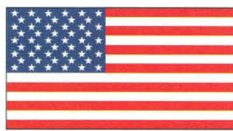


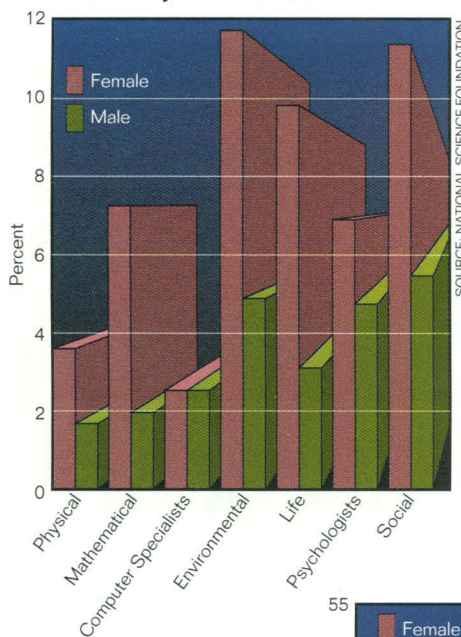
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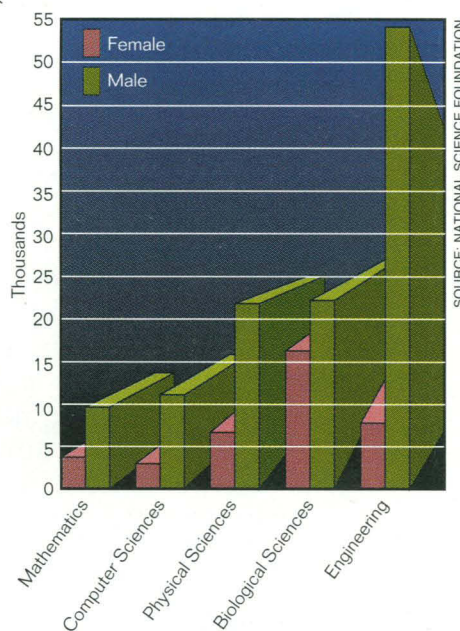
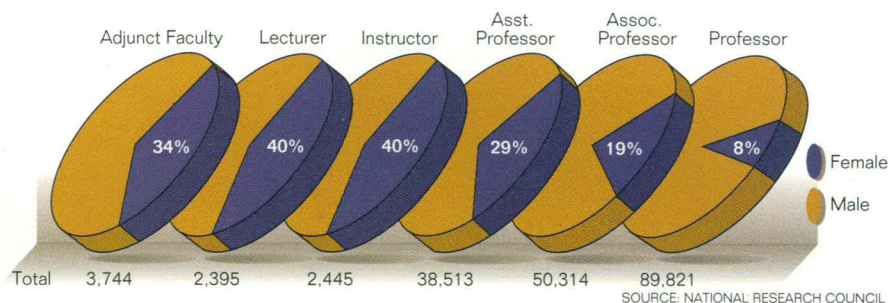


Sister, can you spare a dime?

Underemployment rates—the proportion not working or working in part-time positions—are higher for women in almost every scientific field.



Shrinking slice. Women are overrepresented in non-tenure-track positions such as adjunct faculty and lecturer, but higher up the career ladder, there are fewer women.



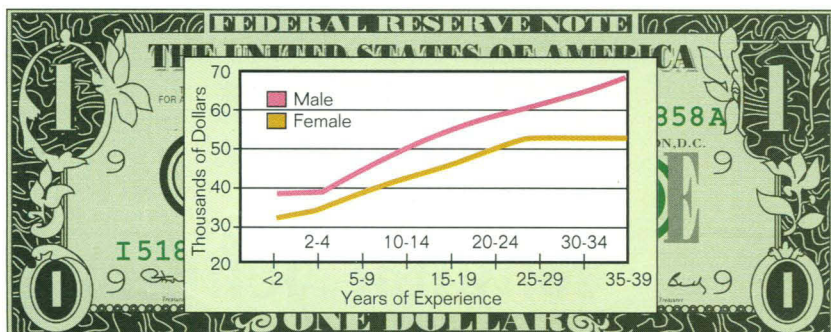
Biological bent. In most fields of science there are still far fewer full-time female graduate students than there are males; biology is the major exception.

Where Women Get Their Ph.D.'s

Physical Science	Biological Science	Social Science	Engineering
1 UC-Berkeley	Cornell Univ.	UC-Berkeley	Univ. of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
2 Cornell Univ.	UC Berkeley	Univ. of Michigan	UC-Berkeley and Purdue Univ.
3 Wellesley College	UC-Davis	UC-Los Angeles	Univ. of Michigan and Penn State
4 Univ. of Michigan	Univ. of Michigan	Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison	Cornell Univ.
5 Rutgers Univ.	Univ. of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	Univ. of Minnesota, Minneapolis	Ohio State

SOURCE: NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL

Woman-friendly. According to the National Research Council's doctoral records file, these are the top five schools in granting women Ph.D.s.



Greenback gender gap. Women earn less than men at every stage of their scientific careers, and the disparity increases at the highest levels of experience.