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STARTING SALARIES AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF
CHEMISTRY AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERING GRADUATES

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H I G H L I G H T S

- Chemists' starting salaries rose at all degree levels but failed to keep pace with prices (which rose 7.9%, according to the official consumer price index). Median starting salaries were:
 - \$12,700 for the BS : up 5.8%; in constant dollars, -1.9%
 - \$15,000 for the MS : up 6.4%; in constant dollars, -1.4%
 - \$21,000 for the PhD : up 7.7%; in constant dollars, -0.2%

- Chemical engineers' starting salaries rose at all degree levels, but only the BS salaries kept up with prices. Median starting salaries were:
 - \$18,200 for the BS : up 8.3%; in constant dollars, +0.4%
 - \$19,200 for the MS : up 6.7%; in constant dollars, -1.1%
 - \$23,100 for the PhD : up 4.1%; in constant dollars, -3.6%

- Postdoctoral fellowships went to 33% of PhD chemistry graduates--last year the figure was 43%.

- Full-time employment among BS chemistry graduates increased to 34%, from 30% in 1977.

- Medicine and chemistry are the most popular subjects among BS graduates planning full-time study this fall. Among graduates who completed chemistry majors approved by the ACS Committee on Professional Training, 49% have entered graduate school in chemistry. Among graduates whose undergraduate training has not been certified as having met ACS standards, 50% have entered medical school.

- A striking uniformity characterizes chemical engineers' starting salaries. For both bachelor's and master's degree chemical engineers entering private industry the standard deviation of starting salary was only about 0.06 times the mean; in chemistry the comparable figure was 0.17.

- Women's salaries appear to have achieved parity with men's. For example, in private industry the ratio of women's median salaries to men's was 1.06 for BS chemists and 1.01 for BS chemical engineers.

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Chemistry and chemical engineering graduates are surveyed each year by the Office of Manpower Studies, Department of Professional Relations and Manpower Studies, American Chemical Society. The purpose of this survey, carried out under the aegis of the Society's Committee on Economic Status, is to observe trends in starting salaries and employment status.

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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Information on the employment status of new chemistry graduates from the annual ACS Starting Salary Survey provides encouraging indications that the job situation is coming into better balance. For example, 33% of new Ph.D.'s accepted postdoctoral positions immediately on graduation compared to 43% last year and 49% the year before. At this year's level, the majority are probably taking postdoctoral positions because they truly desire the additional academic experience rather than because of the lack of suitable permanent positions. At the B.S. level the news is also good: 25% found jobs in chemistry, compared to 22% in 1977 and 20% in 1976.

Chemical engineers continued the traditional pattern of a high level of entry into technical jobs at the B.S. level, 69% this year, 72% last year. The percentage unable to find full-time employment rose to 4.9% from 2.6%. Whether this reflects the beginning of a trend resulting from increasing numbers of graduating chemical engineers remains to be seen in future years.

Further breakdown of the post-graduation status of new graduates is given in Table 1.

While starting salaries increased at all degree levels for chemists and chemical engineers, the 7.9% increase in the BLS consumer price index from August 1977 to August 1978 shows that inflation more than wiped out the gains for most groups. The most straight-forward salary comparison is for inexperienced new employees going into industry. (See table below.) In this category B.S. chemical engineers had

STARTING MEDIAN YEARLY SALARIES
Of Inexperienced Chemists and Chemical Engineers in Industry
by Degree: Summer of 1977 and Summer 1978

Degree Level	1977	1978	Percent Increase
Chemists			
Bachelor's	\$12,600	13,500	7.1
Master's	15,200	15,600	2.6
Ph.D.	20,000	21,500	7.5
Chemical Engineers			
Bachelor's	16,800	18,300	8.9
Master's	18,000	19,200	6.7
Ph.D.	22,500	23,700	5.3

TABLE 1

POSTGRADUATION STATUS OF CHEMISTRY AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERING GRADUATE
 Summer of 1977 and Summer of 1978

Major and Employment Status	D E G R E E L E V E L					
	Bachelor's		Master's		Ph.D.	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
CHEMISTRY						
Full-time employed:	22.3%	25.0%	45.1%	43.4%	50.5%	60.3%
In chemistry or chemical engineering	7.9	9.4	3.2	7.2	3.1	2.9
Outside chemistry or chemical engineering	29.9	29.1	37.1	37.1	42.7	32.8
Postdoctoral/grad. asst./other fellowship	1.4	1.8	0.5	1.3	0.6	0.5
Military/peace Corps, etc.	7.5	8.0	4.5	4.7	2.3	2.7
Unable to obtain full-time employment	(2.3)	(2.0)	(0.8)	(1.2)	(0.2)	(0.0)
(and planning further studies)	(5.0)	(5.9)	(3.7)	(3.5)	(2.1)	(2.7)
Not seeking full-time employment	31.0	26.7	9.5	6.3	0.8	0.7
(and planning further studies)	(29.0)	(25.7)	(7.2)	(4.7)	(0.0)	(0.7)
(not planning further studies)	(2.0)	(1.0)	(2.4)	(1.3)	(0.8)	(0.0)
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Number of responses	2,345	2,690	377	318	487	408
CHEMICAL ENGINEERING						
Full-time employed:	72.1%	68.8%	72.2%	73.1%	83.9%	89.2%
In chemistry or chemical engineering	4.4	6.0	0.9	3.0	5.7	4.6
Outside chemistry or chemical engineering	15.6	15.3	20.2	15.6	9.2	6.2
Postdoctoral/grad. asst./other fellowship	0.7	0.6	1.8	1.2	0.0	0.0
Military/Peace Corps, etc.	2.6	4.9	1.3	2.4	1.1	0.0
Unable to obtain full-time employment	(0.4)	(0.8)	(0.4)	(1.8)	(0.0)	(0.0)
(and planning further studies)	(2.2)	(3.8)	(0.9)	(0.6)	(1.1)	(0.0)
Not seeking full-time employment	4.5	4.4	3.6	4.8	0.0	0.0
(and planning further studies)	(4.2)	(4.1)	(3.6)	(2.4)	(0.0)	(0.0)
(not planning further studies)	(0.3)	(0.2)	(0.0)	(2.4)	(0.0)	(0.0)
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Number of responses	1,082	1,049	223	167	87	65

Note: For categories "unable to obtain full-time employment" and "not seeking full-time employment," a further breakdown is given: "planning further studies" and "not planning further studies." Please note that detail may not add up to total because of no responses to second question.

an increase over last year in median starting salary of 8.9% but M.S. (6.7%) and Ph.D. (5.3%) chemical engineers, and B.S. (7.1%), M.S. (2.6%) and Ph.D. (7.5%) chemists lost ground to inflation.

Detailed distributions of starting salary figures for chemists and chemical engineers are given in Tables 2 and 3.

One interesting item stands out in the salary figures. At the B.S. level for both chemists and chemical engineers going to industrial jobs, the median starting salaries were higher for women than men (chemists, \$14,000 vs. \$13,200; chemical engineers, \$18,300 vs. \$18,200). The pattern is not significantly different at other degree levels, because the numbers of women are too small to give statistically meaningful figures. All the results, however, strongly suggest there is no salary discrimination against women in industrial starting salaries.

Continuing education plans for chemistry and chemical engineering B.S. graduates are detailed in Tables 4 and 5. Differences in such plans for the two groups continue to be evident. A high proportion (58%) of the chemists plan to go to full-time further study, while only 20 percent of the chemical engineers will do so. The chemists continuing full-time split nearly equally between medicine/dentistry and chemistry, while the great bulk of full-time continuing engineers will stay in chemical engineering. Nearly half of the engineers will continue part-time study, with the majority choosing business studies. Business studies attract only a small number of chemists on either a full- or part-time basis.

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and Surveys

Table 2

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME EMPLOYED CHEMISTRY GRADUATES

by Degree: Summer of 1977 and Summer of 1978

Salaries	D E G R E E L E V E L					
	Bachelor's		Master's		Ph.D.	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
90th Percentile	\$14,640	\$15,660	\$17,600	\$18,300	\$21,600	\$23,500
75th Percentile	13,500	14,595	16,000	16,600	20,700	22,200
50th Percentile	12,000	12,700	14,100	15,000	19,500	21,000
25th Percentile	10,000	10,600	11,500	12,000	16,800	18,000
10th Percentile	8,400	9,360	9,722	10,000	12,000	12,000
Mean	11,670	12,651	13,812	14,560	18,163	19,345
Count	398	517	106	76	173	158
Std. Dev.	2,363	2,574	3,029	3,149	3,596	4,335

Table 3

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME EMPLOYED CHEMICAL ENGINEERING GRADUATES

by Degree: Summer of 1977 and Summer of 1978

Salaries	D E G R E E L E V E L					
	Bachelor's		Master's		Ph.D.	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
90th Percentile	\$17,400	\$18,900	\$19,000	\$21,000	\$24,000	\$25,800
75th Percentile	17,100	18,600	18,300	20,000	23,000	24,960
50th Percentile	16,800	18,200	18,000	19,200	22,200	23,100
25th Percentile	16,200	17,800	17,100	18,500	21,500	20,000
10th Percentile	15,300	16,800	15,500	17,500	17,000	17,000
Mean	16,563	18,023	17,552	19,228	21,764	22,127
Count	664	589	91	78	40	38
Std. Dev.	1,167	1,165	1,090	1,249	2,420	3,727

TABLE 4

PLANS FOR ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES OF B.S. CHEMISTRY
AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERING GRADUATES: Fall 1978

	Chemists	Chemical Engineers
Plan further studies	73.7%	45.3%
Full-time	(58.3)	(20.0)
Part-time	(15.4)	(25.3)
Have no plans or no response	26.3	54.7
Total	100.0	100.0
Number of responses	2,692	1,049

TABLE 5

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES OF B.S. CHEMISTRY AND
CHEMICAL ENGINEERING GRADUATES WHO PLAN FURTHER STUDIES:
Fall 1978

Field of Study	Chemists	Chemical Engineers
Full-time		
Chemistry or Biochemistry	38.1%	2.9%
Chemical Engineering	2.7	70.0
Medicine or Dentistry	43.7	11.4
Business or Management	2.6	7.6
All Others	12.9	8.1
Total	100.0	100.0
Number of responses	1,569	210
Part-time		
Chemistry or Biochemistry	51.2%	1.9%
Chemical Engineering	6.5	29.0
Business or Management	16.9	55.1
All Others	25.4	14.0
Total	100.0	100.0
Number of responses	414	265

TABLE A-1

POSTGRADUATION STATUS OF CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	BACHELORS		MASTERS		PHD		ROW TOTAL
	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	
FULLTIME IN CHEM	425 22.2	247 32.0	34 42.0	104 43.9	38 64.4	208 59.6	246 60.3
FULLTIME NONCHEM	185 9.7	68 8.8	6 7.4	17 7.2	2 3.4	10 2.9	12 2.9
POSTDOC,GRADASST	589 30.7	194 25.1	26 32.1	92 38.8	16 27.1	118 33.8	134 32.6
MILITARY, VISTA	43 2.2	5 0.6	0 0.0	4 1.7	0 0.0	2 0.6	2 0.5
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	145 7.6	71 9.2	6 7.4	9 3.8	2 3.4	9 2.6	11 2.7
NOT SEEKING EMP	530 27.6	188 24.3	9 11.1	11 4.6	1 1.7	2 0.6	3 0.7
COLUMN TOTAL	1917 71.3	773 28.7	81 25.5	237 74.5	59 14.5	349 85.5	408 100.0

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL	BACHELORS		MASTERS		PHD		ROW TOTAL
	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	
FULL-TIME	1193 62.2	376 48.6	30 37.0	111 46.8	4 6.8	18 5.1	22 5.4
PART-TIME	265 13.8	149 19.3	7 8.6	38 16.0	3 5.1	21 6.0	24 5.9
NO PLANS	451 23.5	245 31.7	42 51.9	87 36.7	51 86.4	305 87.1	356 87.0
NO RESPONSE	10 0.5	3 0.4	2 2.5	1 0.4	1 1.7	6 1.7	7 1.7
COLUMN TOTAL	1919 71.3	773 28.7	81 25.5	237 74.5	59 14.5	350 85.6	409 100.0

TABLE A-2

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES
OF UNEMPLOYED CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL	NOT SEEKING EMPLOYMNT			SEEKING EMPLOYMNT			
		MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
BACHLORS							
FULL-TIME	#	505	169	674	7	4	11
	%	95.3	89.9	93.9	4.8	5.6	5.1
PART-TIME		11	7	18	32	12	44
		2.1	3.7	2.5	22.1	16.9	20.4
NO PLANS		14	12	26	104	55	159
		2.6	6.4	3.6	71.7	77.5	73.6
NO RESPONSE		0	0	0	2	0	2
		0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.9
COLUMN TOTAL		550	188	718	145	71	216
		73.8	26.2	100.0	67.1	32.9	100.0

MASTERS							
		MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
FULL-TIME	#	11	4	15	0	0	0
	%	100.0	44.4	75.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PART-TIME		0	0	0	33	1	4
		0.0	0.0	0.0	33.3	16.7	26.7
NO PLANS		0	4	4	66	5	11
		0.0	44.4	20.0	66.7	83.3	73.3
NO RESPONSE		0	1	1	0	0	0
		0.0	11.1	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
COLUMN TOTAL		11	9	20	9	6	15
		55.0	45.0	100.0	60.0	40.0	100.0

PHD							
		MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
FULL-TIME	#	2	1	3	0	0	0
	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
NO PLANS		0	0	0	9	2	11
		0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
COLUMN TOTAL		2	1	3	9	2	11
		66.7	33.3	100.0	81.8	18.2	100.0

TABLE A-3

POSTGRADUATION STATUS OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	BACHELORS		MASTERS		PHD		ROW TOTAL
	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN	
FULLTIME IN CHEM	# 584 % 66.7	138 79.3	111 73.0	11 73.3	57 89.1	1 100.0	58 89.2
FULLTIME NONCHEM	55 6.3	8 4.6	5 3.3	0 0.0	3 4.7	0 0.0	3 4.6
POSTDOC, GRADASST	143 16.3	18 10.3	26 17.1	0 0.0	4 6.3	0 0.0	4 6.2
MILITARY, VISTA	6 0.7	0 0.0	2 1.3	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
SEEKING EMPLOYT	46 5.3	5 2.9	3 2.0	1 6.7	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
NOT SEEKING ENPL	41 4.7	5 2.9	5 3.3	3 20.0	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
COLUMN TOTAL	875 83.4	174 16.6	152 91.0	15 9.0	64 98.5	1 1.5	65 100.0
PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL							
FULL-TIME	# 190 % 21.7	20 11.5	31 20.4	2 13.3	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
PART-TIME	223 25.5	42 24.1	23 15.1	2 13.3	1 1.6	0 0.0	1 1.5
NO PLANS	452 51.7	110 63.2	96 63.2	11 73.3	62 96.9	1 100.0	63 96.9
NO RESPONSE	10 1.1	2 1.1	2 1.3	0 0.0	1 1.6	0 0.0	1 1.5
COLUMN TOTAL	875 83.4	174 16.6	152 91.0	15 9.0	64 98.5	1 1.5	65 100.0

TABLE A-4

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES
OF UNEMPLOYED CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL	NCT SEEKING EMPLOYMT		SEEKING EMPLOYMT		ROW TOTAL
	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN	
BACHLORS					
#	38	3	4	0	4
%	92.7	60.0	8.7	0.0	7.8
FULL-TIME					
#	2	0	3	1	4
%	4.9	0.0	6.5	20.0	7.8
PART-TIME					
#	1	1	36	4	40
%	2.4	20.0	78.3	80.0	78.4
NO PLANS					
#	0	1	3	0	3
%	0.0	20.0	6.5	0.0	5.9
NO RESPONSE					
#	41	5	46	5	51
%	89.1	10.9	90.2	9.8	100.0
COLUMN TOTAL					
#	4	0	1	1	2
%	80.0	0.0	33.3	100.0	50.0
FULL-TIME					
#	0	0	1	0	1
%	0.0	0.0	33.3	0.0	25.0
PART-TIME					
#	1	3	1	0	4
%	20.0	100.0	33.3	0.0	25.0
NO PLANS					
#	5	3	3	1	4
%	62.5	37.5	75.0	25.0	100.0
COLUMN TOTAL					

TABLE A-5

POSTGRADUATION STATUS OF CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND CITIZENSHIP

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	BACHELORS			MASTERS			PHD			RQM TOTAL
	U. S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U. S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U. S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	
FULLTIME IN CHEM#	664	7	0	125	7	6	223	14	8	245
	25.2	21.9	0.0	44.8	58.3	22.2	62.5	63.6	29.6	60.3
FULLTIME NONCHEM	249	3	1	22	1	0	9	0.0	3	12
	9.5	9.4	4.8	7.9	8.3	0.0	2.5	0.0	11.1	3.0
POSTDOC, GRADASST	762	8	11	99	3	16	109	8	16	133
	29.0	25.0	52.4	35.5	25.0	59.3	30.5	36.4	59.3	32.8
MILITARY, VISTA	47	1	0	4	0	0	2	0.0	0.0	2
	1.8	3.1	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.5
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	203	7	4	11	0	4	11	0.0	0	11
	7.7	21.9	19.0	3.9	0.0	14.8	3.1	0.0	0.0	2.7
NOT SEEKING EMPL	707	6	5	18	1	1	3	0.0	0	3
	26.9	18.8	23.8	6.5	8.3	3.7	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.7
COLUMN TOTAL	2632	32	21	279	12	27	357	22	27	406
	98.0	1.2	0.8	87.7	3.8	8.5	87.9	5.4	6.7	100.0

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	BACHELORS			MASTERS			PHD			RQM TOTAL
	U. S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U. S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U. S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	
FULL-TIME	1532	17	17	120	5	16	19	0	3	22
	58.2	51.5	81.0	43.0	41.7	59.3	5.3	0.0	11.1	5.4
PART-TIME	407	5	2	39	2	4	23	0	1	24
	15.5	15.2	9.5	14.0	16.7	14.8	6.4	0.0	3.7	5.9
NO PLANS	681	11	2	118	5	6	313	21	21	355
	25.9	33.3	9.5	42.3	41.7	22.2	87.4	95.5	77.8	87.2
NO RESPONSE	13	0	0	2	0	1	3	1	2	6
	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	3.7	0.8	4.5	7.4	1.5
COLUMN TOTAL	2633	33	21	279	12	27	358	22	27	407
	98.0	1.2	0.8	87.7	3.8	8.5	88.0	5.4	6.6	100.0

TABLE A-6

POSTGRADUATION STATUS OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND CITIZENSHIP

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	BACHELORS			MASTERS			PHD			ROW TOTAL
	U.S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U.S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U.S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	
FULLTIME IN CHEM	707	13	2	106	9	6	44	8	6	58
	69.5	76.5	13.3	79.1	50.0	27.3	95.7	80.0	66.7	89.2
FULLTIME NONCHEM	63	0.0	0.0	4	1	0.0	2.2	2	0.0	3
	6.2	0.0	0.0	3.0	10.0	0.0	2.2	20.0	0.0	4.6
POSTDOC, GRADASST	150	1	10	16	0	10	2.2	0	3	4
	14.7	5.9	66.7	11.9	0.0	45.5	2.2	0.0	33.3	6.2
MILITARY, VISTA	6	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	0.6	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	47	2	2	0.7	0	3	0	0	0	0
	4.6	11.8	13.3	0.7	0.0	13.6	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
NOT SEEKING EMP	44	1	1	5	0	3	0	0	0	0
	4.3	5.9	6.7	3.7	0.0	13.6	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
COLUMN TOTAL	1017	17	15	134	10	22	46	10	9	65
	96.9	1.6	1.4	80.7	6.0	13.3	70.8	15.4	13.8	100.0

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL	BACHELORS			MASTERS			PHD			ROW TOTAL
	U.S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U.S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	U.S. CITIZEN	RESIDENT VISA	OTHER VISA	
FULL-TIME	197	1	12	21	0	12	0	0	0	0
	19.4	5.9	80.0	15.7	0.0	54.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PART-TIME	256	8	1	20	3	1	2.2	0	0	1.5
	25.2	47.1	6.7	14.9	30.0	4.5	2.2	0.0	0.0	1.5
NO PLANS	552	8	2	91	7	9	44	10	9	63
	54.3	47.1	13.3	67.9	70.0	40.9	95.7	100.0	100.0	96.9
NO RESPONSE	12	0	0	2	0	0	2.2	0	0	1.5
	1.2	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.0	0.0	1.5
COLUMN TOTAL	1017	17	15	134	10	22	46	10	9	65
	96.9	1.6	1.4	80.7	6.0	13.3	70.8	15.4	13.8	100.0

TABLE A-7

POSTGRADUATION STATUS
OF MINORITY CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	BACHLORS	MASTERS	PHD	RCW TOTAL
FULLTIME IN CHEM	32 19.9	19 48.7	32 60.4	83 32.8
FULLTIME NONCHEM	26 16.1	2 5.1	1 1.9	29 11.5
POSTDOC, GRADASST	35 21.7	11 28.2	19 35.8	65 25.7
MILITARY, VISTA	3 1.9	0 0.0	0 0.0	3 1.2
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	22 13.7	5 12.8	1 1.9	28 11.1
NOT SEEKING EMPL	43 26.7	2 5.1	0 0.0	45 17.8
COLUMN TOTAL	161 63.6	39 15.4	53 20.9	253 100.0

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL

FULL-TIME	85 52.8	15 38.5	3 5.7	103 40.7
PART-TIME	30 18.6	7 17.9	4 7.5	41 16.2
NO PLANS	46 28.6	17 43.6	44 83.0	107 42.3
NO RESPONSE	0 0.0	0 0.0	2 3.8	2 0.8
COLUMN TOTAL	161 63.6	39 15.4	53 20.9	253 100.0

TABLE A-8

POSTGRADUATION STATUS
OF MINORITY CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	BACHLORS	MASTERS	PHD	RCW TOTAL
FULLTIME IN CHEM	# 38 % 58.5	# 15 % 62.5	# 9 % 90.0	62 62.6
FULLTIME NONCHEM	# 2 % 3.1	# 0 % 0.0	# 1 % 10.0	3 3.0
POSTDOC, GRADASST	# 18 % 27.7	# 6 % 25.0	# 0 % 0.0	24 24.2
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	# 4 % 6.2	# 2 % 8.3	# 0 % 0.0	6 6.1
NOT SEEKING EMPL	# 3 % 4.6	# 1 % 4.2	# 0 % 0.0	4 4.0
COLUMN TOTAL	65 65.7	24 24.2	10 10.1	99 100.0

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL

FULL-TIME	# 19 % 29.2	# 7 % 29.2	# 0 % 0.0	26 26.3
PART-TIME	# 15 % 23.1	# 3 % 12.5	# 0 % 0.0	18 18.2
NO PLANS	# 31 % 47.7	# 14 % 58.3	# 9 % 90.0	54 54.5
NO RESPONSE	# 0 % 0.0	# 0 % 0.0	# 1 % 10.0	1 1.0
COLUMN TOTAL	65 65.7	24 24.2	10 10.1	99 100.0

TABLE A-9

POSTGRADUATION STATUS OF B.S. CHEMISTS
BY CERTIFICATION STATUS

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	CERTIFD. ¹	NON-CERTIFD.	ROW TOTAL
FULLTIME IN CHEM	# 378 % 28.5	# 294 % 21.5	672 25.0
FULLTIME NONCHEM	# 85 % 6.4	# 168 % 12.3	253 9.4
POSTDOC, GRADASST	# 502 % 37.9	# 282 % 20.6	784 29.1
MILITARY, VISTA	# 27 % 2.0	# 21 % 1.5	48 1.8
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	# 95 % 7.2	# 121 % 8.9	216 8.0
NOT SEEKING EMPL	# 239 % 18.0	# 480 % 35.1	719 26.7
COLUMN TOTAL	1326 49.3	1366 50.7	2692 100.0

PLANS FOR FURTHER STUDIES THIS FALL

FULL-TIME	# 753 % 56.7	# 818 % 59.8	1571 58.3
PART-TIME	# 216 % 16.3	# 198 % 14.5	414 15.4
NO PLANS	# 353 % 26.6	# 343 % 25.1	696 25.8
NO RESPONSE	# 5 % 0.4	# 8 % 0.6	13 0.5
COLUMN TOTAL	1327 49.3	1367 50.7	2694 100.0

¹ A "certified bachelor" is one who has been certified by the chemistry department chairman to the American Chemical Society, as having successfully completed the curriculum in chemistry as approved by the ACS Committee on Professional Training, and is, therefore, eligible to become a member of ACS.

TABLE A-10

POSTGRADUATION STATUS OF M.S. AND PH.D. CHEMISTS
BY FIELD OF HIGHEST DEGREE

EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Masters #	FIELD OF HIGHEST DEGREE										ROW TOTAL
		CHEMISTRY, GENERAL	BIOCHEMISTRY	ANALYTICAL	INORGANIC	ORGANIC	PHARMA, MED, CLN	PHYSICAL, THEORET	POLYMER, MACROMOL	CHEMISTRY, OTHER	CHEMISTRY, OTHER	
FULLTIME IN CHEM	29	9	20	7	48	1	9	6	9	138		
FULLTIME NONCHEM	7	1	2	3	3	0	4	1	2	23		
POSTDOC, GRADASST	15	9	10	8	31	1	34	1	9	118		
MILITARY, VISTA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4	0.0	0	4		
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	0.0	0.0	1	3	5.4	0.0	1.9	0.0	5	15		
NOT SEEKING EMPL	6	4	2	0	6.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	2	20		
COLUMN TOTAL	57	23	35	21	93	2	52	8	27	318		
	17.9	7.2	11.0	6.6	29.2	0.6	16.4	2.5	8.5	100.0		
FULLTIME IN CHEM	2	13	50	39	82	3	41	6	10	246		
FULLTIME NONCHEM	0	2	0	0	2	0	7	0	1	12		
POSTDOC, GRADASST	7	14	9	20	47	1	29	1	6	134		
MILITARY, VISTA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	1.2	0.0	0	2		
SEEKING EMPLOYMT	0.0	0.0	2	2	4	0	3.7	0.0	0	11		
NOT SEEKING EMPL	0	0	0	1	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	3		
COLUMN TOTAL	9	29	61	62	138	4	81	7	17	408		
	2.2	7.1	15.0	15.2	33.8	1.0	19.9	1.7	4.2	100.0		

TABLE A-12

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES OF CHEMISTS
WHO PLAN FURTHER STUDIES (FULL-TIME) IN FALL, 1978
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES	BACHLORS		MASTERS		PHD	
	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN
			ROW TOTAL	ROW TOTAL	ROW TOTAL	ROW TOTAL
CHEMISTRY	391 32.8	107 28.5	81 73.0	22 73.3	12 66.7	2 50.0
OTH PHY SCI, MATH	31 2.6	9 2.4	2 1.8	0 0.0	5.6 0.0	0 0.0
CHEMICAL ENGRING	27 2.3	15 4.0	3 2.7	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
OTHER ENGRING	16 1.3	4 1.1	1 0.9	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
BIOCHEMISTRY	71 6.0	29 7.7	4 3.6	6 20.0	11.1 0.0	1 25.0
OTH LIFE SCIENCE	26 2.2	26 6.9	3 2.7	1 3.3	0 0.0	0 0.0
MEDICINE	443 37.1	141 37.5	7 6.3	1 3.3	5.6 0.0	1 25.0
DENTISTRY	85 7.1	16 4.3	1 0.9	0 0.0	5.6 0.0	0 0.0
PHARMACY	31 2.6	12 3.2	1 0.9	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
BUSINESS, MGMT	35 2.9	6 1.6	3 2.7	0 0.0	1 5.6	0 0.0
LAW	21 1.8	3 0.8	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
SOC SCI, HUMNTIES	11 0.9	3 0.8	2 1.8	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
OTHER	5 0.4	4 1.1	2 1.8	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
NO RESPONSE	0 0.0	1 0.3	1 0.9	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
COLUMN TOTAL	1193 76.0	376 24.0	111 78.7	30 21.3	18 81.8	4 18.2
	1569 100.0		141 100.0		22 100.0	

TABLE A-13

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS

WHO PLAN FURTHER STUDIES (FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME) IN FALL, 1978

BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES	BACHLORS		MASTERS		PHD	
	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN
CHEMISTRY	9	2	1	0	0	0
	2.2	3.2	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTH PHY SCI, MATH	9	1	1	0	0	0
	2.2	1.6	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
CHEMICAL ENGRING	199	25	34	2	0	0
	48.2	40.3	63.0	50.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER ENGRING	18	0	1	1	0	0
	4.4	0.0	1.9	25.0	0.0	0.0
OTH LIFE SCIENCE	3	1	0	0	0	0
	0.7	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MEDICINE	22	1	0	0	0	0
	5.3	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
DENTISTRY	2	0	0	0	0	0
	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
BUSINESS, MGMT	134	28	14	1	1	1
	32.4	45.2	25.9	25.0	100.0	100.0
LAW	6	0	3	0	0	0
	1.5	0.0	5.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
SOC SCI, HUMINTIES	5	1	0	0	0	0
	1.2	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER	1	1	0	0	0	0
	0.2	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
NO RESPONSE	5	2	0	0	0	0
	1.2	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
COLUMN TOTAL	413	62	54	4	1	1
	86.9	13.1	93.1	6.9	100.0	100.0
ROW TOTAL						
	11	2.3	1	0	1	0
	2.3	2.3	1.9	0.0	1.7	0.0
	10	2.1	1	0	1	0
	2.1	2.1	1.9	0.0	1.7	0.0
	224	47.2	34	2	36	0
	47.2	47.2	63.0	50.0	62.1	0.0
	18	3.8	1	1	2	0
	3.8	3.8	1.9	25.0	3.4	0.0
	4	0.8	0	0	0	0
	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	23	4.8	0	0	0	0
	4.8	4.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	2	0.4	0	0	0	0
	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	162	34.1	14	1	15	1
	34.1	34.1	25.9	25.0	25.9	100.0
	6	1.3	3	0	3	0
	1.3	1.3	5.6	0.0	5.2	0.0
	6	1.3	0	0	0	0
	1.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	2	0.4	0	0	0	0
	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	7	1.5	0	0	0	0
	1.5	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

TABLE A-14
 FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
 WHO PLAN FURTHER STUDIES (FULL-TIME) IN FALL, 1978
 BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES	BACHLORS			MASTERS		
	IMEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	IMEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
	#	%				
CHEMISTRY	4	2.1	2.9	0	0	0.0
OTH PHY SCI, MATH	3	1.6	1.4	1	0	3.0
CHEMICAL ENGRING	130	68.4	147	26	1	27
OTHER ENGRING	8	4.2	3.8	3.2	50.0	81.8
OTH LIFE SCIENCE	1	0.5	0.5	1	50.0	6.1
MEDICINE	21	11.1	10.5	0	0	0.0
DENTISTRY	2	1.1	1.0	0	0	0.0
BUSINESS, MGMT	16	8.4	7.6	3	0	3.1
LAW	3	1.6	1.4	0	0	0.0
SOC SCI, HUMNTIES	1	0.5	0.5	0	0	0.0
NO RESPONSE	1	0.5	0.5	0	0	0.0
COLUMN TOTAL	190	90.5	210	31	6.1	33
			100.0			100.0

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES OF B.S. CHEMISTS
WHO PLAN FURTHER STUDIES (FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME) IN FALL, 1978
BY CERTIFICATION STATUS

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES	1		ROW TOTAL
	CERTIFD.	NON- CERTIFD.	
CHEMISTRY	478 49.3	196 19.3	674 34.0
OTH PHY SCI, MATH	31 3.2	33 3.2	64 3.2
CHEMICAL ENGRING	41 4.2	28 2.8	69 3.5
OTHER ENGRING	22 2.3	11 1.1	33 1.7
BIOCHEMISTRY	69 7.1	68 6.7	137 6.9
OTH LIFE SCIENCE	30 3.1	46 4.5	76 3.8
MEDICINE	179 18.5	410 40.4	589 29.7
DENTISTRY	23 2.4	79 7.8	102 5.1
PHARMACY	18 1.9	30 3.0	48 2.4
BUSINESS, MGMT	43 4.4	68 6.7	111 5.6
LAW	12 1.2	16 1.6	28 1.4
SOC SCI, HUMNTIES	13 1.3	18 1.8	31 1.6
OTHER	8 0.8	9 0.9	17 0.9
NO RESPONSE	2 0.2	4 0.4	6 0.3
COLUMN TOTAL	969 48.8	1016 51.2	1985 100.0

1 SEE NOTE ON TABLE A-9.

TABLE A-16

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES OF B.S. CHEMISTS
WHO PLAN FURTHER STUDIES (FULL-TIME) IN FALL, 1978
BY CERTIFICATION STATUS

FIELD OF ADVANCED FURTHER STUDIES	CERTIFD. ¹	NON- CERTIFD.	ROW TOTAL
	#		
CHEMISTRY	369	130	499
	%		
	49.0	15.9	31.8
OTH PHY SCI, MATH	19	21	40
	2.5	2.6	2.5
CHEMICAL ENGRING	23	19	42
	3.1	2.3	2.7
OTHER ENGRING	14	6	20
	1.9	0.7	1.3
BIOCHEMISTRY	55	45	100
	7.3	5.5	6.4
OTH LIFE SCIENCE	21	31	52
	2.8	3.8	3.3
MEDICINE	177	408	585
	23.5	49.9	37.2
DENTISTRY	23	78	101
	3.1	9.5	6.4
PHARMACY	16	27	43
	2.1	3.3	2.7
BUSINESS, MGMT	15	26	41
	2.0	3.2	2.6
LAW	11	13	24
	1.5	1.6	1.5
SOC SCI, HUMNTIES	7	7	14
	0.9	0.9	0.9
OTHER	2	7	9
	0.3	0.9	0.6
NO RESPONSE	1	0	1
	0.1	0.0	0.1
COLUMN TOTAL	753	818	1571
	47.9	52.1	100.0

¹ SEE NOTE ON TABLE A-9.

NUMBER OF FIRM JOB OFFERS TO FULL-TIME EMPLOYED CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

NUMBER OF OFFERS	BACHLORS		MASTERS		PHD		ROW TOTAL
	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	
INEXPERIENCED	#	x	#	x	#	x	
1	169	87	33	9	60	8	68
	53.0	42.6	58.9	45.0	45.1	33.3	43.3
2	76	62	9	6	34	9	43
	23.8	30.4	16.1	30.0	25.6	37.5	27.4
3	44	35	7	1	20	4	24
	13.8	17.2	12.5	5.0	15.0	16.7	15.3
4	17	13	3	1	8	0	8
	5.3	6.4	5.4	5.0	6.0	0.0	5.1
5	9	5	2	2	6	0	6
	2.8	2.5	3.6	10.0	4.5	0.0	3.8
6 OR 7	2	1	1	1	3	2	5
	0.6	0.5	1.8	5.0	2.3	8.3	3.2
8 OR 9	0	1	0	0	0	4	4
	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	0.6
10 OR MORE	2	0	1	0	2	0	2
	0.6	0.0	1.8	0.0	1.5	0.0	1.3
COLUMN TOTAL	319	204	56	20	133	24	157
	61.0	39.0	73.7	26.3	84.7	15.3	100.0
EXPERIENCED	#	x	#	x	#	x	
1	59	19	30	8	32	8	40
	62.1	48.7	68.2	57.1	43.2	57.1	45.5
2	20	7	10	2	16	2	18
	21.1	17.9	22.7	14.3	21.6	14.3	20.5
3	9	9	4	4	13	3	16
	9.5	23.1	9.1	28.6	17.5	21.4	18.2
4	1	2	0	0	6	0	6
	1.1	5.1	0.0	0.0	8.1	0.0	6.8
5	3	0	0	0	2	0	2
	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	0.0	2.3
6 OR 7	3	1	0	0	3	1	4
	3.2	2.6	0.0	0.0	4.1	7.1	4.5
8 OR 9	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	1.1
10 OR MORE	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
	0.0	2.6	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	1.1
COLUMN TOTAL	95	39	44	14	74	14	88
	70.9	29.1	75.9	24.1	84.1	15.9	100.0

TABLE A-19
 AVERAGE NUMBER OF FIRM JOB OFFERS
 TO FULL-TIME EMPLOYED MINORITY CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
 BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	CHEMISTS			CHEMICAL ENGINEERS		
	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
INEXPERIENCED						
BACHLORS	2.2	1.9	2.0	3.5	3.4	3.4
STD DEV	1.1	1.3	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.9
COUNT	1.3	1.3	1.3	2.8	1.9	2.6
MEAN						
COUNT	10.5	2.0	4.8	3.4	3.5	3.4
STD DEV	13.4	2.0	6.6	7.1	2.1	4.5
COUNT	1.7	0.0	1.7	2.3	0.0	2.3
MEAN	1.5	0.0	1.5	3.0	0.0	3.0
COUNT	1.1	0.0	1.1	1.2	0.0	1.2
STD DEV	2.5	1.9	2.3	3.4	3.4	3.4
COUNT	28	13	41	3.1	1.0	4.1
MEAN	3.6	1.4	3.1	3.3	1.8	3.0
COUNT						
EXPERIENCED						
BACHLORS	2.0	1.0	1.8	2.7	9.5	4.2
STD DEV	1.4	0.0	1.3	1.3	9.2	4.5
COUNT	1.3	1.3	1.3	2.8	4.0	3.0
MEAN	1.8	0.6	1.1	4.0	1.0	5.0
COUNT	0.5	0.6	0.5	2.2	0.0	2.0
STD DEV	2.5	1.8	2.3	2.8	0.0	2.8
COUNT	12	4	16	5.0	0.0	5.0
MEAN	2.5	1.0	2.2	2.0	0.0	2.0
COUNT	2.0	1.4	1.9	2.8	7.7	3.5
STD DEV	2.7	0.7	3.6	1.6	3.0	1.9
COUNT	1.9	0.7	1.7	1.7	7.2	3.4

TABLE B-1

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED		MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
CHEMISTS				
BACHLORS	MEDIAN	12500.	13000.	12700
	MEAN	12614.	12708.	12651.
	COUNT	315	202	517
	STD DEV	2504.	2688.	2575.
MASTERS		15200.	12000.	15000
		15097.	13057.	14560.
		56	20	76
	2947.	3281.	3149.	
PHD		21000.	19600.	21000
		19605.	17892.	19345.
		134	24	158
		4182.	4955.	4335.
COLUMN	MEAN	14745.	13242.	14252.
	COUNT	505	246	751
	STD DEV	4313.	3380.	4090.
CHEM ENGINEERS				
BACHLORS	MEDIAN	18200.	18300.	18200
	MEAN	17995.	18133.	18021.
	COUNT	480	108	588
	STD DEV	1222.	876.	1167.
MASTERS		19200.	19500.	19200
		19231.	19180.	19228.
		73	5	78
	1253.	1327.	1249.	
PHD		23100.	22000.	23100
		22130.	22000.	22127.
		37	1	38
		3778.	0.	3727.
COLUMN	MEAN	18407.	18213.	18376.
	COUNT	590	114	704
	STD DEV	1836.	981.	1728.

TABLE B-2

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND EMPLOYER

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	MEDIAN MEAN COUNT STD DEV	EMPLOYER										TOTAL COUNT STD DEV
		TOTAL PRIVATE INDUSTRY	MANUFAC- TURING	NONMANU- FACTURING	COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY	HIGH SCH, OTHR SC	FEDERAL GOVERNMT	STATE, LOCL GOV	HOSPITAL, IND LAB	NONPRFT RES INST	ROM TOTAL	
BACHLORS	13500.	13500.	13500.	13500.	9100.	9200.	10000.	10600.	10000.	10800.	12629.	
	13583.	13398.	13270.	9707.	9468.	10733.	11078.	10270.	11409.	513.		
	383	338	45	33	12	14	15	32	24	2571.		
MASTERS	2245.	2240.	2301.	2484.	1147.	1485.	2076.	1785.	2457.			
	15600.	15600.	15100.	11000.	8825.	15090.	9924.	11200.	15900.	14560.		
	15669.	15458.	16831.	12038.	10456.	15090.	9924.	12275.	14663.	76.		
PHD	2619.	2519.	3025.	2596.	2994.	0.	0.	2766.	2608.	3149.		
	21500.	21300.	22500.	12500.	0.	17000.	12000.	21600.	22200.	19345.		
	21477.	21401.	22358.	12346.	0.	15919.	12000.	21600.	19601.	158.		
COLUMN	1788.	1799.	1451.	2585.	0.	3997.	0.	0.	5004.	4335.		
	15269.	15297.	15048.	11119.	9798.	12054.	11065.	10793.	13419.	14246.		
	548	486	692	173	18	19	17	37	35	747		
	3909.	3904.	3912.	2820.	1928.	3073.	1977.	2667.	4473.	4099.		

TABLE B-3

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND EMPLOYER - MEN

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	MEDIAN MEAN COUNT STD DEV	EMPLOYER										TOTAL
		TOTAL PRIVATE INDUSTRY	MANUFAC-TURING	NONMANU-FACTURING	COLLEGE UNIVRSITY	HIGH SCH /OTHR SC	FEDERAL GOVERNMT	STATE LOCL GOV	HOSPITAL, IND LAB	NONPRET RES INST		
BACHLORS		13200.	13200.	13600.	10000.	9600.	10000.	10608.	10440.	10500.		12599.
		13244.	13211	13482.	10499.	9615.	10855.	11333.	10526.	10175.		314.
		240.	211	29.	19.	8.	11.	7.	21.	8.		2493.
MASTERS		2242.	2261.	2122.	2847.	1352.	1665.	2232.	1962.	1435.		
		15600.	15600.	17400.	13300.	8825.	0.	0.	14000.	15900.		15097.
		15704.	15436.	17079.	13933.	10185.	0.	0.	14500.	14663.		56.
PHD		2609.	2446.	3179.	3296.	3237.	0.	0.	707.	2608.		2947.
		21500.	21500.	22500.	13000.	0.	18250.	0.	21600.	17500.		19605.
		21541.	21448.	22600.	12563.	0.	15558.	0.	21600.	18701.		134.
COLUMN		91.	91.	8.	25.	0.	3.	0.	1.	6.		4182.
		1806.	1818.	1338.	2705.	0.	4814.	0.	0.	4822.		14739.
		15671.	15665.	15712.	11816.	9805.	11863.	11333.	11319.	14014.		504.
	382.	338.	44.	47.	12.	14.	7.	24.	18.		4316.	
	4172.	4183.	4137.	2962.	2024.	3116.	2232.	3069.	4865.			

TABLE B-5

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND EMPLOYER

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	EMPLOYER											ROW TOTAL
	TOTAL PRIVATE INDUSTRY	MANUFACTURING	NONMANUFACTURING	COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY	FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	STATE, LOCL GOV	HOSPITAL IND LAB	NONPRFT RES INST	OTHER			
BACHLORS	MEDIAN 18300. MEAN 18083. COUNT 565 STD DEV 1090.	18300. 18143. 480 939.	18000. 17742. 85 1684.	0. 0. 0.	17520. 16514. 12 2039.	13900. 15004. 4 1494.	18000. 18000. 1 0.	17700. 18075. 4 619.	17160. 17160. 1 0.			13028. 587. 1163.
MASTERS	19200. 19254. 72 1284.	19200. 19569. 57 1223.	19200. 18813. 15 1458.	18600. 18700. 3 458.	0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0.	19000. 19133. 3 907.	0. 0. 0.			19228. 78. 1249.
PHD	23700. 24028. 26 1534.	24000. 24365. 22 1288.	22000. 22175. 4 1609.	17500. 17498. 10 3799.	18100. 20550. 2 3465.	0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0.			22127. 38. 3727.
COLUMN	MEAN 18443. COUNT 663 STD DEV 1639.	18513. 559. 1585.	18067. 104. 1871.	17776. 13. 3337.	17091. 14. 2567.	15004. 4. 1494.	18000. 1. 0.	18529. 7. 886.	17160. 1. 0.			18383. 703. 1725.

TABLE B-6

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND EMPLOYER - MEN

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	EMPLOYER											ROW TOTAL
	TOTAL PRIVATE INDUSTRY	MANUFAC- TURING	NONMANU- FACTURING	COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY	FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	STATE, LOCL GOV	HOSPITAL IND LAB	NONPROF RES INST				
BACHLORS	18200. 18050. 461 1159.	18300. 18106. 387 1006.	18000. 17760. 74 1746.	0. 0. 0. 0.	18000. 16634. 1926.	13900. 14487. 1322.	18000. 18000. 1. 0.	17700. 18075. 4. 619.			18002. 478. 1220.	
MASTERS	19200. 19259. 87 1291.	19200. 19388. 52 1225.	19200. 18813. 15 1458.	18600. 18700. 3 458.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	19000. 19133. 3 907.			19231. 73. 1253.	
PHD	24000. 24110. 21 1508.	24200. 24478. 21 1203.	22000. 22175. 4 1609.	17500. 17498. 10 3792.	18100. 20550. 2 3465.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.			22130. 37. 3778.	
COLUMN	18471. 553 1755.	18542. 460 1713.	18120. 93 1930.	17776. 13 3337.	17346. 11 2584.	14487. 3 1322.	18000. 1 0.	18529. 7 886.			18414. 588 1836.	

TABLE B-7

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND EMPLOYER - WOMEN

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	EMPLOYER							ROW TOTAL
	TOTAL PRIVATE INDUSTRY	MANUFAC- TURING	NONMANU- FACTURING	FEDERAL GOVERNMT	STATE, LOCL GOV	OTHER		
BACHLORS	MEDIAN 18300. MEAN 18216. COUNT 103 STD DEV 705.	18300. 18288. 92 582.	18300. 17615. 11 1239.	17520. 16156. 3 2789.	16554. 16554. 1 0.	17160. 17160. 1 0.		18133. 108 876.
MASTERS	19500. 19180. 5 1327.	19500. 19169. 5 1327.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.		19180. 5 1327.
PHD	22000. 22000. 1 0.	22000. 22000. 1 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.	0. 0. 0. 0.		22000. 1 0.
COLUMN	18295. 109 839.	18371. 98 755.	17615. 11 1239.	16156. 3 2789.	16554. 1 0.	17160. 1 0.		18213. 114 981.

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND GEOGRAPHIC REGION

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	GEOGRAPHIC REGION										TOTAL	
	PACIFIC	MOUNTAIN	WEST NO. CENTRAL	WEST SO. CENTRAL	EAST NO. CENTRAL	EAST SO. CENTRAL	MIDDLE ATLANTIC	SOUTH ATLANTIC	NEW ENGLAND	NEW ENGLAND		
CHEMISTS	MEDIAN	12500.	15500.	11880.	13200.	13500.	13500.	13000.	10800.	11800.	11800.	12657.
	MEAN	12894.	14122.	12082.	13251.	13551.	12618.	12603.	11582.	11987.	11987.	510.
	COUNT	33	11	53	38	123	16	135	64	27	27	2580.
	STD DEV	2610.	2855.	2436.	3027.	2484.	2655.	2091.	2743.	2743.	2957.	
BACHLORS	MEDIAN	15090.	0.	17400.	16620.	15200.	11000.	14000.	14000.	11000.	11000.	14530.
	MEAN	14243.	0.	17850.	16990.	15330.	11500.	13820.	14014.	12011.	12011.	75.
	COUNT	9	0.	2	11	18	707.	20	7	8	8	3159.
	STD DEV	2760.	0.	636.	3349.	2813.	707.	2875.	2586.	3112.	3112.	
MASTERS	MEDIAN	19000.	21000.	13500.	20200.	21300.	19633.	21000.	21500.	19000.	19000.	19345.
	MEAN	17111.	21500.	14481.	20196.	20164.	19960.	19563.	19859.	17679.	17679.	158.
	COUNT	19	2	5	20	28	36	35	14	14	14	4335.
	STD DEV	5366.	424.	3838.	3443.	4123.	1432.	4423.	4256.	4347.	4347.	
PHD	MEDIAN	13876.	15226.	12600.	15860.	14684.	14117.	14117.	14476.	13341.	13341.	14268.
	MEAN	51	3	64	69	167	23	191	106	59	59	743.
	COUNT	51	3	64	69	167	23	191	106	59	59	4101.
	STD DEV	3568.	3754.	2895.	4414.	3801.	3901.	3953.	5054.	4102.	4102.	
CHEMICAL ENGINEERS	MEDIAN	18000.	18000.	18000.	18500.	18300.	18050.	18000.	18200.	17100.	17100.	18030.
	MEAN	17893.	17990.	17687.	18586.	18094.	17971.	17865.	18028.	17033.	17033.	584.
	COUNT	51	14	32	125	108	40	119	59	26	26	1171.
	STD DEV	1040.	475.	1161.	1071.	1178.	908.	1143.	889.	1648.	1648.	
BACHLORS	MEDIAN	18720.	18600.	0.	19800.	19500.	19200.	19000.	19200.	19800.	19800.	19259.
	MEAN	18653.	18600.	0.	19652.	19375.	20100.	19288.	18918.	19200.	19200.	77.
	COUNT	8	1	0.	10	16	2	25	12	3	3	1226.
	STD DEV	1134.	0.	0.	922.	1796.	1273.	986.	1145.	1308.	1308.	
MASTERS	MEDIAN	23700.	23000.	26600.	23500.	23000.	23000.	23000.	22000.	20472.	20472.	22127.
	MEAN	23700.	23000.	26600.	23835.	22583.	0.	21286.	21737.	15486.	15486.	38.
	COUNT	1	1	1	8	8	0.	14	3	2	2	3727.
	STD DEV	0.	0.	0.	3058.	2742.	0.	3673.	3601.	3505.	3505.	
PHD	MEDIAN	18118.	18341.	17957.	18954.	18521.	18072.	18393.	18323.	17165.	17165.	18388.
	MEAN	60	33	143	143	132	42	158	74	41	41	699.
	COUNT	60	33	143	143	132	42	158	74	41	41	1731.
	STD DEV	1309.	1327.	1927.	1735.	1776.	1017.	1826.	1337.	2149.	2149.	

Note: See page 47 for list of states by geographic regions.

TABLE B-9

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME B.S. CHEMISTS
BY EMPLOYER AND CERTIFICATION STATUS

EMPLOYER	1		ROW TOTAL	
	CERTIFD.	NON- CERTIFD.		
MANUFACTURING	MEDIAN	13800.	13000.	13398. 338 2240.
	MEAN	13480.	13275.	
	COUNT	203	135	
	STD DEV	2289.	2169.	
NONMANUFACTURING	MEDIAN	13500.	12400.	13270. 45 2301.
	MEAN	13358.	13185.	
	STD DEV	2504.	2143.	
COLLEGE, UNIVRSTY	MEDIAN	9100.	9500.	9707. 33 2484.
	MEAN	9126.	10191.	
	STD DEV	2141.	2700.	
HIGH SCH, OTHR SC	MEDIAN	8500.	9600.	9468. 12 1147.
	MEAN	8967.	9636.	
	STD DEV	896.	1217.	
FEDERAL GOVERNMT	MEDIAN	10000.	10400.	10733. 14 1485.
	MEAN	10934.	10372.	
	STD DEV	1692.	1086.	
STATE, LOCL GOV	MEDIAN	11820.	10200.	11078. 15 2076.
	MEAN	11494.	10604.	
	STD DEV	2161.	2029.	
HOSPITAL, IND LAB	MEDIAN	10000.	10000.	10270. 32 1785.
	MEAN	10015.	10526.	
	STD DEV	1432.	2097.	
NONPRFT RES INST	MEDIAN	11000.	10560.	11409. 24 2457.
	MEAN	12099.	10593.	
	STD DEV	2561.	2158.	
ALL EMPLOYERS	MEDIAN	13200.	12000.	12651. 517 2575.
	MEAN	12821.	12432.	
	STD DEV	2592.	2542.	

¹ SEE NOTE ON TABLE A-9.

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME M.S. AND PH.D. CHEMISTS
BY FIELD OF HIGHEST DEGREE

FIELD OF HIGHEST DEGREE	MASTERS	PHD	ROW TOTAL	
CHEMISTRY, GENERAL	MEDIAN	12500.	22000.	13822. 14 3916.
	MEAN	13193.	22000.	
	COUNT	13	1	
	STD DEV	3258.	0.	
BIOCHEMISTRY	11200.	12000.	14258. 15 5355.	
	13875.	14594.		
	4997.	5972.		
ANALYTICAL	15000.	21000.	18689. 40 3916.	
	15320.	19811.		
	2271.	3716.		
INORGANIC	15000.	20500.	17582. 33 5046.	
	14718.	18219.		
	1582.	5342.		
ORGANIC	13500.	21000.	18473. 82 4202.	
	14034.	20001.		
	3305.	3306.		
PHARMA, MED, CLN	15000.	18000.	16500. 2 2121.	
	15000.	18000.		
	0.	0.		
PHYSICAL, THEORÉT	15200.	21300.	18773. 33 4757.	
	15403.	19681.		
	1773.	4917.		
POLYMER, MACROGMOL	15600.	17500.	14925. 4 2879.	
	14067.	17500.		
	2831.	0.		
CHEMISTRY, OTHER	15600.	21000.	18268. 11 3491.	
	17088.	21417.		
	2877.	3394.		
ALL FIELDS	15000.	21000.	17791. 234 4571.	
	14560.	19345.		
	3149.	4335.		

STARTING YEARLY SALARIES
OF INEXPERIENCED FULL-TIME MINORITY CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED	CHEMISTS		CHEM EN- GINEERS	
BACHLORS	MEDIAN	13200.	18100.	
	MEAN	13380.	18200.	
	COUNT	19	29	
	STD DEV	2952.	2106.	
MASTERS	MEDIAN	11000.	18600.	
	MEAN	11571.	18556.	
	COUNT	6	9	
	STD DEV	1221.	965.	
PHD	MEDIAN	21600.	23000.	
	MEAN	20184.	23500.	
	COUNT	16	4	
	STD DEV	4305.	1291.	
COLUMN	MEAN	15771.	18781.	
	COUNT	41	42	
	STD DEV	4920.	2399.	

TABLE B-12

YEARLY SALARIES
OF POSTDOCTORAL CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY EMPLOYER

EMPLOYER	CHEMISTS		CHEM EN- GINEERS	
MANUFAC- TURING	MEDIAN	22000.	0.	
	MEAN	20414.	0.	
	COUNT	7	0	
	STD DEV	4133.	.	
NONMANUFACTURING	MEDIAN	10000.	0.	
	MEAN	11600.	0.	
	COUNT	2	0	
	STD DEV	2263.	0.	
COLLEGE, UNIVRSTY	MEDIAN	10000.	13000.	
	MEAN	10023.	16000.	
	COUNT	97	4	
	STD DEV	970.	4082.	
FEDERAL GOVERNMT	MEDIAN	15000.	0.	
	MEAN	14154.	0.	
	COUNT	15	0	
	STD DEV	3068.	0.	
HOSPITAL, IND LAB	MEDIAN	10000.	0.	
	MEAN	14000.	0.	
	COUNT	2	0	
	STD DEV	5657.	0.	
NONPRFT RES INST	MEDIAN	12500.	0.	
	MEAN	13043.	0.	
	COUNT	7	0	
	STD DEV	2522.	0.	
OTHER	MEDIAN	10000.	0.	
	MEAN	10000.	0.	
	COUNT	1	0	
	STD DEV	0.	0.	
ALL EMPLOYERS	MEDIAN	10000.	13000.	
	MEAN	11297.	16000.	
	COUNT	131	4	
	STD DEV	3162.	4082.	
COLUMN	MEAN	11297.	16000.	
	COUNT	131	4	
	STD DEV	3162.	4082.	

TABLE C-1

AGE DISTRIBUTION
OF B.S. CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY SEX

AGE CATEGORY	CHEMISTS			CHEM ENGINEERS		
	#	%	ROW TOTAL	#	%	ROW TOTAL
19 OR LESS	3	0.2	3	1	0.0	1
20	14	0.7	17	4	0.0	4
21	109	5.7	189	25	4.0	32
22	1112	58.0	1593	464	59.8	568
23	372	19.4	480	228	28.2	277
24	104	5.4	137	85	2.9	90
25	49	2.6	70	16	1.7	19
26	34	1.8	43	11	1.7	14
27	32	1.7	39	8	0.0	8
28	19	1.0	23	5	0.6	6
29	21	1.1	26	8	0.6	9
30-34	33	1.7	47	13	0.6	14
35-39	11	0.6	17	3	0.0	3
40-49	3	0.2	4	0	0.0	0
COLUMN TOTAL	1916	71.3	2688	871	16.7	1045
			100.0			100.0

TABLE C-2

AGE DISTRIBUTION
OF M.S. CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY SEX

AGE CATEGORY	CHEMISTS			CHEM ENGINEERS		
	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
21	# 1 % 0.4	# 1 % 1.2	2 0.6	# 0 % 0.0	# 0 % 0.0	0 0.0
22	# 9 % 3.8	# 0 % 0.0	9 2.8	# 6 % 4.0	# 1 % 6.7	7 4.2
23	# 6 % 2.5	# 2 % 2.5	8 2.5	# 25 % 16.6	# 1 % 6.7	26 15.7
24	# 37 % 15.7	# 19 % 23.5	56 17.7	# 27 % 17.9	# 1 % 6.7	28 16.9
25	# 54 % 22.9	# 17 % 21.0	71 22.4	# 24 % 15.9	# 4 % 26.7	28 16.9
26	# 41 % 17.4	# 11 % 13.6	52 16.4	# 23 % 15.2	# 1 % 6.7	24 14.5
27	# 21 % 8.9	# 7 % 8.6	28 8.8	# 14 % 9.3	# 2 % 13.3	16 9.6
28	# 15 % 6.4	# 5 % 6.2	20 6.3	# 9 % 6.0	# 2 % 13.3	11 6.6
29	# 14 % 5.9	# 5 % 6.2	19 6.0	# 4 % 2.6	# 0 % 0.0	4 2.4
30-34	# 31 % 13.1	# 8 % 9.9	39 12.3	# 16 % 10.6	# 2 % 13.3	18 10.8
35-39	# 7 % 3.0	# 6 % 7.4	13 4.1	# 2 % 1.3	# 0 % 0.0	2 1.2
40-49	# 0 % 0.0	# 0 % 0.0	0 0.0	# 1 % 0.7	# 0 % 0.0	1 0.6
50-64	# 0 % 0.0	# 0 % 0.0	0 0.0	# 0 % 0.0	# 1 % 6.7	1 0.6
COLUMN TOTAL	236 74.4	81 25.6	317 100.0	151 91.0	15 9.0	166 100.0

TABLE C-3

AGE DISTRIBUTION
OF PH.D. CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY SEX

AGE CATEGORY	CHEMISTS			CHEM ENGINEERS		
	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL
21	# 1 % 0.3	0 0.0	1 0.2	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
24	2 0.6	1 1.7	3 0.7	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
25	6 1.7	1 1.7	7 1.7	1 1.6	0 0.0	1 1.5
26	30 8.6	6 10.2	36 8.9	4 6.3	0 0.0	4 6.2
27	57 16.4	16 27.1	73 18.0	12 18.8	0 0.0	12 18.5
28	69 19.9	13 22.0	82 20.2	14 21.9	1 100.0	15 23.1
29	48 13.8	4 6.8	52 12.8	12 18.8	0 0.0	12 18.5
30-34	109 31.4	16 27.1	125 30.8	18 28.1	0 0.0	18 27.7
35-39	17 4.9	2 3.4	19 4.7	3 4.7	0 0.0	3 4.6
40-49	7 2.0	0 0.0	7 1.7	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
50-64	1 0.3	0 0.0	1 0.2	0 0.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
COLUMN TOTAL	347 85.5	59 14.5	406 100.0	64 98.5	1 1.5	65 100.0

TABLE C-4

AGE DISTRIBUTION
OF POSTDOCTORAL CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY SEX

AGE CATEGORY	CHEMISTS			CHEM ENGINEERS	
	MEN	WOMEN	ROW TOTAL	MEN	ROW TOTAL
21	# 1 % 0.9	0 0.0	1 0.8	0 0.0	0 0.0
25	2 1.7	0 0.0	2 1.5	0 0.0	0 0.0
26	10 8.5	2 12.5	12 9.0	0 0.0	0 0.0
27	17 14.5	6 37.5	23 17.3	0 0.0	0 0.0
28	29 24.8	4 25.0	33 24.8	1 25.0	1 25.0
29	19 16.2	0 0.0	19 14.3	0 0.0	0 0.0
30-34	38 32.5	4 25.0	42 31.6	3 75.0	3 75.0
40-49	1 0.9	0 0.0	1 0.8	0 0.0	0 0.0
COLUMN TOTAL	117 88.0	16 12.0	133 100.0	4 100.0	4 100.0

TABLE C-6

CITIZENSHIP OR VISA STATUS OF CHEMISTS AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERS

BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED AND SEX

CITIZENSHIP OR VISA STATUS	BACHLORS		MASTERS		PHD		ROW TOTAL
	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN	IMEN	WOMEN	
CHEMISTS							
U. S. CITIZEN	1877 98.1	754 97.8	210 88.6	69 85.2	308 88.5	50 84.7	358 88.0
RESIDENT VISA	20 1.0	13 1.7	11 4.6	1 1.2	17 4.9	5 8.5	22 5.4
OTHER VISA	17 0.9	4 0.5	16 6.8	11 13.6	23 6.6	4 6.8	27 6.6
COLUMN TOTAL	1914 71.3	771 28.7	237 74.5	81 25.5	348 85.5	59 14.5	407 100.0
CHEM ENGINEERS							
U. S. CITIZEN	848 97.0	168 96.6	123 81.5	11 73.3	45 70.3	1 100.0	46 70.8
RESIDENT VISA	13 1.5	4 2.3	8 5.3	2 13.3	10 15.6	0 0.0	10 15.4
OTHER VISA	13 1.5	2 1.1	20 13.2	2 13.3	9 14.1	0 0.0	9 13.8
COLUMN TOTAL	874 83.4	174 16.6	151 91.0	15 9.0	64 98.5	1 1.5	65 100.0

TABLE C-7

MINORITY CLASSIFICATION AND CITIZENSHIP OR VISA STATUS OF CHEMISTS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

CITIZENSHIP OR VISA STATUS	MINORITY CLASSIFICATION					ROW TOTAL
	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC	NON- MINORITY	
BACHLORS						
U. S. CITIZEN	# 43 % 89.6	3 100.0	65 78.3	22 84.6	2450 98.9	2583 98.0
RESIDENT VISA	2 4.2	0 0.0	15 18.1	3 11.5	13 0.5	33 1.3
OTHER VISA	3 6.3	0 0.0	3 3.6	1 3.8	13 0.5	20 0.8
COLUMN TOTAL	48 1.8	3 0.1	83 3.1	26 1.0	2476 93.9	2636 100.0
MASTERS						
U. S. CITIZEN	# 11 % 84.6	1 100.0	3 14.3	2 50.0	254 93.7	271 87.4
RESIDENT VISA	1 7.7	0 0.0	5 23.8	1 25.0	5 1.8	12 3.9
OTHER VISA	1 7.7	0 0.0	13 61.9	1 25.0	12 4.4	27 8.7
COLUMN TOTAL	13 4.2	1 0.3	21 6.8	4 1.3	271 87.4	310 100.0
PHD						
U. S. CITIZEN	# 11 % 91.7	1 100.0	7 19.4	4 100.0	323 94.7	346 87.8
RESIDENT VISA	1 8.3	0 0.0	15 41.7	0 0.0	6 1.8	22 5.6
OTHER VISA	0 0.0	0 0.0	14 38.9	0 0.0	12 3.5	26 6.6
COLUMN TOTAL	12 3.0	1 0.3	36 9.1	4 1.0	341 86.5	394 100.0

TABLE C-8

MINORITY CLASSIFICATION AND CITIZENSHIP OR VISA STATUS OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS
BY HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

CITIZENSHIP OR VISA STATUS		MINORITY CLASSIFICATION				ROW TOTAL
		BLACK	ASIAN	HISPANIC	NON- MINORITY	
BACHLORS						
U. S.	CITIZEN	# 13	# 27	# 7	# 949	996
		% 81.3	% 69.2	% 70.0	% 98.5	96.9
	RESIDENT VISA	# 1	# 7	# 2	# 7	17
		% 6.3	% 17.9	% 20.0	% 0.7	1.7
	OTHER VISA	# 2	# 5	# 1	# 7	15
		% 12.5	% 12.8	% 10.0	% 0.7	1.5
	COLUMN TOTAL	16	39	10	963	1028
		1.6	3.8	1.0	93.7	100.0
MASTERS						
U. S.	CITIZEN	# 0	# 3	# 2	# 126	131
		% 0.0	% 16.7	% 40.0	% 91.3	80.9
	RESIDENT VISA	# 0	# 6	# 1	# 2	9
		% 0.0	% 33.3	% 20.0	% 1.4	5.6
	OTHER VISA	# 1	# 9	# 2	# 10	22
		% 100.0	% 50.0	% 40.0	% 7.2	13.6
	COLUMN TOTAL	1	18	5	138	162
		0.6	11.1	3.1	85.2	100.0
PHD						
U. S.	CITIZEN	# 1	# 1	# 0	# 43	45
		% 100.0	% 11.1	% 0.0	% 81.1	71.4
	RESIDENT VISA	# 0	# 7	# 0	# 3	10
		% 0.0	% 77.8	% 0.0	% 5.7	15.9
	OTHER VISA	# 0	# 1	# 0	# 7	8
		% 0.0	% 11.1	% 0.0	% 13.2	12.7
	COLUMN TOTAL	1	9	0	53	63
		1.6	14.3	0.0	84.1	100.0

APPENDIX

SCOPE AND METHOD OF SURVEY

OBJECTIVES OF SURVEY

The 1978 survey is the twenty-seventh in the series of starting salary surveys conducted by the American Chemical Society. A summary of the results appears in the October 23, 1978 issue of Chemical and Engineering News.

The primary objective of the survey is to determine the salaries and occupational status of the students who majored in chemistry and chemical engineering and who graduated during the 1977-1978 academic year. The survey covers the three degree levels: bachelor's, master's, and Ph.D. In addition, the survey provides information on minority participation, and citizenship status.

METHOD OF COLLECTION AND TIMING OF SURVEY

Chemistry and chemical engineering departments provided lists of names and addresses of graduates. The cooperating departments were the chemistry departments approved by the ACS, and the chemical engineering departments accredited by the American Institute of Chemical Engineers and the Engineer's Council for Professional Development.

During the summer of 1978, the Office of Manpower Studies mailed questionnaires to graduates who had U.S. addresses and graduation dates from September 1977 through June 1978. Summer graduates were excluded because most of them had twelve months experience by the time the survey was conducted.

EXTENT OF COVERAGE

Approximately 13,583 questionnaires were mailed to graduates of 533 chemistry and 105 chemical engineering departments. Most of the questionnaires were sent by bulk mail, but several hundred were sent first class. About 10% of those sent by first class mail were returned. Thus about 10% of the questionnaires apparently were undeliverable because the addresses were inadequate. By the mid-September cutoff date, the Office of Manpower Studies had received 4,746 responses, 4743 of them usable.

The Office of Manpower Studies estimates that U.S. colleges and universities granted about 21,000 chemistry and chemical engineering degrees during the year ending June 1978. No effort was made to examine the characteristics of the graduates from departments that did not participate in the survey or of those graduates who did not mail back completed questionnaires.

DEFINITIONS

The questionnaire appears in the appendix. Question H on post-graduation status was edited to eliminate multiple check marks and to reflect as accurately as possible the employment status of the respondent.

The term "inexperienced" as used in the tables refers to those who have 12 months or less of prior professional work experience. Salary tables are based only on salaries of those who found full-time employment in chemistry or chemical engineering. Postdoctoral salaries are analyzed separately. The discrepancies in the numbers of respondents in various tables reflect the use of incomplete questionnaires.

GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS

PACIFIC

WASHINGTON
OREGON
CALIFORNIA
ALASKA
HAWAII

MOUNTAIN

MONTANA
IDAHO
WYOMING
NEVADA
UTAH
COLORADO
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WEST NORTH CENTRAL

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MINNESOTA
SOUTH DAKOTA
IOWA
NEBRASKA
KANSAS
MISSOURI

WEST SOUTH CENTRAL

OKLAHOMA
ARKANSAS
TEXAS
LOUISIANA

EAST NORTH CENTRAL

WISCONSIN
MICHIGAN
ILLINOIS
INDIANA
OHIO

EAST SOUTH CENTRAL

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Starting Salary and Employment Status of 1978 Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Graduates

PLEASE DO NOT WRITE
IN THIS SPACE

- A. Sex: (1) Male (2) Female
- B. Year of birth
- C. Highest degree received in 1977-78 academic year: (1) Bachelors (2) Masters (3) Ph.D.
- D. Field of highest degree:
- | | |
|--|---|
| (01) <u> </u> Chemical engineering | (07) <u> </u> Organic chemistry |
| (02) <u> </u> Chemistry, general | (08) <u> </u> Pharmaceutical/medicinal/clinical chemistry |
| (03) <u> </u> Biochemistry | (09) <u> </u> Physical/theoretical chemistry |
| (04) <u> </u> Agricultural/food chemistry | (10) <u> </u> Polymer/macromolecular chemistry |
| (05) <u> </u> Analytical chemistry | (14) <u> </u> Chemistry, other (specify) <u> </u> |
| (06) <u> </u> Inorganic chemistry | (15) <u> </u> Non-chemical (specify) <u> </u> |
- E. Citizenship or visa status: (1) U.S. citizen (2) U.S. permanent resident visa (3) Other visa: (specify)
- F. Are you a member of any of the minority groups recognized by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission listed below? Yes (5) No

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If "Yes," please check those which apply to you:

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| (1) <u> </u> Black (not of Hispanic origin) | (2) <u> </u> American Indian or Alaskan Native |
| (3) <u> </u> Asian or Pacific Islander (those of Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Filipino, or subcontinental Indian origin) | (4) <u> </u> Hispanic (those of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or Spanish origin) |

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- G. Post-graduation employment status:

Accepted or continued full-time employment (excluding summer employment):

- (1) in a field of chemistry or chemical engineering
- (2) in a field other than chemistry or chemical engineering
- (3) Accepted a graduate assistantship or a postdoctoral or other fellowship
- (4) Entered military service, Peace Corps, VISTA, PHS, or other similar service

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Not employed (or employed part-time or for the summer):

- (5) and seeking full-time employment
- (6) and not seeking full-time employment

- H. Do you plan further advanced studies in fall 1978? (1) Yes, full-time (2) Yes, part-time (3) No

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a. If "Yes," please specify field:

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| (01) <u> </u> Chemistry | (07) <u> </u> Medicine |
| (02) <u> </u> Other physical science, math. | (08) <u> </u> Dentistry |
| (03) <u> </u> Chemical engineering | (09) <u> </u> Pharmacy, pharmacology |
| (04) <u> </u> Other engineering | (10) <u> </u> Business, management |
| (05) <u> </u> Biochemistry | (11) <u> </u> Law |
| (06) <u> </u> Other life science | (12) <u> </u> Social science, humanities |
| | (13) <u> </u> Other (specify) <u> </u> |

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IF YOU HAVE FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT OR A POSTDOCTORAL POSITION, PLEASE ANSWER THE REMAINING QUESTIONS

- I. Annual starting salary: \$
- J. Technical work experience prior to graduation: (1) less than 12 months (or none) (2) 12 months or more
- K. Employer classification (check the one category which best describes your employer):
- Private industry or business:
- | | |
|---|--|
| (01) <u> </u> manufacturing | (05) <u> </u> Federal government (civilians only) |
| (02) <u> </u> non-manufacturing (e.g. mining, utilities, construction, etc.) | (06) <u> </u> State or local government |
| (03) <u> </u> College or university | (07) <u> </u> Hospital or independent laboratory |
| (04) <u> </u> High school or other school | (08) <u> </u> Other non-profit org. or research institute |
| | (09) <u> </u> Other (specify) <u> </u> |
- L. Geographic location of employment: State
- M. How many firm offers of employment did you receive in a field of chemistry or chemical engineering? Specify number

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Certification
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Please return within 10 days to the American Chemical Society
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Thank you

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