

TABLE 1.5
FULL-TIME, FIRST-TIME ENROLLED FRESHMEN BY BACKGROUND CHARACTERISTICS,
FALL 1999-FALL 2003

CHARACTERISTIC	FALL 1999		FALL 2000		FALL 2001		FALL 2002		FALL 2003		% CHANGE 1999-2003
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
SEX											
FEMALE	827	61.9	833	62.7	825	60.0	891	60.1	946	58.5	14.4
MALE	510	38.1	495	37.3	550	40.0	591	39.9	672	41.5	31.8
TOTAL	1,337	100.0	1,328	100.0	1,375	100.0	1,482	100.0	1,618	100.0	21.0
AGE											
17 AND UNDER	30	2.2	24	1.8	18	1.3	20	1.4	36	2.2	20.0
18-20	1,269	94.9	1,272	95.8	1,313	95.5	1,430	96.8	1,540	95.2	21.4
21-24	20	1.5	22	1.7	32	2.3	16	1.1	22	1.4	10.0
25-34	13	1.0	6	0.5	7	0.5	7	0.5	15	0.9	15.4
35-44	4	0.3	2	0.2	3	0.2	2	0.1	2	0.1	-50.0
45-54	0	0.0	1	0.1	2	0.1	2	0.1	3	0.2	--
55-64	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
65 AND OVER	1	0.1	1	0.1	0	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0	-100.0
TOTAL	1,337	100.0	1,328	100.0	1,375	100.0	1,478	100.0	1,618	100.0	21.0
MISSING	1		0		0		4		0		
RACE/ETHNICITY											
AFRICAN AMERICAN	191	14.6	169	13.1	175	13.5	159	11.1	182	11.2	-4.7
ASIAN	71	5.4	74	5.7	98	7.6	73	5.1	107	6.6	50.7
LATINO/A	253	19.3	230	17.8	199	15.3	230	16.0	269	16.6	6.3
NATIVE AMERICAN	2	0.2	5	0.4	1	0.1	3	0.2	7	0.4	250.0
WHITE	759	58.0	775	60.1	789	60.8	931	64.8	980	60.6	29.1
INTERNATIONAL*	32	2.4	37	2.9	35	2.7	40	2.8	31	1.9	-3.1
UNKNOWN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	2.6	--
TOTAL	1,308	100.0	1,297	100.0	1,297	100.0	1,436	100.0	1,618	100.0	23.7
MISSING	29		38		78		46		0		
PLACE OF ORIGIN											
ATLANTIC	14	1.0	23	1.7	23	1.7	14	0.9	17	1.1	21.4
BERGEN	232	17.4	238	17.9	222	16.1	220	14.8	264	16.3	13.8
BURLINGTON	19	1.4	21	1.6	23	1.7	26	1.8	41	2.5	115.8
CAMDEN	13	1.0	16	1.2	12	0.9	15	1.0	23	1.4	76.9
CAPE MAY	5	0.4	11	0.8	17	1.2	10	0.7	5	0.3	0.0
CUMBERLAND	7	0.5	3	0.2	4	0.3	5	0.3	6	0.4	-14.3
ESSEX	238	17.8	213	16.0	263	19.1	257	17.3	259	16.0	8.8
GLOUCESTER	8	0.6	5	0.4	10	0.7	14	0.9	12	0.7	50.0
HUDSON	148	11.1	133	10.0	152	11.1	126	8.5	141	8.7	-4.7
HUNTERDON	5	0.4	6	0.5	4	0.3	6	0.4	5	0.3	0.0
MERCER	10	0.7	15	1.1	17	1.2	17	1.1	18	1.1	80.0
MIDDLESEX	66	4.9	71	5.3	84	6.1	83	5.6	103	6.4	56.1
MONMOUTH	56	4.2	63	4.7	61	4.4	66	4.5	80	4.9	42.9
MORRIS	88	6.6	65	4.9	80	5.8	119	8.0	120	7.4	36.4
OCEAN	46	3.4	47	3.5	24	1.7	48	3.2	50	3.1	8.7
PASSAIC	203	15.2	190	14.3	201	14.6	218	14.7	228	14.1	12.3
SALEM	7	0.5	5	0.4	5	0.4	9	0.6	1	0.1	-85.7
SOMERSET	21	1.6	14	1.1	22	1.6	30	2.0	28	1.7	33.3
SUSSEX	31	2.3	22	1.7	22	1.6	37	2.5	32	2.0	3.2
UNION	71	5.3	94	7.1	74	5.4	84	5.7	109	6.7	53.5
WARREN	5	0.4	15	1.1	12	0.9	10	0.7	13	0.8	160.0
ALL NJ COUNTIES	1,293	96.7	1,270	95.6	1,332	96.9	1,414	95.4	1,555	96.1	20.3
OUT OF STATE	44	3.3	58	4.4	43	3.1	68	4.6	63	3.9	43.2
TOTAL	1,337	100.0	1,328	100.0	1,375	100.0	1,482	100.0	1,618	100.0	21.0
MISSING	0		0		0		0		0		

*International students are classified as non-resident aliens.
 Note: The average age of enrolled first-time full-time freshmen is 18.5 years.
 Source: Institutional Research, Semester Enrollment Reports, Fall 1999-Fall 2003