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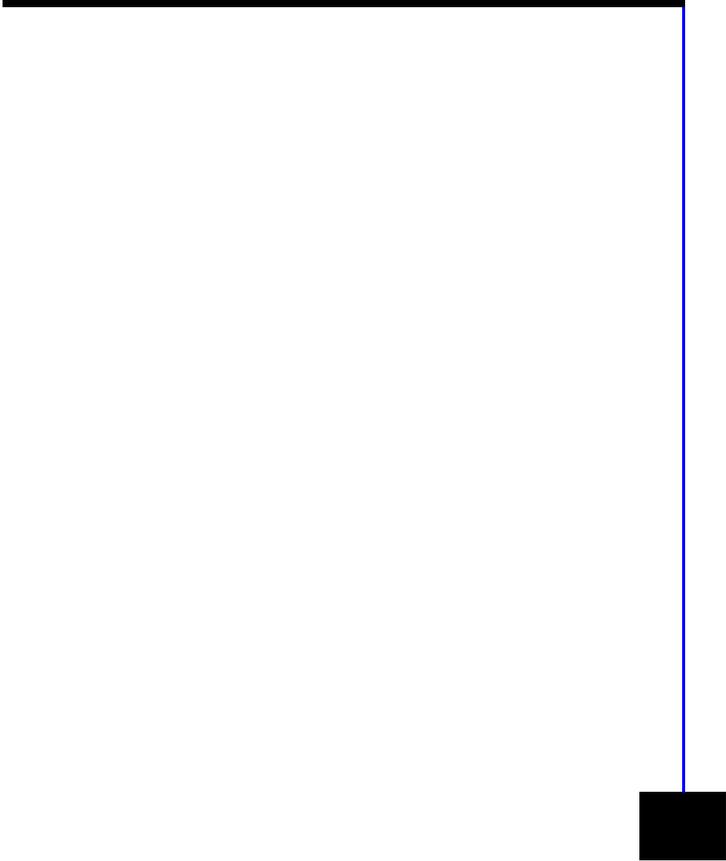
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**Total  
Campus  
Enrollment**

# ■ TOTAL CAMPUS ENROLLMENT

Nearly thirty thousand students enrolled at UCSD in fall 2010 - showing an increase of 48% over the past decade. UCSD enrolled 23,663 undergraduate students, and 6,236 graduate and medical students.

Table 1.

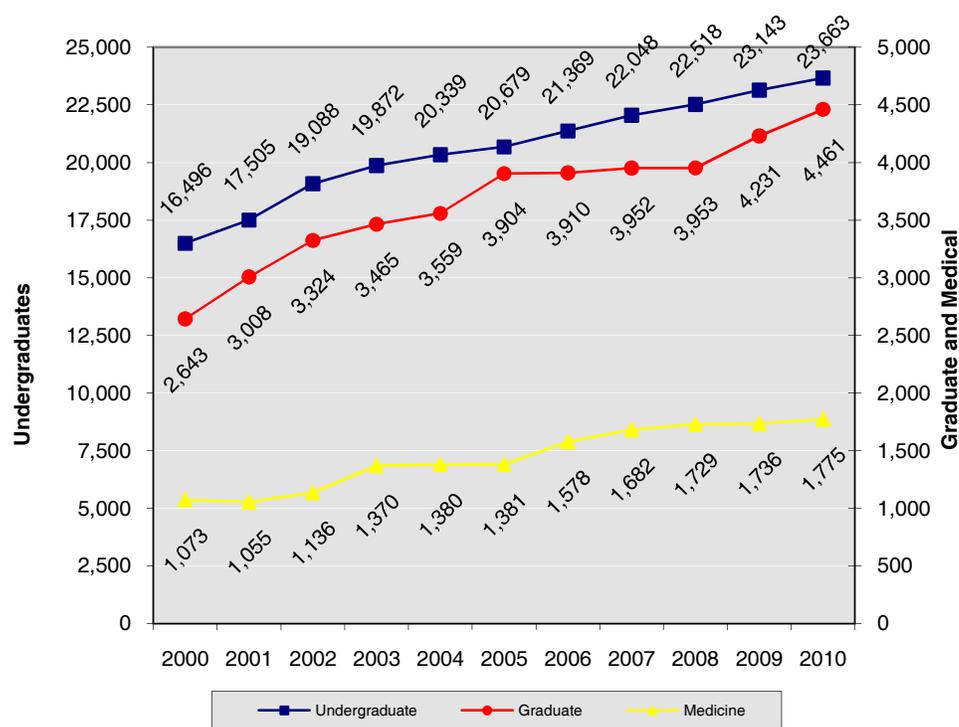
## Total Campus Enrollment: The Past Decade Fall Quarter

UCSD Enrollment	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Undergraduate	16,496	20,679	21,369	22,048	22,518	23,143	23,663	+43%
• Graduate *	2,643	3,904	3,910	3,952	3,953	4,231	4,461	+69%
• Medicine/Pharmacy	1,073	1,381	1,578	1,682	1,729	1,736	1,775	+65%
<b>Total Campus Enrollment</b>	<b>20,212</b>	<b>25,964</b>	<b>26,857</b>	<b>27,682</b>	<b>28,200</b>	<b>29,110</b>	<b>29,899</b>	<b>+48%</b>

\* includes Teacher Education Program.

Figure 1.

## Total Campus Enrollment: The Past Decade Fall Quarter





**Total  
Undergraduate  
Enrollment**

# Undergraduate Enrollment

Undergraduate enrollments have increased by 43% over the past decade. The majority of undergraduate students (70%) at UCSD are upper division.

Table 2.

## Undergraduate Enrollment by Class Level Fall Quarter

The Undergraduates	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Lower Division	<b>6,557</b> 40%	<b>7,551</b> 37%	<b>8,175</b> 38%	<b>8,572</b> 39%	<b>7,995</b> 36%	<b>7,558</b> 33%	<b>7,153</b> 30%	+9%
Freshman	3,366 20%	3,917 19%	4,535 21%	4,179 19%	4,084 18%	3,578 15%	3,679 16%	+9%
Sophomore	3,191 19%	3,634 18%	3,640 17%	4,393 20%	3,911 17%	3,980 17%	3,474 15%	+9%
• Upper Division	<b>9,939</b> 60%	<b>13,128</b> 63%	<b>13,194</b> 62%	<b>13,476</b> 61%	<b>14,523</b> 64%	<b>15,585</b> 67%	<b>16,510</b> 70%	+66%
Junior	4,640 28%	5,733 28%	5,659 26%	5,827 26%	6,570 29%	6,441 28%	6,992 30%	+51%
Senior	5,299 32%	7,395 36%	7,535 35%	7,649 35%	7,953 35%	9,144 40%	9,518 40%	+80%
<b>Total UG Enrollment</b>	<b>16,496</b>	<b>20,679</b>	<b>21,369</b>	<b>22,048</b>	<b>22,518</b>	<b>23,143</b>	<b>23,663</b>	<b>+43%</b>

Figure 2.

## Total Undergraduate Enrollment Trends by Class Level Fall Quarter

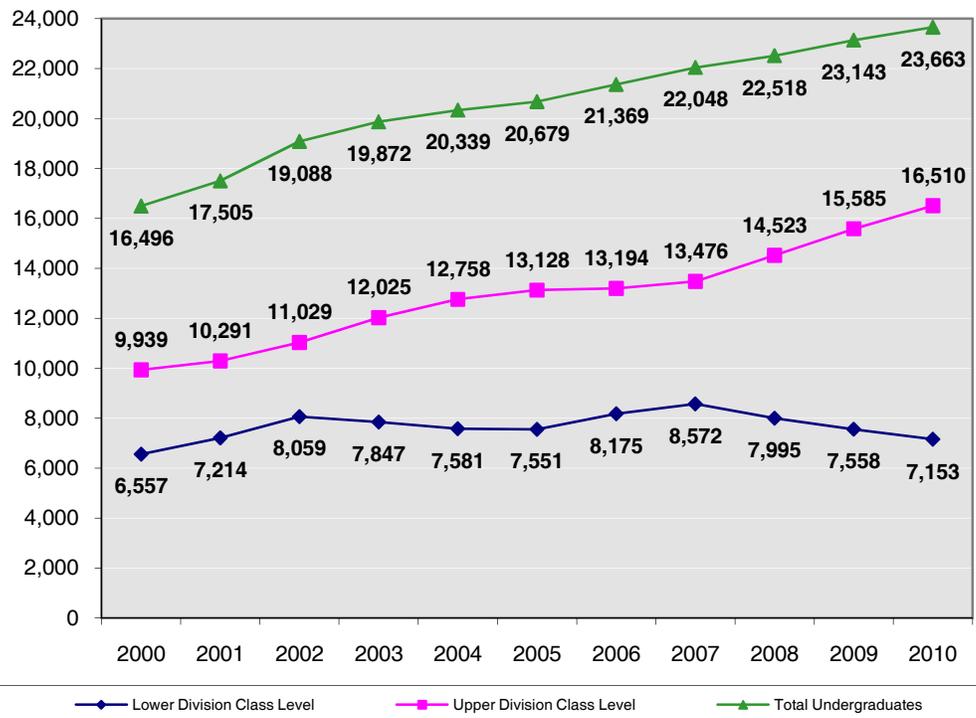


Table 3.

**Undergraduates by Gender** Fall Quarter

Gender	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Female	8,605 52%	10,835 52%	11,164 52%	11,587 53%	11,743 52%	12,004 52%	12,068 51%	+40%
• Male	7,891 48%	9,844 48%	10,205 48%	10,461 47%	10,775 48%	11,139 48%	11,595 49%	+47%
<b>Total UG Enrollment</b>	<b>16,496</b>	<b>20,679</b>	<b>21,369</b>	<b>22,048</b>	<b>22,518</b>	<b>23,143</b>	<b>23,663</b>	<b>+43%</b>

Women outnumber men by approximately two percent.

Figure 3.

**Undergraduate Enrollment by Gender** Fall Quarter

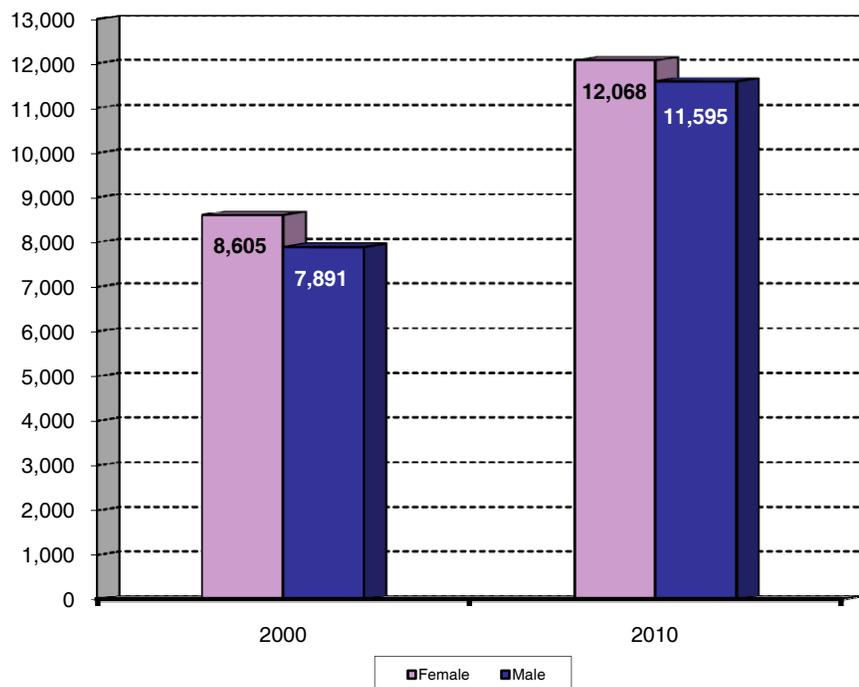


Table 4.

**Undergraduates by Ethnicity** Fall Quarter

Ethnicity	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• African-American	224 1%	282 1%	276 1%	326 1%	340 2%	368 2%	420 2%	+88%
• Asian	4,948 30%	7,580 37%	8,287 39%	9,072 41%	9,835 44%	10,248 44%	10,589 45%	+114%
• Mexican-American	1,282 8%	1,720 8%	1,844 9%	1,997 9%	2,159 10%	2,344 10%	2,557 11%	+99%
• Filipino	850 5%	1,051 5%	1,058 5%	1,065 5%	1,052 5%	1,035 4%	986 4%	+16%
• Latino	374 2%	520 3%	567 3%	621 3%	626 3%	667 3%	705 3%	+89%
• Native-American	99 1%	89 0%	99 0%	91 0%	90 0%	92 0%	117 0%	+18%
• Caucasian	6,429 39%	6,625 32%	6,557 31%	6,274 28%	6,028 27%	5,986 26%	5,883 25%	-8%
• Other/Undeclared	2,290 14%	2,812 14%	2,681 13%	2,602 12%	2,388 11%	2,403 10%	2,406 10%	+5%
<b>Total UG Enrollment</b>	<b>16,496</b>	<b>20,679</b>	<b>21,369</b>	<b>22,048</b>	<b>22,518</b>	<b>23,143</b>	<b>23,663</b>	<b>+43%</b>

The undergraduate student body at UCSD is ethnically diverse; approximately 65% of undergraduates are students of color.

Figure 4.

**Undergraduate Enrollment by Ethnicity** Fall Quarter

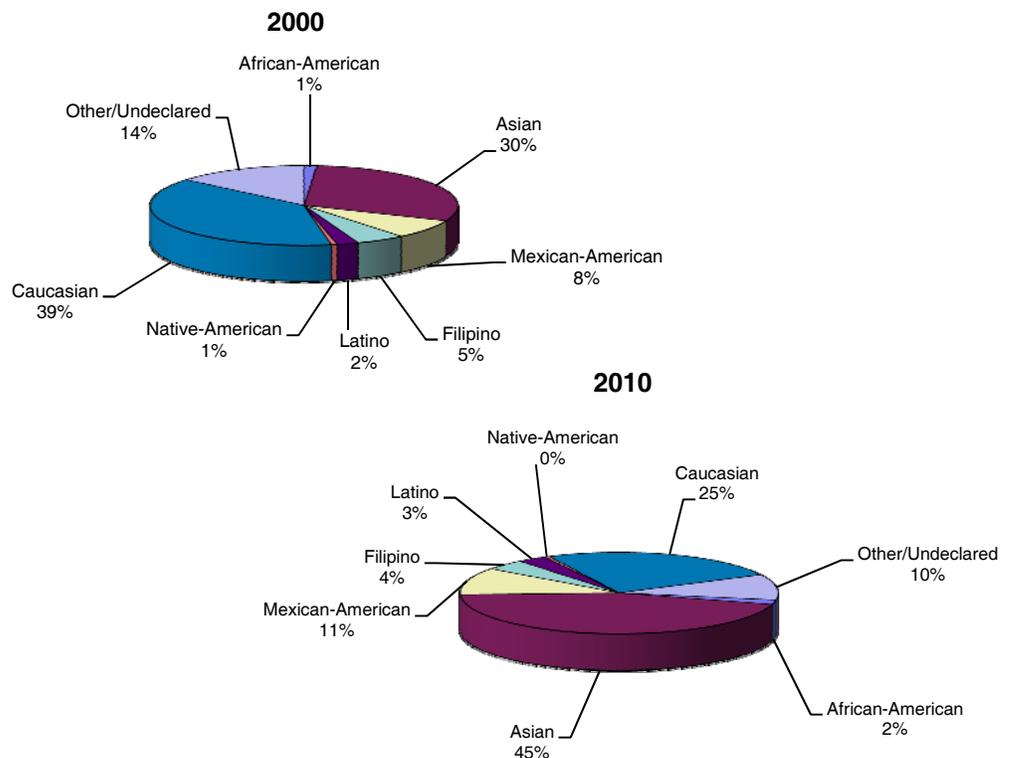


Table 5.

**Undergraduates by Major Field of Study** Fall Quarter

Major Field of Study	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Arts	800 5%	889 4%	826 4%	773 4%	808 4%	779 3%	768 3%	-4%
• Humanities	748 5%	902 4%	936 4%	922 4%	858 4%	831 4%	843 4%	+13%
• Engineering	3,342 20%	4,035 20%	3,820 18%	3,717 17%	3,861 17%	4,083 18%	4,338 18%	+30%
• Science/Math	1,120 7%	1,713 8%	1,935 9%	2,041 9%	1,873 8%	1,778 8%	2,234 9%	+99%
• Biology	3,302 20%	3,809 18%	4,273 20%	4,776 22%	5,294 24%	5,768 25%	5,140 22%	+56%
• Social Science	5,487 33%	7,372 36%	7,610 36%	7,856 36%	8,395 37%	8,725 38%	8,950 38%	+63%
• Undec./Special	1,697 10%	1,959 9%	1,969 9%	1,963 9%	1,429 6%	1,179 5%	1,390 6%	-18%
<b>Total UG Enrollment</b>	<b>16,496</b>	<b>20,679</b>	<b>21,369</b>	<b>22,048</b>	<b>22,518</b>	<b>23,143</b>	<b>23,663</b>	<b>+43%</b>

The social sciences continue to be the most popular undergraduate field of study at UCSD, followed by biology and then engineering.

Figure 5.

**Undergraduate Enrollment by Major Field of Study** Fall Quarter

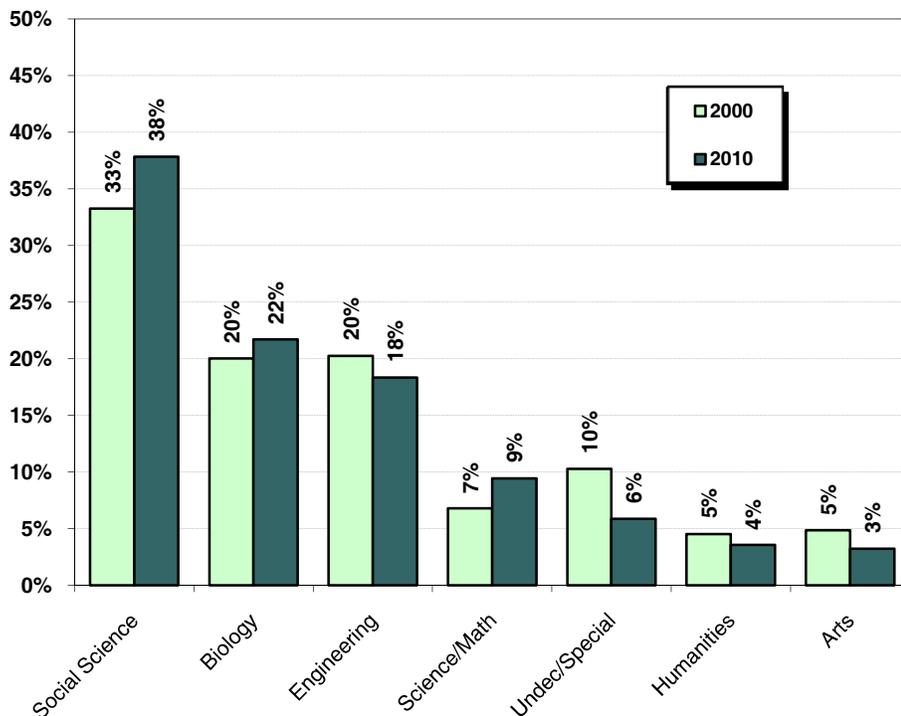


Table 6.

**Undergraduates by Major Department** **Fall Quarter**  
**Ten Most Populous Departments**

2000			2010		
Major Department	n	%	Major Department	n	%
Biology	3,302	20.0%	Biology	5,140	21.7%
Economics	1,341	8.1%	Economics	2,465	10.4%
Computer Science & Eng. (CSE)	1,082	6.6%	Psychology	1,540	6.5%
Electrical & Computer Eng. (ECE)	1,000	6.1%	Chemistry	1,363	5.8%
Psychology	974	5.9%	Political Science	1,278	5.4%
Political Science	878	5.3%	Mechanical & Aerospace Eng.	1,218	5.1%
Communications	763	4.6%	Computer Science & Eng. (CSE)	962	4.1%
Human Development	575	3.5%	Communications	914	3.9%
Visual Arts	542	3.3%	International Studies	888	3.8%
Bioengineering	531	3.2%	Bioengineering	749	3.2%
<b>Other Departments</b>	<b>3,813</b>	<b>23.1%</b>	<b>Other Departments</b>	<b>6,068</b>	<b>25.6%</b>
<b>Undeclared Majors</b>	<b>1,695</b>	<b>10.3%</b>	<b>Undeclared Majors</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>4.6%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,496</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>23,663</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Similar to 2000, the most popular undergraduate major at UCSD in 2010 is biology. Economics is the second most popular undergraduate major, followed by psychology.

Figure 6.

**Ten Most Populous Departments** **Fall Quarter**

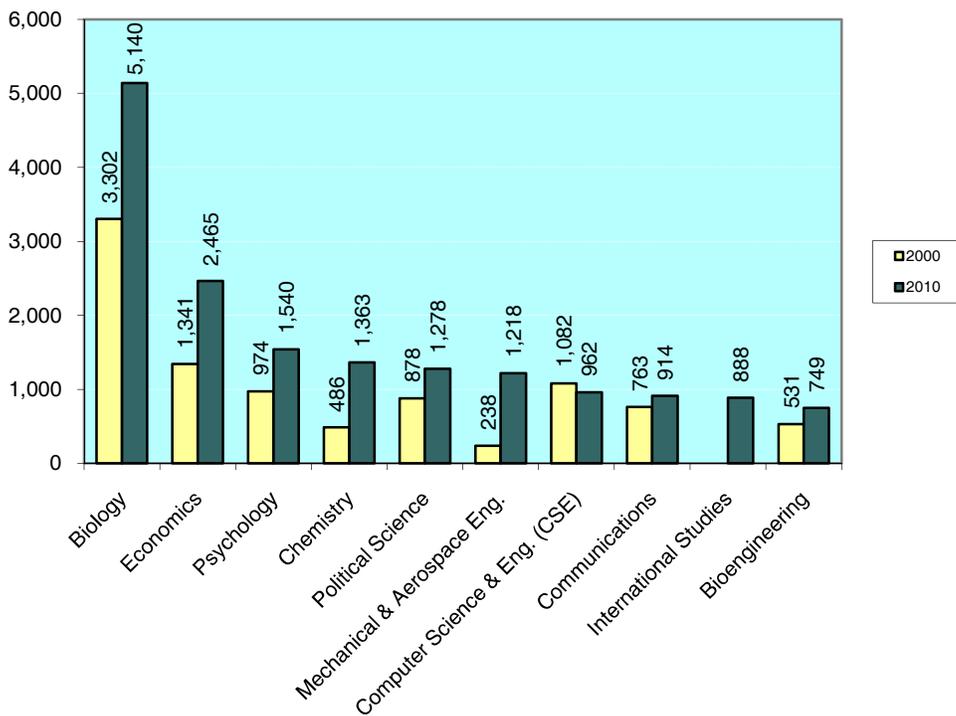


Table 7.

**Undergraduates by College** Fall Quarter

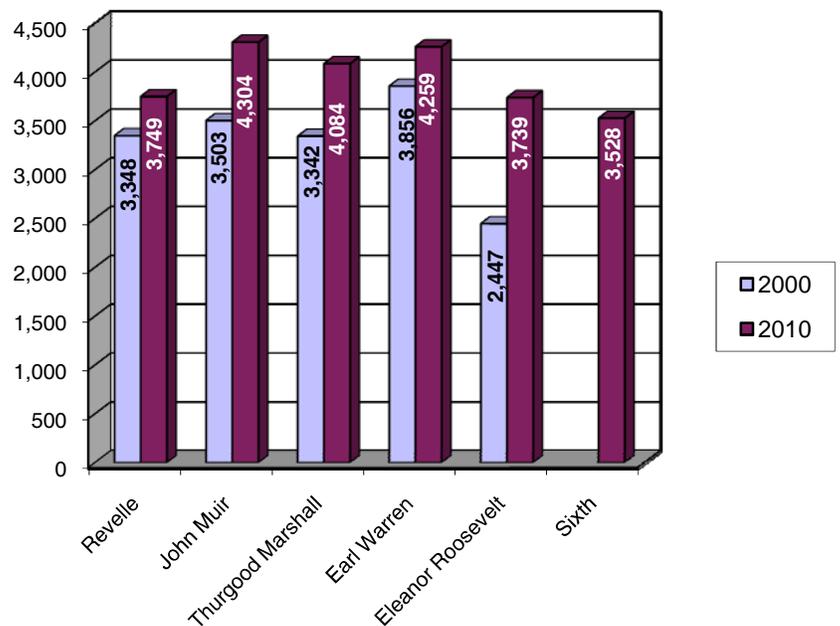
College	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Revelle	3,348 21%	3,690 18%	3,627 17%	3,792 17%	3,753 17%	3,757 16%	3,749 16%	+12%
• John Muir	3,503 22%	3,861 19%	4,088 19%	4,194 19%	4,164 18%	4,171 18%	4,304 18%	+23%
• Thurgood Marshall	3,342 21%	3,736 18%	3,769 18%	3,725 17%	3,905 17%	3,962 17%	4,084 17%	+22%
• Earl Warren	3,856 24%	4,331 21%	4,151 19%	4,132 19%	4,031 18%	4,162 18%	4,259 18%	+10%
• Eleanor Roosevelt	2,447 15%	3,337 16%	3,376 16%	3,422 16%	3,564 16%	3,687 16%	3,739 16%	+53%
• Sixth*	NA NA	1,724 8%	2,358 11%	2,783 13%	3,101 14%	3,404 15%	3,528 15%	NA
<b>Total UG Enrollment</b>	<b>16,496</b>	<b>20,679</b>	<b>21,369</b>	<b>22,048</b>	<b>22,518</b>	<b>23,143</b>	<b>23,663</b>	

\* Note: Sixth College enrolled its first class of undergraduates in 2002.

Currently, Earl Warren and John Muir enroll the largest number of undergraduate students, followed by Thurgood Marshall college.

Figure 7.

**Undergraduate Enrollments by College** Fall Quarter





**Academic  
Profile:  
Undergraduates**

# ■ Academic Profile: Total Undergraduate Population

Table 8.

## Academic Profile Summary Fall Quarter

Undergraduates	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
• UCSD GPA	3.00	3.02	3.01	3.01	3.02	3.03	3.04
GPA $\geq$ 3.5	17.0%	18.6%	18.3%	18.1%	18.8%	19.6%	20.3%
3.0 $\leq$ GPA < 3.5	35.3%	36.3%	35.0%	35.5%	35.2%	35.3%	35.4%
2.5 $\leq$ GPA < 3.0	31.2%	29.7%	30.2%	30.2%	30.1%	29.6%	29.1%
2.0 $\leq$ GPA < 2.5	13.9%	12.8%	13.8%	13.6%	13.4%	13.2%	13.0%
GPA < 2.0	2.6%	2.6%	2.7%	2.5%	2.5%	2.3%	2.2%

The mean grade point average (GPA) for all undergraduates at UCSD in 2010 is 3.04 (B); approximately 20% earn a GPA of 3.50 (B+) or higher.

Figure 8.

## Proportion of Student Body within GPA Ranges Fall Quarter

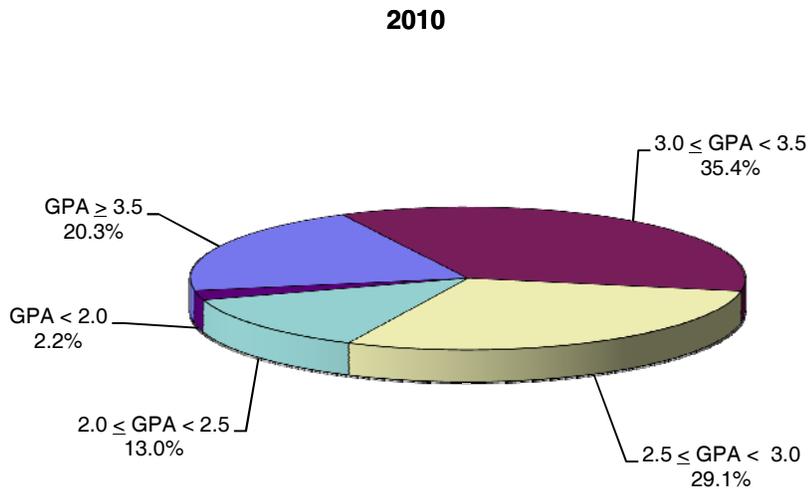


Table 9.

**Academic Profile by Class Level** **Fall Quarter**

Undergraduates	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
• Freshman*							
Freshman GPA	2.91	2.90	2.89	2.92	2.87	2.90	2.92
GPA $\geq 3.5$	20.4%	20.0%	19.5%	20.3%	19.0%	21.2%	21.4%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	32.2%	31.7%	32.0%	32.2%	31.2%	30.4%	31.4%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	23.6%	25.2%	23.8%	25.7%	24.0%	24.2%	23.6%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	15.0%	15.0%	16.2%	13.8%	15.6%	14.6%	15.6%
GPA $< 2.0$	8.8%	8.1%	8.6%	8.1%	10.3%	9.6%	8.1%
• Sophomore							
Sophomore GPA	2.99	2.98	2.97	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.99
GPA $\geq 3.5$	16.7%	15.7%	15.1%	16.6%	16.4%	17.7%	18.2%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	34.6%	35.3%	36.2%	35.2%	34.8%	34.9%	33.2%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	32.3%	31.9%	30.5%	32.0%	32.5%	30.3%	31.0%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	14.2%	14.2%	15.6%	14.2%	14.4%	14.7%	14.9%
GPA $< 2.0$	2.3%	2.9%	2.7%	1.9%	1.9%	2.4%	2.7%
• Junior							
Junior GPA	3.00	3.01	3.00	3.00	3.02	3.02	3.04
GPA $\geq 3.5$	16.9%	17.6%	18.1%	18.3%	19.7%	19.1%	21.1%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	36.1%	36.6%	34.4%	35.8%	34.8%	34.8%	35.1%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	31.6%	30.4%	31.3%	28.9%	30.3%	30.5%	28.2%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	12.8%	12.6%	12.6%	13.4%	12.2%	12.8%	13.2%
GPA $< 2.0$	2.7%	2.8%	3.6%	3.5%	2.9%	2.7%	2.4%
• Senior							
Senior GPA	3.03	3.08	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.07	3.06
GPA $\geq 3.5$	17.9%	21.4%	20.3%	19.7%	19.7%	21.0%	20.8%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	36.1%	37.8%	35.9%	36.3%	36.6%	36.4%	36.8%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	30.7%	28.2%	29.3%	29.9%	29.0%	28.8%	28.9%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	13.7%	11.0%	12.9%	12.4%	12.8%	12.3%	12.0%
GPA $< 2.0$	1.7%	1.5%	1.6%	1.7%	1.9%	1.5%	1.5%
<b>Undergraduate GPA</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>3.02</b>	<b>3.01</b>	<b>3.01</b>	<b>3.02</b>	<b>3.03</b>	<b>3.04</b>

There is a positive relationship between student class level and grade point average; as students advance in standing, they tend to earn a higher grade point average.

\* Note: Freshman GPA data reflect grades for Winter quarter of first year enrolled.

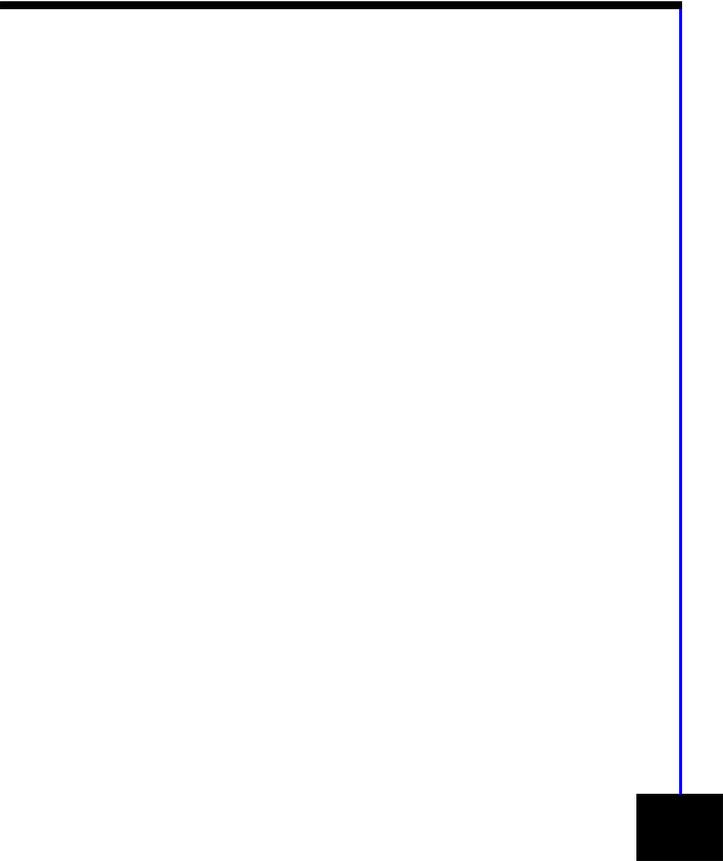
Table 10.

**Academic Profile by Major Field of Study**

Fall Quarter

Undergraduates	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
• Arts							
Arts GPA	3.10	3.20	3.22	3.19	3.22	3.20	3.20
GPA $\geq 3.5$	18.7%	25.6%	28.0%	28.6%	30.0%	29.0%	29.2%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	45.3%	46.9%	45.0%	39.8%	41.7%	40.7%	39.6%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	25.8%	21.4%	21.4%	23.4%	22.3%	22.0%	23.0%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	8.7%	4.6%	4.3%	7.5%	5.3%	7.5%	7.5%
GPA $< 2.0$	1.6%	1.5%	1.4%	0.6%	0.6%	0.8%	0.7%
• Humanities							
Humanities GPA	3.09	3.12	3.09	3.13	3.14	3.17	3.17
GPA $\geq 3.5$	22.1%	24.0%	21.5%	25.3%	27.3%	28.1%	28.7%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	38.0%	40.0%	40.6%	40.4%	39.6%	40.5%	39.7%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	28.7%	24.7%	24.6%	22.3%	22.1%	22.3%	20.5%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	8.8%	10.0%	10.5%	9.4%	9.6%	6.8%	9.6%
GPA $< 2.0$	2.5%	1.2%	2.8%	2.6%	1.5%	2.3%	1.5%
• Engineering							
Engineering GPA	2.95	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
GPA $\geq 3.5$	15.6%	18.7%	18.0%	18.0%	18.8%	18.9%	18.8%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	31.4%	32.5%	33.1%	32.8%	32.7%	31.2%	32.4%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	34.7%	31.7%	31.6%	31.5%	31.9%	32.9%	32.2%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	15.6%	14.9%	14.8%	15.3%	14.3%	14.8%	14.5%
GPA $< 2.0$	2.8%	2.2%	2.5%	2.4%	2.4%	2.1%	2.0%
• Science/Math							
Science/Math GPA	2.93	2.91	2.94	2.95	2.98	3.01	3.01
GPA $\geq 3.5$	18.4%	15.9%	15.9%	16.6%	17.3%	20.1%	18.7%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	27.7%	31.3%	31.9%	32.9%	33.0%	32.0%	34.7%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	30.8%	31.8%	30.1%	31.0%	30.9%	30.1%	29.4%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	18.9%	15.7%	18.8%	16.5%	16.1%	15.1%	14.7%
GPA $< 2.0$	4.2%	5.3%	3.3%	2.9%	2.7%	2.7%	2.4%
• Biology							
Biology GPA	3.01	3.06	3.05	3.04	3.04	3.03	3.07
GPA $\geq 3.5$	18.8%	20.5%	20.0%	18.7%	18.5%	18.6%	20.5%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	32.8%	35.5%	34.4%	35.9%	36.1%	36.1%	36.0%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	31.8%	30.9%	33.2%	32.7%	31.8%	31.3%	31.3%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	14.2%	11.0%	10.8%	10.7%	11.9%	12.1%	10.5%
GPA $< 2.0$	2.3%	2.1%	1.6%	2.0%	1.7%	1.9%	1.6%
• Social Science							
Social Science GPA	3.01	3.02	2.99	3.00	2.99	3.02	3.03
GPA $\geq 3.5$	15.5%	17.6%	16.7%	17.0%	17.7%	19.0%	19.9%
$3.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.5$	38.5%	38.3%	35.8%	36.3%	35.5%	36.1%	35.9%
$2.5 \leq \text{GPA} < 3.0$	30.6%	28.9%	29.7%	29.2%	29.5%	28.4%	27.6%
$2.0 \leq \text{GPA} < 2.5$	13.2%	12.7%	14.7%	14.7%	14.2%	14.1%	14.0%
GPA $< 2.0$	2.2%	2.5%	3.1%	2.8%	3.1%	2.5%	2.6%
<b>Undergraduate GPA</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>3.02</b>	<b>3.01</b>	<b>3.01</b>	<b>3.02</b>	<b>3.03</b>	<b>3.04</b>

Grade point averages vary by major field of study; the highest average GPAs are generally associated with arts and humanities majors.



**New  
Students**

# ■ New Students: The Past Decade

New student enrollments have increased from 4,233 in 2000 to 6,515 in 2010, representing an overall increase of 54%. Of the new student enrollment, 61% are first-time freshmen and 39% are transfer students, representing the largest cohort of incoming transfer students to date.

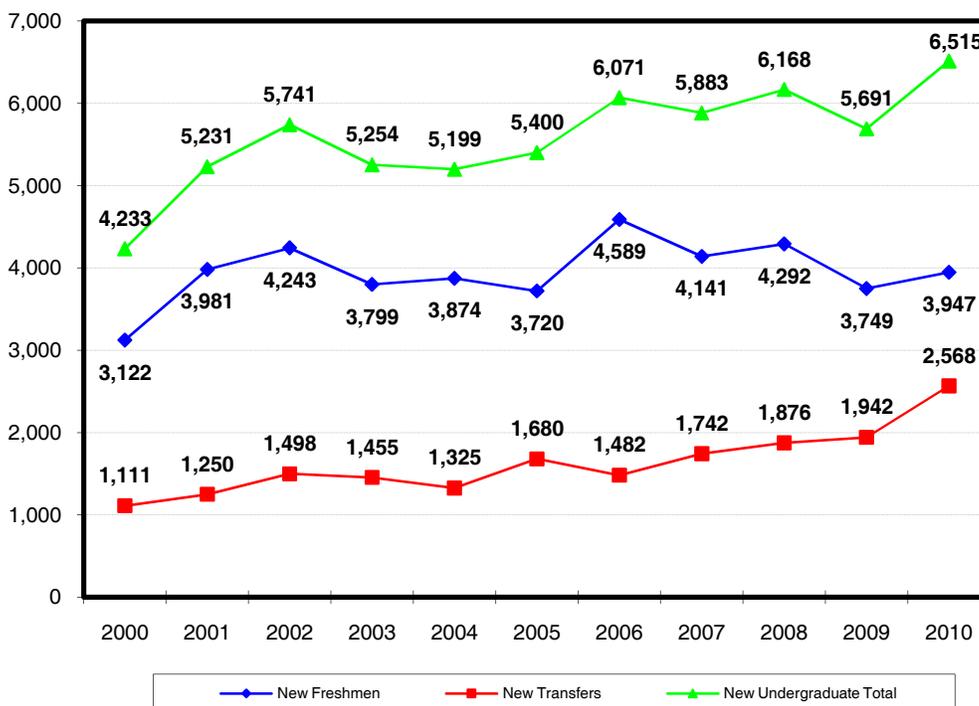
Table 11.

## New Student Enrollments Fall Quarter

New Students	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• First-Time Freshmen	3,122 74%	3,720 69%	4,589 76%	4,141 70%	4,292 70%	3,749 66%	3,947 61%	+26%
• New Transfers	1,111 26%	1,680 31%	1,482 24%	1,742 30%	1,876 30%	1,942 34%	2,568 39%	+131%
<b>New Student Total</b>	<b>4,233</b>	<b>5,400</b>	<b>6,071</b>	<b>5,883</b>	<b>6,168</b>	<b>5,691</b>	<b>6,515</b>	<b>+54%</b>

Figure 9.

## New Student Enrollments Fall Quarter





**First-Time  
Freshmen**

# ■ First-Time Freshmen

Over forty-eight thousand high school students applied for admission to UCSD for fall of 2010. Of these students, 38% were admitted. A total of 3,947 of the admitted students registered for enrollment, showing a yield of 22%.

Table 12.

## Applicants, Admits & Registered Fall Quarter

First-Time Freshmen	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Applicants	35,691	40,518	43,586	45,073	47,365	47,046	48,093	+35%
• Admits	13,718	17,891	21,345	19,178	19,717	17,679	18,356	+34%
Admit/App. Rate	38%	44%	49%	43%	42%	38%	38%	
• Registered	3,122	3,720	4,589	4,141	4,292	3,749	3,947	+26%
Reg./Admit Rate	23%	21%	21%	22%	22%	21%	22%	

Figure 10.

## Applicants, Admits & Registered Fall Quarter

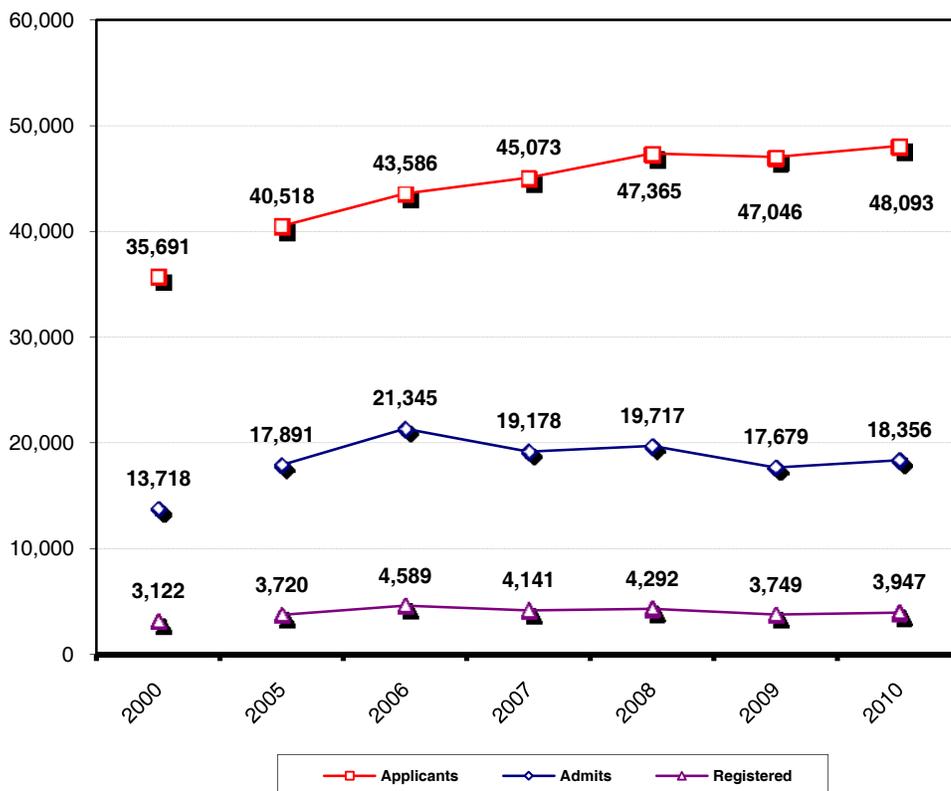


Table 13.

**First-Time Freshmen by Gender** Fall Quarter

Gender	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Female	1,682 54%	2,113 57%	2,558 56%	2,303 56%	2,399 56%	2,054 55%	2,089 53%	+24%
• Male	1,440 46%	1,607 43%	2,031 44%	1,838 44%	1,893 44%	1,695 45%	1,858 47%	+29%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,589</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

At 53%, women continue to represent the majority of first-time freshmen at UCSD.

Figure 11.

**First-Time Freshmen by Gender** Fall Quarter

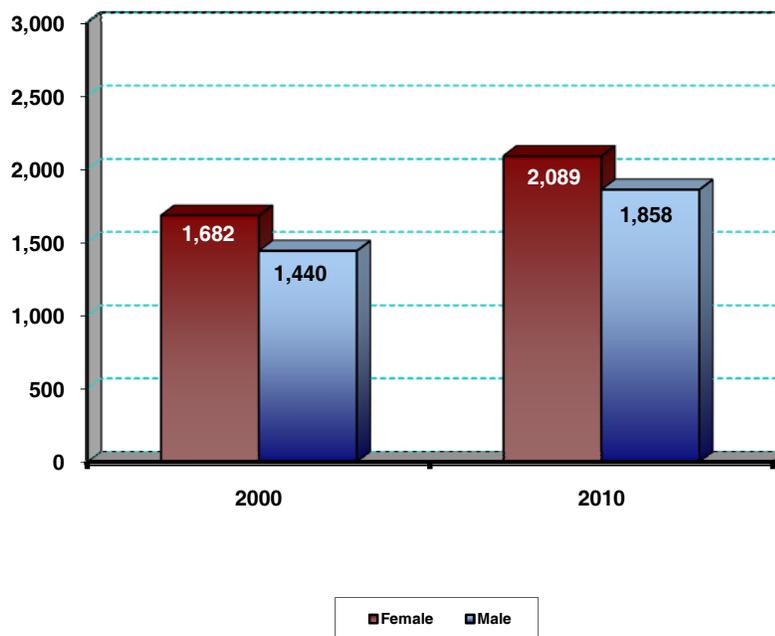


Table 14.

**First-Time Freshmen by Ethnicity** Fall Quarter

Ethnicity	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• African-American	28 1%	43 1%	44 1%	72 2%	52 1%	46 1%	61 2%	+118%
• Asian	986 32%	1,600 43%	2,080 45%	1,945 47%	2,106 49%	1,826 49%	1,935 49%	+96%
• Mexican-American	243 8%	321 9%	388 8%	431 10%	441 10%	454 12%	475 12%	+95%
• Filipino	161 5%	201 5%	221 5%	183 4%	180 4%	136 4%	161 4%	+0%
• Latino	67 2%	111 3%	122 3%	126 3%	105 2%	108 3%	119 3%	+78%
• Native-American	13 0%	18 0%	22 0%	9 0%	15 0%	11 0%	22 1%	+69%
• Caucasian	1,210 39%	1,083 29%	1,283 28%	989 24%	1,009 24%	816 22%	792 20%	-35%
• Other/Missing	414 13%	343 9%	429 9%	386 9%	384 9%	352 9%	382 10%	-8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,589</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

The 2010 incoming freshman class is ethnically diverse; approximately 71% of first-time freshmen are students of color.

Figure 12.

**First-Time Freshmen by Ethnicity** Fall Quarter

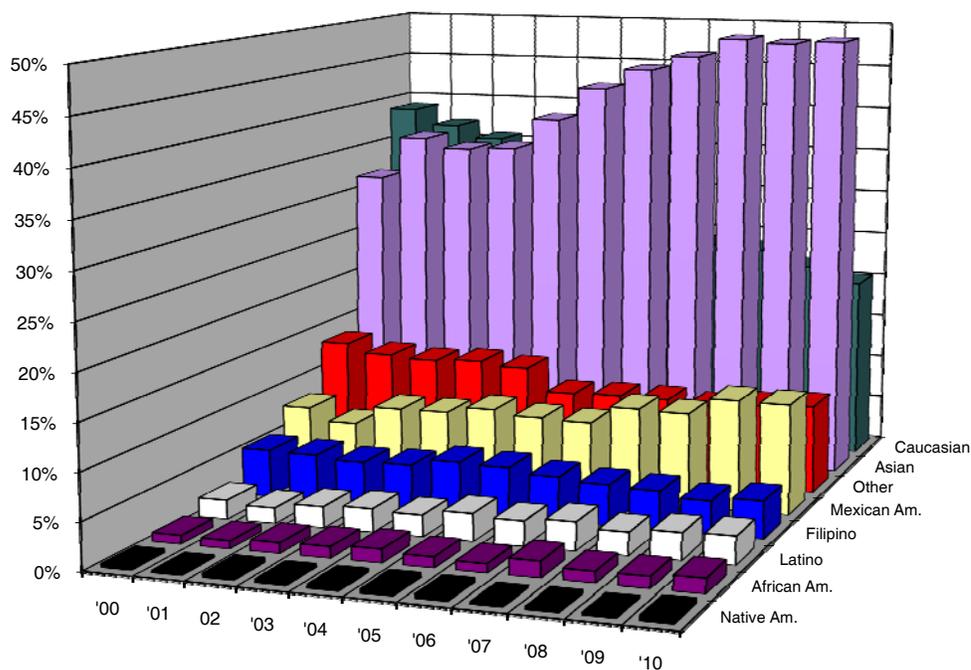


Table 15.

**First-Time Freshmen by Major Field of Study** Fall Quarter

Major Field of Study	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Arts	86 3%	82 2%	105 2%	76 2%	99 2%	74 2%	84 2%	-2%
• Humanities	76 2%	84 2%	151 3%	116 3%	115 3%	78 2%	89 2%	+17%
• Engineering	713 23%	766 21%	872 19%	720 17%	879 20%	856 23%	823 21%	+15%
• Science/Math	242 8%	370 10%	465 10%	462 11%	393 9%	463 12%	581 15%	+140%
• Biology	510 16%	616 17%	807 18%	851 21%	926 22%	625 17%	639 16%	+25%
• Social Science	564 18%	791 21%	1,024 22%	900 22%	986 23%	862 23%	968 25%	+72%
• Undeclared/Missing/ Special	931 30%	1,011 27%	1,165 25%	1,016 25%	894 21%	791 21%	763 19%	-18%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,589</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

The most popular declared field of study for first-time freshmen is social science, followed closely by engineering. Approximately, 19% of new freshmen are considered undeclared upon admission.

Figure 13.

**First-Time Freshmen by Major Field of Study** Fall Quarter

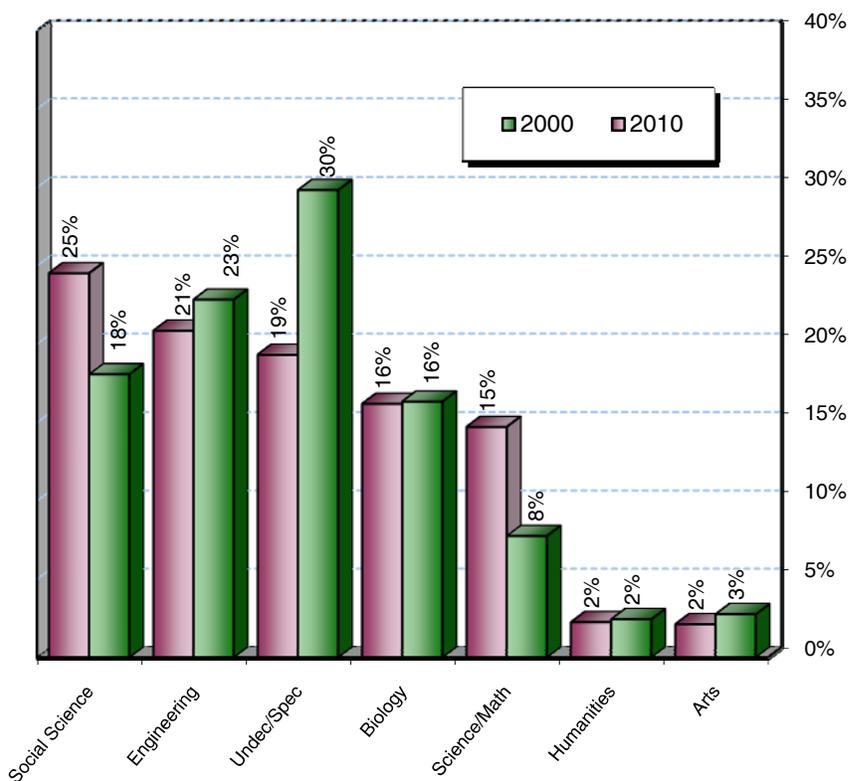


Table 16.

**First-Time Freshmen  
by Major Department at Time of Admission** **Fall Quarter**

Similar to 2000, biology is the most popular declared major among new freshmen. Approximately 16% of all new freshmen report majoring in biology.

2000			2010		
Major Department	n	%	Major Department	n	%
Biology	510	16.3%	Biology	639	16.2%
Electrical & Computer Eng. (ECE)	216	6.9%	Chemistry	356	9.0%
Computer Science & Eng. (CSE)	190	6.1%	Economics	232	5.9%
Bioengineering	141	4.5%	Psychology	224	5.7%
Psychology	132	4.2%	Mechanical & Aerospace Eng.	224	5.7%
Political Science	130	4.2%	Computer Science & Eng. (CSE)	176	4.5%
Applied Mechanics & Eng. (AMES)	127	4.1%	Political Science	146	3.7%
Economics	111	3.6%	Electrical & Computer Eng. (ECE)	124	3.1%
Chemistry	91	2.9%	Mathematics	119	3.0%
Communications	90	2.9%	International Studies	116	2.9%
Mathematics	87	2.8%	Structural Engineering	99	2.5%
Physics	61	2.0%	Bioengineering	98	2.5%
Visual Arts	57	1.8%	Cognitive Science	69	1.7%
Structural Engineering	38	1.2%	Chemical Engineering	69	1.7%
Literature	34	1.1%	Communications	62	1.6%
History	33	1.1%	Literature	53	1.3%
Human Development	28	0.9%	Visual Arts	51	1.3%
Sociology	21	0.7%	Environmental Systems	51	1.3%
Anthropology	16	0.5%	Physics	50	1.3%
Music	16	0.5%	Sociology	33	0.8%
Theater	13	0.4%	Nano Engineering	33	0.8%
Cognitive Science	11	0.4%	History	29	0.7%
Philosophy	7	0.2%	Anthropology	22	0.6%
Linguistics	6	0.2%	Linguistics	17	0.4%
Latin American Studies	4	0.1%	Theater	17	0.4%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>2,170</b>	<b>69.5%</b>	<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>3,109</b>	<b>78.8%</b>
<b>Other Majors</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>Other Majors</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1.9%</b>
<b>Undeclared Majors</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>29.8%</b>	<b>Undeclared Majors</b>	<b>763</b>	<b>19.3%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Table 17.

First-Time Freshmen by College								Fall Quarter
College	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Revelle	717 23%	756 20%	736 16%	798 19%	701 16%	642 17%	635 16%	-11%
• John Muir	586 19%	640 17%	962 21%	644 16%	801 19%	623 17%	824 21%	+41%
• Thurgood Marshall	598 19%	667 18%	769 17%	703 17%	774 18%	604 16%	504 13%	-16%
• Earl Warren	652 21%	582 16%	691 15%	659 16%	615 14%	706 19%	741 19%	+14%
• Eleanor Roosevelt	569 18%	608 16%	723 16%	663 16%	801 19%	603 16%	598 15%	+5%
• Sixth	NA NA	467 13%	708 15%	674 16%	600 14%	571 15%	645 16%	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,589</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

Almost one-half (44%) of all first-time freshmen come to UCSD from the Los Angeles area. Approximately one-quarter (26%) are from the San Francisco area. Ninety-one percent are from California.

Table 18.

First-Time Freshmen by Home Location								Fall Quarter
Home Location	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• San Diego	538 17%	503 14%	591 13%	568 14%	554 13%	516 14%	499 13%	-7%
• Los Angeles	1,416 45%	1,736 47%	2,089 46%	1,902 46%	1,993 46%	1,695 45%	1,735 44%	+23%
• San Francisco	587 19%	820 22%	1,101 24%	950 23%	1,011 24%	938 25%	1,007 26%	+72%
• Other CA	445 14%	413 11%	477 10%	400 10%	384 9%	358 10%	359 9%	-19%
• Out-of-State	97 3%	156 4%	211 5%	169 4%	179 4%	123 3%	144 4%	+48%
• International	39 1%	92 2%	120 3%	152 4%	171 4%	119 3%	203 5%	+421%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,589</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

Table 19.

**First-Time Freshmen by 1st Generation College Status** Fall Quarter

College Status	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• First Generation	739 24%	1,037 28%	1,262 28%	1,383 33%	1,369 32%	1,261 34%	1,355 34%	+83%
• Not First Generation	2,383 76%	2,683 72%	3,327 72%	2,758 67%	2,923 68%	2,488 66%	2,592 66%	+9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,589</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

The majority (66%) of new freshmen have at least one parent who has graduated from a two-year junior college or four-year college/university.

Table 20.

**First-Time Freshmen by Income Group** Fall Quarter

Income	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• High (≥\$98,401)	704 23%	887 24%	1,234 27%	943 23%	1,138 27%	970 26%	922 23%	+31%
• Medium High (\$65,601 - \$98,400)	429 14%	468 13%	566 12%	439 11%	442 10%	376 10%	373 9%	-13%
• Medium Low (\$32,801 - \$65,600)	698 22%	792 21%	985 21%	904 22%	891 21%	774 21%	857 22%	+23%
• Low (≤\$32,800)	629 20%	854 23%	994 22%	1,129 27%	1,096 26%	1,063 28%	1,137 29%	+81%
• Missing	662 21%	719 19%	810 18%	726 18%	725 17%	566 15%	658 17%	-1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,589</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

Approximately, 5% of first-time freshmen play UCSD athletics.

Table 21.

**First-Time Freshmen by Athletic Status** Fall Quarter

College Status	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010*	10 Year Δ
• Athlete	NA NA	159 4%	166 4%	149 4%	175 4%	187 5%	NA NA	NA
• Non-Athlete	NA NA	3,561 96%	4,423 96%	3,992 96%	4,117 96%	3,562 95%	NA NA	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,122</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,141</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>+26%</b>

\* 2010 Athlete data not available until Winter Quarter 2011.

Table 22.

**Major\* Feeder High Schools for First-time Freshmen** Fall Quarter

High School	City	Number from H.S. Registered at UCSD in Fall 2010	Percent of UCSD's Total Freshman Enrollment	Average H.S. GPA of Registered Freshmen	Average SAT I of Registered Freshmen	High School Quintile Rank
Lowell High School	San Francisco	53	1.3%	3.82	1322	First
Mission San Jose High School	Fremont	49	1.2%	3.95	1391	First
Lynbrook High School	San Jose	47	1.2%	3.95	1400	First
Monta Vista High School	Cupertino	46	1.2%	3.90	1399	First
Diamond Bar High School	Diamond Bar	44	1.1%	3.92	1347	First
Arcadia High School	Arcadia	38	1.0%	3.90	1338	First
Henry M Gunn Sr High School	Palo Alto	31	0.8%	3.91	1394	First
Walnut High School	Walnut	30	0.8%	4.01	1333	First
Irvington High School	Fremont	29	0.7%	4.02	1348	First
Temple City High School	Temple City	29	0.7%	3.98	1277	First
Westview High School	San Diego	28	0.7%	4.03	1373	First
Mark Keppel High School	Alhambra	27	0.7%	3.85	1298	First
Gretchen Whitney High School	Cerritos	27	0.7%	3.97	1368	First
Homestead High School	Cupertino	27	0.7%	4.10	1373	First
University High School	Irvine	25	0.6%	3.85	1403	First
Mira Mesa High School	San Diego	25	0.6%	4.09	1260	Second
Saratoga High School	Saratoga	25	0.6%	3.96	1408	First
Alhambra High School	Alhambra	24	0.6%	3.80	1273	Third
Torrey Pines High School	San Diego	23	0.6%	3.87	1390	First
Cerritos High School	Cerritos	22	0.6%	3.96	1288	First
Northwood High School	Irvine	22	0.6%	3.97	1358	First
Evergreen High School	San Jose	20	0.5%	3.96	1291	First
Palos Verdes Peninsula High School	Rolling Hills	19	0.5%	3.95	1318	First
Troy High School	Fullerton	18	0.5%	3.80	1320	First
Aliso Niguel High School	Aliso Viejo	18	0.5%	4.04	1344	First
Abraham Lincoln High School	San Francisco	18	0.5%	3.76	1233	Second
Granada Hills High School	Granada Hills	17	0.4%	3.81	1317	First
Mills High School	Millbrae	17	0.4%	3.96	1345	First
Amador Valley High School	Pleasanton	17	0.4%	3.98	1392	First
Rancho Bernardo High School	San Diego	17	0.4%	3.96	1351	First
George Washington High School	San Francisco	17	0.4%	3.86	1221	Second
Castro Valley High School	Castro Valley	16	0.4%	3.94	1313	First
American High School	Fremont	16	0.4%	3.96	1370	Second
Sunny Hills High School	Fullerton	16	0.4%	3.91	1313	First
Los Gatos High School	Los Gatos	16	0.4%	4.16	1327	First
San Gabriel High School	San Gabriel	16	0.4%	3.97	1190	Third
South High School	Torrance	16	0.4%	3.97	1315	First
John Marshall High School	Los Angeles	15	0.4%	3.84	1179	Fourth
Archbishop Mitty High School	San Jose	15	0.4%	4.14	1375	First
San Marino High School	San Marino	15	0.4%	3.84	1355	First
Westlake High School	Westlake Village	15	0.4%	3.98	1337	First
West High School	Torrance	15	0.4%	3.89	1319	First
<b>Subtotal (Number of High Schools=42)</b>		<b>1,020</b>	<b>25.8%</b>			
<b>Other High Schools (Number of High Schools=960)</b>		<b>2,927</b>	<b>74.2%</b>			
<b>Total (Number of High Schools=1,002)</b>		<b>3,947</b>	<b>100.0%</b>			

Lowell High School in the San Francisco area tops the list of major feeder schools for the fall 2010 freshman cohort.

\* Fifteen or more students



**High School  
Grades and  
SAT Scores**

# ■ Academic Preparation: A Decade of Change

Academic preparation of incoming freshmen, as measured by high school GPA and SAT scores, have remained high over the past decade. The average SAT score in 2010 is 1265, and the average GPA is 3.98.

Table 23.

## Freshman Cohort by HS GPA and SAT Score Averages Fall Quarter

First-Time Freshmen	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
• HS GPA <sup>1</sup>	3.99	3.94	3.93	3.94	3.94	3.96	3.98
• SAT I (Verbal & Math)	1259	1253	1243	1248	1252	1257	1265

<sup>1</sup> GPAs may exceed 4.0 with credit given for honors courses.

<sup>2</sup> SAT I scores reflect the higher of ACT scores converted to SAT Scores.

Table 24.

## Freshman Cohort by Academic Indicator Ranges Fall Quarter

High School GPA Range	Percentage in Range		SAT I Composite Score Range	Percentage in Range	
	2000	2010		2000	2010
• 4.0 - High	54%	53%	• 1500 - 1600	3%	3%
• 3.90 - 3.99	12%	14%	• 1300 - 1499	39%	43%
• 3.60 - 3.89	28%	27%	• 1200 - 1299	30%	25%
• 3.30 - 3.59	6%	5%	• 1000 - 1199	25%	23%
• Low - 3.29	<1%	<1%	• Low - 999	4%	5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

Number of Honors Courses: 10th & 11th Grade	Percentage in Range		Number of College Preparatory (A-G) Courses*	Percentage in Range	
	2000	2010		2000	2010
• More than 8	15%	3%	• More than 50	13%	28%
• 7 - 8	22%	5%	• 46 - 50	25%	33%
• 5 - 6	28%	14%	• 41 - 45	36%	29%
• 1 - 4	32%	54%	• 36 - 40	23%	9%
• 0	4%	24%	• 30 - 35	3%	0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

\* The G requirement went into effect in 2003.

Figure 14.

## Academic Preparation: 2000-2010 Comparison Fall Quarter

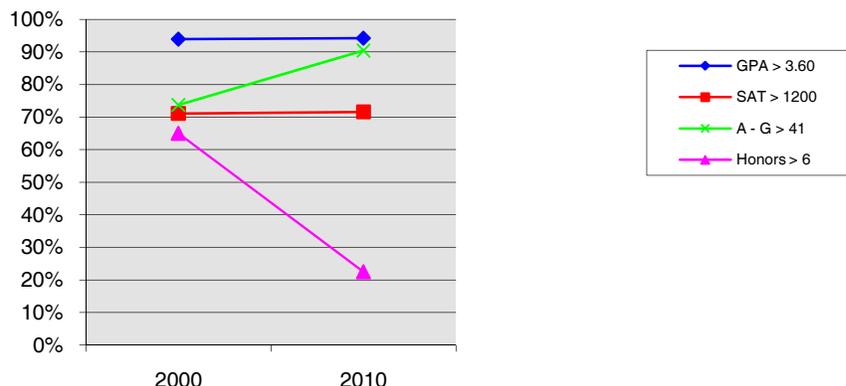


Table 25.

**High School GPA<sup>1</sup> by Gender, Ethnicity, Major Field of Study, Home Location, 1st Generation College Status & Income** Fall Quarter

First-Time Freshmen GPA	2000 Average	2005 Average	2006 Average	2007 Average	2008 Average	2009 Average	2010 Average
<b>• Gender</b>							
Female	4.00	3.95	3.94	3.95	3.95	3.97	3.98
Male	3.97	3.91	3.91	3.91	3.93	3.95	3.97
<b>• Ethnicity</b>							
African-American	4.01	3.88	3.73	3.85	3.88	3.88	3.90
Asian	3.92	3.89	3.89	3.91	3.90	3.95	3.95
Mexican-American	3.98	3.88	3.86	3.86	3.88	3.88	3.96
Filipino	4.08	4.03	4.02	4.02	4.01	4.04	4.04
Latino	4.04	3.90	3.85	3.88	3.90	3.94	3.99
Native-American	3.96	4.04	3.88	4.05	3.88	4.03	3.97
Caucasian	4.03	4.00	3.99	4.02	4.03	4.03	4.04
<b>• Major Field of Study</b>							
Arts	3.94	3.87	3.91	3.95	3.87	3.92	3.92
Humanities	3.95	3.87	3.87	3.95	3.97	3.91	3.95
Engineering	4.03	3.97	3.99	4.00	3.98	4.00	4.02
Science/Math	4.02	3.97	3.98	3.94	3.96	4.00	3.98
Biology	4.01	3.99	3.96	3.98	3.96	4.02	4.04
Social Science	3.93	3.88	3.86	3.87	3.89	3.91	3.92
Undec./Special	3.97	3.92	3.90	3.91	3.93	3.93	3.95
<b>• Home Location</b>							
San Diego	4.04	4.00	4.00	4.02	4.01	4.04	4.05
Los Angeles	3.95	3.90	3.89	3.90	3.91	3.93	3.96
San Francisco	3.95	3.92	3.90	3.92	3.92	3.95	3.98
Other CA	4.06	4.01	4.01	4.00	4.02	4.01	4.03
Out of State	4.10	4.00	4.05	4.04	4.02	4.05	3.94
<b>• First Generation College Status</b>							
First Generation	3.95	3.88	3.86	3.86	3.86	3.90	3.94
Not First Generation	4.00	3.96	3.95	3.98	3.98	4.00	4.00
<b>• Income Group</b>							
High (≥\$98,401)	4.01	3.98	3.98	4.00	3.99	4.03	4.02
Med. High (\$65,601-\$98,400)	4.02	4.00	3.96	4.02	3.98	4.04	4.01
Med. Low (\$32,801-\$65,600)	3.98	3.91	3.89	3.92	3.92	3.95	3.97
Low (≤\$32,800)	3.94	3.84	3.84	3.82	3.83	3.86	3.91
Missing	3.99	3.98	3.98	4.00	4.01	4.01	4.01
<b>• Athletes<sup>2</sup></b>							
Athletes	NA	3.91	3.89	3.93	3.94	3.90	NA
Non-Athletes	NA	3.94	3.93	3.94	3.94	3.97	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.99</b>	<b>3.94</b>	<b>3.93</b>	<b>3.94</b>	<b>3.94</b>	<b>3.96</b>	<b>3.98</b>

<sup>1</sup> GPAs may exceed 4.0 with credit given for honors courses.

<sup>2</sup> 2010 Athlete data not available until Winter Quarter 2011.

Average high school GPAs vary somewhat by gender, ethnicity, and major field of study. For example, the average GPA of females is typically higher than that of males.

Table 26.

**SAT<sup>1</sup> I Scores by Gender, Ethnicity, Major Field of Study, Home Location, 1st Generation College Status & Income** Fall Quarter

First-Time Freshmen SAT I	2000 Average	2005 Average	2006 Average	2007 Average	2008 Average	2009 Average	2010 Average
• Gender							
Female	1233	1230	1217	1224	1225	1229	1237
Male	1289	1282	1277	1278	1287	1291	1296
• Ethnicity							
African-American	1165	1149	1130	1149	1150	1127	1157
Asian	1267	1267	1258	1266	1277	1283	1290
Mexican-American	1129	1119	1089	1101	1082	1104	1108
Filipino	1192	1194	1196	1195	1204	1222	1227
Latino	1204	1152	1140	1165	1130	1139	1152
Native-American	1240	1217	1232	1191	1226	1226	1266
Caucasian	1284	1285	1276	1286	1282	1293	1302
• Major Field of Study							
Arts	1245	1238	1240	1226	1255	1204	1232
Humanities	1257	1289	1251	1266	1248	1253	1275
Engineering	1290	1289	1270	1281	1280	1279	1292
Science/Math	1245	1227	1245	1236	1250	1265	1260
Biology	1248	1247	1245	1246	1256	1276	1281
Social Science	1235	1243	1222	1226	1235	1235	1244
Undec./Special	1260	1245	1239	1249	1240	1242	1253
• Home Location							
San Diego	1202	1212	1189	1197	1208	1218	1224
Los Angeles	1259	1246	1232	1234	1239	1241	1252
San Francisco	1296	1286	1286	1300	1303	1311	1314
Other CA	1262	1240	1229	1219	1227	1226	1225
Out of State	1318	1308	1296	1314	1294	1281	1303
• First Generation College Status							
First Generation	1174	1169	1150	1164	1163	1166	1188
Not First Generation	1285	1285	1279	1290	1294	1304	1306
• Income Group							
High (≥\$98,401)	1309	1305	1293	1316	1313	1332	1326
Med. High (\$65,601-\$98,400)	1272	1264	1257	1257	1267	1282	1293
Med. Low (\$32,801-\$65,600)	1247	1232	1218	1222	1219	1228	1244
Low (≤\$32,800)	1166	1164	1148	1162	1159	1164	1184
Missing	1298	1310	1305	1317	1328	1327	1331
• Athletes <sup>2</sup>							
Athletes	NA	1263	1236	1246	1255	1244	NA
Non-Athletes	NA	1253	1243	1248	1252	1258	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>1259</b>	<b>1253</b>	<b>1243</b>	<b>1248</b>	<b>1252</b>	<b>1257</b>	<b>1265</b>

<sup>1</sup> SAT scores were "recentered" starting with the 1996 freshman cohort.

<sup>2</sup> 2010 Athlete data not available until Winter Quarter 2011.

The average SAT composite scores tend to vary by gender, ethnicity, and major. Males typically earn higher SAT scores compared to females.

Table 27.

**Intercampus Comparison<sup>1</sup> of Average SAT I Composite Scores** **Fall Quarter**

UC Campus	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010 <sup>2</sup>
• Berkeley	1309	1294	1302	1303	1318	1325	1313	1315	1319	1333	NA
• Davis	1171	1164	1171	1175	1171	1174	1153	1159	1171	1188	1220
• Irvine	1178	1174	1181	1193	1201	1200	1180	1170	1172	1180	1204
• Los Angeles	1277	1274	1263	1278	1290	1285	1284	1279	1269	1268	NA
• Merced <sup>3</sup>	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1069	1049	1053	1042	1035	1017
• Riverside	1058	1066	1058	1064	1074	1074	1042	1047	1051	1056	1124
• <b>San Diego</b>	<b>1260</b>	<b>1271</b>	<b>1247</b>	<b>1253</b>	<b>1250</b>	<b>1253</b>	<b>1243</b>	<b>1247</b>	<b>1251</b>	<b>1257</b>	<b>1265</b>
• Santa Barbara	1183	1186	1163	1177	1172	1193	1171	1180	1179	1193	1215
• Santa Cruz	1144	1152	1136	1142	1157	1159	1132	1130	1141	1150	1146
<b>Systemwide</b>	<b>1202</b>	<b>1202</b>	<b>1193</b>	<b>1198</b>	<b>1206</b>	<b>1211</b>	<b>1193</b>	<b>1191</b>	<b>1190</b>	<b>1199</b>	NA

<sup>1</sup> Source: University of California, Office of the President website.

<sup>2</sup> 2010 data based on personal contact with representatives for each UC Campus and are subject to change.

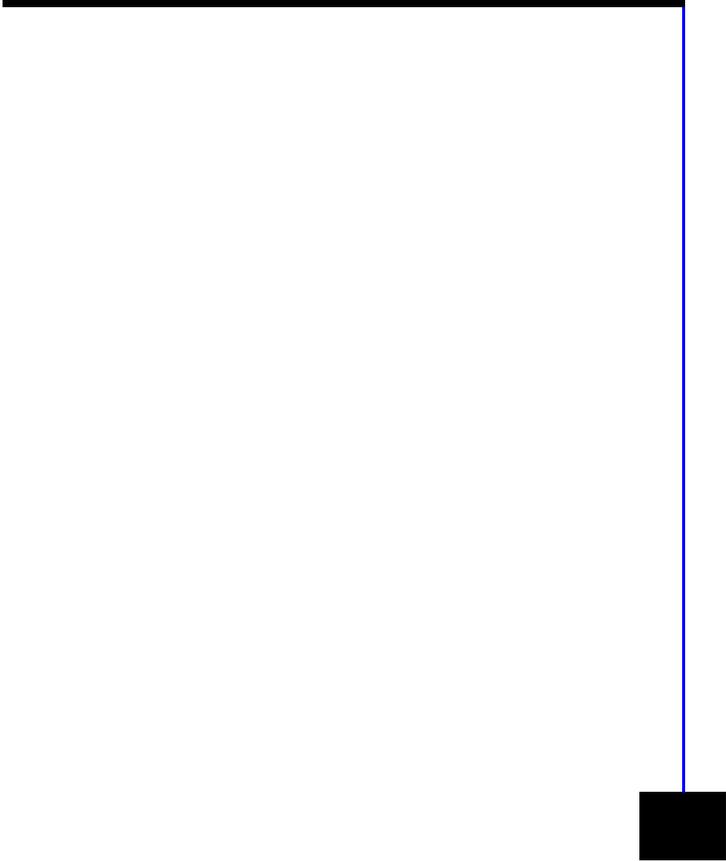
<sup>3</sup> Merced enrolled its first freshman class in Fall 2005.

When compared on the basis of average SAT scores, UCSD ranks among the top three universities in the UC system.

Table 28.

**UCSD's Position Relative to Other UC Campuses on SAT I Scores** **Fall Quarter**

Rank	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
• 1	UCB	NA									
• 2	UCLA	NA									
• 3	<b>UCSD</b>	NA									
• 4	UCSB	UCSB	UCI	UCI	UCI	UCI	UCI	UCSB	UCSB	UCSB	NA
• 5	UCI	UCI	UCD	UCSB	UCSB	UCSB	UCSB	UCI	UCI	UCD	NA
• 6	UCD	UCD	UCSB	UCD	UCD	UCD	UCD	UCD	UCD	UCI	NA
• 7	UCSC	NA									
• 8	UCR	UCR	UCR	UCR	UCR	UCR	UCM	UCM	UCR	UCR	NA
• 9						UCM	UCR	UCR	UCM	UCM	NA



**New  
Transfer  
Students**

# ■ New Transfer Students

Over fourteen hundred transfer students applied for admission to UCSD for fall 2010. Approximately, 56% of these students were admitted. Of those students admitted, 2,568 registered resulting in a yield of 32%.

Table 29.

## New Transfers: Applicants, Admits & Registered Fall Quarter

New Transfers	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Applicants	6,375	9,291	8,945	8,872	9,871	11,572	14,372	+125%
• Admits	3,613	5,939	5,755	6,494	6,443	7,160	8,031	+122%
Admit/Applicant Rate	57%	64%	64%	73%	65%	62%	56%	
• Registered	1,111	1,680	1,482	1,742	1,876	1,942	2,568	+131%
Registered/Admit Rate	31%	28%	26%	27%	29%	27%	32%	

Figure 15.

## New Transfers: Applicants, Admits & Registered Fall Quarter

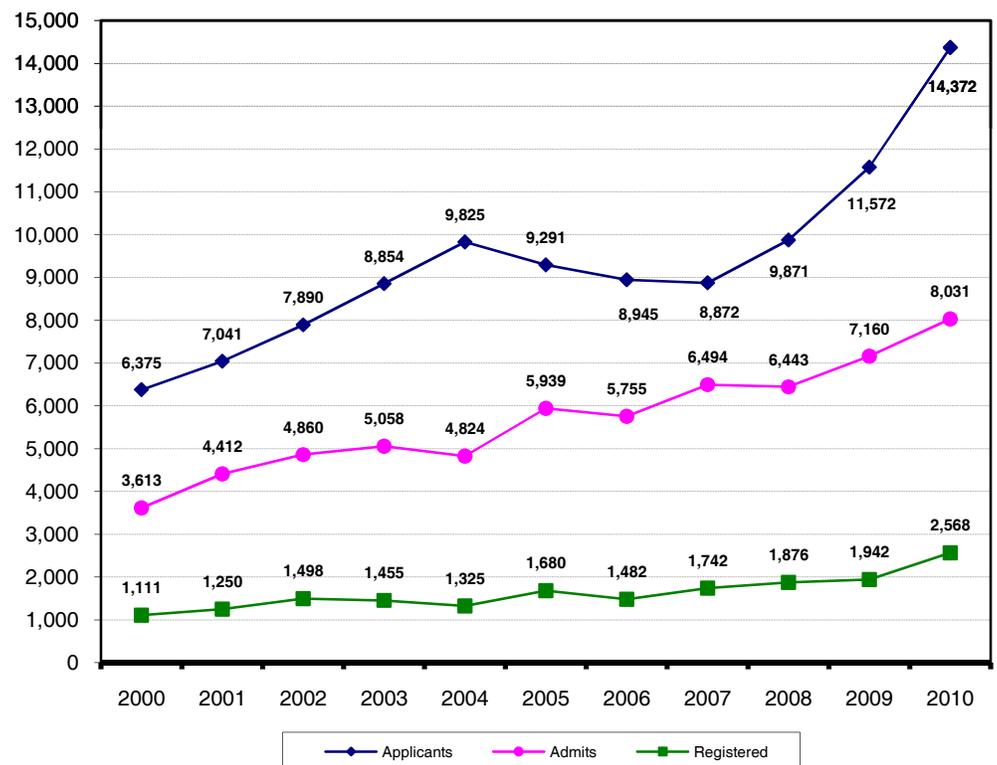


Table 30.

**New Transfers by Gender** Fall Quarter

Gender	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Female	555 50%	785 47%	668 45%	814 47%	847 45%	888 46%	1,176 46%	+112%
• Male	556 50%	895 53%	814 55%	928 53%	1,029 55%	1,054 54%	1,392 54%	+150%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

Unlike the 2010 freshman cohort, male transfer students outnumber women by approximately 8%.

Figure 16.

**New Transfers by Gender** Fall Quarter

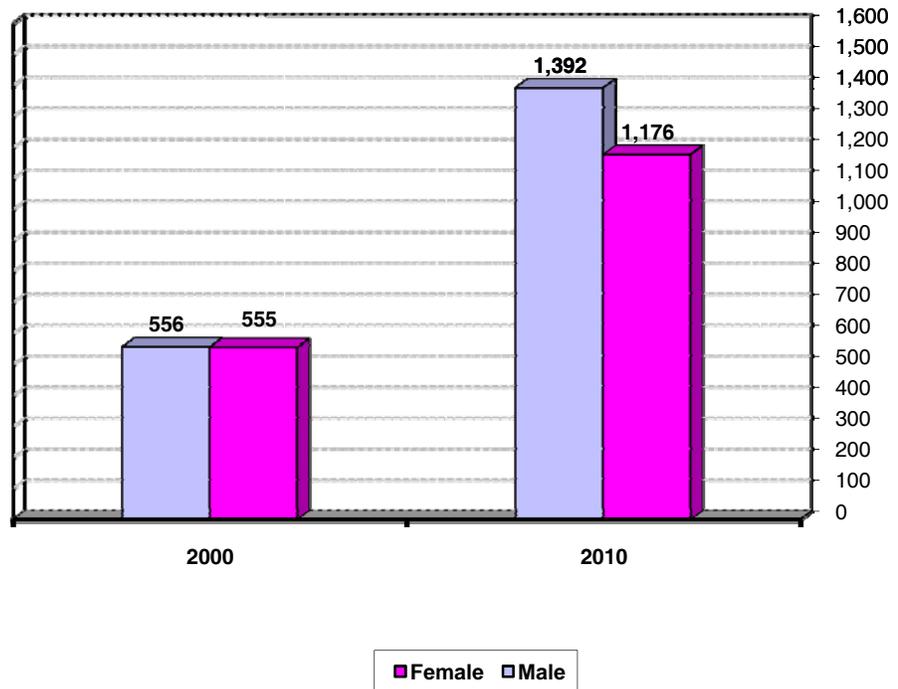


Table 31.

**New Transfers by Ethnicity**

Fall Quarter

The 2010 transfer student cohort is ethnically diverse; approximately 57% are students of color.

Ethnicity	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• African-American	18 2%	27 2%	24 2%	37 2%	48 3%	45 2%	73 3%	+306%
• Asian	279 25%	549 33%	504 34%	585 34%	725 39%	768 40%	924 36%	+231%
• Mexican-American	101 9%	138 8%	121 8%	165 9%	176 9%	183 9%	262 10%	+159%
• Filipino	49 4%	69 4%	50 3%	83 5%	83 4%	60 3%	106 4%	+116%
• Latino	34 3%	39 2%	55 4%	53 3%	53 3%	62 3%	87 3%	+156%
• Native-American	4 0%	9 1%	11 1%	6 0%	8 0%	13 1%	26 1%	+550%
• Caucasian	459 41%	600 36%	525 35%	581 33%	577 31%	604 31%	845 33%	+84%
• Other/Undeclared	167 15%	249 15%	192 13%	232 13%	206 11%	207 11%	245 10%	+47%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

Table 32.

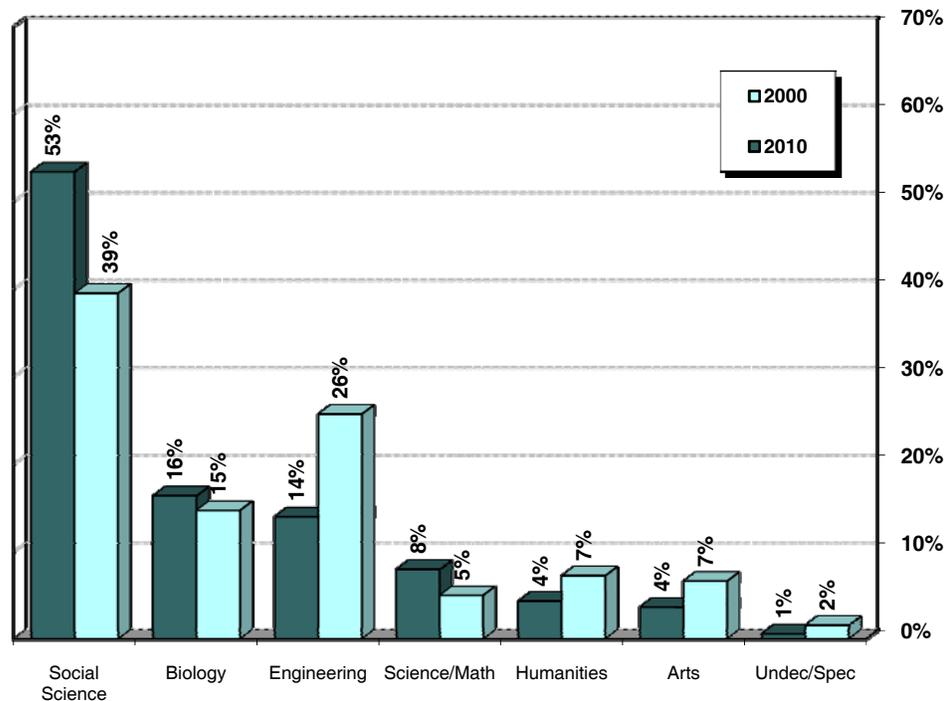
**New Transfers by Major Field of Study** Fall Quarter

Major Field of Study	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Arts	73 7%	73 4%	67 5%	83 5%	92 5%	71 4%	93 4%	+27%
• Humanities	80 7%	94 6%	82 6%	72 4%	83 4%	101 5%	110 4%	+38%
• Engineering	285 26%	256 15%	145 10%	180 10%	224 12%	271 14%	358 14%	+26%
• Science/Math	55 5%	157 9%	139 9%	155 9%	129 7%	123 6%	204 8%	+271%
• Biology	163 15%	290 17%	294 20%	338 19%	372 20%	269 14%	419 16%	+157%
• Social Science	438 39%	771 46%	702 47%	854 49%	940 50%	1,093 56%	1,369 53%	+213%
• Undeclared/ Special	17 2%	39 2%	53 4%	60 3%	36 2%	14 1%	15 1%	-12%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

Over one-half (53%) of all new transfer students declared a major in the social sciences.

Figure 17.

**New Transfers by Major Field of Study** Fall Quarter



Ninety-five percent of new transfer students attended a California Community College prior to enrolling at UCSD. The largest number of new transfer students come from either the Los Angeles or San Diego areas.

Table 33.

**New Transfers by Transfer Institution** Fall Quarter

Transfer Institution	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• California Community Colleges	1,057 95%	1,567 93%	1,368 92%	1,588 91%	1,747 93%	1,795 92%	2,443 95%	+131%
Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)	171 15%	327 19%	345 23%	327 19%	342 18%	700 36%	1,330 52%	+678%
Non-TAG	886 80%	1,240 74%	1,023 69%	1,261 72%	1,405 75%	1,095 56%	1,113 43%	+26%
• Intercampus Transfer/ Other 4 yr. College	48 4%	107 6%	109 7%	147 8%	121 6%	144 7%	120 5%	+150%
• Other/Unknown	6 1%	6 0%	5 0%	7 0%	8 0%	3 0%	5 0%	-17%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

Table 34.

**New Transfers by Home Location** Fall Quarter

Home Location	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• San Diego	362 33%	523 31%	446 30%	480 28%	503 27%	473 24%	725 28%	+100%
• Los Angeles	354 32%	545 32%	493 33%	616 35%	705 38%	693 36%	939 37%	+165%
• San Francisco	182 16%	303 18%	251 17%	299 17%	322 17%	316 16%	364 14%	+100%
• Other California	136 12%	138 8%	137 9%	158 9%	131 7%	159 8%	215 8%	+58%
• Out-of-State	6 1%	9 1%	12 1%	24 1%	7 0%	20 1%	11 0%	+83%
• International	71 6%	162 10%	143 10%	165 9%	208 11%	281 14%	314 12%	+342%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

Table 35.

**New Transfers by Undergraduate College** Fall Quarter

Undergraduate College	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• Revelle	160 14%	282 17%	215 15%	230 13%	284 15%	304 16%	303 12%	+89%
• John Muir	283 25%	411 24%	296 20%	367 21%	260 14%	287 15%	479 19%	+69%
• Thurgood Marshall	247 22%	376 22%	290 20%	356 20%	392 21%	418 22%	613 24%	+148%
• Earl Warren	281 25%	254 15%	249 17%	265 15%	251 13%	218 11%	429 17%	+53%
• Eleanor Roosevelt	140 13%	247 15%	295 20%	316 18%	366 20%	393 20%	402 16%	+187%
• Sixth	NA NA	110 7%	137 9%	208 12%	323 17%	322 17%	342 13%	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

In 2010, Thurgood Marshall enrolled the largest proportion (24%) of new transfer students, followed by John Muir (19%).

Figure 18.

**New Transfers by Undergraduate College** Fall Quarter

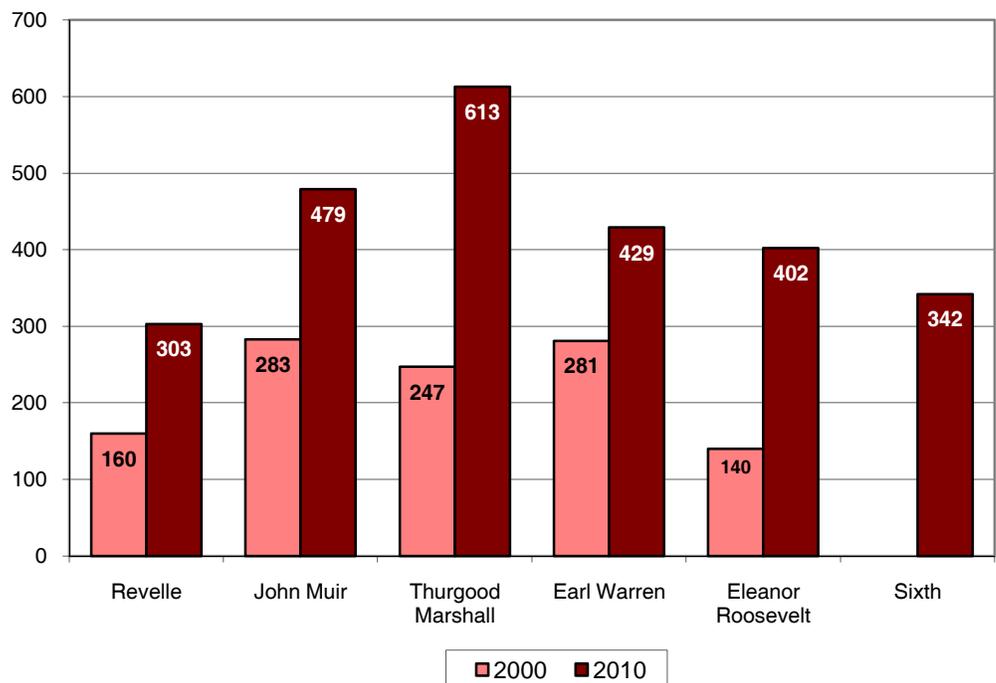


Table 36.

**New Transfers by 1st Generation College Status** Fall Quarter

College Status	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• First Generation	366 33%	542 32%	458 31%	542 31%	625 33%	608 31%	784 31%	+114%
• Not First Generation	745 67%	1,138 68%	1,024 69%	1,200 69%	1,251 67%	1,334 69%	1,784 69%	+139%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

The majority (69%) of new transfer students have at least one parent who has graduated from a two-year junior college or four-year college/university.

Table 37.

**New Transfers by Income Group** Fall Quarter

Income	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	10 Year Δ
• High (≥\$98,401)	183 16%	304 18%	280 19%	353 20%	367 20%	458 24%	542 21%	+196%
• Medium High (\$65,601 - \$98,400)	139 13%	200 12%	158 11%	193 11%	203 11%	185 10%	269 10%	+94%
• Medium Low (\$32,801 - \$65,600)	216 19%	255 15%	215 15%	291 17%	288 15%	296 15%	380 15%	+76%
• Low (≤\$32,800)	212 19%	245 15%	242 16%	284 16%	289 15%	314 16%	447 17%	+111%
• Missing	361 32%	676 40%	587 40%	621 36%	729 39%	689 35%	930 36%	+158%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

Approximately, 2% of new transfer students participate on a UCSD athletic team.

Table 38.

**New Transfers Freshmen by Athletic Status** Fall Quarter

College Status	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010*	10 Year Δ
• Athlete	NA NA	35 2%	31 2%	41 2%	44 2%	44 2%	NA NA	NA
• Non-Athlete	NA NA	1,645 98%	1,451 98%	1,701 98%	1,832 98%	1,898 98%	NA NA	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>+131%</b>

\* 2010 Athlete data not available until Winter Quarter 2011.

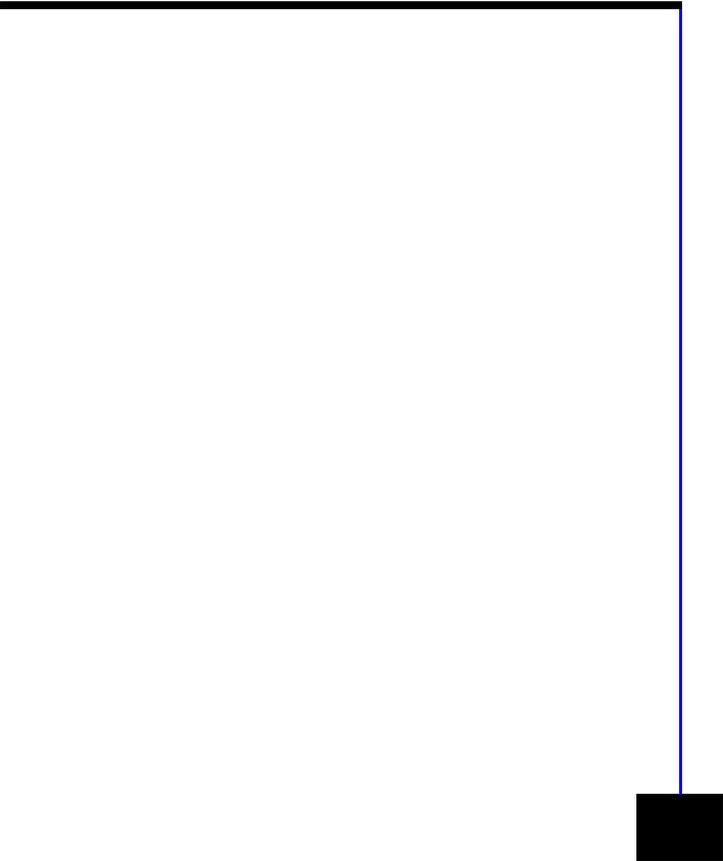
**Table 39.**

**Major\* Feeder Transfer Institutions** **Fall Quarter**

School	City	Enrollment N Fall 2010	% of Total Enrollment
San Diego Mesa College	San Diego	194	7.6%
De Anza College	Cupertino	148	5.8%
Santa Monica College	Santa Monica	117	4.6%
Grossmont Community College	El Cajon	113	4.4%
Miracosta College	Oceanside	113	4.4%
Palomar College	San Marcos	109	4.2%
Pasadena City College	Pasadena	105	4.1%
Diablo Valley College	Pleasant Hill	76	3.0%
Orange Coast College	Costa Mesa	76	3.0%
Southwestern Community College	Chula Vista	72	2.8%
Glendale Community College	Glendale	67	2.6%
Foothill College	Los Altos Hills	66	2.6%
Mount San Antonio College	Walnut	65	2.5%
Saddleback College	Mission Viejo	62	2.4%
San Diego Miramar College	San Diego	61	2.4%
Los Angeles Pierce College	Woodland Hills	59	2.3%
San Diego City College	San Diego	59	2.3%
El Camino College	Torrance	51	2.0%
Moorpark College	Moorpark	48	1.9%
Santa Barbara City College	Santa Barbara	47	1.8%
Irvine Valley College	Irvine	46	1.8%
East Los Angeles College	Los Angeles	40	1.6%
Cuyamaca College	El Cajon	35	1.4%
UC Riverside	Riverside	32	1.2%
College of the Canyons	Santa Clarita	31	1.2%
Ohlone College	Fremont	26	1.0%
Sierra College	Rocklin	24	0.9%
Fullerton College	Fullerton	23	0.9%
Riverside Community College	Riverside	22	0.9%
City College of San Francisco	San Francisco	21	0.8%
Santa Rosa Junior College	Santa Rosa	21	0.8%
UC Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz	20	0.8%
Cypress College	Cypress	19	0.7%
Mount San Jacinto College	San Jacinto	19	0.7%
Los Angeles Valley College	Van Nuys	19	0.7%
American River College	Sacramento	18	0.7%
College of San Mateo	San Mateo	17	0.7%
West Valley College	Saratoga	16	0.6%
Monterey Peninsula College	Monterey	14	0.5%
Citrus College	Glendora	13	0.5%
Ventura College	Ventura	13	0.5%
Chaffey Community College	Rancho Cucamonga	12	0.5%
Cabrillo College	Aptos	12	0.5%
Imperial Valley College	Imperial	12	0.5%
Chabot College	Hayward	12	0.5%
<b>Subtotal (Number of Transfer Institutions = 45)</b>		<b>2,245</b>	<b>87.4%</b>
<b>Other Institutions (Number of Transfer Institutions = 85)</b>		<b>323</b>	<b>12.6%</b>
<b>Total (Number of Transfer Institutions = 130)</b>		<b>2,568</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\* Twelve or more matriculants from named transfer institution.

San Diego Mesa College tops the list of major feeder transfer institutions. Approximately 8% percent of the 2010 transfer cohort (n=194) transferred to UCSD from San Diego Mesa College.



**New  
Transfer  
Student  
Academic  
Preparation**

## ■ Academic Preparation: New Transfer Students

Table 40.

### New Transfer Cohort by Transfer GPA Averages Fall Quarter

Transfer	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
• Transfer GPA	3.22	3.32	3.33	3.30	3.33	3.41	3.42

Table 41.

### New Transfer Cohort by Academic Indicator Ranges Fall Quarter

Transfer GPA Range	Percentage in Range	
	2000	2010
• 3.90 - High	4%	7%
• 3.60 - 3.89	17%	24%
• 3.30 - 3.59	28%	36%
• 3.00 - 3.29	33%	24%
• 2.70 - 2.99	15%	8%
• Low - 2.69	3%	1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

} 49%      } 67%

The mean transfer GPA for the 2010 transfer cohort was 3.42. Thirty-one percent of the new transfer cohort had earned a GPA of 3.60 and higher prior to attending UCSD.



**Degrees  
Conferred**

# ■ Degrees Conferred

UCSD awarded more than seventy-six hundred undergraduate, graduate and professional degrees in 2009/2010, representing the largest number of UCSD graduates to date.

Table 42.

Degrees Conferred: All Degree Types								Fall Quarter
All Degree Types	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10	10 Year Δ
• Bachelors	3,530 78%	5,043 78%	5,200 77%	5,061 76%	5,337 75%	5,325 74%	5,685 75%	+61%
• Masters	408 9%	797 12%	761 11%	901 13%	894 13%	990 14%	1,033 14%	+153%
• Candidate in Philosophy	150 3%	170 3%	253 4%	185 3%	258 4%	234 3%	262 3%	+75%
• Doctor of Philosophy	294 7%	303 5%	376 6%	387 6%	488 7%	437 6%	459 6%	+56%
• Doctor of Medicine	130 3%	117 2%	186 3%	101 2%	125 2%	109 2%	122 2%	-6%
• Doctor of Pharmacy	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	47 1%	31 0%	55 1%	54 1%	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,512</b>	<b>6,430</b>	<b>6,776</b>	<b>6,682</b>	<b>7,133</b>	<b>7,150</b>	<b>7,615</b>	<b>+69%</b>

Figure 19.

Degrees Conferred Undergraduate and Graduate Degree Trends

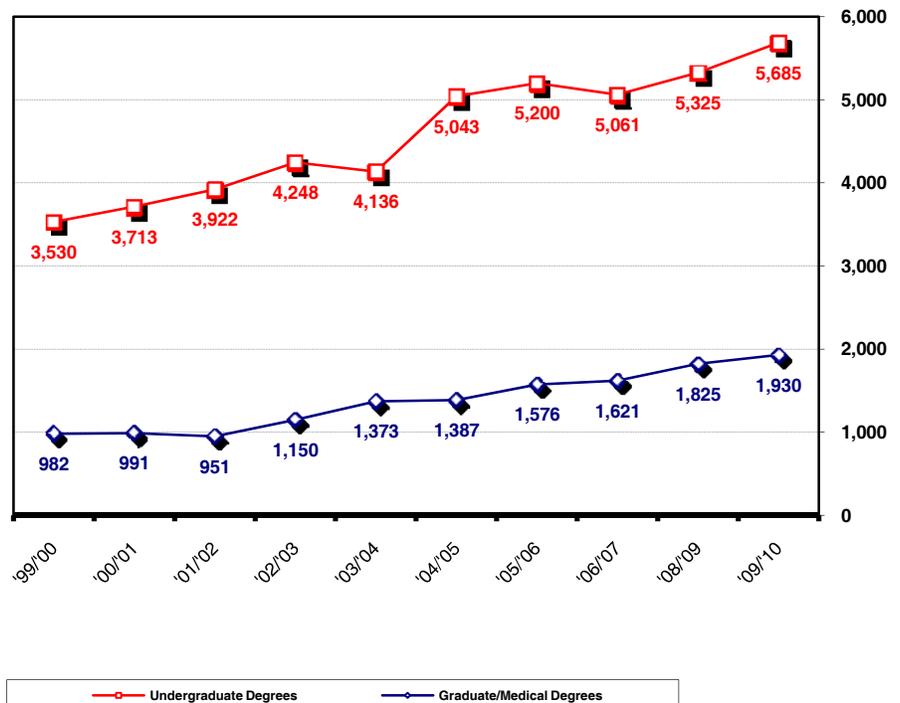


Table 43.

**Undergraduate Degrees by Gender** Fall Quarter

Gender	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10	10 Year Δ
• Female	1,865 53%	2,658 53%	2,747 53%	2,642 52%	2,847 53%	2,798 53%	3,025 53%	+62%
• Male	1,665 47%	2,385 47%	2,453 47%	2,419 48%	2,490 47%	2,527 47%	2,660 47%	+60%
<b>Total UG Degrees</b>	<b>3,530</b>	<b>5,043</b>	<b>5,200</b>	<b>5,061</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,325</b>	<b>5,685</b>	<b>+61%</b>

Of the 5,685 undergraduate degrees awarded in 2009/2010, the majority (53%) were awarded to women.

Figure 20.

**Undergraduate Degrees by Gender** Fall Quarter

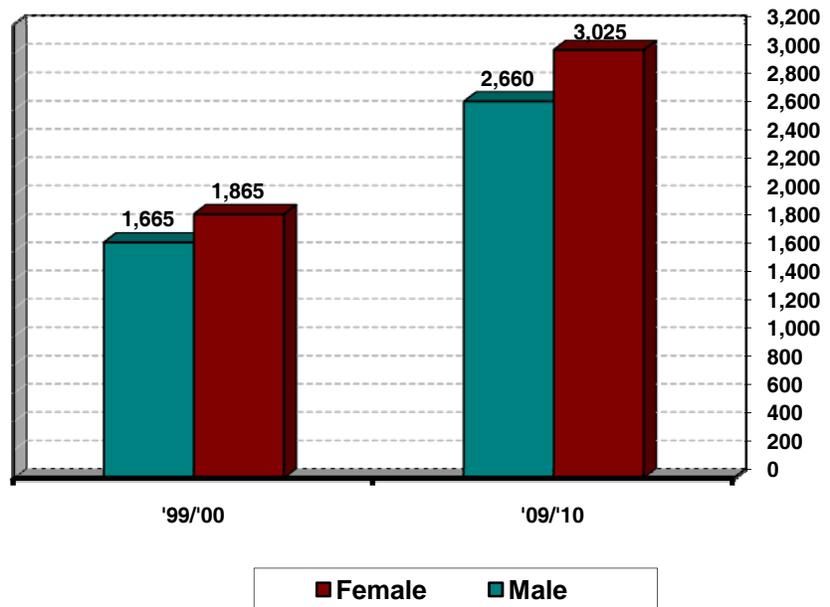


Table 44.

**Undergraduate Degrees by Ethnicity** Fall Quarter

Ethnicity	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10	10 Year Δ
• African-American	65 2%	59 1%	58 1%	70 1%	55 1%	84 2%	66 1%	+2%
• Asian	1,011 29%	1,690 34%	1,794 35%	1,692 33%	1,933 36%	2,065 39%	2,262 40%	+124%
• Mexican-American	255 7%	349 7%	347 7%	386 8%	386 7%	451 8%	459 8%	+80%
• Filipino	213 6%	249 5%	271 5%	234 5%	256 5%	243 5%	287 5%	+35%
• Latino	64 2%	107 2%	116 2%	129 3%	127 2%	139 3%	152 3%	+138%
• Native-American	35 1%	31 1%	22 0%	27 1%	21 0%	27 1%	28 0%	-20%
• Caucasian	1,482 42%	1,878 37%	1,879 36%	1,841 36%	1,770 33%	1,657 31%	1,675 29%	+13%
• Other/Undeclared	405 11%	680 13%	713 14%	682 13%	789 15%	659 12%	756 13%	+87%
<b>Total UG Degrees</b>	<b>3,530</b>	<b>5,043</b>	<b>5,200</b>	<b>5,061</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,325</b>	<b>5,685</b>	<b>+61%</b>

Fifty-eight percent (58%) of the UCSD bachelor's degrees awarded in 2009/2010 were earned by students of color.

Figure 21.

**Undergraduate Degrees by Ethnicity** Fall Quarter

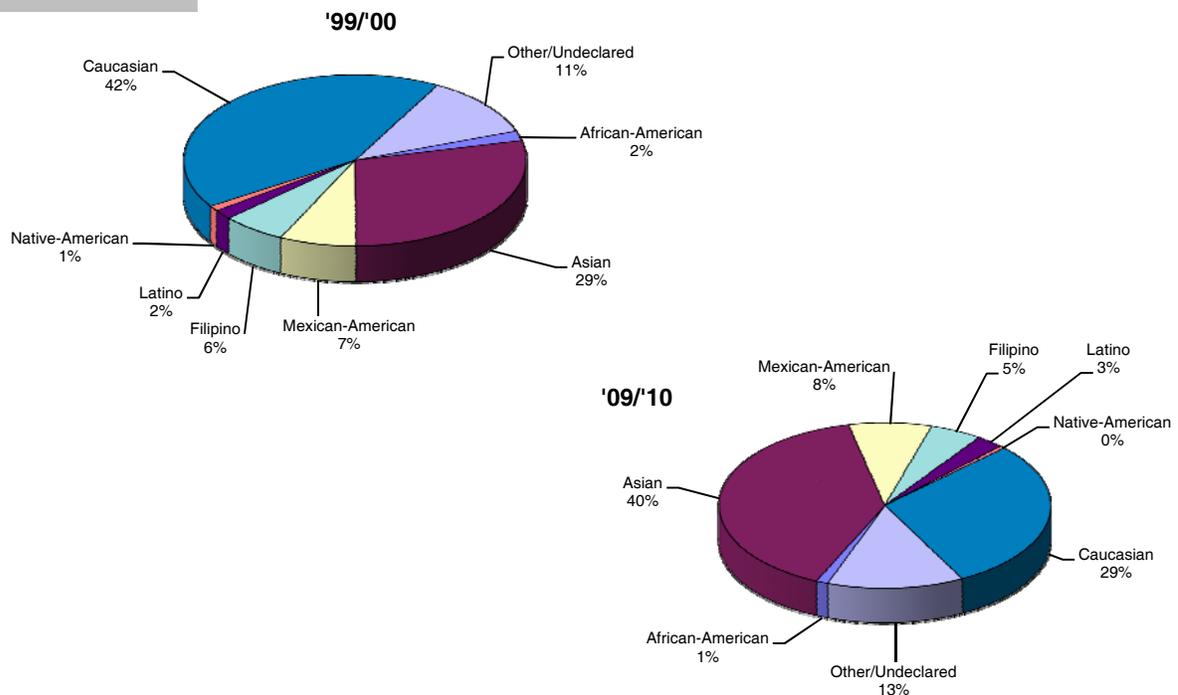


Table 45.

**Undergraduate Degrees by Major Field of Study** **Fall Quarter**

Major Field of Study	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10	10 Year Δ
• Arts	147 4%	296 6%	280 5%	257 5%	232 4%	249 5%	219 4%	+49%
• Humanities	250 7%	259 5%	280 5%	262 5%	291 5%	260 5%	255 4%	+2%
• Engineering	533 15%	998 20%	933 18%	814 16%	763 14%	747 14%	756 13%	+42%
• Science/Math	207 6%	327 6%	310 6%	339 7%	360 7%	395 7%	368 6%	+78%
• Biology	895 25%	752 15%	906 17%	939 19%	1,113 21%	1,173 22%	1,268 22%	+42%
• Social Science	1,494 42%	2,406 48%	2,486 48%	2,446 48%	2,577 48%	2,499 47%	2,816 50%	+88%
• Double/Special	4 0%	5 0%	5 0%	4 0%	1 0%	2 0%	3 0%	-25%
<b>Total UG Degrees</b>	<b>3,530</b>	<b>5,043</b>	<b>5,200</b>	<b>5,061</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,325</b>	<b>5,685</b>	<b>+61%</b>

One-half (50%) of all bachelor's degrees were awarded to social science majors.

Table 46.

**Undergraduate Degrees by College** **Fall Quarter**

College	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10	10 Year Δ
• Revelle	682 19%	879 17%	841 16%	799 16%	854 16%	839 16%	836 15%	+23%
• John Muir	766 22%	1,008 20%	1,066 21%	972 19%	1,031 19%	1,035 19%	1,142 20%	+49%
• Thurgood Marshall	771 22%	1,105 22%	1,002 19%	989 20%	1,001 19%	951 18%	1,014 18%	+32%
• Earl Warren	938 27%	1,363 27%	1,367 26%	1,254 25%	1,125 21%	1,132 21%	1,119 20%	+19%
• Eleanor Roosevelt*	373 11%	681 14%	773 15%	733 14%	818 15%	823 15%	829 15%	+122%
• Sixth**	NA NA	7 0%	151 3%	314 6%	508 10%	545 10%	745 13%	NA
<b>Total UG Degrees</b>	<b>3,530</b>	<b>5,043</b>	<b>5,200</b>	<b>5,061</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,325</b>	<b>5,685</b>	<b>+61%</b>

\* Eleanor Roosevelt College enrolled its first class of undergraduates in 1988.

\*\* Sixth College enrolled its first class of undergraduates in 2002.

Table 47.

**Undergraduate Degrees by 1st Generation College Status** Fall Quarter

College Status	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10	10 Year $\Delta$
• First Generation	793 22%	1,189 24%	1,180 23%	1,251 25%	1,429 27%	1,530 29%	1,395 25%	+76%
• Not First Generation	2,737 78%	3,854 76%	4,020 77%	3,810 75%	3,908 73%	3,795 71%	4,290 75%	+57%
<b>Total UG Degrees</b>	<b>3,530</b>	<b>5,043</b>	<b>5,200</b>	<b>5,061</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,325</b>	<b>5,685</b>	<b>+61%</b>

Table 48.

**Undergraduate Degrees by Income Group** Fall Quarter

Income	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10	10 Year $\Delta$
• High ( $\geq$ \$98,401)	591 17%	1,190 24%	1,212 23%	1,170 23%	1,192 22%	1,144 21%	1,287 23%	+118%
• Medium High (\$65,601 - \$98,400)	613 17%	693 14%	694 13%	608 12%	647 12%	631 12%	609 11%	-1%
• Medium Low (\$32,801 - \$65,600)	771 22%	1,035 21%	1,020 20%	961 19%	1,006 19%	1,045 20%	980 17%	+27%
• Low ( $\leq$ \$32,800)	726 21%	879 17%	981 19%	936 18%	1,006 19%	1,080 20%	1,020 18%	+40%
• Missing	829 23%	1,246 25%	1,293 25%	1,386 27%	1,486 28%	1,425 27%	1,789 31%	+116%
<b>Total UG Degrees</b>	<b>3,530</b>	<b>5,043</b>	<b>5,200</b>	<b>5,061</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,325</b>	<b>5,685</b>	<b>+61%</b>

Table 49.

**Time-to-Degree\*/Academic Performance**  
**Entered UCSD from High School** Fall Quarter

Undergraduate Degrees	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10
• Time-to-Degree							
Average Elapsed Time in Years	4.5 yrs.	4.3 yrs.	4.2 yrs.				
Average Elapsed Time in Quarters	13.4 qtrs.	13.0 qtrs.	12.8 qtrs.	12.9 qtrs.	12.8 qtrs.	12.8 qtrs.	12.7 qtrs.
• GPA at Graduation							
GPA $\geq$ 3.5 (B+ or greater)	21.4%	25.8%	25.9%	25.0%	24.8%	24.0%	26.6%
3.00 $\leq$ GPA < 3.5 (B to B+)	43.0%	43.6%	43.4%	42.6%	43.3%	42.4%	44.1%
2.50 $\leq$ GPA < 3.00 (C+ to B)	28.0%	25.0%	25.3%	25.5%	25.7%	26.5%	23.1%
2.0 $\leq$ GPA < 2.50 (C to C+)	7.5%	5.7%	5.4%	6.9%	6.3%	7.1%	6.3%
GPA < 2.0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

The average time-to-degree for undergraduate students entering from high school is approximately 13 quarters or 4.2 years. The average GPA earned by the 2009/2010 graduating class is 3.20.

\* Time-to-degree is reported in elapsed quarters from first enrollment date to graduation. Only the records of students who enter UCSD in the Fall Quarter are included in time-to-degree calculations. An academic year is defined as three quarters; twelve quarters equal four years. Summer degrees are combined with Fall degrees, and combined, represent one quarter.

Figure 22.

**Grade Distribution: Degree Recipients** Fall Quarter

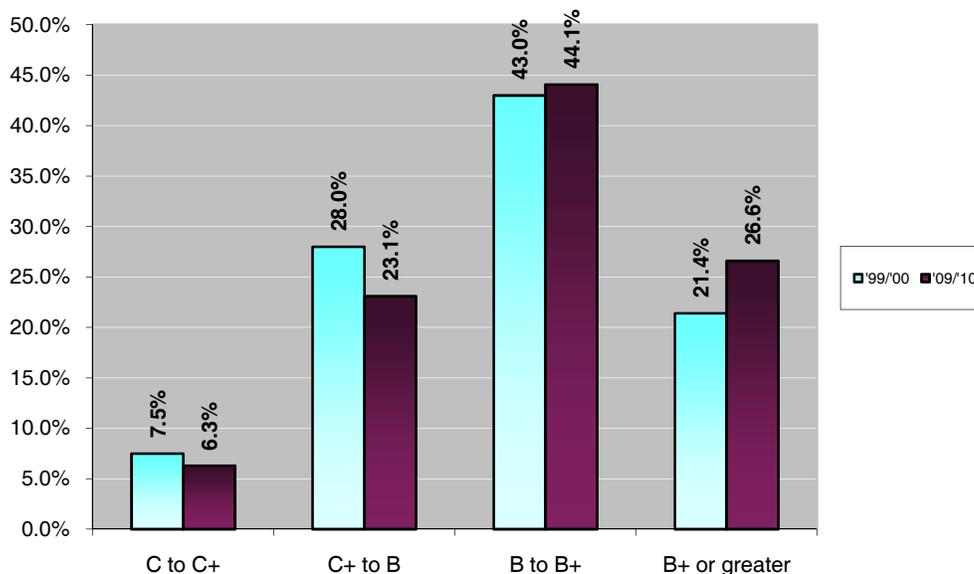


Table 50.

**Time-to-Degree\*/Academic Performance**  
**Entered UCSD from a Two-Year Community College** Fall Quarter

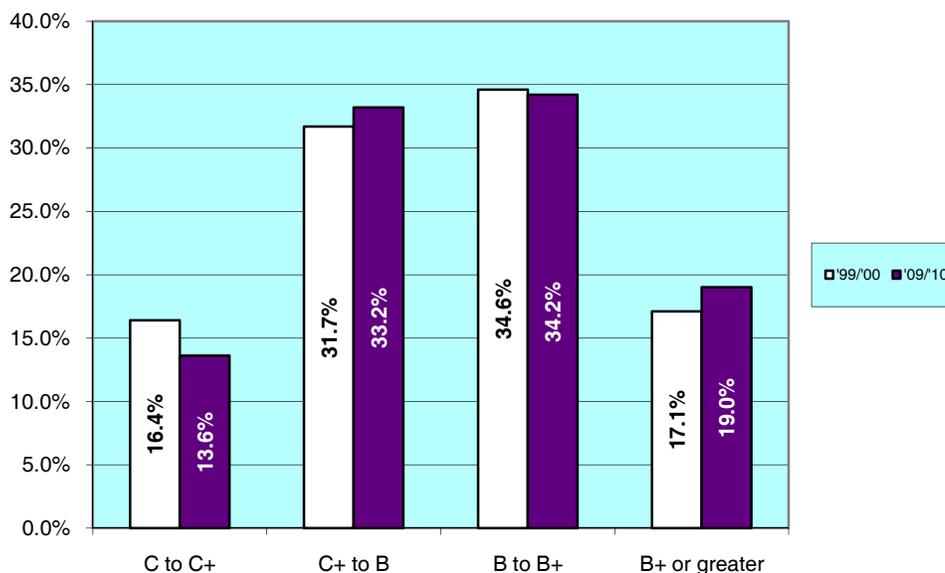
Undergraduate Degrees	'99/'00	'04/'05	'05/'06	'06/'07	'07/'08	'08/'09	'09/'10
• Time-to-Degree							
Average Elapsed Time in Years	3.0 yrs.	2.7 yrs.	2.6 yrs.	2.6 yrs.	2.7 yrs.	2.6 yrs.	2.7 yrs.
Average Elapsed Time in Quarters	9.0 qtrs.	8.0 qtrs.	7.9 qtrs.	7.8 qtrs.	8.0 qtrs.	7.9 qtrs.	8.0 qtrs.
• GPA at Graduation	3.01	3.04	3.06	3.06	3.04	3.03	3.04
GPA ≥ 3.5 (B+ or greater)	17.1%	16.8%	19.3%	18.8%	18.1%	17.7%	19.0%
3.00 ≤ GPA < 3.5 (B to B+)	34.6%	38.6%	35.9%	37.1%	37.1%	35.9%	34.2%
2.50 ≤ GPA < 3.00 (C+ to B)	31.7%	31.2%	32.5%	32.0%	30.8%	31.8%	33.2%
2.0 ≤ GPA < 2.50 (C to C+)	16.4%	13.2%	12.3%	12.1%	13.9%	14.7%	13.6%
GPA < 2.0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

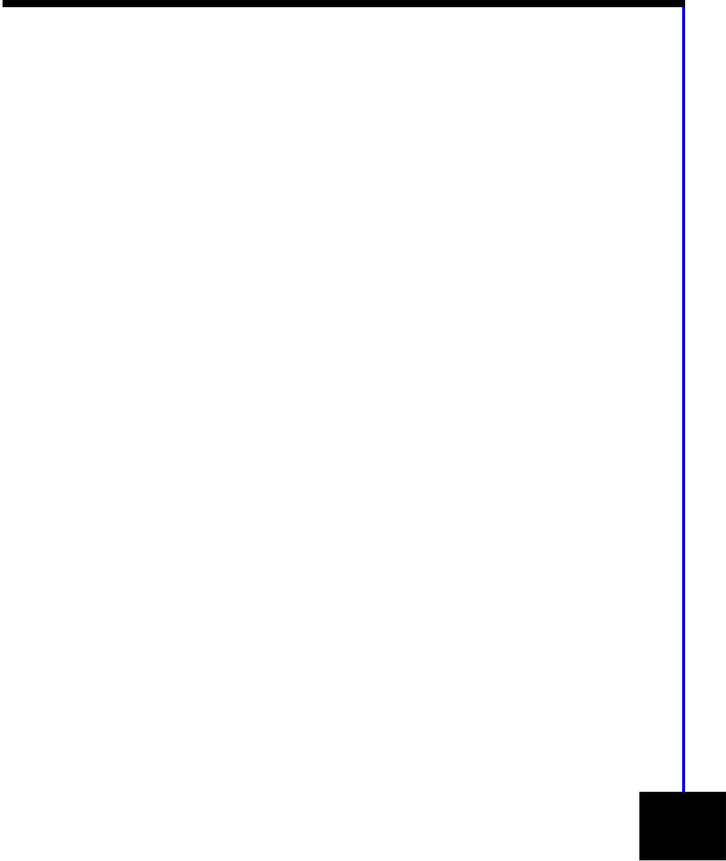
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Community College transfer students complete their degree requirements at UCSD in eight quarters or almost three years. The average GPA earned by the 2009/2010 graduating class for courses taken at UCSD was 3.04.

Figure 23.

**Grade Distribution: Degree Recipients** Fall Quarter





**Appendix:  
Undergraduate  
Major Fields  
of Study /  
Academic  
Departments**

## ■ Undergraduate Major Fields of Study/Academic Departments

### ARTS

*Music Department*  
*Theatre & Dance Department*  
*Visual Arts Department*

### HUMANITIES

*Classical Studies*  
*History Department*  
*Literature Department*  
*Philosophy Department*

### SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

*Bioengineering Department*  
*Chemical Engineering*  
*Computer Science and Engineering Department*  
*Electrical and Computer Engineering Department*  
*Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department*  
*NanoEngineering*  
*Structural Engineering*

### BIOLOGY

*Biology Department*

### SPECIAL AND UNDECLARED

*Individual Studies*  
*Limited Status*  
*Special-Employee*  
*Undeclared*

### SOCIAL SCIENCE

*Anthropology Department*  
*Chinese Studies*  
*Cognitive Science Department*  
*Communication Department*  
*Critical Gender Studies*  
*Economics Department*  
*Ethnic Studies Department*  
*German Studies*  
*Human Development Program*  
*International Studies*  
*Italian Studies*  
*Japanese Studies*  
*Judaic Studies*  
*Latin American Studies*  
*Linguistics Department*  
*Political Science Department*  
*Program for the Study of Religion*  
*Psychology Department*  
  
*Sociology Department*  
*Third World Studies*  
*Urban Studies and Planning Program*

### SCIENCE AND MATH

*Chemistry and Biochemistry Department*  
*Environmental Systems*  
*Mathematics Department*  
*Physics Department*



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