



## **Merit and Need: The HOPE Scholarship and the Pell Grant for USG First-Time Freshmen, Fall 2001**

### **Introduction**

Like other state-based merit scholarships throughout the nation, Georgia's HOPE Program has been criticized for subsidizing the college costs of affluent students at the expense of financially needy students. An assumption underlying this criticism is that needy students do not meet the academic standards for the scholarships at the same rate as students without need. This assumption is generally validated by the large correlation between socio-economic status (SES) and measures of academic achievement.

The students who are most in need of financial assistance are eligible to receive the federal Pell Grant. This report will examine HOPE Scholarship and Pell Grant recipients in the University System of Georgia for the most recent first-time freshman cohort for which that financial aid data are available.<sup>1</sup>

### **Pell Grant Background**

The federal commitment to need-based grant aid was launched via the Higher Education Act of 1965's specification of the Educational Opportunity Grant Program (EOG). In the 1972 Amendments to the Higher Education Act, the Program was modified and renamed the Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant Program (SEOG). Also at that time, Congress designed the Basic Educational Opportunity Grant Program (BEOG) to be the floor of the eligible student's financial aid package to defray the costs of postsecondary education. The objective of the BEOG Program, known since 1980 as the Pell Grant, was to assist low-income aid applicants in financing their higher educational attendance costs through the provision of federally funded gift aid.

The Pell Grant is the largest undergraduate grant program administered by the U.S. Department of Education. The federal policy has been clear and consistent that the Pell Grant would not cover all college attendance costs, but would be the first source of aid in financing college costs. With this grant as the floor of the applicant's aid package, other financial aid from federal, state, and institutional sources would be used to assist in financing the student's direct and indirect college attendance costs.

It is likely that because of strict interpretations of the federal Pell specification, the initial HOPE Scholarship policies lessened the state's merit-award to Georgia's most financially needy students. Until officials changed the state's regulations in July 2000, HOPE awards were added

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<sup>1</sup> There is a one-year time lag in officially identifying all HOPE Scholars due to retroactive award policies and year-end budget closures.

after the federal Pell Grant dollars in compiling a student's total financial aid package. Some of the HOPE Scholarship criticism dissipated when this change occurred and allowed Pell Grant recipients to apply their HOPE award to costs beyond tuition, such as housing and other living expenses.

### **Pell Grant Eligibility**

Federal Pell Grant eligibility is determined by a set of federal financial guidelines for U.S. citizens or permanent residents who are enrolled in an eligible program of study at the undergraduate level and who have not already received a bachelor's degree. The determination of eligibility is made through the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) process. When the student submits the FAFSA, the Department of Education calculates the student's financial eligibility for assistance using the national need analysis formula. This formula determines a student's "expected family contribution" (EFC) by factoring in the parents' and/or student's income and assets (excluding home), the family's household size, and the number of family members attending postsecondary institutions.<sup>2</sup>

Postsecondary institutions act as disbursing agents for the Department of Education. The institution that the student attends disburses the federal Pell Grant according to the Department of Education's payment schedule.<sup>3</sup> The amount of Pell Grant awarded is based on the student's EFC, the cost of attendance, and enrollment status.

Until recently, USG did not collect data on Pell Grants.<sup>4</sup> This paper presents the first analysis of the new data system, and reviews the relationship between HOPE Scholarships and Pell Grants for students attending USG institutions.

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<sup>2</sup> The national need analysis formula determines financial eligibility for all federal student aid and is applied uniformly to all applicants. The EFC is determined as the sum of: (1) a percentage assessment of net income (remaining income after subtracting allowances for basic living expenses) and (2) a percentage assessment of net assets, other than a home (remaining assets after subtracting an asset protection allowance). See <http://www.ifap.ed.gov/efcinformation/attachments/0304EFCFormulaGuide.pdf> for more information and 2003-2004 EFC calculation worksheets.

<sup>3</sup> See <http://www.ifap.ed.gov/dpccletters/attachments/P0301A.pdf> for the 2003-2004 Department of Education's payment schedule.

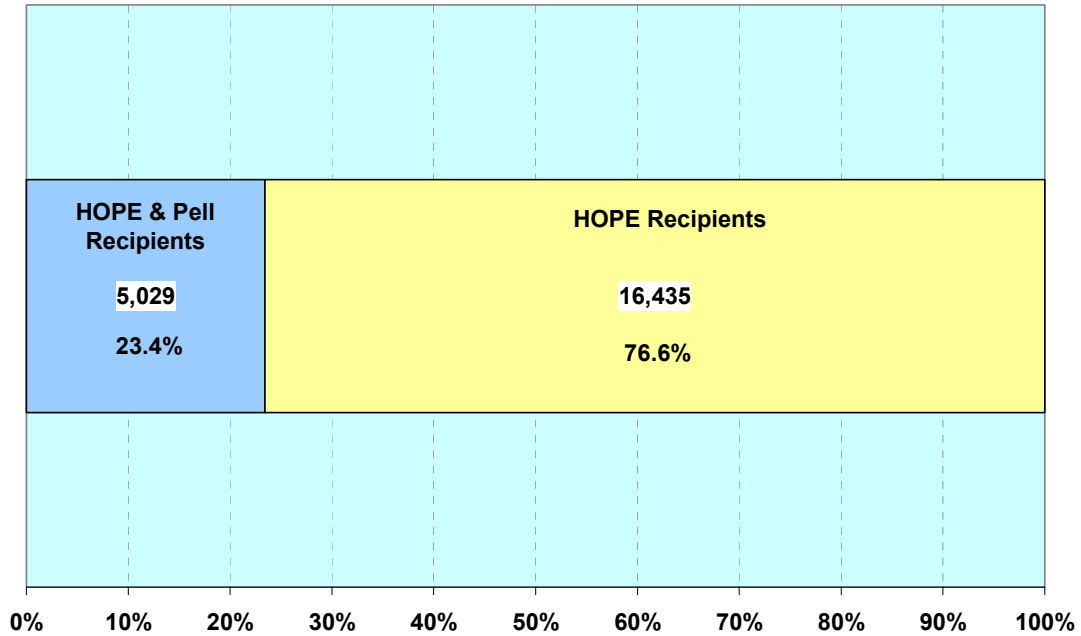
<sup>4</sup> The USG implemented the Financial Aid Reporting System in November 2001.

### HOPE Scholarship Recipients

Almost one quarter of the HOPE Scholarship recipients from the Fall 2001 first-time freshman cohort also received the Pell Grant. Over 5,000 students qualified for the low income, federal need-based grant, in addition to receiving the state's merit-based award.

Figure 1

**HOPE Scholarship Recipients with Pell Grant**  
Proportion of USG HOPE Eligible First-Time Freshmen, Fall 2001

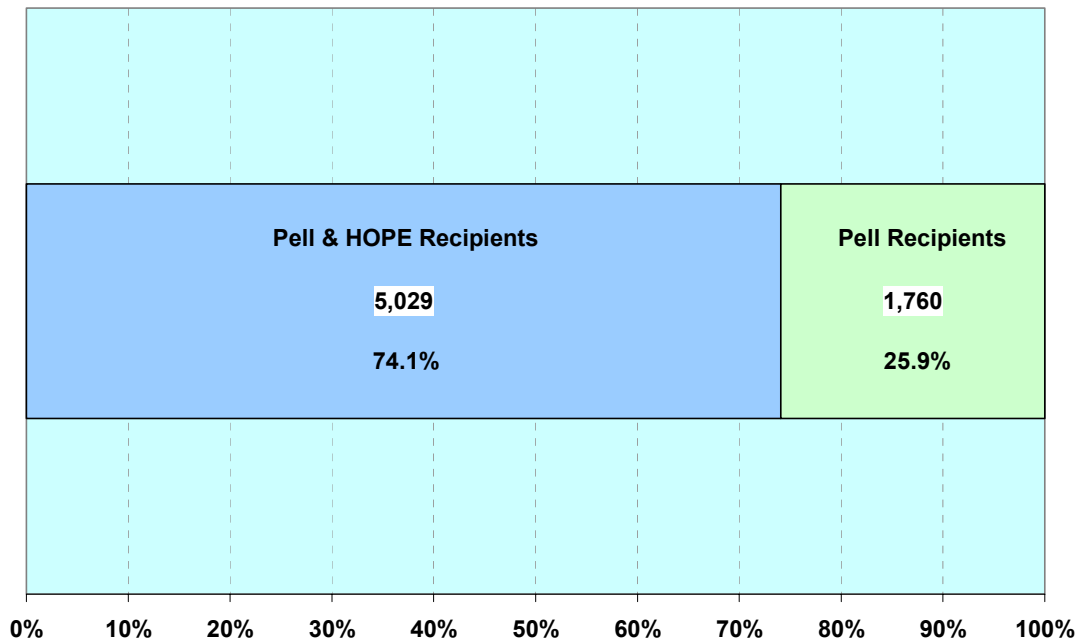


### Pell Grant Recipients

Approximately three quarters of the 6,789 Pell Grant recipients in the Fall 2001 first-time freshman cohort also received the HOPE Scholarship. These statistics certainly would appear to negate the assumption that financially needy students are unable to qualify for merit-based aid; however, what remains unknown is the number of students with financial need who do not enter college.

Figure 2

**Pell Grant Recipients with HOPE Scholarship**  
Subset of USG HOPE Eligible First-Time Freshmen, Fall 2001



**USG HOPE-Eligible First-Time Freshmen by Award Status**

In Fall 2001, USG institutions enrolled 27,210 first-time freshmen from Georgia high schools.<sup>5</sup> System-wide, over 18 percent of these students received both the Pell Grant and the HOPE Scholarship. Table 1 lists the percentage breakdown by institutional sector. Regional and state universities had the highest proportion of students who qualified for both the Pell Grant and the HOPE Scholarship. Among the institutional sectors, two-year and state colleges had the highest proportion of students who were entitled to the Pell Grant, but not the HOPE Scholarship (see Appendix 1).

Table 1

	<b>Pell &amp; HOPE</b>	<b>HOPE Alone</b>	<b>Pell Alone</b>	<b>No Pell or HOPE</b>
<b>Research Universities</b>				
#	1,045	5,617	27	147
%	15.3%	82.2%	0.4%	2.1%
<b>Regional Universities</b>				
#	820	2,547	116	397
%	21.1%	65.6%	3.0%	10.3%
<b>State Universities</b>				
#	1,728	4,915	454	970
%	21.4%	60.9%	5.6%	12.1%
<b>State Colleges</b>				
#	196	501	140	232
%	18.3%	46.9%	13.1%	21.7%
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>				
#	1,240	2,855	1,023	2,240
%	16.9%	38.8%	13.9%	30.4%
<b>System Average</b>				
#	5,029	16,435	1,760	3,986
%	18.5%	60.4%	6.5%	14.6%

<sup>5</sup> This cohort, restricted to those who graduated from Georgia high schools since 1993, is referred throughout as the “HOPE-eligible” population.

**Gender Differences by Award Status**

There are gender differences in the award status distribution of HOPE Scholarships and Pell Grants. Clearly, the majority of the HOPE-eligible first-time freshmen who entered in Fall 2001 received the scholarship. Approximately 60 percent of both the male and female cohorts qualified for the HOPE Scholarship (see Table 2). A higher proportion of females received both the Pell Grant and HOPE Scholarship. Males were more likely than females to receive neither the Pell Grant nor the HOPE Scholarship. However, 6.5 percent of both the male and female Fall 2001 first-time freshman cohorts only qualified for the Pell Grant (see Appendix 2).

Table 2

		<b>Pell &amp; HOPE</b>	<b>HOPE Alone</b>	<b>Pell Alone</b>	<b>No Pell or HOPE</b>
<b>Male</b>	#	1,684	7,192	776	2,361
	%	14.0%	59.9%	6.5%	19.6%
<b>Female</b>	#	3,345	9,243	984	1,625
	%	22.0%	60.8%	6.5%	10.7%

**Race/Ethnic Differences by Award Status**

Table 3 shows that Caucasian students were more likely to receive the HOPE Scholarship alone than other student groups (for example, 69.9 percent compared to 30.8 percent for African-Americans). Over one-half of the African-American cohort received a Pell Grant, either alone (19.4 percent) or in combination with a HOPE Scholarship (36.5 percent). Asian students who received the Pell Grant also tended to be HOPE Scholarship recipients. Of the 394 Asian students who received the Pell Grant, 90 percent (353) also received the HOPE Scholarship. Approximately 19 percent of Hispanic and Native American students received neither HOPE nor Pell (see Appendix 3).

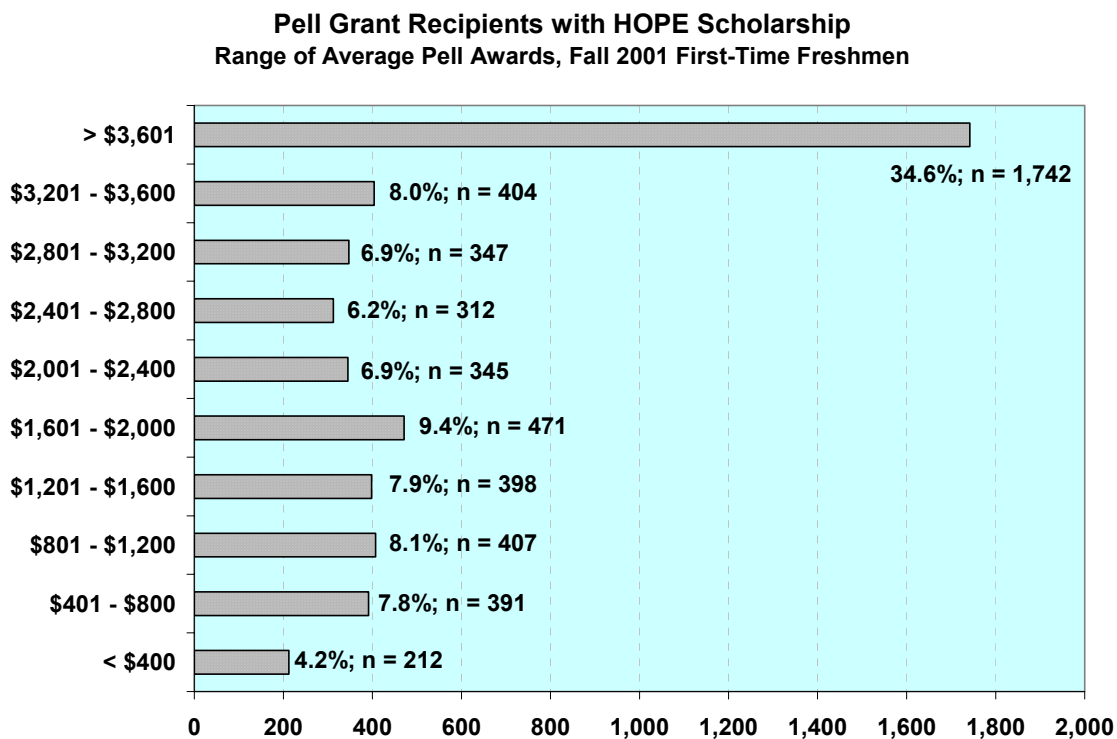
Table 3

		<b>Pell &amp; HOPE</b>	<b>HOPE Alone</b>	<b>Pell Alone</b>	<b>No Pell or HOPE</b>
<b>Caucasian</b>	#	2,339	13,331	533	2,871
	%	12.3%	69.9%	2.8%	15.0%
<b>African-American</b>	#	2,101	1,775	1,119	768
	%	36.5%	30.8%	19.4%	13.3%
<b>Multi-Racial</b>	#	125	379	25	97
	%	20.0%	60.5%	4.0%	15.5%
<b>Asian</b>	#	353	641	41	139
	%	30.1%	54.6%	3.5%	11.8%
<b>Hispanic</b>	#	99	275	40	100
	%	19.3%	53.5%	7.8%	19.4%
<b>Native American</b>	#	12	34	2	11
	%	20.3%	57.6%	3.4%	18.7%

### Average Pell Grant Award

Pell Grants range from less than \$400 up to a maximum of \$4,050 per year. System-wide, 34.6 percent of first-time freshmen receiving both the HOPE Scholarship and the Pell Grant were awarded dollars in the maximum range. In contrast, 4.2 percent of these students received the minimum Pell Grant award. In general, institutional sectors paralleled the distribution observed at the System level; however, some variability was seen between individual institutions. The largest number of first-time freshmen with HOPE and Pell is at Georgia State University, where 41 percent (222 students) received the maximum grant amount. Over 55 percent of Fort Valley State University students receiving both HOPE and Pell received the maximum grant, as compared to 16.7 percent at Coastal Georgia Community College (see Appendix 4).

Figure 3



### Conclusion

Throughout the past decade, the HOPE Scholarship Program has assisted students in pursuit of higher education by providing merit-based funding for tuition, fees and books. However, economic forecasts suggest that lottery revenues will be inadequate to fund the HOPE Scholarship within the next few years if current policy remains in place. The USG will monitor any changes to the HOPE Scholarship policy, especially with regard to those students in most need of financial assistance.



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**Appendix 1**  
**University System of Georgia**  
**Financial Aid - HOPE and Pell**  
**HOPE-Eligible, First-Time Freshmen**  
**Fall 2001**

<u>Institution</u>	HOPE-Eligible		Pell / No HOPE		HOPE / No Pell		Both HOPE and Pell	
	<u>First-Time Freshmen</u>		<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>
Georgia Institute of Technology	1,316		5	0.38	1,141	86.70	132	10.03
Georgia State University	2,046		11	0.54	1,410	68.91	545	26.64
University of Georgia	3,474		11	0.32	3,066	88.26	368	10.59
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>6,836</b>		<b>27</b>	<b>0.39</b>	<b>5,617</b>	<b>82.17</b>	<b>1,045</b>	<b>15.29</b>
Georgia Southern University	2,448		69	2.82	1,619	66.14	501	20.47
Valdosta State University	1,432		47	3.28	928	64.80	319	22.28
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>3,880</b>		<b>116</b>	<b>2.99</b>	<b>2,547</b>	<b>65.64</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>21.13</b>
Albany State University	363		50	13.77	98	27.00	178	49.04
Armstrong Atlantic State University	478		13	2.72	296	61.92	113	23.64
Augusta State University	646		59	9.13	327	50.62	144	22.29
Clayton College & State University	442		23	5.20	250	56.56	90	20.36
Columbus State University	708		48	6.78	422	59.60	165	23.31
Fort Valley State University	343		88	25.66	68	19.83	137	39.94
Georgia College & State University	816		13	1.59	628	76.96	112	13.73
Georgia Southwestern State University	235		14	5.96	143	60.85	65	27.66
Kennesaw State University	1,233		23	1.87	895	72.59	129	10.46
North Georgia College & State University	597		10	1.68	439	73.53	92	15.41
Savannah State University	352		69	19.60	86	24.43	141	40.06
Southern Polytechnic State University	364		7	1.92	259	71.15	49	13.46
State University of West Georgia	1,490		37	2.48	1,004	67.38	313	21.01
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>8,067</b>		<b>454</b>	<b>5.63</b>	<b>4,915</b>	<b>60.93</b>	<b>1,728</b>	<b>21.42</b>
Dalton State College	512		50	9.77	249	48.63	96	18.75
Macon State College	557		90	16.16	252	45.24	100	17.95
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>1,069</b>		<b>140</b>	<b>13.10</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>46.87</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>18.33</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	772		121	15.67	265	34.33	159	20.60
Atlanta Metropolitan College	170		59	34.71	33	19.41	21	12.35
Bainbridge College	209		57	27.27	50	23.92	41	19.62
Coastal Georgia Community College	267		38	14.23	101	37.83	36	13.48
Darton College	536		114	21.27	187	34.89	118	22.01
East Georgia College	414		63	15.22	133	32.13	93	22.46
Floyd College	549		66	12.02	235	42.81	75	13.66
Gainesville College	792		43	5.43	427	53.91	94	11.87
Georgia Perimeter College	1,842		193	10.48	711	38.60	243	13.19
Gordon College	809		98	12.11	344	42.52	144	17.80
Middle Georgia College	591		120	20.30	206	34.86	108	18.27
South Georgia College	276		38	13.77	99	35.87	72	26.09
Waycross College	131		13	9.92	64	48.85	36	27.48
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>7,358</b>		<b>1,023</b>	<b>13.90</b>	<b>2,855</b>	<b>38.80</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>16.85</b>
<b>System Totals</b>	<b>27,210</b>		<b>1,760</b>	<b>6.47</b>	<b>16,435</b>	<b>60.40</b>	<b>5,029</b>	<b>18.48</b>

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**Appendix 2**  
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**HOPE-Eligible First-Time Freshmen by Gender**  
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<u>Institution</u>	<u>HOPE-Eligible</u>		<u>Pell / No HOPE</u>		<u>HOPE / No Pell</u>		<u>Both HOPE and Pell</u>	
	<u>First-Time</u>		<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>
	<u>Freshmen</u>							
<b>Female</b>								
Georgia Institute of Technology	454		2	0.44	398	87.67	42	9.25
Georgia State University	1,219		5	0.41	811	66.53	373	30.60
University of Georgia	2,051		2	0.10	1,792	87.37	245	11.95
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>3,724</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>3,001</b>	<b>80.59</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>17.72</b>
Georgia Southern University	1,180		30	2.54	804	68.14	272	23.05
Valdosta State University	877		24	2.74	575	65.56	231	26.34
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>2,057</b>		<b>54</b>	<b>2.63</b>	<b>1,379</b>	<b>67.04</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>24.45</b>
Albany State University	233		24	10.30	63	27.04	126	54.08
Armstrong Atlantic State University	283		9	3.18	175	61.84	78	27.56
Augusta State University	392		36	9.18	196	50.00	106	27.04
Clayton College & State University	251		15	5.98	154	61.35	61	24.30
Columbus State University	419		22	5.25	250	59.67	120	28.64
Fort Valley State University	187		40	21.39	40	21.39	94	50.27
Georgia College & State University	518		6	1.16	400	77.22	81	15.64
Georgia Southwestern State University	148		7	4.73	83	56.08	48	32.43
Kennesaw State University	733		15	2.05	539	73.53	88	12.01
North Georgia College & State University	392		4	1.02	313	79.85	63	16.07
Savannah State University	202		32	15.84	59	29.21	92	45.54
Southern Polytechnic State University	32		1	3.13	21	65.63	9	28.13
State University of West Georgia	893		17	1.90	616	68.98	206	23.07
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>4,683</b>		<b>228</b>	<b>4.87</b>	<b>2,909</b>	<b>62.12</b>	<b>1,172</b>	<b>25.03</b>
Dalton State College	295		29	9.83	152	51.53	66	22.37
Macon State College	338		59	17.46	153	45.27	77	22.78
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>633</b>		<b>88</b>	<b>13.90</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>48.18</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>22.59</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	362		62	17.13	124	34.25	102	28.18
Atlanta Metropolitan College	106		41	38.68	21	19.81	19	17.92
Bainbridge College	127		41	32.28	24	18.90	33	25.98
Coastal Georgia Community College	160		31	19.38	62	38.75	27	16.88
Darton College	348		79	22.70	118	33.91	94	27.01
East Georgia College	241		27	11.20	89	36.93	65	26.97
Floyd College	329		45	13.68	143	43.47	57	17.33
Gainesville College	411		20	4.87	236	57.42	58	14.11
Georgia Perimeter College	1,069		134	12.54	417	39.01	163	15.25
Gordon College	467		58	12.42	215	46.04	108	23.13
Middle Georgia College	250		40	16.00	108	43.20	63	25.20
South Georgia College	142		22	15.49	44	30.99	52	36.62
Waycross College	88		5	5.68	48	54.55	26	29.55
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>4,100</b>		<b>605</b>	<b>14.76</b>	<b>1,649</b>	<b>40.22</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>21.15</b>
<b>Female Totals</b>	<b>15,197</b>		<b>984</b>	<b>6.47</b>	<b>9,243</b>	<b>60.82</b>	<b>3,345</b>	<b>22.01</b>

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	<b>First-Time</b>		<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
	<b>Freshmen</b>							
<b>Male</b>								
Georgia Institute of Technology	862		3	0.35	743	86.19	90	10.44
Georgia State University	827		6	0.73	599	72.43	172	20.80
University of Georgia	1,423		9	0.63	1,274	89.53	123	8.64
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>3,112</b>		<b>18</b>	<b>0.58</b>	<b>2,616</b>	<b>84.06</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>12.37</b>
Georgia Southern University	1,268		39	3.08	815	64.27	229	18.06
Valdosta State University	555		23	4.14	353	63.60	88	15.86
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>1,823</b>		<b>62</b>	<b>3.40</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>64.07</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>17.39</b>
Albany State University	130		26	20.00	35	26.92	52	40.00
Armstrong Atlantic State University	195		4	2.05	121	62.05	35	17.95
Augusta State University	254		23	9.06	131	51.57	38	14.96
Clayton College & State University	191		8	4.19	96	50.26	29	15.18
Columbus State University	289		26	9.00	172	59.52	45	15.57
Fort Valley State University	156		48	30.77	28	17.95	43	27.56
Georgia College & State University	298		7	2.35	228	76.51	31	10.40
Georgia Southwestern State University	87		7	8.05	60	68.97	17	19.54
Kennesaw State University	500		8	1.60	356	71.20	41	8.20
North Georgia College & State University	205		6	2.93	126	61.46	29	14.15
Savannah State University	150		37	24.67	27	18.00	49	32.67
Southern Polytechnic State University	332		6	1.81	238	71.69	40	12.05
State University of West Georgia	597		20	3.35	388	64.99	107	17.92
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>3,384</b>		<b>226</b>	<b>6.68</b>	<b>2,006</b>	<b>59.28</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>16.43</b>
Dalton State College	217		21	9.68	97	44.70	30	13.82
Macon State College	219		31	14.16	99	45.21	23	10.50
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>436</b>		<b>52</b>	<b>11.93</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>44.95</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>12.16</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	410		59	14.39	141	34.39	57	13.90
Atlanta Metropolitan College	64		18	28.13	12	18.75	2	3.13
Bainbridge College	82		16	19.51	26	31.71	8	9.76
Coastal Georgia Community College	107		7	6.54	39	36.45	9	8.41
Darton College	188		35	18.62	69	36.70	24	12.77
East Georgia College	173		36	20.81	44	25.43	28	16.18
Floyd College	220		21	9.55	92	41.82	18	8.18
Gainesville College	381		23	6.04	191	50.13	36	9.45
Georgia Perimeter College	773		59	7.63	294	38.03	80	10.35
Gordon College	342		40	11.70	129	37.72	36	10.53
Middle Georgia College	341		80	23.46	98	28.74	45	13.20
South Georgia College	134		16	11.94	55	41.04	20	14.93
Waycross College	43		8	18.60	16	37.21	10	23.26
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>3,258</b>		<b>418</b>	<b>12.83</b>	<b>1,206</b>	<b>37.02</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>11.45</b>
<b>Male Totals</b>	<b>12,013</b>		<b>776</b>	<b>6.46</b>	<b>7,192</b>	<b>59.87</b>	<b>1,684</b>	<b>14.02</b>

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		<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	
<b><u>American Indian or Alaskan Native</u></b>								
Georgia Institute of Technology	1	0	0.00	1	100.00	0	0.00	
Georgia State University	9	0	0.00	7	77.78	1	11.11	
University of Georgia	5	0	0.00	5	100.00	0	0.00	
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>86.67</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6.67</b>	
Georgia Southern University	7	0	0.00	4	57.14	2	28.57	
Valdosta State University	3	0	0.00	1	33.33	2	66.67	
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>50.00</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>40.00</b>	
Armstrong Atlantic State University	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Augusta State University	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	0	0.00	
Clayton College & State University	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Columbus State University	5	0	0.00	3	60.00	1	20.00	
Kennesaw State University	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
North Georgia College & State University	4	0	0.00	1	25.00	2	50.00	
Southern Polytechnic State University	1	0	0.00	1	100.00	0	0.00	
State University of West Georgia	4	0	0.00	3	75.00	1	25.00	
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5.26</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>57.89</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>21.05</b>	
Macon State College	3	0	0.00	1	33.33	1	33.33	
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>33.33</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>33.33</b>	
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Coastal Georgia Community College	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
East Georgia College	3	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	33.33	
Floyd College	4	1	25.00	0	0.00	1	25.00	
Gainesville College	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	0	0.00	
Georgia Perimeter College	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8.33</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>33.33</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>16.67</b>	
<b>American Indian or Alaskan Native Totals</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3.39</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>57.63</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20.34</b>	

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		<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	
<b><u>Asian or Pacific Islander</u></b>								
Georgia Institute of Technology	206	0	0.00	151	73.30	40	19.42	
Georgia State University	281	1	0.36	154	54.80	116	41.28	
University of Georgia	185	2	1.08	128	69.19	47	25.41	
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.45</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>64.43</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>30.21</b>	
Georgia Southern University	29	0	0.00	13	44.83	9	31.03	
Valdosta State University	15	0	0.00	7	46.67	3	20.00	
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>45.45</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>27.27</b>	
Albany State University	2	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	50.00	
Armstrong Atlantic State University	26	1	3.85	12	46.15	11	42.31	
Augusta State University	20	1	5.00	11	55.00	6	30.00	
Clayton College & State University	33	2	6.06	12	36.36	13	39.39	
Columbus State University	16	1	6.25	9	56.25	5	31.25	
Fort Valley State University	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Georgia College & State University	5	0	0.00	3	60.00	2	40.00	
Georgia Southwestern State University	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	1	50.00	
Kennesaw State University	34	2	5.88	19	55.88	5	14.71	
North Georgia College & State University	6	0	0.00	2	33.33	2	33.33	
Southern Polytechnic State University	23	0	0.00	12	52.17	8	34.78	
State University of West Georgia	14	1	7.14	6	42.86	4	28.57	
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4.40</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>48.90</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>31.87</b>	
Dalton State College	11	1	9.09	5	45.45	1	9.09	
Macon State College	16	2	12.50	11	68.75	1	6.25	
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11.11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>59.26</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7.41</b>	
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	2	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Atlanta Metropolitan College	3	0	0.00	3	100.00	0	0.00	
Bainbridge College	6	0	0.00	3	50.00	2	33.33	
Coastal Georgia Community College	4	0	0.00	2	50.00	2	50.00	
Darton College	3	1	33.33	1	33.33	1	33.33	
East Georgia College	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	0	0.00	
Floyd College	11	2	18.18	4	36.36	2	18.18	
Gainesville College	16	2	12.50	7	43.75	6	37.50	
Georgia Perimeter College	179	20	11.17	56	31.28	56	31.28	
Gordon College	13	1	7.69	2	15.38	6	46.15	
Middle Georgia College	8	1	12.50	3	37.50	1	12.50	
Waycross College	2	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	100.00	
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>10.84</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>33.33</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>31.33</b>	
<b>Asian or Pacific Islander Totals</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>3.49</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>54.60</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>30.07</b>	

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	<u>First-Time</u>		<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>
	<u>Freshmen</u>							
<b><u>Black, Non-Hispanic Origin</u></b>								
Georgia Institute of Technology	69		5	7.25	46	66.67	16	23.19
Georgia State University	584		6	1.03	304	52.05	266	45.55
University of Georgia	167		5	2.99	99	59.28	61	36.53
<b><i>Research Universities</i></b>	<b>820</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>1.95</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>54.76</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>41.83</b>
Georgia Southern University	551		35	6.35	247	44.83	223	40.47
Valdosta State University	331		32	9.67	126	38.07	141	42.60
<b><i>Regional Universities</i></b>	<b>882</b>		<b>67</b>	<b>7.60</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>42.29</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>41.27</b>
Albany State University	347		48	13.83	91	26.22	174	50.14
Armstrong Atlantic State University	59		4	6.78	15	25.42	36	61.02
Augusta State University	140		20	14.29	37	26.43	55	39.29
Clayton College & State University	111		14	12.61	51	45.95	38	34.23
Columbus State University	168		29	17.26	58	34.52	73	43.45
Fort Valley State University	338		87	25.74	65	19.23	136	40.24
Georgia College & State University	44		3	6.82	22	50.00	16	36.36
Georgia Southwestern State University	47		10	21.28	13	27.66	21	44.68
Kennesaw State University	62		5	8.06	32	51.61	14	22.58
North Georgia College & State University	20		3	15.00	8	40.00	7	35.00
Savannah State University	341		68	19.94	85	24.93	139	40.76
Southern Polytechnic State University	51		3	5.88	29	56.86	14	27.45
State University of West Georgia	300		17	5.67	125	41.67	134	44.67
<b><i>State Universities</i></b>	<b>2,028</b>		<b>311</b>	<b>15.34</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>31.11</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>42.26</b>
Dalton State College	6		1	16.67	1	16.67	2	33.33
Macon State College	183		63	34.43	41	22.40	56	30.60
<b><i>State Colleges</i></b>	<b>189</b>		<b>64</b>	<b>33.86</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>22.22</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>30.69</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	133		59	44.36	16	12.03	40	30.08
Atlanta Metropolitan College	161		57	35.40	29	18.01	21	13.04
Bainbridge College	75		40	53.33	4	5.33	15	20.00
Coastal Georgia Community College	57		20	35.09	8	14.04	10	17.54
Darton College	205		88	42.93	20	9.76	71	34.63
East Georgia College	157		43	27.39	23	14.65	64	40.76
Floyd College	61		23	37.70	12	19.67	12	19.67
Gainesville College	25		6	24.00	7	28.00	6	24.00
Georgia Perimeter College	491		138	28.11	103	20.98	104	21.18
Gordon College	215		71	33.02	34	15.81	60	27.91
Middle Georgia College	205		97	47.32	18	8.78	55	26.83
South Georgia College	44		12	27.27	5	11.36	16	36.36
Waycross College	15		7	46.67	1	6.67	5	33.33
<b><i>Two-Year Colleges</i></b>	<b>1,844</b>		<b>661</b>	<b>35.85</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>15.18</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>25.98</b>
<b>Black, Non-Hispanic Origin Totals</b>	<b>5,763</b>		<b>1,119</b>	<b>19.42</b>	<b>1,775</b>	<b>30.80</b>	<b>2,101</b>	<b>36.46</b>

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		<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	
<b>Hispanic</b>								
Georgia Institute of Technology	20	0	0.00	15	75.00	4	20.00	
Georgia State University	73	1	1.37	49	67.12	18	24.66	
University of Georgia	58	1	1.72	43	74.14	13	22.41	
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.32</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>70.86</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>23.18</b>	
Georgia Southern University	23	2	8.70	14	60.87	6	26.09	
Valdosta State University	21	1	4.76	14	66.67	4	19.05	
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6.82</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>63.64</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>22.73</b>	
Albany State University	3	1	33.33	2	66.67	0	0.00	
Armstrong Atlantic State University	9	0	0.00	4	44.44	1	11.11	
Augusta State University	17	1	5.88	8	47.06	5	29.41	
Clayton College & State University	10	0	0.00	5	50.00	1	10.00	
Columbus State University	21	2	9.52	11	52.38	7	33.33	
Georgia College & State University	6	0	0.00	4	66.67	1	16.67	
Georgia Southwestern State University	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	0	0.00	
Kennesaw State University	34	0	0.00	19	55.88	8	23.53	
North Georgia College & State University	3	0	0.00	2	66.67	0	0.00	
Southern Polytechnic State University	6	0	0.00	4	66.67	0	0.00	
State University of West Georgia	23	1	4.35	17	73.91	2	8.70	
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3.73</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>57.46</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>18.66</b>	
Dalton State College	26	7	26.92	3	11.54	7	26.92	
Macon State College	4	0	0.00	3	75.00	0	0.00	
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>23.33</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>23.33</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>23.33</b>	
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	25	10	40.00	2	8.00	5	20.00	
Bainbridge College	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Coastal Georgia Community College	2	1	50.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Darton College	3	0	0.00	2	66.67	0	0.00	
East Georgia College	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	
Floyd College	13	0	0.00	9	69.23	1	7.69	
Gainesville College	29	4	13.79	10	34.48	5	17.24	
Georgia Perimeter College	58	5	8.62	24	41.38	4	6.90	
Gordon College	17	2	11.76	5	29.41	5	29.41	
Middle Georgia College	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	0	0.00	
South Georgia College	3	1	33.33	1	33.33	1	33.33	
Waycross College	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	100.00	
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>14.84</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>36.13</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>14.19</b>	
<b>Hispanic Totals</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>7.78</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>53.50</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>19.26</b>	

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		<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
<b><u>Multi-Racial</u></b>							
Georgia Institute of Technology	8	0	0.00	7	87.50	0	0.00
Georgia State University	204	2	0.98	144	70.59	44	21.57
University of Georgia	59	0	0.00	51	86.44	7	11.86
<b><i>Research Universities</i></b>	<b>271</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>74.54</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>18.82</b>
Georgia Southern University	41	0	0.00	31	75.61	6	14.63
Valdosta State University	20	0	0.00	12	60.00	7	35.00
<b><i>Regional Universities</i></b>	<b>61</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>70.49</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>21.31</b>
Albany State University	4	0	0.00	1	25.00	3	75.00
Armstrong Atlantic State University	10	0	0.00	7	70.00	3	30.00
Augusta State University	22	1	4.55	11	50.00	5	22.73
Clayton College & State University	13	1	7.69	8	61.54	2	15.38
Columbus State University	25	3	12.00	17	68.00	4	16.00
Fort Valley State University	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	1	50.00
Georgia College & State University	4	0	0.00	4	100.00	0	0.00
Georgia Southwestern State University	2	0	0.00	1	50.00	0	0.00
Kennesaw State University	35	0	0.00	20	57.14	6	17.14
North Georgia College & State University	6	1	16.67	2	33.33	2	33.33
Savannah State University	1	1	100.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Southern Polytechnic State University	8	1	12.50	4	50.00	3	37.50
State University of West Georgia	26	1	3.85	18	69.23	7	26.92
<b><i>State Universities</i></b>	<b>158</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5.70</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>60.13</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>22.78</b>
Macon State College	5	0	0.00	2	40.00	1	20.00
<b><i>State Colleges</i></b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>40.00</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20.00</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	4	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	50.00
Atlanta Metropolitan College	5	1	20.00	1	20.00	0	0.00
Coastal Georgia Community College	2	1	50.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Darton College	12	4	33.33	5	41.67	2	16.67
East Georgia College	3	1	33.33	0	0.00	1	33.33
Floyd College	8	0	0.00	1	12.50	4	50.00
Gainesville College	6	1	16.67	0	0.00	2	33.33
Georgia Perimeter College	75	3	4.00	27	36.00	8	10.67
Gordon College	7	1	14.29	2	28.57	2	28.57
Middle Georgia College	5	1	20.00	1	20.00	0	0.00
South Georgia College	3	1	33.33	0	0.00	2	66.67
Waycross College	1	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
<b><i>Two-Year Colleges</i></b>	<b>131</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>10.69</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>28.24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>18.32</b>
<b>Multi-Racial Totals</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3.99</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>60.54</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>19.97</b>

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	<u>First-Time</u>		<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>%</u>
	<u>Freshmen</u>							
<b><u>White, Non-Hispanic Origin</u></b>								
Georgia Institute of Technology	1,012		0	0.00	921	91.01	72	7.11
Georgia State University	895		1	0.11	752	84.02	100	11.17
University of Georgia	3,000		3	0.10	2,740	91.33	240	8.00
<b><i>Research Universities</i></b>	<b>4,907</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>0.08</b>	<b>4,413</b>	<b>89.93</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>8.40</b>
Georgia Southern University	1,797		32	1.78	1,310	72.90	255	14.19
Valdosta State University	1,042		14	1.34	768	73.70	162	15.55
<b><i>Regional Universities</i></b>	<b>2,839</b>		<b>46</b>	<b>1.62</b>	<b>2,078</b>	<b>73.19</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>14.69</b>
Albany State University	7		1	14.29	3	42.86	0	0.00
Armstrong Atlantic State University	373		7	1.88	258	69.17	62	16.62
Augusta State University	445		36	8.09	258	57.98	73	16.40
Clayton College & State University	274		6	2.19	174	63.50	36	13.14
Columbus State University	473		13	2.75	324	68.50	75	15.86
Fort Valley State University	2		1	50.00	1	50.00	0	0.00
Georgia College & State University	757		10	1.32	595	78.60	93	12.29
Georgia Southwestern State University	182		4	2.20	126	69.23	43	23.63
Kennesaw State University	1,067		16	1.50	804	75.35	96	9.00
North Georgia College & State University	558		6	1.08	424	75.99	79	14.16
Savannah State University	10		0	0.00	1	10.00	2	20.00
Southern Polytechnic State University	275		3	1.09	209	76.00	24	8.73
State University of West Georgia	1,123		17	1.51	835	74.35	165	14.69
<b><i>State Universities</i></b>	<b>5,546</b>		<b>120</b>	<b>2.16</b>	<b>4,012</b>	<b>72.34</b>	<b>748</b>	<b>13.49</b>
Dalton State College	469		41	8.74	240	51.17	86	18.34
Macon State College	346		25	7.23	193	55.78	41	11.85
<b><i>State Colleges</i></b>	<b>815</b>		<b>66</b>	<b>8.10</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>53.13</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>15.58</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	607		52	8.57	246	40.53	112	18.45
Atlanta Metropolitan College	1		0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Bainbridge College	127		17	13.39	41	32.28	24	18.90
Coastal Georgia Community College	201		16	7.96	90	44.78	24	11.94
Darton College	313		21	6.71	159	50.80	44	14.06
East Georgia College	248		19	7.66	109	43.95	27	10.89
Floyd College	452		40	8.85	209	46.24	55	12.17
Gainesville College	714		30	4.20	401	56.16	75	10.50
Georgia Perimeter College	1,038		27	2.60	501	48.27	71	6.84
Gordon College	557		23	4.13	301	54.04	71	12.75
Middle Georgia College	371		21	5.66	182	49.06	52	14.02
South Georgia College	226		24	10.62	93	41.15	53	23.45
Waycross College	112		6	5.36	63	56.25	27	24.11
<b><i>Two-Year Colleges</i></b>	<b>4,967</b>		<b>297</b>	<b>5.98</b>	<b>2,395</b>	<b>48.22</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>12.78</b>
<b>White, Non-Hispanic Origin Totals</b>	<b>19,074</b>		<b>533</b>	<b>2.79</b>	<b>13,331</b>	<b>69.89</b>	<b>2,339</b>	<b>12.26</b>

Notes: HOPE and Pell data are from FARS.

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		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Georgia Institute of Technology	132	8	6.1%	8	6.1%	15	11.4%	18	13.6%	5	3.8%	8	6.1%	9	6.8%	7	5.3%	19	14.4%	35	26.5%
Georgia State University	545	21	3.9%	40	7.3%	32	5.9%	40	7.3%	36	6.6%	34	6.2%	35	6.4%	36	6.6%	49	9.0%	222	40.7%
University of Georgia	368	14	3.8%	36	9.8%	36	9.8%	28	7.6%	29	7.9%	28	7.6%	25	6.8%	27	7.3%	31	8.4%	114	31.0%
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>1,045</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>8.0%</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>9.5%</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>35.5%</b>
Georgia Southern University	501	27	5.4%	41	8.2%	40	8.0%	41	8.2%	48	9.6%	35	7.0%	33	6.6%	39	7.8%	40	8.0%	157	31.3%
Valdosta State University	319	18	5.6%	33	10.3%	23	7.2%	26	8.2%	34	10.7%	22	6.9%	14	4.4%	17	5.3%	22	6.9%	110	34.5%
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>5.5%</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>9.0%</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>10.0%</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>7.6%</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>32.6%</b>
Albany State University	178	3	1.7%	8	4.5%	8	4.5%	11	6.2%	23	12.9%	12	6.7%	9	5.1%	13	7.3%	7	3.9%	84	47.2%
Armstrong Atlantic State University	113	4	3.5%	8	7.1%	12	10.6%	8	7.1%	16	14.2%	5	4.4%	7	6.2%	11	9.7%	6	5.3%	36	31.9%
Augusta State University	144	3	2.1%	8	5.6%	8	5.6%	16	11.1%	15	10.4%	9	6.3%	10	6.9%	10	6.9%	19	13.2%	46	31.9%
Clayton College & State University	90	1	1.1%	5	5.6%	7	7.8%	9	10.0%	14	15.6%	7	7.8%	8	8.9%	7	7.8%	4	4.4%	28	31.1%
Columbus State University	165	5	3.0%	20	12.1%	12	7.3%	12	7.3%	14	8.5%	13	7.9%	11	6.7%	11	6.7%	16	9.7%	51	30.9%
Fort Valley State University	137	2	1.5%	3	2.2%	10	7.3%	1	0.7%	12	8.8%	5	3.6%	12	8.8%	8	5.8%	8	5.8%	76	55.5%
Georgia College & State University	112	6	5.4%	10	8.9%	11	9.8%	10	8.9%	11	9.8%	8	7.1%	3	2.7%	6	5.4%	8	7.1%	39	34.8%
Georgia Southwestern State University	65	3	4.6%	6	9.2%	6	9.2%	9	13.8%	2	3.1%	6	9.2%	5	7.7%	3	4.6%	5	7.7%	20	30.8%
Kennesaw State University	129	13	10.1%	14	10.9%	15	11.6%	11	8.5%	14	10.9%	7	5.4%	9	7.0%	7	5.4%	8	6.2%	31	24.0%
North Georgia College & State University	92	7	7.6%	4	4.3%	7	7.6%	8	8.7%	17	18.5%	7	7.6%	5	5.4%	9	9.8%	6	6.5%	22	23.9%
Savannah State University	141	2	1.4%	6	4.3%	3	2.1%	11	7.8%	17	12.1%	7	5.0%	7	5.0%	9	6.4%	15	10.6%	64	45.4%
Southern Polytechnic State University	49	3	6.1%	6	12.2%	2	4.1%	2	4.1%	6	12.2%	4	8.2%	3	6.1%	4	8.2%	5	10.2%	14	28.6%
State University of West Georgia	313	17	5.4%	27	8.6%	36	11.5%	24	7.7%	32	10.2%	17	5.4%	20	6.4%	22	7.0%	16	5.1%	102	32.6%
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>1,728</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>7.2%</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>7.6%</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>11.2%</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>6.2%</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>7.1%</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>35.5%</b>

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		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Dalton State College	96	2	2.1%	14	14.6%	11	11.5%	10	10.4%	13	13.5%	7	7.3%	6	6.3%	2	2.1%	6	6.3%	25	26.0%
Macon State College	100	4	4.0%	9	9.0%	9	9.0%	7	7.0%	9	9.0%	2	2.0%	5	5.0%	6	6.0%	6	6.0%	43	43.0%
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>11.7%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10.2%</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11.2%</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5.6%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6.1%</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>34.7%</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	159	8	5.0%	11	6.9%	13	8.2%	14	8.8%	19	11.9%	9	5.7%	5	3.1%	11	6.9%	17	10.7%	52	32.7%
Atlanta Metropolitan College	21	1	4.8%	0	0.0%	1	4.8%	0	0.0%	3	14.3%	2	9.5%	3	14.3%	1	4.8%	2	9.5%	8	38.1%
Bainbridge College	41	1	2.4%	1	2.4%	3	7.3%	5	12.2%	3	7.3%	4	9.8%	3	7.3%	1	2.4%	7	17.1%	13	31.7%
Coastal Georgia Community College	36	1	2.8%	4	11.1%	4	11.1%	5	13.9%	6	16.7%	3	8.3%	2	5.6%	3	8.3%	2	5.6%	6	16.7%
Darton College	118	4	3.4%	11	9.3%	7	5.9%	7	5.9%	13	11.0%	11	9.3%	5	4.2%	7	5.9%	7	5.9%	46	39.0%
East Georgia College	93	3	3.2%	4	4.3%	8	8.6%	3	3.2%	4	4.3%	5	5.4%	12	12.9%	12	12.9%	6	6.5%	36	38.7%
Floyd College	75	5	6.7%	4	5.3%	12	16.0%	9	12.0%	3	4.0%	10	13.3%	3	4.0%	3	4.0%	4	5.3%	22	29.3%
Gainesville College	94	5	5.3%	10	10.6%	9	9.6%	15	16.0%	9	9.6%	4	4.3%	9	9.6%	6	6.4%	5	5.3%	22	23.4%
Georgia Perimeter College	243	9	3.7%	17	7.0%	22	9.1%	13	5.3%	15	6.2%	28	11.5%	9	3.7%	24	9.9%	26	10.7%	80	32.9%
Gordon College	144	1	0.7%	13	9.0%	6	4.2%	12	8.3%	15	10.4%	10	6.9%	14	9.7%	8	5.6%	19	13.2%	46	31.9%
Middle Georgia College	108	8	7.4%	4	3.7%	9	8.3%	5	4.6%	8	7.4%	7	6.5%	3	2.8%	7	6.5%	6	5.6%	51	47.2%
South Georgia College	72	1	1.4%	5	6.9%	7	9.7%	5	6.9%	4	5.6%	6	8.3%	5	6.9%	6	8.3%	4	5.6%	29	40.3%
Waycross College	36	2	5.6%	1	2.8%	3	8.3%	3	8.3%	2	5.6%	3	8.3%	3	8.3%	4	11.1%	3	8.3%	12	33.3%
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>6.1%</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>34.1%</b>
<b>System Totals</b>	<b>5,029</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>7.8%</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>9.4%</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>6.2%</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>8.0%</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>34.6%</b>

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