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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 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	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	6,855	7,215	7,190	7,155	6,610	6,010
Placed June deadline applicants	965	960	610	1,050	950	870
All placed applicants	1,030	1,035	710	1,140	1,030	930
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	91.0	94.2	95.9	96.6	91.5	84.9
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	12.8	12.5	8.1	14.2	13.2	12.3
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	13.7	13.5	9.5	15.4	14.2	13.2

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	8,255	8,720	8,705	8,675	8,005	7,130
Offers	4,740	4,375	3,145	5,175	5,225	5,220
Offer rate	57.4%	50.2%	36.1%	59.7%	65.3%	73.2%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Men	2,550	2,605	2,500	2,435	2,260	1,950
	Women	4,305	4,610	4,690	4,720	4,350	4,060
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	345	345	205	370	345	290
	Women	625	615	405	680	610	580
All placed applicants	Men	375	390	245	410	370	315
	Women	655	650	470	725	660	620
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	65.9	66.3	65.0	64.1	61.1	53.8
	Women	117.6	123.4	128.4	130.8	123.6	117.5
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	8.9	8.8	5.4	9.8	9.3	8.1
	Women	17.0	16.5	11.0	18.8	17.3	16.8
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	9.6	9.9	6.3	10.8	9.9	8.6
	Women	17.9	17.3	12.8	20.1	18.8	17.9

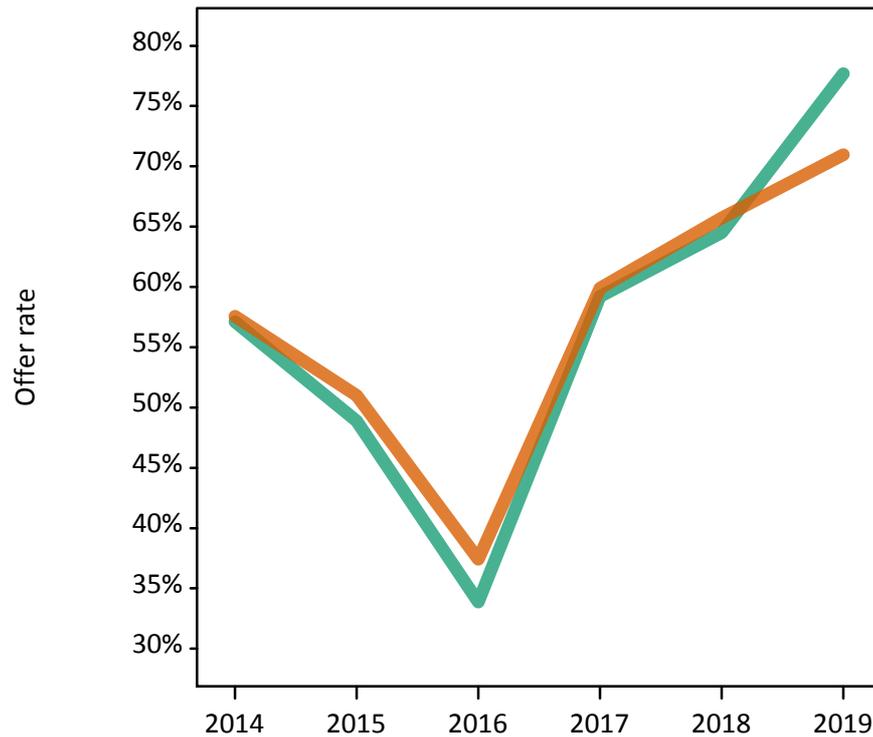
P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Men	3,165	3,260	3,145	3,065	2,790	2,365
	Women	5,090	5,460	5,560	5,605	5,215	4,765
Offers	Men	1,805	1,595	1,065	1,815	1,800	1,840
	Women	2,930	2,785	2,080	3,360	3,425	3,380
Offer rate	Men	57.1%	48.9%	33.9%	59.2%	64.5%	77.7%
	Women	57.6%	51.0%	37.4%	59.9%	65.7%	71.0%
Average offer rate	Men	60.3%	52.6%	37.1%	63.8%	68.0%	79.3%
	Women	55.6%	48.8%	35.6%	57.4%	63.8%	70.1%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	-3.2	-3.7	-3.2	-4.6	-3.5	-1.7
	Women	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.5	1.9	0.8
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.522	0.507	0.492	0.506	0.511	0.492
	Women	0.703	0.706	0.713	0.730	0.738	0.748

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 2014-2019.

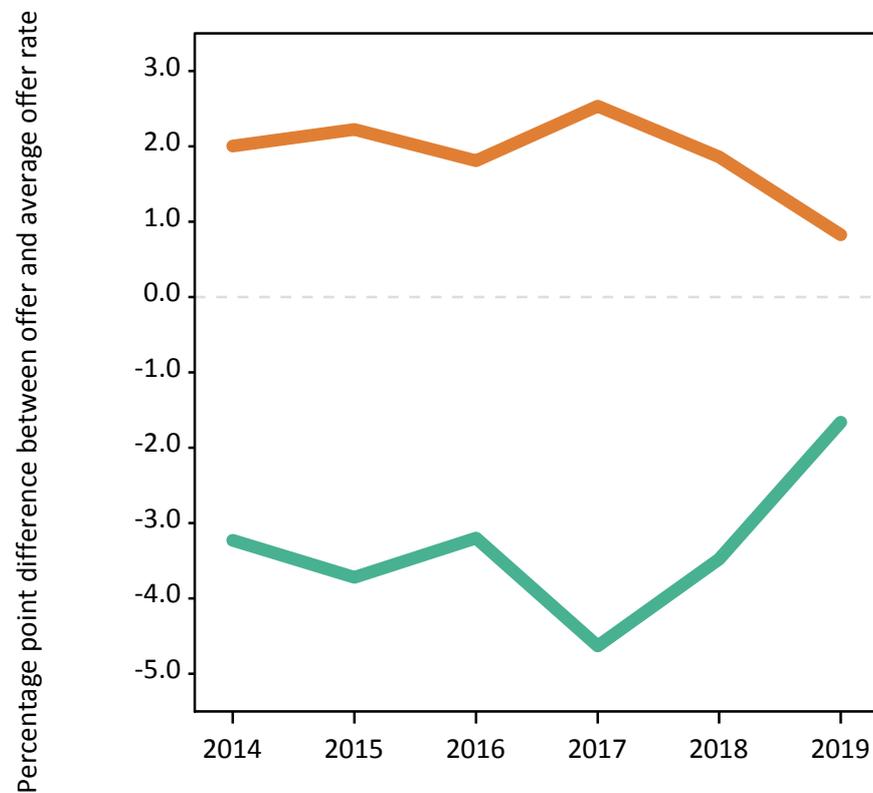
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P.6 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by sex

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

Men
Women



P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	400	415	400	420	435	385
	Quintile 2	775	890	915	885	800	760
	Quintile 3	1,215	1,320	1,275	1,280	1,155	1,110
	Quintile 4	1,730	1,850	1,810	1,795	1,690	1,425
	Quintile 5	2,715	2,730	2,780	2,765	2,515	2,300
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	55	50	20	65	60	45
	Quintile 2	145	110	80	135	100	85
	Quintile 3	165	180	120	195	160	170
	Quintile 4	245	260	160	250	255	230
	Quintile 5	355	360	225	400	365	340
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	60	50	30	70	70	50
	Quintile 2	150	115	95	150	105	95
	Quintile 3	175	195	140	220	175	180
	Quintile 4	260	280	190	275	270	240
	Quintile 5	380	395	255	425	405	365
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	28.6	29.5	29.4	31.3	33.6	30.4
	Quintile 2	54.1	60.9	64.5	63.6	58.9	57.6
	Quintile 3	82.8	88.0	86.9	88.4	81.9	80.3
	Quintile 4	113.4	119.3	118.7	118.8	114.5	98.4
	Quintile 5	159.6	157.1	161.0	161.3	149.2	138.5
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	4.1	3.5	1.5	4.9	4.7	3.7
	Quintile 2	10.0	7.5	5.7	9.8	7.3	6.4
	Quintile 3	11.3	12.1	8.2	13.5	11.5	12.3
	Quintile 4	16.1	16.9	10.6	16.6	17.4	15.8
	Quintile 5	20.7	20.6	13.1	23.3	21.8	20.5
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	4.1	3.6	2.1	5.3	5.2	3.9
	Quintile 2	10.6	7.9	6.8	10.6	7.8	7.0
	Quintile 3	11.9	13.1	9.6	15.2	12.4	13.0
	Quintile 4	17.1	18.1	12.5	18.1	18.3	16.7
	Quintile 5	22.5	22.6	14.7	24.8	24.0	22.0

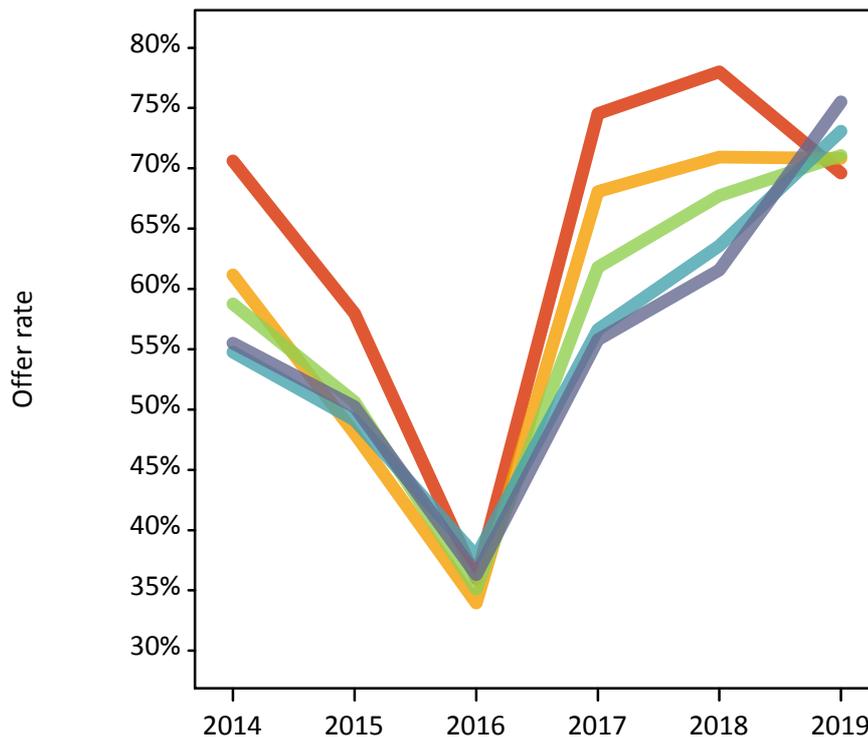
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	465	490	465	490	520	440
	Quintile 2	955	1,075	1,130	1,045	945	890
	Quintile 3	1,455	1,570	1,555	1,570	1,400	1,325
	Quintile 4	2,125	2,280	2,210	2,200	2,065	1,725
	Quintile 5	3,240	3,285	3,330	3,360	3,055	2,710
Offers	Quintile 1	325	285	170	365	405	305
	Quintile 2	585	515	385	710	670	630
	Quintile 3	855	795	545	970	945	945
	Quintile 4	1,165	1,120	835	1,245	1,315	1,260
	Quintile 5	1,800	1,650	1,210	1,875	1,880	2,045
Offer rate	Quintile 1	70.6%	58.0%	36.0%	74.5%	78.0%	69.6%
	Quintile 2	61.2%	48.0%	34.0%	68.1%	70.9%	70.8%
	Quintile 3	58.8%	50.6%	35.1%	61.8%	67.7%	71.1%
	Quintile 4	54.8%	49.1%	37.8%	56.6%	63.6%	73.1%
	Quintile 5	55.5%	50.2%	36.3%	55.8%	61.6%	75.5%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	57.4%	53.6%	38.3%	60.9%	67.7%	70.7%
	Quintile 2	54.8%	47.8%	35.2%	58.7%	66.4%	70.0%
	Quintile 3	55.3%	50.0%	35.3%	58.3%	65.8%	71.4%
	Quintile 4	57.1%	49.8%	36.7%	58.9%	65.0%	73.2%
	Quintile 5	59.3%	50.7%	36.2%	60.8%	64.7%	75.4%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	13.2	4.3	-2.3	13.6	10.3	-1.1
	Quintile 2	6.3	0.2	-1.3	9.3	4.6	0.8
	Quintile 3	3.4	0.6	-0.2	3.5	1.9	-0.4
	Quintile 4	-2.3	-0.7	1.2	-2.3	-1.4	-0.1
	Quintile 5	-3.8	-0.5	0.1	-5.1	-3.1	0.1
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.161	0.154	0.154	0.172	0.167	0.158
	Quintile 2	0.182	0.188	0.182	0.185	0.187	0.193
	Quintile 3	0.233	0.238	0.226	0.238	0.229	0.253
	Quintile 4	0.308	0.305	0.298	0.296	0.307	0.304
	Quintile 5	0.440	0.423	0.425	0.437	0.433	0.439

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 2014-2019.

- 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 2014-2019.

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- Quintile 5



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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	600	675	720	710	670	635
	Quintile 2	890	955	1,000	970	860	770
	Quintile 3	1,165	1,215	1,220	1,150	1,075	935
	Quintile 4	1,355	1,455	1,460	1,495	1,325	1,215
	Quintile 5	1,720	1,760	1,835	1,795	1,645	1,540
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	95	75	35	125	75	65
	Quintile 2	150	115	85	190	175	115
	Quintile 3	155	160	90	125	115	140
	Quintile 4	185	165	100	170	185	170
	Quintile 5	220	240	140	245	235	225
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	100	75	45	130	80	65
	Quintile 2	155	115	100	200	175	120
	Quintile 3	160	165	95	130	120	150
	Quintile 4	190	170	115	180	195	175
	Quintile 5	230	260	150	255	245	235
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	473.1	547.2	596.0	613.5	590.7	569.1
	Quintile 2	757.4	837.9	906.5	905.1	812.5	766.6
	Quintile 3	995.8	1,036.9	1,084.2	1,061.0	1,027.6	914.3
	Quintile 4	1,105.3	1,212.2	1,218.3	1,283.0	1,180.6	1,132.0
	Quintile 5	1,341.4	1,384.1	1,466.3	1,433.0	1,376.2	1,320.9
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	74.0	62.5	30.6	107.0	66.8	57.3
	Quintile 2	128.4	99.9	76.3	179.2	163.6	116.5
	Quintile 3	130.8	137.6	79.0	113.3	111.8	138.7
	Quintile 4	149.1	138.1	84.3	145.8	164.8	157.5
	Quintile 5	169.9	187.7	111.2	194.9	198.5	191.3
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	77.1	62.5	38.1	111.3	69.4	59.1
	Quintile 2	132.6	101.7	90.8	184.8	167.4	118.5
	Quintile 3	135.0	141.9	86.1	118.8	116.6	144.6
	Quintile 4	156.4	142.3	97.6	155.2	172.0	162.1
	Quintile 5	180.1	202.7	120.8	204.5	206.9	199.8

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	715	810	910	890	810	745
	Quintile 2	1,125	1,205	1,250	1,200	1,070	945
	Quintile 3	1,430	1,505	1,505	1,380	1,325	1,155
	Quintile 4	1,675	1,840	1,780	1,885	1,625	1,465
	Quintile 5	2,140	2,145	2,260	2,225	2,070	1,855
Offers	Quintile 1	470	370	240	685	670	505
	Quintile 2	705	525	380	900	905	680
	Quintile 3	695	620	430	625	630	780
	Quintile 4	795	765	525	835	855	980
	Quintile 5	1,065	1,005	665	1,140	1,130	1,370
Offer rate	Quintile 1	65.5%	45.8%	26.3%	77.4%	82.5%	67.9%
	Quintile 2	62.6%	43.8%	30.4%	75.1%	84.6%	72.3%
	Quintile 3	48.6%	41.4%	28.6%	45.4%	47.7%	67.4%
	Quintile 4	47.6%	41.7%	29.5%	44.2%	52.6%	66.8%
	Quintile 5	49.9%	46.7%	29.5%	51.3%	54.7%	74.0%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	49.3%	42.2%	27.0%	53.2%	64.2%	65.8%
	Quintile 2	51.1%	41.3%	28.4%	53.7%	65.2%	68.4%
	Quintile 3	52.2%	43.3%	28.4%	54.6%	57.5%	69.1%
	Quintile 4	52.2%	43.4%	28.9%	55.5%	59.9%	69.5%
	Quintile 5	55.3%	46.6%	30.9%	57.1%	59.8%	73.6%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	16.2	3.6	-0.6	24.2	18.3	2.1
	Quintile 2	11.5	2.5	2.0	21.3	19.3	3.9
	Quintile 3	-3.6	-1.9	0.2	-9.2	-9.8	-1.6
	Quintile 4	-4.7	-1.8	0.6	-11.3	-7.3	-2.8
	Quintile 5	-5.4	0.1	-1.4	-5.9	-5.1	0.3
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.128	0.133	0.139	0.149	0.155	0.160
	Quintile 2	0.181	0.180	0.180	0.179	0.191	0.179
	Quintile 3	0.224	0.216	0.212	0.205	0.216	0.211
	Quintile 4	0.258	0.263	0.250	0.272	0.255	0.263
	Quintile 5	0.328	0.317	0.314	0.319	0.333	0.330

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

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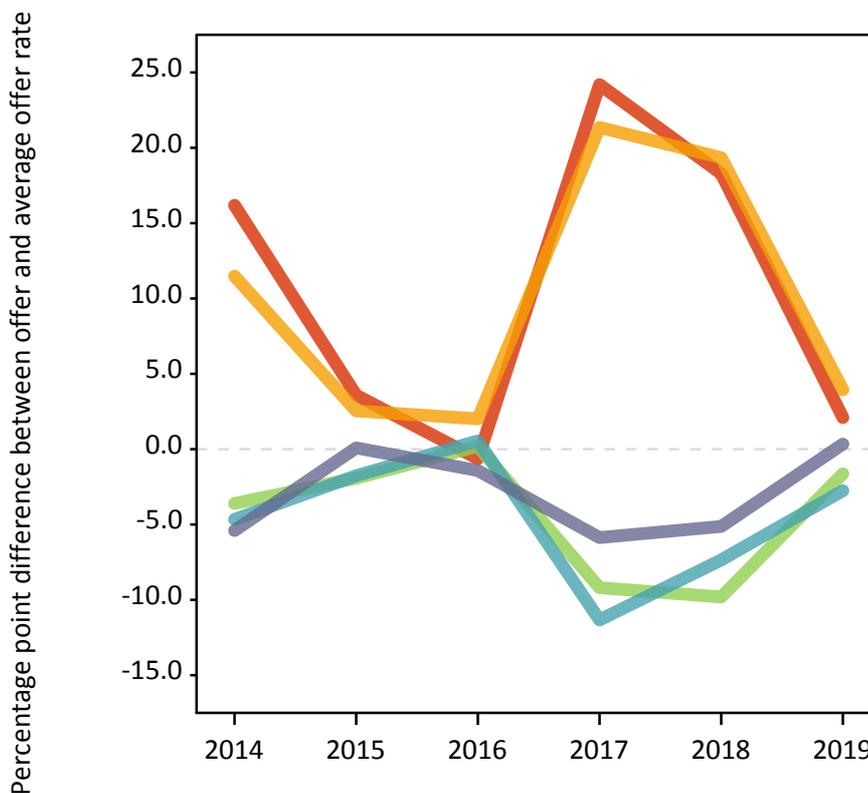
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P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate and average offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

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



P.15 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	White	6,520	6,855	6,830	6,750	6,205	5,600
	Black	45	55	40	65	60	50
	Asian	165	165	180	175	210	175
	Mixed	90	100	100	115	100	125
	Other	15	15	15	25	20	25
Placed June deadline applicants	White	930	925	580	1,005	905	830
	Black	5	5	0	10	5	5
	Asian	10	15	10	10	25	15
	Mixed	15	15	15	15	10	15
	Other	0	5	0	5	0	0
All placed applicants	White	985	990	660	1,085	970	885
	Black	10	5	5	15	10	5
	Asian	15	15	25	15	30	15
	Mixed	15	15	15	20	15	20
	Other	0	5	5	5	0	0
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	White	105.7	110.1	112.9	113.8	108.6	101.3
	Black	14.8	17.9	13.1	21.3	19.0	15.5
	Asian	24.2	23.6	25.2	23.9	27.5	22.7
	Mixed	30.6	33.1	31.8	35.2	31.2	38.3
	Other	18.3	14.5	16.1	24.3	16.8	20.5
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	White	15.1	14.8	9.6	17.0	15.9	15.1
	Black	1.6	1.9	0.0	3.5	1.6	0.9
	Asian	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.6	3.4	2.1
	Mixed	5.2	4.2	4.4	5.0	3.4	5.2
	Other	0.0	3.1	0.0	3.9	0.0	0.0
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	White	16.0	15.9	10.9	18.3	17.0	16.0
	Black	2.6	2.2	1.9	4.4	2.5	0.9
	Asian	2.1	2.3	3.2	2.3	3.8	2.2
	Mixed	5.9	5.2	5.1	5.9	4.9	6.4
	Other	0.0	5.2	3.0	3.9	0.0	0.0

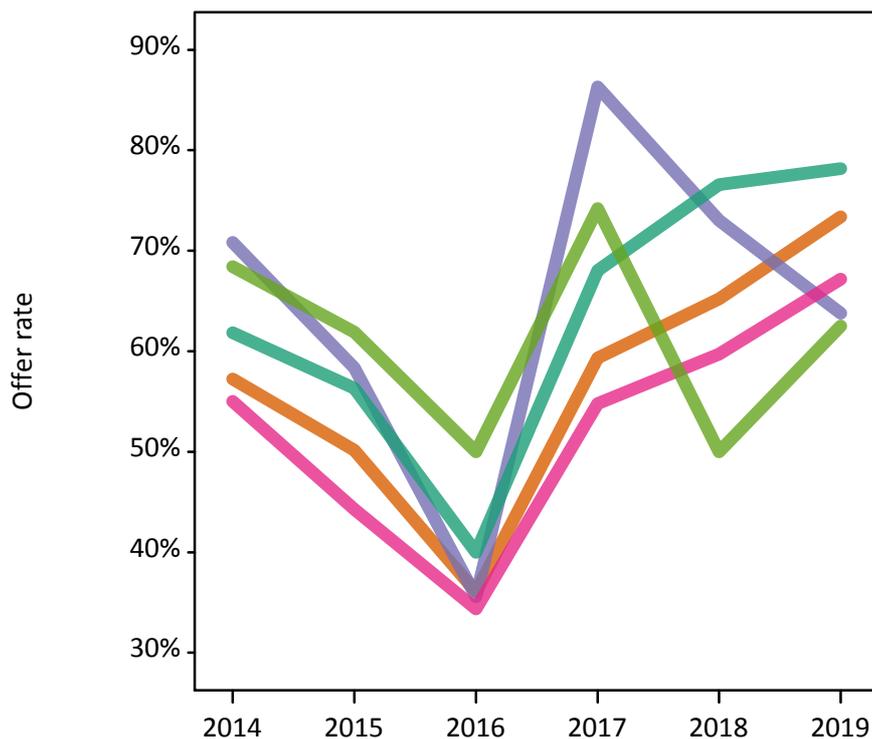
P.16 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	White	7,885	8,320	8,305	8,220	7,570	6,675
	Black	50	60	45	75	65	60
	Asian	190	185	195	200	220	200
	Mixed	95	120	115	120	110	140
	Other	20	20	20	30	20	25
Offers	White	4,510	4,170	2,995	4,875	4,935	4,900
	Black	35	35	15	65	45	35
	Asian	105	80	65	110	130	135
	Mixed	60	65	45	85	85	110
	Other	15	15	10	25	10	15
Offer rate	White	57.2%	50.1%	36.1%	59.3%	65.2%	73.4%
	Black	70.8%	58.3%	35.6%	86.3%	73.0%	63.8%
	Asian	55.0%	44.3%	34.4%	54.8%	59.7%	67.2%
	Mixed	61.9%	56.3%	40.0%	68.0%	76.6%	78.2%
	Other	68.4%	61.9%	50.0%	74.2%	50.0%	62.5%
Average offer rate	White	57.2%	49.9%	36.0%	59.4%	65.1%	73.2%
	Black	63.4%	59.9%	42.0%	65.9%	70.7%	67.3%
	Asian	59.2%	56.2%	36.3%	58.8%	65.1%	69.7%
	Mixed	61.6%	57.0%	37.9%	69.6%	73.4%	76.7%
	Other	66.4%	53.0%	44.8%	61.4%	63.3%	74.9%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	White	0.0	0.3	0.0	-0.1	0.1	0.1
	Black	N/A	-1.6	N/A	20.4	2.4	-3.5
	Asian	-4.2	-11.9	-2.0	-4.0	-5.3	-2.5
	Mixed	0.2	-0.7	2.1	-1.6	3.1	1.4
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	White	0.962	0.960	0.959	0.955	0.953	0.943
	Black	0.255	0.215	0.149	0.213	0.133	0.113
	Asian	0.110	0.127	0.110	0.106	0.146	0.118
	Mixed	0.119	0.113	0.111	0.127	0.152	0.134
	Other	0.296	0.017	0.062	0.164	0.174	0.062

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 2014-2019.

- White
- Black
- Asian
- Mixed
- Other



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 2014-2019.

- White
- Black
- Asian
- Mixed
- Other



P.19 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	12,310	12,705	13,005	12,950	12,385	11,370
Placed June deadline applicants	2,085	1,905	1,475	2,030	1,920	1,705
All placed applicants	2,190	2,035	1,635	2,170	2,045	1,855

P.20 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	14,950	15,510	15,770	15,755	15,260	13,840
Offers	8,170	7,305	5,790	8,790	9,145	8,745
Offer rate	54.7%	47.1%	36.7%	55.8%	59.9%	63.2%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Men	4,530	4,585	4,590	4,410	4,330	3,805
	Women	7,780	8,115	8,415	8,540	8,055	7,560
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	735	675	485	720	670	580
	Women	1,345	1,225	990	1,310	1,250	1,125
All placed applicants	Men	785	755	550	790	715	630
	Women	1,405	1,280	1,085	1,380	1,330	1,225

P.22 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Men	5,685	5,800	5,735	5,565	5,370	4,710
	Women	9,265	9,710	10,030	10,190	9,885	9,130
Offers	Men	3,115	2,685	2,020	3,150	3,190	3,150
	Women	5,055	4,620	3,770	5,640	5,955	5,595
Offer rate	Men	54.8%	46.3%	35.2%	56.6%	59.4%	66.9%
	Women	54.6%	47.6%	37.6%	55.4%	60.3%	61.3%

P.23 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	850	850	885	920	920	820
	Quintile 2	1,605	1,745	1,790	1,755	1,735	1,605
	Quintile 3	2,295	2,375	2,370	2,400	2,250	2,195
	Quintile 4	3,045	3,150	3,230	3,175	3,020	2,705
	Quintile 5	4,490	4,560	4,700	4,670	4,430	3,980
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	140	125	90	160	135	115
	Quintile 2	315	260	215	305	275	200
	Quintile 3	395	355	300	360	335	355
	Quintile 4	535	520	380	470	495	425
	Quintile 5	695	640	490	730	675	605
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	140	130	105	170	145	125
	Quintile 2	330	270	240	320	290	225
	Quintile 3	415	380	335	390	360	380
	Quintile 4	560	555	420	500	525	445
	Quintile 5	740	690	535	775	720	670

P.24 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	995	1,015	1,015	1,090	1,100	995
	Quintile 2	1,990	2,140	2,190	2,130	2,150	1,955
	Quintile 3	2,770	2,845	2,915	2,900	2,750	2,690
	Quintile 4	3,720	3,925	3,925	3,905	3,785	3,320
	Quintile 5	5,435	5,555	5,685	5,700	5,435	4,805
Offers	Quintile 1	610	535	365	705	765	575
	Quintile 2	1,125	995	800	1,275	1,365	1,145
	Quintile 3	1,515	1,325	1,085	1,660	1,685	1,675
	Quintile 4	1,985	1,840	1,455	2,095	2,195	2,110
	Quintile 5	2,925	2,600	2,075	3,040	3,120	3,185
Offer rate	Quintile 1	61.1%	52.4%	36.1%	64.7%	69.8%	58.1%
	Quintile 2	56.5%	46.4%	36.5%	59.9%	63.6%	58.6%
	Quintile 3	54.6%	46.6%	37.2%	57.3%	61.2%	62.3%
	Quintile 4	53.3%	46.8%	37.1%	53.6%	58.0%	63.6%
	Quintile 5	53.8%	46.8%	36.5%	53.3%	57.4%	66.3%

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	1,495	1,555	1,665	1,705	1,660	1,665
	Quintile 2	1,825	1,910	2,000	1,975	1,910	1,655
	Quintile 3	2,120	2,180	2,305	2,145	2,110	1,970
	Quintile 4	2,370	2,500	2,555	2,560	2,400	2,235
	Quintile 5	2,810	2,865	2,990	3,005	2,825	2,535
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	245	215	145	270	240	190
	Quintile 2	370	270	250	385	375	265
	Quintile 3	365	350	255	300	290	305
	Quintile 4	400	345	285	350	370	335
	Quintile 5	430	435	275	440	415	390
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	250	215	160	285	255	205
	Quintile 2	380	275	275	395	380	280
	Quintile 3	375	365	270	310	300	325
	Quintile 4	410	360	310	365	385	350
	Quintile 5	455	460	295	460	430	415

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	1,775	1,885	2,025	2,070	2,010	2,010
	Quintile 2	2,305	2,410	2,480	2,485	2,415	2,075
	Quintile 3	2,635	2,710	2,850	2,630	2,645	2,500
	Quintile 4	2,925	3,165	3,165	3,210	3,025	2,755
	Quintile 5	3,510	3,535	3,675	3,705	3,585	3,105
Offers	Quintile 1	985	810	620	1,310	1,395	1,120
	Quintile 2	1,290	1,055	845	1,615	1,720	1,265
	Quintile 3	1,275	1,110	865	1,210	1,240	1,475
	Quintile 4	1,445	1,285	1,025	1,410	1,550	1,615
	Quintile 5	1,750	1,575	1,140	1,860	1,850	2,065
Offer rate	Quintile 1	55.5%	42.9%	30.6%	63.3%	69.5%	55.6%
	Quintile 2	56.0%	43.7%	34.0%	65.0%	71.3%	61.0%
	Quintile 3	48.4%	40.9%	30.4%	45.9%	47.0%	58.9%
	Quintile 4	49.4%	40.6%	32.4%	44.0%	51.1%	58.5%
	Quintile 5	49.8%	44.5%	31.0%	50.2%	51.6%	66.5%

P.27 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	White	11,540	11,825	12,130	11,975	11,410	10,400
	Black	190	240	230	255	220	210
	Asian	325	360	365	405	420	395
	Mixed	170	190	185	210	210	225
	Other	45	35	40	50	60	60
Placed June deadline applicants	White	1,980	1,815	1,390	1,900	1,800	1,610
	Black	20	30	30	35	30	15
	Asian	35	25	25	40	50	40
	Mixed	35	25	25	40	30	30
	Other	0	5	0	10	5	0
All placed applicants	White	2,075	1,925	1,515	2,020	1,905	1,735
	Black	25	40	35	40	35	20
	Asian	40	30	40	45	55	45
	Mixed	40	25	30	45	35	40
	Other	5	10	5	10	5	5

P.28 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	White	14,070	14,530	14,810	14,655	14,175	12,770
	Black	205	255	240	270	240	225
	Asian	375	400	395	455	470	435
	Mixed	200	230	210	245	235	260
	Other	50	45	45	65	60	60
Offers	White	7,705	6,880	5,445	8,180	8,540	8,125
	Black	95	105	80	135	135	100
	Asian	195	160	135	225	240	250
	Mixed	115	110	90	165	150	180
	Other	25	25	15	45	30	30
Offer rate	White	54.8%	47.4%	36.8%	55.8%	60.2%	63.6%
	Black	47.5%	40.5%	33.2%	50.7%	55.9%	44.9%
	Asian	52.7%	39.6%	34.3%	49.5%	51.7%	57.8%
	Mixed	57.1%	49.1%	41.7%	67.1%	64.1%	69.4%
	Other	51.0%	53.3%	29.8%	69.8%	50.0%	48.4%

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 2019 cycle runs from September 2018 through to October 2019.

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 2019 End of Cycle Report and the 2019 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.