

TABLE 101
HISTORICAL TREND IN ASSOCIATE DEGREES CONFERRED BY PUBLIC AND INDEPENDENT
INSTITUTIONS, BY DISCIPLINE AREAS, FY 1981, FY 2004-FY 2009

	FY81	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY08	FY09
STATE TOTAL							
01 AGRICULTURE	0	82	84	80	82	79	74
02 BUSINESS	1,335	714	791	706	686	735	797
03 COMMUNICATIONS	0	63	63	56	64	63	73
04 COMPUTER SCIENCE	0	491	396	296	250	229	224
05 EDUCATION	0	74	77	45	39	124	250
06 ENGINEERING	0	31	17	17	18	30	27
07 ENG./SCIENCE-REL.TECH.	630	371	380	303	274	299	349
08 FINE ARTS	0	137	124	112	85	114	126
09 FOREIGN LANGUAGE	0	12	28	28	31	28	36
10 HEALTH	880	1,188	1,464	1,503	1,741	1,730	1,875
11 HOME ECONOMICS	0	196	188	151	189	0	181
12 HUMANITIES/GENERAL	2,948	5,527	5,787	5,954	6,080	5,989	5,707
13 LIFE SCIENCE	0	12	2	7	2	4	4
14 MATHEMATICS	0	3	1	0	0	0	1
15 PHYSICAL SCIENCE	0	0	1	6	8	8	6
16 PUBLIC SERVICES	438	309	310	403	392	435	496
17 SOCIAL SCIENCE	0	33	25	44	30	48	38
18 OTHER	0	361	361	512	495	712	531
Total	6,231	9,604	10,099	10,223	10,466	10,627	10,795

SOURCE: IPEDS C, Completions

[For definitions of trend data discipline categories see notes.](#)