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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	6,140	6,800	6,820	6,670	6,395	6,185
Placed June deadline applicants	730	955	975	1,045	925	980
All placed applicants	775	1,055	1,045	1,125	995	1,100
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	80.7	90.3	89.0	89.0	86.3	85.6
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	9.6	12.7	12.7	13.9	12.5	13.6
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	10.2	14.0	13.7	15.0	13.4	15.2

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	7,325	8,230	8,165	7,825	7,595	7,280
Offers	4,850	5,505	5,480	5,455	5,260	5,025
Offer rate	66.2%	66.9%	67.1%	69.7%	69.3%	69.0%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

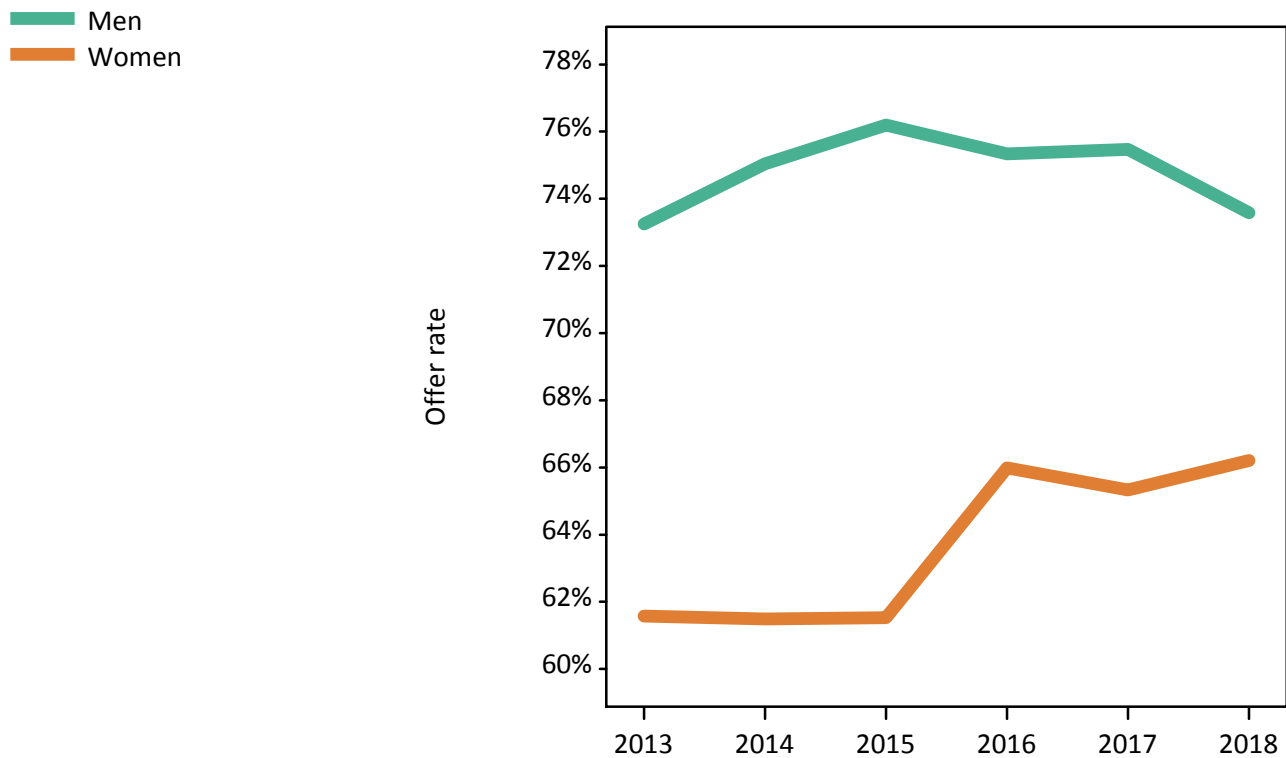
Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	2,365	2,680	2,515	2,550	2,395	2,275
	Women	3,770	4,120	4,310	4,120	4,000	3,910
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	290	410	425	410	380	370
	Women	440	545	545	635	540	610
All placed applicants	Men	305	460	440	435	415	425
	Women	465	595	605	690	575	675
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	60.6	69.2	64.1	66.4	63.1	61.4
	Women	101.8	112.6	115.3	112.8	110.8	111.1
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	7.5	10.6	10.9	10.6	10.1	10.0
	Women	11.8	14.8	14.6	17.4	15.0	17.3
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	7.9	11.9	11.2	11.4	11.0	11.5
	Women	12.6	16.3	16.2	18.8	16.0	19.2

P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	2,910	3,300	3,110	3,080	2,950	2,770
	Women	4,415	4,930	5,055	4,750	4,640	4,510
Offers	Men	2,130	2,475	2,370	2,320	2,230	2,040
	Women	2,720	3,030	3,110	3,135	3,030	2,985
Offer rate	Men	73.2%	75.0%	76.2%	75.3%	75.5%	73.6%
	Women	61.6%	61.5%	61.5%	66.0%	65.3%	66.2%
Average offer rate	Men	72.9%	75.5%	75.7%	75.5%	75.6%	75.2%
	Women	61.8%	61.1%	61.8%	65.9%	65.3%	65.2%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	0.3	-0.5	0.5	-0.2	-0.1	-1.6
	Women	-0.2	0.3	-0.3	0.1	0.1	1.0
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.604	0.607	0.597	0.583	0.594	0.585
	Women	0.739	0.737	0.752	0.729	0.742	0.745

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.



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.



P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	430	495	490	455	500	500
	Quintile 2	680	835	875	890	840	820
	Quintile 3	1,195	1,250	1,245	1,230	1,215	1,075
	Quintile 4	1,530	1,680	1,615	1,620	1,590	1,515
	Quintile 5	2,290	2,530	2,580	2,465	2,245	2,250
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	40	55	65	55	50	80
	Quintile 2	60	85	100	135	85	115
	Quintile 3	125	175	170	185	150	165
	Quintile 4	195	245	220	260	230	230
	Quintile 5	310	390	410	405	400	385
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	40	60	75	65	55	85
	Quintile 2	65	90	115	145	90	125
	Quintile 3	135	200	180	195	165	190
	Quintile 4	205	275	230	280	250	265
	Quintile 5	325	425	440	440	425	425
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	30.4	35.3	34.6	33.6	37.2	38.3
	Quintile 2	46.9	58.0	60.0	62.6	60.2	60.4
	Quintile 3	80.3	85.2	83.0	83.9	83.7	76.4
	Quintile 4	99.3	110.1	104.4	106.2	105.1	102.7
	Quintile 5	133.0	148.6	148.7	142.9	130.8	133.7
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	2.8	3.9	4.7	4.2	3.8	6.0
	Quintile 2	4.1	5.8	6.9	9.6	6.2	8.4
	Quintile 3	8.5	12.0	11.5	12.5	10.4	11.8
	Quintile 4	12.8	16.2	14.2	17.1	15.3	15.7
	Quintile 5	17.9	22.9	23.7	23.5	23.3	23.0
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	2.9	4.3	5.4	4.8	4.0	6.6
	Quintile 2	4.5	6.4	7.9	10.3	6.6	9.4
	Quintile 3	9.1	13.5	12.1	13.2	11.4	13.6
	Quintile 4	13.2	18.1	14.9	18.3	16.7	18.0
	Quintile 5	19.0	25.0	25.4	25.6	24.8	25.4

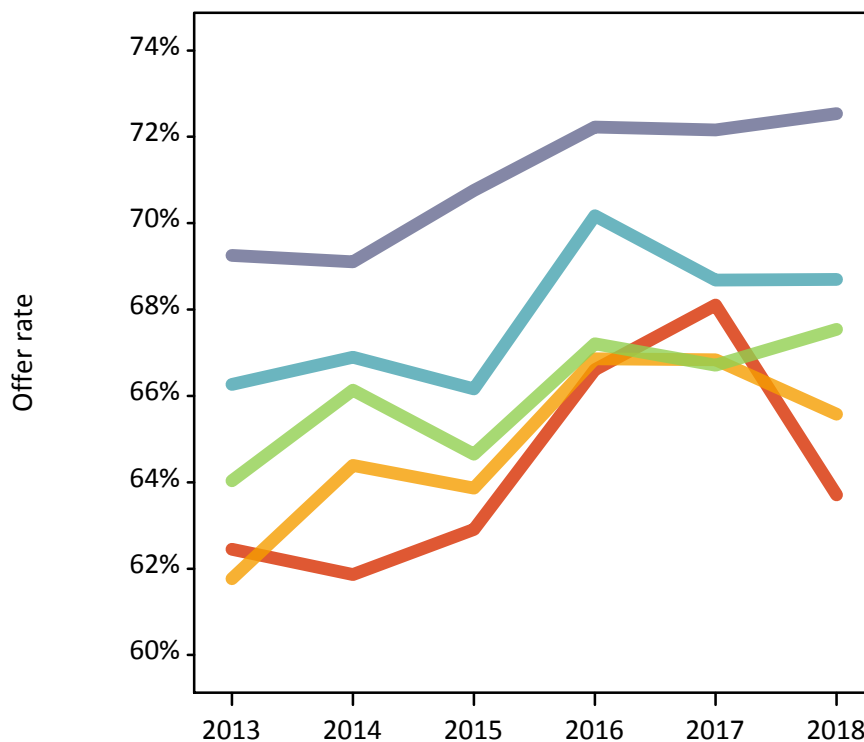
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	515	610	610	535	600	610
	Quintile 2	805	980	1,025	1,035	1,000	945
	Quintile 3	1,395	1,500	1,470	1,425	1,440	1,255
	Quintile 4	1,840	2,050	1,930	1,895	1,885	1,805
	Quintile 5	2,760	3,070	3,115	2,920	2,655	2,640
Offers	Quintile 1	320	380	385	355	410	390
	Quintile 2	495	630	655	690	665	620
	Quintile 3	890	990	950	960	960	845
	Quintile 4	1,220	1,370	1,275	1,330	1,295	1,240
	Quintile 5	1,910	2,125	2,205	2,110	1,915	1,915
Offer rate	Quintile 1	62.5%	61.9%	62.9%	66.6%	68.1%	63.7%
	Quintile 2	61.8%	64.4%	63.9%	66.9%	66.8%	65.6%
	Quintile 3	64.0%	66.1%	64.6%	67.2%	66.7%	67.5%
	Quintile 4	66.3%	66.9%	66.2%	70.2%	68.7%	68.7%
	Quintile 5	69.3%	69.1%	70.8%	72.2%	72.2%	72.5%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	64.9%	64.5%	64.1%	66.5%	67.9%	68.4%
	Quintile 2	64.4%	65.7%	64.8%	67.3%	67.5%	68.2%
	Quintile 3	64.3%	65.2%	65.4%	69.4%	67.7%	67.1%
	Quintile 4	66.4%	66.5%	65.6%	69.8%	69.1%	68.9%
	Quintile 5	67.8%	68.9%	70.2%	71.3%	71.1%	70.6%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	-2.4	-2.6	-1.2	0.1	0.2	-4.7
	Quintile 2	-2.7	-1.3	-0.9	-0.4	-0.7	-2.7
	Quintile 3	-0.2	0.9	-0.8	-2.2	-1.0	0.5
	Quintile 4	-0.1	0.4	0.5	0.3	-0.4	-0.2
	Quintile 5	1.4	0.2	0.6	1.0	1.0	2.0
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.170	0.154	0.147	0.144	0.143	0.118
	Quintile 2	0.184	0.183	0.191	0.192	0.179	0.161
	Quintile 3	0.260	0.232	0.228	0.231	0.238	0.204
	Quintile 4	0.305	0.296	0.279	0.286	0.288	0.276
	Quintile 5	0.435	0.424	0.429	0.419	0.395	0.396

P.9 18 year old offer rate by POLAR4 quintile

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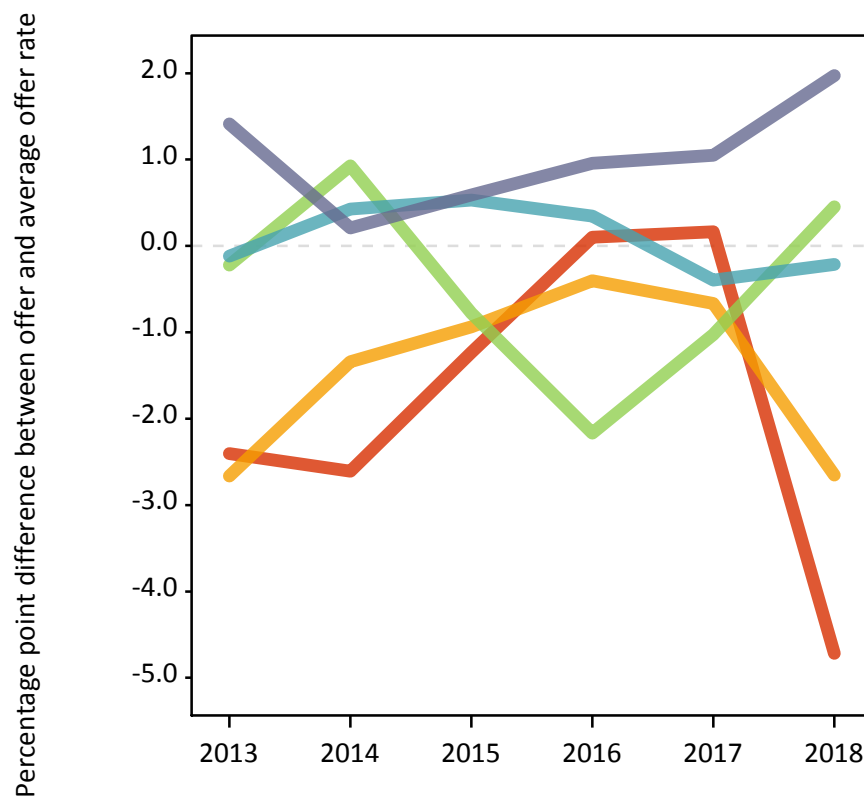
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P.10 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by POLAR4 quintile

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	415	555	585	590	675	580
	Quintile 2	665	785	840	850	850	775
	Quintile 3	985	1,130	1,145	1,045	1,075	980
	Quintile 4	1,150	1,310	1,360	1,365	1,260	1,230
	Quintile 5	1,420	1,570	1,620	1,580	1,485	1,450
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	40	40	60	70	45	80
	Quintile 2	70	90	115	120	90	105
	Quintile 3	125	175	180	205	165	170
	Quintile 4	170	255	230	260	240	230
	Quintile 5	200	290	280	280	285	300
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	40	45	65	75	50	85
	Quintile 2	75	95	120	125	95	130
	Quintile 3	130	200	185	215	170	195
	Quintile 4	175	280	235	280	255	250
	Quintile 5	210	310	290	300	305	330
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	326.0	436.1	476.6	489.2	580.7	511.6
	Quintile 2	563.3	665.6	737.1	770.2	792.2	731.2
	Quintile 3	832.6	967.6	977.9	928.8	989.1	936.7
	Quintile 4	930.4	1,067.1	1,129.8	1,138.2	1,078.9	1,095.1
	Quintile 5	1,103.3	1,225.3	1,271.8	1,263.9	1,184.6	1,216.2
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	31.3	33.1	50.3	58.8	38.8	70.3
	Quintile 2	59.5	74.8	99.0	109.9	84.9	100.3
	Quintile 3	106.6	150.4	154.7	180.3	152.9	164.4
	Quintile 4	138.3	208.5	191.3	218.6	206.7	204.9
	Quintile 5	155.4	224.5	221.5	225.6	226.1	249.6
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	31.3	35.4	52.0	63.7	41.4	73.8
	Quintile 2	63.7	81.6	103.4	115.4	88.6	121.1
	Quintile 3	111.7	169.2	159.0	189.1	158.4	184.5
	Quintile 4	141.6	228.9	197.2	234.5	218.7	224.5
	Quintile 5	162.4	242.4	229.4	238.4	244.4	276.4

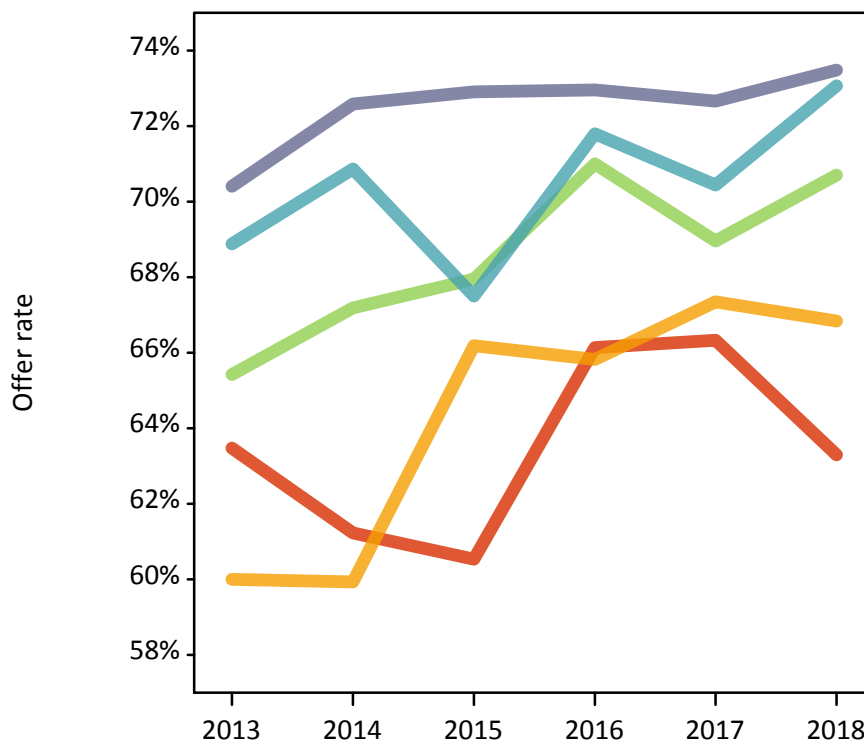
P.12 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applications by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	500	680	710	690	800	690
	Quintile 2	805	950	1,045	1,020	1,030	955
	Quintile 3	1,205	1,405	1,375	1,255	1,310	1,180
	Quintile 4	1,460	1,660	1,675	1,660	1,535	1,485
	Quintile 5	1,755	2,015	2,030	1,910	1,805	1,755
Offers	Quintile 1	320	415	430	455	530	440
	Quintile 2	485	570	690	670	695	635
	Quintile 3	790	945	935	890	905	835
	Quintile 4	1,005	1,175	1,130	1,190	1,080	1,085
	Quintile 5	1,235	1,465	1,480	1,390	1,315	1,290
Offer rate	Quintile 1	63.5%	61.2%	60.5%	66.1%	66.3%	63.3%
	Quintile 2	60.0%	59.9%	66.2%	65.8%	67.3%	66.8%
	Quintile 3	65.4%	67.2%	68.0%	71.0%	69.0%	70.7%
	Quintile 4	68.9%	70.9%	67.5%	71.8%	70.4%	73.1%
	Quintile 5	70.4%	72.6%	72.9%	73.0%	72.7%	73.5%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	65.3%	64.3%	65.7%	67.5%	67.9%	67.7%
	Quintile 2	64.2%	63.2%	66.4%	67.7%	67.7%	69.7%
	Quintile 3	66.5%	66.4%	67.3%	69.6%	68.8%	69.8%
	Quintile 4	68.2%	69.8%	66.8%	71.1%	69.1%	70.9%
	Quintile 5	67.8%	71.5%	72.0%	72.9%	73.1%	72.6%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	-1.9	-3.1	-5.1	-1.4	-1.6	-4.4
	Quintile 2	-4.2	-3.2	-0.2	-1.9	-0.3	-2.8
	Quintile 3	-1.1	0.8	0.7	1.4	0.2	0.9
	Quintile 4	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.7	1.4	2.1
	Quintile 5	2.6	1.1	0.9	0.0	-0.4	0.9
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.123	0.126	0.133	0.130	0.151	0.130
	Quintile 2	0.172	0.167	0.174	0.175	0.177	0.167
	Quintile 3	0.231	0.232	0.221	0.207	0.224	0.207
	Quintile 4	0.280	0.271	0.265	0.274	0.256	0.253
	Quintile 5	0.336	0.331	0.330	0.316	0.305	0.308

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

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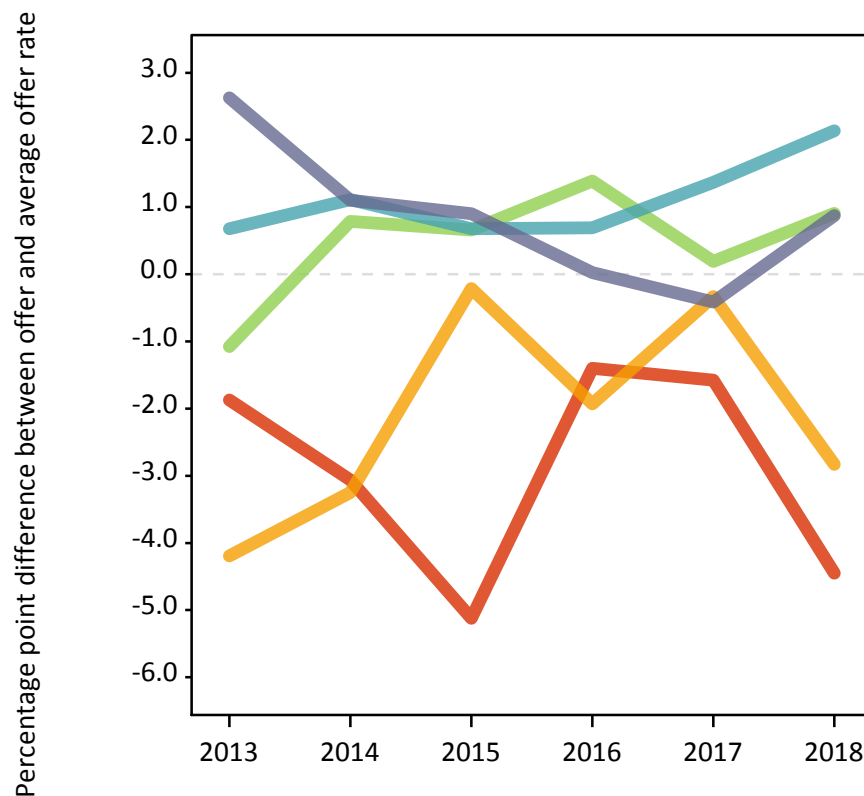
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P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate and average offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

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P.15 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

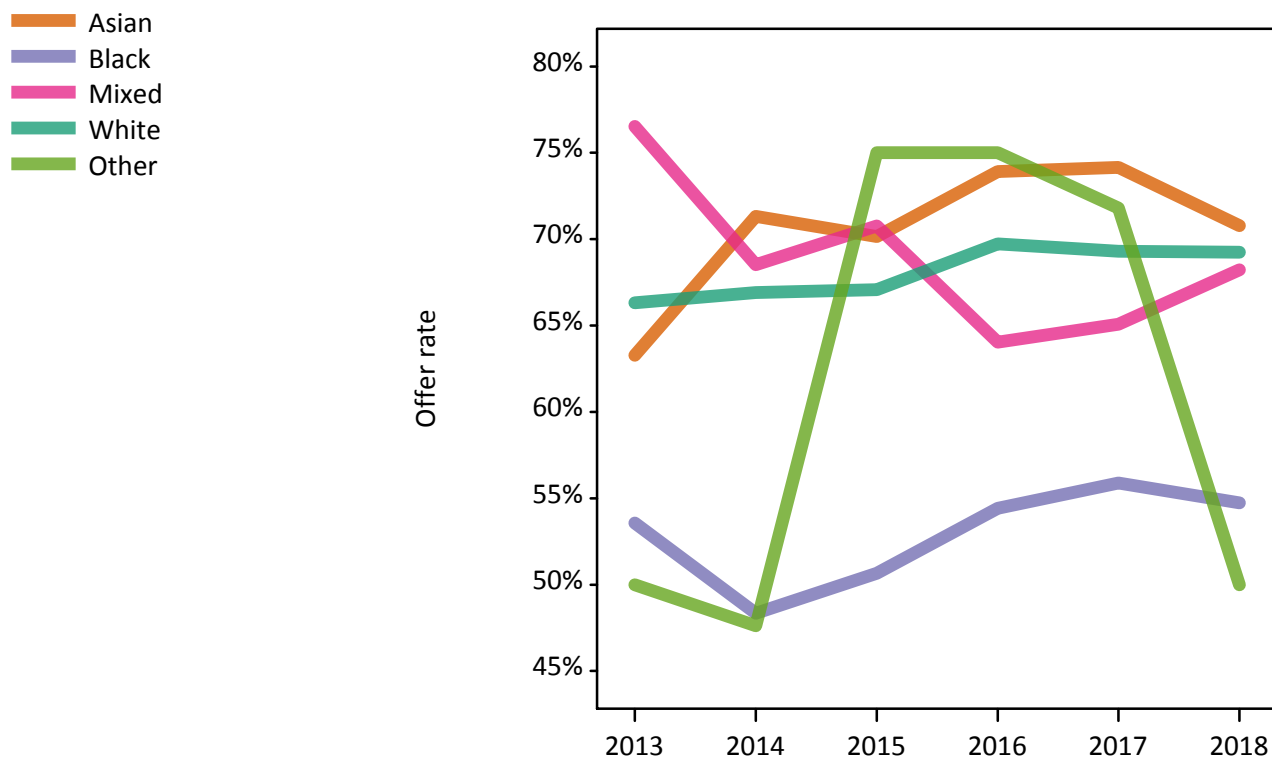
Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	155	205	225	210	220	245
	Black	50	55	65	60	60	80
	Mixed	100	95	115	120	105	115
	White	5,790	6,415	6,370	6,240	5,955	5,700
	Other	20	20	30	25	35	25
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	15	25	30	25	25	40
	Black	5	0	5	5	5	10
	Mixed	15	15	10	15	10	15
	White	690	910	920	990	880	910
	Other	0	0	5	0	5	5
All placed applicants	Asian	15	30	35	30	30	55
	Black	5	0	5	10	5	10
	Mixed	15	15	10	20	10	15
	White	730	1,005	985	1,065	935	1,010
	Other	0	0	5	0	5	5
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	23.7	30.5	31.5	29.0	30.0	32.9
	Black	16.8	18.1	21.0	18.5	19.4	26.3
	Mixed	37.7	32.3	37.0	38.5	33.3	35.0
	White	92.0	103.9	102.2	103.1	100.4	99.3
	Other	23.2	20.4	31.1	24.1	34.0	22.8
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	2.3	3.7	4.5	3.5	3.3	5.5
	Black	2.4	0.0	1.9	2.2	1.0	2.6
	Mixed	5.5	4.5	2.9	5.1	3.4	4.3
	White	11.0	14.8	14.7	16.4	14.8	15.8
	Other	0.0	0.0	4.1	0.0	5.8	2.9
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	2.4	4.4	5.1	3.9	3.9	7.3
	Black	2.4	0.0	2.2	2.6	1.6	3.8
	Mixed	5.9	5.2	3.2	5.7	3.7	5.3
	White	11.6	16.3	15.8	17.6	15.8	17.6
	Other	0.0	0.0	4.1	0.0	5.8	2.9

P.16 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	205	260	280	255	265	285
	Black	55	60	75	70	70	95
	Mixed	115	110	130	140	125	130
	White	6,900	7,765	7,625	7,315	7,070	6,720
	Other	25	20	35	30	40	25
Offers	Asian	130	185	195	185	200	200
	Black	30	30	40	35	40	50
	Mixed	90	75	90	90	80	90
	White	4,575	5,195	5,115	5,100	4,900	4,655
	Other	10	10	25	20	30	15
Offer rate	Asian	63.3%	71.3%	70.1%	73.9%	74.2%	70.8%
	Black	53.6%	48.3%	50.7%	54.4%	55.9%	54.7%
	Mixed	76.5%	68.5%	70.8%	64.0%	65.1%	68.2%
	White	66.3%	66.9%	67.1%	69.7%	69.3%	69.2%
	Other	50.0%	47.6%	75.0%	75.0%	71.8%	50.0%
Average offer rate	Asian	72.9%	77.1%	75.3%	79.8%	76.7%	76.9%
	Black	63.9%	64.1%	65.9%	63.9%	68.9%	71.5%
	Mixed	73.6%	68.7%	71.0%	66.9%	65.7%	70.9%
	White	65.9%	66.5%	66.8%	69.4%	69.0%	68.6%
	Other	72.0%	76.1%	68.0%	74.5%	78.2%	76.2%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Asian	-9.6	-5.8	-5.2	-5.9	-2.5	-6.2
	Black	-10.3	-15.7	-15.2	-9.5	-13.0	-16.8
	Mixed	2.9	-0.2	-0.2	-2.9	-0.6	-2.7
	White	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.7
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Asian	0.113	0.099	0.096	0.119	0.084	0.079
	Black	0.124	0.174	0.111	0.078	0.072	0.046
	Mixed	0.144	0.116	0.153	0.089	0.087	0.092
	White	0.949	0.950	0.941	0.940	0.937	0.928
	Other	0.111	0.096	0.144	0.061	0.127	0.036

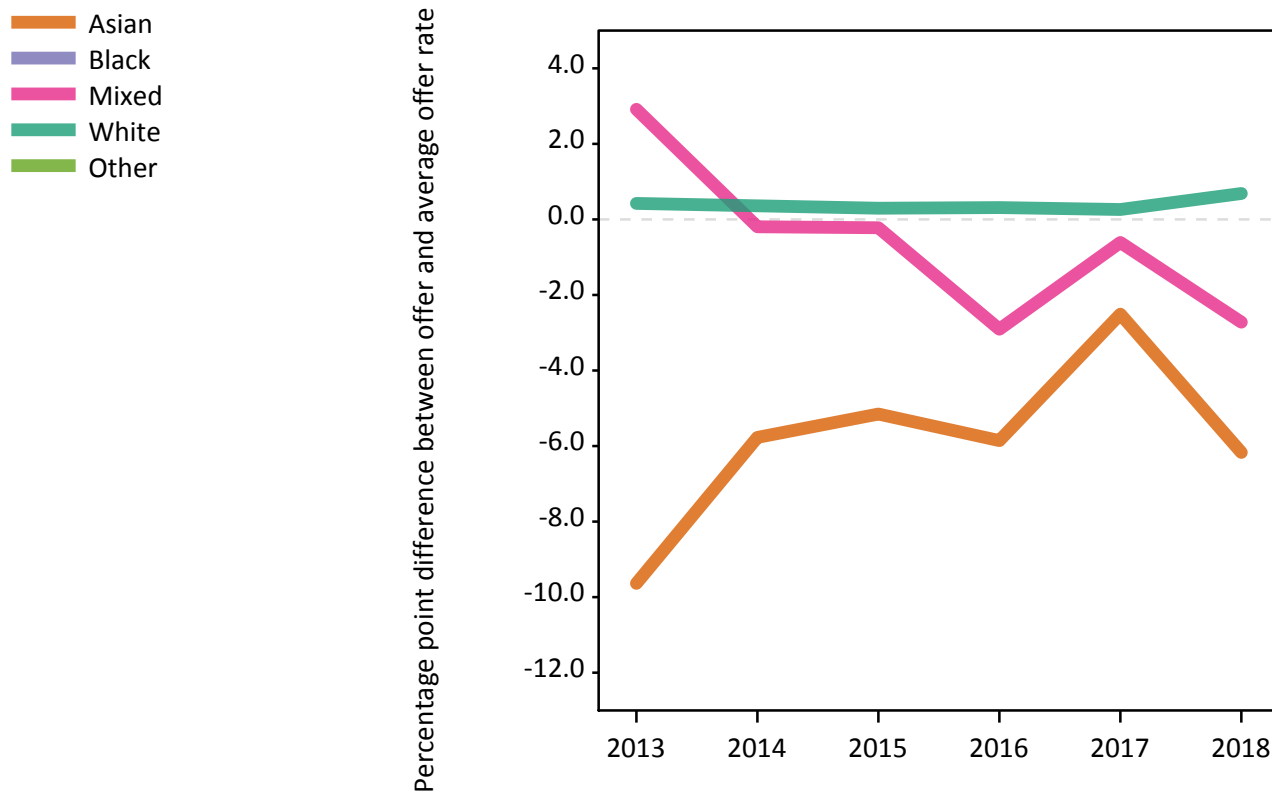
P.17 18 year old offer rate by ethnic group

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.



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 2013-2018.



P.19 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	13,995	14,980	15,025	14,835	14,270	14,045
Placed June deadline applicants	2,140	2,595	2,575	2,700	2,470	2,530
All placed applicants	2,295	2,850	2,830	2,950	2,675	2,890

P.20 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	17,890	19,135	18,975	18,525	17,840	17,280
Offers	9,085	10,075	10,035	10,195	9,630	9,555
Offer rate	50.8%	52.7%	52.9%	55.0%	54.0%	55.3%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	5,705	6,015	5,905	5,980	5,780	5,590
	Women	8,285	8,970	9,120	8,855	8,485	8,455
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	960	1,140	1,135	1,185	1,090	1,060
	Women	1,180	1,455	1,445	1,515	1,385	1,470
All placed applicants	Men	1,010	1,235	1,190	1,285	1,175	1,205
	Women	1,280	1,615	1,640	1,665	1,495	1,685

P.22 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	7,640	8,020	7,825	7,770	7,575	7,135
	Women	10,245	11,110	11,155	10,750	10,265	10,145
Offers	Men	4,330	4,815	4,655	4,760	4,485	4,225
	Women	4,755	5,260	5,380	5,435	5,140	5,325
Offer rate	Men	56.7%	60.0%	59.5%	61.3%	59.2%	59.2%
	Women	46.4%	47.3%	48.2%	50.5%	50.1%	52.5%

P.23 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	1,245	1,410	1,355	1,385	1,365	1,340
	Quintile 2	1,835	2,015	2,135	2,050	2,060	2,045
	Quintile 3	2,700	2,840	2,870	2,850	2,705	2,540
	Quintile 4	3,295	3,575	3,415	3,445	3,300	3,245
	Quintile 5	4,875	5,110	5,215	5,070	4,805	4,825
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	210	265	265	260	245	295
	Quintile 2	270	280	325	355	330	335
	Quintile 3	375	490	460	495	430	460
	Quintile 4	475	620	565	630	545	545
	Quintile 5	805	935	955	960	915	885
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	225	285	295	290	270	330
	Quintile 2	285	310	370	390	360	385
	Quintile 3	410	530	510	530	475	535
	Quintile 4	505	690	615	690	590	630
	Quintile 5	860	1,030	1,035	1,050	975	1,005

P.24 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	1,670	1,835	1,815	1,795	1,820	1,715
	Quintile 2	2,365	2,530	2,670	2,540	2,615	2,500
	Quintile 3	3,390	3,620	3,555	3,500	3,375	3,115
	Quintile 4	4,140	4,565	4,265	4,285	4,050	3,975
	Quintile 5	6,270	6,545	6,625	6,360	5,935	5,915
Offers	Quintile 1	785	850	875	875	905	895
	Quintile 2	1,090	1,210	1,295	1,325	1,320	1,335
	Quintile 3	1,690	1,850	1,780	1,830	1,765	1,660
	Quintile 4	2,085	2,460	2,240	2,375	2,200	2,190
	Quintile 5	3,410	3,690	3,825	3,775	3,415	3,450
Offer rate	Quintile 1	46.9%	46.3%	48.2%	48.8%	49.6%	52.1%
	Quintile 2	46.0%	47.8%	48.5%	52.1%	50.6%	53.4%
	Quintile 3	49.9%	51.1%	50.0%	52.3%	52.2%	53.3%
	Quintile 4	50.4%	53.9%	52.5%	55.4%	54.3%	55.0%
	Quintile 5	54.4%	56.4%	57.7%	59.4%	57.6%	58.3%

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	1,385	1,620	1,675	1,725	1,855	1,840
	Quintile 2	1,880	2,055	2,160	2,170	2,125	2,045
	Quintile 3	2,300	2,515	2,540	2,495	2,420	2,335
	Quintile 4	2,525	2,755	2,875	2,890	2,760	2,710
	Quintile 5	3,010	3,195	3,265	3,175	3,070	3,080
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	205	235	265	265	255	305
	Quintile 2	315	365	375	415	375	375
	Quintile 3	405	495	490	520	435	460
	Quintile 4	420	590	580	615	560	550
	Quintile 5	550	685	665	645	635	660
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	220	250	280	300	275	345
	Quintile 2	325	395	410	450	405	430
	Quintile 3	440	540	525	560	470	535
	Quintile 4	445	640	620	665	590	625
	Quintile 5	590	755	710	695	685	745

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	1,800	2,060	2,130	2,175	2,365	2,300
	Quintile 2	2,525	2,700	2,860	2,820	2,725	2,585
	Quintile 3	3,055	3,370	3,260	3,180	3,080	2,955
	Quintile 4	3,360	3,695	3,690	3,745	3,560	3,420
	Quintile 5	4,040	4,285	4,355	4,075	3,920	3,880
Offers	Quintile 1	805	890	980	1,080	1,125	1,180
	Quintile 2	1,185	1,290	1,375	1,415	1,420	1,315
	Quintile 3	1,525	1,775	1,710	1,700	1,645	1,635
	Quintile 4	1,760	2,095	2,060	2,185	1,945	1,985
	Quintile 5	2,230	2,525	2,570	2,455	2,295	2,290
Offer rate	Quintile 1	44.6%	43.2%	46.1%	49.7%	47.6%	51.2%
	Quintile 2	46.9%	47.7%	48.1%	50.2%	52.1%	50.8%
	Quintile 3	49.9%	52.7%	52.4%	53.5%	53.3%	55.3%
	Quintile 4	52.5%	56.7%	55.8%	58.3%	54.6%	58.1%
	Quintile 5	55.2%	58.9%	59.0%	60.2%	58.6%	59.0%

P.27 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	475	530	570	575	610	605
	Black	285	310	345	310	310	340
	Mixed	240	225	275	260	275	295
	White	12,860	13,790	13,670	13,525	12,905	12,630
	Other	65	70	90	75	85	85
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	75	85	95	95	90	110
	Black	35	30	35	35	40	60
	Mixed	35	35	35	35	35	50
	White	1,970	2,435	2,380	2,500	2,275	2,285
	Other	10	5	15	10	15	10
All placed applicants	Asian	80	95	110	100	95	135
	Black	40	35	45	50	50	80
	Mixed	35	40	35	35	45	60
	White	2,110	2,655	2,600	2,725	2,440	2,580
	Other	10	10	15	10	15	15

P.28 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	640	725	740	720	780	715
	Black	345	385	435	365	375	415
	Mixed	295	280	335	340	335	375
	White	16,435	17,580	17,260	16,895	16,120	15,560
	Other	75	90	115	100	110	100
Offers	Asian	340	390	405	410	435	430
	Black	105	110	135	125	130	185
	Mixed	160	145	175	160	170	195
	White	8,415	9,355	9,200	9,385	8,775	8,640
	Other	25	40	65	50	60	45
Offer rate	Asian	53.2%	53.9%	54.9%	56.8%	55.8%	59.8%
	Black	31.0%	29.0%	31.2%	33.7%	34.1%	44.1%
	Mixed	54.4%	51.6%	52.7%	47.0%	51.3%	52.5%
	White	51.2%	53.2%	53.3%	55.5%	54.4%	55.5%
	Other	30.7%	43.2%	56.6%	49.0%	54.6%	42.6%

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.