

## N39 Norwich University of the Arts

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**Applicant coverage:** UK domiciled

**Reporting groups:** Sex, POLAR4, ethnic group

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

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

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

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

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## P.1 18 year old applicants

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	980	1,210	1,320	1,435	1,350	1,300
Placed June deadline applicants	240	300	300	335	355	380
All placed applicants	250	315	310	340	370	390
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	12.9	16.1	17.2	19.2	18.2	18.0
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	3.2	4.0	3.9	4.4	4.8	5.2
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	3.3	4.2	4.1	4.5	5.0	5.4

## P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	1,025	1,255	1,375	1,495	1,410	1,350
Offers	665	745	795	920	930	950
Offer rate	65.0%	59.5%	57.8%	61.4%	66.1%	70.6%

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

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	360	440	445	480	475	445
	Women	620	770	875	960	875	855
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	90	105	95	130	130	150
	Women	150	195	205	205	225	230
All placed applicants	Men	100	110	100	130	135	155
	Women	155	200	210	210	235	235
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	9.2	11.4	11.4	12.4	12.6	12.0
	Women	16.7	21.0	23.4	26.2	24.2	24.2
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	2.3	2.7	2.4	3.3	3.4	4.0
	Women	4.0	5.4	5.5	5.6	6.3	6.5
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	2.5	2.9	2.5	3.3	3.5	4.2
	Women	4.1	5.5	5.7	5.8	6.6	6.7

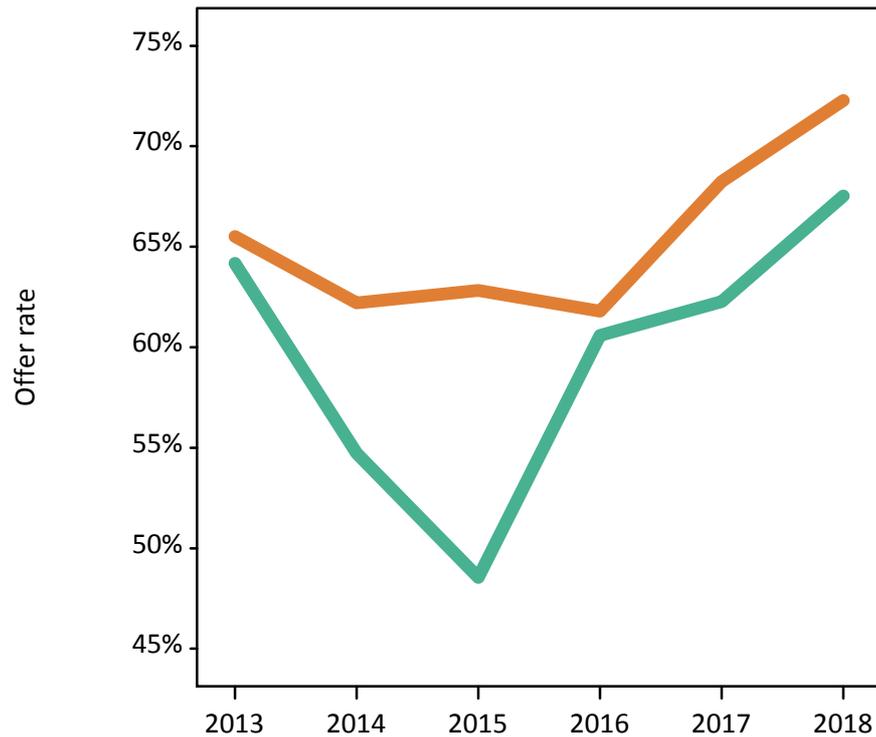
### P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	390	455	480	505	500	470
	Women	635	800	895	990	905	880
Offers	Men	250	250	235	305	310	315
	Women	415	495	560	615	620	635
Offer rate	Men	64.2%	54.7%	48.5%	60.6%	62.3%	67.5%
	Women	65.5%	62.2%	62.8%	61.8%	68.2%	72.3%
Average offer rate	Men	62.4%	56.7%	53.7%	60.4%	64.4%	69.7%
	Women	66.6%	61.1%	60.0%	61.9%	67.1%	71.1%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	1.8	-2.0	-5.2	0.2	-2.1	-2.2
	Women	-1.1	1.1	2.8	-0.1	1.2	1.2
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.511	0.475	0.472	0.473	0.477	0.491
	Women	0.701	0.701	0.716	0.732	0.711	0.730

### 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  
Women



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

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 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	145	175	170	190	195	190
	Quintile 2	190	240	255	305	260	235
	Quintile 3	205	240	285	305	280	270
	Quintile 4	220	265	315	335	290	295
	Quintile 5	215	285	290	300	315	310
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	30	55	35	35	60	75
	Quintile 2	55	70	60	85	85	75
	Quintile 3	50	65	65	75	70	85
	Quintile 4	45	60	70	80	75	75
	Quintile 5	55	55	65	55	65	65
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	30	55	35	35	65	75
	Quintile 2	60	70	65	85	85	80
	Quintile 3	55	65	70	75	75	85
	Quintile 4	50	65	75	80	80	80
	Quintile 5	60	55	65	60	70	70
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	10.2	12.5	12.1	14.0	14.6	14.5
	Quintile 2	13.2	16.6	17.5	21.6	18.7	17.2
	Quintile 3	13.9	16.5	19.0	20.7	19.3	19.1
	Quintile 4	14.3	17.4	20.5	21.8	19.3	19.9
	Quintile 5	12.5	16.9	16.6	17.5	18.4	18.4
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	2.2	3.8	2.5	2.6	4.6	5.8
	Quintile 2	3.9	4.9	4.2	6.0	6.0	5.6
	Quintile 3	3.4	4.4	4.4	5.0	4.8	6.0
	Quintile 4	3.0	4.0	4.6	5.3	4.8	5.1
	Quintile 5	3.3	3.1	3.7	3.2	3.9	4.0
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	2.3	4.0	2.6	2.7	4.8	5.9
	Quintile 2	4.1	4.9	4.4	6.1	6.2	6.0
	Quintile 3	3.6	4.6	4.5	5.1	5.0	6.0
	Quintile 4	3.2	4.3	5.0	5.4	5.2	5.3
	Quintile 5	3.4	3.2	3.8	3.4	4.0	4.0

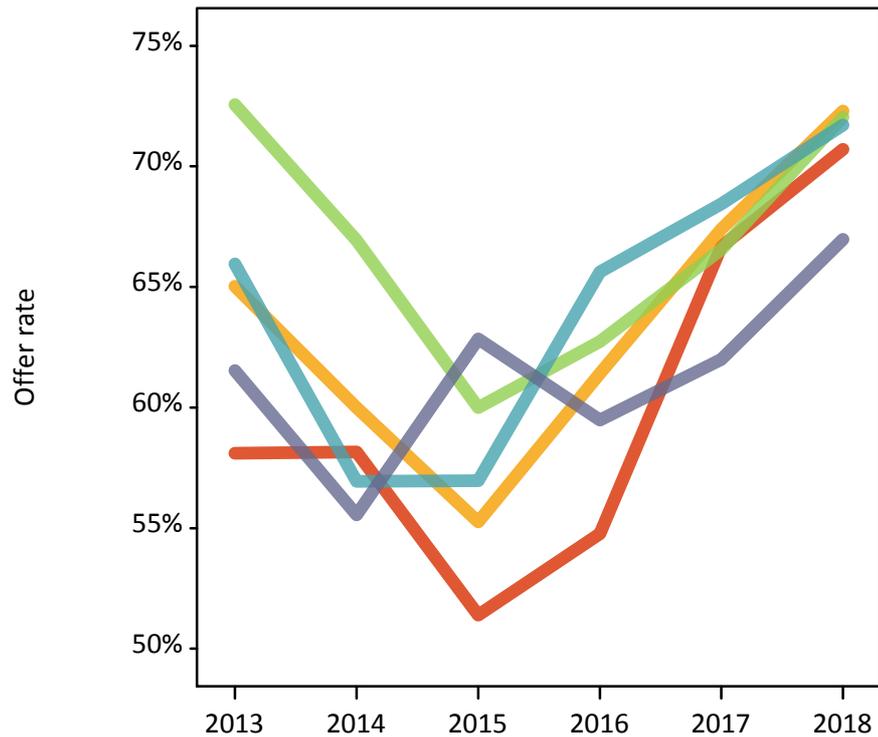
## P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	150	185	180	200	210	200
	Quintile 2	205	255	265	325	275	250
	Quintile 3	215	250	300	315	295	280
	Quintile 4	235	275	330	350	300	295
	Quintile 5	220	290	295	305	320	320
Offers	Quintile 1	85	105	90	110	140	140
	Quintile 2	130	155	145	200	185	180
	Quintile 3	155	170	180	195	195	200
	Quintile 4	155	155	190	230	205	215
	Quintile 5	135	160	185	180	200	215
Offer rate	Quintile 1	58.1%	58.2%	51.4%	54.8%	66.7%	70.7%
	Quintile 2	65.0%	60.0%	55.3%	61.4%	67.4%	72.3%
	Quintile 3	72.6%	66.9%	60.0%	62.7%	66.6%	72.0%
	Quintile 4	66.0%	56.9%	57.0%	65.6%	68.4%	71.7%
	Quintile 5	61.5%	55.6%	62.8%	59.5%	62.0%	67.0%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	63.2%	60.3%	55.6%	61.7%	65.8%	70.5%
	Quintile 2	64.4%	59.2%	55.9%	60.4%	66.4%	71.4%
	Quintile 3	67.0%	59.8%	57.8%	60.9%	65.8%	69.1%
	Quintile 4	65.0%	59.0%	58.1%	63.3%	65.9%	71.4%
	Quintile 5	65.2%	59.1%	60.6%	60.6%	66.4%	70.6%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	-5.0	-2.1	-4.2	-6.9	0.8	0.2
	Quintile 2	0.7	0.8	-0.7	1.0	1.0	0.9
	Quintile 3	5.5	7.1	2.2	1.8	0.8	2.9
	Quintile 4	1.0	-2.1	-1.1	2.3	2.5	0.3
	Quintile 5	-3.7	-3.6	2.2	-1.1	-4.5	-3.6
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.216	0.208	0.198	0.187	0.210	0.194
	Quintile 2	0.270	0.262	0.245	0.273	0.245	0.230
	Quintile 3	0.287	0.256	0.270	0.257	0.268	0.234
	Quintile 4	0.301	0.275	0.292	0.292	0.260	0.268
	Quintile 5	0.301	0.288	0.285	0.266	0.302	0.288

### 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.

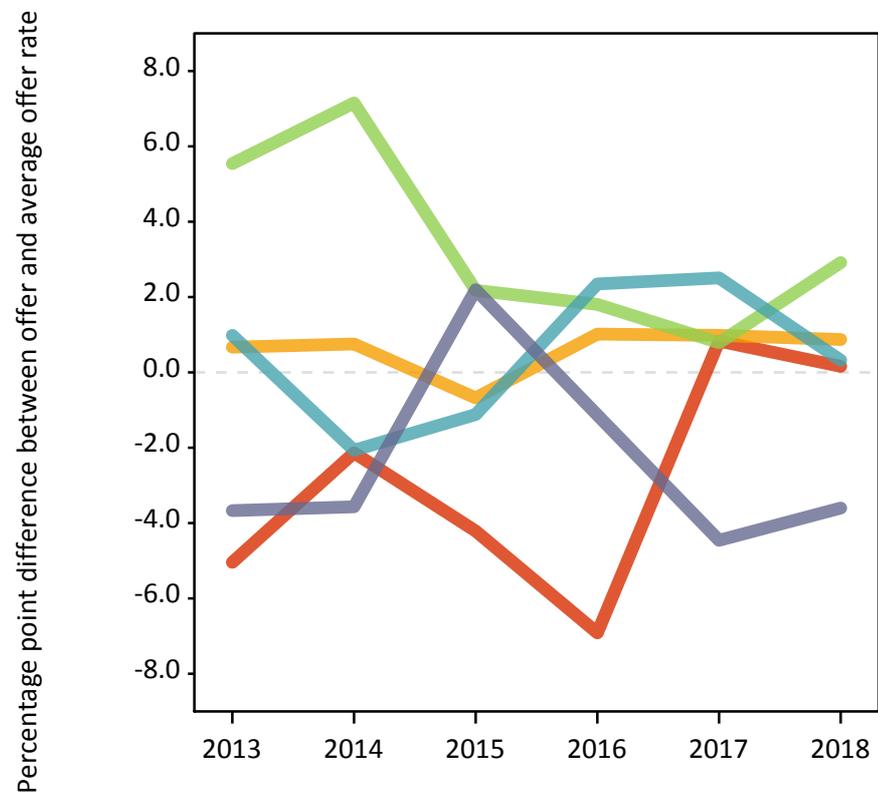
- Quintile 1
- Quintile 2
- Quintile 3
- Quintile 4
- Quintile 5



### 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	25	30	40	35	35	50
	Black	20	30	35	40	25	35
	Mixed	40	60	60	70	55	70
	White	885	1,075	1,170	1,275	1,215	1,130
	Other	5	10	15	10	15	15
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	5	10	10	5	10	15
	Black	10	5	10	10	10	15
	Mixed	5	15	15	15	15	15
	White	225	270	265	300	325	330
	Other	0	0	0	5	0	5
All placed applicants	Asian	5	10	10	5	10	20
	Black	10	5	10	10	10	15
	Mixed	5	15	15	15	15	15
	White	230	280	275	305	335	340
	Other	0	0	0	5	0	5
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	3.9	4.6	5.8	4.9	4.8	6.5
	Black	7.4	10.2	10.4	12.8	8.6	10.9
	Mixed	15.2	20.2	19.1	22.6	17.8	21.7
	White	14.0	17.5	18.8	21.1	20.5	19.6
	Other	4.4	9.7	14.5	8.0	13.6	12.4
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	0.6	1.3	1.1	0.7	1.1	2.2
	Black	2.7	2.0	3.1	2.9	2.5	4.2
	Mixed	1.8	5.2	5.2	5.4	4.0	4.6
	White	3.5	4.4	4.2	4.9	5.5	5.7
	Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	3.8
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	0.8	1.5	1.1	0.7	1.2	2.6
	Black	2.7	2.0	3.1	2.9	2.9	4.2
	Mixed	2.2	5.6	5.2	5.4	4.4	4.6
	White	3.7	4.5	4.4	5.1	5.7	5.9
	Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	4.8

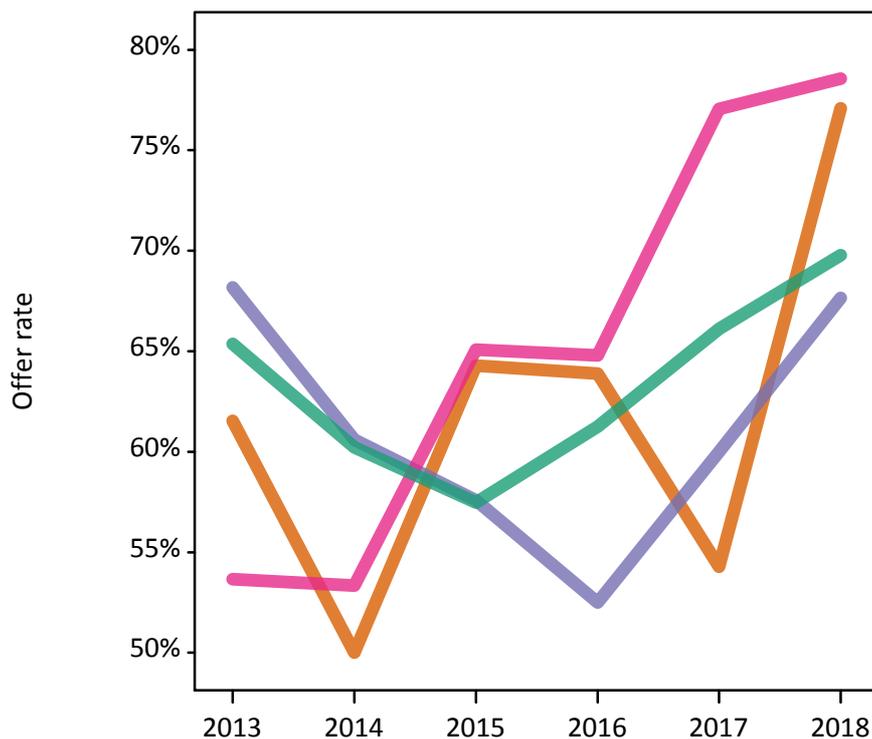
## P.12 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	25	30	40	35	35	50
	Black	20	35	35	40	30	35
	Mixed	40	60	65	70	60	70
	White	925	1,115	1,220	1,335	1,265	1,180
	Other	5	10	15	10	15	15
Offers	Asian	15	15	25	25	20	35
	Black	15	20	20	20	20	25
	Mixed	20	30	40	45	45	55
	White	605	670	700	820	835	820
	Other	5	5	5	5	10	10
Offer rate	Asian	61.5%	50.0%	64.3%	63.9%	54.3%	77.1%
	Black	68.2%	60.6%	57.6%	52.5%	60.0%	67.6%
	Mixed	53.7%	53.3%	65.1%	64.8%	77.0%	78.6%
	White	65.4%	60.2%	57.5%	61.3%	66.1%	69.8%
	Other	N/A	N/A	35.7%	N/A	57.1%	100.0%
Average offer rate	Asian	65.9%	58.6%	56.1%	61.8%	65.8%	73.2%
	Black	56.1%	61.3%	54.2%	56.7%	63.3%	68.5%
	Mixed	66.6%	58.3%	59.2%	63.5%	66.2%	68.8%
	White	65.1%	59.5%	57.9%	61.4%	66.1%	70.7%
	Other	N/A	N/A	54.9%	N/A	71.8%	68.8%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Mixed	N/A	-5.0	5.8	1.3	10.8	9.8
	White	0.3	0.7	-0.4	-0.1	-0.0	-0.9
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Asian	0.168	0.102	0.091	0.111	0.085	0.091
	Black	0.161	0.109	0.102	0.108	0.082	0.069
	Mixed	0.104	0.155	0.094	0.124	0.125	0.119
	White	0.919	0.900	0.894	0.902	0.906	0.882
	Other	N/A	N/A	0.121	N/A	0.089	0.145

### 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	2,160	2,465	2,605	2,810	2,530	2,430
Placed June deadline applicants	580	655	660	725	700	750
All placed applicants	610	685	700	745	740	790

### P.16 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	2,250	2,565	2,725	2,955	2,680	2,540
Offers	1,470	1,575	1,645	1,830	1,815	1,810
Offer rate	65.3%	61.4%	60.4%	62.0%	67.7%	71.4%

### P.17 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	825	980	935	975	925	860
	Women	1,335	1,480	1,670	1,835	1,605	1,570
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	215	265	255	280	265	285
	Women	365	390	405	445	435	470
All placed applicants	Men	235	280	270	285	280	295
	Women	380	405	425	460	460	490

### P.18 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	870	1,035	995	1,040	990	905
	Women	1,380	1,530	1,730	1,920	1,690	1,635
Offers	Men	530	580	525	610	600	595
	Women	935	995	1,120	1,225	1,215	1,220
Offer rate	Men	61.2%	56.1%	52.9%	58.7%	60.8%	65.6%
	Women	67.8%	65.0%	64.6%	63.7%	71.7%	74.5%

### P.19 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	360	415	365	415	395	385
	Quintile 2	410	465	495	550	480	460
	Quintile 3	425	475	535	580	490	480
	Quintile 4	470	530	625	610	560	555
	Quintile 5	495	565	585	650	590	545
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	110	120	90	110	135	140
	Quintile 2	120	145	140	155	160	155
	Quintile 3	110	125	140	170	135	160
	Quintile 4	110	135	150	150	140	165
	Quintile 5	130	130	135	140	125	130
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	115	130	95	110	145	145
	Quintile 2	125	145	150	165	160	160
	Quintile 3	120	130	150	170	150	165
	Quintile 4	115	145	160	155	150	175
	Quintile 5	135	135	145	140	135	135

### P.20 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	370	440	385	450	440	410
	Quintile 2	425	490	525	585	510	485
	Quintile 3	445	495	555	610	520	500
	Quintile 4	495	560	655	640	585	570
	Quintile 5	505	570	600	670	610	560
Offers	Quintile 1	230	250	205	250	285	270
	Quintile 2	275	295	305	350	345	350
	Quintile 3	295	315	350	395	350	365
	Quintile 4	325	350	390	430	410	435
	Quintile 5	340	365	385	405	410	390
Offer rate	Quintile 1	62.0%	56.8%	53.2%	55.3%	64.6%	65.5%
	Quintile 2	64.1%	59.9%	58.3%	60.0%	67.9%	72.4%
	Quintile 3	66.4%	63.2%	63.3%	64.8%	67.1%	72.5%
	Quintile 4	65.9%	62.4%	59.9%	67.5%	70.4%	76.0%
	Quintile 5	67.3%	63.6%	64.4%	60.2%	67.3%	69.0%

## P.21 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	65	75	95	90	95	95
	Black	55	70	70	80	70	60
	Mixed	95	115	125	155	115	125
	White	1,915	2,165	2,275	2,435	2,215	2,115
	Other	15	15	25	30	30	20
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	5	20	25	15	20	25
	Black	15	10	15	20	15	20
	Mixed	20	30	40	40	30	30
	White	535	590	565	640	625	665
	Other	5	5	5	5	5	5
All placed applicants	Asian	10	20	25	15	25	30
	Black	15	10	20	25	15	20
	Mixed	20	30	40	40	35	35
	White	565	615	605	655	660	695
	Other	5	5	5	5	5	5

## P.22 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	65	80	95	95	95	95
	Black	55	75	75	80	75	65
	Mixed	95	120	130	160	120	125
	White	2,000	2,260	2,385	2,580	2,350	2,215
	Other	15	20	25	30	30	20
Offers	Asian	30	40	60	55	55	65
	Black	35	45	30	45	45	45
	Mixed	65	70	80	100	90	95
	White	1,315	1,400	1,450	1,605	1,600	1,575
	Other	10	10	10	20	15	20
Offer rate	Asian	50.0%	53.8%	64.6%	58.1%	58.1%	70.5%
	Black	59.6%	60.0%	43.8%	56.1%	58.9%	69.2%
	Mixed	67.0%	57.6%	61.1%	64.6%	75.8%	76.4%
	White	65.7%	62.0%	60.8%	62.2%	68.1%	71.0%
	Other	68.8%	50.0%	43.5%	64.5%	53.3%	100.0%

## 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 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.