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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.
- 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	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	9,470	10,485	10,175	8,505	9,030	8,410
Placed June deadline applicants	1,225	1,330	1,230	1,065	1,130	1,275
All placed applicants	1,560	1,585	1,440	1,345	1,430	1,625
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	124.4	139.2	132.8	113.5	121.9	116.4
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	16.1	17.7	16.0	14.2	15.3	17.6
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	20.5	21.0	18.8	17.9	19.3	22.5

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	9,910	10,960	10,505	8,780	9,410	8,765
Offers	7,230	7,895	7,800	6,545	7,260	6,915
Offer rate	73.0%	72.0%	74.3%	74.5%	77.2%	78.9%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	3,850	3,985	3,795	3,240	3,530	3,110
	Women	5,620	6,500	6,380	5,270	5,500	5,300
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	505	570	530	455	490	510
	Women	725	760	700	610	640	765
All placed applicants	Men	650	680	610	570	625	650
	Women	910	905	825	775	810	975
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	98.6	103.0	96.7	84.3	93.0	83.9
	Women	151.6	177.5	170.7	144.2	152.3	150.6
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	12.9	14.8	13.5	11.9	13.0	13.7
	Women	19.5	20.7	18.7	16.6	17.7	21.7
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	16.7	17.5	15.6	14.8	16.4	17.6
	Women	24.5	24.7	22.1	21.2	22.4	27.7

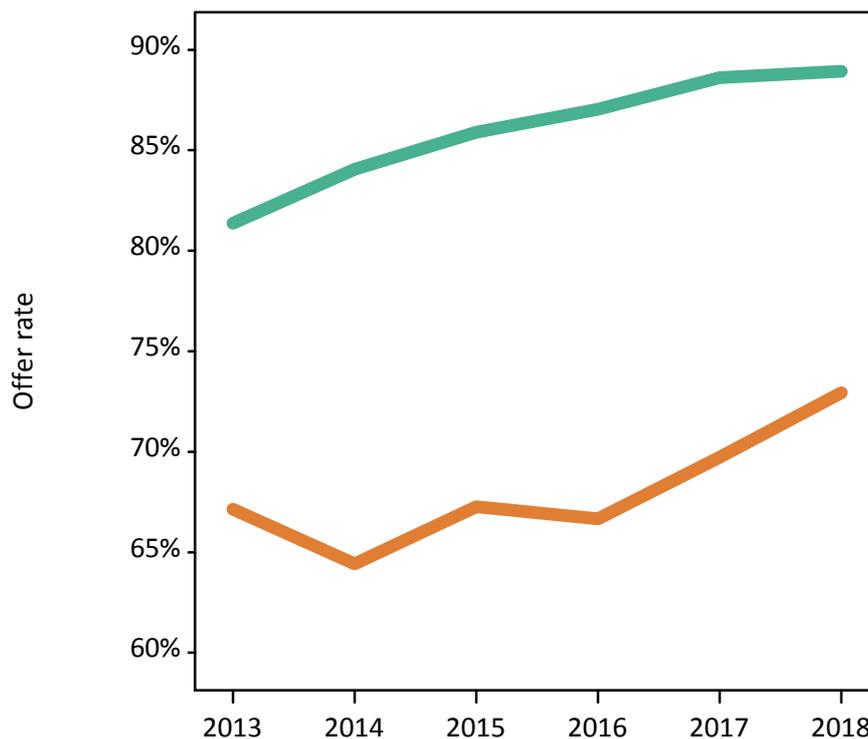
P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	4,070	4,250	3,950	3,390	3,705	3,260
	Women	5,840	6,710	6,555	5,395	5,700	5,505
Offers	Men	3,310	3,575	3,395	2,950	3,285	2,900
	Women	3,920	4,325	4,410	3,595	3,975	4,015
Offer rate	Men	81.4%	84.1%	85.9%	87.0%	88.6%	88.9%
	Women	67.1%	64.4%	67.3%	66.7%	69.7%	72.9%
Average offer rate	Men	81.4%	83.9%	85.4%	86.5%	88.0%	88.3%
	Women	67.1%	64.5%	67.6%	67.0%	70.2%	73.3%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	-0.1	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7
	Women	0.1	-0.1	-0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.4
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.631	0.612	0.596	0.618	0.627	0.607
	Women	0.743	0.754	0.756	0.760	0.758	0.767

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 2013-2018.

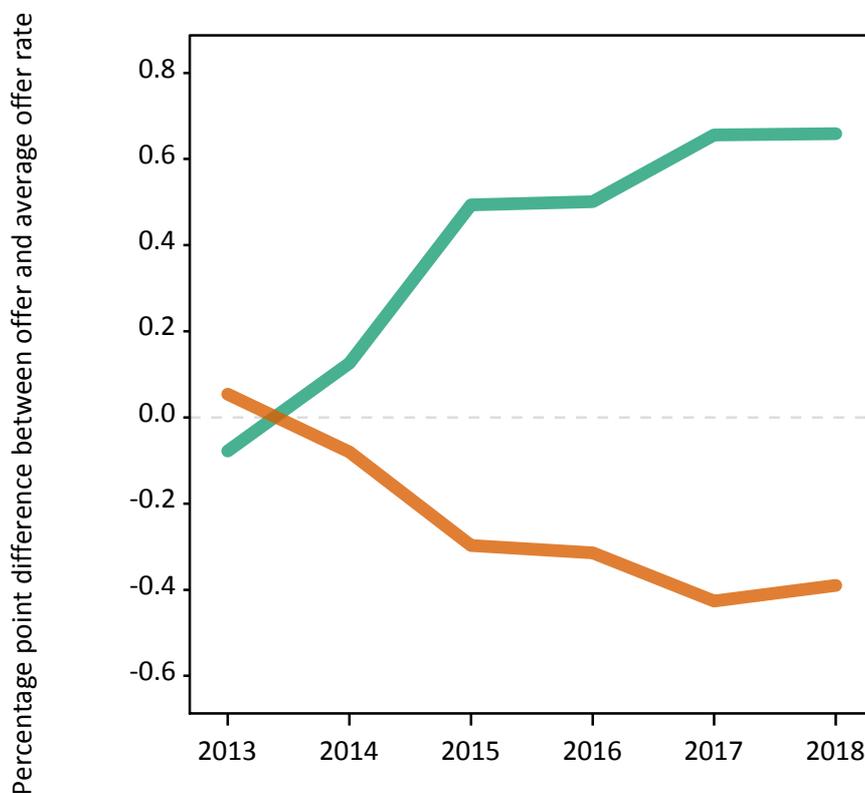
Men
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P.6 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by sex

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

Men
Women



P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	720	940	840	740	715	655
	Quintile 2	1,210	1,385	1,395	1,075	1,145	1,050
	Quintile 3	1,890	2,115	2,055	1,745	1,905	1,715
	Quintile 4	3,245	3,460	3,340	2,865	3,080	2,875
	Quintile 5	2,390	2,565	2,520	2,060	2,170	2,085
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	105	135	125	95	110	110
	Quintile 2	195	200	200	140	150	190
	Quintile 3	260	310	265	220	295	275
	Quintile 4	410	435	390	375	340	425
	Quintile 5	255	250	245	235	235	270
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	120	155	140	120	130	130
	Quintile 2	230	220	225	175	190	235
	Quintile 3	335	355	305	270	360	340
	Quintile 4	530	530	475	460	445	565
	Quintile 5	345	320	295	310	300	345
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	51.1	66.9	59.5	54.5	53.3	50.5
	Quintile 2	83.3	96.3	95.4	75.7	82.1	77.6
	Quintile 3	127.1	144.4	137.1	119.2	131.5	121.7
	Quintile 4	210.5	226.9	215.6	187.9	203.6	195.0
	Quintile 5	138.8	150.7	145.1	119.5	126.4	123.7
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	7.5	9.7	8.8	7.1	8.4	8.4
	Quintile 2	13.4	13.8	13.6	9.9	10.7	14.0
	Quintile 3	17.6	21.2	17.7	14.9	20.3	19.6
	Quintile 4	26.7	28.5	25.2	24.5	22.6	28.9
	Quintile 5	14.7	14.7	14.2	13.6	13.6	15.9
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	8.7	11.0	9.7	9.0	9.8	10.0
	Quintile 2	15.9	15.4	15.5	12.4	13.6	17.4
	Quintile 3	22.4	24.4	20.3	18.5	24.9	24.3
	Quintile 4	34.4	34.6	30.5	30.3	29.5	38.3
	Quintile 5	19.9	18.7	16.9	17.9	17.6	20.6

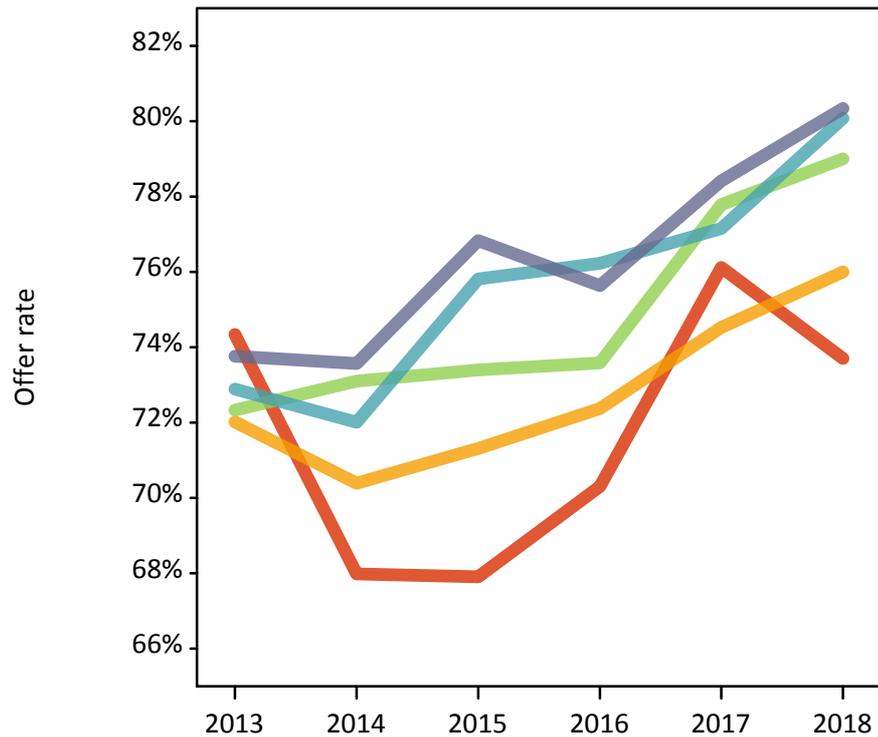
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	760	985	885	780	760	695
	Quintile 2	1,290	1,470	1,450	1,115	1,215	1,130
	Quintile 3	1,985	2,210	2,130	1,805	1,995	1,795
	Quintile 4	3,375	3,635	3,435	2,945	3,200	2,985
	Quintile 5	2,485	2,640	2,580	2,120	2,225	2,135
Offers	Quintile 1	565	670	600	545	575	515
	Quintile 2	930	1,035	1,035	805	905	860
	Quintile 3	1,435	1,615	1,560	1,330	1,550	1,420
	Quintile 4	2,460	2,615	2,605	2,245	2,470	2,390
	Quintile 5	1,835	1,945	1,985	1,600	1,745	1,715
Offer rate	Quintile 1	74.3%	68.0%	67.9%	70.3%	76.1%	73.7%
	Quintile 2	72.0%	70.4%	71.3%	72.4%	74.5%	76.0%
	Quintile 3	72.3%	73.1%	73.4%	73.6%	77.8%	79.0%
	Quintile 4	72.9%	72.0%	75.8%	76.2%	77.1%	80.1%
	Quintile 5	73.8%	73.6%	76.8%	75.6%	78.4%	80.3%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	71.8%	67.8%	68.4%	70.1%	74.7%	72.5%
	Quintile 2	70.7%	69.3%	70.8%	71.8%	75.3%	75.9%
	Quintile 3	72.3%	72.4%	73.4%	73.3%	76.6%	78.7%
	Quintile 4	73.5%	72.8%	76.0%	76.9%	78.5%	80.7%
	Quintile 5	74.5%	73.7%	76.7%	75.4%	77.6%	80.1%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	2.5	0.2	-0.5	0.2	1.4	1.2
	Quintile 2	1.3	1.1	0.5	0.6	-0.7	0.1
	Quintile 3	0.1	0.7	-0.0	0.3	1.2	0.3
	Quintile 4	-0.6	-0.8	-0.1	-0.7	-1.4	-0.6
	Quintile 5	-0.7	-0.2	0.1	0.2	0.9	0.2
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.165	0.173	0.167	0.176	0.177	0.157
	Quintile 2	0.215	0.208	0.214	0.210	0.214	0.192
	Quintile 3	0.265	0.265	0.275	0.279	0.276	0.268
	Quintile 4	0.403	0.390	0.390	0.402	0.401	0.395
	Quintile 5	0.325	0.320	0.320	0.328	0.312	0.304

P.9 18 year old offer rate by POLAR4 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.

- 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 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.

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



P.11 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	2,565	2,535	2,580	2,160	2,420	2,330
	Black	1,230	1,240	1,180	1,000	1,060	925
	Mixed	460	500	515	475	475	500
	White	4,790	5,730	5,405	4,455	4,540	4,180
	Other	365	425	420	355	445	420
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	285	275	250	255	255	360
	Black	105	105	110	105	95	105
	Mixed	60	70	70	65	70	80
	White	735	825	725	585	660	660
	Other	40	45	60	45	45	65
All placed applicants	Asian	400	360	310	360	370	480
	Black	160	140	140	140	140	160
	Mixed	75	85	80	75	90	95
	White	865	930	830	705	770	790
	Other	60	55	70	55	60	90
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	388.8	373.8	364.4	300.3	329.1	314.1
	Black	414.6	409.1	370.7	319.4	337.5	296.6
	Mixed	169.8	174.5	167.3	151.6	148.6	154.5
	White	76.1	92.9	86.8	73.6	76.5	72.8
	Other	400.3	457.7	437.8	355.7	433.0	400.4
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	43.4	40.7	35.3	35.4	34.4	48.3
	Black	35.4	35.0	35.2	33.5	30.5	33.4
	Mixed	22.2	24.7	22.4	20.3	22.1	24.8
	White	11.7	13.4	11.7	9.7	11.1	11.5
	Other	43.0	46.2	61.2	44.2	43.7	63.7
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	60.6	52.8	43.5	49.7	50.4	64.6
	Black	53.6	45.5	43.4	44.7	43.9	51.9
	Mixed	27.0	29.5	26.6	24.2	27.4	30.0
	White	13.7	15.1	13.3	11.6	13.0	13.8
	Other	64.0	59.1	72.6	54.3	58.2	84.6

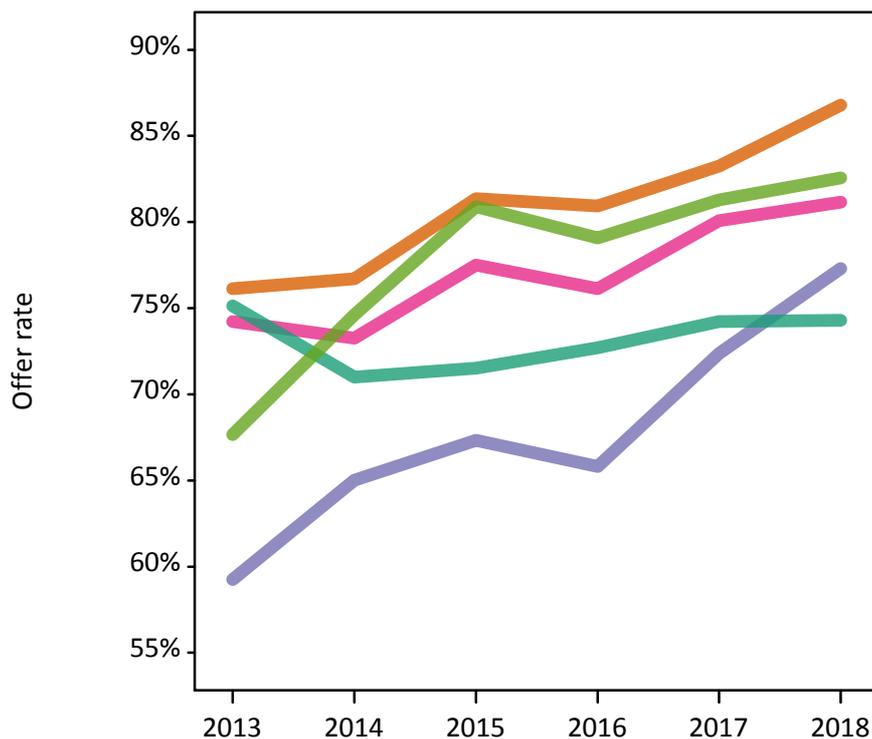
P.12 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	2,660	2,625	2,645	2,225	2,500	2,385
	Black	1,255	1,265	1,195	1,020	1,085	945
	Mixed	480	530	530	485	495	520
	White	5,075	6,045	5,630	4,620	4,780	4,420
	Other	370	440	430	370	455	435
Offers	Asian	2,025	2,015	2,150	1,800	2,085	2,070
	Black	745	820	805	670	785	730
	Mixed	355	390	410	370	400	420
	White	3,815	4,290	4,030	3,360	3,550	3,285
	Other	250	330	345	290	370	360
Offer rate	Asian	76.1%	76.7%	81.4%	80.9%	83.3%	86.8%
	Black	59.3%	65.0%	67.3%	65.8%	72.4%	77.3%
	Mixed	74.2%	73.3%	77.5%	76.1%	80.1%	81.2%
	White	75.1%	71.0%	71.5%	72.7%	74.2%	74.3%
	Other	67.7%	74.6%	80.9%	79.1%	81.3%	82.6%
Average offer rate	Asian	76.2%	77.3%	81.2%	81.5%	83.9%	87.0%
	Black	62.7%	67.6%	69.1%	68.7%	74.5%	78.9%
	Mixed	74.7%	72.6%	77.0%	75.9%	78.1%	80.2%
	White	73.8%	70.2%	71.3%	71.7%	73.4%	73.8%
	Other	72.0%	76.4%	80.3%	80.7%	82.6%	84.2%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Asian	-0.0	-0.6	0.1	-0.5	-0.7	-0.2
	Black	-3.5	-2.5	-1.8	-2.9	-2.1	-1.6
	Mixed	-0.4	0.7	0.5	0.3	2.0	1.0
	White	1.3	0.8	0.2	1.0	0.8	0.5
	Other	-4.3	-1.8	0.6	-1.7	-1.3	-1.6
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Asian	0.375	0.365	0.370	0.382	0.385	0.387
	Black	0.233	0.210	0.210	0.224	0.222	0.193
	Mixed	0.125	0.134	0.122	0.131	0.138	0.132
	White	0.598	0.643	0.631	0.632	0.616	0.612
	Other	0.123	0.124	0.127	0.124	0.129	0.121

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 2013-2018.

- 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 2013-2018.

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



P.15 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	26,475	28,820	27,030	24,145	22,435	19,200
Placed June deadline applicants	3,380	3,525	3,320	3,160	2,960	3,050
All placed applicants	4,455	4,400	4,215	4,095	3,880	4,015

P.16 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	28,340	30,680	28,610	25,495	23,920	20,305
Offers	15,035	15,995	15,765	13,730	13,820	12,760
Offer rate	53.1%	52.1%	55.1%	53.9%	57.8%	62.8%

P.17 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	10,085	10,495	9,640	8,455	8,200	6,710
	Women	16,390	18,330	17,390	15,690	14,235	12,495
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	1,395	1,485	1,365	1,260	1,175	1,105
	Women	1,980	2,040	1,960	1,900	1,785	1,945
All placed applicants	Men	1,880	1,860	1,775	1,640	1,600	1,515
	Women	2,575	2,535	2,440	2,460	2,280	2,495

P.18 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	10,915	11,335	10,250	8,995	8,775	7,130
	Women	17,425	19,345	18,355	16,495	15,140	13,175
Offers	Men	7,065	7,520	7,065	6,195	6,155	5,325
	Women	7,970	8,470	8,700	7,535	7,670	7,435
Offer rate	Men	64.7%	66.4%	68.9%	68.9%	70.1%	74.7%
	Women	45.7%	43.8%	47.4%	45.7%	50.6%	56.4%

P.19 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	2,020	2,400	2,180	1,975	1,765	1,565
	Quintile 2	3,125	3,610	3,325	2,890	2,775	2,325
	Quintile 3	5,570	6,005	5,645	5,155	4,840	3,950
	Quintile 4	9,250	9,925	9,375	8,480	7,800	6,845
	Quintile 5	6,455	6,820	6,440	5,580	5,180	4,450
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	285	335	305	300	280	275
	Quintile 2	480	470	490	390	420	425
	Quintile 3	760	785	745	660	675	675
	Quintile 4	1,110	1,195	1,065	1,130	955	1,050
	Quintile 5	740	730	715	670	620	610
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	340	410	360	370	335	335
	Quintile 2	595	555	575	490	530	545
	Quintile 3	990	965	915	870	875	865
	Quintile 4	1,495	1,535	1,430	1,465	1,290	1,415
	Quintile 5	1,030	920	930	885	835	840

P.20 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	2,190	2,580	2,330	2,135	1,925	1,690
	Quintile 2	3,405	3,900	3,565	3,090	3,020	2,520
	Quintile 3	6,030	6,410	6,015	5,475	5,225	4,200
	Quintile 4	9,850	10,560	9,885	8,935	8,255	7,205
	Quintile 5	6,800	7,160	6,745	5,790	5,415	4,615
Offers	Quintile 1	1,145	1,300	1,220	1,125	1,080	965
	Quintile 2	1,800	1,970	1,875	1,555	1,695	1,530
	Quintile 3	3,070	3,255	3,220	2,750	2,910	2,610
	Quintile 4	5,110	5,460	5,360	4,850	4,770	4,515
	Quintile 5	3,885	3,970	4,060	3,415	3,320	3,095
Offer rate	Quintile 1	52.2%	50.3%	52.4%	52.8%	56.0%	57.2%
	Quintile 2	52.9%	50.5%	52.7%	50.4%	56.1%	60.8%
	Quintile 3	50.9%	50.8%	53.5%	50.2%	55.7%	62.2%
	Quintile 4	51.9%	51.7%	54.2%	54.3%	57.7%	62.7%
	Quintile 5	57.2%	55.5%	60.2%	59.0%	61.3%	67.0%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	5,485	5,660	5,575	4,805	4,870	4,275
	Black	7,355	7,590	7,070	6,910	5,995	4,785
	Mixed	1,370	1,500	1,425	1,345	1,220	1,080
	White	11,030	12,695	11,670	9,835	9,030	7,925
	Other	975	1,110	1,035	965	1,030	910
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	610	645	560	580	550	645
	Black	650	570	570	635	565	620
	Mixed	175	190	185	185	175	180
	White	1,815	1,985	1,835	1,585	1,530	1,425
	Other	100	105	140	135	105	145
All placed applicants	Asian	900	850	780	835	820	920
	Black	955	815	825	885	790	860
	Mixed	230	250	240	230	235	240
	White	2,165	2,290	2,130	1,910	1,830	1,760
	Other	160	145	190	180	150	195

P.22 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	5,795	5,915	5,775	4,980	5,120	4,435
	Black	7,820	8,010	7,440	7,310	6,395	5,020
	Mixed	1,470	1,580	1,515	1,415	1,290	1,145
	White	11,975	13,735	12,520	10,490	9,720	8,525
	Other	1,005	1,160	1,080	1,005	1,065	940
Offers	Asian	3,715	3,820	4,000	3,420	3,665	3,445
	Black	2,420	2,435	2,405	2,225	2,175	2,115
	Mixed	795	880	875	820	790	780
	White	7,395	8,010	7,615	6,470	6,300	5,590
	Other	585	715	720	650	710	685
Offer rate	Asian	64.1%	64.6%	69.3%	68.6%	71.5%	77.7%
	Black	30.9%	30.4%	32.3%	30.5%	34.0%	42.1%
	Mixed	54.0%	55.5%	57.7%	57.9%	61.4%	68.3%
	White	61.7%	58.3%	60.8%	61.7%	64.8%	65.6%
	Other	58.0%	61.5%	66.6%	65.0%	66.7%	72.7%

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 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.