# Sex, area background and ethnic group



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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

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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	8,370	7,885	6,910	6,710	7,420	8,030
Placed June deadline applicants	1,900	1,740	1,710	1,830	1,995	2,080
All placed applicants	1,940	1,800	1,795	1,915	2,060	2,155
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	106.0	102.4	89.3	88.2	98.5	104.8
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	24.1	22.6	22.1	24.0	26.5	27.1
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	24.5	23.4	23.2	25.2	27.4	28.1

# P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	11,700	11,015	9,290	9,065	10,200	11,250
Offers	8,385	6,585	6,295	6,775	7,310	7,705
Offer rate	71.7%	59.8%	67.8%	74.8%	71.7%	68.5%

### P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Men	3,895	3,720	3,270	3,310	3,500	3,820
	Women	4,475	4,170	3,640	3,405	3,920	4,210
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	920	890	840	960	1,005	1,030
	Women	980	850	870	870	995	1,050
All placed applicants	Men	935	925	890	1,015	1,040	1,075
	Women	1,005	875	905	900	1,020	1,080
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Men	97.0	94.5	82.5	84.8	90.4	97.3
population	Women	115.3	110.7	96.5	91.8	107.1	112.7
Placed June deadline applicants per	Men	23.0	22.7	21.2	24.6	25.9	26.2
10,000 population	Women	25.3	22.5	23.1	23.5	27.1	28.1
All placed applicants per 10,000	Men	23.3	23.5	22.5	26.0	26.9	27.4
population	Women	25.9	23.3	24.0	24.3	27.9	28.9

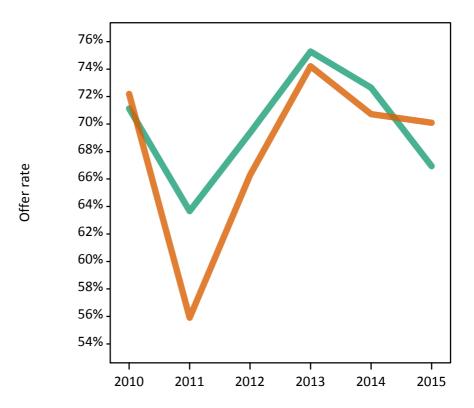
# P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Men	5,745	5,470	4,535	4,645	5,075	5,705
	Women	5,955	5,545	4,750	4,420	5,125	5,545
Offers	Men	4,085	3,485	3,145	3,495	3,685	3,820
	Women	4,300	3,100	3,150	3,280	3,625	3,885
Offer rate	Men	71.1%	63.7%	69.4%	75.3%	72.6%	66.9%
	Women	72.2%	55.9%	66.3%	74.2%	70.7%	70.1%
Average offer rate	Men	71.7%	64.5%	70.3%	76.2%	74.2%	69.3%
	Women	71.6%	55.1%	65.4%	73.2%	69.2%	67.7%
Percentage point difference between	Men	-0.6	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-1.5	-2.3
offer rate and average offer rate	Women	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.5	2.4
Contribution of group to the average	Men	0.638	0.641	0.634	0.647	0.641	0.641
offer rate	Women	0.651	0.646	0.650	0.629	0.644	0.631

#### P.5 18 year old offer rate by sex

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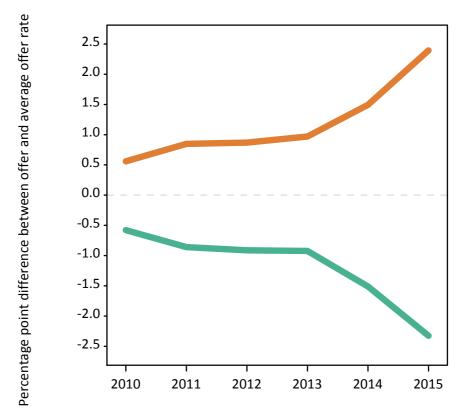




### P.6 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by sex

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2010-2015.





# P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic PC	LAR3 quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	345	280	265	255	360	345
	Quintile 2	915	845	715	710	770	925
	Quintile 3	1,280	1,170	1,120	1,015	1,155	1,190
	Quintile 4	1,990	1,815	1,505	1,515	1,695	1,855
	Quintile 5	3,830	3,760	3,300	3,210	3,430	3,700
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	55	35	50	55	70	70
	Quintile 2	190	165	150	155	160	215
	Quintile 3	290	225	265	265	295	270
	Quintile 4	430	370	355	405	420	450
	Quintile 5	935	945	885	945	1,050	1,065
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	60	35	55	55	75	75
	Quintile 2	190	175	165	165	170	225
	Quintile 3	295	235	275	275	300	285
	Quintile 4	435	380	370	420	430	475
	Quintile 5	960	970	930	1,000	1,085	1,090
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	23.4	19.5	18.5	18.4	25.7	24.8
population	Quintile 2	59.6	56.1	47.6	48.3	52.6	62.3
	Quintile 3	80.4	76.1	72.5	66.4	76.6	77.6
	Quintile 4	124.8	115.9	95.0	96.8	109.9	118.4
	Quintile 5	226.0	227.3	196.3	194.1	210.2	221.1
Placed June deadline applicants per	Quintile 1	3.9	2.5	3.7	3.9	5.2	5.1
10,000 population	Quintile 2	12.4	11.0	10.1	10.7	10.9	14.6
	Quintile 3	18.2	14.5	17.2	17.3	19.7	17.6
	Quintile 4	27.1	23.6	22.3	25.9	27.3	28.9
	Quintile 5	55.1	57.0	52.7	57.3	64.3	63.6
All placed applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	3.9	2.5	3.8	4.0	5.5	5.3
population	Quintile 2	12.5	11.7	10.9	11.2	11.5	15.2
	Quintile 3	18.4	15.1	17.9	18.1	20.0	18.6
	Quintile 4	27.4	24.3	23.3	26.8	27.9	30.4
	Quintile 5	56.5	58.7	55.4	60.4	66.5	65.1

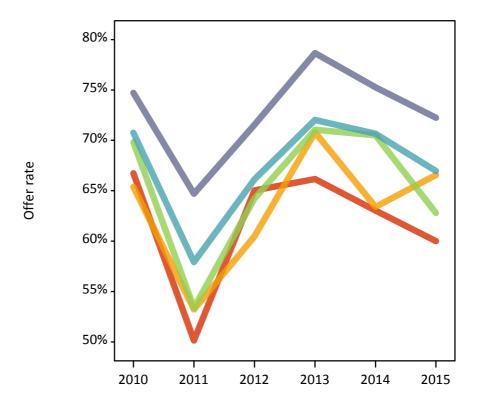
# P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic PO	LAR3 quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	450	365	350	330	470	450
	Quintile 2	1,270	1,195	980	940	1,065	1,285
	Quintile 3	1,840	1,645	1,505	1,395	1,585	1,670
	Quintile 4	2,755	2,505	1,995	2,015	2,305	2,605
	Quintile 5	5,375	5,290	4,450	4,365	4,760	5,235
Offers	Quintile 1	300	185	225	215	295	270
	Quintile 2	830	635	590	665	675	855
	Quintile 3	1,285	875	965	990	1,115	1,050
	Quintile 4	1,950	1,450	1,320	1,450	1,630	1,745
	Quintile 5	4,015	3,420	3,185	3,435	3,585	3,780
Offer rate	Quintile 1	66.7%	50.1%	65.0%	66.2%	63.0%	60.0%
	Quintile 2	65.4%	53.2%	60.5%	70.8%	63.4%	66.6%
	Quintile 3	69.8%	53.4%	64.2%	71.1%	70.5%	62.8%
	Quintile 4	70.8%	57.9%	66.1%	72.0%	70.7%	67.0%
	Quintile 5	74.7%	64.7%	71.5%	78.7%	75.3%	72.3%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	70.8%	54.9%	66.7%	67.4%	67.0%	65.5%
	Quintile 2	66.8%	56.5%	63.6%	72.0%	67.9%	67.3%
	Quintile 3	70.5%	56.7%	66.7%	73.5%	70.9%	66.2%
	Quintile 4	71.8%	58.9%	67.9%	73.7%	71.1%	68.6%
	Quintile 5	73.3%	62.1%	69.1%	76.8%	73.5%	69.7%
Percentage point difference between	Quintile 1	-4.0	-4.7	-1.7	-1.2	-3.9	-5.5
offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 2	-1.4	-3.3	-3.1	-1.2	-4.5	-0.7
	Quintile 3	-0.7	-3.3	-2.4	-2.4	-0.4	-3.4
	Quintile 4	-1.1	-1.0	-1.8	-1.7	-0.4	-1.6
	Quintile 5	1.5	2.6	2.4	1.9	1.7	2.5
Contribution of group to the average	Quintile 1	0.111	0.110	0.093	0.117	0.123	0.099
offer rate	Quintile 2	0.163	0.154	0.155	0.150	0.155	0.160
	Quintile 3	0.194	0.191	0.203	0.192	0.188	0.188
	Quintile 4	0.274	0.270	0.253	0.257	0.260	0.265
	Quintile 5	0.495	0.513	0.513	0.514	0.500	0.498

#### P.9 18 year old offer rate by POLAR3 quintile

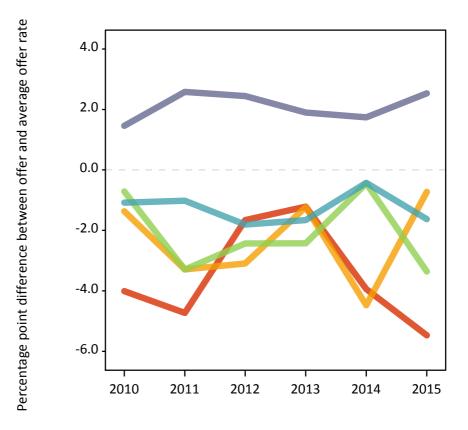
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**P.10** Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by POLAR3 quintile Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2010-2015.





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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	755	710	650	660	840	810
	Quintile 2	1,110	990	875	890	980	1,030
	Quintile 3	1,390	1,285	1,215	1,180	1,225	1,365
	Quintile 4	1,725	1,645	1,445	1,410	1,550	1,730
	Quintile 5	2,425	2,525	2,295	2,145	2,300	2,525
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	170	130	140	150	190	205
	Quintile 2	245	205	215	250	240	270
	Quintile 3	335	265	315	320	345	355
	Quintile 4	440	410	370	395	445	460
	Quintile 5	650	675	630	670	740	745
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	175	135	150	150	200	215
	Quintile 2	245	220	235	255	250	280
	Quintile 3	340	275	325	340	350	365
	Quintile 4	450	425	385	415	460	470
	Quintile 5	660	690	665	700	760	760
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	555.5	533.4	498.3	501.8	642.3	635.8
population	Quintile 2	894.0	824.2	742.7	759.0	845.3	909.2
	Quintile 3	1,120.0	1,045.2	1,005.5	992.4	1,035.5	1,177.9
	Quintile 4	1,380.1	1,317.1	1,162.6	1,139.8	1,251.7	1,410.4
	Quintile 5	1,873.1	1,982.5	1,823.6	1,721.1	1,858.8	2,066.9
Placed June deadline applicants per	Quintile 1	125.1	95.9	108.7	113.6	144.9	159.9
10,000 population	Quintile 2	196.3	169.0	184.4	211.7	208.5	239.6
	Quintile 3	269.7	215.9	262.3	270.3	291.3	305.3
	Quintile 4	351.0	326.9	296.1	320.7	360.4	376.0
	Quintile 5	503.3	528.2	501.7	539.2	597.2	608.4
All placed applicants per 10,000	Quintile 1	127.3	100.4	114.8	115.9	151.0	167.0
population	Quintile 2	198.0	181.5	198.8	217.7	214.6	247.6
	Quintile 3	275.4	223.2	269.8	283.8	296.3	313.0
	Quintile 4	359.0	339.7	310.6	336.0	370.9	384.2
	Quintile 5	510.2	540.0	528.7	563.3	614.2	620.7

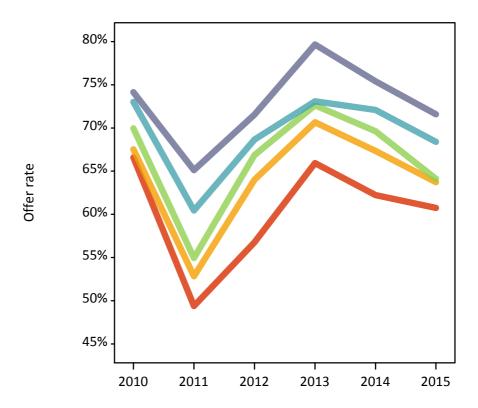
# P.12 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applications by SIMD quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	1,115	1,050	915	920	1,195	1,170
	Quintile 2	1,610	1,450	1,205	1,215	1,385	1,510
	Quintile 3	2,055	1,800	1,655	1,635	1,725	1,925
	Quintile 4	2,480	2,310	1,935	1,920	2,140	2,455
	Quintile 5	3,415	3,650	3,130	2,930	3,215	3,610
Offers	Quintile 1	740	520	520	605	745	710
	Quintile 2	1,090	765	770	860	935	965
	Quintile 3	1,435	990	1,105	1,185	1,200	1,235
	Quintile 4	1,810	1,395	1,330	1,405	1,540	1,680
	Quintile 5	2,535	2,375	2,240	2,335	2,425	2,585
Offer rate	Quintile 1	66.6%	49.4%	56.8%	65.9%	62.2%	60.7%
	Quintile 2	67.5%	52.8%	64.0%	70.7%	67.3%	63.7%
	Quintile 3	69.9%	54.9%	66.9%	72.6%	69.6%	64.1%
	Quintile 4	73.0%	60.4%	68.7%	73.1%	72.1%	68.4%
	Quintile 5	74.2%	65.1%	71.6%	79.7%	75.4%	71.6%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	68.7%	54.6%	63.5%	68.9%	66.5%	64.1%
	Quintile 2	69.9%	56.1%	65.8%	72.6%	69.6%	65.0%
	Quintile 3	70.4%	56.5%	67.7%	73.2%	69.5%	66.7%
	Quintile 4	72.4%	59.2%	67.3%	73.6%	71.6%	68.1%
	Quintile 5	72.6%	62.3%	69.3%	77.3%	73.3%	68.8%
Percentage point difference between	Quintile 1	-2.1	-5.2	-6.8	-3.0	-4.3	-3.3
offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 2	-2.3	-3.3	-1.8	-2.0	-2.3	-1.2
	Quintile 3	-0.4	-1.6	-0.9	-0.6	0.1	-2.5
	Quintile 4	0.7	1.2	1.4	-0.5	0.5	0.3
	Quintile 5	1.6	2.9	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.7
Contribution of group to the average	Quintile 1	0.129	0.130	0.132	0.135	0.155	0.133
offer rate	Quintile 2	0.172	0.164	0.160	0.164	0.168	0.168
	Quintile 3	0.210	0.189	0.206	0.205	0.199	0.198
	Quintile 4	0.248	0.242	0.232	0.237	0.237	0.243
	Quintile 5	0.346	0.380	0.379	0.367	0.358	0.364

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

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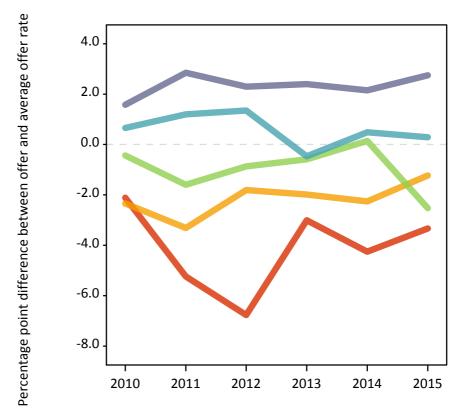




P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate and average offer rate by SIMD quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2010-2015.





# P.15 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Asian	350	335	350	335	395	420
	Black	40	35	35	35	40	55
	Mixed	85	115	80	90	110	140
	White	7,855	7,365	6,415	6,215	6,825	7,365
	Other	15	20	15	25	35	30
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	70	65	65	80	95	95
	Black	0	5	5	5	5	10
	Mixed	15	20	20	20	25	30
	White	1,810	1,645	1,615	1,720	1,860	1,935
	Other	5	5	0	5	10	5
All placed applicants	Asian	70	65	70	85	100	105
	Black	0	5	10	5	5	10
	Mixed	15	20	20	25	25	35
	White	1,845	1,705	1,690	1,795	1,915	1,995
	Other	5	5	0	5	10	10
June deadline applicants per 10,000	Asian	56.9	53.3	54.0	50.9	58.5	59.4
population	Black	15.7	12.8	13.1	12.1	12.9	16.7
	Mixed	37.1	47.9	29.9	32.5	37.5	44.8
	White	117.1	113.7	99.4	98.8	110.6	118.2
	Other	16.9	25.9	19.2	25.4	35.5	33.2
Placed June deadline applicants per	Asian	11.0	10.0	9.7	12.0	14.2	13.1
10,000 population	Black	0.0	1.1	2.5	1.3	1.3	3.5
	Mixed	6.9	8.3	7.7	7.8	8.3	10.4
	White	27.0	25.4	25.0	27.3	30.1	31.1
	Other	5.2	3.7	0.0	3.3	9.7	7.3
All placed applicants per 10,000	Asian	11.2	10.5	10.8	13.2	15.0	14.7
population	Black	0.0	1.1	3.2	1.3	1.3	3.8
	Mixed	6.9	8.7	8.1	8.5	8.7	11.4
	White	27.5	26.3	26.2	28.5	31.1	32.0
	Other	5.2	4.9	0.0	3.3	10.7	9.3

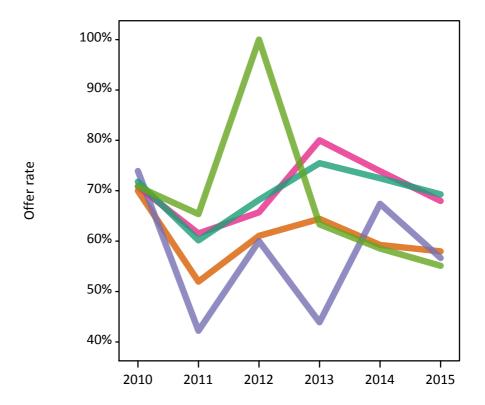
# P.16 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Asian	525	505	490	475	550	615
	Black	45	45	45	40	45	60
	Mixed	105	145	105	110	135	180
	White	10,970	10,275	8,615	8,390	9,405	10,325
	Other	25	25	20	30	40	50
Offers	Asian	365	265	300	305	325	355
	Black	35	20	25	20	30	35
	Mixed	75	90	70	90	100	120
	White	7,875	6,180	5,875	6,330	6,815	7,155
	Other	15	15	15	20	25	25
Offer rate	Asian	70.0%	52.0%	61.1%	64.4%	59.2%	58.0%
	Black	73.9%	42.2%	60.0%	43.9%	67.4%	56.7%
	Mixed	70.9%	61.5%	65.7%	80.0%	73.9%	68.0%
	White	71.8%	60.1%	68.2%	75.5%	72.5%	69.3%
	Other	70.8%	65.4%	100.0%	63.3%	58.5%	55.1%
Average offer rate	Asian	70.6%	59.5%	67.6%	70.8%	66.2%	65.3%
	Black	68.7%	49.6%	65.6%	59.8%	68.7%	63.4%
	Mixed	72.5%	61.0%	68.6%	80.3%	74.8%	68.0%
	White	71.7%	59.8%	67.8%	75.0%	72.0%	68.7%
	Other	77.5%	60.4%	79.6%	76.1%	59.2%	68.0%
Percentage point difference between	Asian	-0.6	-7.5	-6.5	-6.4	-7.0	-7.3
offer rate and average offer rate	Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-6.7
	Mixed	-1.6	0.5	-2.9	-0.3	-0.9	-0.0
	White	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.6
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution of group to the average	Asian	0.150	0.137	0.121	0.149	0.124	0.136
offer rate	Black	0.143	0.123	0.067	0.145	0.155	0.134
	Mixed	0.078	0.074	0.075	0.107	0.082	0.102
	White	0.945	0.939	0.934	0.934	0.929	0.926
	Other	0.056	0.018	0.070	0.077	0.136	0.102

#### P.17 18 year old offer rate by ethnic group

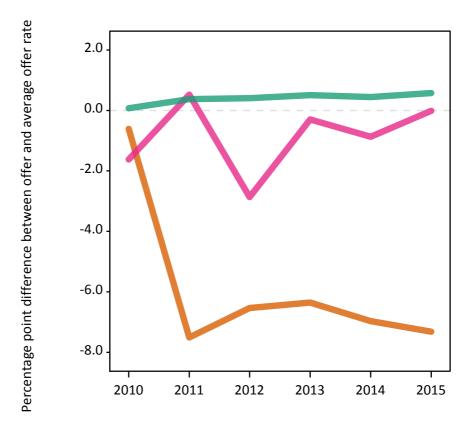
Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2010-2015.





**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 2010-2015.





### P.19 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	13,725	13,420	12,040	11,985	13,185	17,105
Placed June deadline applicants	2,755	2,470	2,465	2,620	2,920	3,695
All placed applicants	2,820	2,580	2,630	2,795	3,065	3,885

### P.20 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	18,595	18,225	15,640	15,715	17,825	22,675
Offers	11,585	9,125	8,840	9,855	10,595	11,815
Offer rate	62.3%	50.1%	56.5%	62.7%	59.4%	52.1%

### P.21 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Men	6,390	6,260	5,730	5,920	6,280	7,575
	Women	7,330	7,160	6,310	6,065	6,905	9,530
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	1,355	1,270	1,235	1,400	1,470	1,685
	Women	1,400	1,200	1,230	1,220	1,450	2,010
All placed applicants	Men	1,385	1,325	1,345	1,500	1,555	1,780
	Women	1,440	1,255	1,285	1,295	1,510	2,105

# P.22 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Men	9,050	8,830	7,695	8,060	8,875	10,650
	Women	9,540	9,395	7,945	7,655	8,950	12,025
Offers	Men	5,680	4,825	4,530	5,190	5,420	5,705
	Women	5,900	4,305	4,305	4,665	5,175	6,110
Offer rate	Men	62.8%	54.6%	58.9%	64.4%	61.1%	53.5%
	Women	61.9%	45.8%	54.2%	61.0%	57.8%	50.8%

# P.23 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic	POLAR3 quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	695	680	620	650	775	1,005
	Quintile 2	1,705	1,665	1,480	1,480	1,595	2,175
	Quintile 3	2,200	2,140	2,015	1,895	2,160	2,735
	Quintile 4	3,180	2,980	2,625	2,690	2,990	3,850
	Quintile 5	5,905	5,925	5,270	5,240	5,640	7,300
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	100	75	105	90	130	180
	Quintile 2	295	265	255	260	280	410
	Quintile 3	415	335	385	390	440	535
	Quintile 4	630	520	530	580	635	810
	Quintile 5	1,315	1,265	1,185	1,290	1,435	1,755
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	105	75	115	95	135	190
	Quintile 2	300	280	275	275	300	435
	Quintile 3	425	350	405	415	460	565
	Quintile 4	640	545	565	605	660	860
	Quintile 5	1,355	1,320	1,265	1,395	1,510	1,830

# P.24 Applications (all ages) by POLAR3 quintile

Statistic	POLAR3 quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	890	875	790	820	1,015	1,295
	Quintile 2	2,275	2,290	1,955	1,915	2,140	2,835
	Quintile 3	3,040	2,900	2,585	2,480	2,930	3,620
	Quintile 4	4,265	3,965	3,365	3,520	4,015	5,065
	Quintile 5	8,080	8,160	6,905	6,940	7,695	9,810
Offers	Quintile 1	470	330	405	415	495	550
	Quintile 2	1,255	955	960	1,090	1,115	1,350
	Quintile 3	1,815	1,305	1,380	1,470	1,685	1,730
	Quintile 4	2,650	1,970	1,855	2,105	2,350	2,605
	Quintile 5	5,375	4,540	4,225	4,745	4,930	5,560
Offer rate	Quintile 1	52.9%	37.7%	51.1%	50.9%	48.9%	42.5%
	Quintile 2	55.3%	41.8%	49.2%	56.9%	52.1%	47.6%
	Quintile 3	59.7%	45.0%	53.3%	59.3%	57.6%	47.8%
	Quintile 4	62.1%	49.6%	55.1%	59.8%	58.5%	51.4%
	Quintile 5	66.5%	55.7%	61.2%	68.3%	64.1%	56.7%

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	1,815	1,795	1,720	1,755	2,020	2,500
	Quintile 2	2,055	1,995	1,790	1,810	2,015	2,565
	Quintile 3	2,340	2,210	2,130	2,180	2,245	3,005
	Quintile 4	2,635	2,610	2,300	2,310	2,580	3,425
	Quintile 5	3,550	3,715	3,425	3,265	3,495	4,585
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	315	255	295	290	380	510
	Quintile 2	395	330	345	370	395	510
	Quintile 3	500	370	440	455	515	625
	Quintile 4	585	560	525	555	600	775
	Quintile 5	865	860	810	885	970	1,165
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	325	265	320	305	395	535
	Quintile 2	400	355	370	390	415	540
	Quintile 3	515	385	465	485	530	650
	Quintile 4	605	590	555	590	630	810
	Quintile 5	880	895	865	950	1,015	1,210

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	2,485	2,470	2,285	2,330	2,760	3,355
	Quintile 2	2,830	2,790	2,345	2,365	2,805	3,445
	Quintile 3	3,260	3,000	2,770	2,895	3,110	3,980
	Quintile 4	3,700	3,560	2,995	3,050	3,510	4,600
	Quintile 5	4,890	5,265	4,530	4,380	4,790	6,210
Offers	Quintile 1	1,330	920	1,005	1,205	1,350	1,455
	Quintile 2	1,615	1,175	1,210	1,335	1,510	1,555
	Quintile 3	2,020	1,400	1,575	1,750	1,770	1,920
	Quintile 4	2,395	1,900	1,790	1,970	2,150	2,455
	Quintile 5	3,300	3,065	2,835	3,095	3,190	3,660
Offer rate	Quintile 1	53.4%	37.2%	44.1%	51.7%	48.9%	43.4%
	Quintile 2	57.1%	42.2%	51.6%	56.5%	53.9%	45.2%
	Quintile 3	62.0%	46.6%	56.8%	60.4%	56.9%	48.2%
	Quintile 4	64.7%	53.3%	59.8%	64.5%	61.3%	53.4%
	Quintile 5	67.5%	58.2%	62.6%	70.6%	66.5%	59.0%

### P.27 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applicants	Asian	745	770	705	745	820	940
	Black	210	215	215	195	210	255
	Mixed	165	215	170	170	190	290
	White	12,515	12,140	10,860	10,760	11,835	15,405
	Other	40	40	50	65	80	105
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	115	100	115	135	155	180
	Black	15	15	15	15	20	30
	Mixed	30	35	30	35	40	55
	White	2,585	2,305	2,290	2,415	2,680	3,390
	Other	5	5	5	10	15	25
All placed applicants	Asian	120	105	130	145	170	205
	Black	15	15	20	15	20	35
	Mixed	30	35	35	40	45	60
	White	2,650	2,410	2,425	2,560	2,805	3,545
	Other	5	5	10	10	15	30

# P.28 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
June deadline applications	Asian	1,050	1,095	950	985	1,125	1,305
	Black	250	255	255	220	240	300
	Mixed	205	270	205	210	235	395
	White	16,965	16,505	14,110	14,150	16,065	20,400
	Other	60	45	60	85	95	160
Offers	Asian	575	435	465	540	545	615
	Black	90	65	75	75	90	85
	Mixed	125	135	115	130	140	205
	White	10,730	8,440	8,140	9,025	9,740	10,795
	Other	30	25	30	50	45	65
Offer rate	Asian	54.9%	39.8%	48.8%	54.6%	48.5%	47.2%
	Black	37.1%	24.5%	29.0%	34.2%	37.5%	28.4%
	Mixed	61.2%	49.3%	55.3%	61.3%	59.4%	51.8%
	White	63.3%	51.1%	57.7%	63.8%	60.6%	52.9%
	Other	45.9%	51.1%	46.8%	56.5%	45.8%	41.5%

#### **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 2015 cycle runs from September 2014 through to October 2015.

#### 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 quintile

Scottish index of multiple deprivation (SIMD) for 2012 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 2015 End of Cycle Report and the 2016 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.

#### Provider

A higher education provider - a university or college.

#### **LIK** 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.