

# End of Cycle 2017 Data Resources

## DR2\_057\_04 Applicants by SIMD

UCAS

**Statistic:** Number of Applicants

**Variables:** SIMD Quintile 2016, Cycle Year

**Coverage:** Scottish domiciled 18 year olds

### Definitions

#### SIMD Quintile 2016

Scottish index of multiple deprivation (SIMD) for 2016 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'. Please note: SIMD is only relevant for applicants domiciled in Scotland, therefore any applicants outside of this cohort are classified as 'Not applicable'.

#### Cycle Year

The cycle in which the application was processed.

#### Number of Applicants

Applicant is defined as a person who has made a valid application in the UCAS system.

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SIMD Quintile 2016	Number of Applicants by Cycle Year									
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
SIMD Quintile 1	1,395	1,460	1,730	1,675	1,665	1,675	1,890	1,925	1,970	2,035
SIMD Quintile 2	2,165	2,255	2,680	2,545	2,465	2,500	2,595	2,685	2,685	2,640
SIMD Quintile 3	3,325	3,635	3,880	3,555	3,715	3,720	3,585	3,820	3,585	3,560
SIMD Quintile 4	4,555	4,650	5,060	4,885	4,840	4,795	4,755	4,920	4,875	4,730
SIMD Quintile 5	6,280	6,420	6,790	6,845	6,720	6,680	6,570	6,620	6,575	6,290
Not assigned	390	90	60	60	55	45	20	40	30	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,110</b>	<b>18,505</b>	<b>20,205</b>	<b>19,555</b>	<b>19,465</b>	<b>19,420</b>	<b>19,415</b>	<b>20,005</b>	<b>19,720</b>	<b>19,285</b>