

# 2021 FACT SHEET

**LSU**  
More than **35,000**  
students enrolled

New Full-time  
Degree Seeking  
First-year Students

**7,038**  
Fall 2021



**DEGREES AWARDED**

Undergraduate  
**4,675**

Graduate  
**1,691**



**COLLEGE OF SCIENCE** | Biological Sciences | Chemistry | Geology & Geophysics |  
Mathematics | Physics & Astronomy | Museum of Natural Science

## 2021 COLLEGE OF SCIENCE ENROLLMENT

Fall 2021

Undergraduate

**1,598**



Men:  
37%



Women:  
63%

Graduate

**485**



Men:  
59%



Women:  
41%

New Full-time  
Degree Seeking  
First-year Students



**950**

## UNDERGRAD ENROLLMENT BY MAJOR

	2020	2021
Biochem	191	193
Micro	47	68
Math	94	84
Physics	68	71
Chemistry	74	91
Biological Sci	925	1,043
Geology	28	26
Student Exchange Programs	0	0
Pre-Dental	2	6
Pre-Medical	0	10
Science Undecided	0	1
Non-Matriculated	3	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,432</b>	<b>1,598</b>

**DEGREES AWARDED**  
— 2020-21

Undergraduate  
**448**

Graduate  
**109**

**ENROLLMENT BY ETHNICITY**

White | 1,190 (58%)      Two or More Races | 47 (2%)  
International/  
Non-Citizen | 241 (12%)      Am. Indian/Alaskan | 12 (.6%)  
Asian | 212 (10%)      Native Hawaiian | 4 (0.2%)  
Black | 211 (10%)      Unknown | 20 (1%)  
Hispanic | 129 (6%)

# FULL-TIME DEGREE SEEKING NEW FRESHMEN BY MAJOR

MAJOR	2020	2021
Biochem	114	95
Biological Sci	739	711
Microbiology	25	25
Pre-Dental	2	5
Pre-Medical	n/a	9
Chemistry	37	46
Science Undecided	n/a	1
Geology	9	11
Mathematics	30	17
Physics	46	30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,002</b>	<b>950</b>

## FACULTY — Fall 2021



**248**  
TOTAL

Tenure-track  
**198**

Instructors  
**50**



## NO. OF FACULTY BY DEPT.

Biological Sciences **79**

Chemistry **40**

Geology & Geophysics **19**

Mathematics **59**

Physics & Astronomy **51**

## RESEARCH FUNDING

More than  
**\$33 million**  
per year

About **75%**  
from federal agencies



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DOD  
NSF  
NIH  
DOE

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