

Table 6 - Class of degree achieved by students obtaining first degree qualifications at HEIs in the UK by gender and mode of study 2004/05 to 2008/09(1)

	First degree							Percentage
	1st	Upper 2nd	Lower 2nd	3rd / Pass	Total classified	Unclassified	Total	1st & Upper 2nd
2004/05								
All genders								
Full-time	29440	122840	83240	18225	253745	17600	271345	60%
Part-time	3025	9930	9365	4060	26385	8635	35020	49%
Total	32465	132770	92610	22290	280130	26235	306365	59%
2005/06								
All genders								
Full-time	31415	126420	84270	18175	260280	18110	278385	61%
Part-time	3410	10815	9995	4675	28895	8705	37600	49%
Total	34825	137235	94265	22845	289170	26815	315985	60%
2006/07								
All genders								
Full-time	33030	127685	82250	18280	261240	20755	281995	62%
Part-time	3615	11060	10545	4915	30140	7125	37265	49%
Total	36645	138745	92795	23195	291380	27880	319260	60%
2007/08								
Female								
Full-time	20450	81995	45900	8650	157000	10850	167880	65%
Part-time	2280	7360	6295	2740	18675	4485	23160	52%
Total	22730	89355	52200	11390	175675	15335	191045	64%
Male								
Full-time	16980	54845	38860	10310	120995	8225	129265	59%
Part-time	1435	4045	4040	2260	11780	2695	14475	47%
Total	18415	58890	42900	12570	132775	10920	143740	58%
All genders								
Full-time	37435	136860	84805	18980	278080	19075	297235	63%
Part-time	3715	11405	10340	5010	30470	7180	37655	50%
Total	41150	148265	95145	23990	308550	26260	334890	61%
2008/09								
Female								
Full-time	21370	81590	44485	8465	155910	10480	166440	66%
Part-time	2300	7035	6225	2765	18330	4160	22485	51%
Total	23670	88625	50710	11230	174240	14640	188925	64%
Male								
Full-time	17975	55710	38175	10400	122260	8140	130430	60%
Part-time	1480	4025	4145	2170	11820	2545	14365	47%
Total	19455	59735	42320	12570	134080	10685	144795	59%
All genders								
Full-time	39345	137300	82655	18865	278170	18620	296870	64%
Part-time	3780	11060	10375	4935	30150	6705	36855	49%
Total	43125	148360	93030	23800	308315	25325	333720	62%
Percentage Change 2007/08 - 2008/09								
Female								
Full-time	4%	0%	-3%	-2%	-1%	-3%	-1%	1%
Part-time	1%	-4%	-1%	1%	-2%	-7%	-3%	-1%
Total	4%	-1%	-3%	-1%	-1%	-5%	-1%	1%
Male								
Full-time	6%	2%	-2%	1%	1%	-1%	1%	2%
Part-time	3%	0%	3%	-4%	0%	-6%	-1%	0%
Total	6%	1%	-1%	0%	1%	-2%	1%	1%
All genders								
Full-time	5%	0%	-3%	-1%	0%	-2%	0%	1%
Part-time	2%	-3%	0%	-2%	-1%	-7%	-2%	-1%
Total	5%	0%	-2%	-1%	0%	-4%	0%	1%

In this table 0,1, 2 are rounded to 0. All other numbers are rounded up or down to the nearest multiple of 5.
None of the tables presented should be interpreted without reference to the Notes to Editors and Definitions provided.
(1) Refer to Notes to Editors paragraphs 1, 4, 6, 7 and 8