Table 14. Years of School Completed by Persons 18 Years Old and Over, by Age, Sex, Race, and Hispanic Origin, for the 25 Largest States: March 1991

[Numbers in thousands. Noninstitutional population]

Age, sex, race, Hispanic origin, and State	Total population	Completed 4 years of high school or more		Completed 4 years of college or more	
		Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]	Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]
Alabama					
18 years and over	2 973	68.5	2.4	13.6	1.8
18 to 24 years	465	75.1	5.6	3.8	2.5
25 to 44 years	1 244	81.9	3.1	21.3	3.3
45 to 64 years	821	60.8	4.8	10.4	3.0
65 years and over	443	38.4	6.5	8.3	3.7
25 years and over	2 508	67.3	2.6	15.4	2.0
Male	1 156	68.1	3.8	16.4	3.1
Female	1 352	66.6	3.6	14.6	2.7
White	1 851	68.9	3.0	16.6	2.4
Black	643	62.4	6.2	11.4	4.1
Hispanic origin[2]	14	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Arizona					
18 years and over	2 630	80.2	2.1	20.2	2.1
18 to 24 years	326	75.0	6.5	4.6	3.1
25 to 44 years	1 165	88.6	2.5	24.2	3.4
45 to 64 years	623	80.2	4.3	23.9	4.6
65 years and over	516	64.7	5.7	16.8	4.4
25 years and over	2 303	81.0	2.2	22.5	2.3
Male	1 104	80.2	3.2	24.6	3.5
Female	1 200	81.7	3.0	20.5	3.1
White	2 224	80.9	2.2	22.1	2.4
Black	27	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Hispanic origin[2]	353	52.2	8.3	9.2	4.8
California					
18 years and over	21 655	77.0	.8	21.6	.8
18 to 24 years	3 149	72.3	2.3	6.2	1.3
25 to 44 years	10 193	81.0	1.1	26.9	1.3
45 to 64 years	5 203	78.1	1.7	25.2	1.8
65 years and over	3 111	66.6	2.5	13.5	1.8
25 years and over	18 507	77.8	.9	24.2	.9
Male	9 053	78.3	1.3	27.8	1.4
Female	9 454	77.3	1.3	20.7	1.2
White	15 642	77.4	1.0	23.5	1.0
Black	1 026	78.7	4.4	15.6	3.9
Hispanic origin[2]	3 906	43.9	2.7	7.4	1.4
Florida					
18 years and over	10 078	79.2	1.0	18.0	.9
18 to 24 years	1 225	75.3	3.1	6.7	1.8
25 to 44 years	4 127	87.6	1.3	22.3	1.6
45 to 64 years	2 508	79.2	2.0	19.3	2.0
65 years and over	2 217	65.7	2.5	14.7	1.9
25 years and over	8 853	79.7	1.1	19.5	1.0
Male	4 177	79.6	1.5	22.1	1.6
Female	4 676	79.8	1.5	17.2	1.4
White	7 637	81.5	1.1	20.5	1.1
Black	1 086	67.3	4.1	11.0	2.7
Hispanic origin[2]	1 082	65.5	4.2	17.3	3.3
Georgia					
18 years and over	4 658	73.2	2.3	18.6	2.0
18 to 24 years	567	68.0	6.8	2.1	2.1
25 to 44 years	2 303	84.1	2.7	26.4	3.2
45 to 64 years	1 103	68.5	4.9	15.8	3.8
65 years and over	685	48.5	6.7	10.6	4.1
25 years and over	4 091	73.9	2.4	20.9	2.2
Male	1 908	74.4	3.5	24.8	3.5
Female	2 183	73.5	3.3	17.5	2.8
White	2 787	77.8	2.8	23.4	2.8
Black	1 235	65.1	5.5	14.0	4.0
Hispanic origin[2]	67	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Illinois					
18 years and over	8 671	80.4	1.1	22.0	1.1
18 to 24 years	1 148	82.4	2.8	9.5	2.2
25 to 44 years	3 893	86.4	1.4	28.5	1.8
45 to 64 years	2 241	81.9	2.1	24.2	2.3
65 years and over	1 390	59.4	3.3	10.8	2.1
25 years and over	7 523	80.1	1.2	24.0	1.2
Male	3 571	81.3	1.6	27.1	1.9
Female	3 952	79.0	1.6	21.2	1.6
White	6 309	82.2	1.2	25.0	1.4
Black	1 061	66.8	4.2	14.0	3.1
Hispanic origin[2]	419	41.0	7.1	9.2	4.1

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Age, sex, race, Hispanic origin, and State	Total population	Completed 4 years of high school or more		Completed 4 years of college or more	
		Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]	Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]
Indiana					
18 years and over	4 106	76.7	2.3	13.6	1.8
18 to 24 years	582	75.2	6.1	7.0	3.6
25 to 44 years	1 806	84.3	2.9	17.4	3.0
45 to 64 years	1 024	79.5	4.3	14.9	3.8
65 years and over	694	54.0	6.5	7.3	3.4
25 years and over	3 524	76.9	2.4	14.7	2.0
Male	1 636	76.9	3.6	16.6	3.1
Female	1 888	77.0	3.3	13.0	2.6
White	3 282	77.9	2.5	15.5	2.2
Black	234	64.4	12.4	4.3	5.3
Hispanic origin[2]	57	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Kentucky					
18 years and over	2 734	68.7	2.4	13.3	1.8
18 to 24 years	395	78.4	5.6	4.9	2.9
25 to 44 years	1 149	80.2	3.2	19.6	3.2
45 to 64 years	729	61.9	4.8	10.5	3.1
65 years and over	461	42.4	6.2	9.3	3.6
25 years and over	2 339	67.1	2.6	14.8	2.0
Male	1 095	66.1	3.9	16.7	3.0
Female	1 244	67.9	3.6	13.1	2.6
White	2 210	67.2	2.7	15.2	2.1
Black	121	64.2	13.7	6.4	7.0
Hispanic origin[2]	7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Louisiana					
18 years and over	3 005	72.9	2.4	16.8	2.0
18 to 24 years	511	81.5	5.1	7.9	3.6
25 to 44 years	1 217	82.4	3.2	20.8	3.5
45 to 64 years	817	70.8	4.7	19.5	4.1
65 years and over	459	41.4	6.8	11.0	4.3
25 years and over	2 494	71.1	2.7	18.6	2.3
Male	1 140	69.4	4.1	22.1	3.7
Female	1 353	72.5	3.6	15.6	2.9
White	1 855	79.1	2.8	22.4	2.9
Black	614	48.1	7.0	6.9	3.5
Hispanic origin[2]	19	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Maryland					
18 years and over	3 563	79.1	2.2	23.2	2.3
18 to 24 years	413	85.3	5.6	10.1	4.8
25 to 44 years	1 636	87.5	2.6	29.0	3.6
45 to 64 years	983	75.6	4.4	24.6	4.4
65 years and over	532	54.6	7.0	12.9	4.7
25 years and over	3 151	78.2	2.4	24.9	2.5
Male	1 522	78.6	3.4	30.1	3.8
Female	1 628	77.9	3.3	20.1	3.2
White	2 330	82.4	2.5	28.3	3.0
Black	751	63.7	6.6	12.6	4.5
Hispanic origin[2]	68	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Massachusetts					
18 years and over	4 514	83.7	1.0	27.5	1.2
18 to 24 years	604	83.7	2.8	12.7	2.5
25 to 44 years	2 018	90.7	1.2	38.6	2.0
45 to 64 years	1 135	83.0	2.0	24.3	2.3
65 years and over	758	65.9	3.2	14.3	2.3
25 years and over	3 910	83.7	1.1	29.8	1.3
Male	1 835	83.8	1.6	35.0	2.0
Female	2 076	83.6	1.5	25.1	1.7
White	3 692	84.2	1.1	29.8	1.4
Black	141	72.8	8.0	25.1	7.8
Hispanic origin[2]	109	59.0	10.0	25.0	8.8
Michigan					
18 years and over	6 766	79.7	1.1	15.8	1.0
18 to 24 years	951	79.1	2.9	5.5	1.7
25 to 44 years	2 984	89.2	1.3	20.6	1.7
45 to 64 years	1 826	77.6	2.2	17.5	2.0
65 years and over	1 006	55.8	3.5	8.3	1.9
25 years and over	5 815	79.8	1.2	17.5	1.1
Male	2 835	78.8	1.7	20.1	1.7
Female	2 980	80.7	1.6	14.9	1.5
White	4 999	81.1	1.2	18.0	1.2
Black	712	71.8	4.4	10.6	3.0
Hispanic origin[2]	67	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

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Age, sex, race, Hispanic origin, and State	Total population	Completed 4 years of high school or more		Completed 4 years of college or more	
		Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]	Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]
Minnesota					
18 years and over	3 207	86.7	1.8	20.1	2.1
18 to 24 years	417	82.7	5.6	5.7	3.4
25 to 44 years	1 461	95.8	1.6	27.0	3.5
45 to 64 years	828	86.4	3.6	20.3	4.2
65 years and over	501	64.2	6.4	11.7	4.3
25 years and over	2 791	87.3	1.9	22.3	2.4
Male	1 322	84.4	3.0	26.3	3.6
Female	1 469	89.9	2.4	18.7	3.0
White	2 687	87.6	1.9	22.5	2.4
Black	68	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Hispanic origin[2]	18	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Missouri					
18 years and over	3 782	80.6	2.1	17.9	2.0
18 to 24 years	527	78.9	5.8	10.1	4.3
25 to 44 years	1 780	88.9	2.4	21.7	3.2
45 to 64 years	891	83.1	4.1	21.9	4.5
65 years and over	584	53.0	6.8	7.4	3.6
25 years and over	3 255	80.9	2.3	19.2	2.3
Male	1 539	79.8	3.4	20.8	3.4
Female	1 715	81.8	3.1	17.8	3.0
White	2 963	82.2	2.3	20.0	2.4
Black	247	64.3	11.6	4.1	4.8
Hispanic origin[2]	19	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
New Jersey					
18 years and over	5 875	81.5	1.0	24.0	1.1
18 to 24 years	811	83.3	2.7	10.2	2.2
25 to 44 years	2 549	90.4	1.2	33.3	1.9
45 to 64 years	1 514	79.6	2.1	23.8	2.2
65 years and over	1 002	60.4	3.2	11.7	2.1
25 years and over	5 064	81.2	1.1	26.2	1.3
Male	2 391	83.0	1.6	30.3	1.9
Female	2 673	79.6	1.6	22.5	1.7
White	4 271	82.6	1.2	26.9	1.4
Black	602	70.5	4.4	12.5	3.2
Hispanic origin[2]	385	58.4	6.0	12.3	4.0
New York					
18 years and over	13 413	78.1	.8	21.5	.8
18 to 24 years	1 812	77.5	2.3	9.7	1.6
25 to 44 years	5 859	86.9	1.0	27.8	1.4
45 to 64 years	3 457	75.9	1.7	22.4	1.7
65 years and over	2 285	59.5	2.4	13.4	1.7
25 years and over	11 601	78.2	.9	23.4	.9
Male	5 417	79.0	1.3	25.9	1.4
Female	6 184	77.6	1.2	21.1	1.2
White	9 618	80.0	1.0	24.8	1.0
Black	1 557	68.1	3.2	12.8	2.3
Hispanic origin[2]	1 234	52.7	3.9	10.5	2.4
North Carolina					
18 years and over	4 904	72.2	1.2	16.6	1.0
18 to 24 years	684	76.8	3.0	5.1	1.5
25 to 44 years	2 041	84.8	1.5	22.5	1.7
45 to 64 years	1 374	66.2	2.3	16.3	1.8
65 years and over	804	46.5	3.2	12.1	2.1
25 years and over	4 219	71.4	1.3	18.5	1.1
Male	2 006	70.8	1.9	20.4	1.6
Female	2 214	72.0	1.7	16.8	1.5
White	3 272	74.7	1.4	20.4	1.3
Black	895	60.3	3.5	11.7	2.3
Hispanic origin[2]	31	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Ohio					
18 years and over	8 016	79.4	1.1	17.1	1.0
18 to 24 years	1 061	79.1	3.0	7.4	1.9
25 to 44 years	3 459	90.4	1.2	22.7	1.7
45 to 64 years	2 107	76.3	2.2	16.8	1.9
65 years and over	1 389	56.9	3.2	11.2	2.0
25 years and over	6 955	79.4	1.2	18.6	1.1
Male	3 267	80.0	1.7	20.4	1.7
Female	3 688	78.9	1.6	17.0	1.5
White	6 219	79.8	1.2	19.0	1.2
Black	656	75.6	4.7	11.8	3.5
Hispanic origin[2]	38	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

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		Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]	Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]
Pennsylvania					
18 years and over	9 127	79.7	1.0	17.3	1.0
18 to 24 years	1 108	81.9	2.9	9.6	2.2
25 to 44 years	3 731	90.8	1.2	22.0	1.7
45 to 64 years	2 441	80.4	2.0	17.4	1.9
65 years and over	1 847	54.9	2.9	12.5	1.9
25 years and over	8 019	79.4	1.1	18.4	1.1
Male	3 694	79.5	1.6	22.0	1.7
Female	4 325	79.3	1.5	15.4	1.4
White	7 321	80.4	1.2	19.2	1.1
Black	597	68.2	5.5	6.7	3.0
Hispanic origin[2]	77	39.1	16.1	11.4	10.5
South Carolina					
18 years and over	2 549	71.6	2.1	16.4	1.7
18 to 24 years	365	80.0	4.9	7.6	3.3
25 to 44 years	1 099	84.8	2.6	21.1	2.9
45 to 64 years	710	62.8	4.3	15.9	3.2
65 years and over	375	41.4	6.0	11.9	3.9
25 years and over	2 184	70.2	2.3	17.9	1.9
Male	1 040	67.6	3.4	19.1	2.9
Female	1 143	72.6	3.1	16.7	2.6
White	1 537	76.9	2.5	22.3	2.5
Black	619	54.5	5.5	7.4	2.9
Hispanic origin[2]	4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Tennessee					
18 years and over	3 644	69.3	2.3	14.6	1.7
18 to 24 years	559	79.5	5.1	7.6	3.3
25 to 44 years	1 460	79.3	3.1	18.7	3.0
45 to 64 years	1 009	65.4	4.4	14.3	3.3
65 years and over	617	42.5	5.9	11.4	3.8
25 years and over	3 085	67.4	2.5	15.8	1.9
Male	1 438	67.5	3.7	19.3	3.1
Female	1 648	67.3	3.4	12.8	2.4
White	2 654	68.2	2.7	17.3	2.2
Black	418	61.6	8.2	6.3	4.1
Hispanic origin[2]	11	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Texas					
18 years and over	12 054	75.6	1.1	18.7	1.0
18 to 24 years	1 781	70.3	3.2	5.2	1.5
25 to 44 years	5 806	84.0	1.4	25.3	1.7
45 to 64 years	2 902	73.4	2.4	17.4	2.1
65 years and over	1 565	54.8	3.7	12.5	2.5
25 years and over	10 273	76.6	1.2	21.1	1.2
Male	4 958	77.1	1.8	23.6	1.8
Female	5 314	76.1	1.7	18.8	1.6
White	8 920	76.6	1.3	21.4	1.3
Black	1 122	75.1	4.4	14.8	3.6
Hispanic origin[2]	2 153	47.9	3.7	6.5	1.8
Virginia					
18 years and over	4 548	76.8	1.9	21.5	1.9
18 to 24 years	602	77.6	5.2	11.6	4.0
25 to 44 years	2 176	84.2	2.4	25.5	2.9
45 to 64 years	1 180	73.7	4.0	23.2	3.8
65 years and over	589	54.4	6.3	13.0	4.3
25 years and over	3 945	76.6	2.1	23.0	2.1
Male	1 898	75.4	3.1	25.0	3.1
Female	2 048	77.8	2.8	21.1	2.8
White	3 069	81.0	2.2	25.7	2.4
Black	774	58.7	6.4	9.3	3.8
Hispanic origin[2]	77	75.0	17.7	15.5	14.8
Washington					
18 years and over	3 629	87.1	1.7	23.7	2.2
18 to 24 years	453	80.4	5.7	7.5	3.8
25 to 44 years	1 702	92.6	1.9	29.4	3.4
45 to 64 years	981	86.4	3.4	22.5	4.1
65 years and over	492	75.5	5.9	21.0	5.6
25 years and over	3 176	88.1	1.8	26.0	2.4
Male	1 532	88.2	2.5	28.4	3.5
Female	1 644	87.9	2.5	23.7	3.2
White	2 881	88.2	1.8	25.3	2.5
Black	102	90.2	10.4	18.3	13.6
Hispanic origin[2]	51	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

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		Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]	Percent	1.6* (s.e.)[1]
Wisconsin					
18 years and over	3 580	80.9	1.9	18.9	1.9
18 to 24 years	421	87.3	4.7	6.7	3.5
25 to 44 years	1 524	91.4	2.1	24.1	3.2
45 to 64 years	912	83.4	3.6	23.0	4.0
65 years and over	724	52.1	5.4	9.6	3.2
25 years and over	3 160	80.1	2.1	20.5	2.1
Male	1 518	79.8	3.0	23.0	3.1
Female	1 642	80.3	2.9	18.2	2.8
White	2 996	81.1	2.1	20.9	2.2
Black	101	61.7	16.3	4.1	6.7
Hispanic origin[2]	14	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

Note: Based on population estimates of States as of July 1, 1986. Population values shown in this table are derived from the CPS sample, and may not match independently-derived estimates of the population. See "State and Metropolitan Area Populations," in appendix A for more information.

[1]The value of 1.6 times the standard error [1.6*(s.e.)], added to and subtracted from the estimated percentage, yields the 90-percent confidence interval. For further details of calculation and interpretation, see appendix B, Source and Accuracy of the Estimates.

[2]Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.