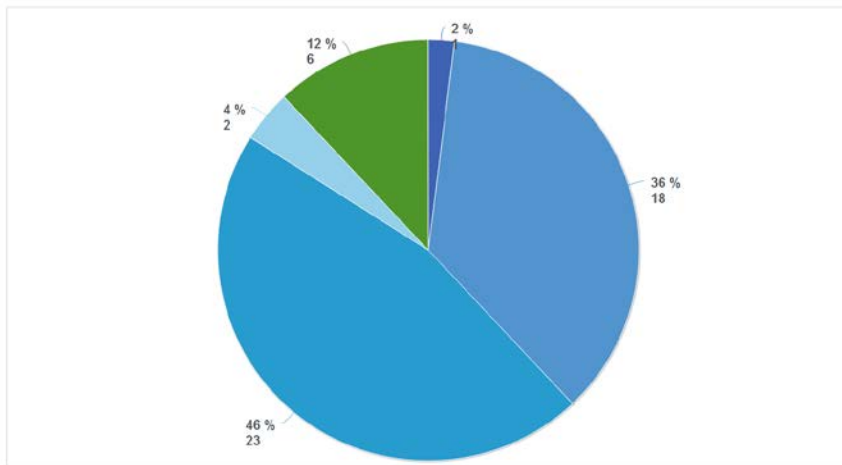


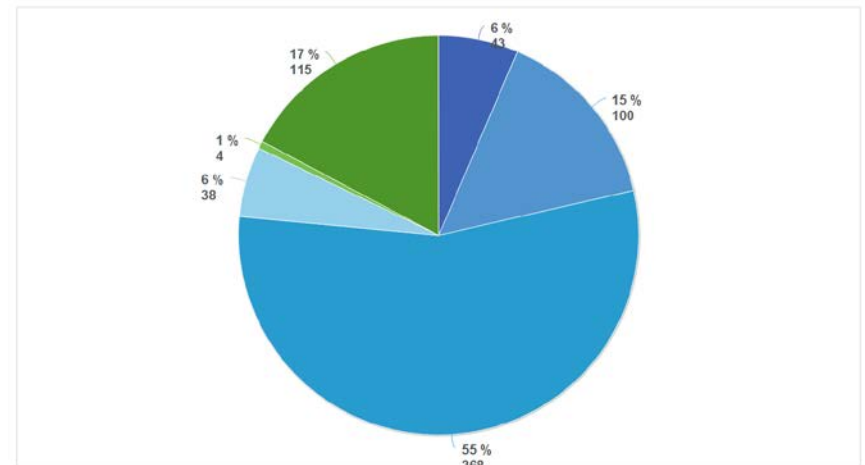
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## Academic Plans for Graduate Studies

- No plans to apply/pursue in the next 5 years
- Undecided
- Not applied, but intend to within the next 5 years
- Have applied, unknown acceptance
- Accepted, plan to defer
- Accepted and will start within the year



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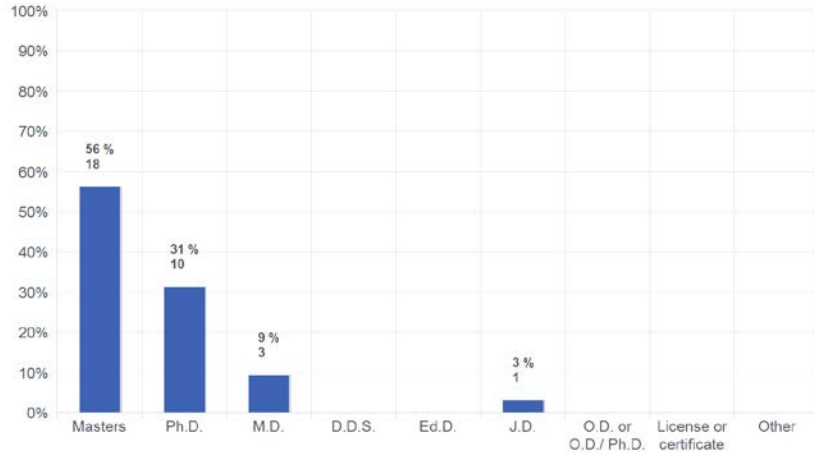


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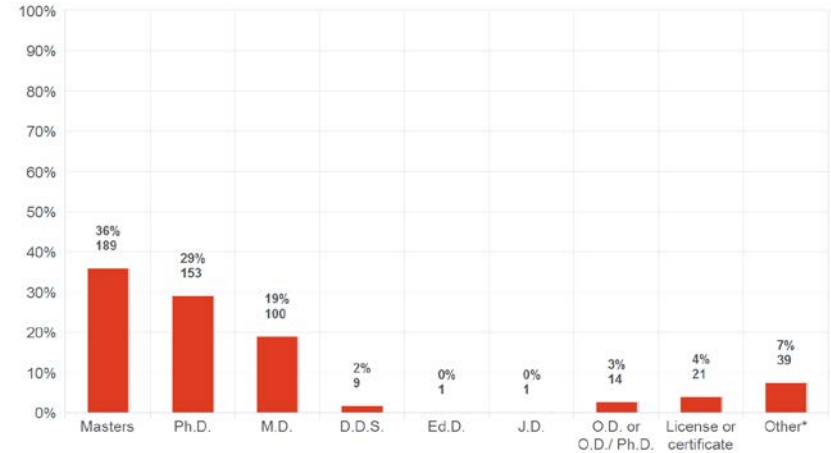
More than half (62%) of Earth Sciences BA/BS degree graduates had plans to pursue graduate education.

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## Types of Academic Degrees



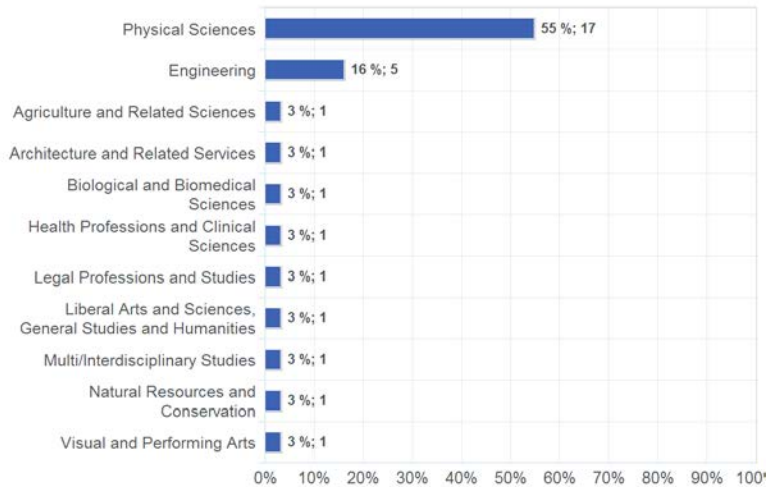
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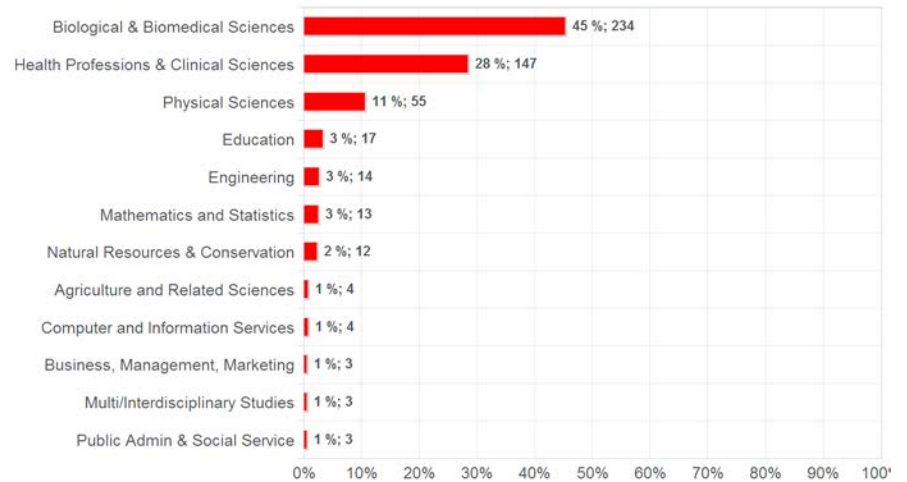
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The majority (87%) of graduates with an Earth Sciences Major plan to obtain either a Masters degree or a PhD.

# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates Most Popular Field of Future Academic Study



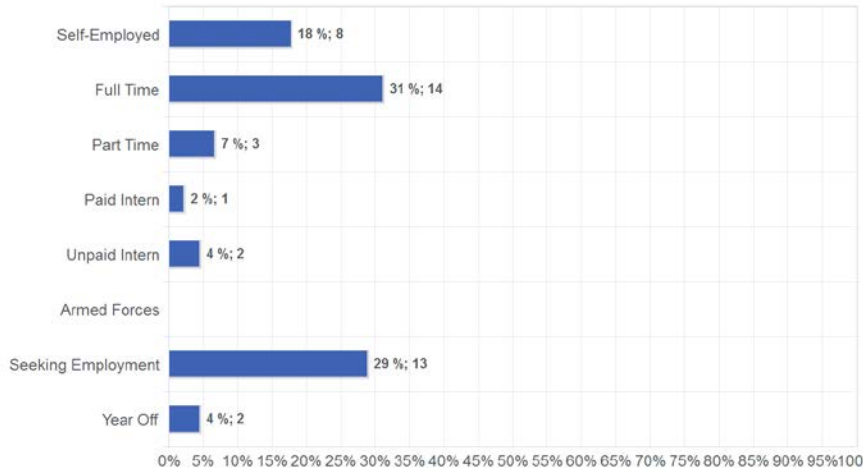
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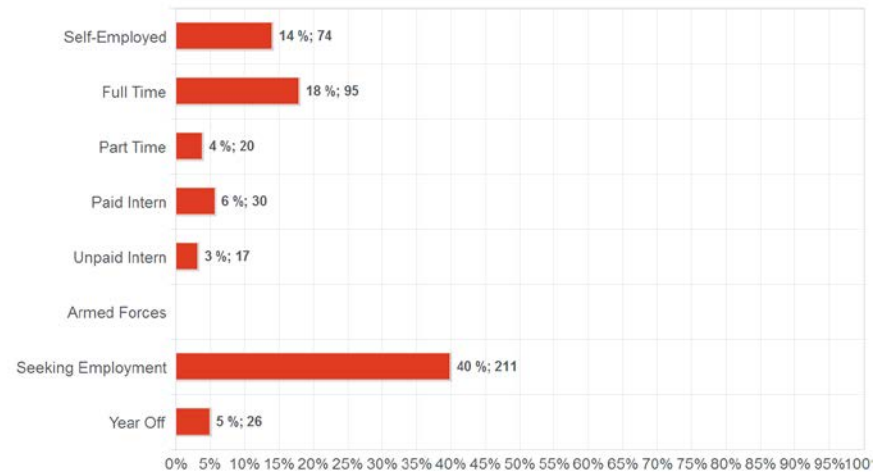
Over half (55%) of Earth Sciences BA/BS graduates were interested in pursuing an advanced degree in Physical Sciences.

# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates Employment Plans



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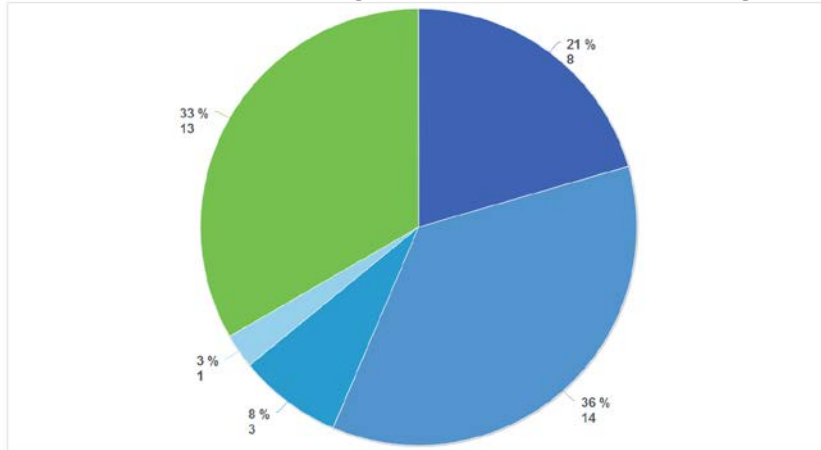
Over half (58%) of graduates with a BA/BS degree in Earth Sciences reported being employed within 6 months of graduation.



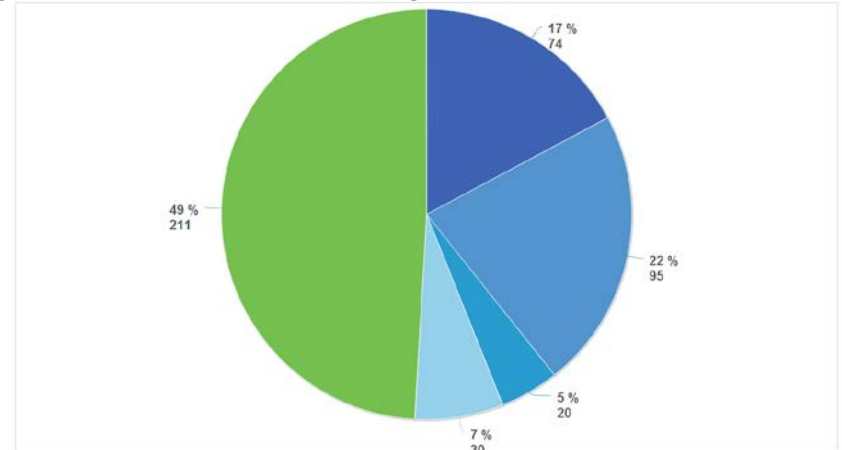
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# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates Employed vs Seeking Employment

Among those who are not going to graduate school after graduation....



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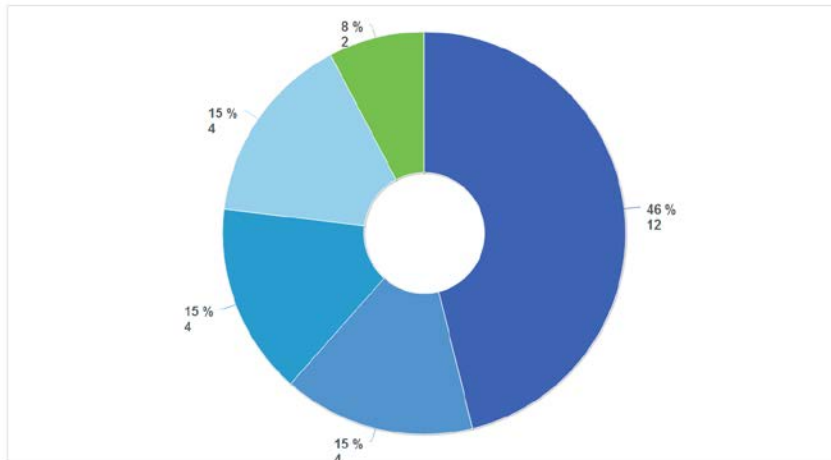
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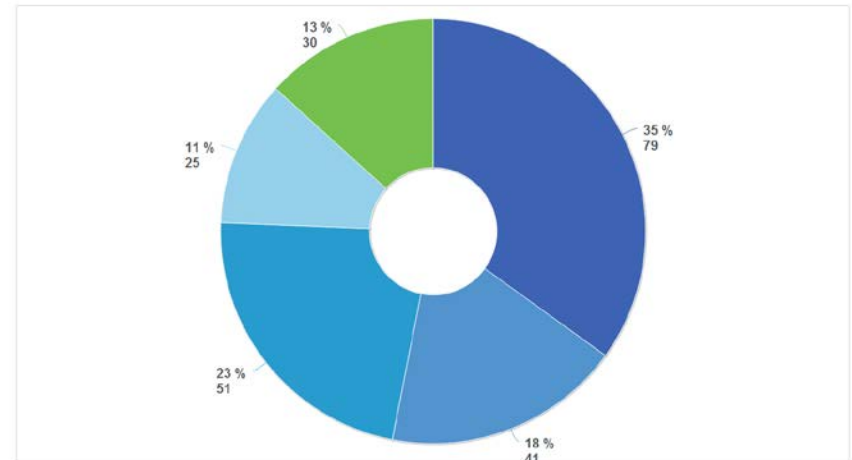
More graduates with a BA/BS degree in Earth Sciences were employed than seeking employment 6 months after graduation.

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## Sectors where students were employed



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Of those employed, nearly half (46%) of BA/BS Earth Sciences graduates reported working in the Business sector within 6 months of graduation.

# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates Employers & Job Titles



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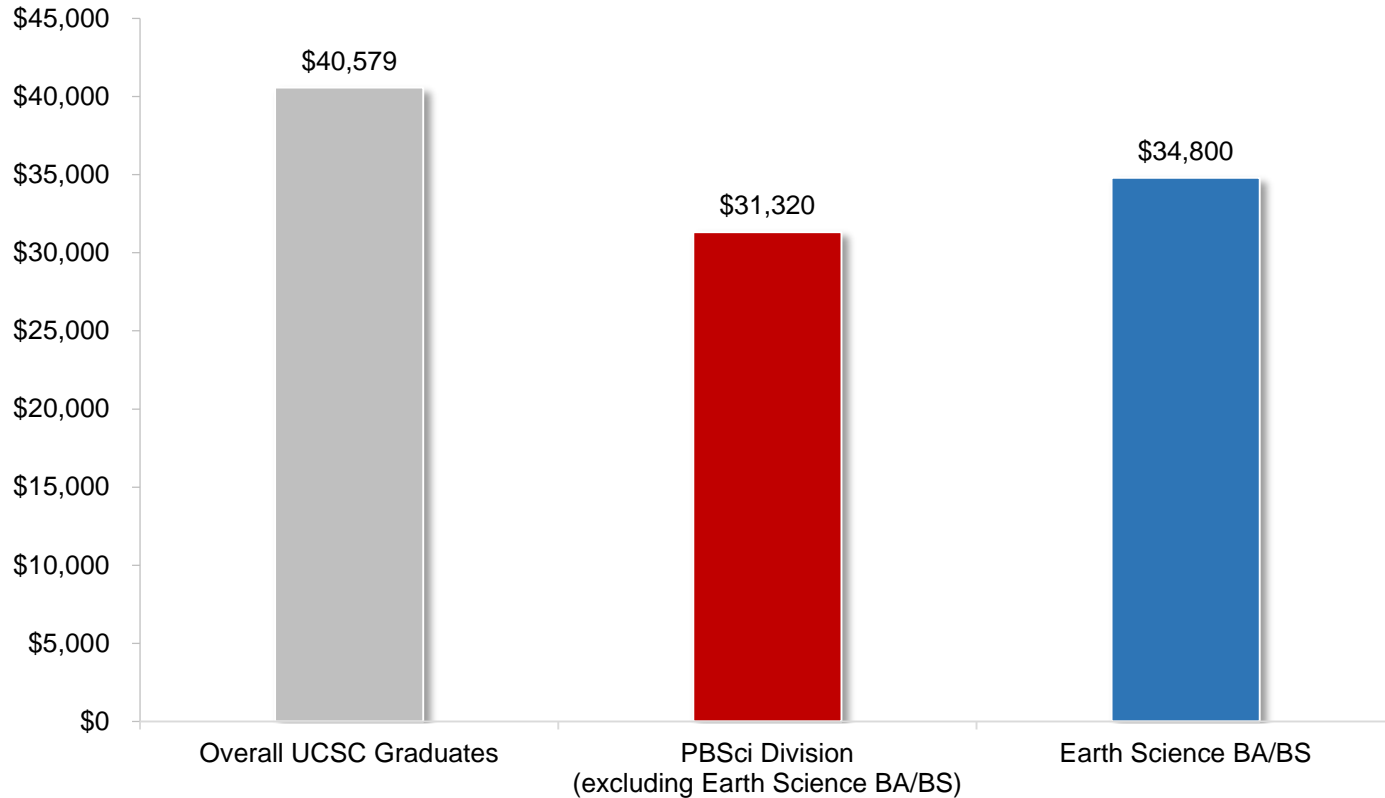
Employers listed include: Monterey Bay Aquarium, Party City, Trader Joe's, Norcal Engineering, NASA, GeoDisclosure, UCSC, Antea Group, KLI Think together, Costco, Granite rock, ENGEO, CA Department of Agriculture, Ecology Action, LA Parks & Rec, Santa Cruz Bicycles, Dennis Uniform, Physical Therapy and Hand Center, U.S. Geological Survey, Clean Water Store, Climate Corps, and Climate Corps.



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Job titles listed include: Project/Program coordinator, Physical science technician, Environmental scientist, Staff geologist, Operations manager, Intern, Cashier, Outreach assistant, Field representative, Lab technician/assistant, Teacher, Earth scientist, Analyst, Wheel assembly, QA Engineer, Staff professional, Energy reduction coordinator, Recreation assistant, Computer resource specialist, and Agricultural aid assistant.

# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates Median Annual Salary

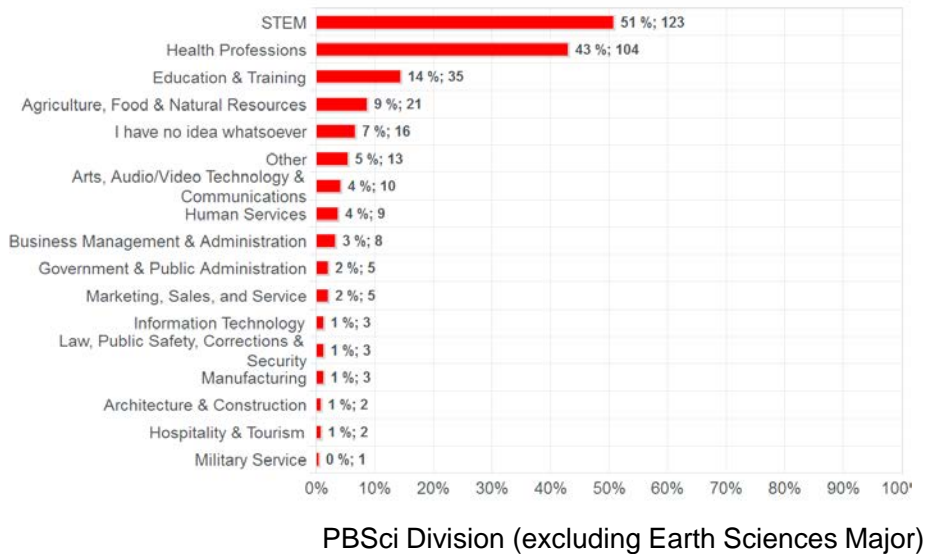
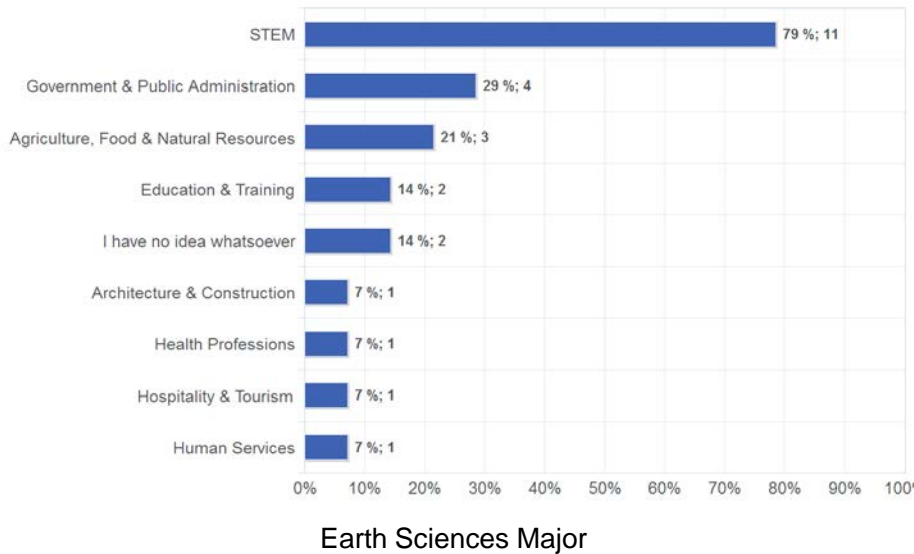


Fifty percent of graduates with a BA/BS degree in Earth Sciences reported earning \$34,800 annually or higher within 6 months of graduation.



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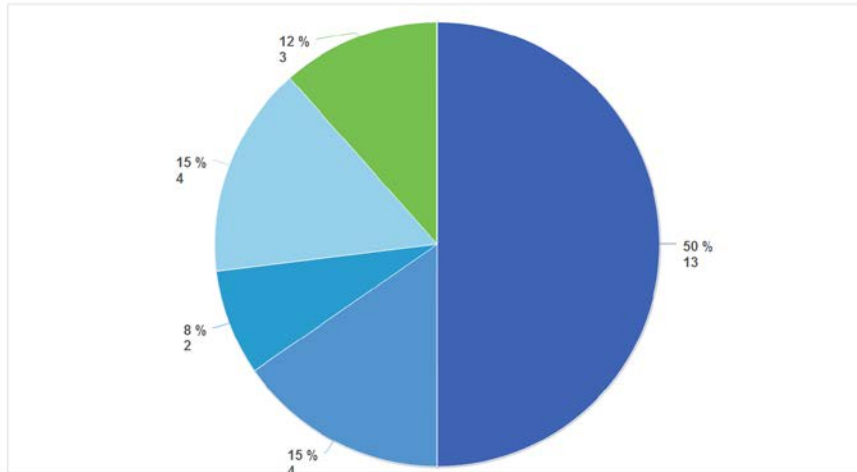
## Future Career Plans



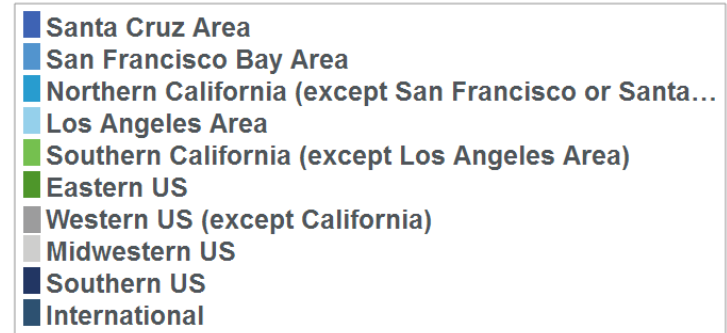
The majority (79%) of Earth Sciences BA/BS graduates hoped to have a career in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math) after completing their education.

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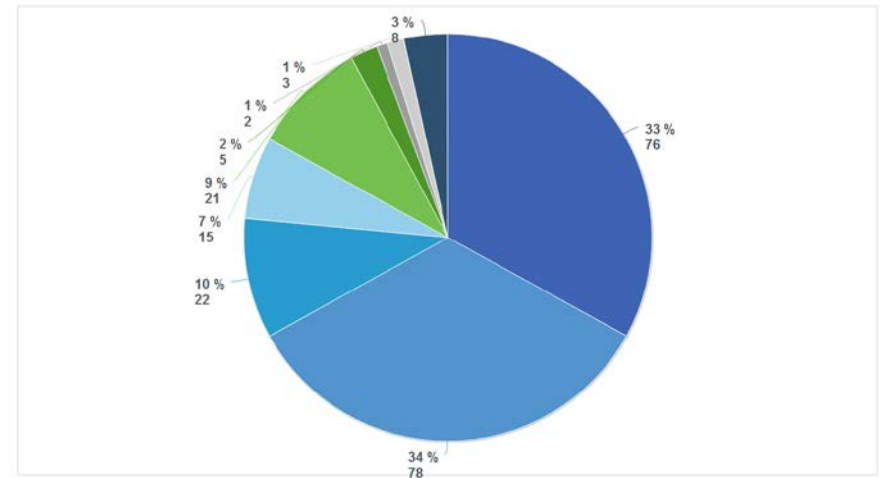
## Geographic destinations for those with jobs



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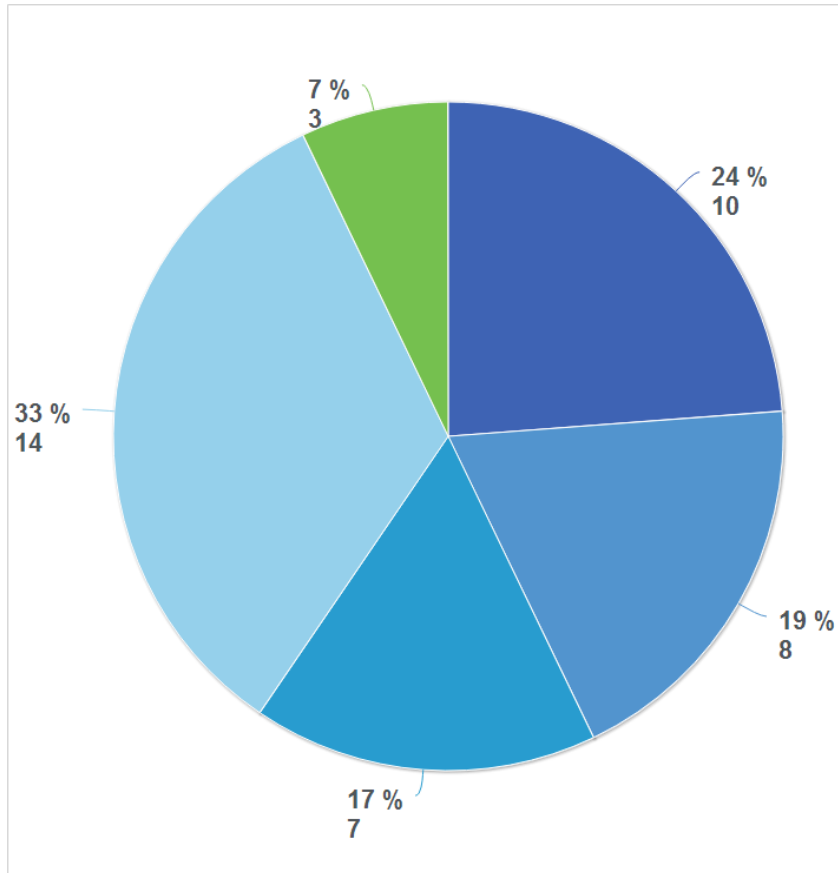
About two-thirds (65%) of Earth Sciences BA/BS graduates plan to work in the Santa Cruz or San Francisco Bay areas.



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# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates

When did they start looking for a job? (employed & seeking employment)



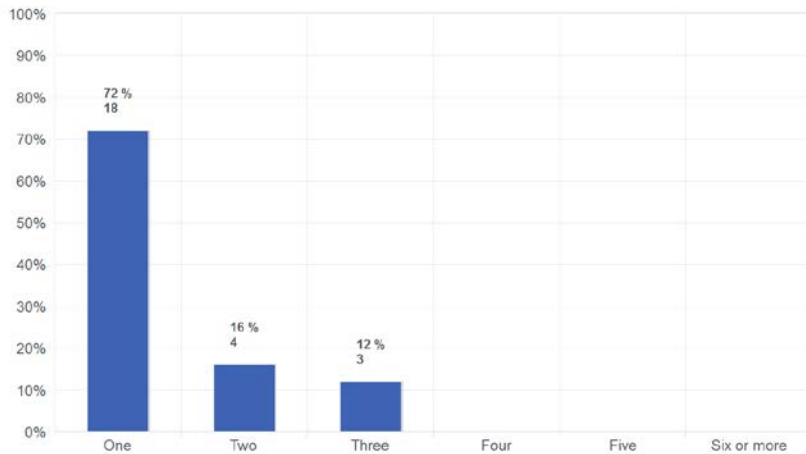
- More than 6 months before graduation from UCSC
- 3-6 months before graduation
- Less than 3 months prior to graduation
- After graduation
- Have not begun searching

Nearly half (43%) of Earth Sciences BA/BS graduates began looking for a job at least 3 months before graduation.

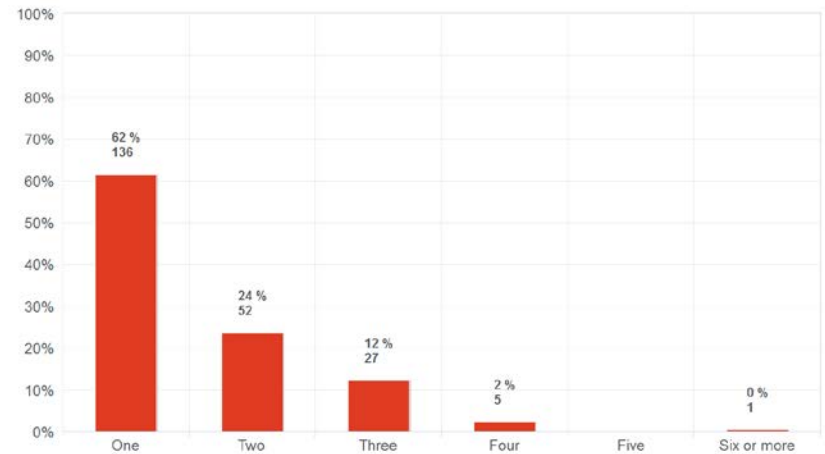
Start the search early! Of those who were employed full-time, 73% of graduates started searching for a job before graduation.

# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates

## How many job offers did they receive?



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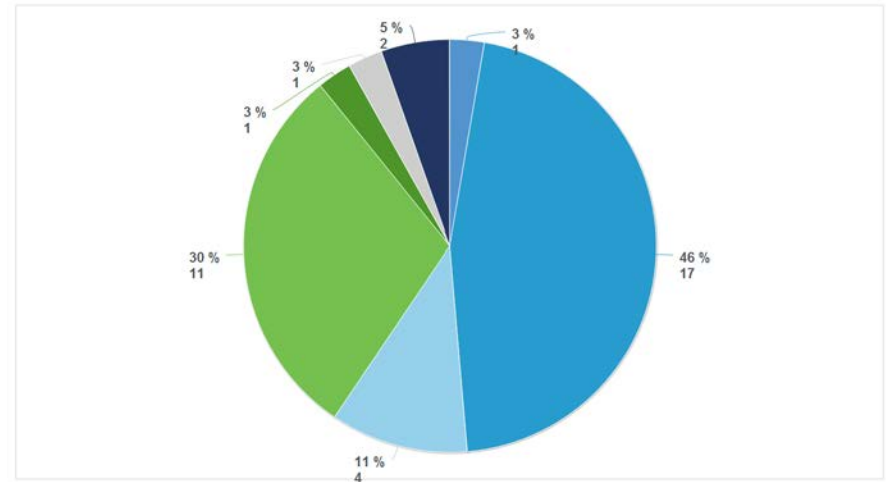


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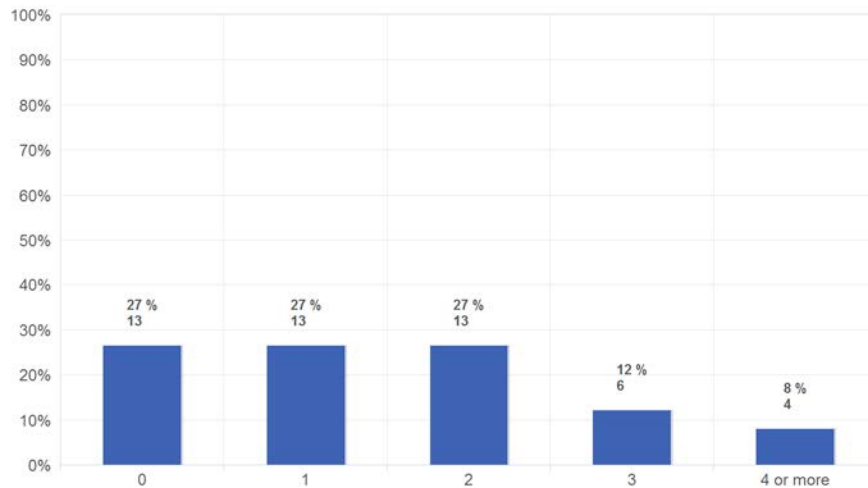
Of those employed, 28% of graduates with a BA/BS degree in Earth Sciences received multiple job offers.

# UCSC Earth Sciences BA/BS Graduates Internships

Over half (57%) of graduates reported that they found their internship through networking with either UCSC or personal contacts.



- SlugQuest
- On-campus interviews
- Networking through UCSC contacts
- Networking through personal contacts
- Direct contact
- Previous employer/internship
- UCSC Career Center Fair
- Other (non-UCSC) job site
- Other



Most graduates (73%) had 1 or more internships during their studies at UCSC.