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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	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	6,625	6,855	7,215	7,190	7,155	6,610
Placed June deadline applicants	1,065	965	960	610	1,050	950
All placed applicants	1,130	1,030	1,035	710	1,140	1,030
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	87.0	91.0	94.2	95.9	96.6	91.5
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	14.0	12.8	12.5	8.1	14.2	13.2
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	14.8	13.7	13.5	9.5	15.4	14.2

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	7,855	8,255	8,720	8,705	8,675	8,005
Offers	5,030	4,740	4,375	3,145	5,175	5,225
Offer rate	64.1%	57.4%	50.2%	36.1%	59.7%	65.3%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	2,560	2,550	2,605	2,500	2,435	2,260
	Women	4,065	4,305	4,610	4,690	4,720	4,350
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	445	345	345	205	370	345
	Women	620	625	615	405	680	610
All placed applicants	Men	475	375	390	245	410	370
	Women	655	655	650	470	725	660
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	65.5	65.9	66.3	65.0	64.1	61.1
	Women	109.7	117.6	123.4	128.4	130.8	123.6
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	11.4	8.9	8.8	5.4	9.8	9.3
	Women	16.7	17.0	16.5	11.0	18.8	17.3
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	12.2	9.6	9.9	6.3	10.8	9.9
	Women	17.6	17.9	17.3	12.8	20.1	18.8

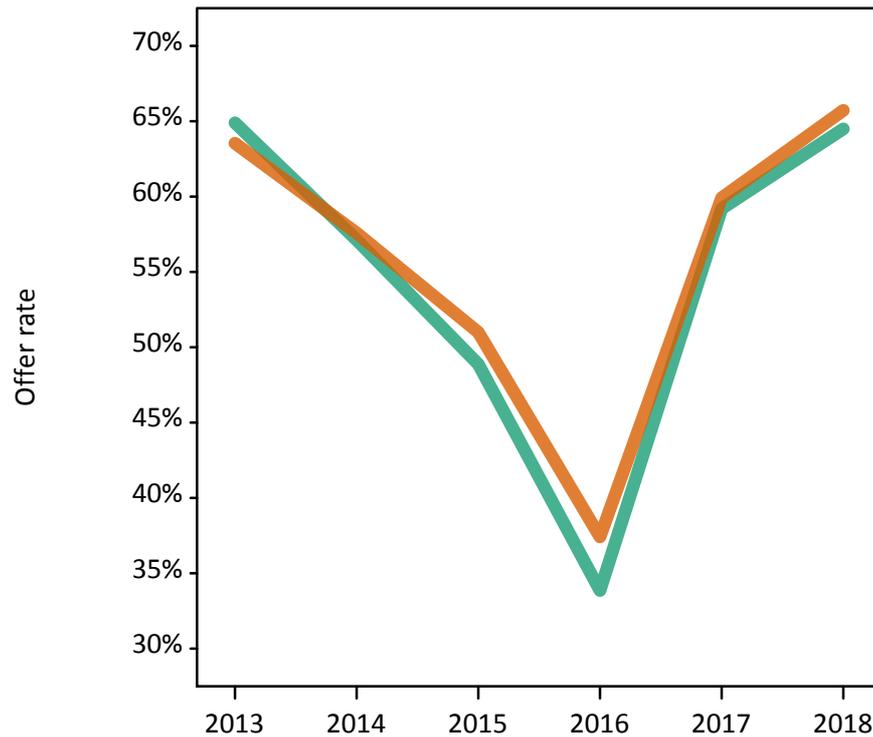
P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	3,115	3,165	3,260	3,145	3,065	2,790
	Women	4,740	5,090	5,460	5,560	5,605	5,215
Offers	Men	2,020	1,805	1,595	1,065	1,815	1,800
	Women	3,010	2,930	2,785	2,080	3,360	3,425
Offer rate	Men	64.9%	57.1%	48.9%	33.9%	59.2%	64.5%
	Women	63.5%	57.6%	51.0%	37.4%	59.9%	65.7%
Average offer rate	Men	67.1%	60.3%	52.6%	37.1%	63.8%	68.7%
	Women	62.1%	55.6%	48.8%	35.6%	57.4%	63.4%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	-2.2	-3.2	-3.7	-3.2	-4.6	-4.2
	Women	1.5	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.5	2.3
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.540	0.522	0.507	0.492	0.506	0.493
	Women	0.697	0.703	0.706	0.713	0.730	0.729

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.

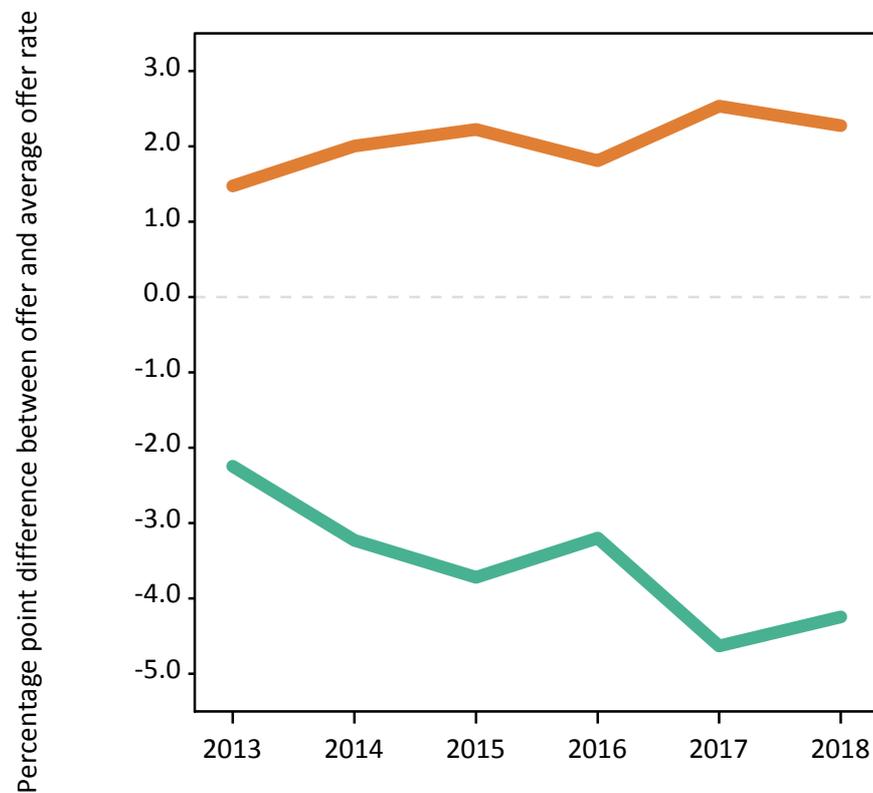
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P.6 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by sex

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 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	350	400	415	400	420	435
	Quintile 2	715	775	890	915	885	800
	Quintile 3	1,185	1,215	1,320	1,275	1,280	1,155
	Quintile 4	1,655	1,730	1,850	1,810	1,795	1,690
	Quintile 5	2,700	2,715	2,730	2,780	2,765	2,515
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	45	55	50	20	65	60
	Quintile 2	115	145	110	80	135	100
	Quintile 3	210	165	180	120	195	160
	Quintile 4	280	245	260	160	250	255
	Quintile 5	415	355	360	225	400	365
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	50	60	50	30	70	70
	Quintile 2	125	150	115	95	150	105
	Quintile 3	220	175	195	140	220	175
	Quintile 4	295	260	280	190	275	270
	Quintile 5	445	380	395	255	425	405
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	24.9	28.6	29.5	29.4	31.3	33.6
	Quintile 2	49.3	54.1	60.9	64.5	63.6	58.9
	Quintile 3	79.9	82.8	88.0	86.9	88.4	81.9
	Quintile 4	107.4	113.4	119.3	118.7	118.8	114.5
	Quintile 5	156.8	159.6	157.1	161.0	161.3	149.2
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	3.2	4.1	3.5	1.5	4.9	4.7
	Quintile 2	8.0	10.0	7.5	5.7	9.8	7.3
	Quintile 3	14.2	11.3	12.1	8.2	13.5	11.5
	Quintile 4	18.1	16.1	16.9	10.6	16.6	17.4
	Quintile 5	24.0	20.7	20.6	13.1	23.3	21.8
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	3.4	4.1	3.6	2.1	5.3	5.2
	Quintile 2	8.5	10.6	7.9	6.8	10.6	7.8
	Quintile 3	14.8	11.9	13.1	9.6	15.2	12.4
	Quintile 4	19.1	17.1	18.1	12.5	18.1	18.3
	Quintile 5	25.8	22.5	22.6	14.7	24.8	24.0

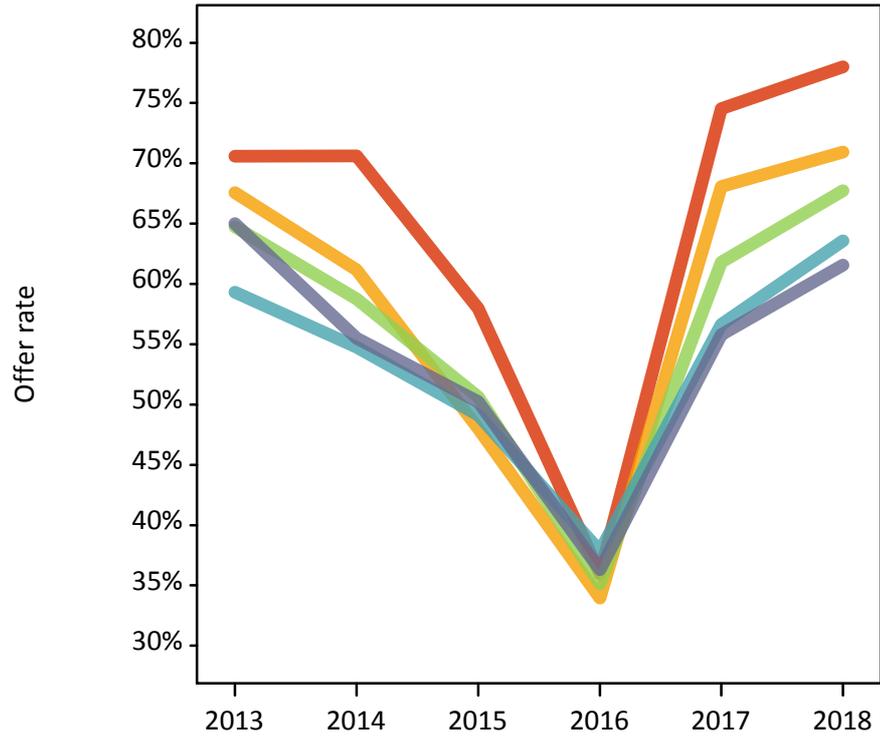
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	410	465	490	465	490	520
	Quintile 2	855	955	1,075	1,130	1,045	945
	Quintile 3	1,400	1,455	1,570	1,555	1,570	1,400
	Quintile 4	1,985	2,125	2,280	2,210	2,200	2,065
	Quintile 5	3,190	3,240	3,285	3,330	3,360	3,055
Offers	Quintile 1	290	325	285	170	365	405
	Quintile 2	580	585	515	385	710	670
	Quintile 3	905	855	795	545	970	945
	Quintile 4	1,180	1,165	1,120	835	1,245	1,315
	Quintile 5	2,075	1,800	1,650	1,210	1,875	1,880
Offer rate	Quintile 1	70.6%	70.6%	58.0%	36.0%	74.5%	78.0%
	Quintile 2	67.6%	61.2%	48.0%	34.0%	68.1%	70.9%
	Quintile 3	64.7%	58.8%	50.6%	35.1%	61.8%	67.7%
	Quintile 4	59.3%	54.8%	49.1%	37.8%	56.6%	63.6%
	Quintile 5	65.0%	55.5%	50.2%	36.3%	55.8%	61.6%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	63.8%	57.4%	53.6%	38.3%	60.9%	69.4%
	Quintile 2	62.1%	54.8%	47.8%	35.2%	58.7%	67.5%
	Quintile 3	62.6%	55.3%	50.0%	35.3%	58.3%	66.4%
	Quintile 4	61.7%	57.1%	49.8%	36.7%	58.9%	65.0%
	Quintile 5	66.8%	59.3%	50.7%	36.2%	60.8%	63.7%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	6.7	13.2	4.3	-2.3	13.6	8.5
	Quintile 2	5.5	6.3	0.2	-1.3	9.3	3.4
	Quintile 3	2.1	3.4	0.6	-0.2	3.5	1.4
	Quintile 4	-2.4	-2.3	-0.7	1.2	-2.3	-1.4
	Quintile 5	-1.8	-3.8	-0.5	0.1	-5.1	-2.2
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.167	0.161	0.154	0.154	0.172	0.136
	Quintile 2	0.176	0.182	0.188	0.182	0.185	0.163
	Quintile 3	0.230	0.233	0.238	0.226	0.238	0.209
	Quintile 4	0.313	0.308	0.305	0.298	0.296	0.293
	Quintile 5	0.461	0.440	0.423	0.425	0.437	0.415

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.

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- 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.

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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	500	600	675	720	710	670
	Quintile 2	820	890	955	1,000	970	860
	Quintile 3	1,075	1,165	1,215	1,220	1,150	1,075
	Quintile 4	1,285	1,355	1,455	1,460	1,495	1,325
	Quintile 5	1,615	1,720	1,760	1,835	1,795	1,645
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	75	95	75	35	125	75
	Quintile 2	145	150	115	85	190	175
	Quintile 3	145	155	160	90	125	115
	Quintile 4	210	185	165	100	170	185
	Quintile 5	270	220	240	140	245	235
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	75	100	75	45	130	80
	Quintile 2	155	155	115	100	200	175
	Quintile 3	160	160	165	95	130	120
	Quintile 4	215	190	170	115	180	195
	Quintile 5	280	230	260	150	255	245
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	393.4	473.1	547.2	596.0	613.5	590.7
	Quintile 2	695.0	757.4	837.9	906.5	905.1	812.5
	Quintile 3	910.4	995.8	1,036.9	1,084.2	1,061.0	1,027.6
	Quintile 4	1,038.8	1,105.3	1,212.2	1,218.3	1,283.0	1,180.6
	Quintile 5	1,255.6	1,341.4	1,384.1	1,466.3	1,433.0	1,376.2
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	58.0	74.0	62.5	30.6	107.0	66.8
	Quintile 2	124.0	128.4	99.9	76.3	179.2	163.6
	Quintile 3	124.4	130.8	137.6	79.0	113.3	111.8
	Quintile 4	169.1	149.1	138.1	84.3	145.8	164.8
	Quintile 5	208.2	169.9	187.7	111.2	194.9	198.5
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	60.3	77.1	62.5	38.1	111.3	69.4
	Quintile 2	130.8	132.6	101.7	90.8	184.8	167.4
	Quintile 3	135.4	135.0	141.9	86.1	118.8	116.6
	Quintile 4	175.6	156.4	142.3	97.6	155.2	172.0
	Quintile 5	216.0	180.1	202.7	120.8	204.5	206.9

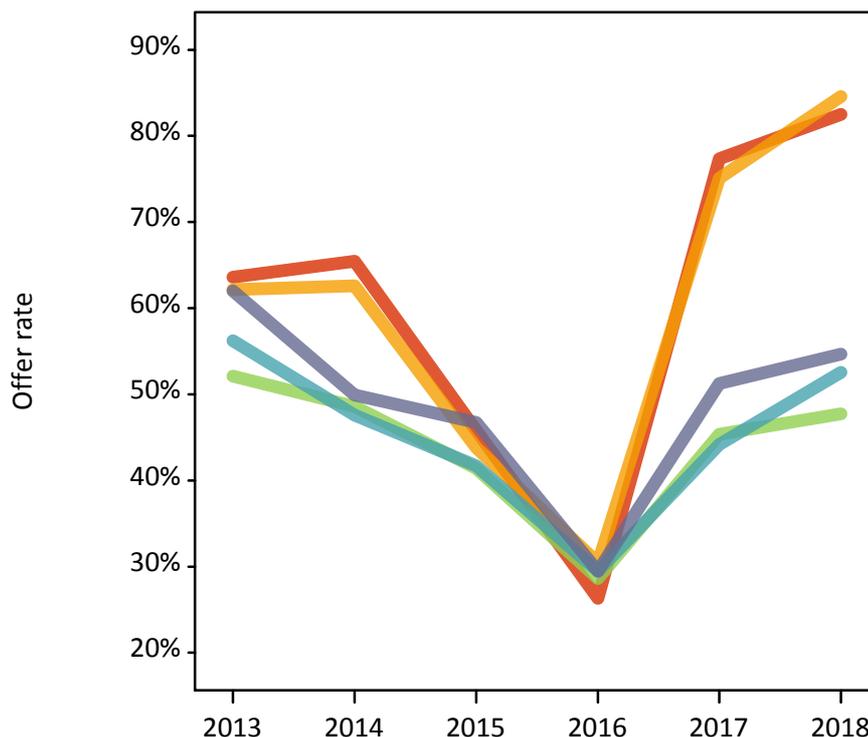
P.12 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applications by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	620	715	810	910	890	810
	Quintile 2	1,000	1,125	1,205	1,250	1,200	1,070
	Quintile 3	1,300	1,430	1,505	1,505	1,380	1,325
	Quintile 4	1,580	1,675	1,840	1,780	1,885	1,625
	Quintile 5	1,955	2,140	2,145	2,260	2,225	2,070
Offers	Quintile 1	395	470	370	240	685	670
	Quintile 2	620	705	525	380	900	905
	Quintile 3	680	695	620	430	625	630
	Quintile 4	890	795	765	525	835	855
	Quintile 5	1,210	1,065	1,005	665	1,140	1,130
Offer rate	Quintile 1	63.6%	65.5%	45.8%	26.3%	77.4%	82.5%
	Quintile 2	62.1%	62.6%	43.8%	30.4%	75.1%	84.6%
	Quintile 3	52.1%	48.6%	41.4%	28.6%	45.4%	47.7%
	Quintile 4	56.2%	47.6%	41.7%	29.5%	44.2%	52.6%
	Quintile 5	62.0%	49.9%	46.7%	29.5%	51.3%	54.7%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	53.4%	49.3%	42.2%	27.0%	53.2%	65.6%
	Quintile 2	56.7%	51.1%	41.3%	28.4%	53.7%	65.4%
	Quintile 3	56.8%	52.2%	43.3%	28.4%	54.6%	58.5%
	Quintile 4	59.1%	52.2%	43.4%	28.9%	55.5%	59.9%
	Quintile 5	62.6%	55.3%	46.6%	30.9%	57.1%	58.5%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	10.2	16.2	3.6	-0.6	24.2	16.9
	Quintile 2	5.5	11.5	2.5	2.0	21.3	19.1
	Quintile 3	-4.7	-3.6	-1.9	0.2	-9.2	-10.8
	Quintile 4	-2.9	-4.7	-1.8	0.6	-11.3	-7.3
	Quintile 5	-0.6	-5.4	0.1	-1.4	-5.9	-3.8
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.119	0.128	0.133	0.139	0.149	0.142
	Quintile 2	0.178	0.181	0.180	0.180	0.179	0.178
	Quintile 3	0.224	0.224	0.216	0.212	0.205	0.204
	Quintile 4	0.267	0.258	0.263	0.250	0.272	0.247
	Quintile 5	0.332	0.328	0.317	0.314	0.319	0.321

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

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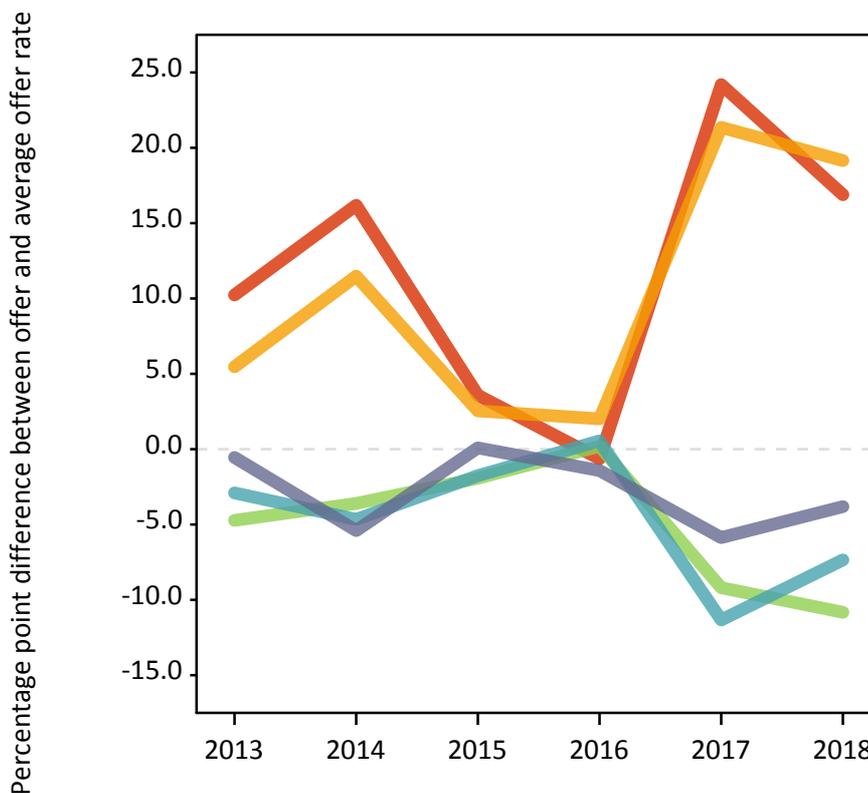
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P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate and average offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.

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



P.15 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	145	165	165	180	175	210
	Black	45	45	55	40	65	60
	Mixed	90	90	100	100	115	100
	White	6,310	6,520	6,855	6,830	6,750	6,205
	Other	15	15	15	15	25	20
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	15	10	15	10	10	25
	Black	5	5	5	0	10	5
	Mixed	15	15	15	15	15	10
	White	1,025	930	925	580	1,005	905
	Other	0	0	5	0	5	0
All placed applicants	Asian	15	15	15	25	15	30
	Black	5	10	5	5	15	10
	Mixed	15	15	15	15	20	15
	White	1,085	985	990	660	1,085	970
	Other	5	0	5	5	5	0
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	21.8	24.2	23.6	25.2	23.9	28.0
	Black	15.2	14.8	17.9	13.1	21.3	19.6
	Mixed	33.3	30.6	33.1	31.8	35.2	31.3
	White	100.3	105.7	110.1	112.9	113.8	108.1
	Other	14.3	18.3	14.5	16.1	24.3	17.1
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	2.1	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.6	3.5
	Black	1.3	1.6	1.9	0.0	3.5	1.6
	Mixed	5.9	5.2	4.2	4.4	5.0	3.4
	White	16.3	15.1	14.8	9.6	17.0	15.8
	Other	0.0	0.0	3.1	0.0	3.9	0.0
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	2.6	2.1	2.3	3.2	2.3	3.9
	Black	1.3	2.6	2.2	1.9	4.4	2.6
	Mixed	5.9	5.9	5.2	5.1	5.9	5.0
	White	17.3	16.0	15.9	10.9	18.3	16.9
	Other	3.3	0.0	5.2	3.0	3.9	0.0

P.16 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	160	190	185	195	200	220
	Black	45	50	60	45	75	65
	Mixed	100	95	120	115	120	110
	White	7,515	7,885	8,320	8,305	8,220	7,570
	Other	15	20	20	20	30	20
Offers	Asian	90	105	80	65	110	130
	Black	35	35	35	15	65	45
	Mixed	75	60	65	45	85	85
	White	4,810	4,510	4,170	2,995	4,875	4,935
	Other	10	15	15	10	25	10
Offer rate	Asian	57.5%	55.0%	44.3%	34.4%	54.8%	59.7%
	Black	73.9%	70.8%	58.3%	35.6%	86.3%	73.0%
	Mixed	74.5%	61.9%	56.3%	40.0%	68.0%	76.6%
	White	64.0%	57.2%	50.1%	36.1%	59.3%	65.2%
	Other	100.0%	68.4%	61.9%	50.0%	74.2%	50.0%
Average offer rate	Asian	66.0%	59.2%	56.2%	36.3%	58.8%	68.7%
	Black	71.6%	63.4%	59.9%	42.0%	65.9%	74.7%
	Mixed	72.9%	61.6%	57.0%	37.9%	69.6%	71.4%
	White	63.8%	57.2%	49.9%	36.0%	59.4%	65.0%
	Other	63.0%	66.4%	53.0%	44.8%	61.4%	65.8%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Asian	-8.5	-4.2	-11.9	-2.0	-4.0	-8.9
	Black	N/A	N/A	-1.6	N/A	20.4	-1.7
	Mixed	1.6	0.2	-0.7	2.1	-1.6	5.2
	White	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	-0.1	0.2
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Asian	0.090	0.110	0.127	0.110	0.106	0.112
	Black	0.209	0.255	0.215	0.149	0.213	0.083
	Mixed	0.093	0.119	0.113	0.111	0.127	0.100
	White	0.962	0.962	0.960	0.959	0.955	0.951
	Other	0.225	0.296	0.017	0.062	0.164	0.083

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.

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- 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 2013-2018.

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



P.19 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	11,625	12,310	12,705	13,005	12,950	12,385
Placed June deadline applicants	2,020	2,085	1,905	1,475	2,030	1,920
All placed applicants	2,130	2,190	2,035	1,635	2,170	2,045

P.20 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	13,975	14,950	15,510	15,770	15,755	15,260
Offers	8,185	8,170	7,305	5,790	8,790	9,145
Offer rate	58.6%	54.7%	47.1%	36.7%	55.8%	59.9%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	4,510	4,530	4,585	4,590	4,410	4,330
	Women	7,110	7,780	8,115	8,415	8,540	8,055
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	810	735	675	485	720	670
	Women	1,210	1,345	1,225	990	1,310	1,250
All placed applicants	Men	860	785	755	550	790	715
	Women	1,270	1,405	1,280	1,085	1,380	1,330

P.22 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	5,585	5,685	5,800	5,735	5,565	5,370
	Women	8,390	9,265	9,710	10,030	10,190	9,885
Offers	Men	3,350	3,115	2,685	2,020	3,150	3,190
	Women	4,835	5,055	4,620	3,770	5,640	5,955
Offer rate	Men	60.0%	54.8%	46.3%	35.2%	56.6%	59.4%
	Women	57.6%	54.6%	47.6%	37.6%	55.4%	60.3%

P.23 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	755	850	850	885	920	920
	Quintile 2	1,485	1,605	1,745	1,790	1,755	1,735
	Quintile 3	2,100	2,295	2,375	2,370	2,400	2,250
	Quintile 4	2,850	3,045	3,150	3,230	3,175	3,020
	Quintile 5	4,400	4,490	4,560	4,700	4,670	4,430
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	130	140	125	90	160	135
	Quintile 2	265	315	260	215	305	275
	Quintile 3	360	395	355	300	360	335
	Quintile 4	515	535	520	380	470	495
	Quintile 5	745	695	640	490	730	675
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	135	140	130	105	170	145
	Quintile 2	275	330	270	240	320	290
	Quintile 3	380	415	380	335	390	360
	Quintile 4	535	560	555	420	500	525
	Quintile 5	795	740	690	535	775	720

P.24 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	910	995	1,015	1,015	1,090	1,100
	Quintile 2	1,805	1,990	2,140	2,190	2,130	2,150
	Quintile 3	2,510	2,770	2,845	2,915	2,900	2,750
	Quintile 4	3,460	3,720	3,925	3,925	3,905	3,785
	Quintile 5	5,255	5,435	5,555	5,685	5,700	5,435
Offers	Quintile 1	580	610	535	365	705	765
	Quintile 2	1,050	1,125	995	800	1,275	1,365
	Quintile 3	1,430	1,515	1,325	1,085	1,660	1,685
	Quintile 4	1,930	1,985	1,840	1,455	2,095	2,195
	Quintile 5	3,180	2,925	2,600	2,075	3,040	3,120
Offer rate	Quintile 1	64.0%	61.1%	52.4%	36.1%	64.7%	69.8%
	Quintile 2	58.1%	56.5%	46.4%	36.5%	59.9%	63.6%
	Quintile 3	56.9%	54.6%	46.6%	37.2%	57.3%	61.2%
	Quintile 4	55.8%	53.3%	46.8%	37.1%	53.6%	58.0%
	Quintile 5	60.5%	53.8%	46.8%	36.5%	53.3%	57.4%

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	1,280	1,495	1,555	1,665	1,705	1,660
	Quintile 2	1,655	1,825	1,910	2,000	1,975	1,910
	Quintile 3	1,935	2,120	2,180	2,305	2,145	2,110
	Quintile 4	2,185	2,370	2,500	2,555	2,560	2,400
	Quintile 5	2,655	2,810	2,865	2,990	3,005	2,825
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	190	245	215	145	270	240
	Quintile 2	310	370	270	250	385	375
	Quintile 3	335	365	350	255	300	290
	Quintile 4	395	400	345	285	350	370
	Quintile 5	475	430	435	275	440	415
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	200	250	215	160	285	255
	Quintile 2	320	380	275	275	395	380
	Quintile 3	360	375	365	270	310	300
	Quintile 4	410	410	360	310	365	385
	Quintile 5	490	455	460	295	460	430

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	1,565	1,775	1,885	2,025	2,070	2,010
	Quintile 2	2,045	2,305	2,410	2,480	2,485	2,415
	Quintile 3	2,380	2,635	2,710	2,850	2,630	2,645
	Quintile 4	2,685	2,925	3,165	3,165	3,210	3,025
	Quintile 5	3,265	3,510	3,535	3,675	3,705	3,585
Offers	Quintile 1	860	985	810	620	1,310	1,395
	Quintile 2	1,145	1,290	1,055	845	1,615	1,720
	Quintile 3	1,195	1,275	1,110	865	1,210	1,240
	Quintile 4	1,425	1,445	1,285	1,025	1,410	1,550
	Quintile 5	1,885	1,750	1,575	1,140	1,860	1,850
Offer rate	Quintile 1	54.9%	55.5%	42.9%	30.6%	63.3%	69.5%
	Quintile 2	55.8%	56.0%	43.7%	34.0%	65.0%	71.3%
	Quintile 3	50.2%	48.4%	40.9%	30.4%	45.9%	47.0%
	Quintile 4	53.0%	49.4%	40.6%	32.4%	44.0%	51.1%
	Quintile 5	57.7%	49.8%	44.5%	31.0%	50.2%	51.6%

P.27 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	325	325	360	365	405	420
	Black	190	190	240	230	255	220
	Mixed	185	170	190	185	210	210
	White	10,850	11,540	11,825	12,130	11,975	11,410
	Other	30	45	35	40	50	60
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	30	35	25	25	40	50
	Black	25	20	30	30	35	30
	Mixed	35	35	25	25	40	30
	White	1,920	1,980	1,815	1,390	1,900	1,800
	Other	5	0	5	0	10	5
All placed applicants	Asian	35	40	30	40	45	55
	Black	25	25	40	35	40	35
	Mixed	40	40	25	30	45	35
	White	2,020	2,075	1,925	1,515	2,020	1,905
	Other	5	5	10	5	10	5

P.28 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	355	375	400	395	455	470
	Black	205	205	255	240	270	240
	Mixed	210	200	230	210	245	235
	White	13,125	14,070	14,530	14,810	14,655	14,175
	Other	35	50	45	45	65	60
Offers	Asian	190	195	160	135	225	240
	Black	95	95	105	80	135	135
	Mixed	140	115	110	90	165	150
	White	7,715	7,705	6,880	5,445	8,180	8,540
	Other	20	25	25	15	45	30
Offer rate	Asian	53.2%	52.7%	39.6%	34.3%	49.5%	51.7%
	Black	46.8%	47.5%	40.5%	33.2%	50.7%	55.9%
	Mixed	66.3%	57.1%	49.1%	41.7%	67.1%	64.1%
	White	58.8%	54.8%	47.4%	36.8%	55.8%	60.2%
	Other	52.8%	51.0%	53.3%	29.8%	69.8%	50.0%

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.