

Pennsylvania State University

FRESHMAN-COHORT GRADUATION RATES

	All Students	Student-Athletes #
2004-05 Graduation Rate	85%	80%
Four-Class Average	85%	79%
Student-Athlete Graduation Success Rate		88%

1. Graduation-Rates Data

a. All Students

	Freshman Rate Men				Freshman Rate Women				Freshman Rate Total			
	2004-05		4-Class		2004-05		4-Class		2004-05		4-Class	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Am. Ind./AN	4	25	12	58	3	100	10	80	7	57	22	68
Asian	168	76	754	79	174	87	705	84	342	82	1459	81
Black	119	70	497	65	141	79	578	75	260	75	1075	70
Hispanic	104	76	449	72	113	79	504	78	217	77	953	75
Nat. Haw./PI	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
N-R Alien	71	75	372	64	46	78	217	75	117	76	589	68
Two or More	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
Unknown	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
White	2555	85	10100	85	2407	89	9821	89	4962	87	19921	87
Total	3021	83	12184	82	2884	88	11835	87	5905	85	24019	85

b. Student-Athletes

	Freshman Rate Men						Freshman Rate Women						Freshman Rate Total					
	2004-05		4-Class		GSR		2004-05		4-Class		GSR		2004-05		4-Class		GSR	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Am. Ind./AN	0	-	***	***	0	-	0	-	***	***	0	-	0	-	***	***	0	-
Asian	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Black	11	91	50	78	54	87	4	75	16	56	13	85	15	87	66	73	67	87
Hispanic	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Nat. Haw./PI	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
N-R Alien	***	***	14	71	13	85	***	***	8	88	11	91	***	***	22	77	24	88
Two or More	0	-	***	***	***	***	0	-	***	***	***	***	0	-	***	***	***	***
Unknown	***	***	14	64	16	75	***	***	4	25	4	75	***	***	18	56	20	75
White	45	78	175	76	171	85	25	92	133	91	131	96	70	83	308	82	302	90
Total	67	79	258	75	258	84	35	83	168	86	167	95	102	80	426	79	425	88

c. Student-Athletes by Sport Category

Baseball				Men's Basketball				Men's CC/Track			
Freshman Rate				Freshman Rate				Freshman Rate			
2004-05	4-Class	GSR		2004-05	4-Class	GSR		2004-05	4-Class	GSR	
Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-	Asian	-	-	-	Asian	-	-	-
Black	100-a	100-a	100-a	Black	100-a	43-b	83-b	Black	-	100-a	100-a
Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	-	-	-
Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-
N-R Alien	-	-	-	N-R Alien	-	0-a	-	N-R Alien	-	50-a	50-a
Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	-	-	-
Unknown	-	-	100-a	Unknown	-	-	-	Unknown	-	-	-
White	20-a	55-e	68-e	White	100-a	67-b	100-a	White	80-a	77-c	77-c
Total	33-b	57-e	72-e	Total	100-a	50-c	90-b	Total	80-a	76-d	76-d
Football				Men's Other							
Freshman Rate				Freshman Rate							
2004-05	4-Class	GSR		2004-05	4-Class	GSR					
Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	0-a	-				
Asian	-	0-a	0-a	Asian	-	100-a	100-a				
Black	86-b	82-e	87-e	Black	100-a	83-b	83-b				
Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	100-a	50-a	100-a				
Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-				
N-R Alien	-	-	100-a	N-R Alien	100-a	82-c	90-b				
Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	-	-	-				
Unknown	100-a	100-a	100-a	Unknown	40-a	62-c	69-c				
White	82-c	79-e	89-e	White	86-e	80-e	88-e				
Total	84-d	80-e	87-e	Total	82-e	78-e	86-e				
Women's Basketball				Women's CC/Track				Women's Other			
Freshman Rate				Freshman Rate				Freshman Rate			
2004-05	4-Class	GSR		2004-05	4-Class	GSR		2004-05	4-Class	GSR	
Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-	Asian	-	-	-	Asian	100-a	100-a	100-a
Black	0-a	29-b	100-a	Black	100-a	67-b	80-a	Black	100-a	100-a	75-a
Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	100-a	100-a	100-b
Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-
N-R Alien	0-a	0-a	-	N-R Alien	-	-	-	N-R Alien	-	100-b	91-c
Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	-	100-a	100-a	Two or More	-	-	-
Unknown	0-a	0-a	-	Unknown	-	100-a	100-a	Unknown	0-a	0-a	50-a
White	100-a	100-a	100-a	White	100-a	100-c	100-c	White	91-e	90-e	96-e
Total	25-a	46-c	100-b	Total	100-a	90-e	96-e	Total	89-e	90-e	94-e

Values for N (a. 1-5, b. 6-10, c. 11-15, d. 16-20, e. greater than 20)

2. Undergraduate-Enrollment Data (All full-time students enrolled Fall 2010-11)

a. All Students	Men N	Women N	Total N	b. Student-athletes	Men N	Women N	Total N
Am. Ind./AN	22	25	47	Am. Ind./AN	1	1	2
Asian	1176	886	2062	Asian	2	2	4
Black	764	947	1711	Black	63	24	87
Hispanic	986	970	1956	Hispanic	12	9	21
Nat. Haw./PI	13	11	24	Nat. Haw./PI	0	0	0
N-R Alien	2595	1841	4436	N-R Alien	10	12	22
Two or More	371	379	750	Two or More	0	0	0
Unknown	762	524	1286	Unknown	12	14	26
White	17809	14736	32545	White	172	127	299
Total	24498	20319	44817	Total	272	189	461

c. Student-Athletes # By Sports Category

Men	Basketball	Baseball	CC/Track	Football	Other
Am. Ind./AN	0	1	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	0	1	1
Black	10	0	3	43	7
Hispanic	0	1	0	1	10
Nat. Haw./PI	0	0	0	0	0
N-R Alien	1	1	1	1	6
Two or More	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	2	4	6
White	2	20	13	36	101
Total	13	23	19	86	131

Women	Basketball	CC/Track	Other
Am. Ind./AN	0	1	0
Asian	0	0	2
Black	6	10	8
Hispanic	2	0	7
Nat. Haw./PI	0	0	0
N-R Alien	0	1	11
Two or More	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	14
White	3	16	108
Total	11	28	150

#Only student-athletes receiving athletics aid are included in this report.

Information about the Graduation Rates Report

Introduction.

This information sheet and the 2011 NCAA Graduation Rates Report have been prepared by the NCAA, based on data provided by the institution in compliance with NCAA Bylaw 18.4.2.2.1 (admissions and graduation-rate disclosure) and the Federal Student Right-to-Know and Campus Security Act. Each NCAA Division I college or university is required to distribute this sheet and the report to prospective student-athletes and parents, as specified in Bylaw 13.3.1.2 (report distribution).

The graduation rates report provides information about two groups of students at the college or university identified at the top of the form: (1) all undergraduate students who were enrolled in a full-time program of studies for a degree, and (2) student-athletes who received athletics aid from the college or university for any period of time during their entering year. [Note: Athletics aid is a grant, scholarship, tuition waiver or other assistance from a college or university that is awarded on the basis of a student's athletics ability.]

The report gives graduation information about students and student-athletes entering in 2004. This is the most recent graduating class for which the required six years of information is available. The report provides information about student-athletes who received athletics aid in one or more of eight sports categories: football, men's basketball, baseball, men's track/cross country, men's other sports and mixed sports, women's basketball, women's track/cross country, and other women's sports. For each of those sports categories, it includes information in six self-reported racial or ethnic groups: American Indian or Alaska Native, Asian, Black or African-American, Hispanic or Latino, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, Non-Resident Alien, Two or More Races, White or Non-Hispanic and Unknown (not included in one of the other eight groups or not available) and the total (all nine groups combined).

A graduation rate (percent) is based on a comparison of the number (N) of students who entered a college or university and the number of those who graduated within six years. For example, if 100 students entered and 60 graduated within six years, the graduation rate is 60 percent. It is important to note that graduation rates are affected by a number of factors: some students may work part time and need more than six years to graduate, some may leave school for a year or two to work or travel, some may transfer to another college or university or some may be dismissed for academic deficiencies.

Two different measures of graduation rates are presented in this report: (1) freshman-cohort rate, and (2) Graduation Success Rate (GSR). The freshman-cohort rate indicates the percentage of freshmen who entered during a given academic year and graduated within six years. The GSR adds to the first-time freshmen, those students who entered midyear, as well as student-athletes who transferred into an institution. In addition, the GSR will subtract students from the entering cohort who are considered allowable exclusions (those who either die or become permanently disabled, those who leave the school to join the armed forces, foreign services or attend a church mission), as well as those who would have been academically eligible to compete had they returned to the institution.

Graduation Rates Report.

1. Graduation Rates Data. The box at the top of the graduation rates report provides freshman-cohort graduation rates for all students and for student-athletes who received athletics aid at this college or university. Additionally, this box provides GSR data for the population of student-athletes. [Note: Pursuant to the Student-Right-to-Know Act, anytime a cell containing cohort numbers includes only one or two students, the data in that cell and one other will be suppressed so that no individual can be identified.]

a. All Students. This section provides the freshman-cohort graduation rates for all full-time, degree-seeking students by race or ethnic group. It shows the rate for men who entered as freshmen in 2004-05, and the four-class average, which includes those who entered as freshmen 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04 and 2004-05. The same rates are provided for women. The total for 2004-05 is the rate for men and women combined, and the four-class average is for all students who entered in 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04 and 2004-05.

b. Student-Athletes. This section provides the freshman-cohort graduation rates and also the GSRs for student-athletes in each race and ethnic group who received athletics aid. Information is provided for men and women separately and for all student-athletes.

c. Student-Athletes by Sports Categories. This section provides the identified graduation rates as in 1-b for each of the eight sports categories. (The small letters indicate the value of N.)

2. Undergraduate Enrollment Data.

a. All Students. This section indicates the number of full-time, undergraduate, degree-seeking students enrolled for the 2010 fall term and the number of men and women in each racial or ethnic group.

b. Student-Athletes. This section identifies how many student-athletes were enrolled for the 2010 fall term and the number of men and women in each racial or ethnic group.

c. Student-Athletes by Sports Categories. This section provides the enrollment data as identified in 3-b for each of the eight sports categories.