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Ratio of Candidates to Vacancies* (Historical)									
	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Candidates	331	357	342	351	364	410	403	431	413
Vacancies	135	142	153	156	137	134	121	126	122
Ratio	2.45	2.51	2.24	2.25	2.66	3.06	3.33	3.42	3.39

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Candidates	447	453	416	421	349	355	359	359	362
Vacancies	145	137	147	166	181	189	197	173	162
Ratio	3.08	3.31	2.83	2.54	1.93	1.88	1.82	2.08	2.23

*Vacancies are calculated by adding 2/3 of the jobs advertised as possible to the jobs advertised as definite. Since the category of *Subscribers Only* has been eliminated beginning with the 2003-04 Placement Year, the ratios in this historical table have been re-calculated using the number of candidates excluding *Subscribers Only* so that all ratios are comparable. In the 2003-2004 Placement Year, there were a total of 165 positions advertised with the Placement Service (155 definite and 10 possible). The status of these searches follows: 137 filled, 6 ongoing, 11 cancelled or not filled, 9 filled but not with a classicist, 2 outcome not reported to the APA.

Source: 2003-2004 APA Placement Statistics

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