

Table 192. Total fall enrollment in degree-granting institutions by state or jurisdiction: Selected years, 1970 to 2001

State or jurisdiction	Institutions of higher education ¹				Degree-granting institutions ²						Percent change, 1996 to 2001
	Fall 1970	Fall 1980	Fall 1990	Fall 1995	Fall 1996	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999 ³	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
United States	8,580,887	12,096,895	13,818,637	14,261,781	14,367,520	14,502,334	14,506,967	14,791,224	15,312,289	15,927,987	10.9
Alabama	103,936	164,306	218,589	225,612	220,711	218,785	216,241	223,144	233,962	236,146	7.0
Alaska	9,471	21,296	29,833	29,348	28,806	27,915	27,652	26,948	27,953	27,756	-3.6
Arizona	109,619	202,716	264,148	273,981	288,036	292,730	302,123	326,159	342,490	366,485	27.2
Arkansas	52,039	77,607	90,425	98,180	108,636	112,342	113,751	115,092	115,172	122,282	12.6
California	1,257,245	1,790,993	1,808,740	1,817,042	1,900,099	1,958,200	1,949,508	2,017,483	2,256,708	2,380,090	25.3
Colorado	123,395	162,916	227,131	242,739	245,112	252,245	257,247	261,744	263,872	269,292	9.9
Connecticut	124,700	159,632	168,604	157,695	154,139	153,128	153,336	156,907	161,243	165,027	7.1
Delaware	25,260	32,939	42,004	44,307	44,838	44,890	46,260	46,613	43,897	47,104	5.1
District of Columbia	77,158	86,675	79,551	77,277	74,460	72,397	72,388	72,118	72,689	87,252	17.2
Florida	235,525	411,891	588,086	637,303	645,832	658,259	661,187	684,745	707,684	753,554	16.7
Georgia	126,511	184,159	251,786	314,712	300,795	306,238	303,685	311,812	346,204	376,098	25.0
Hawaii	36,562	47,181	56,436	63,198	62,844	61,514	61,615	62,578	60,182	62,079	-1.2
Idaho	34,567	43,018	51,881	59,566	60,411	61,641	63,085	64,661	65,594	69,674	15.3
Illinois	452,146	644,245	729,246	717,854	721,133	726,199	729,084	733,182	743,918	748,444	3.8
Indiana	192,668	247,253	284,832	289,615	290,184	295,517	299,176	304,725	314,334	338,715	16.7
Iowa	108,902	140,449	170,515	173,835	178,860	180,967	181,944	186,780	188,974	194,822	8.9
Kansas	102,485	136,605	163,733	177,643	173,865	177,544	177,561	176,737	179,968	184,943	6.4
Kentucky	98,591	143,066	177,852	178,858	178,904	178,924	180,550	181,626	188,341	214,839	20.1
Louisiana	120,728	160,058	186,840	203,935	213,993	219,196	221,110	221,348	223,800	228,871	7.0
Maine	34,134	43,264	57,186	56,547	56,017	56,368	56,986	57,822	58,473	61,127	9.1
Maryland	149,607	225,526	259,700	266,310	260,757	261,262	265,173	268,820	273,745	288,224	10.5
Massachusetts	303,809	418,415	417,833	413,794	411,676	412,620	415,501	419,695	421,142	425,071	3.3
Michigan	392,726	520,131	569,803	548,339	547,629	549,742	557,011	558,998	567,631	585,998	7.0
Minnesota	160,788	206,691	253,789	280,816	284,964	269,887	271,612	282,756	293,445	308,233	8.2
Mississippi	73,967	102,364	122,883	122,690	126,027	130,561	132,438	133,170	137,389	137,882	9.4
Missouri	183,930	234,421	289,899	291,536	293,584	302,896	310,507	317,480	321,348	331,580	12.9
Montana	30,062	35,177	35,876	42,674	43,550	44,141	44,150	43,114	42,240	44,932	3.2
Nebraska	66,915	89,488	112,831	115,718	120,689	111,542	111,123	110,806	112,117	113,817	-5.7
Nevada	13,669	40,455	61,728	67,826	73,970	76,417	83,120	89,711	87,893	93,368	26.2
New Hampshire	29,400	46,794	59,510	64,327	64,396	63,811	60,784	63,366	61,718	65,031	1.0
New Jersey	216,121	321,610	324,286	333,831	328,143	325,754	325,885	330,537	335,945	346,507	5.6
New Mexico	44,461	58,283	85,500	102,405	106,662	108,560	108,810	111,896	110,739	112,861	5.8
New York	806,479	992,237	1,048,286	1,041,566	1,028,351	1,024,498	1,014,220	1,020,991	1,043,395	1,057,794	2.9
North Carolina	171,925	287,537	352,138	372,030	372,993	373,717	387,407	395,907	404,652	427,784	14.7
North Dakota	31,495	34,069	37,878	40,399	41,142	38,937	39,441	40,348	40,248	42,843	4.1
Ohio	376,267	489,145	557,690	540,275	544,371	537,169	542,077	548,545	549,553	569,223	4.6
Oklahoma	110,155	160,295	173,221	180,676	177,166	177,157	178,507	179,055	178,016	189,785	7.1
Oregon	122,177	157,458	165,741	167,145	166,662	169,852	171,056	175,635	183,065	191,378	14.8
Pennsylvania	411,044	507,716	604,060	617,759	587,447	588,185	595,749	605,283	609,521	630,299	7.3
Rhode Island	45,898	66,869	78,273	74,100	72,432	72,078	73,970	74,821	75,450	77,235	6.6
South Carolina	69,518	132,476	159,302	174,125	174,303	176,278	181,353	183,626	185,931	191,590	9.9
South Dakota	30,639	32,761	34,208	36,695	39,820	39,042	41,545	42,147	43,221	45,534	14.3
Tennessee	135,103	204,581	226,238	245,962	247,637	249,805	251,319	252,915	263,910	258,534	4.4
Texas	442,225	701,391	901,437	952,525	959,698	969,283	978,550	990,587	1,033,973	1,076,678	12.2
Utah	81,687	93,987	121,303	147,324	152,262	157,891	151,232	161,591	163,776	177,045	16.3
Vermont	22,209	30,628	36,398	35,065	35,779	36,482	37,054	36,728	35,489	36,351	1.6
Virginia	151,915	280,504	353,442	355,919	355,190	364,904	370,142	377,970	381,893	389,853	9.8
Washington	183,544	303,603	263,384	285,819	303,450	315,281	298,974	306,723	320,840	325,132	7.1
West Virginia	63,153	81,973	84,790	86,034	87,099	87,965	88,107	88,657	87,888	91,319	4.8
Wisconsin	202,058	269,086	299,774	300,223	299,522	298,248	301,963	304,776	307,179	315,850	5.5
Wyoming	15,220	21,147	31,326	30,176	30,805	30,280	29,707	29,002	30,004	31,095	0.9
U.S. Service Schools ⁴ ..	17,079	49,808	48,692	88,451	81,669	83,090	13,991	13,344	13,475	14,561	-82.2
Outlying areas	67,237	137,749	164,618	183,657	182,536	178,154	181,244	185,244	194,633	201,642	10.5
American Samoa	0	976	1,219	1,232	1,239	1,248	909	1,172	297	1,178	-4.9
Federated States of Micronesia	0	224	975	1,296	1,396	1,372	772	1,506	1,576	2,243	60.7
Guam	2,719	3,217	4,741	6,010	5,335	5,533	5,758	5,727	5,215	4,869	-8.7
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	418	431	459	513	616	328	220	-49.0
Northern Marianas	0	0	661	959	1,096	1,136	1,239	1,080	1,078	982	-10.4
Palau	0	0	491	351	332	330	424	569	581	579	74.4
Puerto Rico	63,073	131,184	154,065	170,337	169,809	165,466	168,983	171,832	183,290	188,430	11.0
Virgin Islands	1,445	2,148	2,466	3,054	2,898	2,610	2,646	2,742	2,268	3,141	8.4

¹ Institutions that were accredited by an agency or association that was recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, or recognized directly by the Secretary of Education.

² Data are for 4-year and 2-year degree-granting institutions that participated in Title IV federal financial aid programs.

³ Data were imputed using alternative procedures. (See Guide to Sources for details.)

⁴ Data for 1998 and later years reflect substantial changes in survey coverage.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Higher Education General Information Survey (HEGIS), "Fall Enrollment in Colleges and Universities" surveys, 1970 and 1980; and Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS), "Fall Enrollment" surveys, 1990 through 1999, and Spring 2001 and Spring 2002 surveys. (This table was prepared August 2003.)