

# End of Cycle 2017 Data Resources

## DR2\_041\_05 Acceptances by A level points

UCAS

**Statistic:** Number of Acceptances

**Variables:** Achieved A level point score, Cycle Year

**Coverage:** Applied before June deadline, UK domiciled (excluding Scotland) 18 year olds and hold at least 3 A levels

### Definitions

#### Achieved A level point score

A points score attached to the highest 3 A level grades achieved by the applicant as identified either on application or through awarding body linkage process. The following points per grade are used in the calculation: A\* = 6, A = 5, B = 4, C = 3, D = 2, E = 1. A Level Double Award grades are included, AS level grades are not included. This value is not updated beyond the end of the application cycle for each applicant. (I.e. if an applicant applied in the 2010 cycle with one A level grade 'C', but went on to obtain a further two A levels in 2011, the value for the applicant applying in 2010 would remain 3.) This is only relevant for 18 year-old applicants domiciled in England, Northern Ireland and Wales, any applicants outside of this cohort will be assigned the value 'Not applicable'. These scores are calculated purely for analytical purposes and do not relate to the UCAS tariff.

#### Cycle Year

The cycle in which the application was processed.

#### Number of Acceptances

Acceptance is defined as an applicant who has been placed for entry into higher education.

**UCAS: DR2\_041\_05 Acceptances by A level points (Applied before June deadline, UK domiciled (excluding Scotland) 18 year olds and hold at least 3 A levels)**

Achieved A level point score	Number of Acceptances by Cycle Year							
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
3 points	205	155	120	160	150	145	160	165
4 points	810	645	660	620	695	670	715	760
5 points	2,170	1,790	1,775	1,810	1,895	1,910	1,990	2,165
6 points	4,470	3,835	3,785	3,805	4,115	4,065	4,125	4,335
7 points	7,225	6,785	6,485	6,570	6,760	6,985	7,055	7,160
8 points	10,100	10,140	9,445	9,525	9,855	10,190	10,300	10,340
9 points	13,300	13,630	12,510	12,735	12,680	13,315	13,640	13,560
10 points	14,845	15,785	14,645	15,045	14,785	15,440	15,540	15,695
11 points	15,670	16,480	15,715	16,065	15,705	16,615	16,675	17,010
12 points	16,465	17,290	16,605	17,290	16,675	17,485	17,660	17,210
13 points	15,865	16,420	16,255	16,545	15,865	16,265	16,325	16,225
14 points	14,710	15,285	14,745	14,780	14,190	14,365	14,415	14,235
15 points	14,800	14,930	14,320	14,110	12,990	13,085	13,030	13,050
16 points	10,850	11,345	10,640	10,365	9,975	10,200	10,235	9,900
17 points	6,375	6,690	6,270	6,065	6,425	6,600	6,280	6,350
18 points	4,880	5,380	5,150	4,880	5,175	5,280	4,780	5,310
<b>Total</b>	<b>152,735</b>	<b>156,580</b>	<b>149,125</b>	<b>150,370</b>	<b>147,935</b>	<b>152,620</b>	<b>152,930</b>	<b>153,485</b>