Table 3b - First Year Full-time Other Undergraduate Students by Subject of Study, Age(1) and Expected Length of Course(2) 1996/97

					Length of Course (years)						
		Total	Under 21 years	21 years & over	<=1	>1& <=2	>2& <=3	>3& <=4	>4& <=5	>5	
1	**1. Medicine & dentistry**	**168**	**30**	**137**	**122**	**20**	**1**	**0**	**18**	**7**	**1**
2	Pre-clinical medicine	**34**	17	17	9	10	0	0	15	0	**2**
3	Pre-clinical dentistry	**9**	7	2	2	0	0	0	0	7	**3**
4	Clinical medicine	**112**	6	106	98	10	1	0	3	0	**4**
5	Clinical dentistry	**13**	0	12	13	0	0	0	0	0	**5**
6	Combined - within Group 1	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**6**
7	**2. Subjects allied to medicine**	**14252**	**4747**	**9471**	**1956**	**1344**	**9569**	**995**	**0**	**1**	**7**
8	Anatomy & physiology	**2**	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	**8**
9	Pharmacology	**11**	9	2	2	9	0	0	0	0	**9**
10	Pharmacy	**18**	0	18	17	0	0	1	0	0	**10**
11	Nutrition	**1**	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	**11**
12	Ophthalmics	**5**	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	**12**
13	Audiology	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**13**
14	Nursing	**13947**	4591	9322	1921	1115	9567	980	0	1	**14**
15	Medical technology	**21**	8	13	0	21	0	0	0	0	**15**
16	Other medical subjects	**247**	139	108	9	199	2	13	0	0	**16**
17	Combined - within Group 2	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**17**
18	**3. Biological sciences**	**1475**	**982**	**475**	**419**	**1026**	**11**	**3**	**0**	**1**	**18**
19	Biology	**616**	442	170	148	450	8	1	0	0	**19**
20	Botany	**1**	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	**20**
21	Zoology	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**21**
22	Genetics	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**22**
23	Microbiology	**2**	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	**23**
24	Molecular biology & biophysics	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**24**
25	Biochemistry	**59**	29	30	39	20	0	0	0	0	**25**
26	Psychology (not solely as social science)	**144**	53	80	134	7	0	2	0	1	**26**
27	Other biological sciences	**648**	455	190	90	549	3	0	0	0	**27**
28	Combined - within Group 3	**5**	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	**28**
29	**4. Veterinary science**	**5**	**1**	**4**	**4**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**29**
30	Veterinary sciences	**5**	1	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	**30**
31	**5. Agriculture & related subjects**	**1679**	**1033**	**632**	**193**	**515**	**947**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**31**
32	Agriculture	**1196**	785	407	141	253	778	3	0	0	**32**
33	Forestry	**61**	26	30	4	0	57	0	0	0	**33**
34	Food science	**135**	64	69	30	68	37	0	0	0	**34**
35	Agricultural sciences	**13**	12	1	0	13	0	0	0	0	**35**
36	Other agricultural subjects	**274**	146	125	18	181	75	0	0	0	**36**
37	Combined - within Group 5	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**37**
38	**6. Physical sciences**	**823**	**402**	**420**	**368**	**328**	**100**	**0**	**0**	**17**	**38**
39	Chemistry	**293**	168	125	118	121	45	0	0	0	**39**
40	Materials science	**7**	4	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	**40**
41	Physics	**181**	57	124	135	27	19	0	0	0	**41**
42	Archaeology as a physical science	**24**	15	9	6	18	0	0	0	0	**42**
43	Astronomy	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**43**
44	Geology	**33**	25	8	6	17	10	0	0	0	**44**
45	Oceanography	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**45**
46	Geography studies as a science	**18**	6	12	15	3	0	0	0	0	**46**
47	Environmental science & other physical sciences	**265**	126	138	85	138	24	0	0	17	**47**
48	Combined - within Group 6	**2**	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	**48**

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		Total	Under 21 years	21 years & over	Length of Course (years) <=1	>1& <=2	>2& <=3	>3& <=4	>4& <=5	>5	
49	**7. Mathematical sciences**	**367**	**130**	**237**	**99**	**110**	**26**	**130**	**0**	**0**	**49**
50	Mathematics	**292**	86	206	87	55	19	130	0	0	**50**
51	Statistics	**27**	7	20	8	18	0	0	0	0	**51**
52	Other mathematical sciences	**48**	37	11	4	37	7	0	0	0	**52**
53	Combined - within Group 7	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**53**
54	**8. Computer science**	**5288**	**3267**	**2011**	**427**	**4139**	**532**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**54**
55	Computing science	**5288**	3267	2011	427	4139	532	3	0	0	**55**
56	**9. Engineering & technology**	**5083**	**2577**	**2491**	**1279**	**2843**	**658**	**84**	**13**	**0**	**56**
57	General engineering	**834**	434	399	329	305	36	78	0	0	**57**
58	Civil engineering	**663**	341	320	149	372	133	0	0	0	**58**
59	Mechanical engineering	**900**	437	461	263	431	142	5	12	0	**59**
60	Aeronautical engineering	**156**	87	69	34	93	29	0	0	0	**60**
61	Electrical engineering	**476**	244	225	38	341	85	0	0	0	**61**
62	Electronic engineering	**753**	371	381	175	506	30	0	0	0	**62**
63	Production engineering	**229**	137	92	20	173	28	1	1	0	**63**
64	Chemical engineering	**76**	24	52	52	24	0	0	0	0	**64**
65	Other engineering	**34**	2	31	32	2	0	0	0	0	**65**
66	Minerals technology	**38**	19	19	11	27	0	0	0	0	**66**
67	Metallurgy	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**67**
68	Ceramics & glasses	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**68**
69	Polymers & textiles	**265**	123	141	23	239	0	0	0	0	**69**
70	Other materials technology	**118**	72	46	4	80	34	0	0	0	**70**
71	Maritime technology	**135**	66	69	34	65	36	0	0	0	**71**
72	Biotechnology	**13**	11	2	1	12	0	0	0	0	**72**
73	Other technologies	**45**	29	16	1	43	0	0	0	0	**73**
74	Combined - within Group 9	**348**	180	168	113	130	105	0	0	0	**74**
75	**10. Architecture, building & planning**	**1704**	**750**	**950**	**314**	**939**	**359**	**0**	**11**	**0**	**75**
76	Architecture	**321**	33	288	150	165	0	0	6	0	**76**
77	Building	**956**	532	421	55	553	290	0	0	0	**77**
78	Environmental technologies	**157**	58	98	3	57	69	0	5	0	**78**
79	Town & country planning	**227**	115	112	78	149	0	0	0	0	**79**
80	Other architectural studies	**43**	12	31	28	15	0	0	0	0	**80**
81	Combined - within Group 10	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**81**
82	**11. Social, economic & political studies**	**3096**	**562**	**2521**	**616**	**2154**	**194**	**35**	**0**	**0**	**82**
83	Economics	**172**	71	101	164	4	2	1	0	0	**83**
84	Sociology	**142**	34	108	62	73	5	0	0	0	**84**
85	Social policy & administration	**235**	37	198	60	70	96	2	0	0	**85**
86	Social work	**1993**	143	1837	27	1772	83	27	0	0	**86**
87	Anthropology	**18**	7	11	18	0	0	0	0	0	**87**
88	Psychology (without significant element of biological science)	**20**	8	12	13	5	1	0	0	0	**88**
89	Geography (unless solely as a physical science)	**21**	3	18	21	0	0	0	0	0	**89**
90	Politics	**318**	217	101	98	215	3	1	0	0	**90**
91	Other social studies	**142**	36	106	126	15	0	0	0	0	**91**
92	Combined - within Group 11	**35**	6	29	27	0	4	4	0	0	**92**
93	**12. Law**	**1237**	**183**	**1054**	**1008**	**167**	**33**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**93**
94	Law	**1237**	183	1054	1008	167	33	0	0	0	**94**

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95	**13. Business & administrative studies**	**11542**	**8079**	**3437**	**1259**	**8242**	**1702**	**95**	**0**	**21**	**95**
96	Business & management studies	**6981**	5126	1834	623	5492	693	27	0	0	**96**
97	Operational research	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**97**
98	Financial management	**159**	102	57	13	146	0	0	0	0	**98**
99	Accountancy	**800**	305	494	403	289	0	53	0	21	**99**
100	Marketing & market research	**584**	417	167	41	524	15	4	0	0	**100**
101	Industrial relations	**116**	91	25	0	115	0	1	0	0	**101**
102	Catering & institutional management	**2285**	1638	643	20	1251	962	10	0	0	**102**
103	Land & property management	**43**	22	21	19	24	0	0	0	0	**103**
104	Transport, other business & admin studies	**160**	107	53	38	90	32	0	0	0	**104**
105	Combined - within Group 13	**414**	271	143	102	311	0	0	0	0	**105**
106	**14. Librarianship & information science**	**334**	**141**	**193**	**129**	**192**	**0**	**11**	**0**	**0**	**106**
107	Librarianship	**6**	0	6	3	0	0	3	0	0	**107**
108	Information science	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**108**
109	Communication studies	**17**	6	11	7	0	0	8	0	0	**109**
110	Media studies	**195**	92	103	67	128	0	0	0	0	**110**
111	Publishing	**26**	0	26	26	0	0	0	0	0	**111**
112	Journalism	**78**	38	40	26	52	0	0	0	0	**112**
113	Combined - within Group 14	**12**	5	7	0	12	0	0	0	0	**113**
114	**15. Languages**	**1590**	**467**	**1114**	**1529**	**36**	**13**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**114**
115	Linguistics	**7**	5	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	**115**
116	Comparative literature	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**116**
117	English	**840**	285	554	816	15	1	2	0	0	**117**
118	American studies	**25**	18	7	25	0	0	0	0	0	**118**
119	Celtic languages, literature & culture	**10**	5	5	0	10	0	0	0	0	**119**
120	Latin language & literature	**2**	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	**120**
121	Ancient Greek language & literature	**2**	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	**121**
122	Classics	**28**	5	23	28	0	0	0	0	0	**122**
123	Other ancient languages & related studies	**6**	2	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	**123**
124	French language, literature & culture	**79**	19	60	79	0	0	0	0	0	**124**
125	German language, literature & culture	**36**	4	31	35	0	0	0	0	0	**125**
126	Italian language, literature & culture	**22**	1	18	22	0	0	0	0	0	**126**
127	Spanish language, literature & culture	**47**	10	35	47	0	0	0	0	0	**127**
128	Portuguese language, literature & culture	**2**	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	**128**
129	Latin American languages, literature & culture	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**129**
130	Scandinavian languages, literature & culture	**7**	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	**130**
131	Russian languages, literature & culture	**1**	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	**131**
132	Slavonic & East European languages, literature & culture	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**132**
133	Other European languages,literature & culture	**66**	22	44	46	8	11	0	0	0	**133**
134	Chinese languages, literature & culture	**14**	3	11	14	0	0	0	0	0	**134**
135	Japanese languages, literature & culture	**5**	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	**135**
136	Other Asian languages, literature & culture	**3**	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	**136**
137	Modern Middle Eastern languages, literature & culture	**12**	3	9	12	0	0	0	0	0	**137**
138	African languages, literature & culture	**1**	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	**138**
139	Other language studies	**24**	3	21	22	0	0	0	0	0	**139**
140	Other or unspecified modern languages	**332**	75	255	331	1	0	0	0	0	**140**
141	Combined - within Group 15	**19**	5	14	16	2	1	0	0	0	**141**

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142	**16. Humanities**	**379**	**121**	**256**	**304**	**72**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	142
143	History	**169**	54	115	130	38	0	1	0	0	143
144	Economic & social history	**15**	3	12	15	0	0	0	0	0	144
145	History of art	**34**	13	21	31	3	0	0	0	0	145
146	History & philosophy of science	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	146
147	Archaeology	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	147
148	Philosophy	**45**	14	31	27	18	0	0	0	0	148
149	Theology & religious studies	**93**	28	65	80	11	1	1	0	0	149
150	Other humanities	**19**	7	10	19	0	0	0	0	0	150
151	Combined - within Group 16	**4**	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	151
152	**17. Creative arts & design**	**3338**	**2097**	**1207**	**461**	**2410**	**335**	**5**	**6**	**0**	152
153	Fine art	**61**	30	31	29	20	6	1	0	0	153
154	Design studies	**2156**	1400	727	37	1768	256	0	0	0	154
155	Music	**300**	159	141	49	181	60	4	0	0	155
156	Drama	**223**	136	85	66	154	3	0	0	0	156
157	Cinematics	**192**	103	89	0	183	9	0	0	0	157
158	Crafts	**13**	5	8	0	13	0	0	0	0	158
159	Beauty & hairdressing	**49**	17	32	0	49	0	0	0	0	159
160	Art & design other	**201**	130	68	138	41	1	0	6	0	160
161	Combined - within Group 17	**143**	117	26	142	1	0	0	0	0	161
162	**18. Education**	**454**	**187**	**265**	**235**	**182**	**27**	**1**	**7**	**0**	162
163	Teacher training	**15**	0	15	13	1	0	1	0	0	163
164	Physical education	**188**	152	36	25	136	27	0	0	0	164
165	Academic studies in education	**131**	30	101	95	34	0	0	0	0	165
166	Techniques in teaching children	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	166
167	Techniques in teaching adults	**85**	5	80	78	0	0	0	7	0	167
168	Education for those with special needs	**12**	0	12	1	11	0	0	0	0	168
169	Technology in education	**1**	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	169
170	Management & organisation of education	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	170
171	Other topics in education	**22**	0	20	22	0	0	0	0	0	171
172	Combined - within Group 18	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	172
173	**19. Combined**	**8474**	**3089**	**5129**	**7436**	**635**	**262**	**79**	**4**	**0**	173
174	Combined or general science	**894**	302	592	858	8	12	5	0	0	174
175	Combined or general social science	**1257**	566	689	1253	0	1	1	0	0	175
176	Combined or general arts	**1827**	719	1103	1732	15	55	3	0	0	176
177	Other combined or general courses/modular courses	**3403**	914	2243	3126	90	103	63	4	0	177
178	Combined general & leisure courses not elsewhere specified	**373**	295	75	3	301	69	0	0	0	178
179	Research methods	**213**	97	116	213	0	0	0	0	0	179
180	Balanced combination across different subject areas	**507**	196	311	251	221	22	7	0	0	180
181	Subject unknown	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	181
182	**Total - all subject areas**	**61288**	**28845**	**32004**	**18158**	**25355**	**14770**	**1448**	**59**	**47**	182

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