

## University students numbered 169,000 in 2011

According to Statistics Finland, a total of 169,000 students attended university education leading to a degree in 2011. This is 0.2 per cent less than in the year before. In 2011 the highest numbers of students were studying in the fields of science and technology, natural sciences and humanities. The proportion of women of all students attending education leading to a degree was 54 per cent and their proportion of new students was 55 per cent.

New students and total number of students in universities by region in 2011

Region	New students, total	New students, men	New students, women	Students, total	Students, men	Students, women
<b>Whole country</b>	<b>20 274</b>	<b>9 054</b>	<b>11 220</b>	<b>168 983</b>	<b>78 126</b>	<b>90 857</b>
<b>Continental Finland</b>	<b>20 274</b>	<b>9 054</b>	<b>11 220</b>	<b>168 975</b>	<b>78 126</b>	<b>90 849</b>
Uusimaa	6 325	2 917	3 408	59 546	28 468	31 078
Varsinais-Suomi	2 501	1 079	1 422	20 976	8 803	12 173
Satakunta	386	126	260	2 403	984	1 419
Kanta-Häme	70	20	50	540	166	374
Pirkanmaa	2 409	1 230	1 179	24 698	12 882	11 816
Päijät-Häme	25	6	19	270	70	200
Kymenlaakso	-	-	-	4	4	-
South Karelia	732	538	194	5 000	3 587	1 413
Etelä-Savo	233	67	166	978	223	755
Pohjois-Savo	886	339	547	6 287	2 272	4 015
North Karelia	1 069	437	632	7 608	3 122	4 486
Central Finland	1 926	783	1 143	13 105	5 150	7 955
South Ostrobothnia	-	-	-	63	59	4
Ostrobothnia	1 193	455	738	7 129	2 946	4 183
Central Ostrobothnia	56	9	47	183	46	137
North Ostrobothnia	1 801	878	923	14 919	7 752	7 167
Kainuu	25	15	10	429	143	286
Lapland	637	155	482	4 837	1 449	3 388
<b>Åland</b>	-	-	-	<b>8</b>	-	<b>8</b>
Åland	-	-	-	8	-	8

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