 | 3.4 .9 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Comprehensive } \\ & \text { I \& II } \\ & \text { Public } \\ & \text { Private } \end{aligned}$ | 1.0 .7 | $.9$ | 1.0 .5 | $\begin{array}{r} .6 \\ 1.0 \end{array}$ | - 4 | . 3 | 1.0 .5 | 1.0 .7 | 1.3 .8 | 1.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.8 \\ & 1.8 \end{aligned}$ | . 9 | 1.6 | - | . 9 | 1.2 .8 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Liberal Arts } \\ & \text { I \& II } \\ & \text { Public } \\ & \text { Private } \end{aligned}$ | . 1 | . 2 | - | .4 | - | . 3 | . 1 | . 1 | . 16 | .1 | - | - | - | 1.4 | . 7 | . 15 |
| Other Public Private | 1.3 2.6 | .5 5.3 | 1.2 2.2 | 4.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 5.2 \\ & 3.9 \end{aligned}$ | 2.3 | 1.0 2.1 | 1.3 2.6 | 1.7 2.7 | .6 5.9 | 1.8 .9 | .9 7.3 | 6.3 14.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.4 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ | 1.8 3.4 | 1.7 |
| Not Rated | 42 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 3 | 46 | 9 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 9 |
| Total | 69,708 | 2,253 | 404 | 514 | 155 | 400 | 7.882 | 81,316 | 19,482 | 1,177 | 113 | 110 | 63 | 143 | 1.759 | 22,847 |

1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

# III-5 Distribution of Doctorate Recipients, 1973-1976, by Carnegie Classification of Doctorate-Granting Institutions, Racial/Ethnic Group and Sex Racial/Ethnic Group Differences 

Of the U.S. native-born Ph.D.'s, over two-thirds of the Asians received degrees at Research Universities I (the most research-oriented universities). For both sexes and for both public and private Research Universities, Asians showed the highest proportions of any racial/ethnic group. The proportion of doctorates received by Blacks from Research Universities I is smaller than that for all Ph.D.'s, but they received a larger proportion from Research Universities II (the moderately research-oriented universities) than the entire group of Ph.D.'s. American Indians, Chicanos and Puerto Ricans, both male and female, received smaller proportions of doctorates from Research I institutions than the total population of Ph.D.'s. American Indians received a higher proportion of Ph.D.'s from public Research Universities II than the total group of Ph.D.'s. Chicanos show a higher proportion of Ph.D.'s awarded by public Doctoral I institutions. Private institutions in the "Other" category show high proportions of Blacks and Puerto Ricans of both sexes and of Chicano men relative to the population proportion.

## Sex Differences

In 1973-1976 the same proportion of men and of women Ph.D.'s, $54.4 \%$, received their degrees from Research Universities I. The differences between the proportions of men and of women receiving doctorates at institutions in various Carnegie categories are quite small. A higher proportion of men received the doctorate at public Research I and II and Doctoral I institutions (62.6\%) than the proportion of women (56.4\%). On the other hand, $32.0 \%$ of the women received the doctorate from private Research Universities I and II and Doctoral I institutions compared with $28.0 \%$ of the men. It is interesting to note that $21.1 \%$ of the women, compared with $18.6 \%$ of the men, received the Ph.D. from Private Research I institutions even though this list of 22 institutions includes two predominantly male institutions (California Institute of Technology and Massachusetts Institute of Technology) that place heavy emphasis on science, and Harvard, Princeton and Yale that formerly were all-male universities.

Table III-6
Distribution of Doctorate Recipients by Year Institution First Granted Ph.D. for Total, Women and Racial/Ethnic Groups, 1973-1976 Combined


1/ Native-born U.S. citizens only
2/ HI , horizontal percentage, gives women as \% of all Ph.D.'s
3/ H2, horizontal percentage, gives racial/ethnic group as \% of all PhD.'s.
4/ V, vertical percentage, gives number of Ph.D.'s for each institutional category as percentage of all Ph.D.'s for each column.

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council,

# III-6 Distribution of Doctorate Recipients by Year Institution First Granted Ph.D. for Total, Women and Racial/Ethnic Groups, 1973-1976 Combined 

Women
During the four years $1973-1976,20.7 \%$ of the doctorates were awarded to women. Of the total doctorates granted, $44.2 \%$ were awarded by institutions that first granted Ph.D.'s before 1920. These institutions awarded 21.9\% of their Ph.D.'s to women, a higher proportion than that for the institutions that have been granting Ph.D.'s for a shorter period.

## Racial/Ethnic Group Differences

Of the U.S. native-born Ph.D. recipients from 1973-1976, $94.4 \%$ were White. The institutions that granted Ph.D.'s before 1920 awarded a slightly larger proportion of their Ph.D.'s, $94.8 \%$, to Whites and the institutions that have been granting Ph.D.'s for a shorter period awarded a slightly lower proportion, $94.0 \%$, of their Ph.D.'s to Whites. The four groups of institutions, grouped by year first granted Ph.D., all awarded essentially the same proportion of doctorates to Blacks: 3.6\%. Only 0.5\% of the Ph.D.'s were awarded to American Indians. The institutions that first granted Ph.D.'s between 1930 and 1976 granted the highest proportion, $0.7 \%$ of their Ph.D.'s, to American Indians. Chicanos received $0.7 \%$ of the Ph.D.'s. The institutions that awarded Ph.D.'s prior to 1920 granted only $0.3 \%$ of their degrees to Chicanos compared with the $1.1 \%$ awarded to Chicanos by the institutions that first granted Ph.D.'s in 1930-1949. This same group of institutions also granted the highest proportion of Ph.D.'s to U. S. native-born Asians: 0.8\%.

Table III-7
Distribution of 140 Doctorate-Granting Institutions Relative to Percent of Female Faculty in the Institutions and Percent of Female Ph.D.'s in all Doctorate-Granting Institutions, 1976


Source: American Association of University Professors.

Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

## III-7 Distribution of 140 Doctorate-Granting Institutions Relative to Percent of Female Faculty in the Institutions and Percent of Female Ph.D.'s in all Doctorate-Granting Institutions, 1976

It has been hypothesized that the lack of role models is one reason women are not high attainers in various fields (Mitchell and Starr, 1971, pp. 30-33; Rossi, 1970, p. 2). Women faculty members of professorial rank could be construed as role models for women graduate students. Avallable data on women faculty members as a proportion of total faculty members for an institution and the proportion of women Ph.D.'s granted by the institution were analyzed.

Data have been published (American Association of University Professors, 1976) on the number of faculty members by sex for some of the higher education institutions in 1975-1976. This source provides data for 156 of the approximately 300 doctorate-granting institutions. From these data the ratio of women faculty of professorial rank to total faculty of professorial rank was computed for each institution. Since ratios of this type fluctuate widely from year to year for institutions awarding small numbers of doctorates, the following analysis uses data only for the 140 institutions with 10 or more doctorate recipients in 1976. In this group of 140 institutions, $14.0 \%$ of the faculty of professorial rank were women. These institutions awarded 23.4\% of their 1976 doctorates to women compared with 23.3\% for all doctorate-granting institutions. The faculty data on institutions were correlated with data on the percentage of women Ph.D.'s for each of these institutions in 1976 giving a correlation coefficient, $r=0.665$

Table III-7 shows how the 140 institutions are distributed among the four groups defined by those High or Low relative to the $14 \%$ female faculty in these institutions and to the $23.3 \%$ of doctorates granted to women by all doctorate-granting institutions. In each of the four quadrants of the table corresponding to a group, the most extreme institutions in the group are shown with data for these institutions. Two of the three extreme institutions in the Low-Low group are institutes of technology that specialize in fields not frequently selected by women. In the High-High group, the two extreme institutions have historically been primarily women's institutions. The other two quadrants show fewer institutions and with a

## Table III-7: Analysis I <br> Carnegie Classification of Four Groups of Institutions

| Carnegie Category | Female Faculty: <br> Female Ph.O.'s: | Vertical \% of Institutions in Group |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | High | High | Low | Low |
|  |  | High | Low | High | Low |
| Research Universities I |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public |  | 7.7\% | 13.8\% | 21.4\% | 18.2\% |
| Private |  | 5.1 | - | 21.4 | 15.9 |
| Research Universities II |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public |  | 10.2 | 6.9 | 21.4 | 18.2 |
| Private |  | 2.6 | 3.5 | 14.3 | 9.1 |
| Doctoral-Granting Universities I |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public |  | 15.4 | 31.0 | 7.1 | 20.4 |
| Private |  | 20.5 | 3.5 | - | 6.8 |
| Doctoral-Granting Universities II |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public |  | 12.8 | 13.8 | 3.6 | 2.3 |
| Private |  | 10.2 | 6.9 | - | 4.5 |
| Comprehensive Universities and |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public |  | 7.7 | 13.8 | 7.1 | 2.3 |
| Private |  | - | 3.5 | 3.6 | - |
| Comprehensive Universities and Colleges II |  |  |  |  |  |
| Private |  | 2.6 | - | - | - |
| Liberal Arts Colleges I |  |  |  |  |  |
| Private |  | 2.6 | - | - | 2.3 |
| Teachers Colleges |  | 2.6 | - | - | - |
| Not rated |  | - | 3.5 | - | - |
| Total Number in Group |  | 39 | 29 | 28 | 44 |

few exceptions they tend to cluster nearer the dividing lines for the groups than do the institutions in the High-High and Low-Low categories.

Table III-7: Analysis I illustrates the differences among the distributions of the four groups of institutions by Carnegie categories. Only $25.7 \%$ of the institutions in the High-High group are Research Universities I or II compared with $78.5 \%$ of those in the Low-High group and $61.4 \%$ of those in the Low-Low group. Over half, $59.0 \%$, of the High-High institutions fall in the category DoctoralGranting Universities I or II. The High-Low group has the highest proportion in the public Comprehensive University I category - 13.8\%. The 39 institutions in the High-High group are listed in Table III-7: Analysis II. Since this analysis is based on only 140 of the approximately 300 doctorate-granting institutions, there are undoubtedly additional institutions that were non-respondents in the AAUP survey that would fall in the High-High group as defined in this section.

Further exploration of the correlations between number (rather than percentage) of women faculty of professorial rank and number of women Ph.D.'s using data for all doctorate-granting institutions would increase the understanding of this relationship. It is obvious that there are other variables, such as the fields in which degrees are awarded, associated with the presence of women faculty that affect the number of doctorates awarded to women.

Institutions with a High Percentage of Female Faculty and a High Percentage of Female Ph.D.'s in 1976

|  | Female | Female |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Faculty | Ph.D.'s |
|  |  |  |
| Texas Woman's University | $60.6 \%$ | $97.1 \%$ |
| Bryn Mawr College | 37.0 | 76.8 |
| Teachers College, Columbia University | 25.6 | 52.2 |
| Memphis State University | 18.5 | 45.2 |
| University of North Carolina - Greensboro | 33.2 | 43.5 |
| Adelphi University | 35.3 | 40.0 |
| Fordham University | 20.1 | 39.9 |
| Georgetown University | 17.1 | 38.2 |
| Ball State University | 23.3 | 36.8 |
| Loyola University | 24.1 | 35.9 |
| Catholic University of America | 24.8 | 34.8 |
| New York University | 16.7 | 34.5 |
| George Peabody College for Teachers | 23.6 | 33.3 |
| Middle Tennessee State University | 16.3 | 33.3 |
| Marquette University | 15.9 | 31.9 |
| Wayne State University | 23.5 | 31.0 |
| University of Houston | 14.5 | 30.6 |
| University of South Carolina | 14.2 | 29.5 |
| Texas Christian University | 28.7 | 29.4 |
| University of Denver | 15.0 | 29.4 |
| Howard University | 23.3 | 29.3 |
| Case Western Reserve University | 19.5 | 29.1 |
| Florida State University | 19.0 | 29.0 |
| Rutgers, The State University | 22.6 | 28.9 |
| Temple University | 22.1 | 28.5 |
| Boston College | 14.7 | 27.8 |
| Kent State University | 20.2 | 27.6 |
| University of Southwestern Louisiana | 20.7 | 27.3 |
| University of Massachusetts - Amherst | 14.4 | 27.2 |
| Georgia State University | 18.0 | 27.1 |
| University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee | 18.8 | 27.1 |
| Northern Illinois University | 17.6 | 26.5 |
| University of North Dakota | 16.4 | 26.0 |
| University of Maryland | 15.6 | 25.9 |
| University of Delaware | 17.3 | 25.4 |
| University of Nevada - Reno | 14.9 | 25.0 |
| U.S International University | 18.6 | 23.7 |
| University of the Pacific | 16.5 | 23.5 |
| University of North Carolina - Chapel | Hill | 23.3 |
|  |  |  |

## III-8 Institutions that Ranked Above Average in Proportion of Doctorates Granted to Women, 1973-1976

In the four-year period 1973-1976, 132,673 doctorates were granted by United States universities and of these 27,412 or $20.7 \%$ were granted to women (Table III-6). The 99 institutions that were above average in the proportion of doctorates granted to women are listed in Table III-8.

Texas Woman's University, at the top of the list, awarding $98.7 \%$ of its doctorates to women in the period 1973-76, was established as a single-sex institution with enrollment limited to women. This policy was modified in 1972 when Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 prohibited sex discrimination in the admission of students to institutions of higher education receiving federal financial assistance. Bryn Mawr College was also historically a woman's college but admitted men long before 1972.

The list of institutions in Table III-8 contains six of the twelve universities that awarded the largest number of doctorates in the 1973-76 period: the University of Michigan, Ohio State University, Indiana University, Harvard University, New York University and the University of California at Los Angeles. Missing from the list are the three universities awarding the largest number of doctorates: the University of California at Berkeley, University of Wisconsin and University of Illinois at Urbana. Also missing are Michigan State University, University of Minnesota and Stanford University.

A tabulation of the institutions that are above and below average in proportion of doctorates granted to women classified by Carnegie categories (Carnegie Commission on Higher Education, 1973a) as Research Universities I (the most research-oriented universities) and Research Universities II (the moderately research-oriented universities) is shown in Table III-8: Analysis I.

| Status of Research Universities <br> with Respect to Proportion of Ph.D.'s Awarded to Women |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Carnegie Category | Proportion of Ph.D.'s Awarded to Homen |  | Total |
|  | Above Average Institutions | Below Average Institutions |  |
| Research Universities I Public | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ (33 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 20 \\ (67 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 30 |
| Private | $\begin{gathered} 15 \\ (68.2 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\stackrel{7}{(31.8 \%)}$ | $\frac{22}{52}$ |
| Research Universities II Public |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{gathered} 11 \\ (41 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & (59 \%) \end{aligned}$ | 27 |
| Private | $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ (62 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ (38 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\frac{13}{40}$ |

Clearly, two thirds of the private research universities but just over one-third of the public research universities are above average in the proportion of doctorates awarded to women.

Table III-8
Institutions $1 /$ that Were Above Average in Proportion of Doctorates Granted to Women, 1973-1976

| Rank | Institution | Women Doctorates | Total Doctorates | Percent Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Texas Woman's University | 148 | 150 | 98.7\% |
| 2 | Bryn Mawr College | 117 | 170 | 68.8 |
| 3 | Atlanta University | 21 | 40 | 52.5 |
| 4 | University of North Carolina, Greensboro | 74 | 141 | 52.5 |
| 5 | Cornell University, Medical College | 29 | 60 | 48.3 |
| 6 | Teachers College, Columbia University | 400 | 903 | 44.3 |
| 7 | University of California, San Francisco | 64 | 155 | 41.3 |
| 8 | Florida Atlantic University | 20 | 49 | 40.8 |
| 9 | City University of New York | 277 | 709 | 39.1 |
| 10 | Adelphi University | 49 | 128 | 38.3 |
| 11 | Hofstra University | 60 | 162 | 37.0 |
| 12 | Boston University | 366 | 1,003 | 36.5 |
| 13 | University of Missouri, Kansas City | 50 | 137 | 36.5 |
| 14 | University of Texas Health Science Center, Dallas | 15 | 43 | 34.9 |
| 15 | Fordham University | 225 | 650 | 34.6 |
| 16 | Georgia State University | 99 | 290 | 34.1 |
| 17 | Columbia University | 683 | 2,012 | 33.9 |
| 18 | Baylor College of Medicine | 15 | 46 | 32.6 |
| 19 | Boston College | 100 | 312 | 32.1 |
| 20 | Brandeis University | 135 | 422 | 32.0 |
| 21 | Middle Tennessee State University | 14 | 44 | 31.8 |
| 22 | Yeshiva University | 68 | 215 | 31.6 |
| 23 | Tufts University | 67 | 213 | 31.5 |
| 24 | New York University | 707 | 2,322 | 30.4 |
| 25 | Loyola University, Chicago | 90 | 299 | 30.1 |
| 26 | Memphis State University | 36 | 120 | 30.0 |
| 27 | University of Illinois College of Medicine | 46 | 155 | 29.7 |
| 28 | Emory University | 97 | 329 | [29.5 |
| 29 | George Peabody College | 93 | 315 | 29.5 |
| 30 | Georgetown University | 91 | 310 | 29.4 |
| 31 | Catholic University of America | 197 | 690 | 28.6 |
| 32 | University of Miami, Florida | 109 | 395 | 27.6 |
| 33 | University of Alabama | 152 | 552 | 27.5 |
| 34 | University of Pittsburgh | 445 | 1,633 | 27.3 |
| 35 | U.S. International University | 147 | , 556 | 26.4 |
| 36 | Tulane University | 108 | 423 | 25.5 |
| 37 | Temple University | 213 | 839 | 25.4 |
| 38 | University of Maryland | 368 | 1,448 | 25.4 |
| 39 | University of Texas, Houston | 31 | . 122 | 25.4 |
| 40 | Case Western Reserve University | 224 | 893 | 25.1 |
| 41 | Marquette University | 45 | 179 | 25.1 |
| 42 | Rutgers University | 315 | 1,256 | 25.1 |
| 43 | Howard University | 38 | 152 | [25.0 |
| 44 | New School for Social Research | 46 | 184 | 25.0 |
| 45 | Virginia Commonwealth University | 16 | 64 | 25.0 |

I/ Limited to institutions that awarded 40 or more doctorates during the period 1973-1976.

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

Table III-8 continued.

| Rank | Institution | Women Doctorates | Total Doctorates | Percent Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 46 | Ball State University | 64 | 257 | 24.9\% |
| 47 | University of Toledo | 48 | 193 | 24.9 |
| 48 | Harvard University | 581 | 2,350 | 24.7 |
| 49 | Florida State University | 346 | 1,407 | 24.6 |
| 50 | Nova University | 183 | 746 | 24.5 |
| 51 | University of Houston | 134 | 547 | 24.5 |
| 52 | Brown University | 145 | 594 | 24.4 |
| 53 | University of California, Irvine | 77 | 315 | 24.4 |
| 54 | Wayne State University | 221 | 907 | 24.4 |
| 55 | Northwestern University | 365 | 1,503 | 24.3 |
| 56 | University of Tulsa | 27 | 111 | 24.3 |
| 57 | Idaho State University | 16 | 66 | 24.2 |
| 58 | University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill | 310 | 1,280 | 24.2 |
| 59 | University of Pennsylvania | 389 | 1,606 | 24.2 |
| 60 | Duquesne University | 14 | 58 | 24.1 |
| 61 | University of New Mexico | 134 | 560 | 23.9 |
| 62 | University of South Florida | 16 | 67 | 23.9 |
| 63 | Yale University | 333 | 1,391 | 23.9 |
| 64 | St. Louis University | 133 | 558 | [23.8 |
| 65 | University of South Carolina | 100 | 421 | 23.8 |
| 66 | George Washington University | 147 | 621 | 23.7 |
| 67 | University of California, Los Angeles | 493 | 2,122 | 23.2 |
| 68 | University of Texas, Austin | 431 | 1,872 | 23.0 |
| 69 | North Texas State University | 101 | 441 | 22.9 |
| 70 | University of Michigan | 659 | 2,894 | 22.8 |
| 71 | University of Colorado | 258 | 1,138 | 22.7 |
| 72 | Auburn University | 76 | 335 | 22.7 |
| 73 | Indiana State University | 17 | 75 | 22.7 |
| 74 | University of Denver | 84 | 371 | 22.6 |
| 75 | University of Indiana, Bloomington | 536 | 2,370 | 22.6 |
| 76 | Northern Illinois University | 79 | . 351 | [22.5 |
| 77 | University of Massachusetts | 300 | 1,336 | 22.5 |
| 78 | University of Kansas | 243 | 1,083 | 22.4 |
| 79 | Yeshiva University, Einstein School of Medicine | 11 | 49 | 22.4 |
| 80 | East Texas State University | 53 | 238 | 22.3 |
| 81 | Kent State University | 105 | 471 | 22.3 |
| 82 | University of Alabama, Birmingham | 14 | 63 | $[22.2$ |
| 83 | Wesleyan University, Connecticut | 14 | 63 | 122.2 |
| 84 | University of Southern California | 427 | 1,934 | [22.1 |
| 85 | Washington University | 136 | 615 | 22.1 |
| 86 | Johns Hopkins University | 206 | 945 | 21.8 |
| 87 | Duke University | 182 | 837 | 21.7 |
| 88 | University of Cincinnati | 150 | 694 | [21.6 |
| 89 | SUNY, Binghampton | 36 | 167 | 21.6 |
| 90 | University of Rochester | 163 | 759 | 21.5 |
| 91 | University of Oregon | 240 | 1,122 | [21.4 |
| 92 | University of Tennessee, Knoxville | 223 | 1,042 | 21.4 |

Table III-8 continued.

| Rank | Institution | Women Doctorates | Total Doctorates | Percent Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 93 | American University | 94 | 446 | 21.1 |
| 94 | Arizona State University | 153 | 727 | 21.0 |
| 95 | Illinois State University, Normal | 17 | 81 | 21.0 |
| 96 | University of Chicago | 377 | 1,798 | 21.0 |
| 97 | Ohio State University | 556 | 2,675 | 20.8 |
| 98 | Texas Christian University | 22 | 106 | 20.8 |
| 99 | University of Connecticut | 162 | 778 | 20.8 |

Table III-9
Institutions 1/ that Granted the Highest Proportions of Doctorates to Women by Field, 1973-1976

Physical Sciences and Engineering

| Rank | Institution | Women Doctorates | Total Doctorates | Percent Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Wesleyan University, Connecticut | 6 | 24 | 25.0 |
| 2 | Boston College | 8 | 33 | 24.2 |
| 3 | Temple University | 15 | 68 | 22.1 |
| 4 | Clark University | 4 | 20 | 20.0 |
| 5 | Villanova University | 4 | 21 | 19.0 |
| 6 | Fordham University | 8 | 44 | 18.2 |
| 7 | Boston University | 13 | 75 | 17.3 |
| 8 | Emory University | 8 | 49 | 16.3 |
| 9 | American University | 9 | 57 | 15.8 |
| 10 | Howard University | 5 | 32 | 15.6 |
| 11 | Texas Christian University | 4 | 26 | 15.4 |
| 12 | Baylor University | 3 | 20 | [15.0 |
| 13 | Tufts University | 6 | 40 | 15.0 |
| 14 | Yeshiva University | 5 | 34 | 14.7 |
| 15 | Northeastern University | 11 | 77 | 14.3 |
| 16 | University of Missouri, Kansas City | 3 | 22 | 13.6 |
| 17 | Brandeis University | 12 | 79 | 13.2 |
| 18 | Georgetown University | 5 | 38 | 13.2 |
| 19 | Kent State University | 6 | 46 | 13.0 |
| 20 | University of California, San Francisco | 4 | 31 | 12.9 |
| 21 | Duke University | 21 | 164 | 12.8 |
| 22 | City University of New York | 16 | 134 | 11.9 |
| 23 | University of Miami, Florida | 6 | 58 | 10.3 |
| 24 | University of California, Riverside | 11 | 108 | 10.2 |
| 25 | University of Illinois, Chicaqo Circle | 10 | 100 | 10.0 |
| 26 | William \& Mary College | 3 | 30 | 10.0 |

1/ Limited to institutions that awarded 20 or more doctorates during the period 1973-1976.

Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council.

111-9 Institutions that Granted the Highest Proportions of Doctorates to Women by Field, 1973-1976

The list on page 136 shows the 25 institutions that awarded 20 or more doctorates in the physical sciences and engineering in the period 1973-1976 and that ranked highest in the percentage of doctorates in the physical sciences and engineering granted to women. Similar tables for other fields are given on pp. 139-142. There is a marked difference among fields in the range for the proportion of women Ph.D.'s for the institutions in these lists:

Field | Range for | Range with Top |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Top 25 | Institution Deleted |

| Physical Science and Engineering | $10.0 \%-25.0 \%$ | $10.0 \%-24.2 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Life Sciences | $30.4 \%-100.0 \%$ | $30.4 \%-65.9 \%$ |
| Social Sciences | $31.2 \%-68.0 \%$ | $31.2 \%-47.4 \%$ |
| Arts and Humanities | $38.5 \%-70.7 \%$ | $38.5 \%-59.6 \%$ |
| Education | $37.5 \%-97.4 \%$ | $37.5 \%-57.7 \%$ |

Since the institution that ranked first on four of the five lists is historically a women's college or university, the upper bound of the range excluding the top institution is also shown. The proportion of Ph.D.'s awarded to women is much lower for the field of physical sciences and engineering than for the other fields.

Many of the major research universities are missing from these lists. A count has been made of Research Universities I (the most research-oriented universities) and Research Universities II (the moderately research-oriented universities) appearing on these five lists. (These two categories of the Carnegie classification of doctorate-granting universities are defined on p. 87.) As can be seen from Table III-9: Analysis I below, the proportion of the 57 Public Research Universities I and II on the lists is very low - the largest number in any of the fields being 4.

## Table III-9: Analysis I

Number of Research Universities Included in the Table III-9 Lists

| Field | Research Universities I Research Universities II |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Public $n=30$ | Private $n=22$ | Public $n=27$ | Private $n=13$ | Total |
| Physical Sciences and Engineering | 0 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 9 |
| Life Sciences | 2 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 13 |
| Social Sciences | 1 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 12 |
| Arts and Humanities | 2 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 14 |
| Education | 4 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 11 |

Of the 81 institutions shown in the five lists in Table III-9, 54 are above average in the proportion of total Ph.D.'s granted to women and are included in Table III-8. Two of the institutions appear on the lists for four fields and 11 institutions are listed for three fields. These institutions, most of which are in northeastern cities, are shown in Table III-9: Analysis II.

Table III-9: Analysis II
Rank in Field Where Listed

| Institution | Freq. of Listing | Phys. Sci \& Eng. | Life Sci. | Soc. Sci. | Arts and Hum. | Edu. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Rank } \\ & \text { in \& Women } \\ & \text { Ph.D.'s } \end{aligned}$ | Carnegie Classification |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Boston University | 4 | 7 | 15 | 3 |  | 13 | 12 | Research U-II |
| City U of New York | 4 |  | 10 | 8 |  |  | 9 |  |
| Brandeīs University | $3-$ | -17 |  | 6 | $20^{-}$ |  | - 20 | Research U-II ${ }^{-}$ |
| Case Western Reserve U. | 3 |  |  | 9 | 10 | 3 | 40 | Research U-I |
| Columbia University | 3 |  | 3 | 5 | 19 |  | 17 | Research U-I |
| Fordhan University | 3 | 6 |  | 12 |  | 9 | 15 | Doctoral Granting U-I |
| George Washington U. | 3 |  | 7 | 22 | 6 |  | 66 | Research U-II |
| Howard University | 3 | 10 | 13 |  | 9 |  | 43 | Doctoral Granting U-I |
| Northwestern University | 3 |  | 11 | 25 |  | 22 | 55 | Research U-I |
| Tufts University | 3 | 13 | 9 |  | 2 |  | 23 | Research U-II |
| U. of Calif., Irvine | 3 |  | 22 | 23 | 12 |  | 53 | Doctoral <br> Granting U-I |
| University of Maryland | 3 |  |  | 24 | 22 | 18 | 38 | Research U-I |
| U. of Midmi, Florida | 3 | 23 |  |  | 21 | 15 | 32 | Research U-I |

Table III-9 Continued

Life Sciences

| Rank | Institution Wo | Women Doctorates | Total Doctorates | Percent Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Texas Woman's University | 27 | 27 | 100.0 |
| 2 | Catholic University of America | 29 | 44 | 65.9 |
| 3 | Columbia University | 63 | 124 | 50.8 |
| 4 | University of California, San Francisco | 51 | 103 | 49.5 |
| 5 | Cornell University, Medical College | 29 | 60 | 48.3 |
| 6 | New York University | 107 | 239 | 44.8 |
| 7 | George Washington University | 29 | 66 | 43.9 |
| 8 | Georgetown University | 26 | 64 | 40.6 |
| 9 | Tufts University | 14 | 35 | 40.0 |
| 10 | City University of New York | 44 | 111 | 39.6 |
| 11 | Northwestern University | 39 | 101 | 38.6 |
| 12 | University of Pittsburgh | 63 | 170 | 37.1 |
| 13 | Howard University | 16 | 44 | 36.4 |
| 14 | State University of New York, Albany | 9 | 26 | 34.6 |
| 15 | Boston University | 26 | 105 | 34.3 |
| 16 | Rice University | 7 | 21 | [33.3 |
| 17 | University of Texas Health Center, Dallas | 9 | 27 | 33.3 |
| 18 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 44 | 134 | 32.8 |
| 19 | Baylor College of Medicine | 15 | 46 | 32.6 |
| 20 | Washington University, Missouri | 28 | 87 | 32.2 |
| 21 | Louisiana State University School of Medicine | 9 | 29 | 31.0 |
| 22 | University of California, Irvine | 25 | 81 | 30.9 |
| 23 | University of South Carolina | 8 | 26 | 30.8 |
| 24 | University of Colorado | 38 | 124 | 30.6 |
| 25 | University of Louisville | 7 | 23 | 30.4 |

Table III-9 Continued

Social Sciences

| Rank | Institution Wo | Women Doctorates | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Tota1 } \\ & \text { Doctorates } \end{aligned}$ | Percent Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Bryn Mawr College | 34 | 50 | 68.0 |
| 2 | Adelphi University | 46 | 97 | 47.4 |
| 3 | Boston University | 76 | 171 | 44.4 |
| 4 | Yeshiva University | 45 | 102 | 44.1 |
| 5 | Columbia University | 249 | 592 | 42.1 |
| 6 | Brandeis University | 38 | 91 | 41.8 |
| 7 | Georgia State University | 29 | 70 | 41.4 |
| 8 | City University of New York | 88 | 214 | 41.1 |
|  | Case Western Reserve University | 61 | 150 | 40.7 |
| 10 | Emory University | 30 | 75 | 40.0 |
| 11 | University of Illinois, Chicago Circle | 12 | 31 | 38.7 |
| 12 | Fordham University | 60 | 157 | 38.2 |
| 13 | University of North Carolina, Greensboro | - 10 | 27 | 37.0 |
| 14 | St. Louis University | 36 | 102 | 35.3 |
| 15 | Boston College | 30 | 88 | 34.1 |
| 16 | Long Island University, Brooklyn Center | 10 | 30 | 33.3 |
| 17 | University of Alabama | 17 | 52 | 32.7 |
| 18 | Catholic University of America | 40 | 123 | [32.5 |
| 19 | George Peabody University | 27 | 83 | 32.5 |
| 20 | Loyola University, Chicago | 24 | 74 | 32.4 |
| 21 | Wayne State University | 55 | 172 | 32.0 |
| 22 | George Washington University | 40 | 126 | 31.7 |
| 23 | University of California, Irvine | 24 | 76 | ${ }^{31.6}$ |
| 24 | University of Maryland | 79 | 250 | 31.6 |
| 25 | Northwestern University | 106 | 340 | 31.2 |

Arts and Humanities

| Rank | Institution | Women Doctorates | Total Doctorates | Percent Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Bryn Mawr College | 53 | 75 | 70.7 |
| 2 | Tufts University | 28 | 47 | 59.6 |
| 3 | City University of New York | 108 | 191 | 56.5 |
| 4 | University of Arkansas | 12 | 24 | 50.0 |
| 5 | Middlebury College | 10 | 20 | 50.0 |
| 6 | George Washington University | 23 | 50 | 46.0 |
| 7 | Brown University | 96 | 211 | 45.5 |
| 8 | State University of New York, Albany | 19 | 42 | 45.2 |
| 9 | Howard University | 12 | 27 | 44.4 |
| 10 | Case Western Reserve University | 72 | 166 | 43.4 |
| 11 | Arizona State University | 12 | 28 | 42.9 |
| 12 | University of California, Irvine | 23 | 55 | [41.8 |
| 13 | New York University | 244 | 584 | 41.8 |
| 14 | Loyola University, Chicago | 27 | 65 | 41.5 |
| 15 | University of California, Santa Cruz | 14 | 34 | 41.2 |
| 16 | American University | 16 | 39 | [41.0 |
| 17 | Rice University | 32 | 78 | 41.0 |
| 18 | University of Mississippi | 9 | 22 | 40.9 |
| 19 | Columbia University | 262 | 655 | 40.0 |
| 20 | Brandeis University | 59 | 149 | 39.6 |
| 21 | University of Miami, Florida | 17 | 43 | 39.5 |
| 22 | University of Maryland | 57 | 145 | [ 39.3 |
| 23 | Purdue University | 22 | 56 | [39.3 |
| 24 | University of Pennsylvania | 144 | 369 | 39.0 |
| 25 | University of California, Riverside | 20 | 52 | 38.5 |

Table III-9 Continued

Education

| Institution | Women <br> Rank | Total <br> Doctorates | Percent <br> Women |
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| 1 | Texas Woman's University | 74 | 76 | 97.4 |
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| 2 | Atlanta University | 15 | 26 | 57.7 |
| 3 | Case Western Reserve University | 26 | 49 | 53.1 |
| 4 | Hofstra University | 24 | 48 | 50.0 |
| 5 | University of North Carolina, Greensboro | 38 | 76 | 50.0 |
| 6 | University of Missouri, Kansas City | 30 | 62 | 48.4 |
| 7 | Georgia State University | 59 | 133 | 44.4 |
| 8 | Teachers College, Columbia University | 400 | 903 | 44.3 |
| 9 | Fordham University | 96 | 225 | 42.7 |
| 10 | University of Texas, Austin | 159 | 379 | 42.0 |
| 11 | University of Kentucky | 43 | 103 | 41.7 |
| 12 | Florida Atlantic University | 20 | 49 | 40.8 |
| 13 | Boston University | 117 | 437 | 40.5 |
| 14 | Memphis State University | 30 | 74 | 40.5 |
| 15 | University of Miami, Florida | 47 | 118 | [39.8 |
| 16 | University of Rochester | 33 | 83 | 39.8 |
| 17 | University of houston | 79 | 199 | 39.7 |
| 18 | University of Maryland | 170 | 432 | 39.4 |
| 19 | University of South Carolina | 46 | 117 | 39.3 |
| 20 | University of Cincinnati | 44 | 115 | 38.3 |
| 21 | University of California, Berkeley | 102 | 267 | 38.2 |
| 22 | Northwestern University | 80 | 210 | 38.1 |
| 23 | Texas Technological University | 19 | 50 | 38.0 |
| 24 | Harvard University | 92 | 243 | 37.9 |
| 25 | Northeast Louisiana University | 9 | 24 | 37.5 |

## RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FURTHER STUDY

Time and resources did not permit all the tabulations of data that would have been desirable. The following discussion points out some of the kinds of tabulations that would appear to be useful.

The data from the Survey of Earned Doctorates would permit studying a decade of change in the characteristics of men and women Ph.D.'s. Tabulations could be made for the 1963-1966 cohorts of Ph.D.'s and for the 1973-1976 cohorts by sex for: field of doctorate, field of doctorate by field of baccalaureate, marital status at time of doctorate, father's educational level by field, mother's educational level by field, number of years out from B.A. to graduate school entrance by sex, numbers of years out from graduate school entrance to doctorate and age distribution at doctorate. A comparable analysis of a decade of change for minority Ph.D.'s would not be feasible because data are available on racial/ethnic groups for only $12 \%$ of the pre-1973 Ph.D.'s and the number of minority Ph.D.'s in the 1963-1966 period was very small.

One of the themes that occurs repeatedly in this report is the need for tabulations of data by field of doctorate, although when field is held constant, as in Table I-11 (Baccalaureate Field of Ph.D. recipients), the small numbers of cases prohibit reasonable generalizations for groups other than Blacks and thites. On the assumption that the numbers of minority doctorate recipients will continue to grow, such tabulations by field for all groups should become feasible within a year or two.

The need for these tabulations is posed, for example, by the heavy concentrations of Asians in the biological sciences and Blacks in education (Table I-ll) which suggest that statistics by field would help in interpreting some of the findings of other tables. For example, it would appear that the median age at which Asians complete their Ph.D.'s is lower than that for the members of other groups because they specialize in fields in which the degree is customarily obtained at an early age. Conversely, it appears reasonable to hypothesize that Blacks are older
than others when the degree is awarded because this pattern is typical of education Ph.D.'s.

Another study utilizing the data of the Earned Doctorate Survey has made such tabulations. The report (National Research Council, 1977) of the committee studying biomedical and behavioral scientists analyzed the data for these groups and discovered that field of doctorate provides an explanation of some findings but not of others. Asians in the behavioral sciences, for example, do not finish their degrees when younger than others. On the other hand, Blacks, particularly Black men, were older than others when they obtained the degree in every field. In this case, field of doctorate is not a sufficient explanation. Nonetheless, tabulations by field would serve to clarify a number of apparent relationships.

Data are also available to respond to another question that has been posed concerning minority enrollment of recent years. It has been hypothesized that the increased availability of opportunities for minorities in higher education in recent years has encouraged many older individuals to return to school and that once this wave of older individuals has passed, there may be a levelling off of minority enrollments (National Board of Graduate Education, 1976, pp. 73-74). Data on age at entrance to graduate school are available but were not tabulated for this report. An answer to the hypothesis might be provided by studying trend data on entrance to graduate school by field.

This report has not differentiated between the Ph.D. degree and applied research doctorates such as the Ed.D., D.A. and D.M.A., some of which do not require a dissertation. A comparative analysis of the trends in number of applied research doctorates (Ed.D., D.A., D.M.A., etc.) by sex and by majority/minority status would illuminate the extent of and participation in these degree programs.

Comparisons of the two sexes would profit from another kind of tabulation, the comparison by marital status. While there now appears to be little or no sex discrimination with regard to graduate admissions or fellowship support (Table 1-16), women are still at a disadvantage in comparison with men in terms of such
measures as age when the degree is awarded (Table I-8), elapsed time from B.A. to entrance to graduate school (Table I-14) and years out of school between entrance to graduate school and Ph.D. (Table I-15).

A number of studies have found marriage to act as a barrier to continuity of graduate enrollment and attainment of degrees by women. The Survey of Earned Doctorates includes a question on marital status and would permit tabulations of educational patterns and postdoctoral plans with marital status held constant. Many more studies have pointed out the effect of marital status on the professional activity of women. The Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers does not currently request marital status on its questionnaire so that it has not been possible to examine the relationship of this factor to employment status, employment sector, job activity or salary.

A detailed and interesting study could be made of the changing role of various types of baccalaureate and doctoral institutions of male and female Ph.D.'s and of Ph.D.'s in the various racial/ethnic groups. This study would be enriched by using not only the number of doctorates, since this tends to favor the large institutions, but by also analyzing percentages of total graduates of baccalaureate institutions who obtained doctorates and percentages of total doctorates in sex and racial/ ethnic groups for doctorate-granting institutions. The Tidball-Kistiakowsky study (1976) used this method of assessing productivity of institutions.

Tables on institutions ranked by percent of Ph.D.'s granted to members of minority groups could be developed comparable to Tables III-8 and III-9 for women. A study of institutional trends in the production of minority Ph.D.'s could be carried out for 1973-1976.

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## APPENDIX A

FINE FIELD OF PH.D. BY CITIZENSHIP AND BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP FOR ALL DOCTORATE RECIPIENTS, 1973-1976

Appendix A
Fine Field of Ph.D. by Citizenship and Racial/Ethnic Group for All Doctorate Recipients, 1973-1976 - Part Il/
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1/ See page 155 for additional racial/ethnic groups.
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, Mational Research Council

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Appendix A - Part I continued




Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

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Appendix A - Part II continued


Appendix A - Part II continued


## APPENDIX B

FINE FIELD OF PH.D. BY CITIZENSHIP AND BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP FOR WOMEN DOCTORATE RECIPIENTS, 1973-1976

Appendix B
Fine Field of Ph. D. by Citizenship and Racial/Ethnic Group for Women Doctorate Recipients, 1973-1976-Part 1//


1/ See page 167 for additional racial/ethnic groups.
Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council


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Appendix B - Part I continued


Aopendix B
Fine Field of Ph.j. by Citizenship and Racial/Ethnic Group for Homen Doctorate Recipients, 1973-1976 - Part II


Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council




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## APPENDIX C

## QUESTIONNAIRES AND SPECIALTY LISTS

A. 1975 Comprehensive Roster Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers
B. 1976 Survey of Earned Doctorates

THE ACCOMPANYING LETTER requests your ambance in this blennial survey of doctoral scientises and engineert - bactuding the fidis of the natural and socid selencen, mathematica, and engheering.
PLEAEE READ the inatructions for each queation cerefully and answer by printing your reply or entering an ' $X$ ' in the appropriate box.
PLEASE CHECK the pre-printed information to be certin that it is correct and complete.
PLEASE RETURN the completed form in the enclosed envelope to the Commission on Human Resources. JH 638, National Remerch Couacli, 2101 Comatination Avenan, N.W., Weshiagton, D.C. 20418.
NOTE: ALL INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE WILL BE TREATED AS CONFIDENTIAL AND LUSE IN GROUP COMPARISONS FOR RESEARCH PURPCSES ONLY.




## SURVEY OF DOCTORAL SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS

DEGREE AND EMPLOYMENT SPECIALTIES LIST



## SURVEY OF EARNED DOCTORATES, Cont.

O. Please check each source from which you received some support during graduate study. Check as many sources as apply.
58 _ NSF Fellowship
59 - NSF Traineeship
60 - NIH Fellowship
61 _ NIH Traineeship
62 - NDEA Fellowship
63 _ Other HEW
64 _ AEC Fellowship
65 _ NASA Traineeship



P. Please check the space which most fully describes your status during the year immediately preceding the doctorate.
$0 \square$ Held fellowship
$1 \square$ Held assistantship
$2 \square$ Held own research grant
$3 \square$ Not employed
$4 \square$ Part-time employed

R. How weil defined are your postgraduation plans?
$0 \square$ Have signed contract or made definite commitment
. Am negotiating with a specific organization, or more than one

$1 \square$<br>On active duty

(12) Any other (specify)
(9)
Q. U.S. veteran status:
$0 \square$ Veteran
2 Non-veteran or not applicable
(10)

| 0 Postdoctoral fellowship? <br> 1 Postdoctoral research associateship? <br> 2 Traineeship? <br> $3 \square$ Other study (specify) <br> If you check $0,1,2$, or 3, please ans |
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| Employment? (other than $0,1,2,3$ )Military service?Other (specify) |
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If you checked 4, 5, or 6, please answer " $\boldsymbol{U}$ " and omit " $T$ "
T. If you plan to be on a postdoctoral feilowship, associate- U. If you plan to be employed, enter military service, or ship, or traineeship other -
What is the field of your postdoctoral appointment? Classify using Specialties List.
Number Field
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What is the primary source of support?
What will be the type of employer?

| $0 \square$ 4-year college or university | $\begin{align*} & 6 \text { Nonprofit organization }  \tag{13-15}\\ & 7 \text { Industry or business } \end{align*}$ |
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| $\square \mathrm{Jr}$. or community | 8 Self-employed |
| college | 9 Other (specify) |
| Elem. or sec. school |  |
| Foreign government | ................... |

## 0 U.S. Government

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Nonprofit, other than pri-
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5 U.S. state or local government

Indicate primary work activity with " 1 " In appropriate box; seconday work activity (If any) with "2" in appropriate box.

| Research and <br> development | $3 \square$Professional services <br> to individuals |
| :--- | :--- |
| Teaching | $5 \square$ Other (specify) |


V. What is the name and address of the organization with which you will be associated?


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## MATHEMATICS

000 - Algebra
010 - Analysis \& Functional Analysis
020 - Geometry
030 - Logic
040 - Number Theory
050 - Probability, Math. Statistics
( see also $544,670,725,727,920$ )
060 - Topology
080 - Computing Theory \& Practice
082 - Operations Research (see also 478)
085 - Applied Mathematics
098 - Mathematics, General
099 - Mathematics, Other*

## ASTRONOMY

101 - Astronomy
102 - Astrophysics

## PHYSICS

110 - Atomic \& Molecular
120 - Electromagnetism
130 - Mechanics
132 - Acoustics
134 - Fluids
135 - Plasma
136 - Optics
138 - Thermal
140 - Elementary Particles
150 - Nuclear Structure
160 - Solid State
198 - Physics, General
199 - Physics, Other*

## CHEMISTRY

200 - Analytical
210 - Inorganic
220 - Organic
230 - Nuclear
240 - Physical
250 - Theoretical
260 - Agricultural \& Food
270 - Pharmaceutical
275 - Polymer
298 - Chemistry, General
299 - Chemistry, Other*

## EARTH SCIENCES

301 - Mineralogy, Petrology
305 - Geochemistry
310 - Stratigraphy, Sedimentation
320 - Paleontology
330 - Structural Geology
341 - Geophysics (Solid Earth)
350 - Geomorph., Glacial Geology
360 - Hydrology
370 - Oceanography
381 - Atmospheric Physics and Chemistry
382 - Atmospheric Dynamics
383 - Atmospheric Sciences, Other*
391 - Applied Geol., Geol. Engr., Econ. Geol
395 - Fuel Tech., Petrol. Engr. (see also 479)
398 - Earth Sciences, General
399 - Earth Sciences, Other*

## ENGINEERING

400-Aeronautical \& Astronautical
410 - Agricultural
415 - Biomedical
420 - Civil
430 -Chemical
435-Ceramic
437 - Computer
440 - Electrical
445 - Electronics
450 - Industrial
455 - Nuclear
460- Engineering Mechanics
465 - Engineering Physics
470 - Mechanical
475 - Metallurgy \& Phys. Met. Engr.
476 - Systems Design, Systems Science
476 - Systems Design, Systems Science
479 - Fuel Tech., Petrol. Engr. (see also 395)

480 - Sanitary
486 - Mining
497 - Materials Science
498 - Engineering. Genera
499 - Engineering, Other*
ENVIRONAENTAL SCIENCES
589 - Environmental Sciences*
AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES
500 - Agronomy
501 - Agricultural Economics
502 - Animal Husbandry
503 - Food Science \& Technology
504 - Fish \& Wildlife
505 - Forestry
506 - Horticulture
507 - Soils \& Soil Science
510-Animal Sciences
511 - Phytopathology
518 - Agriculture, General
S19-Agriculture, Other*

## MEDICAL SCIENCES

520 - Medicine \& Surgery
522 - Public Health
523 - Veterinary Medicine
524 - Hospital Administration
527 - Parasitology
534 - Pathology
536 - Pharmacology
537 - Pharmacy
538 - Medical Sciences, General
539 - Medical Sciences, Other*

## BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

540 - Biochemistry
542 - Biophysics
544 - Biometrics. Biostatistics
(sec also 050, 670, 725, 727, 920)
545-Anatomy
546 - Cytology
547 - Embryology
548 - Immunology
550 - Botany
560 - Ecology
562 - Hydrobiology
564 - Microbiology \& Bacteriology
566 - Physiology. Animal
567 - Physiology, Plant
569 - Zoology
570 - Genetics
571 - Entomology
572 - Molecular Biology
576 - Nutrition and/or Dietetics
578 - Biological Sciences, General
579 - Biological Sciences, Other*

## PSYCHOLOGY

600 - Clinical
610 - Counseling \& Guidance
620 - Developmental \& Gerontological
630 - Educational
635 - School Psychology
641 - Experimental
642 - Comparative
643 - Physiological
650 - Industrial \& Personnel
660 - Personality
670 - Psychometrics (see also 050, 544, 725, 727, 920)
680 - Social
698 - Psychology, General
699 - Psychology, Other*
SOCIAL SCIENCES
700 - Anthropology
708 - Communications*
708 - Communi
720 - Economics (see also 501)
725 - Econometrics
(sec also 050, 544, 670, 727, 920)
727 _ Statistics
(see also 050, 544, 670, 725, 920)
740 - Geography

745 - Area Studies
751 - Political Science
752 - Public Administration
755 - International Relations
770 - Urban \& Reg. Planning
798 - Social Sciences, Genera
799 - Social Sciences, Other*

## ARTS A HUMANITIES

801 - Art, Applied
802 - Art, History \& Criticism
804 - History, American
805 - History. European
806 - History, Other ${ }^{\text {* }}$
807 - History \& Philosophy of Science
808 - American Studies
830 - Music
831 - Speech as a Dramatic Art (see also 885)
832 - Archeology
833 - Religion (see also 881)
834 - Philosophy
835 - Linguistics
836 - Comparative Literature
878 - Arts \& Humanities, General
879 - Arts \& Humanities, Other*
LANGUAGES \& LITERATURE
811-American
812 - English
821 - German
822 - Russian
823 - French
824 - Spanish \& Portuguese
826 - Italian
827 - Classical*
829 - Other Languages*

## EDUCATION

900 _ Foundations: Social. Philosoph.
910 - Educational Psychology
908 - Elementary Educ., General
909 - Secondary Educ., General
918 - Higher Education
919 - Adult Educ, \& Extension Educ.
920 - Educ. Meas. \& Stat.
929 - Curriculum \& Instruction
930 - Educ. Admin. \& Superv.
940 - Guid., Couns., \& Student Pers.
950 - Special Education
(Gifted, Handicapped, etc.)
960 - Audio-Visual Media

> TEACHING FIELDS

970 - Agriculture Educ.
972 - Art Educ.
974 - Business Educ.
976 - English Educ.
978 - Foreign Languages Educ.
980 - Home Economics Educ.
982 - Industrial Arts Educ.
984 - Mathematics Educ.
986 - Music Educ.
988 - Phys. Ed., Health, \& Recreation
989 - Reading Education
990 - Science Educ.
992 - Social Science Educ.
993 - Speech Education
994 - Vocational Educ.
996 - Other Teaching Fields*
998 - Education, General
999 - Education, Other*
OTHER PROFESSIONAL FIELDS
881 - Theology (see also 833)
882 - Business Administration
883 - Home Economics
884 - Journalism
885 - Speech \& Hearing Sciences (see also 831)
886 - Law, Jurisprudence
887 - Social Work
891 - Library \& Archival Science
897 - Professional Field, Other*
899 - OTHER FIELDS*

## APPENDIX D

## SAMPLE DESIGN, SAMPLING ERRORS AND TESTS OF SIGNIFICANCE

## Sample Design and Sampling Error 1/

Statistics presented in Tables I-2, I-3, II-1 to II-4 and II-6 to II-8 of this report were obtained from a stratified random sample. Tables D-1 and D-2 provide information on the sample sizes and response rates by strata for the 1973 and 1975 Surveys of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers. Since these surveys are sample surveys, estimates of population values are, therefore, subject to sampling error. The concept of sampling error has been described (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1974, p. I-1) as follows: "The particular sample used in this survey is one of a large number of all possible samples of the same size that could have been selected using the same sample design. Estimates derived from the different samples would differ from each other. The deviation of a sample estimate from the average of all possible samples is called the sampling error. The standard error of a survey estimate is a measure of the variation among the estimates from the possible samples and thus is a measure of the precision with which an estimate from a particular sample approximates the average result of all possible samples. The relative standard error is defined as the standard error divided by the value being estimated."

To assist in evaluating the data in this report, sampling errors for various statistic values and sample sizes have been calculated assuming a simple random sample and are summarized in Table D-3. The reader can construct the confidence interval deemed appropriate for interpretation of the data.

Comparisons can be made between sampling errors computed on the basis of a simple random sample and those which take stratification into account. Variances were calculated for a number of statistics cited in a recent report on the employment status of doctoral scientists and engineers (Maxfield, et al., 1976) The statistics in the employment study and the 1975 data in the tables referred to above were all

1/ This section, except for the first paragraph, is reproduced from an earlier report on the Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers (National Research Council, 1976b, pp. 37-44) with a few modifications to provide illustrations from the tables of this report and Table D-3 has been revised to use sample sizes appropriate to this report.
based on results of the 1975 survey which was conducted in terms of the stratified sample outlined in Table D-2. The formulas used in estimating sample variances were:
a) simple random sample

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\sigma_{p}=\left[\begin{array}{ll}
\frac{p(1-p)}{n} & \left(\frac{N-n}{(N-1)}\right.
\end{array}\right]^{3 / 2}
$$

b) stratified random sample

$$
\sigma_{p}=\left[\frac{1}{N^{2}} \cdot \sum_{h} N_{h}^{2} \quad \frac{\left(N_{h}-n_{h}\right)}{\left(N_{h}-1\right)} \cdot \frac{p_{h} \cdot\left(1-p_{h}\right)}{n_{h}}\right]^{\frac{1}{2} / 2}
$$

In these formulas, $p$ denotes the estimated proportion of the whole population, $N$ denotes the size of the population, and $n$ denotes the sample size. 1/ Where the same symbols appear with the subscript $h$, the reference is to stratum $h$ rather than to the whole population or sample.

In this report, as well as in the employment study, many of the estimates are proportions whose base is the estimated labor force or other subgroup in a specified variable-designated category (e.g., U.S. native-born Asian Ph.D.'s). Such estimates are thus ratios of random variables, i.e., estimates based on the sample. The formulas given above are not strictly applicable to these estimates. Operational and time constraints precluded the computation of the more complex formula for the sampling error appropriate to ratio estimates. However, a useful approximation is provided by formula (b) by omitting the finite population correction $\left(N_{h}-n_{h}\right) /\left(N_{h}-1\right)$ and reinterpreting $p$ to denote the estimated proportion of the specified category that has a given characteristic, $N$ to denote the population number in the specified category, and $n$ to denote the number in the sample with the given characteristic, with the subscript $h$ again denoting a restriction to stratum $h$.

A table comparing the sampling error estimate when computed using the formula for a simple random sample and the formula for a stratified ranciom sample (omitting the finite population corrections) has been published for 30 selected employment

1/ Note that in the tables given in the text $W N$ is used as an estimate of population size and that $N$ is used as the sample size since the computer does not print a lower case $n$.

1930-72 UNITED STATES DOGTORAL SCIEATISTS ANO EAGINEERS
POPULATION. SAMPLE, AND SLRVEY RESPCASE -- 1973

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PCTAL | 212234 | 59086 | 42456 | 2501 | 11683 | 3306 | 74.5 | 74.0 |
| FIELD OF PHD/EMPLOYMENT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MATHEMATICS | 15915 | 4409 | 3166 | 83 | 906 | 144 | 73.7 | 17.1 |
| PHYSICS/ASTRONOHY | 24659 | 5139 | 3670 | 109 | 1087 | 273 | 73.5 | 77.7 |
| CHEMISTRY | 43113 | 7907 | 5830 | 202 | 1460 | 415 | 16.3 | 80.5 |
| EARTH SCIENCES | 8525 | 1986 | 1497 | 81 | 315 | 93 | 17.5 | 85.4 |
| ENGINEERING | 38518 | 0362 | 4033 | 97 | 1306 | $3<6$ | 74.3 | 78.4 |
| BIOSCIENCES | 68955 | 17091 | 12368 | 478 | 3044 | 1201 | 75.2 | 80.8 |
| PSYCHOLOGY | 30983 | 7128 | $5 \mathrm{C84}$ | 197 | 1489 | 358 | 74.1 | 76.0 |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES | 40265 | 8142 | 5535 | 299 | 1850 | 432 | 71.9 | 75.9 |
| NON-SCIENC ES/UNKNOWN | 1297 | 922 | 635 | 15 | 160 | 94 | 12.5 | 80.7 |
| YEAR OF PHD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CY 1930-35 | 9927 | 2353 | 1302 | 426 | 390 | 275 | 14.2 | 81.6 |
| CY 1936-41 | 12259 | 2767 | 1777 | 334 | 461 | 209 | 75.7 | 81.9 |
| CY 1942-45 | 6501 | 1773 | 1187 | 129 | 334 | 123 | 74.2 | 79.8 |
| CY 1946-49 | 10088 | 2350 | 1639 | 123 | 430 | 164 | 74.8 | 80.4 |
| CY 1950-53 | 21770 | 4266 | 3056 | 151 | 783 | 270 | 15.2 | 80.4 |
| Cr 1954-51 | 24920 | 4847 | 3603 | 104 | 884 | 256 | 76.5 | 80.7 |
| CY 1956-FY 61 | 26039 | 5733 | 4126 | 110 | 1252 | 245 | 73.4 | 77.2 |
| FY 1962-63 | 17711 | 4695 | 3410 | 09 | 996 | 220 | 74.1 | 77.7 |
| FY 1964-65 | 22481 | 5488 | 3977 | 36 | 1155 | 320 | 73.1 | 77.7 |
| FY 1966-67 | 27529 | 6244 | 4566 | 33 | 1285 | 560 | 73.7 | 78.2 |
| FY 1968-69 | 33401 | 6978 | 4999 | 23 | 1509 | 447 | 12.0 | 76.9 |
| FY 1970-71 | 39371 | 7481 | 5652 | 15 | 1475 | 339 | 75.8 | 79.3 |
| FY 1972 | 19774 | 3699 | 2575 | 5 | 617 | 102 | 30.0 | 82.8 |
| UNKNOMN | 465 | 346 | 187 | 3 | 106 | 50 | 54.9 | 64.2 |
| CATEGGRY OF PHD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| U.S. SCIENCE | 25219 C | 48870 | 35016 | 1423 | 9916 | 2515 | 74.6 | 78.6 |
| U.S. NON-SCIENCE | 9669 | 5010 | 4060 | 81 | 729 | 140 | 02.7 | 85.0 |
| FOREIGN | 10375 | 5206 | 3380 | 57 | 1038 | 731 | 00.0 | 76.8 |
| SILE OF PHO INSTITUTIONH |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LESS THAN 50 | 15190 | 6615 | 4708 | 232 | 1354 | 321 | 14.7 | 76.5 |
| 50 TO 299 | 98404 | 18479 | 13248 | 524 | 3842 | 865 | 74.5 | 76.2 |
| MORE THAN 299 | 138596 | 23776 | 17060 | 667 | 4720 | 1329 | 74.6 | 79.0 |
| UNCLASSIFIED | 20044 | 10216 | 7440 | 138 | 1767 | 871 | 74.4 | 81.1 |
| SEX |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Male | 248653 | 47675 | 34472 | 1210 | 9309 | 2624 | 74.8 | 79.2 |
| female | 23581 | 11411 | 7984 | 352 | 2314 | 702 | 73.0 | 78.3 |

*figures include those deceased and those gaployed in foreign countries and hence exceed the TOTAL POPULATION FIGRES REPCRTED IN PREVIOUS TABLES.
+inclides those to mom survey forms mere mailed and not returned as well as those ho indiCATED THEIR RELUCTANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SURVEY.
*includes those mo were members of the sample but for mon no current addresses coul be FOND.
both response rates combine the murer deceased hith the number of valid responses. rate "a" is calculated on the total sample; rate "B" is calculated on oky those contacted.
Usize detarmined by the number of doctorates granted by an institution durinc a givan time PERICD (COHORT).

Source: National Research Council, Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the United States, 1973 Profile, p. 31.

POPULATION, SAMPLE AND SURVEY RESPONSE - 1975

1930-74 DOCTORAL SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS

|  | DOCTORAL ROST'ER TGTAL* N | TOTAL SNIPLE <br> N | TOTAL SURVEY RESMONSES嚄 N | RESPONSE <br> (A) | RATES ${ }^{+}$ <br> (B) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20\%AL | 314002 | 66779 | 43821 | 69.2 | 74.6 |
| FIELD OF PHD/ENPLOYYENT |  |  |  |  |  |
| MATHEMATICS | 18646 | 5011 | 3173 | 67.7 | 72.1 |
| PEYEICS/ASTRONOMY | 27936 | 5810 | 3825 | 68.4 | 73.5 |
| CHEMISTRY | 47278 | 8821 | 5967 | 70.6 | 76.6 |
| EARIH SCIENCLS | 9758 | 2194 | 1535 | 73.4 | 78.0 |
| ENGINEERING | 45228 | 7352 | 4861 | 67.7 | 73.8 |
| BIOSCIENCES | 79409 | 19433 | 13371 | 71.4 | 76.7 |
| PSYCAOLOGY | 36195 | 7910 | 5083 | 68.8 | 74.1 |
| SOCIAL SCIEACES | 48276 | 9397 | 5613 | 65.0 | 70.2 |
| NOUSCIENCES/UNGOWN | 1276 | 851 | 393 | 63.0 | 74.2 |
| YRAR OF PHD |  |  |  |  |  |
| CY 1930-35 | 10070 | 2386 | 1263 | 67.1 | 75.6 |
| Cy 1936-41 | 12386 | 2782 | 1687 | 71.4 | 77.0 |
| CY 1942-45 | 6592 | 1773 | 1165 | 72.9 | 77.7 |
| CY 1946-49 | 10245 | 2351 | 1561 | 72.5 | 77.6 |
| CY 1950-53 | 22063 | 4256 | 2857 | 72.0 | 77.1 |
| CY 1954-57 | 25267 | 4839 | 3331 | 73.0 | 76.8 |
| CY 1958-FY61 | 26416 | 5729 | 3808 | 69.7 | 73.8 |
| FY 1962-63 | 17943 | 4692 | 3117 | 69.3 | 73.6 |
| FY 1964-65 | 22654 | 5486 | 3544 | 67.4 | 73.1 |
| FY 1966-67 | 27667 | 6245 | 4055 | 68.0 | 73.9 |
| FY 1968-69 | 33587 | 6976 | 4556 | 68.1 | 73.6 |
| FY 1970-71 | 39541 | 7553 | 5026 | 68.9 | 73.7 |
| FY 1972 | 19827 | 3731 | 2607 | 70.0 | 76.0 |
| FY 1973-74 | 39053 | 7666 | 5125 | 66.9 | 73.6 |
| Unavown | 691 | 314 | 119 | 40.9 | 51.7 |
| CATEGORY OF PHD |  |  |  |  |  |
| U.5. SCIENCE | 291397 | 56488 | 38168 | 69.6 | 74.5 |
| U.S. NOESCIENCE | 10036 | 4965 | 2573 | 74.3 | 77.4 |
| POREIG | 12569 | 5326 | 3080 | 60.8 | 72.4 |
| RACIAL/EHENIC |  |  |  |  |  |
| I DENTIFICATION |  |  |  |  |  |
| PRE-FY1973-74 PHD** | 274989 | 59148 | 38723 | 69.5 | 74.7 |
| white/CAUCASIAN | 26469 | 3492 | 2667 | 76.4 | 81.1 |
| ORIENTAL | 3341 | 1381 | 749 | 54.3 | 60.9 |
| OHEER MI NORITIES | 1087 | 842 | 524 | 62.3 | 68.0 |
| UTCNOMN | 8116 | 1916 | 1158 | 60.5 | 70.4 |
| SEX |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mare | 284721 | 53352 | 35149 | 69.4 | 74.6 |
| fentas | 29281 | 13427 | 8672 | 68.3 | 74.4 |

*FIGURES INCLUDE Those decensed and those employed in foreicn Countries and hence exceed the total population pigurbs reported in various tablibs .
afigures include the numer known decensed from the 1975 survey.
trats "A" is the number of 1975 survey responses divided by the totnl sniple MINUS "IMNCTIVE" SAMPLE MEMEERS. THE "INACTIVE" SAMPIE INCLUDRS PERGONG KOOMN DECENSED PRIOR TO THE 1975 SURVEY, AND INDIVIDUALS WHO RRSPONDED IN 1973 that thit vere outside of the scope of the survey. rate "b" is the muneer or 1975 SURVEY responses divided by the total sample minus those "Innctive" and those not contacted
**RACIAL/ETHNIC DATA ARE NOT AVAILABLE FOR THE PRE-FY1973-74 PH.D. RECIPIENTS.
Source: National Research Council, Doctoral Scientists and Engineers in the United States, 1975 Profile, p. 38 .
study statistics (National Research Council, 1976b, p. 42). For most variables the difference between the two errors is small. When the strata are taken into account, sampling errors exceed those calculated ignoring stratification for 10 of the 30 statistics. All but two of these 10 statistics involve female and/or physics/astronamy Ph.D.'s. This effect is largely explained by the omission of the finite population correction factor ( $f p c$ ) which has a deflating effect on the heavily sampled female strata. With the fpc included, the sampling errors assuming stratification exceed those for a simple sample by more than 0.1 percent in only two (presumably largely overlapping) cases (female Ph.D.'s under 30 and female 1973-1974 Ph.D.'s). Variances computed with the formula for stratified samples were lower than those calculated for simple samples for 7 statistics, all of which involved Ph.D.'s in small employment categories.

For the convenience of the reader Table D-3 has been compiled showing approximate sampling errors for sample sizes which occur frequently in the tables of this report. The finite population correction factor has a negligible effect on most statistics, $\left[\frac{N-n}{N-1}\right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \geq .90$, and has been omitted from the calculations.

In Tables I-3, II-2, II-4 and II-9, the finite correction factor would tend to reduce the approximate sampling errors as computed above by about one-sixth for all statistics on women because the female strata in the population were heavily sampled. (The mean weighting fraction for women is 0.305 ).

In Tables I-2a, b, $c$ and $d, I-3$, II-la, $b$, and $c$ and II-2a and $b$ the sample sizes are designated by $N$, the population estimates by $W N$ and the proportions $\times 100$ as $H$ (horizontal percent). Tables II-3, II-4, II-5 and II-8 give population estimates and vertical percentages. The sample size is shown as the first row of the totals at the foot of the tables.

Example 1: In Table I-2b the population estimate of those with known racial/ethnic group for the 1945-1949 cohort of Ph.D.'s is 7410 and the sample size $N$ is 1141 . The reader can estimate the sampling error of a reported statistic (for instance proportion of doctorates awarded black, nativeborn U.S. citizens in 1945-1949, $0.9 \%$ ) by using the formula for $\sigma_{p}$
directly or consulting Table D-3 using rough approximations of the sample size and percentage in proportion form. In this case

$$
\sigma_{p}=\left[\frac{.009(1-.009)}{1141}\right]^{\frac{1}{2}}=0.003
$$

Table D-3
APPROXIMATE SAMPLING ERRORS* FOR VARIOUS STATISTICS AND SAMPLE SIZES

Sample Size
Proportion
.01 or .99 .05 or .95 .10 or .90 .25 or .75 . 50

| 10 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .15811 |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 25 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .08660 | .10000 |
| 50 | .01407 | .03082 | .04243 | .06124 | .07071 |
| 100 | .00995 | .02179 | .03000 | .04330 | .05000 |
| 200 | .00704 | .01541 | .02121 | .03062 | .03536 |
| 300 | .00574 | .01258 | .01732 | .02500 | .02887 |
| 600 | .00406 | .00890 | .01224 | .01768 | .02041 |
| 900 | .00332 | .00726 | .01000 | .01443 | .01667 |
| 2,000 | .00222 | .00487 | .00671 | .00968 | .01118 |
| 6,000 | .00128 | .00281 | .00387 | .00559 | .00645 |
| 9,000 | .00105 | .00230 | .00316 | .00456 | .00527 |
| 25,000 | .00063 | .00138 | .00190 | .00274 | .00316 |
| 30,000 | .00057 | .00126 | .00173 | .00250 | .00289 |
| 35,000 | .00053 | .00116 | .00160 | .00231 | .00267 |
| 40,000 | .00050 | .00109 | .00150 | .00217 | .00250 |

* Errors were computed with the formula ${ }^{\sigma} p=\left[\frac{p(1-p)}{n}\right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$, where " $n$ " is the
sample size

Example 2: In Table II-5 the population estimate for "Other Minorities" is 4,306 and the sample size $N$ is 905 . The sampling error of a reported statistic (for instance proportion of "Other Minorities" Ph.D.'s employed by the Federal Government, 7.1\%) can be estimated by using the formula for $\sigma_{p}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
\sigma_{p}=\left[\frac{.071(1-.071)}{905}\right]^{\frac{3}{2}} & =0.0085 \\
& =0.85 \%
\end{aligned}
$$

A rough approximation can also be obtained by using Table D-3.

## Tests of Significance

In this report, except in the discussion of median salaries, statistical statements based on samples have been checked for validity. Differences that are described in the highlights are statistically significant at the 5\% level unless otherwise stated.

The tests that were made fall in two broad categories:

1. A test that the difference between two percentages is 0 , using the t-test (U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1974). In general normality was assumed and and in most cases, but not all, it was reasonable to assume that the co-variance term in the variance of the difference between the two percentages was zero.
2. Multiple comparisons involving a comparison of one subgroup of the population with several other subgroups, e.g., a statement that a percentage for Blacks is greater than the comparable percentage for all other racial/ethnic groups. Here the Bonferroni method (Dayton and Schafer, 1973) was used. This method involves a series of tests, testing each of the comparisons involved in the statistical statement, e.g., the percentage of Blacks is tested against the percentage for each of the 4 other racial/ethnic groups.

[^0]:    1/ The cohort years referred to in these tables are fiscal years.
    2/ Data on racial/ethnic affiliation are not available for the years before 1973 (see page 8).

[^1]:    Source: Survey of Earned Doctorates, National Research Council

[^2]:    Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

[^3]:    Source: Survey of Doctoral Scientists and Engineers, National Research Council

[^4]:    1/ Statements in the text for Tables II-6 and II-7 have not been checked for statistical significance. The program for the standard error of a median is currently available in the CHR and the limited resources for this study did not provide for the necessary progranming and computer time. The standard error for median salaries is generally small for large samples. A confidence interval has been computed for the median based on the smallest sample in these two tables - the median of $\$ 17,263$ for Asian women in Table II-7 based on 11 observations. Using the Woodruff formula for estimating the standard error of the median (Hanson, Hurwitz and Madow, 1953, Vol. 1, pp. 448-449), the approximate probability is $2 / 3$ that the true median falls in the interval \$16,480-17,793.

