

**TABLE 2.2  
FIRST-TIME\* ENROLLED GRADUATE STUDENTS  
BY BACKGROUND CHARACTERISTICS  
FALL 1999-FALL 2003**

CHARACTERISTIC	FALL 1999		FALL 2000		FALL 2001		FALL 2002		FALL 2003***	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>SEX</b>										
FEMALE	576	71.6%	981	73.9%	920	75.7%	1,007	71.9%	1,081	72.5%
MALE	229	28.4%	346	26.1%	296	24.3%	394	28.1%	410	27.5%
TOTAL	805	100.0%	1,327	100.0%	1,216	100.0%	1,401	100.0%	1,491	100.0%
<b>AGE</b>										
17 AND UNDER	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
18-20	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
21-24	197	24.7%	272	20.5%	313	25.7%	302	21.6%	349	23.4%
25-34	360	45.2%	578	43.6%	525	43.2%	607	43.3%	677	45.4%
35-44	124	15.6%	236	17.8%	187	15.4%	255	18.2%	236	15.8%
45-54	89	11.2%	198	14.9%	155	12.7%	189	13.5%	181	12.1%
55-64	15	1.9%	34	2.6%	30	2.5%	38	2.7%	39	2.6%
65 AND OVER	11	1.4%	8	0.6%	6	0.5%	10	0.7%	9	0.6%
TOTAL	796	100.0%	1,327	100.0%	1,216	100.0%	1,401	100.0%	1,491	100.0%
MISSING	9		0		0		0		0	
<b>RACE/ETHNICITY</b>										
AFRICAN AMERICAN	55	7.6%	117	9.8%	126	11.3%	165	12.9%	149	11.1%
ASIAN	17	2.4%	26	2.2%	47	4.2%	53	4.2%	62	4.6%
LATINO/A	45	6.3%	70	5.9%	91	8.2%	93	7.3%	127	9.5%
NATIVE AMERICAN	2	0.3%	2	0.2%	2	0.2%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%
WHITE	558	77.5%	921	77.5%	809	72.8%	910	71.4%	966	72.0%
INTERNATIONAL**	43	6.0%	52	4.4%	37	3.3%	53	4.2%	37	2.8%
TOTAL	720	100.0%	1,188	100.0%	1,112	100.0%	1,275	100.0%	1,342	100.0%
MISSING	85		139		104		126		149	
<b>PLACE OF ORIGIN</b>										
ATLANTIC	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	2	0.2%	10	0.7%	14	0.9%
BERGEN	194	24.1%	295	22.2%	286	23.5%	278	19.8%	345	23.2%
BURLINGTON	2	0.2%	6	0.5%	7	0.6%	4	0.3%	3	0.2%
CAMDEN	0	0.0%	4	0.3%	29	2.4%	10	0.7%	5	0.3%
CAPE MAY	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%	4	0.3%
CUMBERLAND	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	11	0.9%	16	1.1%	13	0.9%
ESSEX	174	21.6%	334	25.2%	294	24.2%	353	25.2%	387	26.0%
GLOUCESTER	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	12	1.0%	2	0.1%	5	0.3%
HUDSON	42	5.2%	73	5.5%	58	4.8%	69	4.9%	64	4.3%
HUNTERDON	2	0.2%	5	0.4%	3	0.2%	3	0.2%	1	0.1%
MERCER	2	0.2%	5	0.4%	7	0.6%	4	0.3%	1	0.1%
MIDDLESEX	27	3.4%	27	2.0%	30	2.5%	46	3.3%	31	2.1%
MONMOUTH	13	1.6%	17	1.3%	19	1.6%	34	2.4%	28	1.9%
MORRIS	98	12.2%	153	11.5%	131	10.8%	137	9.8%	143	9.6%
OCEAN	8	1.0%	12	0.9%	10	0.8%	14	1.0%	22	1.5%
PASSAIC	108	13.4%	189	14.2%	155	12.7%	189	13.5%	182	12.2%
SALEM	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.2%	2	0.1%	5	0.3%
SOMERSET	12	1.5%	12	0.9%	11	0.9%	21	1.5%	22	1.5%
SUSSEX	20	2.5%	30	2.3%	24	2.0%	35	2.5%	41	2.8%
UNION	29	3.6%	59	4.4%	50	4.1%	66	4.7%	68	4.6%
WARREN	2	0.2%	8	0.6%	3	0.2%	6	0.4%	7	0.5%
ALL NJ COUNTIES	736	91.5%	1,230	92.7%	1,144	94.1%	1,302	92.9%	1,391	93.4%
OUT OF STATE	68	8.5%	97	7.3%	72	5.9%	99	7.1%	99	6.6%
TOTAL	804	100.0%	1,327	100.0%	1,216	100.0%	1,401	100.0%	1,490	100.0%
MISSING	1		0		0		0		1	

\*First time to this particular program but not necessarily to the University; Fall 1999 counts do not include 125 nondegree students who were admitted under a special recruitment initiative.

\*\*International students are students who have nonresident alien status.

\*\*\*Fall 2003 does not include 66 students who applied and enrolled in "Teaching Middle Grade Math" (TMGM) certificate program because the program began slightly after the census date.

Source: Institutional Research Graduate Admissions Reports, Fall 1999-Fall 2003