

Appendix 7

Nebraska First-Time Freshmen Enrollments by Race/Ethnicity

Technical Note A7.1
All of the data summarized in this appendix are downloaded from the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS), with minor data adjustments as needed for improved data accuracy. As a result of these adjustments, some enrollments reported in section 1.4 and this appendix are slightly higher or lower than in previous reports published by the Commission.

Table A7.1							
Changes in the Number of First-Time Freshmen at Nebraska Degree-Granting and Non-Degree-Granting, Postsecondary Institutions by Race/Ethnicity							
Fall 2007 and Fall 2008 Compared to Fall 2003¹							
Race/Ethnicity	Number of First-Time Freshmen					Change from Fall 2003 to Fall 2007	
	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Change in Number of Students	% Change in Number of Students
White (non-Hispanic)	18,076	16,543	16,275	15,482	15,225	-2,851	-15.8%
Asian/Pacific Islander	365	373	435	435	413	48	13.2%
Hispanic	693	750	798	858	905	212	30.6%
Native American	204	226	168	216	187	-17	-8.3%
Black (non-Hispanic)	921	839	877	835	952	31	3.4%
Total Students	20,259	18,731	18,553	17,826	17,682	-2,577	-12.7%
Race/Ethnicity	Number of First-Time Freshmen					Change from Fall 2003 to Fall 2008	
	Fall 2008					Change in Number of Students	% Change in Number of Students
White (non-Hispanic)	14,936					-3,140	-17.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	438					73	20.0%
Hispanic	1,030					337	48.6%
Native American	183					-21	-10.3%
Black (non-Hispanic)	865					-56	-6.1%
Total Students	17,452					-2,807	-13.9%
¹ Data Source: National Center for Education Statistics, 2003 through 2008 IPEDS enrollment surveys. Counts include part-time students. Counts do not include non-resident aliens (foreign students) and students of unknown race/ethnicity.							

Table A7.2
Changes in the Number of White (non-Hispanic), First-Time Freshmen at
Nebraska Degree-Granting and Non-Degree-Granting Postsecondary Institutions
Fall 2003 through Fall 2008 and Fall 2008 Compared to Fall 2003¹

Sector of Higher Education	Number of Students					Change from Fall 2003 to Fall 2007	
	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Change in Number of Students	% Change in Number of Students
University of Nebraska	5,594	5,300	5,485	5,651	5,628	34	0.6%
Nebraska State College System	1,150	999	985	984	1,051	-99	-8.6%
Nebraska Community Colleges	6,679	5,841	5,835	5,214	4,947	-1,732	-25.9%
Independent Colleges & Universities	3,137	2,949	2,800	2,747	2,712	-425	-13.5%
Degree-Granting For-Profit Schools	895	759	743	477	664	-231	-25.8%
Non-Degree-Granting For-Profit Schools	621	695	427	409	223	-398	-64.1%
Total White (non-Hispanic)	18,076	16,543	16,275	15,482	15,225	-2,851	-15.8%
Sector of Higher Education	Number of Students					Change from Fall 2003 to Fall 2008	
	Fall 2008					Change in Number of Students	% Change in Number of Students
University of Nebraska	6,003					409	7.3%
Nebraska State College System	1,089					-61	-5.3%
Nebraska Community Colleges	4,641					-2,038	-30.5%
Independent Colleges & Universities	2,591					-546	-17.4%
Degree-Granting For-Profit Schools	332					-563	-62.9%
Non-Degree-Granting For-Profit Schools	280					-341	-54.9%
Total White (non-Hispanic)	14,936					-3,140	-17.4%

¹Data Source: National Center for Education Statistics, 2003 through 2008 IPEDS enrollment surveys. Counts include part-time students. Counts do not include non-resident aliens (foreign students) and students of unknown race/ethnicity. For-profit schools include non-profit schools of radiologic technology.

**Table A7.3
Comparison of the Percentage Distributions of Nebraska High School Graduates
and First-Time Freshmen at Nebraska Degree-Granting and
Non-Degree-Granting, Postsecondary Institutions by Race/Ethnicity
2002–2003/Fall 2003 through 2007–2008/Fall 2008¹**

Race/Ethnicity	2002–2003 Nebraska High School (HS) Graduates		Fall 2003 First-Time Freshmen		% Difference HS v FTF
	Number	%	Number	%	
White (non-Hispanic)	19,704	89.7%	18,076	89.2%	-0.5%
Asian/Pacific Islander	334	1.5%	365	1.8%	0.3%
Hispanic	836	3.8%	693	3.4%	-0.4%
Native American	177	0.8%	204	1.0%	0.2%
Black (non-Hispanic)	921	4.2%	921	4.6%	0.4%
Total Students	21,972	100.0%	20,259	100.0%	
Race/Ethnicity	2003–2004 Nebraska High School (HS) Graduates		Fall 2004 First-Time Freshmen		% Difference HS v FTF
	Number	%	Number	%	
White (non-Hispanic)	19,290	88.8%	16,543	88.3%	-0.5%
Asian/Pacific Islander	349	1.6%	373	2.0%	0.4%
Hispanic	960	4.4%	750	4.0%	-0.4%
Native American	182	0.8%	226	1.2%	0.4%
Black (non-Hispanic)	937	4.3%	839	4.5%	0.1%
Total Students	21,718	100.0%	18,731	100.0%	
Race/Ethnicity	2004–2005 Nebraska High School (HS) Graduates		Fall 2005 First-Time Freshmen		% Difference HS v FTF
	Number	%	Number	%	
White (non-Hispanic)	19,037	87.9%	16,275	87.8%	-0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	367	1.7%	435	2.3%	0.6%
Hispanic	1,148	5.3%	798	4.3%	-1.0%
Native American	203	0.9%	168	0.9%	0.0%
Black (non-Hispanic)	892	4.1%	877	4.7%	0.6%
Total Students	21,647	100.0%	18,553	100.0%	

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Race/Ethnicity	2005–2006 Nebraska High School (HS) Graduates		Fall 2006 First-Time Freshmen		% Difference HS v FTF
	Number	%	Number	%	
White (non-Hispanic)	18,448	87.1%	15,482	86.9%	-0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	382	1.8%	435	2.4%	0.6%
Hispanic	1186	5.6%	858	4.8%	-0.8%
Native American	202	1.0%	216	1.2%	0.3%
Black (non-Hispanic)	970	4.6%	835	4.7%	0.1%
Total Students	21,188	100.0%	17,826	100.0%	
Race/Ethnicity	2006–2007 Nebraska High School (HS) Graduates		Fall 2007 First-Time Freshmen		% Difference HS v FTF
	Number	%	Number	%	
White (non-Hispanic)	18,351	85.9%	15,225	86.1%	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	390	1.8%	413	2.3%	0.5%
Hispanic	1,242	5.8%	905	5.1%	-0.7%
Native American	201	0.9%	187	1.1%	0.2%
Black (non-Hispanic)	1,167	5.5%	952	5.4%	-0.1%
Total Students	21,351	100.0%	17,682	100.0%	
Race/Ethnicity	2007–2008 Nebraska High School (HS) Graduates		Fall 2008 First-Time Freshmen		% Difference HS v FTF
	Number	%	Number	%	
White (non-Hispanic)	18,919	85.2%	14,936	85.6%	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	402	1.8%	438	2.5%	0.7%
Hispanic	1,508	6.8%	1,030	5.9%	-0.9%
Native American	245	1.1%	183	1.0%	-0.1%
Black (non-Hispanic)	1,119	5.0%	865	5.0%	0.0%
Total Students	22,193	100.0%	17,452	100.0%	
<p>¹Official numbers of high school graduates obtained from the Nebraska Department of Education in January 2009. Numbers include graduates of nonpublic schools, public schools, educational service units, and state-operated schools. Graduates do not include GED recipients or completers who did not receive regular diplomas. Numbers of first-time freshmen at all Nebraska degree-granting and non-degree-granting, postsecondary institutions are based on data obtained through the National Center for Education Statistics, 2003 through 2008 IPEDS enrollment surveys. Counts include part-time students. Counts do not include non resident aliens (foreign students) and students of unknown race/ethnicity.</p>					

**Table A7.4
Nebraska First-Time Freshmen Sector Enrollments by Race/Ethnicity
Fall 2003 through Fall 2008¹**

Fall 2003						
Sector of Higher Education	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	White (Non-Hispanic)		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic	
University of Nebraska	5,594	30.9%	116	31.8%	166	23.9%
Nebraska State College System	1,150	6.4%	3	0.8%	31	4.5%
Community Colleges	6,679	36.9%	131	35.9%	262	37.8%
Independent Colleges and Universities	3,137	17.4%	89	24.4%	170	24.5%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	895	5.0%	21	5.8%	47	6.8%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	621	3.4%	5	1.4%	17	2.5%
Total	18,076	100.0%	365	100.0%	693	100.0%
Sector	Native American		Black (Non-Hispanic)		Total	
University of Nebraska	33	16.2%	160	17.4%	6,069	30.0%
Nebraska State College System	18	8.8%	42	4.6%	1,244	6.1%
Community Colleges	52	25.5%	330	35.8%	7,454	36.8%
Independent Colleges and Universities	94	46.1%	136	14.8%	3,626	17.9%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	4	2.0%	216	23.4%	1,183	5.8%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	3	1.5%	37	4.0%	683	3.4%
Total	204	100.0%	921	100.0%	20,259	100.0%
¹ Source: National Center for Education Statistics, 2003 through 2008 IPEDS enrollment surveys. Counts include part-time students. Counts do not include non-resident aliens (foreign students) and students of unknown race/ethnicity.						
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Fall 2004						
Sector of Higher Education	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	White (Non-Hispanic)		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic	
University of Nebraska	5,300	32.0%	125	33.5%	199	26.5%
Nebraska State College System	999	6.0%	4	1.1%	24	3.2%
Community Colleges	5,841	35.3%	108	29.0%	317	42.3%
Independent Colleges and Universities	2,949	17.8%	114	30.6%	149	19.9%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	759	4.6%	17	4.6%	33	4.4%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	695	4.2%	5	1.3%	28	3.7%
Total	16,543	100.0%	373	100.0%	750	100.0%
Sector	Native American		Black (Non-Hispanic)		Total	
University of Nebraska	33	14.6%	159	19.0%	5,816	31.1%
Nebraska State College System	18	8.0%	41	4.9%	1,086	5.8%
Community Colleges	41	18.1%	291	34.7%	6,598	35.2%
Independent Colleges and Universities	117	51.8%	109	13.0%	3,438	18.4%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	8	3.5%	198	23.6%	1,015	5.4%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	9	4.0%	41	4.9%	778	4.2%
Total	226	100.0%	839	100.0%	18,731	100.0%

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Fall 2005						
Sector of Higher Education	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	White (Non-Hispanic)		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic	
University of Nebraska	5,485	33.7%	155	35.6%	245	30.7%
Nebraska State College System	985	6.1%	13	3.0%	17	2.1%
Community Colleges	5,835	35.8%	128	29.4%	353	44.2%
Independent Colleges and Universities	2,800	17.2%	116	26.7%	124	15.6%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	743	4.6%	18	4.1%	39	4.9%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	427	2.6%	5	1.1%	20	2.5%
Total	16,275	100.0%	435	100.0%	798	100.0%
Sector	Native American		Black (Non-Hispanic)		Total	
University of Nebraska	40	23.8%	197	22.5%	6,122	33.0%
Nebraska State College System	16	9.5%	39	4.4%	1,070	5.8%
Community Colleges	50	29.8%	304	34.7%	6,670	36.0%
Independent Colleges and Universities	54	32.1%	117	13.3%	3,211	17.3%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	5	3.0%	177	20.2%	982	5.3%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	3	1.8%	43	4.9%	498	2.7%
Total	168	100.0%	877	100.0%	18,553	100.0%

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Fall 2006						
Sector of Higher Education	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	White (Non-Hispanic)		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic	
University of Nebraska	5,651	36.5%	181	41.6%	285	33.2%
Nebraska State College System	984	6.4%	10	2.3%	33	3.8%
Community Colleges	5,214	33.7%	119	27.4%	382	44.5%
Independent Colleges and Universities	2,747	17.7%	113	26.0%	124	14.5%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	477	3.1%	6	1.4%	16	1.9%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	409	2.6%	6	1.4%	18	2.1%
Total	15,482	100.0%	435	100.0%	858	100.0%
Sector	Native American		Black (Non-Hispanic)		Total	
University of Nebraska	49	22.7%	203	24.3%	6,369	35.7%
Nebraska State College System	20	9.3%	45	5.4%	1,092	6.1%
Community Colleges	65	30.1%	306	36.6%	6,086	34.1%
Independent Colleges and Universities	67	31.0%	97	11.6%	3,148	17.7%
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	6	2.8%	133	15.9%	638	3.6%
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	9	4.2%	51	6.1%	493	2.8%
Total	216	100.0%	835	100.0%	17,826	100.0%
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Fall 2007																		
Sector of Higher Education	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students												
	White (Non-Hispanic)		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic													
University of Nebraska	5,628	37.0%	173	41.9%	282	31.2%												
Nebraska State College System	1,051	6.9%	7	1.7%	39	4.3%												
Community Colleges	4,947	32.5%	95	23.0%	377	41.7%												
Independent Colleges and Universities	2,712	17.8%	130	31.5%	175	19.3%												
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	664	4.4%	5	1.2%	25	2.8%												
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	223	1.5%	3	0.7%	7	0.8%												
Total	15,225	100.0%	413	100.0%	905	100.0%												
Sector	Native American²		Black (Non-Hispanic)		Total													
University of Nebraska	35	18.7%	239	25.1%	6,357	36.0%												
Nebraska State College System	24	12.8%	47	4.9%	1,168	6.6%												
Community Colleges	59	31.6%	354	37.2%	5,832	33.0%												
Independent Colleges and Universities	61	32.6%	111	11.7%	3,189	18.0%												
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	4	2.1%	187	19.6%	885	5.0%												
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	4	2.1%	14	1.5%	251	1.4%												
Total	187	100.0%	952	100.0%	17,682	100.0%												
<p>²A total of 43 (23.0%) of the 187 Native Americans who were first-time freshmen in 2007 were enrolled at Little Priest Tribal College (LPTC) or Nebraska Indian Community College (NICC), and 18 (9.6%) were enrolled at other colleges and universities within the sector of independent colleges and universities. For the purpose of comparing the racial/ethnic groups, <u>excluding the tribal colleges</u> results in the following percentage distribution for Native Americans for 2007:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>University of Nebraska</td> <td>24.3%</td> <td>Independent Colleges and Universities</td> <td>12.5%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nebraska State College System</td> <td>16.7%</td> <td>Degree-Granting Private Career Schools</td> <td>2.8%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nebraska Community Colleges</td> <td>41.0%</td> <td>Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools</td> <td>2.8%</td> </tr> </table>							University of Nebraska	24.3%	Independent Colleges and Universities	12.5%	Nebraska State College System	16.7%	Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	2.8%	Nebraska Community Colleges	41.0%	Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	2.8%
University of Nebraska	24.3%	Independent Colleges and Universities	12.5%															
Nebraska State College System	16.7%	Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	2.8%															
Nebraska Community Colleges	41.0%	Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	2.8%															

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Fall 2008																		
Sector of Higher Education	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students												
	White (Non-Hispanic)		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic													
University of Nebraska	6,003	40.2%	160	36.5%	325	31.6%												
Nebraska State College System	1,089	7.3%	7	1.6%	34	3.3%												
Community Colleges	4,641	31.1%	109	24.9%	427	41.5%												
Independent Colleges and Universities	2,591	17.3%	158	36.1%	213	20.7%												
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	332	2.2%	3	0.7%	18	1.7%												
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	280	1.9%	1	0.2%	13	1.3%												
Total	14,936	100.0%	438	100.0%	1,030	100.0%												
Sector	Native American³		Black (Non-Hispanic)		Total													
University of Nebraska	35	19.1%	220	25.4%	6,743	38.6%												
Nebraska State College System	21	11.5%	46	5.3%	1,197	6.9%												
Community Colleges	43	23.5%	335	38.7%	5,555	31.8%												
Independent Colleges and Universities	78	42.6%	146	16.9%	3,186	18.3%												
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	3	1.6%	95	11.0%	451	2.6%												
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools	3	1.6%	23	2.7%	320	1.8%												
Total	183	100.0%	865	100.0%	17,452	100.0%												
<p>³A total of 49 (26.8%) of the 183 Native Americans who were first-time freshmen in 2008 were enrolled at Little Priest Tribal College (LPTC) or Nebraska Indian Community College (NICC), and 29 (15.8%) were enrolled at other colleges and universities within the sector of independent colleges and universities. For the purpose of comparing the racial/ethnic groups, <u>excluding the tribal colleges</u> results in the following percentage distribution for Native Americans for 2008:</p> <table> <tr> <td>University of Nebraska (35)</td> <td>26.1%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nebraska State College System (21)</td> <td>15.7%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nebraska Community Colleges (43)</td> <td>32.1%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Independent Colleges and Universities (29)</td> <td>21.6%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Degree-Granting Private Career Schools (3)</td> <td>2.2%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools (3)</td> <td>2.2%</td> </tr> </table>							University of Nebraska (35)	26.1%	Nebraska State College System (21)	15.7%	Nebraska Community Colleges (43)	32.1%	Independent Colleges and Universities (29)	21.6%	Degree-Granting Private Career Schools (3)	2.2%	Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools (3)	2.2%
University of Nebraska (35)	26.1%																	
Nebraska State College System (21)	15.7%																	
Nebraska Community Colleges (43)	32.1%																	
Independent Colleges and Universities (29)	21.6%																	
Degree-Granting Private Career Schools (3)	2.2%																	
Non-Degree-Granting Private Career Schools (3)	2.2%																	

**Table A7.5
Nebraska First-Time Freshmen Enrollment at Independent Colleges & Universities
by Race/Ethnicity: 2008¹**

	Total Independent Colleges & Universities Sector		Tribal Colleges ²		Independent Institutions Sector Excluding Tribal Colleges	
	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
White (non-Hispanic)	2,591	81.3%	3	5.8%	2,588	82.6%
Asian/Pacific Islander	158	5.0%	0	0.0%	158	5.0%
Hispanic	213	6.7%	0	0.0%	213	6.8%
Native American	78	2.4%	49	94.2%	29	0.9%
Black (non-Hispanic)	146	4.6%	0	0.0%	146	4.7%
Total Students	3,186	100.0%	52	100.0%	3,134	100.0%

¹Data Source: National Center for Education Statistics, Fall 2008 IPEDS enrollment survey. Counts include part-time students. Counts do not include non-resident aliens (foreign students) and students of unknown race/ethnicity.

² Little Priest Tribal Colleges and Nebraska Indian Community College (NICC) are federally supported tribal colleges that are included in the independent sector for the purposes of statewide data analysis.

**Table A7.6
Nebraska First-Time Freshmen Racial/Ethnic Enrollments by Sector
Fall 2003 through Fall 2008¹**

Fall 2003								
Race/Ethnicity	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	Public Institutions							
	University of Nebraska		Nebraska State Colleges		Community Colleges		Total Public Institutions	
White (non-Hispanic)	5,594	92.2%	1,150	92.4%	6,679	89.6%	13,423	90.9%
Asian²	116	1.9%	3	0.2%	131	1.8%	250	1.7%
Hispanic	166	2.7%	31	2.5%	262	3.5%	459	3.1%
Native American	33	0.5%	18	1.4%	52	0.7%	103	0.7%
Black (non-Hispanic)	160	2.6%	42	3.4%	330	4.4%	532	3.6%
Total	6,069	100.0%	1,244	100.0%	7,454	100.0%	14,767	100.0%
Race/Ethnicity	Other Colleges and Universities						Nebraska Total	
	Independent Colleges and Universities ³		Degree-Granting For-Profit/Career Schools		Non-Degree For-Profit/Career Schools			
White (non-Hispanic)	3,137	86.5%	895	75.7%	621	90.9%	18,076	89.2%
Asian²	89	2.4%	21	1.8%	5	0.7%	365	1.8%
Hispanic	170	4.7%	47	4.0%	17	2.5%	693	3.4%
Native American	94	2.6%	4	0.3%	3	0.4%	204	1.0%
Black (non-Hispanic)	136	3.8%	216	18.3%	37	5.4%	921	4.6%
Total	3,626	100.0%	1,183	100.0%	683	100.0%	20,259	100.0%

¹Source: National Center for Education Statistics, 2003 through 2008 IPEDS enrollment surveys. Counts include part-time students. Counts do not include non-resident aliens (foreign students) and students of unknown race/ethnicity.

²The Asian student group includes students of Pacific Islander descent.

³Includes Little Priest Tribal College and Nebraska Indian Community College. See Table A7.5 for the fall 2008 first-time freshmen enrollments of these two tribal colleges and first-time freshmen enrollments in the independent sector, excluding tribal college enrollments.

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Fall 2004

Race/Ethnicity	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	Public Institutions							
	University of Nebraska		Nebraska State Colleges		Community Colleges		Total Public Institutions	
White (non-Hispanic)	5,300	91.1%	999	92.0%	5,841	88.5%	12,140	89.9%
Asian²	125	2.1%	4	0.4%	108	1.6%	237	1.8%
Hispanic	199	3.4%	24	2.2%	317	4.8%	540	4.0%
Native American	33	0.6%	18	1.7%	41	0.6%	92	0.7%
Black (non-Hispanic)	159	2.7%	41	3.8%	291	4.4%	491	3.6%
Total	5,816	100.0%	1,086	100.0%	6,598	100.0%	13,500	100.0%

Race/Ethnicity	Other Colleges and Universities						Nebraska Total	
	Independent Colleges and Universities ³		Degree-Granting For-Profit/Career Schools		Non-Degree For-Profit/Career Schools			
White (non-Hispanic)	2,949	85.8%	759	74.8%	695	89.3%	16,543	88.3%
Asian²	114	3.3%	17	1.7%	5	0.6%	373	2.0%
Hispanic	149	4.3%	33	3.3%	28	3.6%	750	4.0%
Native American	117	3.4%	8	0.8%	9	1.2%	226	1.2%
Black (non-Hispanic)	109	3.2%	198	19.5%	41	5.3%	839	4.5%
Total	3,438	100.0%	1,015	100.0%	778	100.0%	18,731	100.0%

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Fall 2005

Race/Ethnicity	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	Public Institutions							
	University of Nebraska		Nebraska State Colleges		Community Colleges		Total Public Institutions	
White (non-Hispanic)	5,485	89.6%	985	92.1%	5,835	87.5%	12,305	88.8%
Asian²	155	2.5%	13	1.2%	128	1.9%	296	2.1%
Hispanic	245	4.0%	17	1.6%	353	5.3%	615	4.4%
Native American	40	0.7%	16	1.5%	50	0.7%	106	0.8%
Black (non-Hispanic)	197	3.2%	39	3.6%	304	4.6%	540	3.9%
Total	6,122	100.0%	1,070	100.0%	6,670	100.0%	13,862	100.0%

Race/Ethnicity	Other Colleges and Universities						Nebraska Total	
	Independent Colleges and Universities ³		Degree-Granting For-Profit/Career Schools		Non-Degree For-Profit/Career Schools			
White (non-Hispanic)	2,800	87.2%	743	75.7%	427	85.7%	16,275	87.7%
Asian²	116	3.6%	18	1.8%	5	1.0%	435	2.4%
Hispanic	124	3.9%	39	4.0%	20	4.0%	798	4.3%
Native American	54	1.7%	5	0.5%	3	0.6%	168	0.9%
Black (non-Hispanic)	117	3.6%	177	18.0%	43	8.6%	877	4.7%
Total	3,211	100.0%	982	100.0%	498	100.0%	18,553	100.0%

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Fall 2006

Race/Ethnicity	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	Public Institutions							
	University of Nebraska		Nebraska State Colleges		Community Colleges		Total Public Institutions	
White (non-Hispanic)	5,651	88.7%	984	90.1%	5,214	85.7%	11,849	87.5%
Asian²	181	2.8%	10	0.9%	119	2.0%	310	2.3%
Hispanic	285	4.5%	33	3.0%	382	6.3%	700	5.2%
Native American	49	0.8%	20	1.8%	65	1.1%	134	1.0%
Black (non-Hispanic)	203	3.2%	45	4.1%	306	5.0%	554	4.1%
Total	6,369	100.0%	1,092	100.0%	6,086	100.0%	13,547	100.0%

Race/Ethnicity	Other Colleges and Universities						Nebraska Total	
	Independent Colleges and Universities ³		Degree-Granting For-Profit/Career Schools		Non-Degree For-Profit/Career Schools			
White (non-Hispanic)	2,747	87.3%	477	74.8%	409	83.0%	15,482	86.9%
Asian²	113	3.6%	6	0.9%	6	1.2%	435	2.4%
Hispanic	124	3.9%	16	2.5%	18	3.7%	858	4.8%
Native American	67	2.1%	6	0.9%	9	1.8%	216	1.2%
Black (non-Hispanic)	97	3.1%	133	20.8%	51	10.3%	835	4.7%
Total	3,148	100.0%	638	100.0%	493	100.0%	17,826	100.0%

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Fall 2007

Race/Ethnicity	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	Public Institutions							
	University of Nebraska		Nebraska State Colleges		Community Colleges		Total Public Institutions	
White (non-Hispanic)	5,628	88.5%	1,051	90.0%	4,947	84.8%	11,626	87.0%
Asian²	173	2.7%	7	0.6%	95	1.6%	275	2.1%
Hispanic	282	4.4%	39	3.3%	377	6.5%	698	5.2%
Native American	35	0.6%	24	2.1%	59	1.0%	118	0.9%
Black (non-Hispanic)	239	3.8%	47	4.0%	354	6.1%	640	4.8%
Total	6,357	100.0%	1,168	100.0%	5,832	100.0%	13,357	100.0%

Race/Ethnicity	Other Colleges and Universities						Nebraska Total	
	Independent Colleges and Universities ³		Degree-Granting For-Profit/Career Schools		Non-Degree For-Profit/Career Schools			
White (non-Hispanic)	2,712	85.0%	664	75.0%	223	88.8%	15,225	86.1%
Asian²	130	4.2%	5	0.6%	3	1.2%	413	2.3%
Hispanic	175	5.5%	25	2.8%	7	2.8%	905	5.1%
Native American	61	1.9%	4	0.5%	4	1.6%	187	1.1%
Black (non-Hispanic)	111	3.5%	187	21.1%	14	5.6%	952	5.4%
Total	3,189	100.0%	885	100.0%	251	100.0%	17,682	100.0%

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Fall 2008

Race/Ethnicity	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students	No. of Students	% of Students
	Public Institutions							
	University of Nebraska		Nebraska State Colleges		Community Colleges		Total Public Institutions	
White (non-Hispanic)	6,003	89.0%	1,089	91.0%	4,641	83.5%	11,733	86.9%
Asian²	160	2.4%	7	0.6%	109	2.0%	276	2.0%
Hispanic	325	4.8%	34	2.8%	427	7.7%	786	5.8%
Native American	35	0.5%	21	1.8%	43	0.8%	99	0.7%
Black (non-Hispanic)	220	3.3%	46	3.8%	335	6.0%	601	4.5%
Total	6,743	100.0%	1,197	100.0%	5,555	100.0%	13,495	100.0%
Race/Ethnicity	Other Colleges and Universities						Nebraska Total	
	Independent Colleges and Universities ³		Degree-Granting For-Profit/Career Schools		Non-Degree For-Profit/Career Schools			
	White (non-Hispanic)	2,591	81.3%	332	73.6%	280	87.5%	14,936
Asian²	158	5.0%	3	0.7%	1	0.3%	438	2.5%
Hispanic	213	6.7%	18	4.0%	13	4.1%	1,030	5.9%
Native American	78	2.4%	3	0.7%	3	0.9%	183	1.0%
Black (non-Hispanic)	146	4.6%	95	21.1%	23	7.2%	865	5.0%
Total	3,186	100.0%	451	100.0%	320	100.0%	17,452	100.0%

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