Table 4. FIELD OF STUDY OF COLLEGE STUDENTS 18 TO 24 YEARS OLD IN PRIMARY FAMILIES, BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY FAMILY HEAD, AND SEX OF STUDENT: OCTOBER 1974

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. Excludes students in families whose head is a member of the Armed Forces, and students who are family head or wife)

Years of school completed by family head and sex of student	Total	Agriculture and forestry	Biological sciences	Business or commerce	Education	Engineering	English or journalism	Other humanities	Health or medical profession	Law	Mathematics or statistics	Physical or earth sciences	Social sciences	Vocational technical studies	Computer sciences	Other	Don't know or not reported
All Students																	
Total	4,575	64	184	652	585	216	146	204	418	116	108	64	367	118	39	688	607
Elementary: 0 to 4 years	85	-	-	15	20	3	-	2	5	3	-	2	8	2	-	12	14
5 to 7 years	162	-	3	37	32	3	2	8	10	6	1	-	8	5	-	14	34
8 years	210	4	5	30	31	13	3	2	19	6	7	-	9	11	4	40	26
High school: 1 to 3 years	525	11	14	83	71	29	16	7	48	13	12	11	24	25	5	74	82
4 years	1,522	23	45	233	191	66	51	74	136	38	40	17	117	35	19	234	203
College: 1 to 3 years	721	12	26	86	81	51	16	42	67	16	25	9	70	19	7	104	89
4 years or more	1,350	15	91	169	159	50	58	71	134	33	22	25	131	20	5	209	158
Male																	
Total	2,463	51	100	424	152	201	52	111	145	92	63	46	183	76	32	386	348
Elementary: 0 to 4 years	47	-	-	7	10	3	-	-	2	3	-	-	1	2	-	10	9
5 to 7 years	89	-	3	15	13	2	-	6	3	5	1	-	6	5	-	6	23
8 years	102	4	3	15	7	11	2	2	3	6	-	-	5	5	4	20	14
High school: 1 to 3 years	308	8	10	50	20	27	3	5	16	11	8	10	12	22	5	48	52
4 years	819	19	23	154	50	65	23	43	44	28	26	13	58	23	13	142	96
College: 1 to 3 years	408	9	12	61	26	46	3	22	23	13	16	8	39	13	5	61	53
4 years or more	688	11	49	121	27	47	21	33	53	26	12	16	60	7	5	99	101
Female																	
Total	2,112	13	84	228	433	14	95	93	273	24	44	18	184	42	7	301	258
Elementary: 0 to 4 years	38	-	-	8	10	-	-	2	3	-	-	2	7	-	-	2	5
5 to 7 years	73	-	-	21	19	2	2	1	6	1	-	-	1	-	-	8	11
8 years	107	-	2	15	25	2	1	-	16	-	7	-	3	6	-	20	12
High school: 1 to 3 years	217	3	4	33	50	2	13	2	31	2	4	2	12	3	-	27	30
4 years	703	4	22	79	142	1	28	30	92	10	14	4	59	12	6	92	108
College: 1 to 3 years	312	3	14	25	56	5	12	20	44	3	10	2	31	6	2	43	36
4 years or more	661	3	41	48	132	3	37	38	80	7	9	9	70	14	-	110	57
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION																	
All Students																	
Total	100.0	1.4	4.0	14.3	12.8	4.7	3.2	4.5	9.1	2.5	2.4	1.4	8.0	2.6	0.9	15.0	13.3
Elementary: 0 to 4 years	100.0	-	-	17.6	23.5	3.5	-	2.4	5.9	3.5	-	2.4	9.4	2.4	-	14.1	16.5
5 to 7 years	100.0	-	1.9	22.8	19.8	1.9	1.2	4.9	6.2	3.7	0.6	-	4.9	3.1	-	8.6	21.0
8 years	100.0	1.9	2.4	14.3	14.8	6.2	1.4	1.0	9.0	2.9	3.3	-	4.3	5.2	1.9	19.0	12.4
High school: 1 to 3 years	100.0	2.1	2.7	15.8	13.5	5.5	3.0	1.3	9.1	2.5	2.3	2.1	4.6	4.8	1.0	14.1	15.6
4 years	100.0	1.5	3.0	15.3	12.5	4.3	3.4	4.9	8.9	2.5	2.6	1.1	7.7	2.3	1.2	15.4	13.3
College: 1 to 3 years	100.0	1.7	3.6	11.9	11.2	7.1	2.2	5.8	9.3	2.2	3.5	1.2	9.7	2.6	1.0	14.4	12.3
4 years or more	100.0	1.1	6.7	12.5	11.8	3.7	4.3	5.3	9.9	2.4	1.6	1.9	9.7	1.5	0.4	15.5	11.7
Male																	
Total	100.0	2.1	4.1	17.2	6.2	8.2	2.1	4.5	5.9	3.7	2.6	1.9	7.4	3.1	1.3	15.7	14.1
Elementary: 0 to 4 years	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 to 7 years	100.0	-	3.4	16.9	14.6	2.2	-	6.7	3.4	5.6	1.1	-	6.7	5.6	-	6.7	25.8
8 years	100.0	3.9	2.9	14.7	6.9	10.8	2.0	2.0	2.9	5.9	-	-	4.9	4.9	3.9	19.6	13.7
High school: 1 to 3 years	100.0	2.6	3.2	16.2	6.5	8.8	1.0	1.6	5.2	3.6	2.6	3.2	3.9	7.1	1.6	15.6	16.9
4 years	100.0	2.3	2.8	18.8	6.1	7.9	2.8	5.3	5.4	3.4	3.2	1.6	7.1	2.8	1.6	17.3	11.7
College: 1 to 3 years	100.0	2.2	2.9	15.0	6.4	11.3	0.7	5.4	5.6	3.2	3.9	2.0	9.6	3.2	1.2	15.0	13.0
4 years or more	100.0	1.6	7.1	17.6	3.9	6.8	3.1	4.8	7.7	3.8	1.7	2.3	8.7	1.0	0.7	14.4	14.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. FIELD OF STUDY OF COLLEGE STUDENTS 18 TO 24 YEARS OLD IN PRIMARY FAMILIES, BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY FAMILY HEAD, AND SEX OF STUDENT: OCTOBER 1974—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population. Excludes students in families whose head is a member of the Armed Forces, and students who are family head or wife)

Years of school completed by family head and sex of student	Total	Agriculture and forestry	Biological sciences	Business or commerce	Education	Engineering	English or journalism	Other humanities	Health or medical profession	Law	Mathematics or statistics	Physical or earth sciences	Social sciences	Vocational technical studies	Computer sciences	Other	Don't know or not reported
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION--Continued																	
Female																	
Total	100.0	0.6	4.0	10.8	20.5	0.7	4.5	4.4	12.9	1.1	2.1	0.9	8.7	2.0	0.3	14.3	12.2
Elementary: 0 to 4 years	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 to 7 years	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
8 years	100.0	-	1.9	14.0	23.4	1.9	0.9	-	15.0	-	6.5	-	2.8	5.6	-	18.7	11.2
High school: 1 to 3 years	100.0	1.4	1.8	15.2	23.0	0.9	6.0	0.9	14.3	0.9	1.8	0.9	5.5	1.4	-	12.4	13.8
4 years	100.0	0.6	3.1	11.2	20.2	0.1	4.0	4.3	13.1	1.4	2.0	0.6	8.4	1.7	0.9	13.1	15.4
College: 1 to 3 years	100.0	1.0	4.5	8.0	17.9	1.6	3.8	6.4	14.1	1.0	3.2	0.6	9.9	1.9	0.6	13.8	11.5
4 years or more	100.0	0.5	6.2	7.3	20.0	0.5	5.6	5.7	12.1	1.1	1.4	1.4	10.6	2.1	-	16.6	8.6

- Represents zero or rounds to zero.
B Base less than 75,000.