

Table A**Degrees earned by doctorate recipients before their doctoral award, by degree level: 2019**

(Percent)

Degree level	One prior degree at this level	Two or more prior degrees at this level
Associate's	3.9	0.4
Bachelor's	91.7	4.5
Master's	58.8	11.2
Another research doctorate	*	0.0

* = value < 0.05%.

Source(s):

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, Survey of Earned Doctorates, 2019.