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## GRADUATE OUTPUT

This Chapter presents summary of students graduated from Universities and HEIs.

The numbers of graduates (Graduate Output) are those who **successfully completed** the relevant programme during the period of 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December of the reference year. The **successful completion** is defined according to the effective date of the degree.

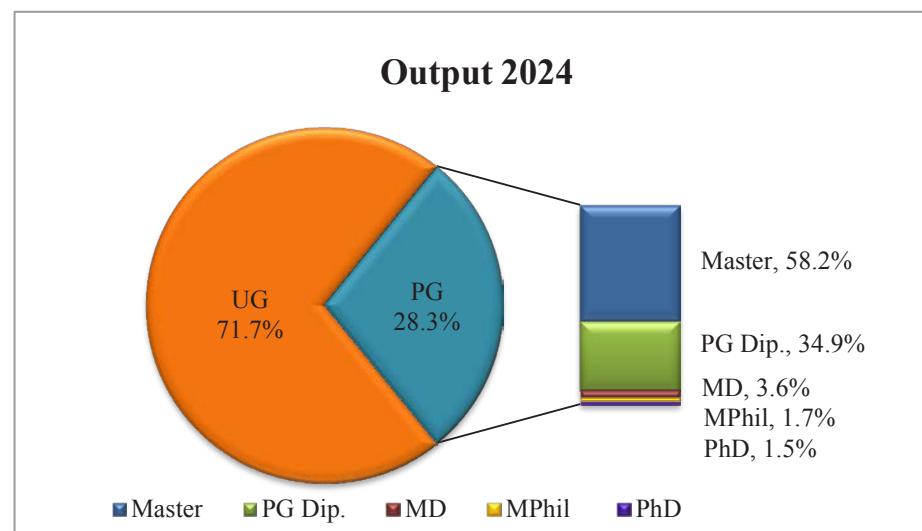
At the beginning of the Chapter, the summary of undergraduate and postgraduate output is presented.

### Total Graduate (Bachelor Degree) Output - 2024

| Faculty/Academic Programme | Female        | Total         |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Arts                       | 9,964         | 11,729        |
| Education                  | 410           | 438           |
| Management & Commerce      | 4,962         | 6,912         |
| Law                        | 407           | 733           |
| Medicine                   | 1,024         | 1,621         |
| Dental Science             | -             | -             |
| Vet. Science               | 59            | 69            |
| Agriculture                | 667           | 951           |
| Engineering                | 655           | 2,111         |
| Architecture               | 192           | 341           |
| Computer Science           | 733           | 1,510         |
| Allied Health Sciences     | 801           | 950           |
| Science                    | 2,610         | 4,129         |
| Indigenous Medicine        | 244           | 305           |
| Technology                 | 642           | 1,491         |
| <b>Total</b>               | <b>23,370</b> | <b>33,290</b> |

### Total Postgraduate Output - 2024

| Faculty/Academic Programme           | Female       | Total         |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Arts                                 | 1,714        | 2,872         |
| Education                            | 2,739        | 3,934         |
| Management & Commerce                | 1,293        | 2,845         |
| Law                                  | 172          | 281           |
| Medicine, Dental & Allied Health Sc. | 468          | 804           |
| Vet. Science                         | 48           | 70            |
| Agriculture                          | 165          | 293           |
| Engineering                          | 185          | 592           |
| Architecture                         | 43           | 118           |
| Science/IT                           | 759          | 1,295         |
| Indigenous Medicine                  | 44           | 63            |
| <b>Total</b>                         | <b>7,630</b> | <b>13,167</b> |



(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)

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**GRADUATE OUTPUT BY HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION AND MAJOR ACADEMIC PROGRAMME : 2023 - 2024**  
**(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)**

| UNIVERSITY/<br>HEI <sup>(2)</sup> | Year <sup>(1)</sup> | Faculty/Academic Programme |      |                       |                  |     |                |          |                    |                |    |                    |    |             |                |             |                   |                                   |     |                     |                  |                        |                   |         |                |                     |                |                |                |       |      |      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|------|-----------------------|------------------|-----|----------------|----------|--------------------|----------------|----|--------------------|----|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-----|---------------------|------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------|------|------|
|                                   |                     | Arts                       |      | Management & Commerce |                  | Law |                | Medicine |                    | Dental Science |    | Veterinary Science |    | Agriculture |                | Engineering |                   | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |     | Computer Science/IT |                  | Allied Health Sciences |                   | Science |                | Indigenous Medicine |                | Technology     |                | Total |      |      |
|                                   |                     | F                          | T    | F                     | T                | F   | T              | F        | T                  | F              | T  | F                  | T  | F           | T              | F           | T                 | F                                 | T   | F                   | T                | F                      | T                 | F       | T              | F                   | T              | F              | T              | F     | T    |      |
| University of Colombo             | 2023                | 613                        | 709  | 355                   | 552              | 208 | 240            | 106      | 189                |                |    |                    |    |             |                |             |                   |                                   |     |                     |                  | 20                     | 27                | 238     | 435            | 170                 | 209            |                |                | 1710  | 2361 |      |
|                                   | 2024                | 776                        | 904  |                       | <sup>(7)</sup>   |     | <sup>(7)</sup> | 113      | 197                |                |    |                    |    |             |                |             |                   |                                   |     |                     | 19               | 28                     | 219               | 386     | 147            | 185                 |                | <sup>(7)</sup> | 1274           | 1700  |      |      |
| Sri Palee Campus                  | 2023                | 125                        | 152  |                       |                  |     |                |          |                    |                |    |                    |    |             |                |             |                   |                                   |     |                     |                  |                        |                   |         |                |                     |                |                |                | 125   | 152  |      |
|                                   | 2024                | 127                        | 154  |                       |                  |     |                |          |                    |                |    |                    |    |             |                |             |                   |                                   |     |                     |                  |                        |                   |         |                |                     |                |                |                | 127   | 154  |      |
| University of Peradeniya          | 2023                | 725                        | 867  | 126                   | 188              |     | <sup>(9)</sup> | 131      | 214                | 52             | 78 | 49                 | 80 | 1           | 2              | 188         | 735               |                                   |     |                     | <sup>(9)</sup>   | 114                    | 152               |         | <sup>(9)</sup> |                     |                |                |                |       | 1386 | 2316 |
|                                   | 2024                | 866                        | 1015 | 126                   | 183              | 48  | 52             | 119      | 193                | <sup>(9)</sup> |    | 59                 | 69 | 160         | 231            | 74          | 302               |                                   |     | 35                  | 48               |                        | <sup>(9)</sup>    | 228     | 428            |                     |                |                |                |       | 1715 | 2521 |
| University of Sri Jayawardenepura | 2023                | 756                        | 913  | 725                   | 1124             |     |                | 93       | 152                |                |    |                    |    |             |                | 29          | 108               |                                   |     | 45                  | 73               | 65                     | 81                | 441     | 695            |                     |                | 104            | 279            | 2258  | 3425 |      |
|                                   | 2024                | 717                        | 830  | 744                   | 1095             |     |                | 98       | 161                |                |    |                    |    |             |                | 78          | 111               |                                   |     | 48                  | 64               | 70                     | 87                | 499     | 758            |                     |                | 97             | 283            | 2351  | 3389 |      |
| University of Kelaniya            | 2023                | 1266                       | 1478 | 453                   | 705              |     |                | 93       | 162                |                |    |                    |    |             |                |             |                   |                                   |     | 51                  | 173              | 38                     | 39                | 298     | 490            |                     |                | 18             | 114            | 2217  | 3161 |      |
|                                   | 2024                | 1118                       | 1287 | 468                   | 697              |     |                | 192      | <sup>(6)</sup> 306 |                |    |                    |    |             |                |             |                   |                                   |     | 46                  | 183              | 40                     | 44                | 312     | 477            |                     |                | 30             | 86             | 2206  | 3080 |      |
| University of Moratuwa            | 2023                |                            |      | 56                    | 92               |     |                |          |                    |                |    |                    |    |             |                | 238         | 933               | 156                               | 348 | 145                 | 300              |                        |                   |         |                |                     |                |                |                | 595   | 1673 |      |
|                                   | 2024                |                            |      | 48                    | 69               |     |                |          |                    |                |    |                    |    |             |                | 217         | 859               | 192                               | 341 | 166                 | 292              |                        |                   |         |                |                     |                |                |                | 623   | 1561 |      |
| University of Jaffna              | 2023                | 405                        | 501  |                       | <sup>(9)</sup>   | 44  | 69             | 88       | 142                |                |    |                    |    | 69          | 96             |             | <sup>(3)</sup> 19 |                                   |     | 14                  | 24               |                        | <sup>(9)</sup>    | 164     | 278            |                     | <sup>(9)</sup> |                | <sup>(9)</sup> | 784   | 1129 |      |
|                                   | 2024                | 463                        | 549  | 230                   | 346              | 56  | 69             | 90       | 145                |                |    |                    |    | 72          | 110            | 41          | 177               |                                   |     |                     | <sup>(9)</sup>   | 93                     | 129               |         | <sup>(9)</sup> | 52                  | 60             | 79             | 175            | 1176  | 1760 |      |
| University of Ruhuna              | 2023                | 356                        | 433  | 241                   | 361              |     |                | 94       | 154                |                |    |                    |    | 157         | 196            | 55          | 234               |                                   |     | 4                   | <sup>(5)</sup> 7 | 41                     | <sup>(4)</sup> 50 | 106     | 157            |                     |                | 34             | 40             | 1088  | 1632 |      |
|                                   | 2024                | 383                        | 457  | 267                   | 404              |     |                | 111      | 165                |                |    |                    |    |             | <sup>(9)</sup> | 59          | 231               |                                   |     | 11                  | 42               | 90                     | 120               | 240     | 376            |                     |                | 57             | 131            | 1218  | 1926 |      |
| Eastern University                | 2023                | 531                        | 684  | 101                   | 156              |     |                | 43       | 79                 |                |    |                    |    | 38          | 46             |             |                   |                                   |     |                     |                  | <sup>(3)</sup> 1       | 78                | 129     |                |                     | 48             | 66             | 839            | 1161  |      |      |
|                                   | 2024                | 286                        | 444  | 0                     | <sup>(4)</sup> 0 |     |                | 43       | 71                 |                |    |                    |    | 41          | 48             |             |                   |                                   |     |                     |                  | 32                     | 47                | 19      | 34             |                     |                | 47             | 53             | 468   | 697  |      |

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**GRADUATE OUTPUT BY HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION AND MAJOR ACADEMIC PROGRAMME : 2023 - 2024**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)

| UNIVERSITY/<br>HEI <sup>(2)</sup>      | Year <sup>(1)</sup> | Faculty/Academic Programme |                   |                       |                    |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        |     |         |                  |                     |                   |            |                |       |      |
|----------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----|---|----------|-----|----------------|---|--------------------|---|-------------|-----|-------------|----|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-----|---------|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------|----------------|-------|------|
|                                        |                     | Arts                       |                   | Management & Commerce |                    | Law |   | Medicine |     | Dental Science |   | Veterinary Science |   | Agriculture |     | Engineering |    | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |   | Computer Science/IT |                   | Allied Health Sciences |     | Science |                  | Indigenous Medicine |                   | Technology |                | Total |      |
|                                        |                     | F                          | T                 | F                     | T                  | F   | T | F        | T   | F              | T | F                  | T | F           | T   | F           | T  | F                                 | T | F                   | T                 | F                      | T   | F       | T                | F                   | T                 | F          | T              | F     | T    |
| Trincomalee Campus                     | 2023                | 15                         | <sup>(3)</sup> 15 | 78                    | 106                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   | 16                  | 44                |                        |     | 2       | <sup>(3)</sup> 9 | 33                  | 37                |            |                | 144   | 211  |
|                                        | 2024                | 86                         | 89                | 121                   | 156                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   | 0                   | <sup>(3)</sup> 3  |                        |     | 19      | 38               | 41                  | 52                |            |                | 267   | 338  |
| South Eastern University               | 2023                | 176                        | 197               | 73                    | <sup>(4)</sup> 114 |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     | 14          | 82 |                                   |   | 9                   | <sup>(3)</sup> 11 |                        |     | 77      | 115              |                     |                   | 29         | 90             | 378   | 609  |
|                                        | 2024                | 169                        | 190               | 150                   | 211                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     | 10          | 73 |                                   |   | 62                  | 74                |                        |     | 123     | 172              |                     |                   | 44         | 70             | 558   | 790  |
| Rajarata University                    | 2023                | 571                        | 652               | 270                   | 417                |     |   | 103      | 168 |                |   |                    |   |             | 7   | 10          |    |                                   |   | 39                  | 53                |                        |     | 117     | 177              |                     |                   | 95         | 270            | 1202  | 1747 |
|                                        | 2024                | 422                        | 469               | 272                   | 395                |     |   | 210      | 315 |                |   |                    |   |             | 89  | 121         |    |                                   |   | 7                   | 13                |                        |     | 168     | 254              |                     |                   | 106        | 266            | 1274  | 1833 |
| Sabaragamuwa University                | 2023                | 228                        | 263               | 204                   | 318                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             | 110 | 152         |    |                                   |   | 36                  | 83                |                        |     | 140     | 286              |                     |                   |            |                | 718   | 1102 |
|                                        | 2024                | 235                        | 264               | 238                   | 339                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             | 105 | 138         |    |                                   |   | 31                  | 82                |                        |     | 131     | 290              |                     |                   | 64         | 142            | 804   | 1255 |
| Wayamba University                     | 2023                |                            |                   | 353                   | 532                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             | 100 | 134         |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        | 163 | 281     |                  |                     | 71                | 217        | 687            | 1164  |      |
|                                        | 2024                |                            |                   | 335                   | 475                |     |   | 48       | 68  |                |   |                    |   |             | 114 | 141         |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        | 214 | 291     |                  |                     | 85                | 180        | 796            | 1155  |      |
| Uva Wellassa University <sup>(7)</sup> | 2023                |                            |                   |                       |                    |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        |     |         |                  |                     |                   |            |                | 0     | 0    |
|                                        | 2024                |                            |                   |                       |                    |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        |     |         |                  |                     |                   |            |                | 0     | 0    |
| University of Visual & Performing Arts | 2023                | 437                        | 524               |                       |                    |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        |     |         |                  |                     |                   |            |                | 437   | 524  |
|                                        | 2024                | 415                        | 558               |                       |                    |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        |     |         |                  |                     |                   |            |                | 415   | 558  |
| Gampaha Wickramarachchi University     | 2023                |                            |                   |                       |                    |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        |     |         |                  | 10                  | <sup>(3)</sup> 14 |            |                | 10    | 14   |
|                                        | 2024                |                            |                   |                       |                    |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   |                     |                   |                        |     |         |                  | 4                   | <sup>(3)</sup> 8  |            |                | 4     | 8    |
| University of Vavuniya                 | 2023                |                            |                   | 108                   | 140                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   | 65                  | 85                |                        |     | 37      | 48               |                     |                   |            | <sup>(9)</sup> | 210   | 273  |
|                                        | 2024                |                            |                   | 138                   | 213                |     |   |          |     |                |   |                    |   |             |     |             |    |                                   |   | 59                  | 89                |                        |     | 35      | 57               |                     |                   | 33         | 105            | 265   | 464  |

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**GRADUATE OUTPUT BY HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION AND MAJOR ACADEMIC PROGRAMME : 2023 - 2024**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)

| UNIVERSITY/<br>HEI <sup>(2)</sup>                | Year <sup>(1)</sup> | Faculty/Academic Programme |      |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    |             |     |             |      |                                   |     |                     |      |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      |       |       |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|------|-----------------------|------|-----|-----|----------|------|----------------|----|--------------------|----|-------------|-----|-------------|------|-----------------------------------|-----|---------------------|------|------------------------|-----|---------|------|---------------------|-----|------------|------|-------|-------|
|                                                  |                     | Arts                       |      | Management & Commerce |      | Law |     | Medicine |      | Dental Science |    | Veterinary Science |    | Agriculture |     | Engineering |      | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |     | Computer Science/IT |      | Allied Health Sciences |     | Science |      | Indigenous Medicine |     | Technology |      | Total |       |
|                                                  |                     | F                          | T    | F                     | T    | F   | T   | F        | T    | F              | T  | F                  | T  | F           | T   | F           | T    | F                                 | T   | F                   | T    | F                      | T   | F       | T    | F                   | T   | F          | T    | F     | T     |
| Institute of Human Resource Advancement          | 2023                | 101                        | 192  |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    |             |     |             |      |                                   |     |                     |      |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 101   | 192   |
|                                                  | 2024                | 56                         | 106  |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    |             |     |             |      |                                   |     |                     |      |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 56    | 106   |
| University of Colombo School of Computing        | 2023                |                            |      |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    |             |     |             |      |                                   |     | 124                 | 278  |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 124   | 278   |
|                                                  | 2024                |                            |      |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    |             |     |             |      |                                   |     | 131                 | 304  |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 131   | 304   |
| Swamy Vipulananda Institue of Aesthetic Studies  | 2023                | 289                        | 338  |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    |             |     |             |      |                                   |     |                     |      |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 289   | 338   |
|                                                  | 2024                | 152                        | 191  |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    |             |     |             |      |                                   |     |                     |      |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 152   | 191   |
| Institute for Agro Technology and Rural Sciences | 2023                |                            |      |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    | 70          | 142 |             |      |                                   |     |                     |      |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 70    | 142   |
|                                                  | 2024                |                            |      |                       |      |     |     |          |      |                |    |                    |    | (3)         | (3) |             |      |                                   |     |                     |      |                        |     |         |      |                     |     |            |      | 0     | 0     |
| Total                                            | 2023                | 6594                       | 7918 | 3143                  | 4805 | 252 | 309 | 751      | 1260 | 52             | 78 | 49                 | 80 | 552         | 778 | 524         | 2111 | 156                               | 348 | 548                 | 1131 | 278                    | 350 | 1861    | 3100 | 213                 | 260 | 399        | 1076 | 15372 | 23604 |
|                                                  | 2024                | 6271                       | 7507 | 3137                  | 4583 | 104 | 121 | 1024     | 1621 | 0              | 0  | 59                 | 69 | 581         | 789 | 479         | 1753 | 192                               | 341 | 596                 | 1194 | 344                    | 455 | 2207    | 3561 | 244                 | 305 | 642        | 1491 | 15880 | 23790 |

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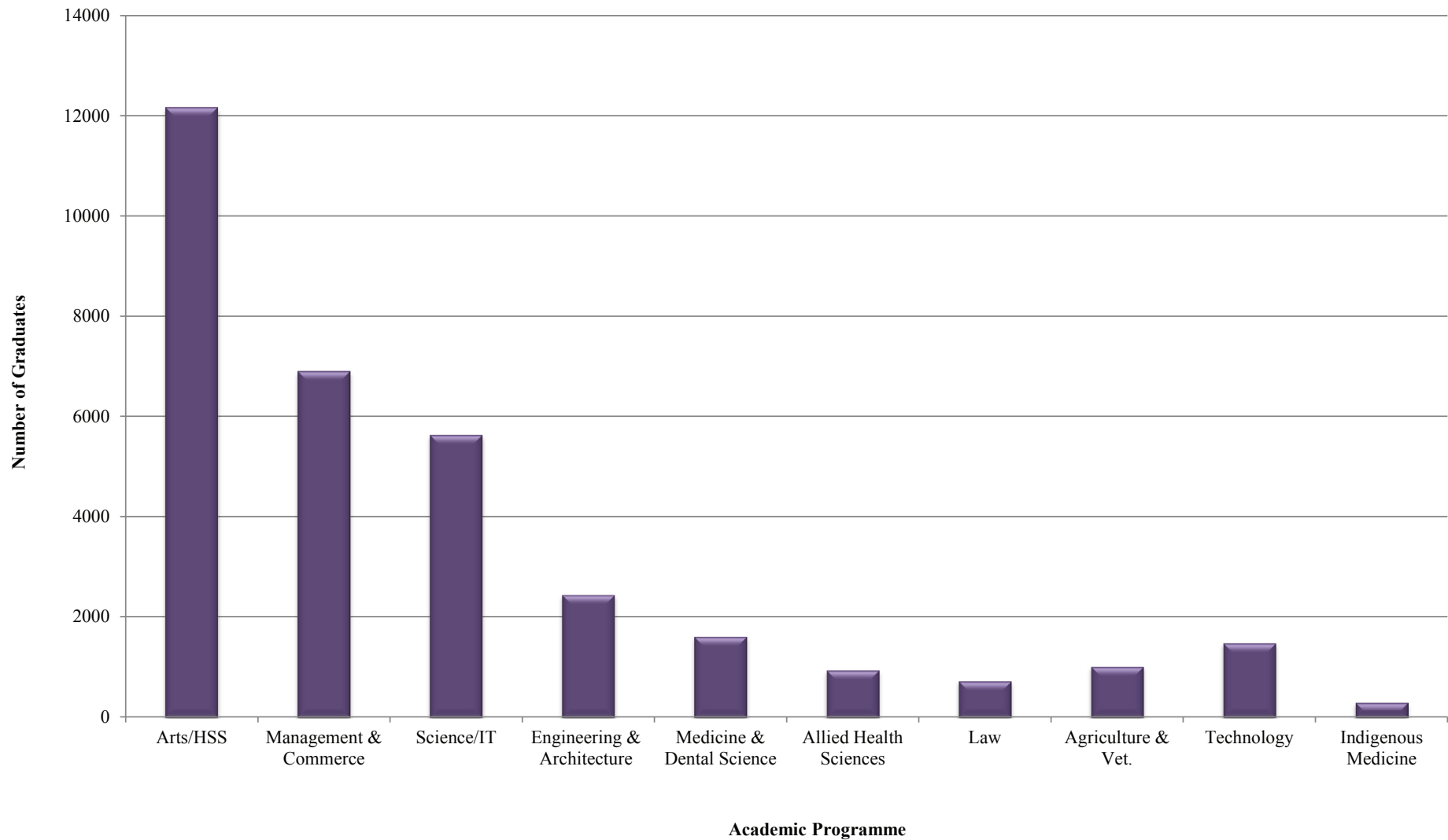
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## Notes:

- (1) 2024 - provisional.
- (2) Excluding Open University as it shows separately under Table 04 - 03.
- (3) No main examination was held/ Only repeat exams were held.
- (4) Results have not yet been released for all/few exams.
- (5) Exams for only General/Special degree was held.
- (6) Includes two batches.
- (7) Information not submitted.
- (8) Institute of Indigenous Medicine was converted to the Faculty of Indigenous Medicine in the University of Colombo by the gazette published on 13.02.2023.
- (9) No Output in the year

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**GRADUATE OUTPUT BY ACADEMIC PROGRAMME : 2024**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)



**Note:** Includes Open University and External Degrees too.

Table 04 - 02

# POSTGRADUATE OUTPUT BY HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION AND ACADEMIC PROGRAMME - 2024

(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)

| University/HEI & Degree <sup>(1)</sup>  | Faculty/Ac. Programme | Arts       |            | Education |            | Management & Commerce |            | Law        |            | Science/IT |            | Medicine and Dental Science |           | Veterinary Science |           | Indigenous Medicine |   | Agriculture |   | Engineering |            | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |   | Total      |             |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|---------------------|---|-------------|---|-------------|------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------|-------------|
|                                         |                       | F          | T          | F         | T          | F                     | T          | F          | T          | F          | T          | F                           | T         | F                  | T         | F                   | T | F           | T | F           | T          | F                                 | T | F          | T           |
| University of Colombo                   | PG Dip                | 60         | 72         |           | 46         | 7                     | 34         | 6          | 18         | 26         | 36         | 24                          | 41        |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 123        | 247         |
|                                         | Masters               | 302        | 488        |           | 57         | 212                   | 568        | 154        | 232        | 140        | 209        | 4                           | 4         |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 812        | 1558        |
|                                         | MPhil                 | 4          | 7          |           | 13         |                       |            |            | 1          | 2          | 3          | 1                           | 1         |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 7          | 25          |
|                                         | PhD                   | 7          | 18         |           | 4          | 2                     | 2          |            | 10         | 8          | 12         | 2                           | 3         |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 19         | 49          |
|                                         | <b>Total</b>          | <b>373</b> | <b>585</b> |           | <b>120</b> | <b>221</b>            | <b>604</b> | <b>160</b> | <b>261</b> | <b>176</b> | <b>260</b> | <b>31</b>                   | <b>49</b> |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | <b>961</b> | <b>1879</b> |
| University of Peradeniya <sup>(2)</sup> | PG Dip                |            |            |           |            |                       | 1          |            |            |            |            |                             |           |                    |           |                     |   |             |   | 1           | 1          |                                   |   | 1          | 2           |
|                                         | Masters               |            |            |           |            |                       |            |            |            |            |            | 7                           | 12        | 47                 | 65        |                     |   |             |   | 27          | 119        |                                   |   | 81         | 196         |
|                                         | MPhil                 |            |            |           |            |                       |            |            |            | 1          | 1          |                             |           | 1                  | 3         |                     |   |             |   | 6           | 8          |                                   |   | 8          | 12          |
|                                         | PhD                   |            |            |           |            |                       |            |            |            |            |            | 2                           | 3         |                    | 2         |                     |   |             |   | 3           | 7          |                                   |   | 5          | 12          |
|                                         | <b>Total</b>          |            |            |           |            |                       | <b>1</b>   |            |            | <b>1</b>   | <b>1</b>   | <b>9</b>                    | <b>15</b> | <b>48</b>          | <b>70</b> |                     |   |             |   | <b>37</b>   | <b>135</b> |                                   |   | <b>95</b>  | <b>222</b>  |
| University of Sri Jayewardenepura       | PG Dip                | 6          | 6          |           |            | 1                     | 5          |            |            | 8          | 19         |                             |           |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 15         | 30          |
|                                         | Masters               | 90         | 147        |           |            | 295                   | 454        |            |            | 49         | 83         |                             |           |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 434        | 684         |
|                                         | MPhil                 | 18         | 26         |           |            | 2                     | 4          |            |            |            |            |                             |           |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 20         | 30          |
|                                         | PhD                   | 16         | 28         |           |            |                       |            |            |            |            |            |                             |           |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 16         | 28          |
|                                         | <b>Total</b>          | <b>130</b> | <b>207</b> |           |            | <b>298</b>            | <b>463</b> |            |            | <b>57</b>  | <b>102</b> |                             |           |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | <b>485</b> | <b>772</b>  |
| University of Kelaniya                  | PG Dip                | 19         | 24         |           |            | 4                     | 13         |            |            | 2          | 2          | 5                           | 7         |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 30         | 46          |
|                                         | Masters               | 438        | 659        |           |            | 142                   | 336        |            |            | 147        | 254        | 1                           | 5         |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 728        | 1254        |
|                                         | MPhil                 | 12         | 19         |           |            | 1                     | 1          |            |            | 3          | 6          | 2                           | 3         |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 18         | 29          |
|                                         | PhD                   | 6          | 14         |           |            | 1                     | 11         |            |            | 2          | 5          | 3                           | 4         |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | 12         | 34          |
|                                         | <b>Total</b>          | <b>475</b> | <b>716</b> |           |            | <b>148</b>            | <b>361</b> |            |            | <b>154</b> | <b>267</b> | <b>11</b>                   | <b>19</b> |                    |           |                     |   |             |   |             |            |                                   |   | <b>788</b> | <b>1363</b> |

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| University/HEI & Degree <sup>(1)</sup> | Faculty/Ac. Programme | Arts       |            | Education |            | Management & Commerce |            | Law |   | Science/IT |           | Medicine and Dental Science |          | Veterinary Science |   | Indigenous Medicine |           | Agriculture |           | Engineering |            | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |            | Total      |            |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------------------|------------|-----|---|------------|-----------|-----------------------------|----------|--------------------|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                                        |                       | F          | T          | F         | T          | F                     | T          | F   | T | F          | T         | F                           | T        | F                  | T | F                   | T         | F           | T         | F           | T          | F                                 | T          | F          | T          |
| University of Moratuwa                 | PG Dip                |            |            |           |            | 17                    | 31         |     |   | 3          | 9         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           | 54          | 209        | 8                                 | 36         | 82         | 285        |
|                                        | Masters               |            |            |           |            | 73                    | 164        |     |   | 6          | 24        |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           | 77          | 210        | 30                                | 77         | 186        | 475        |
|                                        | MPhil                 |            |            |           |            |                       |            |     |   | 1          | 1         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           | 8           | 16         | 2                                 | 2          | 11         | 19         |
|                                        | PhD                   |            |            |           |            |                       |            |     |   | 2          | 2         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           | 6           | 13         | 3                                 | 3          | 11         | 18         |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          |            |            |           |            | <b>90</b>             | <b>195</b> |     |   | <b>12</b>  | <b>36</b> |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           | <b>145</b>  | <b>448</b> | <b>43</b>                         | <b>118</b> | <b>290</b> | <b>797</b> |
| University of Jaffna                   | PG Dip                |            |            |           |            |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 0          | 0          |
|                                        | Masters               | 33         | 73         | 86        | 174        |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   | 15                  | 28        |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 134        | 275        |
|                                        | MPhil                 | 2          | 3          |           |            |                       |            |     |   | 2          | 2         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 4          | 5          |
|                                        | PhD                   |            |            | 1         | 1          | 1                     | 1          |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 2          | 2          |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          | <b>35</b>  | <b>76</b>  | <b>87</b> | <b>175</b> | <b>1</b>              | <b>1</b>   |     |   | <b>2</b>   | <b>2</b>  |                             |          |                    |   | <b>15</b>           | <b>28</b> |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | <b>140</b> | <b>282</b> |
| University of Ruhuna                   | PG Dip                |            |            |           |            |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 0          | 0          |
|                                        | Masters               | 104        | 150        |           |            | 40                    | 81         |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 144        | 231        |
|                                        | MPhil                 | 1          | 1          |           |            |                       |            |     |   | 4          | 4         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           | 4           | 8         |             |            |                                   |            | 9          | 13         |
|                                        | PhD                   |            | 2          |           |            |                       |            |     |   | 2          | 2         | 1                           | 1        |                    |   |                     |           | 1           | 4         |             | 1          |                                   |            | 4          | 10         |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          | <b>105</b> | <b>153</b> |           |            | <b>40</b>             | <b>81</b>  |     |   | <b>6</b>   | <b>6</b>  | <b>1</b>                    | <b>1</b> |                    |   |                     |           | <b>5</b>    | <b>12</b> |             | <b>1</b>   |                                   |            | <b>157</b> | <b>254</b> |
| Eastern University                     | PG Dip                |            |            |           |            |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 0          | 0          |
|                                        | Masters               | 1          | 4          | 28        | 58         | 2                     | 30         |     |   | 1          | 2         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           | 1           |           |             |            |                                   |            | 32         | 95         |
|                                        | MPhil                 | 1          | 1          |           |            |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 1          | 1          |
|                                        | PhD                   |            |            |           |            |                       |            |     |   | 1          | 3         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           |             |           |             |            |                                   |            | 1          | 3          |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          | <b>2</b>   | <b>5</b>   | <b>28</b> | <b>58</b>  | <b>2</b>              | <b>30</b>  |     |   | <b>2</b>   | <b>5</b>  |                             |          |                    |   |                     |           | <b>1</b>    |           |             |            |                                   |            | <b>34</b>  | <b>99</b>  |

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| University/HEI & Degree <sup>(1)</sup> | Faculty/Ac. Programme | Arts      |           | Education |   | Management & Commerce |            | Law |   | Science/IT |           | Medicine and Dental Science |          | Veterinary Science |   | Indigenous Medicine |   | Agriculture |           | Engineering |   | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |   | Total     |            |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|-----------------------|------------|-----|---|------------|-----------|-----------------------------|----------|--------------------|---|---------------------|---|-------------|-----------|-------------|---|-----------------------------------|---|-----------|------------|
|                                        |                       | F         | T         | F         | T | F                     | T          | F   | T | F          | T         | F                           | T        | F                  | T | F                   | T | F           | T         | F           | T | F                                 | T | F         | T          |
|                                        |                       |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   |           |            |
| South Eastern University               | PG Dip                |           |           |           |   |                       | 2          |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 0         | 2          |
|                                        | Masters               |           | 1         |           |   | 2                     | 15         |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 2         | 16         |
|                                        | MPhil                 | 1         | 3         |           |   |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 1         | 3          |
|                                        | PhD                   |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 0         | 0          |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          | <b>1</b>  | <b>4</b>  |           |   | <b>2</b>              | <b>17</b>  |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | <b>3</b>  | <b>21</b>  |
| Rajarata University                    | PG Dip                |           |           |           |   | 14                    | 40         |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   | 5           | 14        |             |   |                                   |   | 19        | 54         |
|                                        | Masters               |           |           |           |   | 10                    | 34         |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   | 6           | 23        |             |   |                                   |   | 16        | 57         |
|                                        | MPhil                 |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 0         | 0          |
|                                        | PhD                   |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   |            |           | 1                           | 1        |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 1         | 1          |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          |           |           |           |   | <b>24</b>             | <b>74</b>  |     |   |            |           | <b>1</b>                    | <b>1</b> |                    |   |                     |   | <b>11</b>   | <b>37</b> |             |   |                                   |   | <b>36</b> | <b>112</b> |
| Sabaragamuwa University                | PG Dip                | 12        | 12        |           |   | 1                     | 4          |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 13        | 16         |
|                                        | Masters               |           | 1         |           |   | 31                    | 50         |     |   | 12         | 23        |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 43        | 74         |
|                                        | MPhil                 |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   | 5          | 11        |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 5         | 11         |
|                                        | PhD                   |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 0         | 0          |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          | <b>12</b> | <b>13</b> |           |   | <b>32</b>             | <b>54</b>  |     |   | <b>17</b>  | <b>34</b> |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | <b>61</b> | <b>101</b> |
| Wayamba University                     | PG Dip                |           |           |           |   | 13                    | 47         |     |   |            |           |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   |             |           |             |   |                                   |   | 13        | 47         |
|                                        | Masters               |           |           |           |   | 24                    | 63         |     |   | 1          | 1         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   | 31          | 94        |             |   |                                   |   | 56        | 158        |
|                                        | MPhil                 |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   | 17         | 26        |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   | 2           | 3         |             |   |                                   |   | 19        | 29         |
|                                        | PhD                   |           |           |           |   |                       |            |     |   | 2          | 4         |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   | 2           | 2         |             |   |                                   |   | 4         | 6          |
|                                        | <b>Total</b>          |           |           |           |   | <b>37</b>             | <b>110</b> |     |   | <b>20</b>  | <b>31</b> |                             |          |                    |   |                     |   | <b>35</b>   | <b>99</b> |             |   |                                   |   | <b>92</b> | <b>240</b> |

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| Faculty/Ac. Programme<br><br>University/HEI & Degree <sup>(1)</sup>      |              | Arts     |          | Education |   | Management & Commerce |           | Law |   | Science/IT |           | Medicine and Dental Science |            | Veterinary Science |   | Indigenous Medicine |           | Agriculture |            | Engineering |   | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |   | Total      |            |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|-----------|---|-----------------------|-----------|-----|---|------------|-----------|-----------------------------|------------|--------------------|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|---|-----------------------------------|---|------------|------------|
|                                                                          |              | F        | T        | F         | T | F                     | T         | F   | T | F          | T         | F                           | T          | F                  | T | F                   | T         | F           | T          | F           | T | F                                 | T | F          | T          |
|                                                                          |              |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   |            |            |
| University of Visual & Performing Arts                                   | PG Dip       |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                          | Masters      |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                          | MPhil        |          | 2        |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 2          |
|                                                                          | PhD          | 1        | 1        |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 1          | 1          |
|                                                                          | <b>Total</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>3</b> |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | <b>1</b>   | <b>3</b>   |
| Gampaha Wickramarachchi University of Indigenous Medicine <sup>(3)</sup> | PG Dip       |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   | 25                  | 31        |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 25         | 31         |
|                                                                          | Masters      |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                          | MPhil        |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                          | PhD          |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                          | <b>Total</b> |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   | <b>25</b>           | <b>31</b> |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | <b>25</b>  | <b>31</b>  |
| Postgraduate Institute of Medicine                                       | PG Dip       |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           | 116                         | 166        |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 116        | 166        |
|                                                                          | Masters      |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           | 37                          | 74         |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 37         | 74         |
|                                                                          | MD           |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           | 259                         | 473        |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 259        | 473        |
|                                                                          | PhD          |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                          | <b>Total</b> |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           | <b>412</b>                  | <b>713</b> |                    |   |                     |           |             |            |             |   |                                   |   | <b>412</b> | <b>713</b> |
| Postgraduate Institute of Agriculture                                    | PG Dip       |          |          |           |   | 2                     | 2         |     |   | 4          | 6         |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           | 10          | 11         |             |   |                                   |   | 16         | 19         |
|                                                                          | Masters      |          |          |           |   | 12                    | 18        |     |   | 14         | 19        |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           | 98          | 124        |             |   |                                   |   | 124        | 161        |
|                                                                          | MPhil        |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           | 2           | 3          |             |   |                                   |   | 2          | 3          |
|                                                                          | PhD          |          |          |           |   |                       |           |     |   |            |           |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           | 4           | 6          |             |   |                                   |   | 4          | 6          |
|                                                                          | <b>Total</b> |          |          |           |   | <b>14</b>             | <b>20</b> |     |   | <b>18</b>  | <b>25</b> |                             |            |                    |   |                     |           | <b>114</b>  | <b>144</b> |             |   |                                   |   | <b>146</b> | <b>189</b> |

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| Faculty/Ac.<br>Programme<br><br>University/HEI &<br>Degree <sup>(1)</sup> |              | Arts       |            | Education |   | Management<br>& Commerce |            | Law |   | Science/IT |            | Medicine and<br>Dental Science |   | Veterinary<br>Science |   | Indigenous<br>Medicine |   | Agriculture |   | Engineering |   | Architecture &<br>Quantity<br>Surveying |   | Total      |            |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|------------|------------|-----------|---|--------------------------|------------|-----|---|------------|------------|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---|------------------------|---|-------------|---|-------------|---|-----------------------------------------|---|------------|------------|
|                                                                           |              | F          | T          | F         | T | F                        | T          | F   | T | F          | T          | F                              | T | F                     | T | F                      | T | F           | T | F           | T | F                                       | T | F          | T          |
|                                                                           |              |            |            |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   |            |            |
| Postgraduate<br>Institute<br>of Pali & Buddhist<br>Studies                | PG Dip       | 28         | 95         |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 28         | 95         |
|                                                                           | Masters      | 212        | 492        |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 212        | 492        |
|                                                                           | MPhil        |            | 6          |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 0          | 6          |
|                                                                           | PhD          |            | 11         |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 0          | 11         |
|                                                                           | <b>Total</b> | <b>240</b> | <b>604</b> |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | <b>240</b> | <b>604</b> |
| Postgraduate<br>Institute<br>of Archaeology                               | PG Dip       | 10         | 34         |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 10         | 34         |
|                                                                           | Masters      | 7          | 15         |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 7          | 15         |
|                                                                           | MPhil        | 2          | 5          |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 2          | 5          |
|                                                                           | PhD          | 1          | 2          |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 1          | 2          |
|                                                                           | <b>Total</b> | <b>20</b>  | <b>56</b>  |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | <b>20</b>  | <b>56</b>  |
| Postgraduate<br>Institute<br>of Management                                | PG Dip       |            |            |           |   | 18                       | 35         |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 18         | 35         |
|                                                                           | Masters      |            |            |           |   | 222                      | 542        |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 222        | 542        |
|                                                                           | MPhil        |            |            |           |   |                          |            |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                           | PhD          |            |            |           |   | 2                        | 3          |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 2          | 3          |
|                                                                           | <b>Total</b> |            |            |           |   | <b>242</b>               | <b>580</b> |     |   |            |            |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | <b>242</b> | <b>580</b> |
| Postgraduate<br>Institute<br>of Science                                   | PG Dip       |            |            |           |   |                          |            |     |   | 2          | 4          |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 2          | 4          |
|                                                                           | Masters      |            |            |           |   |                          |            |     |   | 104        | 162        |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 104        | 162        |
|                                                                           | MPhil        |            |            |           |   |                          |            |     |   | 12         | 17         |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 12         | 17         |
|                                                                           | PhD          |            |            |           |   |                          |            |     |   | 3          | 5          |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | 3          | 5          |
|                                                                           | <b>Total</b> |            |            |           |   |                          |            |     |   | <b>121</b> | <b>188</b> |                                |   |                       |   |                        |   |             |   |             |   |                                         |   | <b>121</b> | <b>188</b> |

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| <div> <div>Faculty/Ac. Programme</div> <div>University/HEI &amp; Degree <sup>(1)</sup></div> </div> |              | Arts       |            | Education  |            | Management & Commerce |            | Law |   | Science/IT |            | Medicine and Dental Science |   | Veterinary Science |   | Indigenous Medicine |   | Agriculture |   | Engineering |   | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |   | Total      |            |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------------------|------------|-----|---|------------|------------|-----------------------------|---|--------------------|---|---------------------|---|-------------|---|-------------|---|-----------------------------------|---|------------|------------|
|                                                                                                     |              | F          | T          | F          | T          | F                     | T          | F   | T | F          | T          | F                           | T | F                  | T | F                   | T | F           | T | F           | T | F                                 | T | F          | T          |
| Postgraduate Institute of English                                                                   | PG Dip       | 81         | 89         |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 81         | 89         |
|                                                                                                     | Masters      | 23         | 24         |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 23         | 24         |
|                                                                                                     | MPhil        |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                                                     | PhD          |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                                                     | <b>Total</b> | <b>104</b> | <b>113</b> |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | <b>104</b> | <b>113</b> |
| Postgraduate Institute of Humanities & Social Sciences                                              | PG Dip       | 60         | 98         | 401        | 471        |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 461        | 569        |
|                                                                                                     | Masters      | 131        | 188        |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            | 2          |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 131        | 190        |
|                                                                                                     | MPhil        | 4          | 11         | 1          | 3          |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 5          | 14         |
|                                                                                                     | PhD          | 2          | 6          |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 2          | 6          |
|                                                                                                     | <b>Total</b> | <b>197</b> | <b>303</b> | <b>402</b> | <b>474</b> |                       |            |     |   |            | <b>2</b>   |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | <b>599</b> | <b>779</b> |
| Institute of Human Resource Advancement                                                             | PG Dip       |            |            |            |            | 1                     | 3          |     |   |            | 2          |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 1          | 5          |
|                                                                                                     | Masters      |            |            |            |            | 104                   | 188        |     |   | 31         | 67         |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 135        | 255        |
|                                                                                                     | MPhil        |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                                                     | PhD          |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                                                     | <b>Total</b> |            |            |            |            | <b>105</b>            | <b>191</b> |     |   | <b>31</b>  | <b>69</b>  |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | <b>136</b> | <b>260</b> |
| University of Colombo School of Computing                                                           | PG Dip       |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   | 9          | 19         |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 9          | 19         |
|                                                                                                     | Masters      |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   | 62         | 138        |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 62         | 138        |
|                                                                                                     | MPhil        |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   | 1          | 1          |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 1          | 1          |
|                                                                                                     | PhD          |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   |            |            |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | 0          | 0          |
|                                                                                                     | <b>Total</b> |            |            |            |            |                       |            |     |   | <b>72</b>  | <b>158</b> |                             |   |                    |   |                     |   |             |   |             |   |                                   |   | <b>72</b>  | <b>158</b> |

Table 04 - 02 (Contd.)

# POSTGRADUATE OUTPUT BY HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION AND ACADEMIC PROGRAMME - 2024

(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)

| University/HEI & Degree <sup>(1)</sup>                       | Faculty/Ac. Programme | Arts        |             | Education  |            | Management & Commerce |             | Law        |            | Science/IT |             | Medicine and Dental Science |            | Veterinary Science |           | Indigenous Medicine |           | Agriculture |            | Engineering |            | Architecture & Quantity Surveying |            | Total       |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------|--------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                              |                       | F           | T           | F          | T          | F                     | T           | F          | T          | F          | T           | F                           | T          | F                  | T         | F                   | T         | F           | T          | F           | T          | F                                 | T          | F           | T           |
| Institute of Biochemistry, Molecular Biology & Biotechnology | PG Dip                |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            | 4          | 4           |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 4           | 4           |
|                                                              | Masters               |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            | 36         | 47          |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 36          | 47          |
|                                                              | MPhil                 |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 0           | 0           |
|                                                              | PhD                   |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            | 3          | 4           |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 3           | 4           |
|                                                              | <b>Total</b>          |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            | <b>43</b>  | <b>55</b>   |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | <b>43</b>   | <b>55</b>   |
| Postgraduate Institute of Indigenous Medicine                | PG Dip                |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 0           | 0           |
|                                                              | Masters               |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 0           | 0           |
|                                                              | MD                    |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           | 4                   | 4         |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 4           | 4           |
|                                                              | PhD                   |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 0           | 0           |
|                                                              | <b>Total</b>          |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           | <b>4</b>            | <b>4</b>  |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | <b>4</b>    | <b>4</b>    |
| National Institute of Library & Information Sciences         | PG Dip                | 7           | 8           |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 7           | 8           |
|                                                              | Masters               | 10          | 19          |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 10          | 19          |
|                                                              | MPhil                 |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 0           | 0           |
|                                                              | PhD                   |             |             |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | 0           | 0           |
|                                                              | <b>Total</b>          | <b>17</b>   | <b>27</b>   |            |            |                       |             |            |            |            |             |                             |            |                    |           |                     |           |             |            |             |            |                                   |            | <b>17</b>   | <b>27</b>   |
| <b>Total</b>                                                 | PG Dip                | 283         | 438         | 401        | 517        | 78                    | 217         | 6          | 18         | 58         | 101         | 145                         | 214        | 0                  | 0         | 25                  | 31        | 15          | 25         | 55          | 210        | 8                                 | 36         | <b>1074</b> | <b>1807</b> |
|                                                              | Masters               | 1351        | 2261        | 114        | 289        | 1169                  | 2543        | 154        | 232        | 603        | 1031        | 49                          | 95         | 47                 | 65        | 15                  | 28        | 135         | 242        | 104         | 329        | 30                                | 77         | <b>3771</b> | <b>7192</b> |
|                                                              | MPhil                 | 45          | 84          | 1          | 16         | 3                     | 5           | 0          | 1          | 48         | 72          | 3                           | 4          | 1                  | 3         | 0                   | 0         | 8           | 14         | 14          | 24         | 2                                 | 2          | <b>125</b>  | <b>225</b>  |
|                                                              | MD                    | 0           | 0           | 0          | 0          | 0                     | 0           | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0           | 259                         | 473        | 0                  | 0         | 4                   | 4         | 0           | 0          | 0           | 0          | 0                                 | 0          | <b>263</b>  | <b>477</b>  |
|                                                              | PhD                   | 33          | 82          | 1          | 5          | 6                     | 17          | 0          | 10         | 23         | 37          | 9                           | 12         | 0                  | 2         | 0                   | 0         | 7           | 12         | 9           | 21         | 3                                 | 3          | <b>91</b>   | <b>201</b>  |
|                                                              | <b>Total</b>          | <b>1712</b> | <b>2865</b> | <b>517</b> | <b>827</b> | <b>1256</b>           | <b>2782</b> | <b>160</b> | <b>261</b> | <b>732</b> | <b>1241</b> | <b>465</b>                  | <b>798</b> | <b>48</b>          | <b>70</b> | <b>44</b>           | <b>63</b> | <b>165</b>  | <b>293</b> | <b>182</b>  | <b>584</b> | <b>43</b>                         | <b>118</b> | <b>5324</b> | <b>9902</b> |

Notes :

F - Female

T - Total

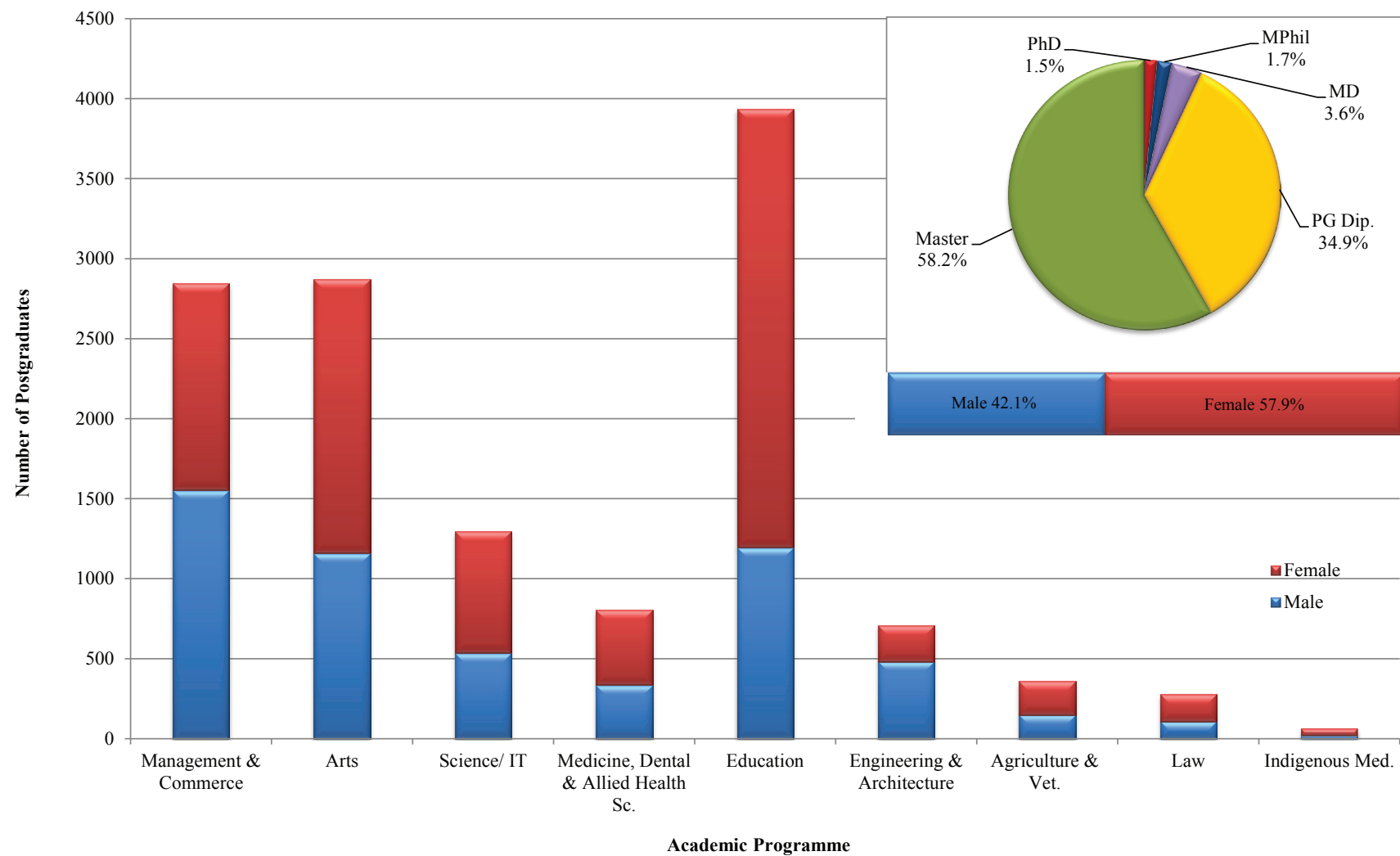
(1) Excluding Open University as it shows separately under Table 04.03.

(2) One Allied Health Sciences Student include under the Science/ IT field.

(3) Data has not been submitted.

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# **POSTGRADUATE OUTPUT BY ACADEMIC PROGRAMME - 2024** (Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)



**Note:** Includes Open University.

Table 04 - 03

## STUDENT OUTPUT OF THE OPEN UNIVERSITY BY ACADEMIC PROGRAMME - 2024

| Faculty / Academic Programme       | Arts |     | Education |      | Management & Commerce |     | Law |     | Science/IT |     | Engineering |     | Allied Health Sciences |     | Total |      |
|------------------------------------|------|-----|-----------|------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|------------|-----|-------------|-----|------------------------|-----|-------|------|
|                                    | F    | T   | F         | T    | F                     | T   | F   | T   | F          | T   | F           | T   | F                      | T   | F     | T    |
| Certificate <sup>(2)</sup>         | 130  | 175 | 16        | 16   | 168                   | 222 |     |     | 51         | 85  | 11          | 15  |                        |     | 376   | 513  |
| Diploma <sup>(2)</sup>             | 7    | 25  | 3         | 3    |                       |     |     |     | 42         | 91  | 291         | 526 |                        |     | 343   | 645  |
| Bachelor Degree                    | 448  | 572 | 215       | 216  | 244                   | 323 | 303 | 612 | 364        | 452 | 176         | 358 | 457                    | 495 | 2207  | 3028 |
| Postgraduate Diploma               | 1    | 2   | 1979      | 2773 | 8                     | 14  |     |     |            | 2   |             | 1   |                        |     | 1988  | 2792 |
| Postgraduate Degree <sup>(1)</sup> | 1    | 5   | 243       | 334  | 29                    | 49  | 12  | 20  | 27         | 52  | 3           | 7   | 3                      | 6   | 318   | 473  |
| Total                              | 587  | 779 | 2456      | 3342 | 449                   | 608 | 315 | 632 | 484        | 682 | 481         | 907 | 460                    | 501 | 5232  | 7451 |

F - Female

T- Total

## Note :

(1) Includes Master, MPhil and PhD degrees.

(2) Gender wise data for some courses were estimated.

Table 04 - 04

**GRADUATE OUTPUT OF EXTERNAL DEGREE PROGRAMMES BY HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION - 2024**  
(Universities and HEIs established under the Universities Act.)

| Academic Programme | University/HEI<br>Sex | Colombo | Peradeniya | Sri Jayawardenepura | Kelaniya | Moratuwa | Jaffna | Ruhuna | Eastern | South Eastern | Rajarata | Wayamba | Visual & Performing Arts | University of Colombo School of Computing | Total |
|--------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|---------------------|----------|----------|--------|--------|---------|---------------|----------|---------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------|
|                    |                       |         |            |                     |          |          |        |        |         |               |          |         |                          |                                           |       |
| Arts               | Female                |         |            | 889                 | 1991     |          | 196    | 254    |         | 110           |          |         |                          |                                           | 3440  |
|                    | Total                 |         | (1)        | 982                 | 2172     |          | 287    | 280    | (1)     | 151           |          |         | (1)                      |                                           | 3872  |
| Management         | Female                |         |            | 474                 | 297      |          |        |        | 24      | 49            | 369      |         |                          |                                           | 1213  |
|                    | Total                 |         | (1)        | 571                 | 367      |          | (1)    |        | 61      | 89            | 448      |         |                          |                                           | 1536  |
| Commerce           | Female                |         |            | 328                 | 14       |          | 16     |        |         | 10            |          |         |                          |                                           | 368   |
|                    | Total                 |         |            | 394                 | 20       |          | 42     |        |         | 14            |          |         |                          |                                           | 470   |
| Agriculture        | Female                |         |            |                     |          |          |        |        |         |               |          | 86      |                          |                                           | 86    |
|                    | Total                 |         |            |                     |          |          |        |        |         |               |          | 162     |                          |                                           | 162   |
| Science            | Female                | 29      |            |                     | 3        |          |        |        |         |               | 7        |         |                          |                                           | 39    |
|                    | Total                 | 101     |            |                     | 3        |          |        |        | (1)     |               | 12       |         |                          |                                           | 116   |
| Computer Sc./IT    | Female                |         |            |                     |          | 49       |        |        |         |               |          |         |                          | 88                                        | 137   |
|                    | Total                 |         |            |                     |          | 130      |        |        |         |               |          |         |                          | 186                                       | 316   |
| Total              | Female                | 29      | 0          | 1691                | 2305     | 49       | 212    | 254    | 24      | 169           | 376      | 86      | 0                        | 88                                        | 5283  |
|                    | Total                 | 101     | 0          | 1947                | 2562     | 130      | 329    | 280    | 61      | 254           | 460      | 162     | 0                        | 186                                       | 6472  |

## Notes :

(1) No output (for some programmes) in this year.