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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

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- 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.
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P.1 18 year old applicants

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	6,880	6,975	7,330	8,125	8,320	8,265
Placed June deadline applicants	865	965	1,055	1,165	1,305	1,110
All placed applicants	960	1,075	1,175	1,260	1,405	1,210
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	90.4	92.6	95.6	108.4	112.3	114.4
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	11.4	12.8	13.8	15.6	17.6	15.4
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	12.6	14.3	15.3	16.8	19.0	16.8

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	7,505	7,730	8,165	8,945	9,270	9,170
Offers	4,050	4,155	4,540	5,090	5,600	4,985
Offer rate	53.9%	53.8%	55.6%	56.9%	60.4%	54.3%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	2,460	2,480	2,670	2,955	2,895	2,945
	Women	4,420	4,495	4,655	5,170	5,425	5,320
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	275	335	390	405	425	350
	Women	585	630	665	765	880	760
All placed applicants	Men	315	385	440	435	470	395
	Women	645	685	735	820	940	815
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Men	63.0	64.1	68.1	76.9	76.2	79.4
population	Women	119.3	122.8	124.6	141.5	150.3	151.2
Placed June deadline applicants per	Men	7.1	8.6	9.9	10.5	11.1	9.5
10,000 population	Women	15.8	17.3	17.8	20.9	24.4	21.6
All placed applicants per 10,000	Men	8.1	10.0	11.2	11.3	12.3	10.7
population	Women	17.5	18.8	19.6	22.5	26.0	23.2

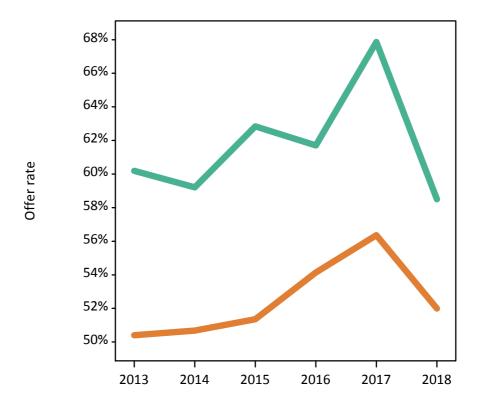
P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	2,715	2,795	3,005	3,285	3,240	3,285
	Women	4,790	4,935	5,160	5,660	6,035	5,885
Offers	Men	1,635	1,655	1,890	2,025	2,200	1,925
	Women	2,415	2,500	2,650	3,065	3,400	3,060
Offer rate	Men	60.2%	59.2%	62.8%	61.7%	67.9%	58.5%
	Women	50.4%	50.7%	51.4%	54.1%	56.4%	52.0%
Average offer rate	Men	62.5%	62.4%	64.3%	64.8%	69.7%	61.4%
	Women	49.1%	48.9%	50.5%	52.4%	55.4%	50.4%
Percentage point difference between	Men	-2.3	-3.2	-1.4	-3.1	-1.8	-2.9
offer rate and average offer rate	Women	1.3	1.8	0.8	1.8	1.0	1.6
Contribution of group to the average	Men	0.530	0.541	0.555	0.546	0.537	0.533
offer rate	Women	0.734	0.740	0.741	0.736	0.752	0.739

P.5 18 year old offer rate by sex

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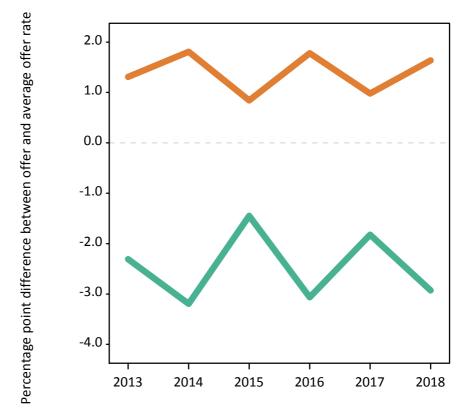




P.6 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by sex

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P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR4 quintile

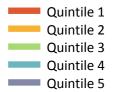
Statistic F	OLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	320	380	455	495	505	530
	Quintile 2	600	620	800	855	865	860
	Quintile 3	1,110	1,085	1,220	1,305	1,330	1,290
	Quintile 4	1,455	1,535	1,595	1,845	1,900	1,825
	Quintile 5	3,375	3,340	3,250	3,605	3,700	3,740
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	50	65	85	70	80	70
	Quintile 2	90	110	130	150	135	110
	Quintile 3	135	155	175	205	220	155
	Quintile 4	170	205	215	240	275	230
	Quintile 5	415	430	445	500	595	545
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	55	75	90	75	85	80
	Quintile 2	100	115	145	160	140	120
	Quintile 3	155	170	205	220	235	170
	Quintile 4	190	230	245	260	305	250
	Quintile 5	455	485	490	540	635	580
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	22.9	27.0	32.0	36.4	37.7	40.8
population	Quintile 2	41.4	43.1	54.8	60.3	62.1	63.4
	Quintile 3	74.7	74.2	81.4	88.9	91.7	91.4
	Quintile 4	94.4	100.8	102.9	121.2	125.7	123.6
	Quintile 5	195.8	196.2	187.1	209.1	215.8	222.2
Placed June deadline applicants per	Quintile 1	3.6	4.6	6.1	5.2	5.8	5.4
10,000 population	Quintile 2	6.3	7.6	9.0	10.5	9.5	8.0
	Quintile 3	9.1	10.7	11.8	14.1	15.1	11.1
	Quintile 4	10.9	13.4	13.9	15.9	18.3	15.5
	Quintile 5	24.2	25.4	25.6	28.9	34.8	32.2
All placed applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	3.9	5.3	6.4	5.6	6.5	6.1
population	Quintile 2	6.9	8.1	9.9	11.2	10.0	8.9
	Quintile 3	10.4	11.5	13.5	15.1	16.4	12.2
	Quintile 4	12.5	15.1	15.8	17.1	20.1	17.1
	Quintile 5	26.5	28.4	28.2	31.2	37.1	34.4

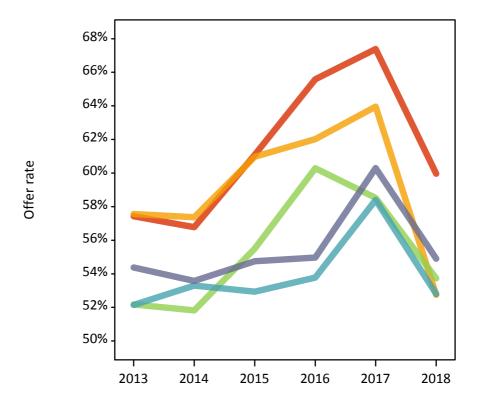
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic PO	LAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	350	430	515	555	560	585
	Quintile 2	655	685	885	950	960	965
	Quintile 3	1,215	1,205	1,375	1,420	1,475	1,420
	Quintile 4	1,605	1,670	1,770	2,015	2,110	2,015
	Quintile 5	3,655	3,730	3,610	3,985	4,155	4,160
Offers	Quintile 1	200	245	315	365	375	350
	Quintile 2	375	395	540	590	615	510
	Quintile 3	635	625	760	855	860	765
	Quintile 4	835	890	940	1,085	1,230	1,065
	Quintile 5	1,990	2,000	1,975	2,190	2,505	2,285
Offer rate	Quintile 1	57.4%	56.8%	61.1%	65.6%	67.4%	60.0%
	Quintile 2	57.6%	57.4%	61.0%	62.0%	64.0%	52.7%
	Quintile 3	52.2%	51.8%	55.5%	60.3%	58.5%	53.7%
	Quintile 4	52.2%	53.3%	52.9%	53.8%	58.4%	52.8%
	Quintile 5	54.4%	53.6%	54.8%	55.0%	60.3%	54.9%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	52.4%	51.3%	56.9%	58.9%	60.1%	56.3%
	Quintile 2	53.6%	50.4%	54.6%	53.9%	59.2%	52.6%
	Quintile 3	52.7%	51.9%	54.6%	56.4%	57.4%	54.7%
	Quintile 4	53.6%	52.7%	54.9%	56.4%	60.6%	53.8%
	Quintile 5	54.8%	55.7%	56.3%	57.9%	61.6%	54.7%
Percentage point difference between	Quintile 1	5.0	5.5	4.2	6.7	7.3	3.7
offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 2	3.9	6.9	6.4	8.2	4.7	0.1
	Quintile 3	-0.5	-0.1	0.9	3.9	1.1	-1.0
	Quintile 4	-1.4	0.6	-1.9	-2.6	-2.2	-1.0
	Quintile 5	-0.4	-2.1	-1.6	-3.0	-1.3	0.3
Contribution of group to the average	Quintile 1	0.171	0.170	0.195	0.192	0.154	0.132
offer rate	Quintile 2	0.185	0.168	0.190	0.176	0.184	0.150
	Quintile 3	0.243	0.227	0.233	0.213	0.226	0.205
	Quintile 4	0.281	0.281	0.272	0.278	0.278	0.258
	Quintile 5	0.551	0.539	0.498	0.499	0.502	0.493

P.9 18 year old offer rate by POLAR4 quintile

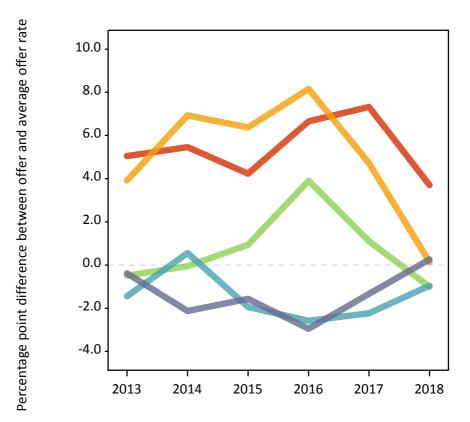
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P.10 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by POLAR4 quintile Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.





P.11 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applicants by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	355	415	480	530	590	540
	Quintile 2	545	635	730	815	775	800
	Quintile 3	895	990	1,045	1,095	1,145	1,135
	Quintile 4	1,250	1,295	1,380	1,525	1,600	1,560
	Quintile 5	1,940	1,960	1,960	2,190	2,170	2,230
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	85	95	110	115	130	110
	Quintile 2	90	135	145	180	135	85
	Quintile 3	115	130	150	155	170	155
	Quintile 4	165	180	185	215	265	255
	Quintile 5	275	255	285	290	385	320
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	95	95	115	120	135	110
	Quintile 2	100	140	150	180	135	90
	Quintile 3	130	140	155	160	180	155
	Quintile 4	185	195	200	225	270	260
	Quintile 5	295	270	290	300	390	325
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	279.8	327.5	388.1	437.1	508.2	473.8
population	Quintile 2	461.3	538.1	640.7	742.1	725.0	755.8
	Quintile 3	755.6	845.3	894.2	972.4	1,053.6	1,086.8
	Quintile 4	1,012.1	1,054.0	1,146.4	1,273.4	1,373.9	1,390.0
	Quintile 5	1,506.6	1,528.5	1,540.5	1,753.5	1,731.7	1,869.6
Placed June deadline applicants per	Quintile 1	65.1	74.0	89.3	96.0	113.9	94.9
10,000 population	Quintile 2	78.2	113.9	128.0	161.7	126.0	82.3
	Quintile 3	98.2	112.0	127.4	139.4	156.6	147.2
	Quintile 4	132.7	146.6	154.7	179.4	227.3	228.1
	Quintile 5	212.1	200.3	223.9	232.8	306.7	269.7
All placed applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	75.2	76.4	91.7	99.3	115.6	94.9
population	Quintile 2	86.7	117.3	131.5	162.6	126.9	84.2
	Quintile 3	110.0	119.7	133.4	141.2	163.9	149.1
	Quintile 4	148.0	157.2	168.1	187.8	231.6	230.8
	Quintile 5	230.8	210.5	229.4	240.8	310.7	270.6

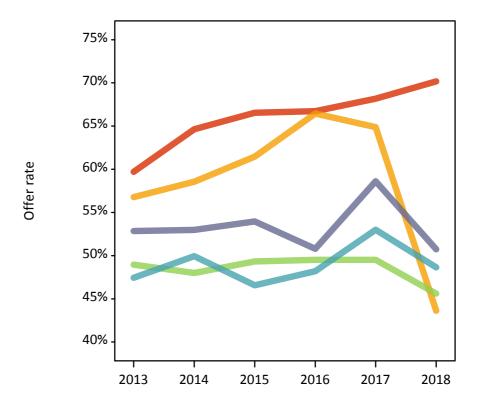
P.12 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applications by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic S	IMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	410	490	575	615	680	615
	Quintile 2	615	705	830	915	875	925
	Quintile 3	1,005	1,090	1,185	1,220	1,315	1,285
	Quintile 4	1,385	1,450	1,590	1,720	1,830	1,780
	Quintile 5	2,135	2,245	2,205	2,445	2,450	2,505
Offers	Quintile 1	245	320	380	410	465	435
	Quintile 2	350	415	510	610	565	405
	Quintile 3	490	525	585	605	650	585
	Quintile 4	655	725	740	830	970	865
	Quintile 5	1,130	1,190	1,190	1,240	1,435	1,270
Offer rate	Quintile 1	59.7%	64.6%	66.6%	66.7%	68.2%	70.2%
	Quintile 2	56.8%	58.6%	61.5%	66.4%	64.9%	43.6%
	Quintile 3	49.0%	48.0%	49.3%	49.5%	49.5%	45.6%
	Quintile 4	47.4%	49.9%	46.6%	48.2%	53.0%	48.7%
	Quintile 5	52.9%	53.0%	54.0%	50.8%	58.6%	50.7%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	49.5%	49.3%	52.3%	49.5%	51.7%	49.5%
	Quintile 2	50.2%	49.3%	49.7%	50.9%	54.2%	49.3%
	Quintile 3	50.5%	51.8%	53.0%	52.1%	56.3%	49.5%
	Quintile 4	51.1%	53.3%	53.3%	53.1%	57.6%	50.3%
	Quintile 5	53.6%	55.2%	55.3%	56.2%	60.0%	50.6%
Percentage point difference between	Quintile 1	10.2	15.4	14.2	17.2	16.5	20.7
offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 2	6.6	9.3	11.8	15.5	10.7	-5.6
	Quintile 3	-1.5	-3.8	-3.6	-2.6	-6.8	-3.9
	Quintile 4	-3.6	-3.4	-6.8	-4.9	-4.6	-1.6
	Quintile 5	-0.8	-2.2	-1.3	-5.4	-1.3	0.2
Contribution of group to the average	Quintile 1	0.111	0.128	0.131	0.129	0.143	0.103
offer rate	Quintile 2	0.158	0.147	0.160	0.162	0.151	0.147
	Quintile 3	0.221	0.211	0.214	0.198	0.209	0.197
	Quintile 4	0.280	0.269	0.272	0.268	0.281	0.264
	Quintile 5	0.428	0.412	0.384	0.385	0.378	0.374

P.13 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.

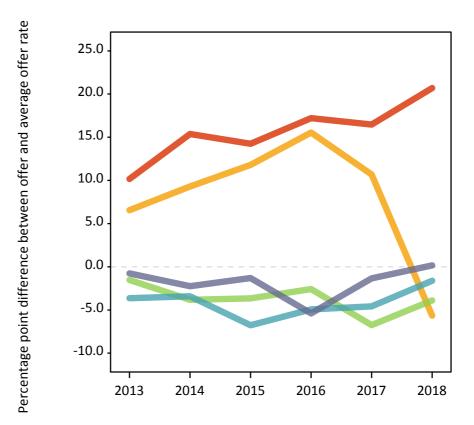




P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate and average offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.





P.15 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	275	330	380	395	425	500
	Black	75	90	90	100	110	135
	Mixed	130	140	155	195	195	195
	White	6,340	6,355	6,620	7,340	7,495	7,325
	Other	35	45	45	55	55	55
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	20	35	45	55	60	50
	Black	5	10	5	10	15	20
	Mixed	10	20	20	30	30	25
	White	820	900	970	1,065	1,190	1,000
	Other	0	5	5	5	10	10
All placed applicants	Asian	30	40	60	65	75	65
	Black	10	20	10	15	20	25
	Mixed	10	25	25	35	40	30
	White	905	985	1,065	1,135	1,260	1,070
	Other	5	5	5	5	10	10
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Asian	42.0	48.8	53.5	55.2	57.9	67.3
population	Black	25.9	29.4	28.6	32.3	34.6	42.6
	Mixed	48.1	48.3	50.6	61.3	60.7	59.8
	White	100.7	103.0	106.3	121.3	126.3	127.6
	Other	36.4	48.3	47.7	53.3	55.3	51.4
Placed June deadline applicants per	Asian	3.3	4.9	6.4	7.5	7.9	7.0
10,000 population	Black	2.4	3.3	2.2	3.2	4.8	6.7
	Mixed	3.3	6.3	6.2	8.9	9.0	7.1
	White	13.0	14.6	15.6	17.6	20.1	17.4
	Other	0.0	3.2	6.2	3.0	7.8	7.6
All placed applicants per 10,000	Asian	4.2	6.2	8.2	9.2	10.1	8.9
population	Black	3.0	5.9	3.8	5.1	6.4	8.7
	Mixed	3.3	8.3	8.8	10.5	11.8	8.7
	White	14.4	15.9	17.1	18.7	21.2	18.7
	Other	5.5	4.3	7.3	3.0	9.7	9.5

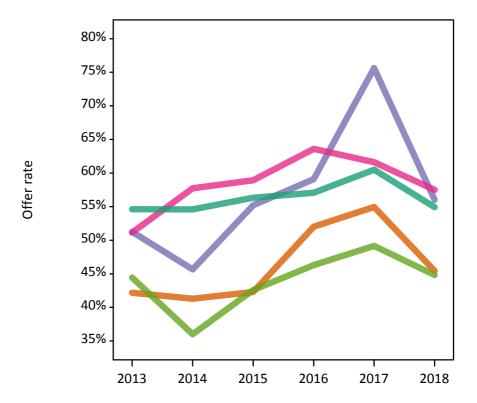
P.16 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	295	370	415	420	465	550
	Black	80	90	95	110	120	140
	Mixed	135	140	170	205	210	205
	White	6,930	7,060	7,390	8,110	8,380	8,145
	Other	35	50	55	55	60	60
Offers	Asian	125	150	175	220	255	250
	Black	40	40	55	65	90	80
	Mixed	70	80	100	130	130	120
	White	3,785	3,855	4,165	4,630	5,070	4,475
	Other	15	20	25	25	30	25
Offer rate	Asian	42.2%	41.3%	42.3%	52.0%	55.0%	45.5%
	Black	51.3%	45.7%	55.2%	59.1%	75.6%	56.0%
	Mixed	51.1%	57.7%	58.9%	63.6%	61.6%	57.5%
	White	54.6%	54.6%	56.3%	57.1%	60.5%	54.9%
	Other	44.4%	36.0%	42.6%	46.3%	49.2%	44.8%
Average offer rate	Asian	49.4%	45.0%	48.9%	52.6%	56.9%	52.6%
	Black	55.3%	47.4%	59.3%	60.0%	62.2%	57.3%
	Mixed	54.0%	56.2%	60.6%	61.6%	65.4%	57.1%
	White	54.1%	54.3%	55.9%	57.0%	60.5%	54.3%
	Other	47.0%	45.4%	47.2%	43.4%	53.1%	49.9%
Percentage point difference between	Asian	-7.2	-3.7	-6.6	-0.6	-1.9	-7.1
offer rate and average offer rate	Black	-4.0	-1.7	-4.1	-0.9	13.4	-1.2
	Mixed	-2.8	1.6	-1.7	2.0	-3.8	0.4
	White	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.6
	Other	N/A	-9.4	-4.6	2.8	-4.0	-5.1
Contribution of group to the average	Asian	0.158	0.187	0.208	0.182	0.171	0.168
offer rate	Black	0.218	0.192	0.167	0.157	0.134	0.082
	Mixed	0.167	0.118	0.136	0.133	0.111	0.125
	White	0.935	0.929	0.923	0.922	0.918	0.902
	Other	0.163	0.092	0.150	0.125	0.116	0.075

P.17 18 year old offer rate by ethnic group

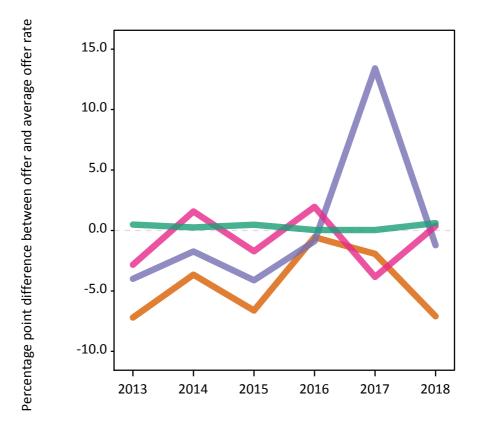
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P.18 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by ethnic group Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.





P.19 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	12,465	12,685	14,155	15,510	15,780	15,805
Placed June deadline applicants	1,780	1,985	2,220	2,485	2,460	2,370
All placed applicants	1,995	2,185	2,460	2,670	2,685	2,625

P.20 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	14,135	14,540	16,240	17,515	18,045	18,135
Offers	6,680	6,815	7,565	8,475	8,995	8,390
Offer rate	47.3%	46.9%	46.6%	48.4%	49.9%	46.3%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	4,500	4,550	5,030	5,480	5,485	5,590
	Women	7,965	8,135	9,125	10,030	10,295	10,220
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	590	680	740	785	815	750
	Women	1,195	1,305	1,480	1,700	1,645	1,620
All placed applicants	Men	680	770	845	870	915	870
	Women	1,315	1,410	1,615	1,800	1,770	1,755

P.22 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	5,165	5,300	5,875	6,300	6,350	6,470
	Women	8,965	9,245	10,365	11,215	11,695	11,670
Offers	Men	2,735	2,750	3,115	3,330	3,585	3,220
	Women	3,945	4,065	4,450	5,145	5,410	5,170
Offer rate	Men	52.9%	51.9%	53.0%	52.8%	56.5%	49.8%
	Women	44.0%	44.0%	42.9%	45.9%	46.3%	44.3%

P.23 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	770	890	1,020	1,110	1,095	1,155
	Quintile 2	1,310	1,370	1,705	1,815	1,875	1,830
	Quintile 3	2,130	2,110	2,430	2,615	2,645	2,595
	Quintile 4	2,705	2,805	3,060	3,475	3,545	3,550
	Quintile 5	5,505	5,475	5,910	6,455	6,580	6,635
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	135	170	185	200	185	195
	Quintile 2	230	250	300	320	305	275
	Quintile 3	300	345	400	425	405	385
	Quintile 4	360	430	440	515	535	475
	Quintile 5	755	795	890	1,020	1,025	1,030
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	145	190	200	210	200	220
	Quintile 2	255	265	325	340	325	305
	Quintile 3	340	370	445	465	445	430
	Quintile 4	410	470	505	560	590	525
	Quintile 5	840	885	980	1,090	1,120	1,135

P.24 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	875	1,030	1,170	1,265	1,260	1,325
	Quintile 2	1,540	1,620	1,975	2,065	2,160	2,100
	Quintile 3	2,415	2,415	2,785	2,960	2,995	2,990
	Quintile 4	3,080	3,180	3,545	3,900	4,070	4,065
	Quintile 5	6,165	6,260	6,720	7,280	7,525	7,610
Offers	Quintile 1	420	495	590	695	685	680
	Quintile 2	755	790	960	1,040	1,095	950
	Quintile 3	1,110	1,080	1,330	1,475	1,435	1,370
	Quintile 4	1,385	1,470	1,560	1,765	1,970	1,770
	Quintile 5	2,990	2,965	3,110	3,485	3,790	3,600
Offer rate	Quintile 1	48.0%	48.1%	50.2%	55.1%	54.4%	51.4%
	Quintile 2	48.9%	48.7%	48.7%	50.4%	50.8%	45.3%
	Quintile 3	45.9%	44.7%	47.7%	49.7%	48.0%	45.9%
	Quintile 4	44.9%	46.3%	44.0%	45.2%	48.4%	43.5%
	Quintile 5	48.5%	47.4%	46.2%	47.9%	50.4%	47.3%

P.25 Scotland domiciled applicants (all ages) by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	1,005	1,090	1,255	1,365	1,510	1,435
	Quintile 2	1,250	1,365	1,660	1,840	1,740	1,840
	Quintile 3	1,680	1,840	2,115	2,270	2,355	2,440
	Quintile 4	2,320	2,375	2,725	2,955	3,120	3,070
	Quintile 5	3,125	3,185	3,480	3,880	3,870	3,960
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	235	255	295	325	325	335
	Quintile 2	240	315	355	390	330	255
	Quintile 3	260	315	330	390	350	370
	Quintile 4	360	370	435	455	480	510
	Quintile 5	450	450	530	595	640	600
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	270	270	315	335	340	350
	Quintile 2	280	335	375	400	345	275
	Quintile 3	290	330	350	410	380	400
	Quintile 4	395	400	475	480	505	540
	Quintile 5	495	480	560	625	670	630

P.26 Scotland domiciled applications (all ages) by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	1,245	1,350	1,540	1,665	1,810	1,740
	Quintile 2	1,485	1,610	1,980	2,130	2,045	2,185
	Quintile 3	1,960	2,135	2,455	2,590	2,755	2,870
	Quintile 4	2,705	2,800	3,230	3,420	3,685	3,630
	Quintile 5	3,545	3,700	4,035	4,400	4,430	4,535
Offers	Quintile 1	650	725	815	940	990	1,045
	Quintile 2	745	825	1,045	1,120	1,080	760
	Quintile 3	825	935	1,005	1,100	1,120	1,110
	Quintile 4	1,160	1,215	1,315	1,410	1,595	1,515
	Quintile 5	1,685	1,755	1,825	1,995	2,140	1,990
Offer rate	Quintile 1	52.5%	53.9%	52.8%	56.5%	54.7%	60.0%
	Quintile 2	50.1%	51.2%	52.7%	52.6%	52.8%	34.9%
	Quintile 3	42.1%	43.7%	40.9%	42.4%	40.6%	38.7%
	Quintile 4	42.9%	43.4%	40.8%	41.2%	43.4%	41.8%
	Quintile 5	47.5%	47.4%	45.3%	45.4%	48.3%	43.8%

P.27 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	600	670	820	815	855	965
	Black	230	295	295	300	295	335
	Mixed	245	265	305	345	350	385
	White	11,235	11,290	12,560	13,825	14,050	13,855
	Other	80	100	90	115	125	125
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	55	65	90	100	100	105
	Black	20	25	30	35	35	60
	Mixed	20	30	40	45	55	45
	White	1,675	1,845	2,035	2,280	2,250	2,125
	Other	5	10	10	10	15	20
All placed applicants	Asian	65	80	120	120	120	130
	Black	25	30	40	40	45	70
	Mixed	25	40	55	55	65	55
	White	1,840	2,000	2,220	2,420	2,425	2,330
	Other	10	20	10	15	15	20

P.28 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	665	745	925	880	945	1,090
	Black	250	320	315	315	320	365
	Mixed	260	280	345	380	395	440
	White	12,790	13,005	14,455	15,685	16,135	15,935
	Other	85	110	105	125	135	145
Offers	Asian	275	260	335	390	445	450
	Black	85	90	115	145	160	180
	Mixed	110	135	170	205	200	215
	White	6,155	6,255	6,865	7,630	8,075	7,420
	Other	30	40	40	50	55	60
Offer rate	Asian	41.2%	34.8%	36.5%	44.0%	47.2%	41.4%
	Black	34.5%	28.0%	36.5%	46.1%	50.9%	49.5%
	Mixed	42.1%	48.9%	49.7%	53.5%	50.6%	48.8%
	White	48.1%	48.1%	47.5%	48.7%	50.0%	46.6%
	Other	32.6%	34.5%	39.4%	38.9%	41.8%	42.0%

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 2018 cycle runs from September 2017 through to October 2018.

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.

POLAR4 quintile

Developed by OfS, POLAR4 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). POLAR4 is based on the participation rates of young people between between 2009-10 and 2013-14 if they entered higher education aged 18, or between 2010-11 and 2014-15 if they entered aged 19, 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 POLAR4 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 2018 End of Cycle Report and the 2018 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 POLAR4 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 POLAR4 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.