

**Table 243.—Institutions of higher education that have closed their doors, by control and type of institution: 1960–61 to 1996–97**

Year	All institutions			Public			Private		
	Total	4-year	2-year	Total	4-year	2-year	Total	4-year	2-year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<b>Excluding branch campuses: Total, 1960–61 to 1991–92 .....</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>127</b>
1960–61 .....	8	1	7	1	—	1	7	1	6
1961–62 .....	2	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	1
1962–63 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1963–64 .....	7	1	6	1	—	1	6	1	5
1964–65 .....	8	1	7	4	—	4	4	1	3
1965–66 .....	8	2	6	4	—	4	4	2	2
1966–67 .....	9	2	7	3	—	3	6	2	4
1967–68 .....	14	6	8	—	—	—	14	6	8
1968–69 .....	21	11	10	1	—	1	20	11	9
1969–70 .....	18	8	10	3	—	3	15	8	7
1970–71 .....	32	9	23	9	—	9	23	9	14
1971–72 .....	12	3	9	3	—	3	9	3	6
1972–73 .....	19	12	7	2	—	2	17	12	5
1973–74 .....	18	11	7	—	—	—	18	11	7
1974–75 .....	17	13	4	3	—	3	14	13	1
1975–76 .....	8	6	2	2	1	1	6	5	1
1976–77 .....	8	5	3	—	—	—	8	5	3
1977–78 .....	12	9	3	—	—	—	12	9	3
1978–79 .....	9	4	5	—	—	—	9	4	5
1979–80 .....	6	5	1	—	—	—	6	5	1
1980–81 .....	4	3	1	—	—	—	4	3	1
1981–82 .....	7	6	1	—	—	—	7	6	1
1982–83 .....	7	4	3	—	—	—	7	4	3
1983–84 .....	4	4	—	—	—	—	4	4	—
1984–85 .....	4	4	—	—	—	—	4	4	—
1985–86 .....	10	6	4	1	—	1	9	6	3
1986–87 and 1987–88 .....	25	19	6	1	—	1	24	19	5
1988–89 .....	14	6	8	—	—	—	14	6	8
1989–90 .....	12	6	6	—	—	—	12	6	6
1990–91 .....	10	4	6	—	—	—	10	4	6
1991–92 .....	10	7	3	—	—	—	10	7	3
<b>Including branch campuses: Total, 1969–70 to 1996–97 .....</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>202</b>
1969–70 .....	24	10	14	5	1	4	19	9	10
1970–71 .....	35	10	25	11	—	11	24	10	14
1971–72 .....	14	5	9	3	—	3	11	5	6
1972–73 .....	21	12	9	4	—	4	17	12	5
1973–74 .....	20	12	8	1	—	1	19	12	7
1974–75 .....	18	13	5	4	—	4	14	13	1
1975–76 .....	9	7	2	2	1	1	7	6	1
1976–77 .....	9	6	3	—	—	—	9	6	3
1977–78 .....	12	9	3	—	—	—	12	9	3
1978–79 .....	9	4	5	—	—	—	9	4	5
1979–80 .....	6	5	1	—	—	—	6	5	1
1980–81 .....	4	3	1	—	—	—	4	3	1
1981–82 .....	7	6	1	—	—	—	7	6	1
1982–83 .....	7	4	3	—	—	—	7	4	3
1983–84 .....	5	5	—	1	1	—	4	4	—
1984–85 .....	4	4	—	—	—	—	4	4	—
1985–86 .....	12	8	4	1	1	—	11	7	4
1986–87 and 1987–88 .....	26	19	7	1	—	1	25	19	6
1988–89 .....	14	6	8	—	—	—	14	6	8
1989–90 .....	19	8	11	—	—	—	19	8	11
1990–91 .....	18	6	12	—	—	—	18	6	12
1991–92 .....	26	8	18	1	—	1	25	8	17
1992–93 .....	24	6	18	—	—	—	24	6	18
1993–94 .....	38	10	28	1	—	1	37	10	27
1994–95 .....	15	8	7	2	—	2	13	8	5
1995–96 .....	21	8	13	1	1	—	20	7	13
1996–97 .....	31	10	21	1	—	1	30	10	20

—Data not applicable or not available.

NOTE.—This table indicates the year in which the institution closed. Some data revised from previously published figures.

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