Table C.1: Applications for Admission to Graduate School by Institution Type, Carnegie Classification, and Degree Level, 2010 to 2020

Institution Type, Carnegie Classification, and Degree Level 	% Change, 2019 to 2020	Average Annual % Change, 2015 to 2020	Average Annual % Change, 2010 to 2020
Total	7.3%	2.0%	2.5%
Institution Type			
Public	6.1%	0.6%	1.7%
Private, not-for-profit	9.2%	4.5%	4.2%
Private, for-profit	S	N/A	N/A
Carnegie Classification *			
Doctoral: Very High Research	8.1%	2.7%	2.6%
Doctoral: High Research	4.5%	0.3%	1.5%
Doctoral/Professional Universities	5.6%	1.5%	4.4%
Master's Colleges and Universities	2.8%	-1.3%	1.4%
Other	16.1%	6.3%	5.4%
Degree Level			
Doctoral	2.8%	1.9%	0.9%
Master's/Other **	9.6%	2.1%	3.4%

 * See Appendix A for information about the Carnegie Classification system.

** Includes applications to graduate-level certificate and education specialist programs.

Notes: Group sizes for each annual change analysis (1, 5, and 10-year) were determined based on only those institutions that submitted data at both current and reference years.

N/A = Not available. S = Suppressed due to small number of institutional respondents in this category.

Not all respondents provided applications data by level.

Source: CGS/GRE Survey of Graduate Enrollment and Degrees