

Table 21

ENROLMENT OF WOMEN IN HIGHER EDUCATION BY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DISCIPLINES

(Thousands)

Year	Science & Technology Disciplines					Other Disciplines	Total
	Science (1)	Engg. (2)	Medicine (3)	Agri. (4)	Vety.Sc. (5)	(6)	(1+...+6)
1998-99	494.2 (19.2)	54.1 (2.1)	84.9 (3.3)	15.4 (0.6)	2.6 (0.1)	1922.9 (74.7)	2574 (100.0)
1999-00	520.9 (19.0)	63.1 (2.3)	90.5 (3.3)	15.5 (0.6)	2.7 (0.1)	2048.9 (74.7)	2742 (100.0)
2001-02	699.4 (19.9)	131.8 (3.8)	123.0 (3.5)	9.1 (0.3)	3.2 (0.1)	2547.9 (72.5)	3514 (100.0)
2002-03	736.9 (19.9)	154.0 (4.2)	134.4 (3.6)	9.3 (0.3)	3.0 (0.1)	2658.3 (71.9)	3696 (100.0)
2003-04	809.0 (20.2)	165.3 (4.1)	145.3 (3.6)	9.9 (0.2)	3.0 (0.1)	2869.6 (71.7)	4002 (100.0)

Source : University Grants Commission (UGC)

Note : 1. Figure in brackets indicate the enrolment of women as a percentage of total enrolment.
 2. Agri. : Agriculture;
 3. Vety. Sc. : Veterinary Sciences;
 4. Engg. : Engineering and Technology.
 5. Others include Arts, Commerce, Law, Education etc.