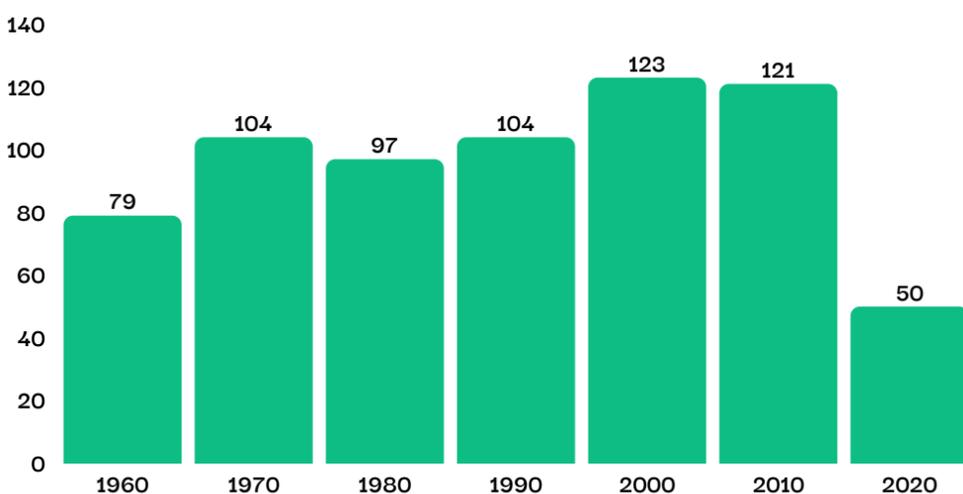# NOBEL PRIZE WINNERS

This dataset covers all Nobel Prize winners from 1900 to 2020 across six major categories. It offers insights into global achievements in science, literature, peace, and economics over more than a century.

US-Born Nobel Prize Winners

This chart illustrates the number of Nobel Prizes awarded to US-born laureates by decade from 1960 to 2020.

2000s

is the highest value for US-Born Nobel Prize Winners

Top Awarded Countries

291 US

91 GB
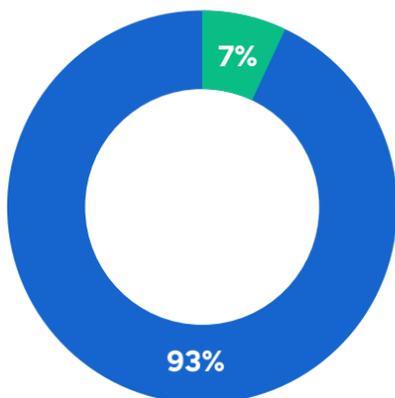
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Shared Nobel Prizes

64.5%
Shared Nobel Prizes

Most Nobel Prizes are shared among multiple recipients, reflecting the collaborative nature of significant achievements.

Gender Distribution

— Male Winners

— Female Winners

7%

93%

Only 7% of Nobel Prizes have been awarded to women, highlighting a significant gender gap in recognition.

Prize Distribution by Category

Medicine	22.7%	
Physics	22.5%	
Chemistry	19.4%	
Peace	14.1%	
Literature	12.0%	
Economics	9.3%	

This graphic shows the distribution of Nobel Prizes awarded across all categories since 1901, highlighting the prominence of scientific disciplines like Medicine, Physics, and Chemistry.

Recommended Next Steps

#1 Time Series Trends by Category
Analyze how the number of Nobel Prizes in each category has changed over years.

#2 Geographical Heatmap
Map laureate birth countries to visualize global impact. Showcases regional contributions and historical trends.

#3 Youngest and Oldest Winners
Plot age distribution of winners over time. Adds a personal, human dimension to the data.