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Applicant statistics: June deadline applicants, placed June deadline applicants, all placed applicants, June deadline applicants per 10,000 population, placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population, all placed applicants per 10,000 population

Application statistics: June deadline applications, offers, offer rate, average offer rate, percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate, contribution of group to the average offer rate

Non-disclosure controls: To avoid the disclosure of information about any individual the following measures are taken

- Applicants, placed applicants, applications and offers are rounded to the nearest 5.
- Applicants/placed applicants per 10,000 population figures are reported as 0 if the applicant/placed applicant figures are rounded to 0.
- All statistics related to the offer rate are not reported when the number of applications for a group is less than 10. The percentage point difference between the offer rate and the average offer rate is not reported when the number of applications for a group is less than 50.
- Offer rates are reported as 0% if there are fewer than 5 offers, and 100% if the number of offers is within 5 of the number of applications. When the offer rate is reported as 0% or 100%, it is reported in italics.

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P.1 18 year old applicants

Statistic	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	1,165	1,095	960	990	790	1,385
Placed June deadline applicants	305	290	275	290	200	375
All placed applicants	380	340	310	330	245	480
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	15.1	14.4	12.8	12.9	10.6	18.7
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.8	2.7	5.1
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	4.9	4.5	4.1	4.3	3.3	6.5

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	1,315	1,220	1,105	1,155	885	1,645
Offers	1,015	985	900	970	730	1,395
Offer rate	77.0%	80.7%	81.6%	84.0%	82.5%	84.8%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	Men	435	375	315	330	245	620
	Women	730	720	650	660	545	760
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	100	90	80	95	60	165
	Women	205	205	195	195	140	210
All placed applicants	Men	135	110	100	105	70	200
	Women	245	230	210	225	175	280
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	11.0	9.6	8.1	8.4	6.4	16.4
	Women	19.4	19.5	17.7	17.7	14.9	21.1
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.4	1.6	4.3
	Women	5.4	5.5	5.3	5.2	3.8	5.9
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	3.4	2.8	2.6	2.6	1.9	5.3
	Women	6.5	6.3	5.8	6.1	4.8	7.7

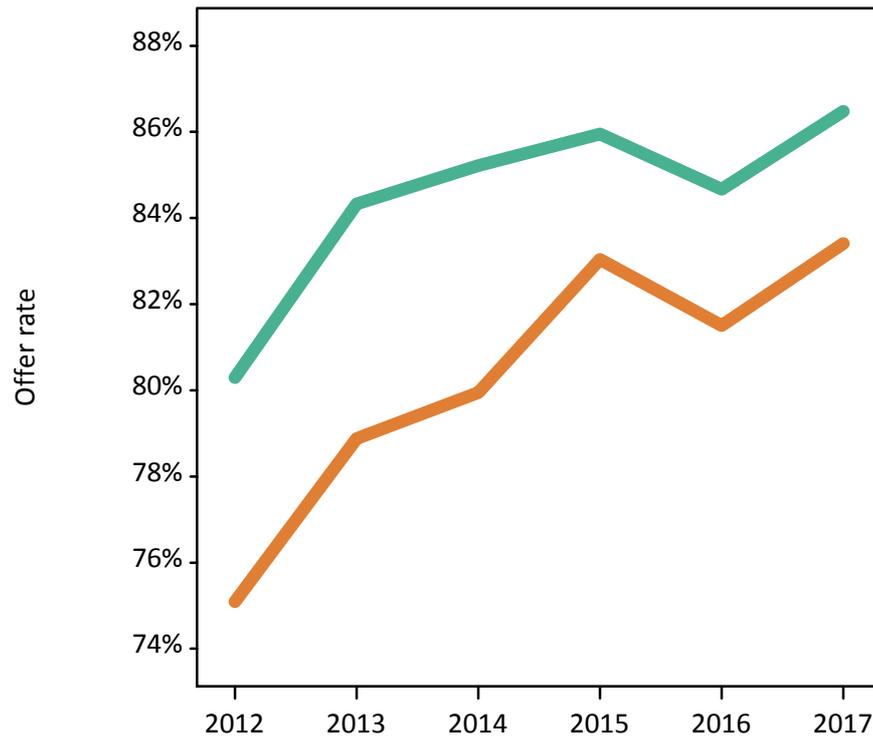
P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	Men	475	400	345	365	275	745
	Women	840	820	760	790	610	900
Offers	Men	385	340	295	310	230	645
	Women	630	645	605	655	500	750
Offer rate	Men	80.3%	84.3%	85.2%	86.0%	84.7%	86.5%
	Women	75.1%	78.9%	79.9%	83.0%	81.5%	83.4%
Average offer rate	Men	80.5%	84.0%	84.4%	84.2%	83.8%	87.7%
	Women	75.0%	79.0%	80.3%	83.8%	81.9%	82.4%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	-0.2	0.3	0.8	1.7	0.9	-1.2
	Women	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4	1.0
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.565	0.560	0.569	0.577	0.601	0.702
	Women	0.753	0.784	0.804	0.806	0.821	0.752

P.5 18 year old offer rate by sex

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2012-2017.

Men
Women



P.6 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by sex

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2012-2017.

Men
Women



P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic	POLAR3 quintile	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	180	140	160	170	120	225
	Quintile 2	260	240	215	210	170	290
	Quintile 3	230	235	215	205	165	275
	Quintile 4	270	260	210	235	185	320
	Quintile 5	225	220	160	170	155	265
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	35	30	45	45	25	55
	Quintile 2	65	70	65	65	35	95
	Quintile 3	70	60	65	70	40	80
	Quintile 4	85	75	65	65	55	95
	Quintile 5	45	60	40	40	40	50
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	45	30	50	50	30	70
	Quintile 2	80	75	70	70	45	120
	Quintile 3	80	70	70	75	55	105
	Quintile 4	105	85	75	80	70	115
	Quintile 5	65	70	50	55	50	65
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	12.6	10.0	11.5	12.1	8.8	16.9
	Quintile 2	17.3	16.3	14.6	14.0	11.8	20.6
	Quintile 3	14.9	15.4	14.4	13.3	10.8	18.4
	Quintile 4	17.0	16.5	13.7	15.0	11.9	21.1
	Quintile 5	13.5	13.4	9.9	10.3	9.3	16.3
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	2.6	2.1	3.3	3.4	2.0	4.2
	Quintile 2	4.5	4.6	4.3	4.3	2.4	6.8
	Quintile 3	4.5	4.1	4.2	4.6	2.8	5.4
	Quintile 4	5.4	4.7	4.2	4.3	3.6	6.2
	Quintile 5	2.8	3.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	3.1
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	3.3	2.3	3.4	3.6	2.2	5.3
	Quintile 2	5.5	5.2	4.7	4.7	3.0	8.6
	Quintile 3	5.3	4.7	4.7	4.9	3.7	7.2
	Quintile 4	6.6	5.6	4.8	5.2	4.4	7.5
	Quintile 5	3.8	4.2	2.9	3.2	3.1	4.0

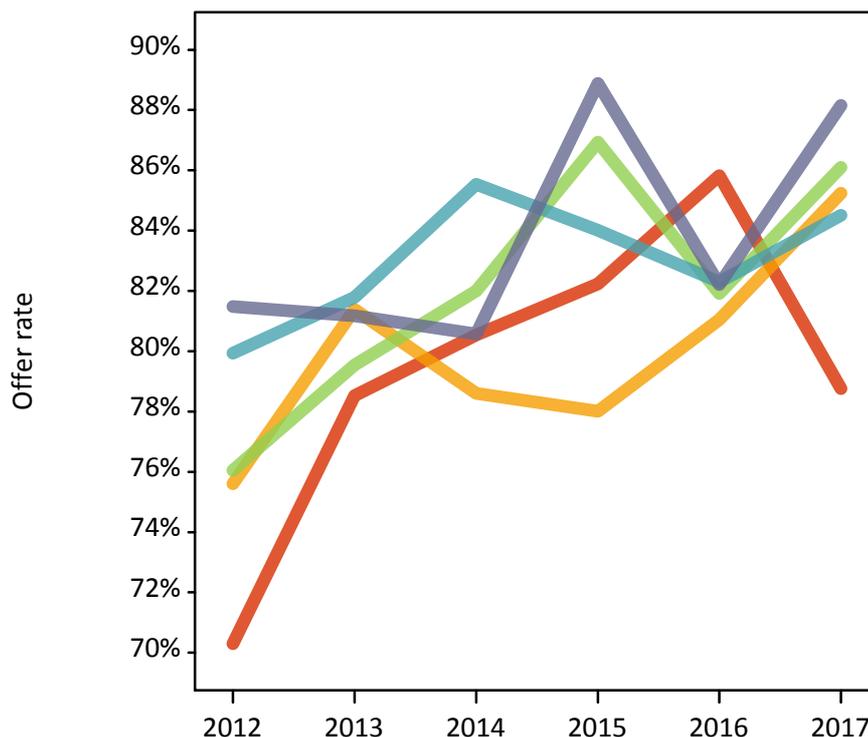
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic	POLAR3 quintile	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	200	150	185	195	135	260
	Quintile 2	285	275	245	240	190	360
	Quintile 3	265	265	250	245	190	340
	Quintile 4	320	290	250	270	210	380
	Quintile 5	245	240	175	200	165	305
Offers	Quintile 1	140	115	150	160	115	205
	Quintile 2	215	225	190	190	155	305
	Quintile 3	200	210	205	215	155	290
	Quintile 4	255	240	215	225	170	320
	Quintile 5	200	195	140	175	135	270
Offer rate	Quintile 1	70.3%	78.5%	80.5%	82.2%	85.8%	78.8%
	Quintile 2	75.6%	81.4%	78.6%	78.0%	81.1%	85.2%
	Quintile 3	76.0%	79.5%	82.0%	86.9%	81.9%	86.1%
	Quintile 4	79.9%	81.8%	85.5%	84.0%	82.3%	84.5%
	Quintile 5	81.5%	81.2%	80.6%	88.9%	82.2%	88.2%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	74.9%	82.2%	80.3%	85.0%	85.0%	82.3%
	Quintile 2	77.0%	81.1%	80.0%	82.7%	80.2%	84.0%
	Quintile 3	74.8%	79.4%	82.6%	84.8%	82.4%	85.4%
	Quintile 4	77.6%	79.7%	83.4%	82.9%	82.5%	86.0%
	Quintile 5	80.5%	81.9%	81.0%	84.6%	83.1%	85.6%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	-4.6	-3.7	0.2	-2.7	0.8	-3.5
	Quintile 2	-1.4	0.3	-1.4	-4.7	0.9	1.3
	Quintile 3	1.3	0.2	-0.6	2.1	-0.5	0.7
	Quintile 4	2.4	2.1	2.1	1.1	-0.2	-1.5
	Quintile 5	1.0	-0.7	-0.4	4.3	-0.9	2.6
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.325	0.327	0.390	0.390	0.357	0.414
	Quintile 2	0.379	0.389	0.393	0.393	0.437	0.459
	Quintile 3	0.354	0.393	0.386	0.440	0.446	0.412
	Quintile 4	0.395	0.433	0.417	0.427	0.477	0.465
	Quintile 5	0.395	0.394	0.372	0.386	0.432	0.433

P.9 18 year old offer rate by POLAR3 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2012-2017.

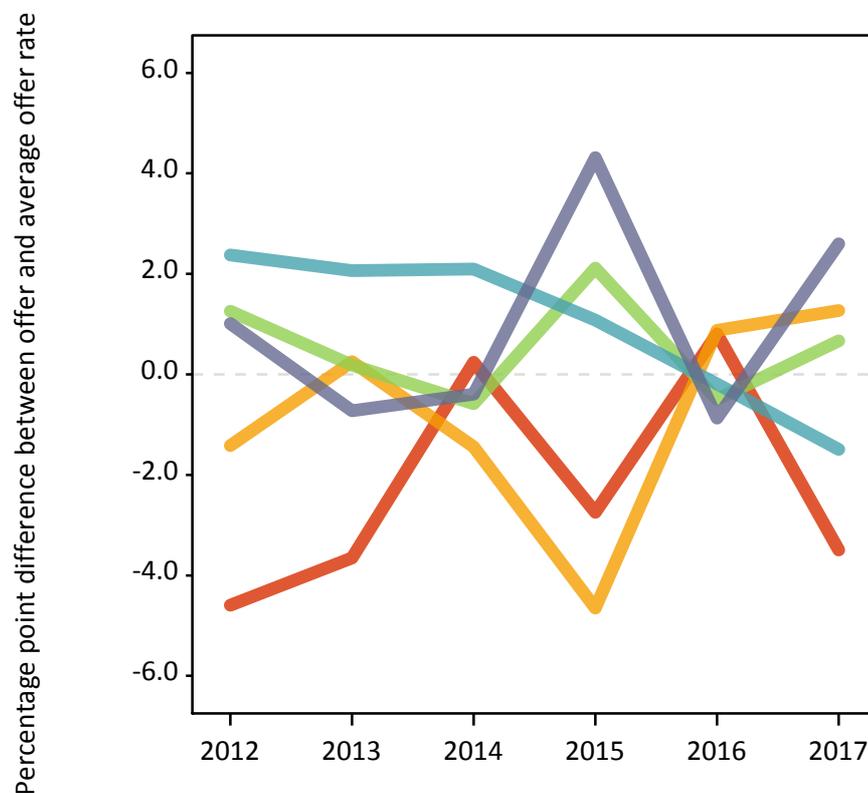
- Quintile 1
- Quintile 2
- Quintile 3
- Quintile 4
- Quintile 5



P.10 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by POLAR3 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2012-2017.

- Quintile 1
- Quintile 2
- Quintile 3
- Quintile 4
- Quintile 5



P.11 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	Asian	10	5	15	15	15	35
	Black	10	5	5	10	5	10
	Mixed	15	15	15	25	15	25
	White	1,125	1,065	920	940	755	1,300
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	5
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	0	0	0	0	0	5
	Black	0	0	0	5	0	0
	Mixed	5	0	0	5	0	5
	White	300	290	270	280	200	360
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0
All placed applicants	Asian	5	0	0	0	0	10
	Black	0	0	0	5	0	0
	Mixed	5	0	5	5	5	10
	White	365	335	300	320	240	450
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	1.4	1.1	2.4	1.8	1.9	4.8
	Black	3.6	1.3	2.3	3.5	1.6	2.5
	Mixed	6.5	5.5	5.2	7.5	4.8	8.4
	White	17.4	16.9	14.9	15.1	12.5	21.9
	Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.8
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
	Black	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0
	Mixed	1.2	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.2
	White	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.5	3.3	6.1
	Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6
	Black	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0
	Mixed	1.5	0.0	1.4	1.3	1.6	2.8
	White	5.7	5.3	4.9	5.1	3.9	7.5
	Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

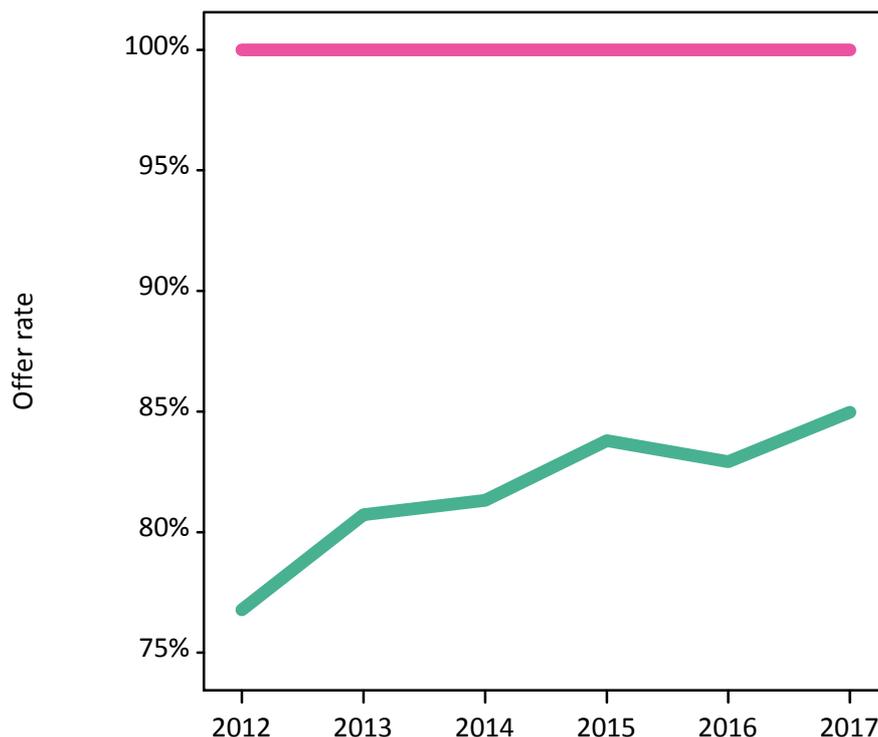
P.12 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	Asian	10	5	15	15	15	45
	Black	10	5	5	10	5	10
	Mixed	15	15	15	25	15	30
	White	1,275	1,190	1,060	1,100	850	1,545
	Other	0	0	5	0	0	10
Offers	Asian	5	5	15	15	10	35
	Black	10	5	5	10	0	10
	Mixed	15	10	15	20	10	25
	White	980	960	860	920	705	1,310
	Other	0	0	5	0	0	5
Offer rate	Asian	N/A	N/A	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	71.7%
	Black	100.0%	N/A	N/A	100.0%	N/A	100.0%
	Mixed	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	White	76.8%	80.7%	81.3%	83.8%	82.9%	85.0%
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Average offer rate	Asian	N/A	N/A	91.4%	91.1%	81.8%	75.8%
	Black	84.7%	N/A	N/A	80.2%	N/A	91.7%
	Mixed	81.6%	84.7%	76.5%	87.5%	83.1%	87.8%
	White	76.8%	80.6%	81.4%	83.7%	82.6%	84.9%
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Mixed	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	White	0.0	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Asian	N/A	N/A	0.301	0.280	0.416	0.315
	Black	0.318	N/A	N/A	0.444	N/A	0.258
	Mixed	0.187	0.437	0.353	0.319	0.297	0.329
	White	0.977	0.985	0.975	0.967	0.972	0.955
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

P.13 18 year old offer rate by ethnic group

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2012-2017.

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by ethnic group

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2012-2017.

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



P.15 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	1,895	1,875	1,665	1,645	1,430	2,800
Placed June deadline applicants	585	555	570	545	455	990
All placed applicants	805	745	800	775	720	1,610

P.16 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	2,155	2,125	1,915	1,920	1,640	3,415
Offers	1,580	1,625	1,525	1,530	1,295	2,710
Offer rate	73.2%	76.4%	79.7%	79.8%	79.2%	79.3%

P.17 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	Men	745	735	595	610	505	1,260
	Women	1,150	1,140	1,070	1,035	930	1,535
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	210	205	190	200	165	445
	Women	375	350	380	350	295	545
All placed applicants	Men	305	285	265	265	225	685
	Women	500	460	535	510	490	925

P.18 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	Men	835	815	670	690	580	1,580
	Women	1,320	1,310	1,245	1,225	1,060	1,830
Offers	Men	645	650	550	560	465	1,255
	Women	935	975	980	975	830	1,450
Offer rate	Men	77.2%	79.8%	81.7%	80.8%	80.4%	79.5%
	Women	70.6%	74.4%	78.7%	79.3%	78.5%	79.2%

P.19 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic	POLAR3 quintile	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	270	255	275	265	210	480
	Quintile 2	420	410	355	360	310	660
	Quintile 3	370	395	350	325	305	505
	Quintile 4	475	465	385	395	340	620
	Quintile 5	355	345	300	295	265	530
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	70	55	85	85	60	160
	Quintile 2	125	115	120	120	85	265
	Quintile 3	125	125	120	120	95	180
	Quintile 4	165	160	155	135	130	225
	Quintile 5	95	100	85	90	85	155
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	95	70	105	100	90	240
	Quintile 2	175	150	165	160	150	440
	Quintile 3	165	170	175	170	155	305
	Quintile 4	235	225	225	220	200	365
	Quintile 5	130	125	125	120	115	250

P.20 Applications (all ages) by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic	POLAR3 quintile	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	305	280	320	305	230	585
	Quintile 2	470	470	405	430	355	825
	Quintile 3	430	465	405	375	350	600
	Quintile 4	565	530	450	465	395	760
	Quintile 5	385	375	330	340	305	635
Offers	Quintile 1	210	205	260	245	190	430
	Quintile 2	330	360	315	320	270	650
	Quintile 3	310	345	315	315	280	505
	Quintile 4	420	415	375	370	315	605
	Quintile 5	305	300	260	280	240	515
Offer rate	Quintile 1	69.3%	73.8%	80.7%	80.5%	81.5%	73.2%
	Quintile 2	70.6%	76.1%	77.5%	74.9%	76.6%	78.7%
	Quintile 3	72.2%	74.1%	77.3%	83.5%	79.5%	84.2%
	Quintile 4	74.4%	77.9%	83.7%	79.4%	79.7%	79.4%
	Quintile 5	78.8%	79.5%	78.7%	81.8%	79.3%	81.0%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applicants	Asian	25	25	30	20	20	90
	Black	20	10	15	20	20	55
	Mixed	30	30	15	35	30	65
	White	1,800	1,790	1,595	1,550	1,355	2,550
	Other	5	10	0	10	5	20
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	5	5	5	5	5	20
	Black	5	5	5	5	5	15
	Mixed	5	5	0	5	5	25
	White	555	540	555	530	440	915
	Other	0	5	0	0	0	5
All placed applicants	Asian	5	10	5	5	5	40
	Black	10	5	10	5	10	30
	Mixed	10	5	5	10	15	35
	White	755	720	765	745	640	1,390
	Other	5	5	0	0	0	20

P.22 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
June deadline applications	Asian	25	30	30	30	25	120
	Black	20	10	15	20	20	70
	Mixed	35	30	15	40	30	80
	White	2,055	2,035	1,835	1,810	1,555	3,100
	Other	5	10	5	10	5	20
Offers	Asian	20	25	25	20	20	80
	Black	10	10	10	15	15	45
	Mixed	25	25	15	30	25	60
	White	1,500	1,550	1,465	1,450	1,230	2,485
	Other	5	5	5	10	5	15
Offer rate	Asian	73.1%	78.1%	80.6%	72.4%	100.0%	67.8%
	Black	55.0%	100.0%	100.0%	72.2%	65.0%	65.2%
	Mixed	79.4%	75.0%	100.0%	84.2%	100.0%	78.5%
	White	73.2%	76.3%	79.7%	80.0%	79.1%	80.2%
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	68.2%

Technical Notes and Definitions

UCAS undergraduate scheme

Adjustment

Adjustment allows applicants who have met and exceeded the terms of their conditional firm offer to seek and find a place at another provider whilst keeping their place at their original firm choice provider.

Clearing

Clearing is a route for applicants that are not placed and holding no offers to find a place on courses with vacancies.

Cycle year

The UCAS application cycle which runs from September to October the following year. For example the 2017 cycle runs from September 2016 through to October 2017.

End of cycle

The point in the cycle to which the numbers in this report refer, and the point at which the cycle is closed such that no more applications or offers can be made, and no more applicants can be placed. Numbers reported at the end of cycle exclude information on a small number of applicants who cancelled during the cycle.

Extra

Applicants who are unsuccessful in obtaining an offer or decline all offers may be eligible to apply through Extra, where they can apply to one further course at a time. Extra operates from 25 February until early July. It provides applicants who are eligible the possibility of obtaining an offer before exam results are published and Clearing starts.

June 30 deadline

The deadline for main scheme applications. Applicants who apply after this date will go directly into Clearing.

Record of Prior Acceptance (RPA)

RPA is an acceptance route used when a provider informs UCAS of applicants it has accepted outside of the normal application process (e.g. individuals who have applied directly to the provider).

Reporting groups

Ethnic group

High level grouping of ethnic origin as declared by the applicant: 'White', 'Black', 'Asian', 'Mixed', 'Other', 'Unknown'. Applicants who declare themselves as 'Unknown' ethnic origin are not reported in these tables, but are included in the associated csv data file.

POLAR3 quintile

Developed by HEFCE, POLAR3 classifies small areas across the UK into five groups according to their level of young participation in Higher Education. Each of these groups represents around 20 per cent of young people and is ranked from Quintile 1 (areas with the lowest young participation rates, considered as the most disadvantaged) to Quintile 5 (highest young participation rates, considered most advantaged). POLAR3 is based on the participation rates of young people between 2005 and 2009 who entered Higher Education between 2005-06 and 2010-11, therefore is most suitable for applicants aged 19 and under. These groups are assigned using the postcode declared by the applicant at the time of their application. If a UK postcode is invalid, considered unsafe for measurement or there is no link to Census geography possible then the applicant is not assigned to a quintile. Applicants with no POLAR3 quintile are not reported.

Sex

Sex as declared by the applicant.

SIMD 2016 quintile

Scottish index of multiple deprivation (SIMD) identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Scotland, providing a relative measure of deprivation amongst 6505 small areas (data zones) based on 7 socio-economic domains. These small areas are classified into five groups ranked from Quintile 1 (considered the most deprived) to Quintile 5 (considered least deprived), with equal populations in each quintile. Quintiles are assigned using the postcode declared by the applicant, applicants declaring invalid postcodes are classified as 'Not assigned' and are not reported.

SIMD is only defined for applicants domiciled in Scotland, therefore any applicants domiciled outside of Scotland cannot be assigned to an SIMD quintile and so are not reported for this measure.

SIMD is only reported for providers in Scotland. Application and entry rates by SIMD are reported in the 2017 End of Cycle Report and the 2017 cycle January deadline application rate report.

Statistics reported in the tables

All placed applicants

The number of applicants placed for entry into higher education at the provider through one of their choices, including any choices made through Extra, or via Adjustment, Clearing or RPA.

All placed applicants per 10,000 population

The number of total UK domiciled 18 year old placed applicants for entry into higher education at the provider divided by the number of UK 18 year olds in the population, multiplied by 10,000. This gives the number of 18 year olds, for every 10,000 in the population, that were placed at the provider through one of their choices, including any choices made through Extra, or via Adjustment, Clearing or RPA. It is an alternative way of expressing the entry rate to a provider. By referencing the underlying population this statistic shows how the number of placed applicants is changing in relation to the available pool of potential applicants and so gives the chance that somebody from the group will be placed at a provider.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Average offer rate

The offer rate that you might expect if the predicted grades and subject choice of applicants were the only factors that influenced whether an applicant was made an offer by the provider. The average offer rate is calculated by dividing applicants according to their specific combination of grades (for A levels the best three predicted grades are used, for BTECs, International Baccalaureate and Scottish Highers and Advanced Highers, predicted grades along with any grades already achieved upon applying are used) and subject choice. For each combination the number of main scheme offers is divided by the number of main scheme applications, to give an overall offer rate. This is then multiplied by the number of applications made by the group for which the average offer rate is being calculated (for example POLAR3 quintile 1), to give an average number of offers for that group. These average number of offers are then added together across all combinations of predicted grade and subject and divided by the number of main scheme applications from the group to give the average offer rate.

The average offer rate does not attempt to control for any other factors that may play a part in the decision to make an offer, such as the subject of the qualifications studied, their relevance to a course, or the grade in each subject; higher numbers of A levels being studied; the exact profile of grades predicted; personal statements; teacher references; interviews; or any other criteria (such as work experience or portfolios) that may be part of the admissions decision.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Contribution of group to the average offer rate

The way in which the average offer rate is defined means that the pattern of application and offers of a group (for example POLAR3 quintile 1) will always contribute, in part, to the average offer rate for that group. When this contribution is large, the average offer rate will mainly reflect the patterns for the group, meaning that the value of the average offer rate will be similar to the offer rate, the percentage point difference statistic will be small, and any real difference between the offer rate and what might be expected given the predicted grades and subject choices of the applicants will be difficult to detect.

Values of the contribution of group to the average offer rate range between 0 and 1. The closer the value is to 1 the greater the contribution a group makes to its own average offer rate.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Placed June deadline applicants

An applicant who has been placed for entry into higher education at the provider through a June deadline application.

Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population

The number of UK domiciled 18 year old placed June deadline applicants at the provider divided by the number of UK 18 year olds in the population, multiplied by 10,000. This gives the number of 18 year olds, for every 10,000 in the population, that were placed at the provider through one of their June deadline applications. It is an alternative way of expressing the entry rate to a provider, but for placed June deadline applicants only. By referencing the underlying population this statistic shows how the number of placed June deadline applicants is changing in relation to the available pool of potential 18 year old applicants and so gives the chance that somebody from the group will be placed at a provider through a June deadline application.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

June deadline applications

An application (or choice) to a course in higher education to the provider that is made by the June 30 deadline. Each applicant can make up to five choices this way. The number of June deadline applications does not include choices made through the following routes: Clearing, Extra, Adjustment and RPAs. Applications made to October deadline courses received after the October deadline are not included in these statistics.

June deadline applicants

The number of applicants that made at least one application to the provider by the June 30 deadline.

June deadline applicants per 10,000 population

The number of UK domiciled 18 year old June deadline applicants to the provider divided by the number of UK 18 year olds in the population, multiplied by 10,000. This gives the number of 18 year olds, for every 10,000 in the population, who applied by the June 30 deadline. It is equivalent to the application rate. By referencing the underlying population this statistic shows how the number of June deadline applicants is changing in relation to the available pool of potential 18 year old applicants and so gives the chance that somebody from the group will apply to a provider by the June 30 deadline.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Offers

An offer is defined as a provider's decision in response to an application to offer a place to an applicant, often subject to the applicant satisfying academic and/or other criteria, via a June deadline application (i.e. does not cover choices made through the following routes: Clearing, Extra, Adjustment and RPAs).

Offer rate

The number of offers made divided by the number of June deadline applications. This gives the proportion of all June deadline applications to the provider that received an offer.

Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate

The offer rate minus the average offer rate.

The percentage point difference can be compared to the expected range of statistical variation resulting from the calculation of the average offer rate using the Average Offer Rate Lookup Table. Where the value of the percentage point difference lies outside of this range, the percentage point difference may be considered to represent a real difference between the offer rate and the average offer rate.

Other definitions

Age

This analysis uses country-specific age definitions that align with the cut off points for school and college cohorts within the different administrations of the UK. For England and Wales, ages are defined on the 31 August, for Northern Ireland on the 1 July and for Scotland on the 28 February the following year. Defining ages in this way matches the assignment of children to school cohorts. For applicants outside of the UK a cohort cut off of 31 August has been used. Numbers for applicants aged 17 and under are included in the tables that report numbers for all age groups. Providers in Scotland typically receive a higher proportion of applicants aged 17 and under compared to providers elsewhere in the UK.

Provider

A higher education provider - a university or college.

UK domiciled

Declared area of permanent residence within England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Applicants from the Channel Islands and Isle of Man are not included.