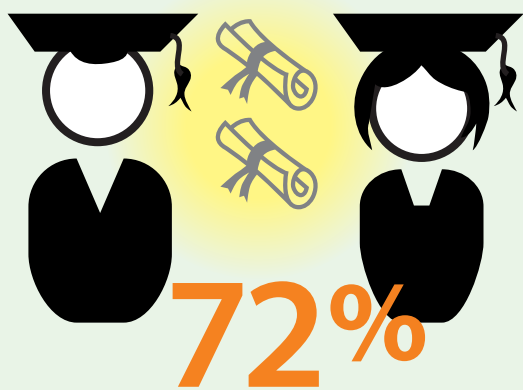


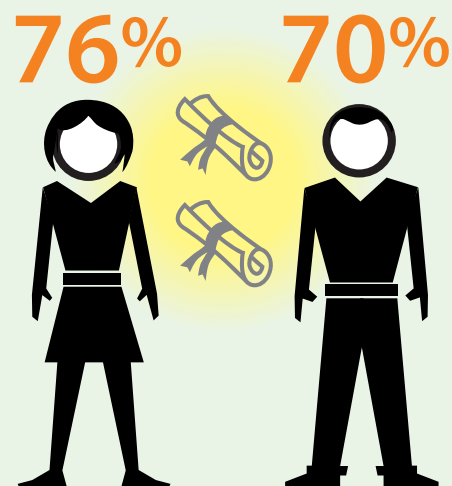
Students' Plans for Future Study

Nearly all the Physics students planned to continue their education after finishing secondary school and the vast majority intend to obtain advanced degrees.



of students expect to obtain an advanced degree

Higher percentages of the Females taking physics than of the Males expect to obtain an advanced degree.



The most popular areas of future study included:

**Engineering/
Technology**



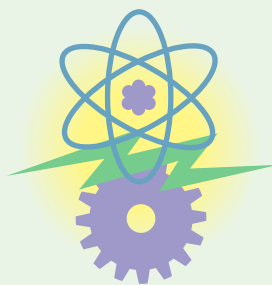
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**Biological/
Biomedical**



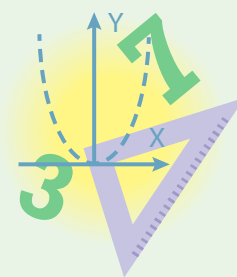
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Physics



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Mathematics



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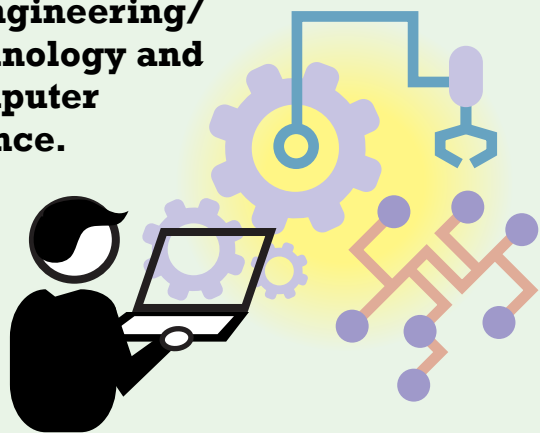
Education trailed behind (7%) as a future area of study.

Students' Plans for Future Professions

Students who studied physics in secondary school reported considering a number of professions.

A career in Engineering/Technology was the most popular choice, being considered by 72% on average. More than 40% on average also considered Computer Science, Biological/Biomedical, Education, and Finance.

In every country, more Males were considering the professions of Engineering/Technology and Computer Science.



More Females were considering Biological/Biomedical (8 countries), Environmental Science (6 countries), and Education (5 countries).

