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(Number)

Region, country, or economy	All fields	S&E									Non-S&E
		All S&E fields	Engineering	Agricultural sciences	Biological sciences	Computer sciences	Mathematics and statistics	Physical sciences	Psychology	Social sciences	
2019											
Total	418,660	174,920	50,860	3,030	17,510	37,440	16,930	8,010	10,460	30,690	243,730
China	139,090	62,990	11,310	1,290	4,190	12,430	12,300	3,390	3,600	14,490	76,090
India	22,760	13,200	4,510	100	1,200	4,200	600	450	530	1,600	9,560
South Korea	23,740	8,710	2,060	140	960	2,170	700	460	640	1,590	15,020
Saudi Arabia	17,390	8,030	5,070	30	450	1,440	70	360	140	470	9,360
Vietnam	18,000	6,700	1,750	70	1,090	2,140	360	460	290	530	11,300
Kuwait	6,750	5,300	4,680	10	190	40	40	90	50	210	1,450
Nepal	7,370	4,490	1,000	40	440	2,450	150	150	90	180	2,880
Canada	13,790	4,070	880	110	960	500	150	160	430	860	9,720
Nigeria	6,030	2,960	1,090	10	620	760	40	70	100	260	3,070
Brazil	10,020	2,650	860	40	340	470	70	90	270	520	7,370
Malaysia	4,030	2,420	1,000	50	260	370	200	150	170	230	1,600
Taiwan	7,130	2,360	570	60	290	560	140	100	220	410	4,780
Japan	8,900	2,260	270	60	220	430	100	100	260	820	6,640
Mexico	5,800	2,080	930	50	230	290	60	100	140	300	3,720
Indonesia	4,570	1,870	670	80	170	390	150	50	90	270	2,710
Pakistan	3,270	1,700	570	10	120	530	60	50	50	300	1,570
United Kingdom	6,210	1,530	210	40	200	170	80	80	280	470	4,680
Turkey	3,200	1,500	630	10	90	380	40	30	90	230	1,700
Oman	2,170	1,360	990	10	40	100	20	100	10	90	820
Hong Kong	3,680	1,340	240	50	110	290	110	70	150	330	2,340
Other locations	104,770	37,420	11,550	780	5,350	7,340	1,480	1,510	2,880	6,520	67,350
2020											
Total	314,560	137,620	37,430	2,260	14,330	32,380	13,340	5,990	8,780	23,120	176,930
China	98,130	47,760	7,770	830	3,220	10,280	9,620	2,420	2,950	10,670	50,370
India	17,950	10,810	3,350	80	1,030	3,840	520	350	430	1,220	7,140
Vietnam	15,180	5,990	1,530	70	930	2,120	310	380	270	400	9,190
South Korea	14,730	5,530	1,280	90	690	1,490	430	270	390	880	9,200
Saudi Arabia	11,620	5,460	3,420	20	310	990	50	240	110	310	6,160
Kuwait	5,030	3,910	3,350	10	180	40	30	80	50	160	1,120
Nepal	5,960	3,870	820	30	340	2,210	110	110	90	160	2,090
Canada	11,890	3,630	750	110	870	470	160	150	390	740	8,260
Nigeria	4,930	2,380	840	10	500	680	30	50	80	200	2,550
Brazil	7,910	2,250	650	30	270	470	50	70	280	440	5,660
Taiwan	4,990	1,870	430	40	250	480	120	80	160	300	3,120
Mexico	4,920	1,790	770	40	210	270	50	80	130	250	3,130
Japan	6,510	1,770	210	50	190	370	80	80	200	580	4,740
Malaysia	2,530	1,550	600	20	140	310	130	80	100	160	980
Pakistan	2,670	1,470	440	10	120	530	60	30	40	240	1,200
Indonesia	3,230	1,410	470	60	130	330	110	30	70	210	1,820

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United Kingdom	5,000	1,320	180	20	180	150	70	60	250	410	3,690
Turkey	2,390	1,170	450	10	90	340	40	30	80	150	1,210
Oman	1,940	1,170	790	10	40	100	20	110	0	90	770
Spain	3,210	1,070	340	20	180	140	80	50	110	160	2,140
Other locations	83,860	31,470	8,980	700	4,470	6,790	1,280	1,230	2,610	5,400	52,400

**Note(s):**

Data include active foreign national students on F-1 visas and exclude those on optional practical training. Undergraduate enrollment includes associate's and bachelor's degrees. Numbers are rounded to the nearest 10. Places of origin are ordered by total number of S&E students. Detail may not add to total because of rounding and the inclusion of a small number of students who could not be classified according to field of study. Physical sciences include earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences. The data reflect fall enrollment in a given year and include students with active status as of 15 November of that year.

**Source(s):**

U.S. Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, special tabulations (2021) of the Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) database.

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