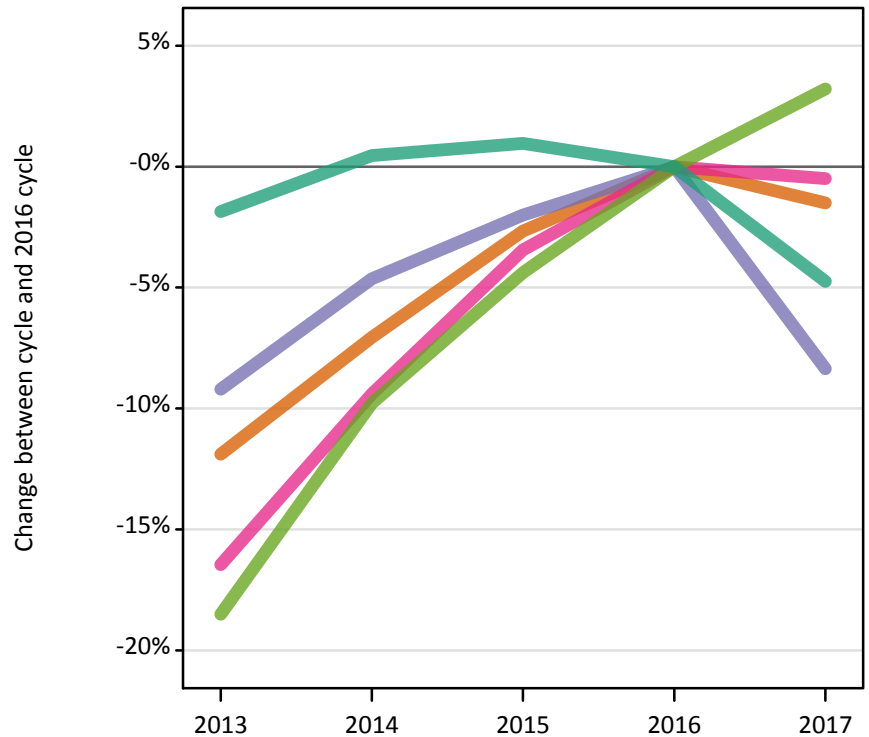


Applicants by ethnic group and age at the 30 June deadline

I.10.1 Applicants by ethnic group: UK

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

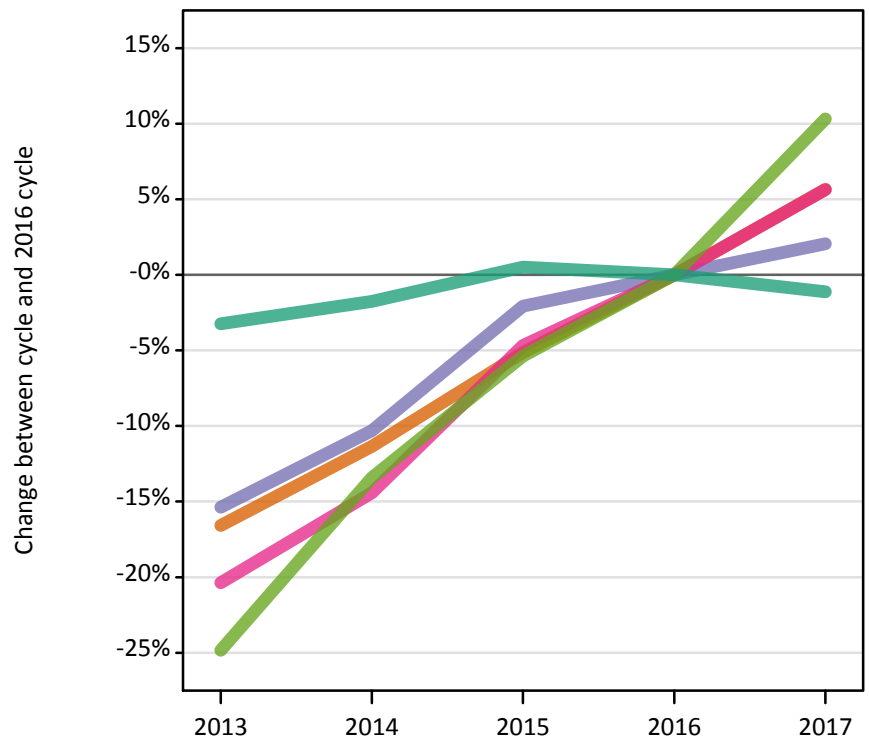
- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



I.10.2 18 year old applicants by ethnic group: UK

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



Note: The percentage change is not plotted in the above charts for groups with fewer than 500 applicants in any one cycle.

I.10.3 Applicants by age and ethnic group: UK

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	26,100	27,730	29,680	31,290	33,060
	Black	11,600	12,300	13,430	13,710	13,990
	Mixed	9,150	9,830	10,950	11,490	12,130
	White	208,620	211,800	216,690	215,580	213,150
	Other	2,810	3,240	3,540	3,740	4,130
19	Asian	13,630	14,100	14,750	14,880	14,100
	Black	6,820	7,390	7,820	7,960	7,410
	Mixed	4,050	4,420	4,610	4,870	4,690
	White	72,620	73,070	72,510	72,060	67,000
	Other	1,680	1,860	2,010	2,120	2,120
20 and over	Asian	14,880	15,810	15,900	15,850	13,920
	Black	23,710	24,550	24,220	24,720	21,100
	Mixed	6,210	6,780	6,860	6,870	6,270
	White	117,740	123,520	121,230	118,760	107,070
	Other	2,880	3,070	3,090	3,200	3,100
All	Asian	54,790	57,790	60,530	62,190	61,260
	Black	42,230	44,350	45,570	46,510	42,620
	Mixed	19,480	21,120	22,510	23,310	23,200
	White	400,220	409,670	411,760	407,810	388,490
	Other	7,420	8,220	8,710	9,110	9,400

I.10.4 Applicants by age and ethnic group: UK

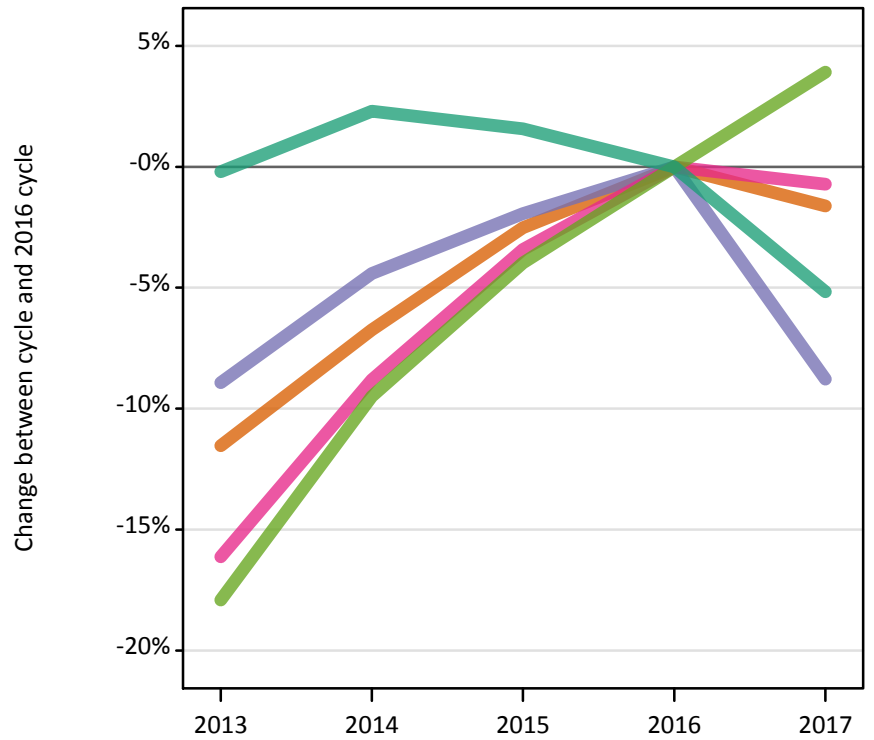
Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	-17%	-11%	-5%	0%	6%
	Black	-15%	-10%	-2%	0%	2%
	Mixed	-20%	-14%	-5%	0%	6%
	White	-3%	-2%	1%	0%	-1%
	Other	-25%	-13%	-5%	0%	10%
19	Asian	-8%	-5%	-1%	0%	-5%
	Black	-14%	-7%	-2%	0%	-7%
	Mixed	-17%	-9%	-5%	0%	-4%
	White	1%	1%	1%	0%	-7%
	Other	-21%	-12%	-5%	0%	0%
20 and over	Asian	-6%	-0%	0%	0%	-12%
	Black	-4%	-1%	-2%	0%	-15%
	Mixed	-10%	-1%	-0%	0%	-9%
	White	-1%	4%	2%	0%	-10%
	Other	-10%	-4%	-3%	0%	-3%
All	Asian	-12%	-7%	-3%	0%	-1%
	Black	-9%	-5%	-2%	0%	-8%
	Mixed	-16%	-9%	-3%	0%	-0%
	White	-2%	0%	1%	0%	-5%
	Other	-19%	-10%	-4%	0%	3%

I.10.5 Applicants by ethnic group: England

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

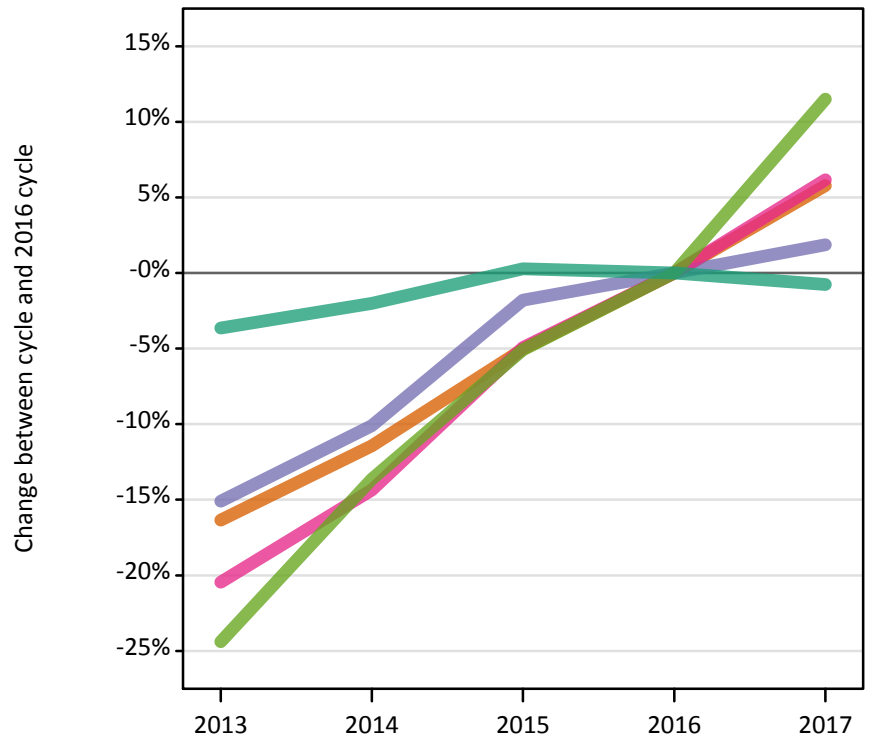
- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



I.10.6 18 year old applicants by ethnic group: England

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



Note: The percentage change is not plotted in the above charts for groups with fewer than 500 applicants in any one cycle.

I.10.7 Applicants by age and ethnic group: England

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	24,980	26,440	28,350	29,860	31,590
	Black	11,400	12,080	13,190	13,430	13,680
	Mixed	8,570	9,230	10,240	10,770	11,430
	White	168,890	171,770	175,780	175,280	173,960
	Other	2,690	3,070	3,380	3,560	3,970
19	Asian	13,100	13,580	14,180	14,320	13,500
	Black	6,700	7,260	7,690	7,820	7,270
	Mixed	3,830	4,210	4,360	4,580	4,430
	White	60,840	61,100	60,450	59,270	54,950
	Other	1,620	1,790	1,940	2,030	2,020
20 and over	Asian	13,780	14,680	14,610	14,490	12,610
	Black	22,930	23,730	23,310	23,820	20,150
	Mixed	5,760	6,300	6,310	6,310	5,620
	White	89,940	94,780	89,070	85,680	74,870
	Other	2,680	2,850	2,860	2,940	2,870
All	Asian	52,010	54,820	57,300	58,780	57,830
	Black	41,130	43,160	44,280	45,160	41,190
	Mixed	18,220	19,810	20,980	21,730	21,570
	White	320,220	328,270	325,920	320,890	304,300
	Other	7,040	7,760	8,230	8,570	8,910

I.10.8 Applicants by age and ethnic group: England

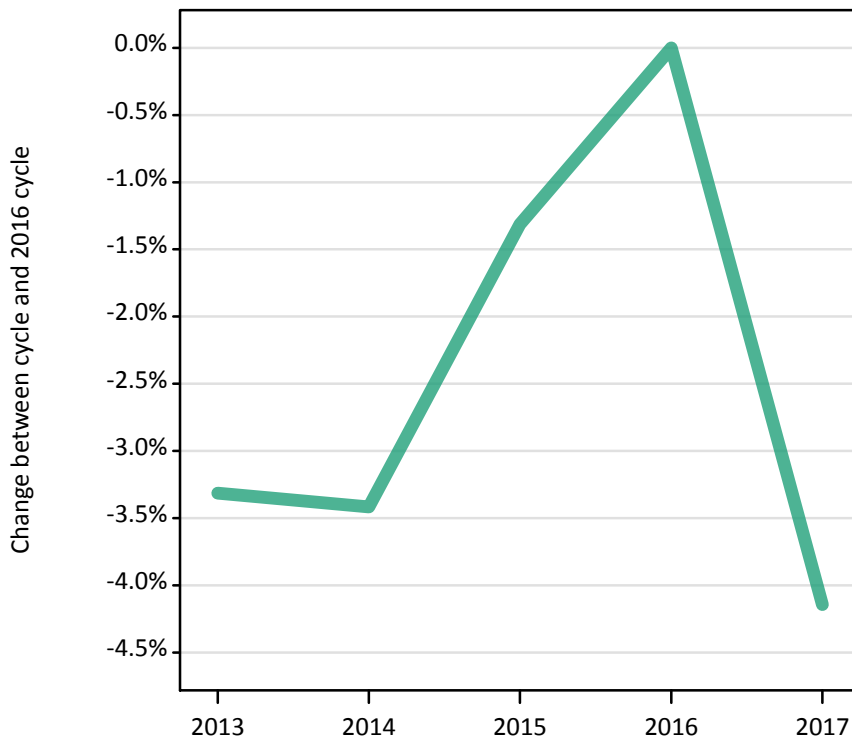
Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	-16%	-11%	-5%	0%	6%
	Black	-15%	-10%	-2%	0%	2%
	Mixed	-20%	-14%	-5%	0%	6%
	White	-4%	-2%	0%	0%	-1%
	Other	-24%	-14%	-5%	0%	11%
19	Asian	-8%	-5%	-1%	0%	-6%
	Black	-14%	-7%	-2%	0%	-7%
	Mixed	-16%	-8%	-5%	0%	-3%
	White	3%	3%	2%	0%	-7%
	Other	-20%	-12%	-5%	0%	-1%
20 and over	Asian	-5%	1%	1%	0%	-13%
	Black	-4%	-0%	-2%	0%	-15%
	Mixed	-9%	-0%	-0%	0%	-11%
	White	5%	11%	4%	0%	-13%
	Other	-9%	-3%	-3%	0%	-2%
All	Asian	-12%	-7%	-3%	0%	-2%
	Black	-9%	-4%	-2%	0%	-9%
	Mixed	-16%	-9%	-3%	0%	-1%
	White	-0%	2%	2%	0%	-5%
	Other	-18%	-9%	-4%	0%	4%

I.10.9 Applicants by ethnic group: Northern Ireland

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

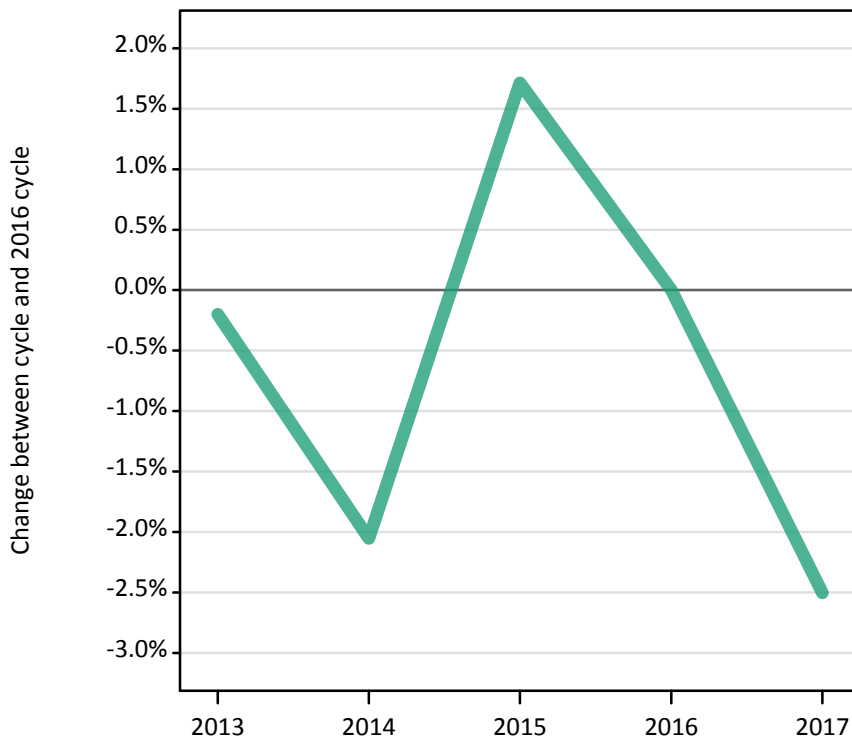
- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



I.10.10 18 year old applicants by ethnic group: Northern Ireland

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



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I.10.11 Applicants by age and ethnic group: Northern Ireland

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	110	110	130	140	140
	Black	20	20	20	20	30
	Mixed	80	80	100	100	100
	White	11,480	11,270	11,700	11,500	11,210
	Other	10	10	10	10	10
19	Asian	60	40	50	70	60
	Black	0	10	10	20	10
	Mixed	20	20	20	30	40
	White	2,950	3,040	3,080	3,480	3,250
	Other	0	10	10	10	10
20 and over	Asian	50	50	70	70	60
	Black	40	50	40	50	50
	Mixed	50	40	50	40	50
	White	5,350	5,470	5,420	5,480	5,170
	Other	20	10	10	20	10
All	Asian	210	210	250	280	260
	Black	70	80	70	90	90
	Mixed	140	150	180	170	190
	White	19,820	19,790	20,230	20,490	19,650
	Other	30	30	30	30	30

I.10.12 Applicants by age and ethnic group: Northern Ireland

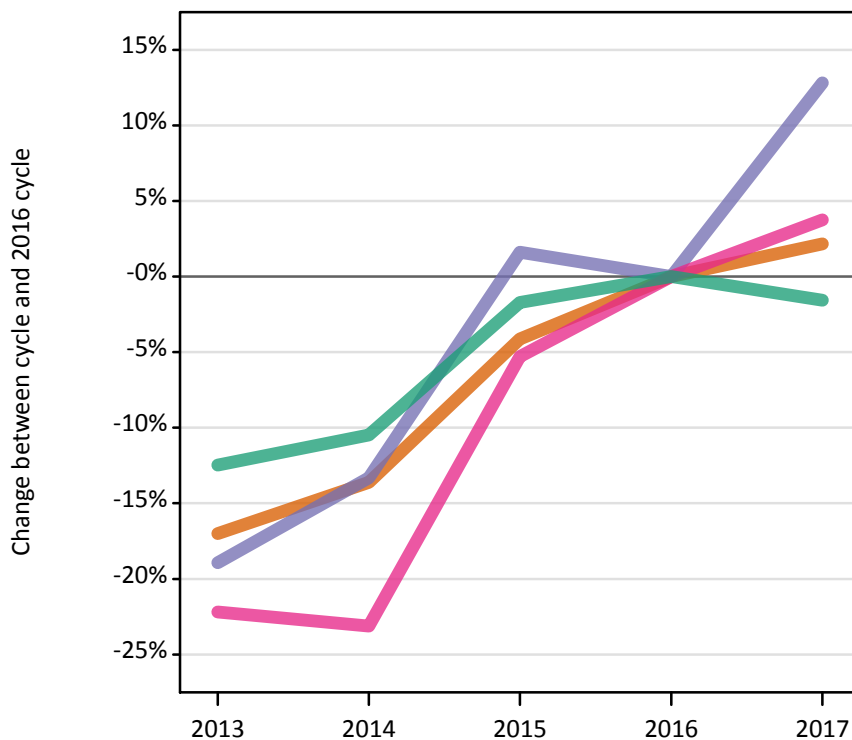
Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	-23%	-17%	-7%	0%	4%
	Black	-17%	-17%	-33%	0%	8%
	Mixed	-20%	-17%	2%	0%	6%
	White	-0%	-2%	2%	0%	-3%
	Other	-33%	17%	-33%	0%	8%
19	Asian	-16%	-34%	-30%	0%	-10%
	Black	-81%	-38%	-63%	0%	-38%
	Mixed	-43%	-37%	-23%	0%	27%
	White	-15%	-13%	-12%	0%	-7%
	Other	-60%	20%	20%	0%	40%
20 and over	Asian	-29%	-22%	4%	0%	-13%
	Black	-24%	-4%	-19%	0%	-4%
	Mixed	24%	13%	42%	0%	18%
	White	-2%	-0%	-1%	0%	-6%
	Other	20%	-13%	-20%	0%	-20%
All	Asian	-24%	-23%	-10%	0%	-4%
	Black	-30%	-13%	-29%	0%	-5%
	Mixed	-15%	-13%	5%	0%	12%
	White	-3%	-3%	-1%	0%	-4%
	Other	-13%	3%	-19%	0%	0%

I.10.13 Applicants by ethnic group: Scotland

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

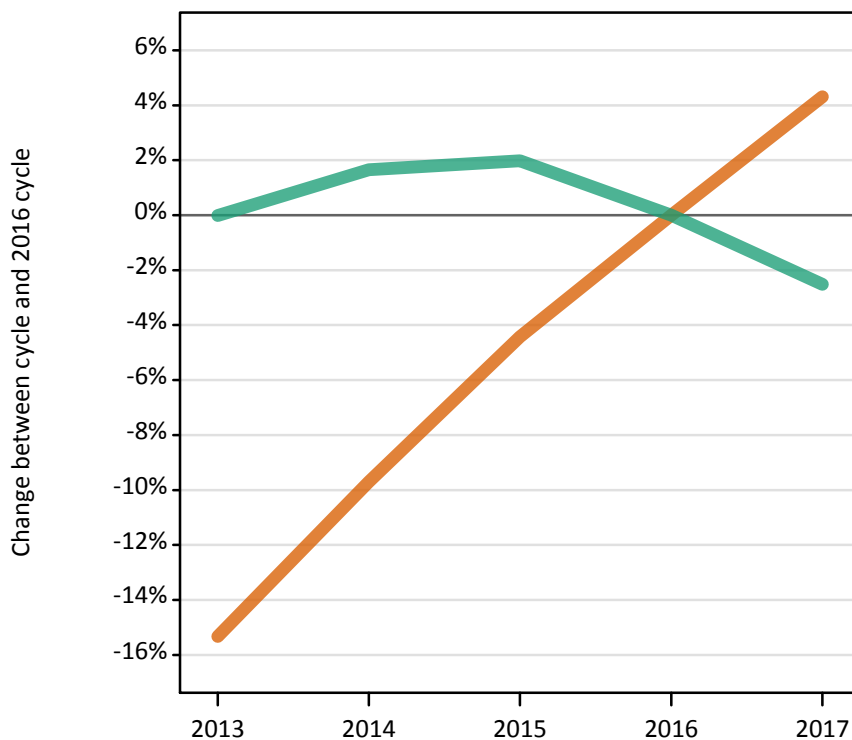
- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



I.10.14 18 year old applicants by ethnic group: Scotland

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



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I.10.15 Applicants by age and ethnic group: Scotland

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	710	750	800	840	870
	Black	110	100	130	140	170
	Mixed	290	280	330	350	350
	White	17,810	18,110	18,170	17,820	17,370
	Other	60	60	90	90	80
19	Asian	280	280	300	310	330
	Black	40	50	60	60	70
	Mixed	110	100	110	140	130
	White	5,090	5,060	5,230	5,420	5,300
	Other	20	20	30	40	40
20 and over	Asian	780	810	960	990	980
	Black	490	540	620	590	660
	Mixed	260	260	350	350	400
	White	15,860	16,500	20,160	21,070	20,910
	Other	110	120	150	160	140
All	Asian	1,810	1,880	2,090	2,180	2,220
	Black	650	700	820	800	910
	Mixed	660	660	810	850	880
	White	39,380	40,280	44,220	44,990	44,290
	Other	200	210	270	300	280

I.10.16 Applicants by age and ethnic group: Scotland

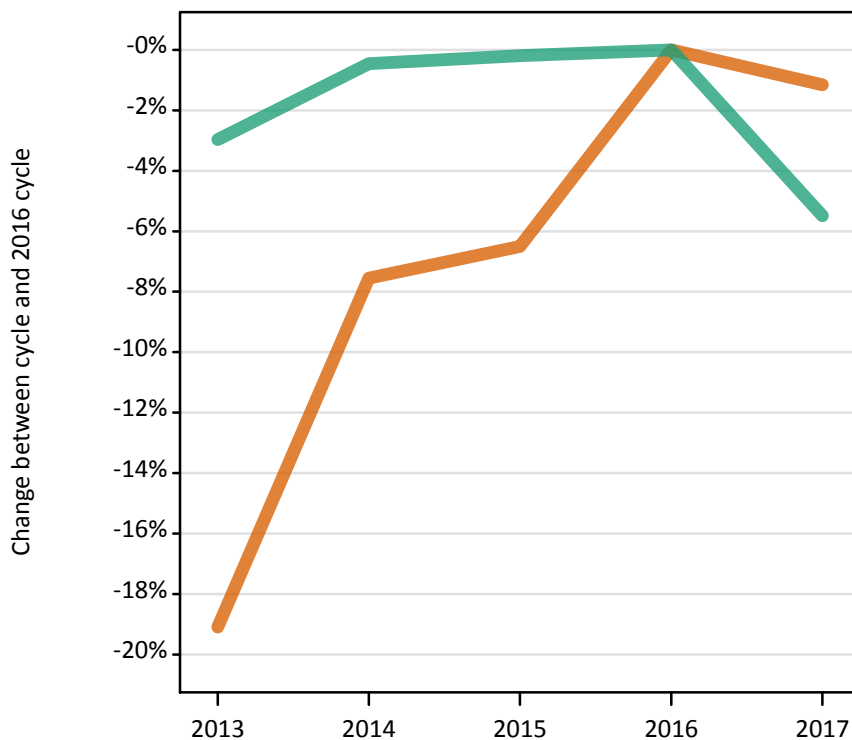
Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	-15%	-10%	-4%	0%	4%
	Black	-23%	-26%	-10%	0%	18%
	Mixed	-17%	-18%	-4%	0%	1%
	White	-0%	2%	2%	0%	-3%
	Other	-27%	-27%	0%	0%	-7%
19	Asian	-9%	-9%	-2%	0%	7%
	Black	-29%	-15%	-3%	0%	10%
	Mixed	-25%	-31%	-19%	0%	-10%
	White	-6%	-7%	-3%	0%	-2%
	Other	-51%	-38%	-36%	0%	8%
20 and over	Asian	-21%	-18%	-3%	0%	-1%
	Black	-16%	-9%	6%	0%	12%
	Mixed	-26%	-27%	-1%	0%	12%
	White	-25%	-22%	-4%	0%	-1%
	Other	-30%	-27%	-6%	0%	-12%
All	Asian	-17%	-14%	-4%	0%	2%
	Black	-19%	-13%	2%	0%	13%
	Mixed	-22%	-23%	-5%	0%	4%
	White	-12%	-10%	-2%	0%	-2%
	Other	-31%	-28%	-9%	0%	-6%

I.10.17 Applicants by ethnic group: Wales

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

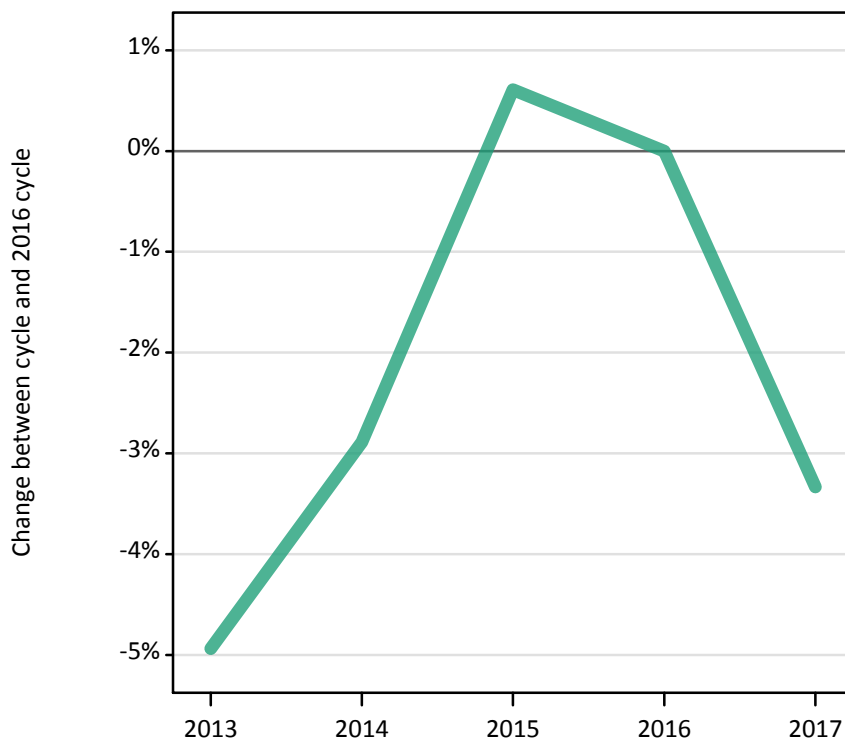
- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



I.10.18 18 year old applicants by ethnic group: Wales

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



Note: The percentage change is not plotted in the above charts for groups with fewer than 500 applicants in any one cycle.

I.10.19 Applicants by age and ethnic group: Wales

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	310	420	400	460	460
	Black	70	100	90	110	120
	Mixed	220	240	280	270	250
	White	10,440	10,660	11,050	10,980	10,610
	Other	50	90	70	80	70
19	Asian	190	200	220	190	210
	Black	70	70	70	70	70
	Mixed	90	90	110	120	100
	White	3,740	3,880	3,750	3,900	3,510
	Other	40	40	40	40	50
20 and over	Asian	260	260	270	300	280
	Black	240	240	250	260	240
	Mixed	140	180	150	170	210
	White	6,590	6,770	6,580	6,540	6,120
	Other	60	80	70	80	70
All	Asian	770	880	890	950	940
	Black	380	410	410	450	430
	Mixed	450	510	550	570	560
	White	20,800	21,340	21,390	21,430	20,260
	Other	150	210	180	210	180

I.10.20 Applicants by age and ethnic group: Wales

Difference between cycle and 2016 cycle

Age group and ethnic group of applicant		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
18	Asian	-32%	-8%	-13%	0%	-0%
	Black	-39%	-14%	-19%	0%	4%
	Mixed	-21%	-12%	3%	0%	-9%
	White	-5%	-3%	1%	0%	-3%
	Other	-40%	5%	-19%	0%	-21%
19	Asian	2%	4%	17%	0%	9%
	Black	-3%	0%	-1%	0%	-4%
	Mixed	-26%	-26%	-10%	0%	-20%
	White	-4%	-1%	-4%	0%	-10%
	Other	-7%	0%	5%	0%	15%
20 and over	Asian	-13%	-15%	-12%	0%	-8%
	Black	-10%	-11%	-7%	0%	-9%
	Mixed	-18%	4%	-11%	0%	24%
	White	1%	4%	1%	0%	-6%
	Other	-24%	1%	-14%	0%	-18%
All	Asian	-19%	-8%	-7%	0%	-1%
	Black	-15%	-10%	-9%	0%	-5%
	Mixed	-21%	-11%	-4%	0%	-2%
	White	-3%	-0%	-0%	0%	-5%
	Other	-26%	2%	-12%	0%	-12%

I.10.21 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2017 courses since early September. Applicants who submit their applications to UCAS by the January deadline are considered 'on time' applicants for the large majority of courses offered through UCAS. Some art and design courses have a later deadline of 24 March. By definition all main scheme applications have been received by the 30 June deadline.

Age

This statistical release uses country-specific age definitions which align with the cut off points for school/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 the cohort cut off for England and Wales has been used.

Applicant

A person who has made an application in the UCAS system during the cycle reported (including applications for deferred entry). Records of prior acceptance (RPAs) are excluded.

Application

An application to a course at a provider made by an applicant in the UCAS main scheme. Applicants may make up to five main scheme applications.

Country of provider

An applicant may be counted once for each provider country they have applied to in the main scheme. If an applicant has applied to providers in multiple countries then the applicant is counted once within each country of provider applied to.

Domicile

Declared area of permanent residence. The Channel Islands and the Isle of Man have been assigned as 'Not EU'.

Ethnic group

High level grouping of ethnic origin as declared by the applicant: 'Asian', 'Black', 'Mixed', 'White', 'Other', 'Unknown'.

First time applicant

An applicant that did not apply to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.

Main scheme

The main UCAS application scheme through which up to five providers/courses can be applied to. This opens in September and closes to new applications on 30 June the following year.

Reapplicant

An applicant that applied to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.

Subject group

The JACS3 classification used to classify courses into subject groups.