

TABLE B-42. Standard errors for labor force status of 2001 and 2002 S&E master's degree recipients, by major field of degree and sex: October 2003

Major field and sex	All recipients	In labor force			Not in labor force
		Total	Employed	Unemployed	
All fields	2,906	3,069	3,491	1,557	1,944
Sciences	1,523	1,458	1,668	800	1,016
Male	1,110	1,105	1,202	513	689
Female	1,243	1,250	1,314	470	718
Biological, agricultural, and environmental life sciences	497	597	601	S	327
Male	500	480	480	S	S
Female	557	572	555	S	241
Computer and information sciences	1,137	977	1,151	700	S
Male	1,247	961	1,109	S	S
Female	918	836	807	S	S
Mathematics and statistics	298	357	355	S	263
Male	330	335	329	S	S
Female	241	224	220	S	S
Physical and related sciences	151	243	297	S	214
Male	345	363	381	S	S
Female	324	317	308	S	S
Psychology	412	607	591	S	S
Male	808	786	786	S	S
Female	933	987	961	S	S
Social sciences	626	661	667	229	477
Male	727	707	690	S	316
Female	676	609	627	S	423
Engineering	669	725	837	455	522
Male	930	904	950	372	477
Female	647	620	636	S	208
Health	2,282	2,483	2,816	S	S
Male	839	839	839	S	S
Female	2,162	2,452	2,581	S	S

S = data with weighted values less than 100 or unweighted sample sizes less than 20 are suppressed for reasons of data reliability.

S&E = science and engineering.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, National Survey of Recent College Graduates, 2003.