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(2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR)

At the beginning of the 2023/2024 academic year, 62 higher education institutions were in Georgia, of which - 19 state and 43 private institutions. Approximately two-thirds of higher educational institutions are located in Tbilisi.

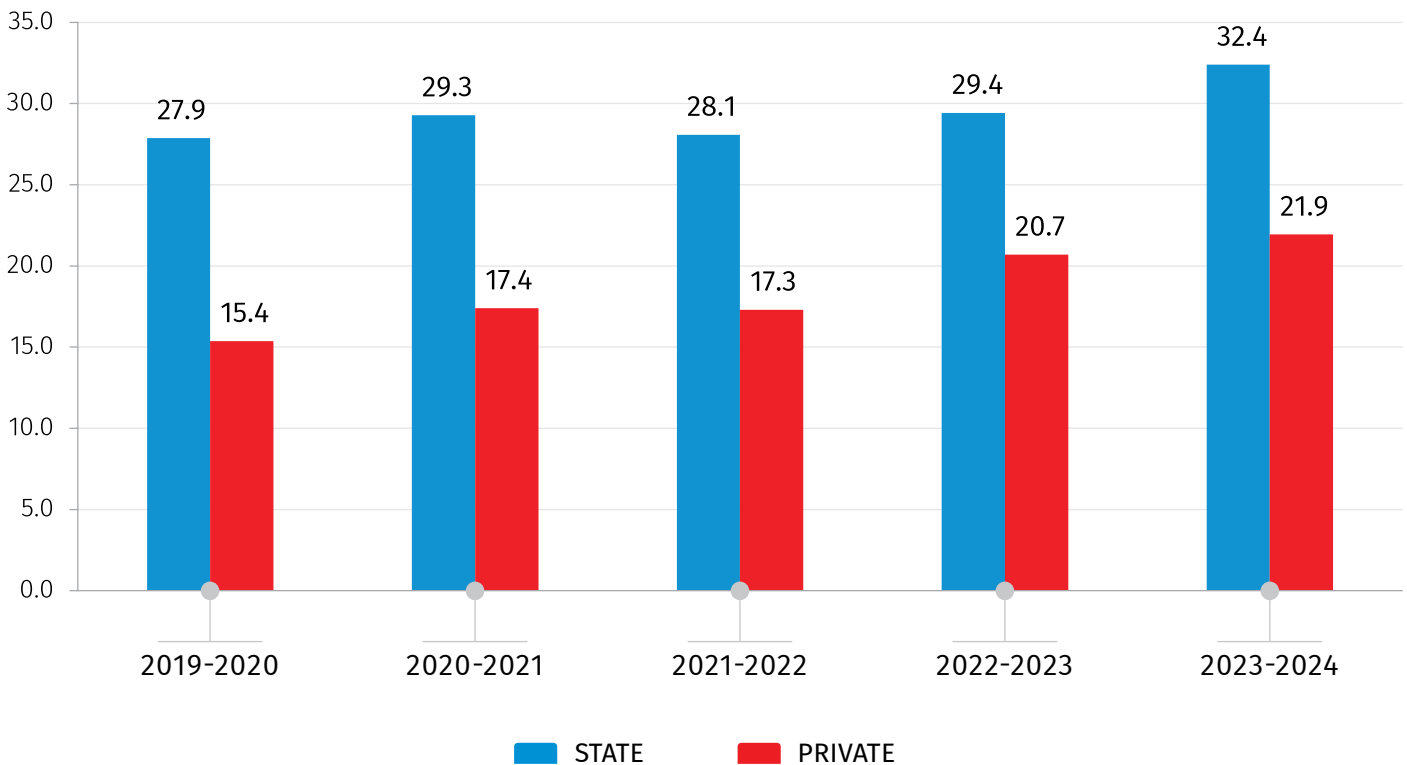
At the beginning of the 2023/2024 academic year, 54.3 thousand students were enrolled in Georgian higher education institutions, out of them 32.4 thousand in state universities and 21.9 thousand in private universities. Student admissions increased by 8.4 percent compared to the same period of the previous year.

The chart below presents the number of enrollment of students in higher education institutions in 2019/2020-2023/2024 academic years.

CHART №1

NUMBER OF STUDENTS ADMITTED TO HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

(THOUSANDS)



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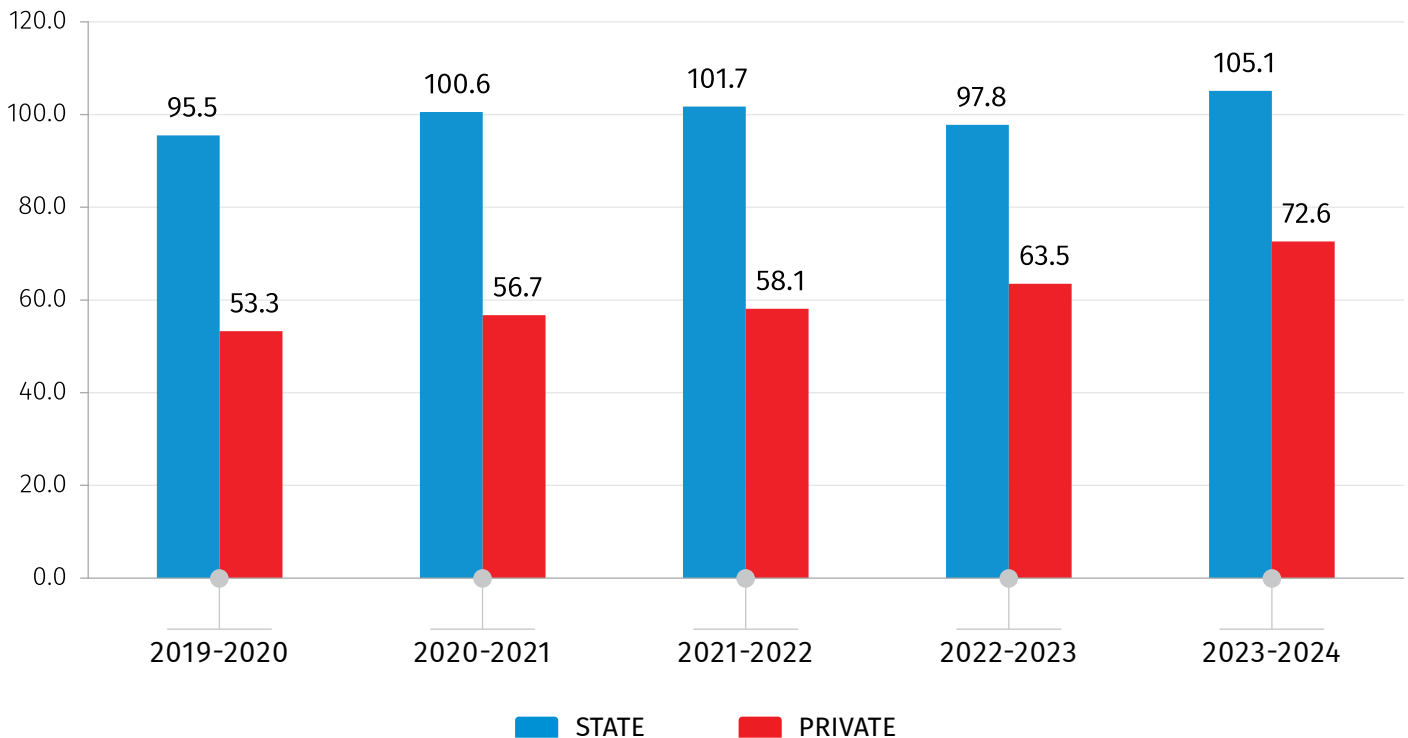
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The number of students in Georgian higher education institutions amounted to 177.8 thousand, which is 10.2 percent more compared to the previous academic year. 59.1 percent of the total number of students study in state higher education institutions and 40.9 percent in private institutions. 51.2 percent of students are female and 48.8 percent are male.

The chart below presents the number of students in the higher education institutions in 2019/2020-2023/2024 academic years.

CHART №2

NUMBER OF STUDENTS IN HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS
(THOUSANDS)



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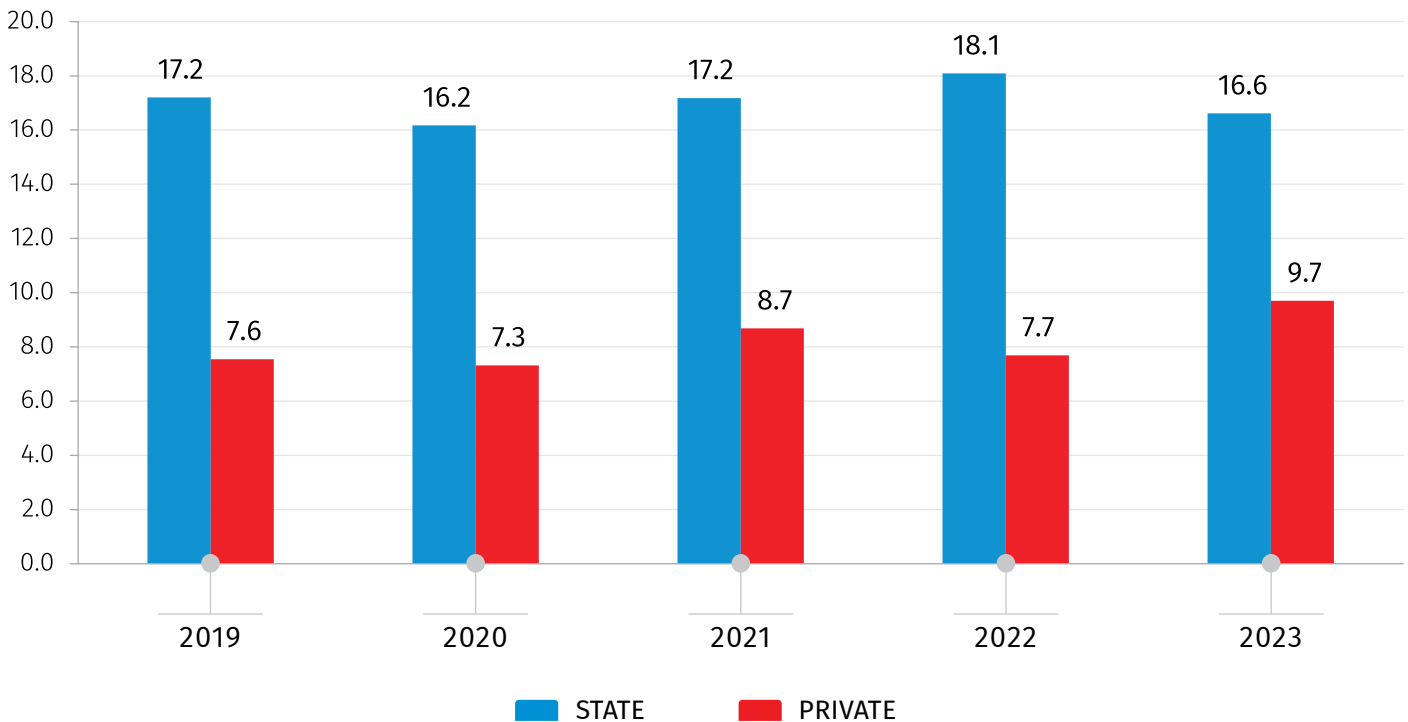
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In 2023, 26.3 thousand students graduated from higher education institutions, that is 2.1 percent more compared to the previous year. 60.1 percent of the graduates are women and 39.9 percent are men. The number of graduates in state higher education institutions is 1.7 times higher compared to the number of graduates in the private universities.

The chart below presents the number of graduates from higher education institutions in 2019-2023.

CHART №3

NUMBER OF GRADUATES FROM HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS
(THOUSANDS)



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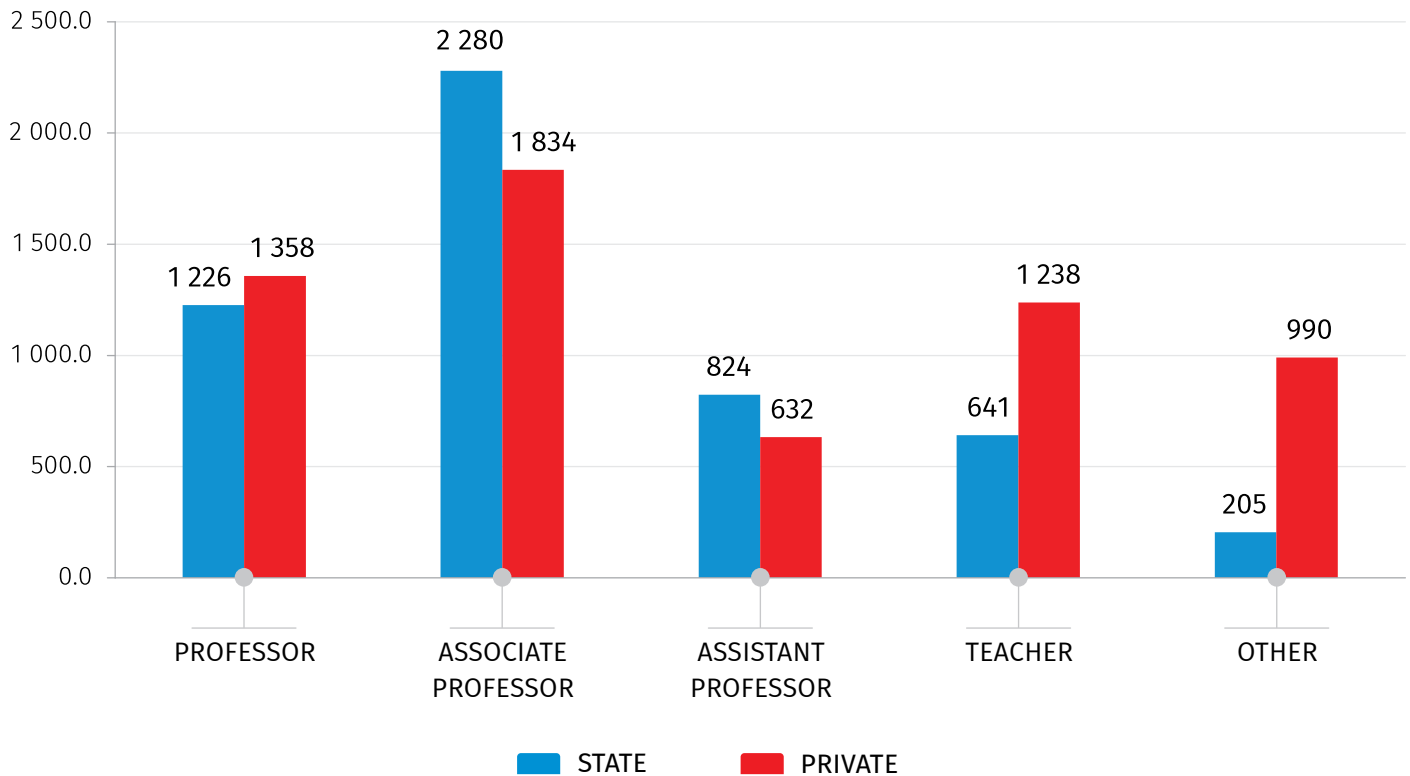
The number of foreign students in Georgian higher education institutions amounted to 30.7 thousand, which is 22.5 percent higher compared to the previous year.

Number of professors in higher education institutions is 11.2 thousand, which is 5.9 percent more compared to the same indicator of the previous year.

The chart below shows the number of professors in higher education institutions in 2023/2024 academic year.

CHART №4

NUMBER OF PROFESSORS IN HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS
(2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR, PERSONS)



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In 2023, the number of doctoral students admitted at universities increased by 6.4 percent compared to the previous year and amounted to 930. The number of doctoral students has decreased by 1.9 percent and amounts to 3,569.

The table below presents the number of persons working for doctoral degree by field of science in 2023.

TABLE №1

NUMBER OF PERSONS WORKING FOR DOCTORAL DEGREE BY FIELD OF SCIENCE IN 2023

| | NUMBER (PERSONS) | % |
|---|---------------------|--------------|
| NUMBER OF PERSONS WORKING FOR DOCTORAL DEGREE, TOTAL | 3 569 | 100.0 |
| Of which: | | |
| Education | 103 | 2.9 |
| Humanities and Arts | 653 | 18.3 |
| Social sciences, business and law | 1 664 | 46.6 |
| Science | 403 | 11.3 |
| Engineering, manufacturing and construction | 232 | 6.5 |
| Agriculture | 50 | 1.4 |
| Health and welfare | 435 | 12.2 |
| Services | 29 | 0.8 |

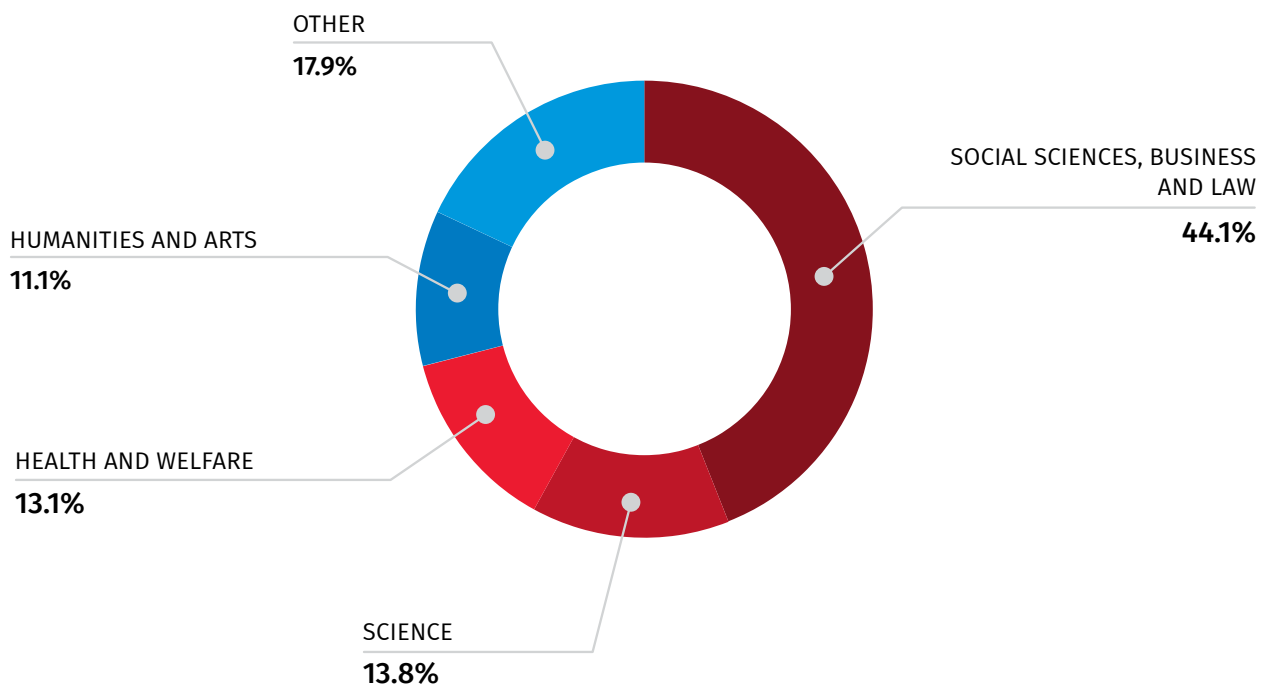
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Compared to the previous year, the number of persons who completed their work for doctoral degree has decreased by 3.0 percent and amounted to 521.

The chart below presents the number of persons who completed their work for doctoral degree in 2023.

CHART №5

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS WHO COMPLETED THEIR WORK FOR DOCTORAL DEGREE IN 2023



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