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Profile of Undergraduate Students Fall 2008 and Fall 2009

This report contains descriptive information about undergraduate students for Fall 2008 and Fall 2009. Included in this report is information about the following topics:

Gender	Country of Citizenship	Classification
Age	State of Permanent Address	Enrollee Type
Minority Status	Religious Affiliation	Full-Time/Part-Time Status
Racial/Ethnic Group	Entrance Test Scores	Average Credit Hour Load
Citizenship Status	High School Class Quartile	Professional Field

For information on enrollment by students' program and major fields of study, please refer to IRT Series Vol. 09-10 No. 34, "Enrollment by Program and Major, Fall 2009".

Fall 2009

The undergraduate enrollment of 12,149 includes 108 students classified as Non-Degree or Postbaccalaureate. There are 3,098 first-time freshmen and 422 new transfer students. Almost 59 percent of these undergraduates are females, and 30 percent of the students are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation comprise 37 percent of the group, while 15 percent are Non-Denominational and 14 percent are Catholics.

Ninety-six percent of these students are U.S. citizens, while 469 (3.9%) are resident or nonresident aliens, representing 72 foreign countries. By domicile, as reflected in the students' home addresses, there are undergraduates from 48 states and the District of Columbia. Eighty-one percent of the students are from Texas.

Among students with reported high school class ranking, 71 percent were in the top quartile of their high school graduating classes. The score range for the middle fifty percent of undergraduates is 1110 - 1300 with a mean score of 1203 for the SAT and 23 - 28 with a mean score of 25.6 for the ACT examination.

Fall 2008

The undergraduate enrollment of 12,162 includes 96 students classified as Non-Degree or Postbaccalaureate. There are 3,062 first-time freshmen and 404 new transfer students. Fifty-eight percent of these undergraduates are females, and 29 percent of the students are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation comprise 38 percent of the group, while 15 percent are Non-Denominational and 14 percent are Catholics.

Ninety-six percent of these students are U.S. citizens, while 477 (3.9%) are resident or nonresident aliens, representing 71 foreign countries. By domicile, as reflected in the students' home addresses, there are undergraduates from 50 states and the District of Columbia. Eighty-one percent of the students are from Texas.

Among students with reported high school class ranking, 70 percent were in the top quartile of their high school graduating classes. The score range for the middle fifty percent of undergraduates is 1110 - 1300 with a mean score of 1205 for the SAT and 23 - 28 with a mean score of 25.1 for the ACT examination.

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Gender	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Male	5,041	41.5	5,085	41.8
Female	7,108	58.5	7,077	58.2
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

Age	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
<19	2,903	23.9	2,924	24.0
19-20	5,232	43.1	5,069	41.7
21-22	3,333	27.4	3,470	28.5
23-25	463	3.8	483	4.0
26-29	106	0.9	110	0.9
30+	112	0.9	106	0.9
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

Minority Status	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Non-Minority	8,482	69.8	8,644	71.1
Minority	3,667	30.2	3,518	28.9
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

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Racial/Ethnic Group	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
African American/Black	982	8.1	950	7.8
Alaskan Native/American Indian	89	0.7	93	0.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	940	7.7	928	7.6
Hispanic	1,410	11.6	1,301	10.7
White	8,449	69.5	8,644	71.1
Other	246	2.0	246	2.0
Not Specified/Unknown	33	0.3	--	--
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

Racial/Ethnic Group - Nonresident Aliens Partitioned	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
African American/Black	944	7.8	909	7.5
Alaskan Native/American Indian	89	0.7	93	0.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	825	6.8	826	6.8
Hispanic	1,393	11.5	1,285	10.6
White	8,417	69.3	8,610	70.8
Other	218	1.8	223	1.8
Not Specified/Unknown	32	0.3	--	--
Nonresident Alien	231	1.9	216	1.8
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

Citizenship Status	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
U.S. Citizen	11,680	96.1	11,685	96.1
Resident Alien	239	2.0	261	2.1
Nonresident Alien	230	1.9	216	1.8
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

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Country of Citizenship	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Argentina	2	0.0	2	0.0
Australia	3	0.0	--	--
Bahamas, The	1	0.0	1	0.0
Bangladesh	1	0.0	--	--
Barbados	--	--	2	0.0
Belgium	1	0.0	1	0.0
Belize	1	0.0	--	--
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1	0.0	--	--
Brazil	7	0.1	4	0.0
Cambodia	1	0.0	1	0.0
Cameroon	4	0.0	2	0.0
Canada	22	0.2	28	0.2
China, People's Republic of	48	0.4	39	0.3
Colombia	7	0.1	8	0.1
Congo	2	0.0	1	0.0
Cote D'Ivoire	2	0.0	2	0.0
Croatia	2	0.0	1	0.0
Czech Republic	1	0.0	1	0.0
Ecuador	1	0.0	3	0.0
El Salvador	4	0.0	3	0.0
Estonia	1	0.0	1	0.0
Ethiopia	4	0.0	4	0.0
France	3	0.0	3	0.0
Gabon	1	0.0	1	0.0
Georgia	1	0.0	--	--
Germany	11	0.1	7	0.1
Ghana	2	0.0	3	0.0
Guatemala	1	0.0	3	0.0
Guyana	1	0.0	1	0.0
Haiti	--	--	2	0.0
Honduras	2	0.0	3	0.0
Hong Kong	11	0.1	10	0.1
Hungary	1	0.0	2	0.0
India	28	0.2	24	0.2

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Country of Citizenship	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Indonesia	2	0.0	3	0.0
Iran	1	0.0	2	0.0
Israel	2	0.0	2	0.0
Italy	1	0.0	1	0.0
Jamaica	4	0.0	5	0.0
Japan	8	0.1	12	0.1
Kazakhstan	1	0.0	--	--
Kenya	4	0.0	5	0.0
Korea, Republic of	68	0.6	63	0.5
Lebanon	1	0.0	3	0.0
Liberia	2	0.0	2	0.0
Malaysia	3	0.0	5	0.0
Mexico	43	0.4	52	0.4
Namibia	--	--	1	0.0
Nepal	1	0.0	1	0.0
New Zealand	--	--	1	0.0
Nicaragua	--	--	1	0.0
Nigeria	40	0.3	40	0.3
Norway	4	0.0	2	0.0
Pakistan	13	0.1	15	0.1
Peru	4	0.0	3	0.0
Philippines	10	0.1	10	0.1
Poland	2	0.0	3	0.0
Portugal	1	0.0	--	--
Russia	3	0.0	4	0.0
Saudi Arabia	1	0.0	--	--
Senegal	1	0.0	1	0.0
Serbia and Montenegro	2	0.0	2	0.0
Slovakia	3	0.0	2	0.0
Slovenia	--	--	1	0.0
Somalia	1	0.0	--	--
South Africa	4	0.0	4	0.0
Sri Lanka	1	0.0	1	0.0
Sudan	1	0.0	2	0.0

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Country of Citizenship	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Sweden	3	0.0	2	0.0
Taiwan	12	0.1	12	0.1
Thailand	1	0.0	2	0.0
Trinidad and Tobago	5	0.0	2	0.0
Turkey	--	--	1	0.0
Ukraine	1	0.0	1	0.0
United Kingdom	15	0.1	21	0.2
United States	11,680	96.1	11,685	96.1
Uzbekistan	--	--	1	0.0
Venezuela	5	0.0	5	0.0
Vietnam	15	0.1	16	0.1
Virgin Islands (British)	--	--	1	0.0
Zaire	1	0.0	1	0.0
Zambia	1	0.0	--	--
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

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State of Permanent Address	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Alabama	24	0.2	21	0.2
Alaska	9	0.1	8	0.1
Arizona	69	0.6	69	0.6
Arkansas	96	0.8	92	0.8
California	255	2.1	243	2.0
Colorado	184	1.5	187	1.5
Connecticut	11	0.1	9	0.1
Delaware	3	0.0	3	0.0
District of Columbia	3	0.0	1	0.0
Florida	59	0.5	71	0.6
Georgia	52	0.4	51	0.4
Hawaii	8	0.1	8	0.1
Idaho	10	0.1	8	0.1
Illinois	140	1.2	158	1.3
Indiana	27	0.2	22	0.2
Iowa	24	0.2	17	0.1
Kansas	92	0.8	95	0.8
Kentucky	8	0.1	4	0.0
Louisiana	148	1.2	150	1.2
Maine	1	0.0	2	0.0
Maryland	13	0.1	15	0.1
Massachusetts	21	0.2	22	0.2
Michigan	27	0.2	30	0.2
Minnesota	34	0.3	41	0.3
Mississippi	13	0.1	17	0.1
Missouri	109	0.9	109	0.9
Montana	7	0.1	5	0.0
Nebraska	27	0.2	24	0.2
Nevada	12	0.1	12	0.1
New Hampshire	6	0.0	10	0.1
New Jersey	19	0.2	18	0.1
New Mexico	41	0.3	45	0.4
New York	20	0.2	20	0.2
North Carolina	26	0.2	28	0.2

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State of Permanent Address	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
North Dakota	3	0.0	2	0.0
Ohio	29	0.2	33	0.3
Oklahoma	178	1.5	179	1.5
Oregon	22	0.2	18	0.1
Pennsylvania	24	0.2	22	0.2
Rhode Island	--	--	1	0.0
South Carolina	18	0.1	10	0.1
South Dakota	4	0.0	4	0.0
Tennessee	87	0.7	76	0.6
Texas	9,818	80.8	9,841	80.9
Utah	--	--	2	0.0
Vermont	1	0.0	2	0.0
Virginia	47	0.4	48	0.4
Washington	34	0.3	37	0.3
West Virginia	2	0.0	2	0.0
Wisconsin	15	0.1	14	0.1
Wyoming	4	0.0	6	0.0
US Terr./Military Addresses	11	0.1	13	0.1
Non-US Addresses	230	1.9	216	1.8
Unknown Addresses	24	0.2	21	0.2
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

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Religious Affiliation	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
African Methodist Episcopal	2	0.0	4	0.0
Anglican - Church of England	5	0.0	6	0.0
Assembly of God	127	1.0	114	0.9
Atheist	26	0.2	18	0.1
Baptist	4,494	37.0	4,582	37.7
Buddhist	70	0.6	69	0.6
Catholic	1,736	14.3	1,678	13.8
Christian Church	111	0.9	95	0.8
Christian Scientist	3	0.0	4	0.0
Church of Christ	233	1.9	213	1.8
Church of God	26	0.2	26	0.2
Church of the Nazarene	28	0.2	30	0.2
Congregational Church	7	0.1	6	0.0
Disciples of Christ(Christian)	96	0.8	93	0.8
Dutch Reformed	2	0.0	3	0.0
Eastern Orthodox	39	0.3	43	0.4
Episcopalian	225	1.9	235	1.9
Evangelical Free Church	32	0.3	41	0.3
Four Square Gospel	12	0.1	11	0.1
Full Gospel	2	0.0	2	0.0
Greek Orthodox	2	0.0	1	0.0
Hindu	90	0.7	91	0.7
Independent Bible Church	22	0.2	17	0.1
Islam	109	0.9	121	1.0
Interdenominational	63	0.5	76	0.6
Jehovah's Witness	12	0.1	12	0.1
Jewish	15	0.1	22	0.2
Latter Day Saints (Mormon)	12	0.1	13	0.1
Lutheran	345	2.8	346	2.8
Mennonite	4	0.0	3	0.0
Methodist	1,050	8.6	1,058	8.7
Missionary Alliance	3	0.0	2	0.0
Non-Denominational	1,846	15.2	1,864	15.3
Pentecostal	110	0.9	117	1.0

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Religious Affiliation	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Presbyterian	507	4.2	527	4.3
Protestant	46	0.4	39	0.3
Seventh Day Adventist	11	0.1	8	0.1
Society of Friends (Quakers)	5	0.0	4	0.0
Unitarian	6	0.0	5	0.0
United Brethren	--	--	1	0.0
United Church of Christ	3	0.0	3	0.0
No Religion	174	1.4	140	1.2
Other than Listed	434	3.6	316	2.6
Not Specified	4	0.0	103	0.8
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

**Profile of Undergraduate Students, Fall 2008 and Fall 2009
SAT Scores**

Interquartile Range	Fall 2009	Fall 2008
25th Percentile	1110	1110
75th Percentile	1300	1300

	Fall 2009	Fall 2008
Mean	1203	1205

Distribution	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
< 900	100	1.4	96	1.2
900 - 990	262	3.6	287	3.7
1000 - 1090	1,244	17.1	1,264	16.4
1100 - 1190	1,941	26.7	2,049	26.6
1200 - 1290	1,895	26.0	2,014	26.1
1300+	1,834	25.2	1,997	25.9
All	7,276	100.0	7,707	100.0

Median Scores by Gender	Fall 2009			Fall 2008		
	Verbal/ Critical Reading	Math	Total	Verbal/ Critical Reading	Math	Total
Male	590	620	1210	590	620	1220
Female	590	600	1190	590	600	1190
All	590	610	1200	590	610	1200

Notes:

1. Although submission of entrance test scores generally is required in the admission process, in each entering class there were a small number of students who were admitted without entrance test scores. Therefore, the sum of SAT N plus ACT N does not equal the total class size (N).

2. In this table, the highest SAT score is compared to the highest ACT score, and only the better score is retained.

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ACT Scores

Interquartile Range	Fall 2009	Fall 2008
25th Percentile	23	23
75th Percentile	28	28

	Fall 2009	Fall 2008
Mean	25.6	25.1

Distribution	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
<20	164	3.9	200	5.3
20-21	414	9.7	383	10.2
22-24	1,183	27.8	1,130	30.0
25-27	1,162	27.3	1,054	28.0
28-29	668	15.7	522	13.9
30+	664	15.6	472	12.5
All	4,255	100.0	3,761	100.0

Median Scores by Gender	Fall 2009			Fall 2008		
	English	Math	Comp.	English	Math	Comp.
Male	25	26	26	24	25	25
Female	26	25	25	25	24	25
All	25	25	25	25	24	25

Notes:

1. Although submission of entrance test scores generally is required in the admission process, in each entering class there were a small number of students who were admitted without entrance test scores. Therefore, the sum of SAT N plus ACT N does not equal the total class size (N).
2. In this table, the highest SAT score is compared to the highest ACT score, and only the better score is retained.
3. Beginning in Fall 2009, the methodology for computing a student's highest ACT Composite score was changed to count the highest English, Math, Reading, and Science Reasoning subscores, even if the scores were from different test dates. This change was made to make Baylor's scores comparable to peer institutions.

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High School Class Quartile*	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
First Quartile	7,120	71.0	6,996	70.1
Second Quartile	2,195	21.9	2,221	22.2
Third Quartile	617	6.2	666	6.7
Fourth Quartile	100	1.0	102	1.0
All	10,032	100.0	9,985	100.0

* High School Class quartile rank is not available from all high schools.

Classification	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
First-Time Freshman	3,098	25.5	3,062	25.2
Freshman	518	4.3	460	3.8
Sophomore	2,623	21.6	2,557	21.0
Junior	2,464	20.3	2,604	21.4
Senior	3,338	27.5	3,383	27.8
Post-Baccalaureate	81	0.7	68	0.6
Non-Degree UG	27	0.2	28	0.2
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

Classification of Transfers	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Freshman	89	21.1	72	17.8
Sophomore	221	52.4	203	50.2
Junior	100	23.7	121	30.0
Senior	12	2.8	8	2.0
All	422	100.0	404	100.0

Enrollee Type*	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
First-Time Freshman	3,098	25.5	3,062	25.2
Readmitted Student	5	0.0	6	0.0
Transfer Student	422	3.5	404	3.3
Continuing Student	8,579	70.6	8,653	71.1
Other	45	0.4	37	0.3
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

* The First-Time Freshmen, Transfer Student, and Other categories include students who initially enrolled in Summer and continued in Fall.

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Full-Time/Part-Time Status	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Full-Time	11,905	98.0	11,878	97.7
Part-Time	244	2.0	284	2.3
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

Average Credit Hour Load	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	Average	N	Average
Arts & Sciences	6,448	14.9	6,490	14.9
Business	2,670	14.8	2,767	14.9
Education	1,056	14.9	1,061	14.9
Engineering & Computer Science	736	15.0	654	15.1
Honors College	202	15.8	202	15.7
Institutes & Special Studies	49	13.5	46	11.5
Music	320	15.5	319	15.6
Nursing	539	14.9	501	15.0
Social Work	129	15.1	122	14.5
All	12,149	14.9	12,162	14.9

Professional Field	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Physician's Assistant	95	0.8	93	0.8
Pre-Dental Hygiene	9	0.1	13	0.1
Pre-Dental	260	2.1	259	2.1
Pre-Law	634	5.2	505	4.2
Pre-Medical	2,505	20.6	2,477	20.4
Pre-Occupational Therapy	23	0.2	22	0.2
Pre-Optometry	31	0.3	36	0.3
Pre-Pharmacy	92	0.8	91	0.7
Pre-Physical Therapy	165	1.4	157	1.3
Pre-Podiatry	1	0.0	3	0.0
Pre-Veterinary Medicine	42	0.3	54	0.4
None	8,292	68.3	8,452	69.5
All	12,149	100.0	12,162	100.0

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Professional Field - Undecided Arts & Sciences (BA)	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Physician's Assistant	1	0.3	1	0.3
Pre-Dental Hygiene	--	--	2	0.6
Pre-Dental	10	3.1	8	2.4
Pre-Law	13	4.0	4	1.2
Pre-Medical	40	12.3	58	17.2
Pre-Occupational Therapy	1	0.3	2	0.6
Pre-Optometry	--	--	3	0.9
Pre-Pharmacy	2	0.6	4	1.2
Pre-Physical Therapy	4	1.2	4	1.2
Pre-Veterinary Medicine	3	0.9	2	0.6
None	251	77.2	249	73.9
All	325	100.0	337	100.0

Professional Field - Undecided Arts & Sciences (BS)	Fall 2009		Fall 2008	
	N	%	N	%
Physician's Assistant	1	1.5	3	3.3
Pre-Dental	1	1.5	2	2.2
Pre-Law	--	--	1	1.1
Pre-Medical	25	38.5	34	37.4
Pre-Pharmacy	5	7.7	3	3.3
Pre-Physical Therapy	4	6.2	4	4.4
Pre-Veterinary Medicine	--	--	2	2.2
None	29	44.6	42	46.2
All	65	100.0	91	100.0