

A total of 22,900 degrees were attained in polytechnics in 2011

According to Statistics Finland, a total of 22,900 polytechnic degrees were attained in Finland in 2011. This is 4.6 per cent more than in the year before. The numbers of degrees were highest in the fields of welfare, health and physical exercise as well as in technology and transport. The proportion of women of polytechnic degrees was 63 per cent. Higher polytechnic degrees were obtained by 1,500 students, of whom 66 per cent were women.

Degrees attained in polytechnics by region of education in 2011

Region	Degrees	Men	Women
Whole country	22 898	8 393	14 505
Continental Finland	22 851	8 360	14 491
Uusimaa	6 140	2 053	4 087
Varsinais-Suomi	1 785	603	1 182
Satakunta	1 015	373	642
Kanta-Häme	907	341	566
Pirkanmaa	1 847	827	1 020
Päijät-Häme	1 014	341	673
Kymenlaakso	655	237	418
South Karelia	615	244	371
Etelä-Savo	1 038	340	698
Pohjois-Savo	1 007	411	596
North Karelia	726	274	452
Central Finland	1 258	464	794
South Ostrobothnia	829	269	560
Ostrobothnia	841	334	507
Central Ostrobothnia	288	113	175
North Ostrobothnia	1 473	655	818
Kainuu	321	113	208
Lapland	1 092	368	724
Åland	47	33	14
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Source: Education. Statistics Finland

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