



Age and institution type	1973	1975	1977	1979	1981	1983	1985	1987	1989	1991	1993	1995	1997	1999	2001	2003	2006	2008	2010	2013	2015
Younger than 30	3.4	3.0	2.5	2.2	2.1	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.6	0.8	1.2	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.3
30-34	20.6	18.8	16.4	14.9	14.1	11.2	11.4	9.8	9.3	9.1	9.4	7.8	7.2	6.6	6.9	6.3	7.8	7.4	7.7	7.0	6.8
35-39	19.3	20.3	21.0	21.7	19.8	18.0	17.9	16.6	17.1	16.6	16.6	16.5	14.3	13.9	12.5	12.4	13.0	12.6	12.8	12.2	12.5
40-44	16.4	16.3	16.2	17.2	18.8	20.2	20.0	18.7	17.2	17.5	17.6	18.1	17.7	17.6	17.0	16.1	14.5	14.5	12.9	14.5	14.7
45-49	14.3	14.2	14.7	13.9	12.6	14.9	15.4	17.8	18.4	17.8	16.9	17.0	16.6	16.6	16.5	17.0	15.5	14.2	13.5	12.8	12.9
50-54	11.4	12.2	12.3	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.9	13.8	15.6	16.0	16.5	17.3	16.0	16.5	15.4	15.4	15.8	15.7	14.1	13.1
55-59	7.7	8.3	9.3	10.0	10.4	10.8	9.8	10.3	10.9	10.7	11.0	11.7	12.9	14.5	13.8	14.4	14.9	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.0
60-64	4.8	5.0	5.4	5.8	6.8	8.0	8.2	8.5	8.0	7.7	7.8	7.3	8.1	9.1	10.4	11.1	10.4	11.6	12.4	12.8	13.9
65-75	2.1	1.9	2.2	2.3	3.2	3.5	4.1	4.3	4.8	4.2	3.7	4.0	4.8	5.2	5.6	6.7	7.8	9.1	10.3	12.1	12.0
Other universities and colleges, all ages (years)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Younger than 30	3.8	2.8	2.1	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4
30-34	23.6	21.4	17.5	14.1	12.2	9.4	8.2	7.1	6.3	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.5	6.3	6.7	7.3	7.0	6.5	6.6	6.9	6.9
35-39	20.7	23.0	26.5	25.1	21.6	19.1	18.5	15.2	13.1	13.1	14.1	13.9	12.5	12.5	12.0	12.1	12.6	12.8	12.2	12.3	13.4
40-44	16.8	17.0	16.6	18.4	22.3	24.9	22.8	21.3	20.1	18.1	16.7	16.0	16.1	15.4	14.9	13.7	14.3	13.5	13.4	14.5	14.4
45-49	12.8	13.3	13.9	14.3	15.0	15.2	18.8	22.5	23.4	20.9	19.9	18.6	17.1	16.7	16.7	16.6	14.9	13.8	13.7	13.2	13.9
50-54	10.5	10.3	10.4	11.6	11.8	12.7	12.0	13.4	15.4	19.2	20.8	20.6	19.1	17.0	17.7	15.8	15.8	15.5	15.2	13.9	13.4
55-59	6.2	6.5	7.5	8.5	8.4	9.8	9.6	10.8	11.2	11.3	10.2	12.8	15.5	18.2	16.7	16.2	15.4	16.0	15.5	15.1	13.2
60-64	3.6	4.2	4.2	5.1	5.8	5.9	6.3	6.6	7.4	6.8	7.1	7.0	7.8	9.2	10.6	13.0	12.4	12.9	13.2	12.8	13.2
65-75	1.8	1.6	1.2	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.7	3.7	3.8	4.8	6.9	8.5	9.4	11.0	11.3



^a Research universities are 1994 Carnegie classification research I universities from 1973 to 2003. Research universities are 2005 Carnegie classification very high research activity universities from 2006 to 2015.

Note(s)

Full-time faculty includes full professors, associate professors, assistant professors, and instructors from 1973 to 1995; from 1997 to 2015, full-time faculty includes full professors, associate professors, and assistant professors. Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Numbers are rounded to the nearest 100.

Source(s)

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