Table 4. Field of Study of College Students 14 Years Old

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian

Line No.	Year of college, sex and age	All fields	Agriculture or home economics	Biological sciences	Business, commerce, or accounting	Education	Engineering	English or journalism
	NUMBER							
	14 to 34 Years Old							
	Both sexes							
1	Total	9,838	144	303	1,956	781	565	192
2	1st year	2,768	23	59	579	101	150	37
3	2d year	2,286	50	59	483	139	151	49
4	3d year	1,658	21	60	362	139	102	36
5	4th year	1,445	31	48	322	121	83	39
6	5th year or higher	1,680	18	77	209	281	79	31
	Male							
7	Total	5,124	82	155	1,138	180	498	68
8	1st year	1,333	12	25	254	14	143	11
9	2d year	1,173	33	36	268	28	127	15
10	3d year	907	7	29	249	21	89	14
11	4th year	775	18	20	214	30	74	13
12	5th year or higher	936	10	44	153	87	65	14
	Female							
13	Total	4,714	62	148	819	601	66	125
14	1st year	1,434	11	34	325	88	7	26
15	2d year	1,113	16	23	215	111	23	34
16	3d year	751	14	31	113	118	13	22
17	4th year	670	13	28	108	91	9	25
18	5th year or higher	745	8	33	57	194	14	17
	35 Years Old and Over							
	Both sexes							
19	Total	1,326	3	1	280	197	34	40
20	1st year	287	-	1	80	9	2	6
21	2d year	211	-	-	60	21	8	2
22	3d year	175	-	-	39	13	6	7
23	4th year	118	1	-	28	12	13	6
24	5th year or higher	536	2	-	73	141	5	19
	Male							
25	Total	470	-	-	132	33	33	11
26	1st year	78	-	-	24	1	2	2
27	2d year	72	-	-	27	2	7	-
28	3d year	59	-	-	20	3	6	-
29	4th year	48	-	-	15	-	13	4
30	5th year or higher	213	-	-	46	28	5	5
	Female							
31	Total	856	3	1	148	163	2	29
32	1st year	208	-	1	57	8	-	5
33	2d year	139	-	-	33	19	2	2
34	3d year	116	-	-	19	10	-	7
35	4th year	69	1	-	13	12	-	2
36	5th year or higher	323	2	-	26	114	-	14

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Liberal arts or humanities	Law	Health, nursing, or medical professions	Mathematics or statistics	Physical or earth sciences	Social sciences	Vocational and technical studies	Other	No major	Do not know and not reported	Line No.
741	220	872	142	193	763	359	1,062	461	1,085	1
251	24	218	30	35	124	120	253	272	492	2
195	43	215	32	37	145	136	230	142	181	3
93	22	164	22	42	149	49	197	24	175	4
107	11	91	35	40	196	35	155	9	122	5
95	119	184	22	40	149	18	228	14	115	6
325	150	303	90	132	374	284	544	224	578	7
97	14	63	19	24	52	101	117	130	258	8
89	23	56	18	18	67	111	119	70	92	9
48	21	42	18	30	76	35	110	10	107	10
38	9	30	20	28	96	28	86	7	63	11
52	82	112	14	32	83	10	112	7	58	12
416	70	569	52	61	389	75	519	237	507	13
153	11	155	11	11	72	19	136	142	234	14
106	20	158	14	19	78	25	111	72	88	15
45	1	122	3	12	73	15	87	14	68	16
68	2	61	15	12	100	8	69	2	59	17
43	37	72	8	7	65	8	116	8	57	18
142	19	125	14	14	130	40	124	56	108	19
31	2	20	3	2	30	21	34	27	21	20
27	3	26	2	2	16	8	16	5	14	21
22	3	24	-	-	22	6	8	8	15	22
9	-	13	-	-	9	2	13	2	10	23
54	11	41	9	11	53	3	53	14	48	24
40	8	13	4	9	39	26	54	12	57	25
12	-	-	-	-	5	14	7	6	7	26
5	2	1	-	-	3	6	10	1	7	27
2	-	1	-	-	8	4	7	2	7	28
-	-	1	-	-	2	-	8	-	5	29
21	7	9	4	9	22	1	21	3	32	30
102	11	112	10	5	91	15	70	43	51	31
19	2	20	3	2	26	6	27	21	14	32
22	1	25	2	2	13	2	5	4	7	33
21	3	23	-	-	14	2	2	6	9	34
9	-	12	-	-	7	2	5	2	5	35
32	5	32	5	2	31	2	32	11	16	36

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(Numbers in thousands. Civilian

Line No.	Year of college, sex and age	All fields	Agriculture or home economics	Biological sciences	Business, commerce, or accounting	Education	Engineering	English or journalism
	PERCENT							
	14 to 34 Years Old							
	Both sexes							
1	Total	100.0	1.5	3.1	19.9	7.9	5.7	2.0
2	1st year	100.0	0.8	2.1	20.9	3.7	5.4	1.3
3	2d year	100.0	2.2	2.6	21.1	6.1	6.6	2.2
4	3d year	100.0	1.3	3.6	21.8	8.4	6.2	2.2
5	4th year	100.0	2.2	3.3	22.3	8.4	5.7	2.7
6	5th year or higher	100.0	1.1	4.6	12.5	16.7	4.7	1.8
	Male							
7	Total	100.0	1.6	3.0	22.2	3.5	9.7	1.3
8	1st year	100.0	0.9	1.9	19.0	1.0	10.7	0.8
9	2d year	100.0	2.8	3.1	22.9	2.4	10.9	1.3
10	3d year	100.0	0.8	3.2	27.5	2.3	9.8	1.5
11	4th year	100.0	2.4	2.6	27.6	3.9	9.6	1.7
12	5th year or higher	100.0	1.1	4.7	16.3	9.3	6.9	1.5
	Female							
13	Total	100.0	1.3	3.1	17.4	12.7	1.4	2.6
14	1st year	100.0	0.7	2.4	22.7	6.1	0.5	1.8
15	2d year	100.0	1.5	2.1	19.3	9.9	2.1	3.1
16	3d year	100.0	1.9	4.1	15.0	15.7	1.7	3.0
17	4th year	100.0	1.9	4.1	16.2	13.5	1.3	3.8
18	5th year or higher	100.0	1.1	4.4	7.6	26.1	1.9	2.2
	35 Years Old and Over							
	Both sexes							
19	Total	100.0	0.2	0.1	21.1	14.8	2.6	3.0
20	1st year	100.0	-	0.3	27.9	3.0	0.6	2.2
21	2d year	100.0	-	-	28.7	10.1	3.9	1.0
22	3d year	100.0	-	-	22.2	7.6	3.6	3.9
23	4th year	100.0	1.1	-	23.6	10.3	11.4	4.9
24	5th year or higher	100.0	0.3	-	13.5	26.3	0.9	3.5
	Male							
25	Total	100.0	0.1	-	28.0	7.1	7.0	2.2
26	1st year	100.0	-	-	30.1	0.7	2.1	2.1
27	2d year	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
28	3d year	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
29	4th year	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
30	5th year or higher	100.0	-	-	21.7	12.9	2.3	2.5
	Female							
31	Total	100.0	0.3	0.1	17.3	19.1	0.2	3.4
32	1st year	100.0	-	0.5	27.1	3.9	-	2.2
33	2d year	100.0	-	-	23.7	13.8	1.2	1.5
34	3d year	100.0	-	-	16.2	9.0	-	5.9
35	4th year	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
36	5th year or higher	100.0	0.6	-	8.2	35.2	-	4.2

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Liberal arts or humanities	Law	Health, nursing, or medical professions	Mathematics or statistics	Physical or earth sciences	Social sciences	Vocational and technical studies	Other	No major	Do not know and not reported	Line No.
7.5	2.2	8.9	1.4	2.0	7.8	3.6	10.8	4.7	11.0	1
9.1	0.9	7.9	1.1	1.3	4.5	4.3	9.1	9.8	17.8	2
8.5	1.9	9.4	1.4	1.6	6.4	6.0	10.0	6.2	7.9	3
5.6	1.3	9.9	1.3	2.5	9.0	3.0	11.9	1.5	10.6	4
7.4	0.8	6.3	2.4	2.8	13.6	2.5	10.7	0.6	8.4	5
5.7	7.1	10.9	1.3	2.4	8.8	1.1	13.6	0.8	6.9	6
6.3	2.9	5.9	1.8	2.6	7.3	5.5	10.6	4.4	11.3	7
7.3	1.0	4.7	1.4	1.8	3.9	7.6	8.8	9.8	19.3	8
7.6	2.0	4.8	1.5	1.5	5.7	9.5	10.2	6.0	7.9	9
5.2	2.4	4.6	2.0	3.3	8.4	3.8	12.1	1.1	11.8	10
4.9	1.2	3.8	2.6	3.6	12.4	3.6	11.1	0.9	8.1	11
5.6	8.8	11.9	1.5	3.4	8.9	1.0	12.0	0.7	6.2	12
8.8	1.5	12.1	1.1	1.3	8.2	1.6	11.0	5.0	10.8	13
10.7	0.7	10.8	0.8	0.8	5.0	1.3	9.5	9.9	16.3	14
9.5	1.8	14.2	1.2	1.7	7.0	2.3	9.9	6.4	7.9	15
6.0	0.1	16.2	0.4	1.6	9.8	1.9	11.6	1.9	9.1	16
10.2	0.3	9.1	2.3	1.8	14.9	1.1	10.3	0.3	8.8	17
5.8	5.0	9.7	1.1	1.0	8.8	1.1	15.6	1.0	7.7	18
10.7	1.4	9.4	1.0	1.1	9.8	3.0	9.3	4.2	8.1	19
10.7	0.6	7.0	1.0	0.6	10.6	7.2	11.7	9.3	7.4	20
12.8	1.3	12.4	0.9	0.8	7.6	4.0	7.4	2.6	6.6	21
12.7	1.8	13.9	-	-	12.4	3.5	4.8	4.7	8.8	22
7.7	-	11.1	-	-	7.7	1.5	11.1	1.3	8.2	23
10.0	2.1	7.7	1.7	2.0	9.8	0.6	9.9	2.6	8.9	24
8.6	1.8	2.7	0.9	1.8	8.2	5.4	11.4	2.7	12.1	25
15.1	-	-	0.2	-	5.8	18.0	8.8	7.8	9.4	26
(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	27
(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	28
(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	29
10.0	3.1	4.3	1.9	4.0	10.1	0.7	10.0	1.6	14.8	30
11.9	1.2	13.1	1.1	0.6	10.7	1.7	8.2	5.1	5.9	31
9.0	0.8	9.7	1.3	0.8	12.4	3.1	12.8	9.8	6.6	32
15.6	0.7	18.2	1.3	1.2	9.3	1.5	3.7	3.1	5.2	33
17.7	2.7	20.0	-	-	12.1	2.1	1.5	5.4	7.4	34
(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	35
9.9	1.5	9.9	1.6	0.6	9.7	0.6	9.8	3.3	5.0	36