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First-time Undergraduate Student Demographics

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	2005		2004		2003		2002		2001	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Class Size	1,402		1,313		1,383		1,380		1,353	
Gender										
Male	648	46%	596	45%	611	44%	616	45%	640	47%
Female	754	54%	717	55%	772	56%	764	55%	713	53%
Ethnicity										
Native American	10	1%	7	1%	14	1%	14	1%	9	1%
Asian	68	5%	76	6%	77	6%	89	6%	64	5%
African American	54	4%	61	5%	86	6%	53	4%	53	4%
Hispanic	90	6%	108	8%	115	8%	90	7%	84	6%
White/Other	1,121	80%	1,015	77%	1,053	76%	1,081	78%	1,073	79%
Non-Resident	59	4%	46	4%	47	3%	53	4%	70	5%
Region of Origin										
Northeast	25	2%	30	2%	24	2%	31	2%	31	2%
Middle States	39	3%	31	2%	45	3%	30	2%	37	3%
Midwest	141	10%	124	9%	125	9%	125	9%	112	8%
Southwest	774	55%	774	59%	786	57%	761	55%	796	59%
South		58%	840	64%	857	62%	842	61%	796	59%
Private/Other	590	42%	473	36%	526	38%	538	39%	557	41%
HS Class Rank *										
Reported Rank	729	52%	748	57%	774	56%	759	55%	744	55%
Top 10%	255	35%	269	36%	271	35%	266	35%	238	32%
Top 25%	467	64%	501	67%	519	67%	493	65%	476	64%
Top 50 %	671	92%	681	91%	704	91%	691	91%	662	89%
Bottom 50%	58	8%	67	9%	70	9%	68	9%	82	11%
Bottom 25%	7	1%	7	1%	8	1%	8	1%	7	1%
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Test Scores										
Submitted SAT	1,163	83%	1,090	83%	1,093	79%	1,145	83%	1,150	85%
Submitted ACT	645	46%	604	46%	526	38%	552	40%	555	41%
SAT 25th Percentile Score	1,130	NA	1,100	NA	1,110	NA	1,100	NA	1,080	NA
SAT 75th Percentile Score	1,330	NA	1,300	NA	1,280	NA	1,270	NA	1,260	NA
Declared Major										
Dedman (Humanities & Sciences)	299	21%	276	21%	304	22%	359	26%	284	21%
Cox (Business)	548	39%	525	40%	387	28%	469	34%	514	38%
Meadows (Fine Arts)	231	16%	236	18%	221	16%	290	21%	257	19%
Engineering	138	10%	131	10%	125	9%	138	10%	135	10%
Undecided	186	13%	145	11%	346	25%	124	9%	163	12%
Athletes	123	9%	119	9%	111	8%	133	10%	132	10%

Source: Office of Institutional Research

Regions: Northeast: CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT; Middle States: DC, DE, MD, NJ, NY, PA; Midwest: IA, IL, IN, KS, MI, MN, MO, ND, NE, OH, SD, WV, WI; Southwest: AR, NM, OK, TX; South: AL, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA; West: AK, AZ, CA, CO, HI, ID, MT, NV, OR, UT, WA, WY

^{*} Only a percent of student have their class rank reported. The percentages within class rank are based upon the number of cases reported. Top 50% and Bottom 50% add to 100% HS Rank is based upon data in the Common Data Set